

Man to Man

BY JOE TINDEL

Yesterday everybody found out the good news or the bad, whichever message their mid-semester grades carried.

From the looks of a lot of Aggies gathered around bulletin boards of various departments, all news wasn't good.

The greatest thing about mid-semester grades is that they can be brought up—in most cases that is.

It looks like the defense department finally woke up and let the Army try out its Jupiter C for launching a space satellite. Earlier indications pointed to a Defense department favoritism of the Navy Project Vanguard.

Yesterday was Veterans' Day though probably few people realized that the name of the holiday had been changed from its old nomenclature, Armistice Day.

Last night at Memorial Student Center Council meeting, Don McGinty, president, had just adjourned the group when councilmen broke out singing "Happy Birthday" to Dr. P. J. Woods, who celebrated his second birthday when the World War I armistice was signed.

Last year's Battalion managing editor Dave McReynolds was up for the Aggie-SMU game Saturday night and said he had just taken a job on the Galveston News as night city editor. He will be joining former Battalion sports editor Barry Hart who is police reporter for the News.

So much for another week. This week's game is the real clincher. Let's show Rice we not only have the No. 1 team in the nation but also the No. 1 Spirit.

Highlights and Sidelights From Your State Capitol

By VERN SANFORD
 Texas Press Association

AUSTIN, Tex.—Days of old seem to have dawned over Texas lawmakers. They ended their first called session this week and launched into number two.

It's the first time in more than a decade that a governor has convened a legislature in two rapid-fire special sessions.

Main topic for the second session is a bill to authorize closing of public schools threatened by occupation by federal troops.

Gov. Price Daniel issued the second call when it became apparent that this issue couldn't be squeezed into the final days of the first session.

House and Senate had difficulty coming to agreement on details of the first session's five-

point program: water planning, lobby control, crime study, practice before state agencies and money for an Insurance Department building.

BOND PROGRAM LAUNCHED—At least one phase of Texas water conservation program now has the official go-ahead.

By approving a constitutional amendment, voters cleared the way for issuance of \$200,000,000 in bonds to finance local water projects.

Though only about one-tenth of the electorate-185,000-turned out, all three proposed amendments received approximately 3-to-1 majorities.

Two others will provide increased retirement benefits for state employes and authorize higher old age pensions.



"THIS AIN'T EXACTLY POKER, MR. K.K.! WE'RE MERELY RAISIN' FUNDS FOR TH' COMMUNITY CHEST!"

Letters to the Editor

Editor:
 The Battalion

Judging from your editorial of Nov. 6, you seem to think that the party of Roosevelt and Truman is the true Democratic party. It is not. Those men created the liberal wing of the party to fit their ideas, just as "modern Republicanism" is far left of the Republican Party's ideals.

In equating Conservatism with unlawfulness you are placing discredit not only upon the intelligence of the readers of the editorial, but upon yourself as well by sinking to the muck-throwing level. I hope the conservatives who read the editorial will show more charity to you than you have to them in questioning their patriotism.

Peter Schaar '58

Editor:
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For quite a while now I have been reading your editorials dealing with the segregation and integration issue with interest and amusement.

If you want to get in on the political crusade being carried on by the Liberals and inspired Northerners why don't you drop out of school and carry the fight to the Conservatives? The East Texas and other Southern Conservatives in state and national government posts have been duly elected by the people. Their duty is to execute the desires of the people they represent.

Two or three editorials on this national problem aren't going to solve it. It shall be quite a while before this issue is settled to the satisfaction of everyone concerned.

Since a paper should present the views of both sides of a con-

troversy why not let the Conservatives have a field day with the editorial once in a while?

James B. Thompson '57

Editor:
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There seems to be a state of confusion prevailing in that intellectual (?) and journalistic (?) mind of yours.

If you know the difference between an editorial and a political advertisement, I'd like a factual editorial for a change.

Jim Salmon '57

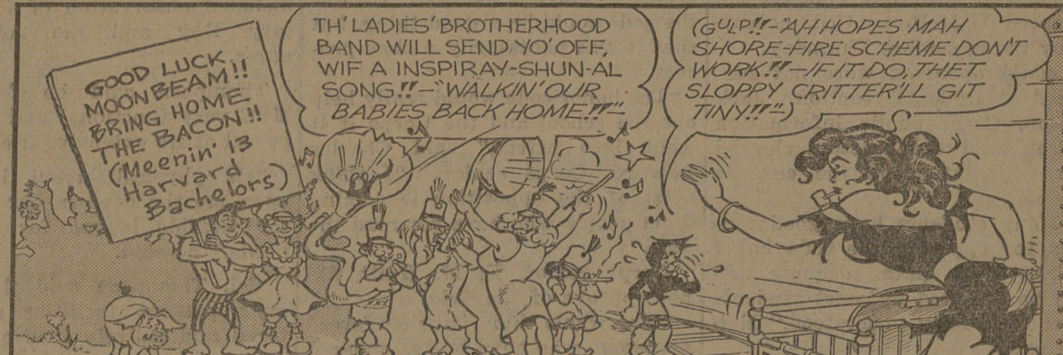
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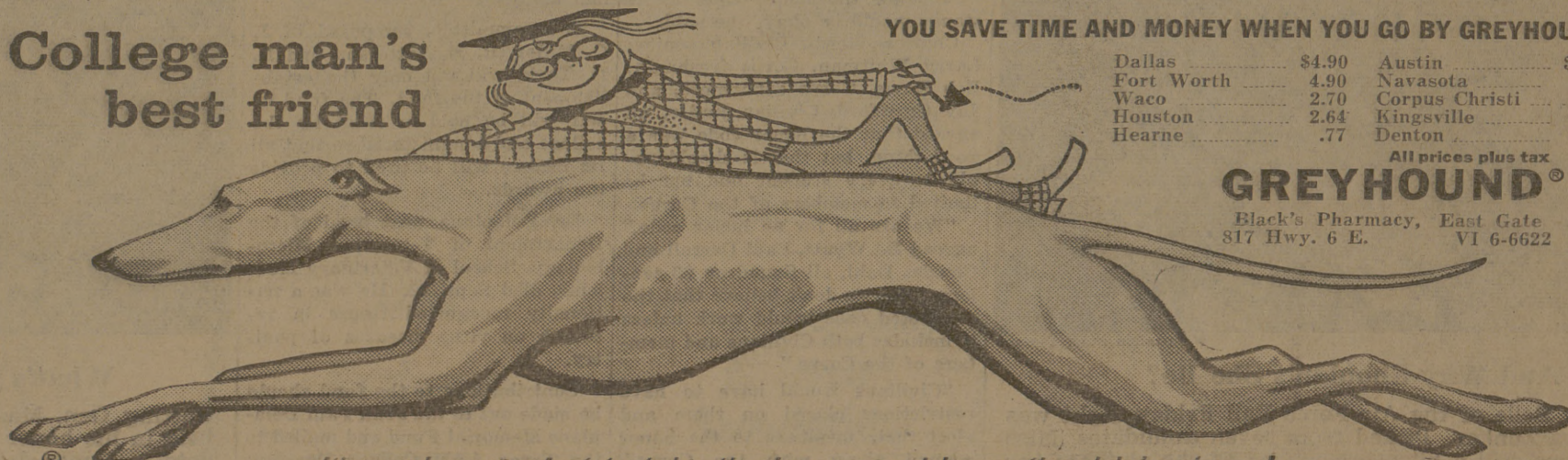
What's Cooking

7:30

PHYSICS CLUB meets in Room 320 of the Physics Building to hear R. E. Collins of Humble Oil and Refining Company speak on activities carried on at the Humble Research lab related to physics.

ACCOUNTING SOCIETY meets in the Social Room of the Memorial Student Center.

College man's best friend

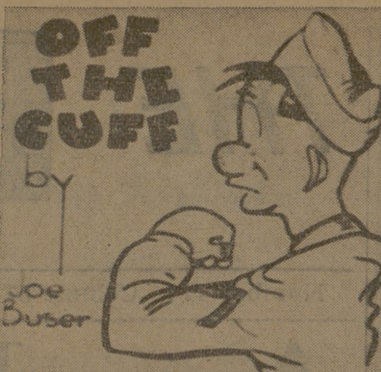


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The much thwarted O. D. has finally asserted himself in the person of Richard Roberson.

Seems that Roberson found a use for the long knife that the child-savers must carry. He killed a dirty rat.

Now, before there has been little mention of dirty rats on our campus, except by subversive blabber mouths from "those other schools."

Well, Roberson found one, all the same. According to the slayer, "It was him or me so I whipped out m' blade and run him through."

The dirty little rat suffered a broken back and died almost immediately.

With this Sputnik bit spooking the peoples of earth, everyone is looking for a safe place to hide.

Well, a sophomore from Seoul, Korea, seems to have found one answer.

Says Holim Kim with a twinkle in his eye, "When I go home I'm going to stay north of the 38th."

Engineers Meet

Bradford Wicks of Ames Laboratories, Moffett Field, Calif., will speak to a joint meeting of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers-Institute of Radio Engineers tonight at 7:45.

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Job Interviews

The following interviews will be held by the Placement Office:

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 U. S. NAVY ELECTRONICS LABORATORY, San Diego, Calif., interviews electrical and mechanical engineering, physics and mathematics majors.

U. S. NAVAL AIR MISSILE TEST CENTER, Point Mugu, Calif., interviews aeronautical, electrical, mechanical engineering and physics majors.

SPERRY ELECTRONIC TUBE DIVISION, Gainesville, Fla., will interview electrical and mechanical engineering and physics majors.

AMERICAN INSTITUTE FOR FOREIGN TRADE, Phoenix,

Ariz., will interview all engineering, all agriculture, business administration, economics and agricultural economics majors.

GOODYEAR TIRE AND RUBBER CO., Akron, Ohio, will interview chemical, civil, electrical and industrial engineering and chemistry majors.

SINCLAIR REFINING CO. Houston, Tex., will interview chemical, mechanical and petroleum engineering majors.

News Welcomed

The Battalion welcomes news contributions from its readers. Bring to Room 4, YMCA.



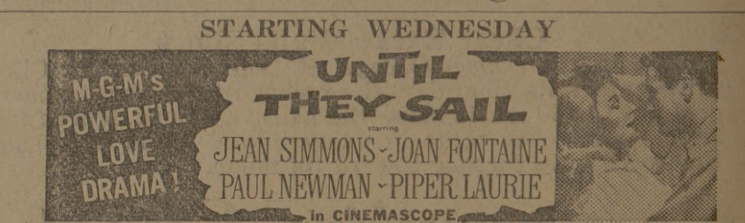
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 With Edmond O'Brien



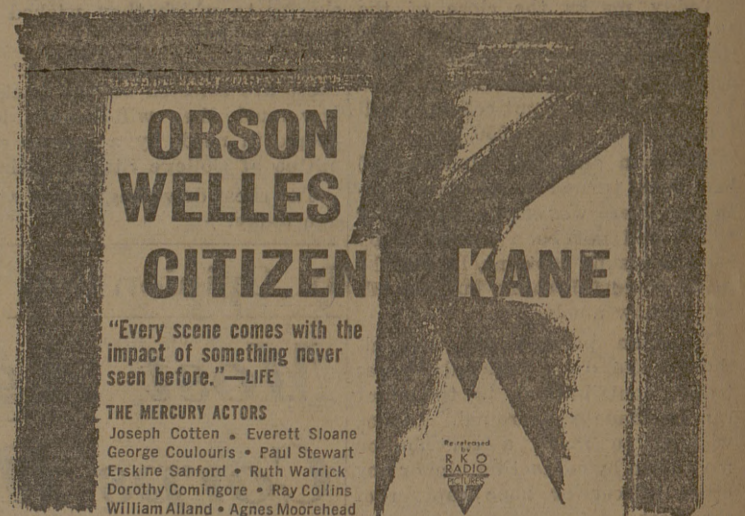
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