

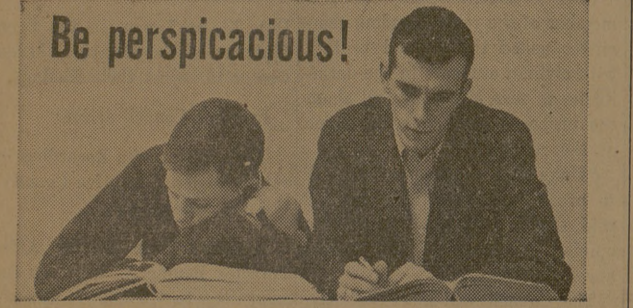
CADET SLOUCH by Jim Earle



Give Yourself A Lift... Give To The CAMPUS CHEST

Social Calendar

The following clubs and organizations will meet on campus: Saturday The Chemical Engineering Wives Club will have its Christmas Party Saturday at 7 p.m. on the second floor of the YMCA Building. Sunday The Committee for Organizing a Professional Nurses' Club of Brazos County invites all Registered Nurses to a tea Sunday in the home of Maureen Davey, 1103 Walton Dr., College Station, from 1:30-5:30 p.m. Monday The A&M Student Chapter of the American Meteorological Society will hold a meeting Monday at 7:30 p.m. in Room 306 of Goodwin Hall. A 30 minute film entitled "Science and the Sea" will be presented. Refreshments will be served. Tuesday The Fashion Group of the A&M Social Club will have its annual Christmas Party in the home of Mrs. Ben Boriskie, 520 Wayside Dr., on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. Each member is urged to bring a home-made gift. The A&M Institute of Aerospace Sciences will meet Tuesday in Room 231 of the Chemistry Annex at 7:30 p.m. Mr. Ed French of the Tempo Aircraft Corp. will speak on "Analog Computers and How They Are Used."



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Editor, The Battalion:

The Religious Emphasis Week comes to the Texas A&M campus Feb. 19-24. This week is 'dedicated to deepening the students' spiritual life from a religious viewpoint, and emphasizes the discussion of everyday problems and their application to religion.'

With this ironic introduction we would like to ask a few related questions about something fast becoming an "everyday problem."

On Dec. 6, a senior student and cadet officer was maliciously and unjustifiably relieved of his command. No doubt a reprimand and a punishment of some degree was in order for his unforgivable action of cutting the last 15 minutes of drill last Saturday morning.

A college administration, with its various staffs, is supposedly composed of men of intelligence, standards and good principles. But this action certainly does not reflect any of them. How can an administration seek to "deepen the student's spiritual life from a religious viewpoint" and still permit such evidently biased action? How can it bring religious educators to our campus to teach us what is right and just and still keep a clear conscience? It is the same old story of "do as I say, not as I do."

The Corps of Cadets and the entire college is under a period of change—some perhaps good and some bad. Such practices as the above are definitely not good and do nothing to instill confidence in the administration or what it is trying to accomplish.

This is not the first such incident, nor will it be the last. It would seem that the administration's plan is to reduce the Corps of Cadets to just another "Rot-C" unit—its members mere puppets dangling from strings. There has been talk of doing away with the rank system as we now know it; of ridding the Corps of Cadets of Drill and Ceremonies students; men who are in the Corps only because of their own choosings. All of this serves only to strengthen the puppets' strings, for a man with an Army or Air Force contract held over his head is much easier to handle.

And where do we go from here? It's very easy to imagine Texas A&M, or rather Texas State, as a co-educational, integrated "university" with an ROTC group.

Is this what you want? Jim S. Denison, '61; Nevel H. Ehrhardt, '61; H. A. Harrington, Jr., '61; R. W. Taylor, '61; W. H. Smith, '61; James C. Thigpin, '61; E. John Francis, '61; Lowell R. Conder, '61; Jack W. Fram, '61; Robert S. Harris, '61; Michael I. Figart, '61; John N. Wilkinson, '61; M. D. Browning, '61; Dock Burke, '62; Charles E. Brame, '61; Larry D. Flaherty, '61; Voris L. Riley, '61; Howell W. Holland, '61; Mickey McDonald, '61; Tommy Hines, '61; Charles Lawrence, '61; O'Neal Munn, '61; G. L. Gaines, '61; J. M. Hoyt, '61; Raymond Dungen, '61; Robert C. Kyle, '61; Walter L. Heme, '61; Larry N. Smith, '61; Tom H. Hull, '61; Tony Rex Reynolds, '61; John K. Neal, '61; I. S. Dierking, '61; Grady A. Light, '61; Lynn A. McKinnie, '61; Alvin B. Dombart, '61; Ray E. Whitmire, '61; R. T. Simmons, '61; R. J. Reiser, '61; Wymond F. Burt, '61; Emil H. Pawlik, '61; Robert Keathley, '61; Billy Heck, '61; Malcolm D. Maxwell, '61; James A. Spikes, '61; E. C. Wiederstein, '61; J. W. Moore, '61; Harry H. Price, '61; James R. Arnold, '61; John C. Stevens, '61; Jack D. Tallman, '61; Bob Calkins, '61; John R. Hamilton, '61.

Editor, The Battalion:

I have always been taught to dress according to the occasion—and whoever heard of wearing a tuxedo to a Boy Scout Troop meeting?

With no more incentive to dress like a young man than is fostered around this particular campus, I fail to see where anyone has a legitimate gripe.

I believe it is an accepted fact of most educated people that the man dresses for the woman. This eliminates a major incentive real quick. As long as there continues to be an unnatural situation on this campus, one should expect some unnatural results in such categories as dressing, eating, thinking, etc.

Texas A&M is in the middle of a tug-of-war. One end is natural, one end is military and the middle is satisfied as long as they get theirs. How long it will continue in its present stagnated state remains to be seen.

Some factors feel the school should become a university in more ways than by name alone. I feel something should be done even if it is wrong.

Every other college and university is growing by leaps and bounds to meet the nation's educational needs?

What's wrong with Texas A&M?

Glynn D. Baker, '63

Editor, The Battalion:

Only a few weeks ago, the editorial column in The Battalion was blasting the usurping of tradition and demanding that "Reveille" be taken off the leash at football games.

Now the editorials say the only argument for not changing the name of Texas A&M is tradition and that the argument is weak. This school has been Texas A&M longer than "Reveille" has been here.

If The Battalion is going to campaign for changing the name of Texas A&M, why not campaign for co-education? Then Texas A&M could produce the same caliber of limp-wrists that other colleges do.

George Lovett, '63

Editor, The Battalion:

In reference to your editorial of December 7, 1960, I have some questions to ask. The editorial stated that Texas A&M is calling itself something it is not.

That is a misconception. In the 1960-61 bulletin published by this College, four main schools of learning are listed. They are the School of Agriculture, which has 15 departments; the School of Arts and Sciences with 14 departments; the School of Engineering with 12 departments; and the School of Veterinary Medicine with seven departments. The School of Agriculture and the School of Engineering combined are the largest.

I now ask, why isn't Texas A&M calling itself by the right name?

The School of Arts and Sciences is necessary to any college. The School of Veterinary Medicine is outstanding but it doesn't change Texas A&M to a University status.

Again I ask, what foundation is the name change based on? Is it merely prestige, which Texas A&M already has, or other unknown reasons?

If the name of this college must be changed, it should be Texas A&M University.

In this way, it would be at least partially right.

Jimmie A. Kithas, '63

Editor, The Battalion:

The proposed name change issue seems to boil down to the fact that a few members of our ad-

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ministration feel that they don't receive enough prestige by being connected with or teaching at Texas A&M College. Apparently they feel that they will be able to hold their heads higher and no longer feel ashamed to be connected with a college.

In order to gain their ends they took a survey among their esteemed colleagues and discovered that they were not alone in their degradation.

So far, in a study of their pro-

posed operation, I find no provisions for a direct voice from either the students or exes.

The question I would now ask: Whose school is this?

Who is paying large sums of money only to find themselves railroaded according to the whims of a few who obviously have no interest in Texas A&M save their own personal gains.

To the gentlemen of which I speak, both in military and aca-

demie administrative positions, I say this:

If you feel that your personal gain would be greatly enhanced by being connected with a university, then by all means connect yourself with one. There are many such institutions in this part of the country—but gentlemen this is not one of those institutions.

In case you haven't heard, this is the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas.

John K. Marshall, '63

INTERPRETING World To Face Intense Communist Reiteration?

By J. M. ROBERTS Associated Press News Analyst

It appears that the world is now to be subjected to a most intensive reiteration of all the old Communist cliches.

Every year since the Korean War, for instance, the Reds have come up with the charge that the United States is blocking the reunification of that country. You wouldn't think they'd like to talk so much about it, because it's true.

Joe Stalin tried to unify Korea by force of North Korean Communist arms in 1950, and the United States blocked that. The Chinese Reds moved in to pull some of the Communist fat out of the fire and thereby became a problem for Soviet leadership.

But every year they bring it up, complete with all the faded charges of imperialism, and every year the United States tells them to agree to free elections or forget it.

The only new items added to the list of Communist charges of imperialism in recent years have been regarding the Congo and Cuba, which are new issues.

But the controllers of the various Communist-held countries, except Yugoslavia, have just held a big meeting reminding of the

New Orleans Mystery Man Pays Teacher

By The Associated Press NEW ORLEANS, La.—An unidentified New Orleans citizen has made money available to pay the November teachers salaries at two integrated public schools, School Supt. James F. Redmond said Thursday.

Redmond did not identify the donor, nor did he mention the amount involved.

Cashier's checks to cover the salaries of personnel at the William Frantz and McDonogh No. 19 schools, both integrated by federal court order Nov. 14 were distributed at the schools Thursday. Both schools have been the scene of boycotts and demonstrations by those objecting to integrated classes.

pre-war Comintern sessions and decided to try cold war a while longer before reconsidering the necessity for hot war.

They are better organized now than they were in the '20s and '30s when the Comintern was laying down its blueprint for conquest, and Soviet Premier Khrushchev has a propaganda symphony instead of Stalin's one-string band.

Poland and Czechoslovakia are already playing prominent roles in the Red attempt to penetrate Africa and Latin America. The tempo of the Peiping drum has been rising almost daily.

One of the great objectives of the new Communist manifesto is to present the party cause as not merely Russian, where the taint of the new imperialism is so clearly discernible, but as a crusade of "liberated" peoples.

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