few months.

I would first like to say that, any "trouble" at a football game

dent and only in my second year dent, I watched the whole thing,

here, I love this place like no and I noticed that the Fish did

Aggie Fish!

Editor:

Listen Up

I am writing this letter in re-

sponse to the "incident" that oc-

curred at the TCU game this

past weekend, and also in re-

sponse to the change in attitudes

which I have noticed in the last

even though I am a transfer stu-

other. And, I think that the Corps

of Cadets is a fine organization

and that it has a definite im-

portant place and function on this

campus. I base my opinion on

many reasons: . . . the perform-

the Maroon and White Game last

year . . . Silver Taps . . . build-

ing the Bonfire . . . Bonfire week-

end . . . yell practice . . . foot-

ball games . . . Muster. The list

goes on and on. When each in-

dividual enters this university,

it is his choice to be a cadet or

a civilian student. There is no

reason for any conflict to arise.

Last year everybody "talked"

about uniting the Corps members

and the civilian students. This

is impossible. The Corps mem-

bers and the civilians can never

be completely united. What we

were really talking about last

year, and what we are really

achieving this year, is a harmony

between the Corps members and

Aggie Band Exes

To Convene Here

Aggie Band meet here Saturday

for the regular biennial meeting

of the Texas Aggie Band Associ-

the 1969-70 Aggie Band, are ex-

pected for a noon luncheon in

Duncan Dining Hall, according to

TABA President Tom Murrah of

in that there will be no speeches,"

Murrah commented. Time instead

will be devoted to eating, renew-

ing old acquaintances, meeting

current bandsmen, inspecting the

new band hall now under con-

struction and viewing films of

recent halftime performances by

Edwin H. Cooper, former director

of Civilian Student Activities and

Lt. Col. E. V. Adams, Aggie

Band director, said the band will

salute former members at half-

time of the Saturday night A&M-

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dation grant for a 1970-71 science

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teaching in an academic year of

full-time study in their subjects.

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ation.

San Antonio.

the Aggie Band.

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Baylor football game.

by state schools.

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ance of the Fish Drill Team at

Please don't misunderstand my

comments. We may not have the

best football team, but the A&M

student body is so much better in

every other aspect that the com-

parison does not seem justifiable.

We do not need to apologize in

any way to anyone for the fierce

pride we have in our school nor

for defending this pride in the

face of defaming remarks that

are apparently acceptable to the

A special salute to the Corps.

E. G. Bilderback, '45

The Fort Worth parade was a

10:30 a.m. starts Saturday's pro-

gram, followed by a luncheon

business meeting at 11:30, a pool-

side group picture at 1 p.m., a

cocktail party at 4:30 and dinner

Following the 7:30 p.m. foot-

ball game, the class will hold an

authorities of other schools.

great exhibition.

at 5:30.

the batt forum

the civilians. I believe that no reached the end zone, they were

individual should be allowed to

disrupt, delay, or otherwise en-

danger this harmony which is

Concerning the "incident," I

would like to point out that I

have never seen any Aggie start

or anywhere else. As for the inci-

not push or shove or hit anybody.

They merely tried to get that

"sign." The first pushing and

shoving was done by our head

yell leader, and the people being

shoved and pushed were our own

An incident of some signifi-

cance occurred at the A&M-TCU

football game Saturday that may

have gone unnoticed by some of

the student body. A group of

TCU students, appropriately at-

tired in black hats, were parad-

ing a sign around the staidum.

The sign was, as you will un-

doubtedly recall, not complimen-

tary to our student body. It pass-

ed without incident by the TCU

a good number of A&M former

However, when this little group

Schroeder in his 15 years at

A&M has directed institutes and

programs supported by over \$1

million in NSF funds. The geolo-

gy professor headed eight earth

science institutes, two in-service

programs at Victoria and Tem-

ple and three academic Year In-

Campus Briefs

ex-students, the TCU faculty, and

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An Aggie Period.

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set upon by a fiery group of young people in the eight-totwelve year old bracket. These young people pelted the sign carriers with any sort of trash and debris they had at hand. It was indeed a marvelous sight to behold-these Fort Worth youngsters going to the defense of A&M! I could not help but wonder if the Corps did the correct thing by showing restraint in the face of this insult. I understand it was the right thing to do, especially in view of the prompt appearance of the riot squad. But I hope we did not tarnish our image less by responding slowly than we may have done by immediate response to this indignity.

"... Now that's what I call a bullet pass!"

Bulletin Board

San Angelo-West Texas Hometown Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the MSC Social Room.

Panhandle Area Hometown Club will meet at 8 p.m. in Room 3C of the MSC.

Chemical Engineering Wives Club will have a salad supper at 7:30 p.m., in the home of Mrs. Barbara Davidson, 1702A Lawyer, College Station. Each member is to bring a salad with the recipe on a recipe card. SATURDAY

AIIE picnic will be from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Williamson

Park. Tickets at \$1 each are on sale in Room 206 of the Engineering Building. TUESDAY

Society of Automotive Engineers will hear a program on

"Destructive Test of Vital Flight Components" and discuss final plans for ushering at the Texas International Speedway at 7:30 p.m. in Room 303 of the Mechanical Engineering building. Mechanical Enigneering Stu-

dent Wives Club will have a discussion on child birth at 7:30 p.m. in Room 3B of the MSC.



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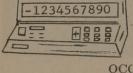
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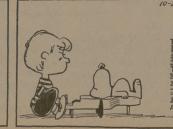
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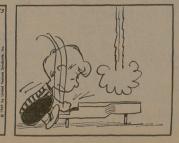
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and Alabama will be included among the reunion class. * Open House Saturday For Golf Clubhouse

An open house to show off A&M's newly completed 4,000square-foot golf course clubhouse will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. Saturday. The \$83,337 facility will be

open to the public said Luther A. Harrison, clubhouse manager. Special invitations have been sent to members of the A&M Board of Directors, Executive Committee and Athletic Council,

The clubhouse will include a golf shop, snack bar, lounge area, locker rooms, cart storage room and a classroom for physical education golf classes, Harrison said.

Harrison said that coffee and

cake will be served at the open

On KBTX Tonight 6:30 Family Affair

7:00 Jim Nabors Hour

8:00 CBS Thursday Night Movie

"Two on a Guillotine"

10:00 TX Final News

10:30 Tom Jones

11:30 Alfred Hitchcock

* * * '54 Class Reunion Friday, Saturday The 15th anniversary reunion of the Class of 1954 will be held

Dallas announced the program the campus and attendance at the Texas A & M - Baylor football game. One hundred couples have pre-registered.

College Station's Ramada Inn will be the reunion headquarters.

music from 1954.

A tour of the campus from 9-

after game party in the Ramada stitutes, including the current AYI is coordinated through the Farrell said former students campus NSF programs office, difrom Mexico, Oklahoma, Illinois, rected by C. M. Loyd. He pointed New Mexico, Arkansas, Louisiana out that most of the grant funds are spent in Bryan and College

Foundation grants provide a stipend of up to \$3,000 for each experienced teacher plus supplementary allowances for dependents, books and travel. Freed of teaching duties, participants can

concentrate on improving their own knowledge and skills. Teachers' applications for the 1970-71 institute must be sub-

mitted by Jan. 20, 1970.

here Friday and Saturday. Class Agent John Farrell of

The Republic National Bank vice president noted Friday's events will include registration from 3-7 p.m., a cocktail party from 6-7, a buffet dinner program from 7-9 and dancing to the Aggieland Combo featuring

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