

# Battalion Editorials

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THE BATTALION

THURSDAY, JUNE 10, 1954

## Football and the TT's

The cat's out of the bag now. The word is out that four of the suspended TT's are valuable and much-needed members of A&M's ailing football squad.

This disclosure sounds the bell for the athletic-crazed members of the Former Students association to come out swinging.

Fortunately, most of the members of the Former Students association are good men who have a deep love and respect for A&M as an educational institution.

But then there is the minority, the noisy ones who always make themselves heard, and who always make themselves sound like a great majority.

These are the ones who believe that A&M's main purpose is to provide a sponsor for a winning football team. These are the ones who will now write letters to the college officials, state legislators, newspapers, and other former students, condemning the action of the college in indefinitely suspending these four students.

They will shout that the officials are deliberately trying to wreck the football team, and what's wrong with a little old fraternity anyway?

There can be no excuse for these four men, just as there is no excuse for the other 14. They broke a college regulation, and received punishment through due process of law.

It's too bad that the football team has to take a loss like this, but maybe it will be better off without members who believe in secret organizations and don't believe in college regulations.

And maybe it's not such a blow after all. Nobody is expendable.

Morgan told the state newspapers that these four, like the others, could not apply for readmission until June of 1955. It's going to be hard for him to stick by that, against the powerful and vocal expressions of this noisy minority, but let's hope he does.

### The Battalion

Lawrence Sullivan Ross, Founder of Aggie Traditions  
"Soldier, Statesman, Knightly Gentleman"

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Discuss His Candidacy

— FOR —

**District Judge**

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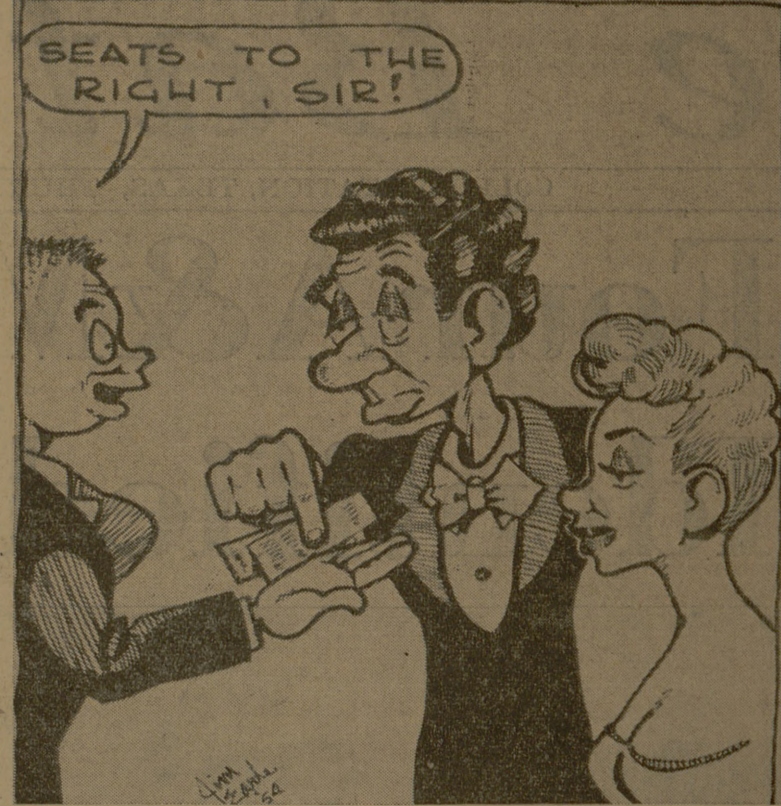
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### 'MURAL SCHEDULE

The following schedule is for the intramural softball program. All games will be played at 7:45 p.m. on the lighted softball diamond near the Grove.

- June 14: dorm 14 vs. dorm 15
- June 15: College View vs. dorm 16
- June 16: dorm 14 vs. College View
- June 17: dorm 15 vs. dorm 16
- June 21: dorm 14 vs. dorm 16
- June 22: College View vs. dorm 15
- June 23: dorm 14 vs. dorm 15
- June 24: College View vs. dorm 16
- June 28: dorm 14 vs. College View
- June 29: dorm 15 vs. dorm 16
- June 30: dorm 14 vs. dorm 16
- July 1: College View vs. dorm 15

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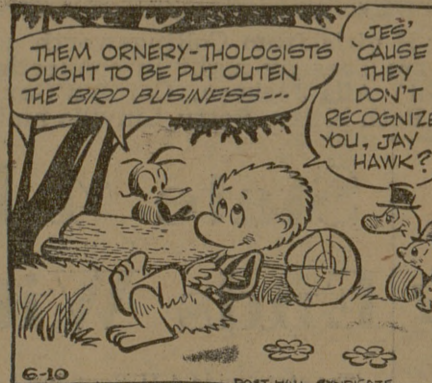
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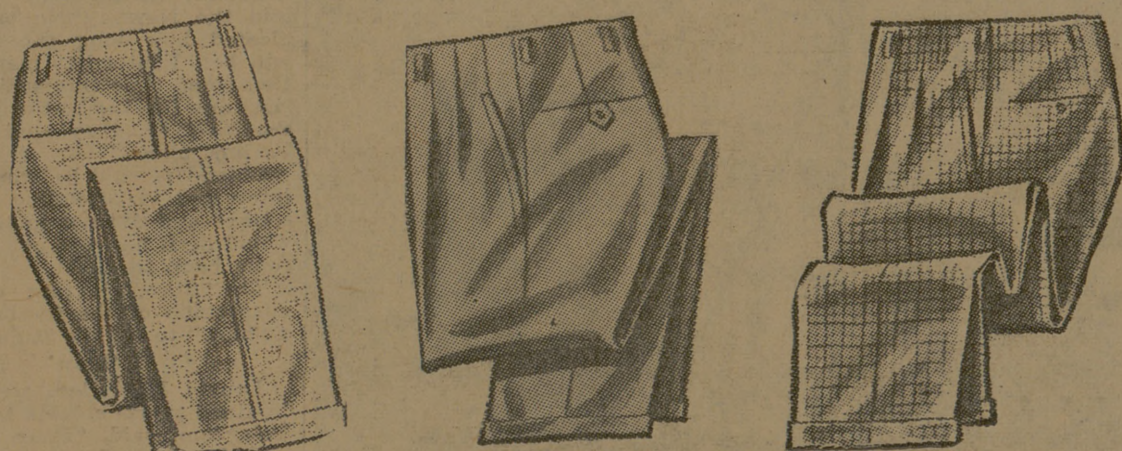
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