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COLD WAR—With all of the talk about the cold war between the East and the West, the annual conflict between the forces of nature and A&M military plans is almost forgotten. Each year when the weather gets nice and warm, orders are given and the corps of cadets goes into khaki uniform. Each year when they go into khaki, it turns cold, as Kelly Gonzalez, junior civil engineering major from Carrizo Springs, shows.

'In the Pink'

List of Talent Still Grows

The Bewley Mills Chuck Wagon gang and the all-girl chorus from Lamar high school of Houston are the latest acts added to the growing list of top-notch entertainment expected to pack G. Rollie White coliseum March 24, Joe S. Mogford, general chairman for the show, said yesterday.

Sponsored by the Brazos county A&M club and the A&M student body, the variety show, "In the Pink," is being given in appreciation of P. L. (Pinky) Downs jr.,

who is ill in a Galveston hospital. The Bewley Mills Chuck Wagon gang will furnish entertainment designed to please all age groups and the 130-girl Lamar chorus will present several group numbers.

Other acts already booked include Cayce Moore, Hearne barber and nationally known after-dinner speaker, who will deliver a humorous skit; Mrs. Alice Jean Butler of Bryan, singer; Miss Sarah Belcia, Miss Wool of 1955; Marshall Bullock and J. W. Hamilton of Bryan,

minstrel men who will give black-face skits; Caesar (Dutch) Hohn, former student who will give a stuttering skit on why he was called a fish; the Aggie band; the Singing Cadets, and the Aggieband orchestra.

A&M clubs throughout the state are participating in the preparations for the show and out-of-town ticket sales are moving nicely, said J. B. (Dick) Hervey, executive secretary of the Former Students association.

Ring Dance Orchestra Will Be Johnny Long

The senior class will have Johnny Long instead of Sheps Fields as the orchestra for the Ring dance because Fields has already signed another contract.

The choice of bands available had been narrowed to these two when the class voted Monday night to have Fields.

In the meantime, Fields had signed a contract to appear elsewhere in that date, so Long's orchestra will play for the Ring dance.

"There's nothing we can do about it," said W. D. (Pete) Hardesty,

student activities business manager. "The other bands are unavailable."

Long, who is called "young America's favorite," specializes in playing college proms. Since his graduation from Duke university, where he led a college band, he has played 21 different colleges, many of them repeat dates.

He offers within his 25-piece orchestra a dixieland jazz combo and a glee club, as well as straight dance music. He also has a boy and a girl vocalist.

Battalion Wins In Safety Contest

The Battalion has won third place in the safe driving contest sponsored by the Lumbermen's Mutual Casualty company.

The Battalion won in the daily newspaper classification, entered by about 250 college newspapers. The Battalion submitted its annual safety edition, published just before the Christmas holidays.

Details and a list of the winners of individual awards will be announced later.

The third place prize is \$100. The Battalion won the \$500 first prize in this contest last year.

Delinquency Problem

County Used For Experiment

By BILL FULLERTON
Battalion City Editor

Brazos county has been chosen by the State Youth Development council and the State Health department for a unique experiment in the field of youth counseling.

As a result of meetings held last year in Bryan to discuss the juvenile delinquency in Brazos county, Vick Ehlers was appointed juvenile probation officer and youth counselor for the county. The State Health department suggested the offices be combined under the supervision of a competent counselor, and the county agreed to try the plan for three years. Offices are at 206A East 26th street in Bryan.

During this time the health department is to pay the officer's salary and the county will furnish office space and incidental expenses. If the county is satisfied with the plan at the end of the period, it will pay all of the expenses.

Started in February

Until Ehlers took over early in February, the county had no juvenile officer. The county judge handled such cases of this type. Since then, Ehlers' new depart-

ment has handled 14 probation cases and has had eight counseling cases.

The program of the Brazos County Youth Development service is primarily preventative in nature. The object of the service is to complement rather than replace existing services of agencies, so that the prevention of delinquency in Brazos county will be strengthened and coordinated.

The service consists of two methods. The first is direct counseling to children and parents, and the second is consultation and planning with agencies or individuals working with children and their families.

The counseling service is a community resource that is available to aid the adjustment and development of youth, regardless of age, sex, color or social status.

Two Procedures Used

Two procedures may be used in requesting services. Specific agencies and professional workers may refer children to the counselor. These are the children that come to their attention in working with youth and families.

The specific agencies and pro-

fessional workers are public schools, ministers, medical doctors, recreational directors, county agricultural agent, county home demonstration agent, State Department of Public Welfare, Brazos County Health unit, Brazos County Red Cross, Brazos County Tuberculosis association, police and sheriff's department, and juvenile judge.

Where the child is referred by another agency the appointment should be made by the child or child's parents rather than by the referring agent. However, the agency or professional workers

Student Senate Meets Tonight

The Student Senate will discuss increased representation for College View and representation for project housing at its meeting at 7:30 tonight in the Memorial Student Center senate chamber.

Other business to be discussed includes pre-registration for spring semester, Twelfth Man scholarship, and representatives to TISA from the senate and the Civilian Student Council.

zales foundation to serve as collegiate representative for this telethon, and to arrange for the collegiate talent.

She made the arrangements with the other schools while she was on audition trips for the Intercollegiate Talent show.

"We thought it would be too much traveling to ask the Intercollegiate Talent show performers to be in the telethon too," she said, "so we picked other acts from the schools we visited."

The telethon will start at 10 p.m. Saturday and end at noon Sunday.

MSC Series On Etiquette Begins Tonight

The first of the Memorial Student Center's free "Mind Your Manners" etiquette series, a panel on social etiquette, will be presented at 7:30 tonight in the MSC ballroom.

Chancellor M. T. Harrington will introduce the series, and speakers will be Mrs. Harrington, Mrs. Ide P. Trotter, wife of the dean of the Graduate School; Mrs. Jack Miller, wife of the head of the animal husbandry department; and Mrs. Walter Delaplaine, wife of the dean of arts and sciences.

Mrs. Fred Smith will be chairman of the panel. Other subjects in the month-long series of weekly meetings will be table etiquette, business etiquette, and military etiquette.

A men's style show in Guion hall will end the series. The date for the style show has not been set yet.

The other programs in the series will probably be held on Wednesdays, said Dave Ashcroft, head of the special committee of the MSC council that arranged the series.

Admission to all programs is free.

Special Drill Set

Authorization has been granted for special drill periods for the athletic units, according to the military department. The special periods will be held from 2 to 3 p.m. each Thursday to avoid conflicts with athletic practice.

'Hope' to Name Coach by April 1

By JERRY WIZIG
Battalion Sports Editor

At least four coaches had been interviewed by yesterday afternoon about A&M's head basketball coach job, and athletic director Paul Bryant said "we hope to have someone by April 1," in an effort to build a nationally prominent cage team here.

One of the four was Ralph Carlisle, coach of Lafayette high school, Lexington, Ky. He is now out of the picture, however, after coming here for an interview with Bryant.

Leslie Robinson, coach of Allen academy in Bryan, is one of those now under consideration to replace John Floyd, who resigned Tuesday, The Battalion learned. Robinson, contacted last night, didn't want to comment.

Bryant refused to name the others under consideration. "We want to move slowly and carefully," he said. "We want the best man available for the job, because we very definitely plan to build a team that will rank high in the nation."

"We're going to bend every effort to have a top basketball team, just as we plan to have a winning football team. We want the best man available for the job, and that doesn't necessarily mean a big-name coach—just the best man available."

"I want one who will fill the basketball hoop and keep it filled," Bryant said. "Somebody told me that if you throw enough shots at the basket, the law of average will work for you."

Referring to White coliseum, just opened last season, he said A&M has the "finest place to play in the Southwest."

Last season, Robinson, extremely popular around Central Texas, guided Allen to the finals of the Texas Junior College tournament, played in the coliseum. He is getting much support for the job in some quarters.

Carlisle, 40, played at the University of Kentucky from 1933-37, and has been a high school coach in Kentucky for 18 years, the last 10 at Lafayette, where he won 19 and lost 6 last year. His all-time record is 399-107.

He has had eight teams ranked fourth or higher in the state. Lafayette, which has 1,100 students, won the state title in 1953 and '51, was runnerup in '49.

SLC To Discuss Civilian Elections

The Student Life committee will meet Monday to discuss allowing civilian students to campaign for elections in the civilian areas.

This agenda item is being considered at the request of the Civilian Student Council.

Other business to come up will include the United States National Students association.

Twelve Named Vanity Fair Finalists

Twelve finalists for Vanity Fair, the senior class sweetheart section of the Aggieband, were chosen last night by nine members of the year-book staff.

After two hours of judging, the co-editors and section editors of the Aggieband picked the 12 from 61 entries.

Those chosen and their sponsors are as follows: Sandra Jean Springer, Kenneth Scott; Netta Chadwick, Bryan Oldham jr.; Jo Ann Dupree, William T. Miller; Claudette Bradshaw, Bob McCandless; Nancy Hale, J. M. Harrison.

Carol Gregg, Donald D. Gregg; Sharon Kay Richio, Chuck Morgan; Joan Stripling, Jerry K. Johnson; Mary Coutret, Charles F. Holberg; Edythe Brothman, Tom Toudouze; Vickie L. Davis, Frank A. Davis; Barbara Ann Watson, Dan Grissom.

The six winners of the contest will be selected the night before the Senior Ring dance, and will be presented at the dance.

The editors requested that the sponsors of the finalists meet with them Monday night in the Aggieband office, Goodwin hall, after the senior class meeting.

Sainger To Speak For Junior Prom

A. O. Sainger, assistant southeast division sales manager for Humble Oil and Refining company, will be the guest speaker for the annual Junior Prom Saturday night.

The entire second floor of the Memorial Student Center will be dedicated to the affair, with dancing on the terrace, weather permitting.

The dance will feature Ernie Martellino and his combo, the Aggieband Orchestra, and the Mellowstones from Sam Houston State Teachers college.

The junior banquet will be held at 6:30 p.m. and the dance starts at 9 p.m.

Tau Beta Pi Sets Initiation Plans

Tau Beta Pi, honorary engineering fraternity, has announced tentative plans for its spring initiation and banquet.

Initiation will be held at 4:30 p.m., April 26, in the chemistry lecture room, followed at 7:30 by a banquet at Maggie Parker's dining room in Bryan.

A list of initiates is being prepared and will be published in The Battalion soon.

Needs More Than Just Amending

The College Development Association and Chamber of Commerce has since its beginning back in 1948 been a progressive civic group.

An amendment was very properly proposed recently and passed by the board of directors. The secretary was ready to add it to the constitution.

Then they hit a snag. They couldn't find the constitution—if it existed.

The board members reached back into their memories, and remembered there was a constitution. A special committee was to be set up to either find the missing link or create a new constitution.

Weather Today



PARTLY CLOUDY

The weather outlook for today is continued cloudy with possible rain showers late in the afternoon. There is an expected warm-up.

Yesterday's high was 70, low 51. The temperature at 11:15 this morning was 69.



DON'T SHOOT!—These people pointing guns at the cameraman are trying out for the pistol team of College Station's headquarters and headquarters company, 358th infantry regiment, 90th division army reserve. Members of the unit, which is composed of all local people and A&M students, practice regularly at the rifle range under Kyle field. Left to right are Lari White, Terrell; Rudy Hernandez, McAllen; Bobby Uzzell, Beville; Jerry Mason, Crockett; Bob Bluke, San Antonio; Ray Anderson, Matagordo; and Sfc. Floyd Adams of the military department, range sergeant. All except Adams are A&M students.