

CAR MAKERS CAN GO BACK TO WORK
DETROIT, Sept. 24.—A 15-day-old strike of 170 Briggs Manufacturing Co. plant guards, that had idled nearly 60,000 Detroit auto workers, was settled Thursday, labor mediators announced. State Labor Mediator Robert Lomasney announced an agreement and said representatives of both sides were ready to sign a contract. He did not announce details.

UNION OFFICIALS MUST BE NON-REDS
CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—The Federal Court of Appeals in a two to one decision today held constitutional the portion of the National Labor Relations Act requiring union officials to sign non-Communist affidavits.

BROWNSVILLE APPLIES FOR TELEVISION
WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—Thomas O. Payne, doing business as Brownsville Television Co., today applied to the communications commission for a new commercial television station at Brownsville, Texas.

GULF DRILLING CHALLENGED
GALVESTON, Tex., Sept. 24.—A public hearing will be held here Oct. 5 in protests against proposed drilling of oil wells in the Gulf of Mexico.

Col. B. L. Robinson, Galveston district army engineer, announced the hearing yesterday. He said it was called because of protests from navigation interests. Stanolind Oil and Gas Co. of Houston is planning to drill for oil wells in eight areas offshore from Galveston.

JOHNSON GETS TO TELL STORY TODAY
DALLAS, Sept. 24.—James V. Allred announced here that Federal Judge Joseph C. Hutcheson, Jr., would hear at 9 a. m. today in Houston Lyndon Johnson's appeal from a federal court injunction which is keeping his name off the general election ballot as Democratic nominee for U. S. Senate.

HURRICANE MOVES ON TO BERMUDA
MIAMI, Fla., Sept. 24.—Severe gales of near-hurricane force threatened the British Island of Bermuda today as a hurricane that left three dead and an estimated \$25,000,000 damage in Florida expanded at sea.

GREEK FORCES REGAIN GROUND
ATHENS, Sept. 24.—A general staff spokesman said yesterday Greek forces have won back about half the ground they lost to the Rebels in the Vitsi Triangle and killed 450 Communists during the four-day offensive. The spokesman said the Greeks recaptured the town of Dendras, a town previously used as the pivot for their unsuccessful assault on the guerrilla chain supply road into Albania.

Rochelle Elected President of A&M Pre-Med. Society
J. B. Rochelle was elected president of the Pre-medical-Pre-dental Society at its first meeting of the year, Billy Karow, reporter, announced Thursday. Other officers elected were Earl Grant, vice-president; Billy Nash, secretary and treasurer; and Billy Karow, reporter.

The usual highlight of the season for the Society is the annual banquet which is attended by the deans or representatives of the medical and dental schools of Texas. The discussions at these banquets are concerned with the present trends of medical schools and the rapidly changing pre-medical-pre-dental outlook. The Society meets on the first and third Tuesdays of each month in Room 32 of the Science Hall.

Cataloger Added To Library Staff
Mrs. Dorothy G. Yezak has been appointed serials cataloger on the staff of the Cushing Memorial Library, Paul S. Balance, chief librarian, announced today.

Mrs. Yezak received her library training at TSCW and served as librarian at West Texas High School, and North Junior High in Waco. Her husband, Andrew C. Yezak, is a graduate student majoring in floriculture.

Leave for Vets
Veterans who were enrolled in A&M the second semester and notified the Veterans Administration that they did not desire the fifteen days' leave between the second summer semester and the fall semester, should report to the Veterans Advisor's Office, immediately. Taylor Williams, Veterans Advisor, announced today.



FRESHMEN EXAMINATIONS taken at A&M are graded at a rate of 300 an hour by OLGA CLOUDT of the Guidance and Appraisal Service of the College. A quiz paper is in the electronic grading machine, and Mrs. Cloudt is reading the student's score on a dial. Papers from 1,400 freshmen students were graded and ready for use in advising the freshmen a day after the achievement and aptitude tests were taken.

Three Entrants Register For "Ugly Man" Contest First Day
By "HANDSOME" LARRY GOODWYN
The Commentator's "Ugly Man" Contest, only one day old has already begun to draw entrants—bent on fame, fortune and two tickets to the A&M-Texas football game. Scarcely had the announcement come out in Thursday's issue of the Battalion—when three fugitives from a plastic surgeon signified their intentions of campaigning. The first three in the field that is expected to reach at least twenty were Snag (Just call me Snagtooth) Gentry, Rupert (pride of the jocks) Hall and Jimmy (leatherlung) Stephens.

Gentry, a veteran senior from Dallas is regimental commander of the Infantry Regiment, five feet six inches tall at best, Gentry's greatest claim to athletic fame is that he tips the scales at over two hundred pounds. And he has employed a campaign manager every bit as ponderous as himself—namely J. W. Robinson 200 plus pounds of "hot air." Gentry said he fully intended to win and with "Robinson backing me up, I'm ready to make a race of it."

Hall, however, violently disagreed, saying, "they ain't got a chance. You know history repeats itself and since it was Hall in '41, it'll be Hall in '48. (Alley Oop Hall won the '41 Ugly Man contest.) Hall, commander of "C" Troop Cavalry is employing not one, but two campaign managers—George Marble, a senior from Dallas, and Dudley Burris, Junior of Seguin.

Hall said he plans to give speeches in behalf of his candidacy outside of Duncan mess hall and "with all the Cavalry behind me, how can I lose?" Stephens, head yell leader, was not so vehement in his plans for victory. In fact, at last reports, he hadn't even been contacted by the Battalion for interview. It is believed his roommate, Murray Cox, who has had to look at Stephens' face for three years, entered his name before the latter knew anything about the contest. However, as Stephens has so much "natural talent" for the title of "Ugly Man" his candidacy must be considered a major one.

All three candidates seemed intensely interested in the "secret" prize that rounds out the group of three awards to be given the winner of the contest. Some rumors now in full swing insist that the prize is a deferment from the draft while others are claiming it is an exemption from any course the winner selects. However, the Commentator staff, guiding hands of the contest, are remaining mum. The other prizes are two tickets to the A&M-Texas game and hotel reservations in the Austin hotel.

Baptist Co-Weds Plan Wiener Roast Saturday Evening
The Co-Wed Department of the First Baptist Church of Bryan will hold a wiener roast at 6 Saturday evening, Mrs. J. E. Park, publicity chairman, said Wednesday. The social, which is being held in celebration of the establishment of the Co-Weds as a department, will be held at the home of R. C. Howren.

The Howren home is two and a quarter miles south and a quarter mile east of the east Gate, Mrs. Park said. Food will be furnished, and transportation will be arranged for couples calling the First Baptist Church. The Co-Weds Department consists of young married couples who attend Sunday School together, Mrs. Park said, adding that the department welcomed visitors to the wiener roast.

What's Cooking
AGGIE WIVES CIRCLE, A&M METHODIST CHURCH, 7:30 p. m. Monday, with Mrs. Cecil Ryan on Sulphur Springs Road.
ARCHITECTURE SOCIETY, Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., Assembly Room, YMCA. First meeting of the year. Elect officers.
CAMERA CLUB, 7:30 p. m. Monday, Physics Building.
LANDSCAPE ART CLUB, 7:30 p. m. Monday, Room 310, Agricultural Engineering Building.
SPANISH CLUB, After yell practice Tuesday night, Room 123, Academic Building.

98 Students File For Student Senate; Today Final Day To Make Application

Martin, Gossett, and Joseph Nominated for Class President

R. W. McDaniel, civil engineering student from Bellaire, Texas, was named secretary-treasurer of the sophomore class at a meeting held last night. McDaniel, a member of last year's freshman track squad won the unanimous vote of the meeting.

Directors Meet To Review A-M System Report

The board of directors of A&M is meeting today and tomorrow for the purpose of reviewing the chancellor's annual report on the A&M System for 1948-49. The session began this morning at 9 at the Plaza Hotel in San Antonio.

The board will discuss appropriations for the Memorial Student Center and a proposed appropriation for the building of a 18-hole golf course. Authorization will be sought for the use of \$50,000 from the Exchange Store operating fund and \$50,000 from other available funds. These funds will be used in the immediate work on the center.

The proposed golf course will cost about \$75,000. It will be located in the southwest corner of the campus where the present beef cattle center is now located. The horse barn will be converted into a club house.

Plans for the course have been drawn up by Ralph Plummer, of Dallas, one of the south's finest golf layout designers. An appropriation of \$50,000 has already been made for the construction of a new beef center. An additional \$33,000 will be requested from the board. The total cost will be \$103,000 and it will be located near the present dairy.

Tennis courts for John Tarleton Agriculture College will be proposed. Also the appointments of new deans for the Stephenville and Arlington schools will be considered.

A&M History And Traditions Viewed By Mrs. Campbell

Mrs. C. B. Campbell spoke at a meeting of the Newcomers Club last Wednesday afternoon. She gave an account of the history of the customs that are now a part of Aggie tradition, and related many amusing anecdotes of early campus life.

Mrs. J. B. Johnson, president, introduced the new officers. They were Mrs. A. W. Melton, vice-president; Mrs. P. R. White, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. R. E. Leighton, membership chairman; Mrs. D. L. Belcher, program chairman; Mrs. Robert H. Fletcher, co-program chairman, and Mrs. R. S. Stevenson, chairman of the hostess committee.

Mrs. J. E. Roberts, a charter member, spoke briefly on how Newcomers came to be started. The purpose of the Newcomers Club is to help new women get acquainted. Newcomers were urged to bring magazines to each meeting to be turned over to Mr. Gay of the YMCA for the use of the boys at Bryan Field.

Correction
The Student Commissary is closing out its entire stock but not at the prices as quoted in yesterday's Batt.
According to Carey Clark, owner and manager of the Commissary, the information contained in the Commissary's ad is incorrect.
The Student Commissary is now located in the North Central wing of Anchor Hall and not at 214 Houston St.
The Commissary is open every day from 4 to 6 p. m. and from 1 to 6 p. m. on Saturday.



CHARLES "CHUCK" CABANIS has been named Sports Editor of the 1949 Longhorn. Cabanis is a sophomore student taking pre-law.

Four File For Vacancies On Life Committee

Only four students have applied for the three vacancies on the Student Life Committee thus far. They are Harvey J. Chelf, Jack V. Smith, Marvin Kuers and Cecil Huey. Candidates must file their applications in the Student Activities Office by 5 p. m. today. The election will be held Monday. The three positions are only open to non-military students.

New Midway Area Church Organized By Rev. Jackson

A new Methodist Church, St. Paul's, has been organized between Bryan and College Station by Rev. R. L. Jackson, former pastor of the A&M Methodist Church. Services of the new church are being held in the YMCA rooms at the Country Club. Reverend Jackson served the A&M Methodist Church from 1932 to 1936.

Waco Club Plans Dance Following Baylor-A&M Game

Plans for a dance following the Baylor-A&M football game were discussed at the first meeting of the Waco A&M Club Wednesday night. Meeting for the first time this semester the Waco club elected officers and planned a full program for the coming year. Ross Fryer, senior architect student, was elected president. The other officers elected were James Kennedy, secretary; Joe Mac Carpenter, treasurer; and Fred Walters, sergeant at arms.

A committee was appointed to locate a place in Waco where the dance, after the Baylor game, may be held. The committee will also meet with Bill Turner to complete arrangements for having the Aggeland Orchestra play for the dance.

Spanish Classes Open for Ladies

A conversational course in Spanish will be offered for ladies during the first semester of this school year. J. J. Wolke, head of the department of modern languages, announced today. The first meeting of the group will be held at 10 a. m. Tuesday, September 28, in Room 124, Academic Building. At this time a definite hour will be selected for the regular class meetings which will be held three times a week. The wives of veterans are urged by Wolke to avail themselves of this opportunity to learn to speak Spanish. G. I. veteran women are reminded that they can register for the course under the G. I. Bill.

Ballots Will Be Used in Dorms; All Others to Use Batt Ballots

Ninety-eight candidates have filed in the race for positions in the Student Senate as of 5 p. m. Thursday, N. R. Leatherwood, president of the Senate, has announced. These applications are now being checked in the Registrar's Office to determine whether or not the candidates are eligible. Today at 5 p. m. is the final deadline for filing applications, he warned.

No candidates may run for senator from his dorm and also for senator-at-large, Leatherwood emphasized. All men who have filed for both positions should clarify their position at the Student Activities Office before 5 p. m. today. The Student Senate election will be held Monday night. Ballots will be distributed in the dormitories Monday afternoon and will be picked up at 10 p. m. Monday. All students not living in the dormitories will use the official Ballot which will be published in the Monday Battalion.

The ballots will be distributed and picked up by the senior cadet officer or housemaster in the dormitories. Students who will not be here for the two semesters are not eligible to run for the Student Senate. The following students have applied:

- Dormitory 1: Paul H. Landry, R. L. Scholde, Maxie W. Freeman
- Dormitory 2: Charles Mattci
- Dormitory 3: Robert K. Gilchrist, Norman Hinchiffe, Alfonso F. Silva, Keith E. Allsup
- Dormitory 4: George E. Marble, R. E. Dillon
- Dormitory 5: Charles Luedtke, Ivan Bradshaw
- Dormitory 6: Hershel Shelby, Ted L. Copeland
- Dormitory 8: Charles Maisel, Norman Braslan
- Dormitory 9: Elbert R. Raugh, Tom Brundrett
- Dormitory 10: Bubba Scrimgeour
- Dormitory 11: T. A. Carlton, George R. Edwards, James Simpson
- Dormitory 12: James D. Whately, Thomas J. Muldowney
- Dormitory 14: William M. Phillely, Tom E. Nolan, C. E. Christie
- Dormitory 15: Charles E. Cabanis, Arnold L. Williams
- Dormitory 16: James Morse, Curtis Morris, Billie Martin, Max Konz, Webster R. Stone, Jack Graugnard
- Dormitory 17: Gene Schrickel, Luther B. Terry, Bob Weynand, Tom Thompson, Ross B. Fryer
- Hart Hall: Max Greiner, Robert B. Atkins, Jack A. Quirey
- Law Hall: Lewis R. Pomeroy, Jack Shepherd, R. S. Williamson, Julius G. Blum, Howard E. Brass
- Leggett Hall: William O'Hara, Fred S. Thurmond, Harvey V. Risien
- Milner Hall: Joseph O'Connor, Ralph L. Shannon
- Mitchell Hall: Stanley L. Rogers, Michael P. Williams, Art Howard, B. A. "Buck" Wyatt, Claude E. Lawrence, C. V. Slagle
- Puryear Hall: Charles E. Kirkham, Walton Hall, Thomas Leger, Bryan Anner (Non-Freshman), Marvin L. Stone
- College View: D. N. Brown, Munroe Neff, Dave M. Seligman, John W. "Jack" Tippit, Wilbur M. Fritiz
- Day Students: Robert J. Ransom, Lindsey Lipscomb, Jacob M. Russell, Marvin Hagemeier, Rex M. Wacker, Weldon E. Williams

Local Merchants Suffer \$24,000 In Fire Damages

At least thirty this morning twenty four thousand dollars went up in smoke and flame. The Aggie Variety Store and the Aggeland Record Shop were gutted by fire that completely destroyed all interior furnishings and stock.

Frank Zubik, owner of the Aggie Variety Store, estimated that his loss would amount to nearly \$15,000. The damage to the adjoining Aggeland Record Shop, operated by J. F. Souvaras, was estimated at \$9,000. Both shops were partially covered by fire insurance. The buildings and land belong to A. P. Boyett of College Station.

Seating Plans For Texas Tech Game

A&M students have been assigned Sections Q, R, S, and T in in Alamogordo Stadium for the Texas Tech game, according to W. L. Penberthy, Dean of Men. These sections are on the East Side of the stadium, from the 50-yard line South. He also stated that he hoped the Aggies would stay in these sections and not overflow into adjoining ones. "The seats in these other sections are reserved and somebody paid for them. Let's not create bad feelings toward ourselves by taking somebody's seat from them," Penberthy said.

Extension Service Promotes Agent

Margaret Jackson, Collin county home demonstration agent, has been appointed food and nutrition specialist of the Texas Extension Service, effective October 1, according to Mauries Hearn, extension vice-director and state home demonstration agent.

Pistol Team Meets Monday

There will be a meeting of all members of the Pistol Team and all others interested in trying out for the team in the library of Ross Hall, next Monday evening at 7:30. It is expected that practice will start the first week in October.