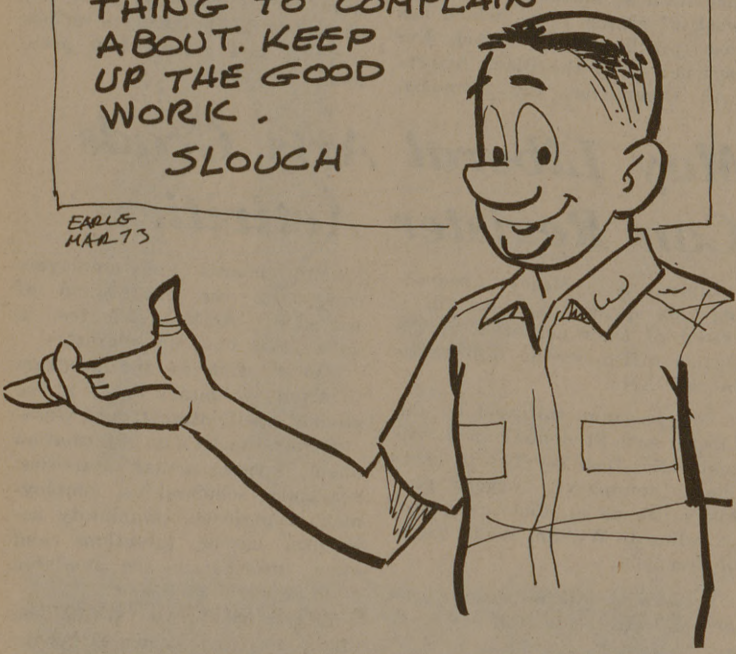


CADET SLOUCH by Jim Earle

DEAR EDITOR:
I WANT TO EXPRESS MY SINCERE APPRECIATION TO A&M FOR ITS LAUNDRY, STUDENT GOVERNMENT, COEDS, DORMITORIES AND DINING HALLS. ALSO, THE BATTALION IS DOING AN EXCELLENT JOB--YOU SHOULD BE COMMENDED. I HAVE ABSOLUTELY NOTHING TO COMPLAIN ABOUT. KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK.

SLOUCH



"How's that for a change of pace?"

Batt News Summary

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
PARIS—The Big Five nations Thursday joined in an endorsement of the Washington-Hanoi peace agreement barring all foreign meddling in Indochina.

South Dakota's two senators had left nearby Pine Ridge for Wounded Knee to negotiate with AIM leaders a short time before the AIM spokesman said the hostages were being freed.

ican Indian Movement said Thursday night the 11 hostages held by AIM leaders at Wounded Knee since Tuesday "are free to go."

BEIRUT, Lebanon—Palestinian guerrillas stormed a diplomatic reception Thursday night in Khartoum, seized the U.S. ambassador and colleagues as hostages, then demanded the release of Sirhan Sirhan in California and other prisoners elsewhere.

AUSTIN, Tex.—Assured that black representatives did not want a "witch hunt," Texas House members approved a black-sponsored resolution Thursday setting up an investigation of Prairie View A&M College.

Bulletin Board

FRIDAY
Aggie Con IV Science Fiction Convention will be held on the second and third floors of the Memorial Student Center through Sunday.

Aggie Christian Fellowship will hear Bob Pratt in the Chapel at 7 p.m.

SATURDAY
India Association will see a film, "Mother India," at 7:30 p.m. in Room 102 of the Zachry Engineering Center.

SUNDAY
A&M Lacrosse Association will play Dallas at the Drill Field at 2 p.m. This is its opening match.

MONDAY
Industrial Education Wives

The British Foreign Office said its ambassador reported that the Black September guerrillas shot their way into the reception, and the West German government said a Belgian diplomat was wounded.

BONN, Germany—The dollar went into a tailspin Thursday on European money markets left unconvinced by President Nixon's 10 per cent devaluation 17 days ago.

The situation grew so acute

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Listen Up—

Fee Legislation Questioned

Editor: Whatever happened to Senate Bill 188? It's the measure which calls for A&M students to come up with \$30 a year next September to pay for the new hospital. The Dallas Morning News said in a Tuesday story that it had been passed by the Senate.

I did not see anything in the Battalion but I may have missed the story. Anyhow, I would appreciate a good story telling why.

It will cost me \$60, I'm afraid, as my wife will enroll also next fall. It seems to me that these extra fees — student service, building use fee, student center complex fee, property deposit — are getting out of hand, particularly at a state institution where traditionally one can escape paying very high fees to get an education. Anyhow, that's just my opinion; I'd like to hear others'.

David L. Morgan graduate student

Apparently you have not noticed, but the Battalion has covered this issue in the past and is still doing so (see lead story this issue.) It was first mentioned last Nov. 22 and has appeared several times since. If you want to know more about the bill and how it affects you, contact your student senator and see what he has to say—Ed.

Editor: After reading that Flash Cadillac would appear during Resident Hall Weekend, it is with

great disgust that I write this letter. It is inconceivable that the Town Hall Committee could book such an unknown band for an event that is supposed to be the highlight of the spring semester. The fact that they couldn't do any better shows a gross lack of concern for the student body, especially when big-name bands such as America, Alice Cooper, Humble Pie and Yes will be appearing in Houston soon.

Last year, Chicago, James Gang and Rare Earth made appearances during the spring, so why can't A&M students be treated to talent of a similar level? Hopefully, the band at the Friday night dance will provide some of the entertainment supposed to be present during Civilian Week-end.

And who is Freddie Hart?

Editorial Committee
Moses Hall Public Relations Dept.

Editor:

I have read the letter from the organizers of the Joe Arciniega Fan Club and I must wholeheartedly agree. Joe Arciniega is one of the most dedicated and unselfish individuals I have ever known and I feel fortunate that Joe is my friend. But, I feel a point is being missed here. Joe pulls for the whole team, true, but that is also true of the 10 other players. Each and every one is, to use their vernacular, a true Aggie. And I think many of the students at A&M should look at themselves and see if they fit into that category.

Those 11 guys are out on the court every day working their guts out practicing, and they play their hearts out on the floor in games. So, is it too much to ask for Aggie students to show up twice a week to lend their moral and vocal support to their efforts.

True, they are out of the SWC championship race. All they have left to play for is pride. Well, they must have a heckuva lot of pride, because they gave everything they had Saturday in Lubbock, although the A&M student backing numbered only about 20. They won, and I was proud to go out into the court and jump into the circle of celebrating Ag players and lend my congratulations.

This brings up my point. True, it is a great distance to some of the games. But, the players go. So, why can't the students go support them. So, Ags, go to Ft. Worth Saturday and let them know how great a job they have done. It's the least we can do.

Kevin Bean '74

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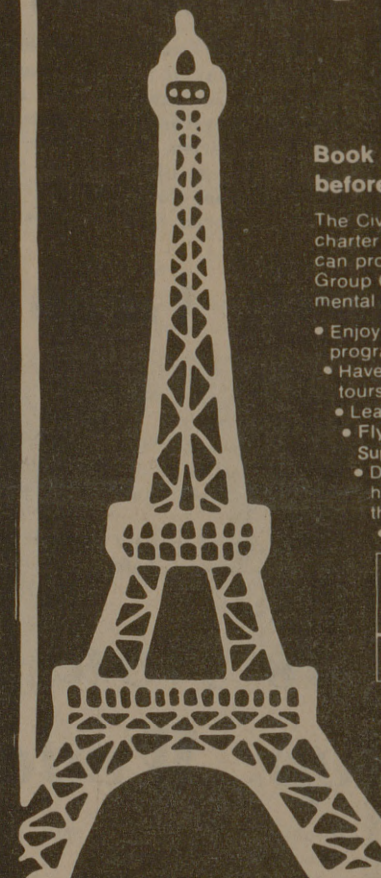
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