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AGGIE WAR HYMN author J. V. (Pinky) Wilson gave a salute to Aggieland Monday All-University Night after senior yell leader Hank Paine introduced him. Paine also explained the recent change in the way the fight song will be sung. Assistant Dean of Students Howard Perry stands to his right. (Photo by Mike Rice)

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## Student Unity

We at The Battalion don't intend to chase around the apathy vs. unity circle this year, primarily because we don't believe it is a major problem facing students.

The idea of wanting to work things out together seems to be floating around much more this year than it seems to have in the past. Student leaders are more optimistic in their outlooks and know that if a true Aggie Spirit exists among students, nothing can come in the way of settling conflicts and easing the pains of change.

Because student leaders want to end the strife that has more than frequently encompassed the student body, everyone, including faculty and former students, should be willing to get on the bandwagon.

Student leaders who are willing to get along with each other for a common Aggie cause (campus unity) at least rate the chance of trying to pull it off through student communication.

This doesn't mean let's fight each other to achieve our individual goals. This does mean let's reach our goals through cooperation and working together.

#### Applications For Degrees Required

A&M students who expect to graduate this fall must make formal degree application by Sept. 8.

Registrar Robert A. Lacey emphasized the degree application is the responsibility of the graduating student.

Applications of both undergraduate and graduate students are due 90 days before the fall semester graduation date, Dec. 9.

All students should first pay the \$5 graduation fee at the Fiscal Office in the Richard Coke Building. Graduate students then apply at the Office of the Graduate College, Room 209.

Undergraduate student applications will be taken in Room 7. The fee receipt must be presented to make degree application.

### EPA Seeks Youth Help

The Environmental Protection Agency is seeking qualified college-age youth to serve on its Youth Advisory Board for the 1973-74 school year.

As advisors to Arthur W Busch, regional administrator for the EPA, board members are concerned with environmental matters in the five states of Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Arkansas and New Mexico. Ideas of board members are integrated into EPA regional policy.

Qualifications for YAB members are based upon academic and environmental achievement and willingness to work as an active EPA advisor. Responsibilities include an official information system to keep the regional office informed of local activities and attendance at two meetings in the Dallas office of the EPA.

Information detailing qualification, responsibilities and application procedures are available at Dean of Students James P. Hannigan's office in the YMCA.

# **Students Can Sign Up For Long Distance Service** This Week In The MSC Lobby

Dormitory room telephones are restricted to local telephone service.

If you want to add long distance calling privileges to your room telephone you should sign up at our desk in the lobby of the Memorial Student Center Wednesday, August 30, through Tuesday, September 13, (except Labor Day, September 4) between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

When requesting this service, please remember:

- 1. Bring your roommate when signing up—one student must be designed account manager to be responsible for paying your account.
- 2. If you should change rooms, notify our office so we can change your account. If unchanged, you may be responsible for long distance calls made from your telephone.
- 3. No deposit is required unless past paying habits warrant a deposit.

If you have other questions, stop at our desk.

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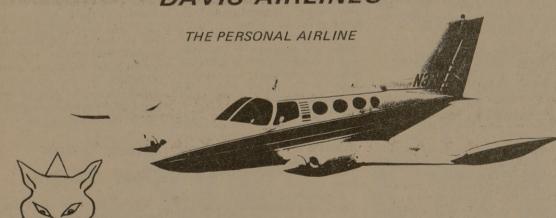
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