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Claire Williams Named Aggie Sweetheart 1953

Travis, Francis, Wheat Get Top Senate Positions

Bob Travis of the Consolidated Band was elected president of the Student Senate last night in its first meeting of the year in the YMCA Assembly Room.

Dee Francis, Corps Staff Operations Officer, was elected vice president. Pat Wheat, vice president of the sophomore class, was elected secretary.

Frank Ford, sophomore, who also was nominated for secretary, was chosen corresponding secretary by acclamation. Ide Trotter, Corps Staff Supply Sergeant, was elected parliamentarian.

Darrow Hooper, senior senator from College View, was named treasurer. Guy Shown, Corps Staff Adjutant was elected chaplain by acclamation.

Col. Davis Sets New Policies For Unit C.O.s

Col. Joe E. Davis, commandant, laid the cards on the table to commanders of corps units yesterday in an hour meeting held in the YMCA.

He explained "air-outs" are outlawed, although not listed as such in the College Regulations. He ordered commanders to watch the use of "compulsory intramurals" which has been the cause of some resignations.

Davis demanded that demonstrations previously held Oct. 31 and April 1 be discontinued this year. Other resolutions presented by Davis were:

- Military units will not march to yell practice.
 - Unit meetings must be held prior to call to quarters.
 - If further harm to guidons occurs at yell practice, taking of guidons to yell practice will be discontinued.
 - Hensel Park is off limits to beer; explanations of method for planning unit parties.
 - Wearing of fatigue uniform, and removal of class privilege from the way previously worn.
 - Better care of rifles. Use of wax to keep them in good condition.
 - Company commanders have supreme authority in units.
- The commandant and Col. Shelby P. Myers, PMS&T, also explained deferment policy for military students and the issuance of shoes, one pair to basic military students and one pair to advanced students.
- Following the meeting, company commanders discussed various class privileges and methods of speaking between units.

In other business, Lyle Wolfskill, student entertainment manager, presented the motion that a committee be formed of two seniors, one junior, one sophomore, and one civilian student to study the problem of seating in Kyle Field and present its findings at the Thursday meeting.

Hooper added an amendment to the motion asking that one man representing the married students be placed on the committee. The amendment was passed. The committee will hold a short meeting tonight to study the Kyle Field seating arrangement.

Gene Steed, Second Division Commander, made the motion that the senate recommend to the mess hall that they publish the menu a week in advance.

Committee Formed

Following the selection of officers, the ten committees of the Student Senate were formed. Senators volunteered for the separate committees on which they wished to serve. If more than the required number of men for a committee volunteered, the selection was put to a vote.

Senators elected to the executive committee include Francis, who as vice president of the senate automatically became a member, Trotter, Sam Harper, Jack Thornton, Victor Gillett, Bill Rowland, Francisco Coronado.

Members of the mess hall committee are Francis Fisbeck, Guy Shown, Rowland, and the freshman class vice president who has not been elected yet.

Senators elected to the social

committee were Don Young, Lamar McNew, Don Friend, Haskell Simon, and Larry Hoffman.

Trotter and Wheat were elected to the publicity committee.

Senators named to the Student Life Committee were Wolfskill, Daniel Howell, Joe Wallace, Shown.

Elected to the hospital committee were Ray Rushing, Arvis Noak, Jerry Ramsey, Prince Vickers, John Pelt.

Election Committee Members

Senators elected to the Election Commission include Leo Draper, Andrew Gary, B. P. Pantuso, Bill Maddox, John Matush.

Heft, H. H. Jones, Charles Scott, Robert Cloud, Jack (Spud) Mergle, and Doyle Lowrey were elected to the Exchange Store committee.

Members elected to the welcoming committee are Harold Hudspeth, Eugene Kilgore, Gene Steed, Monty Montgomery, John Heft.

Senators elected to the TISA were Steed, Roy Hickman, William Canon, Ford, Young.

Following the election of the committee, C. G. (Spike) White, director of Student Activities, presented this year's budget to the Senate.

Dance Committee Showing Profit

The MSC Council took care of routine business at its meeting in the Council Chamber last night.

The group heard a report by J. Wayne Stark on the financial condition of the center.

Council president Lamar McNew reported on the results of the two student social functions held in the MSC during the Kentucky game weekend. He said \$30 was lost by the Dance Committee on Cafe Rue Pinalle, held Friday night, but the committee netted \$138 from the All-College dance Saturday night.

A discussion concerning an art display now being shown in the MSC was concluded with several members complimenting the Art Gallery Committee for their continued work in bringing art masterpieces here for display.

'Give 'Em Friendship' Campaign

Walt Kelly to Speak Here

Pogo is coming, Walt Kelly's in sight.

The famed creator of the Okefenokee swamp critters who have set campuses across the nation astir and national politics in a hotter brew than Li'l Abner ever could will be here at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in Guion Hall.

Kelly will stop at A&M on his way from Dallas to Houston in connection with a promotional tour across the country.

Sponsored by The Battalion, Student Activities and the Art Gallery Committee of the MSC, Kelly will talk on "The Social and Ethical Responsibilities of a Cartoonist to the American People." Frank Manitzas, Battalion co-editor, will be master of ceremonies.

Fish, Junior Shoes Ready

Approximately one half of the 1956 pairs of shoes recently received for distribution to the Corps of Cadets have been distributed, reported B. W. Hearne, military property custodian. Distribution began Oct. 4.

In order to clarify who is eligible to receive shoes, Colonel Shelly P. Myers said that the regulations specifically state that each ROTC student shall be issued one pair of shoes as a freshman and one pair of shoes when he receives his advanced ROTC contract.

The regulation also states that maintenance, repair and replacement of the shoes is left to the student.

San Antonio Belle Chosen From Twelve

By FRANK N. MANITZAS
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Miss Claire Williams of San Antonio is the Aggie Sweetheart for 1953.

Named by a 14-Aggie selection committee after more than an hour and a half of balloting and discussion, the TSCW sophomore won out over 11 other lovelies from the Denton college.

The attractive five-foot and four-inch 18-year-old speech major was announced winner by Senior Class president Joe Mattei, who was in charge of the Aggie delegation to Denton.

"I was never so pleased or surprised in all my life," Miss Williams said Sunday afternoon when told she would reign as Aggie Queen for all events needing a female representative from A&M.

Miss Williams clasped both hands to her face when Mattei announced the winner. She was unable to utter a sound for 20 seconds as were the other persons present. The silence was broken by a member of the A&M delegation who began to sing "Jambalaya" and congratulations, hugs and kisses, followed.

She will be presented formally during half time ceremonies at the Southern Methodist football game Nov. 8 in Dallas, the Cadets' first Corps Trip.

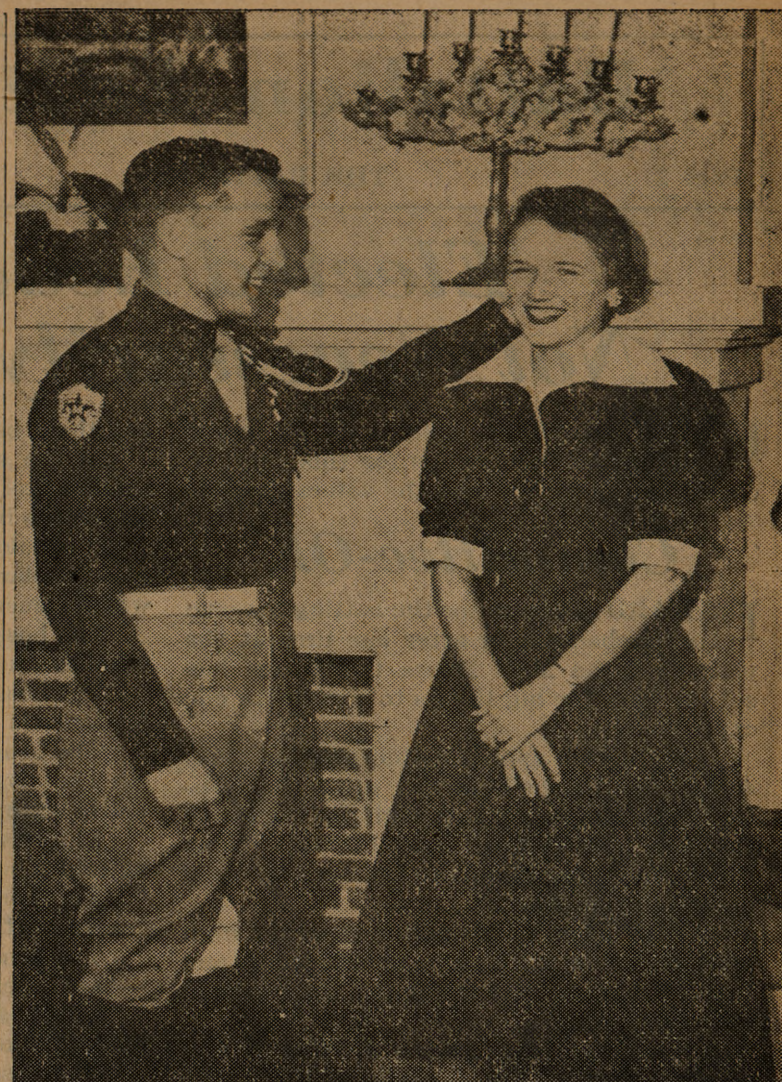
Other nominees elected in upperclassmen meetings at TSCW were: Colette Clifton of Memphis, Tenn., Ann Herring of Arlington, Tenn., Patricia Martin of State College, Miss., Betty Ann Timmerman of New Braunfels, all seniors; Cora Jane Becker, of New Braunfels, Marshalene Green of San Saba, Carolyn Hammon of El Dorado, Ark., Jane McBrierty of Ennis, all juniors; Erika Heidman of Greenville, Peggy Phillips of Austin, Patsy Potts of Weslaco, all sophomores.

Selection Members

Members of the selection committee besides Mattei were: Cadet Colonel of the Corps Weldon Kruger; Charles (Red) Scott, vice president of the senior class; Charles (Bubba) Blank, social secretary of the senior class; Gene Steed and Bruce (Hoot) Gibson, division commanders; Glenn Black, Bill Highsmith, Charles Hornstein, Don Carey, regimental commanders; Lamar McNew, president of the MSC Council; Frank Manitzas, co-editor of The Battalion; Bill Henderson, civilian yell leader, B. W. (Mac) McGough, civilian representatives.

The selection committee arrived at the TSCW campus at noon Saturday. After lunch in Hubbard Hall, the selection committee and the nominees watched the televised

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AGGIES' NO. 1 SWEETHEART—Cadet Colonel of the Corps Weldon Kruger talks with sparkling Claire Williams of San Antonio and TSCW, A&M's Sweetheart for 1953. (Photo by Burchard Studios, Denton.)



AGGIE SWEETHEART NOMINEES—Twelve Texas State College for Women beauties named by the upperclasses of the school, for Aggie Sweetheart were: (top row, left to right) Collette Clifton, Ann Herring, Patricia Martin, Betty Ann Timmerman, all seniors; (second row) Cora Jane Becker, Marshalene Green, Carolyn Hammond, Jane McBrierty, all juniors; (third row) Erika Heidman, Peggy Phillips, Patsy Potts, Clair Williams, all sophomores. (Photo courtesy The Daily Lass-O, TSCW.)

Carle and Pinalle Make Weekend Big

According to most calendars, the present seven days in October have been designated as National Oil Progress Week. However, if someone were to look at the A&M entertainment calendar, they would see that this was a bad misnomer.

A more fitting title would be: "A & M Entertainment Week." Scheduled at Guion Hall at 7:15 p. m. Saturday, after the A&M-TCU football game, is Frankie Carle and his famous orchestra.

After conducting his concert at Guion, Carle will travel to Sbis

Hall to play for the all-college dance, which begins at 9 p. m. Dress for the dance may be either formal or informal, said W. D. (Pete) Hardesty, business manager of student activities.

Advance ticket sales for the concert and dance are now being conducted in the Office of Student Activities, said Hardesty. Admission to the concert will be 70 cents, and \$2.50 will be charged for the dance, stag or drag.

International Night will be held at Cafe Rue Pinalle, Friday at 8:30 p. m., announced Miss Betty Bolander, program consultant of the MSC.

The internationally-flavored program will be centered around six Bryan AFB cadets from United Nations countries, said Miss Bolander.

Music for the show will be furnished by the MSC Combo. The rest of the program will be announced later in the week, she said.

Friday Is Deadline For All Guest Ducats

Student guest tickets for the A&M-TCU football game will go off sale at 5 p.m. They will not be sold on Saturday, according to Pat Dyall, assistant business manager of athletics.

Coupon books for student wives will go off sale Friday at the same time.

Carradine to Present Readings At Knife-Fork Club Tonight

John Carradine, well known actor of character roles on the stage and screen, will present readings of great scenes in literature tonight at the Bryan-College Station Knife and Fork Club.

About 400 people are expected for the club's first meeting of the year. It will be in the MSC Ballroom at 6:30 p. m., said Bob Braley, president of the group.

Monte Wooley, previously announced as speaker, will not be able to come because of illness.

Carradine has been in the following Broadway plays: "The Mad



Pogo
"Gig 'em Okefenokee"



FORMAL PRESENTATION—Dr. David H. Morgan, dean of the college, receives title to the Metzger Gun Collection for A&M from Harry C. Knode, president of the Texas Gun Association and friend of the late Carl Metzger who originally owned the collection.