

BATTALION EDITORIALS

To Understand It

A long, imbibed debate has been raging in governmental circles for the past several years: Which is the better form of government—liberal or conservative?

The differences between liberalism and conservatism are often difficult to define. A "Liberal" may say he is interested in government for all the people; now not just a few. He may brand the "Conservative" as seeking a government that neglects the needs of the common man.

The Conservative, on the other hand, may argue that he, too, is for government for all the people. But he is for a government that lets the people decide problems not of a governmental nature for themselves.

Republican Sen. Barry Goldwater, in his book "The Conscience of a Conservative," said "Conservatism . . . looks upon the enhancement of man's spiritual nature as the primary concern of political philosophy. Liberals . . . regard the satisfaction of economic wants as the dominant mission of society."

This is, of course, a Conservative's view. Liberals, and even some Conservatives, will disagree with it.

Today the seventh annual Student Conference on National Affairs opened in the Memorial Student Center Ballroom with a speech by U. S. Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey, a Democrat and a Liberal. Tonight another senator, Roman L. Hruska, a Republican and a Conservative, will speak. Both senators will deliver an address on the same topic: "The Role of the Federal Government in Education, Social Security, General Welfare and Labor-Management Relations."

We doubt that the senators, though their speech topics are identical, will be able to agree on very many points. We doubt that Liberals and Conservatives attending the addresses will be swayed too far out of line with their present views.

But we sincerely believe everyone—Liberal or Conservative, Democrat or Republican—hearing the speeches will leave with a better understanding of the fundamental ideas that shape our government.

This is the heart of SCONA.

CADET SLOUCH

by Jim Earle



"That's a good question, but I doubt that Senator Humphrey is in a position to predict who our next coach will be—perhaps we should confine our discussion to less important world affairs!"

Job Calls

The following firms will interview seniors in the Placement Office in the YMCA Building: Thursday
Columbian Carbon Co.—Chemical and mechanical engineering (B.S.).

Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Co.—Agricultural economics, business administration, English, history and government and industrial education.
Southwestern Investment Co.—Business administration, agricultural economics, English, history and government.

United States Civil Service Commission, U.S.D.A. Soil Conservation Service and U.S.D.A. Farmers Home Administration will continue interviews begun today. Majors and requirements were in Tuesday's Battalion.

Summer Employment U.S.D.A. Soil Conservation Service—Juniors and sophomores majoring in agricultural education, agricultural engineering, agronomy, animal husbandry and range and forestry.

Schools such as Yale, University of Connecticut, Princeton, Dartmouth, Providence College, Williams and the City College of New York have bicycle racing on a regular basis.

Structural steel in the dormitory material for schools in the United States.

JFK Calls For Exercise

NEW YORK (AP)—President Kennedy Tuesday night called for mass programs of play and exercise for the American people, saying we are growing physically soft from push-button living.

The President, speaking before a dinner of the National Football Foundation, called on his hosts to take action to involve the people as a whole in physical-fitness programs.

Kennedy quoted Thomas Jefferson as saying that not less than two hours a day should be devoted to exercise, and said he felt that if Jefferson could give two hours, American children should be able to spend 10 or 15 minutes a day in exercise.

Bulletin Board

Religious Groups
Knights of Columbus will meet at St. Mary's Student Center. Picture for the Aggieeland will be taken.

1962 AGGIELAND
Texas A&M College
College Station, Texas

Civilian Yearbook Portrait Schedule

Civilian students will have their portrait made for the AGGIELAND '62 according to the following schedule. Portraits will be made at the Aggieeland Studio between the hours of 8 a. m. and 5 p. m. on the days scheduled.

COATS AND TIES SHOULD BE WORN.

Fish, Soph. and Jr. Civilians	Dec. 4-5 A-C (Surnames)
	5-6 D-H
	6-7 I-M
	7-8 N-Q
	11-12 R-S
	12-13 T-Z

Sr. and Grad. Civilians

Jan. 4-5 A-B (Surnames)
8-9 C-E
9-10 F-H
10-11 I-K
11-12 L-N
15-16 O-Q
16-17 R-S
17-18 T-V
18-19 W-Z

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In
"PRINCE VALENTINE"
&
John Payne
In
"SANTE FE PASSAGE"

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Bryan 2-8879
NOW SHOWING
the diabolical classic!

EDGAR ALLAN POES
THE PIT AND THE PENDULUM
A PANAVISION COLOR

QUEEN
"FIESTA NITE"
Tonight 6 P. M.

Sound Off

Lack of Election Publicity Criticized

Editor, The Battalion:

I was concerned with the lack of publicity given to freshman candidates in Thursday's (Nov. 30) election. After reading The

College Regulations of 1961, I found the problems I thought existed were covered.

These are approved election procedures:

- Written solicitation published in The Battalion.
- Written solicitation on a bulletin board or any other area

decided by the Election Commission.

(3) Campaign posters will be posted on dormitory bulletin boards.

(4) Hand cards will be permitted.

(5) Oral solicitation before student assemblies.

I have not seen any candidates' qualifications printed in The Battalion, nor any posters on bulletin boards, nor heard of any student assemblies. Is this because the candidates do not care enough about the office to tell the voters their qualifications? Or is it because they were stopped by someone?

In closing I would like to ask the freshman candidates why, if they were given this opportunity, they didn't take advantage of the approved procedures? Is it because the office sought by the candidates are really not very important to them after all?

Tim A. O'Neil
Puryear 5-B

YR's Say Fight For Future

Editor, The Battalion:

We believe that in this land occurred a truly unique revolution in man's history. All other revolutions simply exchanged one set of rulers for another.

Here for the first time the founding fathers, the little band of men so advanced beyond their time that the world has never seen their like since—evolved a government based on the idea that you and I have the God-given right and ability within ourselves to determine our own destiny.

Freedom is never more than one generation away from extinction—we didn't pass it on to our children in the bloodstream. It must be fought for, protected and handed on for them to do the same, or one day we will spend our sunset years telling our children and our children's children what it was once like in the United States when men were free.

We believe that the future will belong not to the faint-hearted

but to those who believe in it, who prepare for it, and who fight for it.

Texas A&M Young Republicans Club

CSC Prexy Says 'Thanks'

Editor, The Battalion:

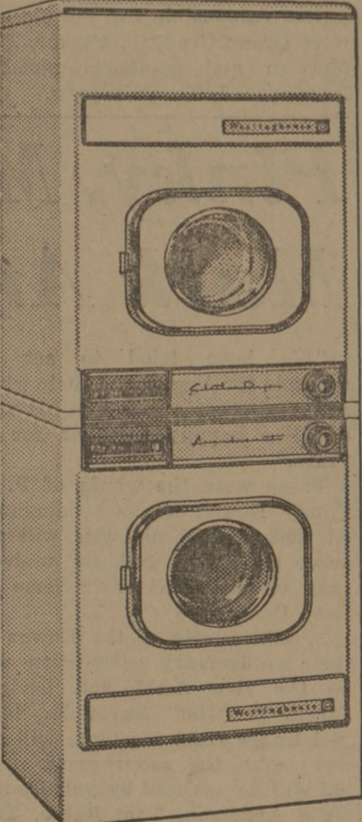
I would like to thank the civilian students who voluntarily guarded the bonfire Friday and Saturday night (Nov. 17-18), and those men who worked Saturday cutting, trimming and hauling logs.

Your efforts Saturday contributed considerably to the building of the biggest bonfire in the history of A&M. This effort is especially appreciated since the Corps of Cadets was representing A&M in the traditional Corps trip to Houston and along with many civilian students supported our team at Rice Stadium.

To all the Aggies, both Corps and civilian, who worked on the bonfire, I would like to say, you did a great job.

Douglas R. Schwenk
President of the
Civilian Student Council

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Those trainees who are interested in and who are found qualified for management responsibility are assured of ample opportunity to move on to such work in either our field offices or in the Home Office after an initial period in sales.

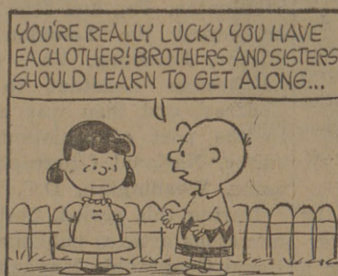
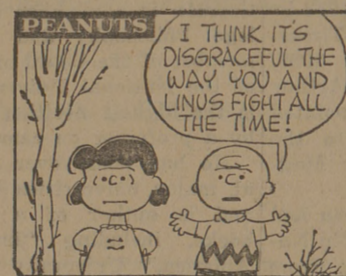
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Arrange with the placement office for an interview with:

Mr. Warren C. Smith
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The Right Gift
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The Meaning of Christmas



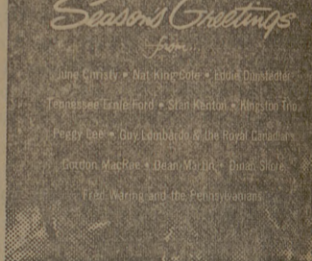
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A Merry Christmas!



Christmas in the Air!



Season's Greetings



THE ANNEX to
SHAFFER'S BOOK STORE
North Gate

By Charles M. Schulz

