

# The Daily Texan

Only thing needed now for a social event is a victrola in the library.



FIRST COLLEGE DAILY IN THE SOUTH

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Wonder if the bear meat at the Gym tonight is going to be tough?

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## TEXAS CONQUERS OWLS SATURDAY BY EASY MARGIN

First Half Ends With Score of 8 to 8—Tisdale's Men Make Only 3 Points in Second

	P	W	L	Pct.
Texas	11	11	0	1000
A. & M.	9	8	1	889
Rice	10	4	6	444
T. C. U.	8	3	5	375
S. M. U.	10	3	5	375
Baylor	9	2	7	222
South W.	7	1	6	143

(By "Bud")

The Longhorns stepped away from the Owls by a score of 36 to 11 in the second game between the Rice five and the Texas quintet played Saturday night. The playing was fast and the Rice men put up a stiff fight which is shown by the score at the end of the first half. All during the first half a score by one side immediately brought forth one for the other side, ending 8 to 8. In the second half the Texas men struck their stride and walked away from the Owls.

George McCullough played the best game of the season. His good foot work in guarding the great Kingsland, who is several feet taller than George, saved Texas many goals. McCullough shadowed him every minute of the game and in several instances took the ball completely away from him. Captain Greer, for Texas, was weak on his goal shooting in the first half, trying a great number of long shots from the center of the field, but in the second half he played better and by the aid of good passing he coralled one goal after another. Six fouls were called during the game but only one free throw was made by each team. The playing was rough and fast but on the whole was the cleanest that has been pulled for some time.

Greer was high point man for Texas, bringing home ten field goals and one free throw, making a total of twenty-one points. DeViney came out with two field goals. Smyth, Russell, and Lee Dittert each made a field goal. Kingsland, playing center, was the Rice high point man, pulling down two field goals and one free throw. Brown, McKene and

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### NOTICE

The following students are requested to call at the office of the Dean of the College at once:

- Badt, Clarence
- Bell, W. H.
- Bouldin, Collis
- Brantley, Beatrice
- Brister, E. H.
- Caperton, Edith
- Carlton, Faythe
- Cash, Azelle
- Coglin, W. E.
- Curry, Kathleen
- Eckman, C. J.
- English, Middleton
- Farrell, B. C.
- Fisher, Sterling
- Gilley, L. L.
- Hutchings, R. L.
- Johnson, Ella
- Koch, J. A.
- Kraft, D. B.
- Lacey, James L.
- Lee, R. S.
- Lockwood, Hazel
- Luce, Joe
- McCallum, A. N.
- McCarty, Jack
- McDonald, Mattie
- Manning, Mary
- Pendergrass, R. A.
- Petach, Wm.
- Priest, B. B.
- Thomas, Leona
- Thomas, Giles
- Tips, G. W.
- Wallace, G. T.
- Walker, T. E.
- Warren, Mary
- Wright, J. Walker

H. Y. BENEDICT.

## NEW FINANCE PLAN BEING CONSIDERED

Dr. Vinson and Dr. Bizzell Will Go Before House Wednesday to Discuss Proposal

Next Wednesday night, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, before a conference of the Senate and House, some of the state's most eminent men, including President Vinson of the University and Dr. Bizzell of A. and M. will discuss a proposed finance bill for the colleges of Texas, the passing of which will be of the greatest importance to the students and faculty of the University.

Under one of the provisions of the bill, the present system of financing the University and A. and M. together is to be changed so that the University will receive two-thirds of the present endowment fund and in the future be financed as a separate and distinct institution from that of A. and M.

If this proposed bill is passed, it will probably mean the realizing of one of the greatest dreams and ambitions for which the students and faculty have for many years been striving—a greatly enlarged campus and beautiful new permanent building erected in place of the numerous "shacks" now adorning the comparatively small campus.

## RULES FOR HIGH SCHOOL LANGUAGE CREDITS CHANGED

An action that is of importance to many high school students of the State has just been taken by the committee on admission requirements and the general faculty of the University of Texas. The general faculty has adopted the recommendations of this committee on admission requirements as follows:

"That upon presentation of a statement from his principal, or superintendent showing that he began the study of German in time to complete at least two entrance units in it before graduating; that German was officially dropped from the curriculum, with date of such action, and that he could not then get in two years of another foreign language and still satisfy all other requirements for high school graduation, such student may receive credit for a little as one unit in German and will not be required to satisfy the two-unit admission requirement in foreign language, provided, however, that this action does not reduce the total number of units regularly required for admission."

## ENGINEERS SPIRITED

Banquet to be Held on the 21st Incites Great Amount of Pep

Engineering spirit is rampant this week in anticipation of the Annual Engineering Banquet which will be held on the night of February 21, at the Driskill Hotel, beginning at 6:30 p. m. The tickets already sold are nearing the 200 mark. Both Seniors and Juniors have far exceeded their records of previous years, but the Sophomores, for some reason, are lagging far behind the others. Their old time pep seems dead or bottled up.

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## EDWIN PARKER HONORED

Edwin B. Parker, who took his LL. B. in '89 has just been called upon to serve as chairman of the United States Liquidation Commission in Paris. Judge Parker was the executive head of the law firm of Baker, Botts, Parker & Garwood, of Houston, Texas, but within the last two years he has been spending most of his time in Washington, D. C. After devoting several days to his personal affairs, he will sail for Paris.

## FROSH ATTEMPT SECOND ELECTION ON COMING FRIDAY

Huffman Announces That Affair Will be in Nature of Secret Ballot

The election of the officers of the Freshmen Class will be held Friday and will be in the nature of a secret ballot, according to Reagan Huffman, President of the Students' Association, who continued:

"Beginning Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock, I will receive petitions for the following offices of the Freshman Class: President, vice president, secretary-treasurer, and sergeant-at-arms. These petitions must be signed by at least twenty-five names and shall state that the candidate is a bona fide Freshman and is a candidate for such particular office in good faith.

"Any bona fide Freshman is eligible as a candidate and all petitions must be turned in at the office of the Students' Association not later than 12 o'clock Wednesday night."

Mr. Huffman has planned a method of conducting the election which will practically eliminate all upper classmen from participating in it and he assures the Freshmen that he will see that they have a fair deal in electing their officers for the Freshman Class. Under his plan practically all outside interference will be eliminated, but he would give no details of his plan of the Freshmen successfully conducting the election of their officers without the help of the upper classmen, other than that the election would be in the nature of a secret ballot.

The Freshmen have from 8 o'clock Tuesday morning until 12 o'clock Wednesday night to get up petitions for the candidates for the respective offices, and turn them in the office of the President of the Students' Association.

Although the petitions must be

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## GYM FUND TO RECEIVE IMMEDIATE ATTENTION OF FORMER STUDENTS

One of the first items which the Ex-Students' Association will look into immediately, is the item concerning the gym fund. This fund was started by Thomas W. Gregory, of Austin, Texas, for the purpose of building a gymnasium for the University. Although no recent developments have been made towards enlarging this fund, it is the intention of the trustees to push the matter vigorously in the near future. Dean H. Y. Benedict is in charge of the fund.

## Seniors to Push Candy Pull And Stunt Party to Success

In spite of the general apathy in class spirit in the University, in spite of the lack of class spirit in the Senior class itself, in spite of a rival attraction at the Hancock Opera House, and in spite of the tradition in the University that the first social event of each graduating class is doomed to failure the Senior academs are planning an affair for Thursday night that will rival all efforts at punch and pep ever attempted by Varsity classes in the past.

President Louis J. Hexter has announced his committees that will "steamroller" the affair into a success. Most failures of the proposed affair are known only to members of the class but these facts have been divulged to the curious public. It will be a combination candy pull and stunt party, and will be held in one

## SIX LETTER MEN RETURN TO TEXAS TO PLAY BASEBALL

"Holes Are Many," Says Disch. Cannon One of Those to Come Back

"With five old men back and another to return in the near future, the baseball team shows fair promise," said William Disch, coach of baseball at the University of Texas.

"The holes are many, but with the return of several men, the team is raising its chances. What it needs now are pitchers, catchers, hitters and base runners. Many youngsters are out, but it takes old heads to play good baseball. Five of the letter men of last year are in school but they alone can't make the team.

"Ralph Barry is showing fairly good form in the box," continued Mr. Disch. He has a good head for baseball and nothing slips by him. He obtains and uses the technical points. He never forgets. He will be alternately used as pitcher and first baseman with Bib Falk.

"Bib Falk has shown his greatest ability as a hitter during this year. He is the only man that can drive the ball. After putting 185 pounds behind the bat, he sends the ball on a real trip. Last year he put one over the right field fence, a distance of about three hundred feet.

"Bill Collins is a wonder, too, in the field. There is not a player in school that can compare with him. He never misses, and he never loses time in throwing. His weakest spot, however, is in hitting.

"Jimmie Greer is a mediumly good hitter and also fielder. His regular position is third base. Due to basket ball practice and game it has been impossible for him to come out.

"George McCullough, captain, is also on the basket ball squad, and practice for him has been impossible.

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## PAUL REICHEL IS SLATED TO VISIT SCHOOL IN MARCH

Paul Reichel, traveling secretary of the Student Volunteer Band, will be at the University from March 2 to 4 for the purpose of stimulating interest in the local student volunteer band. He will speak in the University Methodist Church Sunday, March 2, and at Chapel on Tuesday morning, March 4.

Mr. Reichel is an Ohio State University man, has spent two years in traveling for the Student Volunteer movement, and was general secretary of the University Y. M. C. A. of South Dakota. When the war broke out, however, he entered the army, and has only lately received his discharge.

## NINE COMMISSIONED FROM CAMP TAYLOR

Students of University Finish Course and Obtain Appointments

Nine former students of the University have been graduated from the field artillery officers' training school at Camp Zachary Taylor, Kentucky, with commissions as second lieutenants. They are Walter J. Denby, of Jacksonville; B. Kimbrough Garrett, of San Antonio; J. Harvey Maxwell, of Austin; Adolphe L. Heichelheim, of Austin; Lawrence W. Wells, Jr., of Terrell; Richard A. Knight, of Dallas; Walter B. Van Wart, of Dallas; H. Arlyn Johnson, of Humble; and William Seipel, of Galveston.

Four of these men—Denby, Garrett, Maxwell and Heichelheim—are now on the campus. The latter three have entered school and are working to obtain credit for the winter term's work. Mr. Denby, however, intends to await the spring term before entering. It is thought that many of the other graduates will also return in March and take courses during the last term.

The nine lieutenants (as they may now be called) received their discharge immediately following the award of their commissions. They now form part of the reserve army and are subject to call at any time.

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## MACHINE SHOPS ARE NOW IN GOOD ORDER SAYS A. M. BUMANN

Since the machines shops of Camp Mabry are closed, the tools and machines are slowly returning to the school. Last fall the engineering shops, which are located in the power house, were very quiet, but now since the supplies have returned from Camp Mabry, classes in shop work have resumed their activities. According to A. M. Bumann, adjunct professor of mechanical engineering, the classes in his line of work are doing extremely well. Some of the machines have not yet been put in working order, but will be within the next few days. The lack of machines is the only drawback to the numerous students that are engaged in this work, but plenty of machines will be in working order soon. Mr. Bumann states that he is very well satisfied with the work of the students, and that conditions for better work are improving daily.

The shop is now running on its

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## GRANT WILL LECTURE

Journalists to Hear Talk by San Antonio Express Editor

All students of journalism will be pleased to learn that arrangements have been made for A. W. Grant, the managing editor of the San Antonio Express to deliver a lecture or "practical talk," as it might be termed, at a joint meeting of the journalism classes next Thursday morning, from 10 to 10:50 o'clock. Mr. Grant has had more than twenty years experience in newspaper work in Texas. He is familiar with the various branches of the writing profession and his address promises to be of much interest and practical value to the students who may be so fortunate as to hear him. He will take for his subject, "Habits that Hamper Journalistic Success."

### REGENTS IN TOWN

W. R. Brents of Sherman, and J. A. Kemp of Wichita Falls, both members of the Board of Regents, are in town today in connection with the bill for redistributing the finances of the University and A. and M. which is now before the Legislature. They will be present at the meeting tomorrow when President Vinson speaks to the House Committee.

## SOCIAL SCHEDULE FOR WINTER TERM IS NOW ARRANGED

Committee on Student Social Affairs Announces All Social Events for Term

The Faculty Committee for Student Affairs announces the schedule for all entertainments that are to be given by the different organizations during the winter term. These events are limited as usual to Friday and Saturday nights. Every Saturday has been applied for by the German Club for their weekly dances, and these will be held regularly as heretofore.

The calendar follows:

- Friday 21, S. A. E., Chapter Home; Reed Music Club Dance; Cactus.
- Saturday 22, German; K. C. Hall; Pre-Meds Dance, Cactus Tea, room; Newman Club, Newman Hall.
- Friday 23, Soph Reception, K. C. Hall; Phi Gamma Delta, Elk's Club.
- Mar. 1, German, K. C. Hall; Newman girls, Newman Hall; D. K. E. Dance, Elks' Club.
- Friday 7, Phi Kappa Psi, Elks Hall; Lambda Chi Alpha, Cactus Tea room.
- Saturday 8, German, K. C. Hall.
- March 14, Phi Gamma Delta Chapter House.
- March 15, German, K. C. Hall.

## TEXAS CHANGES PROGRAM MEETING BAYLOR TONIGHT

Excellent Game Is Promised. "Dope" Shows Baylor Has Good Record

Instead of waiting till tomorrow the Baylor Bears will come to Austin tonight for the basketball game that was scheduled for the 18th. This eleventh hour change was made necessary because the game that was to have been played this afternoon between the Baylor and Southwestern was rained out, the Methodist court being located outside. The Bears telegraphed that if it would be possible to arrange it they would like to come here tonight, thus saving the players from missing any more of their school work than necessary. In order to accommodate them the Texas officials promptly agreed to this.

Although it has always been customary for the Longhorns to swamp the Baptists, it is quite probably that the game tonight will be tight. The Baylor five defeated the Farmers a few days ago by the score of 24 to 22. It is true that the team on its northern trip put it over the Waco men to the tune of 21 to 13, but since A. & M. went down in defeat to them it is evident that they have picked up and are playing a stronger game than at the beginning of the season.

The line-up will in all probability be the same one that has started most of the games of the season, but it is possible that later event may cause a change.

In spite of the fact that the weather is damp and a little cold, the

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## What's on Today

- Band practice at 7 p. m.
- United publications board meeting.
- Girls' ten-mile hike, 2 p. m.
- Junior engineers meet, 5 p. m.
- B-Hallites at 6:45 p. m.
- Sophomore Finance Committee, 5 p. m.

## Tomorrow

- Pentagram social, 77 p. m.
- Alpha Kappa Psi, 4 p. m.
- Girls' ten-mile hike, 2 p. m.
- Present Day Club.

# GAME WITH BAYLOR TONIGHT AT GYM--ALL ROOTERS ATTEND

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### A MATTER OF TRADITION

Basketball is as much a part of the University sports as any other branch, and as such it deserves the full support of the student body. In the past it has been customary for the male rooters to sit in a body on the north side of the court, and to actively engage in yelling and rooting for the team at the regular intercollegiate games. Yell Leader O'Keefe led yelling in the Rice contests, but it was only a starter for what is necessary and should be forthcoming to beat the Aggies.

But three more Austin games remain on the Longhorn schedule. Every student should make it his business to be on hand, giving his utmost support to the basketball players in these games. To do this most effectively the men should all be on the north side, and as a man they should follow the directions of Yell Leader O'Keefe. Let's see some real support at these games, and there will be no doubt of another Longhorn victory.

### THE LONGHORNS LEAD

The closely played Rice-Longhorn basketball games are now a matter of history and Texas still leads the field in the race for first place in basketball honors. Texas A. & M. our worthy rival in all branches of sport is our sole contender for the final championship. We have five more games to play and four of these are with the Aggies. Our basketball team and Coach Henderson are stretching forth every effort to bring the gonfalon here for the year. Every student should eat, drink, sleep and think basketball between now and the end of the season if it will help the team to victory in any way. Let's have a record breaking attendance at the Baylor game Tuesday night to show our team that we are with them as they go to meet the enemy in College Station.

### SMILES COLUMN

**HAD HIS NERVE WITH HIM**  
"Say, Suburbs, did bring back that snow shovel you lent me last winter?"  
"No, you didn't."  
"That's too bad. I just came over to borrow it again."—Boston Transcript.

**MAIDEN'S IDILOQUY**  
And very much on the qui vive,  
And very much on the pui vive,  
I thought it was with heated nails  
The farmer curled the piggie's tails.

But now that I am nothing loath  
To learn and have attained my groth  
And traveled much in foreign lands,  
I know he uses rubber bands.  
—Harvard Lampoon.

**HOGGING HIS FRIENDS**  
"Mr. W. Knight, of Cothington, wishes to thank most heartily the many friends for their assistance in the loss of his pig."—Gloucester Independent

"May I ask how old you are?" said the vacationist to the old villager.  
"I just be a hundred."  
"Really? Well, I doubt if you'll see another hundred years," said the other trying to cake conversation.  
"Wall, I don't know so much about that," was the ready response. "I be stronger now than when I started on the first hundred."—Transcript.

Husband: "Confound it. I don't know what's the matter with this razor, it is awfully dull."  
Wife: "Dull? Why, when I opened that can of sardines with it this morning it was so sharp I nearly cut my finger off."—Peoples Home Journal.

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### SPORT BRIEFS

T. C. U. beat S. M. U. 36 to 32 Friday and S. M. U. beat the Baylor Bears 32 to 8 Saturday.

Someone in Waco asked how Geo. McCullough made the team. You tell 'im how twas.

Russell played in hard luck on goal shooting Saturday night, but did you ever see such passing.

The Owls have now gone to blink revenge out of their eyes at the Mustangs and Horned Frogs. The Frogs are in the blinking class too.

Coach Disch and Juneau agree that rainy weather is rough on the track and baseball men.

The Baylor Bears will be here tonight.

Not quite a week until the Longhorns will be grazing on the sacred grass at College Station.

Did you see the baseball schedule? Twenty-four games and fifteen to be played at home. We beat the Chicago White Sox April 7 or 8.

Interfraternity basketball championship is narrowing down until it looks as if the Chi Phis and Betas will play for first place.

Little George says he likes to play against string beans because they wilt when he looks at them right hard. Ferocious George.

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A postal card or letter addressed to the Federal Board for Vocational Education, Washington, will bring the details of this great scheme of governmental justice.

### EX-STUDENT IN AUSTIN

James Luther Mims, B. A. '16, has recently returned to Austin to take up his duties with the new administration. He was appointed actuary in the Texas State Department of Insurance and Banking by Commissioner George W. Briggs.

Immediately after receiving his degree, Mr. Mims accepted a position with the Western Union Life Insurance Company of Spokane, Washington. Last spring he resigned his place and enlisted in the navy. Immediately after the signing of the armistice, he was released from the service at the request of his former employers and returned to his old work. He later resigned this to come to Austin, arriving here on the tenth of the month.

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### MAJOR GILCREST IS NOW SERVING WITH U. S. ARMY

Major E. L. Gilcrest who received his M. D. degree in the Medical College of Galveston, Texas, in 1906 is now serving in active service in France. Major Gilcrest was located at Base Hospital No. 86, Mesves, France. His letter to Dr. A. B. Small, of Dallas contains the following remarks:

"During the Champagne drive last October, a German machine gunner concealed in a tree, had been playing havoc for a number of hours with his deadly fire. Finally a Yank located him, and, slipping around, caught him unawares. At this instant the Boche threw up his hands and running toward the American, said: "Don't shoot me; I have a wife and four children at home!" The Yank quickly replied as he raised his gun: "You are crazy as H—! You mean you have a widow and four orphans at home."

Major Gilcrest, who has seen service in Europe as a physician before the war started, mentioned that the question all the Americans are asking is "When do we go home." He also said that the gratitude of the French has greatly impressed him. He remarked they would wave their hands and smile wherever they sighted Americans, and that "their eyes spoke volumes and seemed verily to be the gateway for the outpouring of their hearts full of thankfulness."

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### Yank, Honored by England, Subject of Naval Probe

LONDON, Feb. 17.—For some time there has been talk of investigation surrounding the case of Capt. Edmund G. Chamberlain, of San Antonio, Texas, an officer of the United States Marine Corps, who was reported last summer as having while on furlough, joined a British aviation squadron on the battle front and achieved a notable victory in the air over the Germans and when forced to land by reason of a damaged machine, he made his exploit more brilliant by taking a German prisoner and carrying back to the British lines a wounded Frenchman, notwithstanding the heavy fire of the enemy directed against him.

Recently the headquarters of the United States Navy here gave the Associated Press the following statement on the case:

"Some time ago a report was received that Captain Chamberlain had rendered conspicuous service in France. Later there arose certain questions as to the authenticity of the circumstances as reported.

"For the benefit of Captain Chamberlain, as well as for the good of the naval service, it was decided that a full and complete investigation should be made of all the circumstances in the case. This investigation is now in progress with the object of clearing up all doubt.

"Captain Chamberlain is in France assisting in the investigation. He is not under any sort of restraint. James P. Crenshaw, a lawyer of San Antonio is co-operating with Captain Chamberlain at the request of the latter."

A dispatch from London, August 31, last, said that the then Lieutenant Chamberlain, who is a graduate of Princeton and the University of Texas had received simultaneous recommendations for the Victoria Cross and the Congressional Medal of Honor for an exploit July 28 over the British front in a battle with twelve German machines. Lieutenant Chamberlain, it was reported, destroyed five of the enemy planes and damaged two others

and sweeping earthward with his own plane, damaged the German formation, scattered a detachment of enemy soldiers.

The dispatch added that Chamberlain after landing successfully fended three German soldiers whom he countered into believing his company was a bomb, forced two of them to flee and captured the other. That still keeping his captive, Chamberlain found a wounded French officer and carried him back to safety into the British lines, crossing a stream under heavy fire by the Germans. It was asserted that he refused to give his name to the British officer in command of the aerial forces on that sector of the front because of fear of being reprimanded by his own commander. The major, however, was unable to keep the matter quiet according to the story, and the full details were made part of his official report of the day's fighting.

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**SOCIETY**

Wanda Whitman

**Valentine Party**

Mrs. Neil Carothers and Miss Anna Hendricks, Director and Business Manager of the Woman's Building, were hostesses to the girls of the building household Friday evening at the annual Valentine Tea. The affair was one of the most brilliant of the series given to the girls during the history of the building. Invitations were extended through an immense heart with the at home cards of Mrs. Carothers and Miss Hendricks attached, placed on the bulletin board early in the week. All acceptances were in verse, a prize being awarded for the cleverest one. Opal Porter, of Tyler, was given the coveted honor of being toastmistress, and the toast list was one of unusual distinctiveness. The responses were as follows:

- Mrs. Carothers—Ruth Harrell.
- Miss Hendricks—Linda Lancaster.
- Miss Wright—Lena Koch.
- Katherine, the Daughter of the House—Floy Lewis.
- Annexes—Mab Harrison.
- Response—Mrs. J. S. Boswell.
- Ten Little Freshmen—Musical Interpretation.
- New Girls—Ruth Hogue.
- Old Girls—Lola Greer.
- President W. B. Board of Health—Radolph Talbot.
- Temperature Takers—Susan Barry.
- Presentation of "Croix de Flu" to Seven Temperature Takers—Sue Thomason.
- Good Old Days—Verne Leary.
- Reading of greetings from Old Girls.
- Presentation of prize for best acceptance—Mildred Herron to Rona Collier.
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Great Britain—Bess Ferguson. Italy—Mary Page Maltby. France, the Marsellaise—Tommy Woolsey.

America—Opal Porter. The grand march began during the singing of "America" and concluded with the "Star Spangled Banner." Dancing was indulged in until midnight. During the dances a mahogany parlor lamp was presented as a Valentine to the Building from the girls.

Decorations were elaborate and beautiful; crimson hearts and tulle were mingled with flowers and ferns on the huge "T" shaped table where the five-course banquet was served to one hundred and fifty girls.

**GIRLS ELECT CAPTAINS**

Girls basketball teams have elected the following captains: Freshman, K. Pollard; Sophomore, Minnie Giesecke; June, Ethel Jackson, and Senior, Ethel Gray.

Yesterday afternoon the seniors played the juniors in a well matched game, and though the juniors put up a good fight, the score was 18 to 16 in favor of the seniors. After the game, the freshmen challenged the victorious team to a game which was won by the undaunted seniors, 64 to 6.

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**HOW DO YOU GET THAT WAY**

"Say, boy, what're those green tags for anyway?"  
 "Aw, that's some pedoggie delegation. They're always up to something over there."  
 "Yeh, I wonder what it is now."  
 "Donna. Maybe Dr. Ellis is giving a dance or something."  
 "Say, don't you take a course in that Department so we can go and see what they're up to now?"  
 "Naw—but I had a brother once who took a course under Dr. Backett—"  
 "Oh, Boy, come on. Let's get our little old green tags and go to that Education reception."

**CAMPUS BRAND OF TALK UNINTELLIGIBLE TO SANE DENIZENS OF THIS WORLD**

"I hit him in the eye." "Didje? I thought that 'exam' was the toughest I've taken this year." "Why, I thought it was a 'crip.'" "Sure, you think so! I knew you'd think so. You've always been a 'ram' in 'eco.'"

"Maybe so." "As for me, I'd take 65 and not have him look at the paper. But watcha got at?"

"Me? Well I got 'corps' coming then, and I believe he's going to 'stick it to us.'"

It was only two "studes" discussing the "finals." The conversation, as partly reported, is a bit intelligible. You can hear all sorts of this kind of talk at the University. If dear papas and dear mammas could hear the way their dear sons and dear daughters talk they'd be shocked. Many believe that the students at the University are supposed to know just what to say, when to say it, and how. Freshmen, who are particularly adept at picking up new expressions, will probably have to take along interpreters when they go home, in order to carry on conversations with the home folks.

It's reasonable to expect that the "home folks" will be completed mystified when their sons and daughters "back from college," speak of "math," "chem," "chem. lab.," "zo. lab.," "public bull," "general lit.," "the perip.," "the caf.," "the tank," "B. Hall," "mid-terms," "the shacks," "finals," "Alexander Frederick Clair," "Perigrinus," "pedoggies," "Phi Beta Kappa," "the co-op.," "the Mag.," "prof.," "Benny," "Simp.," and so on. The returning students will speak a class of English that is hard to define. It may be "campus English," is such a term is admissible.

**In Missouri, Too**

Regarding this kind of expression the Daily Missourian says: "Never heard of this brand of the English? Probably not. But you have heard the expression named above and others equally grating on one's grammatical nerves. Someone has called this dialect campus English. It seems to suit, too. Certainly these expression can not be found in the dictionary; Brander Matthews has failed to indorse them, they are taboo in the English department and find no recognition in the desk book of the school of journalism."

"Yet hardly a day passes without someone, probably one of your most intimate associates, slaughtering the King's English—or whoever it belongs to—in such a manner as to make you wonder just what is the purpose of a university. It may be that you don't notice this bloody butchering of the good old mother tongue. Perhaps you are guilty yourself."

"When you answer the phone and in individual at the other end of the wire asked, 'Is so-and-so there?' do you answer, 'This is her?' We ask you."

"Hardly a day passes on which we are not reminded of the story of the Chicago man who asked the high-brow Boston gentleman if he knew 'a

good place to stop at.' 'Yes, right before the "at.'" responded the h. B. g.

"I can't hardly make my 8 o'clock," complains the co-ed while she sticks a few hairpins in place and snatches a piece of toast and her books as she hurries off for her first class.

"He was just as surprised as me," explains the person who had just met someone he hadn't seen for a year or two.

"Then there is even the professor in freshman English in the university who told his class one day, 'Never use a preposition to end a sentence with.'"

**There Are Many More, Too**

"How many of you say 'I got it' when you really only 'have it,' or how many of you use 'liable' for 'likely,' 'don't' for 'doesn't,' further for 'farther,' set for 'sit,' 'lay' for 'lie,' 'completed' for 'complexioned,' 'good' for 'well' and even so many more we might mention had we carried a notebook with us and jotted down the countless errors in English we have heard during four years of university life.

"But here are a few more; 'An actual fact,' 'there was some,' 'you ain't,' 'between you and I,' 'different than,' 'you all,' 'you was,' 'I taken,' et cetera, et cetera."

"Then there are the many slang expressions which persons use, generally, because they have acquired the habit or think that their pet expressions mean more emphasis."

"I'm simply cra-a-a-zy about him," gushes the girl with a rising inflection of the voice.

"You tell 'em!" announces the man who wants you to know just what he is going to do.

There are many more. "But why are you throwing it into everyone else for using this campus English," asks our friend, the student assistant. "If I were you, I'd recommend a department in the University way. I've hear you pull a bunch of bones yourself."

Prospects for a summer Law school continues to be very bright. The enrollment of the Law Department is increasing day by day and as most of the men returning are old students, now discharged from the army, and again entering the University to complete their degree requirements, the chances for a summer session in the law school are very good. Questionnaires have been handed out to all the students of the Department to be filled out and returned to the Registrar, for the purpose of determining how many students desired to remain for summer school. In all probability there will be two sessions of the summer law school, this, of course, depending on the number of students expressing a wish to that effect.

**NEW YORK NEWS MAN WRITES FOR THE JOURNALIST**

The Texas Journalist for February, which is just off the press, contains a wealth of valuable and interesting material, varying in authorship from the humble student in the School of Journalism to the Director of the Department of Journalism in New York University and a former member of the editorial staff of the American Boy.

"The Stars and Stripes" is the leading article for this month. It is written by Verne E. Burnett (Michigan), quartermaster sergeant A. M. T., American Expeditionary Forces, formerly assistant managing editor of the American Boy and deals with the newspaper published for and by the American Army in France. The author refers to this publication as "that great voice of the American Expeditionary Forces, 'The Stars and Stripes.'" The article deals with the make-up, content, and policy of the paper in a style sparkling with interest and good humor.

"Links in the Evolution of the Newspaper" is the title of an article by James Melvin Lee, director of the Department of Journalism in the University of New York, dealing with an interesting phase of the history of journalism.

"The Critical Editorial," by Will H. Mayes is characteristic of the author in that it is replete with epigrammatic statements and apt quotations. Mr. Mayes is chairman of the School of Journalism of the University and to him falls the duty of editing the Texas Journalist.

A new feature of the Journalist which will prove of great interest to newspaper men of the State appears under the head "With the Texas Press." This department is made up of items of interest concerning the journals and journalists of the State. There are a number of good live editorials, dealing chiefly with everyday problems which confront the

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newspapers at the present time. "Journalists and Legislation," by Elsie Scott and Lee Wolfen, students in the School of Journalism, is an excellent article dealing with the numerous newspaper men now in the State Legislature.

**RUSK MEETS SATURDAY**

Saturday night the Rusk Literary Society held a short but spirited meeting before the basketball game.

The first number on the program was an interesting declamation by Jones, followed by a debate: "Resolved that the Texas Homestead Law should be repealed." Gowan Green spoke for the repeal of the law while McGee and Luben opposed.

The judges rendered the decision of two for affirmative and one for the

negative, and two votes for Gowan as best speaker and one for Jones.

An interesting critic's report was given by Harry Dow, after which Cole made a motion that the next two regular meetings of the Rusk to be held on Thursday night instead of the regular meeting night, Saturday, on account of the basketball games.

Special attention was also called to the Rusk freshmen that the next meeting would be devoted entirely to the practice of their speeches for the Freshmen Wilmont Declamation. All Rusk freshmen are urged to be present at the meeting.

After the installation of the new members, P. H. Pittway and Randle Menefee, the members adjourned to witness the Owl defeat.

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**THE PENTAGRAM:** There will be a social meeting Tuesday, Feb. 18, 1919 from 7-8:30 o'clock at home of Miss Horton, 504 W. 32 St.  
**GOLDIE P. HORTON,**  
Secretary.

**ALPHA KAPPA PSI:** Meeting Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.  
**PRESIDENT.**

**B-HALLITES:** Be at the regular meeting on Monday evening at 6:45. Former Manager Adrian Poole of El Paso will address us.  
**SECRETARY.**

**ALL MASONS** in the University be at the Scottish Rite Cathedral on Wednesday evening at 7:30. This is the occasion of the smoker, with the Texas Chapter of the Acacia Fraternity as hosts.  
**SECRETARY.**

**UNITED PUBLICATIONS BOARD:** Important meeting in Mr. Hornaday's office of United Publications Board Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock.  
**PRESIDENT.**

**GIRLS TRYING OUT FOR T IN WALKING:** There will be a 10 mile hike Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at 2 o'clock.  
**MANAGER.**

**NOTICE JUNIOR ENGINEERS:** Important meeting of class Monday, Feb. 17 at 5 p. m., room 111, E. B. Be there.  
**PRESIDENT.**

**VARSITY BAND:** Rehearsal at 7 p. m., School of Music.  
**DIRECTOR.**

**IMPORTANT meeting Kappa Delta Pi** Wednesday night in Seminar room, 3rd floor, Ed. Building.  
**PRESIDENT.**

**PRESENT DAY CLUB** will meet in room 157 tomorrow afternoon at the regular hour.  
**PRESIDENT.**

**GERMAN CLUB** directors will meet Wednesday afternoon at 5:15 at the Y. M. C. A.  
**PRESIDENT.**

**SOPHOMORE FINANCE** Committee will meet this afternoon in Room 205 at 5 o'clock.  
**CHAIRMAN.**

**RAMS HORN** meets Tuesday night at 7:30, Engineering Building, room 109. J. Dormant be there for initiation into the society.  
**SECRETARY.**

**SPEAKERS CLUB** will meet Monday night at 7:30 in the Law Building auditorium. The members elected at the last meeting—Hughes, Thomas Nash, Russel Barrow, and Walter Sterling, are expected to be present.  
**PRESIDENT.**

**REAGAN LITERARY SOCIETY:** Regular meeting Tuesday at 5 o'clock in room 204.  
**PRESIDENT.**

## E. E. DUNLAY WILL SPEAK FRIDAY TO CHEMISTRY CLUB

"The Fixation of Atmospheric Nitrogen" will be the subject of a discussion by E. E. Dunlay before the Chemistry Club Friday night, Feb. 21st. Mr. Dunlay says the subject is one of major importance and particularly to the Chemistry Club.

During the war Government chemists worked hard on the problem of using the free nitrogen found in the air, without reaching a solution. Nitrogen is much used in the manufacture of explosives and efficient nitroglycerine, the deadly "T. N. T." and others. As nitrates are found in sufficient quantities for use only in Germany and Chile, the impossibility of getting them from the former and the difficulty of transporting them from the latter country greatly perplexed munition manufacturers. All the time the air was full of the precious substance which defied capture. Now that the war is over, the need of nitrogen has not lessened; for besides its use in explosives it is also necessary in agriculture. Nitrogen is one of the three elements necessary for plant life, yet it is being taken out of the soil faster than the average farmer replaces it. The growing of legumes so often recommended to replace this element in the soil is too slow a process and the man who invents a way to harness nitrogen will surely have a Ph. D. as well as other things bestowed upon him.

Mr. Dunlay does not promise to have any new method for the production of nitrogen, but he guarantees several ideas that may be of interest to the general public as well as the Chemistry Club.

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## GILLIS JOHNSON IS HONORED WITH SERVICE CROSS

First Lieutenant Gillis A. Johnson, ex-editor of the Cactus and student of the University has been presented with the distinguished service cross for extraordinary heroism in action near St. Etienne, France, October 4. Lieut. Johnson volunteered and led an attack upon enemy machine gun positions, intense machine gun fire and artillery barrage, and although, severely wounded in the leg, succeeding in cleaning out several machine gun nests, capturing guns and a number of prisoners.

## MACHINE SHOPS ARE NOW IN GOOD SHAPE SAYS A. M. BUMANN

(Continued from page 1.) pre-war basis. It provides for six different phases of work, which are bench work, wood turning, pattern, forging, foundry, and machine shop. The students are not confined to the shop, but make trips to the various machine shops and establishments in the city. Last week one of the advanced classes visited Tips Foundry and Machine Shop, and gathered several very interesting points concerning engineering in a practical sense. "This not only helps the student, but it makes the course more interesting," were the words of Mr. Bumann when he spoke in regard to the recent trip. Professor Hal C. Weaver of the engineering department who is now out of the city, is trying to gather some new ideas concerning shop work and its teaching. He intends visiting several of the northern and eastern colleges before returning. It is predicted that his research work will greatly benefit the Engineering Department.

## ENGINEERS SPIRITED (Continued from Page 1.)

The Freshmen will "clean up" by Tuesday night.

All doors and available space in the Engineering Building are artistically and suggestively decorated with every conceivable kind of poster. The front door bears a large picture of some wild, cannibal-like fellows with great clubs in their hands, standing around a rock table. One of these wild men is the great granddaddy of the Old Man, and across from his is Alexander Frederick Claire The First, the patron saint of the England rubbing his fat sides in greedy anticipation of the feast. The cartoon is appropriately called "The First Engineers Banquet." On other doors the reluctant Engineers are confronted by vivid pictures of hold ups where he is boldly robbed of \$1.50. In fact, the Engineering Building is filled with things conducive to pep and spirit for the Banquet. Then, too, stolen peeps at menu cards have not had a little to do with quick and ready sale of tickets.

All ticket sellers must report and turn their tickets in by Tuesday at 5 p. m. On Wednesday tickets may be bought in Dean Taylor's office only, and after that day no student can buy a ticket.

## SIX LETTER MEN RETURN TO TEXAS TO PLAY BASEBALL

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He is a very good infielder, and does very well in the hitting line.

"The team will certainly be glad to have 'Bobbie' Cannon among the hitters. He has been in the service, but will be back for the spring term. He was one of the fastest base runners and one of the best hitters on the squad."

Commenting in a general way, Mr. Ditch mentioned that there were a large number of freshmen out for the team, but that very few showed great promise. "The new man don't seem strong enough to pound the ball to the outfield."

"Several of the old men that I counted on more or less were unable to come back. There is Dudley English, who is at the present time in the Navy, who I am confident will not be here. Irwin Gillett, the calm, cool-headed pitcher of last season, will not return, I'm sure, as the corps to which he belongs will not be demobilized by the spring term."

## ACACIA PLANNING SMOKER

The Texas Chapter of the Acacia is planning for its annual smoker on next Wednesday evening at 7:30 at the Scottish Rite Cathedral. This is usually given earlier in the year, but owing to the unusual conditions existing at that time this year, the gathering is now scheduled for the evening of February 19.

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## NINE COMMISSIONED FROM CAMP TAYLOR

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The graduation exercises occurred on February 1, commissions being awarded 170 candidates who had completed the work at the camp. All of them were discharged.

When the armistice was signed, opportunity was given each member of the detachment sent to Camp Taylor from the S. A. T. C. here to decide whether he wished to remain at the camp and continue his work or be discharged. Twelve decided to continue at the camp and work for a commission. Three of these, however, left before completing the prescribed course, and this explains the fact that but nine graduated. Those to leave were V. C. Thompson of San Angelo; Jerome R. Speed of McKinney, and George Carmichael of Hillsboro. The latter was down in Louisiana while en route to his home.

"I thought that I knew how to study before I went to the camp," remarked one of the returned officers, "but I soon found that I didn't. But I learned before very long. It was a case of necessity. We had eight classes each day and two hours at night to prepare for all of them. Each Friday quizzes were held and if a candidate 'busted' he was subject to discharge. It certainly gives one a feeling of relief to know that it is over and the goal reached."

The men received their commissions at the Y. M. C. A. at Camp Taylor. The night following the graduation exercises a huge banquet was given in their honor. The celebration was great, according to the reports of the men. On the next day practically all of them left for their homes.

## TEXAS CHANGES PROGRAM MEETING BAYLOR TONIGHT

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gymnasium will be warm and dry, and all fans should turn out to root for the team. This will be the last chance for the local people to see the team in action before the games with A. & M. on Friday and Saturday of next week. The five will go to College Station on Friday of this week and play two games, after which they will come to finish the season on the home court.

The following is the probable lineup:

Texas	Baylor
Russell, f.	Webber, f.
DeVinney, f.	Pobertson, f.
Smythe, c.	White, c.
Greer, g.	Jordan, g.
McCullough, g.	Porter, g.

## OFFICERS TO BE INSTALLED

Installation of the newly elected officers of Speakers Club will be held at the meeting of the Club Monday night. Initiation of the new members also will probably be arranged for.

A debate, "Resolved, that a R. O. T. C. unit should be established in the University of Texas" will be the feature of the program, preceded by a declamation by Lester Wilson and followed by an extemporaneous speech on "The Labor Situation in the United States," by Homer Hendricks. D. C. Biggers and A. P. Moore will have the affirmative side of the debate and L. C. White and R. C. Walraven will defend the negative side.

For the next meeting, February 24, the program will consist of a debate on "Resolved, that United States should make a defensive alliance with England." Sylvan Kahn and George Moursand on the affirmative side will be opposed on the negative by Hughes and Milton Ling. "Progress of the Peace Conference" will be the topic of an extemporaneous discussion by L. J. Hexter following the debate.

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## TEXAS CONQUERS OWLS SATURDAY BY EASY MARGIN

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Lovett each made one field goal.

Texas drew first blood by making a goal in the first ten seconds of play but Kingslands soon evened up the score. One of the comical incidents of the game was when Kingsland was dribbling down the field and got right under the Texas goal, McCullough took the ball away from him and started for the Rice goal. He tripped but grabbed the ball as he fell. After rolling over several times he finally regained his feet and passed the ball to Greer who threw goal. H. M. Russel did good work in passing and made one spectacular play by dribbling the length of the field and tossing one in after two tries. DeVinney and Smyth were a little out of form during the first part of the game but they came back with a rush in the second half.

The line-ups were as follows:

Texas	Rice
DeVinney, r. f.	Brown, r. f.
Russell, l. f.	Gerlach, l. f.
Smyth, c.	Kingsland, c.
Greer, r. g.	Lovett, r. g.
McCullough, l. g.	McKene, l. g.

Substitutes for Texas were Dennis for Russel; C. Dittert for Smyth, L. Dittert for DeVinney, and English for Greer. For Rice: Alexander was substituted for Lovett and Moore for McKene.

Stoddard from Waco refereed the game.

## CAPTAIN DAWSON VISITOR

Captain Joe Dawson, '18 academic student in 1914-17, was a visitor on the campus today. Captain Dawson's home is in San Antonio, but he returns to Park Field, Memphis, Tennessee, where he is officer in charge of the permanent flying field there. He received his ground school training at S. M. A. here, and was transferred to San Diego, California, for his flying work. From San Diego he went to Mineola, Long Island, where he remained for quite a while. For his efficient service he has been promoted to the rank of captain. While on Long Island he was an instructor here.

In an interview today, Captain Dawson stated that he was very much surprised at the heavy enrollment this year in the University, and also that he would be glad when next year came, so that he could take his place again in University circles.

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## Rookie Bill on The Engineers Prize Bank-wet

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Dere Mable:

I guess you think I me ded but I aint. After I done K. P. down here at the Uneyvarsity for 3 months, I decided to expose myself to the Uneyvarsity for a while and sea wether it wud take or not. I me in classes in Triggernometry, Nglish, Kemistry, droring, Pschysiks, N'everything. A fello ask me tuther day how many courses I wuz carrying. I luffed and sed I wuz carrying one and dragging four—witty. That's me all over Mable. I made a pome tuther day in class. It wuz:

"Daddy Rice busted me flat as the floor

Cause I didn't no formily 104."

Do you no what formily is, Mable?

It's a long string of letters and figgers and then they put too lines an called it Ekal too zeerow. Furst I didn't know what zeerow waz, but I found out. It ain't anything but nothing. I me going to the Engine Ears Bank-Wet on the nite befear Garge Washington burthday on Fabbuary, 21st.

Yours till nex time,  
BILL.

P. S. (This stands for "Pay Station.") He tell you tomorrow we maid the prize ov a ticket a \$ and 4 bits instead instead ov a \$ and 6 bits.

## FROSH ATTEMPT SECOND ELECTION ON COMING FRIDAY

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signed by at least twenty-five names in order to certify that the candidate is a bona fide Freshman and is a candidate for that particular office in good faith, the twenty-five signers do not necessarily have to be Freshmen themselves.

All other details of the election will be brought out in a later issue of the Texan sometime before Friday

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