

Consolidated Menu

Menu for the A&M Consolidated Schools this week is as follows:

- Wednesday**
Hamburgers, potato chips, buttered corn, pickles and onions, buns, milk and cupcakes.
- Thursday**
Chili beans, spinach and bacon, cabbage and onion salad, cornbread and butter, milk and stewed apricots.
- Friday**
Salmon patties, creamed new potatoes, English peas and carrots, vegetable salad, bread, milk and apple crisp.



THE CARE AND FEEDING OF ROOM-MATES

Today we take up room-mates, a delightful phenomenon of American college life. Having a room-mate is not only heaps of fun; it is also very educational, for the proper study of mankind is man, and there is no better way to learn the dreams and drives of another human being than to share a room with him.

This being the case, it is wise not to keep the same room-mate too long, because the more room-mates you have, the more you will know about the dreams and drives of human beings. And that's what we're all after, isn't it?

So try to change room-mates as often as you can. A recent study made by Sigafos of Michigan State shows that the best interval for changing room-mates is every four hours.

Now let us discuss how to go about choosing a room-mate. Most counselors agree that the most important thing to look for in room-mates is that they be people of regular habits. This, I say, is arrant nonsense. What if one of their regular habits happens to be beating a great gong from midnight to three a.m.? Or growing cultures in the tooth glass? Or reciting the Articles of War? Or peanut brittle?

Regular habits indeed! I say that beyond quibble, far and away the most important quality in room-mates is that they be exactly your size. Otherwise you will have to have their clothes altered to fit you, which can be a considerable nuisance. In fact, it is sometimes flatly impossible. I recollect one time I roomed with a man named Tremblatt Osage who was just under seven feet tall and weighed nearly four hundred pounds. There wasn't a blessed thing I could use in his entire wardrobe—until one night when I was invited to a masquerade party. I cut one leg off a pair of Tremblatt's trousers, jumped into it, sewed up both ends and went to the party as a bolster. (Incidentally, I took second prize. First prize went to a girl named Antenna Wilkins who poured molasses over her head and went as a candied apple.)

But I digress. Let us get back to the qualities that make desirable room-mates. Not the least of these is the cigarettes they smoke. When we borrow cigarettes, do we want them to be harsh, shoddy, and disdainful of our palates? Certainly not! What, then, do we want them to be? Why, we want them to be gentle, delicately-reared, and designed to suit the tempo of today's broader, easier life! And what cigarette is gentle, delicately-reared, and designed to suit the tempo of today's broader, easier life? Why, Philip Morris, of course! (I'll bet you knew it all the time!)

To go on. In selecting a room-mate, take great pains to find someone who will wear well, whom you'd like to keep as a permanent friend. Many of history's great friendships first started in college. Are you aware, for example, of the remarkable fact that Johnson and Boswell were room-mates at Oxford in 1712? What makes this fact so remarkable is that in 1712 Johnson was only three years old and Boswell had not been born yet. But, of course, children matured much earlier in those days. Take Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart who wrote his first symphony at the age of four. Or Titian, who painted his first masterpiece at five. Or Hans Otto McGrath, who was in many ways the most remarkable of all; he was appointed chief of the Copenhagen police department at the age of six!

(It must be admitted, however, that the appointment was less than a success. Criminals roamed the city, robbing and looting at will. They knew young McGrath would never pursue them; he was not allowed to cross the street.)

The makers of Philip Morris, who sponsor this column, cordially invite you and your room-mate to try today's new, gentle Philip Morris. It's always welcome!

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Job Calls

Wednesday
JONES & LAUGHLIN—interview for men with interest in sales career for business administration, economics, agricultural economics, industrial education, and industrial engineering majors.

ARO, INC.—Tullahoma, Tenn. will interview aeronautical, mechanical, electrical engineering, mathematics and physics majors.

OHIO OIL COMPANY—will interview accounting majors.

THE CONTINENTAL OIL COMPANY—will interview business administration, marketing, economics, chemistry, physics, chemical, mechanical and petroleum engineering graduates for opportunities in manufacturing and petrochemical departments, production department, research and development, marketing, land department and controller's department.

HUMBLE OIL & REFINING CO.—all interested students go to a group meeting at 7:30 in the MSC Assembly Room where a schedule will be formed for interviews for Wednesday and Thursday. Majors wanted are chemistry, physics, civil, chemical, electrical geological, industrial, mechanical and petroleum engineering.

GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY—interviews will be held for various programs for chemistry, physics, electrical, mechanical, industrial, aeronautical and chemical engineering majors. Wednesday and Thursday.

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THE SQUARE JUNGLE
Tony CURTIS
Pat CROWLEY
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DATES AT COED U.
JUST ANOTHER RUN-OF-THE-MILL DATE, BYRON! THE CONCERT, THE CLUBS, AN' THEN TH' FRAT BALL, I LOCKED OUT AN' MADE IT ON \$30!

DATES AT AEM
HEY SIMP! WE WENT TO GUION HALL, TH' CLAY PITS, AN' TH' RODEO FOR JES' \$1.15 AN' I GOTTA QUARTER LEFT OVER!

The Western
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Health Report

Measles was the leading disease in the Bryan-College Station area

this past week, with 59 cases. In. influenza was second high with 41 cases, and mumps, third, with 20 cases.

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"Furniture to suit any taste"
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Dial TA 2-3581
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LPL ABNER
By Al Capp
WELL, HERE WE ARE, AT HOLLYWOOD'S MOST GLAMOROUS NIGHT-SPOT, "CIRO'S"
OH, HERE WE ARE, AT HOLLYWOOD'S MOST GLAMOROUS NIGHT-SPOT, "CIRO'S"
AH-H!—MR. AND MRS. RONALD COLMAN!
AH IS IN SASSIETY, AT LAST!
??-ARE YOUSE, MRS. RONALD COLMAN?
WE'LL HAVE THE SPECIAL DINNER TONIGHT, PIERRE!
Special Dinner 45¢
By Al Capp

LPL ABNER
By Al Capp
LORD WINDMERE IS LEAVING!! CHEERIO, OLD BEAN!!
YO' KNOWS SECH IMPAWTINT PEOPLE!!
AH IS SO THRILLED T'BE IN TH' MIDST O' HIGH SASSIETY, AH JUST CAIN'T HELP A-SMILIN!!
I GET THE MESSAGE!!—SHE WANTS ME TO HELP HER GIT RID O' THAT LITTLE TWERP!!
By Al Capp

POGO
By Walt Kelly
WHAT A WAY TO START THE WEEK... FRIDAY THE THIRTEENTH COMES ON A MONDAY!
NOTHIN' BUT BAD LUCK, BAD LUCK, BAD LUCK... ALL THE WHOLE WEEK... I FORESEES DOOM!
I AIN'T GONE MOVE, I GOT MY RIGHTS.
DOOM DOOM DOOM DOOM
I GOT MY RIGHTS! MY GUARANTEED PERSONAL RIGHTS. DON'T GOTTA GIT OUTTA THE WAY... DOOM OR NO DOOM.
WATCH WHERE YOU'RE GOIN'... IT'S A VERY UNLUCKY WEEK IN WHICH TO BE TOOK DEAD.
I GOT RIGHTS
By Walt Kelly
HAPPY VALLEY-TIME DAY, SUN RAB, THO' TO TELL THE TRUTH, HARD LUCK ABOUNDS IN ALL DIRECTIONS
IT'S THE WEATHER... THE RAW GITS INTO MY VERTIGO AN' BLIGHTS MY LUCIGATION SOFIN FIERCE
YEP... THE WEEK STARTED ON FRIDAY-THE THIRTEENTH ALL ON ACCOUNT SOME DUNDERHEAD PUT THE CALENDAR TOGETHER IN THE DARK.
WHAT'S IN THE PUSHCART, SON? WHAT YOU SELLIN'?
CALENDARS IS MY NEW LINE... I IS PUTTIN' OUT A JAMES DANDY OF A REE-VISED ONE...
LESSEE... OOP! HAHO!
OH, I AIN'T GOT NONE FOR SALE, YET.
WHAT BIT ME ON THE SCHNOZZ THEN? IS YOU CARRYIN' A CON-CEALED OLD TYRANNOSAUR?