

## Campus activities

**Monday**  
Student Teaching Fall 78-Spring 79, applications for student teaching, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., 367 Harrington  
A&M Basketball, A&M women vs. Texas Southern, 5:15 p.m., G. Rollie White Coliseum, A&M men vs. Angelo State, 7:30 p.m., G. Rollie White Coliseum

**Tuesday**  
Recreation & Parks, show and tell by members, 7:30 p.m., 404 Rudder  
Delta "Y", Freshman Gas Off, 8 to 12 p.m., 145 MSC  
Great Issues, Dr. Michael DeBaakey, 8 p.m., Rudder Auditorium

**Wednesday**  
MSC Arts and Crafts Fair, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Rudder Fountain  
Student Senate, 7:30 p.m., 214 Harrington  
Political Forum, Dr. Clovis Masquod, 8 p.m., 601 Rudder  
Aggie Cinema, "Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," 8 p.m., Rudder Theater

**Thursday**  
MSC Arts and Crafts Fair, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Rudder Fountain  
Political Forum, Texas Supreme Court Chief Justice Joe Greenhill, 12:30 p.m., 301 MSC  
Political Forum, Dr. Clovis Masquod, 7:30 p.m., 601 Rudder

**A&M Basketball, A&M women vs. Prairie View, 5:15 p.m., G. Rollie White Coliseum, A&M men vs. Southwest Texas, 7:30 p.m., G. Rollie White Coliseum**  
Cepheid Variable, "Vampyri" 8 and 10 p.m., 701 Rudder

**Friday**  
Classes of 1942 and 1967 Reunions  
Town Hall, Firefall, 8 p.m., G. Rollie White Coliseum

**Saturday**  
Class of 1942 and 1967 Reunions  
Corps of Cadets Briefing, 10 a.m., Rudder Theater  
Texas A&M vs. Houston, 2:50 p.m., Kyle Field, Corps of Cadet March-In, 1:40 p.m.  
A&M Basketball, A&M women vs. S.F. Austin, 12:30 p.m., G. Rollie White Coliseum, A&M men vs. Houston Baptist, 7:30 p.m., G. Rollie White Coliseum.  
Aggie Cinema, "The Man Who Would Be King," 8 p.m., "Alice Doesn't Live Here Anymore," 12 midnight, Rudder Auditorium.

**Sunday**  
Travel Committee, "We've Never Been Licked," 2 p.m., Rudder Auditorium  
Aggie Cinema, "The Sterile Cuckoo," 2 p.m., 701 Rudder

## Small turnout expected

# Egypt to host talks

**United Press International**  
CAIRO, Egypt — Egypt has formally invited Arab nations, Israel and the superpowers to preparatory peace talks in Cairo, but it may end facing Israel alone across the negotiating table.

President Anwar Sadat proposed the preparatory talks Saturday and said he hoped they would "finish what we started" when he visited Israel, the first Arab leader to do so since the Jewish state was founded 29 years ago.

Acting Foreign Minister Butros Ghali delivered formal invitations Sunday night in a series of quick meetings with the ambassadors of the United States, the Soviet Union, Syria and Jordan and the Lebanese charge d'affaires.

Syria and the Palestine Liberation Organization spurned the offer and said they will take part instead in a summit of radical Arab states beginning Thursday in the Libyan capital of Tripoli.

Israeli Prime Minister Menahem Begin accepted Egypt's invitation

and was scheduled to explain his government's position today in a special Parliament debate in Jerusalem.

Neither the Soviet Union nor the United States have responded to Sadat's offer.

In Washington, the White House said President Carter was "trying to be in the position of being supportive" of Sadat's latest peace initiative but was still discussing the Cairo meeting with the other invited nations.

Sadat said the purpose of the Cairo meeting would be to prepare for a full-fledged Geneva Middle East peace conference so that "we can discuss the case in a matter of months not years."

In a series of television interviews, Sadat said the talks would start, possibly as early as Saturday, even if only Israel showed up.

"It is up for everyone to decide for himself, but if the Israelis come only, I shall start the conference," he said.

Diplomatic sources said it was highly unlikely the Soviet Union

would take part, in view of the Syrian-PLO opposition and the mutual recriminations exchanged by Sadat and Moscow. Syrian Foreign Minister Abdel Halim Khaddam was flying to Moscow today for talks.

Soviet Ambassador Vladimir Polyakov refused to define his government's position after Ghali gave him the invitation Sunday night. So did U.S. Ambassador Hermann F. Eilts.

Jordanian Ambassador Zoukan Hindawi, whose government has been attempting to steer a middle course between Egypt and its critics, commented: "We hope the Arab nation will concentrate on the positive not the negative points in the present situation."

Only Syrian Ambassador Ahmed Hassan El-Assad was clearcut in defining his government's stand. "Syria has rejected the Egyptian initiative and will take part in the Tripoli summit," he said.

A PLO spokesman in Beirut said: "Our best reply to the Egyptian initiative is to go to the Tripoli conference."

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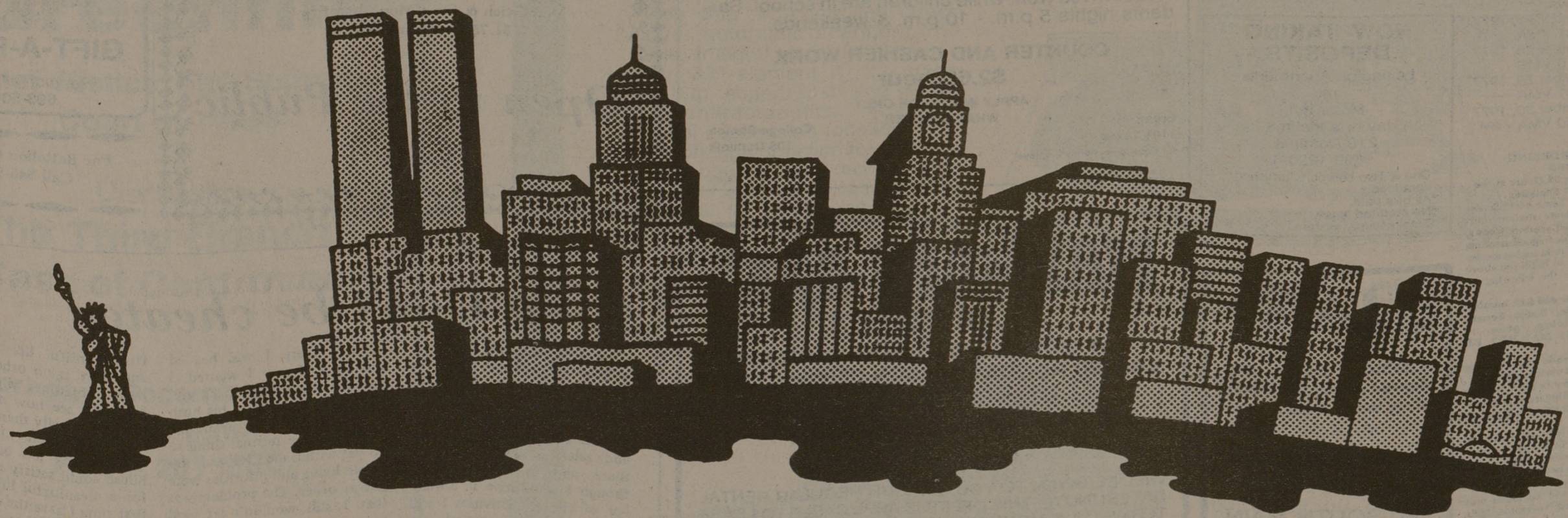
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