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Approximately 100 students will not go home during the Christmas holidays. They will stay on campus. Ordinarily a university campus would be a lonely place to spend a two week holiday, but the Texas A&M University Hospitality Committee intends to make the time an eventful two weeks for the 100 foreign students - thousands

of miles from home — who will stay here during the holidays. The group is urging citizens in the Bryan-College Station area to invite these students to visit in their homes during the vacation. We would like to join the Hospitality Committee in urging residents to participate in the pro-gram. Not only will this be a wonderful opportunity to extend a warm hand to some of our own fellow world citizens, but it will add much to the Christmas spirit within your home to have such interesting guest.

The Hospitality Committee has already made arrange-ments for the students to spend New Year's day in the traditional American way — by taking life easy and watch-ing bowl games on TV. The committee will host the students in the YMCA Building during the day.

However, because the Hospitality Committee is just a service group, they once again will call on the citizens of Bryan-College Station to assist them in their project. Part of the American customs of New Year's Day includes stuffing one's self with foods that have been left over from Christmas. You're right — the committee would like to have individuals volunteer to help feed these students on January 1 in an American way. Of course this want take much. They're only 100 fellows that will be sitting around watching TV. And all housewives know how little they eat.

Throw out the "Welcome" mat for a couple of weeks, citizens of Bryan-College Station, and get to know your neighbors — they only live across an ocean, and that's not far today.

By the way, while you've got the "Welcome" mat out,

you might just as well leave it out for the year. Want to meet a neighbor? Well, just call for Mrs. Fred Smith, Mrs. Bill Echols, Mrs. Dorsey McCrory or Mrs. Bookman Peters at VI 6-8808 any afternoon next week. If you can't reach them at that number, just call them at home them at home.

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House Passes Major Education Bill



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education bill that would pump vironments. \$1.56 billion into three programs was passed by the House Thursday and sent to the Senate where action is expected Friday. Passage came after a Republican-backed motion to trim two items was defeated 193-180. The roll call on final passage was 300-65.

The bill, a compromise be-tween different versions passed earlier by the House and Senexisting programs - vocational education, the impacted school areas program, and the national Defense Education Act.

Besides authorizing \$731 million for federal support of vocational education for a fouryear period, the bill overhauls the longstanding program to make it more suitable to the job needs of an automated economy.

At present vocational education training programs are limited largely to home economics and farm operations. The new bill calls for the construction of five residential schools to pro-

WASHINGTON (P)-A major sters living in undesirable en- cation Act enacted in 1958. All The bill continues for two

years the program under which federal grants are made to public school districts crowded because of federal installations. A in more than 300 congressional districts.

The third program continued in the bill is the Defense Edu-

its provisions would be extended for one year, at a cost of \$304 million. The only major change made in the act would increase the

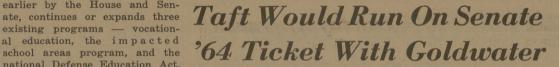
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funds in the college student two-year total of \$527 million is loan program. These go from provided for hundreds of schools \$90 million to \$125 million in the current fiscal year and \$135 million in fiscal 1965.

Funds will have to be provided in later appropriation bills.

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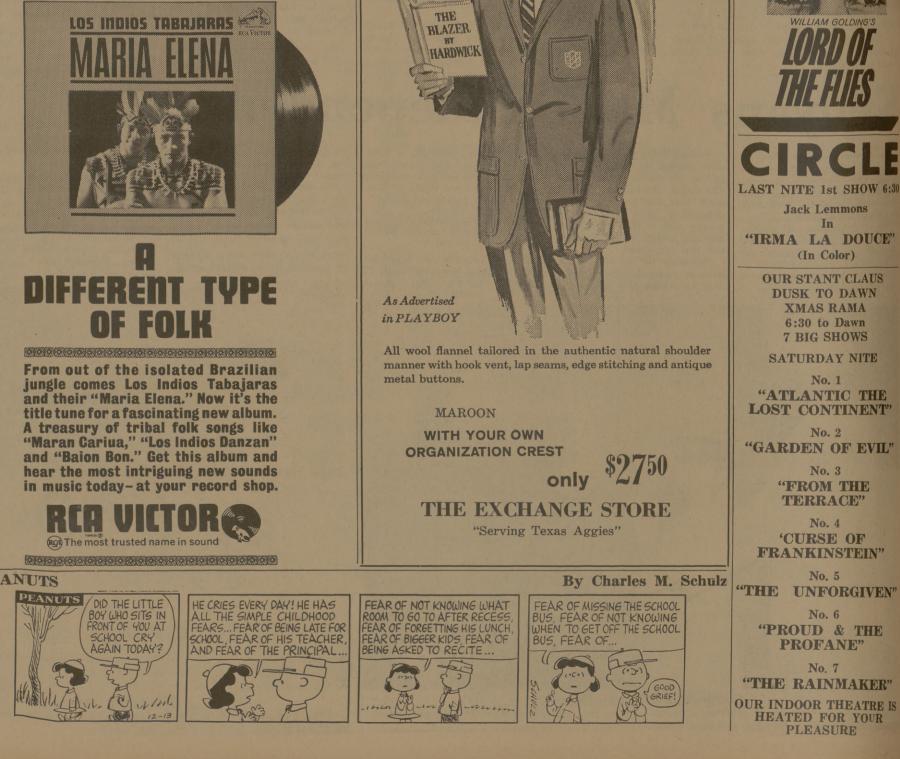
as having said a national GOP



WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Robert Taft Jr., R-Ohio, said land. He was quoted at the time Thursday he would be "happy to run for the Senate on the same ticket" with Sen. Barry Goldwater, R-Ariz. Taft announced his candidacy

for the Republican senatorial Ohio.

ticket headed by Goldwater "would make it difficult" for Taft's senatorial campaign in



Passed By House

WASHINGTON (AP) - A bill members was cut to \$527 million to increase job training opportunities for school dropouts and illiterates was passed by voice vote by the House Thursday but at a lower spending level than proposed.

The measure was requested by President John F. Kennedy, who made it part of the civil rights program he urged Congress to pass last June.

A slightly different version has cleared the Senate and the two measures will have to be reconciled before final action is taken.

The House bill called for a four-year authorization in new carried by a 161-126 standing funds of \$803 million, but under attack from economy — minded vote

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for three years. The cut was backed by Chairman Adam C. Powell, D-N. Y., of the Education and Labor

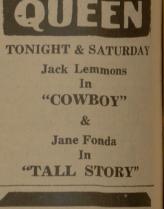
Committee, to head off a pro-posed cut by Rep. Robert Taft Jr., R-Ohio. In actual dollars. Taft's amendment was \$10 million less than the one adopted, but it would have been spread over the four years of the program

The committee's amendment "WINGS OF EAGLES" accomplished it reduction mainly by eliminating the fourth year of the program and making minor cuts in the other years. It

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