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COMPULSORY DRILL EX-PRES. TAFT

MAYFIELD OFFERS EXTENSION DEPT. PRIZE FOR ESSAY GIVEN NEW WAR **ABOUT RAILROADS**

\$25 to be Reward for Best Paper.

Mr. Earl B. Mayfield, a former now a member of the Railroad Commission of Texas, has offered a prize of \$25 for the best essay on the following subject:

"Is State Regulation of Railways Worth Preserving, or Should the Full and Complete Power to Control and Regulate the Railways of the United States be Conferred Upon the Interstate Commerce Commission."

Rules Governing Contest.

1. The papers must be delivered to Registrar E. J. Mathews not later than April 15.

2. Each contestant shall sign his name.

3. Each contestant shall furnish a State as may care to use it.

mencement Day.

of sufficient merit to warrant it.

C. S. POTTS, R. E. COFER, GEORGE C. BUTTE, Committee.

School of Military Aeronautics

utable Schools Over State.

LANTERN SLIDES

Announcement has just been made student of the Department of Law, that the Extension Department of the University of Texas has been made the depository for visual instruction Defense, through its publicity committee, of which Joseph Hirsch, Corpus Christi, is chairman, has planned to place, as an initial expenditure, one tion for reasons of weight.

will be placed in the office of the Vis- taken by the Freshmen, it was neces- sity, but this was done before it had at Austin. paper with a fictitious name, and at ual Instruction Bureau of the Depart- sary to make this move to further been announced that he was to come the same time shall deliver to the ment of Extension of the University the steps toward the establishment of to Camp Travis later during the school Registrar a sealed envelope contain- of Texas, from which it will be circu- the R. O. T. C. It shows that the stu- year. The invitation was declined by ing his fictitious name and his true lated through schools, clubs, and other dents and faculty are behind the Mr. Taft. organizations in the State. Any movement. school, club or individual may secure Whether or not the R. O. T. C. unit value of his coming to Austin to five-hundred word summary of his the use of this equipment without will be established here or not de- speak to the students of the Univerpaper, for use, in case he should win charge on condition that express pends upon the report of Col. Gal- sity as well as to the citizens of Austhe prize, in The Daily Texan, the charges are paid by the borrower. The braith and the action taken upon the tin, a very optimistic feeling that Mr. Magazine, and such papers .of the Extension Department, at the request report in Washington. According to Taft will come here has arisen in Uni-4. The judges shall read the pa- bility for the care and management the uniforms will be provided as soon fort will be made for the University pers as soon as practicable after April of this service, together with all cor- as possible, and regardless of the ac- to co-operate with the local chapter of 15, and announce the winner through respondence. The department al- tion taken by the War Department, the Red Cross in Austin to induce the the columns of The Daily Texan. The ready has an extensive lantern slide regular drills attended by all male ex-President to address the people of name of the winner will also be an- service which is well known to school students of the University will be Austin.

State. 5. The prize will not be awarded The new lantern slides which will if, in the opinion of the judges, none comprise a large portion of the equipof the papers handed in are deemed ment purchased by the Council of Defense will consist of two thousand Senior Organization Will Initiate All slides prepared by the Government, showing war activities in the various allied countries, and especially the ac-(Continued on page four.)

Drill; Doubt Still Exists as to R. O. T. C.

RULE OF FACULTY

FOR MALE STUDENTS

At a faculty meeting yesterday afternoon the following resolution Committee on Public Lectures, and intercollegiate debates this season was passed:

shipping cases into a free loan serv- the R. O. T. C. unit here. Although Camp Travis on February 5. ice at once. This shipment may be this resolution means by "military Early in the fall Judge Townes and debate Tulane University at Austin,

nounced by the President on Com- and club officials throughout the started about the 15th of February.



of the Untamed at Meeting

February 12.

The Kane Klub held a smoker and business meeting last night and many important decisions were reached. The Klub will have a full page in the Cactus, with the signatures of each member inscribed on it. It was decided that this would be more repre

Papers Due Not Later Than April 15; Material Is in Loan Service to Rep- February 15th Probable Date for First Former President to Make Address at Debates Are Arranged With Colorado, Camp Travis; Every Effort Being Made to Get Him to Austin.

TO UNIVERSITY

MAY PAY VISIT

The debating teams for our four W. D. Hornaday, chairman of the Dr. Joe Wooten, president of the Aus- have been chosen. The men were se-

cally fit, unless excused by the Presi- or 5. Mr. Taft is making a tour of The schedule follows:

CONFERENCE AT "Y"

Now, on account of the educational M. C. A. secretary of New York, will be chief speaker at the Bible Study Conference to be held here today at the University Y. M. C. A. Other speakers will be Mr. W. R. Raymond of Detroit; Mrs. Albert B. Hall of Dal-

"SOME CROOKS I HAVE KNOWN"

Topic by Dr. A. K. Foster of Brooklyn, Who Will Address Convocation Sunday Morning.

is a great success. He loves college

men, and to help them think through

their problems in connection with

science and philosophy. He lives and

thinks in the thought and language

of today. Sincerity and reality are

great outsanding features in his per-

sonality. There is a charm and de-

light about his genuineness and

Back of all these qualities is a

and enthusiasm. He wins men be-

cause he loves them in terms of a

genuine kindness and friendliness. He

is a keen thinker like Dr. Fosdick,

and a friend of man like Raymond

Robins. No University of Texas stu-

the convocation Sunday. He is a big

SELECTION; PRACTICE

In addition to marching with the

members of the Glee Club are sup-

posed to be at this practice.

SUNDAY AT 9:30

man with a powerful message.

GLEE CLUB TO GIVE

wholesomeness.

Known," Dr. Foster spoke at Camp night. Travis the other night. He told the The Leadership Training Council of

story of his work among criminals and the Y. W. C. A. for the visiting delethieves and burglars, and how he led gates will meet Sunday morning at them to be his friends. He loves 9:30 in the Girls' Study Hall of the men. He thinks friendship is the Main Building; and again at 2:30 at a new constuittion and the King of the greatest thing in the world. He is a the Y. M. C. A. for all association man's man. He loves to play golf girls.

Vinson of Texas University.

so been appointed to represent the

University of Texas. The conference

COUNCIL PAIRS OFF

DEBATING TEAMS

Oklahoma, Tulane, and

Arkansas.

to Bible Study Conference Held

Today.

Mr. Guy V. Alrich, international Y.

FOR YEAR'S WORK

Miller and Smythe Star for Longhorn Basket Tossers; Final Score Is 38 to 23.

TEXAS DEFEATS

By C. G. Swift, Jr.

T. C. U. IN HARD

FOUGHT CONTEST

No. 89

In a game which was rough throughout the time of play, the Texas Longtin Red Cross chapter, are seeking to lected by the faculty committee, of horns triumphed over the Texas Resolved, That during the duration induce ex-President Taft to address which Dr. Shurter is the chairman, Christian University team by a score equipment by the Texas State Coun- of the war, military training be com- the University and the people of and the report turned in to the meet- of 38 to 23 on their court in Fort cil of Defense. The State Council of pulsory for all male students physi- Austin here on or about February 4 ing of the Debating Council Friday. Worth. The contest was replete with

fouls, which were unnoticed by the dent or committee upon written peti- the training camps of the country Warren Dale and Louis Hexter; to referee. Miller and Smythe were the for the purpose of discussing the is- debate the University of Colorado at stars for the Texas aggregation, Milsues of the war and the establish- Boulder, Colo.; Herbert Hedick and ler throwing ten goals and Smythe thousand dollars worth of stereopti- This is the first step taken by the ment of a league to enforce peace. He Ernest May, to debate the University seven. Wiggins of T. C. U. made six cons, lantern slides, and the necessary faculty toward the establishment of is scheduled to make an address at of Oklahoma, at Norman, Okla.; goals. It was the first game in which Jack Blalock and Emil Corenbleth, to the guards failed to make a basket. The lineup for Texas was as folincreased as the demand may justify. training" the drill which consists of Mr. Hornaday made a searching ef- and John Cofer and Richard Knight, lows: Smythe and Miller, forwards; The lanterns and slides purchased 3 hours marching each week being fort to bring Mr. Taft to the Univer- to debate the University of Arkansas Russell, center; Hill and Greer, guards; Penn, Gray, Yeager, substitutes. For T. C. U. the lineup was. Easly and Wiggins, forwards; Vaughan, center; Prinsing and Mey-HAS BIG SPEAKERS ers, guards.

Guy V. Alrich of New York to Speak GRECIAN TRAVELS SUBJECT OF TALK

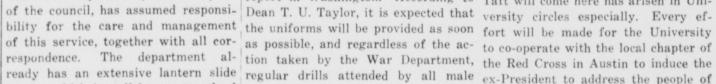
Dr. Oldfather Addresses Crowded Auditorium With Aid of Lantern Sides.

Before an audience that filled all of the seats in the Law auditorium last night, Dr. William Albert Oldfather las; Misses Stuart, Loucks, and Gilof the University of Illinois gave a bert, Y. W. C. A. secretaries of the very interesting address on his travels Southwest Field, and President R. E. on foot through Greece. The talk, which was illustrated by lantern slides

Delegates will be here from Rice, from photographs by the speaker, Southwestern University, A. & M., consisted , in the main, of explanations Southwest Texas Normal, and Sam of the slides. Houston Normal. Delegates have al-

The pictures were of scenes and views that are not very commonly seen. They were made up of some Preceded by the announcement of will last from 9:30 to 1 p. m.; again pictures of old ruins which he saw on his subject, "Some Crooks I Have from 2:30 to 5, and from 7:30 to 9 at his travels, of mountain scenery, and of typical Greek people.

> Two interesting scenes shown were the mound at Marathon, where the



Entrance Exams Here.

of the Signal Corps of the U. S. Mrs. Sanders being formerly Miss Ad-Army may take their entrance exam- die Camp Ward of Austin. inations here at the School of Military Aeronautics. Heretofore, the nearest San Antonio.

To carry on the work of examinnig Monday morning. candidates for the aviation service, a board composed of Capt. Roger Amory, president; First Lieutenant Carl structors added to the staff recently. vows and subject themselves to the D. Matz, Signal Corps, and First Mr. Taylor is connected with the Air- wrath of the Kane for their negli-Lieutenant John H. Timberman, Medi- planes Division. cal Reserve Corps has been created.

Lieutenant Matz was formerly a member of the "millionaire battery," which was seen in Austin at the time, business trip. 15,000 troops marched from San Antonio to Austin.

According to Captain Amory, application blanks may be obtained by addressing "Aviation Examination Board, care School of Military Aeronautics, Austin." The applicant will fill out the blank and send it in. He will then be given an appointment to be examined. At that time he will appear in person, answer such questlons as are asked, with a view to judging his educational qualifications, and undergo a physical examination.

Masons Entertain Tonight.

All Masons in the School of Military Aeronautics will be the guests of the local Masons at the Scottish Rite Cathedral this evening at 8 o'clock. The occasion will be a smoker and the committee working under Mr. J. W Graham promises a pleasant entertainment for the aviators.

Country Club Dance.

A farewell dinner-dance was given at the Country Club last Wednesday evening in honor of the officers and About 150 of the graduates for the past two weeks who have been awaiting orders to report elsewhere were present.

office of the Academic Board, is ill Finally another squadron marched inwith the measles.

Lieut. Sanders Departs.

left last Thursday night for Lieut. the class came in. After a short con-Sanders' home in Tennessee. Mrs. sultation with the soldiers, they walk-Sanders will visit Lieut Sanders' par- ed out. ents while her husband will proceed

to an Atlantic port. Lieut. and Mrs. All candidate for the flying service Sanders were married a week ago,

Charles Harritt, Jr., supply serexamining board has been located at geant, who has been sick with an attack of measles, will be back for duty

Lloyd Taylor is among the new in-

in the Gunnery Division, has been in that the Kane will hold forth in all the Chicago artillery organization San Antonio the past few days on a glory when the new men are ushered

> Gunnery Division, returned last year's class are in the service and the Thursday evening from a visit to San question of a service flag was dis-Antonio.

Former Accountant Here.

twenty-one years of age, Mr. Hill be- trusted to them.

fore coming here was assistant accountant for the Southern Division of ed by the Germans," remarked the the General Electric Company. He

was a transfer from the S. M. A. at Georgia Tech located at Atlanta, Ga.

Aviators Retreat Before Girls.

The life of the cadet is one of incidents and happenings, but it remained for the aviation students at the School of Military Aeronautics of the University of Illinois to stage a unique incident. "Evacuation" is the proper military term to use in describing the movement accomplished by the cadets who left Wednesday night and officers when by mistake they assem-Thursday morning for other points. bled in the lecture room used by the students in Education at that time for a lecture.

Some girls who arrived early found the room partially occupied by aviators. Modestly they waited outside. H. M. Sauer, stenographer in the Others came in and waited with them. to the room and took seats. It was time for the class. With soldiers in the room and the hall lined with Lieutenant and Mrs. John Sanders girls, Prof. Henderson in charge of

"May they never be so easily rout-

sentative than a picture. On account of organization this

Kane appointed J. L. Goforth, Mayhew Mantor, and W. C. Heare as a committee to look after this.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, February 12, at which time all of the senior men who have not been initiated will take the sacred gence. W. C. Heare was appointed as supervisor of the initiation ceremonies, Willie St. Elmo Damon, instructor and with a wily smile he intimates

into its majestic presence.

It was demarked at the meeting James Douglas, instructor in the that two of the members of this cussed. Definite action on this was deferred until the next meeting.

The Kane Klub is an organization H. L. Hill, formerly a student of which has for its purpose the fosterthe Massachusetts Institute of Tech- ing of traditions that center around nology and an electrical engineering the University and the graduating graduate from Purdue University, is class. During the spring term the among the students now enrolled in next-year Seniors will be admitted, the local S. M. A. Although not yet and the furtherance of the Klub be in-

genial professor.

girls in their processional at the con-All news notes containing nothing of vocation of the students on Sunday military value are desired for publi- morning, the Glee Club will also rencation in this department which will der a selection entitled " The 12th be a regular feature of The Texan. Mass." This is supposed to be the All such contributions should be turn- feature of their part on the program, the meet with Oklahoma, and the alled in to the undersigned for approval and they will practice Sunday morning at 9:30 for this purpose. All before published.

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LEWIS B. WALKER. WILLIAM J. WEEG.

DR. VINSON AND THE LIBRARY.

The action of the Men's and Women's Councils of the University, with reference to keeping order in the Library and placing the operation of the honor system has the approval of the authorities of the University. The end in view is not only good, but necessry, and the method proposed seems to me to be the best method of reaching this end. I trust that the application of the honor system to this matter will be as successful as it has been in other connections.

ROBERT E. VINSON,

President.

and meet men where they live. He is **DR. PENICK WORKS** exceedingly human and has a human appreciation. He is on leave of absence from his church during the war to be with the men in the camps. He

Scarcity of Older Men Gives Greater Opportunity to Those Seeking to Make Squad.

Jimmie Greer and Houston Jones are try among those people. depth and power of spiritual passion the only letter men eligible for the squad coming out for practice, and **PEDOGGIES TO MEET** Jones is liable to be called into the aviation service at any time. Armour and Charles Granger are coming out again, the latter being the only Freshmen who reported so far.

dent can afford to miss hearing him at There are a number of excellent tennis players in school who are preis not eligible, as he has played his Law Departments. four years.

According to Dr. Penick, the University will probably enter into three intercollegiate tennis tournaments this season, the Southwestern meet, Southern meet at New Orleans.

COFER LAWS HAVE TRIAL WHICH RESULTS IN DAMAGE SUIT

The case of A. B. Stuck vs. A. N Outsider came to trial in the Cofer ----Law Society last night. This case ---was tried before Senator Cofer, act-----ing as District Judge, without a jury. ----This action was brought to recover \$1000 damages on a contract for build--1ing a house in Hyde Park; it being impossible to finish according to + agreement.

Judgment was rendered on demurer ---for the defendant. The attorneys argued the matter before the court meet the Delta Chis, and the Beta with the skill possessed by few ex- Theta Pis meet the Kappa Sigmas at perienced lawyers. Many intresting 7:45. In the intramural schedule, the the offer offer

(Continued on page four.)

Greeks were buried, and the mound at Thermopylae, where Leonidas and his band made their last stand.

Taking up the anticism which has been directed against Greece for the attitude in the war, Dr. Oldfather said that he thought we should be careful in criticizing her, when she WITH TENNIS TEAM had the example of Belgium, Serbia, and Rumania before her, and when a powerful nation like the United States waited three years before entering the war, although it was three thousand miles away.

About the Greek people, the speak-Dr. Penick, University tennis coach, er said "they are brave, proud, patrihas begun the work of rounding out otic, democratic, eager to achieve, a first-class tennis squad. As yet hospitable, and anxious to please, althere are only a few tryouts who are most to a fault." He also said that eligible for the team coming out. there is a great love for this coun-

Mass Meeting Called for Tuesday at 7:15 in the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium.

The Educational Department will vented from playing by the ineligibil- have a big mass meeting next Tuesity rules. Among these are a num- day night at 7:15 in the Y. M. C. A. ber of transfers from such schools as auditorium. The purpose of this Princeton, Colorado, and Southwest- meeting is to develop a departmental ern. Sellers Thomas, who was one of spirit in the Educational Department the first string men from last year, similar to that in the Engineering and

> Dr. Vinson will make a talk on the benefits of organization. Several other prominent members of the faculty will make short (three or fourminute) peppy talks. Dr. Eby will talk about the pageant planned for the dedication of the new Educational Building.

> Everyone is expected to come, as the meeting will last only an hour at the maximum.

FRAT GAMES CONTINUE; INTRAMURALS ARE TO **BE RNENEWED TODAY**

Last night the Phi Delta Theta Fraternity defeated the S. A. E.'s by a score of 15 to 6. Another game between the Phi Gamma Deltas and the Delta Sima Phis resulted in a "Phi Gam" victory of 16 to 2.

As scheduled the Phi Kappa Psis Sophomores meet the Seniors.

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Baylor students have elected Miss Sammie Coffee editor of the 1918 year book, The Round-Up. Which starts us to wondering about the sex of the Baylor Beauties.

The war is to blame for the defeat of the Longhorns at Denton Thursday, or probably we should lay the blame on the German-measles.

And with our sick team at Baylor tonight, we ought to make the Bears feel rather measley.

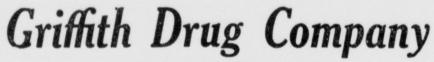
There is only one difference between the editor and the linotype operator-one has to read daily ravings of the other and the other gets to read only occasional outburts of the one.

cinity of Newman Hall last night the Kane Klub has evidently de-

The New Education Building made cided to change its name to Cain. it necessary to provide for more heat, and, consequently, the new addition At Trinity the editor of the to heating system is being made. A huge tunnel, containing large steam heat pipes, extends around the camtonian carries the sordid appela- pus from power house to the Education of Miss Prude. Oh that the tion Building. Heat for all new buildings that are constructed can be secured from this tunnel. The heating problem is becoming a serious one, as the power house authorities have been having a hard time in obtaining sufficient coal, due to the confusion of the railroads. However, "made-in-Texas" lignite is

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Candies, Cigars, Cigarettes and Tobaccos, Hot and Cold Lunches, Staionery and Toilet Articles at the

University Cafe and Confectionery

humorous column of The Trin-Pearagrapher were still with us.

INCREASED CHAPEL AT-TENDANCE.

If Chapel attendance counts for anything, religious feeling being effectively used in our special and enthusiasm is becoming lignite grates. much stronger and is being felt much keener now than at any "." time since the beginning of this session. The Chapel room was practically full Friday morning; there were few vacant seats J. W. Calhoun speak at the Thursday.

highly gratified if it could is that he would leave the rethink that the editorial mention - ligious value of the book to of Chapel in its columns had had . the preachers and would diseven a small part in the increas- 🤹 cuss some if its other impored interest. To the Y. M. C. A. 🔁 tant features. He stressed its and Y. W. C. A. goes the chief ture, as an up-to-date picture credit, however.

overflowing before the desired ture; he also gave it credit end is reached. Every religious 💠 as being a modern criterion on 🕂 worker must work with that and morals. In fact, he showpurpose in view.

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL

Friday morning found at least twenty University men with sore muscles, suffering from "intra- + cial musical feature this muralitis." But despite the limp, their blood was circulating and they had been re-introduced to the benefits of deep breath- DELTA TAUS DEFEAT ing.

Two intramural games were played Thursday night, and the twenty players received incalculable benefits from their exercise. feating the Lambda Chis with a 12 to To most of them, the opportuni- 9 score Thursday night. The Delta ty to represent some class or Taus took the lead early in the game some organization or some de- and made seven points to their oppartment was, the first real the second half, the Lambda Chis ral-

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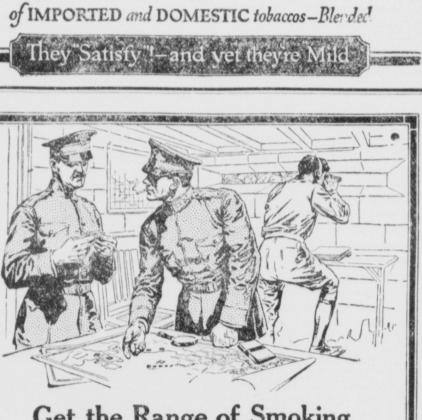
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About 70 people heard Mr. . · morning exercises yesterday The Texan would feel most : on the value of the Bible as of human nature which shows The room must be filled to the uniformity of human naed that a man without a ---knowledge of the Bible is un----educated. He would have 🛟 proved a great many other 🛟 things if there had been ---time. There will be another spe------

---morning.

LAMBDA CHI ALPHAS BY 12 TO 9 SCORE

The Delta Taus increased their average in the fraternity league by deponents' nothing in the first half. In chance they had had in some lied and were at one time within one



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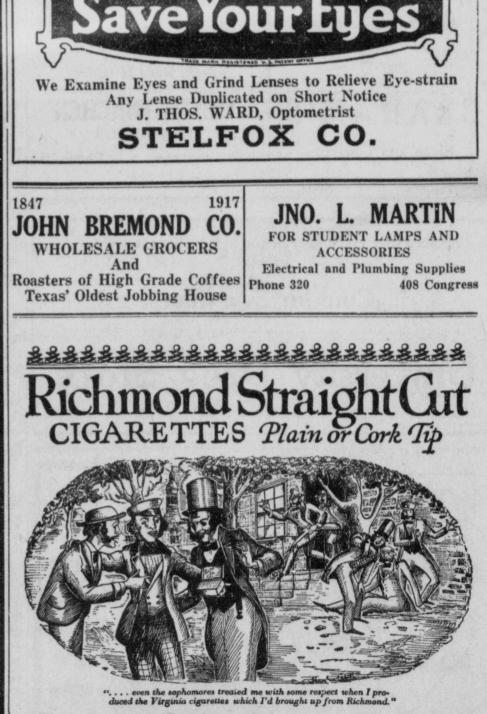


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