

Battalion Editorials

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McCarthy-Stevens Squabble Hides Important Issues

While the whole world looks to the United States for leadership, leading representatives of our government wrangle in a pitiful spectacle being aired daily on television and radio.

In the midst of the McCarthy-Stevens controversy sits Army Private G. David Schine, a key figure in the investigation. Whether or not this private had special privileges and considerations is one of the points being hotly argued.

Another is whether Secretary Stevens contemplated removing the Army commander of Fort Monmouth because of a talk to staff officers concerning college subversives, or because the commander praised Sen. McCarthy's investigation work.

Both sides yell "liar" as each issue is brought up for discussion, and there is no telling when or how the investigation will end.

But while senators and military leaders gather around tables and glare at each other,

the Geneva conference and the Red drive in Indochina receive secondary play in the newspapers.

The Geneva conference may determine just how far the United States may go in support of Indochina, and whether American boys will be called on to fight there.

In Indochina, Communist-led Vietminh troops are being poured into the battle against wavering French forces that may collapse under the weight of sheer numbers.

Our prestige in the Far East might rise or fall in the decisions reached in the Geneva conference, but the attention of the American people is directed to the Washington hearings where the question seems to be, "who shined Schine's shoes?"

Perhaps the only way to stop the nonsense is for the people to start a letter and telegram barrage in an effort to "clean up that mess in Washington."

Board Approves Economics Head

The appointment of Dr. Clark L. Allen as professor and head of the economics department has been approved by the board of directors.

Allen has been in the economics department at Florida State University since 1949. He succeeds Dr. Walter H. Delaplane, now dean of the School of Arts and Sciences.

Approval was given to 13 new graduate assistants. They are Hugh L. Howard, agronomy department; Robert L. Reddish and Landon D. Wytche jr., animal husbandry department; Billy G. Creech, biochemistry and nutrition department; Robert A. Gayvert, poultry husbandry department.

Thomas K. Eaman, range and forestry department; William G. Degenhardt and Tommy T. Dunagan, biology department; David L. Miller, business administration department; John Samuels, economics department; Michael G. Rekoft, electrical engineering department and Don H. Morrison, industrial engineering department.

Two part-time graduate assistants approved are Jack J. Zgahlen, geology department, and Glem H. Jung, oceanography department.

Architect Wives To Hold Supper

The Architecture Wives society will hold an outdoor supper at 5:30 p. m. Saturday at the home of Mrs. Dick Vrooman, 714 Inwood, the new sponsor for next fall.

The program will be highlighted by the presentation of PhT (pulling hubby through) degrees to the wives of 10 graduating seniors of the architecture department.

Bobbie Sholar, chairman of arrangements for the supper, said a door prize will be given. All students, faculty and their families of the architecture department are invited.

The PhT degrees will be received by Peggy Carpenter, Ann Dudley, Mary Lou Lassen, Naomi Lord, Helen Parnell, Fay Parsons, Bobbie Sholar, Marian Simmonds, Doris Lee Stalter, and Mary Ann Thompson.

Guy A. Franceschini and Charles M. Proctor were approved as part-time acting assistant professors in the oceanography department.

Approval was given to John L. Sandstedt as part-time instructor in the business administration department and to Russell J. Beamer as lecturer in the veterinary medicine and surgery department. Margaret Hickman was approved as laboratory assistant in the veterinary bacteriology and hygiene department.

Appointment of Vito Parilli, Elmer C. Smith and Thomas O. Tipps as assistant football coaches also was approved, along with that of Mildred V. Newton as secretary to the coaches, a new position.

Maxine Geeslin was appointed supervisor in the hospital, Dorothy Kennedy, surgical nurse, and Claire Elois Stevenson, general duty nurse. Norma Dean was approved as library assistant. James W. James jr. was approved as assistant military property custodian.

Benjamin A. Mooring was appointed as assistant machinist in the Buildings and College Utilities department. Robert B. Norris was approved as assistant in College Information office.

Appointments of 18 clerical employees approved were Elizabeth J. Harland, animal husbandry department; Peggy Luker, business engineering department; Helen Ann Eby, civil engineering department; Dorothy J. Sandlin and Winnie Marie West, electrical engineering department.

Ann Miffelin, mechanical engineering department; Annette C. Jensen, petroleum engineering department; Wilma Jean Taylor, veterinary pathology department; Edna Al-Jibouri, commandant's office; Janice W. Jones, fiscal department; Patricia Hockaday and Katherine Valenta, library.

Beatrice L. Olyer, placement office; Mildred M. Love, registrar's office; Betty E. Bateman and Barbara Anne Garms, engineers library.

Flour made from acorns is eatable, but only after it has been thoroughly soaked in boiling water.

The Battalion

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

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News Briefs

SWEEPSTAKES award of the State Judging contest held here Saturday was won by the Llano chapter of the Future Farmers of America.

THE STUDENT LIFE committee will meet Monday at 4:30 p. m. in the senate chamber of the Memorial Student Center.

MEASLES was the most reported disease in Brazos county last week with 29 cases. Mumps was next with 26 cases.

FOUR WEEKS of study in "what an officer needs to know" began Monday for the 16 enrolled in the Municipal Police school here.

THE WEEKLY meeting of the Circle K club will be in room 3B of the Memorial Student Center Friday at 7:30 p. m.

TWO MEMBERS of a civics class at A&M Consolidated high school visited The Battalion last night to get information for their community service project. The children, Susan Dowell and David McGuire, are in Ray Owen's class.

BOY SCOUT building fund campaign starts today and will continue until May 14. The goal of the San Houston area council is \$800,000. Sid Lovelless is chairman of the College Station committee.

District Scouts To Have Course

The 27th annual Brazos district Scout Leaders Training course will be held May 3-7 in the Biological Sciences building. The course is open to scout leaders, assistant scout leaders, committee members and others interested in the program. No registration fee is required. The course is also open to students.

What's Cooking

WEDNESDAY
6:30 p. m. — B. A. Wives meeting, home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Leland. In case of rain it will be held at the Brazos county A&M clubhouse.

7 p. m. — Sigma Xi meeting, ball room, MSC. Initiation banquet. Initiates report to ball room before 6:45 p. m.

7:15 p. m. — AHE meeting, room 207, Engineering building. Discuss Mother's Day activities, all members are urged to attend.

THURSDAY
7 p. m. — Texarkana Four States club meeting, room 224, Academic building.

7:15 p. m. — El Paso A&M club meeting, Academic building. Election of officers.

San Angelo West Texas club meeting, Ag building, Discuss party and bring \$1 if you want a club picture.

7:30 p. m. — Dallas club meeting, room 107, Biology building. Election of officers for '55, refreshments will be served.

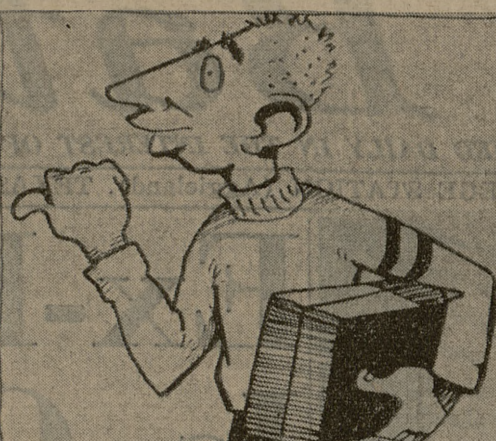
Permian Basin club meeting, Academic building. Election of officers.

Port Arthur hometown club meeting, room 106, New Biology building. Election of next years officers. Important that everyone be present.

Golden State club meeting, room 3B, MSC. Important everyone be there to discuss rides home at the end of school.

Tyler - Smith county hometown club meeting, social room, MSC. The Bryan American Legion post will show plans for re-modeling the clubhouse at the meeting Thursday night at 7:30. All members and interested veterans are urged to attend.

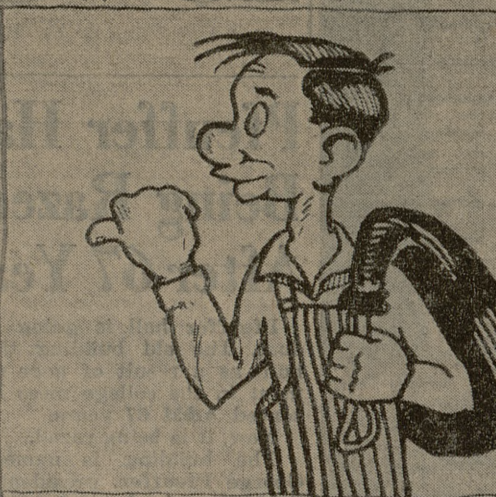
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Kunkle Chosen Outstanding Ag Professor

Dr. H. O. Kunkel, of the animal husbandry department has been selected as the year's outstanding professor in the School of Agriculture.

Dr. Kunkel was a member of D battery while attending A&M and was graduated in 1943.

After graduation, he served 43 months in the occupation army in the Pacific.

Upon completing his military service, he returned to A&M and finished work on his Masters degree in 1948.

He received his PhD from Cornell university in 1950, and taught one year at the University of Wisconsin.

Dr. Kunkel came to A&M in September, 1951 as a member of the animal husbandry staff. He is, at present, a half-time instructor in the animal husbandry department and half-time research director in the biochemistry department.

Wendler, Johnson Presented Plaques

Plaques were presented to Carl Wendler for outstanding senior in agricultural education, and Jerry Johnson for outstanding agricultural education junior.

The presentations were made at the annual student-prof banquet Thursday night.

Dr. H. O. Kunkel of the biochemistry and nutrition department was honored by the FFA chapter as their choice for the outstanding professor in the School of Agriculture.

W. A. (Doc) Ruhmann, radio and television farm director for WBAP, spoke to the group on the importance of student-teacher relationship in regards to future employment.

Battalion Classifieds

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Sealed bids will be received in the office of the Texas Forest Service, Texas A&M College of Texas, College Station, Texas, until 10 a.m., Friday, May 14, 1954, on forms available upon request. Address the Director, Texas Forest Service, College Station, for further information.

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Official Notice

TEXAS ENGINEERS LIBRARY

All books and periodicals are due in the library May 14, 1954.

If there is further need for some materials, arrangements may be made at that time.

Classes will be dismissed from 10 a.m. to 12 noon on Wednesday, May 12, so that students and faculty may participate in the Awards and Merits Day program.

J. P. ARBOTT
Dean of the College

The final oral examination of Mr. R. W. Menzel, candidate for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the field of Biology, will be held at 2:00 p.m., May 6, 1954, in the Graduate Council Room, Graduate School Office, Mr. Menzel will present and defend his dissertation entitled "An Ecological and Range Vegetation Analysis of the Upland Sites of the Southern Extension of the Oak-Hickory Forest Region in Texas".

The examination is open to all members of the Graduate Faculty.

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Some Phases of the Biology of Ostris equestris-Say and a Comparison with Crasostrea virginica (Gmelin).

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The final oral examination of Mr. Ralph F. Gilby, Jr., candidate for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the field of Chemistry, will be held at 1:15 p.m., May 6, 1954, in Room 220 of the Chemistry Building. Mr. Gilby will present and defend his dissertation entitled "Rates of Reaction of Substituted Diphenyldiazomethanes".

The examination is open to all members of the Graduate Faculty.

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The final oral examination of Mr. Dor E. Piekart, candidate for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the field of Chemistry, will be held at 1:00 p.m., May 7, 1954, in Room 220 of the Chemistry Building. Mr. Piekart will present and defend his dissertation entitled "Equilibrium Constants of Substituted Benzophenones in the Meerwein-Fonfendorf Reaction".

The examination is open to all members of the Graduate Faculty.

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The final oral examination of Mr. Gerald W. Thomas, candidate for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the field of Range Management, will be held at 5:30 a.m., May 7, 1954, in the Range and Forestry Seminar Room. Mr. Thomas will present and defend his dissertation entitled "The Relation of the Vegetation on the Texas Range Station to Soils, Precipitation, and Grazing".

The examination is open to all members of the Graduate Faculty.

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The final oral examination of Mr. A. B. Hoefelmeyer, candidate for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the field of Chemistry, will be held at 3:00 p.m., May 7, 1954, in Room 220 of the Chemistry Building. Mr. Hoefelmeyer will present and defend his dissertation entitled "A Kinetic Study of the Reactions of Diphenyldiazomethane With Some Aliphatic Carboxylic Acids".

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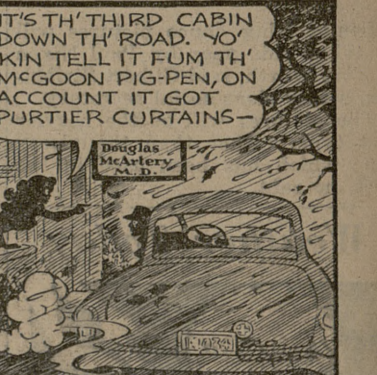
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