

Guion Variety Show Features Aggieland

Everybody will get in the act Saturday night as the Aggieland Orchestra, Singing Cadets, and talent from the student body combine for an hour of entertainment and music beginning at 7:30 on the stage of Guion Hall.

Admission will be 30 cents, for both the variety show and the Saturday night movie, according to C. G. "Spike" Write, assistant dean of students for activities. The program will be directed by Bill Turner.

Opening the show will be the Aggieland Orchestra in its special arrangement of "Tea For Two" with choruses by Chester Donlin, tenor vocalist, Haskell Motheral on the alto sax, and Glenn Torrence on the trumpet.

Butler Sings

Tommy Butler will sing "Embraceable You" followed by "four boys with a song, Bob Stinson, Tommy Butler, Gordon Keller, and Lindell James singing "I May Be Wrong."

Bop fans will be treated with variations on an original theme done by Haskell Motheral, Joe Pike, Gordon Keller, Glenn Torrence, Chester Donlin and Lee Stainback.

The Annex is slated to present a Dixieland Band. This type of music has been making a slight comeback in recent weeks.

Cadets Wanderin'

Bill Turner will present the Singing Cadets at the close of the show singing the folk song "Wanderin'."

Concluding the show will be a combination of the Argie Land Orchestra and Singing Cadets singing and playing "The Argie War Hymn" and "The Spirit of Aggieland."

Movie for the evening will be "International Lady" with Lona Massy and George Brent.

'State Highway Maintenance Is Vital Problem'

A. F. Mitchell, a member of the State Highway Commission from Corsicana, told the 24th annual meeting of the Highway Engineering Short Course that perpetuation of the state's roads is the most important problem facing the State Highway Department.

Some \$125,000,000 will be required in 1950 to keep the highways in Texas in as good a condition as in 1949, without adding more miles of surfaced roads, Mitchell asserted.

A total of 39,890 miles of surfaced road must be maintained in Texas, including 7,985 miles of farm-to-market roads.

The price of road-building and maintenance has increased 88 per cent since 1940, Mitchell, said, but the rate of revenue for road-building purposes, has remained constant.

R. J. Potts, highway commission member from Harlingen, spoke on "A Policy on Handling Over-size and Over-weight Loads."

He called for cooperation between the highway department forces and the trucking agencies "We should work with the truckers as if we were a part of their business plan," he said.

Other speakers included Fred A. Wemple, chairman of the Texas Highway Commission, Midland; M. D. Shetty, Sr., designing engineer of the bridge division of the highway department, Austin; H. L. Arno, director of personnel, highway department, Austin; C. S. Kirkpatrick, chief engineer, Missouri Pacific Lines and Chairman of the Railroad Engineers for Texas, Houston, Lawrence Ortolani, materials and test engineer, highway department, Austin; Frank H. Scrivner, Sr., research engineer, road design division, highway department, Austin.

AH 413 Classes On Kingsville Trip

The Animal Husbandry 413, Horse and Mule production class, left today for a two day field trip near Kingsville.

The class will study breeding and production problems concerning quarter and thoroughbred horses at the King Ranch.

Editor-Publisher Slated for Address

Frank W. Zieske, editor and publisher of the Bellville Times, will address a journalism assembly at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday in the YMCA Cabinet room, on "German Newspapers and German People."

He spent last summer in Germany with the Military Government aiding in rehabilitation of small town German newspapers.

The Military Government had established a program designed to teach German newspapers the principles of democracy and the operation of a free press.

As dinner speaker at the last meeting of the Professional Press Club, held at the Fin-Feather Club Zieske made a similar talk.

He took part in a panel discussion of the topic, "Agricultural Promotion That Pays," at the Newspaper Clinic sponsored by the Texas Gulf Coast Press Association which was held on the campus in October.

Zieske is a graduate of SMU and a director of the Texas Gulf Coast Press Association.

The class will return from the trip April 2.



Libby Blank

Libby, a freshman at TU and from Bryan, has been chosen duchess for the T-Association for the Cotton Pageant and Ball. Her escort will be Ray Holbrook, senior Ch. E. Major from Highlands, Texas.

Television to Aid Future Warriors

Washington — (AP)—Military intelligence officers of the future may study movies of distant enemy areas a few minutes after reconnaissance planes fly over them.

This possibility was suggested today by a Navy demonstration of movies made from a television screen. The films are the result of four years' research.

Similar movies could be made in wartime aboard a carrier, or at an army or air force command post, from television broadcasts by far-ranging reconnaissance planes.

Engineers attending the show, said that television broadcasts from high-flying planes can be received from 200 miles away and, if relayed by other planes, at distances many times that.

AICE Regimental Ball To Highlight Weekend

Old rivalries will be put aside tomorrow night when the Cavalry, Engineer, Infantry, and Artillery regiments gather together in Sbisla Hall for their annual combined regimental ball.

The Aggieland Orchestra under the direction of Bill Turner will furnish music for the dance.

Decorations will highlight the regimental colors of yellow, blue, red, and scarlet and white.

Regimental sweethearts will be presented during the intermission.

Miss Carolyn Grisson of Waco has been selected to represent the

infantry. No stranger to A&M Carolyn was Freshman Sweetheart of the Class of '51. She will be escorted by Charley Easley of D Infantry.

Sweetheart Competition

Sweetheart of the Cavalry-Engineer Regiment will be selected from five finalists Saturday night. The girls vying for the title are Elizabeth Barron of Houston; Pat Torn, University of Texas freshman; Jerry Lynn of Santa Antonio; Judie Breeding of Houston; and Jane Thurmond, SMU sophomore.

The Artillery Regimental sweetheart also will be selected Saturday night. Competing for the honor will be the dates of all the artillery cadets at the ball.

The sweethearts will be introduced and presented gifts by the three regimental commanders. They are Cadet Colonels Allan Eubank of the Cavalry-Engineer Regiment, J. T. Dotson of the Artillery Regiment, and Sam Fite from the Infantry Regiment.

Cotton Pageant Too

The three sweethearts also will represent their regiments at the Cotton Pageant and Ball April 28.

"Bucko" Wylar, commander of C Troop Cavalry, will act as master of ceremonies Saturday night.

The ball will begin at 9 p. m. Honor guests include Chancellor and Mrs. Gibb Gilchrist, President and Mrs. F. C. Bolton, and Dean and Mrs. M. T. Harrington.

Invitations to the ball are available through all company first sergeants and from Bob Gregg, Room 317, Dormitory 10.

McCarthy Says Mystery Man Will Back Him

Washington, March 31—(AP)—Senator McCarthy promised today to produce a mystery witness who he said would prove his charges that Owen J. Lattimore is Russia's top agent in the State Department.

The Wisconsin Republican did not name the witness. He said he is turning the name over to the FBI along with documents which he claimed showed that Lattimore, a Johns Hopkins professor and one time State Department consultant, was "receiving instructions from the Soviet Government" as far back as 1946.

In London Lattimore branded McCarthy's accusations as "unmitigated lies."

He is flying back to the United States from a United Nations mission in Afghanistan to make a personal reply next week to the senator's charges.

McCarthy teed off against Lattimore in a senate speech which drew a throng of spectators to the galleries, but only 36 of his colleagues were on the floor when he started talking.

Waving papers, he said they would prove his case, and he read some of them. When Democratic senators noted that in certain cases he was reading only excerpts, they pressed him to read the documents in their entirety, so the senate could judge them as a whole. McCarthy refused, saying he did not want to bring out "peculiar personal habits" disclosed in some of the documents.



Jerry Lynn Ray

Jerry is one of five finalists in the selection of sweetheart of the Cavalry-Engineer Regiment. Brown eyed, 20 years old, she will be escorted to the CEAI Ball Friday night by Robert Schero of A Engineers.

Club Rosters Due

Thirty-six organizations have not turned in their rosters and must do so immediately. Aggieland 1950 co-editor Jim Woodall has announced. Information can be obtained at the Student Activities Office.

Woodall explained that copy for this section of the yearbook must be sent to the printers by Friday, and delay might mean some organizations would not "get their money's worth" if the pages were sent in without members' names.

Committee Named By MSC Council

The Memorial Student Center Council, in its third meeting last night, named all student members of the council to a social and educational committee to help plan the opening of the Center next fall and to assist in the fuller integration of the clubs and groups associated with the Center.

Student members of the council are Herb Beutler, Hal Stinger, Lavon Masengale, Joe Fitts, R. A. Angels, Dan Davis, J. T. McNew, and J. C. Wallace.

The group also voted on policies concerning functions and concessions not sponsored by the Memorial Student Center held in the building or on the surrounding grounds.

Center Director J. Wayne Stark discussed meeting and guest room reservations and Chris Gent, assistant director, discussed student labor in the Center.

In the course of the meeting, the council was taken on a tour of the Student Center warehouse in Bizzell Hall.

B&A Department Adds Three Majors

Three new major courses are to be offered to business students in the fall semester of 1950, according to T. W. Leland, head of the Business Department.

The new courses are marketing, finance, and personnel management. They are designed to supplement the course in business now being offered by the department.

Based upon the old business course, these new courses can be absorbed into the old curricula by substituting a few required courses and electives.

W. A. Barber Elected To Head Cass County Club

W. A. Barber of Linden was elected president of the Cass County A&M Club at its organizational meeting.

Other officers elected were Donald Ayers of Linden, vice-president; Robert Fitts of Atlanta, secretary; Ernie Naron of Hughes Springs, reporter, and Channel Albright of Linden, social chairman.

Plans for a Easter party to be held in Waxahatchie during the Easter holidays were discussed.



Betty Brown

Betty, a student at the University of Houston, will represent the San Jacinto Chapter of the Houston A&M Club in the Cotton Pageant and Ball. She will be escorted by Gerald P. Monks, B Coast Artillery. Both hail from Houston.

Eaton Takes UNO Advisor Position

Dr. Frank M. Eaton, USDA principal plant physiologist headquartered at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, has been selected by the UNO Division of Economic Affairs as advisor for several months on a reclamation and irrigation project in Haiti near the mouth of the River de Artibonite.

Accompanied by Mrs. Eaton, Dr. Eaton is scheduled to leave about April 10 for a few days in Washington, D. C., and Lake Success, N. Y. Their headquarters in Haiti will be in Port-au-Prince.

Meat Plant Class To Visit Houston Packer

Students in the meat plant operation class, 432, will make a field trip to the Houston Packing Company on April 3, according to Prof. Roy Snyder of the Animal Husbandry Department.

Snyder said the class will spend the morning in the sausage department of the Houston Packing Company.

In the afternoon the class will visit Henke Filloz and observe the pre-packing of products for the self-service meat departments.



Sam Heathcott

Sue, a student at Lamar High School in Houston, has been selected to represent the Lamar Chapter of the Houston A&M Club in the Cotton Pageant and Ball. She will be escorted by Johnny Clifford, also from Houston.

Student Center Tours Set Today

Tours of the Memorial Student Center building will be conducted at 4 and 5 p. m. this afternoon for anyone interested in inspecting the structure.

The tours, which will be guided, are part of a program to acquaint students, faculty members, and local residents with the facilities to be offered in the new building when it opens next September.



Rev. O. G. Helvey

Rev. Helvey, pastor of St. Thomas Episcopal Church, congratulates Jeff, who though paying his way through school by working each night, still finds time to attend church each Sunday morning. Jeff is a senior history major from Commanche.

All Expenses Paid...

Danforth Fellowship Features Month Tour

By CLAYTON SELPH

This Danforth Summer Study Fellowship open to junior agriculture and veterinary medicine majors must be quite a deal.

To hear Bobby Bland, senior AH major of H Flight and winner of the award last year, tell it, "it's the best thing that can happen to you."

The fellowship consists of an all expense paid two week study and entertainment tour of St. Louis and the Raiston-Purina Mills, plus two weeks at Camp Minwanna, American Youth Foundation leadership camp on Lake Michigan.

Transportation from the home to St. Louis is the only expense the winner must pay. Bland minimized cost of the trip by hitchhiking the distance in two days.

At St. Louis, he joined Danforth winners from 41 other states and Canada, where they spent the first three days touring the Purina Research farm.

"I'll guarantee that you'll find the best chow in the world at their farm," Bland says. "I believe it."

Grove Is New Site For Cotton Ball

The Cotton Ball will be at the Grove instead of in Sbisla Hall as previously scheduled, according to Frank Zabeik, president of the Agronomy Society.

The Ball will be at 9:30 p. m. Friday, April 28, and it will follow the Cotton Pageant which will be presented on Kyle Field at 7:30 the same night, Zabeik continued.

In case of bad weather, the Ball will be held in Sbisla, said Zabeik.

Census Time Again...

Adams Asks Co-operation In Forthcoming Tabulation

By WAYNE DAVIS

Brother, if you think you had trouble filling out your Income Tax form a couple of weeks back, listen to a real tale of woe.

Homer B. Adams is the victim of this one. The genial Adams, Aggie-ex, '45, and well-known North Gate business man, really has it rough. In case you haven't heard about it over the local radio stations and through The Battalion, Adams now has a new job in addition to his regular one.

He's the director of the 1950 Census for the Bryan-College Station area, and don't ask him how he'll feel heir to such a formidable job. "I didn't even know myself," he smiles ruefully. "It just happened."

Really, the job isn't so hard. All Adams has to do is teach a six-day, three-hour-a-day class for the 16 enumerators under his jurisdiction, assign an area to each of them, see that each enumerator completely covers his territory, take charge of all filled-out forms and hold them for submission to the authorities, and smooth out any difficulty the enumerators may run into while taking the census.

This latter duty is a catch-all covering everything from suspicious housewives who object to question-asking strangers to watch-dogs who object to practically anyone.

"All this for 30 days," Adams said, "and all this in addition to my regular work."

It isn't as bad as it could be, though. Instead of using one census form for each family, one form is used for thirty people, a great saving for all but the most picturesque families.

Each person's name will be listed on a separate line. Every fifth interviewee will be asked to answer special questions, and every thirtieth person will be asked an even more comprehensive set.

While Adams is prohibited from giving a preview of the blank or the questions, he did say, "No one need be afraid to answer the questions an enumerator asks. All answers are strictly confidential, and are for statistical purposes only. No one other than the enumerators and the Census Bureau will see them."

Adams himself has already attended a Director's School at Corsicana, where there is at this moment a warehouse filled with extra forms; in case directors like Adams (already knee-deep in Census forms) run out before the finishing deadline, April 31.

As a course requirement, he did a small amount of actual field work himself, carrying around a set of forms and asking the required questions, by way of get-

ting an insight into the problems of his enumerators.

As a result, Adams said, "There is a great deal people can do to ease the job of the enumerator. He gets paid on a piecework basis, in accordance with the number of interviews he gets. He doesn't get paid for coming back, so answer his questions immediately. It'll only take a few minutes, and he'll appreciate it."

If there is any doubt that a caller is a census enumerator, Adams said, ask him for his identification. If he can't produce it, send him away and notify the police. If he proves his identity, invite him in.

It's not walking around in the sunshine all day, and the chance to sit down a few moments will be a welcome relief. (Offering him a drink or a slice of cake was not mentioned, but it is assumed that the average census enumerator will be delighted to risk any form of ptomaine offered him, especially in midmorning or mid-afternoon.)

Don't be unreasonable or unpleasant with him; he has a thankless job at best, so make it as easy for him as you can. Remember, the questions he asks aren't personal; they're just a part of a form he has to fill out.

Census taking will begin next Monday morning, Adams added.