THE BATTALION

Tuesday, November 13, 1962 College Station, Texas BATTALION EDITORIALS

Reward For Stubborness: The MSC Gate Slams Shut

A weary-of-waiting Memorial Student Center Council last night shut an important gate in the face of a stubborn Student Senate when it voted to withdraw its Senate Representative.

As the governing board of the vast operation known as the Memorial Student Center, the Council has fiscal responsibility as well as responsibility of student activity programs far beyond the scope of any other campus organization.

For example, the door-slamming session last night also saw approval of a Town Hall Committee budget in excess of \$25,000, along with the hiring of a staff member to assist in MSC public relations and progress checks on the giant SCONA project and Great Issues programs.

Except for becoming a forum for discussion, the Senate has accomplished little save its important Campus Chest drive

The Battalion supports the Senate when it is doing something, but it also feels responsibility to prod a little bit when such a group is resting on its laurels.

The loss of a Student Senate representative to the MSC Council is a serious one. In order to secure the maximum effects from student government, it must operate with the

smooth precision of a fine watch. An indifferent attitude by one of the cogs of the watch ruins the overall effort.

That is the present situation. Although the MSC Council sends its vice president to Senate meetings, the other group refuses to reciprocate. In dealing with representation of students, the Senate is surprisingly unconcerned.

Perhaps the Student Senate of Texas A&M can regain some of its potential usefulness when it realizes that the world does not revolve about its operations.

For three years the MSC Council has been requesting a representative from the Senate. The Battalion feels that after three years the Council is more than justified in its action. 1-4-1日 創業部署

Editor,

The Battalion:

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I am not accustomed to writing letters-to-the-editor, but in some cases I feel compelled to make my opinion known.

I was a witness last week to a spectacle that did little to alleviate the disdainful feeling that tice, but show such callous dismost corps members have for non-reg students. I am referring to an incident that took place during the yell practice Thursday in front of Sbisa Hall. While the yell practice was in progress several cars inched their way through the packed throng, much to the distraction of the students. Understandably annoyed, there was some blocking done by the students to impede the traffic through their ranks.

Finally one driver irritably darted his car forward, pinning two students against parked cars. One of the students broke off the aerial of the moving car, and the non-reg stopped to identify him. At this point the "Spirit" was

non-regs-their lack of spirit, as evidenced by their lack of participation in spirit-raising activities. A "civilian bonfire" this year? Who are we fooling when non-regs not only shun yell pracregard for Aggie tradition as to drive their cars right through a yell practice in progress.

Is it asking too much from diners at late-tables to wait a few minutes, or to drive their cars around the block? If that is asking to much effort, then perhaps we should call off the whole farce and just forget about spirit, the 12th Man, the bonfire and yell practice.

But I prefer to assume that these particular non-regs in question are not representative of Aggies as a whole, and as such, should be prevented from interfering with those who do have spirit and show it. Road guards help, but a sincere effort on the part of all motorists will be necessary to prevent the marring of future yell practices. Aggies, if we have spirit and respect for it, then let's show it.

The following firms will interview graduating seniors in the BBA, MBA, PhD. Placement Office of the YMCA

Electrical engineering and mechanical engineering, BS.

Union Oil Co. of California-

Chemical engineering and petroleum engineering, BS, MS; electrical engineering and mechanical engineering, BS.

by Jim Earle

Bureau of the Census-Agricultural economics and sociology, business administration, economics, electrical engineering and mathematics.



Bulletin Board culture club will meet : Campus-Wide Clubs Wives Clubs

YMCA will meet at 7 p.m. in

Departmental Clubs

Student Education Association

will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the

FFA chapter will meet at 7:30

Health and Physical Education

Marketing Society will meet at

7:30 p.m. in the Art Room of the

Dairy Science Club will meet

at 7:30 p.m. in the Dairy Science Building. Dr. W. I. Rupel will

Future Dates

Municipal Police School

TODAY

Texas Beekeepers Association

Advisory Committee for Manufacturing Chemists Association

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

Faculty-staff dinner dance

Graduate lecture, Dr. Robert F.

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

Varsity football, Rice, there

MONDAY

Insect and Plant Disease Con-

Student Senate

Convocation

trol Conference

Begin filing, freshman elec-

Club will meet at 8 p.m. in Room

232 of G. Rollie White Coliseum.

Charles McCandless will speak.

p.m. in Room 231 of the Chem-

YMCA Building. Kenneth Locke

Bonfire

the YMCA Building.

plans will be discussed.

will speak.

MSC

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Conference

tions

Leggett

istry Building.

Architecture club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Cashion Room of the YMCA Biulding.

A&M Social Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. at Pruitt's Fabric Shop. Elizabeth Williams will speak.

Agronomy - Horticulture - Flori-

Why Save?

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MEXICAN & AMERIC

803 S. Main

meet at 8 p.m. in the So

larium of the YMCA Bui

Ed Clark will speak.

To those of you who stay out of your student governme because you believe the committee system is just an exus for inaction, let me cite an example to prove that a committee properly led and directed, can be a great force for good.

Last week the Student Council met at the Duluth Colleg of Veterinary Medicine and Belles Lettres to discuss purcha a new doormat for the students union. It was, I assure y desperate problem because Sherwin K. Sigafoos, janitor students union, threatened flatly to quit unless a new door was installed immediately. "I'm sick and tired of mopping dirty old floor," said Mr. Sigafoos, sobbing convulsive Sigafoos, once a jolly outgoing sort, has been crying a steadily since the recent death of his pet wart hog wh been his constant companion for 22 years. Actually, Mr. Sign is much better off without the wart hog, who tusked h viciously at least once a day, but a companionship of 22 ye is, I suppose, not lightly relinquished. The college tried to Mr. Sigafoos a new wart hog-a frisky little fellow with f ears and a waggly tail-but Mr. Sigafoos only turned his lad and cried the harder.)



But I digress. The Student Council met, discussed the door mat for eight or ten hours, and then referred it to a committ There were some who scoffed then and said nothing wo ever be heard of the doormat again, but they reckoned without

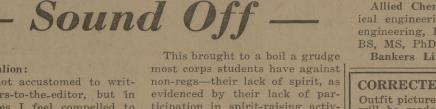
Invictus Millstone, chairman of the doormat committee was a man of action-lithe and lean and keen and, natural smoker of Marlboro Cigarettes. Why do I say "natural

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By Charles M.S

IT SAYS, "RACHEL CARSON



Building: Wednesday Allied Chemical Corp.-Chemical engineering and mechanical engineering, BS, MS; chemistry, BS, MS, PhD. Bankers Life Co.-Accounting **CORRECTED SCHEDULE** Outfit picture for the Aggieland will be made according to the schedule below. Uniform will be class A winter. Outfit C. O.s will wear sabers; seniors will wear boots. Ike jackets may be worn if all sen-iors in the outfit can obtain them. Guidons and Award flags will be carried. All personnel in the outfit will wear the billed service cap issued by the col-lege. The type of cap worn by underclassmen to and from the picture taking area is left to the discretion of the outfit C. O. Outfits should be in front of the Administration Building by 1230 hrs. on the appointed day. Outfit picture for the Aggieland

CADET SLOUCH

Arrangements should be made by the first sergeant with mess hall supervisors to allow the outfit to be admitted to the mess

hall early. 13 Nov. Sqd. 1, Sqd. 2 Sqd. 1, Sqd. 2 Sqd. 3, Sqd. 4 Sqd. 5, Sqd. 6 Sqd. 7, Sqd. 8 Sqd. 9, Sqd. 10 14 Nov. 15 Nov. 27 Nov. 28 Nov. 29 Nov. Nov. 13, Sqd. 14 Dec.

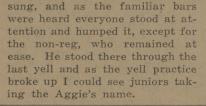
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Job Calls —

"th' outfit was well represented! Not only did we get th' first log, but we got th' first injury!"

and business administration, Dallas Power & Light Co .--

> The Western Co.-Petroleum engineering, BS.



Bill Bayer, '65

