

## Letters To The Editor

**Editor**  
The Battalion:  
I would like to take this opportunity to holler some. My gripe is about the parking lots and ticket situation that exists at present. We appear to have a school that has been "blessed" with a bountiful number of mud-pots called parking lots.

Now I am sure that no one, cadet or non-reg enjoys getting mud all over their shoes, least of all me; and don't start hollering "gutless", etc. at this point, because I've got four years of mud just behind me, compliments of "Uncle". While I don't have facts to back up my complaint, I still feel that all the students are being robbed by the security force.

Just where is all of the money they take in going to? I'm no math whiz, but at two bucks a car, for about 1500 cars at the start of each semester, plus all the tickets they write, it would appear that they take in somewhere around \$6,000 a semester.

It is my understanding that the money is supposed to be used to fix these so-called parking lots. If I am wrong I stand corrected. Any way, it would be my suggestion to pay this money to the more deserving professors in the different departments, or set up some kind of scholarship since the money obviously isn't going to be used for the lots.

### At Other Schools

## Students Study College Drinking

College students who drink did so before college.  
Drinking behavior is "largely cultural."

These were two points uncovered by two senior sociology majors at University of Arkansas. The ARKANSAS TRAVELER reported their findings.

The students used as their definition of a drinker "anyone who had a drink of any alcoholic beverage during the past six weeks." The six weeks before the study, no holiday or special school function had occurred.

Other findings:  
• Most parents disapproved of their children's drinking, but the majority of students who drink have parents who drink occasionally.

• The majority of non-drinkers' parents never drink.  
• Students with friends who drink were mostly drinkers themselves. Those who said none or only some friends drink were mostly abstainers.

Well, that's my story anyway, whether or not it is a legitimate complaint I couldn't say. I just feel that this would be an easy solution to keeping some of the better professors who consider leaving for better paying positions.

Sincerely yours,  
Kurt J. Munser

**Editor**

The Battalion:

Even though the ruling to admit females at Texas A&M was passed by an Aggie judge, it does not mean that they (females) will be entering the college. If A&M is willing to continue fighting this case in a higher court, it is my estimation that females won't be enrolling at A&M for at least 10 years.

On my trip home last week, I had the opportunity to converse with a major in the U. S. Air Force about co-education at A&M, and even though he was a graduate of a co-ed school he felt as a lot of Aggies do. He was against co-education here because he knew that a great many traditions would be broken if females were to enroll here.

He also told me that at the base he was stationed a great many more felt the same way. His last words to me were, "You Aggies have a great deal to fight for—so don't stop now."

Ruben Carrera  
Class '61

### LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS

By Dick Bibler



"AN' NOW TH' LOSING COACH COMES OFF TH' FIELD ON TH' SHOULDERS OF—"

### ROTC Problem

## Magazine Story Causes Comment

LOOK magazine's recent article on ROTC caused comment in the college press. The national magazine quoted high military leaders as considering "drastically reducing or even eliminating" the ROTC program in college. "Failure of ROTC to produce a sufficient number of high-caliber officers is causing the services to take a 'nervous new look' at the system."

Kansas State's COLLEGIAN reports a student council committee there just completed a study of local ROTC. The group, noting a steadily increasing male enrollment and an equally steady decrease in ROTC commissions, recommended eliminating compulsory ROTC for an optional program "adequate in quantity, higher in quality and more desirable to all students."

At University of Minnesota, where ROTC is voluntary, the MINNESOTA DAILY reported ROTC officials as being "shocked" and not in agreement with the LOOK story.

One said he knew of no official actions to indicate any dropping of ROTC. "It is true the number entering ROTC is not as high as might be desired. . . The modern generation is apathetic to the services, and when students come to college, they are often immature and thus not capable of making the decision to receive officer's training. . ."

Wayne State University air force ROTC officials declined comment on the LOOK piece, said the Detroit school's DAILY COLLEGIAN.

The newspaper noted, "The local AFROTC has been on shaky ground before. An economy drive in 1956 provided for discontinuing the school's program," but the order was repealed when the university's president made a direct appeal to the air force.

Plans were made then for a period of observation and study of ROTC's future at WSU.

## Job Calls

**Friday**  
Touche, Niven, Bailey & Smart, of Houston, will interview accounting majors for junior accounting positions.

U. S. Army Audit Agency, Southern Region, Fort Sam Houston interviews accounting majors.

**Monday**  
Liquid Carbonic Corporation, Chicago, Ill., interviews business administration, chemistry, chemical engineering and mechanical engineering majors.

General Telephone Co. of the Southwest, San Angelo, interviews agricultural economics, economics, business administration, electrical engineering, mechanical engineering and industrial technology majors.

**Tuesday**  
Ceco Steel Products Corporation, Houston, interviews architectural construction, civil engineering and mechanical engineering majors.

North America Companies, Austin, interviews business administration and economics majors.

## What's Cooking

7:30  
Abilene Hometown Club meets in room 204, Academic Building.  
El Paso Hometown Club meets in room 103, Academic Building.  
Spring Branch Hometown Club meets in room 226, Academic Building.  
Flax County Hometown Club meets in room 125, Academic Building.

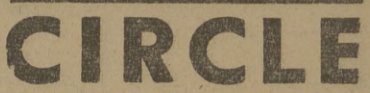
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