

## Musicians Needed

The A&M Symphony needs players and has openings for two trumpets, a trombone, a French horn and all string instruments, said W. M. (Bill) Turner, director. The group meets each Monday night at 7:30 in the Music hall.

## Regulation Sets Fatigue Limits

New uniform regulations for the corps of cadets permit wearing the fatigue uniform in the Memorial Student Center fountain room, gift shop, bowling area, craft shop and post office. The regulation, issued by the commandants' office, prohibits the wearing of fatigues in the MSC front corridor, lounges, dining room, coffee shop and second and third floor areas. During bad weather, according to the order, fatigues may be worn "any place on the campus."

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# Battalion Editorials

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## Bonfires and Spirit

Bonfire building has begun, and with it comes the tremendous upsurge of school spirit that has always marked bonfire time.

Channeled harmlessly, as into building a bigger bonfire and supporting the team, this spirit is a good thing.

But if it is channeled into stealing signs and wanting to "paint up" the other school's campus, this spirit becomes detrimental to A&M and the individual.

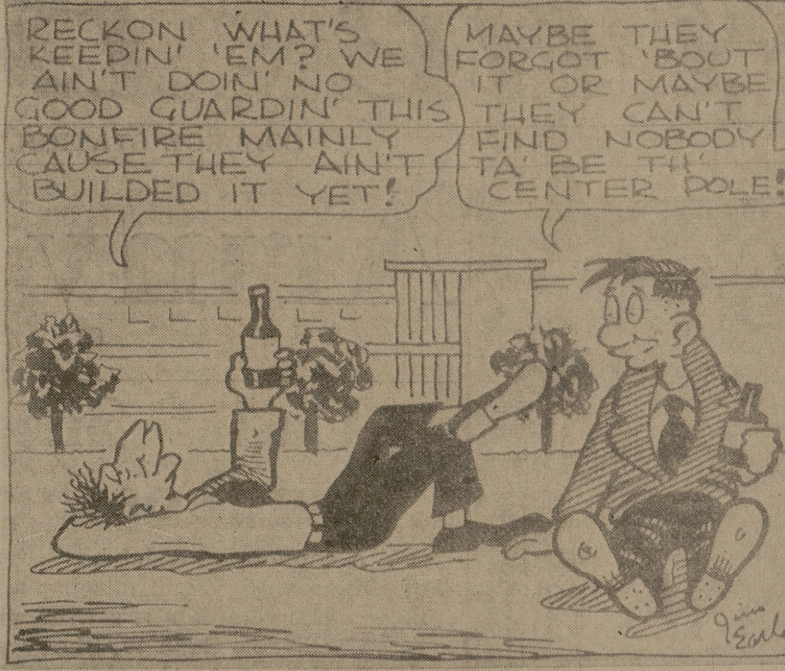
Already, only two days into bonfire time, we have had three cases of sign stealing. The people with misguided spirit, those who believe it is more "Aggie" to steal a sign rather than to work building one, have given A&M a black eye with at least three local businesses.

But more dangerous are the "visits" to other campuses. Last year's bonfire week, in which both A&M and the University of Texas were lucky to get by without a death, should serve as an example.

An incident on one campus demands retaliation, which in turn demands more retaliation, and soon the original incident has snowballed into an uncontrollable series of gang fights.

The boards of A&M and Texas have jointly declared that any student caught doing such acts will be immediately suspended, but this is only a punishment method.

The prevention must come from the students themselves. Each student must think of the consequences of his actions, both to himself and his school.



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## What's Cooking

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7:30—AIEE, room 207 Engineering building, guest speaker, Weddell of Union Carbide at Texas City.

Freshman FFA chapter, YMCA. Industrial Education club, Biological Sciences building, guest speaker.

Journalism club, MSC. report from delegates who attended the Sigma Delta Chi convention last week.

Petroleum Engineering club, room 140 Petroleum Engineering building.

Pre-Law society, room 2B MSC. speaker, Dean McCall of the Baylor Law School.

Entomology society, New Science building, speaker, business meeting. Milam County hometown club, room 3D MSC.

## AF Liaison Team To Visit A&M

A liaison team from air ROTC headquarters will visit A&M Nov. 17 and 18 to inspect the air ROTC unit here.

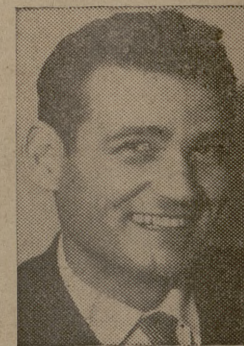
The team, Col. Bryan B. Harper and Lt. Col. Allan D. Read, will inspect classroom instruction and administration.

A similar team visits the detachment here about twice a year.

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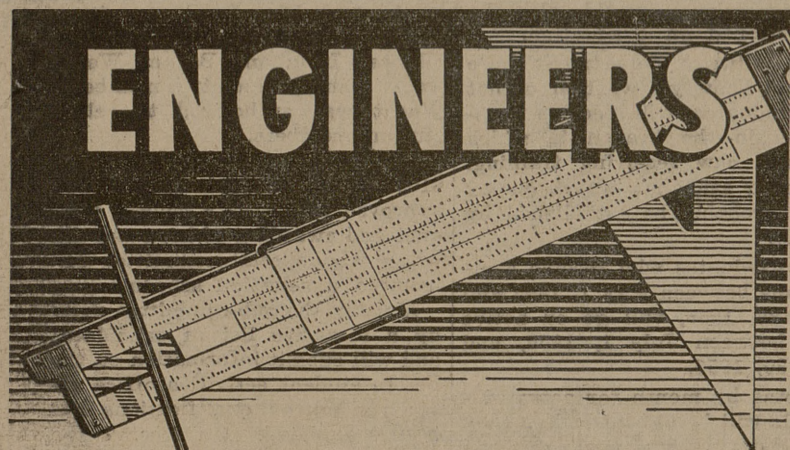
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## Cadets Praised By Visiting Men

"The corps of cadets deserves to be highly commended for its performance," said Col. Joe E. Davis, commandant, speaking of the corps review Saturday.

The review honored guests here for Fall Military Day.

Lt. Gen. I. D. White, commander of the fourth army and one of the visitors for the review, said that it was "even better than last year's spring Military Day."

"I'm looking forward to Military Day next spring," White said.

Maj. Gen. James M. Gavin, army chief of staff for operations, another guest, was also impressed with the review, saying it could compare with any review he has ever seen anywhere.

Gavin was particularly impressed by the band. "I've never seen anything like that," he said. Just coordinating all that music must be a tremendous technical job."

"I didn't know there were that many musicians in Texas," said Gavin, a native of New York.

Gavin said he had served with

many A&M officers and their performance was superior.

"Their best performance, that I saw, was with the armored regiments near the front line in World War II," he said.

About 15 military and civilian leaders were present for the review, plus members of the former students association executive board and newspaper representatives.

Also present were cameramen from Associated Press wirephoto and Humble Oil's "Texas in Review" television program. The television cameraman filmed the review for a later showing on the program.

Davis said he did not know definitely yet whether or not the Fall Military Day could be made an annual affair.

He said he hoped it would be.

## Beekeepers Meet

Beekeepers from all over Texas are now attending the conference of the Texas Beekeepers association, which will close its two-day meeting today. A display along the Memorial Student Center promenade has been arranged, including live bees in a glass bee hive.

## Angry Gods

HONOLULU (AP)—Hawaiians were not surprised when a cave-in occurred in a tunnel project through the Koolau mountains, killing five men.

Old-time Hawaiians say the gods were angry because two Eeepa stones had been destroyed by bulldozers building an approach to the tunnel from the Honolulu side of the mountain range.

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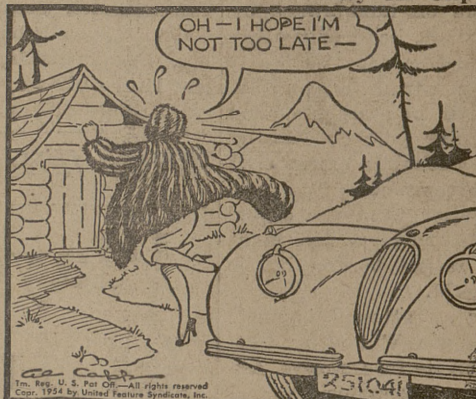
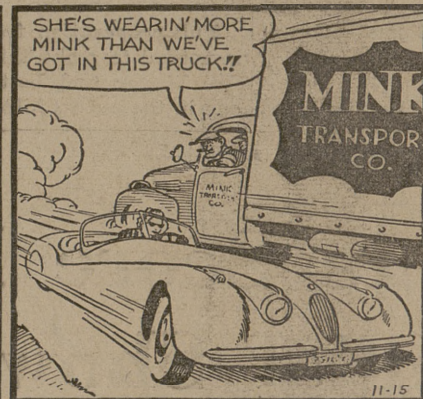
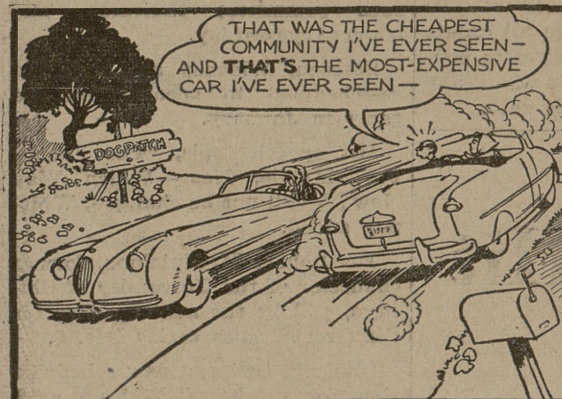
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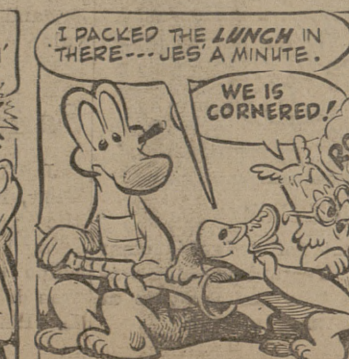
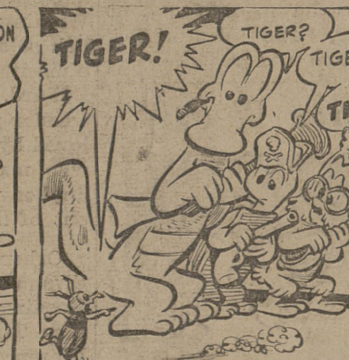
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