

Sophomores React

Election Filing Increases to 85

Thirty-three students have added their names to the rapidly increasing list in the coming elections to be held Oct. 6-9. Thursday Oct. 2 is the last day candidates may file.

Included in the 33 students were seven sophomores, who prior to yesterday listed only one candidate for Student Senate positions.

Also among the new list were 11 seniors, two juniors, and seven sophomores for the Student Senate; three juniors for the Election Commission; two non-military students for Student Life Committee; one from College View for Student Senate; two students from Vet Village; and one representing the Day Students.

Four File Wrong

Four students filed for Senator-at-large, a position not opened this year.

Under the new senate membership rule 15 seniors, 10 juniors, six sophomores, two day students, one College View resident, and two non-military representatives from

each civilian dormitory will be elected to the senate.

Seniors who filed for Student positions are Guy Showen, Joseph Galle, Don R. Buckner, Vernon K. Roberts, John L. Halsell, Jim (T-Bone) Thomas, Harold Hudspeth, Johnny Brown, T. E. Kelley, James Read, and D. P. Richardson.

Up until yesterday the junior class has led in the number of filings but suffered a sharp setback when only two juniors, Ralph D. Mathis and Carol W. Phillips, were added.

Sophomores who filed are Don Friend, John Pelt, John Cozad, Jerry Van Hoosier Jr., Frank Dunn, Jerry K. Johnson, and Terrell H. Hamilton.

Three juniors have applied for the newly created Election Commission. They were J. L. Clanton, Raymond E. McBride, and Harold L. Kupfer.

Two non-military students, Bill Brucks and Paul T. Cardelliac, filed for the Student Life Committee.

Civilian students also filed for senate positions. Included were Frank Scott from College View, Bill Maddox and Robert F. Wammack from Vet Village, and Billie Joe Pratt representing Day Students.

This brought the total number of students who filed for positions to 85.

Investigations Underway On 'Canon Shots'

Two shots fired, heard 'round the campus.

At about 1:10 a.m. Thursday, two homemade "shells" were fired from the cannons in front of Ross Hall. The loud reports followed each other during a few seconds.

Lt. Col. Taylor Wilkins, assistant commandant, said no one at the military department knew for sure whether or not the reports heard had come from the cannons. Investigations were being made, he said.

The Campus Security said the explosives were set off in the cannons but nothing is known as to how or who did it. They too are still investigating.

"Although the students were checking the canons early Thursday morning, no indication of wear and tear on the guns was seen," Col. Wilkins added.

The cannons placed in front of Ross Hall are obsolete antitank guns which were used at the beginning of World War II.

Young Woman Cause Of Fight, Vaden Says

The whole incident was the result of a misunderstanding, according to Lt. Col. Frank S. Vaden, Counselor of Milner Hall. He was speaking of the fight which took place in Houston, Saturday. Col. Vaden who happened to be upon the scene at the time of the fight reports it in a different light than what was previously reported in The Battalion.

According to Col. Vaden, the cause of the fight was because of a young lady who had too much to drink.

The young lady, Col. Vaden said, was returning from a party and feeling rather biddy, proceeded to

sit down on the sidewalk and take off her shoes.

About the same time, he adds, several football players of the Chicago Cardinals, who had played that night happened to be passing by. Seeing the girl sitting there, one of the players hinted that this was rather unladylike. To this the young miss replied she didn't particularly care how she looked.

After several attempts to get the young lady to move from her position, the players finally lifted her up bodily and moved her to the center of the sidewalk. Naturally, the colonel chuckled, this was quite a spectacle.

By this time people were beginning to form a circle around the girl and football players to see what was going on. In this group were several Aggies.

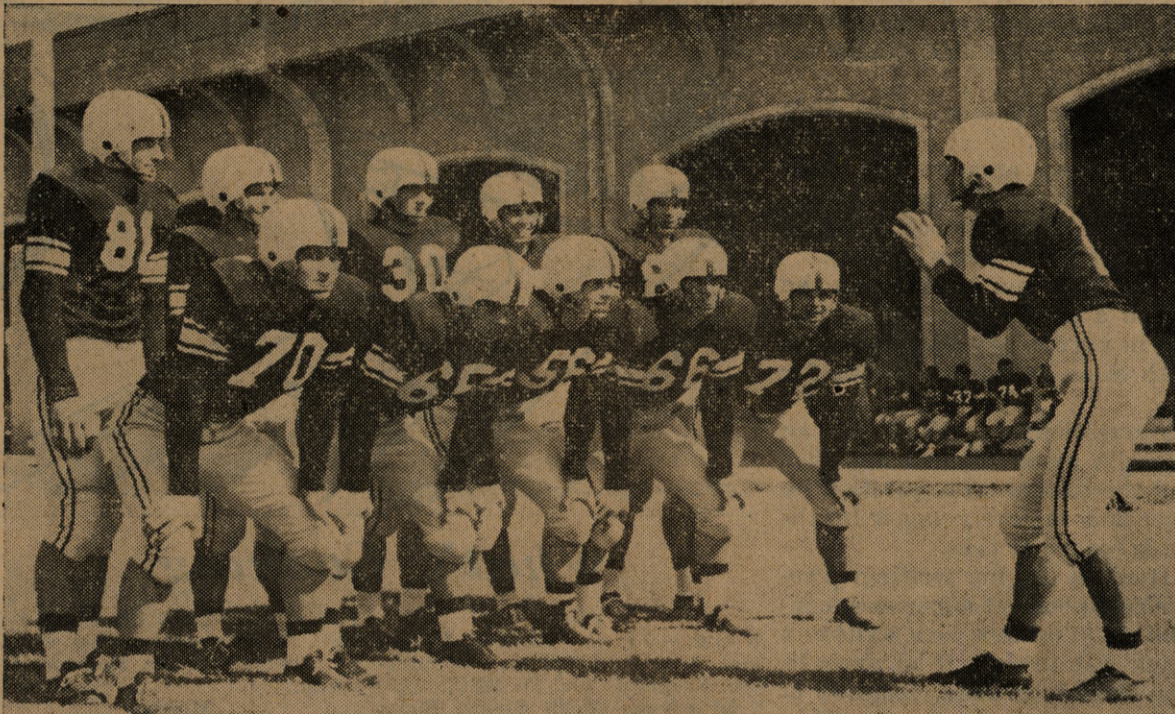
About that time the colonel, says, the football players motioned for the crowd to get back. One of the Aggies, he reports, told the Cardinals he had a right to see what happened as much as any one else. This started hot words back and forth on both sides.

Just when blood was beginning to boil the thickest, Bruce McCarty, Aggie freshman, came up and edged his way to the front, trying to find out what it was all about.

In doing so, he was pushed into Don Joyce of the Cardinals. Joyce, thinking McCarty hit him on purpose, retaliated with his fist. That, Col. Vaden said, was the fight.

"As far as McCarty tackling this big football player, he laughs, the boy didn't know what happened until I woke him up."

Cadets Tangle Cowpokes In Cotton Bowl Saturday



29 PASS, FLANKER LEFT, ON THREE—Ray Graves, quarterback, calls the play as the Aggies warm up for Oklahoma A&M. Bending (L. to R.) are tackle Durwood Scott, guard Sidney Theriot, center Bill McMahan, guard Marvin Tate, and tackle Bobby Dixon. Standing behind are Darrow Hooper, end, Raymond Haas, right halfback, Don Kachtik, fullback, Don Ellis, left halfback, and Eric Miller, end. These are the probable starters with the exception of Connie Magouirk at fullback and Leo Marquette at center.

Tough Game Set, Says Coach George

By ED HOLDER
Battalion Sports Editor

Coach Ray George's Aggies will take the test Saturday night at Dallas in the Cotton Bowl when they meet one of their oldest rivals Oklahoma A&M.

"It will be a tough game, and a close one," said Coach George.

"Arkansas took us by 10 points last year. They are supposed to have an even better team back. And looking at what Oklahoma A&M did to them last week, I would say this should be a very hard one to win," he added.

George was referring to the way the Cowpokes held highly favored Arkansas last week 20-22. Those who saw the game said anyone could have won, that the Razorbacks just got one more break than the Cowboys.

Both teams are the light hard-running type, and speed should be the main factor.

They should also be well matched in the aerial end of the game. Both squads boast a top-notch passer.

Cotton Experts Study Problems

The National Cotton and Cottonseed Adversory Committee of the Department of Agriculture opened its meeting yesterday in the MSC headed by Burriss C. Jackson, chairman of the American Cotton Congress.

Gibb Gilchrist, chancellor of the committee, reviewed research work done on cotton and cottonseed in Texas and told how public funds had been expended on that program.

Discussions during the meeting were held by Lyle Hessler, Joel Elbree, Dr. Robert Lewis, Dr. H. P. Smith and others.

Fifty members from all cotton producing states attended the conference.

Ray Graves of the Maroon and White will match wits and throwing arm with Don Babers of the Okies.

Leading the SWC in total yards compiled after one game, Graves will be a hard man to beat in either department. He quarterbacked a beautiful game against the Cougars last Saturday night, and showed he could pass when he completed 9 out of 14 for 121 yards.

Graves also displayed a good ground game when he rolled up 87 yards in 13 tries to stand third in the conference among leading ball carriers.

Babers of the Cowpokes was described as "one of the sweetest passers I have ever seen," by a scout at least week's game against Arkansas.

The Cowboys don't have the ends the Aggies do, but they boast an Indian halfback named Bill Brede from the hills of Oklahoma that is supposed to make up for the weakness.

Halfback Brede

Brede runs from the halfback spot and is said to be a terror. He is big and fast and doesn't know when to quit. He is a probable for the Missouri Valley All-Conference team.

Running against Brede for the Aggies will be Raymond Haas and Don Ellis. Neither is the line-charging type, but both are fast and hard to pull down.

These men are also good receivers for Graves passes, and if called on, Ellis can turn in a good job at throwing. He threw once and hit last week against the Cougars for a touchdown.

Co-Captain Hooper

At ends for the Aggies will be Eric Miller and co-captain Darrow Hooper. Hooper snagged a pass for a touchdown last Saturday and Miller ran up 39 yards in three catches.

Tackles will be big Bobby Dixon and All-America Jack Little. Iron-Man Little will probably see a great deal of defensive work in addition to his starting position on offense. He is the other co-captain for the game.

Marvin Tate and Sidney Theriot are scheduled for the guard slots. These are the boys who held the huge Cougar linemen who outweighed them almost 30 pounds per man.

Leo Marquette will hold down the center post. This is another of the Louisiana sophomore lads on the Aggie eleven.

Connie Magouirk is slated to start at fullback. One of the hard-driving type, Magouirk is counted on by the Aggies for the line-backing chores.

MSC Round-Up Starts Tuesday

The annual fall Round-Up of the MSC will get underway at 7:45 p. m. Tuesday in the MSC Ballroom, according to John Akard and Ken Hall, chairmen.

"All students and faculty members are invited to attend to see the programs planned by the individual committees of the Directorate," Akard said.

Students Favor Lowering Football Date Ticket Price

By JOHN MOODY
Battalion News Writer

Football season is again in full swing and the date ticket situation again rears its dollar-marked head. This year the State Federation of A&M Mother's Clubs brought the matter up, to which a howl of approval was heard up and down Military Walk.

As Moose Kelly, third wing staff commented, "I am always in favor of lowering prices."

Most of the students agreed that \$3.60 is just too much to pay. Says, John Ferguson, air force junior, "It's all right for one game, but by the time they are all added up, you're bankrupt."

Ralph Sayers, post-graduate hall, said the same and added, "Personally I'm not having a date this game, you've got to eat. If I had a wife she wouldn't go to the game if I had to pay those prices."

Thad Howard, Senior in Veterinary School, even put in a good word for the faculty. "I think the faculty should get a better deal on their tickets and be taken out of the end-zone."

As for the new price, if the tickets could be lowered, there were varying opinions. Bob Jones, Ted Fields, and Joe Paford, seniors of Walton Hall believed that \$2.40 would be a fair price. "Of course we would like the price as low as it could go, though," they explained quickly.

Although generally favorable, many had doubts as to whether

anything would be done. Curtis Mills, Squadron 4 said, "Sure I'd like to see the ticket price lowered, but I don't see how it can be done."

Then there were others like Jimmie Persons, B. Armor, "I'm for lowering the ticket price anyway it can be done."

Finally there were some that couldn't see any way out. As W. T. Riley, freshman in D Battery said, "Well all I know is that it's a rough all the way around."

Beekkeepers Hold Course in MSC

The Texas Beekkeepers Association, sponsored by the Entomology Department and the Texas Beekkeepers Association, will hold a short course at the MSC on September 29-30, 1952.

Dr. F. L. Thomas is the chairman and announces that registration will begin in the MSC lobby at 8 a. m. on September 29. The registration fee is \$2.50 per person.

The meetings will be conducted in the MSC Assembly Room and necessary forms and personnel to conduct registration will be furnished by the Short Course Office.

The MSC will furnish meeting rooms, hotel accommodations, and also three tables for exhibit use in the Assembly Room.

The Entomology Department expects a short course attendance of an estimated 100 persons.

'Howdy,' Cars, Khaki Mix

Parking Lot Jambalaya

By JERRY BENNETT
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The days of the trampling herd ended with the introduction of barbed wire. The days of the trampling uniform began with the construction of the Academic Building parking lot.

Since that date and the opening of the shacks, this area has been an inspiration for writers desiring to depict a mob scene. Every morning at 10 minutes before each hour the parking lot become swamped with khaki colored humanity swarming to classes in both directions as if their lives instead of their grades depended in getting there on time.

Mingled with tan clothed figures are splashes of color from an

Football Ducats Off Sale Today

Approximately 2,500 students tickets have been sold to the Oklahoma A&M game. An added 1,500 student date tickets have also been sold. C. C. Ownby of the ticket office continued ticket sales until five yesterday afternoon.

Special tickets are now on sale to student's wives. So far 397 tickets have been sold to student's wives to the Oklahoma A & M game.

However, difficulties have arisen here. Student's wives are not bringing proper identification ticket sellers Rosey Shaffer and Mrs. W. L. Hooper say. Student's wives must bring Marriage license and their yellow fee slip in order to get their tickets.

Tickets will go on sale for the Kentucky game on Monday.

Squadron 21 Wins Grid Sign Contest

Squadron 21 took first place honors in the weekly football sign contest sponsored by Eugene Rush, College Station insurance man.

Placing second was Squadron 10. Prizes of \$5 for first place and \$2.50 for second place will be given.

Heading the contest committee was Corps Chaplain O. C. (Putter) Jarvis. Representatives of each division were also on the committee.

Weather Today



CLEAR

WEATHER TODAY: Clear. The high yesterday was 88 and the low this morning 61.