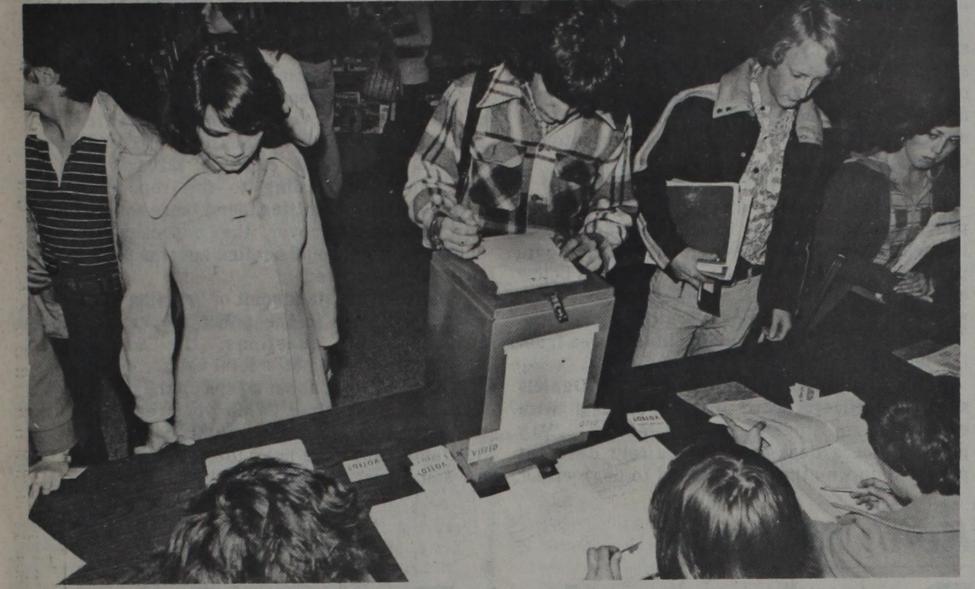
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SA voting

Despite reports of slow voting from some of the polling locations, polls were busy all day at the University Center for the Student Association executive and senate elections. Voter

turnout was estimated at about 3000. (Photo by Dennis Copeland)

Jail terms first for Texas cases

By WAYNE ROPER **UD Reporter**

Setting a Texas precedent for antitrust cases, two local liquor retailers were sentenced Wednesday to 30 days confinement and one-year probation in addition to \$1,000 fines by U.S. District Judge Halbert Woodward.

The special hearing determined details of sentences to be assessed the remaining three of the eight defendants pleading no contest to charges of price fixing and restraint of trade.

Hubert Odom, general manager and president of Cecil's Inc., and Kenneth Odom, secretary-treasurer for Cecil's, were handed the first jail terms ever assessed in an anti-trust case in Texas. according to Asst. U.S. Atty. Robert Wilson.

Crossed Keys Package store, the third defendant, was assessed a \$2,500 fine.

Attorneys for Kenneth and Hubert Odom argued confinement would place a financial hardship on the family and business, while the attorney for Hubert Odom added that Odom's arthritic and cardiac condition required the court's special consideration.

In issuing the sentence, Judge Woodward said, "Sentencing is always hard, but in my opinion the spirit as well as the letter of a plea bargain agreement should be lived up to."

Hubert Odom was allowed until July 18, to straighten necessary business and financial matters. He will serve his term at a correctional facility suited to his special health problems.

Lubbock County Beverage Association, Cecil's Inc.; Crossed Keys Package Store; The All Star Company; Pinkie's Inc.; Bob J. Grimes, Pinkie's Lubbock manager; Hubert and Kenneth Odom.

All eight defendants pleaded no contest March 14, in a special plea bargaining arrangement with the government.

A no contest plea is not an admission of guilt, but is treated such in that the defendants do not refute the charges brought against them.

Assessed fines March 14 were: Pinkie's Inc., \$15,000; Cecil's Inc., \$10,000; The Lubbock County Beverage Association, \$5,000; and the All Star Company, \$2,500.

Grimes was handed a \$5,000 fine and

Cotton workers affected by dust

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the second in a two-part series on byssinosis, a pulmonary disease related to cotton.)

By ROSEMARY ROBINSON **UD** Staff

A disease similar to coal miners' "black lung" may cause a decline in the cotton industry.

Byssinosis, or "brown lung," affects workers in cotton textile mills. The disease is caused by cotton dust, the airborn plant and foreign particles released mainly during preliminary steps in preparing cotton for weaving or knitting, according to Dr. Robert Bethea, professor of chemical engineering.

"The picker and carding room together are the dirtiest parts of a cotton mill," Bethea said.

Bethea has been researching possible agents of byssinosis with Dr. Philip Morey, professor of biological sciences.

"Byssinosis is caused by long term inhalation of the fine respirable cotton dusts emitted into the air at the workplace when raw or baled cotton is processed at the textile mill," Morey said. "The agent in the dust causing the problem originates from the foreign material (vegetable trash, soils, etc.) incorporated into harvested seed cotton

and not from the cotton lint fiber itself."

According to Morey, the theory concerning byssinosis is that a chemical substance in the bract, the leaf-like plant part attached to the stem just below the cotton boll, reacts with lung tissue and causes irritation. The disease progresses through four stages, from occasional chest tightness on the first day of the work week to chronic coughing and chest tightness.

Morey said it has been estimated that 35,000 U.S. workers employed in the primary cotton textile industry have some grade of byssinosis.

The only known cure for byssinosis, Bethea said, is to remove the worker from the dusty environment. The disease becomes irreversible when it reaches the chronic stage, Bethea said. "Studies are proving that the greatest severity and frequency of byssinosis occurs in the dustiest parts

Gilley Treadaway, research assistant in the Textile Research Center at Tech, agreed with Bethea.

said.

According to Textile World, October

Horn, Knapp and Weeks compose the

first division. The second division is

made up of Carpenter, Wells,

Murdough, Stangel and Hulen. Wall,

Gates, Clement, Chitwood, Coleman

and Weymouth are in the third division.

TV situation. She said the Housing

Office had met with the Lubbock Cable

TV and the organization said they could

not offer an option and could not service

only part of the campus, such as the

Foreman gave a report on the cable

RHA resolution aids in improved security

By PAM BAIRD UD Staff

In response to the Residence Halls Association's (RHA) resolution concerning improved lighting and security for dorm residents, repairs will be made on the lights in the dorm parking lots, Ruth Foreman, RHA president, said at Wednesday's RHA meeting.

Foreman said an investigation on the problems dorm residents brought to the administrations attention is being conducted. The security and safety resolution was passed by the RHA council in a meeting two weeks ago. Foreman said the Housing Office is concerned about the problems and would like to know what the staff can do to help alleviate them. In other council activities, plans for RHA Play Day were given by Chuck Mundy, programs committee chairperson. Mundy said Play Day will be April 1-3. The "Battle of the Bands" will be April 1 from 8 p.m. to midnight in the Music Building parking lot, Mundy said.

of textile mills," Bethea said.

"It's just the people who are subjected to it (cotton dust) all the time that would be affected," Treadaway

1972, one company found that by washing the raw cotton, the toxic effects of cotton dust were completely eliminated. However, washed cotton, because of the retained moisture, was difficult and sometimes impossible to process into yarn.

No one seems to know how prevalent the disease is in the Lubbock area where cotton ginning is the primary operation.

According to Bethea, the National Cotton Council arranged a study during the 1974-75 ginning season in the Big Spring area, with the cooperation of the Big Spring Veterans Hospital, the Texas Ginners Association and the Tech department of chemical engineering.

The study was delayed because of problems with data interpretation, according to Dr. Jack Margolis, chief of medical services at the VA hospital. Collection of data was completed in

early March, Margolis said.

"I don't think cotton ginning has an effect on pulmonary functions," Margolis said, "on the tests we've done."

According to C. David Rowlett, a graduate student studying possible agents of byssinosis, research in England, Egypt and Ethiopia has shown a strong indication of the desease among cotton ginners.

"However," Rowlett said, "it is the opinion of most local ginners that we don't know if we have a byssinosis problem or not."

A study was conducted in the Mesilla Valley region of New Mexico, Bethea said. The survey was criticized at the National Cotton Dust Symposium in Atlanta as being improperly done, but indication of byssinosis among gin workers was found, Bethea said.

"This can be taken as an indication only," Bethea said.

Lone candidates take clear majority

Students elected unopposed candidate Chuck Campbell as Student Association president Wednesday; David Sterrett, internal vice president and Ronnie Bobbitt, external vice president.

Campbell received 1,898 votes. At press time, the total write-in votes were not tabulated but Bill Brosnn had received 674 write-in votes for president

and Don Starks, 80.

Sterrett received 2,092 votes and Bobbitt, 2,090. Write-in votes were also recorded in these races and will be reported in Friday's University Daily. At 3 a.m. SA Election Commission members were still counting ballots in the Student Seante races. The University Daily will report the results of those races in Friday's issue.

Law School deanship list narrowed to two

By TERRI CULLEN **UD** Reporter

The list has been narrowed. Two

faculty and students should be submitted to Professor Rodric Schoen, chairperson of the search committee,

Kenneth Odom will serve his sentence beginning April 15.

The sentences culminate a two-year investigation into alleged price fixing practices of four Lubbock County alcoholic beverage retailers and the Lubbock County Beverage Association.

The investigation resulted in indictments against eight defendants, charging them with conspiring to fix, raise and stabilize prices. The defendants named were: The one-year probated sentence. In conjunction with the indictment of

the defendants, the Justice Department filed an injunction forbidding the defendants from any future collusion or conspiracy.

According to Wilson, the Justice Department is expected to draw up a consent decree for the defendants to agree to and sign.

"In most cases such as these the decree is signed," Wilson said.



"So far two bands have signed up," Mundy said, "and we need more bands to sign up. Those persons interested should contact me."

On the afternoon of April 2, Mundy said there will be campus wide activities and that night the movie "Monty Python's And Now For Something Completely Different" will be shown in the Stangel - Murdough pit. Dorms are divided into three divisions for activities on April 3, Mundy said. Bledsoe, Gordon, Sneed, Wiggins Complex

The Housing Office is looking into improving the reception for televisions in the dorms, Foreman said. She added that Housing will not make a decision on the proposal until another 30 to 45 days and if approved, the earliest cable TV would be available in the dorms would be the fall of 1978.

In other council actions:

-A motion was made and passed which allocates \$279.82 for purchasing a slide projector and small screen for close-up viewing.

-The RHA newsletter will be out after spring break.

-Announcement of the winners of the energy conservation contest which ended Tuesday will be made by the next council meeting.

-Coleman Hall representatives said the hall had donated \$125.00 to the Fleet Feet for the handicapped.

-RHA banquet and retreat will be April 17.

-Further RHA meetings are scheduled for March 30, April 13 and April 27.

candidates remain under active consideration by Tech president Cecil Mackey for the deanship of the Tech Law School.

They are professor Frank Elliot, of the University of Texas Law School and professor Dale A. Whitman of Brigham Young University. Both men have visited the campus and met with Mackey and members of the administration, in addition, to Law School faculty, students and alumni. A third candidate, who had accepted an invitation to visit the campus, asked to have his name withdrawn from further consideration. Professor Roger C. Henderson has recently been hired as dean of the University of Arizona Law School, according to Law School associate professor Daniel H. Benson. Members of the Dean Search Committee voted unanimously to advise Mackey that both candidates are completely and fully acceptable as dean of the School of Law.

Mackey has asked for faculty and student input on the candidates. Written comments from Law School

no later than noon today. According to Schoen, the comments will be considered confidential in

nature and will not be seen by any of the dean candidates. Schoen will submit the comments to Mackey.

Six candidates of an original 175 names had been submitted to Mackey by the search committee. The committee had received the names, including the name of former president Gerald Ford, from law students and faculty before the list was reduced and submitted.

Mackey had authorized the university visits to three of the six recommended persons.

The search committee is composed of six Law School faculty members, two law students, one academic dean, one local bar judiciary representative and one alumnus.

Members of the committee have been meeting regularly since Law School Dean Richard R. Amandes announced his resignation last summer. Amandes' resignation is not effective until the end of August.

Spring cleaner

The recent warm weather trend has caused a campus wide beginning of 'spring cleaning'. John Gunderson seems to be enjoying his job of cleaning windows in the Home Economics Building. (Photo by Paul Moseley)

INSIDE

The Tech Chinese Student Association sponsors a cultural variety show. See story page 3.

Sweetwater Rattlesnake Round-up captured by UD photographer and staff. See page 5.

NEATHER

Decreasing cloudiness throughout the day today. The winds will be southwesterly in the morning changing to northwesterly in the afternoon with speeds of 15-20 m.p.h. The high temperature will reach 60 degrees.

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Melissa Griggs

And here you have it . . . What?

And now the news we've all been waiting for (drumrolls, please) the magnificent, the stupendous, the top secret results of the eightmonth long Student Association police investigation.

Lets hear it: Two bits, four bits, six bits a dollar, all for the police investigation stand up and holler. (Susan Robinson, where are you when we need you?)

Those of us who held our breath waiting for the news-shouldn't have. The news that was to rock Texas Tech University barely rippled across campus.

GETTING THE **RESULTS** of the police investigation was like

playing Jeopardy-we got all of the answers, we just weren't sure what the questions were.

Seriously, the police investigation did accomplish one thing-it kept Jim Blakely out of Terry Wimmer's hair.

Our three super sleuths-Blakely, Ron Hutchinson and David Ratliff-rank right up there with James Bord, Sherlock Holmes, Jacques Clousseau and Nancy Drew. Well, maybe Maxwell Smart is more like it. (Blakely: The Tech Police have a \$3 million slush fund. The Tech Police have a \$200 slush fund. Would you believe the Tech Police pool their nickels for the candy machine?)

WAS THE POLICE investigation really a joke, a farce? Well, yes and no. Yes for those of us who expected to learn anything earthshattering from it. No, from the standpoint that it did bring into view some of the problems inherent in a campus police operation. It also dealt with students' attitudes toward the police and raised some interesting questions.

Part of the problem with the police investigation is that it got off on the wrong foot.

Lesson one from the Secret Spy Manual: when you are about to investigate someone's department, you don't write them a cordial little letter telling them you are about to investigate them.

Yet, Tech Chief of Police Bill Daniels received a letter saying something like, "we are about to investigate your department. We are sure you will cooperate wholeheartedly in this venture for the betterment of Texas Tech. etc., more etc. Signed your eager detectives."

Minus one point, guys—you lose your secret

recorded their actions. He found 25 per cent of an officer's time is spent on "administrative duties" which included meals, shift changes, time inside the police station, car maintenance and transportation of other officers. Hutchinson said officers spent most of their time patrolling the streets while most of the thefts take place on the parking lots. Hutchinson also, correctly enough, questioned the use of hollow point bullets by campus police

ENTER RATLIFF to inform us that there is a lack of qualifications to be a Tech police officer. Furthermore, Ratliff gave the startling report that he had seen officers who he felt were not physically fit enough to handle the job, mainly because of obesity.

While our super sleuths were not measuring officers' waistlines, they were listening to a disraught former employe. This part of the investigation, cleverly dubbed the "Executive Report," included complaints and allegations raised by the former employe. The former entry station attendant made personal charges against Chief Daniels. She had filed her complaints with HEW and the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission in 1975, but no actions were taken by either of the bodies.

The three police investigators felt the information they received from the employe pointed to concerns regarding personnel in the department. They also realized that any actions regarding personnel fell under the jurisdiction of the university and not the SA. So, they met with Tech President Dr. Cecil Mackey to discuss their findings and concerns.

THE INVESTIGATORS WERE somewhat disappointed with Mackey's response. They felt he was indifferent to their concerns and were disappointed that he would take no further actions.

Mackey said he has not received a report on the police investigation. "I am not in the position to comment on the report," he said. "If they do a report and present it to me, I could take a look at it but I can't comment on fragments and secondhand reports." They came and discussed one specific issue with me which was confidential."

Mackey said the personnel matter had been closed and that administration has no plans to conduct similiar investigations of campus organizations.

MACKEY SAID the people in charge of that area (Vice President for Administrative Services Fred Wehmeyer and Vice President for Financial Affairs Ken Thompson) have a continuing responsibility to supervise. Mackey said the SA had a right to look into the police department, just as any group of people has a right to check on public agencies.

"They are constantly involved in direct personal contact with students and faculty. On the whole, the police are sensitive to the nature of their role on campus."

The basic role of the Tech police, Mackey said, is that of any law enforcement agency. He said the basic difference is the nature of its contact with students and faculty. He also said many of the problems the police encounter are not with students but with people coming onto the campus.

MACKEY SAID any organization has problems. He listed the low salaries and turnover rates as the Tech police's most acute problems. Mackey said the salary rate is below other law enforcement agencies in the area, which makes retention and recruiting a problem. Tech is seeking higher funding in this area from the legislature, he said.

In a rebuttal to the SA police report, Daniels said his officers were trained to deal with criminals, not students and professors. "My police officers deal with an entirely different person than who they are trained to deal with,"

Keith Mulkey **Rattlesnake Round-up:** a slithery, slimy farce

Step right up! Come one, come all. Come and see the mighty rattlesnake degraded and slaughtered before your very eyes. See the most powerful member of the reptilia family dipped into the depths of degredation and deep fat.

Such was the atmosphere of the 18th Annual Sweetwater Rattlesnake Round-up. The only thing lacking to make the whole affair even more

disgusting was a twoheaded calf and Siamese twins.

LITERALLY tons of rattlesnakes were placed into a large open pens in the Nolan County Coliseum. Those snakes that were not

said Daniels. "Many trainees come to Texas Tech looking for excitement. They expect more than what they find here."

In addition to revealing possible attitude problems with the police toward students, the SA investigation raised some valid questions regarding funding. The investigators found funds for campus security come from student parking fees, reserved parking fees, traffic fines and the towing service. The Office of Traffic and Parking also allots close to \$220,000 to the department, according to the report. The investigation committee found these sources are not enough to cover the expenses of the department but could not find how the remaining costs were covered.

So from the standpoint of bringing out some of the problems in the police's operation and raising some questions, the SA police investigation was not a total failure.

AND SO, that about wraps up the case boys. Better luck next time. While you are waiting for the next big case, you might check in with Scotland Yard. We hear they're in the market for some crackerjack detectives.

going on in one building, a gun show was going on next door.

Cokes were sold for as high as 50 cents in both places. Rattlesnake meat was sold for as much as 50 cents a piece. Memorabilia ranged from a toilet seat with two snakes coiled in it, to a 5 paper weight with an open snake's mouth in it. The only thing missing was a baby snake all your own, to play with and raise to sell or kill at theiggs next rattlesnake round-up.

The rattlesnake hunt I went on was a farce. It was set up. I don't believe the hunt was set up of the because I was a reporter, but because that is the only way officials of the round-up can get people to return to the affair each year. When we were out hunting, we saw nothing that even resembled a snake. As we were about to leave, the guide with us suggested, strongly suggested, that we try one more remote place in hopes of finding at least one rattlesnake. Well sure enough, in that one last remote place we found one solitary, lone rattlesnake. Can you imagine the luck of it? IT WASN'T until later in the afternoon that I learned the hunt had been fixed. One of the members of our group told me that he had talked to our guide to complain that our hunt had been arranged. The guide had no comment because he was about to take some members of the media out so they could experience the thrill of the hunt.



agent spy scopes on that one.

Ironically, the most valuable part of the police investigation was done before the "official" police investigation began. It was a time task study done by senator Hutchinson last spring. Hutchinson rode with Tech police and

"The police department is one of the most sensitive areas on campus," said Mackey.

Guest Opinion

On assaults at Wall-Gates

Dear Editor:

We address this letter to many of the inaccurate comments made by Jerry Lane in his March 9th letter to the editor concerning recent problems of rape in the area of the Wall - Gates complex. Mr. Lane evidently did not understand that the UD reported the problems at the request of a number of residents in order to (1) make people aware that there was a more problem, and (2) to suggest needed changes that would hopefully aid in the elimination of the problem. There is an obvious need for better lighting in the parking lots and the very number of incidents alone warranted more patrol by the campus police. Gates staff and Hall Council have made numerous requests for these improvements. This is not the only action the staff and Hall Council have taken. We have repeatedly warned the residents of the dangers of walking alone on campus, of leaving doors unlocked, and of exiting through wing doors. Most of the residents consistently adhere to these precautions and others, but perhaps Mr. Lane should consider the following: (1) men wishing to enter the dorm before midnight need not use the wing doors. They can enter just as easily by the main entrance or by violating visiting hours. It is virtually impossible to keep check on all the men entering the lobby before midnight. Such violators are usually boyfriends and are reported by residents as the records attest. Violators after midnight must enter by the wing doors (if the night watchman is doing his job properly) and will set off an alarm. The night watchman is responsible to check such a situation out immediately. The records also attest to the nature of violators after midnight who are not usually boyfriends. (2) We should further indicate the incidents of the nature of those happening recently ARE NOT for the most part occurring in the resident hall. The indecent exposures occurred in the lobby during regular hours, and not in the resident's living areas. The serious assaults have occurred in the parking lots and other areas. Thus, the protection for residents indoors is as sufficient as could be expected in any normal living situation. (3) It is not always possible to walk with an escort after dark. It becomes dark around 7:00 in the evening and it is more than a shame that women cannot

walk about 350 yards to the library without fear of assault just because they are women.

Thus, Mr. Lane, we have and are taking care of "matters at home" and are objecting to matters beyond our home. And YES, Mr. Lane, we shall continue to protest inadequate lighting and the very fact that women are prohibited from any sort of social mobility after dark without risking "deserving what we get, or got."

And now, Mr. Lane, to a matter of ethics. You display remarkable ignorance and lack of sensitivity in the area of rape, and other areas as well. Handling rape victims does not in any way parallel the handling of a theft case. The very act of rape is humiliating enough but cannot compare with the humiliation that awaits the victim with courage enough to choose to prosecute. Mr. Lane, you would have greatly benefited from the rape crisis seminar held at Gates on Thursday evening. Furthermore, we hold your sharing the details of the rape in greatest contempt. Your lack of professional ethics for the sake of petty sensationalism is appalling and inexcusable.

The article the UD printed was not and did not criticize the campus police or higher authorities. We greatly appreciate their efforts and are merely wishing to improve the present situation. We commend the UD staff for sharing our concern and in being willing to inform others of the problem and needed changes.

> **The Gates Staff** Joyce Shelton Kaye Ramsey **Pam Kelley JoD Worcester** Grace Strano

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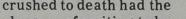
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"It's this newspaper's business to raise constructive hell."



pleasure of waiting to be handled and slaughtered for the benefit of the

thousands of spectators present. Now don't get me wrong, I possess no great love for rattlesnakes nor am I a member of any secret cults that worship the reptile. But I am against senseless slaughter and unneeded destruction of any animal.

The main argument against my position is that the snake is given a sporting chance against the hunter in the field. Sure. The snake has as much chance as I would trying to brush the teeth of a Great White Shark. The snake den is gassed and when it emerges from it, the snake can barely see, much less fight its attacker.

THE ROUND-UP seems to be the main social and commercial event of the year for the town of Sweetwater. Every citizen, it seemed, had a booth of one kind or another set up to make money. At the same time the round-up was

I was thoroughly disgusted and disillusioned by the whole experience of the Sweetwater Rattlesnake Round-up. It was an out-and-out fake and farce. I appreciate American enterprise as much as the next fellow, but not when the public is jilted and taken advantage of.

If you have a chance to attend the 19th Annual Sweetwater Rattlesnake Round-up, don't.



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NEWS BRIEFS

Carter visits voters

BOXBOROUGH, Mass. (AP) - Jimmy Carter reached out to the people Wednesday, journeying to Massachusetts to answer questions about the government from local folks.

His first visit with the voters since his election, the President was cheered by hundreds on landing at Bedford, Mass., and driving to Boxborough for dinner.

After supper, he planned to attend a town meeting in nearby Clinton, where he would answer questions from local residents.

The small town of Clinton took on a county fair atmosphere in anticipation of the chief executive's visit. Crowds gathered in front of the town hall before Carter's arrival.

The two-state trip, however, was designed to accomplish more than polish Carter's image as a people's President. He hoped to win support from the two top Democratic leaders in Congress.

Affairs committee approves bill

AUSTIN (AP) - The Senate State Affairs Committee approved a bill 7-4 Wednesday that will save Texas employers \$600 million by bringing state law into conformity with the federal unemployment act.

Representatives of Texas labor and others criticized the measure for not including an increase in unemployment benefits but made no move to amend the bill in committee.

"If our act does not conform to the Congressional act the net result will be a loss of \$600 million in credits to Texas employers," said Nolan Ward, chairman of the Texas Employment Commission who urged adoption of the bill. "If we don't pass it, every covered employer will be penalized."

Joe Gunn, who presents labor on the TEC, said he was both for and against it. "I do not want to see employers penalized but I think consideration should be given to raising unemployment benefits," he said. "I would hope you would consider raising the present \$63 a week maximum to \$91, which would make a weekly average of about \$71. It would cost about \$33 million." He noted Texas is 50th among the states in unemployment payments.

UD editor applications available

Any student interested in applying as editor of next year's University Daily should pick up an application form in room 103 of the Journalism building between 8 a.m. and noon and 1 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Deadline for turning in the applications is 5 p.m. Friday.

Cultural variety show set

Promoting friendship and The Chinese Youth Goodwill National Taiwan University, donated to the "Meals on mutual understanding Mission will perform Monday and is made up of carefully Wheels" program. Tickets between Americans and at 8 in the Civic Center selected college students. Chinese, the Chinese Youth Theater. Their performance Goodwill Mission of the includes traditional folk Republic of China will dances, classical music, folk perform a cultural variety songs and demonstrations of show, according to Chiang Kung Fu. The group is headed Ming, president of the Tech by Alexander Yin, visiting Chinese Student Association. associate professor at

to demonstrate learning

Having problems training roll over, climb ladders and run through scatter boxes. your pet rat to roll over?

learning.

Students in Psychology 240 The course concentrates on are having an open house experimental psychology, today 3:30 to 4:30 in room 211 learning perception, Psychology Building. They motivation and the biological will demonstrate conditioning basis of behavior. Students of albino rats through operant are also introduced to laboratory approaches in the

Rats have been trained to study of behavior.

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Forty to tour old South

By RANA PARRISH **UD Staff**

"Southern Plantation Tour." will tour Juliette Gordon Low Mike McDonnell, assistant House. On Tuesday, they will professor in art, will sponsor travel to Charleston, S.C. the group. They will return to The memory of Scarlet Lubbock March 28 in time for O'Hara and Rhett Butler will 7:30 a.m. classes.

The group's first tour will be visits Boone Hall Plantation, Friday in St. Francisville, La. the home used in the filming of After touring the Rosedown "Gone With the Wind." Plantation, built in 1853, the Five other houses will be group will leave for New toured in Charleston, Orleans, La.

In New Orleans, the The Rainbow Row is a group students will explore the of 14 houses painted the colors French Quarter and the of the rainbow. Garden District. They will The oldest landscaped relax with New Orleans' gardens in America, native drinks, the Ramos Gin Middleton Plane, started in Fizz, the Sazerac and the Hurricane.

WHERE IT'S AT

TODAY

at Tech.

a.m. 4 p.m.

Courtyard, noon

a.m.-4 p.m.

Houston.

Association for Intercollegiate Athletics for Women Delegate Assembly

"Famous Fights," videotape, UC, 10

Afternoon De-Lite, Dr. Mary King,

Lecture and Display of Navajo Rugs, UC

FRIDAY

"Famous Fights," videotape, UC, 10

Pediatric Seminar, Dr. Elizabeth

Cougar Invitational Rifle (ROTC),

Lautsch. Thompson Hall, 12:15 p.m.

Imagine spending spring Billingrath Gardens, 75 acres students. mint juleps and touring students will tour the "Golden group will visit Biltmore plantations built in the 1800s. Isles of Georgia." The islands Estate. The estate is located Before returning to

chartered bus Thursday for a In Savannah, Ga., the group acres.

be revived when the group

including the Rainbow Row.

Lasagna Dinner.....

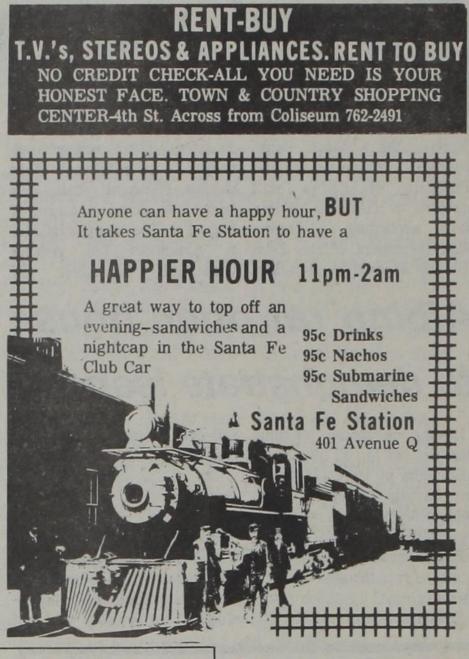
In Mobile, Ala., the group 1741, will be another stop for On March 25, the group will will wander through the Tech interior design tour Atlanta, Ga. Tours will include the Tullie Smith House break in the South, sipping of forest. On Monday, the In Asherville, N.C., the and the Omni Complex.

Forty Tech interior design include Jekyll Island, Sea on 12,000 acres. The house has Lubbock, the group will take students will board a Island, and St. Simons Island. 250 rooms and covers four part in the Annual Natchez Pilgrimage in Natchez.

conducting FCU shareholders meeting

Shareholders and members Election of officers is the of the Tech Federal Credit major business item. Union are requested to attend Financial business and the eighth annual shareholder highlights of the past year also meeting, today at 7 p.m., in will be discussed. the University Center Door prizes will be awarded and souvenirs distributed. Ballroom.

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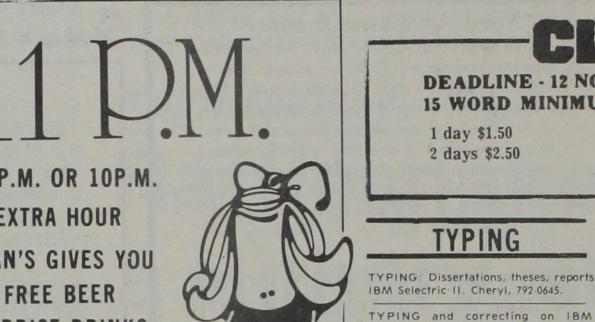
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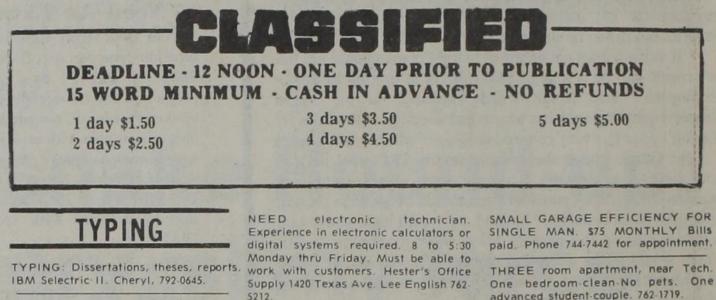
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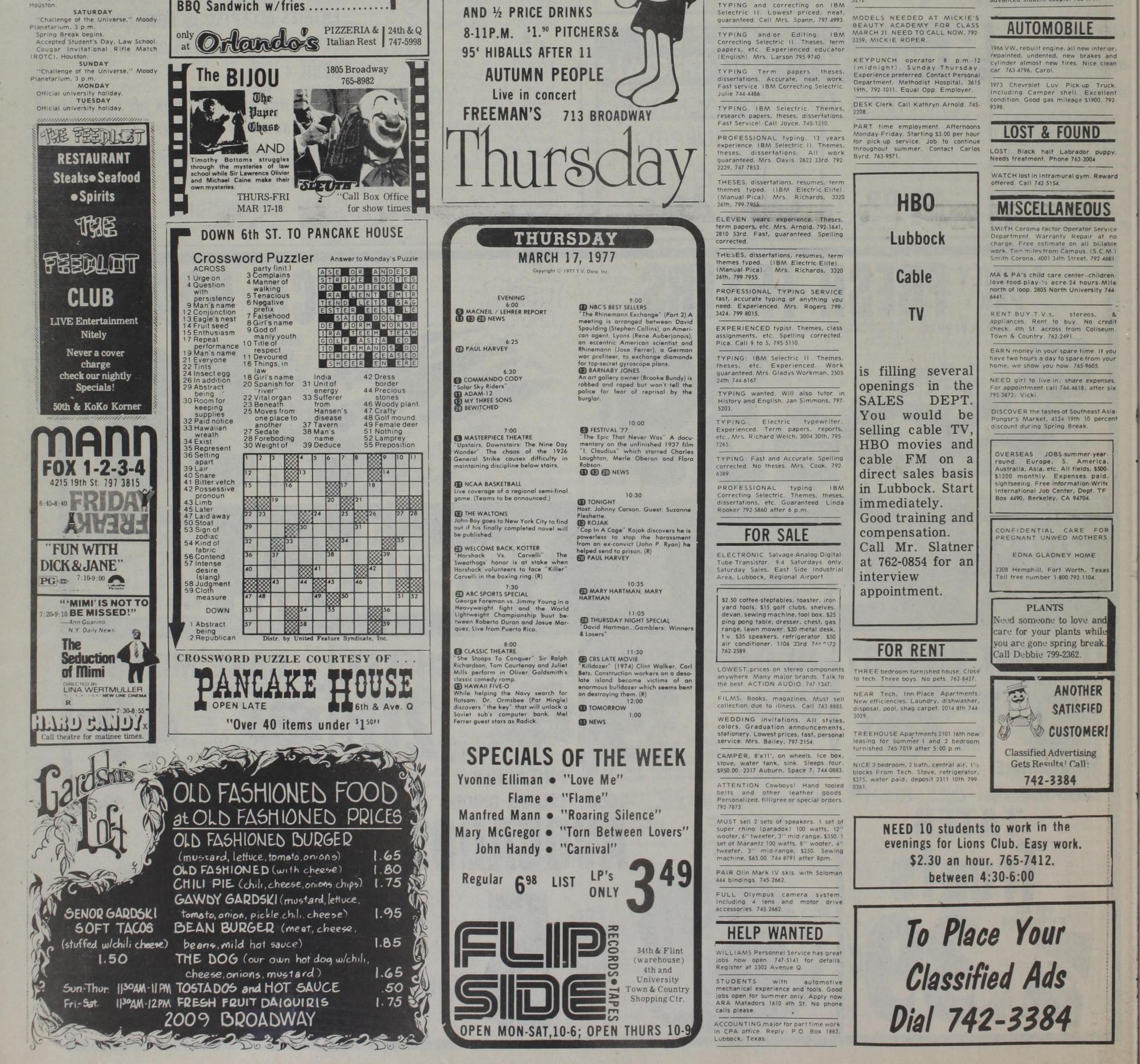




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The thousands of people in the large metal building mill about from booth to booth, pen to pen.

They are an odd and diversified collection of cowboys, tourists, a few drunks, teenagers, all expecting, all waiting for an accident to happen.

The center of their attention grabs another six-foot rattlesnake, holds it behind its head, places its fangs over a glass vial and milks its venom into the glass. The crowd applauds.

More of the spectators converge on a killing pit where they watch in awe (and often glee) as the head of yet another snake is chopped off.

For the 18th time the Sweetwater Rattlesnake Round-up is in full swing.

The annual event is sponsored by the Sweetwater Jaycees and attracts thousands of spectators from all over the state. Rattlesnakes by the ton are brought in by area farmers, ranchers and hunters to be used in the many displays, exhibitions and refreshments.

Rattlesnake memorabilia ranging from snake-embedded toilet seats to belts, paper weights, rattler earrings, ties and just plain snake ornaments, are peddled. Rattlesnake meat at 50 cents a piece, is sold to those daring enough to try it.

Hunters are encouraged to try their luck on guided tours and hunts. Beginning hunters can rent all equipment needed to catch the snakes. Tongs go for \$5 a pair and a gasser, used to get the snake out of its hold, rents for \$20.

Bill Ransberger, veteran snake handler for 18 years, is

one of the main attractions. In a plywood pen, Ransberger wades through the reptiles and performs his milking demonstrations. The venom is used to produce anti-veni. Ransberger has been bitten on a number of occasions and still is unable to use the little finger on his left hand as a result of a snake bite. This year there are no slipups.

Milked and defenseless, the snakes are taken to a killing pit where they are killed, gutted, skinned, and prepared to be fried in deep fat. An official of the local humane society is present to insure the snake is killed right. Jerry Clower, Country and Western comedian, sums up the feelings of the crowd watching the killing.

"I didn't know you could kill a rattlesnake wrong."

Then the remains of the snake are taken to the cooks. The meat is stringy and tastes a little like sweet white chicken meat. It is a little difficult to swallow on the first few bites.

The round-up has carnival air of commercialism and this is displayed in the numerous booths and tables trying to sell souvenirs present.

And what brought the crowds? Most seem to want to see the rattlesnake and for once, relish in the fact man had the upper hand in the situation.

Every now and then a lull comes over the coliseum. The atmosphere remains almost completely still and undisturbed until a distinctive, familiar rattle breaks the silence. The crowd resumes its activities and many leave the large, metal building wearing a faint trace of a smile.

Rattlesnakes

Text by

Keith Mulkey

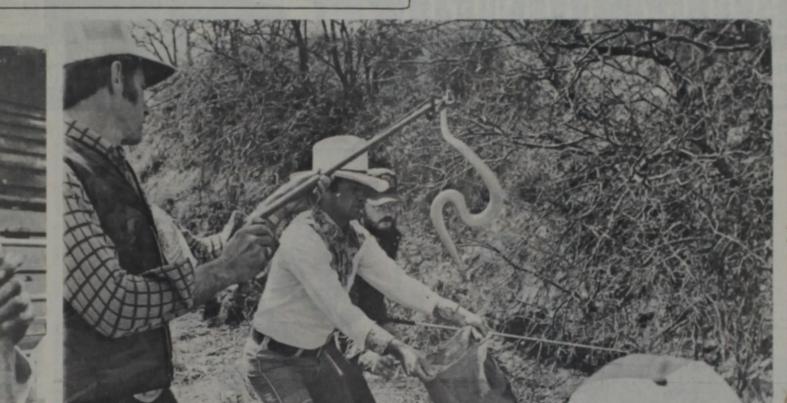


Gas sprayed into snake den

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Photos by Dennis Copeland

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No distinctions, Daniels says

By JIMMY BRYANT **UD Staff**

University police do not -obstructing a street or to impound the vehicle. discriminate against any access road to any building or person concerning the towing parking lot. of cars. To prove his point, Police Chief B. G. Daniels sidewalk and non-designated for the past school year. mentioned that his son's car parking areas. was impounded once, as well as a vehicle belonging to handicap zone without a former Tech President Grover Murray.

Daniels said the police tried the University campus. to abide by the registration regulations listed in the Tech Traffic Traffic and Parking Regulations. Regulations manual on an indiscriminatory basis.

The manual states in article 10 that vehicles are subject to towing and impounding for: complaint comes in on

reserved space.

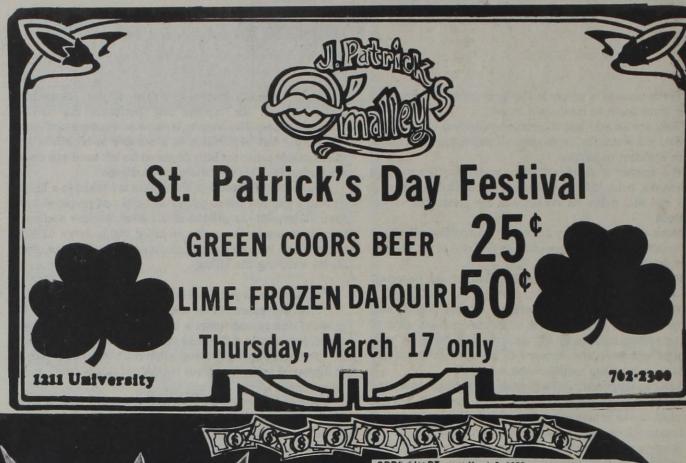
-parking in a designated handicap parking permit. -abandoning vehicles on

-parking in violation of the and Parking -parking permit on vehicle other than authorized.

-overdue citations. Daniels said that if a

-illegally parking in a reserved space being filled, University police towed the police have no choice but 2,015 vehicles from Sept. 1, 1975-Aug. 31, 1976. Of the 2,015 Daniels gave statistics vehicles, 95 belonged to which showed the number of faculty and staff, 1,517 -parking on the turf, vehicles towed by the police belonged to students and 403 belonged to visitors.

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Dance review SF Ballet performance a dynamic masterpiece

By BABS GREYHOSKY **UD Reporter**

that I expect all companies to performance.

be as professional, as dynamic and as talented as they. It's hard to remember that companies of this calibre are not that abundant.

SF's performance of "Romeo and Juliet" was truly an interpretive masterpiece that did justice to William Shakespeare's love story. It's a shame more people didn't

The problem with reason for the far-from- show was well worth the Her performance was nearly so accurately executed that A commendable aspect of talent for 18 dancers, coping formance was a piece of attending a performance of capacity crowd at the money

flawless.

adjusting to a blonde, fair- Vest, was good; but the most Probably the best became so much a part of the fast tempos. complected Juliet, played by dynamic character by far, interpretations-through-dance choreography that I saw the Lynda Meyer. All the Juliets both in the drama and in the were the balcony and bed dance and heard the music as about the talent of the San I've ever seen have had long, ballet, was Mercutio, one of chamber scenes with Romeo one. brown hair with olive skin. Romeo's friends. Mercutio, and Juliet. Meyer and Vest As well as the choreography pirouettes, the split-like The exquisite performance of danced by Attila Ficzere, depicted love in its richest and music worked together, it arabesques, this El Paso native, though, moved with agility, alertness sense-quietly erotic with soft was also admirable to see the quickly overpowered any and graceful strength.

distraction her blonde Even more awesome than warm embraces. And always, together. While I'm sure none complexion might have some of the solos were the always the two glided through of them were trying to harness caused. Meyer portrayed the trios and duets performed by their performance with their talents, neither were any innocence of young, star- the principal dancers. The smooth, graceful perfection. of them trying to out perform

tickets might have been a the two and one-half hour sickening purity of a virgin. Benvolio (John McFall) was from the moment.

A problem with staging the other. But then, they all

came at the end when Romeo were good.

died too far from Juliet's bier The big production (a bed for the body in the numbers, sometimes crypt). As a result, Juliet had involving more than 20 people, to drag Romeo to center stage were spectacular, not just a during her dying breathes, series of steps in lines or and I think this may have circles. There was a definite

each dancer could have been a this production was the way with elaborate, cumbersome poetry. the San Francisco Ballet is Wednesday night Atfirst I had some difficulty Romeo, portrayed by Vane mirror image for the other. composer Prokofiev's music costumes, to stay together at

> To say anything further Francisco Company-the

caresses, tender longing and dancers always working

attend; however, the \$10 But for those who did attend, crossed love without the trio of Romeo, Mercutio and taken some of the intensity order to the chaotic street extension-would be

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scenes. And it takes a lot of superfluous. The per-

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'Entertainment' acts excellent, average

By KEVIN MOSKO UD Fine Arts Writer

Tuesday night when "That's local "Gong Show." Entertainment, Part 3" ran in had.

Not that the crowd was of (musicians program's beginning.

sense of humor quickly

An evening of possible parties through what was interpretations of songs from practically flawless enjoyment was quashed later accurately termed a Paul McCartney, Carole King performance. Accompanying The acts themselves ranged won \$50 for her efforts, sang, "Triad," by David excess of three hours. Most from excellent to the dankest winning third prize. left before the show's recesses of mediocrity.

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MONENI'S NOTICE

Crick emerged, looking like a great crowd approval, but Laurie Hutson) should keep humility, sending a tired chubby Willie Nelson. Crick's failed to get the judges' nod. viewers guessing for some audience home at least Buddy Howell and Laurie time.

established a rapport with the Hutson both offered original Winning first place was audience, carrying both material, coupled with Daniel Johnson who gave a

conclusion, and many who Included were: a jazz Finishing second was Lee My Part," by Phil Ochs (to didn't said they wished they ensemble featuring some Lewis, who performed a whose memory Johnson's flashy keyboard meanderings medley of Elton John's program was dedicated), and huge proportions at the "improvisation," but without flat vocals, wrong chords and Lennon and McCartney. direction they soon lose missed beats. How he Richly deserving of first After an approximately 15- meaning), two country and managed such a high rating place, Johnson accepted the minute delay, comedian Ron western bands who received (especially over the talented award (\$150 cash) with great

and Carly Simon. Ms. Hutson himself on piano, Johnson Crosby, "River," by Joni Mitchell, "Pretty Smart on it compositions, complete with "A Day in the Life," by

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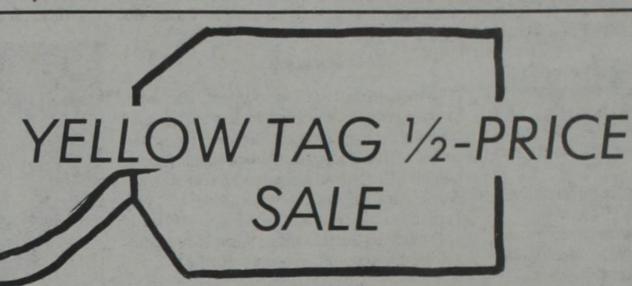
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ARMY CORPSDETTES Army Corpsdettes will meet today in room 3 of the Social Science Building. Uniforms will not be required.

SCSA, RANGE AND WILDLIFE Range and Wildlife and SCSA will

meet at 7:30 p.m. today in room 101 of the Range and Wildlife Building for Film SIGMA DELTA CHI

Sigma Delta Chi, the Society of Professional Journalists, will meet at 6 p.m. today in room 243 of the Mass Communications Building. Plans for academic committee, election of officers, and a fund raising project will be discussed

TTU ASM

Dr. Paul Montgomery will present a seminar in molecular immunology at 9 can be obtained in room 209 or 131 of the a.m. today in room 301 of the Biology A seminar on Building. "Immunochemical Methods" will be at 8 a.m. Friday in room 18 of the Biology Building.

UMAS

United Mexican American Students can obtain information and absentee voting on the constitutional amendment by calling William Kell at 742-5879. UMAS will not meet today.

TEXAS TECH CREDIT UNION Texas Tech Credit Union will meet at 7 program will be on dances.

election of officers. K&ME K&ME will meet at 7:30 today in room 2 of the FL&M Building PHI UPSILON OMICRON Phi Upsilon Omicron officer applications are to be returned to the Phi

p.m. today in the UC Ballroom for the

Upsilon mailbox by Friday. FRESHMAN COUNCIL Freshman Council will meet at 6:30 p.m. today in the UC Senate Chambers. COLLEGELIFE Campus Crusade for Christ will sponsor College Life at 7:30 p.m. today at 1007 University (the storefront of

College Inn next to Subs Unlimited). PRESIDENT'S HOSTESSES President's Hostesses applications

Administration Building and are due at 5 p.m. Friday in room 209 of the Administration Building. Qualifications include 2.5 overall GPA and a 2.5 overall GPA from last semester and 64 hours by May 1972

ACE, Association Education, will meet at 7 p.m. today at the Wright Elementary School, 1302 Ardrian Street out the Amarillo Highway and take the loop 289 exit. The

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- :25 "Never mind."
- :30 "School's fine, thank you."
- :37 "No, Grandma. I'm not a dentist yet."
- :41 "Dentist."
- :43 "D-E-N-T-I-S-T."





:47 "No, ma'am. I'm not one yet."

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:52 "Never mind. Well, I guess I better be going. Say hi to Grandpa."

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Kirk Dooley

Spring soccer's here

The most impressive single gathering of collegiate soccer talent in the nation will descend upon Dallas this weekend as SMU and Mr. Pibb host the 1977 Super 8 Soccer Tournament. Tech metroplex residents will hit Big D the same time action starts, and

the best collegiate soccer the United States has to offer.

QUINCY COLLEGE—Lost to Simon Frazer

PENN STATE—East Coast Athletic

from Atlanta.

SMU-Finished 10th in Midwest standing. Host school, 11-3-2 record. Lost to North Texas State in double-overtime sudden-death last weekend.

Intercollegiate Soccer Association of

unusual for a team to finish last, but Kansas? They were the Big 8 champs.

tournament all-star team.

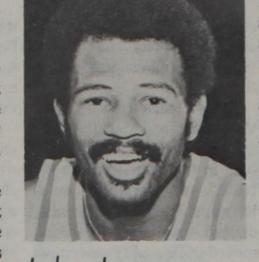
League of Lubbock is signing up teams now.

Rockets order NBA playoff tickets

HOUSTON (AP) - The Houston Rockets, apparently headed for the National Basketball Association playoffs, already have ordered playoff tickets, but don't ask Coach Tom Nissalke to discuss post-season play

least with the playoffs right rest of the organization talks we can talk about playoffs to win our division."





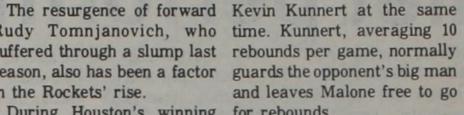
Malone started slowly this season but has turned into one of the most intimidating shot blockers in the league.

for taking Lucas in last year's draft over such stars as Adrian Dantley and Scott May, but the Rockets' decision has proven solid.

have complemented the play of the other Rocket guards Calvin Murphy and Mike

Rudy Tomnjanovich, who time. Kunnert, averaging 10 suffered through a slump last rebounds per game, normally season, also has been a factor guards the opponent's big man in the Rockets' rise.

During Houston's winning for rebounds. streak Malone has averaged 20.4 points and 18.3 rebounds



was booed when he replaced Malone in a game and later asked to be traded. But since Nissalke has been starting both players, Malone is hitting 58 per cent of his shots and Kunnert has hit 57 per cent.

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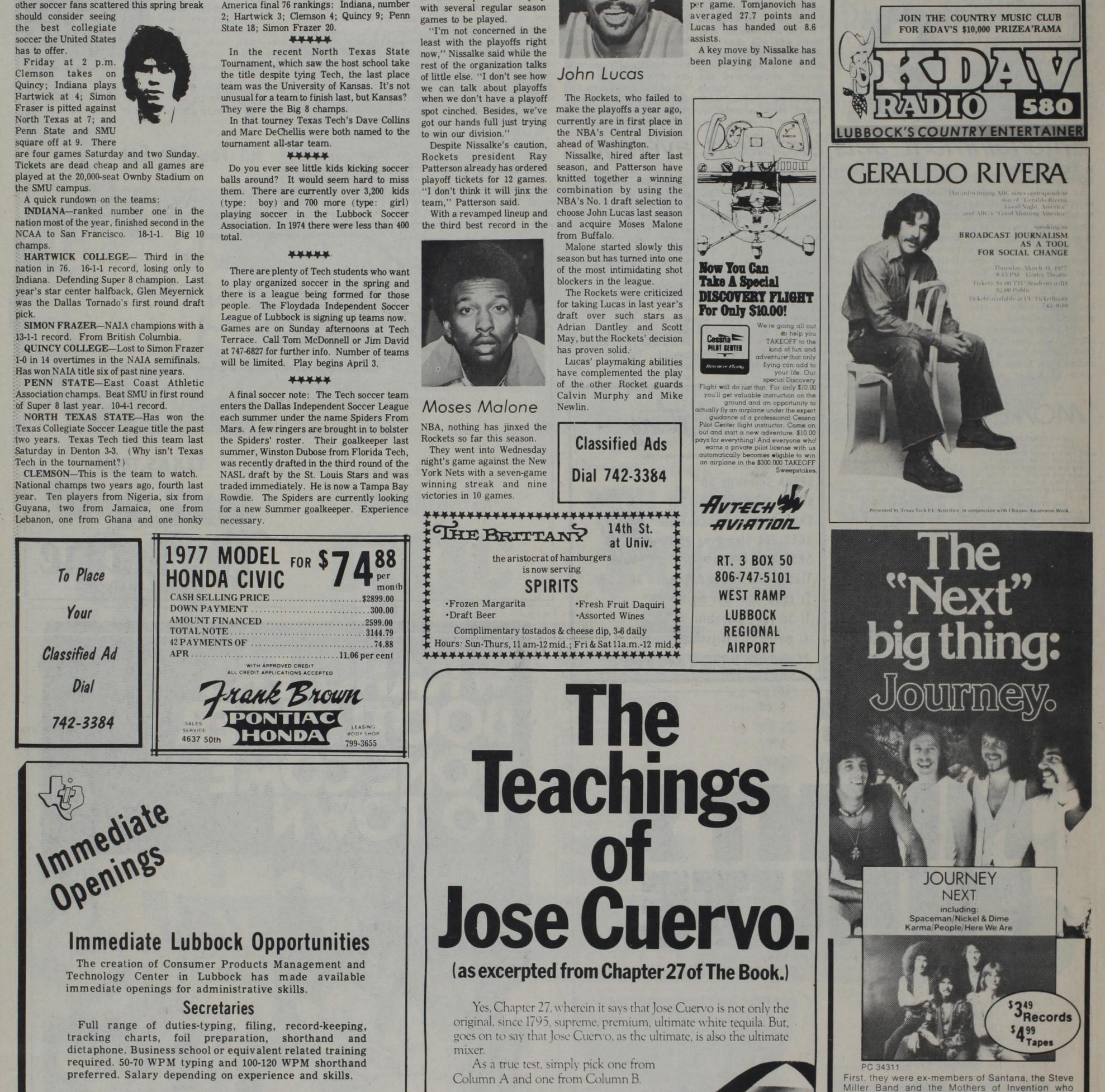
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