

Draft Test Application Due Mar. 10

Brig. Gen. Paul L. Wakefield, state director of Selective Service, reminded male college students of draft age today that they must apply quickly if they wish to take the Selective Service college qualification test this spring.

Applications for the test, to be given on April 24, must be postmarked no later than midnight Monday, March 10. Applications postmarked after that time will not be accepted.

Any local board of the Selective Service System can furnish the student with a bulletin of information about the test, application blank, and envelope for mailing. Applications go to Educational Testing Service, Princeton, New Jersey.

To be able to take the test, an applicant:

- Must be a Selective Service registrant who intends to request occupational deferment as a student.
- Must be satisfactorily pursuing a full-time college course, undergraduate or graduate, leading to a degree. (The applicant need not be in a four-year college, but his entire course of study must be satisfactory for transfer of credits to a degree-granting institution.)
- Must not previously have taken the test.

The test, a three-hour written examination, is to provide evidence for the use of local boards in considering deferment of a registrant from military service as a student.

The test has been termed a "measure of scholastic ability." The bulletin of information obtainable at local boards shows the nature of the test and sample questions and answers.

Shepardson Speaks At Dairy Institute

C. N. Shepardson, dean of the school of agriculture, was the main speaker today at a Fort Worth convention of the Dairy Products Institute of Texas. It is the 44th meeting of this organization.

E. W. Tiedman, chief of the dairy branch of the food and restaurant division of the Office of Price Stabilization, will speak to the dairymen Tuesday.

TPA Holds Meet On A&M Campus

Over 100 newsmen and publishers from all points of the state attended the Third Annual Texas Newspaper Clinic in the MSC this past weekend.

Co-sponsored by the A&M journalism department and the Texas Press Association, the conference, which included representatives from more than 46 Texas newspapers, proved a "big success."

Weather Today



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Light Snow

WEATHER TODAY: Sleet or snow, much colder with a low forecast of 25 degrees. The rainfall in the College Station area at 7 a. m. was .49 inch. The high yesterday was 60 degrees and the low this morning was 47 degrees. Partly cloudy and continued cold is the forecast for tomorrow.

'Ouch!'



"It doesn't really hurt, we only use a larger syringe because these Aggies are just like horses," says Miss Erlene Vaughn, nurse at the College hospital. Corps of Engineers juniors John Parks

gets one of a series of seven shots which are required of all students attending ROTC camp this summer. Classmate Earl Beaver steadies Parks for the ordeal.

Bigger Attendance Forecast For 1952 High School Day

More than 200 high school students representing almost half as many high schools in Texas and Louisiana have indicated they plan to participate in High School Day activities on the A&M campus March 15.

High School Day is an annual event held on the campus to give out-standing high school seniors a preview of the college campus and a broader knowledge of activities and available facilities.

May Top Last Year

"We are hoping this year to top last year's high school visitor totals when almost 500 students participated in 'Operation High School,' a similar event but under a different name," said C. G. White, assistant to the Dean of Men of activities.

"The number of replies we have received so far have come after

preliminary mailings and invitations to the prospective visitors. Another personalized mailing was completed last week, and we're optimistic in thinking that there will be well over 500 high school student replies before the March 15 date," White added.

High School Day will be held in conjunction with Sports Day activities which climax grid spring training sessions. Other major events scheduled for the same date are a tri-conference track meet with Rice Institute and the University of Texas track and field team, and a baseball game with the Brooke Field Medics.

'T' Association Hosts

The "T" Association will serve as hosts for the high school students at each of the sporting events. Former students providing transportation for students from their particular communities will be guests of the Office of Student Activities.

Placement Office Gets New Quarters

The A&M Placement Office has recently moved to a new temporary office located at the intersection of Coke and Lubbock streets. The building was once the home of George's Confectionary, which was closed after the opening of the MSC.

The Placement Office was located on the second floor of the Administration Building before its removal as a result of the A&M System taking over the old Administration Building.

Donald D. Burchard, head of the journalism department, acted as host for the visiting conferees.

"More efficient pressroom operation" was explained by a panel composed of Albert Ladyman of the Miehle Press Company, Frank Tucker, manager of the A&M Press, and Don Norton, publisher of the Conroe Courier. Presses, presswork problems and stereotyping problems were the main topics of discussions.

Problems Explained

These problems were also explained in a tour of the A&M Press print shop which was directed by both Tucker and Mack Goode, assistant manager of the A&M Press.

Three panel members, Goode, L. F. Tyfus of the Linotype Company and Addison Buckner—co-publisher of the San Marcos Record, lead and supervised discussions on line-casting machines. This included a special movie on the operation and maintenance of a linotype.

Jack Gale of United Press spoke on the "Pros and Cons of Teletypesetting" at the luncheon, with discussions on the same topic carried through the afternoon.

Rain-Soaked Norther To Bring Snow, Sleet

A fast moving cold front engulfed the state of Texas today, bringing rain and much lower temperatures to College Station. A low of 25 degrees with possible sleet or snow was the forecast for tonight.

The first bad case of weather this city has seen all winter may be coming. Temperatures have been consistently high all winter, and many local residents had begun to put away their heavy clothing before this new cooler blew in.

The Canadian-born wet norther first

touched College Station at 3 a. m. today when a light rain began to fall. By 7:30 a. m. a half an inch had fallen and continued to come down at a rate of .10 inches an hour.

The Easterwood Airport Civil Aeronautics Administration weather station said a blanket of snow covered the panhandle area today. A low of 15 degrees was recorded this morning in Amarillo.

Elsewhere in the state low clouds and rain pelted down over the badly parched earth. Farmers were given an indication that spring crops may have a chance to survive the drought that has existed in many parts of Texas.

Rain in San Angelo

Rain was even forecast in the West Texas town of San Angelo where water rationing and strict regulations concerning its use have been in effect for many months.

Snow fell in Lubbock, Childress, Amarillo, Wink, and Junction last night, and may find its way southward to College Station tonight.

Sleet is the forecast if no snow arrives.

Planes Grounded

Planes were grounded today at Easterwood Airport. A 500 foot ceiling kept Pioneer Airlines planes from landing also. Only one flight came in this morning. The local airport has an 800 foot ceiling minimum.

The weather station recorded a high of 60 yesterday and a low of 47 here this morning. Tomorrow's forecast is partly cloudy and continued cold.

June Kelly Named Soph Sweetheart

Sophomores and their dates turned Sbis Hall's main dining room into a scene of dancing and festivities Saturday during their annual big night of the year the Sophomore Ball.

Miss June Kelly was selected as the Sophomore Sweetheart and was presented to the members of the Class of '54 and their guests during the final intermission.

An Edinburg High School student, she was the date of Don Cameron, E Squadron animal husbandry major from McAllen.

President Presents Award, Kiss

Bill Rowland, sophomore class president, presented the sweetheart with a fitted evening bag as a gift from the class and took his traditional honor, the congratulatory kiss.

The six finalists for the sweetheart award were present to the judging panel which consisted of the following: Col. E. W. Napier, PAS&T; Col. Shelly P. Myers, PMS&T; Dr. J. P. Abbott, dean of the School of Arts and Sciences; W. L. Penberthy, Dean of Men; and W. D. "Pete" Hardesty, business manager of Student Activities.

Finalists Margaret White, Shirley Tyra, Kay Crider, June Kelly,

Virginia Lee Ballard and Marian Williams were introduced with their escorts by Hugh Philippus, sweetheart committee chairman.

The five runners-up were given a gold compact by the class. All the finalists were given a bouquet or red roses by Rowland.

Tables were arranged around the edge of the dance floor in night club fashion, and bunches of balloons were hung from all the lights.

Approximately 300 couples danced to the music of the Aggieband Orchestra.



Miss June Kelly
Sophomore Sweetheart

G. W. Little Dies In Waco Hospital

George W. Little, 35, instructor of English, died yesterday in Hillcrest Memorial Hospital in Waco from injuries sustained in an automobile accident Tuesday night.

Little, a native of Hillsboro, came to A&M at the beginning of the 1946-47 school year. He was a graduate of Texas University.

50 Opportunity Scholarships To Be Awarded

Fifty or more four-year Opportunity Award scholarships at Texas A&M College will be offered through a state-wide competition this spring to Texas high school seniors who require financial assistance to attend college. It was announced here today by E. E. McQuillen, director, A&M Development Fund.

Scholarship winners will receive up to \$300 each year, plus student employment, to make their college education possible.

Announcements and application forms have been mailed to high school principals, county agricultural agents and vocational agricultural teachers of the state, with March 15 as deadline for candidates. Winners are chosen by the faculty committee on scholarships of the college, R. G. Perryman, secretary.

Among the awards the Jesse H. Jones Scholarships in Agriculture, and the Jesse H. Jones Military Awards for boys desiring to follow military careers. Two hundred and forty previous winners are now attending A&M.

Brycol Society to Meet

The Brycol Philatelic Society will hold its February meeting in the Senate Chamber of the MSC Tuesday at 7 p. m.

Ken Clough of Houston will discuss albums and general stamp collecting.

'The Circle' Slated Tonight by Players

The Assembly Hall curtain rises at 8 tonight on the Aggie Players production of "The Circle," a sophisticated comedy by W. Somerset Maugham.

In the starring role will be Marjorie Selleck, Director C. K. Esten's latest addition to the top ranks of the Players. The play is about the trials of a stuffy English furniture collector and his wife.

The eternal triangle enters the plot with the appearance of Teddy Luton, a dashing young man-of-the-world who captivates the furnishing collector's beautiful wife.

Further complicated by the sudden return to England of the furnishing collector's estranged mother, the plot becomes a problem fit for a marriage counselor.

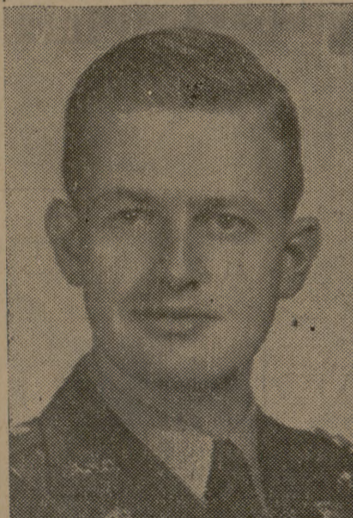
The Circle promises an interesting evening for those attending the two performances at the Assembly Hall Monday and Wednesday nights.

The triangle in the play, which should really be called a pentagon, consists of Alice Burke as Elizabeth Champion-Chaney, the furniture collector's wife; John Samuels as Arnold Champion-Chaney, the furniture collector and a member of the parliament; B. B. Smith as Teddy Luton, the dashing, young Casanova; Mrs. Selleck as Lady Kitty Champion-Chaney, the wayward mother of the furniture collector; and Harry Gooding as Lord Porteus, the person responsible for the furniture collector's mother being wayward.

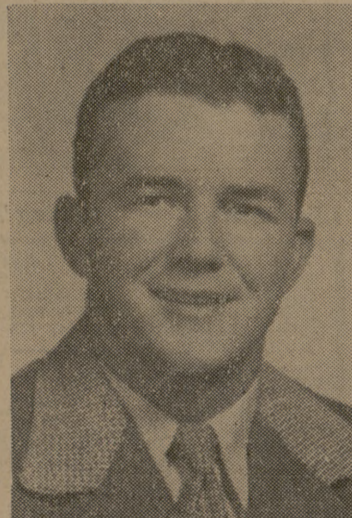
In supporting roles, Director Esten has Bob Travis as footman, Jerry McFarland as the furniture collector's father, and Mrs. D. D. Burchard as Anna Shenstone, a friend of Elizabeth Champion-Chaney.

Tickets for the performance may be purchased at the door or from members of the Aggie Players at a price of 50 cents.

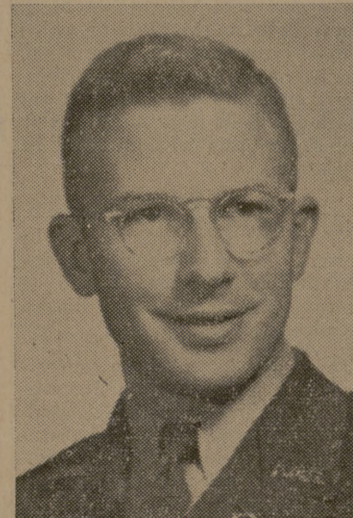
Who's Who at A&M



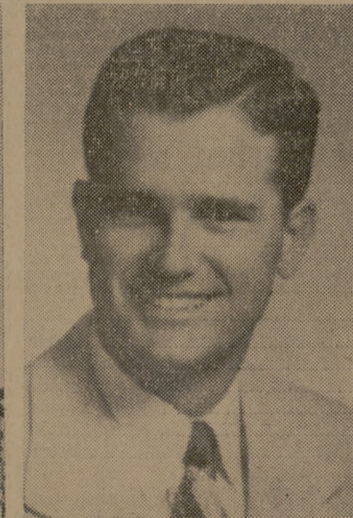
Eric Carlson
Senior economics major from Elgin—cadet colonel of the corps, outstanding cadet three years, and students life committeeman.



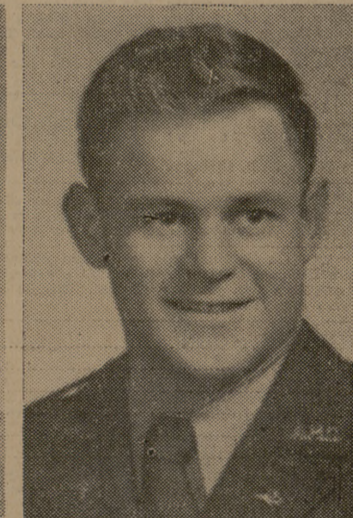
Maxi Word
Senior vet med major from San Angelo—judging teams, student life committeeman, Brewer Award Winner.



Lewis Jobe
Senior economics major from Amarillo—Head yell leader, cadet lieutenant colonel, SWC Sportsmanship committee.



Pat Hubert
Senior vet med major from Riviera—A11-S-C, All-American baseball team, "Sandlotter of Year" in nation, T Association



Glenn Lippman
Senior Mechanical Engineering major from El Campo—All SWC in football, played in East-West game, treasurer of Tau Beta Pi.