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THE BATTALION THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1952

Thanksgiving Day - 1952 By the President of the U.S. A Proclamation

In the cycle of the seasons, another year marked by the abundance of God's gifts is nearing its end. At such a time we are wont to turn to Him and with humble hearts to offer thanks as a Nation for His manifold blessings.

We are moved by the inspiring autumnal beauty of our land, which uplifts the hearts of men. We are thankful for the natural and human resources which have enabled us not only to enjoy high material and spiritual standards ourselves but also to help others in the effort to achieve or protect their well-being.

We are grateful for the privileges and rights inherent in our way of life, and in particular for the basic freedoms, which our citizens can enjoy without fear. This year it is especially fitting that we offer a prayer of gratitude for the spirit of unity which binds together all parts of our country and makes us one Nation indivisible.

Now, therefore, I, Harry S. Truman, President of the United States of America, con-

forming to our hallowed custom, and in consonance with the joint resolution of Congress approved on December 26, 1941, do hereby call upon all our people to celebrate Thursday, November 27, 1952, as the Thanksgiving Day. On that day let us, with a full awareness of our privileges and a deepening sense of the obligations which they entail, each in his own way, but together as a whole people, give due expression to our thanks, and let us humbly endeavor to follow the paths of righteousness in obedience to the will of Almighty God.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

Done at the City of Washington this eighth day of November in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-two, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and seventy-seventh.

Harry S. Truman

By the President:
David Bruce, Acting Secretary of State

IN A WORD—
OUR THOUGHTS ARE OUR OWN
OUR HOME IS OUR CASTLE
OUR BELIEFS ARE OUR GUIDE
WE CAN BUY WHAT WE CAN AFFORD
OUR KNOWLEDGE IS OUR ONLY LIMITATION
THE LAWS ARE FOR OUR PROTECTION
WE WORSHIP GOD AS WE PLEASE
WE HAVE INDIVIDUAL SELF RESPECT
OUR VOTE IS OUR SECRET
THE FAMILY IS OUR NATIONAL CORNERSTONE
WE ENJOY FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION
WE CAN GIVE THANKS

★ Job Calls ★ Job Interviews

● Dec. 1—Halliburton Oil Well Cementing Co. will interview January and June graduates majoring in petroleum, electrical, mechanical engineering and chemistry. They are recruiting men for equipment and tool design engineering, mechanical and research development engineering, chemical laboratory research, and service operations—field engineering.

● Dec. 1—Chemistry, chemical, mechanical and industrial engineering fall graduates at all degree levels will be interviewed by the Coca-Cola Co. The job is operating laboratory trailers—making production surveys of bottling plants for Coca-Cola. Duties for chemists would be: water analysis; water treating; limited bacteriological analyses; syrup analyses; bottle washing solution analyses. The technician's duties would be: carbonation testing; mechanical, sanitary, and efficiency investigations of plant and bottling equipment. There is a 90-day training period.

● Dec. 2—The Arkansas Natural Gas Corp. will interview civil, mechanical, electrical, petroleum, chemical and industrial engineering fall graduates for their junior engineering training program. Their operations include exploration, production, transmission and distribution of natural gas, exploration, production, transportation and marketing of petroleum and petroleum products as well as natural gasoline plant operations. The major portion of the southeastern sections of the country are covered by these operations. Their training program is a maximum of two years. The engineer is eligible for a regular assignment any time during this period. After training, an engineer is given, as far as practicable, every consideration in choice of regular assignment.

● Dec. 3—The Oil Well Supply Division of U. S. Steel Co. will interview January and June graduates who are interested in selling. They will sell oil field equipment machinery. A considerable amount of travel is involved. Prefer graduates with engineering background.

● Dec. 4—Aeronautical, mechanical, civil, electrical engineering, math and physics graduates of the January and June classes will be interviewed for assignments in their structures, design and development. (See JOB, Page 4)

Seniors Ready with Knives; Table Carving In Order at State

From The Michigan State News:

YOU MAY think you're supreme on this campus, but you're not. Mementos from other years are showing you up.

Some of you have lived up to your responsibilities. Those of you whose trademarks are a sailboat, glasses or the head of a Spartan warrior, for instance, need not read further.

Whoever wrote "footprints in the sands of time" or "Westbrook Pegler" doesn't need to worry either.

But the rest of you—those who haven't carved your indelible marks in the senior table top in Old College Hall—you had better get busy.

The classes of 1951 and 1952 have filled up every available inch on their table tops. Both of those tops have now been finished and are hanging on the walls of Old College Hall. A brass plate with the names of class leaders is mounted in the center of each.

"Obsessed with the idea that everyone was fit for college, we have tried to make the college fit for everyone."—Dixon Ryan Fox.

"By doing our duty, we learn to do it."—E. B. Pusey.

Next senior coffee hour begins at 4 p.m. Wednesday, but Old College Hall is open almost any time. Pen knife, anyone?

Ode to Knowledge On Women

From The UCLA Daily Bruin:

The longer you live and the wiser you are you'll learn of few women that envy can't mar. The more civilized, the more primitive you'll see, For Women, damned things, are as cruel as can be. They'll have no scruples to take what you own. They'd rob you of jewels or even your home. Take those intangibles hard to replace, Remove all your faith without even a trace. Slowly but surely you'll learn to know That each woman you meet is a probable foe. Check over your "friends"—you're lucky if one would stand by you true, and you never shun. Don't laugh nor jest, but temper your mirth, For few have learned of a woman's true worth. How many to you their charity have shown? Not many, I'll wager, in your life have you known. Bitter? Perhaps, but wise beyond years, For this author has learned with sighs and with tears, Of women: Trust none, despise many, love few, For each one undoubtedly is naught but a shrew.

'Flu' Decreasing In CS-Bryan Area

Influenza in the College Station-Bryan area dropped from 60 to 32 cases last week, according to the report issued Tuesday by the Bryan-Brazos County Health Unit.

An increase of 23 cases of diarrhea and 12 cases of chickenpox was reported. The number of cases of diarrhea jumped from 29 to 57 and chicken pox from 25 to 37 last week. Fourteen cases of strep throat were reported as compared to 28 for the week preceding.

A&M Professors Serve In Ceremony

Drs. T. S. Burkhalter and R. D. Thompson of the chemistry department spent the weekend at North Texas State College in Denton, where they participated in the installation of the first collegiate chapter of Alpha Chi Sigma in Texas.

Alpha Chi Sigma is a national professional chemistry fraternity, with professional chapters in Houston and Borger.

Badgett Is Polio Drive Area Advisor

W. Howard Badgett, manager of physical plants at A&M, has been re-appointed area campaign advisor of the March of Dimes for nine southeast Texas chapters, announced Robert Smith, state chairman.

Badgett will assist campaign directors in Brazos, Houston, Leon, Freestone, Grimes, Madison, Polk-San Jacinto, Trinity, and Walker counties in their January polio drive.

The March of Dimes, Jan. 2-31 this year is the National Foundation's only fund raising activity.

"Texas hopes to raise enough money to provide for polio patients and to join the rest of the nation in providing money for research and professional personnel to aid in the prevention and cure of the disease," Badgett said.

Badgett is a member of the College Station City Council, the Kiwanis Club, Sul Ross Lodge No. 1300, A. F. & A. M., and the American Society of Heating and Ventilating Engineers.

A graduate of A&M, Badgett was commanding officer of a dual CCC camp at Santa Fe in 1934. A veteran of World War II, he holds a commission in the Adjutant General's Corps of the Organized Reserve Corps.

Kiwanis Club Hears Waco Pastor Speak

The Rev. Clyde S. Sherman, pastor of the Central Christian Church of Waco, gave a Thanksgiving message to the Kiwanis Club Tuesday.

Next week the club will hear a talk on "The A&M System Water Research Center" by Dr. J. E. Johnson, head of the center.

Ladies' Night Held By CS Lions Club

Forty members of the College Station Lions Club and their wives celebrated their quarterly ladies night Monday at Maggie Parker's Dining Room in Bryan.

Lt. Col. A. B. Currie, second vice president of the club, was in charge of the program, consisting of dinner followed by social games.

A set of frosted glasses was won by Mrs. W. E. Paulson as a door prize. Herb Thompson and Mrs. A. B. Medlen also won prizes.

The ladies were given name cards and a gold palm corsage as they came in the door.

Skrivanek OK's CHS Rest Period

A five minute rest period between second and third period classes for A&M Consolidated High School was approved by Principal J. J. Skrivaneck, after being suggested by the Student Council at their meeting last Wednesday.

Students requested the rest period to give them a break during the morning.

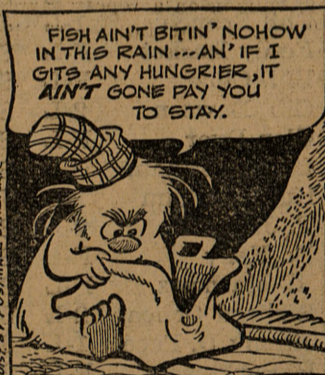
Also discussed at the Council meeting was revision of the school handbook, possibility of more time for club meetings, limiting the distance of class trips, and fire drill procedure.

Trimmer and Cain Get Borden Award

Newton Lamb of the Borden Co. presented Borden Awards valued at \$250 each to Joseph Cain Jr. and Billy Ray Trimmer at a joint meeting of the American Veterinary Science Association and the Kream and Kow Klub.

Trimmer and Cain earned the awards by having the highest scholastic average over a three-year period in their major fields of study. Trimmer is a dairy husbandry major from San Antonio and Cain is studying to be a veterinarian.

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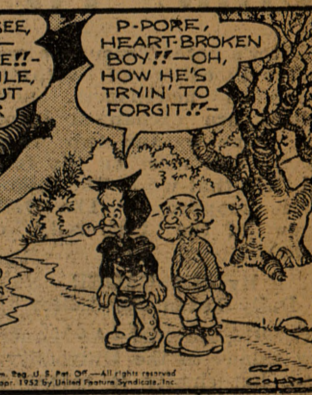
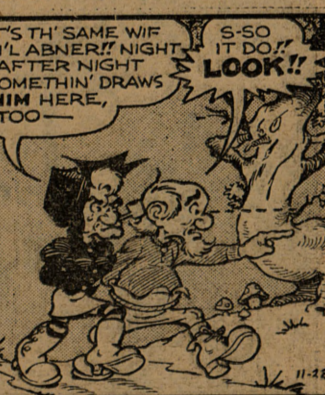


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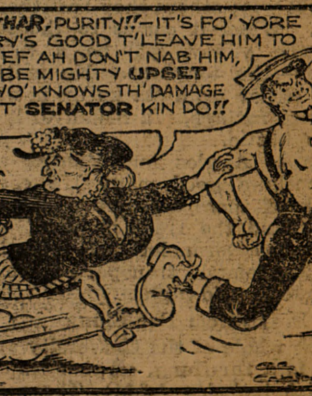
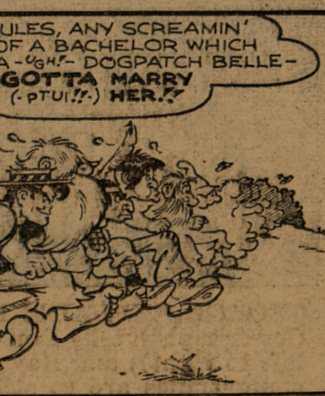
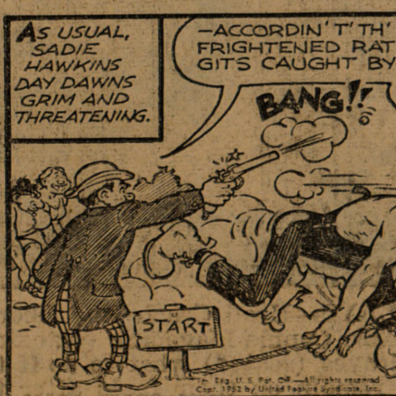
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"Soldier, Statesman, Knightly Gentleman"

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