

# Cadet Slouch

By Jim Earle



"It's the greatest schedule I've ever had! But it is going to be difficult with three classes meeting at the same hour!"

## Appointment better method, says comptroller candidate

On a scale from one to 10, with Barry Goldwater at zero and Charles Percy at 10, Nick Rowe, Republican candidate for state comptroller, rates himself at three. Rowe was in College Station Tuesday for a campaign talk with members of the local media.

Rowe was a Democrat until the 1972 national convention, after which he said he could no longer support the party. He emphasizes his conservative nature and boasts of his military background.

The native Texan and West Point graduate has traveled and written extensively since his escape in 1968 from a Viet Cong prison camp. Rowe was assigned to the Defense Intelligence Agency until his retirement in February.

"I believe the office of comptroller must eventually become an appointed professional position," Rowe said. This would remove political pressure from the office, he said.

He said the office has become removed from public examination

because of the personality of the man holding office, Robert Calvert. Rowe said he wants to bring the office "back to the people."



Nick Rowe

## GOP candidate links Briscoe to unions

AUSTIN (AP)—Jim Granberry, Republican candidate for governor, made a new effort Tuesday to pin the union label on Gov. Dolph Briscoe.

Granberry also told a news conference the governor should have exerted leadership to keep the Constitutional Convention from adjourning without sending a new state charter to the voters.

Briscoe, he said, has a "close, intimate rapport with labor leaders"

and will be "campaigning almost hand in hand with Mr. Harry Hubbard," president of the Texas AFL-CIO.

Granberry distributed a sheet entitled "Chronology: Gov. Briscoe and Labor" consisting mainly of newspaper accounts of Briscoe's activities with organized labor.

He mentioned that Hubbard credited Briscoe last week with the estimated \$900 million surplus in the state's general revenue fund at the close of the current fiscal year, Aug. 31, 1975.

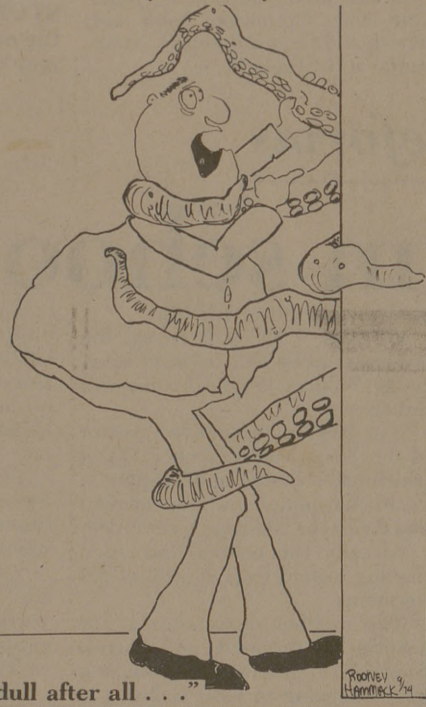
"This is ridiculous. The surplus comes mostly as a result of tax revenue windfalls in an inflationary spiral, bolstered by federal revenue-sharing funds."

### Coasters



"This marine biology class may not be so dull after all . . ."

By Rodney Hammack



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