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by Jim Earle

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Time for a change

A&M officially opens its 1970 football rowdiness, rough language and drinking are a first midnight yell practice of the year will be held.

maybe, just maybe, student behavior at the midnight sessions will be better than it has been in past years.

Head Yell Leader Keith Champman and yell leader committee chairman J. Malon Southerland have asked those participating in yell practice or attending the game to make a special effort to stay off of the new AstroTurf field and Tartan surface track. Senior lines caution is urged.

duct at past midnight yell practices. General a manner befitting a jackass.

season Saturday with a home game against few of the complaints. He urges positive Wichita State. This means Friday night the action by the students to prevent future occurrances.

We agree fully with Southerland. While It is almost too much to hope, but we are all for having a good time, the treatment shown women attending midnight yell practice by a fair number of students is uncalled for, as is the language used.

> We do not believe showing up drunk helps create a good time, but annoys others and places an extra burden on a drunk Aggie's friends.

We urge the student body as a whole to and other traditions will continue, but extra prove that Aggies still possess the school spirit and pride they are so well known for. We also Southerland also comments that com- urge the students to show that Aggies know plaints have been made about student con- how to have a good time without behaving in

Guest editorial Wrong people condemned

A recent article in The Houston Chronicle noted briefly the fact that Linda less economical terms, you, the paperback Kasabian, one of the members of the Charles reader. It is a proven fact that people under Manson family and star witness for the Manson-LaBianca murder trial, is going to write her memoirs of the "family" life she shared with Manson and others.

While writing lengthy autobiographies has been the vogue recently, and some have been worthwhile, any such attempt by Mrs. Kasabian could only be listed as a flagrant effort to make a fast buck.

Crime and violence abound and the media are not innocent of doing their share of focusing public attention on such gory events. The media do however, print the other side, tending to take quite conservative views toward law and order.

Mrs. Kasabian's book will be chuck full of all of the ingredients that make a bestseller a bestseller these days. As the old saying goes in the newspaper business, sex, crime and violence sell papers. Of course, Mrs. Kasabian's pathetic story of simply being lookout-man-turned-ratfink is always a good office bet, too.

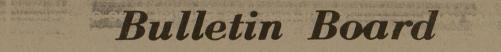
It all boils down to the consumer, or in 30 make up the largest buying sector in the nation. In other words, college students are important determinants in the bestsellers' race

If it gripes you that a woman whose illustrious accomplishments allegedly include accomplice to murder, adulteress and other heady stuff can make a million bucks on the grim details of those accomplishments, then it is up to you to stay away from her end of the book rack.

On the other hand, if you are part of that segment who enjoys the details of Charlie, Linda and others making it on the floor, then definitely this is the book of the century for you.

Sex, crime and violence sell-but to what? Maybe we're wrong in condemning the writers of such books as Mrs. Kasabian's. Perhaps it is we, the relatives of the bloodthirsty Roman plebians, who should be condemned.

> -The Daily Cougar University of Houston



TONIGHT

hold a weiner roast at 6 p.m. in Hensel Park area 2.

Texas A&M Sailing Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in Geology room 105. The film "Gold Medal Sailors" will be shown. Anyone wishing to take sailing lessons should attend.

THURSDAY San Angelo-West Texas Hometown Club will meet at 7:30 p.m.

Texas A&M Polo Club will meet the smoker will be given. Range and Forestry Club will at 7 p.m. in Animal Sciences room 203. No horses, equipment or experience playing polo are required meet at 7:30 p.m. in Plant Scito join the club ences room 102.

Panhandle Area Hometown Club will meet at 8:30 p.m. in the MSC Art Room. Mid County Hometown Club will meet at 8 p.m. in the MSC lobby. It is an organizational meeting for all persons from Port Neches, Nederland and Groves.

SUNDAY

WEDNESDAY Aggie Wives Bridge Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the MSC Assembly Room. Beginners class will begin at the first meeting, other groups play for fun and prizes. An invitation is extended to wives of students in all de-

TUESDAY

Range and Forestry Club will

"Gosh, roommate, I realize you're proud of our neat room, but we ought to be able to sleep on our beds even though it may mess them up temporarily!" LISTEN the batt forum

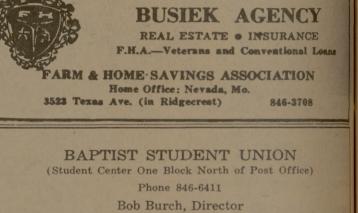
Editor: As I paged through the 1970

edition of the Aggieland, I was repeatedly impressed with the tastelessness and vulgarity so commonly associated with Aggies. However, I have never before realized the immaturity of my fellow students, as expressed in "good bull." If the "Spirit of Aggieland" consists of a boy dressed only in undershorts and a sheet (p. 3), then don't ask me why I dont' date "Aggies." (see Aggie-

Patricia Bath Class of '71 Lee presents paper to economics society Wendy Lee, recently appoint of economics, will present paper during the Second Wo Congress of the Econometric

land, p. 404.)

ciety in London, Sept. 7-14. H paper is entitled, "A Model the Household Supply of Lab over the Life Cycle: the Sup of Married Women Teachers



Daily Noon Bible Studies - Free Sandwiches, chips, tea Tuesday, 6:30 - Leadership Training Wednesday Noon - Spiritual Boot Camp - FREE Homecooked mea Thursday, 6:30 - Perspective Friday, 5:30 p. m. - Missions



Alpha Phi Omega will hold a smoker at 8:15 p.m. in the MSC Assembly Room. Purpose of the smoker is to introduce the service functions of APO to prospective pledges.

Texas A&M Students for George Bush will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the old College Station city hall, 101 Church St. to organize.

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8 p.m. in MSC room 3D. Reports TAMU. For further information, on Campus Chest, Town Hall and call 822-2655.

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7:30 15 (12) NET Playhouse 8:00 3 (5) Everly Brothers 9:00 3 (5) Hawaii Five-O 15 (12) The Toy That Grew Up 10:00 3 (5) Final News 10:30 3 (5) It Takes a Thief

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