

CADET SLOUCH by Jim Earle



"... Of course you can bring up your mid-semester grade! It was unfortunate that your uncle got sick before Corps trip and caused you to miss the quiz review and your grandmother the next weekend! And then your second cousin! If your family's health improves so will your grades!"

BATTALION EDITORIALS

We Hate It — But!

It is with sincere regret we noted the resignation of C. L. Babcock from the Beaumont A&M Club, and the subsequent withdrawal of his support from Texas A&M.

There are many Aggie-exes throughout Texas and the nation who are now being faced with the decision of whether to continue to support the now somewhat changed university they once attended. Many have taken the changes in stride; some are violently opposed. Unfortunately Charlie Babcock is among the latter.

It is an unfortunate situation when true Aggies refuse to support their school, but some disfavor is inevitable with progress and change. When those who refuse their support have never really been of help in the past, it is a small loss; but when a man who has given as much of his life to A&M as Charlie Babcock has, it is tragic.

This man, Class of '20, was president of the Association of Former Students from 1938-39; established the C. L. Babcock Award of a \$250 scholarship in 1959; made numerous extra contributions to the school through the Beaumont A&M Club, and has served as permanent secretary of that club, one of the most active in the state, for many years.

Babcock sent two sons to A&M, both of whom are now deceased. In their names, he has made numerous gifts and contributions, while continuing to support his school through football game attendance and his work with Beaumont club.

In his resignation speech to the Beaumont Aggies, Babcock said "I'll pay my dues; I'll try to be a good Aggie, but I am not going to be any part of A&M College until we get that decision (coeducation) out of the way."

Regardless of his past support of A&M, Babcock and those who agree with him and who may not have helped as much, miss one important point. Aggies don't turn their backs on their school just because things don't go their way.

J. B. Hervey of the Association of Former Students probably expressed his and our feelings in the best way, when he told us, "We regret it of course, but there is nothing much we can do about it."

Simo-Soviet At Differences Because Of 'Ideology Split'

CLEVELAND (AP) — The world now is in a state of flux and even more unpredictable events are ahead, mainly as a result of the ideological split between the Soviet Union and Communist China, a high U. S. official said Tuesday.

The government source made the remarks during a national meeting of radio and television broadcasters in Cleveland.

The foreign affairs briefing was given with the understanding that names of government officials could not be used, nor could their remarks be attributed directly.

There has been a dramatic change in Red Chinese trade with the West over the past two years, particularly with American allies, the official noted. He also said Soviet economic problems are causing a revolution in Russian policy.

The question of Russia's foreign exchange balance in world trade will have an effect on its industrialization, foreign aid and military programs, he said.

During the Russo-Sino debate Eastern European satellite nations have been moving to gain

greater freedom of action and have made strong attempts to loosen their economic servitude to Russia, he said.

He said these were small, but significant steps which now have been set in motion in Eastern Europe.

— Sound Off —

Editor, The Battalion:

Too many people quarrel about co-education at A&M. In my opinion they should rather try to make A&M the best University possible with other considerations. To make any school tops, money is needed, and money is paid according to the enrollment of our school. So we need a big enrollment. It seems to me that our enrollment has not increased outrageously compared to other schools. Co-education might help solve this problem. The money spent by this institution is paid in form of taxes by parents. These parents ought to have the right to send their children to any school, supported by them, regardless of sex. Would you like to send your daughter out of state so she could study Vet-Medicine just because your own education center won't accept girls?

The many non-conformists we have might have a good point, but progress is the stuff that made America big. Nobody should say A&M is going to the dogs because they it now accepts girls.

Another thing — two-thirds of our life will be spent in splendid companionship with women; it seems rather silly to outcast girls from A&M. I haven't met a guy on campus yet who dislikes them.

Wilott Heerde, '66

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Editor, The Battalion:

In the past, there have been numerous appeals encouraging civilian students to dress more conservatively on the campus — especially during the evening meal at Sbsa Dining Hall. Civilian students are beginning to cooperate and conform to these appeals. However, there is still another situation which I, as well as many other civilian students, feel should be corrected. This is the habitual use of foreign languages all over the campus — especially in and around Sbsa Dining Hall.

If a visitor had visited Sbsa Dining Hall Wednesday night, and sat where I sat, he would undoubtedly have thought that he was in a combination "wetback" refuge, a foreign restaurant for imbecils, and a corn patch that was being invaded by a flock of geese!

OAS Will Meet To Stem Coups

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Organization of American States Tuesday called a conference of hemisphere foreign ministers to stem the wave of coups d'etat that have overthrown four Latin American governments this year.

The conference was approved at an OAS council meeting by an 18-1 vote.

Civilian governments in Guatemala, Honduras, Ecuador and the Dominican Republic have been turned out by military men this year.

Bulletin Board

WEDNESDAY

Baha' World Faith will sponsor an informative discussion in Room 202 of the YMCA Building at 7:15 p.m.

The Eagle Pass Hometown Club will meet in Room 102 of the YMCA Building at 7:30 p.m.

THURSDAY

Aerospace Engineering Wives Club will meet in the YMCA Building at 7:30 p.m.

The Animal Husbandry Wives Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Lecture Room of the A&I Building.

St. Mary's Student Wives Club will hold its first formal meeting in the student center at 8 p.m.

Hometown Clubs

Amarillo will meet in the Anderson Room of the YMCA Building at 7:30 p.m.

Mid-County will meet after Yell Practice in Room 206 of the Academic Building.

Spring Branch-Memorial will meet in Room 108 of the Academic Building at 7:30 p.m.

Washington County will meet in the Lobby of the YMCA Building at 7:30 p.m.

Outfit pictures 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. Like jackets may be worn if ALL seniors 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 college. 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. Arrangements should be made by first sergeants with the Mess Hall supervisors to allow the outfit to be admitted to the Mess Hall early.

November 11	.....	Sqd. 7, Sqd. 8
November 12	.....	Sqd. 9, Sqd. 10
November 13	.....	Sqd. 11, Sqd. 12
November 14	.....	Sqd. 13, Sqd. 14
November 18	.....	Sqd. 15, Sqd. 17
November 19	.....	M-Band, W-Band

CORPS SENIORS & 1st. SERGEANTS YEARBOOK PORTRAIT SCHEDULE

CORPS SENIORS & OUTFIT FIRST SERGEANTS will have their portrait made for the "Aggieland '64" according to the following schedule. Portraits will be made at the Aggieland Studio, in CLASS A WINTER UNIFORM.

EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND 1ST SERGEANTS will have their portraits made in GH cap for the military section.

COMMANDING OFFICERS will have full length portraits made in boots. PLEASE MAKE INDIVIDUAL APPOINTMENTS WITH THE STUDIO FOR THESE FULL LENGTH PORTRAITS.

November 12-13	E, F, G-2
13-14	A, B, C, D-3
14-15	E, F, G, H, I-3
18-19	Squadrons 1-4
19-29	Squadrons 5-8
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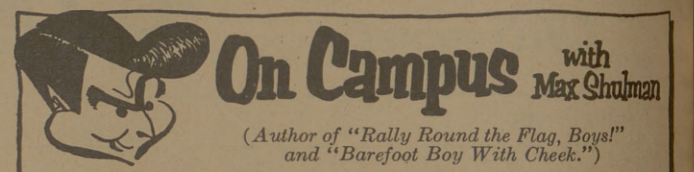
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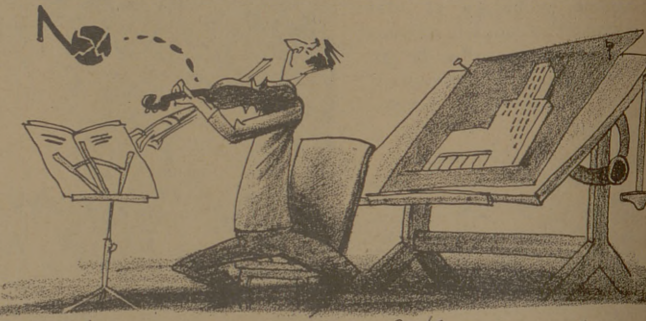
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I WAS A TEEN-AGE SLIDE RULE

In a recent learned journal (Playboy) the distinguished board chairman (Ralph "Hot Lips" Sigafos) of one of our most important American industrial corporations (the Arf Mechanical Dog Co.) wrote a trenchant article in which he pinpointed our single most serious national problem: the lack of culture among science graduates.

Let me hasten to state that Mr. Sigafos's article was in no sense derogatory. He said emphatically that the science graduate, what with his gruelling curriculum in physics, math, and chemistry, can hardly be expected to find time to study the arts too. What distresses Mr. Sigafos—and, indeed, all of us—is the lopsided result of today's science courses: graduates who can build a skyscraper but can't compose a concerto; who know Newton's Third Law but not Beethoven's Fourth Sym-



The lopsided result of Today's Science

phony; who are familiar with Fraunhofer's lines but not with Shelley's.

Mr. Sigafos can find no solution to this lamentable imbalance. I, however, believe there is one—and a very simple one. It is this: if students of science don't have time to come to the arts, then the arts must come to students of science.

For example, it would be a very easy thing to teach poetry and music right along with physics. Students, instead of being called upon merely to recite, would instead be required to rhyme their answers and set them to familiar tunes—like, for instance, the stirring *Colonel Bogey March*. Thus recitations would not only be check-a-block with important facts but would, at the same time, expose the students to the aesthetic delights of great poetry and music. Here, try it yourself. You all know *The Colonel Bogey March*. Come, sing along with me:

Physics  
Is what we learn in class.  
Einstein  
Said energy is mass.  
Newton  
Is high-falutin'  
And Pascal's a rascal. So's Boyle.

Do you see how much more broadening, how much more uplifting it is to learn physics this way? Of course you do. What? You want another chorus? By all means:

Leyden  
He made the Leyden jar.  
Trolley  
He made the Trolley car.  
Curie  
Rode in a surrey  
And Diesel's a weasel. So's Boyle.

Once the student has mastered *The Colonel Bogey March*, he can go on to more complicated melodies like *Death and Transfiguration*, *Sixteen Tons*, and *Boo-Hoo*.

And when the student, loaded not only with science but with culture, leaves his classroom and lights his Marlboro Cigarette, how much more he will enjoy that filter, that flavor, that pack or box! Because there will no longer be a little voice within him repeating that he is culturally a dolt. He will know—know joyously—that he is a complete man, a fulfilled man, and he will bask and revel in the pleasure of his Marlboro as a colt rolls in new grass—exultant and triumphant—a truly educated human person—a credit to his college, to himself, and to his tobaccoist!

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