

Dream Come True

Although the finishing of the new quarters for the A&M Press is a dream come true for several of the top men concerned in the realization of the building, nobody could be happier about the situation than the guys who work there.

Here, at The Battalion, a strong bond of affection is felt toward the A&M Press and the various persons connected with it. Very natural, one would guess, since they are responsible for getting our words out to our readers. We only write the copy; they get our words out in black and white, so that our readers can enjoy them or curse them, and us, as they feel inclined.

But, the A&M Press is responsible for ever so much more than getting out The Battalion. In fact, it was not until the early 1930's that this paper was printed by the Press.

One cannot be at this school for any length of time and fail to have some connection with the work of the A&M Press. Just think about a few of the jobs that are done.

The Battalion, the Commentator, the En-

gineer, the Agriculturist, the Southwest Veterinarian, The Texas Aggie, football programs, tickets of various types, meal cards, Extension and other system news, and propaganda sheets (or, rather, A&M catalogues). A myriad of other printing jobs is also done that involve the dissemination of news and facts, services, and, if you like the stories and jokes in our various magazines, enjoyment.

The basement of Goodwin Hall was not the most scenic spot on earth, nor was it a tangible manifestation of what proper working conditions should be. It was hot, dirty, crowded and poorly lighted.

So, on this day of farewell, when the last "Goodwin Hall Printed Edition" of The Battalion is coming out, we stopped awhile to mark tribute to the coming glory of the A&M Press.

And, besides, everybody and everything needs a home of their own—and 35 years is a long time for anything, even a superorganic organization such as a printing shop, to be without proper lodging.

An Indication

The brilliant flow of lights wresting the darkness from the green grass of Little League Park in College Station should shine no more brightly than the imaginary halo of humanity and social accord which hangs above the head of those who have worked for and with the youth of our city.

The lights at the park, the dedication of which will be tonight, are more than just a means to increase the leisure hours of people. These lights are a symbol of the hard work and high faith carried unflinchingly by unselfish people.

Juvenile delinquency is a hard fact in this unstable world we face today. It has been said that the place to combat this social disease is in the home. And yet, in a world such as ours where materialistic progress has brought countries together as physical neighbors, the ideal of home has expanded beyond the sheltering walls of one's immediate family.

Our home is the city, and in our particular case, College Station. If we are to defeat corroding influences leading to a path of crime and violence, we must be ready to do so on a much more expanded scale.

The success of the Little League program in our city is more than just a recreational function. It is an indication of the how and the why that brings people together to peacefully discuss and reason out social problems.

A good athlete stays alert, mentally prepared for any change that calls for a revising of plans. As on the athletic field, people must stay alert, seeking and seeing the forces behind situations, recognizing and welcoming socially beneficial changes.

Our world has seen many changes in the past—changes which have brought us material benefits and left us void of the social changes which these tangible objects necessitate. We have now reached a stumbling block in our material development. The thermonuclear age has forced upon us the need to bring up from a very poor second what little knowledge of humanity we possess.

We are in a dynamic society, a fast moving, changing social structure. We will need truly liberal minds to keep up with our society and to meet the coming changes honestly and directly.

Experiment Station Gets Grants, Gifts

Four grants-in aid and two gifts to the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station have been announced by Station Director R. D. Lewis.

One renewal and one grant have been made to support research studies on cotton defoliation. The renewal, for \$1,000, was made by the American Cyanamid Co. of New York, and the grant for \$2,000, by the Pittsburgh Coke and Chemical Co. of Pittsburgh, Penn.

The Chipman Chemical Co. of New Jersey has granted \$500 to support research on insecticides.

The Devil's River Soil Conservation District has made an additional grant of \$500 to support studies on guajillo. Dr. Carl M. Lyman, head of the Department of

Biochemistry and Nutrition, is directing the studies.

Two-inch gifts include 300 feet of four-inches poly-ethylene flexible tubing given by Glick Twins of Pharr, Texas. This will be used on the Plant Disease Laboratory at Yoakum for irrigation purposes.

The California Spray-Chemical Corporation of Shreveport, La., has donated 12,000 Earlyport sweet potato plants, 50 pounds of Orthocide 406 and necessary nozzles for spray applications. The value of the gift is placed at \$100. It will be used at the Sweet Potato Investigations Laboratory at Gilmer for conducting a controlled replicated experiment testing the growth properties of Orthocide 406.

The Battalion

The Editorial Policy of The Battalion Represents the Views of the Student Editors

The Battalion, newspaper of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas and the City of College Station, is published by students four times a week during the regular school year. During the summer terms The Battalion is published once a week, and during examination and vacation periods, once a week. Days of publication are Tuesday through Friday for the regular school year, Thursday during the summer terms, and Thursday during examination and vacation periods. The Battalion is not published on the Wednesday immediately preceding Easter or Thanksgiving. Subscription rates are semester, \$6.00 per school year, \$6.50 per full year, or \$1.00 per month per month. Advertising rates furnished on request.

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Press

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favorable before the needed equipment was purchased.

About two years ago, two small offset presses were added to the Press' equipment, and present plans are for a larger offset sometime in the next few years, Shuffler said.

"No major equipment changes are planned in the next four or five years," he said. "The present equipment is being put into first-class shape by factory men as it is dismantled for moving."

Revenue Bonds

The financing of the new quarters was done by selling 20-year revenue bonds. The Press will have to pay for the building itself, since it receives no appropriations in the budget, Shuffler said. The improved facilities of the Press are expected to meet the demand for this payment.

To improve production, you must have the right combination of people and equipment and the proper working conditions, Shuffler said. For the first time in the history of the A&M Press, the working conditions are right, he added. The new quarters provide air conditioning, humidity control, proper lighting, and plenty of space—both for working and for future expansion. "It is the newest and most modern shop of its type in the Southwest," Shuffler said.

The A&M Press has 26 regular employees and usually about 10 student part-time employees, according to J. Frank Tucker, manager of the Press.

Sometime in the future, after the moving has been completed and things are straightened out, an open house is planned at the new location, he said. This will give people a chance to look over what we've got there, he explained.

Dewey Speaks

To CS Kiwanians

B. H. Dewey, representative to the State Legislature from Bryan, discussed the actions taken up by the Legislature during its session which recently ended at the Tuesday meeting of the College Station Kiwanis Club.

Dewey, while commenting on most of the activities, explained more fully the ones of direct concern to the city and the College. These included the appropriations bill, social security for college professors, Texas Commission on Higher Education, and the per diem basis for state authorized travel—a report on all of which Dewey presented in the June 16 Battalion.

Next Tuesday will be Sport Shirt Day at the Kiwanis Club, with the shirt chosen the "loudest" to get a prize for its wearer.

Potts To Conduct Pasture Course

Dr. R. C. Potts of the Agronomy Department will conduct a short course on pastures at Clarksville in Red River County July 11-15.

H. R. Lynch, Red River County Agent, is in charge of arrangements there. Classes will meet from 7 to 10:30 p.m. daily.

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'Community Feeling'

Crowd Attends Picnic

"College Station is growing all the time," said Mrs. E. C. Klipple, chairman of the community picnic held last week, "but we haven't out-grown our community feeling."

This statement was proved beyond doubt by the huge crowd that turned out last Friday night for the picnic and the fireworks display afterwards. More than fifty families attended the picnic, and almost 3,000 people came to witness the fireworks, according to City Manager Ran Boswell.

The picnic was held in the pasture east of the stadium. School and city officials hope to turn this

into a park area for community recreation. The fireworks were set off at the new high school stadium. Spectators, including children from Bryan and a large number of colored people, packed both bleachers.

The display included practically every kind of fireworks, ranging from the more simple effects to elaborate set pieces. The cost of the fireworks was partly defrayed by the profits of the concession stand.

Adding to the gaiety of the occasion was the band, led by Robert Boone, which played a program of marches and patriotic music. Besides the student members, several adult instrumentalists, including A. V. Moore, George Heubner, J. J. Skrivaneck, Jr., George Reynolds and Lawrence Spangler, played with the group.

The evening was begun with a flag ceremony in front of the new high school. This was staged by Girl Scouts of Troop 5. Nancy

Rogers was flag-bearer, and Bici Luther, Dee Morgan, Kathryn Gould, and Sara Phyllis Goode made up the color guard.

Six Dairies Get Milk Sale Permits

Six dairies have been issued permits to sell milk and milk products in Bryan and College Station, according to the County Health Unit.

Permits to sell Grade "A" pasteurized milk and milk products were issued to the following: A&M Creamery; Borden Co., Houston; Carnation Co., Houston; Lucerne Milk Co., Fort Worth; Sanitary Farm Dairies, Bryan; and Sanitary Farm Dairies, Inc., Houston.

The sale of all other milk in Bryan and College Station is prohibited.

Prairie View Slates Special TB Training

Special training in problems of tuberculosis will be made possible soon for Negro student nurses of Prairie View A&M College, only center for training professional Negro nurses in the state.

The Board of Directors of the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College System recently authorized Dr. E. B. Evans, president of Prairie View, to enter into agreement for the college with the Veterans Administration Hospital of Houston, for an eight-weeks special training for advanced student nurses.

Under terms of the agreement, student nurses from Prairie View with more than half of their clinical work already done will be eligible to receive special training in handling problems of tubercular patients through use of facilities and instruction at the VA hospital.

Trainees from Prairie View already have affiliation for special work at John Sealy Hospital and Jefferson Davis Hospital, and graduate nurses are accepted by the Armed Services and U. S. Public Health Service.

Gay's Son Gets Fulbright Award

Lloyd W. Gay, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Gordon Gay of College Station, has been awarded a Fulbright scholarship to the Australian School of Forestry, University of Canberra, Canberra, Australia.

He plans to continue his duties with the United States Forest Service at Springerville, Ariz., until early Fall, when he will leave for Australia with his wife. The scholarship is for one year of graduate study from Oct. 10, 1955 to Oct. 5, 1956, and is accompanied by deferment from active service in the Air Force during that period. Gay had been assigned to report to Lackland Air Force Base.

A graduate of A&M Consolidated High School, Gay received his degree in range and forestry last December from Colorado A&M, Fort Collins, Colo.

His father is secretary of the YMCA at the campus.

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United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	920,443.75
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	51,440.11
Corporate stocks (including \$4500.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	4,500.00
Loans and discounts (including \$12,496.95 overdrafts)	976,715.00
Bank premises owned \$28,500.00, furniture and fixtures \$12,000.00	40,500.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	1.00
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TOTAL ASSETS	\$2,638,785.64
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$1,547,021.50
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	62,016.65
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	135,348.61
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	692,955.56
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	10,052.83
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$2,447,395.15
Other liabilities	2,633.35
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	\$2,450,028.50
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital*	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	38,757.14
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$ 188,757.14
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$2,638,785.64
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