

# Man to Man

By JOE TINDEL

Another week has gone by and mid-semester grade reports look closer every minute. Talking to some Ags has made me suspect they won't be too happy to see the report. Oh well! That's typical of Aggeland this time of the year. One thing nice about it. No spring fever—just football fever.

Two weeks ago I was commenting in this column on the new course on American political parties being tutored by P. J. Woods. I said "currently, P. J. Woods is teaching the course". He remarked the other day:

"What do you mean 'currently'? As far as I know I will continue to teach the course for some time."

Saturday's game with Missouri sounded more like the Southwest Conference champions of 1956. It was most reassuring to hear Crow back in the game again as well as Krueger hitting his All-American stride.

Next week's game with University of Houston should show just how good the Aggies are.

Those who have never seen the Four Freshmen have really missed a good show. Tonight is the finest opportunity you'll have to see them perform.

Freshmen who have not yet begun to participate in some of the extra-curricular activities around the campus are missing half their education. There's more to be learned than that which comes from books.

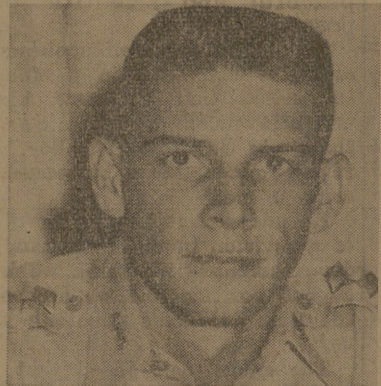
Bennie Zinn, head of Student Affairs, gave what seemed to be one of the most inspiring talks made in some time the other night at Civilian Student Council meeting. Every word he said was true and it behooves every Civilian student to take a more active interest in campus life than in the past.

Until next Tuesday, beat the H - - - out of UoffH and "Win that party!"

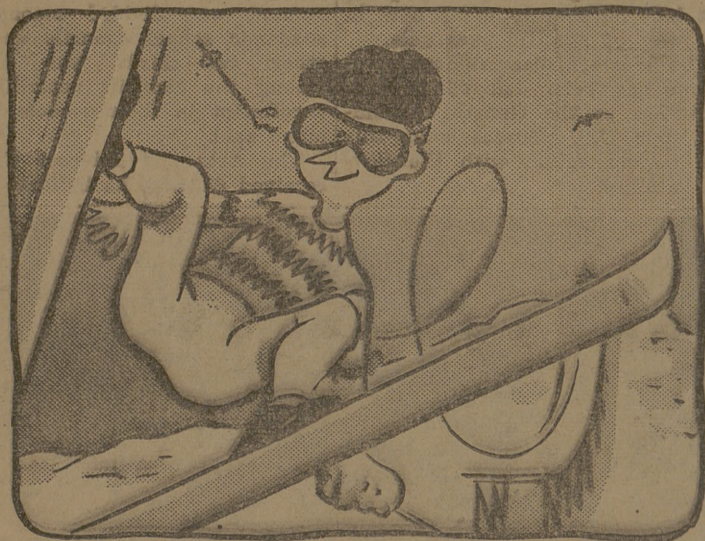
## LETTERS

Editor The Battalion  
What is this that we read about "Aggies Say 'Nix' To Co-education"? It seems to us that this was mainly the Corps talking. What is wrong with them? Don't they know what coeds are?  
Marvin Jetton '57  
Jim Struthwolf '59

(Editor's note: The Battalion welcomes letters from its readers. This column is the best place to express your views. Write, but please keep them short like this letter.)



Jon Lewis Hagler



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"BEST FOOTBALL WEEKEND I EVER HAD, BUT IF I HAD IT TO DO OVER, I'D SEE TH' GAME!"

Jon Hagler, Corps Commander

## Never Dreamed He'd Lead Corps

By GAYLE McNUTT

Three years ago the last thing to enter the mind of a short-haired "B" Field Artillery freshman from LaGrange was becoming Commander of the Corps of Cadets. But that is exactly the goal attained by Jon L. Hagler.

Hagler, like most Aggies, does not know exactly what prompted him to come to A&M. He said since A&M has the best School of Agriculture in the state, it just seemed the logical place to go since he intended to major in agricultural economics. He said he was also drawn by the leadership advantages of A&M.

"But I never even dreamed of

ever becoming Corps commander," the slim four-diamond ranker said smiling.

Hagler said that his biggest thrill since coming to A&M was when he was notified that he was Corps sergeant major last year. He jokingly lists his greatest challenge here at Aggeland as trying to convince his profs that his outside activities in the Corps are more important than 100% class attendance.

He says that his greatest experiences at A&M are the everyday associations that he has with the men in his class. Hagler doesn't have many dislikes or pet peeves nor does he have any particularly preferred entertainment.

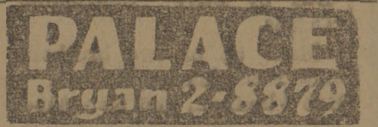
When asked about his opinion of how A&M had changed since his entering in the fall of '54 and how he thought it might change in the future, the brown-haired senior answered:



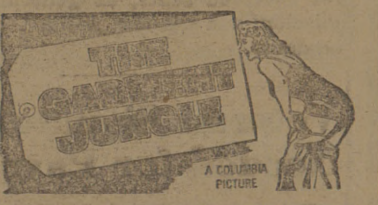
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## Highlights and Sidelights From Your State Capitol

By VERN SANFORD  
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AUSTIN, Tex.—Gov. Price Daniel apparently is going all out to get the balance of his 1957-58 program adopted into law.

Special legislative session begins Oct. 14.

In recent speeches over the state Daniel has plugged for lobby control and a crime commission. More talks were scheduled—one on water conservation in San Antonio and another in Liberty.

In addition, the governor has made some outspoken statements on federal-state relationships. Excerpts from his busy round:

CRIME—Present criminal code, says the governor, "is so antiquated that it protects the convicted criminal more than it protects the public."

He asked for a state law enforcement study commission that would make recommendations to the next regular Legislature on

how crime and highway accidents can be reduced.

Texas crime rate is rising faster than its population, 46 per cent of it by juveniles, said Daniel. (A recent FBI survey showed that during the first half of 1957 Texas has had an increase, up to nearly 10 per cent over 1956, in every type of major crime.)

LOBBY CONTROL—Opponents of this bill are trying "to picture it as a struggle between business and labor," said the governor.

"This is ridiculous... the bill would require registration of those employed by both labor and industry to influence legislation.

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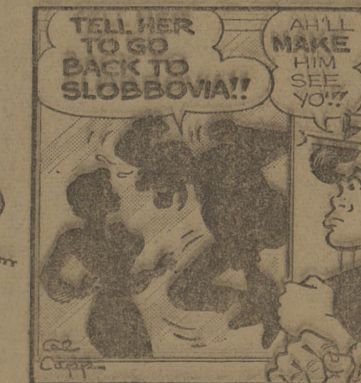
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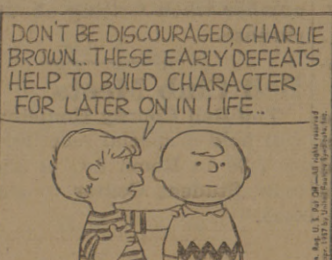
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