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THE MASKED HARANGUER

garb, Sully was masked and provided with a men with brooms.

Unidentified students displayed disapproval broomhandle and attached axe head. The of action taken against cadets in the recent Corps shakedown has resulted in the suspenhazing probe. Outfitted in executioner's sion of several students for striking fresh-

Campus Political Club Ban Reaffirmed By Committee

The Texas A&M Executive thoroughly. Committee reaffirmed its policy banning campus political clubs Monday.

The committee responded to Senate "urging recognition of committee. political clubs as official on-campus organizations.

H. L. Heaton, Executive Com-

"The Executive Committee reaffirms its policy established on Oct. 28, 1963 and on April 20, 1964 relative to political clubs on a May 10 letter from the Student campus," Heaton replied for the

"The Dean of the College of Department of History and govmittee secretary, notified Senate ernment are most anxious to as-President-Elect Barney Fudge the sist in establishing a political

committee reviewed "the matter study forum provided enough **A&M** Consolidated Program

Outstanding students at A&M and Ann McMurray, Betty Crock-Consolidated High School re- er Homemaker of Tomorrow. ceived honors at the annual

Awards Day ceremony Friday. Most of the awards, furnished by local and national civic groups and foundations, honored those the school.

Lions Club presented awards to Arline Dollar and Sandy Haight for art; Billy Randal, commercial; Ivo Junek and Douglas Richter, craftsman; and Sharon Skravanek and Rick Landmann, Eng-

Kiwanis Club honored most valuable players Mark Riedel, tennis; John Skrabanek, golf; and Richard Runkles, track.

Charles Powell was presented the Bausch Lomb science award; Barbara Hedges, National Mathematics Association of America; Linda Isbell, Crisco homemaking;

Honors Outstanding Students

Students receiving medals, trophies or cash awards were: Bob Franke, University National Bank Star Green Hand; Mike Thiltgen, Producers Co-op Star Chapter who had contributed the most to Farmer; Larry Wilhoit, Rotary (band); Fran Haugen, DAR American History; Mary Ruth Watkins, scholarship and Ardis Kemler, good citizenship.

> Ten speech students were awarded special certificates for one-act plays; eight students, individual speaking awards and nine students, homemaking awards.

> Economics honors went to Laurence Nemec and Shirley Oates; social education awards, Mary Elizabeth Griffin, Jan Harris and Wally Williams; vocation agriculture, Franke and Thiltgen; Tom Shelton and Donald Street.

student interest can be manifested to learn about the workings of the political parties in the United States," Heaton wrote.

"The Executive Committee reaffirms its position in the encouragement of students to express political views, study politi-Liberal Arts and the head of the cal parties and participate in local activities of political parties, he continued.

> Heaton said the framework for a political forum was now under study by the Executive Commit-

The 1963 ruling came after Young Democrats and Young Republicans asked for recognition as campus clubs. Committee minutes report "after due deliberation, the Committee came to the conclusion that it would be inadvisable to recognize either of these as campus activities. It was suggested that these clubs make contacts with Republican and Democrats Headquarters of this county and become a part of those organizations in whatever m most appropriate.

The 1964 action called attention to Sec. 2, Article V. H. B. 86 of the 58th Legislature which states. "None of the moneys appropriated by Articles I, II, III, and IV of this Act, regardless of their source or character, shall be used for influencing the outcome of any election, or the passage of defeat of any legislative mea-

The 1964 action noted "the 1963 ruling was still appropri-

Students Cleared

11 More Cadets Charged In Probe

Nine Texas A&M students previously dismissed were given lightened punishment by the University Appeals Committee over the weekend as the outbreak of physical hazing continues.

Eleven more students—nine sophomores and two juniors—were suspended until September and dropped from the Corps of Cadets. All the sophomores are from Company A-1 and the juniors are from Squadron 2. Seniors winning appeals from the UAC are Angel Saenz,

James A. Dimock and George L. Eastman. These students' suspension was lifted effective immediately. Juniors winning appeals are Victor O. Harvey, Elroy Garcia, George B. Davis and Joel Aldape. Garcia's suspension is lifted immediately, while the others may apply for enrollment in September rather than in February as the previous punishment stated.

Sophomore whose suspension was lifted effective immediately are Sanford T. Ward and Daniel L. Bailey

Dean of Students James P. Hannigan said no students were exonerated and none were reinstated into the Corps.

The new suspended students are juniors Al J. Ludwig and Henry C. Miller Jr. and sophomores Stephen C. Hodgkins, Larry L. Barbee, Robert W. Clapper, John H. Daly, Charles W. Dawson, Lee W. Horton, John W. Morgan and a student whose name was not released by the university.

These students are the last of 29 upperclassmen charged with wacking freshmen with broom handles. All were suspended from the university but permitted to complete finals exams next

The hazing incident was brought to the attention of Department of Military Science officials

Prowlers Arrested In Hensel Area

Campus Security chief Ed Powell reported Tuesday morning the peeping tom and women's underwear stealing cases have been solved.

Powell said that two men were other a resident of College Station.

Husbands in the Hensel area set up watch and turned in a suspect to the Campus Security who under questioning admitted as being the peeping tom.

The same tactics were used to arrest the women's underwear thief. When arrested the man had 68 pieces of women's underwear in his car.

Powell said all women who lost property should report to the Campus Security Office on campus to claim their items. He said to just call the secretary

sponsored movies is another maj-

or change Gay has seen take

"For 20 to 25 years we had

movies here on Wednesday and

Saturday nights for the stu-

dents," he recalls. "They cost 15

cents on Wednesday night and a

quarter Saturday or students

could buy a coupon for \$5 to see

every Saturday show throughout

Final Exam Schedule

Final examinations for the spring semester 1966 will be held May 30-June 4 according to the follow-

ing schedule: Monday, May 30 8-11 a.m. Classes MWF8 Monday, May 30 Tuesday, May 31 Tuesday, May 31 Wednesday, June 1 1-4 p.m. Classes TTh8F1 8-11 a.m. Classes MWF9 1-4 p.m. 8-11 a.m. Classes MWTh1 Classes MWF10 Wednesday, June 1 1-4 p.m. Classes TF1 Classes M3TTh10 Classes MWTh2 Classes MWF11 Thursday, June 12 8-11a.m. Thursday, June 2 1-4 p.m. 8-11 a.m. Friday, June 3 Classes M4TTh11 Friday, June 3 1-4 p.m. Classes TTh9F2 Saturday, June 4 8-11 a.m. Classes TF2 or TWF3 or TThF3 Saturday, June 4 1-4 p.m.

Final examinations in courses with only one theory hour per week as shown in the catalogue will be given, at the discretion of the department head concerned, at the last meeting of either the theory or practice period before the close of the

New Editors Announced For Student Publications

Student Publications editors for 1966-67 were announced Friday by Jim Lindsey, director of information and publications.

through an annonymous source

First Brigade unit commanders

were ordered late Wednesday to

turn in to the Commandant's of-

fice lists of all freshmen with

bruises apparently received from

brooms. Some units in the bri-

gade did report cases of beatings.

Thomas M. DeFrank, junior journalism major from Arlington, was appointed editor of The Battalion effective with Tuesday's edition.

Other editors include Gerald Garcia of Beeville, summer Battalion; John Hotard of Bryan, the Review; Fred B. Cherry of New Waverley, the Engineer; M. Leroy Shafer of Trent, the Agriculturist; John C. Hammond of Rockville, Md., the Aggieland, and J. Alford Moore of Houston, the Southwestern Veterinarian.

The new appointments were announced at Friday's Student Publications banquet.

DeFrank, a Distinguished Student for five semesters, has been staff writer, news editor and managing editor during his two years with The Battalion. A member of Phi Eta Sigma, Phi Kappa Phi and Sigma Delta Chi, he is also publicity chairman for SCONA XII.

He was chosen outstanding sophomore in the Department of arrested. One a student and the Journalism last year and last month received a \$400 Minneapolis Star scholarship as the department junior with the outstanding scholastic record.

> GARCIA IS president of the Society for A&M Journalists, and was vice president of Sigma Delta Chi, the professional journalist society.

During his two years with The Battalion he has served as staff writer, assistant news editor, managing editor and is presently sports editor.

He is also the recipient of the Amarillo Globe Scholarship.

Moore has been a Distinguished Student, freshman editor of the Baptist Student Union newspaper, associate editor of the Southwest Veterinarian and an athletic trainer.

He is also a member of the student chapter of the American Veterinary Medicine Association and is presently a student assistant in the Department of Veterinary Anatomy.

Hotard is a member of Alpha Delta Sigma, and is publicity assistant for the Aggie Plays. He was also associate editor of the Review before being appointed the Polaris Council, the Texas and was managing editor of the

Judo Club. Ross Volunteers and RV Firing Club and is national president of Squad and was section editor of the Aggieland this semester.

Cherry is a member of the Ross Volunteers and belongs to the In- Chicago. stitute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers.

Shafer has received the Opportunities Award Scholarship, the Santa Fe Educational Awards Scholarship, and the Anderson-Clayton Agricultural Journalism

A Distinguished Student, he is a member of Alpha Zeda honor society, and is secretary of Sigma Delta Chi.

HE IS A member of Corps

A&M Parachute Club and the Agriculturist this year.

Shafer is also president of He is also a member of the the Agricultural Communications the Agricultural College Magazines Associated and will head their November convention in

DeFrank has announced the staff for the Battalion for the 1966-67 year.

It includes Dani Presswood, managing editor; Gerald Garcia, sports editor; Larry Jerden, associate editor; and staff writers Robert Solovey, John Fuller, Judy Franklin and Jim Sizemore.

The staffs will take over publications again in the fall. The first summer Battalion edition will come out June 9.



DeFRANK Battalion



GARCIA Summer Battalion

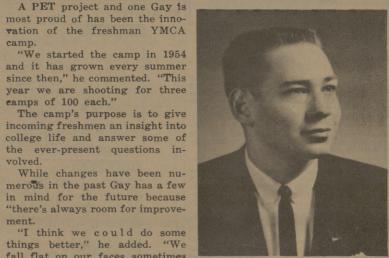


Review



HOTARD

SHAFER Agriculturalist



MOORE Veterinarian



HAMMOND



CHERRY Engineer

Past Reflects (

By DANI PRESSWOOD

Battalion Managing Editor Editor's Note: The following is the first installment of a twopart series outlining the history and functions of the YMCA. The concluding segment will appear Thursday.

Texas A&M's YMCA has seen don Gay began active service in

Before the construction of the Memorial Student Center and the All Faith's Chapel, the building was the primary recreational and religious center of the campus.

Today the YMCA program is geared to the development of the individual student's mental and spiritual self and prepare him for the outside world.

But despite alterations in method, the purpose of the Young Men's Christian Association has remained the same: to provide an atmosphere that would develop within students a sense of fellow-

"The program has expanded greatly through the years due to the creative interest of the boys,"

First Bank & Trust now pays 41/2% per annum on savings cerGay reflects modestly. "I'm real

proud of the Aggies." AFTER 24 years as assistant secretary, Gay became general secretary in 1952 and was named

"One thing I haven't been able a myriad of changes since J. Gor- to find out is when the YMCA was first established," Gay said, "but we do know it was a going

Coordinator of Religious Life in

addition to his YMCA duties in

concern 71 or 72 years ago." From research he has discovered that rooms in the basement of Leggett Hall were used as a YMCA several years ago.

Since that time, some of the major changes have been in religious life on campus.

"When I first came here students had compulsory chapel," Gay recalls. "Every Sunday morning everybody would march to Guion Hall."

It was made non-compulsory in 1930 and students were encouraged to attend their own church

GAY RECALLS that the YMCA was at one time the students' main gathering place, the campus "living room."

"The 'Y' had a swimming pool Manners program." Annihilation of the YMCAin the basement for several

years," he said. "But they covered it when the college built another one.' With the impletion of the pool,

the basement was developed into a recreation center with a fourlane bowling alley and 15 billiard In addition, the building housed

a barber shop, a confectionary and rooms for short courses. "The YMCA was the student center of the campus," he noted. "But when the MSC was built

these things here." Although some changes have been for the better, Gay was disturbed at the loss of Religious Emphasis Week.

there was no longer a need for

We had some outstanding speakers here for Religious Emphasis Week," he remarked, "and it was a big event here."

1942, discontinued until 1945 and observed annually until 1962. It was then turned over to the area churches and was terminated

RE WEEK was introduced in

this year. "An outgrowth of Religious Emphasis Week was the Marriage Forums," Gay disclosed, "and also the popular Man Your

While changes have been numerod's in the past Gay has a few in mind for the future because "there's always room for improve-

camps of 100 each."

"I think we could do some things better," he added. "We fall flat on our faces sometimes but we try to analyze and see where we went wrong.'