

System Board Accepts Awards Lets Contracts

Contracts were let Saturday for a new Engineering Building, Texas Engineers Library Building, Agronomy Field Laboratory, Horticulture Headhouse and Quonset Buildings for the use of Poultry Husbandry and Range and Forestry Departments by the A&M System Board of Directors in their fall meeting on the campus.

Fisher Construction Company of Houston was awarded the two major buildings, the Engineering Building at \$432,000 and the Texas Engineers Library at \$177,900. R. B. Butler of Bryan received contracts for the Agronomy Field Laboratory at \$140,184 and the Horticulture Headhouse at \$46,784.

The quonset buildings were awarded A. D. Griggs at \$17,871. The board confirmed previous award of contract for construction of a garbage feeding unit at the A&M Swine Center to L. V. Halton of Bryan, \$21,471. Also confirmed were contracts to Quisile Construction Company of Fort Worth for sidewalks at \$8,848.25 and a parking lot at \$7,927, both at Tarleton State College.

A total of \$73,421.08 in cash gifts, grants-in-aid and scholarships was accepted by the board of directors for the A&M System.

Scholarships Accepted

The board accepted \$42,329.21 in scholarships, fellowships and awards, most of which were contributed to the Opportunity Award program, which aids needy and deserving students to obtain a college education which might otherwise be impossible.

Three recently completed buildings in the System's building program, the Engineering building at Tarleton State, Agriculture Building at Tarleton and Plant and Animal Industries Building at Prairie View, were accepted and contracts declared fulfilled.

Appropriations made Saturday included \$453,810 for the Engineering building, \$186,795 for the Engineers Library, \$147,193 for the Agronomy Field Laboratory, and \$16,313 additional funds for the Horticulture headhouse.

Also appropriated was \$700 additional for the garbage disposal unit, \$8,500 for enclosing and im-

proving the rifle range, \$10,000 for paving in the stadium area and \$30,000 for maintenance and minor alteration of buildings, all at A&M.

Additional Allocations

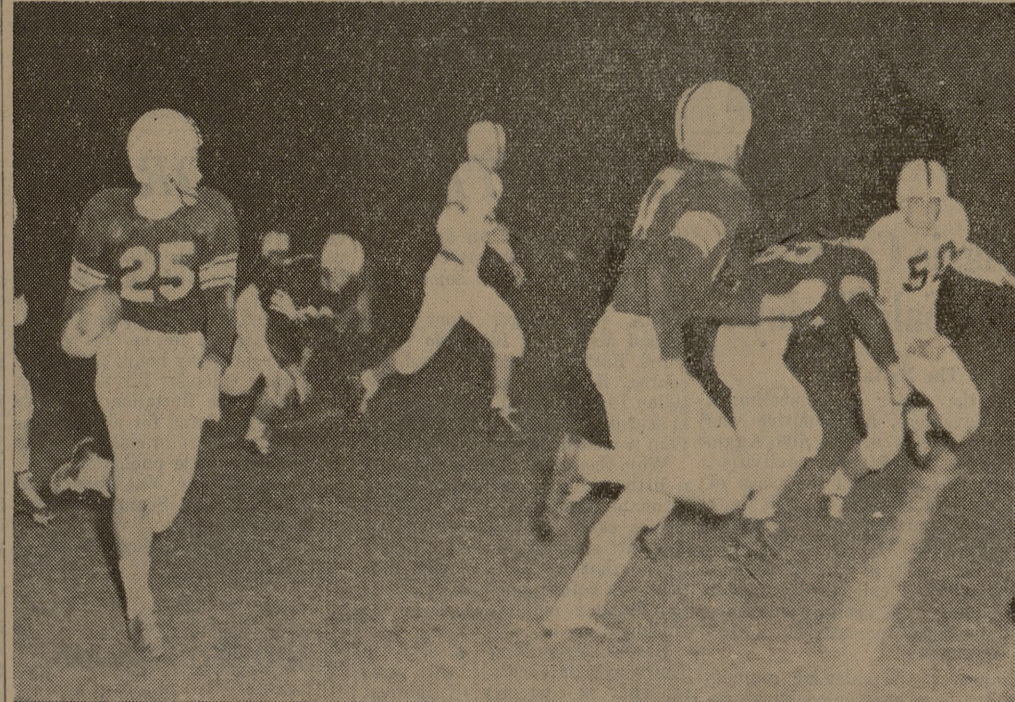
An additional \$175,000 was allocated and reserved for future maintenance of buildings. An appropriation of \$30,000 was made for repairs to the Mechanic Arts Building at Arlington State College, \$3,000 for a survey of the nursing education program and \$3,500 for sewer extensions at Prairie View and \$1,500 for developing preliminary plans for construction of a new dormitory for boys and remodeling the Dining Hall at Tarleton State.

The board accepted \$25,900 in grants-in-aid from industrial firms and organizations the nation over to aid the agricultural research of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Humble Oil and Refining Company contributed a grant-in-aid of \$400 to Prairie View A&M College to assist in financing the summer school for Negro extension workers in June, 1952, at Prairie View.

Scholarships of varying amounts were accepted from Wofford Cain, Jake L. Hamon, Sid W. Richardson (See FELLOWSHIPS, Page 2)

Aggies Stout Defensive Line Decisive Factor In 14-7 Win



Behind devastating blocking Glenn Lippman (25) starts his first touchdown run of the evening against Oklahoma. Lippman went around right end for 25 yards to score the Aggie's first counter and scored the second from one yard out. He was also the game's leading ground gainer.

'Bunch Of Fine Kids, With Great Big Hearts'

By BOB SELLECK
BATTALION SPORTS NEWS EDITOR

A&M's stout defensive line proved to be the deciding factor of the Aggie 14-7 victory over the powerful Oklahoma Sooners Saturday night on a muddy, wind swept Kyle Field.

The Aggie forward wall outclassed and out fought the game but futile efforts of the "Big Red" eleven.

Hugh Meyer, co-captain and center, Jack Little, tackle, and Marshall Rush led the way for the Aggie linemen who stopped the Sooner offense cold.

After the game, Coach Ray George had only the best to say about his victorious Cadets. When asked about what he thought won the game George commented, "It was just a bunch of fine kids with great big hearts."

George also added this special comment about his 60-minute man, Hugh Meyer, "We

really think an awful lot of that boy. He played both on offense and defense and stayed in there most of the time."

In the first quarter the Oklahomans couldn't get past their own 25-yard line or score a first down. During the whole game they massed only four first downs and got beyond the 50 twice.

While the Sooners were watching All-American Fullback Bob Smith, "Little" Glenn Lippman, going like mad, ran through, over, and under the big Sooner linemen.

Lippman carried the ball 19 times for 87 yards and two touchdowns. His first score came half way into the second quarter.

Ray Graves handed the ball to Billy Tidwell who faked to the left, then slipped it to Lippman, who dashed around the flat-footed Sooner defense for the score.

This climaxed a 82-yard march into a strong 22 mile per hour north wind. The Aggies needed only eight plays to accomplish their mission.

Three times, while the Sooners were being held to a stand still, the Aggies drove deep into Oklahoma territory only to be turned back.

Youthful Ray Graves, one of the SWCs' best quarterbacks, displayed the poise and calmness of an "old pro" as he completed five out of 11 aeriels for 48 yards.

Gardemals QBs No. 2

The other half of the Aggie's double header Dick Gardemal engineered the Cadets last scoring drive in the fourth quarter. Gardemal alternated Lippman and Smith with the carrying chores that took the Aggies to the Sooner six yard line.

Gardemal then flipped a 16-yard toss to Charlie Hodge, who was knocked to the ground by an over-anxious Sooner safety man. Pass interference was ruled and the Cadets had the ball on the Oklahoma one yard line.

Game At A Glance

	A&M	OU
Net Yards Rushing.....	205	173
Plays Completed.....	19	8
Passes Intercepted.....	7	3
Net Yards Passing.....	57	15
Total Net Gain.....	262	188
First Downs.....	17	4
Number of Punts.....	7	12
Punting Average.....	39.0	33.8
Punt Returns...5 for 73	2 for 36	
No. of Penalties.....	6	11
Yards Lost on Penalties	50	104
Number of Fumbles.....	4	2
Ball Lost on Fumbles.....	3	1

Again, the ball was handed to "Little" Lippman who bowled himself through the Sooner forward (See HEAVY RAINS, Page 3)

Official Election Results Released

Official results in the fall elections for student senators and non-corporate representatives to the Student Life Committee were announced Sunday by Don Young, chairman of the election committee. These results are complete; however, ballots from Dorm 2 and Dorm 14 will be rechecked because of the narrow winning margin.

In the race for senator from Dorm 2 Jack L. Morris polled 75 votes as compared with 73 for A. C. Burkhalter. Wiley Brisco is the unofficial winner in the senate race as representative from Dorm 14 but his nearest opponent, John Halsell had only seven votes under this total.

Previously unannounced are the results in Dorm 3, Leggett Hall and Walton Hall. Hobart Fatheree, with 60 votes, is the senator from Dorm 3. His closest competitor was John M. Clifford, who had 34 votes.

Herbert Forrod was the winner in Leggett with 99 votes. William Casey had 230 votes to lead in Walton.

Sportsmanship Groups Meet At Arkansas

The Southwest Conference Sportsmanship committee will hold its first meeting of the year, beginning today, at Fayetteville, Arkansas, home of the University of Arkansas.

Delegates from all conference schools will attend the meeting. These representatives are chosen from presidents of student bodies; head yell leaders and members of college newspaper staffs.

Approximately two dozen representatives are expected to attend the meetings. Main business of the sessions is expected to be devoted to ways of getting better cooperation and coordination among member schools.

Last year the meeting was held at A&M. The sportsmanship committee was organized in 1947 by The Battalion and the local newspaper donated gold trophy, three feet tall to be rotated among schools showing outstanding sportsmanship during each school year.

At the meeting here last year it was decided to appoint a recognized sports writer to the committee. A&M appointed Jack Gallagher of the Houston Post as its representative.

Tex Beneke Stars Tonight In First Town Hall Program

Town Hall's first performance of the year will be held tonight in Guion Hall when Tex Beneke and his orchestra, featuring vocalists Shirley Wilson and Bill Raymond, present a program of widely varied musical entertainment. The show will begin at 8 p. m.

Beneke, a native Texan, joined the famous Glenn Miller orchestra in 1935. He served in the navy as a chief petty officer during the war and was released Nov. 12, 1946.

Following Miller's death, it was decided that Beneke should carry on the orchestra as a tribute to the former leader. Mrs. Miller gave her permission and Beneke adapted some of Miller's original selections to his new group.

The first engagement of the revised orchestra was a tremendous success. Opening at the Capitol Theater in New York, they broke every attendance record in the 26 year history of the show place.

After this hit, Beneke and his orchestra were on their way to the top. And it didn't take them long to get there.

Besides stands at Hotel Statler in New York, The Paladium in Los Angeles, and the Michigan Theater in Detroit, Beneke and his orchestra have recorded for MGM and made movie shorts for RKO, MGM, and Universal.

Leading Educators Open Meet Tuesday

One of the biggest events of the year on the A&M campus gets underway Tuesday morning when representatives from 44 states, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico begin registering for the annual meeting of the Association of Governing Boards of State Universities and Allied Institutions.

The meeting is being held at A&M this year on the invitation extended by Chancellor Gibb Gilchrist and Rufus R. Peoples, member of the A&M Board of Directors, at the last meeting of the association at Charleston, S. C.

Official business of the meeting will open Wednesday when President M. T. Harrington and Peoples deliver welcoming addresses. That afternoon, guests attending the sessions will be honored by a review of the Corps of Cadets. Prior to the review, visitors will be taken on a tour of the campus.

All business will be conducted at sessions in the MSC.

Conference Highlights

Highlight of the five day conference will be a banquet Wednesday night in the MSC. Speaking at this occasion will be State Senator A. M. Aikin, who will extend the greetings from Governor Allen Shivers, and Dr. Grayson Kirk, vice president and provost of Columbia University. Dr. Kirk is the acting president of Columbia in the absence of General Dwight D. Eisenhower.

In a letter to R. H. Plock, secre-

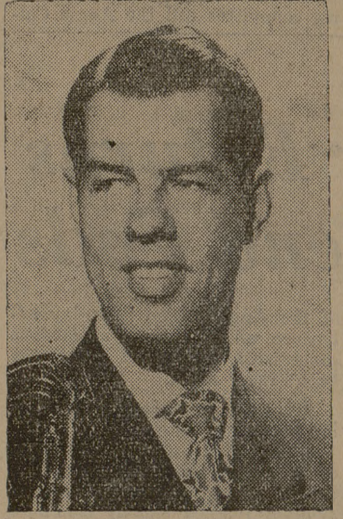
Town Hall Tickets

Town Hall tickets will be sold at the Box Office until curtain time tonight.

Some of their more outstanding arrangements include such all-time hits as "St. Louis Blues March," "Blues in the Night," and "I Can Dream Can't I?" These have sold over 1,000,000 records.

Beneke first started his musical career in his home town of Port Worth. He was only nine years old when he persuaded his parents to buy a saxophone for him. Later he formed a trio which included the now famous golfer, Ben Hogan. Hogan played the drums.

Since that time, Beneke has steadily climbed the musical ladder of success and now ranks as one of the outstanding orchestra leaders in the nation.



Tex Beneke

Calendar Sale Opens Tonight For Freshmen

The Calendar Committee of the Senior Class will begin selling approximately 1,700 calendars tonight at 10:15 in the Freshman area, Duane Vandenberg, chairman of the committee, said Sunday.

Two representatives from the Senior Class and the commanding officer of each freshman company will assist in the sale, profits of which will be turned over to the Senior Class Gift Committee. Price of the calendar is \$1.50.

The calendar consists of three sections: a history of A&M; an insert beginning with September and complete through August, 1952; and a section for addresses and telephone numbers.

Representatives of the class who are helping in the calendar sales are: Tom Mabray, Don Williford, Guy D. King, John Schmidt, Frances P. Spreen, "Chico" Mason, Jim W. Phillips, Ted Stephens, J. W. Dalton, Don Owen, Charles McNeil, Bill Johnston, Bobby Dunn, Hansel C. Kennedy, Glenn R. Miller, Boyd Taylor, Sherman Tucker, Bill Adair, Arnold Hayes, "Abbie" Hayes, Gus Sanders, Max White, Dan W. Davis, Phil Huey, Leon Noack, and Pat Tarver.

The committee, Vandenberg said, has been working during the past week in preparation for the sale tonight.

Large Turnout Sweetheart Chosen At Annual Air Force Ball

A&M's first social event of the 1951-52 school year, the Air Force Ball, was held Friday night in the Ballroom of the MSC. Approximately 185 couples crowded the dance floor enjoying the music of the Aggieband orchestra.

Highlight of the dance came at the second intermission when six lovely finalists for air force sweetheart came to the bandstand. A. C. Burkhalter, chairman of the Sweetheart Selection Committee introduced the candidates to the judges and audience.

Sweetheart Announced

At the third intermission, Burkhalter announced the decision of the judges and Miss Lennie Garrard of Houston was presented as sweetheart of the air force for this year. She was escorted by John Tapley.

Other finalists in the contest were Miss Elrose Schroder of Halletsville, escorted by James Kolan; Miss Sylvia Barton of Houston, escorted by I. C. Trauth, Jr.; Miss Jane Toffelmire, also of Houston, escorted by Bill Streich; and Miss Joan Daugherty, another Houston girl, escorted by Hansel Kennedy; and Miss Charlene Thurman of San Antonio. Miss Thurman was escorted by Bob Dobbins. The sweetheart winner was presented a heart shape compact, decorated with mother of pearl. All finalists received gifts.

Contest Judges

Judging the contest were well known military officers and administrative officials of the college. They were Col. Joe E. Davis, commandant and coordinator of military training; Col. E. W. Napier, PAS&T; Col. James C. McGehee, commanding officer of Bryan Air Force Base; Maj. John G. Otis, W. L. Penberthy, dean of men; and Pete Hardesty, assistant director of Student Activities.

Surrounding the dance floor were tables, arranged for the convenience of cadets, their dates, and honored guests. Those who were unable to find room at the tables sat in chairs along the walls.

Midway in the dance, the doors to the terrace were opened to relieve the jammed condition in the ballroom and many guests spent the remainder of the evening dancing there.

Honored guests for the evening included air force personnel at A&M, their wives and administrative officials of the college and their wives.

At 11:30 p. m. cadets and their dates left the dance and attended midnight yell practice at The Grove.

Air Force Ball Highlights

Air Force Queen Lennie Garrard of Houston was presented with a kiss by the chairman of the sweetheart selection committee, A. C. Burkhalter when named winner at the Air Force Ball Friday.

Col. E. W. Napier, PAS&T, seems quite happy while surrounded by five of the Air Force Sweetheart Ball finalists. They are Misses Charlene Thurmond, Elrose Schroder, Jane Toffelmire, Lennie Garrard, and Joan Daugherty. Not pictured is the other finalist Miss Sylvia Barton.

Take a Break

By POGO

Overheard in the barber chair: A college employee had taken time out during a morning's work for a haircut. On returning to his office, his boss inquired where he had been. When told "getting a haircut," the chief simply blew up saying, "What, you had your hair cut on College time?" The answer from the employee was brusque and brief, "Well, it grows on College time."

JC Meetings Begin Today

Sessions of the Junior College Conference started here today and will continue through tomorrow in the MSC. One hundred and twenty-five are expected to attend.

Luncheon will be held at 12:15 p. m., today for the members of the association and a luncheon for all attendees at the conference will be held at 12:15 p. m., Tuesday, October 9.

Dr. J. P. Abbott, dean of the School of Arts and Sciences is chairman of the conference which is sponsored by the college.