

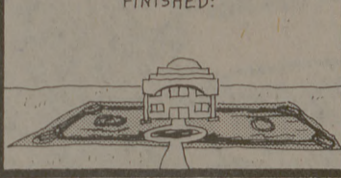
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by Scott McCullar

THE LAST EDITORIAL STRIP OF THE SEMESTER - BUT WITH LOTS OF STUFF TO MENTION... THE MSC FOUNTAIN PREACHERS SEEM TO HAVE STOPPED FOR AWHILE. YOU REMEMBER, ALL THAT VIOLENT SCREAMING AND THREATENING AND THRASHING IN ANGER, ALL IN THE NAME OF PEACE AND LOVE AND GOD.



DESPITE THE GLOOMY A&M BUDGET PROSPECTS FOR PAY RAISES AND OTHER FUNDING PROBLEMS, THE BOARD OF REGENTS HAS APPROVED A NEW 1.2 MILLION DOLLAR MANSION AND ESTATE FOR NEW CHANCELLOR ARTHUR HANSEN. GOLLY, WITH THE DORM RENTS JUST RAISED 10%, IMAGINE HOW HIGH HIS WILL BE ON HIS MANSION BY THE TIME IT GETS FINISHED!



BOTH LOCAL CABLE COMPANIES STILL HAVEN'T REPLACED ANY OF THE STATIONS THEY DROPPED WITH ANYTHING WORTH WATCHING, OR DROPPED THEIR RATES. INCIDENTALLY, DID YOU KNOW THAT CHANNEL 'C' DURING THE DAY IS CHRISTIAN BROADCASTING, AND AT NIGHT, SWITCHES TO THE PLAYBOY CHANNEL?



CHANCELLOR HANSEN ALSO RECOMMENDED CHANGING THE BAN ON ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES THROUGHOUT THE A&M SYSTEM SO THAT ONLY A&M OFFICIALS BE ALLOWED TO CONSUME THEM AT A&M. THIS, BY CHANCE, WOULD INCLUDE THE CHANCELLOR'S MANSION WHEN FINISHED. AS FOR THE STUDENTS?



What's Up

Wednesday

TAMU SAILING CLUB: A meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m. in 410 Rudder to elect officers. A film will be shown.
TAMU SPORTS CAR CLUB: Will elect new officers tonight at 8:30 p.m. in 510 Rudder.
CIRCLE K CLUB: Will be selling banana splits for \$1.50 from 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at Rudder Fountain to benefit March of Dimes. All members please come help.
UNIVERSITY LUTHERAN CHAPEL: The Candlelight Communion Service is scheduled for 10 p.m. at the University Lutheran Chapel.
CATHOLIC STUDENT ASSOCIATION: Meeting is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. in the student center.

p.m. in 502 Rudder to elect officers for the '83-'84 period.
PANAMANIAN STUDENT ASSOCIATION: Summer activities will be discussed in 607 Rudder, 7 p.m.
STUDENT GOVERNMENT-EXECUTIVE BRANCH: Those interested in any committees should leave applications in the Student Government Office, 219 Pavilion, by 5 p.m. today.
CATHOLIC STUDENT ASSOCIATION: The farewell dinner for graduating seniors is at 6 p.m., followed by a meeting of the International Students at 8 p.m. Both meet in the student center.
MSC CEPHEID VARIABLE: "Mad Monster Party" will be showing at The Grove tonight at 8:15 p.m. and 10 p.m. Admission is \$1.
UNIVERSITY LUTHERAN CHAPEL: We will leave from the University Lutheran Chapel at 6:30 p.m. to visit and sing at the Sherwood Nursing Home.

Thursday

MSG OPEN HOUSE COMMITTEE: Anyone interested in working on Open House for the fall-especially summer school students-meet at 6:30 p.m., room 216J MSC.
CAMPUS CRUSADE FOR CHRIST: Dr. Bradley will speak on "How to Survive the Summer" at 7:30 p.m., 113 Kleburg.
GUATEMALAN STUDENT ASSOCIATION: Meet at 7

BAC: A All members interested in receiving information this summer about "Welcome Back & Welcome to A&M Fish Camp" please leave name and address in 216 MSC in the BAC cubicle.
 If you have an item for "What's Up," you can fill out a notice in 216 Reed McDonald at least two days in advance of the activity. No items are accepted by phone.

Teachers blast lawmakers

AUSTIN — The state's largest teachers organization said Tuesday lawmakers have been "shortsighted" by refusing to support a tax increase to fund higher salaries for public school educators.

"The unwillingness to take a strong lead on the part of key legislative leaders is outrageously shortsighted and leaves the children of this state vulnerable to a mediocre education at best,"

said Barbara O'Neal, president of the Texas State Teachers Association.

O'Neal, a sixth grade teacher in Waco, also issued a subtle warning to lawmakers, saying the 95,000-member group would remember those legislators who did not push for higher teacher pay by supporting a tax increase.

"I remind those same legislators that teachers' memories are

long," she said. "We are going to be here to the end. We'll be here in the 1984 elections and the 1986 elections. Teachers were made promises by a vast majority of both houses. Many were successful in their elections because of teacher involvement in those campaigns."

O'Neal said teachers would "pull out all the stops" to pass a state bill in the remaining weeks of the legislative session.

She estimated a tax increase

totaling at least \$1.5 billion would be needed to upgrade educational funding and give teachers the 24 percent pay raise supported by Gov. Mark White.

O'Neal also said House Speaker Gib Lewis appeared to be the biggest obstacle to the passage of a tax bill.

Under the Texas Constitution, all tax bills must originate in the House and Lewis has said he would fight any effort to pass such legislation.

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