

## Guion Hall Ticket Plan Considered By Life Committee

Aggie Appreciation tickets will be given again this year, the Student Life Committee decided last night. This approval is pending the examination of the new amusement tax law.

The tickets will not be available for distribution, if the new tax law approves the plan, until after Thanksgiving, C. G. "Spike" White, assistant dean of men for student activities said.

The tickets will be handed out to the same group of men as in past years. However, the committee decided the price paid in addition to the ticket will be seven cents instead of the old five cents.

At the first of this year the committee did not think existing funds of the committee would cover expense of the tickets.

These Aggie Appreciation tickets are given annually to men who are engaged in extra-curricular activities. Each man eligible for the duets receives 16 at one time.

### Health Aid

Upon the suggestion of Dan Russell, committee member, the student health fund expenditures will be enlarged to assist the wives and children of married students. This solidification of the policy of the committee came about after several married students were faced with the problem of medical bills and appealed to the group.

At various times the committee has approved the loan of health funds to students' families, but

this gave the subcommittee a more solid approval of the Student Life Committee.

At present, Russell announced, there is \$1,200 in the fund. He cited examples of how the fund is operated and the effects of the loan plan. During this explanation, he pointed out when the loan is made to a married student for his family it is helping him stay in school.

Findings of the Welfare and Recreation Committee on applications for funds from the committee were reported by M. L. Cashion.

The committee approved the application of Barney Welch, intramural director, for \$2,900 for athletic equipment.

## ME Slide Rule Contest Slated At 4 p.m. Today

The annual slide rule contest, sponsored by the Mechanical Engineering Department, will be held at 4 p. m. today in the lecture room of the M. E. Building. This contest is open to those students of ME 101 who rank in the upper 10 percent of the class in that subject. Approximately 80 entries are expected.

The exam will be composed of 60 problems of the type encountered in ME 101. Contestants will be allowed 50 minutes to complete the test.

Results of the exam will be determined on a score basis, with 5 points being given for each correct answer. No extra points are given for speed. Enough time is allowed for each contestant to finish the exam.

Awards will be presented to winners of the contest at a special assembly to be held on Tuesday, Dec. 11 in the Assembly Hall. President M. T. Harrington, Dr. H. W. Barlow, dean of the School of Engineering, and Dr. John R. Bertrand, dean of the Basic Division, will present the awards.

## Governor Buys Ticket



Gov. Allan Shivers buys a ticket to the Nov. 24 football game between Texas University and A&M freshmen teams. The game, the fifth annual Shrine benefit, will be played in Austin's Memorial Stadium. Members of the Ben Hur Temple, co-sponsors of the game with the Brazos

Valley Shrine Club of Bryan, sold the governor the ticket. Left to right, in the picture, are Potentate Charles McAden of Austin; A. F. "Speedy" Jones of Austin, Governor Shivers and Game Chairman William B. Ranson of Austin.

## Judge Charges Football Is Over-Emphasized

### A&M Story Publication Set Nov. 28

George Sessions Perry's "The Story of Texas A&M" will have its premier on the A&M campus Nov. 28, the day before the annual football game with Texas University.

As a grand finale to the 75th Anniversary of A&M, which was celebrated last school year, the publication will depict one of Texas' most colorful institutions, this land grant college in Brazos County.

A prominent Texas writer who authored such best sellers as "Hold Autumn In Your Hand," and "Texas: A World In Itself," Perry has been commuting between his home in nearby Rockdale and College Station regularly for the past year to gather material for the book.

### Contains 302 Pages

This account of A&M's growth and development, published by the McGraw-Hill Book Company of New York, is of usual six-by-nine inch size and contains 302 pages. Thirty-two pages of the book are taken up with pictures of presidents of A&M and various campus scenes and activities, while 215 pages are devoted to Perry's story of the college.

A 35 page appendix is expected to be a ready "argument settler" since it contains a chronology of A&M since it opened its doors in 1876. The appendix also contains names of members of the Board of Directors, presidents, deans, commandants, Medal of Honor winners, honorary degrees, enrollment, class presidents, ranking cadet officers, and others compiled from all available records and reliable sources.

The book is not an effort to write a history of the college, Perry said.

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George Sessions Perry, Texas author, has written an informal biography of A&M under the title of "The Story of Texas A&M." Publication date has been set for Nov. 28.

New York, Nov. 20—(AP)—Some college athletic leaders were quick today to refute a New York judge's accusation that football and basketball are sordid big business deals.

Basketball and football came under the fire of general sessions Judge Paul S. Streit in a 41-page statement issued yesterday shortly before the jurist sentenced a basketball fixer and five former players from three New York universities to prison terms and gave nine other ex-players suspended sentences.

"Commercialism and over-emphasis in intercollegiate football and basketball are rampant throughout the country," said Judge Streit. He said the nation's schools are courting an "atomic athletic scandal."

### A&M an Example

Judge Streit singled out Oklahoma, Texas, Texas A&M, Southern Methodist, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Maryland and Kentucky as examples of over-emphasis in football. Kentucky is the only one of the group involved in the basketball point-fixing scandal that has reached more than 30 players from seven schools and a referee.

The judge called a college athlete a paid commercial and said academic standards for athletes are a laugh.

## Date Ticket Sales Opened

Date tickets for the Texas University game are now being sold on a class seniority basis, following the plan set up by the Student Senate, announced Howard Nelson, Athletic Department ticket manager.

Regimental sergeant-majors collected money from the seniors and juniors and bought their tickets Monday.

Tickets for sophomores and non-corps students will be on sale today through Thursday, on a first-come-first served basis.

Any tickets of the 3000 allotted that are left will be on sale Friday for freshmen and other students who did not get one at their prescribed time, Nelson said.

A capacity crowd of 41,000 people is expected for the game, the ticket manager announced.

All tickets have already been sold except student tickets at A&M and TU.

### Harrington Comments

Dr. M. T. Harrington, president of the college, made the following statement to The Battalion this morning in reference to Judge Streit's accusations of over-emphasis in football at certain colleges:

"We recognize that there are some serious faults in intercollegiate athletics on a national basis, but this should not condemn all intercollegiate sports. Crimes and murders are committed every day in some large cities, but we do not say that every citizen of that community is a criminal.

"The good resulting from intercollegiate athletic competition far outweighs the bad, and the best way to correct the situation which New York Judge Paul S. Streit has discussed is to apprehend the violators rather than condemn all (See A&M SPORTS, Page 4)

## College Town Hall Features Discussion By Businessmen

Socialism and free enterprise will be subject of a panel discussion led by four Texas businessmen Wednesday night in the Lecture Room of the Biological Sciences Building.

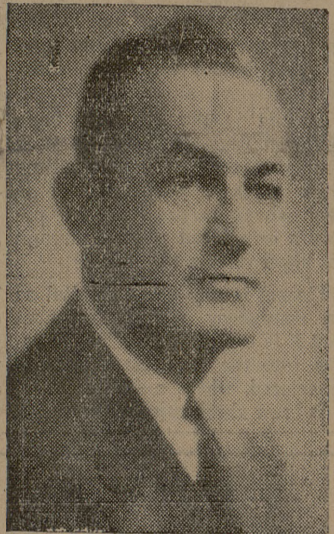
More than 300 undergraduates are expected to attend the "College Town Hall" meeting, according to T. W. Leland, head of the business administration department.

K. R. Dailey of the Humble Oil and Refining Company of Houston will be a member of the panel which will discuss and answer questions revolving around socialism and free enterprise.

### Plant Foreman

During his 22 years of service with the Humble Oil and Refining Company, Dailey has worked as a laborer, truck driver, welder-helper, operator, shift foreman, plant foreman, and research chemist in the refining department.

The last 12 of that 22 years, he served in the employee relations department, beginning as supervisor of employee relations research and then becoming assistant



K. R. Dailey, assistant manager of employee relations for the Humble Oil and Refining Company, will be on a panel of noted businessmen to be featured at a "College Town Hall" program in the Biological Science Building lecture room Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

manager of the Humble companies.

As assistant to the employee relations manager, Dailey was in charge of research, labor relations and of employee relations generally in refining and sales operations. These two departments comprise something over 7,000 employees.

Since August of 1946, Dailey has been assistant manager of the employee relations department in which capacity he participates in all collective bargaining with employees and assists the manager of the department in all administrative functions.

### Committee Chairman

During the war, he was chairman of the Refining Manpower Subcommittee for District III, which was comprised of the States of New Mexico, Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas and Mississippi, and was a member of the Petroleum Industry War Council's Committee on Manpower. Also, he was chairman of an advisory committee for the petroleum industry for the Eighth Regional War Labor Board.

Dailey is an active member of the American Management Association, and has served as chairman of the Industrial Relations committee of the Houston area Chapter of the Texas Manufacturers Association. He has been (See PANEL, Page 4)

## Batt Changes Make-up Style

There have been some changes made in the make-up style of The Battalion. Starting today the paper is being made up with more white space between the lines.

This new typographical style has been adopted by many of the leading newspapers in the state and is advocated by most of the typography experts in the nation. Technically it is called setting eight-point type on a nine-point slug.

## TU Game Bonfire Work Starts; Center Pole Goes Up Today

Construction of A&M's annual Texas University Thanksgiving game bonfire got underway yesterday as crews of students began regular trips to nearby wooded areas to cut and strip timber.

Scheduled to burn at 8 p. m. Wednesday, Nov. 28, the logs will be stacked around a 65 foot center pole, due to go up today.

Head yell leader Lew Jobe said last night that wood will begin being hauled into the bonfire site on the main drill field across from the MSC tomorrow. Large stacks of wood were accumulated during the initial day's work yesterday

and must be moved to keep the cutting area from becoming cluttered, Jobe said.

### Center Pole Up Today

Joints of the center pole, which came in two sections, will be spliced and the pole will be put in place sometime this afternoon, the yell leader indicated. The Rural Electrification Association in Bryan donated the poles for this year's bonfire.

Corps Supply Sergeant Joe Mattei asked units last night to donate money from their company funds to pay for axes and saws to

be used in gathering the wood. He said equipment would be stored after work on the fire is completed and will be used again next year.

Guard duty for the bonfire will begin Thursday at 7 p. m., announced Bobby Dunn, guard duty chairman. Dunn said a regular guard schedule with tours of 7-11 p. m., 11 p. m.-3 a. m., and 3-7 a. m. will be assigned all units for Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday.

Students will be formed in two circles around the actual bonfire (See PATROLS, Page 4)

## Band Wins Houston C of C Parade Marching Contest

The Maroon and White Bands took top honors in the Houston Chamber of Commerce contest in the Corps Trip parade Saturday. Led by head drum major James Rogers, the band added the honor to its distinction of containing the best-drilled company from last year—the Maroon Band.

Consolidated Band Commander Voris R. Burch received a ribbon citing the award. It will be placed on the band's guidon.

## Fish Representatives Meet In MSC to Air Grievances

By HARRI BAKER  
Battalion Staff Writer

For 90 minutes last night representatives from each of the freshman units aired their grievances and complaints in the first of a series of regular meetings with regimental representatives of the sophomore class and military department.

Complaints ranged from subjects concerning the food in the mess hall and the heat in the dorms to questions about meeting people and yell practices. For many of the questions asked, the Fish were referred to their company com-

manders because the questions were a matter of company policy.

### Questions Asked

Some of the subjects discussed and questions asked are as follows:

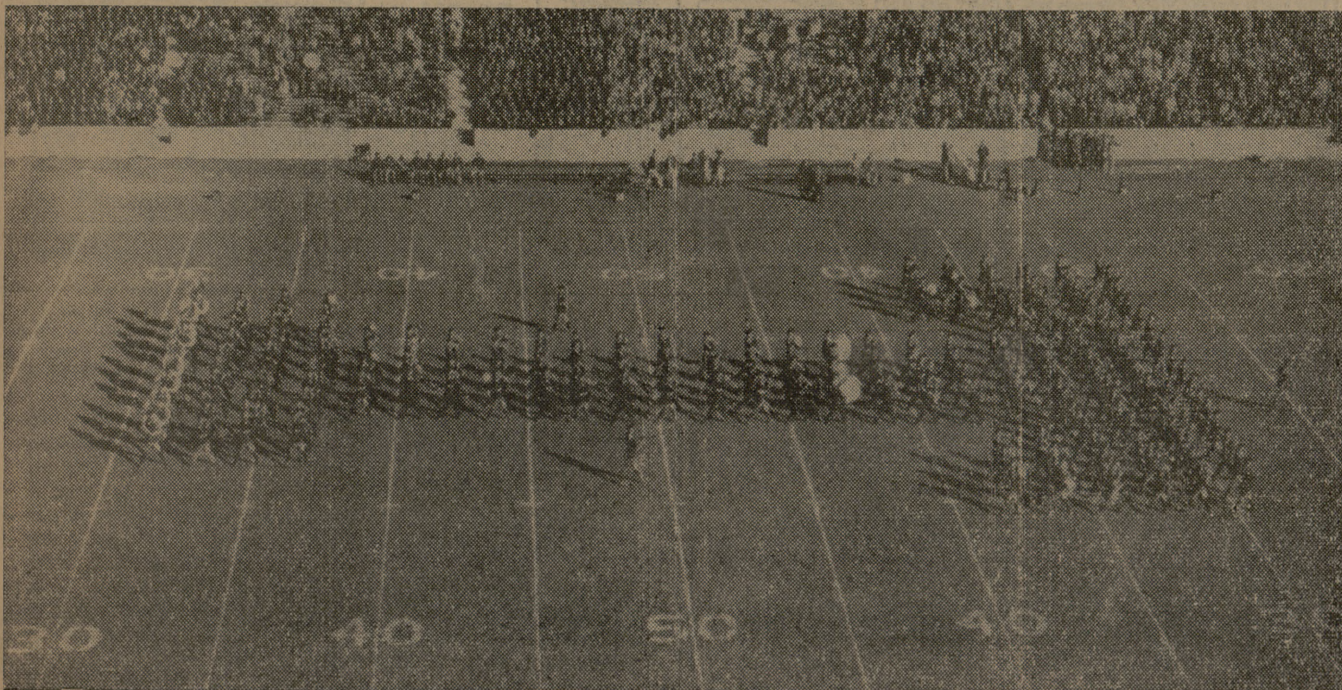
- What is the status of transfer students, summer school students, and "frogs"? Are privileges determined by academic standing or by length of time at A&M? How will these students stand next year?
- Upperclassmen in the freshman dorms are making noise and causing other interruptions during CQ, what can be done about this?

Who has permission to give rams on the campus, and exactly what can we be ramed for?

• What are a freshman's privileges when he has a date or other guests on the campus? How are we expected to learn a man's home town and course when we are meeting him when he throws us an undecipherable string of letters?

• We are sometimes late for classes and for yell practice because we are detained at the mess hall table by upperclassmen. How can this be stopped?

• When is the area to be open and what will be expected of us (See FISH MEETING, Page 4)



The Texas Aggie Band provided a spectacular performance during halftime at the Rice-A&M game in Houston Saturday. With 180 students making up the famed marching unit, a tremendous "Mov-

ing T" (first picture) was formed. In this formation the band did a countermarch from end-to-end and also from side-to-side. Also during their show at halftime of the game which saw the



Aggies fall before the Rice Owls 13-28, the band formed the letters R-I-C-E O-W-L-S (second picture). They formed the letters facing one side of the field, and then did an about face, and

changed their letters so they would again read the same facing the opposite direction. —Photos by Staff Photographer Dick Zeke