

NEWS BRIEFS

Corps Reviews Scheduled; 4-H Club Honor Gilchrist

E. D. Parnell of the poultry husbandry department will serve as the official judge of both the senior and junior poultry shows in the LSU Livestock Exposition Saturday in Baton Rouge.

He will return to College Station early Monday morning.

Junior agricultural education students will do observation teaching in 30 Texas high schools from April 6-11. The week was chosen at a special meeting of junior Ag Ed students Tuesday night.

Students selected the schools to which they will be assigned.

J. P. Abbott, dean of the School of Arts and Science, left Wednesday morning for Chicago, where he will attend the Seventh Annual Conference on Higher Education. He is expected to return Monday.

Military Ball committee chairmen will meet at 5 p. m. Monday March in Colonel J. E. Davis' office in Ross Hall, said Joe B. Mattei, committee chairman.

Squadron 4 and 5 will have a combined outfit party in the Jefferson Hotel Junior Ballroom in Dallas Saturday.

R. L. Peurifoy, professor of civil engineering, is author of a book, "Estimating Construction Costs," released recently. The book is expected to be used primarily as a text in college courses dealing with estimating the cost of engineering construction.

Dr. J. C. Miller, head of the animal husbandry department, will judge beef cattle at the Rio Grande Valley show in Mercedes Friday.

Dr. W. M. Warren will judge fat barrows and fat steers at the Taylor County Show in Abilene, Saturday.

Air Force seniors who did not complete summer camp physicals can take them at Bryan Air Force Base, said Sgt. R. M. Roller of the air science department.

The physicals must be completed before cadets can be cleared for commission, Sgt. Roller said.

Col. Joe E. Davis, commandant, and Lt. Col. Robert L. Melcher, counselor for the Third Division, spoke Thursday to the Houston A&M Mothers Club. Melcher discussed "Counselor and Student Relations," and Davis spoke on the A&M Corps of Cadets.

Gibb Gilchrist, chancellor of the A&M System, will be an honorary 4-H club member Saturday. The Texas 4-H Council will present him with a membership certificate and pin. The presentation will be on W. A. (Doc) Ruhmann's television program over WBAP-TV Fort Worth.

Six hundred and thirty persons are expected to attend the Texas Water, Sewage and Wastes Association short course here March 9-12, according to J. H. Sorrels of the civil engineering department, sponsor of the meet.

The Corps of Cadets will stage its first practice review this semester Thursday, according to the military department. At present there are four reviews scheduled for this semester. These are Federal Inspection, Military Ball, Mothers' Day and Final Review.

BACKWARD GLANCES

One Year Ago Today A delegation from the A&M Agronomy Society, led by King Cotton Bill Lewis, will head for Denton and TSCW to pick the Queen Cotton for 1953.

Five Years Ago Today Opportunities for undergraduates to visit California for the summer were announced by the Placement Office.

Ten Years Ago Today The chemical warfare battalion and the signal corps regiment moved out of dormitories 1 and 3 under orders from the commandant.

Fifteen Years Ago Today This story comes from the "new" A&M Museum, which used to be Casey's No. 2. It seems a student, who had not heard about the conversion, walked in and asked Dr. O. M. Ball, curator, for a "Coke".



Jerry Bennett

Bennett Appointed SWJC President

Jerry Bennett, Battalion managing editor, has been appointed president of the Southwest Journalism Congress.

Bennett succeeds this year's original president, from the University of Houston, who withdrew from school. Before taking his new position, Bennett was vice-president.

Bennett will preside at the annual congress meeting March 19-21 at the University of Houston.

Members will hear talks concerning problems of small town weekly and big city daily newspapers.

The congress is composed of representatives from college journalism departments and schools throughout Texas, Louisiana and Oklahoma.

BSU Banquet Tops Weekend For Baptists

The Baptist Student Union Banquet Saturday and vesper program Friday will climax the biggest social weekend for Baptist students this year, said Cliff Harris, BSU director.

"Fantastic Faith" is the subject on which Joe Atchison '49 will speak at the BSU Banquet, Saturday night.

Atchison is pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church in Marble Falls. His speech will end the program planned for the banquet.

The banquet will be in the MSC Ballroom at 7 p. m. Tickets are on sale but going fast, said Ray Graves, chairman of ticket sales. Over half the tickets have been sold.

Jack Frey will emcee the program. A Houston senior, Frey has emceed many BSU programs.

A group of girls from the University of Houston and Lamar Tech will be on the program for the night. The BSU quartet will sing and Lamar McNew will vocalize "O! Man River."

The Mary Hardin-Baylor BSU will present the vesper program Friday night in the Baptist Student Center. They are doing this on a return basis, the A&M BSU will present a program at their school.

Eleven State Club Formed Monday

A home town club for students from 11 southern states will be formed at 7:15 Monday night in Room 226 of the Academic Building.

The proposed club has had two organizational meetings. A name will be chosen at the Monday meeting.

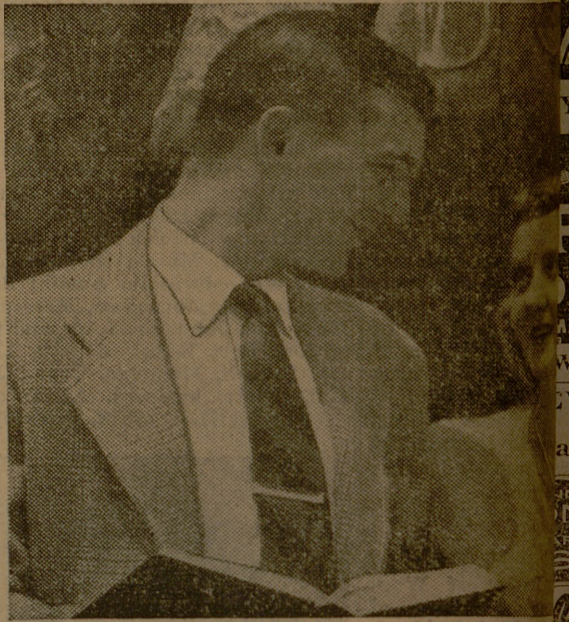
States to be represented are Alabama, Tennessee, Mississippi, Georgia, Virginia, Florida, Kentucky, North Carolina, District of Columbia, and the southeastern tip of Louisiana.

Boyer Reseeks City Council Post

Harry Boyer, 1206 Milner, has filed for re-election from Ward Two to the City Council. This brings the total number of candidates in the April 7 election to four.

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Senate Meeting

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Haskell Simon was selected to represent A&M at Arlington College's annual Coronation Ball. He will escort Miss Jane McBrierty of TSCW.

Gene Steed raised the question of a U. S. Mail box in the Corps Area. He thought outgoing mail service could be improved by installation of the box. Bennie Zinn, staff adviser to the Senate, told the group of a move made in the past for such a box.

Federal postal regulations prevent installation of mail boxes where no home delivery is made, Zinn said.

Who's Who Awards

In reporting results of the last Student Life Committee meeting, Joe Wallace said Who's Who awards would be presented at the Senior Banquet prior to the Ring Dance.

Danny Howell brought out the poor condition of intramural playing field in the upperclass and basic division areas and wanted to know where money would come from to improve the play areas.

Travis will investigate the matter.

Lamar McNew, who in addition to his senatorial duties is president of the MSC Council and Director, was asked to investigate the possibility of keeping the MSC Fountain Room open until midnight.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 p. m.

LETTERS Aggies Like Coeds; Favor Resolution

Editors, The Battalion:

Concerning the article in Wednesday's Battalion on "Coed Resolution Disliked by Aggies." In our humble opinion we think that there has been a slight slanting of the facts. It is quite possible that there has been a grave mistake made here, for a great many students are highly in favor of this resolution. We think that if you would make a more thorough inspection of the situation that you might uncover some hidden and terrifying facts—AGS LIKE COEDS—PREFERABLY HERE!

- Don Strange '54 Red Harris '54 Gus Cain '54 John Frank Seat '54 Jake Magee '54 Donato Carria Jr. '54 Dick Hensz '54 Crayton Awtry '54 Jerry Raney '54 Jim Walker '54 Tom Young '54 Ted Nark '54 Jack Watson '54 Gail R. Bailly '55 Jack Custer '54

EDITORS NOTE: Too little, too late.

New Location Planned For Future RE Week

Religious Emphasis Week services may be held in the new Physical Education Building next year.

This was one of the suggestions for future RE Week improvements made recently at an dinner meeting of the Inter-Faith Council.

Mason (Red) Cashion, president of the council, announced the following suggestions:

Continue broadcasts of the main service each day over Station WTAW.

Run film trailers in local theaters.

Reschedule hours of main service to Monday, Tuesday, 11 a. m.; Wednesday, Thursday, 10 a. m.; and Friday 9 a. m.

Have counselors in three dorms give talks in afternoon from 5-6 p. m. on definite subjects. Other counselors to spend the afternoon counseling students.

In the free time of the counselors, invite them to visit with church groups.

Follow up RE Week with the main speaker and dorm counselors visiting local churches Friday night. A panel of laymen spoke on dedicating vocations to the church.

Bring in a well-known choir to break the attendance slump in the middle of the week.

These suggestions and others will be used in planning the program for next year.

Wheels Speak

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Weldon Kruger, corps commandant, was glad to see the resolution killed. Said Kruger: "I don't think there is any place for coeducation at A&M."

"Just what I expected," said second division commander Gene Steed. He figured the Senate would kill the measure at its first opportunity. If nothing else, appropriations necessary to make A&M coed would have stopped the issue, he added.

Consolidated Band

Consolidated Band Commander Don Greaney believes coeducation is not the only alternative to make A&M a prosperous college.

"I guess I'm from the old school of thought," said Greaney; "I believe we can best continue as a men's college."

He said if coeducation could be proved the only answer he would be willing to go all the way with it.

"Just as I had predicted," said head yell leader Tom Collins.

"I knew that when word got out to exes, student's parents and friends of the college, they would exert enough influence to show the legislature we don't want coeds."

"I saw no reason to get excited about it," Collins commented; "it just proves the power of A&M spirit."

Only 250 Civilians Eat in Sbis Hall

Only 250 of the six to eight hundred non-military students on the A&M campus are taking advantage of the civilian mess hall in Sbis.

The cafeteria-style mess hall will remain open without changes until the end of the school year. Since so few have been eating there, no future plans for it have been made, said J. G. Peniston, subsistence supervisor.

Opened at the beginning of the 1952-53 term, the mess hall was designed to furnish non-reg students with a place to eat at the same price cadets pay. The menu is the same that is served in Sbis and Duncan Halls.

Although meals are served cafeteria style, seconds are available on all foods except meats and desserts.

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Poultry Show Set For AH Pavilion

Chick Poult and Egg Show sponsored by the Poultry Science Club, will be held May 9, in the Animal Husbandry Pavilion.

"Our show is the biggest of its type in the south," said W. O. Cawley, executive secretary of the show.

Proceeds from sales will help sponsor a scholarship for some high school graduate who cannot afford a college education. The rest will be used to sponsor judging team trips.

Chicks and poult are graded in this show by the Standards of perfection and the eggs are judged according to United States Department of Agriculture specifications.

The Battalion

Lawrence Sullivan Ross, Founder of Aggie Traditions "Soldier, Statesman, Knightly Gentleman"

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