

# The Battalion

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## Union Fee Vote Starts Tomorrow

### '56 Class Votes To Endorse Fee For Student Union

The Senior Class, in its first meeting of the year last night, voted to endorse the Memorial Student Center compulsory union fee in the coming election Wednesday and Thursday.

Bill Willis, chairman of the Junco Committee, presented the more than 120 seniors present with a short talk and discussion period on the union fee.

Tommy Short, head drum major, asked the class to stop throwing "Aggie confetti" at mid-night yell practices. He said the toilet tissue was like "hail" last year.

"We have 250 men in the band and about \$250,000 worth of instruments, plus dates," he said. "And we can't watch for the flying rolls of tissue heading our way and still concentrate on playing our horn."

Gus Mijalis, senior yell leader, made the motion that the "Aggie confetti" be done away with at yell practices, but the motion was not seconded and died without a vote.

Paul Holladay, head yell leader, told the group that yell practice was too noisy and more cooperation was needed from seniors to make things run smoother.

Sam Netterville, one of the seniors who wants to keep Reveille brought up the question of who was going to keep the Aggie mascot.

"I've worked with that dog ever since I've been in school," Netterville said, "I'm a lover of dogs—Rev will come through if you give her half a chance."

Netterville said when people think of A&M, they think of Reveille first. He said sports writers were always around him after football games looking for information about the dog and that she was a

### 11,000 Foot Line Laid for CS Sewer

Eleven thousand feet of pipe have been laid on the new sewer system for College Station, according to Ran Boswell, city manager.

The complete system will include 80,000 feet of pipe ranging in size from six to fifteen inches. The Texala Construction Co. of Houston has contracted to lay the pipe in 200 calendar days from September 5.

The R. B. Butler Construction Co. of Bryan has begun receiving shipments of steel for the disposal and processing plant which they have contracted to build. They have 200 days in which to finish also.

### CADET SLOUCH by James Earle



### System Board To Canvass Vote

Tomorrow and Friday are the big days as far as those directly connected with and those concerned with the Memorial Student Center, the "Living Room of the A&M Campus."

On these two days an election will be held to decide if the union fee, authorized by the State Legislature in its last session, would be made compulsory for all A&M students.

The booth for the election will be by the Post Office from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the Center. The Election Commission is handling the voting, and the results will be canvassed and reported by the A&M System Board of Directors, meeting here this weekend.

### Home Game Date Tickets May Run Short

Only 2,000 date tickets will be available for each home game, according to the Athletic Office.

There is, however, no limit on the number of date tickets to out-of-town games, except only one can be sold for each student activity card.

The schedule for buying tickets is as follows:

Home games—Date tickets will go on sale Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., the week of the game. One exception is the University of Texas game. Date tickets will go on sale Monday morning, Nov. 14, and remain on sale until sold out.

Out-of-town games—Tickets go on sale Thursday, the week before, and remain on sale until Wednesday afternoon of the week of the game.

Price for date tickets for home games is \$2.00; for out-of-town games, \$3.25. Students must present their ID and their student activities cards to buy tickets.

### Town Hall Staff To Hold Steak Fry

The annual fall Town Hall steak fry will be held tonight at 7:30 p.m. Scene for the feast will be in the home of C. G. (Spike) White.

Special steaks weighing one pound each will be served complete with all the trimmings to all Town Hall staff members.

main feature in the Corps trips last year.

"Let's treat her right," he said, "If I'm going to have her, I've got great plans for her. I wish The Battalion would give us support on having a nice mascot."

Netterville said he had seen one student kick the dog "clear across the drill field" and that was why she was so unfriendly towards some of the A&M student body.

"Since living with an outfit, A Quartermaster Corps, she has become quite friendly and has lost most of her one-man dog traits," he said.

The class decided the matter should be left to the Student Senate to work out at their next meeting. Byron (Scotty) Parham, Senate president, said the matter would be discussed at the next meeting.

The senior class has \$625 in the bank to start off the year, according to Allen Greer, class president. Class pennants will be sold for a money raising project this year.

### Meets Today

## New Unit Organized

Approximately 60 civilian students interested in wearing the uniform and taking part in Corps activities met with Corps officers yesterday to discuss and organize a new military unit for civilian students.

Everyone interested in getting in the organization should meet on the drill field today at 4 p.m.

"Interest seems to be high in most of the civilians attending the meeting," said Larry Kennedy, Corps commander. "I think the unit will be a credit to the corps, and will help civilian-corps relations," he said. "But every student getting in the organization will have to give his full cooperation."

Each student will have to supply his own uniform, said President David H. Morgan.

"The college has no money allocated for that purpose, and it can't be taken from college funds," he said. "However, some former students and friends of the college have indicated that they would supply some items of uniforms for students who were unable to afford them, and an interested student wouldn't be turned down for lack of finances."

J. E. Loupot, of Loupot's Trading Post, said that he would handle

uniforms on a rental basis.

"I can rent students' big items, such as blouses, short coats and raincoats," he said. "Most of them have their own pinks and greens, and I'll furnish the rest of the uniforms."

### Rooms For Dates Listed By Housing

It's almost as hard to find a place for your girl to stay at A&M for one of our crowded football or social weekends as it is to find a parking place on those days. But the housing office can solve the first problem. They have a list of private homes which will rent rooms on weekends.

### Gay Weekend

## Rue Pinalle Begins

The Student Center will be the scene of merry-making and gaiety this weekend.

Rue Pinalle begins its series on Friday night in the recreation room of the Center with the Capers Combo providing the music.

form at a nominal fee. Blouses and short coats would be \$6.95 each per year.

Qualifications for joining the organization are two previous semesters of military science, willingness to abide by the Articles of the Cadet Corps, and approval from the commanding officer. Corps privileges will be taken according to academic classification.

Stewart Coffman will be commanding officer, and Bob Bacher executive officer.

"Organization should be completed this week," Kennedy said. "And we'll try to have the new outfit ready to march in at the University of Houston game Saturday."

Along with the Capers group will be Sylvia Williams as vocalist plus a floor show which hasn't been fully decided upon as yet. Rue Pinalle will start at 8:30 p.m. and last until 12 p.m. Admission is 75 cents per person.

Featuring three bands, the dance Saturday night will occupy the entire second floor of the Center. Theme for the night will be "Midnight in New Orleans." Decorations for the theme will be carried out throughout the second floor.

### Weather Today



PARTLY CLOUDY

Temperature at 11 a.m. was 85 degrees with a forecast of partly cloudy with scattered rain showers late this afternoon. Yesterdays high was 95 degrees and low was 68 degrees.

No definite time has been set for the closing of the dance Saturday night but starting time is immediately after the game. Admission is \$1.25, couple or single.

The dances are sponsored by the MSC dance group with Ed Saad as chairman of the group. Dave Brothers is in charge of the Saturday night dance and Kit Kittrell is chairman of Rue Pinalle.

Ten dances are planned for the Rue Pinalle series with four special dances scattered during the school year.

### Directors To Meet

Results of Wednesday's and Thursday's union fee election will be declared by the Board of Directors of the A&M College System, meeting here this Saturday.

Also to be presented to the Board are plans and part of the funds for the A&M Chapel.

### Band Seniors Hospitalized By Auto Crash

Two Band seniors remained in Hearne General Hospital today as a result of their car crashing into a tree early Sunday morning.

Coming back from the A&M-LSU game, John Kincaid was driving the 1951 Pontiac belonging to Pete McMains when the accident took place.

Kincaid apparently lost control of the car which swerved off the highway and crashed against a tree. The wreck occurred one mile north of Hearne at 5:30 a.m. Sunday.

With possible cracked ribs, sprained wrist and a severe bruise on the right side of his head, Kincaid appeared to be hurt worse than McMains.

Doctors were unable to determine fully the extent of his injuries late Sunday because they hadn't been able to complete x-rays.

McMains was suffering from loss of blood from severe cuts about the face. He is expected to be released in a few days. Kincaid is expected to remain in the hospital longer.

Doctors have asked that students wait until after Wednesday before visiting the students.

### Transfers, Fish Boost Enrollment

A&M's enrollment for the fall semester, as of yesterday, was 6,803. For the same period in 1954 the enrollment was 6,217, according to H. L. Heaton, registrar.

Included in the total registration are 1,928 freshmen and 331 transfer students from senior and junior colleges. This includes 122 from senior colleges and 209 from junior colleges.

For the same period in 1954 there were 1,671 freshmen enrolled and 77 transfers from senior colleges and 143 transfers from junior colleges.

### City Cracks Down On Traffic Violator

The City of College Station has begun cracking down on parking violations at the North Gate, said City Manager Ran Boswell.

City policemen have issued over 85 tickets since school started. The main violation has been over parking in the six-hour and one-hour zones. Other offenses include no operator's license, speeding and reckless driving.



CONTENTED—The Browsing Library of the Center has all types of books and periodicals for student use. The library is open to all students, and is a place for quiet and contented study hours. There are 45,000 magazine users, 40,000 newspaper users and 5,000 book users.



STRIKE—One of the Memorial Student Center's main attractions for students is the eight-lane bowling alley located in the southeast wing of the building. The Bowling Committee, led by Al McClellan promotes bowling tournaments between A&M students and other colleges.