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Eleven Positions Filled in Election

Just a Dollar

(An Editorial)

"A dollar from an Aggie, for an Aggie."

That's the theme for the 1959 Campus Chest Drive which opens tomorrow.

The Campus Chest provides two opportunities for the Men of Aggieland—to aid their Aggie buddies and to show their ability to meet their obligations as citizens.

The citizens of College Station recently showed their ability to meet their obligations by putting their United Chest Drive over its proposed goal by 113 per cent.

Now the Men of Aggieland can show the people of College Station, themselves and other interested citizens of the state that we as college students are more than willing and able to meet our responsibilities as future useful and productive citizens.

The most important benefit will be the aid we will be able to give our fellow Men of Aggieland who may need help.

Give generously to the Campus Chest. You may be helping yourself

Saturday Date For Collection

The 1959 Aggie Campus Chest gets under way tomorrow.

The Corps of Cadets will have the first chance to give. Collections will be made in the Corps Saturday morning during commander's time from 7:30 to 7:50.

Each military unit is responsible for its own method of collection. Marvin Schneider, chairman of the Student Senate Welfare Committee has announced. A goal of "a dollar an Aggie" is being sought. Money collected from units in the Dorm 2-12 area is to be turned over to Wade Dover, Dorm 2-117. Marvin Schneider, Dorm 17-232, will receive money collected in the Dorm 14-17 area.

The largest percentage of money collected for the Aggie Campus Chest is returned directly to the A&M student body as the need arises, according to Schneider. In the past, several checks have been sent to deserving Aggies and their families.

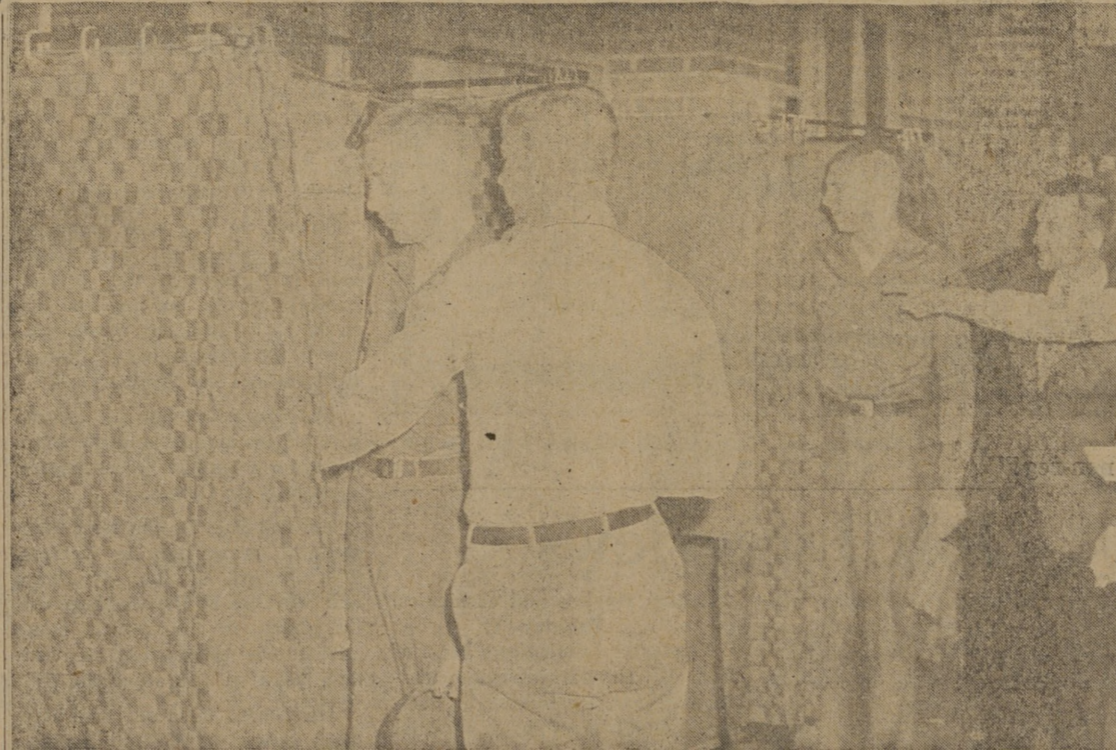
Forty per cent of the Chest funds are distributed among several worthy organizations which usually ask for individual donations. These include, the World

University Service, the College Station Community Chest, the Brazos County Tuberculosis Association and the March of Dimes. This arrangement saves Aggies from being asked to donate to some cause every time they turn around.

The "dollar an Aggie" goal was asked in both 1957 and 1958, but contributions fell short by \$5,000. Lack of funds was the prime factor in preventing the Aggie Chest from giving more to Dorlan Lee (Check) Anderson, '59, last year on the death of his wife. A special collection was taken in College View to help Anderson.

Collections from civilian students will be made on Monday and Tuesday nights of next week. William H. Brown, M-1, Puryear and Roland Dommert, I-10, Walton are in charge of the civilian collection.

Day students are asked to contribute to the Chest drive by placing their donations in receptacles which will be placed in the MSC at the end of the coffee lines. Collection in the School of Veterinary Medicine will be conducted by the president of each of the four classes, Schneider said.



Getting Voting Instructions

Some of the 955 people who voted in Thursday's freshman class officer and special Student Senate elections are shown here getting instructions in the operation of the automatic voting machines. Run-offs in the election of freshman class officers will be held Tuesday, Dec. 13.

Air Force Chaplain To Be Guest of Corps Tomorrow

Chaplain (Maj. Gen.) Terrence P. Finnegan, chief of chaplains, U. S. Air Force, will be guest of the Corps of Cadets tomorrow and will speak in G. Rollie White Coliseum immediately following a Corps review at 8:15 a.m.

Chaplain Finnegan will be honored with a reception in St. Mary's Student Center Saturday from 7:30-9:00 p.m. The reception will be given by Father Charles Elmer of St. Mary's Chapel.

Chaplain Finnegan will be a guest of the A&M Newman Club Sunday. His talk Saturday will be given to the Corps of Cadets, with the public invited.

A native of Norwich, Conn., Chaplain Finnegan is a graduate of St. Thomas Seminary and Col-

lege, Hartford, Conn., class of 1924, with a B.A. degree. In 1930 he received his M.A. and Bachelor of Sacred Theology degree from St. Mary's Seminary and University, Baltimore, Md.

Chaplain Finnegan was ordained as a priest of the Roman Catholic Church May 30, 1930 at St. Joseph's Cathedral, Hartford, and served for six years as a priest in the Diocese of Hartford.

On April 12, 1956, His Holiness Pope Pius XII appointed Chaplain Finnegan a Domestic Prelate with the title of The Rt. Rev. Monsignor. The appointment was made in recognition of his fine contributions to the spiritual welfare of personnel of the armed forces whom he had served for nearly 20 years.

Appointed chaplain (1st Lt.) in the U. S. Army reserve on Jan. 4,

1937, he entered military service the following April. His first assignment was district chaplain of the Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC) unit at Silver City, N. M. Assignments followed in Texas, South Carolina and Illinois. He was appointed first lieutenant in the regular army in August of 1940.

Two days after Pearl Harbor Day, Dec. 7, 1941, he was named division chaplain of the 25th Infantry Division.

Chaplain Finnegan received the Bronze Star for meritorious service against the Japanese forces at Guadalcanal during the period of Dec. 17, 1942-Feb. 9, 1943.

He was transferred to the Air Force July 1, 1949.

Chaplain Finnegan was promoted to the grade of major general on July 1, 1958, and took over his duties as chief of chaplains, USAF, Aug. 15, 1958.

From Exchange Store

Student Functions Receive Allocations

The Exchange Store Advisory Board was allocated \$12,705 of the total of \$15,043.22 in profits from the operation of the Exchange Store during 1958-59 to school activities and functions.

The largest allocation from last year's profits will go to the Department of Student Activities for Club Aid, and will total \$4,915.

Second largest allocation will go collectively to the Student Senate, the All College Calendar, the Yell Leaders, the Who's Who Committee and the Bonfire.

The Religious Life Program will receive \$1,050; Hensel Park Improvements, \$1,125; Band awards and trips, \$575; Ross Volunteers and the Freshman Drill Team, \$1,350; The Rifle and Pistol teams, \$600; Corps of Cadets Headquarters, \$225; Civilian Student Government, \$450; and dormitory athletic equipment, \$915.

The board agreed to retain \$2,338.22 for operating capital and for improvement of facilities for the Exchange Store.

The board also issued a statement of the profits and allocations for the nine-year period from 1949 to 1958.

Profits for this period totaled \$224,590. Of this total, the largest allocation was given to the Memorial Student Center and totaled \$124,958.

\$80,474 was given to student welfare and recreation, and \$12,805 was allocated to Band awards and

trips. The Ross Volunteers and Freshman Drill Team received \$3,000 and the Aggie Players received \$3,353.

In addition to these funds, \$50,000 was transferred from the Exchange Store working capital to MSC building construction in 1949-50.

The Exchange Store Advisory Board consists of the following members:

C. A. Roerber, business manager of the college and chairman of the advisory board; James P. Hannigan, dean of students; associate professor R. L. Elkins; asst. professors W. T. Berry, T. A. Noyes and W. M. Romane; and four students, Charles Graham, Wade Dover, William F. McFarland and John G. Thomas.

The Exchange Store Advisory Board was created in 1945 for the following purposes:

1. To advise and council the manager of the Exchange Store.
2. To offer constructive criticism and suggestions to improve the various services of the store.
3. To recommend appropriate action to the president of the college on all complaints or protests against the store.
4. To advise the management in regard to public relations and disposition of surplus.

All actions and recommendations made by the board must be approved by the president of the college.

Freshmen Run-off Scheduled Dec. 15

The class election yesterday filled 11 positions and threw the four freshmen class officer post into a run-off as 955 students went to the polls in the Memorial Student Center. The run-offs will be Tuesday, Dec. 15, from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. in the MSC.

In the election for president of the Class of '63, Jack L. Gibbs, science major from Lampasas, and Robert A. Gay, electrical engineering major from Dallas, received the most votes.

Gibbs received 66 votes and Gay totaled 64. Others in the election for president and their total votes were Fred K. Blackard, 53; Allan Sassin, 48; Joe E. Terral, 44; Robert E. Bryant, 41;

James E. Ray, 39; Dick Simpson, 37; David Kelley, 37; Joel B. Terril, 37; Preston V. Phillips, 36; Jackie Benson, 34; Ronald W. Bookman, 33; James A. Dotson, 29; John E. Burke, 29; Dan M. Scarborough, 25; Carlos Vela, 20; William C. Kerley, 18; Victor Donnell, 14; Charles L. Nichols, 14; Harry Jones, 12; and John F. Brainerd, 8.

Vice President Election

Charles L. Blaschke, liberal arts major from Skidmore, and Jack M. Threadgill, industrial engineering major from Brady, were high men in the election for vice president of the freshman class. Blaschke received 101 votes and Threadgill received 72 and were thrown into a run-off.

Others in the vice president election and the votes they received were James Lovick, 58; Charles W. Kuykendall, 55; John Rogers, 47; Ronald Fix, 47; James R. Norwood, 45; Nick Nahas, 42; Morris Tate, 36; Don N. Packer, 32; Glynn Baker, 30; William B. Terril, 30; Earl E. Braun, 28; Paul C. Ruckman, 26; S. W. Moore, 24; John J. O'Conner, 22; Jack Spillman, 19; and C. F. Wiespape, 15.

Thrown into a run-off in the election for secretary treasurer of the Class of '63 were William T. Barnhart, electrical engineering major from Temple, and Dennis McIntosh, pre-veterinary medicine major from Alief. Barnhart placed 126 votes and McIntosh received 87 votes.

Nine Other Get Votes

Others receiving votes in the secretary treasurer election were Clarence R. Burnett, 78; John P. Cunningham, 72; Joel A. Saenz 66; Kenneth W. Koegl, 62; Jay D. Blume, 52; Jerry Hatton, 45; Carl Vanderhider, 44; Joe R. Bower, 41; James R. Collins, 40.

In the election for social secretary of the freshman class, Earl J. Henderson, aeronautical engineering major from Houston, and Paul E. Bergstrom, electrical engineering major from Dallas, received the most votes and will vie in the run-off. Henderson got 165 votes and Bergstrom got 164.

Four members of the Class of '63 were elected to the Student Senate. They were James W. Carter, 199 votes; George A. Johnston, 162 votes; James Taylor, 155 votes; and David N. Chapman, 142 votes. Twenty-five freshmen ran in the election.

Five To Election Spot

Five freshmen were elected to the election commission. They were Jerry C. King, 238 votes; James L. Johnson, 251 votes; Billy C. Ward, 220; Delfino Villarreal, 215 votes; and Ben B. Boyd, 206 votes. A total of twenty students ran in the election.

In the election for recording secretary to the Student Senate Norris R. Gilbreath won over Earl J. Wentworth. Gilbreath got 76 votes and Wentworth received 58. All classes voted in this election.

Leo C. Rigshy won out over William Millsaps by one vote in the election for junior agriculture representative to the Student Senate. Rigshy received 5 votes and Millsaps received 4 votes. Only classified juniors in the School of Agriculture were allowed to vote in this election.

Final Services Held for Carll Thursday at 3

Funeral services were held yesterday for James Copper Carll, postmaster of the A&M Faculty Exchange, who died Wednesday at 5 p.m. in a local hospital.

Survivors include Carll's wife, Mrs. Edna Carll, his mother, Mrs. Lillie Carll; two children, Mrs. L. J. Watson and James T. Carll; his sister, Mrs. D. Creager and two grandsons, all of Bryan.

A member of the staff since 1943, Carll was named to postmaster position in 1946. Prior to coming to A&M he was a farmer in Rock Prairie.

Rev. Bill Cardon, pastor of the Rock Prairie Baptist Church, officiated at the funeral services at Hillier Funeral home yesterday afternoon at 3. Burial was in Bethel Cemetery.

A&M Bowlers To Compete In SMU Meet

The Texas Intercollegiate Bowling Conference will hold a tournament Saturday, at 9 a.m., in the Humphrey Lee Student Center of Southern Methodist University.

A set of 3 three-game matches will be bowled by each team, with the games counting for the final championship at the end of the year. The tournament is being held for the promotion of intercollegiate bowling.

Teams in the tournament will be Texas A&M, SMU, Arlington State, University of Houston, San Antonio College, University of Texas, with high team scores winning.

The Aggies led the league with high game (1005), and high series (2821). One member of the Aggie team, Bob Tomlinson, has high individual series with 648.

Members of the A&M team are Tomlinson, Larry Dantzier, Don Jones, Eddie Autrey, and Milton Rasmussen.

Poultry Judges Place High in Meet

A&M's Poultry Judging Team came home from Chicago's International Livestock Exposition with a fourth place rating and boasting the second high individual in the entire contest.

E. D. Parnell, professor in the Department of Poultry Science and team coach, said second high individual honors went to Isadore J. Shenkir of College Station. He also was high point individual in breed selection.

Other members of the team were Ralph E. Jackson of Weatherford, Wayne A. Lepori of Harwood and Harvey Soefje of Ottine.

First place in the contest went to Oklahoma State University and second to North Carolina.



ATS Rehearsals

David Hughes, left, and Bob Erisman rehearse their act Thursday night in preparation for the annual Aggie Talent Show Tuesday night at 8 in Guion Hall. The show will present 10 acts in addition to speciality

acts. Tickets will cost 25 cents. Jimmy Roberts is director of this year's production. The show is a presentation of the Memorial Student Center Music Committee.