## BATTALION EDITORIALS

# Air Your Gripes To Student Senators

The Student Senate wants to hear it along with any suggestions the students or faculty might have for the improvement of A&M facilities.

In conjunction with a Student Senate display appearing March 1-14 in the Memorial Student Center, the Senate is constructing a suggestion box to hear complaints. No, not about the weather or last year's football season, but educational procedures, professors, student activities, housing, sports or most any other area.

All complaints and suggestions will be aired by the Senate, and solutions suggested to the administration.

A sample suggestion ballot appears below:

My suggestion is..... Dorm.....Room.

### GUEST EDITORIALS

# **Better Relations Needed** Between Students, Profs

Frequent comment is heard on college and university campuses today concerning the decline of the student and professor relationship.

Many observe that professors who talk to students only en masse lose their contact with the student, the greatest gift a professor can give a student.

Does the TWU student get to know her instructor? In some instance the answer is yes and in others, emphatically

The solution lies partly with the professor. Some professors congregate with the students in the PUB, some offer stimulation and thought-provoking ideas in the classroom through discussion, some invite students to their home for discussion of current topics or of literature, and some, through their close daily contact in the department get to know their students not only as a unit which rapidly takes notes in class, but as a thinking, impressionable human

being also.

The solution does not lie in the professor alone, but we must not overlook the idea that the professor does not sometimes avail himself of the opportunity to acquaint himself

with his students. Students are at fault too. Discussion in a classroom, although aided through questions of the professor, can not be continued unless there is response. Students do not respond for various reasons, one being that they aren't prepared for the class and another that they are afraid to voice

their ideas. Learning is achieved through an expression of ideas, whether they be right or wrong. We learn through conversation too, not only through knowning the classics, outlining a textbook, or reading the daily newspaper. Learning is a continuous operation which doesn't stop when the bell rings or when a student receives his diploma.

Learning can be advanced through better student-professor relationships.

The Daily Lass-O

## South Carolina U. Prexy Notes Financial Crisis

By Intercollegiate Press Columbia, S.C. — Recognition of the grave financial crisis created by ever-increasing enrollment was urged here recently by President Thomas F. Jones Jr., president of the University of South Carolina.

"Now," said President Jones, "suddenly and almost overnight, we find ourselves struggling simply to hold our own. The circumstance that brings this about is in itself a healthy and happy and welcome one-soaring enrollment. What we have, really, is not a negative-type problem but a prodigious opportunity to advance both the State and the University by utilizing this surge of youth toward learning."

Latest figures show a 36.4 per cent increase in actual and estimated enrollment between September, 1963, and September, 1965. By comparative estimates, the University enrollment will have tional money for special prorisen from 7,534 students in 1963

to 10,280 by next fall. Recent budget studies confirm that it has far outstripped its present and prospective resources.

The alternatives:

To arbitrarily raise admissions as to shut out a large number of young students who might otherwise be admitted to seek a University education;

To dilute the quality of University education by watering down academic offerings and lowering classroom standards; To request an increase in State appropriations of \$1,459,760 above the present level.

"The only course that the University can in all conscience recommend is to increase appropriations in keeping with the increase in enrollment," Dr. Jones stated. "The sum that we are requesting meets just our basic requiresments. It does not include addigrams, bureaus, or 'extras.' "

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RONALD L. FANN

"He asked me to tell you that he wouldn't be here today! He doesn't want to lose his place in line for th' basketball

MONDAY

Baylor University College of Music — computer science, electrical engineering, chemistry, biochemistry, biology, zoology, physics, mathematics.

General Tire & Rubber Co. accounting, business administration, chemistry, chemical engineering, electrical engineering, industrial education, industrial engineering, mechanical engineer-

Libbey Owens Ford Glass Co. - architecture, chemical engineering, chemistry, civil engineering, electrical engineering, industrial engineering, mechanical engineering.

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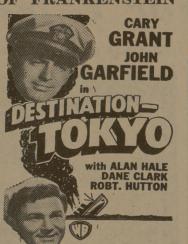
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THEATRE

FRIDAY 7:15 P. M. "THE REVENGE OF FRANKENSTEIN'



SATURDAY Midnight Movie ALSO, SUNDAY 5:30 P. M.



business administration. General Electric Co. — aerospace engineering, chemical engineering, electrical engineering, industrial engineering, mechanical engineering, chemistry, mathematics, physics.

TUESDAY

counting, agricultural economics,

Employers Casualty Co. — ac-

Gulf States Utilities Co. electrical engineering, mechanical engineering.

Mason & Hanger — chemical engineering, electrical engineering, industrial engineering, mechanical engineering, chemistry. Petty Geophysical Engineering Co. — geology, geophysics,

mathematics, physics. Union Oil Co. of Calif. - chemical engineering, geology, mechanical engineering, petroleum

engineering. Arthur Anderson & Co. accounting.

ATTENTION "AGGIELAND" MAKE-UP SCHEDULE YOUR LAST CHANCE

Because of the number of new Because of the number of new students who wish to have their portraits made for the "Aggie-land '65", and because of the de-mand by some other students there will be a FINAL MAKE-UP TIME from February 15 to February 26. This schedule is February 26. This schedule is for All Students except Corps Juniors and Sophomores since their schedule by outfits is cur-

### The Battalion:

I would like to commend Colonel Adams and the Texas Ag- are many good men among the gie Band for their efforts in arousing interest in the Texas state song, "Texas, Our Texas." It's a fine, spirited song and would sound even better if everyone could follow more than the first line.

I have several suggestions which could make this effort more successful. Ideally, the words could be printed in the basketball programs, and everyone would be able to join in easily. However, if for some reason this is impossible or impractical, perhaps the printed words could be projected upon the wall. As a final suggestion, I believe it would be helpful to have a soloist (at the loud speaker) leading the singing. I don't think many "practices" would be necessary before everyone would be singing all or most of the words.

Incidentally, is it worth a try to fill the coliseum next Tuesday night for the final home game? The team is good, the games have been exciting (even the losing efforts), and the Coliseum has been half-full or less for most

It's a most unusual situation, to say the least.

> Mrs. James D. Smith Bryan

Editor. The Battalion:

This letter is in reference to the letter which appeared in Sound Off in the Feb. 24, 1965 edition of The Battalion.

## Bulletin Board

MONDAY

Civil Engineers Wives Club will meet at 8 p.m. in the South Solarium of the YMCA Building. Range and Wildlife Management Wives Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Frank Schlicht at 201 Highland in College Station.

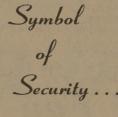
### SENIORS

Seniors who wish to add information or activities to their "Aggieland identification card can do so by contacting Robert Heger (Dorm 7 Room 305) by Feb. 27th.

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I THINK



men. And to take it one step further Mr. Ebby, there are many men who were in he Corps much longer than you, who are preently part of the civilian body. By your standards, do these men deserve to be termed "groty non-There is no visible correlation between the "declining morale," as it was termed, and the Administration cracking down on "hazing" with the Corps and Civilians not being able to attend A&M together. This is a university, but it is still A&M. And the men attending this uni-

versity are still Aggies whether

they are in the Corps or Civilian

The civilian body of Texas ranks. And I believe, Mr. Ebe A&M does not deserve to be termif you were to search am ed "those groty non-regs." There those sacred traditions that have made A&M famous you will fir student body at A&M and those a remnant of the old saying falling into this category could "Aggies stick together." Remem. be split rather equally between the civilian men and the Corps SOPHOMORES & JUNIORS

Corps, Sophomores & Juniors will have their portraits made for the "Aggieland '65, according to the following schedule: Company D, E, F-2 Feb. 22-23 C, D,-3 E, F, G-3 H, I-3 March Maroon Band White Band

Richard Daerr, '66

CORPS

Make up for these pictures March 15-19

The slacks you know

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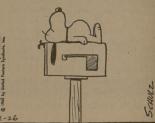
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By Charles M. Schulz