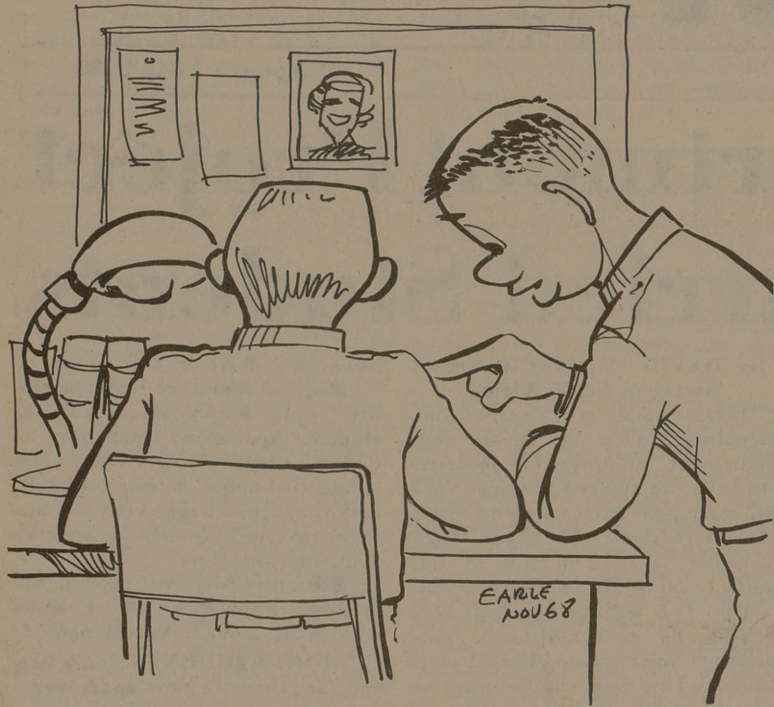


CADET SLOUCH by Jim Earle



... and if we beat T. U. the Southwest Conference Champion will be LSU!"

Bulletin Board

WEDNESDAY
 Aggie Christian Fellowship will meet at 5:30 p.m. on the second floor of the YMCA and hear Joe Wall, a Houston-based minister, speak about "Knowing God's Will."
 Hillel Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Hillel Building. (Friday night services will be held at 8 p.m.)
 Aggie Wives Bridge Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. on the second floor of the Memorial Student Center. Regulars are urged to attend.

THURSDAY
 Oceanography and Meteorology Student Wives Club will meet at the Figure Salon, 1716 Texas, at 8:30 p.m. and then proceed to Shipley's Donut Shop for Dutch Treat dessert. Slacks and casual wear will be dress for the evening.
 Galveston Hometown Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the MSC Social Room. Movie will be shown. Bring dues if possible.

Jan Moulden
Electoral College System Has Faults, But It Works

The circumstances surrounding last week's election have again raised heavy support for changing Presidential election procedures. A Harris Survey released Monday revealed that 79 per cent of the persons surveyed want to abolish the Electoral College and elect the President on the basis of popular vote. Also, 60 per cent

of those persons surveyed oppose the legislation would allow the President to be named by popular vote. Other proposed legislation would change House Presidential voting from the present one-state, one-vote rule to a one-representative, one-vote rule.

Listen Up

Editor, The Battalion:
 Voicing opinions on any or all of the complexities of modern life is the right of all free men. Students in particular are constantly being urged to become aware of the issues and to "speak out." However, to be heard and consequently effect change, students must acquire the ability to communicate their ideas effectively.

An excellent opportunity to acquire this vital skill is being offered to all students through the YMCA by the Texas A&M Gavel Club. This close-knit informed organization's purpose is to assist the student in developing the ability to "think on his feet" while speaking in public. Student members constructively evaluate each other and thus learn to become effective speakers. All students interested in joining this dynamic organization are cordially invited to our next meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 19 in Room 201 of the YMCA at 7:30 p.m.

Gary Rapp '69, Chairman
 Texas A&M Gavel Club

sure that different areas, regardless of population, would have a say in the election of their highest leader. The Constitution was hacked out with numerous compromises which would allow governmental response to many different viewpoints.

ON OUTWARD appearance, these proposed changes appear desirable, appealing to the nation's love of democracy. But, before this dog of democracy bites completely through the present system, it would be wise to study possible effects of the proposed changes.

ON THE OTHER hand a system of popular election would completely disenfranchise Wyoming and similar states from any part in Presidential elections. Heavily urban areas, still rapidly expanding, would completely control the elections.

One of the basic reasons for the Electoral College was to make

Czech Forum Set Tonight

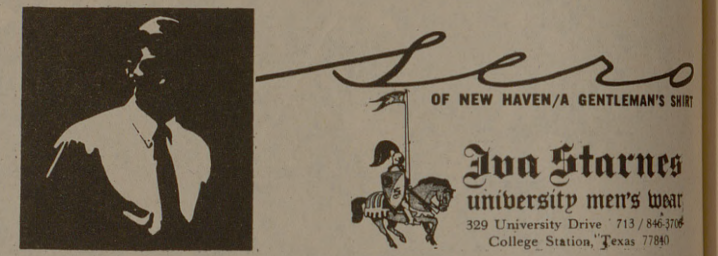
"Czechoslovakia 1968," a three-pronged examination of conditions in the country before and during reforms and after Soviet invasion, will be presented tonight by Great Issues.

The 8 p.m., three-speaker program will be in the Memorial Student Center Assembly Room, announced Issues series chairman Ron Tefteller of Midland.

Dr. William R. Smith, Psychology Department head, his wife Betty and Jeanna Chastain, pre-visit student of San Antonio, will be speakers.

Dr. and Mrs. Smith were in Czechoslovakia early last summer for a business-industrial leader exchange program. The psychology professor will discuss Czechoslovakia's economic and industrial conditions. Mrs. Smith will give cultural aspects of the Czech situation.

Miss Chastain will speak of her experiences in Czechoslovakia as an Experiment in Internationalism. A&M students with activity cards will be admitted to the presentation free. General admission for faculty-staff and patrons is \$1.50. Living participant.



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- 11:00 It Takes a Thief
- 12:00 Alfred Hitchcock

What's Happening At The MSC

By PAT LAFFERTY
 Attention all soul brothers (and sisters)! Friday, Town Hall presents one of its most exciting special attractions featuring "Sam & Dave." The popularity of this group was recently recognized by Time Magazine with a full-page story on its record-breaking number of "million sellers." Start your weekend with soul! Tickets for the 8 p.m. performance are on sale all this week.

As for the rest of the weekend — if you're looking for a quiet place to take your date (away from all those curious bird dogs) don't forget "The Basement," A&M's own little coffeehouse lo-

ated in the basement of the Memorial Student Center. (Absolutely no "dogs" allowed!) For weekday entertainment, the MSC begins 8 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 12, in the Assembly Room with a three speaker program on "Czechoslovakia 1968." The program will concern the students, cultural aspects, and the economic and industrial conditions of Czechoslovakia.

On Wednesday, the Contemporary Arts Committee will exhibit works of David Adicks, a former A&M student and graduate of Sam Houston State College. The prolific artist is known as "a Golden Boy among painters of Texas origin."

Also, on Thursday another artist of Texas origin will be presented in "A Night with E. M. 'Buck' Schiwetz." So amazingly realistic are the sketches of Schiwetz, that it has been said he "goes out sketching the way other men go out hunting and fishing."

Back to Friday and "Sam & Dave." Now if you should forget what's happening around the MSC or around the campus, remember the Student Senate has solved this problem for you. By merely dialing 5-6311, you can get a tape-recorded list of all campus activities. (Only don't forsake The BATT!)

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