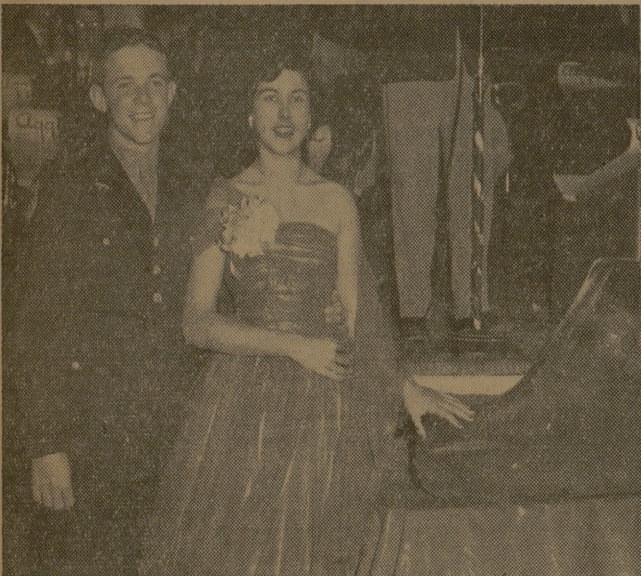


Cold Fish



Freshman Edgar Wiggins explains to his date Gail McClancy that not all fish are as cold and wet as the one carved out of a hundred pound block of ice. Wiggins and date both hail from Beaumont.

What's Cooking

- AGGIE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, Tuesday, 7:15 p. m. Cabinet room, YMCA.
- BEAUMONT CLUB, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Room 301 Goodwin.
- BRAZORIA COUNTY CLUB, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Room 2D, MSC.
- BRUSH COUNTRY CLUB, Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Room 2D, MSC.
- DEL RIO CLUB, Thursday, 7:15 p. m. YMCA reading room.
- ENTOMOLOGICAL SOCIETY, Tuesday, 7:15 p. m. Biological Sciences Building. A film will be shown after the business sessions.
- HOME TOWN PRESIDENTS, Thursday, 5 p. m. Room 301 Goodwin. Final plans for Operation Home Town.
- HOUSTON CLUB, Wednesday, 5:00 p. m. YMCA steps for Aggie-land pictures.
- JOURNALISM CLUB, Tuesday, 7:15 p. m. Room 103 Academic.
- SAN ANGELO CLUB, Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Room 203 Agricultural Building.
- BATTALION STAFF, Thursday, 7:15 p. m. Room 201 Goodwin. Col. Boatner to speak.

Special Number \$250 Goes in Pipe Contest Auto Licenses Not Authorized

No specially-numbered 1951 license plates will be issued motor vehicle owners according to Milton Weedon, Brazos County tax collector and assessor.

Every year, many requests are received for plates bearing house numbers, telephone numbers or other special numbers. The county office has been forced to turn down all such requests due to confusion and hard feelings.

Weedon declared out-of-state car owners and new car purchasers must pay for 1950 license plates before 1951 plates will be issued them.

Owners of these cars will not be charged for a full year but will be required to pay according to the expiration date of their out-of-state licenses or for the remaining time until April 1.

The deadline for having new plates on cars is April 1.

Everyone is required to bring both his certificate of title and 1950 registration receipt when he applies for a 1951 license plate, Weedon said.

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Miniature Bowl: first prize—a Buesher hickory pipe, one-half pound of Briggs, a package of Even Money and five tins of Model tobacco; second prize—a half pound humidor of Briggs and five tins of Model; third prize—a package of Even Money.

Metal Bowl: first prize—a Marxman pipe and a half pound of Briggs; second prize—a pound of Edgeworth Ready Rubbed tobacco and a half pound can of Christian Peper.

Calabash: first prize—a Holly-court pipe and a pound of Walnut Varsity kit and a half pound can of Sugar Barrel tobacco; second prize—a John Middleton variety kit and a half pound can of Sugar Barrel tobacco; third prize—a Churchwarden: first prize—a

Certified Purex "Giant" pipe; second prize—a pound of Holiday tobacco and a pound of Edgeworth Junior tobacco.

Division III Professors and Instructors Prizes include a Marxman pipe, a Demuth Aristocrat pipe, and Drinkless Kaywoodie pipe, a Roger's Air-tite tobacco pouch, a pound of Crosley Square tobacco, a pound of London Dock tobacco, and a half pound of Heine's Blend. Prizes in this division will depend upon the number of contestants and their desires.

Division IV—Cigar Smoking First prize—two cartons containing 5 each King Edward cigars, a pound of Holiday tobacco, one-half pound of Sugar Barrel and a package of Christian Peper tobacco.

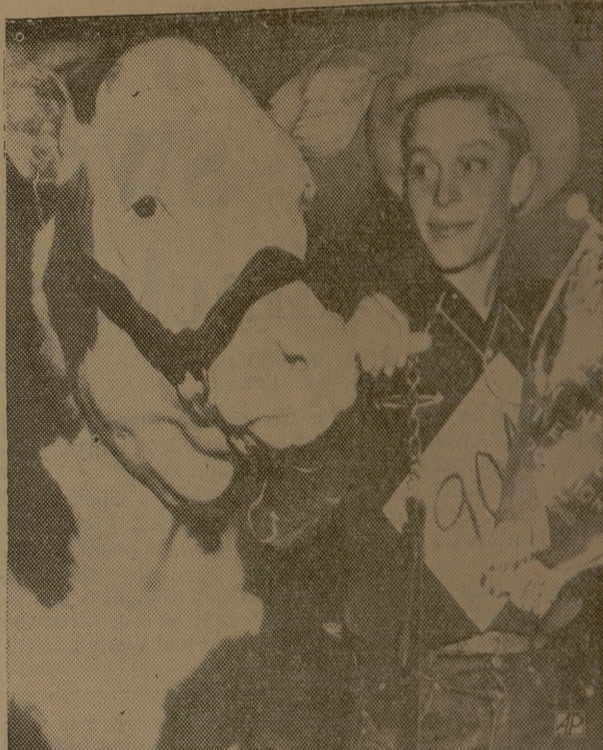
second prize—a pound of Holiday tobacco, a package of Christian Peper and a corn cob pipe; third prize—a pound of Edgeworth Junior tobacco.

Division V—Cigarette Rolling Amateur: first prize—a carton of Chesterfield cigarettes, a package of Christian Peper and a package of Even Money tobacco; second prize—a corn cob pipe, a package of London Dock and a package of Even Money.

Professional: first prize—a corn cob pipe, a package of London Dock, a package of Even Money four packages of Bugler tobacco and five tins of Model tobacco; second prize—a corn cob pipe; two packages of Bugler and two tins of Model tobacco.

Division VI—Smoke Ring Blowing Large Ring: first prize—a carton of Chesterfield cigarettes and a pound humidor of Briggs tobacco; second prize—a half pound of Heine's Blend.

Successive Ring: first prize—a carton of Chesterfields and two one-half pound humidors of Briggs tobacco; second prize—a pound of Edgeworth Ready Rubbed tobacco.



Owner of \$21,000 Champion Picks A&M for Education

Twenty-one thousand dollars is lots of money to a thirteen year old boy when it comes to deciding how to spend a newly acquired fortune.

But Andrew Tatch, 4-H Club member from Crabapple, has plans of his own for the money paid him for his grand champion steer at the San Antonio Livestock Exposition last week.

The first expenditure from his now bulging pockets will go to finance an education at A&M. He says he wants to be a rancher and A&M is the logical place to learn about the business he has already proved prosperous in.

The \$21,000 was paid Andrew by B. B. McGimsey, representative from a San Antonio Brewing Company and is believed to be some kind of record for prices paid for the grand champion steer by Exposition officials in the Alamo City. McGimsey's price tops the \$17,000 paid by oilman, Glenn McCarthy recently for the Houston Fat Stock Show grand champion steer.

Before leading the prize steer into the arena, Andrew told friends he hoped to get between \$2,000 and \$3,000 for the animal.

Grants to College Top \$2 Million Mark

Gifts totaling \$2,400,000 have been received by A&M since 1942. E. E. McQuillen, director of the college's development fund, reported to the A&M System Board of Directors, Saturday.

Included were grants to the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station to aid agricultural research, annual giving by former students and other special gifts and bequests.

Not included, however, were gifts to the Research Foundation and other colleges of the System.

Average \$300,000

Gifts to the college since 1942 have averaged approximately \$300,000 per year. However, the Development Fund program actually was not organized until 1946. From 1942 until 1946 total gifts per year averaged about \$100,000.

When the program's organization was completed and a full-time director was appointed in 1946, the annual amount increased appreciably and has averaged more

than \$400,000 per year since then. Annual giving by former students, since the start of the annual giving plan in 1942, have totaled \$645,958—an average of \$64,595 per year.

Last year, however, the former students gave \$75,000, with 8,127 persons contributing to the fund in amounts ranging from \$1 to \$1,000.

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Solicitation of these gifts is handled entirely by the Association of Former Students and has become one of the major features of the association's activities. The governing body of the association selects the objectives for such gifts.

Major objectives and accomplishments of annual giving have included assisting in construction of the Memorial Student Center, \$190,500; establishment of the former students' endowed scholarship fund, \$60,000; setting up a Gold Star Fund for educational aid to children of World War II casualties, \$50,000.

Grants for publication of an up-to-date directory of former students and staff, \$14,000; assisting the college in construction of the golf course on the campus, \$25,000; helping the college in collection, preservation and documentation of the college's archives, \$10,000.

Corn Cob Pipe Smoking First prize—a "Wonder Hickory Pipe" donated by Buescher's Industries of Washington, Mo. (this is the pipe that needs no tobacco—just light and smoke), a pound of Edgeworth Ready Rubbed; third prize—a hickory pipe and a pound of Edgeworth Ready Rubbed; fourth prize—a pound of Edgeworth Junior tobacco.

Packages of Old Briar, Model and Dill's Best Pouch Tobacco, donated by The United States Tobacco Company will be available to people who fail to place in one of the many contests.

Even matches, donated by The Diamond Match Company, will be provided so you see about all you have to bring is a pipe and some lung power.

Dr. McEachron Slates Talk Here

Dr. K. B. McEachron, manager of engineering of the Transformer and Allied Products Division of the General Electric Company, will lecture on "Lightning and Lightning Protection" at 8 p. m., Wednesday. The lecture will be given in the lecture room of the new Biological Sciences Building.

Dr. McEachron has pioneered in recent research on methods of arresting lightning discharges and the electrical phenomena involved.

the principal objective for 1951 is to provide funds for writing and publishing a "Story of Texas A&M College." The Former Students Association has engaged George Sessions Perry to write the book, which it hopes will be ready for delivery next Fall as a 75th anniversary present to the college.

The first \$50,000 for the Opportunity Award scholarships came from the annual gifts of A&M men to the development fund.

The college now has a total of \$426,600 in endowed funds for scholarships and fellowships, and these funds are showing steady growth, McQuillen reported.

Annual Sales Clinic Set for March 13

The second Annual Sales Clinic, featuring many of Houston's outstanding sales executives, will be held Tuesday, March 13 at 7:30 p. m. in the Ball Room of the Memorial Student Center.

Horace Perry, President of the Houston Sales Executives Club and President of the Mosher Steel Company, will meet Thursday with T. W. Leland, head of the Business Administration Department, and E. R. Bulow, assistant professor of Business Administration, to formulate plans for the clinic.

Also meeting in the group will be Verne Lane, Vice Chairman of the Educational Committee of the Houston Sales Executives Club.

Speakers for the clinic will be selected from the findings of this meeting March 1, and will be selected according to their knowledge of specific fields such as wholesale, retail, industrial, and commercial, Perry said.

Physics Building To Get New Wing

Work on a three story addition to the Physics Building will begin within the next 30 days, according to C. D. Wells, contract engineer for the Physical Plants Department.

The contract was let for \$214,480 by the Board of Directors Saturday morning to E. B. Snead Construction Company, Austin.

Extending northeast from the Physics building, the addition will provide a new lecture room, offices, and laboratory space, Dr. James G. Potter, head of the Physics Department, said.

Besides expanding the facilities of the department, and providing room for research, the addition will make it possible to concentrate the Physics Department in one building, Dr. Potter added.

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Pianist Featured On Lion's Program

Mrs. A. B. Medlin was the featured guest of the College Station Lion's Club yesterday where she entertained the group with four piano selections.

Displaying fine artistry on the piano, Mrs. Medlin offered renditions of "Deep Purple," "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes," "Siboney," and "Night and Day."

C. N. "Newt" Hilscher, representative of the Bryan Lion's Club, announced that plans are being made for the twenty-sixth annual Lion's Minstrel by the Bryan Club. He invited local Lions to take part in the show and to be present when casting is done next week.

Dates for the 1951 edition of the Minstrel has been set for March 29-30.

Artist Series Invited Free

Persons who purchase tickets for the 1951-52 Bryan Artists Series may attend tonight's presentation as guests, Frank Coulter of the Bryan Artists Series said.

This year's Artists Series will close tonight with the presentation of Marina Svetlova, ballerina, and her ensemble. The program will feature Miss Svetlova in solo numbers and the star and her partner in duos.

The evenings entertainment will be rounded out by solo presentations of Miss Svetlova's accompanist, who is a concert pianist. Also scheduled on the program are Spanish dance presentations.

New Office Opened By U. M. Alexander

U. M. Alexander Jr., 1011 East 25th St. Bryan, has opened an insurance and real estate office in the Varisco Building recently. Alexander was formerly a partner in the Alexander-Beal Insurance Agency.

'Cranky Wife' Hit on Head With Hammer

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 27—(AP)—A Dallas man was put under a \$50,000 peace bond not to strike his wife any more with a sledge hammer.

The man explained in Justice of Peace W. E. Richburg's Court yesterday that "my wife is cranky when the weather is bad. So when the weather looked threatening I hit her with a sledge hammer."

The woman is now in a Dallas hospital with head injuries.

Richburg levied a jail sentence and the peace bond.

"The next time you hit her," the justice warned, "you'll either pay \$50,000 or lay it out in jail."

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