Towing possible solution to CS parking problem

by Brian Boyer

A plan to contract a towing service to discourage parking on major streets was discussed by the College Station City Council Thursday night.

Some no-parking zones already have tow-away zone notices posted, City Manager North Bardell said. Until a towing service is contracted by the city, however, offending vehi-cles will merely be ticketed, he

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ing is a problem near shopping centers and apartment com-plexes that do not provide convenient or adequate parking for tenents. The plan is designed especially to discourage parking in fire lanes, he said.

Along some streets, illegally parked cars force shuttle buses to stop in traffic, Bardell said. Requiring offending motorists to pay a towing fee in addition to a traffic citation should discourage illegal parking, he said.
"Given the amount of money

it costs to build a major street, it shouldn't be used as a parking lot," Mayor Gary Halter said. You can build a parking lot a

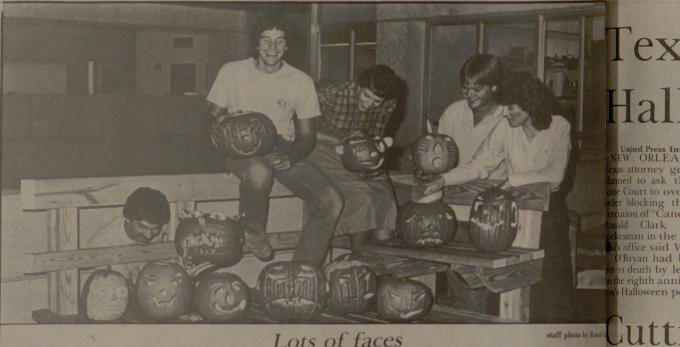
whole lot cheaper than you can a major thoroughfare," he said. Halter said that he would like to eliminate parking along Jersey Street, which he said is being used as a parking lot by tion and personnel.

motorists without a Texas A&M

parking permit.
Other business before the council included a budget request of \$10,650 to help finance the Bryan/College Station Clean Community System. The council approved the request, which must be matched by Brazos County and the City of Bryan to meet the Clean Community System's \$31,950 budget. The College Station City Council also passed a resolution approving the organization's bylaws.

In other business, a proclama-tion designating the first Mon-day in November as Teacher Appreciation Day was signed by

The council approved an ordinance establishing a licensing procedure for grave services before adjourning to a closed session to discuss land acquisi-



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A landscape design class in the Architecture Landry and Julie Coleman display the pumple Building carved to its hearts desire. Left to right, they consider to be the best. Harry Dawson, Phil Solaman, Amy Wilson, Steve



When famous bowler Don Carter invited 23 Kingpins to the First Lite Beer Bowling Tournament, it seemed like a great idea.

It was the guys who drink Lite Beer from Miller because it tastes great, against the guys who drink it because it's less filling. And once again, the All-Stars proved they're in a league by themselves.

After a lot of pins (and quite a few Lite Beers) went down and the smoke finally cleared, the score was

tied, with only one man left to go. Rodney Dangerfield.

pin. A klutz situation. Rodney, in top form, got the same amount of pins as he gets respect. None.

ERYTHING YOU AWAYS WANTED IN A BEER. AND LESS.

Teammate Ben Davidson felt Rodney deserved a break, or at least a fracture. Billy Martin Honochick couldn't believe his eyes. Neither could Marv

Throneberry.

So the First Lite Beer ended in a draw. And the argument over the best thing about Lite was left unsettled.

But there was one thing everyone agreed on. It was truly everything you always wanted in a bowling tournament. And less.

From left to right: Bubba Smith, Dick Butkus, Frank Robinson, Jim Honochick, Ray Nitschke, Ben Davidson, Don Carter, Billy Martin, Matt Snell, Rodney Dangerfield, John Madden, Mickey Spillane, Lee Meredith, Buck Buchanan, Marv Throneberry, Tommy Heinsohn, Boog Powell, Rodney Marsh, Steve Mizerak, Deacon Jones, Boom Boom Geoffrion, and Dick Williams. © 1982 Miller Brewing Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

Group sells ho after 'saving'i

United Press International AUSTIN — A group of resi-dents who launched a campaign to keep the historic Driskill Hotel from being torn down 12 years ago has sold the last remaining interest in the proper-

The Driskill Hotel Corp. interest in the downtown hotel property was sold to Laral Hotels for \$750,000, Driskill president Clint Small Jr., said Wednesday.

Small said the corporation's 632 stockholders will receive a liquidating dividend equivalent to \$9 a share. A reserve will be held to cover future tax liability and other expenses.

Small said the corporation decided to sell its interest "because its purpose has been achieved in saving the Driskill."

Laral, headed by Larry Supnick, acquired controlling in-terest in the historic landmark two years ago and made major

improvements in it. The Driskill, which has provided lodging and a watering hole for politicians since 1886, was closed in 1969, and it

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