

Grades May Be Given Less Value For Moore Trophy

A special student committee recommended yesterday that grades be given less value in the awarding of the Gen. George F. Moore trophy.

The trophy is given annually to the outstanding unit in the cadet corps, on a basis of grades, military proficiency, intramurals and extra-curricular activities.

Grades now count 50 per cent of the total score of each unit, with military proficiency 25 per cent, intramurals, 15 per cent, and extra-curricular activities 10 per cent.

Grades 40 Per Cent

The committee recommended that this be changed to make grades count 40 per cent, with military proficiency 25 per cent, intramurals 20 per cent, and extra-curricular activities 15 per cent.

Fall semester grade point ratios count four-fifths of the scholastic rating. The other one-fifth is taken from the spring probation list. Names appearing on the list are counted against the units.

The committee recommended that three-fourths of the grade ratings be taken from the fall grades, and one-fourth from the spring probation list.

"The change will evaluate the outfit more as a well-rounded outfit," said Kert Goode, one of the committee members. Other committee members were Bob Manner, Frank Ford, John Benefield and Pat Wheat.

The recommended change has to be approved by the Executive committee before it can take effect. The Executive committee is composed of all the deans of the school and the commandant.

Bennie Zinn, assistant dean of men, said he would put it before the Executive committee at their meeting next Tuesday.

Effective this Year

The student committee recommended that the change in grading be made effective this year, if approved by the Executive committee. They added to the recommendation that "if it was not considered advisable this year, that the change be considered for next year."

This is the first committee that has ever proposed a change in the major policy of the rating, Zinn said. The award was established in 1946. A committee evaluated it in 1949.

The committee also recommended changes in the number of points given for the 48 extra-curricular activities included in the rating.

They recommended point decreases for the following:

- Band members, from two points to one, because "it concentrates those points all in one outfit."

- Aggieland orchestra members, two points to none, because they are paid, and "it's just like a regular job."

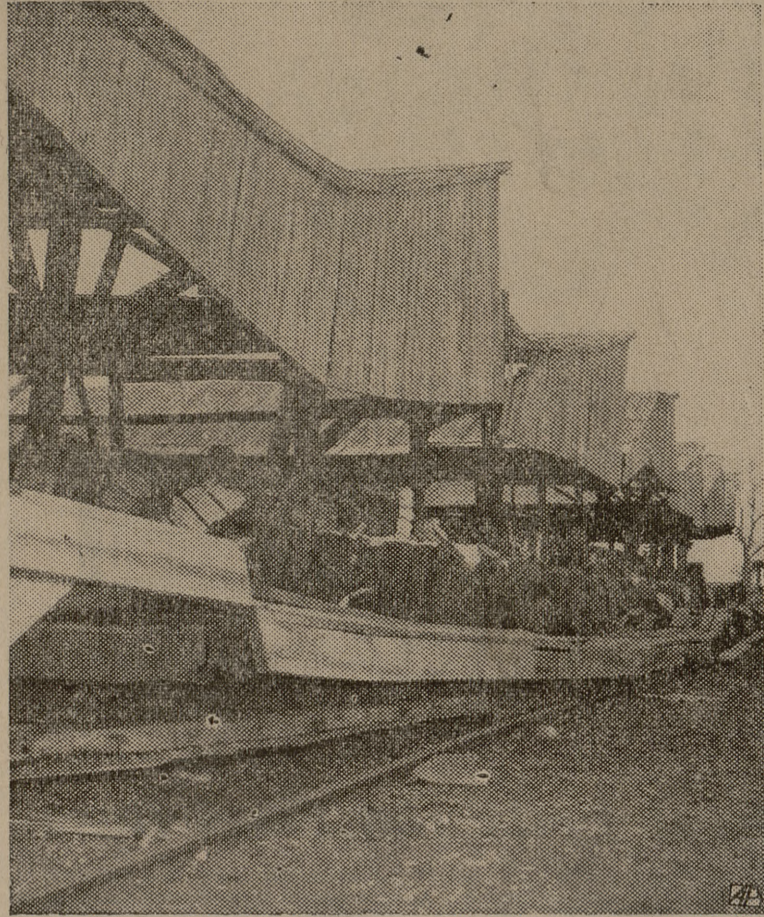
The committee recommended the following point increases:

- Student senators, from two points to three, because "they work a lot harder than some of the other activities."

- Vice presidents and secretaries of technical societies, no points to one, because "their jobs are important."

The committee will meet again at 5 p. m. Thursday to consider more changes in activity points.

To be considered are giving points to member of the Memorial Student Center directorate and its committees, and changing the number of points given to lettermen and squadmen in major and minor sports.



COMPRESS COLLAPSES—Terrell's only cotton compress was damaged when an overloaded platform collapsed under the load of Kaufman county's bumper cotton crop. The accident delayed the movement of cotton.

MSC Receives \$20,000 From Exchange Store

Intramural Program Gets \$7,500 Share of Profits

The Exchange Store Advisory board allocated \$20,000 yesterday for use in Memorial Student Center activities.

A motion to approve the allocation was made by C. G. (Spike) White.

Other organizations benefitting from the Exchange Store profits this year are the Aggie band, which will receive an unspecified amount around \$1,000. The intramural program received a gift of \$7,500.

The Exchange store declared a net profit of \$30,007.91 for the 1952-53 fiscal year.

As has been done in past years, most of the money was given to the MSC, which has had no outside help from the state.

Aggieland '53 Gone, More Here Monday

Students who have not picked up their annuals will have to wait until next Monday. The first supply is gone.

Twenty three hundred Aggielands were issued Monday and Tuesday by student publications.

Carl Jobe, student publication manager, said more Aggielands will arrive Monday. One thousand of these will be wrapped for mailing to students homes.

One hundred students were waiting at 10:30 a. m. Monday when the issuing began and the last Aggieland was given out at 3:45 p. m. Tuesday to Russell Orr, sophomore from Houston.

Ag School Sets Off-Campus Short Courses

The School of Agriculture has planned dairy and beef cattle off-campus short courses for November.

R. E. Leighton, dairy husbandry department, will teach the dairying short course, Nov. 9-13 in Canton County courthouse. J. K. Riggs, animal husbandry department, will teach the other Nov. 16-20 in the PCA building in Wills Point.

Enrollment in both courses is limited to 30 persons or less.

Planners include Jack Mallory jr., livestockman from Wills Point; H. C. Murray, dairyman from Wills Point; Russell Howell, livestockman from Van; Jack Lester, dairyman from Wills Point.

Ralph Liston, livestockman from Wills Point; John Sourovik, Extension Service District agent from Mt. Pleasant; T. W. Berry, county agricultural agent from Canton.

Arthur Barlemann jr., assistant county agent from Canton; Ben Cook, assistant to the dean of A&M's School of Agriculture, and Riggs.

Over 100 Members

Largest Cub Scout Pack In Texas Located Here

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Battalion City Editor

College Station has the largest Cub Scout pack in the state.

With 116 members registered, Pack 102 has nearly twice the number of cubs as the average pack, said Capt. C. L. Byrd, cubmaster.

"We now have 97 active members, but I expect this number to increase to about 120 by the spring," he said.

The College Station cubs also held the first packwide track meet in the nation. The meet was held in 1949, and has become an annual affair of the pack. After the meet, which is held in the spring, the entire pack holds a picnic.

Other athletic competition within the pack is the summer swimming meet.

Each cub pack is divided into dens, with one mother in charge of

each den. There are about eight boys in each den.

"We try to have a maximum of nine boys in the dens so the den mothers will have more time for each boy," Byrd said. "However, we have had to put more cubs in some dens because of the large number of boys in the pack."

Each spring the pack also holds a kite flying contest and a cub scout banquet. They also have camping trips each summer. The last two years, the pack has gone to Camp Arrow Moon near Benchley.

These overnight camp-outs are a cub-and-dad affair because each cub must be accompanied by an adult, Byrd said.

December 5 has been set aside by the cubs as Good Turn Day. They will also try to get 10 new members by December 15. Byrd

said he is certain they will reach the goal.

"The large number of cubs in the community shows how much interest there is in scouting," said Byrd.

A pack meeting is held every fourth Thursday each month. These meetings carry a different theme each month, and the den presents a skit. Although usually only parents come to the meetings, Byrd said the public is encouraged to attend.

The meetings are held in the A&M Consolidated high school gymnasium.

In 1952, the cubs participated in the get-out-and-vote campaign. During this project the cubs rang doorbells and left pamphlets at each house urging the people to vote in the November election.

The new scout field executive for this area is Phil Leonard McPherson from Houston. He will move to College Station when he finds a house for his family, Byrd said.

Den mothers and the areas they represent are Mrs. John Pruitt, College Hills; Mrs. Virginia McCannon, Oak Terrace; Mrs. George W. Reynolds, Kyle Street; Mrs. R. E. Collins, College Hills; Mrs. I. G. Adams, South Oakwood.

Mrs. Truman Jones, College Hills-Woodlands; Mrs. Jack Fugate, Hardlieke Addition; Mrs. J. K. Riggs, The Knoll; Mrs. George L. Huebner, South Oakwood; Mrs. R. J. Baldauf, College Hills; Mrs. Ernest Wright, Ayrshire.

Guion Tickets Given To Some Students

Student activities will award tickets to Guion hall theater to participants of extracurricular activities.

Those qualifying are Athletic "T" card holders, band seniors, cadet officers whose rank is lieutenant colonel and above, junior and senior class officers.

Unit commanders, drum and bugle corps members, student publications editors; freshmen numeral winners for major sports, two semesters after award.

Housemasters, junior and senior intramural managers, Singing Cadets officers, Student Life committee members, Student Senate members, training room assistants and yell leaders.

"The Student Life committee has authorized this in order to provide a slight award for these students efforts and to serve as an incentive for these students," said C. G. (Spike) White, student activities manager.

The tickets will be issued to the students concerned from the office of Student Activities beginning Nov. 9. The holder of the ticket must pick it up himself.

Each student will receive 16 tickets for the entire school year, 1953-54.

The tickets may be used in any way. A student may take 16 friends

to one show, or he may attend 16 shows himself.

The student will have to pay the 10 cent federal tax with each ticket.

A student may qualify for only one set of tickets, regardless of the number of his activities.



THEY'RE HERE—Mrs. Norma Mayeaux gives out Aggieland '53's to Buddy Vance, squadron 16, and James Armstrong, A field artillery. The annuals are being distributed on the first floor of Goodwin hall. Students must show their identification card to pick up an annual.

MSC Artists Invited To Houston Show

The art gallery committee of the Memorial Student Center has been invited to exhibit paintings and sketches in the annual Houston Allied Arts Exhibit which begins Nov. 14.

Mrs. Emalita Newton Terry, advisor, said each member of the committee will probably exhibit only one picture in the show.

This is the third year the MSC art group has been invited to the show.

Another art show in which the art gallery committee has been invited to exhibit, is the Texas Fine Art show in Austin Nov. 15.

About six or seven hundred entries from all over Texas are expected in the show. Monday is the deadline for entries.

Only six of the art gallery committee members belong to the Texas Fine Art league, Mrs. Terry said.

After the show, seven "circuits" or separate shows will be sent around the state for exhibit in schools and colleges.

About 30 paintings are in each circuit.

A collection of paintings from the private collection of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Strauss of Houston will be hung here Monday.

The Strauss' have one of the largest and finest contemporary art collections in the South, Mrs. Terry said.

Adventure at 82

LEWISTOWN, Mont.—(AP)—Life at home got too tame for 82-year-old Millie (Mothball) Jones so she jumped into her 1925 Model T Ford and headed for Alaska. The sharp and spry woman said she was going to Fairbanks to accept a job as a saloon hostess.

Singing Cadets Will Give Concert Dec. 5

A&M Singing Cadets with 56 members will give their first out of town concert of the year, Dec. 5, in New London.

This will be the glee club's first performance in that city.

Bill Turner, director of the Singing Cadets said he did not wish to disclose further information about future trips because he did not want to schedule concerts without definite information.

Officers elected last spring are Bill Wiseman, senior architecture major from Dumas, president; Hollie Briscoe, senior chemical engineering major from Bay City, vice-president; Gene Holman King, junior electrical engineering major from Abilene, business manager; Lamar Ashley, junior agronomy major from LaFeria, reporter-historian. Harry Scott, sophomore business major from Amarillo was elected librarian this year.

Other members of the Singing Cadets are first tenors E. W. Riviere, H. D. Maxwell, Orlando Parsiros, Ken Rivoire, Richard Reynolds, Bill Jackson, Norris Beard, J. E. Oberdorfer and Frank Roberts.

Second tenors Don Luttrell,

Oscar Sebesta, Frank Hines, Mike Kirkpatrick, Ben Blankenship, Charles Willis, Ed Burkhead, Winston Sexton, Ray Stratton, Doyle Lowrey and Horace Smith.

Baritones Ray Lacour, Gerald Leighton, Bill Williams, Waddell Williams, Jimmy Harrison, Glenn Baxter, Tom Haynes, Ralph Clement, Bill Young, Dick Van Tyne, Dan Galvan, John Sutton, Val Canon, James Miller, Warren Chapman, B. B. Ray and D. G. Leake.

Basses Martin Burkhead, John Brannon, Billie Woodall, Jeridan Strong, Dale McCullough, Ronald Bretz, John Shelton, Ralph Ewing, J. L. Blair, Rodney DePue, Ralph Benton, Lolan Pullen, George Fehrmann and Charles White.

Antiaircraft Unit Wins Baylor Passby

AAA won the pass-by before the Baylor - A&M game. This placed them in the lead for the annual Best Drilled Unit award which they won last year.

Second in the pass-by was squadron 14, followed by A ordnance; tied for fourth were squadron 10 and the fish band; the consolidated band was sixth with squadron 5 and squadron 9 tied for seventh.

Band Boosters Make \$500 Profit

The A&M Consolidated Band Boosters club expects to make between \$475 and \$500 net profit from the sale of Community Calendars.

This profit will be used for the CHS band.

Total collections were \$710, said Mrs. Walter Varvel, president of the club.

The calendars will be distributed about the middle of December.

Pen and pencil sets were awarded to the students making the largest sales of date listings and calendars.

They were Jeffrey Smith, fifth grade, first; Donald Reiser, fourth grade, second; and Joe Brusse, fifth grade, third.

Weather Today



CLEAR with temperatures rising to the upper 70's. High yesterday 69. Low this morning 48. Expected low tonight 50.