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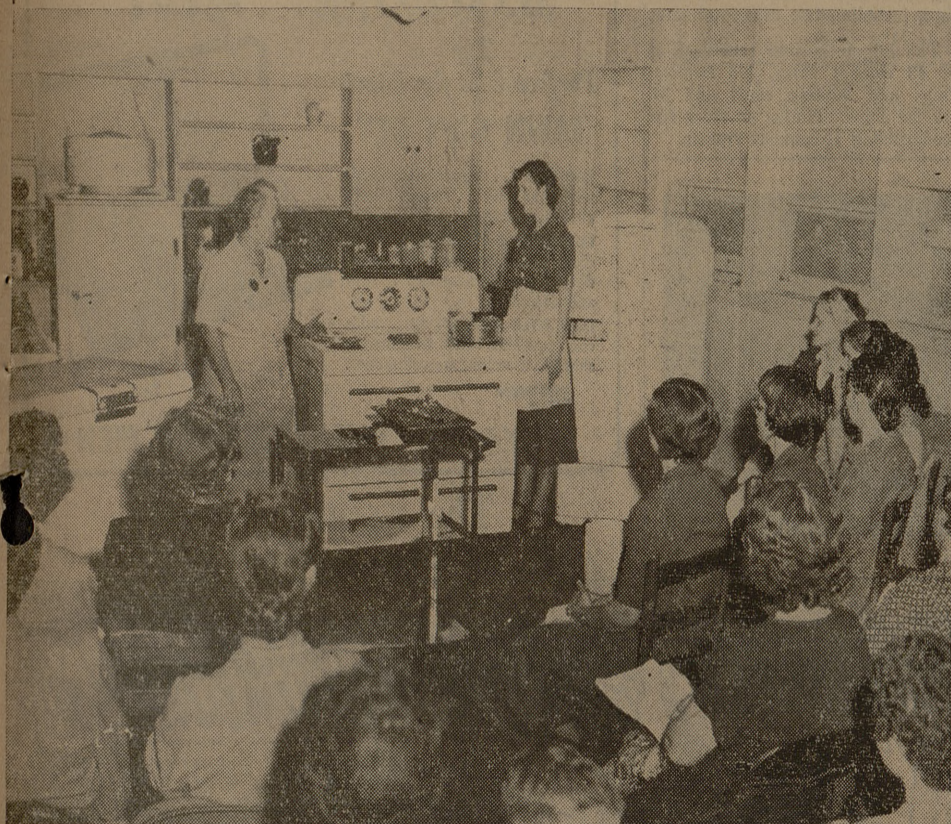
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Culinary Pointers



The fine and lost art of cooking a sirloin steak is demonstrated by Mrs. Rita Holridge, to Mrs. Bird, home science teacher at the A&M Consolidated High School. Mrs. Holridge held an all-day cooking school for the women of the community in the high school home science class rooms. Mrs. Holridge is sponsored by the Extension service.

County 4-H Club Boys Getting Set For Show

By PHILIP GOUGLER
Battalion Staff Writer

Brazos County 4-H Club boys are readying their show animals in anticipation of the annual Houston Fat Stock Show, Jan. 30-Feb. 10, County Agent Wallace Kimbrough has announced.

Eugene Opersteny, a last year calf scramble winner, will enter this same grown and fattened steer in the show. Bobby Cargill will

take two dairy heifers, and Henry Presnal and Eddie Payne will enter one dairy heifer each. Presnal also won his heifer in last year's scramble, while Payne won his in the 1950 event.

Other show entries are two lambs by Richard Miller, three fat barrows by George Arnold; turkeys by Presnal, Payne, and Kent Potts; capons by Eddie Melasky, Tommy Wing, Arnold, Wing, and Potts; fryers by Bill and Tom-

my Wing, Johnny Lloyd, Don Draper, and Melasky.

"Some of our boys have some mighty good animals and poultry, and they should place reasonably high. But they are up against big outfits, and the competition will be plenty tough," Kimbrough said.

Contenders in this year's calf scramble, Jan. 31, include Johnny Lloyd and Eddie Melasky, who will scamp after dairy calves. Hopefuls Don Draper and Carroll Francis will chase the beef calves. Floyd Abbott and Charles Gallo-way are alternates in the scramble.

The first group of club boys, accompanied by Kimbrough, will leave Sunday morning, Jan. 27, from the Bryan Locker Plant. "It's a good idea to get there early to get the livestock settled and ready," Kimbrough explained.

This group will include Eugene Opersteny, Henry Presnal, Eddie Payne, Jerry Randle, Bobby Cargill, Richard Miller, Gerald Arnold, Kent Potts, Eddie Melasky, Tommy Wing, George Arnold, Bill Wing, Don Draper, and Allen Lloyd.

The dairy judging team, to compete Feb. 9, is comprised of Henry Presnal, Eddie Payne, Kent Potts, and Gwinn Thompson.

Two school bus loads of Brazos County boys and girls will visit the show on 4-H Day, Feb. 2.

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Dairymen Hear National Head

By IDE TROTTER
Battalion Staff Writer

National President of the American Dairy Association, C. E. Schoebey, of Algonia, Iowa spoke yesterday to the American Dairy Association of Texas at their luncheon in the MSC.

Approximately 80 members attended the annual state-wide dairy industry meeting at which plans for the coming year, reorganization, and revision of the bylaws were made.

Dr. I. W. Rupel, head of the Dairy husbandry department, presided at the luncheon at which Schoebey spoke and problems of the dairy industry were discussed.

James G. Kizer, was re-elected president of the ADA of Texas as were the other officers.

Board Elected
Under the new bylaws a 27 member state board of directors will be elected. Dr. Rupel was elected as one of the members of temporary board which will serve till a new board can be elected as specified by the bylaws.

175 Flu Cases in Area, State Lists 10,545

Influenza outnumbered all communicable diseases in the College Station - Bryan area for the week ending Jan. 19, the Bryan-Brazos County Health Unit has announced.

Flu victims totaled 175, a sum two and one half times greater than all other communicable diseases combined.

Twenty-seven counties each reported 100 or more cases of influenza last week. There is usually an increase in influenza about this time of year, but this is the largest number of cases for the second week of the year since 1944 when over 24,000 cases were reported, announced the State Department of Health.

The numerical reports from the morbidity report cards throughout the state list a total of 10,545 cases of influenza last week compared to 3,151 cases for the second week last year.

College Station listed 49 cases of flu, Bryan reported 128.

Diarrhea was the second most common illness reported with nine cases in College Station and 16 in Bryan. Septic sore throat cases numbered six in College Station, and 11 in Bryan.

Other diseases reported were as follows: Gonorrhea, two cases in College Station, and seven in Bryan; measles, five in College Station, and three in Bryan; and syphilis, one case reported in each city.

He's No Woodcutter, So You Can't 'Pin' Him Down

Over two tons of wood hit the deck after being nudged by a little ball.

It all happened in the MSC Bowling Alley where C. A. McNeill bowled the top series score Tuesday night.

By winning, McNeill knocked over 584 pins, which weigh about three and a half pounds each. By simple mathematics, John Geiger, head mathematician of the center, said it added up to 2044 pounds, or over two tons of wood.

Allies Strike Red Western Defense

Seoul, Korea, Jan. 24—(AP)—Allied raiding parties ended the 19th month of the Korean war today with bold strikes into the Red defense line on the Western front.

The heaviest fight was west of Chorwon where United Nations tanks and infantrymen fought for six hours Wednesday with Chinese entrenched on a hill.

The raiders struck again at 7:30 a.m. Thursday. The Chinese rained hand grenades down on the Allies and opened up with heavy machinegun and rifle fire. The fight continued, the U. S. Eighth Army reported.

Another Allied force hit the Chinese northwest of Korangpo in a pre-dawn raid. The Eighth Army said the raiders pulled back to their own lines after killing 20 Reds in an hour-long fight.

The frozen Eastern and Central fronts quieted after heavy Allied tank and artillery blows Wednesday.

Tanks
Big Allied tanks clanked up to a seven mile front between Kumsong and the Pukhan River on the Central front and hurled more than 1,600 rounds into Chinese bunkers. The lethal barrage from five vantage points lasted nearly four hours. One group reported 60 Chinese bunkers damaged.

Chinese fire damaged four tanks, but all limped back to Allied lines. A fifth tank was damaged Wednesday.

Square Dance Club Schedules Benefit

Promenaders, College Station and Bryan square dance club, will sponsor a March of Dimes benefit square dance at the Bryan Country club on Saturday, Feb. 2.

Entire proceeds of the affair, including sales of refreshments which will be donated by club members, will go to the fund to fight polio. No admission will be charged, according to Club President Lee Smith, but all present will be asked to donate generously.

Tom Collier, local caller, will be master of ceremonies, with guest callers from all over the area. Mrs. Lola Thompson is chairman of the arrangements committee. Hosts and other committees will be named within the next few days, according to Smith.

Radio News Course Offered in Spring

Journalism 311, a course in radio news writing and editing, will be offered in the spring semester. The course will be taught by Otis Miller, assistant professor of journalism.

"Practical experience in writing and editing a 'must' for agricultural and engineering students going into quasi-public work where a knowledge of writing and broadcasting is part of the job," said Miller.

The course is open to both agricultural and engineering students who are approved by the instructor.

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Gilchrist Talks At Mason Rally In Houston

Chancellor of the A&M System Gibb Gilchrist, grand master of Texas Masons, was the principal speaker during the 22nd annual Exemplification of the Master Mason's Degree held in his honor in Houston, Jan. 21. J. H. Sorrels, master of the College Station Sul Ross Lodge, has announced.

In addition to Gilchrist's address, the program included conferment of the Master Mason's Degree on William Carroll Hill of Houston.

The degree was conferred by the College Station Sul Ross Lodge No. 1300, which put the program on.

The ceremony was held in the Scottish Rite Temple under the auspices of the Houston Lodge No. 1189.

Local men taking part in the degree work included T. E. Rattan, G. E. Madley, H. W. Ince, Al B. Nelson, H. W. Barlow, M. T. Higginson, N. M. McGinnis, J. D. Sherman, W. S. Manning, L. P. Cobble, and H. L. Boyer.

Stevenson Boomed As Dem Candidate

New York, Jan. 24—(AP)—The New York Times said today that Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson of Illinois shapes up as a leading Democratic presidential candidate in view of indications that President Truman prefers not to run and seeks a successor who backs his own foreign policy.

James Reston, in a dispatch from Washington, writes that the President "before deciding to withdraw from the race . . . now is seriously surveying the field of possible Democratic candidates and asked Gov. Stevenson to call upon him (Tuesday) night with this in mind."

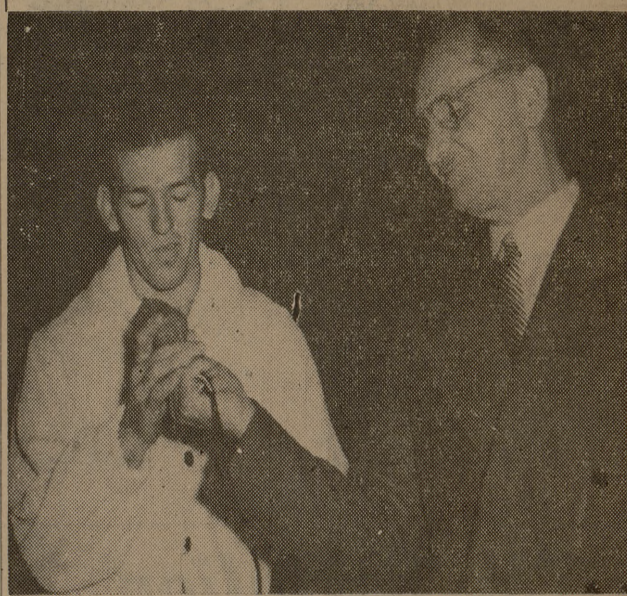
Experience

Of all present potential Democratic candidates, Reston said, "Stevenson is generally felt to have the most experience in the field of foreign affairs." "Moreover, he has won considerable confidence even among many Republicans for the independent position he has taken in the conduct of affairs in Illinois," the story added.

Yesterday in Washington, however, Stevenson told newsmen he is a candidate for re-election as governor—"and nothing else." But he declined to say whether or not he would accept a presidential nomination if one was tendered to him.

Stevenson's sweeping gubernatorial victory in 1948 marked him as the third Democratic governor

Farewell Speech



I. D. Boughton of the A&M Athletic Council is giving Jewell McDowell a chance to say a few words during pre-game ceremonies on "Jewell McDowell night." The sensational guard ended his career scoring 23 points against Baylor. The Cadets won 47-36.

Kefauver Voices Cleanup Platform

Philadelphia, Jan. 24—(AP)—Senator Estes Kefauver of Tennessee said last night he will campaign for the Democratic presidential nomination on a platform advocating clean government, world peace, a balanced budget and continuance of "economic and social gains."

Kefauver spoke here on a network television news program (NBC) a few hours after he announced in Washington that he would seek the nomination.

The Senator, who headed the crime investigating committee, said he decided to run because "there is a need for youth, vigor and new ideals in both political parties." He is 47.

Old Belief Untrue

He said there is no longer any truth in the old belief that a southerner can not be elected president.

"The south no longer is on the defense politically," he said.

Kefauver did not comment further on his reference to clean government, a remark obviously directed at the recent income tax and other governmental scandals.

Later, however, speaking at a meeting of the Pennsylvania and Atlantic Seaboard Hardware Association, Kefauver said it is the "duty and responsibility of the federal government to clean up its own yard, front and back."

He said the U. S. has failed "to break up organized crime in hundreds of American communities, and to break the alliance between gangsters and some politicians at all levels of government."

Revolt in Nepal Angers India, May Intervene

New Delhi, Thursday, Jan. 24—(AP)—A revolt against the newly liberalized government of Nepal was reported today. India was described as ready to intervene if necessary to save the Himalayan kingdom from the fate of neighboring Communist-captive Tibet.

The Indian Times and other Indian morning newspapers said the revolt has been put down for the moment and 400 rebels are under arrest at Katmandu, the capital, but unease continues.

Some reports said the rebels were supported by left-wing elements or infiltrating Communists.

Informed sources here said unless the situation is brought under control quickly there is every possibility that India will step in to restore stability.

India regards Nepal as responsible for guarding a 550-mile Himalayan border with Tibet, which now is under Red China's control.

Two Candleholders Disappear at Lunch

Two pig-skin covered candleholders disappeared from the speaker's table at the Football banquet. These candleholders belonged to Mrs. Tom Taylor of the Campus Variety store.

The committee in charge of banquet arrangements has requested that anyone knowing the whereabouts of these candleholders, return them to her at the Variety store.

Allies Claim Reds Playing Waiting Game

Munsan, Korea, Jan. 24—(AP)—The United Nations command today accused the Communists of "playing the waiting game" in the Korean truce talks, hoping the Allies will "capitulate out of sheer exasperation."

An official U.N. broadcast beamed to Korea from Tokyo said:

"Either the Reds have no intention of reaching an armistice and are merely killing time until their next offensive, or they have been instructed not to bargain on any point."

"The latter alternative may be the truer one at this date."

The broadcast said the Reds' "waiting game" is "an overt admission from Communists leaders that right now they do not expect anything to happen."

As negotiators haggled fruitlessly over Korean truce terms Thursday, a U.N. delegate accused the Communists of planning to use sick and wounded prisoners as a lever to force Allied acceptance of Red armistice terms.

Health Unit Plans Lab Course Tonight

Dr. J. V. Irons, director of laboratories, Texas State Department of Health, will present a short Laboratory Refresher Course in Public Health Laboratory Methodology, tonight at 7:30 at the Bryan-Brazos County Health Unit, 402 E. 30th, Bryan.

Three short lectures will be supplemented or illustrated with lantern slides and blackboard "chalk talk", reviewing parasitology procedures, mycology methods, and tests for viral diseases, announced Dr. David E. Brown, Health Unit director.