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Price Five Cents

Community Chest Drive Organized In Meeting

Game Seating For A&M-TCU Unchanged

Seating for the A&M-TCU game will follow the same general plan as the one used for the Villanova game, according to Jim Roland, chairman of the Kyle Field seating committee, at a meeting yesterday.

Only change scheduled for the game is the use of temporary ropes to divide sophomore and junior sections and the junior and senior sections. This will cut down the number of ushers needed at the game.

The seating committee asks that the civilians move towards the top of the sections they are sitting in to allow room for the Corps after the March-in. According to Roland, this might be considered a type of Aggie Honor System.

The plan calls for the Corps and Civilian seniors to occupy sections 130, 131 and 132. Juniors will sit in sections 128 and 129, and sophomores and freshmen will use sections 122 through 127. At present, there are 5,744 students with student activity cards.

Flying Kadets Come Under MSC Group

The A&M Flying Kadets is now the Flying Committee under the Hobby Group of the Memorial Student Center Directorate, according to Wayne Stark, MSC Director.

Accepted by the MSC Council Monday night, the Kadets will join with the Camera and Amateur Radio Committees of the Hobby Group.

Officers of the club elected recently are Ralph Jackson, president; Bud Johnson, vice-president; Bob Hamilton, secretary; and Don Ameson, treasurer. Fred Wieck is sponsor of the group.

Dues for the committee will be \$1 per year. A flying meet will be held each year and two members will be sent to the meet. Entrants will engage in rescue and search work.

The committee hopes to establish a Civil Air Patrol squadron here in the future, according to Bob Hamilton, secretary.

Any Aggie interested in flying has been invited to join. Meetings are held on second and fourth Mondays of each month in the MSC at 7:30 p.m.

Directors Accept Grants And Gifts

Grants-in-aid, scholarships, fellowships, awards and special gifts totaling \$695,499.45 were accepted for colleges and service organizations of the A&M College System by the board of directors during 1955-56.

This does not include research supporting funds from state or federal agencies.

The System also received a number of gifts including livestock, equipment and chemical supplies on which no cash estimate was made. The System received the loan of numerous animals, quantities of grain and seed, agricultural and engineering equipment and materials.

During this period the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station was given \$255,227.94 in support of 124 separate research projects. A&M received funds for scholarships amounting to \$240,470.91. In addition, the college received a gift of \$200,000 from former students for an inter-faiths chapel, now nearing completion on the campus.

Co-Chairmen Milliff, Reed Preside As Drive Date Set

The 1956 College Station Community Chest Drive wheels began turning last night, as the 18-member board of directors held an organizational meeting in the city hall.

Wednesday, Oct. 29 was set as opening date for the fund-raising drive, and Nov. 12 was set as a tentative date for it to end.

Twelve agencies will be applying for a share of the total at the budget hearing, set for Thursday, Oct. 18 in the Memorial Student Center. One agency which requested funds last year, the United Defense Fund, has combined with the local unit of the United Service Organization in their application, and another, Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation, is seeking a share for the first time this year.

"Collection methods will be much the same this year as last year," co-chairmen John Milliff and Bob Reed said. "A member of each college department will be responsible for collection in his department. Those not reached in this way will be contacted individually."

Employees of Bryan Air Force Base contribute to a united fund there, and the College Station drive receives a share, according to the co-chairmen.

Last year, the campaign passed its goal of \$12,100 by \$647, the first time in several years that the goal was passed. Last year's campaign was carried on with an expenditure of \$146.17.

The list of those requesting a portion of the budget includes the American Red Cross, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Salvation Army, Brazos County USO and United Defense Fund, Brazos County, Fund, Recreation Council, College YMCA, Youth Activities Committee, Community Center Inc., Brazos County Youth Development and Gonzales Warm Spring Foundation.

Bob H. Reed and Dr. John H. Milliff were appointed co-chairmen of the drive by College Station mayor, Ernest Langford. Langford, Milliff and Reed then appointed the 16 members of the board.

Other officers appointed are Mrs. R. L. Elkins, secretary; Herb Thompson, treasurer; Ray Hite, assistant treasurer; Jack Tippit, publicity chairman and Frank Robinson, assistant publicity chairman.

Members of the board include Mrs. Elkins, Hite, Thompson, Tippit, Robinson, Mrs. W. M. Heritage, L. E. McCall, Herb Shaffer, Edward Madeley, J. L. Bearrie, G. S. Trevino, S. O. Brown, R. R. Shrode, Maj. K. J. Edwards, W. A. Tarrow and Mrs. F. R. Brison.

Those who were members last year include: Tarrow, Thompson, Bearrie, Brown, Madeley, Reed and Milliff and Mes. Heritage, Brison and Elkins.

W. B. Johnson Heads Joint AIEE, IRE

W. B. Johnson Jr. was elected chairman of the Joint Student Branch of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers and Institute of Radio Engineers Tuesday night at the first regularly scheduled meeting.

Other officers elected were W. F. Osborne, vice-chairman; W. B. Chapman, treasurer; R. H. Greene, secretary of the AIEE; R. S. McCarter, secretary of the IRE; R. L. Patton, program committee chairman; J. E. Brake, membership committee chairman; C. G. Hawkins, publicity committee chairman and J. W. Martin, junior representative to the Engineer's Council.

After introductory speeches on the AIEE and IRE by Norman F. Rode, H. C. Dillingham and Wendall Fowler, district chairman of AIEE, future meeting dates were set at the first and third Tuesdays of each month.

The next meeting of the chapter will be Oct. 16 at 7:30 p.m. in the lecture room of the Electrical Engineering Building.

VA Center Patients Will Attend Game

Thirty patients from the Veterans Administration Center at Temple will be honor guests of the College and the Athletic Department at the opening conference game with TCU Saturday, Oct. 20.

The group will have special seats on the cinder path on the 50-yard line. The visit will mark the 12th annual game the veterans have attended as honored guests.

They will be met by P. L. Downs Jr., official greeter for the college and will have lunch in Duncan Mess Hall. Soft drinks will be served during the game and each will be given a football program.



COMMUNITY CHEST PLANNERS—Members of the 1956 College Station Community Chest board of directors are shown during their organizational meeting in the city hall last night. Left to right are Mrs. R. L. Elkins, Mrs. F. R. Brison, W. A. Tarrow (behind Mrs. Brison), R. V. Hite, Herb Thompson, Mrs. W. M. Heritage, Jack Tippit and L. E. McCall. Standing are co-chairmen of the drive Dr. John H. Milliff, left, and Bob H. Reed.

Service Is Motto

Hospital Gains Popularity; Staff And Facilities Better

By JIM NEIGHBORS
Battalion News Editor

Proof of the College Hospital's rise in popularity and increased service is shown in the figures that list 1,396 patients were treated in the first ten days of October as compared with 800 for the entire month of October in 1955.

These figures show what has been accomplished by increasing the staff and remodeling facilities that had been the same for over 40 years. It is not at all hard to understand why the Aggies are ready to go to the hospital and put their trust in the staff when they are ill.

This year, the hospital added four local doctors to the staff. At least one doctor is on call at the hospital 24 hours a day. Three of the doctors are specialists and one is a general practitioner. At the present time there are six doctors available including Dr. Lyons, medical director, and Dr. J. E. Marsh, staff doctor.

The hospital is still under-staff-

Chains And All

DES MOINES (AP)—After thieves made off with half a two-piece sectional davenport from the lobby of an apartment building here, the management had the rest of the furniture chained down. Notwithstanding the chains, however, the thieves returned a few nights later and took the other davenport section.

ed as there is a need for more nurses, according to Dr. Lyons. At present, there are 8 registered nurses on the staff. However, the first consideration now is to improve the antiquated facilities.

The main objective of the hospital is to improve service to the student and to give more attention to each individual who comes to the hospital. No longer can a nurse do any stitching or suturing. According to Dr. Lyons, this is now grounds for dismissal of a nurse. A doctor is ready at any time to give immediate attention to any patient who enters the hospital. This includes minor surgery.

The overall plan for improvement of the hospital is to have a working program the same as any hospital or clinic. Right now, the service of the hospital is on a par with either of the hospitals in Bryan.

Some of the new improvements include remodeling the newer wing of the building and making it into offices and rooms for treatment of minor injuries, building a new kitchen in the basement, repainting the halls and wards, refurbishing

the private rooms and remodeling the waiting room.

Many of the projects are still under construction, although they were supposed to be finished before the semester began. The main idea behind the new construction was to increase efficiency.

Another efficiency move was to cut down on the number of beds in use. In the past, 150 beds were ready to use at all times. According to Dr. Lyons, this was unnecessary. Now, 50 beds are made up and 50 more are available at any time. This was done to cut down the high cost of laundering and time spent in making the beds up with clean linens.

"The basic theme for the hospital is giving its service to the student," says Dr. Lyons. One method now used to increase its service to each student is a complete medical record of every student on A&M in the files of the hospital.

Saddle And Sirloin Club

Fall Barbecue Set

Saddle and Sirloin Club members and Animal Husbandry majors are invited to attend the annual Fall Barbeque of the S&S Club scheduled for 6 p.m., Monday, at The Grove, announced Bob Johnston, president.

An annual affair of the Animal Husbandry Department, the barbeque is designed as an opportunity to give various judging teams an official "send off" prior to their trips over the country.

Dr. J. C. Miller, dean of agriculture, will be the main speaker during the after-dinner program. He will speak on the general topic

Aggies Choose Sweetheart Sunday

The 11-man A&M Sweetheart Selection Committee Sunday afternoon will select the 1956-57 Aggie Sweetheart from among 11 beauties at Texas State College for Women at Denton.

The committee will leave A&M Saturday morning for a two-day observation of the candidates at TSCW. The committee and the candidates will attend a picnic Saturday afternoon and a formal dance Saturday night.

Sunday they will go to church. The winner will be chosen Sunday afternoon.

Durward Thompson, social secretary of the senior class, is chairman of the committee.

Other members are Corps Commander Jack Lunsford; Senior Class President Doug De Cluitt, Jerry Betsil, 2nd Regiment commander; John Specht, Ross Volunteers commander; and Dick Wall, president of the Memorial Student Center Council.

Don Weber, business manager of the Aggieband; Dick Bernard, senior yell leader; Joe David Ross, student senate representative and Bill Lilly, civilian student council president are other committee members.

Houston Mothers Provide Car Pool

For those Aggies finding themselves stranded in Houston, there is quick and ready service available for transportation back to school.

The Houston A&M Mothers Club has established a committee that serves to get Aggies back to school and also acts as a registry for those Aggies needing or giving rides.

Ray Winburn, Houston hometown club president, said that all Aggies with extra room in their cars could check with the mothers on the committee to see if anyone needs a ride back.

Winburn urged both those with cars and those without cars to contact the following mothers:

Northside: Mrs. S. W. Hudson; phone Melrose 5-4045.

Heights: Mrs. A. Brawner, ph. Underwood 4-7573.

Westside: Mrs. A. W. Wood, ph. Mohawk 7-1185.

Eastside: Mrs. B. C. Burchfield, ph. Walnut 1-4746.

of "What Livestock Judging Has Done for Me."

After Dean Miller's talk judging team coaches will be introduced, and they, in turn, will introduce members of their various teams.

Team coaches for the 1956-57 year include J. W. Gossett and W. T. (Dub) Berry, livestock; G. T. (Gene) King, Meats and T. D. Watkins, Wool.

Judging trips begin next week when two of the teams leave for Kansas City and Chicago. Expenses of these trips are paid by the S&S Club.

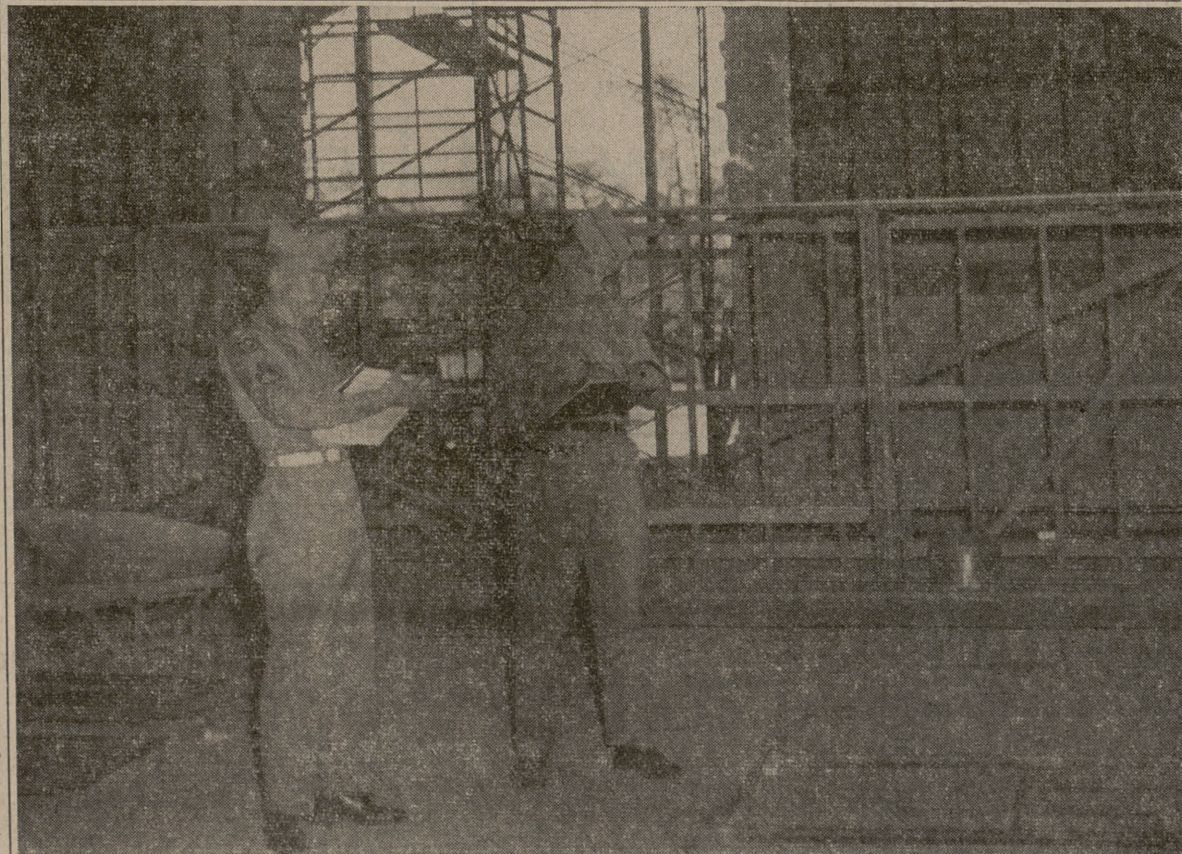
Pete Wheeler, food committee chairman for the occasion, says the food will be "more and better than ever" and an ample supply has been provided for the expected crowd of 250 members and guests.

Roy Sims, of the AH Meats Laboratory, will prepare the meat for Monday's menu which includes: barbeque beef, ranch-style beans, pickles and onion, potato chips, cold drinks and ice-cream.

B. F. Watkins Wins Football Contest

Bobby F. Watkins, chemistry major from Dallas, won the second award of \$10 given by the Student Co-op in their weekly football contest.

Entrants fill out the contest blank which runs every Wednesday in The Battalion picking the winners in various games across the nation. These entries are judged over the weekend then announced on Monday morning.



ARTISTS AT WORK—Shown above (left to right) are Bill D. Coverston of Houston and Cloice A. Whitley of San Angelo sketching sections of the inside of the A&M Chapel under construction on the campus. They are Industrial Technology majors doing work for Architecture 353.

Weather Today

Partly cloudy is today's forecast. Temperature at 10:30 a.m. was 80 degrees. Tigh and low for Wednesday were 91 degrees and 58 degrees.

Possible Cancer Cure Discovered

LONDON (AP)—An American cancer specialist has disclosed that some volunteers at the Sloan-Kettering Institute in New York were injected with cancer and managed to throw off the disease.

Dr. Cornelius P. Rhoads said experiment indicated there is a defense mechanism in man against cancerous cells but that it is greatly reduced in patients already suffering from cancer.

Ahead And Behind

DES MOINES (AP)—A doctor told a Des Moines man he should limit himself to two alcoholic drinks a day and take a prescribed number of vitamin pills daily. Several months later the doctor met the fellow's wife on the street and asked her how her husband was getting along. Said she: "Well, he's way behind on the vitamins and way ahead on the booze."