

BATTALION EDITORIALS

Connally Encourages Cooperation, Publicity

Texas educators must strive for closer cooperation with industrialists and legislators if adequate financing for higher education is obtained, Gov. John Connally said this week.

However, he also reminded educators that while they seek to cooperate, they should also concentrate on publicizing their own accomplishments. He encouraged all educators to make known to the public what is being accomplished by their institutions and faculty and staff members.

At the same time Connally called on university officials to "take a good hard look at yourselves" to see if everything offered by the institutions is necessary. We would have been greatly pleased had the Governor added that institutions should also take a look at all their degree programs to be sure that everything that is necessary is being offered.

We feel that the number one step in answering the call for cooperation would be for all our educational institutions to consult industrial and professional people in all fields when deciding what courses will be required within a given degree plan. What good will a well balanced education be if it doesn't fulfill the needs of what a future employer expects of a university graduate.

Once the institution has satisfied itself that it is offering an education that adequately trains a student to take his place in industry, it should then spend endless hours letting the public know that top-notch personnel is being produced at the institution.

The job of publicizing Texas A&M University should not be left to a few people in the University Information Office, but should be taken up by everyone who has an interest in the school. Faculty members, students and former students should consider as part of their everyday responsibility to A&M University the job of letting the citizens of Texas and the U. S. know that the demands of industry are being met at A&M.

University Of Tennessee Revises Admission Policy

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (IP) — A new admissions policy affecting high school graduates with less than a "C" average will be initiated by the University of Tennessee beginning with the present academic year. The University will allow students in this grade category to enter provisionally as freshmen for summer, winter and spring quarters, provided they are strongly motivated to extraordinary work, but they will not be admitted to the busy fall quarter, according to Dr. Herman E. Spivey, academic vice president.

is moving to counteract statistics which show that this session has the highest enrollment, the greatest number of extra-curricular activities and by far the highest total of drop out of the four quarters.

With the statistical histories of previous "C" average students predicting little success in college for them, such applicants will find motivation and hard work the keys to their continued study. Their entrance to the University will be on a "trial" basis, and they must post a 1.0 grade point average during their first quarter of study in order to return.

Read Classifieds Daily

FOR SALE
SURPLUS BUILDINGS
TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY

Sealed proposals for the sale and removal of two one-story wooden frame houses with garage and two one-story one-room frame buildings located on the Texas A&M University Campus will be received at the office of the Physical Plant, 600 Sulphur Springs Road (FM 60), Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas, until 2:00 p. m. October 11, 1963, and then publicly opened and read aloud.

Instructions to bidders and proposal forms may be obtained from the Director of Physical Plant. The University reserves the right to waive any technicalities and to reject any or all bids.

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CADET SLOUCH

by Jim Earle



"Up here! I think I've found th' guy who stole our outfit sign!"

— Sound Off —

Editor, The Battalion:

As usual on Monday nights at this time, I have just returned from Yell Practice. Only this one was different. Tonight I have a sort of sick feeling in my stomach.

I am sure that I can count myself in the majority that our yell leaders had reference to when they said that the majority of us have the Spirit, but a minority does not. I have been an Aggie here on campus for going on three years now, but being an Aggie goes back farther than that for me. My Dad is out of the Class of '38, and one of my two uncles is of the Class of '50. In my Father's engineering business there are three more Aggies in responsible positions. The day I was born there was an announcement in the Dow Chemical Co. paper to the effect that another Aggie had entered the scene. I have been raised as an Aggie and I'm proud of it.

My gripe is this: Granted that the sent-off the team got when they left for Baton Rouge wasn't much, but at 10:30 a.m. most of us are in class. But last Friday, there were at least 12 outfits over at Henderson to give the team a send-off to Ohio, the team didn't even have the courtesy to come out on the porch and acknowledge our presence. But tonight's Yell Practice us the topper to it all.

As the "War Hymn" was being played, many of our players who were on the sidelines sat on their

you-know-whats during the entire "War Hymn." But when the "Spirit" was played and not even one of them stopped on their way to the dressing room, it was a little to much to take. This is the team that I'm going to have to watch as I stand beside my Dad in Ft. Worth at his 25th Class Reunion and say, "We sure are proud of them, they give their all for our school."

Jim Griffin '65

Instrument Show Begins Wednesday

An analytical instrument show for faculty and graduate students will be presented Oct. 9, from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. in the Chemistry Building. Coleman Instruments Inc. of Houston, sponsors of the show, said 22 instruments in the fields of chemistry, biology and physics will be included in the display. Observers will be given the opportunity to see as well as operate the instruments a company spokesman said.

PEANUTS



Bagpipes Will Be Played In Austin City Park Nov. 10

AUSTIN (AP) — The pipes will be piping Nov. 10 among the pecans and oaks of an Austin city park as an expected 1,000 Texas Scots gather to celebrate their heritage. More than 50 of Scotland's many clans will be represented.

"This is the first all-Texas, pure-Scottish, unsponsored gathering of Scots from all clans yet held in Texas," said R. E. McDonald of Leander, Texas' chieftan of clan. "It is in the Scottish tradition and I feel sure there will be a great day in store

for all Scots attending." There will be a traditional Scottish church service, plus bag piping, Scottish Highland country dancing, and Scottish games and field sports.

There will even be a contest in tossing the caber, "if we can find someone who can toss the caber," said Harry Gordon, chief of the Scots of Austin. A caber is a beam or pole weighing about 200 pounds.

Gov. John Connally made the date official by declaring Nov. 10 as "Scots of Texas Day."

"A big percentage of settlers migrating from the East in the 1820s were Scots or early Americans of Scottish descent," said Gordon. "The imprint of the pioneering Scotsmen has been throughout the state."

An interesting sidelight of Texas history is the fact that stone cutters from Aberdeen, Scotland, were brought to Texas in the 1880s to prepare the granite blocks from Marble Falls that make up the state Capitol building.

Bulletin Board

THURSDAY

The Texas A&M Handball Club will meet on the main floor of Deware Field House at 7:30 p.m.

The Abilene Club will meet in Room 208 of the Academic Building at 7:30 p.m.

The Amarillo Hometown Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the lobby of the YMCA Building.

The Dallas Hometown Club will meet in Room 108 of the Academic Building after Yell Practice.

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

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

The Galveston Island Hometown Club will meet in the Brooks Room of the YMCA Building after Yell Practice.

The Houston-Reagan-Waltrip Hometown Club will meet in Room 123 of the Academic Building after Yell Practice.

The Liberty County Hometown Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Memorial Student Center.

The Mid-County Hometown Club will meet in Room 125 of the Academic Building after Yell Practice.

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The Midland Hometown Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in Room 203 of the Academic Building.

The Milby of Houston Hometown Club will meet in the lobby of the Memorial Student Center at 7:30 p.m.

The Odessa Hometown Club will meet in the Birch Room of the Memorial Student Center at 7:30 p.m.

The San Antonio Hometown Club will meet in the Memorial Student Center at 7:45 p.m.

The Wichita Falls Hometown Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in Room 113 of the Biological Science Building.

MONDAY

The Bnai Brith Hillel Foundation will sponsor a succot celebration at 7:30 p.m.

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Frank Sinatra
In
"COME BLOW YOUR HORN"

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&
"13 FRIGHTENED GIRLS"

By Charles M. Schulz

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AGGIE MOBILE

The Aggie Mobile will stop in front of the M.S.C. and the side entrance of Sbis dining hall each Saturday, at 2:00 p. m. to pick up students who wish to shop in Townshire Shopping Center.

It will return the students to the campus between 3:30 and 4:00 p. m.

This is another of the many services of THE VARSITY SHOP. We will continue this service every Saturday, except the day of afternoon home games. If you would like to have this service extended on an additional afternoon during the week, please call us and express your desire.

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