

## Annual Award Winners Announced for Parents Day

The presentation of seven awards for outstanding individual merit and one award for the best all-around Company, Battery, or Troop will highlight the ceremonies of Parent's Day Review to be held Sunday morning. These awards are among the most highly prized honors given to members of the cadet corps of Texas A&M, and competition has been intense up to the last.

Topping the list, both in general interest and in importance is the General George F. Moore Trophy, presented annually to the best all-around outfit according to standing in scholarship, military proficiency, intramural proficiency, and extracurricular activities, listed in order of importance.

In addition to the trophy the winning organization will be awarded a special flag to carry in all parades and reviews, and individual cadets of the organization will wear distinctive shoulder patches, while Senior members of the organization will be awarded gold medals. At the same time the winning organization is presented the flag and trophy, the organization previously holding the award is given a plaque or scroll signifying that it has been a George F. Moore Trophy winner.

Winner of the award last year was Company F Infantry who amassed a total of 1490 points to take the award.

The number one individual award is the Caldwell Trophy, a watch presented by the Caldwell Jewelry Store of Bryan to the cadet selected as the outstanding cadet of the Corps, based on academic standards, military proficiency, leadership, and student activities. The winner for this year can not yet be announced as complete tabulation of information has not yet been made.

The Daughter's of the American Revolution Trophy is a cash award presented to the highest ranking Junior in academic standards, character, leadership, and military proficiency. Winner for this year is Cadet First Sergeant Joe R. Clark, Troop "C" Cavalry.

The Albert Sidney Johnson Sabre is awarded annually by the Texas Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy to the outstanding cadet showing proficiency in application of the principles of military science and leadership, and having an outstanding student record. Winner for this year is Cadet Captain Robert F. Huston, Company "A", Chemical Corps.

The Sons of the American Revolution is a medal awarded annually for a student exemplifying military proficiency, leadership, and aptitude for military service, and having high academic standards. Winner for this year is Cadet Major Charles W. Mattox, Commanding Composite Regiment.

The Field Artillery Medal is presented by the Field Artillery Association to a cadet in the Field Artillery Unit selected by the board of officers for outstanding military proficiency. Winner for this year is Cadet Lieutenant Colonel Joe W. Coddou, Corps Adjutant. This award is to be presented by Lieutenant Colonel Lawrence E. Sommers.

The Coast Artillery Medal is presented by the United States Coast Artillery Association to a cadet in the Coast Artillery Unit selected by a board of officers for outstanding military proficiency. Winner for this year is Cadet

### 3 Students Picked For Cotton Tour

Three agronomy students will fly to Mexico, Central America, Ecuador and Peru this summer on their annual summer cotton tour.

Selected for the trip after competitive examinations are: George Kunze, Giddings; V. P. Bennett, Henderson; and John P. Stanford, Linden. The students took nine examinations in different phases of cotton, general crops, soils and soil conservation.

While on the tour, the group will inspect cotton industries, and study production, improvement and marketing of cotton. Professor J. S. Mogford of the A&M agronomy department will accompany the group on the trip.

Proceeds from the annual cotton ball and pageant held earlier this month will defray the expenses of the tour.

### Aims of College Told Kiwanians

By Pres. Gilchrist

Speaking at Tuesday's meeting of the Kiwanis Club, President Gibb Gilchrist spoke on the aims and objectives of A. & M. for the next few years. He told of the building program to be instituted if the \$5,000,000 is obtained via constitutional amendment.

A new Science Hall and a new Ag Building will be among the new buildings constructed, while some of the older halls will be renovated.

He also told of some of the outstanding men who have been brought to A. & M. from other schools. Among those mentioned were J. C. Miller, head of the Animal Husbandry Department; R. D. Lewis, Agriculture Experiment Station; John Quisenberry, head of the Poultry Husbandry Department; J. G. Potter, head of the Physics Department; and I. W. Rupe, head of the Dairy Husbandry Department.

The President also discussed the reorganization and co-ordination of the various branches and departments of the school. He told how the Extension Service, Experiment Service, and teaching division of the main college had been co-ordinated. He also told how the different branches of the Ag Department had been brought together under one head for better co-ordination of teaching and research.

Captain Edward D. Bateman, Battery "A", Coast Artillery. This award is to be presented by Major John K. Walker, Jr.

The Ordnance Medal is presented by the United States Ordnance Association to a cadet in the Ordnance Unit selected by a board of officers for outstanding military proficiency. Winner for this year is Cadet Captain Jack Slack, Company "A", Ordnance. This award is to be presented by Lieutenant Colonel Frank R. Swoger.

Representatives of the Daughter's of the American Revolution, the Sons of the American Revolution, and the United Daughter's of the Confederacy will be on hand to present the awards given by their respective organizations.

### Generous General Originated Field Artillery Medal

This year as in years previous, the Field Artillery Association Medal will be presented to the senior who has been outstanding in military proficiency. But few, if any, know that this medal originated out of a request of a 13 year old boy for some old artillery horses.

Back in March, 1935 Leroy Johnson, 13 year old son of a South Dakota farmer, sent a letter to Major General Upton Birnie, then Chief of Field Artillery. Leroy and his 11 year old brother wanted "to help our Dad do some farm work" but as the family was poor, another team of horses could not be afforded. What Leroy wanted was an old team of artillery horses that the army was through with.

General Birnie wrote Leroy and told him that as much as he would like to give the horses away, it would be impossible as regulations provided that old horses must be sold. However with funds advanced by the Field Artillery Association, a pair of horses whose duty days were over were purchased and sent to Leroy. Needless to say, great astonishment and joy reigned in Leroy's house when they arrived.

To pay for the horses, the secretary of the association, Colonel Dean Hudnut, wrote to all artillery commanders in the Regular Army. He asked that three cents per man be donated for the purchase. The response was so great that after the team and a set of harnesses was paid for, \$200 remained.

As it was obviously impracticable to return the money, the Executive Council determined that it should be used to strike the association medal and to institute the award.

And so it is each year, that the outstanding field artillery senior in each Senior ROTC Unit receives the Field Artillery Association Medal because of a young boy's desire, and a general's generosity.

### 'Let Lawn Go Dry' Or Thirst Later, Holmgreen Warns

"Let your lawn go dry, unless you want to go dry yourself later on," is the advice from the City of Bryan, which supplies water to A&M and College Station as well. Insufficient rainfall is causing a critical water shortage, according to municipal authorities there.

E. N. Holmgreen, business manager of the college, therefore asks all residents of the community to discontinue watering of lawns for at least 30 days. At the end of that time the new well of the City of Bryan should be operating.

### Special Meeting Of City Council May 12

The College Station City Council will hold a special meeting Monday, May 12, to open bids on the 16,000 feet of water pipe which were announced last Saturday, said City Manager Francis Vaughn yesterday.

The regular meeting of the council will be held on May 15, at which time the plans and rules for the new College Station cemetery will be submitted for approval, Vaughn added.

## AE Day to Include Football, Baseball Game, Department Exhibits, Follies

### Houston Attorney to Deliver Graduate Address May 30

Edward S. Boyles, Houston attorney, has been named commencement speaker for graduation exercises to be held Friday, May 30. Fred R. Jones, head of the department of agricultural engineering and chairman of the commencement program committee, has announced. The second largest graduation class in the school's history, with 724 candidates, is scheduled to receive degrees.

Dr. W. H. Alexander, pastor of the First Christian Church of Oklahoma City, will deliver the baccalaureate services at 10 a. m. Commencement will begin at 6 p. m.

The departments of the college will be open for inspection by visitors from 1 to 4, with the final review being staged at the latter hour.

President and Mrs. Gibb Gilchrist will hold open house following commencement for the graduates, former students, members of the faculty, and guests.

### ROA Meeting To Be Held Monday Evening in Sbsa

The Brazos County Reserve Officers Association will hold their May meeting on Monday, May 12, in the main dining room of Sbsa Hall. This will be the annual "smoker"; refreshments will be served.

Junior and senior students taking advanced ROTC are cordially invited and urged to attend. Sid Lovelless, association president, announced that junior and senior students holding advanced contracts are eligible to membership in the Reserve Officers Association for a fee of \$1 per year. Lovelless also stated that any Reserve Officer attending school under the GI Bill is eligible to membership in the Association for \$1.50 per year. This includes a subscription to the association magazine.

The association will have a broad and aggressive program for the year, according to Lovelless. He said that with the support of the Reserve Officer's in this area the local chapter would have the outstanding program in the state.

### Architests Sponsor Water Color Show

An art exhibit of 35 water colors by outstanding American watercolorists is currently being sponsored by the Architectural Society, and will be on display for about 10 days from 8:30 a. m. until 5 p. m. in the library of the Architectural Department.

This is a loan exhibition being circulated for one year among the larger colleges and universities of America. The work shown includes a complete range of the water color technique. Some work, as that by Millard Sheets illustrates the nearly perfect wash technique, while in contrast to his work that of R. Gillett illustrates a well defined gouche medium.

In the show will be found several water colors that are the originals for illustrations used in contemporary magazines and books. Many of the artists were in the "War Artists" groups who were working for the War Department in various parts of the world.

### Ring Dance Ducats Go On Sale Friday

Tickets for the Senior Ring Dance and Banquet go on sale Friday morning, May 9, at \$6.00 for the complete ticket, including two banquet tickets and admission to the dance.

Separate ducats are priced at \$2.00 each for banquet and \$2.50 for the dance.

Tickets may be secured from the following in the cadet area:

Johnny Henry 418 - 9  
Naud Burnett 317 - 2  
Byron Broyles 117 - 10

In the non-military area, tickets may be secured from:

Louis L'Hommedieu 206 Bizzell  
Quentin Harvey 214 - 16

Those desiring to attend the banquet must purchase tickets by Wednesday noon, May 14.

### Proctor & Gamble Representative To Interview Monday

Proctor and Gamble Manufacturing Company of Dallas will have a representative on the campus Monday, May 12 to interview all junior mechanical, chemical, electrical, and management engineers and industrial education students interested in summer work with this organization. All interested students should contact the Placement Office at once to arrange for an interview.

### Military Photos to Be Paid By Military Units

In answer to queries from Cadet Officers, Staffs, and First Sergeants concerning the receipt of bills from the A. & M. Photo Shop for pictures taken for the Longhorn, Co-editor Harry Saunders has made this statement: "Due to a misinterpretation of contract, the A. & M. Photo Shop was under the impression that photos for the military section were to be paid for by Student Activities, which it has never done, and could not do under provisions of the existing contract for this year. Therefore, bills received by the Cadets are valid and if not paid will mean loss for the Photo Shop."

May 10, the Schools of Agriculture and Engineering will go all out to show the parents of Aggies just what is happening at A. & M. in the way of new methods and devices in the field of education.

The exhibits in each of the schools will open at 9 a. m. and will stay open for inspection until 5 p. m. The school of agriculture is featuring the Eleventh A. & M. Dairy Show, whereas the school of engineering is featuring several exhibits in the different departments.

### Dr. Alexander Makes Return Visit To Aggie Campus

Monday at 11:00 Dr. W. H. Alexander spoke in Guion Hall to an assemblage of over a thousand students, professors, and college employees, which he termed a "return engagement". Dr. Alexander was the featured speaker on the campus during the Religious Emphasis week held here at A&M last February, and made such a favorable impression that YMCA Secretary, M. L. Cashion, stated he was swamped with requests for the return of "that red-headed preacher from Oklahoma".

Prior to Dr. Alexander's talk the Singing Cadets presented a brief program after which director Bill Turner was summoned by Dr. Alexander to lead the Aggies present in "The Spirit of Aggeland".

In his address, Dr. Alexander emphasized that a change in heart of the people of the world would be necessary if extinction of the human race were to be prevented, and that this change would have to be initiated by young people to the world over. Although of serious content, his talk was filled with jokes, and light humor from beginning to end.

Dr. Alexander held personal conferences from 2 until 4 p. m. yesterday, and a forum at 5 o'clock, but he was unable to speak at night as was originally planned.

The A&M Dairy Show will consist mainly of three parts. The first part will be made up of an inspection tour of the creamery; the second part will be made up of Artificial Insemination exhibit; and the third portion of the show will be the Dairy Show. Several classes of Jerseys and Holsteins will be shown by students in the D. H. department. There will also be sponsored a Freshman Judging Contest by the Animal Husbandry Department.

The School of Engineering will also sponsor an array of exhibits. The Electrical Engineering Department will have the new \$100,000 calculator, a photoelectric speed indicator, and a Tesla coil demonstrator on display along with many other things of interest to the general public. Chemical Engineers will have exhibits consisting of plastics, moldings, incendiary bombs, synthetic rubber, and many other exhibits. The Aero Department will have two exhibits on that day. They are aircraft engine designs and a wind tunnel demonstration. The Petroleum Department will exhibit oil field equipment. Besides these there will be many more exhibits on display that day.

The sports items on the calendar for the day are a dual track meet with Texas University on Kyle Field, a baseball game with Brooks Army Air Field on Kyle Field, and an Intra-squad football game on Kyle Field.

Entertainment for the day will continue with the "Pitchfork-Slipstick Follies" at 7 p. m. in Guion Hall. A free dance on the Slab will follow the Follies.

### AE Day Dance to Be Held on the Slab

A dance on the Slab will end the festivities of Agriculture-Engineers Day Saturday, May 10. The dance will follow the Pitchfork-Slipstick Follies which is being presented in Guion Hall.

The music for the occasion will be furnished by the boys from the Bryan Field Annex, "The Lower Slobbovians," from 9 until 12.

The dance will be free to any and all who wish to join in the festivities of the evening.

### Employees Picnic Slated for May 15

A picnic supper will be the element of the next College Employees get-together on May 15. The picnic will be held on the Slab, and all members will come dressed in the usual picnic garb.

Tickets for the affair, at 75 cents a plate, must be bought at the Aggeland Inn before Wednesday noon. The picnic starts at 7 p. m.

### NOTICE!

Private homes are available for parents this weekend. Arrangements can be made at Goodwin Hall.

### 'Young Tom Edison' On May 10 Is First Of Guion Classics

Three more screen classics have been scheduled by Guion Hall during the month of May, according to Tom Puddy, manager. To be shown on Saturday morning, May 10, is "Young Tom Edison", starring Mickey Rooney.

"Huckleberry Finn" is slated for the next Saturday morning, May 17, and Butch Jenkins can be seen on May 24 in "The Human Comedy". The movies will begin at 10 a. m. on the days indicated, and there will be no admission charge.

### A DIVING LESSON FROM CHAMPION



I CAN'T GET THAT JACKKNIFE RIGHT, MISS O'DONNELL—WHAT'S WRONG?

YOUR APPROACH IS OFF, BETTY—I'LL SHOW YOU

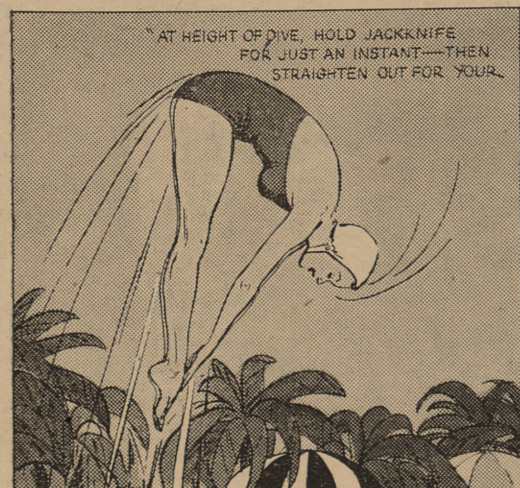
APPROACH...

REMEMBER—3 STEPS—LEFT—RIGHT—LEFT—AND A STRONG HURDLE JUMP TO THE END OF THE BOARD!

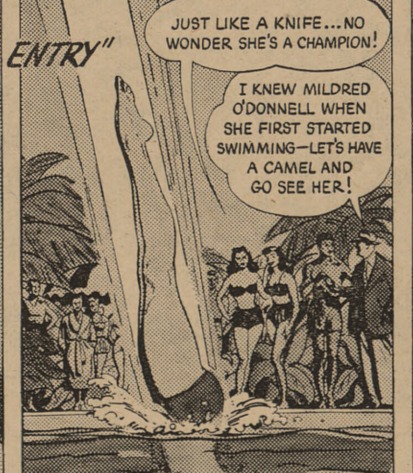
REACH... JUST IMAGINE YOU'RE REACHING FOR A CROSSBAR HIGH OVERHEAD...

EXECUTION... YOUR REACH SHOULD BE HIGH ENOUGH TO ALLOW COMPLETE EXECUTION OF THE DIVE ABOVE THE LEVEL OF THE BOARD!

SEE HOW SHE WHIPS HERSELF INTO THE AIR—ALMOST STRAIGHT UP! NOW, WATCH...



AT HEIGHT OF DIVE, HOLD JACKKNIFE FOR JUST AN INSTANT—THEN STRAIGHTEN OUT FOR YOUR ENTRY!



JUST LIKE A KNIFE... NO WONDER SHE'S A CHAMPION!

I KNEW MILDRED O'DONNELL WHEN SHE FIRST STARTED SWIMMING—LET'S HAVE A CAMEL AND GO SEE HER!



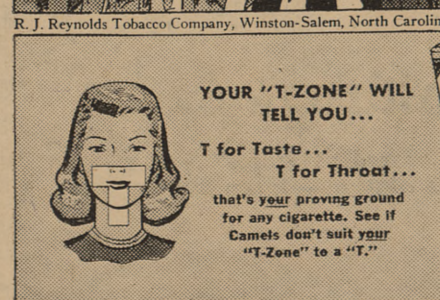
AFTER ALL THE BRANDS I SMOKED DURING THE WARTIME SHORTAGE, IT'S SWEET TO GET CAMELS REGULARLY AGAIN!

THERE'S JUST NO OTHER CIGARETTE LIKE A CAMEL!

I'VE TRIED THEM ALL TOO—IT'S CAMELS WITH ME!

IT'S TRUE IN DIVING... EXPERIENCE IS THE BEST TEACHER! ...AND IN SMOKING TOO. THE CIGARETTE FOR ME IS CAMEL!

Mildred O'Donnell DIVING CHAMPION



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