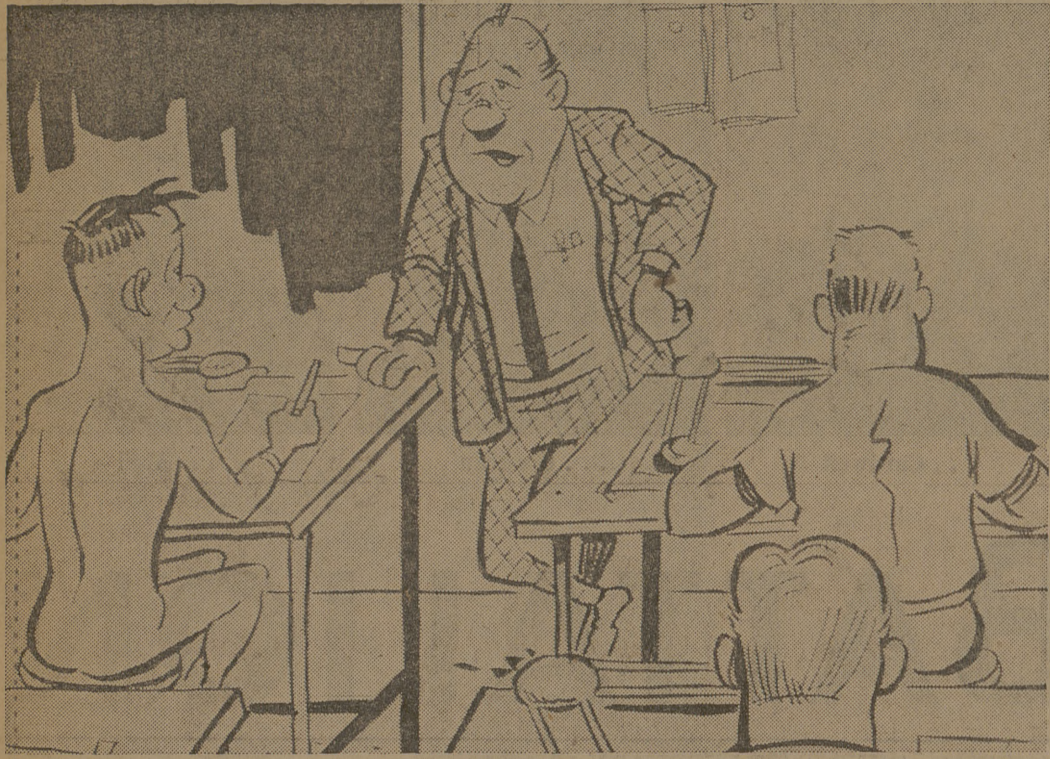


CADET SLOUCH

by Jim Earle



... men, I realize it's warm today—but I think we should draw th' line somewhere concerning the removable items of your uniforms."

INTERPRETING

Soviet UN Antics On Congo Crisis May Cost Support

By J. M. ROBERTS Associated Press News Analyst The Soviet Union has thrown a war scare into the Congo crisis, is attacking the United Nations, and by those acts may lose permanently the support of many of the newly emerging nations which she hoped would help advance her cause.

itary airlift if she chooses, has disturbed everyone who hoped to smooth over the Lumumba crisis without a chaotic civil war. And the smaller nations do hope for this.

India, which frequently ignores Western policy, is a leader among these countries which, however naively, wish just to be let alone.

One of the most significant products of the Soviet actions on Tuesday was the immediate expression of disapproval by India.

Instead of withdrawing the U. N. force from the Congo, India said, it should be strengthened along with the whole U. N. policy. It's Congolese troops which should be disarmed, and foreign elements eliminated, said the Indian ambassador to Washington, adding: "It should only be done in the U. N."

This is faith reiterated despite U. N. inability to act decisively so far. It is, by its direct contradiction of Communist policy, a strong complaint against anyone who would promote chaos in the Congo for their own purposes.

The Soviet idea that she can establish a puppet regime even in part of the Congo, as she has tried to do in Cuba, without producing a direct conflict and perhaps war with the West, is far-fetched. If it comes to that, through promotion of civil war, the West will not sit back and see Africa start down the Communist road as did Asia after World War II.

The Western powers, also, are just as determined as the small nations that the United Nations shall not be undermined.

If the Soviet Union continues her pressures on either or both of these points, she will produce a coalescence which might not have occurred otherwise.

— Sound Off —

'welcome ray...'

Editor, The Battalion: The letter by William J. Heard, '57, in the Feb. 9 issue of The Battalion, praising the courageousness of the editor concerning his editorial on the film "Operation Abolition" echoes my sentiments exactly.

When a large number of Americans, presumably many who are loyal citizens, have unwittingly taken up the Communist chant of abolishing the House Committee on Un-American Activities (HCUA), an article of this type is a welcome ray of light.

For those who desire more insight on the present controversial film "Operation Abolition," the HCUA has published an item-by-item refutation of the many slanderous charges made against this film. (HCUA state there is only one error, and this is a matter of sequence in the appearance of Harry Bridges.)

This information, along with J. Edgar Hoover's publication "Communist Target—Youth," which further affirms the film

and states the demonstrations were very definitely Communist inspired, can be obtained by writing Chairman Francis E. Walter, House Committee on Un-American Activities, House of Representatives, Washington, D.C.

The mayor of San Francisco, George Christopher, who was present at the demonstration scene, also proclaimed the factuality of this film in his recent radio broadcast over the Mutual Broadcasting System. He too, states the riots were Communist inspired and led.

I was not present in San Francisco to observe these demonstrations first-hand—nor do I imagine anyone in the Bryan-College Station area was; therefore it becomes necessary for us to depend upon the judgement of others. HCUA and the film, "Operation Abolition," must be effective as evidenced by the fervent attempt of the Communists to discredit them (according to "The Worker" and other Communist and Communist-front publications). Personally, I'll choose the pro-America, anti-Communist line any day.

G. L. Morrow, '63

Social Calendar

The following organizations will meet tonight, Feb. 16:

The Amarillo Hometown Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in Room 203 of the Academic Building. All members are urged to be present as this is a very important meeting.

The Bell County Hometown Club will meet in Room 2-B of the Memorial Student Center at 7:30 p.m.

The Odessa Hometown Club will get together in Room 227 of the Academic Building at 7:30 p.m.

The Wichita Falls Hometown Club will meet in Room 107 of the Biological Building at 7:30 p.m.

The Lower Trinity Valley Hometown Club will hold a meeting at 7:30 p.m. in Room 224 of the Academic Building.

The Midland Hometown Club will meet in the YMCA at 7:30 p.m.

The Lavaca County Hometown Club will meet in Room 128 of the Academic Building at 7:30 p.m.

The Bellaire Hometown Club will hold a meeting in Room 207 of the Academic Building at 7:30 p.m.

The Ft. Bend County Hometown Club will meet in Room 208 of the Academic Building.

The Galveston County Hometown Club will meet in the Brooks Room of the YMCA at 7:30 p.m.

The California Hometown Club will hold a meeting in the Lounge of the Memorial Student Center at 7:45 p.m.

The Tyler-Smith County Hometown Club will meet in the Memorial Student Center at 7:30 p.m. Members should wear Class

'A' Winter Uniform as pictures for The Aggieband will be taken.

The South Louisiana Hometown Club will get together in Room 227 of the Academic Building at 7:30 p.m.

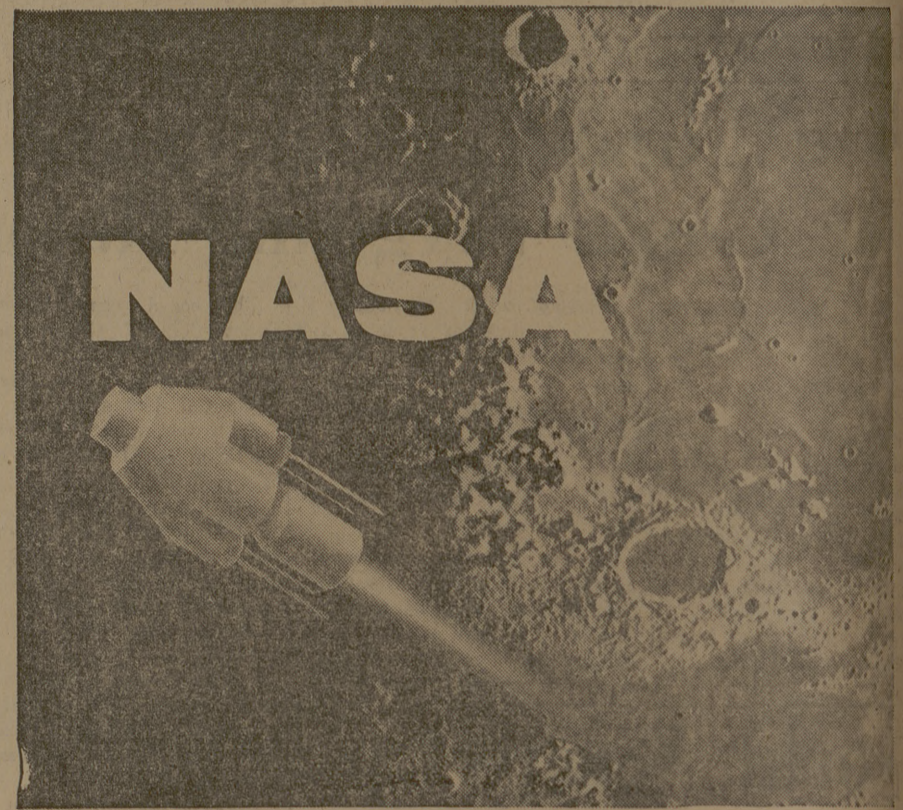
The Richardson Hometown Club will meet in Room 204 of the YMCA at 7:30 p.m. Members should bring picture of their nominees for sweetheart.

The Panhandle Hometown Club will meet in Room 2-C of the Memorial Student Center at 7:30 p.m.

The Texarkana Hometown Club will meet in the Lobby of the Academic Building at 7:30 p.m.

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The El Paso Hometown Club will meet in Room 3-C of the Memorial Student Center at 7:30 p.m.



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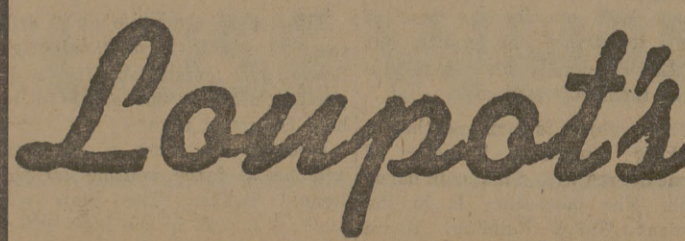
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