

## STATE AND LOCAL

### What's up

#### Friday

**CLASS OF '88:** is throwing a Back-to-School Bash at the Q-Huts beginning at 8 p.m. Cost is \$2 per person.

**COLOMBIAN STUDENT ASSOCIATION:** will meet at 7 p.m. in 401 Rudder to introduce new members. Call 696-9350 for more information.

**HILLEL:** will hold Friday night services followed by Oneg-Shabat at the Hillel student center beginning at 8 p.m.

**MSC AFTER HOURS:** is holding late registration for spring classes at the MSC Box Office 9 a.m.-6 p.m.

**MSC HOSPITALITY:** applications for new members are due by 5 p.m. at the Student Programs Office in 216 MSC.

**METHODIST STUDENT MOVEMENT:** will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Wesley Foundation for a "Western Party." There will be supper, games and a dance. Call 260-4688 for more information.

**OFF-CAMPUS AGGIES:** will hold a Welcome Back Party at Q-Hut B beginning at 8 p.m. Free refreshments and great music. Everyone welcome. Call 693-0015 for more information.

**TAMU BADMINTON CLUB:** will hold practice from 7 p.m.-10 p.m. at the third floor gym in G. Rollie White.

**UNITED CAMPUS MINISTRY:** will meet at 6:15 for Bible study at A&M Presbyterian Church. Call 260-6982 for more information.

#### Saturday

**ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA PLEDGE CLUB:** presents "Party '85" at 9 p.m. in the Pavilion. Admission is \$2. Call 693-2783 for more information.

**BAPTIST STUDENT UNION:** will hold an evangelism training workshop 9 a.m.-12 p.m. at the BSU. Call 856-7722 for more information.

**BAPTIST STUDENT UNION:** will hold a Beach Party beginning at 7 p.m. in the BSU.

**CEPHEID VARIABLE & AGGIE CINEMA:** present a Monty Python film festival at Rudder Theatre. Films begin at 7:30 p.m., 9:45 p.m. and midnight.

**HILLEL:** will hold an undergraduate student party in the Hillel Foundation Bldg. beginning at 8 p.m.

**RANGE CLUB:** will hold stockdog trials at the ANSC Pavilion beginning at 8 a.m.

**TAMU RUGBY CLUB:** will hold two rugby matches against the San Antonio rugby club at 2 p.m. in the field east of Zachry parking lot.

#### Sunday

**MSC VISUAL ARTS:** will hold an informal retreat for old and new members at #127 Parkway Circle beginning at 4 p.m. Call 764-0919 for more information.

**Items for What's Up should be submitted to The Battalion, 216 Reed McDonald, no less than three days prior to desired publication date.**

## CS considering sign regulations

By MICHAEL CRAWFORD  
Staff Writer

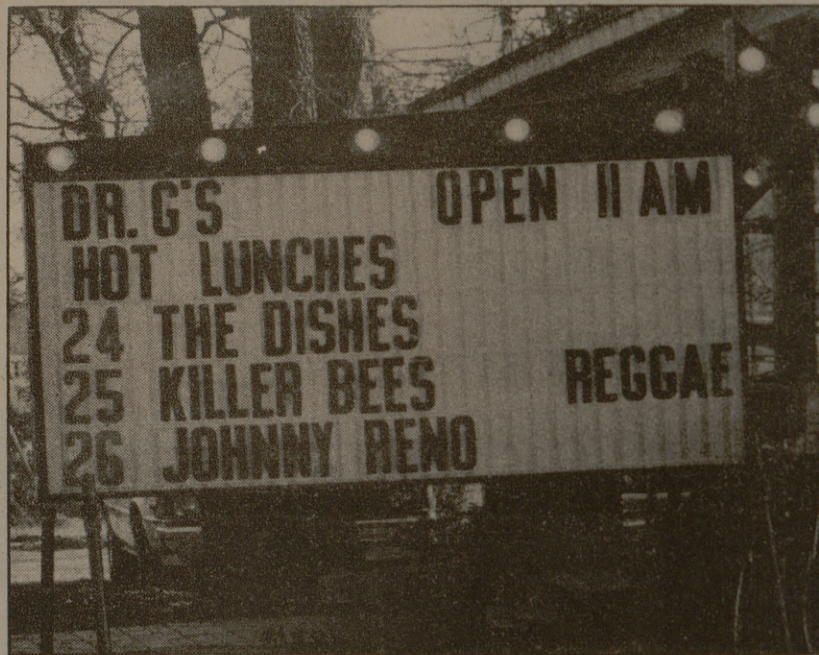
Signs within College Station city limits were granted a temporary reprieve Thursday night.

The College Station City Council sent to committee an ordinance which would regulate the height and location of new signs and require old ones to be brought into compliance. Portable signs, signs painted on rooftops and signs with flashing, blinking or traveling lights would be prohibited.

The Council cited businesses engaged in "an endless battle for a higher and more visible sign" and the desire for an attractive community as the reasons for the ordinance. The ordinance was unanimously referred to a special committee consisting of three Council and three Planning and Zoning Commission members. The committee must return the ordinance with suggested changes in one month.

A section of the ordinance prohibited political signs from carrying any commercial message and those signs larger than two square feet could not be within 10 feet of a roadway. Candidates would be required to deposit money with the City Secretary in order to post signs and must remove them within 10 days after an election. The city could charge up to \$20.00 per sign removed by city personnel. The forfeiture would come from the deposited money.

That part of the ordinance would be difficult to enforce, said City Attorney Cathy Locke.



Portable sign.

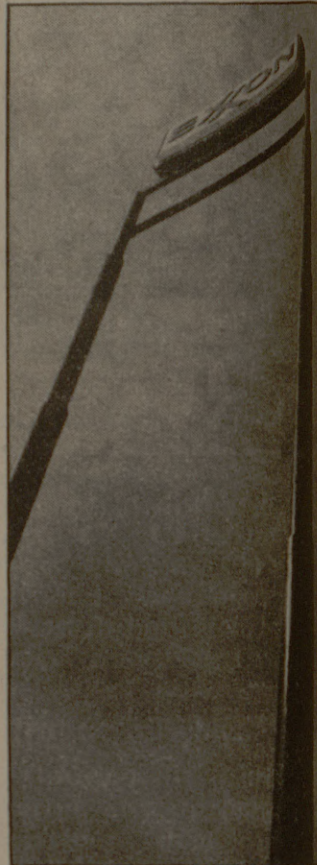
"We visited with the Houston City Attorney and they have a big problem with political signs," Locke said. "They spend days cleaning them up."

Council members were uncomfortable with the time limit allowed for existing signs to conform to the new ordinance.

Off-premise signs and prohibited

signs would be required to conform to the ordinance or be removed within six months. Signs taller than 35 feet must meet the new codes within two years.

Businesses affected by the proposed changes can request exemption, but they must show that enforcement of the regulations would create a substantial hardship to the applicant.



High-rise sign.

### Water resources in third world nations

## Nyle C. Brady to speak today

By SUSAN MCDONALD  
Reporter

Water resources as a basic component in third world development will be the topic of a speech sponsored by the President's Lecture Series.

Nyle C. Brady, senior assistant administrator for Science and Technology with the Agency for Interna-

tional Development will hold the speech today in Rudder Theater at 1:30 p.m. The speech is open to the public.

"Brady is a man of great experience and knowledge," said Jack Cross, special events coordinator. "He is respected very highly among agricultural scientists."

The speech is designed to spark interest in the International Conference on Food and Water to take place at Texas A&M in May. Brady also will speak on bilateral agencies at the conference.

The theme of this year's conference is "Water and Water Policy in World Food Supplies" and about

2,400 people from around the world will participate in it.

Some of the topics to be discussed at the conference include: world development 1985-2000; water as a constraint to world food supplies; irrigation and drainage in the world; new technology related to water and water policy.



TIMOTHY HUTTON stars in "TURK 182!" as Jimmy Lynch, a young man whose crusade to redeem his brother's reputation rallies an entire city to his side.

### TIMOTHY HUTTON CAPTURES NEW YORK CITY IN "TURK 182!"

Academy Award winner Timothy Hutton plays a very new kind of hero in "Turk 182!" As the fighting mad, hip and resourceful Jimmy Lynch, he sets out to prove you can battle City Hall to right a wrong. His older brother, a firefighter, is injured while saving a child from a burning tenement. But since he was off-duty and having a drink in the local bar, an

uncaring city bureaucracy has refused him a pension.

#### Crusader Excites City

When the mayor is too busy running for re-election to hear his case, Jimmy Lynch takes matters into his own hands. Using only his wits, Jimmy sets out to prove that you can fight City Hall, and the entire city rallies behind the mysterious crusader known as Turk 182.

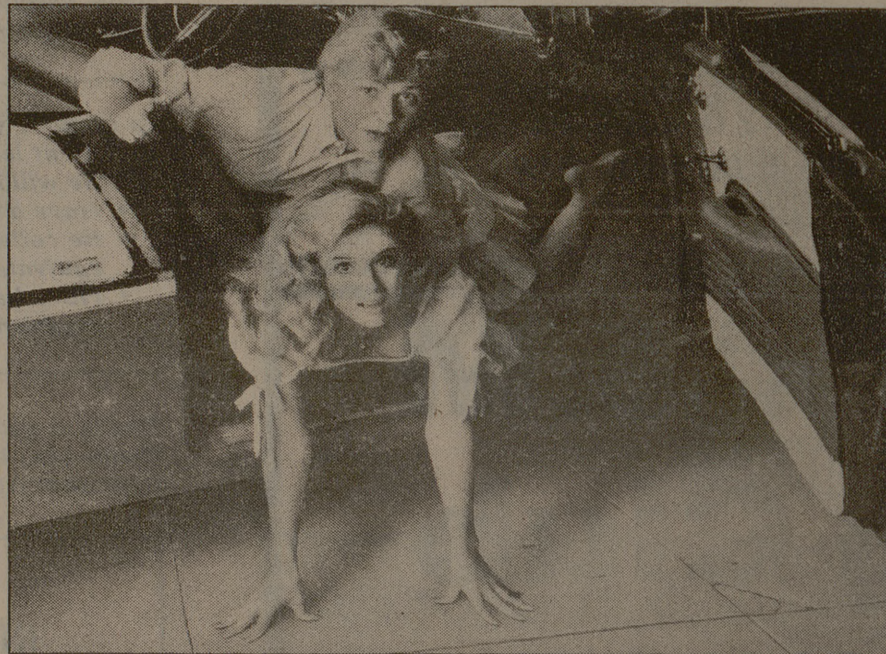
Hutton proves riveting as Jimmy Lynch, a budding artist pushed into action to fight for his brother's life—and justice. Recently starring with Sean Penn and Lori Singer in "The Falcon and the Snowman", Hutton has followed his Oscar-winning debut in "Ordinary People" with extraordinary

performances in films such as "Taps", "Daniel" and "Iceman".

Joining Hutton in this exciting urban adventure are Robert Urich, Kim Cattrall, Robert Culp, Darren McGavin and Peter Boyle.

#### New Wave David

You'll discover a different side



Boy & girl in search of contact lens.

### FEBRUARY MEANS "MISCHIEF" FOR MOVIEGOERS

Doug McKeon is burning up—he's getting dangerously close to college without hitting a "home run" with any girl, much less Kelly Preston, the cutest one in the class. Let's face it—it's the 1950's, and Doug would settle for a "single". That is, until big city buddy (and screen newcomer) Chris Nash arrives at school and bets

that he can help Doug hit a grand slam.

#### A winning cast

The cast of "Mischief" is particularly hip. Doug McKeon is best known as the "suck-face" kid in "On Golden Pond". Kelly Preston, soon to be seen in the upcoming "Secret Admirer", played the



"Please, Marilyn — it's been 18 years!"

luscious damsel in distress in "Metal Storm". Catherine Mary Stewart, who plays Chris Nash's girlfriend, was a smash hit as the lead in both "Night of the Comet" and "The Last Starfighter".

#### Major league mischief

Together, Doug, Kelly, Chris and Catherine stir up more rowdy "mischief" than little Nelsonville, Ohio can take in one year. We're talking major league tomfoolery here: motorcycles on sidewalks, cars on fire hydrants, parents on the warpath, romance on the sly. In short, all the things that make life worth living before college.

The cars may have changed, but the action in the back seat has not!



Kelly Preston: up to her ankles.



TIMOTHY HUTTON (right) is Jimmy Lynch and ROBERT URICH (center) is his big brother Terry in this rousing adventure-drama.