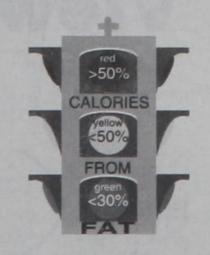
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Food For Thought

There is something for everyone in the dining halls, or is there? Read about how the Texas Tech Housing and Dining Services and students work to eat healthier on campus.

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High

Gore, Kemp face off, discuss economy

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — Vice believe we can do a lot better." President Al Gore and Jack Kemp debated dent Clinton's leadership abroad.

"This economy is overtaxed, over-regu-

politely but pointedly Wednesday night, agree- Kemp were offering a "risky \$550 billion tax" bate," Kemp said. ing to leave character issues aside but differ- scheme" that would "blow a hole in the defiing sharply over economic policy and Presicit and cause much deeper cuts in Medicare, voted 47 out of 47 times while in Congress to Medicaid, education and the environment."

Asked if Dole would seek to change laws lated," Kemp said in making the case for GOP that make abortion legal in the United States, form calls for a constitutional amendment outpresidential nominee Bob Dole's plan to cut Kemp did not give a direct answer. He said lawing abortion. taxes 15 percent across the board. Kemp said "every human life is precious" and that "there the economy was growing a feeble 2.5 per- should be all of the protection that we can give stitutional amendment would not pass," a con- frighten older Americans by claiming that cent a year under Clinton. "Bob Dole and I to an unborn human being" but he did not cession that could anger some Christian con- Dole's budget plan would require devastating dential nomination in four years.

Gore, in turn, said repeatedly that Dole and try should not be torn asunder over this de- Kemp did forcefully criticize Clinton for ve- being waged to frighten the American people,"

Gore was more specific. He said Kemp had abortions. support restrictions on abortion.

endorse any specific restrictions. "This counservatives supporting the Republican ticket. Medicare cuts. "It is disgraceful, the campaign toing legislation banning certain late-term Kemp said.

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Power trip

Prank phone calls plague Texas Tech

students daily. But these calls may have stronger effects on the victim

and give the caller a sense of control.

And he noted that Dole's Republican plat- by Clinton and Dole in their first debate Sun- save Medicare" in a second Clinton term.

Given a chance to rebut, Kemp said a "con- were practicing "demagoguery" in trying to debate.

But Gore did not budge. "The word scary Many of the salvos between Kemp and has been used," he said of the Republican po-Gore closely tracked the positions staked out sition. He continued by promising, "We will

For activists in both parties, there was an Kemp, for example, said Clinton and Gore inescapable subplot to the vice presidential

Gore, 48, is all but certain to seek the presi-

Rags to Riches

Student wins Kick for Cash

FIELD . GOAL

by Darcy Rosie/UD hris Jackson didn't score any points when

he kicked a 40-yard field goal at the Homecoming football game, but he did walk off the field \$25,000 richer.

"It was a once in a lifetime opportunity," said Jackson, a senior finance major from Houston. "It's a dream I am not going to wake up from."

The dream was realized \$25,000

when Jackson made the field goal between the third and fourth quarters of Saturday's game in a promotional giveaway called "Kick for Cash,"

sponsored by KRLB-FM (99.5).

"I knew as soon as I kicked it that I got it through," Jackson said. "It (the money) will go a long way in helping me get a good start in life, but by no means am I going to buy a new house."

Winning the money has not altered his priorities.

He still works as a courier at American State Bank and plans to invest most of the winnings.

"I pay my own way

through school, so the investment should help pay off my loans when I am out of school," he said.

In the meantime, he plans to fix up his car or trade for a truck and purchase an engagement ring for his girlfriend, Heather Valentine, a Tech graduate from Dallas.

Not even Bailey, his yearold black labrador dog, is left out of the winnings.

"I'll get him a big steak, with lots of fat on it," he said.

Jackson has not let the money go to his head, but that does not mean he is not excited about his new financial situation. In all of his exuberance, Jackson said he is having

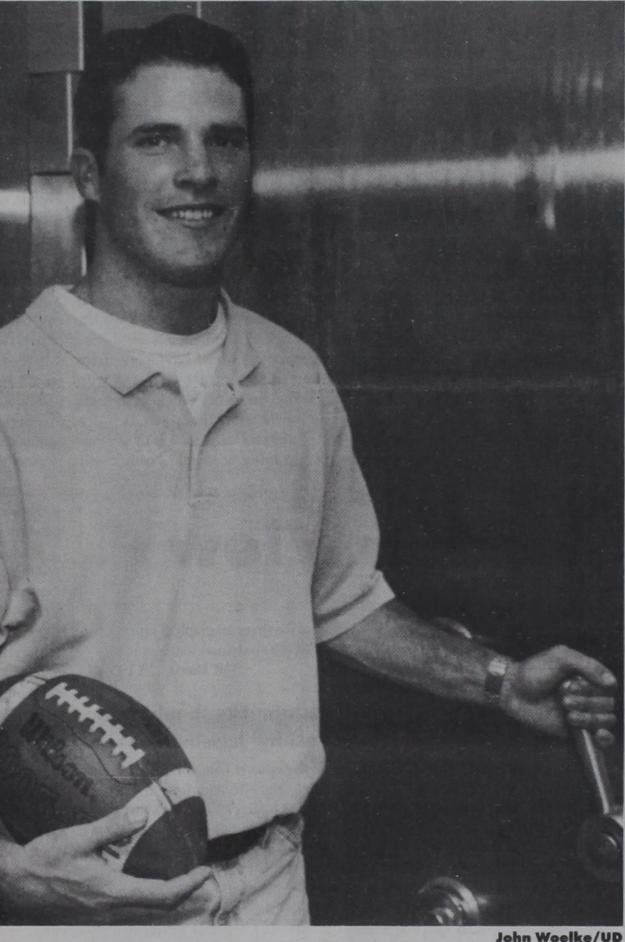
some difficulty staying focused on school.

"In the mornings I just wake up laughing," he said. "It's exciting, but with three exams this week, I don't know how I am going to concentrate."

Jackson was chosen to take the kick after entering his name in a drawing at United Supermarkets, 112 N. University Ave.

"I just made the deadline," he said. "I entered my name at 7:30 p.m. and they made the draw at 7:50 p.m."

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John Woelke/UD

Punting for prosperity: Chris Jackson, a senior finance major from Houston, prepares to count his money at American State Bank on Wednesday. Jackson won \$25,000 for kicking a 40yard punt during halftime at Saturday's Homecoming game against Baylor.

Faculty discuss future of tenure

by Kristi Rieken/UD

expressed concerns Wednesday of tenure in the state of Texas.

"It deals with the value of minimize any weaknesses it tenure evaluations."

A new movement called post for the university to re-examine evaluation policy that includes is approved. an annual review of the perfor-Texas Academe, the newsletter faculty?" Haragan said. for the Texas Conference of the versity Professors.

If faculty evaluations are be- ulty?" low the standard for two conprofessor's tenure or dismiss the tenure issues. professor from the university,

Texas, professors say.

Texas Academe claims this discuss this issue. movement will not serve faculty vice through taxes.

They say legislators are try-

Haragan addressed the group of Texas Tech faculty members about 40 people about the issue.

"There is a lot of talk going about the administration's plans on around the country about tenconcerning the possible demise ure and the future of tenure," Haragan said.

"Right now it seems to be academic freedom," said Faculty focused upon post-tenure evalu-Senate President John Howe. ations, and I think certainly one "We are always looking at ten- of the things we would like to ure to maximize its strength and do is talk about the idea of post-Haragan said it is important

tenure review reads that "each the evaluation procedures curuniversity system should be re- rently in use to see if they will quired to establish a faculty be acceptable if this movement

"Do we have in place a suffimance of all faculty, including cient evaluation criteria now tenured faculty," according to the with our annual reports of the

"Is there something we need American Association of Uni- to do to upgrade this for our posttenure evaluations of the fac-

The Faculty Senate discussed secutive years, the school would bringing a Senate Symposium to have reason to revoke the the Tech campus to speak about

Faculty members want the according to the Texas Academe. symposium to be a campus-wide The movement will end ten- event that will bring legislators, ure as it is now in the state of as well as faculty, administrators and business leaders together to

"I'm not telling you that in Texas well because it is rooted we're facing a situation where in the national trend to move our legislature is going to abanaway from providing public ser- don the concept of tenure," Haragan said.

"But I do think it is going to ing to balance a budget that is continue to be discussed and I underfunded and overmandated. think that it would behoove us Tech President Donald to be a part of that discussion."

Dining hall plans to integrate non-athlete students

by Christy Apple/UD

having to look to other options in or- average meal costs \$4.30. der to provide food for its athletes.

feed the athletes two meals a day in access to it anythe J. William Davis-Athletic Dining more. Hall. The NCAA rule surrounding ath- NCAA wants all

letic dining halls states that universi- athletes to mingle ties are only allowed to give student- with the nonathletes one meal a day in the athletic scholarship athdining hall. The rule's goal is to inte- letes and non-athgrate the student-athletes with the stulete students. The dent body as a whole, said interim part-time serving Athletic Director Gerald Myers.

The NCAA has given universities fect Monday. the option of keeping the athletic dining hall open by allowing non-athlete couraging offstudents to eat in the athletic dining campus as well as halls. These students would have to on-campus stupay more for athletic dining hall food dents to eat with than they do for food served in the resi- the athletes," Myers said. dence halls.

ing hall director, said the average cost time service again."

of a meal Tech athletes eat is \$5, while

The athletic program is in the pro- athletic dining hall as a special privi- nity as a plus for the program. cess of finding ways to continue to lege and does not want athletes to have

He said the

rule goes into ef-

"We are en-

"If we can get 40 to 45 more stu- be able to tell the difference when Byron Waters, Tech athletic dindents, we can open this up to the full-there are non-athletes in here," Ervin not served that last meal of the day.

Marsha Sharp, associate athletic di-The Texas Tech athletic program is in the residence halls' dining halls, the rector and Tech women's basketball coach, said Tech does not want to iso-Myers said the NCAA looks at the late the athletes and sees this opportu-

> programs and for the non-ath-

> > letes to get to

Senior run-

Adrian Ervin

said it would not

faze him if non-

athletes began

eating with the

"There are so

athletes.

ning

We are encouraging offcampus as well as on-campus students to eat with the athletes.

Gerald Myers, Tech interim athletic director

many people in the dining hall right now that I don't know that I will

said. "It does not bother me.

eryone a little bit of time to get used to it. It is all just a matter of time." Waters said the NCAA rule went into effect last year, but was not strictly "This will help the awareness of the enforced until this year.

"It started last year, but we did not publicize actively, or aggressively market the dining hall," Waters said. know the ath- "It has always been this way, and we

"When change happens, it takes ev-

Waters said he serves Grade A meat back and it is a better quality than the normal dining hall food.

letes," Sharp have not experienced anything differ-

Paul Almanza, a freshman psychology major from San Antonio, said if he could eat in the athletic dining hall, he would eat there instead of at his residence hall dining hall.

"Yes, I would eat in there because their is better food," Almanza said. "I wouldn't go because of the athletes, I would go because of the food."

Myers is afraid if the athletes are See Dining, page 6

Cigarette marketing drops

lion less on advertising and pro- lion the previous year. motions in 1994 than in the preget since 1986.

Commission reported Wednesday.

Most of the drop came from called "value-added promotions." to Congress.

cigarette samples in 1994. That tions in an effort to curb teen use.

WASHINGTON (AP) - The spending dropped to just \$7 milcigarette industry spent \$1.2 bil- lion in 1994, down from \$40 mil-

The decline in advertising and vious year, the first drop in the promotion spending follows a deindustry's massive marketing bud- cision by tobacco companies in 1993 to drop prices on their pre-Cigarette makers spent \$4.83 mium brands by 20 percent to betbillion in 1994, down almost 20 ter compete with discount cigapercent from \$6.03 billion the pre-rettes, said securities analyst vious year, the Federal Trade Emanuel Goldman with Paine Webber in San Francisco.

The companies needed "a cutpromotions that directly hit con- back in certain marketing categosumers' wallets: coupons, mul- ries to at least try to ease the pain" tiple-pack discounts and other so- of lower revenues, Goldman said.

Critics have blamed aggressive Cigarette makers cut in half tobacco industry marketing for spending on such promotions, to helping sway teen-agers to smoke. \$1.25 billion, down from an all- After a two-year investigation, the time high of \$2.56 billion in 1993, Food and Drug Administration the FTC said in its annual report announced in August that within two years it will issue curbs on Americans also got fewer free tobacco advertising and promoViewpoints

Their View

Combest fails to vote for needed programs, policy



Mark Harmon/guest columnist

The Congressional Record, available both on-line and in our library, is a wonderful guide to "where the rubber meets the road." The actual votes of congressmen and the full text of bills. Project Vote Smart also offers impartial voting information electronically and via a 1-800 telephone num-

One University Daily letter writer noted the whole story could not be told

in my recent column about our local congressman. Indeed, Larry Combest has cast so many bad votes I had to leave out many. Here are some more:

Remember the Chinese government's brutal crackdown and killings to crush the student-led democracy movement? Hot on the heels of that outrage, Combest voted against delaying the deportation of Chinese students whose visas had expired. The bill (HR 2712) also waived a two-year waiting period for students on one type of exchange visa to seek permanent U.S. residency. Combest, joined by two dozen other extremists, would have sent those students back to immediate danger.

Combest's extremist positions on the environment became clear in HR 4323. .The bill, supported overwhelmingly by both Republicans and Democrats, merely authorized the U.S. portion of the Great Lakes Water Quality Agreement worked out with Canada. Solid majorities of both Democrats and Republicans also supported HR 4333 authorizations for uniform rules to assure the quality of coastal and recreational waters. The bill also allocated federal matching grants so states could comply with new environmental standards. Combest voted against both. He also was one of only five congressmen who voted against regulating pollution from offshore oil and gas platforms (HR

Solid majorities of Democrats and Republicans also realized the common sense and taxpayer savings of an amendment to HR 2100; the change would require the president to seek cost-sharing agreements with our allies and would create a mutual defense payments account. Combest voted against it.

Our longtime representatives talk a good game about political reform, all the while raking in huge chunks of campaign cash and voting against reform. He voted against even discussing a bill (S.349) which would have expanded disclosure of lobbying and imposed new restrictions on gifts to members of Congress. He also voted against a bill which would have created voluntary spending limits of \$550,000 per U.S. House candidate in return for lower broadcast and mail costs. That same bill would have limited him and other congressmen and candidates to no more than \$275,000 per election from political action committees.

The budget priorities for our local congressman frequently drift into the bizarre. He voted against disaster aid (humanitarian assistance and peace keeping) to victims of the Los Angeles earthquake and against Midwest flood assistance (HR 3759). He also voted against a bipartisan extension of temporary unemployment benefits upon a presidential declaration of an emergency (HR

Schools and children take a hit in other Combest votes.

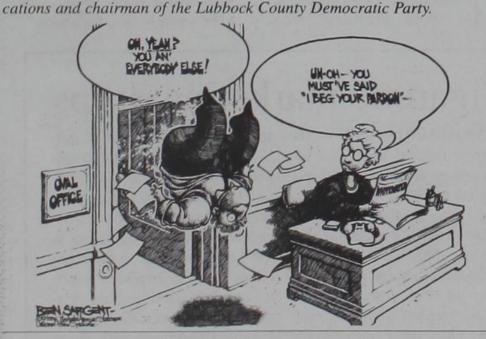
He voted against the Healthy Start infant mortality program (HR 2707) and other proven effective programs including Head Start, Women, Infants, and Children and childhood immunization (HR 3543). These programs in the long run save more money than they cost thanks to reduced costs for health care and delinquency.

Combest voted to eliminate an innovative elementary schools project, to To the editor: Brent Dirks completely cut funding for a bilingual education program, to eliminate funding for other new education programs (HR 6), and to cut the budget for the National Science Foundation (HR 3254). He also voted against (HR 2884), a special schools-to-work program supported by a majority of Republicans, and against Oriole Roberto Alomar spat on umcompetitive grants for schools seeking to improve their performance (HR 1804). He also voted against low-interest loans for poor school districts for renovation and construction (HR 6).

You might think these votes stem from a frugality with the public purse, but think again. Combest voted against even discussing a special program providing financial incentives to encourage retirements of federal workers (HR 3345). The estimated savings to us taxpayers would have been \$22 billion — more than the price tag for all the bills mentioned in this column

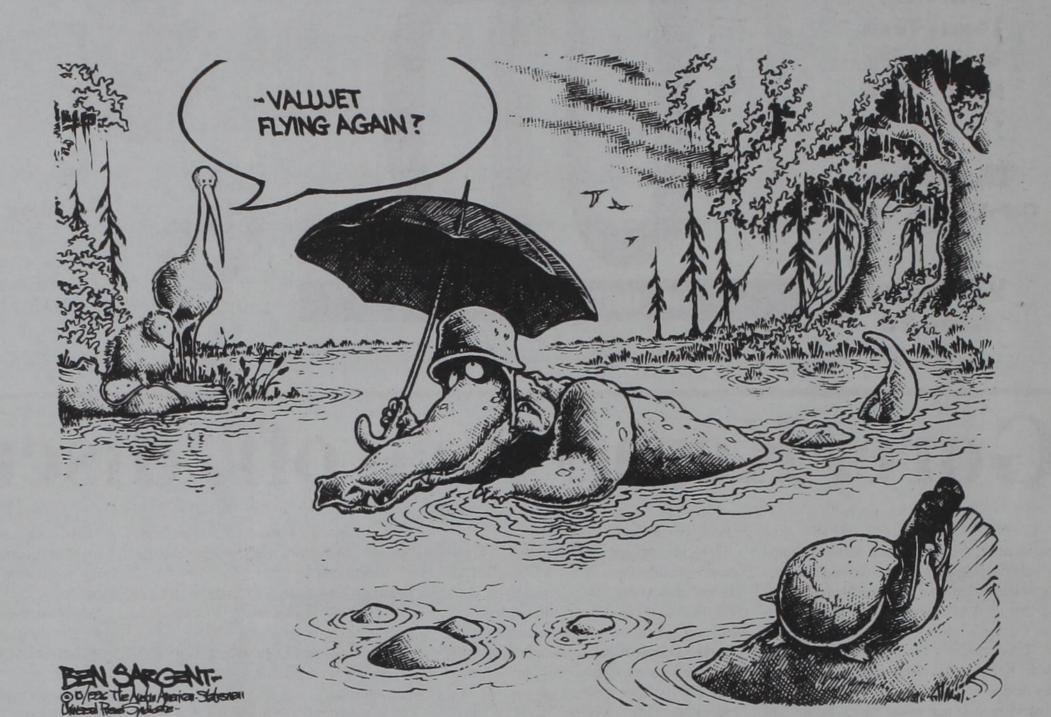
Larry Combest has lost the respect of his own party through a useless vendetta against a fellow congressman. He loses the respect of the rest of us when we look up his voting record and shake our heads in shock and disbelief.

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Tech academy offers students leadership skills



Nakia Alford/columnist

Some people believe that leaderare blessed with. Others believe that leadership is a quality that the leaderries are both true, but there is hope for those of us who have the mind and heart of a leader and not the skill.

country, but this one is different in a tual needs.

renewed zest for becoming a leader. This type of instruction is good conship fairy implants in those that have sidering that we all need motivation. grown wiser with age. These two theo- After all, without motivation where do during the rocky times?

But being taught the skill of lead-The Black Student Association, ership in an academic fashion will

Dean of Students Office, is offering as it really is — a constant learning and state are not really taken into tostudents around the country, as well experience. Our academy is designed tal consideration. The participants will as Tech students, a way to get in touch to be an academic experience in ev- get a chance to take part in an optional with their internal leader at our sec- ery facet of a student's development. praise service on the closing day. Also, ond annual leadership academy. I'm We hope to offer students a structured the students will have a chance to view sure many of you have been to sev- avenue of learning, some entertain- a movie and network with leaders of eral leadership conferences around the ment and a chance to fulfill their spiri- all ages at banquets.

Many conferences offer workshops conducted in a classroom on campus academy tradition that the BSA's ship is a quality that only a select few about how to be a leader or evoke a where the guest professor will lecture founding students envisioned. We and provide handouts about their want all our participants to walk away topic. For example, one of the leader- feeling as if they have been thoroughly ship academic electives is community service and development. The students that they are truly students of the Red you find the strength to press forward will be taught how to assess the needs Raider Academy of Leadership. of a community and members of the

along with the gracious support of the enable participants to see leadership emy is that the separation of church

BSA and the Dean of Students Of-All the leadership sessions will be fice hopes to continue the leadership motivated. We also hope that they feel

Nakia Alford is a junior nursing major from Garland and president of Another strong aspect of this acad- Tech's Black Student Association.

Your View

Sports writer misses point with viewpoint

missed the point in his "Umpires use ill-advised tactics" column (Sports 10/ 8/96). On Sept. 27, when Baltimore pire John Hirshbeck, he spat on a man doing his job, on authority and on the tarnished national pastime. The issue here is that those who run professional sports are too spineless to stand up to spective leagues.

such as Dirks, who are fearful of missing even one valued playoff perfor- and Juan Gonzales' home runs. I bemance by these spoiled brats, fuels the lieve readers would be more interested fire. If Alomar was forced to miss the in reading about who won and how. five games following the incident, maybe the Orioles miss the playoffs and Alomar gets what he deserves the wrath of coaches and management

This would send the message that the league backs the umpires who are of five games with the blessing of his and enjoy time off. The umpires have not lost respect. They have been disrespected. Major League Baseball

after the first paragraph of his column. It was the only part that had merit. Jeff Davis, TTUHSC

Columnists should stop bashing baseball players

To the editor: I am writing in respect to the Roberto Alomar column published Monday (Sports 10/8/96), it was a good article but please stop bashing baseball with negative articles. Alomar was suspended for five games, he the highly paid bad boys in their re- apologized and so did the umpire. Besides there are a lot of good stories nighttime public transportation ser- to Brent Ross' column in The Univer-Valueless, whiney fans and writers in baseball, especially this month like Alomar's heroics in the playoffs Jose Escabi

Letter writer shows poor logic with pot issue

To the editor: I find it difficult to understand Thurman Harrell's logic in paid to make the calls. As it is, Roberto his letter to *The University Daily* (Your Alomar will receive a spring vacation View 10/3/96) concerning the morals of those who use marijuana. Harrell drug because "many law enforcement officers have died as a result of some pothead's selfish desire to get stoned." If the drug were made legal, the po-

its use permissible?

law and give the ultimate sacrifice." people have died from its misuse. How der.' does one explain to the families who suffer from a relative's death at the hands of a drunk driver? Should alcohol be banned? No. Surely there is a Sports editor jumps off better solution. It would be wiser to concentrate on ways of eliminating drunk driving (such as more efficient

islation of marijuana is, I agree, an- ing an embarrassing playoff perforother matter. But why should citizens mance and of also having an unsucabide by state law when marijuana is cessful season just because they didn't tolerated in other countries such as win the a trip to the A.L. Champion-Holland? It seems a little unfair that ship Series. He later went on to say another country's people should be that the Rangers made a mistake by able to smoke the drug and not Tex- not resigning Rafael Palmeiro, now

The legal age to drink in England is say a team had an unsuccessful sea-18. Ought an English 18-year-old re- son when they make the playoffs, refrain from drinking in Texas merely gardless of how far they go. Next, the because it is illegal? Perhaps they team during which he will play golf argues people should avoid using the should. Perhaps English drinking laws appearance in their 25-year club hisshould be revised.

into account regarding the use of marijuana, but to say "anyone who uses it Brent Dirks should have stopped lice would not have to pursue mari- is but one hand away from pulling the ture major

juana users and this would not occur. trigger themselves" is a little far-What happens if marijuana is legal- fetched. If and when the drug is legalized tomorrow? Will Harrell suddenly ized, this will no longer be the case. It change his mind about "selfish seems hypocritical, somewhat, to not potheads?" Will he suddenly declare use a drug because it is unlawful but then, just because the law has changed, Harrell asks how "these people" to declare it permissible. Especially as might "speak to the families of men the intentions of those who use it are and women who chose to uphold the purely for enjoyment and are not, as Harrell argues, comparable with rob-Alcohol is a legalized drug yet many bing a bank and causing "felony mur-

Alison Gregory, sophomore En-

Rangers bandwagon

To the editor: I am writing in response sity Daily (Sports 10/7/96). In his col-Whether people agree with the leg- umn he accused the Ranger's of havwith Baltimore Orioles, and signing Alcohol poses similar problems. Will Clark. First of all, you can never Rangers made their first postseason tory while winning the A.L. West, yet There are many arguments to take because they did not advance, they were unsuccessful. I don't think so.

Dustin Raye, freshman agricul-

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From behind iron walls

After 19 years of silence, former political prisoner Harry Wu speaks out against communism

by Joe Brower/UD

is a problem that some say will not go ports are made by slave laborers. away without major actions to oppose

In a 90-minute lecture titled exports are "China: Yesterday, Today and Tomor- made through row," former Chinese political pris- forced labor," oner Harry Wu spoke to a crowd of Wu said. "If they about 500 people in the University know, chances Center Allen Theatre Wednesday night are they won't about slave labor in China.

"I think people have to know about anymore." it," Wu said. "It is a small globe, and many other countries trade with it plained (China), but they do not know about meaning of the the lack of dignity, religion and hu- word "Laogai," man rights."

During his 19-year incarceration, means labor re-Wu was left for dead and was forced form, by comto forage for frogs and snakes for food. paring it to the States Congress, the United Nations committed by his home country.

many of China's

like to buy them ex-

which literally

He has testified before the United now nonexistent Soviet Union Gulags. leave informed." "The gulags of the Soviet Union and several European Parliaments and the laogai's of China can be lik-positive. about the many human rights abuses ened to the concentration camps of Hitler's Germany," Wu said. "Only the Wu and what he had to say," said Jared

According to Chinese government laogais and gulags had prisoners of Drake, a freshman business major The state of forced labor in China documents, 33 percent of China's ex- classes, not of race."

States speaking experiences and

said. "After

in China, they

China is my homeland — it is where my family, been positive. friends and fellow inmates are bur-

Harry Wu, former Chinese political prisoner

Student reaction to Wu's visit was inmates are buried," he said.

"I was really impressed by Harry is in power."

from Breckenridge. "I heard a lot of After his release from the prison things about what is going on in China "Most people are not aware that camp in 1975, Wu travels the United that I didn't know before." The lecture attracted more people

about his prison than originally expected.

"We had about 500 people in atsaid the general tendance tonight, which is especially reaction to his good for an event that isn't regular enlectures has tertainment," said Jami Carothers, a member of the UC Programs Ideas and "People are Issues Committee, who coordinated often shocked Wu's visit to Tech along with Tech's when they here chapter of Amnesty International. "I what is going think it really shows that students are on currently in becoming interested foreign and po-China," Wu litical problems."

Although Wu was arrested by the they hear about Chinese government three times, he the conditions still has a deep love for China.

"China is my homeland — it is where my family, friends and fellow



Matt Branum/UD

Sharing hope: Former political prisoner Harry Wu discusses his experiences "I will always love it no matter who with Andrea Knight, a freshman biology major from Lubbock. Wu was imprisoned for 19 years by the Chinese government and now tours the United Wu said there are things that stu- States speaking about his prison experiences with forced labor.

Finding confirms U.S. troops exposed to nerve gas in Gulf War

WASHINGTON (AP) — A firm to result from chemical agents. finding that nerve gas wafted over U.S.

war, the Pentagon is nowhere near the Pentagon continues a massive ef- with undiagnosed symptoms to re- tional disease that may be related to nerve gas released by an Army demo- gests that long-term effects arise only ready to link low-level exposure to fort to sort out whether a demolition ceive financial aid.

Nor is the county's medical com- gases over U.S. soldiers.

troops in the Persian Gulf could open offered by government officials, vet- could shorten what Budahn called "a the door to benefits for some veterans. erans representatives and medical ex- rather time-consuming, cumbersome either identify some new clinical en- termined that soldiers in the Persian War syndrome. But five years after the U.S.-Iraqi perts in interviews Wednesday even as administrative process" for veterans tity not yet characterized or a tradichemical weapons to a specific illness. job after the conflict released toxic

tively as Gulf War syndrome are found Phil Budahn of the American Legion.

These sobering assessments were ing of chemical weapons exposure Terry Jemison said.

And research linking chemical ex- said.

For some, though, a definitive find- Affairs Department, VA spokesman

"There's the potential we would

pears to be a long way off.

However, such a development ap- not the subtle, delayed symptoms of headache, stomach ailments and fa-First, the military has not yet de-tigue commonly associated with Gulf

"Current medical literature sugtheir service in the Gulf," Jamison lition team destroying Iraqi bunkers in when exposure was significant enough March 1991, just after the war ended. to cause symptoms at the time, but





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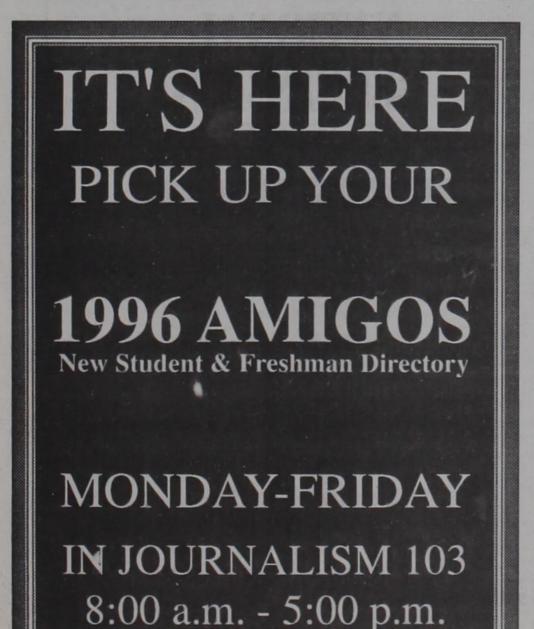
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Public Lecture and Discussion, Oct. 10

Chemistry 025, 8:00 p.m. Contact: Amie Thomasson, 742-2793

Internet Search Tools/Engines, Oct. 11th

Library, User Instruction Rm. #1, 10:00-12:00a.m.

Contact: Jon R. Hufford, 742-2236

UNIVERSITY DEMOCRATS

General Meeting, Oct. 10

U.C. 209, 7:00 p.m. Contact: Michael, 797-2408 or Katie, 792-2933

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Tonight at

7:00 PM

Dinner time: David Reed, a freshman mechanical engineering major from Brownwood, and Dusty Carlile, a freshman architecture major from Dumas, serve a meal in the Hulen/Clement Dining Hall.

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Meeting, Friday Oct. 11th

Double T Room at the U.C., 7:00 p.m.

Contact: George Crewe, 763-4891

STUDENT CHAPTER

Open Meeting, Oct. 10th

U.C. Faculty Club Room, 7:00 p.m.

Contact: Charles Elliot, 792-1866

HISPANIC STUDENT SOCIETY

Car Wash, Oct. 12th

4:00p.m

THURSDAY

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10:00 Lamb Chop Mr. Rogers

:00 Arthur

00 M. Adams

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:00 Sit, Be Fit

2:00 Creatures Magic Bus

30 |Wishbone

:00 Carmen

:00 Read Rainbo

3:00 Arthur

4:30 Bill Nye

7:00 Legendary Trails

:00 Mystery!

11:00 Article Storytime

KTXT

(5)

Lubbock

by Heidi Simons/UD

French fries, pepperoni pizza and interested in eating healthier food. chicken fried steak are all dining hall can have some lasting negative effects. offer a large variety of foods at both

Many students attribute the dreaded "freshman 15" to the all-you-caneat dining hall philosophy, but those avoid unnecessary weight gain, or ing to improve their eating habits, do have options, said officials at Texas Tech's Housing and Dining Ser-

There is nutritional food out students wishing to there - we offer the food, but it's those merely wish- an individual deci- low-fat and fat-

> Tom Razey, associate director of Housing and Dining

Dining Services, said students seem

ends of the scale." ucts are the most Turnipseed said. popular right now, she said.

halls serve low-fat brownies and yogurt, as well as free dressings.

such as rice, beans and pasta, are available at

Vegetarian and

most meals for the students who etarians. Cyndi Turnipseed, product and choose not to eat any animal products menu coordinator for Housing and at all, she said.

Turnipseed recently spoke with a eating healthy food is a choice that student who is a vegan, someone who requires thought and effort. "We try to please as many people eats no meat, eggs or dairy products, animal by-products.

> "With our large variety of choices, said. Low-fat prod- she is able to satisfy her needs,"

However, vegetarian student vidual decision. " Kathleen Riendeau, a freshman studio Tech dining art major from Houston, said eating vegetarian in the dining halls is not always easy.

"They do not always serve a vegetable entree," Riendeau said. "They are supposed to, but they don't."

The dining hall does serve a varivegan entrees, ety of fruits and vegetables, she said. However, the dining hall does add meat to some things like beans, which are a major source of protein for veg-

> "I think a lot of the food is really greasy and unhealthy," Riendeau said. Tom Razey, associate director of Housing and Dining Services, said food," Bacon said.

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"People talk about it a lot, but when favorites, but too much of a good thing as possible," Turnipseed said. "We about the availability of food without you watch students, they don't always practice what they preach," Razey

> "There is nutritional food out there - we offer the food, but it's an indi-

> The dining halls offer information about fat grams, calories and ingredients for all of the menu items, he said. Color-coded labels correspond with each entree, which let students know what items are healthy.

The labels list the ingredients, number of calories and amount of fat.

Nutritional guides also are available upon request for students who are interested, Razey said.

Josh Bacon, a freshman industrial engineering major from Albuquerque, N.M., said the dining hall food is better than he expected.

"I like it — they offer a variety of

"I think they serve nutritious food,

but the food I eat may not be."

Unfortunately, students do not always pay attention to the foods they are eating, said Mallory Boylan, a faculty member of Tech's education and nutrition management department.

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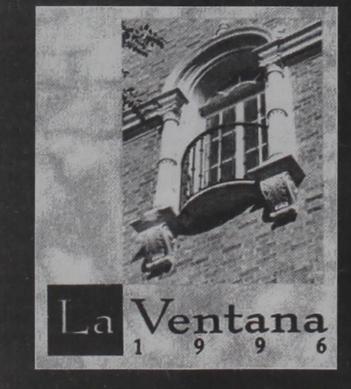
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Prank callers seek power over victims

by Sara Kattawar/UD

Around 3 a.m. the telephone rings. swered by heavy breathing.

Angry her sleep was disrupted by Tech's this caller's bad sense of humor, she School of slams the receiver down and tries to Medi. fall back to sleep.

However, the phone rings again and again, making her so upset she has to are sevdisconnect the telephone from the eral difwall.

"This is the reaction that most types of prank callers want," said Michael harassing Sommermeyer, assistant director for c a 1 1 s Texas Tech's news and publications t h a t department.

"It shows the caller is an annoyance m o n l y and makes them call back."

During the past two years, there Braudt have been 42 prank or harassing phone said. calls made on campus, Sommermeyer said.

Calls made to the residence halls bad memories. account for 38 of the reports, and the istration and staff.

ing phone calls for various reasons, such as boredom, to get a reaction or to create fear, Sommermeyer said.

"In general, these calls are made by trol over them, Braudt said. people who are passive, that is afraid lor from the screening office of Texas you and control you," he said.

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Some are made in fun, while oth- receive thrills from their victims' reers attempt to intimidate or dredge up sponses

"Sometimes, a sexual abuse perpe- calls, the results can be psychologi- said other four calls were made to admin- trator will call and harass a victim be- cally detrimental for some people, he cause they still want the power over said People prank call or make harass- them — intimidation to achieve some other goal," he said.

> The phone is used to breech the periences," Braudt said. privacy of the victim and exert con-

A female student rolls out of bed to to approach someone in person," said perpetrator wants to get to the victim touched them," he said. answer it. The groggy hello is an- Sam Braudt, a mental health counse- is you can't hide from us, we can find

> There are similarities memories return. Braudt said. Both

from so-

"The results can be catastrophic to the origin of the call."

abuse survivors — it's like a voice "The symbolic message that the from the past has reached out and

> Usually, survivors can move on with their lives, he said.

However, once these people from their past come back, all of the bad

"Someone with a more normal, healthy background reacts to the calls tionists in a nonchalant way," he said.

These calls usually do not have a "dirty long-term effect on the person receiving the calls, Braudt said.

They will eventually forget about

it, he said. "I have received those calls but I want to just hang up," said Amy Rumpsa, a

hide their freshman childhood development maidentities jor from Denton. Prank call victims are not power-

ciety and less to protect themselves, however. There are ways to prevent harassing calls and trace the calls to find out When a person makes harassing who is making them, Sommermeyer

"You can have your phone number changed, have it unlisted or use a caller "The effect of a call on a person identification box," Sommermeyer depends on that person's previous ex- said. "Report all calls to the University Police, and they will investigate

Advil brings headaches for honor student

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once I got onto the field I felt re- really deserves the money."

Todd Turlington, director of

"Every kick but one has been

"I knew I was not supposed to Middle School's gifted program. She honor student spent Wednesday at bring that. I mistakenly forgot it was said she put a bottle of Advil in her home after being suspended for car- in my backpack," Olson said Tuesday. backpack on Sunday to help soothe a

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gers instead."

continued from page 1 they will eat unhealthy food.

The University of Nebraska is runs late. experiencing the same effects of the NCAA's athletic dining hall rule.

ate athletic director and director of

"The NCAA has made an error team." on judgement on this," Epley said. "But we have to conform to rules."

Nebraska also serves better uling of meals for the athletes. quality food to its athletes than is the adjustment by adding a \$2 sur- Sharp said. charge to the meal plans of those athletic dining hall.

"Our food is Grade A meat, and we serve a variety of different foods for the athletes," Epley said.

Myers said Tech's athletic din-"If we don't stay open, then the ing hall serves bigger portions and athletes after practice will not eat a students can get as many helpings nutritious meal," Myers said. "They as they want. The only problem will eat hamburgers and cheesebur- Myers foresees is the other dining halls not being open when practice

"The dining hall caters to the practice schedule of the coaches," Boyd Epley, Nebraska's associ- Myers said. "If a coach thinks that practice is going to run late, then performance for athletes, does not he can call and ask for the dining agree with this new NCAA regula- hall to stay open a little later or he can have sack lunches made for his

Sharp said she also believes the biggest obstacle will be the sched-

"The one thing that helps so served in the non-athlete dining much is the dining hall accommohalls, he said. Nebraska has made dates to teams so much better,"

"Such sports as golf and track non-scholarship and non-athlete that practice until dark, may not be students wanting to eat meals in the able to get to the dining hall during the assigned times."

Women's golf takes eighth in Big 12 Preview

traveled to College Station and placed eighth out of 12 teams in the Big 12 Missouri, Kansas State, Oklahoma Preview tournament Monday and State, Texas, Kansas and Tech. The leads the team with four takeaways, Lawrence, Kan. Johnson knows for his Tuesday.

Sophomore Brooke Lowrance tied Oklahoma, Iowa State and Colorado. for 15th at 233, senior Tamara Parker tied for 25th at 238, sophomore Beth we had a good practice session going been because of Johnson, including Covington tied for 32th at 240, junior into the tournament," Tech coach Jeff Amy Marsh tied for 41st at 242, and Mitchell said of the team's play.

The Texas Tech women's golf team Kristin Kight came in 55th at 251.

Nebraska finished first followed by Red Raiders finished above Baylor,

No. 7: Tech's unknown Saturday warrior

by Heath Robinson/UD

conferences, opposing coaches rave us win." about the guy for Tech who got the as No. 7 in red.

linebacker leads the defense in five player. statistical categories and is second in heard when it comes to postseason his side.

tent to go to a bowl game each of his backers around." four years at Tech and be thankful just

who people think the star is," Johnson the defense. said. "Everything shows up on the field Saturday. The best recognition I in its three victories, the Red Raiders can get is being able to put on a Tech have put up only 26 points in their two jersey and play each week."

"I was a little disappointed because by the Red Raiders this season have Raiders need to win the game. three against Utah State alone.

do for this team," Johnson said. "I'm Robert Johnson can be seen tear- kind of small for a typical linebacker, ing up football fields and offenses ev- but I'm also faster than a typical lineery week, it's just that few people backer. I'm good at getting turnovers, know his name. In postgame press and I like forcing turnovers. It helps

While he stands only 5-11 and key turnover, but they only know him weighs 188 pounds, Johnson is hardly reliant on speed alone. His knack for Johnson is a senior, overshadowed the football has led him to a team-high during his years at Tech by guys 52 tackles in five games, and in 1994 named Zach Thomas, Marcus he won the Pete Cawthon Award for Coleman and now Tony Daniels. The being the team's most courageous

Tech defensive coordinator John another, but his name rarely can be Goodner is thankful to have No. 7 on

"Robert Johnson is our bell cow," The three-year starter does not Goodner said. "He is a big-play guy make much of the apparent lack of who makes people around him better. respect given to him; instead he is con- He is one of the better outside line-

The fact Tech even had a chance to win the two games it lost the season "As long as we win, I don't care was due in large part to Johnson and

While Tech has scored 134 points road losses. Yet the defense kept the The senior from Lubbock Estacado Red Raiders within one score in both has certainly been the star this season, games. Tech travels again Saturday, two interceptions and two fumble re- senior year to be a success as far as each of his first three years and, with coveries. Half of the turnovers caused wins and losses is concerned, the Red a bowl game this season, could set a field and off," Tech coach Spike Dykes

each game," Johnson said. "We can't "The turnover is the best thing I can do that without beating Kansas first. degree in recreation and leisure ser-We want to be in the conference title vices, Johnson will leave a much diftion next year, but for right now, game in December, so we need to ferent person than when he showed up.

> has seen some of the best years in the up," Johnson said. "It seems like just me to be successful this season. I'm history of Red Raider football. yesterday I got here, and it's been the going to keep giving it my all on the Johnson has been to a bowl game in best five years of my life."

John Woelke/UD

I want you: Senior linebacker Robert Johnson displays the attitude that has at least on the statistics page. Johnson facing the 3-1 Kansas Jayhawks in made him a presence in the middle of the Red Raider defense this season.

"My goal from now on out is to win years going to a bowl game at four.

When he graduates in May with his our defense would be without him."

"Texas Tech has made me a much

"Robert is really a great kid, on the school-record for most consecutive said. "He is truly a pleasure to know. And on the field, I don't know where

> Tech will have to answer that ques-Johnson still has work to do.

"I am not satisfied yet," Johnson In Johnson's four years at Tech, he better person and taught me to grow said of his career. "It's important for field, and we'll see what happens."

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