

EFFECTIVE HAY FEVER TREATMENT DISCOVERED

CHICAGO, Aug. 23 (AP)—A new drug has been more than 90 percent effective in treating 142 cases of hay fever and other allergic conditions, an Illinois physician reported Saturday.

WEATHERMAN SAYS IT'S HOT—NO ARGUMENT

FORT WORTH, Aug. 23 (AP)—There was a particularly gleeful weatherman booming about Fort Worth Saturday—he casually informed the citizenry this morning that the temperature yesterday hit 132 degrees.

ARKANSAS GOVERNOR TO BACK DIXIE CRATS

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Aug. 23 (AP)—Governor Ben Laney wants Arkansas' Democratic presidential electors pledged to the states' rights candidate, Governor Strom Thurmond and Fielding Wright.

WAINWRIGHT TO HEAD DISABLED VETERANS

NEW YORK, Aug. 23 (AP)—General Jonathan M. Wainwright, hero of Bataan and Corregidor, has been elected national commander of the Disabled American Veterans.

WALLACE PLANS HOUSTON, DALLAS, EL PASO MEETS

DALLAS, Aug. 23 (AP)—Henry Wallace, candidate for president of the Progressive Party, will spend 24 hours campaigning in Dallas on September 28, Sam Barbara, Dallas Wallace leader, announced Friday.

LONDON PAPER REPORTS REDS PLAN TO OUST TITO

LONDON, Aug. 23 (AP)—The London Evening News declared Friday Prime Minister Stalin has ordered the stage set for a Coup d'Etat in Yugoslavia and already has chosen a successor to Premier Marshal Tito.

GUARD TO FURNISH ARMY STRIKING FORCE

CAMP HOOD, Tex., Aug. 23 (AP)—The Department of the Army is looking to the National Guard to furnish an important part of its mobile striking force, Gen. J. Lawton Collins, deputy chief of staff, said last week.

HUMBLE COMPLETES WELL IN LOUISIANA TIDELANDS

DALLAS, Aug. 23 (AP)—The submerged tidelands oil boom branched to the west coast last week with the announcement three companies are using man-made earthquakes off California to create shock waves as deep as 15,000 feet below the ocean bed in a search for petroleum.

Andrews-Singleton Married Yesterday

Miss Dorothy Singleton and E. H. Andrews, Class of '45, were married yesterday afternoon at 4 in the Presbyterian Chapel.

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Board Awards Center Bid to McKee Company

Company Given 510 Working Days to Complete Construction; Directors Name Dr. Boughton Research Dean in Vet Medicine

The bid for general construction of the Memorial Student Center was awarded to the Robert McKee Company of Dallas by the board of directors in a special session Saturday.

Summer Students to Register Saturday For Fall Semester

Students enrolled in the second term of the 1948 summer session and in good academic standing will begin registering at 8 p. m. August 28 in Sbisia Hall, H. L. Heaton, registrar, has announced.

W. B. Clayton Named President Of Research Foundation Friday

W. B. Clayton, vice president of the General Electric Co., at Dallas, was elected president of the A&M Research Foundation when the foundation's board of trustees met here Friday.

Chrysanthemum Plants Will Bloom On Campus in '49

A new type of Chrysanthemum, the Cushion-Mum, will invade the campus in the fall of '49, according to E. E. Forrest of the Care & Maintenance Department.

Students registering for less than 12 credit hours will report to the registrar's desk in Sbisia Hall for a statement of expenses before beginning registration.

All other students registering on the campus for the fall semester will complete their registration in Sbisia on Saturday, September 11.

Students registering will follow the directions on the back of the assignment cards which are given out at Sbisia Hall.

Schedules of classes will be distributed at the Registrar's Office on Friday of this week, Heaton concluded.

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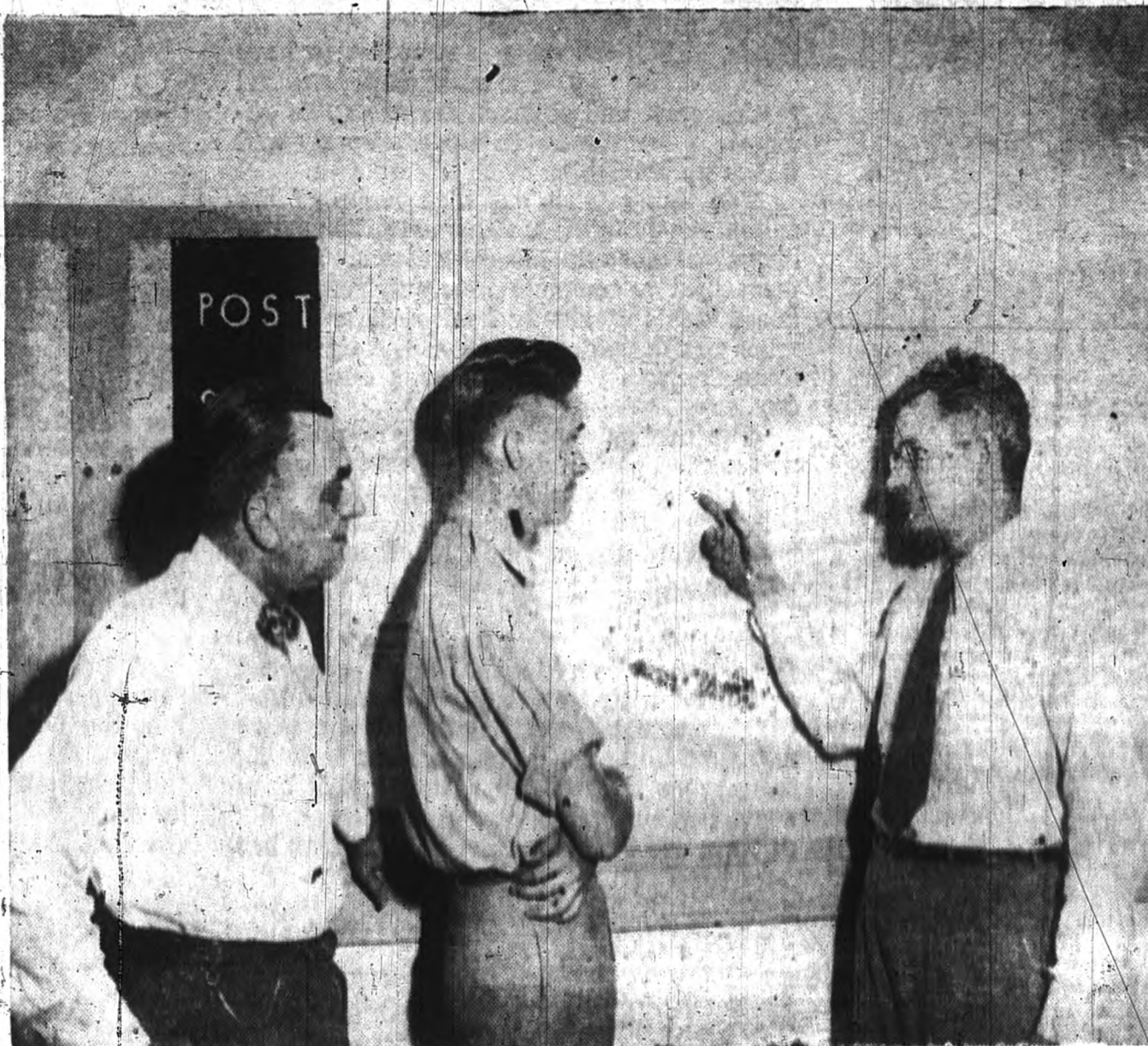
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POST-GRADUATION STUDIES program of A&M is explained to R. S. ROBERTSON, wildlife management student, by DR. JOHN Q. HAYS of the English Department.

Commandant Gives Dormitory Assignments In New Area for Cadet Corps Organizations

Cadet organization dormitory assignments for the 1948-49 school year have been announced by Lt. Col. Joe E. Davis, assistant commandant.

Corps Staff "B" Veterans, "A" Veterans and "D" Veterans will occupy Dormitory 12. Corps staff will live on the first floor; "B" Veterans, second floor; "A" Veterans, third floor; and "D" Veterans, fourth floor.

"D" Infantry, "B" Infantry, "A" Infantry, and "C" Infantry will occupy Dormitory 10. "D" Infantry will live on the first floor; "B" Infantry, second floor; "A" Infantry, third floor; and "C" Infantry, fourth floor.

Dormitory 8: "E" Air Force, first floor; "B" Artillery, second floor; "C" Artillery, third floor; and "A" Artillery, fourth floor.

Dormitory 6: "D" Air Force, first floor; "A" Air Force, second floor; "B" Air Force, third floor; and "C" Air Force, fourth floor.

Dormitory 4: "A" Cavalry, second floor; "B" Engineers, fourth floor; and "A" Engineers, fourth floor. First floor will be used for overflow from all units.

Dormitory 11: Maroon Band, first floor and north half of second floor; White Band, south half of second floor and third floor; Senior Band, fourth floor.

Dormitory 9: "A" Signal Corp, first floor; "A" ASA, second floor; "A" Cml, third floor and "A" QM, fourth floor.

Dormitory 7: "D" Artillery, first floor; "E" Artillery, second floor; "A" Ordnance, third floor, and "A" TC, fourth floor.

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A&M Researchers Preserve Oyster Industry in Texas

The oyster industry in Texas has deteriorated until it has become almost non-existent, Dr. C. C. Doak head of the biology department at A&M told Kivanians at their luncheon meeting Tuesday.

Dr. Doak said that a centralized agency to disseminate oyster information was needed in Texas. The oyster project is one of the largest being carried on by the A&M Research Foundation of which Dr. A. A. Jakkula is director, he pointed out.

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Draft Classes Announced As 'Greetings' Being Readied

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23 (AP)—President Truman told selective service boards Friday to start mailing classification questionnaires to single non-veteran draft registrants by Sept. 7.

The order was in a 30-page set of regulations laying down the detailed provisions for putting thousands of young men 19 through 25 into uniform under the new peacetime draft act.

Under the order, as provided by the act, deferments will be given to men with dependents, to almost all veterans, to men in necessary jobs, including farm work, conscientious objectors and some other classes of registrants.

Here is how draft registrants will be classified: Class I: 1-A: Available for military service. 1-A-P: Conscientious objector available for noncombatant military service.

Under the regulations issued Friday, each registrant between the ages of 19 through 25 will be considered as available for military service until his status in a deferred or exempt classification "is clearly established to the satisfaction of the local board."

2 New Instructors Employed to Teach Freshman Biology

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Faculty and Students Blamed Jointly

Students Voice Thought Upon Existent Problem of Cheating

By FRANK CUSHING—Interviewed students of this school seem to agree upon one aspect of cheating. The common opinion which was presented might be summarized in the statement that cheating is certainly not a component of education itself, but is a virtual necessity under the existing system of education.

George Fairbairn, a junior, stated, "Cheating is a non-essential element for students possessing the integrity and ability to make a success of themselves. However it is influenced mainly by the professors who constantly conceive methods to combat cheating."

He explained his latter statement by saying, "Under these conditions an eternal battle exists between the students and faculty, each trying to outwit the other."

Fairbairn does not absolve blame from the students however; "Much cheating results too from a lack of preparedness and application upon the students part."

The method of eliminating the practice, he predicted, would be a long and difficult task. "When our educational system is no longer built around the importance of grades," he said, "then, and not before then, the problem will be eliminated."

Encourages the desire among students to "get even." This is not smart; but it is prevalent," he said when referring to the get-even attitude.

Brooks decided that the only way to lessen the practice is to change the attitude of students. "I doubt if there is a man in A&M who can truthfully say he hasn't cheated," he stated.

When questioned Fred Wilson, a senior, said, "The blame for cheating is equally possessed by students too lazy to do their work, and profs whose teaching is so lax that students can not master the material."

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