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Spears Elected President Of 1969-70 MSC Council

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Battalion Managing Editor

President-elect of the 1969-70 Memorial Student Center Council and Directorate is Joe (Mac) Spears, a junior marketing major who, in the words of outgoing president Benjamin Sims, "will bring a flare of creativity" to his new office.

Also elected by the MSC Council Monday were Harry Snowdy to executive vice president of programs; Jim Finane, executive vice president of operations; Tom Fitzhugh, chairman of Great Issues; Rex Stewart, chairman of Town Hall and Harry Lesser, chairman of the Fifteenth Student Conference on National Affairs.

SPEARS, a cadet sergeant in Company E-2 with a 2.63 grade point ratio, served as a directorate assistant as a sophomore and was vice president in charge of operations this year.

Among numerous projects, he has organized a directorate-wide public relations organization (PRO) and is helping work up on MSC brochure for distribution to incoming freshmen.

Finane, a junior history major with a 2.27 gpr, was vice president of the council and directorate this year and will succeed Keller Webster.

A pre-medicine major with a 2.80 gpr, Snowdy, this year's vice president of programs, will succeed Wayne Prescott.

FITZHUGH has a 2.5 gpr and is a sophomore geophysics major from Waco. Chairman this year of Great Issues' Seminar Series, he will succeed David Maddox.

Succeeding Louis Adams, Stewart has a 1.5 gpr and is a senior finance major from San Antonio.

Lesser, vice chairman of SCONA XIV, is a junior physics major with a 2.1 gpr. He replaces Don McCrory.

All new council officers and directorate chairmen will be in-

stalled at the council and directorate awards banquet April 24.

"The executive committee (council officers) that the council has chosen tonight is well-suited to initiate the programs and provide the communication necessary to enlarge the place of the MSC within the campus community," Spears said.

"WE WILL be striving to make the MSC realistically live up to its name as the 'living room of the campus'."

In other business, the council elevated the directorate Basement committee to full committee status. Initiated in the fall, the Basement committee, chaired by Susan Wilson, operates the MSC's "Basement," a psychedelic coffee house open from 8 to 12 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays.

Jeanne Fiske, chairman of the Travel Committee, announced that interviews for students needing loans for overseas travel will be tonight at 7:30 p.m. in room 3B, MSC.

J. Wayne Stark, MSC director and secretary to the council, reported that with an estimated \$3,000 gate for the Saturday appearance of the Baja Marimba Band, Town Hall will likely be operating at a \$3,600 deficit. He noted that the committee had a \$10,000 deficit last semester.

Brazos County Jail Escapees Still At Large

The statewide search for the four prisoners who escaped Friday morning from the Brazos County Jail had turned up nothing Monday afternoon.

Law enforcement agencies throughout Texas and surrounding states are currently on the alert for the quartet of escapees.

The men were identified by Sheriff J. W. Hamilton Friday as David Wayne McEndorffer, being held on a charge of murder; Del Monte Whitehurst, jailed in May on charges of accessory to murder and accessory to forgery; Michael Chafa, 26, arrested Jan. 29 and charged with burglary; and Gene Bryan, arrested with Chafa and also charged with burglary.

The quartet escaped by cutting a hole in the roof of the fourth floor jail with a hacksaw blade, according to Hamilton.

After crawling onto the roof of the house, they lowered themselves to the ground with a rope made of bedsheets and mattress covers taken from their cells.

It is believed that the men made their get-away in one or both of two cars reported stolen shortly after the jailbreak.

The jailbreak was the third escape from the Brazos County Jail since the summer of 1965, according to Hamilton.

Two Generals To Attend Spring Military Weekend

Army Lt. Gen. Harry H. Critz and Air Force Maj. Gen. Leo F. Dusard Jr. will be honored guests here Feb. 28 and March 1 for annual Military Day activities, President Earl Rudder announced.

The three- and two-star generals will take a Saturday review and participate in other functions, including the Friday night Combat Ball and Saturday evening Military Ball.

The spring review will be the Cadet Corps' first full-dress drill field appearance of the 1968-69 school year.

GENERAL CRITZ, 4th Army commander, was reviewing officer at the Corps march-in for the A&M-Arkansas football game last November, noted Army Col. Jim H. McCoy, commandant. The general is a Teague native and studied civil engineering here in 1929-31.

The 34-year-veteran was commissioned in the field artillery after transferring to West Point. He was a cadet corporal in Company "B" Engineers here.

General Dusard, 53, is vice commander of the Air Training Command at Randolph AFB. The Missouri native was commissioned in Texas, receiving his wings after flying training at Randolph and Kelly Fields.

A fighter group commander in the Pacific during early World War II, he led one of the first extended long-range fighter escorts. The short-range P-38s of his group flew an unheard-of 1,600-mile flight with lumbering B-24 Liberators to bomb a Celebes Islands enemy base.

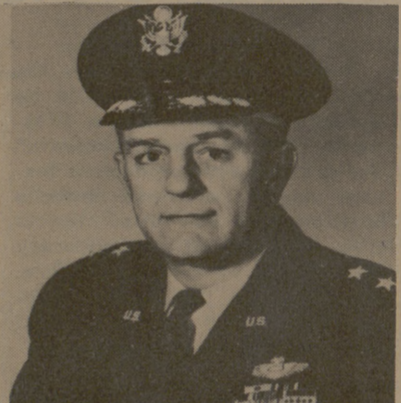
GENERAL DUSARD later served with the strategic planning group of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, NATO in Europe and during 1966-68 as director of personnel training and education, Air Force Headquarters. His commands include squadron, group, air base, officer military schools, a wing and Chanute Technical Training

Center in Illinois.

General Critz was with the 1st Infantry Division for its 1943 landing and subsequent operations in North Africa. He later became the division's artillery commander and has since been Army War College instructor and secretary, airborne battle group commander of the 506th Infantry, staff secretary and commander's special assistant of Supreme

Headquarters Allied Powers Europe (SHAPE) and commanding general of the VII Corps Artillery, the famed 101st Airborne Division and 1st Corps in Korea.

His numerous decorations include the Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star, Legion of Merit with two oak leaf clusters, France's Legion of Honor and Croix de Guerre and the 1939 War Cross of Czechoslovakia.



MILITARY GUESTS

Army Lt. Gen. Harry H. Critz (left) and Air Force Maj. Gen. Leo F. Dusard Jr. will take salutes of the Corps of Cadets March 1 during Military Day activities. General Critz of Fort Sam Houston commands the 4th Army. General Dusard is vice commander of the Air Training Command at Randolph AFB at San Antonio.

Berkeley Planner To Lecture At Architecture College Here

Dr. David Darwent, assistant research planner, University of California at Berkeley, will present dual graduate lectures Thursday and Friday at the College of Architecture and Environmental Design.

Edward J. Romieniec, chairman,

said Darwent's first lecture is entitled "The 'Newtown' as its Future" and will be presented in the college's auditorium from 3 to 5 p.m.

Darwent's second lecture, Romieniec added, will be presented Friday between 3 and 5 p.m. in the auditorium and is entitled "Urban Geography and Problem Solving Techniques."

A native of England, Darwent graduated with first class honors in geography from the University of Durham, England, later receiving his Ph.D. from the same institution.

In 1966 Darwent joined Building Design Partnership as an economic consultant. The firm serves as consultant planners to the City of Belfast and the Ministry of Development of Northern Ireland.

He joined the University of California in March, 1968. His present research is sponsored by the Economic Development Administration of the Department of Commerce. The work centers on a large scale theoretical and empirical inquiry into regional planning problems in the U. S., utilizing a systems approach, Romieniec said.

Spring Cards Set For Distribution

Spring student activity cards are now available and may be picked up at G. Rollie White Coliseum, according to Wally Groff, athletic business manager.

Students wishing to obtain a card, Groff noted, should go by the Athletic Business Office, room 110, and present their fee slip.

Groff also said students attending the A&M-Texas basketball game tonight can obtain cards at the door on presentation of fee slips, as was done last Saturday at the Rice game.

Beginning next semester, Groff noted, students will be mailed their activity cards along with their paid fee slips from the registrar.

At Campus Security

Parking Control Takes Time

By MIKE WRIGHT

Contrary to what may be popular student opinion, Campus Security officers are not paid a commission for the amount of parking tickets they hand out. The officers receive a set salary just like all other university employees.

"Controlling the campus parking lots is the most time-consuming of our duties," explained Assistant Security Chief Morris Maddox.

As duly-sworn peace officers, the Campus Security is also responsible for the lives and property of the students as well as all university property.

"We try to patrol the campus at all times, not using one particular route to follow," commented Criminal Investigator J.

D. Gossett.

"THIS IDEA keeps someone from establishing patrol routes to aid in a crime," he added.

As the police force for the grounds, Campus Security is on duty around the clock. After 5 p.m., incoming calls are re-routed from the YMCA basement headquarters to the Building and Utilities complex on campus, where a dispatcher is stationed.

However, the constant worry of the force stems from the parking ticket. A student has 72 hours after receiving a ticket in which to pay the reinstatement fee of \$2, or appeal the citation.

AFTER THIS, the fee goes to \$5, and the plot thickens for the force.

"There is a group of violators who will not pay their fees. They

just forget the ticket and think that we will too," said Gossett.

If the issue is not settled or in the process of being settled within a couple of weeks, the violator is filed upon by Campus Security in a justice of the peace court.

"We do not like to file on students because it is very time-consuming and usually costly to them," explained Gossett.

"But in a case when the student has several delinquent overdue tickets, the JP court is usually cheaper than paying the reinstatement fee for each ticket.

"IF A student is short of money, but will come in and check on the ticket during the 72 hour period, Campus Security officials will work something out for him. We realize that most students are short of money, and

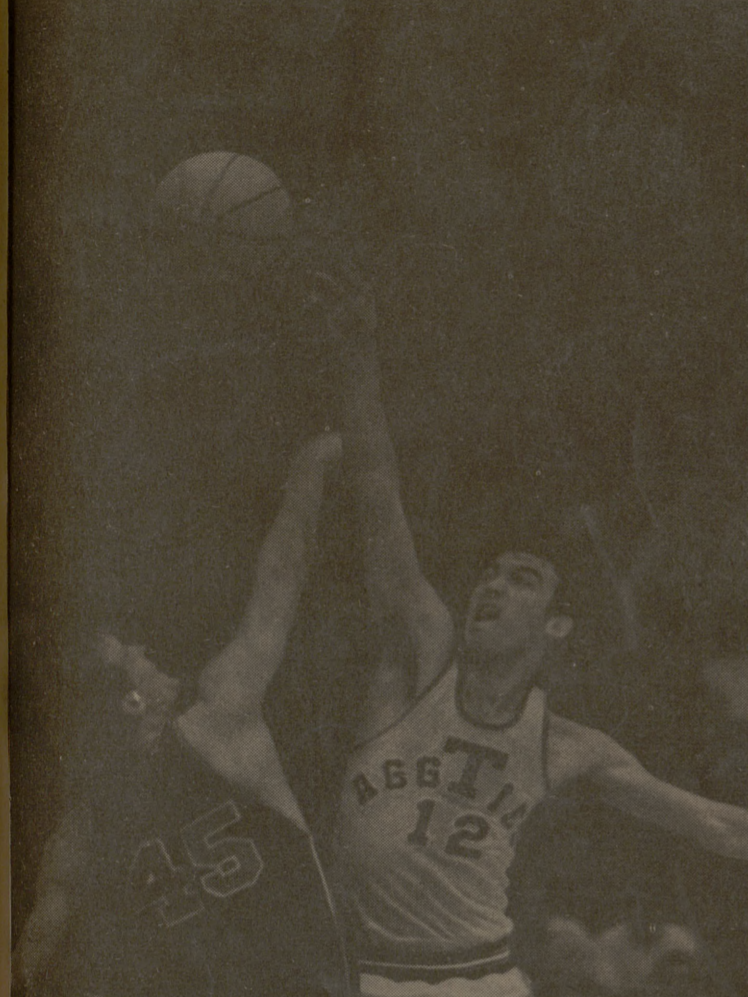
we will help him," said Maddox.

Students also have the right to appeal the ticket to the appeals panel. There are no Campus Security men on this panel. It is comprised of two staff members and six students, appointed by the Student Senate, according to Bennie Zinn, student affairs director.

The student makes an appointment to appear before the panel at its regular Thursday afternoon meeting and pleads his case. The panel then votes and decides the issue.

"We will work with a student and try to give him every possible break," added Gossett.

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A LITTLE HIGHER

Aggie sophomore Bill Cooksey (12) goes high to out-jump Rice's Bob Rule (45) in second-half action of Saturday's game. Cooksey pumped in 13 points in the game as A&M won, 90-82. The Aggies begin second round action in the SWC tonight at 8 when they take on Texas in G. Rollie White. Story on page four. (Photo by Mike Wright)

Of A&M, Law School

Board Kills Merger

AUSTIN (AP) — The College Coordinating Board Monday turned down a request by the South Texas College of Law to merge with Texas A&M and recommended doubling of state college tuition.

The board voted 12-1 against the merger of the law school and A&M.

A&M President Earl Rudder was in Austin attending the meeting and was unavailable for comment on the decision.

The University of Houston opposed the application, citing the Coordinating Board's policy of only one law school in any one area.

SOUTH TEXAS is a private, 45-year-old night school which the University of Houston Law School admits drove it out of the night law school business by drawing away a large number of students.

The board recommended to the legislature a tuition charge of \$7 a semester hour, which would make a total of \$105 for the student taking a normal load of 15 hours. Present tuition is \$50 per semester.

In other action, the board recommended a policy requiring a minimum of 200 acres of land be provided by five metropolitan areas that are to get new senior colleges by 1973. The areas are San Antonio, Midland-Odessa, Dallas-Fort Worth and Corpus Christi. One board member pointed out that it would take 40 acres just for parking at a school with 8,000 students.

IT ALSO asked the legislature for 16 million to contract for the development of a uniform university building system for the new senior colleges. This uniform planning would save \$32 million, the board said.

The board will also ask the legislature to establish an annual building use fee of \$165 per full-time student at the new senior colleges.

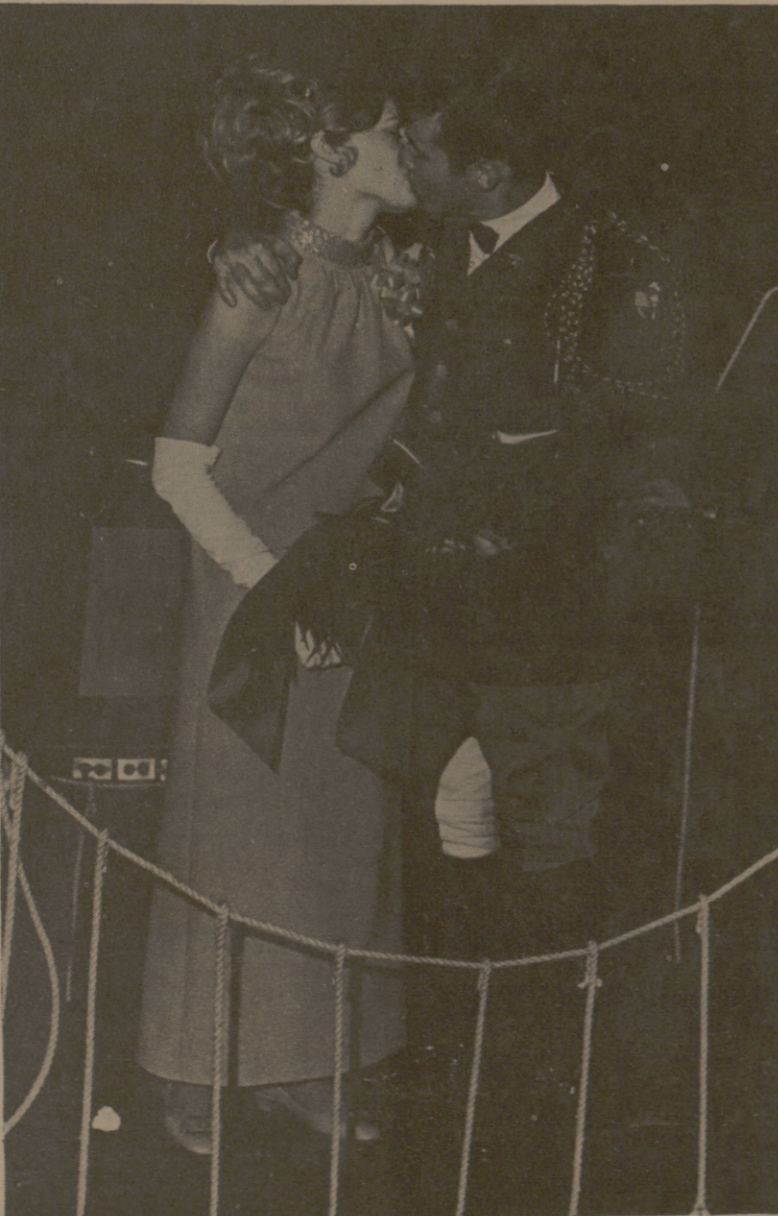
The raising of students' tuition at junior colleges outside their

Date Of AF Ball Set For April 19

The Air Force Ball has been rescheduled from Feb. 28 to April 19, according to Harold T. (Bud) Welch, publicity chairman. The ball will be held in Duncan Dining Hall.

The reason for the change was that the weekend conflicted with the Combat Ball, which is also scheduled for Feb. 28, Welch noted.

University National Bank "On the side of Texas A&M." —Adv.



BAND SWEETHEART

Charles Eads, Combined Band Operation Officer, presents traditional roses and a kiss to Linda Day at Saturday's Band Dance. Mrs. Day, whose husband Mike Day escorted her to the annual dance, was named sweetheart of the Aggie Band. (Photo by Mike Wright)