

Editorials

# Keep WTAW

A&M's Radio Station WTAW has been put up for sale by the Board of Directors because of the increased costs of operation.

During recent years the station has been slowly becoming less and less a means of education for A&M students. Only a few students have been working while the remainder of the staff has been permanent.

Possibly the Board feels that since the station is becoming more commercial and less educational there is little reason to pay for its upkeep.

Instead of selling the station, it seems unusual that the Board doesn't take some steps to make it the educational institution it can be.

If the station is sold, A&M, as a major educational institution in the nation, would be taking a step backward since all forward looking colleges and universities have radio stations, at least, and some have TV stations for educating students.

It would be well for the Board of Directors to look over the decision to sell before they clinch a deal with some buyer.

One alternate solution to selling the station might be to give it to some department of the college and allow that department to use faculty or staff members to direct a program of instruction for any and all students interested in radio work.

Under this plan the cost of operation would not mean much since it would be an educational endeavor which need not net a large profit.

If the Board lets WTAW slip out of their hands now, chances are slim that the college would ever be able to get another station with as much power and influence as WTAW has built up through the years.

## Letters to the Editor

Editor,  
 The Battalion  
 With reference to the two editorials in yesterday's Battalion, I would like to cast my vote on the side of those opposing compulsory membership in the Corps. Compelling a man to belong to the Corps does not improve either the man or the Corps; it only creates a resentment on his part. This resentment may cause him to leave, which some would consider a good thing, or it may cause him to criticize the Corps and A&M in places outside of here, and this is not a good thing. In either case you have a person who is not taking full advantage of what is offered here.

Institutions of higher learning have as one of their major objectives that of creating in the student a habit of open-minded inquiry into anything and everything. One of the objectives of military training is to promote unquestioning obedience to orders from above. In my opinion these two tend to be incompatible. One loses out, and it is generally the habit of inquiry. Another thing I would like people to consider is: Is all this preparation for armed conflict getting us anywhere? I think not. If all of the effort and money and thought that has gone into armaments and wars had been spent on actively seeking peace instead of the mere absence of war, we would really have a world worth living (See LETTERS, Page 3)

## Off the Cuff What Goes On Here

Professor R. L. (Flash) Leuzinger of the Aeronautical Engineering Department has been voted the man with the reddest face in the department since last Saturday.

Seems as if Flash was attending the annual Open House Day at Bryan AFB and, like all the kids, was having a big time for himself.

The curious prof, who was observing a display of F-110C jet fighters, decided to crawl in one and look around.

While sitting there fiddling with the controls he inadvertently pulled the wrong cord and released the drag chute used to slow the plane down for landings.

No sweat Prof.—But thank goodness it wasn't the cockpit ejector!



## Charles R. Smith Smith Selected RV Commander

Charles R. Smith, second regimental staff sergeant junior from Dallas, has been selected as next year's Ross Volunteer's commanding officer.

Smith has a 2.05 overall grade point ratio and is a tentative Distinguished Military Student. His school activities and honors include Best Drilled Freshman, Intramural Manager, Freshman Drill Team, Outstanding Freshman in the Field Artillery Battalion, Outstanding Engineering Junior in Field Artillery.

Other men selected to lead the honor company are J. Paul Costa, executive officer; Donald D. Dunlap, administrative officer; John H. Foster, first sergeant; James R. Groves, Ray M. Bowen and Ray E. Camper, platoon leaders.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS

by Dick Bibler



HEY COACH, WHAT'S THIS I HEAR ABOUT A 'WINNING PROSPECT' YOU FOUND FOR US THIS SEASON?!!

## What's Cooking

The following clubs and organizations will meet tonight:

7:15  
 Tyler-Smith County Hometown Club will meet in Room 225 of the Academic Building.

Fannin County Hometown Club will meet in Room 108, Bagley Hall.

Fayette Colorado Counties Club will meet in room 3C in the Memorial Student Center.

Wheeler-Collingsworth Club will meet in room 101 of the YMCA to plan transportation home and to discuss their annual function. An election of next year's officers will be held.

7:30  
 Panhandle Club will meet in Room 305, Academic Building.

Bell County Hometown Club will meet in Room 125 of the Academic Building for final barbecue and end of school party planning. An elec-

tion of next year's officers will be held.

Lower Trinity Valley Hometown Club will meet in Room 203, Academic Building for an election of club officers at this final meeting.

Lubbock-South Plains will meet in Room 108 of the Academic Building for an election of officers.

Northeast Texas Hometown Club will meet in Room 110, Bagley Hall to plan an after school party.

Panhandle Club will meet in the Anderson Room of the YMCA. An LSU football movie will be shown.

## Holdredges Host M.E. Wives Club

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Holdredge entertained Friday evening with a lawn party honoring graduating seniors of the Mechanical Engineering Wives Club. Dr. C. M. Simmang, acting head of the department, presented the Ph. T. degrees.

## Zeekendorf Speaks Tonight In MSC

William Zeekendorf, world renowned real estate developer from New York, will speak on "The Relationship between Architecture and Real Estate Economics" tonight in the Memorial Student Center Ballroom at 8.

The address is open to the public and those interested in real estate, urban planning, construction promotion, architecture and finance are urged to take advantage of this opportunity, said Charles R. Colbert, head of the Division of Architecture.

Zeekendorf, who is president of Webb and Knapp Inc., New York, world's largest real estate development company, is currently taking part in a large Zeekendorf-Wynne industrial development project being built between Dallas and Fort Worth.

## Cadets Can Miss Class For Flying

Cadets with proper certification from their flight instructor will be authorized to miss the equivalent of one day's class work during this week so that they may make up flying time, President D. W. Williams said.

The action was taken at the last meeting of the Executive Committee last week.

## CIRCLE

THURSDAY & FRIDAY  
 "REPRISAL"  
 Guy Madison  
 — Also —  
 Russ Tamblyn  
 "YOUNG GUNS"

## Guttenhall

THURSDAY & FRIDAY  
 GREGORY PECK  
 RICHARD, LEO  
 BASEHART GENN  
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 JOHN HUSTON  
 MOBY DICK  
 COLOR BY TECHNICOLOR  
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## SKYWAY

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 "TOWARD THE UNKNOWN"  
 with WILLIAM HOLDEN  
 — Plus —  
 "CAPTAIN LIGHTFOOT"  
 with ROCK HUDSON

## CAMPUS

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 RANDOLPH SCOTT  
 RIDES THE  
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 and  
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 Final Review to Dine at  
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A marine and  
 Sister Angela alone  
 on a Pacific Island  
 ...trapped behind  
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20th CENTURY FOX presents  
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LAST CALL FOR STICKLERS!  
 We're still shelling out \$25 for every Stickler we accept—and we're still accepting plenty! But if you want to cut yourself in, you've got to start sticking NOW! Sticklers are simple riddles with two-word rhyming answers. Both words must have the same number of syllables. Send your Sticklers (as many as you want—the more you send, the better your chance of winning!) to Happy-Joe-Lucky, Box 67A, Mt. Vernon, N. Y. NOW! TODAY! PRONTO!

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WHAT IS AN ASPIRIN FACTORY?  
 Boyd Collier, WARE FOREST  
 PILL MILL

WHAT IS ONE OF CAESAR'S ARCHERS?  
 Roman Bowman  
 FREDERICK KROHLE, WILKES COLLEGE

WHAT IS A HOSPITAL FOR PESSIMISTS?  
 Beverly Dreison, WASHINGTON STATE  
 CYNIC CLINIC

WHAT IS A GANGSTER'S EMBRACE?  
 John Watkins, W. VIRGINIA U.  
 THUG HUG

WHAT IS A SINGER FROM OKLAHOMA?  
 Larry Gay, HARVARD  
 SOONER CROONER

WHAT IS THE LUCKY STRIKE JINGLE?  
 (SEE PARAGRAPH BELOW)

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