

A Senator Speaks

Misinterpretations About North Gate

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Student Senate Vice President

When originally planning this column, I had intended to orient it primarily as an introduction for the series of columns which will follow in subsequent issues of The Battalion. However, I feel that the considerable reaction evoked by the senate's action concerning community merchants merits some comment.

Never before has any direct, structured communication been established between the community and the students of TAMU. Some students feel, and perhaps rightly so, that they are being taken advantage of by certain local merchants, and there was considerable displeasure with the lack of enthusiastic cooperation on the part of certain merchants when asked for Bonfire donations.

But right now we don't have fully complete information, for we haven't personally talked to all those questioned merchants. Furthermore, several merchants have personally spoken with me saying that they weren't even approached concerning Bonfire contributions.

Thus to say that the Student

Senate is investigating North Gate merchants (as one local paper, and not the Batt, reported) is not really correct. To say that the senate is seeking to establish channels of communication, to work with the merchants to remove any irregularities that do exist, and to promote mutual cooperation is correct.

Operation Feedback has proven to be quite valuable to this year's senate and one basic point has been made very clear—there are extremely poor communications between the Student Senate and the student body. The senate has failed to make its actions known to the student body and the result is that most students don't know what — if anything — the senate does.

In an effort to alleviate this situation, the senate, in cooperation with The Battalion, will run a series of columns for seven days, outlining the major areas of senate action taken by the standing committees, as well as general areas of senate concentration.

We hope the students will enjoy and learn from these columns and we invite any comments and/or questions.



"It's an outfit agreement, but we're ready to talk basketball!"

Lottery Orders Draft Call For 1970

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290,000 of them to enlist voluntarily in the armed forces, leaving 560,000 to take their chances with the draft. Of that number, about 260,000, or 46 per cent, will be drafted, by present estimates.

For 1971, the new draft pool will be somewhat smaller, including only those who turn 19 during 1970. No estimate has yet been made public of the 1971 draft calls.

President Nixon has announced that his goal is eventually to eliminate the draft entirely and rely on an all-volunteer army.

Here, by calendar order, are the draft priorities drawn Monday night:

JANUARY

1-305; 2-159; 3-251; 4-215; 5-101; 6-224; 7-306; 8-199; 9-194; 10-325; 11-329; 12-221; 13-318; 14-238; 15-17; 16-121; 17-235; 18-140; 19-58; 20-280; 21-186; 22-337; 23-118; 24-59; 25-52; 26-92; 27-355; 28-77; 29-349; 30-164; 31-211;

FEBRUARY

1-86; 2-144; 3-297; 4-210;

Deadline for Loan Forms Wednesday

Students wishing to obtain loans for the spring semester must submit an application by Wednesday to receive aid for pre-registration expenses, according to Robert M. Logan, student financial aid director.

Loan applications, he added, are available at the Student Financial Aid Office, Room 303 YMCA.

5-214; 6-347; 7-91; 8-181; 9-338; 10-216; 11-150; 12-68; 13-152; 14-4; 15-89; 16-212; 17-189; 18-292; 19-25; 20-302; 21-363; 22-290; 23-57; 24-236; 25-179; 26-365; 27-205; 28-299; 29-285;

MARCH

1-108; 2-29; 3-257; 4-275; 5-293; 6-139; 7-122; 8-213; 9-317; 10-323; 11-136; 12-300; 13-259; 14-354; 15-169; 16-166; 17-33; 18-332; 19-200; 20-239; 21-334; 22-265; 23-256; 24-258; 25-343; 26-170; 27-268; 28-223; 29-362; 30-217; 31-30;

APRIL

1-32; 2-271; 3-83; 4-81; 5-269; 6-253; 7-147; 8-312; 9-219; 10-218; 11-14; 12-346; 13-124; 14-231; 15-273; 16-148; 17-260; 18-90; 19-336; 20-345; 21-62; 22-316; 23-252; 24-2; 25-351; 26-340; 27-74; 28-262; 29-191; 30-208;

MAY

1-330; 2-298; 3-40; 4-276; 5-364; 6-155; 7-35; 8-321; 9-197; 10-65; 11-37; 12-133; 13-295; 14-178; 15-130; 16-55; 17-112; 18-278; 19-75; 20-183; 21-250; 22-326; 23-319; 24-31; 25-361; 26-357; 27-296; 28-309; 29-226; 30-103; 31-313;

JUNE

1-249; 2-228; 3-301; 4-20; 5-28; 6-110; 7-85; 8-366; 9-335; 10-206; 11-134; 12-272; 13-69; 14-356; 15-180; 16-274; 17-73; 18-341; 19-104; 20-360; 21-60; 22-247; 23-109; 24-358; 25-137; 26-22; 27-64; 28-222; 29-353; 30-209;

JULY

1-93; 2-350; 3-115; 4-279;

5-188; 6-327; 7-50; 8-13; 9-277; 10-284; 11-248; 12-15; 13-42; 14-331; 15-322; 16-120; 17-98; 18-190; 19-227; 20-187; 21-27; 22-153; 23-172; 24-23; 25-67; 26-303; 27-289; 28-88; 29-270; 30-287; 31-193;

AUGUST

1-111; 2-45; 3-261; 4-145; 5-54; 6-114; 7-168; 8-48; 9-106; 10-21; 11-324; 12-142; 13-307; 14-198; 15-102; 16-44; 17-154; 18-141; 19-311; 20-344; 21-291; 22-339; 23-116; 24-36; 25-286; 26-245; 27-352; 28-167; 29-61; 30-333; 31-11;

SEPTEMBER

1-225; 2-161; 3-49; 4-232; 5-82; 6-6; 7-8; 8-184; 9-263; 10-71; 11-158; 12-242; 13-175; 14-1; 15-113; 16-207; 17-255; 18-246; 19-177; 20-63; 21-204; 22-160; 23-119; 24-195; 25-149; 26-18; 27-233; 28-257; 29-151; 30-315;

OCTOBER

1-359; 2-125; 3-244; 4-202; 5-24; 6-87; 7-234; 8-233; 9-342; 10-220; 11-237; 12-72; 13-138; 14-294; 15-171; 16-254; 17-288; 18-5; 19-241; 20-192; 21-243; 22-117; 23-201; 24-196; 25-176; 26-7; 27-264; 28-94; 29-229; 30-38; 31-79;

NOVEMBER

1-19; 2-34; 3-348; 4-266; 5-310; 6-76; 7-51; 8-97; 9-80; 10-282; 11-46; 12-66; 13-126; 14-127; 15-131; 16-107; 17-143; 18-146; 19-203; 20-185; 21-156; 22-9; 23-182; 24-230; 25-132; 26-309; 27-47; 28-281; 29-99; 30-174;

DECEMBER

1-129; 2-328; 3-157; 4-

TONIGHT
Political Science Club will meet at 8 p.m. in the Political Science Dept. Room 201C, YMCA.

WEDNESDAY
Garland Hometown Club will meet at 7:45 p.m. in the lounge by Dormitory 1.

Society of Automotive Engineers will hear the Humble Oil

Co. presentation, "The Northwest Passage Voyage of the U.S.S. Manhattan" at 7:30 p.m. in Room 303, Fermier.

Port Arthur Hometown Club will elect a sweetheart at 8 p.m. in Room 110, Military Science.

SATURDAY
Organization of Arab Students will meet at 5:30 p.m. in Hensel

Park. Arabian dishes will served at the cost of \$1.

ATTENTION ALL CLUBS

Athletic Hometown Professional and All Campus Organizations.

Pictures for the club sessions of the 1970 Aggie are now being scheduled. The Student Publications Office.

216 Services Bldg.

Expansion Plan Progress Noted

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will be required to turn lists in to the council president at least two weeks before a scheduled meeting.

This, he said, will allow each member plenty of time to do any checking he may wish to do.

The council also accepted a \$25 gift to an MSC special account, and \$75 in gifts to the Fifteenth Student Conference on National Affairs. Acceptance of both

items came at the recommendation of Gary F. Fairchild, gift committee chairman.

Tonight on KBTX

6:30 National Geographic Special
7:30 Billy Graham
8:30 Governor & J J
9:00 Engelbert Humperdinck Special
10:00 TX Final News
10:30 Hollywood Palace
11:30 The Detectives

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A&M coeds are to accomplish their Housing Office pre-registration for the spring semester at the Housing Office instead of the Legett Hall lounges, as previously announced, according to Allan M. Madeley, housing director.

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YOU'LL PULL IT, AND I'LL RIDE ON IT, OKAY?
SOMEHOW, HE HAS A WAY OF TAKING THE FUN OUT OF EVERYTHING...
I ALWAYS FEEL SORRY FOR BIRDS DURING COLD WEATHER
MAYBE I COULD LOAN HIM SOMETHING TO SORT OF HELP KEEP OFF THE CHILL...
Schulz

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