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### NEWS BRIEFS

#### Mideast conference

JERUSALEM (AP) - Israel's Cabinet meets today to decide whether Prime Minister Menachem Begin will accept a U.S. invitation to a Mideast conference which Egyptian President Anwar Sadat is skipping.

Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan flew in from Washington Monday night to attend the crucial

Some Israeli leaders have voiced doubts that Sadat's representative, Prime Minister Mustafa Khalil, would have the power to make decisions at a summit and said they feared the meeting could lead to pressuring Israel alone on issues blocking a peace treaty.

#### Relentless winter

By The Associated Press

The relentless Winter of '79 pounded America's midsection Monday, spreading kneedeep snow and spilling floodwaters into many areas from Missouri to New England.

On the day the sun blinked, to the thrill of thousands of eclipse-watchers gathered in the Pacific Northwest, residents of southeast Missouri and parts of Arkansas were digging out from under their worst snowstorm in 60 years.

National Guardsmen were mobilized in several states for rescue work, and at least six deaths were blamed on the storm.

#### Oil price increase

By The Associated Press

Oil shortages and higher prices caused by the crisis in Iran continue to plague the United States, with some airlines canceling flights and Venezuela reportedly ready to raise the price of

The latest problems surfaced Monday as Iranian officials said oil exports would resume soon, although probably at levels well below those of the days before political strife shut down the oil fields last December.

Iran had supplied about 10 percent of the world's oil before the shutdown, producing about 6 million barrels a day. The government of Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini says production will now be only about half that level in an attempt to conserve the nation's oil reserves.

#### Utility jurisdiction

AUSTIN (AP) — Representatives of cities from Pampa to Houston said Monday consumers will suffer if the Texas Public Utility Commission is given automatic jurisdiction over all electric rate cases.

"If we lose that jurisdiction — then who are you going to be able to complain to?" said El Paso Mayor Ray Salazar. "This bill to me is nothing more than giving the utility companies the right for utility rate increases."

Rep. Jerry Donaldson, however, told a House committee hearing his proposal that political demagoguery was "the bottom line" of city officials' desire to keep their original jurisdiction.

#### SA candidates

Student Association election candidates should attend one of two candidate seminars at 7 p.m. today in the Senate Room of the University Center or at 7 p.m. in Room 169 of the Home Economics Building.

Candidates who cannot attend one of the meetings should contact Janice Juneau, Election Commission chairman, Rich Calvird or Orlando Rubio through the SA office.

Senatorial candidates should turn in platforms to The University Daily by Monday at 3 p.m. Platforms should be no longer than 125 words, typed and triple-spaced on a 65-character line and signed by the candidate.

### INSIDE

Entertainment...Lab Theatre's production of "Waiting for Godot," was an unconventional but absorbing play according to reviewer Doug Pullen...Heavyweight comedian Tiny Mac was not worth his weight in laughs according to reviewer Inez Russell... Texas' only black dance company is not widely known yet, but it is making strides to change that. See page six.

Sports...Tech's baseball team will try to start its home schedule off on a good note today at 1 p.m. when the Raiders play Hardin-Simmons in a doubleheader. Tech enters the twinbill with a 4-2 record and a 2-0 edge against Hardin-Simmons on the season. Please see story page seven.

### **WEATHER**

Mostly cloudy today with a 30 percent chance of rain. The high will be in the low 60s, and the low will be in the mid 30s. Winds will be westsouthwesterly at 15 to 20 mph. The high on Wed: esday will be in the low 50s.

## Vietnam holds ground against attack

BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) -Vietnamese troops defending the Red River valley corridor to Hanoi held their ground Monday against a three-pronged Chinese armored and infantry attack, Hanoi radio said.

It claimed Peking's soldiers were being killed at a rate of 800 a day all along the border front lines.

China's Vice Premier Teng Hsiaoping said Monday the 10-day-old conflict might end within 10 days, but analysts in Bangkok and elsewhere expect the Chinese invasion force to first mount an allout assault against Hanoi's troops.

The official Soviet news media charged that China was massing troops near its border with Laos for an invasion of that Vietnamesedominated country. The report could not be confirmed.

In a speech in the western Russian city of Minsk, Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko reiterated the Kremlin warning to China to pull out of Soviet-allied Vietnam "before it is too late." He said the invasion was "doomed to failure."

A Soviet airlift of military supplies to Hanoi appeared to be continuing. Airport sources in Calcutta, India, said three cargo planes - one Bulgarian and two Soviet — refueled there Sunday and Monday on their way to the Vietnamese capital.

A voice of Vietnam radio broadcast monitored here claimed Hanoi's troops had killed more than 2,300 Chinese in fighting since Friday at scattered battlefields

along the front.

The broadcast said tank-led Chinese infantrymen attacked Vietnamese forces from three directions in the Cam Duong area, south of the provincial capital Lao Cai and about 150 miles northwest of

Hanoi. Cam Duong and Lao Cai, which was reported captured by the Chinese last week, lie in the Red River valley, a strategic water, rail and highway corridor leading to Hanoi. Chinese officials have been quoted as saying, however, they have no plans to try to seize the Vietnamese capital.

The Hanoi broadcast claimed

counter-attacking Vietnamese troops killed 1,400 Chinese around Cam Duong, but that fighting was continuing in the area Monday.

China, whose troops are reported to have penetrated as far as 20 miles inside Vietnam, has issued few reports about the progress of the war. But Japan's Kyodo news service Monday said Peking radio reported that a Chinese battalion overran five Vietnamese hilltop positions near Dong Dang, north of the town of Lang Son.

Hanoi claims its troops have killed more than 16,000 Chinese thus far. Intelligence sources here consider the figure inflated. The Vietnamese have not reported their own casualties, and the Chinese have published no casualty figures.

Kyodo news service quoted Chinese sources as saying Peking wants to "punish" Vietnam by destroying at least one Vietnamese army division and military bases and artillery emplacements near the border.

In an interview Monday, Chinese vice premier Teng said he "wholeheartedly welcomed" United Nations Security Council proposals calling for a withdrawal of Chinese troops from Vietnam and of Vietnamese troops from Cambodian Kyodo reported.

## Senate votes Woodcock as ambassador to China

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Senate voted overwhelmingly Monday to confirm Leonard Woodcock as President Carter's choice to become the first U.S. ambassador to mainland China since 1949.

The 82-9 vote followed a brief, unsuccessful floor protest organized by Senate Republicans against Carter's China policies.

Woodcock is to be installed Thursday in Peking, where he has headed the U.S. liaison mission for the past two years. There had been some speculation Senate conservatives might try to block a vote.

But after a few hours Monday it became clear there was insufficient support to use the nomination as a vehicle for sustained opposition to Carter's shift

A Senate filibuster beyond Thursday would have meant a major embarrassment for the president and his policy of extending diplomatic recognition to China while ending formal ties with Taiwan.

There was no question in floor debate about the qualifications of Woodcock, former president of the United Auto Workers union. And after three hours of debate, Republicans did not object when Senate Democratic Leader Robert C. Byrd set a late afternoon vote on the nomination.

Sen. Charles Mc C. Mathias, a moderate Republican from Maryland, had unexpectedly emerged as a leader in the gesture to temporarily block Senate approval of the nomination.

Mathias said quick confirmation of Woodcock would be another in a series of "dangerous signals" sent by the Carter administration in the midst of China's invasion of Vietnam.

"We should tell the Chinese that they cannot make war and expect the new relationship with the United States to prosper," Mathias said. Mathias said the Senate should defer a vote on Woodcock "to a more

propitious time" as a signal of Senate dissatisfaction with China's actions.



#### Capturing the eclipse

Tech geoscience major Keith Shank photographs Monday morning's eclipse through a piece of protective film. Shank is one of several members of Professor Preston Gott's physics class that captured 30 sequential pictures of the sun during the eclipse. See the class photograph at the top of this page. (Photo by Mark Rogers)

## International students learn American mind

students.

Editor's Note: This is the first in a series of reports on international students at Tech. This first report deals with some basic facts about the Tech international student population and International Programs.

By ROD McCLENDON **UD** Reporter

Interaction between foreign students and resident students is the greatest need on the Tech campus, according to Jackie Segars Behrens,

director of International Programs. With about 650 international students from about 67 countries on the Tech campus, Behrens said she feels it is important these students have a good experience here.

"It is my strong philosophy that American education is our most valuable exportable product," she

Behrens said many of these international students will return to their homelands after they complete their education here, and will know the American mind. They will, she said, know how to negotiate with Americans. Resident students need to interact with foreign students to achieve this same advantage, Behrens said.

"Our lack of interaction is causing a weak chain link in our future," she said. "It's sad that few American students are taking foreign languages. International education is the theme of the world."

The number of international students at Tech is low in comparison with other universities of its size. The University of Houston has about 3,000 foreign students and the University of Texas at Austin has more than 2,000 international

Behrens does not have exact figures on other state universities, but UT-Arlington, UT-El Paso, Texas A&M, North Texas State and Texas Southern University all have more international students than Tech does, she believes.

Tech is low in comparison with other state universities because its admission standards are more strict for foreign students, she said.

When asked why international students chose to come to Tech, Behrens said most of them cited Tech's academic program as their chief reason for coming.

"They usually go to the American embassy in their countries to find information on the various universities," she "Sometimes, they have had friends who have come to Tech. But apparently, Tech has a good academic reputation."

The Office Of International Programs is responsible for counseling international students, keeping records regarding immigration matters and integrating foreign students with resident students.

The counseling ranges from personal matters such as adjustment problems and financial concerns to immigration matters.

Behrens' office is responsible for making students renew their passports, take a certain number of credit hours and remain in good academic standing.

If an international student is suspended academically or does not

enroll, International Programs must submit a report to the U.S. Office Of Immigration.

International Programs also is working on a program to aid resident students and faculty who wish to study abroad.

Behrens said Tech has such studyabroad courses. For example, group of German students went to Vienna, Austria to study last summer and a Spanish course is being planned in Mexico this summer.

"But suppose somebody wanted to go to Japan to study. Tech doesn't offer it. But our office can put students in contact with universities that do," she said.

"International doesn't mean 'other than America.' It means 'the whole world.' International education has become a reciprocity

## Opposition to indigency policies voiced in controversy

Editor's note: The following is the second part in a series on the medical indigency care controversy in Lubbock County. By TOD ROBBERSON

**UD** Reporter

Local doctors, private hospital administrators and other officials who deal with indigent medical patients in Lubbock County are growing more vocal in their opposition to the indigency policies established by the Lubbock County

Hospital District. The LCHD Board of Managers revised its indigency guidelines at the January meeting to allow more poor people to qualify for free medical care supported by a county property tax. At the same meeting, the board voted not to continue paying for medical care given to indigents at any hospitals other than

the Health Sciences Center Hospital. Immediately following the meeting, administrators at Methodist and St. Mary of the Plains they were not satisfied with the revised policies, particularly considering that the board never consulted other hospitals before implementing the new policies.

Although Gerald Bosworth, LCHD executive director, told the board members at the January meeting that both hospitals' administrators had been invited to address the board on the new policies, they claimed they were told only that the policies would be reviewed. The administrators said they were neither invited to address the board, nor did they feel their input would have any effect on the board's

Many local doctors and hospital officials have expressed similar opinions, saying that the board doesn't seek enough community input before it implements new policies.

As a final resort, representatives hospitals told The University Daily from the Lubbock-Crosby-Garza financial scale where they can be submit a revised proposal to the Medical Society met with Lubbock County Commissioners Thursday night to voice their dissatisfaction with the board's policies.

> Dr. Ray Santos, chairman of the society's Ad Hoc Committee, complained to the commissioners that the indigency qualification income guidelines are still too low and exclude too many poor people who cannot afford to pay for medical treatment.

"The guidelines require that an indigent family can't own more than \$500 in personal property. That means if a family owns a \$500 car, it can't receive indigency benefits," Santos said. "I've seen cars worth \$500 that could barely run, but nevertheless, transportation is a necessity for medical treatment."

Eldon Akin, vice president of finance at Methodist Hospital, agreed with Santos' complaint.

considered indigent. If I were strapped with a \$20,000 hospital bill, I know I couldn't afford it. So how can they (the LCHD board) expect poor people to pay such a bill?" Akin said.

"I don't think they should set the guidelines according to the number of people in a family," he said. "We've been urging LCHD to adopt a sliding scale policy similar to those set by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare."

Although no official action has been taken by the board to further liberalize the indigency guidelines since the January meeting, Louis Martinez of the medical indigency guidance service at HSCH said his department is currently studying the personal property provision of

the indigency guidelines. He said the provision may be too

"Everybody has a point on the strict, and his department will HSCH administrators in hopes of raising the maximum property allowance to more than \$500.

"Working with both the indigents and the administrators, you see both sides of the issue," Martinez said. "I thought the board was pretty lenient in the allowances it made for the indigency guidelines."

Both Martinez and Akin agreed that limits must be placed on indigency qualifications. "Eventually you have to draw a line somewhere," Martinez said.

Another problem with the indigency qualifications involves the paper work and bureaucratic procedures required of indigents before they can receive treatment at a county medical facility. The third part of this series will deal with those problems.

# Clements wages war against education

Gary Skrehart

Election day, Nov. 7, 1978: Republican Bill Clements carries the Tech boxes with 71.5 percent of the vote and carries Lubbock County with 54.5

Tech students and Lubbock County residents were dancing to Clements' conservative tune of less state spending and lower taxes. And forget the lowered expectations that would go along with it.

Do the students who so

heavily supported Clements in November still stand behind him in February? Do they stand behind a man who has suggested cutbacks of proposed Legislative Budget Board allocations to higher education and a cutback of \$2 million to Texas Tech?

Clements promised cuts in the state budget, cuts in every area. Something was missing from those promises and it has shown up in his budget slashing ways in office. The intelligent way to approach budget cutting is to identify wastes and

eliminate them.

But Clements is in a hurry and wants to keep his promises no matter what the cost to many areas of the state. If education is damaged or set back by these blind efforts, the cost will be difficult to measure in dollars.

There is nothing wrong with conservative spending. There, is, however, a great danger in Clements' brand of budget cutting. Tech has suffered from a lack of funding in the past, and many areas at this university are straining now

under limited funding. Tech can survive the potential budget cuts. Survival

is not progress.

Education, not only on the college level but at every level, seems to be one of Clements' favorite whipping boys. A selfmade millionaire seems to have problems understanding the value of education. Many people actually seek out an education as a route to a better lifestyle. Self-made millionaires are rare among the average citizen, but the rich do not seem to concern Clements, anyway.

He perfers taking from teachers, an obviously privileged class. While most corporate sector businesses are budgeting for increases of 9 and 10 percent, Clements suggests a 5.1 percent increase in teacher's salaries. In effect, the teachers will lose ground in the economic fight.

Education is one of the few areas where Texas lags behind other states. It is amazing that the citizens and students of this state would stand aside as

Clements tries to hold back progress towards a better Texas educational system.

Clements has the right idea in wanting to reduce taxes and spending. The state wastes money in many areas, but education is not one of the villians.

Tech students said yes to Bill Clements in November. In February he is saying no to them and Texas Tech University. Is this what they were asking for?

#### Letters:

#### **UD** right

To the editor:

In response to the letters from Mark Rohrlick and Professor Henry J. Shine, and to the UD editorial, all printed February 21, 1979, may I say: Yea Gary Skrehart! Yea University Daily! Gentlemen, Mr. Skrehart has rebutted your narrow attitudes with the most excellent argument for free press I have heard in some time. Statements such as: "In conclusion, I hope the editor learns a lesson on printing worthless letters." and "Your lack of good sense and judgement brings neither credit to your paper and this University nor creditability to yourself." indicate a near total lack of understanding of the meaning of free press. The most dangerous thing to true liberty are those who would judiciously limit others' rights to free thought, speech and

Surely you gentlemen are aware that your letters represent a narrow, blind prejudice similiar to that represented by Steve Becker's letter. You would censor his right to express his opinion and the UD's right to print it, but you would probably be most indignant were that same censorship applied to you and your letters. You deplore the UD's lack of good judgment in printing that letter, yet I see no evidence that you feel printings your letters is indicative of poor judgment. Do you have rights concerning freedom of expression that Mr. Becker does not have?

I disagree with Steve Becker's opinions. To me, his attitude reflects little knowledge of the facts and no concern for the truth. However, I will defend his right to have and express those opinions because an attack on his rights is an attack on mine. I see no fault with the UD for printing his letter. In that printing the UD is doing it's part to uphold and defend the First Amendment for all Americans.

I hope you gentlemen will reconsider your criticism of the UD in this matter. More importantly, I hope you will reconsider your attitudes toward your own rights and the rights of others. I suggest you read again, quite carefully, ALL of the First Amendment before you again ask the UD to censor the letters it prints.

Thank you, Gary Skrehart, for reminding me that in order to preserve and enjoy my First Amendment rights I must be willing to defend not only my

own rights but the rights of others, even those with whom I disagree.

Jake Sales

#### Dangerous view

To the editor:

It is instructive to point out the irony reflected in the letters submitted February 21, by Mark Rohrlick and Dr. Henry J. Shine. Both attacked the University Daily for printing Steve Becker's opinion (February 19) on Adolf Hitler and Anita Bryant. Hitler and Bryant, and Steve Becker for that matter, are known for their repressive attitude on human freedom, and yet Rohrlick and Shine oppose the U.D.'s decision to publish opinions different from their own. Is this not the same argument as is in the hypocritical statement "No free speech for fascists?" Why are people so afraid to hear opinions that differ from their own? Even Christianity was started by a "subversive" who went against the norms of sociey of the day. I am not supporting Steve Becker; in the contrary, I think his ideas are absurd. I do, however, support his right to have his ideas printed, and I support anyone else who is not afraid to read about new ideas printed.

An absurd idea will dissipate if it is allowed to be aired, while ideas that are forced underground and not allowed to surface are the truly dangerous

Scott J. Levinson

#### A difference

To Carl J. Matthews:

How do you justify your comparison of gays and prostitutes with murderers and Hitler? Even you would have to admit that there's a big difference between enjoying one's right to privacy and taking the lives of others. Or is that too much for you to grasp...?

If, as you claim, God alone can judge us (i.e., sinners), who are we to discriminate against each other on the basis of who has committed which sin? When you say you plan to do everything in your power to "help others live for God" don't you really mean-admit it, now--that you want to silence all anti-Christian opinion until we all live your lifestyle? Haven't you ever noticed that the people who enjoy being preached to are those who are already converted?

You say we need to "think

through" our ideas and "follow them to a logical conclusion." Seldom is anything in the real world carried through to its logical conclusion (and referring to your letter as logical is really stretching things, don't you think?). Then you turn around and say that it doesn't matter what we think, as long as we live by the word of God. That smacks of hypocrisy. Are we to infer from your letter that your religion is not for thinking persons, or only that you yourself are incapable of rational thought?

L. Bedall

#### Vulgar act

To the editors:

Who is responsible for the presentation of Tiny Mac at the steak night in the Bledsoe-Gordon-Sneed cafeteria?

For ten minutes, Mr. Mac took it upon himself to amuse residents with filthy, vulgar jokes with none of the expletives deleted.

Steak night is a rare, special occasion during which residents often invite guests to enjoy steak and the trimmings. I'm only glad I didn't have a guest this particular evening. I would have been even more embarrassed.

I would like to have assumed the "ostrich" position and simply ignored Tiny Mac's crass humor, but he incorporated a loud speaker system which made such quite impossible.

Circle K has the right to present Mr. Mac in a show at which people pay to hear him. Those who wish to hear him in such a show have every right to do so. But no one has a right to force Tiny Mac's vulgarity on those who do not wish to hear

> Mark Moeller 108 Sneed

#### Who's judge

Dear Carl:

There are a few points you seem to have forgotten in your letter.

1. Freedom, and our resultant democratic system, represent the right to hold whatever moral beliefs you wish, AS LONG AS you or your beliefs do not infringe on others' rights, which include THEIR rights to life and to freedom of religion, among others.

2. It is impossible for you to draw comparisons between prostitution or homosexuality and murder. Murder is an

infringement on the victim's "God-given" right to life. Prostitution and homosexuality represent lifestyles that have

legislation on these subjects could also be used to regulate YOUR choice of an occupation, or YOUR sex-life. 3. Our moral code is more

nothing whatsoever to do with

you, unless you so choose. Any

likely to have been an answer to man's necessity for selfpreservation and survival. Our ideas on the wrongness of robbery and murder have evolved from the simple fact that they are (again) infringements on our rights to property, and to life. Without protection of our properties and our lives, our survival would be exceptionally precarious at best. Every world religion of today has incorporated this into their tenets, as it is an essential concept to the perpetuation of

4. Lastly, because you have the right to believe in your religion, others also have the right to THEIR beliefs. To be painfully frank, it is none of your business, "to help others live for God." But thank you for your concern.

human civilization.

Name Withheld

#### Literally sick

To the editor:

I, too, was literally sickened by the letter by "Steve Becker." What bothered me most, however, was to find myself reading such deranged filth in the U.D., which I had picked up in all innocence that day. In a way, it's too bad so many earnest letters full of righteous indignation have poured in, replying to Becker point by point - it almost seems to justify the U.D.'s decision to print the letter (i.e. to provoke controversy) - a decision I consider irresponsible and indefensible.

Gary Skrehart's RE apparently sincere but really quite patronizing and simplistic editorial: freedom of speech is essential, yes, but to silence a voice by force is one thing, and to actively help distribute and publicize a voice is quite another. Nothing in Becker's message qualifies as a "thought" or "opinion" worthy of debate - more like the raving of a seriously disturbed person (we can dismiss the possibility of black humor - that would be equally disgusting). If Becker wants to stand in the street and spew his message, or undertake

to distribute it in written form, his right to do so is legal. But the U.D. is under no obligation to the Constitution or anyone else to help publish filth, and no decent purpose is served by so doing, least of all teaching a

"valuable lesson to others." Take the example of the recent Nazi march through largely Jewish Skokie, Illinois; the Nazis' right to demonstrate under their own initiative was legally defended, but I'm sure the local media felt no moral obligation to print and distribute Nazi propaganda. Would this make them less than a free press? Free newspapers print expressions of views and do not print lunatic obscenity. Someone must take the responsibility to know the difference.

If the U.D.'s policy is to print anything at all without discrimination, it is its own decision (a misguided one) and an act for which it is responsible. Mr. Skrehart, spare us the sanctimonious selfjustification-admit a bad error of judgement. Those who called to complain were right; you were wrong, you did cop out. You have added needlessly to the ugliness in the world.

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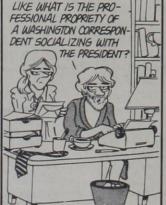
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DOONESBURY









by Garry Trudeau



#### Product liability concern

## Senate Committee approves

Senate committee.

Development Committee sent committee would: the bills, which pit powerful near-unanimous votes.

fifths to a two-thirds vote.

legislation.

lobbies against one another, to sumer's award in a product the floor by unanimous or liability case if he or she helped cause the accident.

Floor action is not expected -Establish misuse of a until after March 9, when product by a consumer as a the requirement for bringing defense for the manufacturer. up a bill drops from a four- Texas courts accept misuse as a defense only if the product Businessmen and lawyers itself is free of defects.

consumers would have a and dealers in products cases money damages if an country." harder time winning defective urged approval of the bills. allegedly defective product product suits against The Consumers Union and the was altered after purchase. manufacturers under seven Texas Trial Lawyers The Texas Supreme Court reported in January that obtain coverage at any price. bills approved Monday by a Association opposed the recently upheld a \$1.8 million judgment against General The Senate Economic Bills approved by the Motors even though a young man had tampered with the -Reduce an injured con- carburetor before his truck ran out of control and crashed.

-Require juries to presume - unless an injured consumer's lawyers can prove otherwise - that a product was safe if manufactured in accordance with state or federal standards.

-Bar lawsuits against makers of allegedly defective products six years after manufacture or five years after sale.

-Wipe out the Texas Supreme Court's 1967 doctrine that manufacturers are strictly liable for injuries caused by product defects, even when they were not negligent. Consumers could win product liability suits only if they could prove negligence in manufacture - the pre-1967 standard.

-Raise as a defense the fact that a product complied with "the state of the art" at the time it was manufactured, even though it might be considered unsafe by today's

Sen. Ray Farabee, D-Wichita Falls, sponsor of four of the bills, said they are needed to correct in Texas "a body of law that has grown up like Topsy, creating an

AUSTIN (AP) - Injured who defend manufacturers -Prohibit the award of unevenness of law across the products liability insurance

rates had gone out of sight, and that many Texas A House committee businessmen were unable to

## Professor to talk on possible draft

With several U.S. senators questioning the viability of an all-volunteer military service, the possibility of a military draft looms ahead.

Wednesday at 1 p.m. in the Coronado Room of the University Center, George Flynn, professor of history, will speak on the reinstatement of the draft. The talk is sponsored by the Arts and Sciences Council.

Flynn says several senators, including Chairman of the Armed Services Committee John Stennis, D-Miss, and House minority leader Howard Baker, R-Tenn., are questioning not only the volunteer military's effectiveness, but the mobilization time required to meet the threat of war, which Flynn says, is getting longer and longer.

The last Selective Service Act ended January 1973.



### University to test Tornado Warning System Wednesday

Tech campus at 10:30 a.m. sighted and every precaution Wednesday to signal students, against personal injury should shaped. faculty, staff and visitors to be put take cover.

preparation for the spring weather conditions are such April and May in West Texas. tornado warning means a

Campus locations of dense population will receive a the warning for all who are hall fire alarms and the classroom bells will also ring at two-minute intervals.

into effect immediately.

tornado season, heaviest in that a tornado could occur. A tornado is at work.

telephone call, supplementing weather watch is three country, move away at right Defense offices. the sound of the siren which is intermittent beeps, sounding angles from the tornado's there is a tornado watch in head.

siren, In the event of a real effect. An opaque tornado on classroom bells and fire tornado these warnings mean the screen tells viewers to

that "with a tornado, the The university's Tornado In West Texas there are are." The safest places are in the center of the building. Warning System will be tornado watches and tornado caves or underground activated as a test, in warnings. A watch means that structures or the basement of

corner of the screen means your hands shielding your

possible, go to a basement or area. lower you are the safer you at least under heavy furniture

any sturdily built structure. glass doors or glass walls. Leave a radio or television on Outdoors, keep lower and at for weather news, but stay driven missiles, traveling at a safe distance from the away from electrical nearest high, lightning appliances. Do not call the The radio signal for a conductive object. In open weather bureau or Civil inhabitants.

out-of-doors. The residence television the outline of a away, lie flat in the nearest room, hallway or closet in a and periodically checked for tornado in the lower left-hand depression, face down, with residence might be a last- practicality.

Where shelter is available, minute choice of emergency move to an interior hallway on shelter. Post-storm research alarms will sound across the that a tornado has been take cover. The symbols for the lowest floor of a large indicates that these locations severe storms are differently building-other than a gym or often are the only things left of any other structure with a a home after a tornado rips its Civil Defense experts warn broad, free-span roof. If path through a residential

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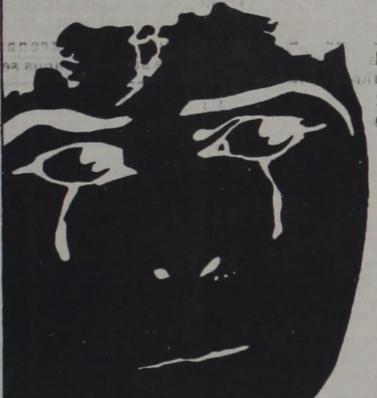
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By KEN KEY

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sent to West Germany and fence. A sheer cliff marked California and obtained a assigned to a cavalry the border with the top side master's in (armored) unit. His job was to being West Germany and the management. Bell is married supervise the patrolling of a bottom being East Germany, and has one son. 20-kilometer section of the A personnel carrier

border throughout most of its experienced transmission length consists of one large trouble and help was called electrified fence, followed by a for. To prepare the vehicle for mined "no-man's land," and towing the drive-train was another smaller fence. disconnected and the vehicle's Interspersed along the fence tracks wedged. But it was not are manned guard towers. All, wedged properly. of these obstructions are on While his men watched, the the East German side of the carrier and one soldier took a border.

wall."

One incident which figures motorcycles."

the first fence, make it and situation with, "It was hairy,

then be killed by machine real hairy." Watching an "iron curtain" guards. Although he could do three years where he serves is occasionally dangerous, nothing as the men were still as the instructor for often heartbreaking and in East German territory, Bell sophomore ROTC cadets. He

feelings Capt. Burwell Bell, Another incident, which armored unit there. instructor in the military could have turned out to be Bell is a graduate of the science department, felt much worse, involved the University of Tennessee at during a 21/2-year tour of duty "dropping" of an American Chatanooga where he on the East-West German personnel carrier into East received a bachelor's degree Germany.

Commissioned as a This occurred on a section of Later, he attended the lieutenant in 1969, Bell was the border where there was no University of Southern

East-West German border. positioned atop the cliff for According to Bell, the observation purposes

nose - dive off the cliff and buried itself in East Germany.

Bell said, "Our job was to When word of the mishap observe and report any reached Bell, he flew to the military activity that might site in a helicopter to indicate a build - up in the supervise the recovery sector and to provide attempt. He said, "When I assistance to any refugee who landed (in East Germany) we might come through the could see the East Germans moving into the area on

prominently in Bell's Surprisingly, the East recollection of the time Germans showed restraint involved the escape attempt of and sat back to watch the two East German civilians. Americans recover the On this occasion, Bell vehicle and its unharmed observed the two men attempt occupant. Bell summed up the

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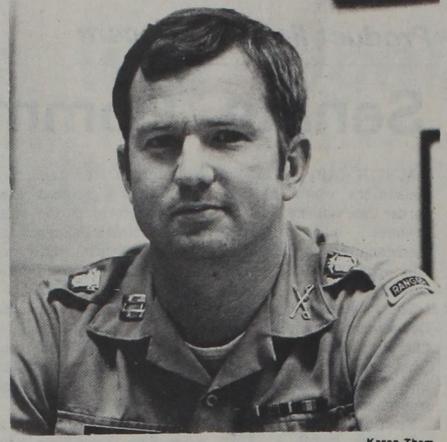
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Degrees are to be conferred He was elected in 1976 to his degree at the University of upon approximately 2,000 second term in the Senate. In Texas and distinguished candidates during the addition to his chairmanship himself as an Air Force pilot graduation ceremony of the Joint Economic in World War II. scheduled for 7:30 p.m. in the Committee, he is a member of

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Bentsen won reelection to the 81st, 82nd and 83rd Congresses but decided not to run for reelection in 1954. He left Washington in January 1955 to go into business in Houston.

He became president of Lincoln Consolidated, a financial holding company, and he served as director of several major corporations before returning to politics.

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# MOMENI'S NOTICE

The Student Foundation, a working organization concerned with fund raising and academic recruiting, freshman orientation and general development at Tech has applications for membership available in the Office of Student Life, Room 163 of the Administration Building. Applications are due Friday Junior Council

Applications for Junior Council may be picked up and turned in to Room 163 of the Administration Building. Requirements are a 3.0 over-all GPA and 64 hours as of Fall 1979. Deadline for applications is 5:30 p.m. on Monday.

Alpha Zeta pledges will meet Thursday at 7 p.m. in Room 311 of the Agriculture Building. This is the second pledge meeting; anyone who missed the first one is urged to attend. The American Marketing Association

will meet Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in Room 352 of the Business Administration Building. The purpose of this meeting is to finish plans for the field trip to Denver. There will also be a retailing program by Foley's. Everyone is invited

Phi Upsilon Omicron will meet today applications is 5 p.m. Thursday. at 7 p.m. in Room 111 of the Home Economics Building. Officers must be there at 6:15 p.m. Travellers' Workshop

Travel Committee will sponsor a required. workshop at 1 p.m. Saturday in the Lubbock Room of the University Center. All who have plans to travel or are in-Freshman Council

Candy Sale

1 day

The Ex-Students Association will meet today at 8 p.m. in the Ex-Students Building. This is a mandatory meeting

Ex-Students Association for all members. There will be a discussion of Senior Challenge.

English Honorary Sigm Tau Delta, an English honorary, announces that members must pay their COE Student Council

The College of Education Student Council will meet Wednesday at 6 p.m. in Room 235 of the Administration Building. All interested education majors, including secondary, elementary, special education and other levels are welcome to attend this orientation meeting. Prospective members will meet with current members.

The Society of Women Engineers will meet Wednesday at 7 p.m. in Room 110 of the Engineering Center Building for the second half of the Assertion Training

Red Raider Applications Applications for Red Raider can be picked up in Room 101 of the Animal Science Building, Applicants must have junior or senior standing with an overall GPA of 2.0. Deadline for submitting Phi Gamma Nu

Phi Gamma Nu will meet today at 7:30 p.m. in Room 157 of the Business Administration Building. This is a The University Center Programs' professional meeting, and attendance is

General Store Membership Meeting There will be a General Store Mem-

terested in travel are invited. Topics to bership Meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. be discussed range from airline costs to in the Senate Chamber of the University what you need to carry with you. Ad. Center. This will be a general meeting to mission is free, and refreshments will be discuss progress of the store. All members and non-members are urged to

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Eta Sigma Phi, senior classical league, will meet today at 7 p.m. in Room 113 of the Foreign Language and Mathematics Building. Anyone interested in Latin, Greek or the classics is invited. This will be an organizational

**Junior Council** Junior Council will meet Wednesday at 8:30 p.m. in the Alpha Chi Omega

The American Society for Microbiology will meet today at 7:30 p.m. in Room 101 of the Biology Building. Dr. Hughes from the Med School department of physiology will speak on histamines. A reception will

The Future Farmers Association will meet today at 7 p.m. in Room 311 of the Agriculture Building. The guest speaker will be Mac McBride of KLLL Radio.

Alpha Epsilon Rho will meet Thursday at 8:30 p.m. in Room 108 of the Mass Communications Building. All actives and pledges should attend

College Republicans The College Republicans will meet today at 10 p.m. at 4115-B 36th St. We will be discussing convention and activities. If you have any questions, call Mike Harvey at 742-6817

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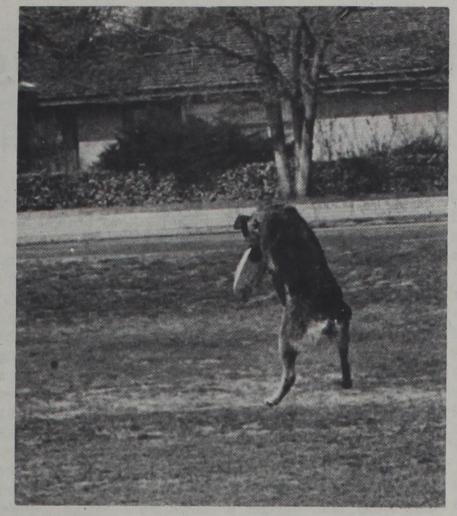
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## Tech RHA to host convention

Tech campus as the Residence goals and problems." Halls Association hosts the annual Texas Residence Halls Association Convention Planning" conducted by Thursday through Sunday.

More than 160 delegates A&M Housing from universities across Texas will visit Tech. Armed with banners, buttons and are expected to attend the in the Residence Hall and How here," Hairgrove said.

than we expected with director of Recreational and the unlimited possibilities hope that it will go well. We representatives coming from convention co-chairman Kay Residence Halls" with "We want to get across how Office and personnel," Hairgrove said.

so that the delegates can learn campus policemen, Samuel from experts and from each Head and Mario Gomez. other, Hairgrove said.

convention is to give the College and Residence Halls delegates an opportunity to Associations along with Ray learn, take back and put to use Martin, president of the Texas the things that they have association will discuss the learned into the role that they reasons and advantages for play in residence hall universities and colleges to operations," Hairgrove said. join THRA. Alfred Dooley, "We scheduled the workshops counseling assistant of the and the social activities to let Tech Counseling Center will everyone be together a lot and sponsor workshop on

Convention fever will hit the share common experiences,

"Effective Residence Hall Welan Mears of the Texas office; Housing Office Relations" led to promote participation" by Events have been scheduled Life David Nail, and two

John Perez, director of the "The basic purpose of the Midwestern Affiliate of

#### ERA receives new support

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) - A state Senate leader said Monday he is encouraged by new support for the Equal Rights Amendment and hopes to make a decision later this week on whether to bring it up in the Senate this year. Gene Howard, the Senate's president pro tem, said he is getting close to the 22 or 23 firm votes he feels he needs to have "a

reasonable chance to pass it." ERA, which would outlaw discrimination based on sex, must be ratified by 38 states by June 30, 1982, to become part of the Constitution

The workshops include leaders and advisers."

This convention is the first Planning and preparation "Effective Residence Halls are hoping that this housing and registration; listing all LAA members but Housing Relations and convention will bring Tech Marisa Zeitun, hospitality; state and national recognition Otis Robinson, publications; by Clifford Yoder, assistance and be the first step in Eric Mackie, social and attend workshops and get - vice president for auxiliary encouraging regional or Danny Franklin, school togethers. In all, 220 students services; "Intramural Sports national conventions to come displays and transportation. of the service to renters complexes. The owners must

The convention will be chairman. "We had a bigger turnout James Teague, associate stressing the future of TRHA "We are really excited and inquiries. Sports, and "How to promote and advantages in promoting received enormous Tech lets out, we're snowed must agree to abide by a code different schools," Safety and Security in residence hall associations. cooperation from the Housing Assistant Director of Student far we have come and how Hairgrove said.

"Relaxation from Stress and much further we could go if Pressure for Residence Hall interest is generated." Hairgrove said.

hosted by the Tech RHA. for the convention was Planning and preparation handled by Tech committee began early last year. "We chairperson Judy Tereletsky, Vicki Woolridge also was co- consists of answers to the



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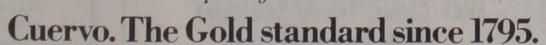
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## LAA formed to help improve owner-renter communications

By PAM WEIGER **UD** Staff

Of the more than 20,000 students at Tech, 7,300 can be housed by the university. The rest of the students must find accommodations off-campus;

the majority become renters. To improve communication between owner and renter, the Lubbock Apartment Association was formed. The association is a non-profit organization whose total advertising budget consists of paying for bold type in the fewer people are aware of the out right away," Morgan said. services it provides.

While Lubbock Apartment responsibility is to its can take advantage of several answering questions about obligations.

annual Rental Housing Guide students are good renters." excluding 'rip-off apartment owners in Lubbock apartments."

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get my deposit back?' " Morgan said.

The Apartment Association also handles complaints from renters. Written complaints submitted to the organization are handled in a fashion similar to that of the Better Business Bureau. If the owner refuses to provide an explanation or resolve the matter with the resident, he may be dropped from the

association. "Usually, we send a letter to Yellow Pages. Perhaps this is the owner and that's enough the reason that few people are embarrassment. They aware of its existence, and almost always straighten it

Morgan said that no special problems between owners and Association's primary Tech students have been called to his attention. He said members-the owners-renters that apartments tend to specialize. Student oriented free services, including apartments may have special items for students, such as renters' and lessors' game rooms and special parties. "But Among the free services apartments may prefer to available to renters are cater to different groups," he pamphlets on leasing and said. He added that for the fair housing standards and an most part, "owners feel that

About 80 percent of the belong to the Lubbock According to Larry Morgan, Apartment Association. They represent over 175 apartment pay \$125 annual dues, which telephone also affiliates them with the and national "About two weeks after associations. In addition, they

with calls about 'when can I of ethics which promotes high loans, landscape, standards of honesty and partnerships.

code and deceive the renter, owner. Morgan said LAA will don't know Lubbock and they class. get ripped off."

association, including responsibility is to the owner. monthly educational But we also help the renter, luncheons, books and because what's good for the publications, and owner is bound to be reflected miscellaneous seminars in services that are good for

A major function of the According to Morgan, three association is to educate or four Lubbock apartment people about renting. One owners have been denied program involves talking to membership because of high school seniors, who are practices which violate the easy prey for the unethical "Tech students are very give a presentation for any vulnerable," he said. "They group that requests such a

In summing up the functions The member owners receive of the Apartment Association, many services from the Morgan said: "Our first dealing with such topics as the renter."

### Connally stops in valley

MCALLEN, Texas (AP) - For John Connally and his supporters who jammed a hotel room Monday, it's a matter of returning to an era when Americans were respected and the dollar was in demand.

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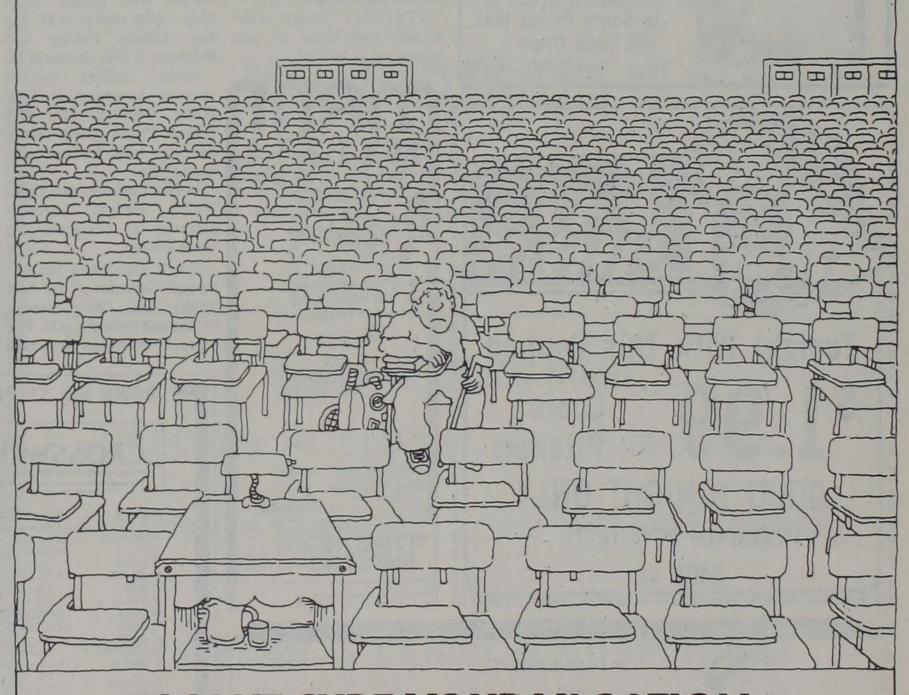
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African heritage revealed by black dance group

## Contemporary play given unusual treatment

Lab Theatre's 'Waiting For Godot' - absorbing, detailed

1976. The company is not popular yet, but, according to

dancer Ollie Hazley, "We're getting there." Hazley has been

with the company since dancer Ann Williams started the

Dallas Black Dance Theatre. The company hopes that within

the next five years, they will become better known. Tour

performances, such as the Tech show, are a big step forward

for the group. They hope to someday achieve the fame of the

somewhere to go, to start-It's hard for a black to get in a

for the best. There are more people with more ability.

Technical ability is higher then it was in the beginning."

members are still in high school, while others are college

graduates, with full-time jobs. The company has an advisory

Curtain Call

"The company was started to give black dancers

"In its three years, the company has definitely changed

The dancers do receive pay for their work. Some

By DOUG PULLEN

**UD** Entertainment Editor It's Friday. The Lab Theatre crew is about to begin Peters' unorthodix production another production run. technique. Peters, a doctoral Outside, dusk is setting in. theater's entrance. But he's not Mark Dean, he's absorbing too. Estragon, one of a pair of Beckett's introspective "Waiting For Godot."

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through just about anybody "Hello," someone says.

He just stares.

candidate, is known for his Mark Dean is posed at the love of the unconventional. His production is unusual, but it's Peters involves the viewer

main characters in Samuel from the start. Dean's appearance at the door is part of that. Jo Fannin's preproduction calisthenics on a Estragon is staring a hole whitewashed, bare stage are also a part of that. Dean's and who enters the theater. Matt Posey's yelling from outside of the theater proper Silence. He does not answer. are part of that.

That's how Peters involves Bizarre you say? Perhaps. a viewer. He sets the mood. He It's all part of director Steve creates an atmosphere. His Performance: ...ON STAGE

attempts to make the play version of the play, I can't understandable are almost too comment on Peters' sensitivity and insensitivity, acting is good - nonetheless ambitious. If it weren't for originality. But it is safe to say with human action and - Matt Posey slips smoothly their subtlety, these moves that Peters' work makes the inaction. It is a play about the into the other lead role, could be interpreted as a form play function in an absorbing mind more than about man Vladimir. And Fannin comes of condescension.

does or not.

Dance Theatre of Harlem.

dance company," Hazley said.

detailed and involving one. occupations. They are not sure of themselves, but such Not having seen another defined.

Assassination of Billy the "Godot" delves into the flowing one-no small feat Kid." But Peters shouldn't let human character and its in- when one considers that only Peters would convince that bother him, whether it teraction with other Friday night's version lasted Estragon to be a little nicer at characters. The play has a more than three hours, with the door...

five-member cast, though no chairs. Because his rendition of perspective is given as to

The play deals with human quality of the production. The Controversy has shrouded misguided acting and his own desolate staging, combined Peters since his University apparent indecisiveness with simple, but effective Theatre production of his own toward the handling of the lighting, make the Lab play, "The Equestrian play's abstract thematicism. Theatre version of "Godot" a treated with good deal of

only a 10-minute intermission to relieve one from the un-

comfortability of the theater's Some of the acting is stilted, "Waiting For Godot" is a those characters' lives or as if the players aren't quite

doesn't detract from the

way-he overcomes and his environment. The across as tough and un-

"Waiting For Godot" is thought and imagination. If

board that reaises the necessary money to keep the company going. As the company becomes better known, advisory board that raises the necessary money to keep the company dancers and not have to earn their living outside of dancing.

Unless there is a upcoming performance, the company usually rehearses twice a week. When a performance is scheduled, there are usually four rehearsals a week. On weekdays, the performers rehearse three to four hours. On weekends, the rehearsal may last up to six hours.

While at Tech, the company gave master classes for Tech dancers. Some members prefer to teach, while others prefer to perform. Stemsley is a dance teacher at a high school in Dallas. She often helps in teaching the company.

The Dallas Black Dance Theatre is typical of any young dance company. "There are about 15 members, but as they become more well known, the company will grow," Hazley

#### By DAWN GRANT

**UD Entertainment Staff** 

A strong lyrical style stood out in the "African Trilogy" danced Saturday night by the Dallas Black Dance Theatre in the UC Theatre.

The performance included all phases of dance, highlighting ballet, modern and jazz. Lyrical jazz dancing was the group's specialty.

The audience enjoyed "When All Else Fails," a religious movement with music by Aretha Franklin, and "Rags," a Scott Joplin number.

Black dance theater varies from regular dance theater because "There is a difference in the feeling the black dancers project to the audience," according to dancer Cynthia Stemsley. "Physical characteristics are different. Style is different, mostly very emotional."

The Dallas Black Dance Theatre is the only black dance company in Texas. The company began in the summer of

#### Performance: ...ON STAGE

Vegas comic Tiny Mac not worth his weight in laughs

Fatness alone cannot McCurdy's part saved the McCurdy's audience rapsustain a comedian's act for show from becoming a total port was not enough to rescue disaster. A sparse crowd his tired collection of material, however. Some of He introduced a sing-a-long, the jokes he used were so old Chinese phone book," he said. William "Tiny Mac" Mc- "In China They Do It For that even Henny Youngman Chile" that had the audience wouldn't have stole them.

became somewhat participating in the act and

monotonous. Apt handling on enjoying that participation.

laughing and singing with Most of those jokes were pathetic. gusto. Earlier, repartee with directed at his own obesity. "I

After a while, instead of the

jokes being funny, they were

girth that was ludicrous. It is The only problem with his problem was McCurdy's The audience laughed at really more sad than funny to impressions is that the prepared material which was McCurdy's jokes, but it never see a person ridicule himself routines he used were a little not really the kind of humor really became a part of the for an hour.

were one part of the show that people. were funny, instead of sad. Ernestine the Operator, W.C. He is also a funny man. His "Saturday Night Live." Most Thursday. They were enough Fields and Richard Nixon discussions with the audience college students are more McCurdy did a kind of a became real as McCurdy showed a talent for quick familiar with the latter type of show. But they weren't enough audience members had them have more chins than a belig dance with his enormous assumed their characters.

showed he possesses a genuine anymore. McCurdy's impressions talent to mimic widely known

thinking humor. But the real comedy.

McCurdy would be perfect

for "The Tonight Show," not

too familiar. Still, McCurdy college students laugh at show. Without that participation, comedy is nothing.

> McCurdy found that participation only a few moments to save the evening, and his to make the show a success.



an entire evening. Neither can

sex jokes. Combined, they

Curdy relied heavily on both

types of humor Thursday

night. And after the initial

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don't succeed any better.

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Water Country. Mel Mc- Recital Hall at 8:15 p.m. No Friday at 8 p.m. in the Sanc- Coliseum box office, B&B Saturday is \$2 for men and Michael Martin tonight Methodist Church. Tickets are Flipside Records, the Music through Friday at the Blue \$5 and are available at the Marts in Brownfield and Junior Vasquez and Carol Boar from 6 to 9 p.m. Bill First United Methodist Levelland, Tape Town in Big Welch tonight through Gammil and Cecil Caldwell Church. Only about 100 tickets Spring, Music Haul in

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\$8.50 the day of the show. The Vienna Boys Choir Tickets are available at the tuary of the First United Music, both locations of Midland, Endless Horizons in

through Saturday at the Red Saturday at the Silver Dollar Club. Tickets are \$3.50 in Don Sanders Friday at the

747-2844

mission charge.

Barbara Barber, violin, in a junior recital Sunday at 3 p.m.

#### Art seminar

Amadeo Modigliani will be the topic of an art seminar by Rabbi Alexander Kline at the Tech Museum at 10 a.m. today.

Born in Leghorn, Italy, of a distinguished Jewish family, he received his first painting lessons at 14.

Modigliani went to Paris in 1907. While there, the strongest influences on his work appeared to be the sculpture of Constantin Brancusi and primitive African carvings.

Almost all of his paintings are portraits and poignant

The seminar is sponsored by the women's Council of the West Texas Museum Association and is open to the

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#### Coming through

John Keller, Tech center fielder slides into third base during the Raider's workout last week. Keller and the rest of the Tech baseball team will open its home slate this afternoon at

Hardin-Simmons Cowboys. Tech swept the twinbill against the Cowboys last week in Abilene and will enter the series with a 4-2 record. (Staff Photo)

Baylor Bears.

points to Johnson's 27.

## Tech opens five game homestand

By JEFF REMBERT **UD** Sportswriter

When it rains it pours, but when there is a drought there's no end in sight. Tech's baseball team experienced this last weekend, scorching the basepaths for 19 runs Saturday but managing to score only one run Sunday.

Tech hopes to end this brief drought, opening its home the rundown. schedule against the Hardin-Simmons Cowboys today at 1 p.m. The double header will be the teams' second encounter of the season.

swept the Cowboys 7-5 and 5-1. running. Last weekend Tech split By JON MARK BEILUE four games with St. Mary's and Texas Lutheran giving the Raiders a 4-2 record.

power display Saturday in the Raiders' 14-9 win. Tech then beat Lutheran 5-0 to complete the fireworks.

First Lutheran held Tech to

Now those averages aren't overwhelmingly high ones by

any means, but look how balanced they are. Less than a

single point separates the top four scorers on the team. I'm

no expert on the sport but I think I'd much rather have a

balanced scoring output like that than a one man show- ala

guys on the Baylor squad-starters-who never even smell

the ball during a game. In fact, both times Tech and Baylor

met, the Raiders have come out on top this year. Another fact

is that a Myers team has never lost to Vinnie Johnson and the

good a guard as I've seen play in the three years I've been

watching SWC basketball. The only reason he doesn't pile up

the stats that some of the bigger name guards do is because

he's just too unselfish. And when he does get cranked up and

go a little one-and-one, Huston can play with the best of them.

against Johnson this year? Well, if you don't, ol' Geoff

matched him shot for shot and wound up the night with 28

Parks and skywalking Joe Baxter, will finish their Tech

careers this week down in the conference tournament in

Houston. The Raiders will have to perform like they did

back in December in the Sun Bowl tournament to win this

Arkansas just to have a shot at the championship game.

to the ropes down in Houston. It's hard to explain the

pleasure I get out of watching Jim Krivac's throw an air ball

on a 25 foot jumper or see Rudy Woods muff an easy layup.

against Texas and A&M - tough losses to Arkansas, Texas,

But the Raiders will have to get by Texas A&M and

I'd like to see Tech's No-Names take some of the big boys

It's been a strange season for Tech. Big wins came

It's hard to forgive a loss to the Owls but winning the

thing - but they've got an outside chance.

SMU and of course, that early loss to Rice.

SWC tourney just might make up for it.

However if the Techsans do get that far-look out.

Remember that game in Waco when it was Huston

So Huston and Tech's other two seniors, quick Tommy

And just between you and me, I think Geoff Huston is as

Johnson may score 30 points an outing, but you've got

Vinnie Johnson and the Baylor Bears.

win. Then St. Mary's Selby will play left, John completed the run embargo Keller will play center and with a 5-0 win over the Raiders Randy Newton will occupy while Tech managed just two right.

line up for the games is virtually the same, but here's

Tech's infield will consist of

The Raiders will naturally Craig Noonan at first, Johnny hope to regain their stroke at Vestal at second, Brooks the plate today. The starting Wallace at short and Rusty Laughlin at third.

Dan Hejl will probably be the starting catcher, and the

one run and four hits in a 5-1 In the outfield, Larry starting pitchers will be throws at Tech. If the pitcher Moyer (2-0).

> weekend against the Rice duty. Owls, Tech's Southwest Conference opener.

The designated hitter will be probably pitch determined by what kind of Martindale a left-hander and

with other stresses."

run at the local YMCA.

they try to enjoy it.

factors runners may face.

Pain can be good

or bad depending

on the mechanics

wear old cutoffs and a stolen

high school football jersey but

of the runner.

Bobo said.

Robert Bryant (1-0) and Gary is a right-hander, Bobby Kohler will probably be the Neither pitcher will pitch dh. If it's a lefty, Jeff Harp, the entire ballgame in Scott Leimgruber or Mike anticipation of pitching this Farmer could be called to

Hardin-Simmons will pitcher Hardin-Simmons Wayne Norton a right-hander.

## Running fever:

Editors note: This is the first golf cart, the push-button car Last Monday the Raiders of a three part series on window and the electronic

SOMETHING STRANGE happens to America every few

Like a brain in the human

For the past couple of years,

sprung from the same nation running from which they carefully.

door opener. But it is true, Americans, from Barstow to Bangor, are sweating.

AND WHY not? To get in good physical condition, and it infects this country like According to Dr. Mike Bobo, associate professor of physical education, running is the best recreational activity

> "Without a doubt, it can take off the pounds," said Bobo. "Most recreational sports are short bursts and then some rest, but running is not. Running is four times more effective than riding a bicycle. A basketball player will get the same amount of exercise as a runner only if he plays on a fast-breaking team."

The physical aspects are Trogloydytes jog, humans many. In a nutshell, running run. To call it jogging is like strengthens the cardiocalling a sunset a sundump. vascular system by lowering Bigger than group-encounter the heart rate. This allows the therapy, physical fitness is on heart more rest. There is also us like a wet cocker spaniel. a reduction in blood pressure. Over 23 million Americans "You can sleep better," said run-old, bold, weak, meek, Bobo. "The lack of fatigue from President Carter to the increases with running. president of the 8th grade Runners seem to have a greater zest for other

women, 11 percent of the total the only benefit of running. It female population in the can also improve that mass of importance. Runners can United States, are exchanging muddle between the ears-the mind. Many runners report This running craze has that it is the mental aspect of the shoes should be selected tolerance and will stop. But

adopts means of exercise "Mentally it's similar to any much on the individual," said exercise in that the mind can Kaye Cosby, Tech's women clear itself for an increased athletic trainer, "because a attention span to other shoe must fit the person's foot. things," Bobo said. "There is Look for a wedge-that is, an an improved ability to cope elevation toward the heel of

the shoe." Cosby said most women Businessmen are now should look at the New trading the traditional threemartini lunch for a two mile Balance shoe because it offers more variety in width.

Stress is a factor all runners "Many report they are able to handle their jobs better," should be aware of, especially beginning runners.

BUT RUNNING is not for There are several indicators everyone. Some will be bored of stress: loss of coordination, with it no matter how hard undue soreness 48-72 hours after a run, and an For those who do run, there accelerated feart rate.

will be no flowing red cape and BUT, ACCORDING to Bobo, they won't be more powerful the best sign for stress is a than a locomotive. Injuries, "tired feeling" the next stress and pain are just three morning. "You should deduce what

you can run if you experience any of these signs, " Bobo said.

Pain can be good or bad depending on the mechanics of the runner. "If the pain is bad because

of poor form, don't push on," said Bobo. "It can only get worse if you try to push on. Pronation is a common Any chest pain should indicate injury among the average immediate stoppage." IF THE mechanics are right runner. Pronation is the foot

rolling in excessively due to it might be best to "run improper shoes. Arch pains through the pain." A "stitch in can also be traced to ill-fitting the side" should disappear as the runner experiences a Shoes are of paramount second and third wind.

"Pain is a funny thing, " Bobo said. "Those not used to pain will have a low pain those who are used to it will "A SHOE depends very very push on."

**UD Sports Staff** 

St. Mary's witnessed a Tech vears or so. It's called the fad running is second to none. an uncontrolable virus.

body, this country can not Sunday the drought set in. function without one. If it is for losing weight. A mile run not skateboarding, streaking, at eight minutes can take off CB radios, discos or pet rocks, 100 calories. it is something else.

> It's called running, not jogging. Troglodytes jog,

humans run.

running has been the rage. It's called running, not jogging. science club.

Running isn't sexist either. acitivities, too." More than seven million Physical improvement is not shoes. their high hells for Nikes.

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## Chuck McDonald



Gerald Myers leaned back in his chair and grinned. It was time to poke a little fun at himself.

"You know," he said "a lot of people were coming up to me in the Coliseum after the Rice game and asking how we ever lost to them the first time. Boy, I just don't know."

And most of those gathered for Myers' weekly press conference Monday at the athletic dining hall seemed to share his sentiments. How did Tech ever lose to this same Rice team that they walloped 82-49 on Saturday and crushed 78-56 in Houston.

One thing was certain-nobody really knew the answer. "Well, maybe that's why I got coach of the year," said Myers with tongue in cheek. "They figured I deserved it the way we regrouped after the Rice game. Maybe they figured we'd fall apart after that."

But I've got a few theories of my own about why Myers received co-coach of the year honors from his fellow coaches. If anyone remembers the all-SWC selections, they'll

remember there wasn't much for Tech fans to remember. The Raiders didn't place a single player on either the first or second team.

Of course Arkansas had the player of the year in Sidney Moncrief, Texas landed a couple of spots between Tyrone Branyan, John Moore and Jim Krivacs. The Aggles boasted the Newcomer of the Year, Rudy Woods and Rynn Wright and were right up there. Baylor had Vinnie Johnson and even the lowly Rice Owls placed Elbert Darden on the all-star

But Tech just didn't get any honors. Yet somehow the Raiders managed to finish fourth in the SWC with their lineup of no-names. I don't think that it's because the players are particularly bad but rather because they are particularly balanced. Take a look at the scoring averages.

Since conference play began Tech's had four people average in double figures. Kent Williams leads with an 11.4 average, steady Geoff Huston is next at 11.1, close behind is Ralph Brewster with 10.8 and then Ben Hill has 10.6.

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The Tech women's tennis team will try and snap a four-

The Raiders drew mighty Raiders.

Friday the Raiders turned

for 19 points to lead the

In the consolation finals, the

helped the Mean Green

## Q A : Tech's Huston looks back on years of glory as Raider

By JOHN EUBANKS **UD Sportswriter** 

In the spring of 1975, a tall, to attend.

He had more than 100

basketball for Tech.

future plans.

final season for Tech.

recorded an 82-34 record Tech's second leading scorer your best? in conference play with an

against Baylor Feb. 3 was the would say my freshman year pros? most points scored in his because that was when we career, and was also the most were most successful (Tech

"impressive" statistics do not impress Huston, he had his share of "stats" during his high school days.

He was named to several All-America prep teams, and his high school team made the city playoffs three straight

He was named All City his senior year, during which he averaged 21.9 points per game.

His 40 points in one game broke a school record set by Lloyd Free, now with the San Diego Clippers of the NBA. In four post-season tournaments, he was named All-Tourney

once and Most Valuable Player twice.

skinny lefthanded basketball Nate Archibald and Ron attitude. Talented people with School in Brooklyn, N.Y., was Island Tourney. All three who are going to make it." professional basketball.

Huston talked about his

you first come to school you makes it to the pros? Geoff Huston is playing his have a lot of hangups, but I seniors on the squad, and is through the years to become a that have real exceptional degree)." the only four-year letterman total player...learning what it talent. Mainly, it depends on What have you learned from among those seniors. Tech takes to win and not worrying where the demand is during your involvement in the about who gets the glory." during those four years. He is What year do you consider demand for big men, more big Athletes?

average of 11.1 points per year because I shot well from guards go."



fifth and Kellee Bowers placed

The Twisters return home to

compete Saturday in

campus gymnastic

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1 p.m. in the IM Gym.

Huston

#### gymnastic competition The Tech Twisters Davis, respectively. Arnwine landed third place, Davis took

**Tech Twisters sweep** 

accumulated five first places and scored 156 total points, sweeping overall competition Saturday in the Southwest Texas State Invitational Gymnastics Meet in San Recreational Sports' all-Marcos.

The Twisters easily competition. The event will be outdistanced Texas A&M, sponsored by Intramural their closest competitor with 130 points, Southwest Texas State and Pan American University.

Tech's Drew Oberbeck placed first in two events and added a pair of thirds and a sixth. He placed in every

In the pommel horse event, John Biard took first place over teammates Kevin McDonald, who earned second place, and Oberbeck, the third place winner. Other placers from Tech in that event included Kerry Davis, fourth, Gary Arnwine, fifth, and Bill McClure, sixth.

Oberbeck garnered a first place award in floor exercise competition over teammates Gary Arnwine and Kerry

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He joined Dean Meminger, Also having a winning consider. And Why Tech?

1975-76)."

freshmen on this team?

"Personally, my sophomore demand's for guards, then because I attribute a lot of my

Huston's 28-point production was improving. But overall, I ballplayers can't make the chance to thank 'the man' for

makes the player. If you have in, should have total points scored by a Raider this recorded a 25-6 record during the talent you can go pro from involvement. Although so-called What does it take for a team to making it, that's something final home game last personal, not the school.

playing pro ball?

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"Playing with a team anything."

concept is the important thing. What other schools did you

Michigan State recruited player from Canarsie High Behagen as MVP's in the Long a winning attitude are the ones me and Kentucky was interested. I always had the trying to decide what college players went on to play What do you think about the fantasy of playing for John Wooden at UCLA, but when he "They have the talent and left I didn't want to go there. I scholarship offers to consider. past, his present and his know-how to become stars. came to Tech because I felt it That quiet, young, man future during an interview But they have to improve was a chance to grow with the eventually weeded through all with The University Daily. themselves. Talent can be conference. The players the promises and sweet-talk to How have you changed from wasted if you don't improve, (Steve Dunn and Rick sign a letter-of-intent to play your freshman year to now? but I think they'll improve." Bullock) I met, showed me "Just trying to get used to Would you say that not that I was not only wanted for Four years later, that same the (Tech) environment was improving is the main reason my ball skills but also as a young man is considering his my biggest obstacle. When why great college talent never person. Also, I wanted to pursue an education that I "First of all, the chances of could look back on and be have learned a lot on the court making pro ball are slim and proud of (He will graduate in Huston is one of three as well as off. I have improved none. There are a chosen few the summer with a business

the NBA draft. If there is a Fellowship of Christian

men will be drafted. If the "FCA was good for me talents and knowledge I have the field and I could see that I What about the rap that Tech to God. It gives athletes a their talents. I have learned "It's not the school that that anything you get involved

> anywhere. As far as others not What was it like to play your weekend?

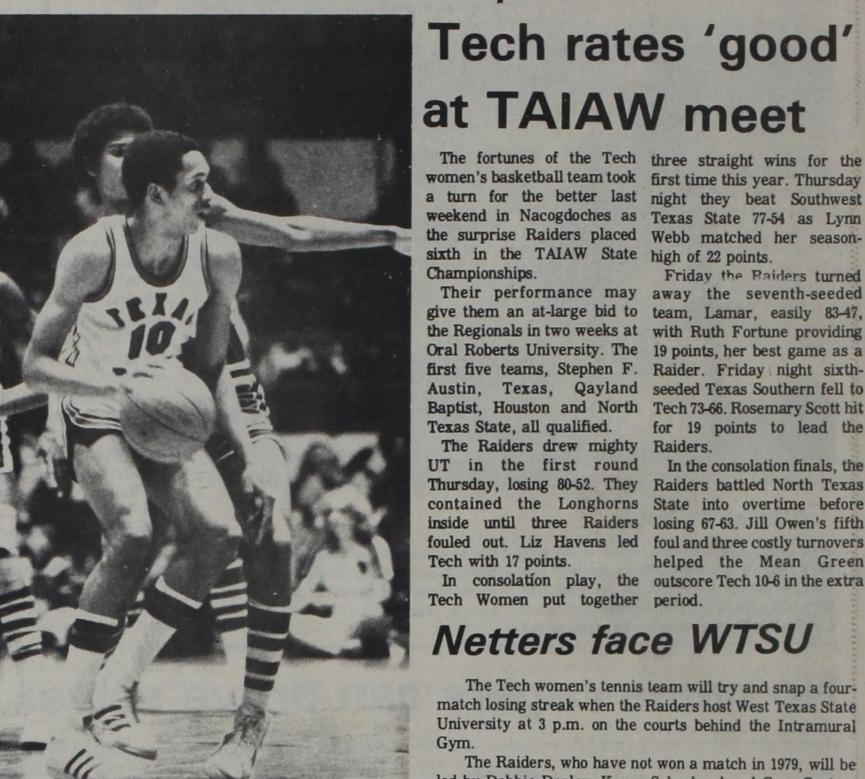
> What are your chances of "I didn't look at it as the end of the world. I just felt it was "I don't know. Right now, an honor to play at Tech. I'm not really paying attention Being out there and hearing to it, because I'm so involved people cheer for me, I just with the tournament. I guess hope I gave them something



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#### Veteran ballhandler

Tech's Geoff Huston is guarded closely by an Arkansas

Razorback in action during the Hogs' 66-65 win over the

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Huston, a three-year starter for the Techsans, could be

playing in his final collegiate game Thursday as the Raiders

face Texas A&M in the second round of the Southwest Con-

match losing streak when the Raiders host West Texas State University at 3 p.m. on the courts behind the Intramural The Raiders, who have not won a match in 1979, will be led by Debbie Donley, Karen Schuchard and Cary Garton, the number one, two and three seeds, respectively.

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