

CADET SLOUCH

by Jim Earle



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"Are you sure you don't want a girl as a regular member of our cartoon?"

Listen Up—

D'Abadie Separates Students, Aggies

Editor: A sign on campus read, "Contrary to Popular belief—a social fraternity does exist at A&M." This gives rise to a question. Are AGGIES members of this group? For years AGGIES have kept several things (often labeled traditions) as a way of doing things. Some of these are unique to A&M: Silver Taps, Aggie Muster, yell leaders, yell practice, a friendly greeting between all students passing one another on campus, the Corps of Cadets (a group of students unique to A&M although it is not necessary to be a member of it to be considered an Aggie), and others.

One of these others is the absence of social fraternities on campus. This has been a practice because Aggies have always felt the entire school is of fraternal nature, all working toward a common goal with common interests. I have therefore made a distinction between A&M students, male or female, and Aggies. There is a slight difference between them. This difference is mainly in their attitude toward their school. They believe in change for the better but also cherish those traditions which make A&M a little better than those other universities.

ternity, go to Dallas or Austin or Baton Rouge. I believe Aggies are the ones who say, "there are no social fraternities on campus because Aggies don't need them." Justin D'Abadie '73

be treated better in the future. Julia Jones

Editor: The article entitled "Obscenity Is Proved Equal to Mom, Apple Pie," which appeared in the Dec. 8 issue of The Battalion, reported a debator's conclusion that "... obscenity is imported and therefore, non-American." This conclusion will not stand a test of logic since, the apple plant (hence apple pie) is also imported. (Apple is apparently indigenous to western Asia.) In fact, many moms are imported and if we twist things enough, America is imported too! L. E. Ehler Assistant Professor

Four Adults, Three Children Killed At Home Of Pro Basketball Star

WASHINGTON (AP) — Police said seven persons, including three children, were killed late Thursday at the Washington home of professional basketball star Kareem Abdul Jabbar. Jabbar was not at home at the time. Police said four adults were shot to death and three children were found drowned in a bathtub. A fifth adult was listed in critical condition with gunshot wounds. The Jabbar home is used as headquarters for the American Muslims. Jabbar is a member of the Muslim group. Police said they recovered a .38 caliber pistol at the scene.

Neighbors said they saw four men running from the home after the shooting, which occurred about 5:30 p.m., EST. In a telephone interview with a Washington radio station Jabbar confirmed from Milwaukee that the house where the shooting occurred was his. "Lunatics... that's the only explanation," he replied when asked if he knew why it happened. He said he knew the people living there. "It's my community and the home is for the use of the community." He said it is "a Muslim community."

One For All, All For One

The recent closing of three of the university's dormitories, Milner Hall and Dorms Five and Seven, caused quiet an inconvenience for some students, we're sure.

And to some, it probably seemed quite uncalled for.

The dorms were shut down for this semester and will probably be reopened next fall when enrollment is back up after its annual spring decrease.

Dr. Richard Wainerdi, chairman of A&M's newly-formed energy study committee, has said that although his group had nothing to do with closing the dorms, he feels it was a wise choice for officials to make—as far as energy conservation is concerned.

Already university physical plant directors have noted a 20 per cent decrease in the amount of energy needed for consumption under a loosely enforced 'Phase I' voluntary cutback program.

In the next few weeks, Wainerdi's committee will be presenting recommendations to A&M administrators for ways to cut back on consumption if severe cold spells strike again as they have in the last several weeks.

Although researchers could have told everyone the crisis was coming, most people chose not to listen before it struck. This story holds true across the nation.

But, the crisis is here and there isn't much we can do about it now, except beg, borrow and steal all the oil one can get quick possession of. Nuclear power plants could have been built which would have alleviated much of the problem. These undoubtedly will be the only way out in the future.

Here and now, though, we hope that students and faculty alike will feel they are all equally a part of the problem and will take appropriate measures to help conserve dwindling fuel reserves.

If not, it might be very uncomfortable one of these days studying and living in cold and candle-lit rooms.

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	22 - 26	H-L
	29 - Feb. 2	M-N-O
February	5 - 9	P-Q-R
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July 18	28	Aug. 15
Aug. 14	21	Sept. 4
Sept. 18	14	Oct. 2
Oct. 17	14	Oct. 31

DALLAS		
Depart	Days	Return
June 13	14	June 27
June 27	21	July 18
Aug. 15	21	Sept. 5
Sept. 5	14	Sept. 19
Sept. 19	10	Oct. 3
Oct. 3	14	Oct. 17

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By Charles M. Schulz