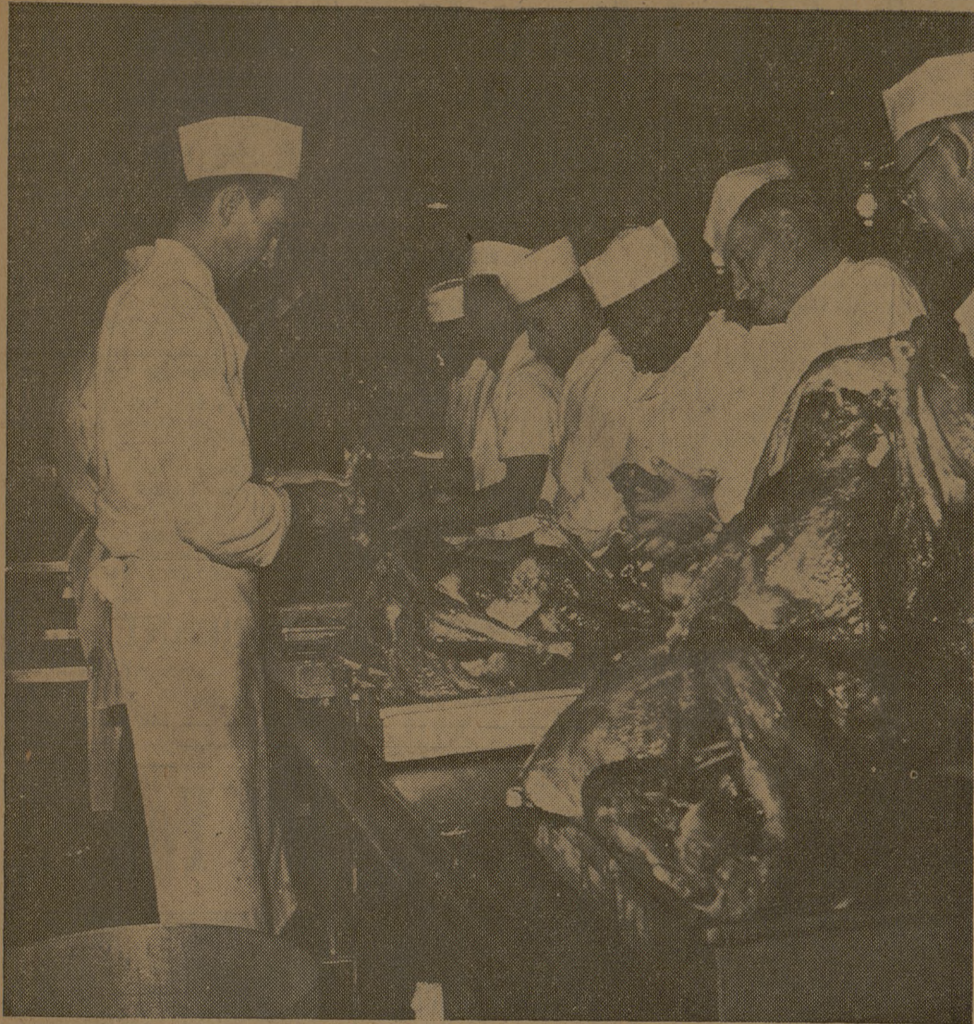


# Oklahoma State Nips Ags



## Christmas Dinner—Aggie Style

Five thousand pounds of turkey. That's what it takes to make a Christmas dinner at Aggieland. These birds were cooked all night long Wednesday night, then eaten at the annual A&M Christmas dinner in Dun-

can and Sbis Dining Halls Thursday night. Here, part of the cooking staff at Duncan Dining Hall picks the meat off the bones in preparation for the big meal.

## ALREADY HAS REPUTATION

# Student Senate Formally Opposes Name-Change

The Student Senate last night officially went on record, by a vote of 12-8, as being opposed to any name-change for A&M. There were two abstentions.

The Senate decision came on the heels of nearly two hours of heated discussion on the proposed change, which is now being studied by the College Name-Change Committee.

President Earl Rudder had asked Student Senate President Roland Dommett to probe the Senate for views of the student body, with the result being last night's decision.

The group also chose to draw up both majority and minority reports on the discussion for Dommett's use on the committee.

### Dun In January

These reports are due to be finished by the first week of January, when the next meeting of the Name-Change Committee is scheduled.

Bob Bower, Frank McFarland

and Mike Schneider will write the majority report, while John Abbott, Brantley Laycock and Clayton LaGrone will work on the minority report.

President Earl Rudder has also asked for opinion reports from Cadet Col. of the Corps Syd Heaton and Civilian Student Council President Mike Carlo. These opinions, like the Student Senate decision, are due at the January meeting of the Name-Change Committee.

Arguments raged hot and heavy for both sides of the question, with emphasis showing at least 75 per cent of the Corps of Cadets seemed to favor leaving the name as it is.

### Good Reputation

Probably the most frequent argument used state A&M already has a good reputation in the south and southwest and a change in the name will have no real significance.

The main argument for a change in the name of the school was

based on the fact the college is no longer a college and the words "Agricultural and Mechanical" are no longer appropriate.

It was also proposed that no name could perfectly depict the school, but something could do a better job than Texas A&M.

By far the most popular compromise listed involved the present name system used at Harvard. There the graduate school is a university and the under-graduate school is a college.

Those in favor of this system proposed the name of the A&M System include the word university and the name of the college remain the same.

The Senate members were also unanimously against the name "Texas State University."

By JOE CALLICOATTE  
With only two seconds left in an overtime, Oklahoma State University's David Miller unleashed a 20-foot set shot to hand the A&M Cadets a 60-58 defeat last night in the opening game of the Bluebonnet Bowl.

## Here's What Happened

From the opening minute of play A&M grabbed a skimpy lead and as half time drew near lengthened the difference to 39-30 as the initial stanza ended. All three top Aggie scorers sparkled in the first half as Carroll Broussard netted 11 points; Don Stanley had 14; and Jerry Windham tossed in nine.

As the second half started, the Aggies scored the first time they had the ball and gained their largest margin of the night—eleven points.

Paced by Fritz Greer, OSU began to creep up on A&M and as the clock showed 14:18 left in the game, the score was tied 46-46.

Both teams began to play conservative ball at this stage of the game and carefully selected every shot. With 5:45 left on the clock

A&M			
Player	FG	FT	TP
Annett	2	0	4
Broussard	5	5	15
P. Stanley	0	2	2
D. Stanley	7	3	17
Windham	5	2	12
Qualls	1	0	2
Minor	0	0	0
Young	0	0	0
Craig	2	0	4
Smith	1	0	2
Total	23	12	58

OSU			
Player	FG	FT	TP
Greer	10	2	22
Epperley	4	2	10
Gordon	0	0	0
Iba	5	0	10
Miller	4	0	8
Bunch	3	4	10
Linsmeyer	0	0	0
Smelser	0	0	0
Hamby	0	0	0
Reins	0	0	0
Total	26	8	60

Shooting percentage:  
A&M—46.0  
OSU—50.0

Cecil Epperley tied the game for OSU at 56-56. After this all-important shot, OSU called a time out and came onto the floor again in an impregnable defense that brought A&M scoring to a stalemate until the end of the regular game.

A&M took four time outs during the last five minutes, but still couldn't muster any scoring punch. Not even a shot was fired from either team.

Don Stanley popped in a jump shot with only 26 seconds gone in the overtime and the Aggies enjoyed this two-point margin until Epperley broke away for a tying layup with 35 seconds left to play.

With the score tied 58-58, Broussard stepped to the free-throw line and the clock gleamed 13 seconds, but missed.

Eleven seconds later, Miller's set shot swished through the cords and the gall game belonged to OSU.

Greer was high point man for the night with 22 points. Twenty of the points were from the field as Greer averaged 66.7 per cent.

Don Stanley took second place honors by hitting 17 points with a 63.6 average.

For the first time this season Broussard wasn't A&M's top scorer, but ended up third with 15 points.

## Cage Roundup: Sooners, Duke Win

By the Associated Press  
HOUSTON — Oklahoma came from behind in the last five minutes Thursday night to defeat the University of Houston 55-51 in the second game of a Bluebonnet Bowl basketball doubleheader. Oklahoma meets Texas A&M Friday night, with Houston meeting Oklahoma State, victor over Texas A&M.

loss and kept the Blue Devils undefeated in five games.

Heyman and Carroll Youngkin paced the Blue Devils to a 37-26 halftime lead by scoring 14 and 13 points respectively in the first 20 minutes.

Heyman, Duke's brilliant sophomore, led all scorers with 25 points and pulled in 10 rebounds.

CLEMSON, S. C. — Duke's eighth-ranked Blue Devils put together two almost even halves Thursday night and whipped Clemson 75-58 in an Atlantic Coast Conference game.

Duke had a 26-point lead several times in the second half, but saw it dwindle to 12 points with about three minutes remaining. Ten quick points by Art Heyman, Buz Mewhort and Jack Mullen sealed the Tigers' fifth straight

College Scores

San Francisco St.	78	Valparaiso	70
St. Mary's (Calif.)	79	Evansville	69
Centenary	78	Rice	63
The Citadel	86	Loyola (New Orleans)	78
New Mexico	95	Colorado St.	86
Bowdoin	71	MIT	65
Memphis St.	75	Brigham Young	72
Connecticut	84	Vermont	73
Bowdoin	71	MIT	65
Harvard	66	Tufts	57

## Kiobassa, Dodge, Blisingame Cook Cop Frosh Office Posts

Four freshman officers were chosen yesterday in the runoff of the general election held Dec. 7.

The four are Frank R. Kiobassa, president; Mike C. Dodge, vice-president; Sam W. Blisingame, secretary-treasurer, and Mac G. Cook, social secretary.

## Campus Chest Drive Success Appears Dim

Prospects looked exceptionally dim late yesterday afternoon for the success of the College Campus Chest drive, with less than half the campus units submitting reports to drive headquarters.

Drive Chairman Clayton LaGrone said at 4 p.m. the total submitted to him was only \$293.16. This total was submitted a day after the official deadline.

Another discouraging aspect, LaGrone added, was the fact 25 Cadet Corps units still had not reported at all. He added less than half the civilian reports had also been submitted.

The goal for the two-day drive, conducted Tuesday and Wednesday nights in college dormitories and all week through receptacles on campus, was \$3,000.

LaGrone even said officials are considering holding another drive sometime during the second semester. The chairman admitted the date for this year's drive was poor.

In the initial voting Dec. 7, nine freshmen received majorities and were elected to positions on the Student Senate and Election Committee.

Clayton LaGrone, a senior, was elected to the Student Senate Welfare Committee.

The freshmen elected to Student Senate positions Dec. 7 were Warren M. Dillard, Michael E. Keeling, John H. Kirk and James W. Smith.

Named to places on the Election Commission were Bill A. Mathews, Tommy Ransdell, Ricky Shaw, A. M. Williams and Warren R. Woods.

Voting began at 8 a.m. and the polls closed at 5:30 p.m., with a total of 589 freshmen voting.

Official Election Commission returns are: President, Kiobassa, 340; and Larry Burgoon, 249; vice-president, Dodge, 378; and Vic Mitchell, 208; secretary-treasurer, Blisingame, 224; Butch H. Johnson, 183; and Macky L. Brittain, 166; social secretary, Cook, 366; and William C. Sturgeon, 207.

In the general election, interest was greater and a total of 848 votes were cast as compared to the 589 votes cast yesterday.

For a Student Senate seat, the member has to maintain a GPR of 1.5 or better and for all other positions the office-holder must have at least a 1.0 GPR.



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