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## 24 Students Named Who's Who at A&M

Twenty-four students ascended to the ranks of Who's Who at A&M last night at the wind-up of a seven-hour long call-meeting of the Student Life Committee. The special recognition is extended annually to students rated tops in scholastics, popularity, leadership and extra-curricular activities.

Five civilian students and 20 corps men, one of them a junior, fill the ranks of the 1950-51 honorees. The number chosen represents one percent of the total enrollment in the junior and senior classes.

Winners are listed below in alphabetical order with three

of their major activities designated.  
**Wilman D. "Pusher" Barnes**, senior business major from Abilene—cadet colonel, Infantry Regiment; Student Senator; Student Life Committeeman.  
**Ferris R. Brown**, senior business administration major from Dallas—cadet Lt. Col., Corps Information Officer; Student Senator; member, Memorial Student Center Council.  
**Harold T. Chandler**, junior petroleum engineering major from Dallas—president, Junior Class; member, Engineer's Council; class vice-president, 1948-49.  
**George V. Charlton**, senior journalism major from Dal-

las—co-editor, The Commentator; vice-president, Arts and Sciences Council; secretary-treasurer, A&M Film Society.  
**David L. "Dave" Coslett**, senior journalism major from Ballinger—co-editor, The Battalion; cadet Lt. Col., Public Information Officer; member, Memorial Student Center Council.  
**D. Curtis Edwards, Jr.**, senior range and forestry major from Houston—cadet Lt. Col., Corps Chaplain; Student Senator; member, Agricultural Council.  
**David M. Elston**, senior veterinary medicine major from McKinney—Student Senator; abstract writer, Southwestern

Veterinarian; civilian student representative, Athletic Council, 1949-51.  
**Joe R. Fuller**, senior civil engineering major from Port Arthur—president, Memorial Student Center Council; parliamentarian, Student Senate; parliamentarian, Texas Intercollegiate Student Association.  
**David G. Haines**, senior business administration major from College Station—cadet colonel, Artillery Regiment; president Senior Court; Secretary-treasurer, Senior Class.  
**Douglas D. "Doug" Hearne**, senior pre-law major from Blanco—president, Arts and Sciences Council; Student Entertainment Manager; president, Pre-Law Society.  
**Julian C. Herring**, senior petroleum and geological engineering major from Abilene—company commander, B Athletics; Cross Country Team Captain; holder of Southwest Conference first place wins in cross-country and track.  
**Pat Hubert**, senior veterinary medicine major from Riveria—All Southwest Conference baseball pitcher; member, Veterinary Medicine Council; member, Jr. AVMA.  
**Joe L. Johnson**, senior petroleum engineering major from Rockport—Student Senator; Ross Volunteers, Student Life Committeeman.  
**Don R. Joseph**, senior business major from Dallas—Head Yell Leader; Ross Volunteers; Outstanding AF ROTC Cadet, Kelly Air Force Base, 1950.  
**Dare K. Keelan**, senior petroleum engineering and geology major from Beaumont—president, Senior Class; cadet colonel, First Air Force Wing, Outstanding Air Force Junior, 1950.  
**Ray Kunze**, senior agronomy major from Giddings—cadet colonel, Composite Regiment; Crops Team; president, Lutheran Club.  
**Lloyd Manjeot**, senior business major from Hereford—Student Senator; company commander, Company 9; Student Life Committeeman.  
**A. D. Martin, Jr.**, senior mechanical engineering major from Dallas—Cadet Colonel of the Corps; Outstanding Cadet in class, three years; Student Life Committeeman.  
**Herbert G. "Skip" Mills**, senior geological engineering major from San Antonio—cadet colonel, Armor-Engineer Regiment; member, Engineering Council; Ross Volunteers.  
**Carl Molberg**, senior business major from Fredericksburg—Most Valuable Football Player, 1949; three-year football letterman and captain of team, 1950; company commander, A Athletics.  
**I. E. "Monty" Montgomery**, senior architecture major from Baytown—Student Senator; member, Engineering Council; president, student branch of Associated General Contractors.  
**W. R. "Bill" Moss**, senior history major from Bryan—vice-president, Student Senate; cadet Lt. Col., battalion commander; vice-president, Senior Court.  
**M. W. "Bill" Parse**, senior civil engineering major from Tulsa, Okla.—president, Student Senate; cadet Lt. Col. regimental executive; vice-president, Senior Class.  
**Walter H. Tanamachi**, senior agronomy major from San Benito—assistant editor, The Agriculturist; Crops Team, president, Agricultural Honor Society.

## Deferments Available For Cadets—Boatner

By JOHN WHITMORE

Cadets are deferred from the draft until they are graduated, under the present Selective Service Law, Col. H. L. Boatner, Commandant and PMS&T, told the Corps of Cadets.

The commandant in a series of talks, which began Wednesday night, told all cadets what their present standing is with the draft and some of the possible action which might be taken by the Army and Air Force.

At each of the class meetings, he told the Cadets he was asking for re-assignment. After telling of his action he quickly warned the students they should stay in school

and complete their education before trying to enter the service.

**Job and Service**  
To the seniors Wednesday, he gave advice in going out and getting a job after being graduated.

"In the past six to eight months," he says, "I have been in contact with a great number of civilian and military personnel representatives.

"From them I learned that if a man has made a contact with an organization, even if it is only for one month, it will put him on the ground floor by getting his name on their rolls."

For those men who had no job prospects at present, he gave some of the advantages of going into active service.

**Army Summer Camp**

In answer to a question about Army ROTC summer camp, he said the Army was definitely going to have summer camps. Col. E. W. Napier, PAS&T, announced earlier in the year the Air Force would not have AFROTC summer camp.

About postponements of summer camp he says, "It is to a man's advantage to go on to summer camp, if he can do so, with out unnecessary delaying his graduation.

He also pointed out that by going to summer camp after graduation puts the man who goes to summer camp late about two months behind his classmates in longevity.

**Possible Postponements**  
The Army will continue to grant postponements of camp when the case warrants it. Senior instructors have blanks which may be filled out to submit this request.

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These men, he says, will be given a chance to finish their degree.

The Army, he says, will not conduct military science classes this summer, contrary to the rumor going around the campus. He did point out, however, the army is considering teaching military science on a year-round basis.

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This, he warned, is not in the immediate future and will probably not come into effect until the summer of '52.

When addressing the freshman, sophomores, and juniors, Col. Boatner stressed that all men stay in school if at all possible.

"Some men have quit school with the erroneous idea that they will go immediately into Officers' Candidate School. This is not true.

"The Selective Service is taking men who are more mature and many that have a great deal more education than some of our underclassmen. These are the ones that will get into OCS."

In concluding his talks he brought out the scope of the corps by saying there are 1,500 contracts available. This he said means approximately \$700,000 to the cadets for the classroom instruction.

## J. S. Caldwell, A&M Trophy Donor Dies

John Seeley Caldwell, prominent Bryan businessman and civic leader, died in a Bryan hospital Wednesday at noon on his 56th birthday.

The founder of the A&M Caldwell Trophy had been ill for three weeks prior to his death.

Caldwell, who was engaged in the jewelry business, was a member and past president of the Bryan Rotary Club, a member of the Masonic Lodge, Bryan City Commission, Optimists Association in Texas, and the Earle Graham American Legion post.

He had served at one time as president of the Texas State Jeweler's association.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Celeste Ramsey Caldwell, his mother, Mrs. J. M. Caldwell, and a sister, Mrs. George Long all of Bryan. A brother, Robert Caldwell of Phoenix, Arizona and another sister, Mrs. Robert Fletcher of Birmingham, Alabama also survive.

## MSC to Sponsor All College Dance

Students will be dancing to the strains of the Aggieband Combo tonight from 9 until 12 at the All-College dance in the Ball Room of the Memorial Student Center.

The dance is co-sponsored by the MSC Dance Committee, whose chairman is Tom Rountree, and the MSC Publicity Committee.

Co-chairmen for tonight's dance are Ted Nark and Tom Munnerlyn.

The dance will honor freshmen and their dates, and married couples—especially newly married couples. Also to be honored by the dance are the students from other colleges who are attending the Student Union Conference being held here this week-end.

If the Ball Room becomes too crowded, the terrace will be used. Miss Betty Bolander, assistant social director of the MSC, said this morning.

Admission is \$5.00 and everyone is invited, added Miss Bolander.

## Harrington Speaks At Madisonville

President M. T. Harrington gave an address Tuesday night at the annual banquet of the Madisonville Chamber of Commerce on "Our Place in a Troubled World."

The welcoming speech, introducing the out-of-town guests and the new president Ed. H. McLaran, was made by W. B. Crossley, retiring president of the Madisonville Chamber of Commerce.

A minstrel was presented by a group of high school boys and girls under the direction of Mrs. Lamar Farris.

Dr. Harrington was introduced by Rodney Chambliss.

## Aggie Riflemen Win 4th Army Collegiate Meet

The 1951 A&M rifle team repeated last year's record by again winning the Fourth Army Intercollegiate Rifle Match.

A total score of 7,591 points won the match for A&M. Second place was taken by Oklahoma A&M with a score of 7,500 points.

Southwest Conference schools entering included the University of Texas, which placed 12th place with a score of 6,885 points, and the University of Arkansas, placing 15th and scoring 6,665 points.

The rifle team has been chosen, with this contest as a basis, to represent the Southwest division in the National ROTC Intercollegiate Meet to be held sometime in the near future.

Members of the team include Russel Durrill, of El Paso, Willard Holland, from Houston, John Rowe, from Dallas, Duane Unrue, Carl Schlinke, San Angelo, and Lester Hill, of San Antonio.

Others representing A&M in the meet were Will Rainwater of Fort Worth, Bruce Vancura from Austin, Lowell Wolfskill, of San Antonio, and Hugh Mangum from Galveston.

These team members will receive, as a prize for winning the meet, engraved medals given by the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice.

Next week the team will journey to El Paso where they will compete in the Southwest Invitational Small Bore Meet, at Texas Western College.

## Rotary Club Variety Show Uses Broadcast as Theme

The College Station-Bryan Rotary Club Variety Show began its two-day run last night in the Stephen F. Austin High School auditorium.

This year's show is modeled after a modern radio broadcast. This includes the usual weather report, a livestock report, the stock market quotations, and a news broadcast.

The opening act of the fifteen act extravaganza is the five minute station identification and weather report.

Following this farcical satire of radio announcers, comes "Uncle Ed Harrington and his Boys" with music that reminds you of a combi-

sarily delaying his graduation.

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## Preparation Is Essential Now Says Boatner

Col. Hayden L. Boatner, PMS&T and commandant, told Red Cross workers yesterday that they must avoid the tragedy of non-preparation.

Speaking at the luncheon of the Central Texas Council of the American Red Cross, Boatner said, "I urge that you not underestimate your future value and the future necessity for the work you are doing."

He warned that Americans, the people who have received the most in modern life, must be prepared to give the most.

Termining Korea a "sideshow," the Commandant spoke of the good possibility of war, a conflict in which the rich and the poor alike would have to sacrifice.

Mrs. Hudson Collier, chairman of the council, served as toastmaster. President M. T. Harrington delivered the welcoming address.

## Queen Candidates

Candidates for the honor include Pat Pennington, student at Arlington State College, who will be escorted by Jouett Y. Parsons, Shirley Ann Pilgreen from Humble will be escorted by George Pilgreen.

Don Altwein will escort Monadeen Peek from San Antonio, while Ann Ashcraft's date is Joe Williamson. She is from Sulphur Springs.

Other finalists are Jean Taylor, Dallas; escorted by Ray Downey, and Gail Grissom from Abilene. Her date is John Stephens.

**Cold Fish**  
Decorations, which are in charge of J. Y. Parsons, will be highlighted by a large fish carved out of ice. The fish will be centered on the refreshment table, the emcee said.

Guidons from the twelve freshman companies will be arranged in a fan-shaped design around the

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**Shirley Ann Pilgreen**  
... a sophomore in high school in Humble, Texas. Miss Pilgreen will be escorted by George W. Pilgreen.

**Monadeen Peek**  
... hails from San Antonio. The 17 year old, five foot six, Miss Peek will be escorted by Don Altwein.

**Ann Ashcroft**  
... is the date of Joe Williamson. Miss Ashcroft hails from Sulphur Springs, Texas.



**Gail Grissom**  
... blue eyed, and blond will be escorted by John S. Stephens of Company 3. Miss Grissom comes from Abilene.



**Miss Pennington**  
... will be escorted by Jouett Y. Parsons. Miss Pennington is a five foot five, 19 year old Dallasite.



**Jean Roberts**  
... a Dallasite with brown hair and brown eyes. She will be escorted by Jean Jeannone as one of the Queen candidates.

## Freshmen Ball Will Bring Beauties Galore to Campus

As a souvenir of this year's Freshman Ball, members of the class of 1954 and their dates will be able to purchase medallions. The proceeds from the sale will be turned over to the Student Senate for aid in the Twelfth Man Scholarship.

Music for the dance, which will begin at 8:30 tomorrow night in Shisa Hall, will be furnished by Bill Turner's Aggieband Orchestra.

The six finalists in the contest for queen of the dance will be introduced at the first intermission, Dan G. Chitwood, master of ceremonies, said.

All the finalists will be presented with a gift by Clemens and the queen will receive a white orchid donated by the A&M Floral Concession, Chitwood revealed. The queen will also receive the traditional kiss from the class president.

**Dance Committee**  
Committee chairman for the dance include Robert Schwartz, Program, Charles G. Andres, Queen Selection, Ray Downey, Entertainment.

The meetings will be conducted in an informal manner, J. Wayne Stark, advisor of Region 13, and director of the MSC, said.

"There are problems facing the larger schools that have no relationship to those encountered by the smaller ones," Stark commented, "Therefore, the panels will be concerned with problems common to both."

Each discussion will be led by a

band stand, Chitwood added. Balloons, suspended from the ceiling, and tables, arranged in night club style will complete the decorations.

During the second intermission, Class President Thomas Clemens said, a hillbilly band, composed of freshmen, will play several selections.

**Three Judges**  
Lt. Col. Robert Melcher, freshman counselor, Dean of Men W. L. Penberthy, and Pete Hardesty, business manager for Student Activities are the judges in the queen contest. They will announce their decision at the third intermission.

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ment and David Allen is in charge of ticket sales.

Decorations are being handled by Raymond McBride, while Parsons has charge of the refreshments.

Seniors with dates, and all seniors and juniors in the Eighth Regiment are invited to the dance, the president said. Tickets may be purchased from a ticket salesman in each company, or bought at the door, Clemens added.

All freshmen are requested to be at Shisa Hall at 10 a. m. Saturday to help decorate for the dance, Clemens added.

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## Shivers Notifies County Officials

Nineteen commissions for Brazos County precinct and county officials were announced by the office of the Secretary of State.

Secretary of State John Ben Shepperd issued the commissions to the officials elected in the general elections in November, 1950.

The commission is a certificate signed by Governor Shivers and Secretary of State Shepperd which certifies that the name appearing on the commission has been duly elected by the people and is entitled to the rights and privileges of the office he holds.

Thirteen Bryan people received commissions—seven were for county positions and six were for precinct commissions.

**County Officials**  
The officials receiving county commissions are W. D. Bunting, county superintendent; Adolph Syptak, county clerk; Thurston Cole, district clerk; Mrs. Jewel Covington, county treasurer; Andrew Grant, county attorney; J. W. Hamilton, sheriff; Isaac Weedon, tax collector.

Precinct commissions went to H. L. Graham, justice of the peace of precinct four; Ross Bonano, constable of precinct eight; William Conrad, county commissioner of precinct two; Newton Burkin, county commissioner for precinct four.

Neighboring county and precinct officials received their commissions also. From Kurten, they are A. T. Langford, justice of precinct one; John Yeager, justice of the peace of precinct three; Henry J. Kurton, constable of precinct three.

Raymond A. Nolan received his commission as commissioner of precinct one for Welborn and Clyde J. Porterfield received his county commissioner's commission for precinct three in Benchley.

## Pipe Smoking Deadline Set

Monday will be the deadline for entering The Battalion MSC sponsored pipe smoking contest. Entries may be submitted either at The Battalion offices or in the MSC.

The contest will start at 7:15 p.m. Wednesday in the Assembly Room.



**Harry Boyer**

... was the first to file for the Ward II, College Hills, vacancy on the city council. Chief of the College Housing Office, Boyer has resided in College Station since graduating from A&M in 1931. He is seeking his first elective city office. Boyer and his wife make their home at 326 Milner.

## NACU Meet Opens On Campus Today

Delegates from ten colleges and universities in Regions 13 and 14 of the National Association of College Unions began a two day meeting today in the Memorial Student Center.

The meetings will be conducted in an informal manner, J. Wayne Stark, advisor of Region 13, and director of the MSC, said.

"There are problems facing the larger schools that have no relationship to those encountered by the smaller ones," Stark commented, "Therefore, the panels will be concerned with problems common to both."

Each discussion will be led by a

moderator who will introduce the subject and give a short talk on some phase of the problem, the regional advisor added.

The conference here is a prelude to the national convention of the NACU which will be held April 25 through 28 at Michigan State College at East Lansing, Michigan.

The program formally got underway with a luncheon at noon today in the MSC. Stark welcomed the delegates to the college and gave a short talk on the problems all student activities will face in the event of total war.

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