

At JETS Conference

I. E. Exhibit Takes First Place

Texas A&M members of the American Institute of Industrial Engineers won first place for exhibits in the College of Engineering open house during the state conference of the Junior Engineering Technical Society...

President of the A&M chapter is Edward M. Miller, senior from Oyster Bay, New York.

Second place went to the local chapter of the American Society of Civil Engineers, representing the Civil Engineering Department...

The campus chapter of the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics placed third. President of the organization, representing the Aerospace Engineering Department...

Technical papers — Wayne Hibbs, Andrews High School, and Priscilla Zahn and Lisa Berger, both of Cy-Fair High School in Houston.

Research Shows Fat Children Grow Into Fat, Dieting Adults

Dieting-addicted adults are trying to solve problems that began when they were children, according to research by a Texas A&M professor.

Dr. Charles B. Corbin of A&M's Health and Physical Education Department measured fat on 1,200 College Station grade school children for some condemning figures and grim conclusions.

His studies under an A&M Research Council grant reveals six to 17 per cent of the school system's six through 12-year-old boys (first to seventh grades) are obese.

It takes into account that certain amounts of subcutaneous fat for specified ages are considered acceptable.

CORBIN'S measurements were made with calipers rather than scales. A fold of skin on the tricep and back was measured on each child. Thickness indicates the amount of fat.

British and Canadian surveys show their children carry less fat. "It parallels physical fitness comparisons," Corbin remarked.

"Our kids are less fit and more fat."

His figures reveal Consolidated school children begin showing extra fat between ages seven and eight. The age 12 group has less fat than 11-year-old sixth graders.

"THERE are several possible explanations," the professor commented. "These kids are getting fat before they enter school physical education programs."

"Our kids are getting fatter as they grow older. Research shows fat people tend to get fatter. The majority of these kids aren't going to trim down in their teenage years. It's more proof against the 'baby-fat' theory which says, 'Don't worry, he'll grow out of it.'"

CORBIN SAID research results are "probably representative of the country as a whole."

"All of the Consolidated school system's first through sixth graders were measured. They represented rural, urban, high, low and middle income families."

Findings may be an indictment of eating habits or diet, Corbin surmised, "or it may mean parents should shut off the TV and see that their kids get more physical education earlier."

Second Marriage Discussion Slated

Dr. Robert Ledbetter of the University of Texas will continue the 16th annual YMCA Marriage Forum tonight by discussing "Making Marriage Meaningful" at 7:30 p.m.

Ledbetter, second in a series of five weekly lectures, will speak on such topics as handling emotional problems, making adjustments, coping with immaturity and budgeting money.

"The purpose of the forums," J. Gordon Gay, coordinator of religious life and general secretary of the YMCA, explained, "is to give adequate information to young people who are interested in the many problems of marriage."

Aggie Seniors To Honor Team, See Game Films At Banquet

The Senior Class will honor A&M's championship football team at an appreciation banquet in the Ramada Inn March 25.

Aggie seniors showing their gratitude to the team will be shown films of this year's season.

Tickets are on sale at the Student Program Office in the Memorial Student Center on a limited basis for \$3.50.

Tickets will go off sale Friday.

Advertisement for Hallmark Land Is At Aggie Land Flower and Gift Shoppe, North Gate. Includes a cartoon illustration of a man and a dog.

Advertisement for Loupot's ATM Champs '67-'68, featuring emblem sweatshirts and long or short sleeve shirts in 4 colors.

Advertisement for The Episcopal Church, announcing adult classes for all interested in its life and teachings, starting 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, March 24.

BATTALION CLASSIFIED

Political Announcements section, including subject to action of the Democratic Primary May 4, 1968, and for Congressman, Sixth Congressional District, OLIN E. TEAGUE (Re-Election).

FOR SALE section, listing a 1963 Dodge Station Wagon, Real Bargains—Only two left, new 1967 Mustangs, and 12 Ping Pong table tops.

FOUND section, listing a man's wedding band and a typewriter.

WE RENT TYPEWRITERS section, advertising electric, manual, and portable typewriters.

OTIS McDONALD'S section, advertising a variety of items including party records, golf games, and Texas Aggie Champion stickers.

AUTO INSURANCE FOR AGGIES section, advertising Farmers Insurance Group with call to George Webb.

SOSOLIK'S TV & RADIO SERVICE section, advertising Zenith, Color & B&W - TV A Makes - TV - Repairs.

FOR RENT section, advertising a large furnished house and recently renovated apartments.

THE BRYAN ARMS APARTMENTS section, advertising congenial living with separate adult and family areas.

VICTORIAN APARTMENTS section, advertising midway between Bryan & A&M University.

HOME & CAR RADIO REPAIRS SALES & SERVICE section, advertising Ken's Radio & TV.

GM Lowest Priced Cars section, advertising OPEL KADETT and Sellstrom Pontiac - Buick.

TRANSMISSIONS REPAIRED & EXCHANGED section, advertising HAMIL'S TRANSMISSION.

LOOKING FOR A NEW CAR FOR ONLY \$1767.00 section, advertising Hickman Garrett Volkswagen.

Now Leasing The New Luxurious Trinity Gardens section, advertising a two-bedroom apartment with various amenities.

HELP WANTED section, advertising an Aggie wife wanted for hostess-waitress.

WORK WANTED section, advertising a dependable hostess-waitress.

SPECIAL NOTICE section, advertising attention to personnel and students of A&M University.

TRY BATTALION CLASSIFIED section, advertising a blocker trant.

Blocker Trant section, advertising watch repair, jewelry repair, and diamond senior rings.

C. W. Varner & Sons Jewelers section, advertising jewelry services.

CHILD CARE section, advertising Humpty Dumpty Children Center.

FREIGHT SALVAGE section, advertising brand name furniture and household appliances.

AUTO REPAIRS section, advertising all makes repairs.

Cade Motor Co. Ford Dealer section, advertising Ford vehicles.

TYPEWRITERS section, advertising rentals, sales, and service for various typewriter models.

OFFICIAL NOTICE section, advertising international persons and English proficiency examination.

English Proficiency Examination section, advertising the examination for international persons.

These undergraduate students who have 95 semester hours of credit may purchase the A&M ring.

Students wishing to place a 1967 AGGIELAND in their high school may pick them up in the office of Student Publications.

"SPRING AWARD SCHOLARSHIPS" section, advertising application forms for Spring Award Scholarships.

PREVETERINARY MEDICINE STUDENTS section, advertising registration for pre-veterinary medicine.

C & D SALVAGE CO. section, advertising salvage services.

AUTO REPAIRS section, advertising all makes repairs.

Cade Motor Co. Ford Dealer section, advertising Ford vehicles.

CATES TYPEWRITER CO. section, advertising typewriter services.

Large advertisement for C & D Salvage Co. featuring an illustration of a man in a graduation cap and gown standing next to a large robot. Text includes: "If you don't agree that business destroys individuality, maybe it's because you're an individual." and lists services like furniture salvage and typewriter repairs.