

# Band Will Present Two Alternatives To 'Rice's Honor' At Aggie Game

The familiar strains of "Rice's Honor" will have competition in the pre-game ceremonies at the Rice-Texas A&M contest Saturday.

At the request of the Student Association Alma Mater committee, the Rice Band will play the "Rice Hymn" and the theme from Sibelius' "Finlandia." The committee is considering these alternatives to the school's controversial alma mater.

## COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN

Tommy Trump said that the Saturday action was intended to familiarize Rice students with two of the possible choices for a new school song.

"Rice's Honor" has come under criticism from many sources and for many years as

being inappropriate and lacking in dignity.

At halftime the Rice band will present a show including music in the styles of Stan Kenton, Xavier Cugat, and Les Brown. These selections are not intended as alternatives to the school song.