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the Lincoln Recreation n College Station held basketball game State ernoon benefiting the Valley United Way. team the B-Bad Enter to tack on the Center to tack on the Center nt took on the Compound at the Lincoln Recreation Students must take destiny in their hands and take classes on their own terms part of the College Sta rks and Recreation De nt. B-Bad edged the und by a score of 43-32 Compound's taking a

L-O lead. ety-nine percent of th is from the event will sta os Valley," said Land , chairman of the Co ation United Way, KVJ ersonalities Squeak (n, and J-Que organize

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rity event.

Continued from Page 1 a send email to lists or toan who might make your email available to someone es w it gets out and onto the ists," he said. "There's real are already in his mind. control who gets youremi especially if you're send ly every student on the A&M camists and things like that." vright said there are ways

spam. send a note to the personwi you saying, 'Don't sendthe more' or, ultimately, it's to delete email. It's usu vobvious. A&M's staff and faculty

ceystroke. ver, Cornyn said, replym ssages can be a mistake. y messages contain instr ng the recipient to reply stated into one has felt the sanctimoand type 'remove' in these nious wrath of the self-proclaimed he said. "But this a demigods who rule this veritable fact, it sends a message Mount Olympus, or Hades, dependu up to receiving more set ing on one's point of view. Any minor mistake in the service provider (ISP) mountainous trash heap of event spam from reach procedure that keeps the

Internet providers es regarding spam email ck with your provider to le a complaint," Comyn ald also consider using a ly enforces its anti-spamp at filters emails for span

that they can't drink und of 21 en people were arrested

including contributing and driving under the ini orty-five loud party a o reported. eems to be working queeth said. "There seems

iction in the number of a ed to earlier this semester are hearing out on the sta

wheels of this great sewer system turning is severely chastised. Who at this campus has not had a finger waggled at him or been roundly insulted for degrading the Student Handbook, the Torah of the Aggie synagogue? A&M and its piddling interests are not the center of the to, a student lies universe, and any student who realizes this fact probably skips class and all other University functions

> on a regular basis. The root cause of A&M faculty's and staff's self-congratulatory and student-deprecating attitude is that they have forgotten who they work for. Out-of-state students pay more than \$10,000 a year to attend this University. In any other business, would the vendor thumb his nose at a customer spending that much money at his kiosk? What hotdog vendor or garage would

dare insult a customer spending so much money?

Part of the capitalist ethic is that the customer has the ultimate power. The customer's money is what keeps the businessman afloat, so the businessman inevitably does what the customer wants.

except in academia. In the academic realm, it is the customer who serves the service provider.

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Students pay to work, like indentured servants. It will not be long before students will not only do homework, but serve as butlers and

bathroom attendants for faculty members. What is next? Will the Corps of Cadets have to shine the bald heads of our administrators rather than those of hallowed campus landmarks? How long will it be before graduate students are picking cotton? Remember, this is the South; it could happen.

Students inevitably feel guilty for skipping class because they feel they are wasting money by not going to class. This is true. One pays for a semester of school, and this time is not made up.

However, what sense does this make? In theory, it is an oxymoron to pay someone to have power over the buyer. Any student should, in theory, have the right to go back and retake classes he missed or complain about a substandard grade. After all, the student paid for this time. In any other field, the student would get it. If one makes an appointment with a barber and does not make it, one does not still have to pay for the haircut one did not get

The only answer to such un-American and anti-capitalist business practices is a boycott (and if necessary, hostage-taking, raping, pillaging, the usual). How can the students of a major university in such a great country sit by and let The Man have his way with them like a wife beater whose dinner is late.

Americans are traditionally activists, and, in that great tradition, students of this University should stand up and take arms. The only way to get the administration's attention is through bloodshed.

Only when the streets run maroon with the blood of the infidels who run the cult compound that is A&M will sanity return to the educational institutions of the nation. What this campus needs is a leader for the revolt, a Spartacus-like figure. Of course, he will need a Tony Curtis look-alike for a sidekick so that Bowen, after plastic surgery to look more like Olivier, can take him prisoner an question him on the merits of snails and ovsters.

Rise up, fellow students, and put your teachers to the sword. And whoever our Spartacus may be ---his name is probably Garth or Jethro - but whatever, lead us to everlasting glory (and oysters, or perhaps snails).

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omewhere Con the Texas DA&M campus, a classroom sits empty. Somewhere in Bryan, in the JASON heart of the ghet-

head is filled with dreams of sug-

arolums and scantily clad women.

in the floor around him; roaches

of discontent in this harmonious

scene — the student is skipping

pus at least once a week. So, the

skip class, and if they did, why

would they feel guilty?

uestions are: Why would anyone

The answer to the first question is

suffer from a collective delusion of

grandeur, for which the student body

continually suffers. Anyone who has

ever had to drop a class or get rein-

Any minor mistake in the

Piles of trash and half-eaten pizza lie

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should be. However, there is a seed

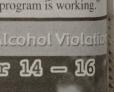
class, and the few grains of guilt that

will eventually grow into a mountain

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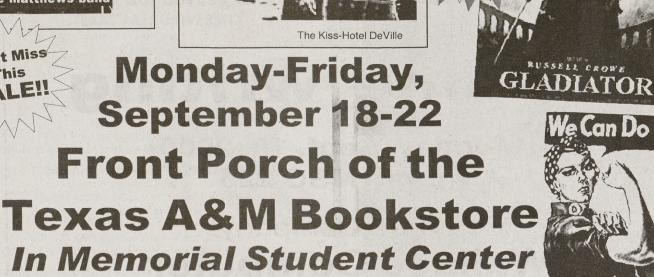
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