

Adlai Concedes

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to the Leland Hotel, where Wyatt had set up election eve headquarters.

A crowd of admirers was waiting in the ballroom on the second floor.

Many were clinging to the bitter end to the hope that somehow, somewhere the tide would turn and give Stevenson the electoral votes he needed.

But Stevenson knew he was beaten. He had sensed it, an aide later said, from the time he was handed a news report that Paul Fitzpatrick, New York State Democratic chairman, had conceded the state to Eisenhower, with its big chunk of 45 electoral votes.

Arvey Concedes Illinois

And then Col. Jacob Arvey of Chicago—Illinois Democratic National committee man—who had sponsored Stevenson's entry into politics, conceded Illinois to the Eisenhower forces.

Stevenson came through a back entrance and walked upstairs to the ballroom. The crowd broke into cheers. They began chanting, "We want Stevenson," and he gave them a big grin. He looked relaxed and at ease.

Then the crowd became quiet. Stevenson's smile faded, and he looked out at the people who had pinned their hopes of victory on him. And in a clear and unburied voice he told them:

"My fellow citizens have made their choice and have selected Gen. Eisenhower and the Republican party as the instruments of their will for the next four years. The people have rendered their verdict and I gladly accept it."

That was it. That was the concession of defeat. The reporters

Fish Meet Rice

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fullback, Jerry Hall is one of the best in the league. Hall hails from Palestine, Texas and weighs 210 pounds.

The owlets have a big line which will probably give the Aggie defensive line a lot of trouble. At tackles for the Owlets are Eddie Ravburn of Houston, weighing 240, and Orville Trask of Houston also, and weighing the same as Ravburn.

Big Boy At Center

Playing center for the Owlets is another big boy, Don Wilson, a Houston product, weighing 226.

Others in the Owlet line are ends, Marshall Crawford of Lamesa and Charles McClain of Houston and guards, Travis Dyer of Odessa and Tommy Siragusa of Houston.

Quarterbacking the Owlets will be John Nisbet, another Houston lad.

An Owlet standout on defense is Norman Kothman of Menard, who plays in the line and at the halfback position.

Aggie Fish stars who will try to even up their won and lost record include, Oden Bass of Freeport, Ronald Robbins, Tom Schaefer of Canadian, and Herman Tidwell of Hearne.

Everything points to a good game with the Rice Owlets slightly favored because of their heavier line and fast backfield.

Boone Joins Industrial Education Department

J. L. Boone was recently added to the Industrial Education teaching staff. Boone, a 1947 industrial education graduate, received his M.A. from A&M in 1948.

broke out of the room in a run for telephones to signal the concession. Stevenson went on talking. He said of Eisenhower the man whom he had attacked so bitterly in recent weeks:

"The Great Leader"

"Gen. Eisenhower has been a great leader in war. He has been a vigorous and valiant opponent in the campaign. These qualities will now be dedicated to leading us all through the next four years. It is traditionally American to fight hard before an election. It is equally traditional to close ranks as soon as the people have spoken. From the depths of my heart I thank all of my party, and all of those independents and Republicans who supported Sen. Sparkman and me.

"That which unites us as American citizens is far greater than that which divides us as political partisans. I urge you all to give to Gen. Eisenhower the support he will need to carry out the great tasks that lie before him. I pledge him mine."

SMU

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Don Cole or Bill Fox hold down SMU's center spot, but Leo Marquette of the Aggies has turned in a fine job and should hold his own.

Pony Backfield

In the backfield, the Mustangs are supposed to have one of the top ball-carrying crews in the conference. The Aggies have a completely new backfield quartet, with the exception of Ray Graves at quarterback. The Ponies boast such stars as Val Joe Walker, Benton Musslewhite, Jerry Norton and Sam Stollenwerck. Several sophomores have broken into the SMU starting backfield formation.

Subbing for Musslewhite, is Duane Nutt, but he has been injured and may not see action against the Aggies. Frank Eldon is another SMU sophomore back, who was doing great for the Mustangs until he was also injured and may not be able to play against the Cadets either.

The Aggies in their completely revamped ball-carrying four, have not done as bad as most people predicted. Don Ellis at left halfback, is the sixth leading ball carrier in the SWC. At fullback, the Aggies are well set with big Connie Marouirk and Don Kachtik. Marouirk and Kachtik alternate and take turns leading the ground attack each weekend. The right halfback position is three deep and doesn't present much worry. Sophomore Charley Hall has looked good at this spot with Raymond Haas and Pete Mayeaux also able to go anytime.

Aggies Better on Ground

The Aggies are better rushing team according to statistics, averaging 176 yards per game while the Mustangs have only averaged 125, but Georgia Tech and Duke are ranked second and seventh respectively in the nation defensively.

In passing offense the Mustangs lead the conference with 160 yards per game which is also good enough for the number 15 spot in the nation in this department. The Aggies are last in this department with 117 yards per contest.

A&M has the second worst pass defense average in the SWC, and although the Aggies are improving they might run into trouble from the Ponies aerial circus.



HOW AMERICANS VOTE—Precinct 3 judge Hershul Burgess explains to foreign students how Americans elect a president. The students visit to the voting place was sponsored by the Rotary Club International Service Committee. Left to Right are Koratha KJ, zoology major from India; Grewal Gs, agronomy major from India; Fuad Tawil, mathematics major from Palestine; Burgess; Rafael Martelino, agronomy major from the Philippines; and Dr. C. C. Doak, chairman of the International Service Committee.

Kiwanis Elects Burgess Prexy For 1952-53

Hershul Burgess was elected Kiwanis Club president for 1952-53 at the Club's meeting in the MSC, Tuesday.

Other officers elected were J. B. Baty, first vice-president, and Dick Hervey, second vice-president. Elected to the Board of Directors for a two-year term were Ed Ivy, R. O. Berry, Bob Cherry, and Ralph Rogers. K. A. Manning was elected to the board to fill an unexpired one-year term.

Tickets for the club's annual variety show, Kiwanis Kapers, have been distributed to junior and senior high school students at A&M Consolidated. Tickets may be purchased at the main desk of the MSC or from Ray Jarvi, mechanical engineering department; Ralph Vernon, industrial education department; J. B. Page, agronomy department; and Jim Baty, civil engineering department.

The Kapers will be held November 11 at 8 p.m. in the A&M Consolidated High School gymnasium. Proceeds from the show are used to conduct the annual Crippled Children's Clinic in Brazos and 11 other neighboring counties. Two of the acts this year will be a modern version of "Little Cinderella," and "The Three Bears."

Next Tuesday's Kiwanis Club program will feature a talk by Col. Shelly P. Myers, PMS&T on "ROTC and National Defense."

Architect Wives Plan Style Show

The Architectural Wives Society will meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the South Solarium of the YMCA to discuss plans for a style show to be given by the Society on Nov. 18.

Models and hostesses will be chosen from the club. The president, Mrs. Virgie Sellers, urges every wife of an architectural student to participate.

Canasta and bridge will be played after the business meeting. Mrs. Bobbie Sholer will serve refreshments.

What's Cooking

Wednesday

1:30 p. m.—Group Rogers Room 2B, MSC.

4:30 p. m.—Aero Inc. Interviews, Room 2A, MSC.

6 p. m.—Council-Directorate Supper, Assembly Room, MSC.

7 p. m.—Bowling Committee, Room 2D, MSC.

7:15 p. m.—Hillel Foundation, Room 2C, MSC, Films will be shown.

Executive Committee, Senate Room, MSC.

Lutheran Student's Association, Lutheran Student Center.

Canterbury Club, St. Thomas Episcopal Chapel, Discussion on "The Makeup of the Bible."

7:30 p. m.—Architectural Wives Society, South Solarium, YMCA, Discuss plans for style show.

Air Force Reserve, Room 2A and 2B, MSC.

8 p. m.—Newcomers Club, MSC Ballroom.

Thursday

12:45 p. m.—Officers Wives Election Club, The Oakes, Short business meeting with bridge and canasta.

3-5 p. m.—Extension Service Club, Rooms 2C and 2D, MSC.

7:15 p. m.—Bosque County Club, Room 3B, MSC.

Del Rio Club, YMCA Reading Room.

Slocombe Winner Of 'Blind Bogey'

Keith Slocombe was winner of the "Blind Bogey" held in the MSC bowling alley Friday.

The "Blind Bogey" number is drawn from a box containing numbers from 50 to 275. The score nearest the number drawn is the winner of the blind bogey. The number drawn Friday was 70, Slocombe bowled an 84.

There was a tie in the key blind bogey. Each contestant receives three points for each frame they bowl that matches the key. The key is picked at random from one score sheet of preceding games. Last weeks winners won with a score of 15 points each.

The blind bogey will be held every Friday unless otherwise announced. John Geiger, manager of the MSC Bowling and Games area invites all interested students to participate in the tournaments. Prizes will be posted in the bowling alley.

2000 Aggielands Have Been Issued

About 2000 copies of the Aggieland of '52 have been distributed to date, Roland Bing, manager of student publications, reported Monday.

Two more shipments will come in, Bing said. Copies of the yearbook will be mailed to all students in the class of '52 who left mailing addresses from the shipment due Tuesday, he added.

Aggie Wives Club Set Meeting for Thursday

The Aggie Wives Bridge Club will meet in the MSC at 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

Mrs. Lily Gilchrist and Mrs. Ella Frances Spears scored high and second high respectively last week in the regular group. Mrs. Grace Poston won high score for the intermediates.

Ike Splits South; Four States Cinched

ATLANTA, Nov. 5—(AP)—Dwight D. Eisenhower split the solid South to bits in Tuesday's general election and immediately a high Republican official in Florida said his feat was the beginning of the two party system in Dixie.

With four states in the Eisenhower fold, a fifth apparently on the way to a Republican triumph and a sixth nip-and-tuck, Ike had polled more southern popular votes than any other GOP nominee.

Firmly in Eisenhower's grasp were Florida, Oklahoma, Virginia and Texas. On the basis of almost complete returns, he had taken Tennessee. Ike held a 4,000 vote lead in Tennessee early today and nearly all of the remaining unreported precincts were in predominantly Republican East Tennessee.

In Virginia, Sen. Harry F. Byrd, a severe critic of the Truman administration, repudiated Stevenson but did not say he would support Eisenhower, nor did he urge his friends to do so.

The most unexpected result was in Oklahoma, which had not figured high in Republicans' pre-election predictions of their chances in the South. Florida, Texas, Virginia, Tennessee and Louisiana they saw some chance to win, but Oklahoma was not counted seriously.

The size of the Texas vote caught some attention. Stevenson is within 25,000 votes of Truman's 1948 vote there, and still is trailing better than 100,000 votes. Republicans and States Righters together rolled up a total of only 338,000 in the state against Truman.

Tight in Louisiana

By taking those five states, the Republicans would pile up 65 electoral votes. The race was tight in Louisiana and where that state's 10 electoral votes might go awaited further ballot counting.

"It is the beginning of the two party system in the South," said Paul Helliwell, Miami, vice chairman of the "Florida for Eisenhower" committee.

The other seven states of the traditionally solid South—Alabama, Arkansas, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi and North and South Carolina—with 71 electoral votes appeared safe for the Democrats' Adlai Stevenson.

Doubles Dewey Total

Yet in overall popular vote, with many precincts still missing, the genial general counted four million, which was more than twice the total gained by Thomas E. Dewey in 1938—and fewer than 100,000 behind the Stevenson total at this point.

Later returns may pull him to more than double the previous Republican high mark in Dixie, set by Hoover in 1928.

Hoover polled slightly more than 2 1/2 million votes in carrying seven of the southern states that year. It was Dixie's greatest defection by states.

All five states which Eisenhower has or may carry also went for Hoover in '28.

In his assault on the South, Eisenhower probed at the chinks in Democratic solidarity disclosed by the States Rights movement in 1948. But he found few soft spots there and lost at least three of the four states, Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi and South Caro-

J. L. Boone Enters I.E. Department

J. L. Boone is a new instructor in the Industrial Education department.

Boone was born in Houston on May 15, 1923, but made Beasley his home. After graduating from Beasley High School in 1944 he enrolled at A&M. Boone graduated in 1947 and received his masters degree in 1948. Boone taught at Laredo Junior College at Laredo for four years.

During World War II, he served three years in the Army signal corps in New Guinea and the Philippines.

Boone is a member of the Texas Vocational Association, American Vocational Association, Texas State Teachers Association and the Army Reserve Officers Association.

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