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Weekend Football Activities Planned To Celebrate Championship Clincher

Crowd To Take In Weekend's Menu

By DAVE McREYNOLDS

Despite the National Collegiate Athletic Association's ruling, a crowd of 41,000 people is expected to be on hand for tomorrow's clash between the league-leading fighting Texas Aggies and the next-to-bottom in the conference Rice Owls.

Included in the menu for extra-curricular diversion is an assortment of dances, yell practice, football, a concert and for the first time in four years the Corps of Cadets will form the famous Aggie "T" at half-time tomorrow.

Kicking off weekend activities is the MSC version of a French Night Club—Rue Pinalle. This has proven to be a popular attraction during football weekends and chairman Hiram French has promised a fine floor show this weekend. It will include magicians, songs by both male and female voices and a special added attraction, a dance team from TSCW.

Festivities begin at 8:30 p.m. in the games area of the MSC. Tickets may be purchased at the Main Desk of the MSC or at the door. Price of the ducats are \$1.50 per couple.

At 11:30 midnight yell practice will be held in The Grove. Gates will remain closed until the Aggie Band has marched in the area.

Saturday afternoon the Corps of Cadets will fall out at 12:35 for their march-in to Kyle Field.

Seating plan for this, the last home game of the season, will be the same as usual. Civilian students must have their seating cards before they will be permitted to enter the stands.

Kickoff time will be at 2 p.m.

At the half the Corps of Cadets, some 3,600 strong, will form the Aggie "T" for the first time since 1952. Maroon and white scarves will be used for making the "T" change colors during the yells. Three yells will be given while the "T" is formed. They are Sky Rocket, Locomotive and Ricketty Rock. Yell Leaders will lead the yells from the top of the Press Box.

The famous Aggie Band will not perform due to the forming of the "T", but will play the traditional "Pop Goes the Weasel" while members of the Corps take their positions in the huge symbol of Aggieland.

Educators Elect Dr. Harrington New President

Chancellor M. T. Harrington of the A&M System yesterday was elected the 70th president of American Association of Land Grant Colleges and State Universities at the group's convention at Washington, D. C.

The Association is one of the top higher education organization in America. Members include 70 schools.

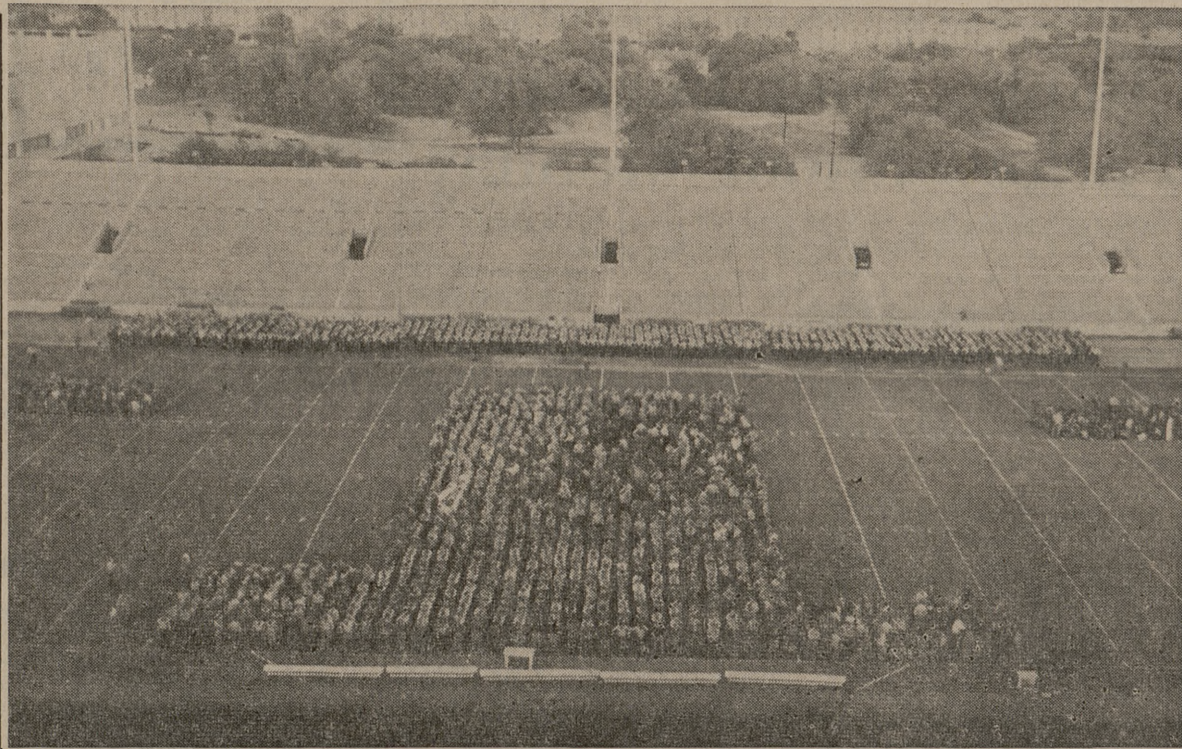
Dr. Harrington had previously been a member of the association's executive committee for three years and last year was president of the Southern Association of Land Grant Colleges and State Universities.

He is also one of Texas' three representatives on the Southern Regional Education Board and is secretary-treasurer of the board's executive committee.

Dr. Harrington has been A&M System chancellor since 1953.

Library To Close

The Cushing Library will close at 12 noon Saturday instead of the usual 1 p.m. closing time because of the A&M-Rice football game, library officials announced.



FIRST TIME IN FOUR YEARS—members of the Corps of Cadets practice for tomorrow's formation of the Aggie "T". Here the formation is just beginning to take shape. About 3,600 students will be in the mass symbol of the Spirit of Aggieland. The formation will stretch from 20-yard line to 20-yard line and completely across the field.

Reveille Discussed

Senate Has Busy Night

By JIM NEIGHBORS

In a flurry of activity last night, the Student Senate censored Reveille, vetoed the playing of Corps vs. Civilians in the 12th Man Bowl, approved recognition of James Sarraan and dedicated the "T" to the Southwest Conference champions.

After a long discussion by the senators, and a report by Cy Holley, the senate passed a motion to go on record as saying that the Corps was degrading itself by the "wildcatting" while Reveille is on the field during half-time. Also included in the motion was the suggestion that Reveille's caretakers attempt to better train her and that a committee be appointed to study the problem at a later date.

Under new business, Bryan

Dedeker gave a report on recognizing the heroism of James Sarraan by having his picture hung in the A&M Chapel with an appropriate plaque commemorating him. The report was put into the form of a motion and passed by the senate.

Following an announcement by one of the senators of the death of James Sarraan's father, the senate voted to send flowers to the funeral services with a card expressing the grief of the senate.

Committee reports and discussion took up the rest of the meeting, which was held in the Memorial Student Center Senate Chamber. The Hospital Committee report gave some of the results of a study made by the committee concerning a compulsory accident insurance policy for students.

According to the report, a \$1,000 policy for blanket coverage would cost each student about \$3. The senate passed a motion to have the committee check further into the subject.

Allocation of funds was the main topic of the Exchange Store Committee's report. Chairman Bill McCarty gave a rundown of the way the Advisory Board recommended the Exchange Store profits be distributed. The dispersal was as follows: Student Activities Club Aid Fund, \$4,688.63; Band fund, \$864.58; Aggie Players, \$700; Ross Volunteers and Fish Drill Team, \$1,000 and \$4,500 for the Student Activities Advisory Committee for Student Welfare and recreational facilities. \$16,000 was left for the store to use as working capital. The report was then sent to the Executive Council for approval.

Aggies Battle Rice On Kyle Field at 2

By BARRY HART

A&M goes for at least a tie for the 1956 Southwest Conference crown tomorrow meeting the Rice Owls at 2 p.m. on Kyle Field.

Barred from being host team in the Cotton Bowl even though they are headed toward their first SWC title since 1941, Coach Paul (Bear) Bryant's Aggies are heavy favorites to win their 22nd game against the Owls. A&M holds a 21-16-3 edge over the Houston team, with Rice winning 10 straight from 1945 to 1954.

In 1955 the Cadets turned in one of the most fantastic finishes in collegiate history, scoring 20 points in two minutes and 46 seconds to overcome a 12-0 Owl lead and win, 20-12. A near sellout crowd of 40,000 or more is expected for the battle between the nation's fifth-ranked eleven and the number six team in the league.

Jaycees Begin Paper Drive For Diabetics

Rice brings two of the finest quarterbacks into Aggieland in Frank Ryan and King Hill. Ryan has completed 85 passes of 64 attempts for 438 yards and four touchdowns while Hill has hit on 31 of 54 for 400 yards and three scores.

The Owls are 4-3 on the season and 1-2 in SWC play. Jess Neely's gang own victories over Alabama, LSU, Texas and Utah while losing to Florida, SMU and Arkansas. The Aggies are undefeated with only a 14-14 tie to Houston marring their record. A&M has swept past Villanova, LSU, Texas Tech, TCU, Baylor, Arkansas and SMU.

The Cadets counter the Owl throwing game with the nation's third toughest defense, having allowed only 196 yards per game, and one of collegiate football's finest ground games. Three Aggie backs have gained more than 400 yards rushing. Roddy Osborne, with 478, Jack Pardee, with 407, and John Crow, with 400, along with little Loyd Taylor, who has carried for 267 yards himself, make up the most powerful backfield in the conference, if not the nation.

Osborne will probably not play much Saturday due to an injured neck with Bobby Conrad taking over the number one man-under post.

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A&M RICE
Stallings LE Dial
Krueger LT Whitmore
Fowell LG Crawford
Hale C Harris
Goehring RG Gorges
Lockett RT Korges
Tracy BE Ash
Conrad QB Ryan
Crow LH Albrook
Taylor RB Williams
Pardee FB Chilton

Three sessions of the camp are held there in each of the four week periods during the summer months. Dormitories are provided for boys and girls and dieticians plan meals for the children.

Film Society

"I Married A Witch," starring Veronica Lake, Frederick March and Susan Hayward, will be presented by the Memorial Student Center's Film Society tonight in the Ballroom at 7:30. Admission is by season ticket and are on sale at the door. Price is 25 cents each.

Frankie Carle, Band To Play For Dance

Frankie Carle, with his orchestra and featuring the singing of Deborah Kaye will present a concert and the music at an All-College Dance Saturday night following the A&M-Rice football game. The concert, which will be held in Guion Hall will begin at 7:15 p. m. and last until 8:15. The dance, which is scheduled for Sbis Hall, will begin at 9 and last until midnight.

Tickets are on sale at the Office of student Activities priced at \$1 each for the concert and \$2, stag or drag, for the dance.

Carle and his orchestra, billed as one of the nations leading dancebands, is currently setting new box office records in theatres and ballrooms from coast to coast.

His "Sunrise Serenade," which is his theme song has been rated as one of the most popular American songs by ASCAP.

His many albums have sold a total of 50-million discs.

Among his many song hits which have proved so popular with the

Last Rites Held For T. T. Sarraan

Funeral services for T. T. Sarraan of Brownsville, were to be in Brownsville at 9 a. m. today at the Hinkley Mortuary.

Sarraan was father of James Sarraan, heroic Aggie who died of injuries received in a non-fire-guarding accident last year in which he heroically saved two buddies from being crushed by an automobile.

Col. Joe E. Davis, commandant, yesterday received by telegram the message of Mr. Sarraan's death. Further details were unavailable.

The Student Senate last night sent flowers to the funeral, expressing sympathy of the senate.

Prof Chairs Meet

Dr. H. B. Sorensen of the Department of Agricultural Economics & Sociology at A&M will participate in a meeting of the Southern Regional Vegetable Marketing Technical Committee in West Palm Beach, Fla., December 3-7. He is chairman of the committee, and is Texas' official representative on the committee.

Weather Today

Cloudy skies, becoming partly cloudy or clear late today, are forecast. Last night's low was 44 degrees, and yesterday's high ranging 75. At 10:30 this morning the temperature was 45.

Press Conference Convenes Monday

Delegates from 15 member schools of the Texas Junior College Press Association will begin registration for their fourth annual conference in the Memorial Student Center Sunday at 1 p.m.

Two days of panel discussions and speaker's meetings will follow. About 100 persons are expected to attend.

Pulitzer prize winner Kenneth Towery will be one of the speakers at the conference. Towery, managing editor of the Cuero Record, is to speak at the association's banquet Monday at 7 p.m.

Dave McReynolds, Sigma Delta Chi president, will present awards to winners of the Junior College Press contest for outstanding work on school publications at the banquet.

A formal dance is scheduled following the banquet. Bob Arevalo Quintet is to supply the music.

A&M's Department of Journalism and Sigma Delta Chi Chapter are the conference sponsors.

Its purpose is to benefit junior college journalism students and provide facilities and professional assistance for the betterment of journalism at those colleges, says Donald D. Burchard, head of the A&M Journalism Department.

President of the conference this year is Raye Cochran of Odessa Junior College.

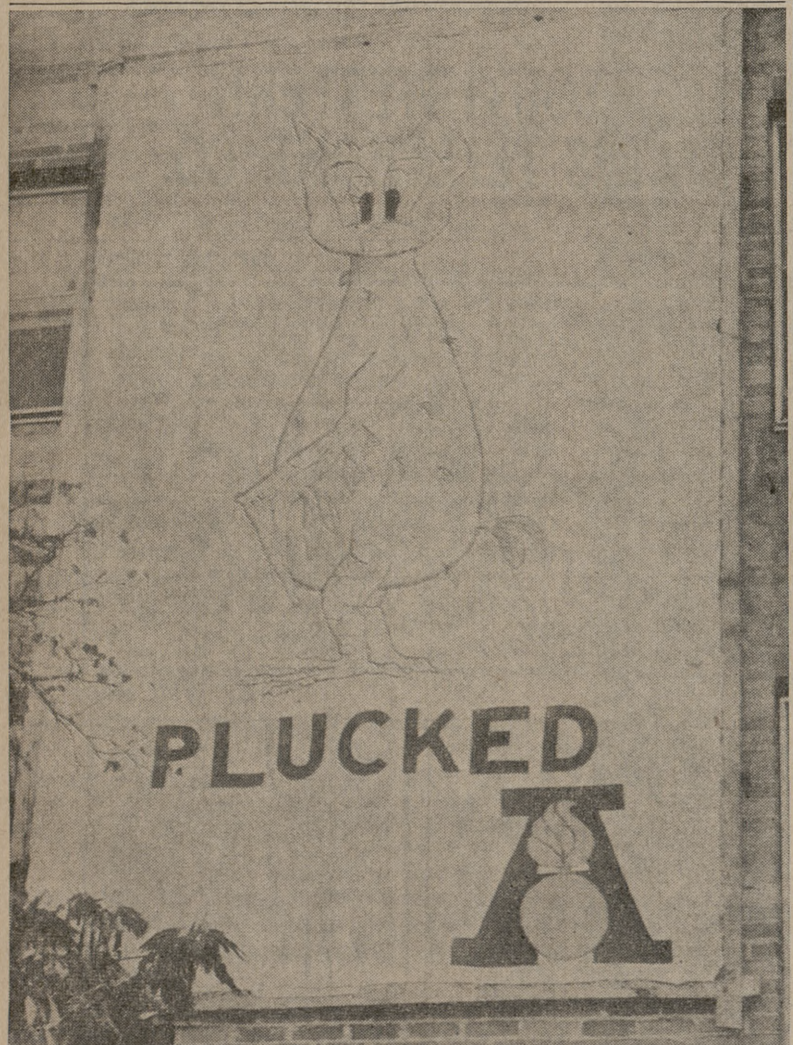
Members colleges to be represented are Allen Academy, Tarleton State, LeTourneau Technical, Tyler, Amarillo, Blinn, Kilgore, San Angelo, Odessa, Arlington State, Panola, Paris, Howard County and Southmost College. Wharton County Junior College, a non-member, is also to be represented.

Speakers at the conference besides Towery include Tom Murrey of Taylor Publishing Co.; Dallas Morning News' assistant city editor, W. A. Payne, Joe Kendrick, national advertising manager of Waco News Tribune; Jones Ramsey, sports publicity at A&M; and Otis Miller of the A&M Journalism Department.

BULLETIN

Fire coming from a wall heater in the fourth grade classroom in Consolidated elementary school this morning resulted in very little damage according to Fire Chief Cled Warren.

Warren said that although the children knew there was a fire, they fled out of the building just as if it were a routine fire drill. He said the children were very well behaved as they came out of the building and kept out of the way of the firemen. There also was no panic at all, he said.



TIE FOR BEST SIGN—Shown above is one of the two signs which won in this week's contest. It was designed by 'A' Ordinance. Not shown but also winner of first place was 'C' Armor.