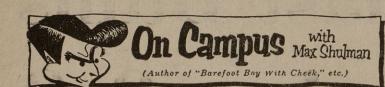
#### John Smith Heads Business Society

John E. Smith has been elected president, Robert Glasgow; secre

president of the Business Society tary-treasurer, J. C. Niemeyer; program chairman, James Goode Also elected was sponsor Her- and representatives to the Arts bert G. Kenagy, of the Business and Science Council Glendall Administration Division, vice- Rand and Dale Lake.



#### MARKING ON THE CURVE... AND WHAT TO DO ABOUT IT

Twonkey Crimscott was a professor. Choate Sigafoos was a sophomore. Twonkey Crimscott was keen, cold, brilliant. Choate Sigafoos was loose, vague, adenoidal. Twonkey Crimscott believed in diligence, discipline, and marking on the curve. Choate Sigafoos believed in elves, Jayne Mansfield, and thirteen hours sleep each night.

Yet there came a time when Twonkey Crimscott mentor, sage, and savant - was thoroughly out-thought, out-foxed, out-maneuvered, out-ployed, and out-witted by Choate Sigafoos, sophomore.

It happened one day when Choate was at the library studying for one of Mr. Crimscott's exams in sociology. Mr. Crimscott's exams were murder - plain, flat murder. They consisted of one hundred questions, each question having four possible answers—A, B, C, and D. The trouble was that the four choices were so subtly shaded, so intricately worded, that students more clever by far than Choate Sigafoos were often set to gibbering.

So on this day Choate sat in the library poring over his sociology text, his tiny brow furrowed with concentration, while all around him sat the other members of the sociology class, every one studying like crazy. "What a waste!" he thought. "All this youth, this verve, this bounce, chained to musty books in a musty library! We should be out singing and dancing and smoothing and cutting didoes on the greensward!"

Then, suddenly, an absolute gasser of an idea hit Choate. "Listen!" he shouted to his classmates. "Tomorrow when we take the exam, let's all - every one of us check Choice 'A' on every question - every one of them."

"Huh?" said his classmates. "Mr. Crimscott marks on the curve. If we all check the same answers, then we all get the same score, and everybody in the class gets a 'C'.

"Hmm," said his classmates.

"Let's get out of here and have a ball!" said Choate. So they all ran out and lit Philip Morrises and had a ball, as, indeed, you will too when you light a Philip Morris, for if there ever was a cigarette to lift the spirit and gladden the heart, it is today's new Philip Morrisfirm and pure and fragrant and filled with true, natural, golden tobacco, lip end to tip end.



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Well sir, the next morning the whole class did what Choate said and, sure enough, they all got "C's," and they picked Choate up and carried him on their shoulders and sang "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" and plied him with sweetmeats and Philip Morris and girls and put on buttons which said "I DOTE ON CHOATE."

But they were celebrating too soon. Because the next time shrewd old Mr. Crimscott gave them a test, he gave them only one question-to wit: write a 30,000 word essay on "Crime Does Not Pay."

"You and your ideas," they said to Choate and tore off his epaulets and broke his sword and drummed him out of the school. Today, a broken man, he earns a meager living as a camshaft in Toledo.

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At the top of the curve of smoking pleasure, you'll find today's new Philip Morris. So, confidently, say the makers of Philip Morris, who bring you this column each week.

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## Wednesday, October 10, 1956 DATELINE LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS AYRSHIRE

Ken George

Has the thought ever occured to you that Joe Delatte is a secondrate Aggie? Well, he is according to a high-ranking Air Force ROTC instructor. The reason is because he's a nonreg and in this Officer's eyes all non-regs are second rate

An Aggie and his wife were fishing on the Brazos river last week. Both were using casting rods and both got a bite at the same time. The Mrs. shouted to her husband that something was on her line and what should she do. He told her to reel in the line. This she did with much work and worry and finally she had the fish pressed tightly against the end of the rod. She then looked very puzzled and said to her husband, "What do I do now?" Well by this time his fish had long since left for Navasota and he looked at her disgustedly and said "Shinny up the pole and strangle it !" \* \* \*

Corsicana will be remembered, in the minds of a few at least, for its defiant animals. Sunday evening about 6:30 the weekend traffic Texas motorists are exercising vehicles in the state have been in- the hospital, he walked across the reference blanks and detailed ininch along for about three blocks. Garrison, Director of Texas Deseven months," Garrison said, "and The trouble was a small black dog partment of Public Safety. who had decided to establish legal residence in the middle of the southbound lane. At one time he had stopped 37 cars and three the state capitol over the fact that the state's motor vehicle inspection program is lagging far be-

freshman room, Doug Mullins made spection period ended Oct. 15 and the understatement of the year. It only 4 per cent of the registered was the top of the ninth with two out and Mullins comes up with "This kid Larson is pitch'in a pretty good ball game!"

#### Hlavinka Elected Czech Club Head

Victor Hlavinka, East Bernard, will be elected and plans for the

Dr. Jan Skrivanek of A&M Foreign Language Department is faculty sponsor.

The club will meet on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. Meeting time is 7:30 p. . m. in room 123, Academic Building. Dues are 50 cents a semester.

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## MVI Program Lagging Warns Texas Officials

was good and heavy. As the cars the old American custom of putting spected. The inspection period will street and was struck by a car. formation. coming from Dallas came into off until tomorrow what ought to end April 15, 1957. Corsicana they had to stop and be done today, said Col. Homer

hind schedule.

Monday afternoon in the MSC The first month of the new in-

### Center News

Chess Committe will meet tonight at 8:30 in the Social Room of the MSC. Anyone interested is invited to attend this initial The A&M Czech Club has elected meeting of the group. Officers coming year will be discussed.

have

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WEDNESDAY "ON THE THRESHOLD OF SPACE" with GUY MADISON



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THURSDAY, OCT. 25—WHITE COLISEUM — 8:00 Tickets \$2.50 — \$2.00 — \$1.50—Student Activities (Not Town Hall)

### by Dick Bibler | MSC Arts Group **Exhibits Work**

The Arts Division of the newly formed Creative Arts Group is presently showing Circuit No. 6 of the Texas Fine Arts Association in the Promenade Cases and lobby of the Memorial Student Center.

soluble media and two prints.

local artists. the Division of Architecture and Sciences. now employed with Jerin, Caudill,

of the Creative Arts Group.

was done by Emalita Terry, ad- each of two children are made. visor and instructor of the MSC Creative Arts Group.

#### Told You So

ST. LOUIS, (A)-George White wasn't feeling well. So the 53-

### Scholarships Offered Ph.D **Aspirants**

Persons now working toward the Doctor's degree, pri-Lasting until Oct. 16, the show marily in the fields of biologcontains 24 paintings: 12 in oil, ical and physical sciences, so-10 in water color, casein, or water cial sciences or the humanities, and engaged in teaching may Three entries are works done by apply for awards offered by the A water color entitled "Deep Southern Fellowships Fund, ac-South" was done by Franklin D. cording to Dr. W. H. Delaplane, Lawyer, formerly on the staff of Dean of the School of Arts and

Applications may be made until Rowlett, Scott and Associates. Dec. 15 for awards ranging from Casein entitled "The White \$1,500 to \$2,500 plus tuition and Boat" was done by James B. Rabe, fees, the amount depending upon an architect student and member the stage of one's progress toward the degree. Additional allowances "Fisherman's Wharf", a casein, of \$300 for one's wife and \$200 for

> Awards are intended to help recipients complete their doctoral degree requirements. Preference is given to those who plan to continue teaching in a southern college or university.

vear-old man had himself admitted Any staff member who is into a hospital for a checkup. Doctors terested may write directly to R. made tests and the next day re- M. Lester, Executive Director. leased him. A few minutes after his Southern Fellowships Fund, 119 N. release they were examining White Columbia, P. O. Box 427, Chapel all over again. For, after leaving Hill, N. C., for application and

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