## Former vet dean speak

Dr. Willis William Armistead, former dean of veterinary medicine at Texas A&M, will be commencement speaker for the institution's veterinary medicine graduation ceremonies Aug. 7. The exercises will be con-

College Station, Texas

ducted at 8 p.m. in Bryan Civic faculty and rose through the Auditorium.

Dr. Armistead is now dean of veterinary medicine at Michigan State University. He has held A&M in 1957.

Born in Detroit but reared in Minnesota. Following a two-year private Texas A&M veterinary medicine academic ranks. He was named

dean in 1953.

Houston, Armistead earned a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degree at Texas A&M in 1938. Association and the Association He is a past president of both the American Veterinary Medical Association and the Association He is a past president of both the American Veterinary Medical training project for 1970-71, acof American Veterinary Medical practice in Dallas, he joined the Colleges and is a member of head. numerous scholarly and professional societies.

Dr. Armistead has served in top editorial positions for key In addition to his D.V.M., Dr. professional publications, includ-Armistead holds a master's de- ing "The North American Vetthat position since leaving Texas gree from Ohio State University erinarian" and "Journal of the

## THE BATTALION Department to get Ph.D. in forestry offered \$40,500 grant

The Department of Nuclear Engineering has received notification of a \$40,500 grant from the U.S. Department of Health, cording to Dr. R. G. Cochran,

Dr. Richard D. Neff, associate professor and radiological safety officer, is director of the activity. The funds will provide trainee-

ship positions for ten graduate students, Neff said. Neff came here in 1966 from

A cooperative Ph.D. program in forestry will be jointly offered by Texas A&M University and sity, beginning Sept. 1.

Announcement of the agreeber, dean of the SFA Graduate School, and Dr. George W. Kunze, dean of Texas A&M's Graduate College.

The cooperative doctoral program was originally proposed by cooperative graduate programs. offer Bachelor of Science the Coordinating Board, Texas The overall program will include College and University System, cross appointment of professors

Students earning the Ph.D. in forestry will receive their degrees Stephen F. Austin State Univer- from Texas A&M but they may in forestry education. St take as much as half of their School of Forestry has progra formalized course work at the leading to Bachelor of Science ment was made by Dr. J. N. Ger- Nacogdoches institution, the and Master of Science dega deans explained.

> They said a joint six-member graduate advisory council will be established for coordination and administration of this and other Coordinating Board approva

ate faculty. Both Stephen F. Austin Texas A&M have a long his

while Texas A&M has tradition ally offered the Ph.D. degree forestry. Texas A&M recently rec

Master of Science degrees in junction with the formation

