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Tech, nation reacts to Clinton tapes

President's job ratings unchanged, credibility plummets

By Apu Naik
Staff Writer

After the entire country viewed the raw footage video tape of President Clinton's grand jury testimony about Monica Lewinsky, many Texas Tech students and faculty were left with mixed feelings, emotions and opinions.

Most students and faculty were reluctant to speak about the testimony, saying they were embarrassed and ashamed. Some were willing to speak of the affair and of the testimony, but were

reluctant to release their names for a number of different reasons.

Some students felt as if they were affected directly by the testimony and that the tape offended them deeply.

Jacob Padilla, a graduate student in public administration from Corpus Christi, said because he studies the government and has had family who have died for their country, he finds it very disturbing that the president would be involved in such an affair.

"As a student of political science and public administration, I hold the Office

of the President in very high regard, and it disgusts me to hear the president talk about an extramarital affair in such a matter-of-fact sort of way," Padilla said.

"But even so, I don't think the act of adultery itself should be grounds for impeachment, and I'm not yet convinced that he forced anyone to lie under oath. But if he did, indeed he should be impeached."

Many shared Padilla's sentiment and felt the affair was affecting the entire county in a negative manner, but one Tech professor said it is a shame the

country's moral issues are being strayed away from more important ones.

"It definitely is a shame that any of this had to happen," said Jerry Koch, assistant professor of sociology at Tech. "But it's also a shame that our country's emphasis on morality is being placed on this, rather than on more globally affecting issues such as homelessness, poverty, illiteracy and other tragedies which are a harsh reality in today's world yet do not get the attention they deserve because of tabloid type stories such as this."

The tape, which released an array of

new evidence, includes more material that explicitly describes Lewinsky's sex acts with Clinton, presidential phone messages left at Lewinsky's home and FBI test results that conclude semen on one of Lewinsky's dresses belongs to Clinton.

In polls conducted by NBC news Monday, Clinton's job approval ratings remained the same, but the president's credibility approval ratings are continuing to plummet.

The Associated Press contributed to this story.

Montford's pay raise does not violate act

By Jonathan Biles
Staff Writer

Despite recent allegations from the *Lubbock Avalanche-Journal*, Chancellor John Montford's pay raise was approved during an Aug. 14 open meeting of the Texas Tech Board of Regents, said John Opperman, vice chancellor for administration and finance.

As of Sept. 1, Montford's salary became 5 percent higher with an addition of \$30,000 added to his salary.

Opperman said the \$30,000 was initially a bonus, which Montford received yearly, based on his fund-raising accomplishments.

In a letter from Edward Whitacre Jr., chairman of the Board of Regents, to Montford, Whitacre said Montford's fund-raising efforts have been so extensive in the past that he believes the \$30,000 should be added to his salary base and the bonus be dropped.

In the meeting, Montford's 5 percent raise and permanent bonus were made official, along with the approval of the budget.

Opperman said the discussion and approval for the removal of Montford's \$30,000-per-year bonus for fund raising will occur at the Nov. 13 Board of Regents meeting.

Pat Campbell, vice chancellor and general counsel, said no decisions were made during the closed, executive meeting of the Board of Regents, but in contrast, Whitacre's letter states, "... the \$30,000 fund raising incentive is eliminated."

Whitacre did not return *The University Daily's* phone calls.

Leigh Bellinger, reporter for the *Avalanche-Journal*, reported that approval for Montford's \$30,000 increase to his salary was not discussed during the open meeting and was a violation of the Texas Open Records Act.

The open records act states governmental bodies may adjourn in a closed meeting and discuss future plans, however, they may not make any formal actions or decisions.

"The only way that I know this, is because our reporter, that was covering the meeting, said that making any decisions on this \$30,000 was not made during the open session," Bellinger said.

Campbell said when the Board of Regents approve the budget, they do not discuss every aspect of the budget in the same meeting.

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Continuing the Tradition

Tech tradition supported by campus, city

By Melody Ragland
Staff Writer

The tradition of Texas Tech's mascot began Sept. 26, 1936. The earliest Masked Riders were called Ghost Riders because their identity was unknown. They would show up at football games, circle the field and then disappear.

Although the tradition has changed a little, we still have the Masked Rider and its horse.

Dusty Abney, a senior animal science major from Athens, is Tech's 37th Masked Rider.

Black Phantom Raider has been Tech's mascot for two years now.

"The Masked Rider is one of the best traditions," Abney said.

Sam Jackson, assistant professor in the Department of Animal Science, said Black Phantom Raider is a nine- or 10-year-old male quarterhorse. Phantom was donated to Tech by Norwest Bank on Oct. 25, 1997, during the Tech-Texas A&M football game.

"The Masked Rider is one of the best traditions."

Dusty Abney
1998-99 Masked Rider

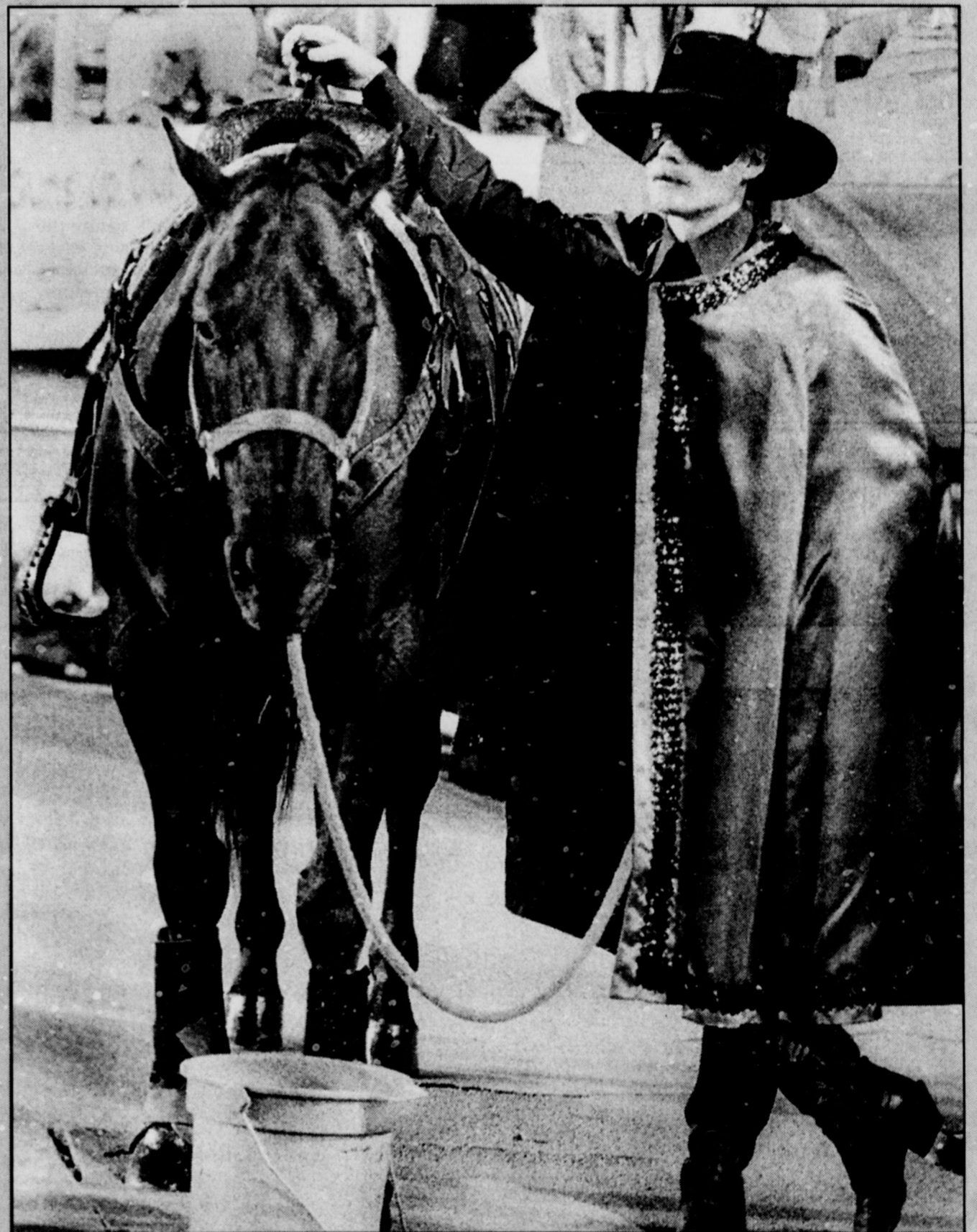
said the mascot is financially supported in many ways.

The current budget for the mascot is \$8,020. The money comes from student service fees and covers Phantom's room and board, veterinarian care, shoeing, and feed and grooming supplies. It also helps pay for appearance fees and traveling expenses.

The athletic department also supports the mascot by sharing the cost of liability insurance and paying some traveling expenses.

The animal science department also helps with the

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Leading the Horse to Water: Masked Rider Dusty Abney, a senior animal science major from Athens, pauses as Black Phantom Raider takes a water break during Saturday's game against Fresno State. The quarterhorse was donated by Norwest Bank on Oct. 25, 1997 during the Tech-Texas A&M football game.

U.S. Senator addresses women leaders in politics



By Apu Naik
Staff Writer

U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison visited Lubbock Monday to address the various achievements women have made in politics at the Texas Tech women's leadership conference.

Tech's Center for Professional Development presented the conference, which was the first of its kind, at the Holiday Inn Lubbock Plaza. The center is a division of the College of Business Administration.

Hutchison delivered a keynote address to the conference of women, detailing the many advancements and significant roles women have contributed to our nation's government.

Women have always played a critical role in American life, but only in the last half of the 20th cen-

Hutchison vows to bring federal dollars to Tech for research, education

... they have been able to bring their special perspective to bear on the stage of national politics, Hutchison said.

During Monday's conference, Tech students, faculty and many Lubbock residents attended to listen to various speakers reflect the roles and development of women and their careers.

Hutchison, who is the first woman to represent Texas in the U.S. Senate, also is one of only 10 female senators of the total 100.

She has represented Texas since June 1993, when she was elected by the largest margin of votes ever received in the United States against

a sitting, incumbent senator.

"It's very important that women in high political positions, such as Sen. Hutchison, address issues affecting the advancement of women," said Jacquelin Garcia, assistant vice chancellor for administration and finance at Tech. "It is comforting to know that politicians are serving as advocates for this advancement."

The senator outlined to members of the conference the increasingly important role women serve in politics, not only to bring those issues important to women to the forefront, but also to initiate legislation on those issues.

"Public policy debates today rightly take into consideration women's ideas and ideals," Hutchison told the participants of the conference.

"When I was the first Republican woman elected to the Texas House, I co-sponsored landmark legislation, setting the guidelines that ensure the fair treatment of rape victims."

"This marked the beginning of efforts in our state to address the problems of violence against women."

After the senator's keynote address, members of the media were allowed a closed press conference with Hutchison, in which subjects ranging from Tech federal funding to the President's extramarital affairs were discussed.

Hutchison stressed that she is

dedicated to bringing federal funding dollars to Tech for research and education, and said federal relief to the drought-stricken West Texas agriculture is close to becoming finalized.

Direct relief in the form of over \$7 billion to local agriculture can be expected to be passed as soon as next month, the senator said.

As for the controversy surrounding President Clinton's affair, Hutchison said she sympathizes with the entire nation during this time of crisis.

"It is a travesty that there is a scandal of this magnitude surrounding the president, but is extremely important that our country comes together," Hutchison said.

"We must endure and learn from our president's mistakes," Hutchison said.

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Votes For Women: U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison speaks to residents of the Lubbock and Tech communities Monday at the Holiday Inn Lubbock Plaza.

Nursing school receives aid to expand

By Amy Bishop
Staff Writer

The Texas Tech School of Nursing recently received a federal Health Resources Services Administration Division of Nursing grant of \$660,000 to help expand their Family Nurse Practitioner program.

This grant will also help to expand health care in rural communities, said Elizabeth Paulk, coordinator of special events at the News and Publications Center for the Health Sciences Cen-

ter. This new funding will help the school enroll higher numbers of rural-based students into this program by the use of effective distance learning, said Virginia Miller, coordinator for practitioners. With the use of this distance learning, it will help to provide health care in communities with limited access to health care.

"There is definitely a shortage of quality health care in rural communities," said Nancy Ridenour, principle investigator and associate dean for education.

"This grant can also help students to stay in their local communities to

finish out their education, because for many, where they are now will probably be where they end up working."

The grant will also allow the School of Nursing to strengthen the academic partnership it has with UT-Tyler, Midwestern State in Wichita Falls, and also the branch in Odessa.

"A lot of the applicants for the program want to make the grant available to as many as possible."

The grant was not sent to all of these schools, but will be extended," Miller said.

The strengthened program will

allow students to develop both nursing and business acumen.

"The health care system is changing rapidly, so there is a strong business component to help provide knowledge to run a patient-oriented practice with fiscal responsibilities," Ridenour said.

"This program will be implemented using the Internet, distance telecommuting learning, faculty from TTUHSC, UT-Tyler, MSU, and the branch in Odessa, and visiting professors and consultants," Miller said.

Former education board chairman dies at age 87

HOUSTON (AP) — Funeral services were scheduled Tuesday for Joe Kelly Butler, the former chairman of the State Board of Education who publicly feuded with Ross Perot over his ideas for education reform.

Butler, 87, died Saturday at his home of an apparent heart attack.

Butler was first elected to the state school board in 1973 and served 11 years, including nine as chairman.

He is best remembered for his arguments with Perot over recommendations for education reform made by a panel headed by Perot.

In 1984, Butler lost his school

board seat after he was defeated in the Republican primary.

Before serving on the state board, Butler sat for almost a decade on the Houston Independent School District board of trustees. He also served as chairman of the Texas Board of Mental Health and Mental Retardation from 1968 to 1973.

A former oilman, Butler founded Butler Drilling Co. of Houston.

He is survived by his wife, Roberta Woods Butler; two sons, Tom Kelly Butler and Duncan Tellef Butler, both of Houston; and a daughter, Merri Larsen Butler, of Brenham.

Hispanic votes are key to election '98

DALLAS (AP) — Hispanics are the future of the Texas Democratic party, some party members say. But Republicans realize it's just as important for them to secure the Hispanic vote in the November election.

Candidates from both parties are making overtures to this powerful cultural group like never before as the number of Hispanics voting and running for office grows.

Democratic gubernatorial nominee Garry Mauro is depending on huge support from Hispanics in his bid to upset Republican Gov. George W. Bush, especially in South Texas.

Mauro told reporters last week he isn't worried about losing Hispanic votes because, he said, Bush has done little for Hispanics. He said the governor opposes affirmative action and has not appointed many Hispanics during his four-year term.

"The problem is he's wrong on all

the issues," Mauro said.

Bush disagreed, saying he has "set a tone that says to the Hispanic community, you're a part of the future." His campaign is broadcasting two Spanish-language radio ads in which he speaks briefly in Spanish.

This summer's Texas Democratic Convention had a distinctive Hispanic flavor this summer.

Every candidate made an effort to say at least something to delegates in Spanish.

Land commissioner candidate Richard Raymond, the only Hispanic Democrat running statewide, spoke of "el tiempo de mis abuelitos," the time of his grandparents.

Raymond, a state representative from Benavides in South Texas, said it used to be a given that Hispanics supported Democratic candidates. "Now we must fight for every vote," he told delegates.

Suspects in slaying picked up in Texas city

BISMARCK, N.D. (AP) — Two men suspected of killing a Bismarck couple were caught in Texas after a deputy saw them drinking beer and talking to a prostitute, authorities said Monday.

Robert Lawrence, 27, and Brian Erickstad, 18, were arrested Sunday night in Grand Prairie, Texas, a city located between Dallas and Fort Worth.

They are charged with murder in the slayings of Erickstad's parents, Gordon and Barbara Erickstad of Bismarck. When the two suspects were arrested, they were traveling in the Erickstad couple's pickup, authorities said.

Lawrence and Brian Erickstad were being held without bond in

the city jail, said Grand Prairie Police Sgt. Alan Patton.

They made an initial appearance Monday in municipal court on a misdemeanor charge of giving false information to police.

Patton said the charge would not affect North Dakota's extradition proceedings.

The suspects were sitting near a Grand Prairie apartment building complex when a Tarrant County sheriff's deputy noticed them drinking beer and talking to a prostitute just before 11:30 p.m. Sunday.

Their stolen truck still had its

North Dakota license plates, authorities said.

Patton described the area as "kind of run down," and added, "We have a lot of problems there."

Lawrence and Brian Erickstad initially identified themselves as brothers named Parsons. Police checks, including a look at the men's identifying tattoos, eventually discovered there were murder warrants out for them and that the pickup had been stolen.

Authorities believe the Erickstads were beaten and stabbed in their home. Their bodies were found

dumped near State Highway 6, on the Standing Rock Sioux Indian Reservation about 50 miles south of Mandan.

Ness said two investigators, Lt. Myron "Duffy" Heinle and Sgt. Bob Haas, were traveling to Texas to interview the men.

Patricia Burke, the Burleigh County state's attorney, said paperwork to return the two suspects to North Dakota would be expedited.

The process could take as long as a month, depending on whether the defendants contest it, she said.

"The detectives this morning were all just smiling. They were happy that it's over," Burke said Monday.

“They were happy that it's over.”

Patricia Burke
Burleigh County state's attorney

News article confuses facts

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The discussion and evaluation of the budget is made before the Board of Regents meeting, when the board divides into sub-committees during an open meeting, Campbell said.

Before the committees divide into sub-committees, the board meets in a closed session, and evaluates the budget, Campbell said.

In Bellinger's article, Campbell is indirectly quoted as saying the board had not made a decision on Montford's salary percentage increase and the elimination of the fund-raising bonus. The reporter was confused about the information, Campbell said.

Campbell said he told Bellinger that the board has approved the percentage increase, but has not approved the fund-raising bonus.

Mother regains custody

STANARDSVILLE, Va. (AP) — The mother of one of the two girls switched at birth at a hospital retained custody of the child she's been raising but has no right to get financial help from her ex-boyfriend.

"I can't order child support from people who aren't parents," Judge Frank Somerville told Paula Johnson and Carlton Conley.

Johnson, 31, learned in July that Callie Conley, the girl she has raised, and Rebecca Chittum were switched three years ago shortly after they were born at the University of Vir-

ginia Medical Center. Conley was with Johnson when she delivered her baby in June 1995, but the two later broke off their relationship. Somerville ordered a paternity test which revealed neither Conley nor Ms. Johnson was a biological parent to Callie.

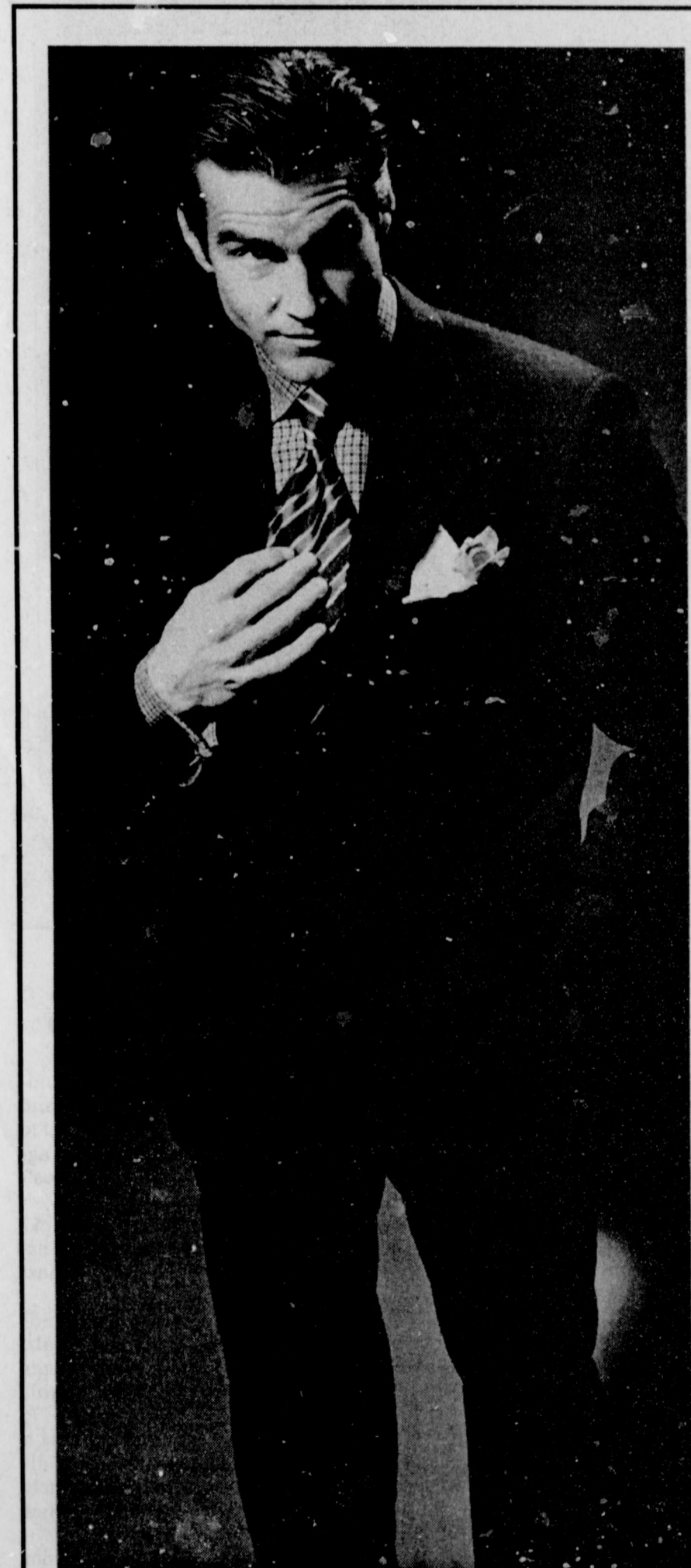
Somerville ruled that Ms. Johnson would retain custody of Callie, because "nobody else has come forward." Somerville advised Johnson that she and Conley could sign a contract outlining their child support agreement.

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Companies fund Tech mascot

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mascot's expenses.

Shubert said Boot City, Coca-Cola, A-1 Cleaners and Luskey's Western Store also will help with mascot expenses.

Shubert said in 1982, the Masked Rider Endowment was set up by the Saddle Tramps, and in 1994, the Norwest Masked Rider Endowment fund was established.

These funds are only used for emergencies Shubert said. She said the only money being used is for the Masked Rider scholarship. That money is coming from the Norwest fund.

Norwest is in its fourth year of funding. In six more years, the fund will have \$250,000 in donations. When the donation is complete, the student service fees will no longer be used.

Jackson said Phantom travels a lot, and he makes appearances in parades and rodeos.

Abney takes care of Phantom while at Tech and while traveling. He said he has an assistant, Ronnie Miller who also helps.

Abney said he is the only student ridding a mascot for a large university.

"I really enjoy it and I meet a lot of people," Abney said.

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Tech enrollment figures drop

By Gretchen Verry
Staff Writer

Enrollment figures released revealed a drop in the number of students attending Texas Tech, while Health Sciences Center numbers remained largely unchanged.

Student enrollment at Tech totals 24,578, a decrease of 444 students from the last fall's enrollment of 25,022.

"I think that it's fair to say that transfer students had a significant decrease, due in part to raised admission standards," said Michael Hintze, vice president for enrollment management at Tech. "We anticipate enrolling 1,688 this year, as opposed to 2,078 the last."

Hintze said as of now, it is not believed that there is a great deal of difference between the size of this and last year's freshman classes.

The HSC has a total enrollment of

Enrollment numbers	
Total:	
Texas Tech	24,578
Health Sciences Center	1,547
Breakdown:	
Undergraduates	20,377
Graduate	3,582

1,547, down one student from the fall 1997 figure of 1,548.

"At the medical school, we are limited by the accrediting body as well as the legislature, so we never see much of a change from year to year," said Bernell Dalley, assistant dean for admissions and student affairs at the HSC.

University enrollment includes 20,377 undergraduates, as well as 3,582 graduate students. In fall of 1997, statistics showed 20,806 undergraduates, and 3,580 graduate students.

The law school also reported a decrease in students, with 619, as opposed to 636 last year.

Hintze said that it is important to note retention rates for existing students continue to rise. These rates are expected to be around 80 percent for 1998.

"I think this is a positive change due to hard work on campus to offer support services," Hintze said. "We are working on providing the tools necessary to be successful in university environment."

The numbers were taken as of the 12th day of school classes, which is the standard reporting date for state institutions to submit enrollment figures to the Texas Higher Education

Coordinating Board.

The enrollment figures, run every year by the Institutional Research Center at Tech, will remain preliminary pending their final approval by the Coordinating Board.

Therefore, officials at the Institutional Research Center will not run demographics and specific numbers about class sizes until these numbers become official, probably around the 20th class day.

As reported by *The Daily Texan*, demographics for the University of Texas and Texas A&M University have been released. Minority enrollment at A&M slightly increased over last year, while the University of Texas continued to show lower numbers of minorities.

The University of Texas has experienced a decrease in the numbers of African-American and Hispanics over the past three years, following the 1996 *Hopwood* decision.

Government pledges new food aid to North Korea

WASHINGTON (AP) — The State Department announced Monday to deliver 300,000 tons of food to North Korea by the end of the year despite concerns over its military activities.

The announcement came as the administration was preparing to deliver the final shipment of a 200,000-ton food commitment made last February.

That commitment as well as the new one are in response to a January appeal for help from the World

Food Program, a U.N. agency. Food shortages have been rampant in North Korea in recent years as a result of drought, flood and mismanagement.

Monday's announcement by State Department spokesman

James P. Rubin came a day after the United States and Japan agreed to cooperate on research for a missile defense system to protect Japan in light of North Korea's progress in developing long-range weapons.

Last month North Korea launched a rocket that flew over Japan during a failed attempt to put a satellite into orbit.

Some U.S. officials said the launch was the latest example of Pyongyang's aggressive program to develop a long-range ballistic missile that one day could reach U.S. shores. But the State Department contends that, because of technological considerations, it will be a long time before North Korea can develop a missile with that type of range.

Houston declines truck inspections

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston is nearly alone among Texas' largest cities in declining to participate in a federal inspection program designed to take potentially dangerous trucks off the road, the *Houston Chronicle* reported Monday.

While police departments in more than a dozen smaller cities participate in the program, including nearby Pasadena and La Porte, the Houston Police Department said its officers have more pressing issues to address.

"There are better things that we can do with our manpower. We do not see this as a real public safety issue," HPD Assistant Chief Dennis Storemski said.

"This is regulatory as opposed to law enforcement."

But officials with other police departments disagree, as do some HPD officers, who have helped neighboring departments conduct inspections.

Pasadena police Sgt. Loni Robinson said some unsafe trucks may be avoiding his city and going through Houston to dodge safety inspections.

"It sure would be nice if Houston did it. They would be a great aid to

getting the local trucking industry to comply," Robinson said.

The federal inspection program is administered through the Texas Department of Public Safety.

DPS troopers conduct inspections in rural areas using grant money.

But in urban areas, local police departments administer the program and must contact the state to have their officers trained, said DPS Major Lester Mills.

The big cities receive no grant money but may keep citation revenues up to 110 percent of their enforcement costs.

Mills said 15 cities participate in the program, including Dallas, Austin, El Paso and San Antonio. Some larger cities that don't participate, besides Houston, are Fort Worth, Lubbock and Amarillo.

"They let us know if they want to participate, and we go from there," Mills said Monday.

"It's up to the city to make that determination. They've got to look at what their local problems are."

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Tardiness creates problems

One breezy (like a tornado), crisp (like the arctic) autumn morning last semester, I awoke at 6:30 a.m. to get to an 8 a.m. racquetball class.

At this point, I decided to give myself 15 more minutes of precious sleep.

But, during this time, I had one of those crazy dreams where you're asleep, but you're dreaming about getting ready so you think you're really awake.



Hollye Hodges
Columnist

Anyway, at 7:27 a.m., I realized that only some deranged portion of my brain had gotten out of bed, taken a shower and eaten breakfast.

The rest of me was a wreck. I was late to class.

I took all the wrong books to class.

I forgot to brush my teeth.

So, when I got to my racquetball class, the teacher reminded the class as he stared at me that tardiness would not be accepted.

My punishment was to play the freakish "Michael Jordan" of the sport with little, bouncy, Smurf-colored balls.

This guy should have been on tour somewhere in Denmark making zillions of dollars doing commercials for a racquetball goggle company.

Anyway, he hit a shot that broke the sound barrier right before it pegged me in the head.

I swear some massive brain damage was done to me that day.

Anyway, I found out that day that I had a "C" in racquetball at midterm.

This crushed my hopes of being the first woman ever to become a millionaire from being a spokesmodel for racquetball goggles in Denmark.

And to make matters worse, I still had morning breath.

When I walked into the lecture hall of my next class and saw orange scantrons flying around the room, my stomach reminded me we were having a test that I hadn't studied for. Then the feeling skyrocketed up to my throat and made me feel like I was about to cry and throw up all at the same time.

So, I sat down in a seat, began the test and prayed those gifted and talented classes in elementary school would pay off.

After my classes were over, I walked to the parking lot and tried to glamorize quitting school, gaining 200 pounds and driving a big rig from Amarillo to Anchorage loaded down with stinky cattle that may or may not have mad cow disease.

I like eating pig rinds, drinking Big Red and chewing Red Man as much as the next woman, but I just couldn't bring myself to like the thought of eating, sleeping and going to the bathroom on the side of a highway somewhere.

So, I dutifully finished my terrible day by getting a traffic ticket while going to work.

But I made it through the day, and that's all that matters.

College is all about making it through bad days without giving into the temptations of Peterbilt Trucks and rest-stop bathrooms that no self-respecting cockroach would touch.

My teeth didn't rot out from me forgetting to brush them that morning.

My Smurf "kiss" finally healed.

I made an "A" in the racquetball class.

I didn't have to talk to tube-sock boy ever again.

Elementary school gifted and talented somehow pulled me through my test.

I paid off my ticket.

And today I'm not saying "10-four good buddy" to a woman named Big Marge.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Alcohol not for everyone

To the editor: Recently, I had an opportunity to attend the UNT game in Dallas.

We beat their socks off (Go Tech). I was really glad I went because I had fun.

However, one incident at a restaurant after the game left a bitter taste in my mouth and an urge to write about it.

Everyone who knows me, knows I don't drink alcohol, and they also know the reason that I don't drink is because I dislike the taste of alcohol. I'm well past the legal drinking age, but I can count on one hand the number of drinks I've ever had.

Still, several friends over the years have decided to

make a personal mission of fudging a drink I will like.

The story is always the same: the friend orders a drink, takes a few sips, pushes it across the table at me, and says "Here, try this. You'll like this one."

Well, no I won't. I have picky tastes.

I gave up trying to develop a taste for it years ago.

Besides, 1.) I don't want to particularly drink out of someone else's glass, and 2.) I'm not interested in trying any more alcohol.

When my friend asks me why I won't try the drink, I say "I don't want to try it."

This excuse is never good enough.

My friend, this weekend, was insistent that I try a sip of her margarita.

When she realized that I REALLY didn't want to taste her drink, she asked me if I'm an alcoholic.

No, I'm not.

I'm just not interested in drinking.

Why is this such a difficult concept for some people? My message is that a person who has not been around alcohol much (freshmen), he or she should realize that it's not necessary to drink if he or she decides not to.

Say no and stick to your guns.

If you don't want to drink, don't let anyone bully you into it for ANY reason.

Jana R. Corzine
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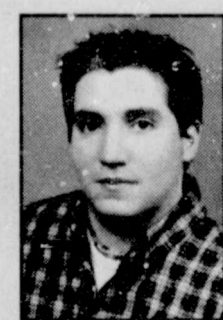
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No one knows what you think unless you say it

Fall deserves more recognition, praise



Kevin Preas
Columnist

I want to make a tradition amendment. I want to change a tradition, and seeing as people have refused to change their thinking for the past hundred years, I believe the fast approaching millennium would be the best time to make a change.

It would give people a new closed-minded view to carry on to the 21st century.

This new tradition is not earth shaking or revolutionary, rather it is just a simple thought.

For years and years, people have been telling me that spring is the best season of the year, but I don't get it. Why do they think that spring is so great?

Think about it for a second. The spring has nothing going for it.

My mom always said spring was

so wonderful because all the flowers are starting to bloom. Yeah, that's great until they also start to pollinate and your nose starts to run, your eyes water and your throat swells shut because of your allergies.

Another thing people always say is that the weather is great in the spring. Sure, the weather is great in the spring, for about three weeks and then it is 110 degrees until September.

Another thing I don't get about the spring is when people say it is a time for new beginnings. They are lying to you. How can it be a time for new beginnings when all of my favorite TV shows are ending and all they leave you with are reruns all summer?

There are only two possible good things that come out of the spring. The first of which is baseball season,

but even a true fan will tell you that things don't get interesting until the fall.

The other thing good that comes out of the spring is the end of school but even then you are left to agonize over your grades all summer.

In my opinion, we should change our most beloved season. Now hear me out. In the fall you truly have a new beginning. School starts, and it gives you a chance to repent for your bad grades in the spring. Not to mention the beginning of football season.

What could beat a Saturday full of college football, knowing that there is a Sunday full of professional football right around the corner? The only thing better than football is the baseball pennant race (especially when the Rangers are right in the middle of it).

Another thing, have you walked outside lately? The weather in the fall is great. No more 100-plus days. And what do we have to look forward to? Only cooler temperatures.

Also, with the fall, come the season premieres. I've been waiting all summer to find out if Valerie was HIV positive. This is a great time to be a couch potato. If I sound excited, I am.

I can't imagine a better time of year to be a sports fan or a television fan, than the fall.

In fact, I can't imagine a better time to be a student or even to be alive other than the fall. There is so much going on this time of year. Come on people, it is time to make a change.

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Fear Factory plays the Hub City

By Sebastian Kitchen
Staff Writer

Fear Factory has a sound like nothing else.

The band's recipe includes metal, a touch of industrial, songs with a chamber orchestra and a lot of aggression.

"If you've listened to everything Fear Factory has done, it is very different," said guitarist Dino Cazares. "We are much more than a metal band."

The band does not copy other bands. Fear Factory sounds like Fear Factory, no one else.

Fear Factory has been tucked away in hiding for a year, with the band members writing and recording its new album, *Obsolete*.

"We've been out for a while," Cazares said. "We haven't toured since last year's Ozzfest."

After the release of the album July 28, the band hit the road to support its new release. The tour began first in support of Slayer, now doing headlining dates and an upcoming tour with Rob Zombie and Monster Magnet.

Tonight, Fear Factory will headline a concert at the 19th St. Warehouse, 1824 Ave. G.

Spineshank, Dead Industry and Itch also will perform at the show. The doors open at 7 p.m. and Itch will

take the stage at 8 p.m. Tickets cost \$12 in advance, \$14 at the door and are available at both locations of Ralph's Records, 909 University and 3322 82nd, and University Records, 2414 Broadway.

Tonight's concert will be the band's first in Texas since the release of *Obsolete*.

"Texas is good," Cazares said. "The people are rowdy. They really get into the music."

Lubbock will be only the third headlining date Fear Factory has performed since the Slayer tour started in the beginning of August.

The other two dates were in Jacksonville, Fla., and New Orleans.

"It's good to be back," Cazares said.

Fear Factory played in Lubbock in 1996 with Iron Maiden and has not been back since.

"We've got to come back and show our faces again," he said. "We're also playing some places we've never played."

Cazares listens to metal, death metal, industrial music, classic rock and oldies, he said.

Fear Factory, founded in Los Angeles, consists of vocalist Burton Bell, drummer and percussionist Raymond Herrera, bass player Christian Olde Wolbers and Cazares.

For two songs on *Obsolete*, the band performed with the 11 piece



Fear Factory
Courtesy Photo

Vancouver Chamber Ensemble.

"The idea came from our producer," said Cazares. "He suggested the idea and we liked it. So we decided to try it with Fear Factory."

Fear Factory has many different sounds on *Obsolete* and past albums. Cazares said the different sounds come from having an open mind towards music.

A fan of Angus Young and Tony Lommi, Cazares started playing guitar when he was 14.

Lommi reunited with Black Sabbath for Ozzfest last year and Fear Factory was on the bill.

"Ozzfest was killer," Cazares said. "I got to meet Tony Lommi, got to meet the legend."

"It was great. We got a lot of exposure. None of the bands really had any ego."

Jim Hall, station manager at KTXL 88.1 FM and host of the hard rock and metal specialty show "Getting Harder," will be broadcasting his show live from 10 p.m. to 1 a.m. from the 19th St. Warehouse. Fear Factory is a staple on Hall's show.

"We always try to achieve the best we can with our music," Cazares said. "If we can't, we won't put it out."

Actioner 'Rush Hour' tops 'quality' season box office

LOS ANGELES (AP) — "Rush Hour," pairing Hong Kong star Jackie Chan with comedian Chris Tucker, raced past the drama "One True Thing" to debut with \$33 million in ticket sales, a record for a September opening, figures showed Monday.

"Rush Hour's" weekend performance surprised Hollywood — drawing a big audience to action fare at a time when studios are rolling out their "quality" Oscar offerings.

It easily topped the \$18.9 million opening in September 1996 for "First Wives Club" and was a record for New Line Cinemas, beating the \$25.4 million debut in 1990 of the studio's "Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles."

"I knew it was going to do well. I didn't know it would do as big," said director Brett Ratner, who credited the studio's marketing department, the stars' chemistry and the film's slightly different take on the cop-buddy picture.

"Rush Hour" trounced "One True Thing," the story of a young woman (Renee Zellweger) coming to terms with her dying mother (Meryl Streep) and selfish author father (William

Hurt). "One True Thing" opened at No. 2 with \$6.6 million, though it had a respectable \$4,155-per-theater average.

The summer hit "There's Something About Mary" continued to do steady business in the fall, collecting \$5.6 million for third place, but the Matt Damon-starring "Rounders" plunged 44 percent in its second week to finish fourth with \$4.7 million.

"Simon Birch" added screens and picked up some business in its second week, collecting \$3.7 million for fifth place.

Steven Spielberg's "Saving Private Ryan" brought in \$3.4 million for sixth place, followed by the vampire actioner "Blade" with \$3.3 million. "Ever After" with Drew Barrymore was at No. 8 with \$1.8 million and "Armageddon" hung in the top 10 with \$1.3 million for ninth.

"Snake Eyes" was 10th with \$920,173.

In limited release, Merchant-Ivory's latest, "A Soldier's Daughter Never Cries," scored a healthy \$7,903-per-location average, playing

in five theaters. "Somewhere in the City" also had a strong debut.

The top 16 movies at North American theaters Friday through Monday, followed by studio, gross, number of theater locations, average receipts per location, total gross and number of weeks in release, as compiled by Exhibitor Relations Co. Inc.:

1. "Rush Hour," New Line, \$33 million, 2,638 locations, \$12,510 average, \$6.6 million, one week.
2. "One True Thing," Universal, \$6.6 million, 1,590 locations, \$4,155 average, \$6.6 million, one week.
3. "There's Something About Mary," 20th Century Fox, \$5.6 million, 2,538 locations, \$2,220 average, \$147.1 million, 10 weeks.
4. "Rounders," Miramax, \$4.7 million, 2,191 locations, \$2,159 average, \$16.1 million, two weeks.
5. "Simon Birch," Disney, \$3.7 million, 896 locations, \$4,179 average, \$8.1 million, two weeks.
6. "Saving Private Ryan," DreamWorks, \$3.4 million, 2,511 locations, \$1,356 average, \$178.1 million, nine weeks.
7. "Blade," New Line, \$3.3 million,

2,375 locations, \$1,374 average, \$61.3 million, five weeks.

8. "Ever After," 20th Century Fox, \$1.8 million, 1,844 locations, \$965 average, \$59.6 million, eight weeks.

9. "Armageddon," Disney, \$1.3 million, 1,259 locations, \$997 average, \$195.8 million, 12 weeks.

10. "Snake Eyes," Paramount, \$920,173, 1,291 locations, \$713 average, \$53.9 million, seven weeks.

11. "The Parent Trap," Disney, \$894,231, 1,409 locations, \$635 average, \$63.1 million, eight weeks.

12. "How Stella Got Her Groove Back," 20th Century Fox, \$864,540, 1,053 locations, \$821 average, \$35.3 million, six weeks.

13. "The Mask of Zorro," Sony, \$688,771, 946 locations, \$728 average, \$90.2 million, 10 weeks.

14. "Knock Off," Sony, \$638,313, 1,715 locations, \$372 average, \$9.5 million, three weeks.

15. "Everest," MacGillivray, \$634,874, 61 locations, \$10,408 average, \$42.6 million, 29 weeks.

16. "Dr. Dolittle," 20th Century Fox, \$632,814, 936 locations, \$676 average, \$141.1 million, 13 weeks.

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Ranch Day gives insight to ranching heritage

By Laura Hensley
Staff Writer

From the highway, the Ranching Heritage Center may only appear to be a collection of old buildings. But within the gates of this museum of authentic historic structures lies a wealth of history and a story behind every building there.

Each year the center, located at 4th Street and Indiana Avenue, celebrates the unique past of its buildings and the heritage of West Texas with its annual Ranch Day.

"Ranch Day is the Ranching Heritage Center's way of bringing alive the ranching heritage of Texas," said

Lilla Jones, organizer of Ranch Day. "All sorts of people come every year — people who are interested in ranching heritage of Texas — old and young."

From 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday people from all walks of life and every age are invited to take a closer look at the center and be treated to live performances, demonstrations, and a chuck wagon meal. The day's events

are free, except the barbecue lunch at 11:30 a.m., which cost \$5.

Throughout the day, costumed volunteers will demonstrate various ranching chores such as calf roping, butter churning, cattle branding and rope making. The volunteers will also be stationed throughout the center, inside and around homes and barns.

"The idea behind it is to educate the public..."

Lilla Jones
Ranch Day organizer

Tech displays photographs

The Galleries in the Texas Tech Art Department will be showing the photographic work of William Valentine today. Valentine's work is a documentary that chronicles the day-to-day work events of police in Chino, Calif. This kicks off the opening of Landmark Arts, the art departments exhibitions outreach program.

Ken Bloom, director of Landmark Arts, said Valentine had actually joined the police force in Chino in order to get close to the action. Bloom also said Valentine takes photographs from a policeman's perspective.

Valentine's work can be viewed for free from Sept. 22 to Oct. 15, in the SRO-Photo Gallery in the third floor basement of the art building. For more information, call the art department at 742-3825.

cowboys will shoot it out near the Rope's Depot at the center.

In addition to many local volunteers, several Texas Tech students volunteer each year at Ranch Day. Members from the Block and Bridal club, and others help with the pony ride each year to help local school children become familiar with horses.

"There is a lot to do out here," said Shirley Wilkens a volunteer at the center. "The center is the best thing to do on a weekend. People should come out to support area ranches and help keep pioneer heritage alive."

For information, call 742-0498.

Pool Shark entertains Tech

Pool Shark, Jack White, will be in the University Center Game room from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. today.

White has played pocket billiards with royalty, and celebrities. He will be giving demonstrations and play-

ing pool with students today. This is White's 35th year to appear at Texas Tech and is one of 200 campuses he plays on each year. In between schools, he makes television appearances and travels to other countries.



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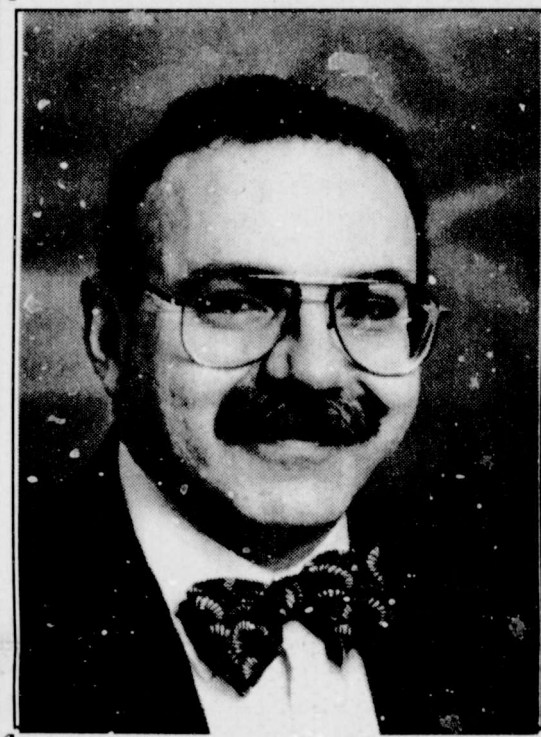
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Track star Joyner dead at 38 of heart problem

MISSION VIEJO, Calif. (AP) — Florence Griffith Joyner died Monday at age 38, just a decade after dazzling Olympic track with speed and glamour that have never been matched.

A triple gold medalist at the Seoul Olympics and still the fastest woman ever, "FloJo" was known as much as her skin-tight running suits, her flowing hair and her glittering fingernails as her stunning times.

An autopsy was being conducted to determine the cause of death. Her husband Al Joyner, himself a 1984 triple jump gold medalist, called authorities after finding her "unresponsive and not breathing" early Monday, according to the Orange County sheriff's department.

Greg Foster, a three-time world champion in the 110-meter hurdles, said he was told by her family that Griffith Joyner died of a heart-related problem.

Primo Neboli, the head of the IAAF, track's international federation, said he knew Griffith Joyner had "some serious heart problems in recent months," although one of her brothers, Weldon Pitts, said she had shown no sign of illness recently.

Griffith Joyner had suffered a seizure two years ago on a flight from California to St. Louis, and was hospitalized for one day. Her family did not disclose the ailment.

Her muscular physique prompted talk of steroid use, but she insisted she never used performance enhancers and she never failed a drug test.

Griffith Joyner was remem-

bered for her stunning speed and fashion flamboyance that took track to new levels.

"What Florence brought to track was a flash and a flair that we didn't have, which was probably good for the sport and got attention for us," said Olympic sprint champion Evelyn Ashford, one of her main rivals and her Olympic teammate in 1984 and '88.

"We were dazzled by her speed, humbled by her talent, and captivated by her style," added President Clinton. "Though she rose to the pinnacle

of the world of sports, she never forgot where she came from, devoting time and resources to helping children — especially those growing up in our most devastated neighborhoods — make the most of their own talents."

Evelyn Ashford
Olympic sprinter

Along with her sister-in-law, six-time Olympic medalist and world heptathlon record-holder Jackie Joyner-Kersey, Griffith Joyner turned the 1988 Seoul Olympics into a personal showcase.

Griffith Joyner still holds world records in the 100- and 200-meter dashes.

She set the 100 mark of 10.49 seconds in the quarterfinals of the 1988 Olympic trials at Indianapolis, and since then, no one has even broken 10.60.

At Seoul, she won the gold medal in a wind-aided 10.54 seconds.

She then smashed the world 200 record in the Olympic final, clocking 21.34.

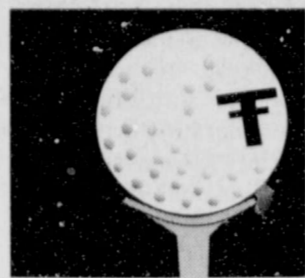
Men's golf last in tournament

LAWRENCE, Kan. (Special) — The Texas Tech men's golf team was in last place after a rain-shortened round and 12 holes of play Monday at the 1998 Rolex Collegiate Golf Tour Kansas Invitational.

Morning and afternoon thunderstorms caused numerous delays at the par 72, 7,096-yard Alvarado Golf Course.

The teams were able to only complete a round and 12 holes of the scheduled two rounds Monday.

The Red Raiders, who are playing their first tournament of the season, finished with a 318 on the day for



17th place. Par for the day's play was a 288.

For the Red Raiders, Phillip Tate was the highest individual scorer after the day's play with a tie for 79th with a 79 on the first 18 holes.

Blake Smith finished tied for 79th with a 79, while Alex Armstrong, Matt

Loving and Sean Mucherin all tied for 85th place after shooting an 80 on the first 18 holes of play.

While the Red Raiders were in last place in the tournament, the host team, the Kansas Jayhawks, were in first place after shooting a 282 after the first 18 holes.

Right behind the Jayhawks was Baylor, who shot a 286 for a strong second place finish for the day.

Arkansas State was in third with a 287, while Texas-Arlington and Iowa State were tied for fourth with a 292.

Oral Roberts was sixth with a 293, while Wichita State and North Caro-

lina-Charlotte were tied for seventh. Big 12 foe Nebraska was ninth with a 296, while Kansas State rounded out the top 10 with a 299.

Individually, Jimmy Walker, of Baylor, led the tournament with a blazing 67 in the first round of play.

Dave Bartels from Wichita State was in second place with a 68 while Ryan Vemeer from Kansas and David Suggs from Missouri were tied for third place with a 69.

Weather permitting, the tournament will continue at 8:30 a.m. today with the final 18 holes along with the missed six holes of play.

THE Daily Crossword Edited by Wayne Robert Williams

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48 Oil-well device
49 Actress Matlin
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'Horns attempt to regroup after losses

AUSTIN (AP) — After losing two straight to a couple of the top teams in the country, the Texas Longhorns are looking ahead.

After all, looking back isn't much fun.

"Coming into the season, I thought we had a shot to win at UCLA and also at Kansas State. It's kind of tough losing those two games," senior running back Ricky Williams said Monday.

"Maybe we're not as good as we thought we were. Maybe we are. I think the real test is going to be this week against Rice, see how we can bounce off two losses like that and see if we can play hard," Williams said.

Texas (1-2) was ranked No. 23 after a season-opening 66-36 victory over New Mexico State. That ranking evaporated after Texas fell to No. 3 UCLA 49-31, then to No. 5 Kansas State 48-7.



Williams, the Heisman Trophy hopeful,

has seen his own numbers fall from 215 yards and six touchdowns in the opener to 43 yards against Kansas State. The Wildcats also ended Williams' 11-game rushing touchdown streak.

"Because we've played two of the top 10 teams in back-to-back weeks, we know it can't get any harder than that," Williams said. "I try to forget those kinds of games and just move on."

The Longhorns return home for Saturday's game with Rice (1-2), which lost to Northwestern 23-14 last week.

Texas again will be without senior quarterback Richard Waiton, who broke a bone in his hand against UCLA.

Red Raiders look to Cyclones

By Jason Bernstein
Assistant Sports Editor

Three games into the 1998 football campaign, the Texas Tech Red Raiders have plenty to be happy about but have plenty to work on.

"We're a decent team," said Tech coach Spike Dykes. "The key to our football team is that we improve every day and every week."

So far, the Red Raiders have posted their best start (3-0 overall, 0-0 Big 12) since the 1989 season when they finished 9-3 overall with a trip to the All-American Bowl.

Despite the perfect start, however, the Red Raiders are quite aware of the level of their first three opponents.

"We've played some good teams," said Tech running back Ricky Williams. "We've played teams that we were supposed to beat, but they were good teams. Fresno State was a very good team."

Williams has come out of the gates with a bang this season, upstaging his counterpart-running back in Austin.

Williams, the nation's leading rusher after three games, is the only back to average more than 200 yards-per-contest after Saturday's 244-yard performance.

Even so, Tech's running back had only praise for Texas' Ricky Williams.

"It's not really an issue with me right now," Williams said of the comparison.

"I think it's neat actually. He's a good running back and he has a lot of good qualities."

Thus far, Tech's Williams has scored two touchdowns in each of the Red Raiders' first three games. He has 665 yards on the season and is averaging 6.0 yards-per-carry.

His status as the "other" Ricky Williams may soon be going by the wayside as his new nickname, "Ricky-Lite" and his once-a-week press conference indicates.

Williams' numbers against Fresno State were good enough to propel him to Big 12 Offensive Player of the



Wade Kennedy/The University Daily

Keeps on Going and Going...: Tech running back Ricky Williams fights for extra yards in the Red Raiders' 34-28 win over Fresno State Saturday. Williams' 244-yard performance vaulted him to the nation's No. 1 rusher.

Week status.

"I like every honor I get," Williams said.

"I like it because it makes my parents proud. That's one of the main reasons I'm here — to get my education and to make my parents proud."

Aside from Williams' early-season successes, the Red Raiders defense has also had a large impact on opponents, limiting opposing teams to 261.3 yards-per-game, good for

fourth-best in the Big 12.

"It's great to be 3-0, but we're not satisfied," said senior defensive end Montae Reagor after the win over Fresno State. "We've got work to do and we've got to get better each week."

Some areas of concern for the Red Raiders include turnovers, poor punting and punt coverage, Dykes said.

"We weren't quite as crisp in the

second half of the game," Dykes said of the Fresno State contest. "We committed some mistakes that you shouldn't commit."

Mistakes aside, Tech will be heading to Ames, Iowa for the Big 12 opener for both schools Saturday.

"They have a great running back in Darren Davis," Dykes said of Iowa State. "Seldom does one guy take him down. They have good speed and quickness. It should be a good game."

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Ripken back to work after ending streak

TORONTO (AP) — It was a short furlough for Cal Ripken.

A day after ending his astonishing streak of 2,632 consecutive games, Ripken was back in the lineup for Baltimore on Monday against Toronto, the same team he faced when the streak started on May 30, 1982.

With time to contemplate his decision, Ripken was sure he made the right move.

"No regrets, no second thoughts," he said during a pregame news conference at SkyDome before the Orioles' game with the Blue Jays.

"I felt great about how it went. It was a great celebration instead of a sad event."

He admitted feeling strange about watching a game from the dugout, and sounded relieved to be returning to the field.

"I still consider myself an every-

day player," he said.

"I have a lot of baseball left in me."

Ripken closed his record run Sunday night, removing himself from the starting lineup in the Orioles' final home game of the season against the Yankees.

The move came more than three years after he broke 2,130-game streak of Yankee iron man Lou Gehrig — a record that had stood for 56 years.

"The streak was born out of a desire to play and a lot of managers wanting to put me in the lineup," Ripken said in Baltimore after ending the streak.

"It's your job to come to the ballpark and be available if the manager wants to put you in there you play. I feel very proud, not necessarily with the numbers the streak is, but very proud that my teammates and my manager could count on me."

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Cowboys topple Giants, 31-7



EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — Thanks to Deion Sanders, the NFC East is back the way the Dallas Cowboys think it should be — with them on top.

Sanders broke a scoreless tie with a 59-yard punt return, caught a 55-yard pass that set up another score and returned an interception 71 yards for a TD as the Cowboys beat the New York Giants 31-7 Monday night.

Jason Garrett, making only his third career start for the injured Troy Aikman, connected with Billy Davis on an 80-yard TD pass and Sherman Williams ran 18 yards for a score after Sanders' long reception as Dallas (2-1) became the only team in the division with a winning record so far

on the season. The Cowboys, who fell to 6-10 and fourth place last season after five straight division titles, won despite being without Aikman, who broke his shoulder last week, and Emmitt Smith, who left in the second quarter with a pulled groin muscle and did not return.

Even Sanders, who added a 39-yard punt return in the third quarter and accounted for 187 total yards, sat out most of the second quarter because of dehydration.

The Giants' only score in the game came after a holding call against his replacement at cornerback, Kevin

Mathis. For the Giants (1-2), the loss broke a nine-game streak without a loss in the division they won last season with a 10-5-1 record.

They had 11 penalties for 92 yards after getting 15 for 90 yards in a loss at Oakland last week and had no sacks after entering the game tied for the NFL lead with 13.

At one point, the Giants had two straight illegal procedure calls against them and had five overall, three by left tackle Roman Oben. That's not supposed to happen at home before a record crowd of 78,039.

Neither team crossed midfield in the first quarter.

But after the Giants first series of

the second quarter, Sanders struck. He took Brad Maynard's low punt, zigged left, then zigged right and zagged back into the middle of the field for the 15th return touchdown of his career, the fourth on a punt. That gave the Cowboys a 7-0 lead.

The Giants crossed midfield for the first time with 6:02 left in the half on a 10-yard pass from Danny Kanell to Ike Hilliard. After a holding penalty on Mathis, Kanell found Amani Toomer behind Kevin Smith for a 36-yard TD that tied it 7-7.

But on the next series, Garrett found Davis over the middle as Giants safeties Tito Wooten and Percy Ellsworth collided at the 40 and Davis took it the rest of the 60 yards to the end zone.

Martincevic continues Clay Courts victories

BALTIMORE, Md. (Special) — Texas Tech men's tennis player sophomore Borut Martinčevic advanced to the qualifying rounds of the National Clay Court Championships Monday.

Martincevic reached the qualifying rounds by winning three pre-qualifying matches at the tournament.

After winning his first-round match Saturday to stay alive, Martincevic defeated Willy Campos of Troy State in straight sets, 6-2, 6-2 Sunday.

Martincevic defeated Oliver Cantrall of Louisville in his third

round match in straight sets, 6-2, 6-2.

The three victories for Martincevic move his overall singles record to 7-0 on the season.

Martincevic joins eight others in advancing to the qualifying rounds which start today.

If Martincevic wins the qualifying rounds, the actual tournament begins Thursday.

Red Raider women's tennis player Zana Ziebnik has already qualified for the women's tournament which also gets under way Thursday.

NBA players, owners cannot decide on when to resume talks

NEW YORK (AP) — NBA owners and players discussed getting together for another bargaining session, but the idea was dismissed when the sides couldn't agree on the ground rules.

Deputy commissioner Russ Granik and players union president Billy Hunter both acknowledged Monday that talks aimed at ending the lockout could have resumed almost a week and a half ago, though they differed on why such a meeting never took place.

Only one formal bargaining session has been held this summer, and

the league is expected to begin cancelling exhibition games later this week.

"We invited players to come back to the table, and they declined," Granik said. "They said as long as we would be talking about a hard cap or some system that set a defined percentage of revenues to go toward player salaries, they didn't see any point of meeting."

Hunter said he proposed a small meeting, with four representatives from each side. But when commissioner David Stern asked that the meeting be held when the eight

members of the owners labor committee were in town, Hunter declined.

"I just don't think it's progressive or beneficial when there are 40 people in the room," said Hunter, who nonetheless tried to call Granik on Monday afternoon to discuss moving the process forward.

Both sides are still waiting for a decision from an arbitrator John Feerick, who will rule on the players' grievance contending that some 220 players with \$800 million worth of guaranteed contracts should be paid during the lockout.

In the meantime, it appears the impasse will keep training camps from opening as scheduled Oct. 6.

The regular season is scheduled to begin Nov. 3, but without a new collective bargaining agreement the league will be forced to cancel games because of a work stoppage for the first time in its history.

The sides remain far apart on the main economic issue of the salary cap, with owners saying they need a new system that will not allow salary growth to continue to outpace revenue growth.

Owners had the right to opt out of

the old labor agreement if the percentage of basketball related income devoted to salaries rose above 51.8 percent, and the league claims that number topped 57 percent last season.

The owners haven't made a formal proposal since June, before the lockout began, and the players' most recent proposal on Aug. 6 was rejected emphatically as Stern, Granik and six owners walked out of a bargaining session upon hearing it.

Hunter said the league has taken a longer look at that proposal since then, and claimed Granik told him

that the players' newest ideas had substance.

Upon hearing that statement, Hunter said, he asked that the next negotiating session be kept small so that progress might be made in negotiations.

When Stern came back the next day and asked that owners Gordon Gund (Cleveland), Jerry Buss (Lakers), Jerry Colangelo (Phoenix), Les Alexander (Houston), Dave Checketts (New York), Peter Holt (San Antonio), Abe Pollin (Washington) and Mickey Arison (Miami) be included, Hunter declined.

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Minimum qualifications: high school diploma, 2-yr experience with Macintosh hardware/software, basic knowledge of Mac network system plus pre-press knowledge including paste-up and scanning. Part-time (30hrs per wk) ten-months, during fall & spring semester, August-May, 6 p.m. to midnight, Sunday-Thursday and part-time (24hrs per wk) two-months, during summer semester June-July, 6 p.m. to midnight, Monday-Tuesday and Thursday-Friday. Send resume and three references by October 1, 1998, to Vidal Perez, TTU Student Publications, Box 43081, Lubbock, TX 79409. (806-742-2935)

STUDENT ASSISTANT WANTED

Applicant to do pre-press production for the University Daily. Duties include ad composition, scanning and editorial review. Must be able to type and have 1yr Macintosh experience. 12hrs/week Mon., Tues. & Thurs. 6-10pm. Apply in Room 103, Journalism Bldg.

TUTORS

ACCOUNTING & FINANCE Exam #1 review sessions begin on Sept. 20th. Call The Accounting Tutors for price and details. 796-7121.

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Collegiate Tutoring is now offering individual help in accounting, finance & economics. Call 797-1605. www.collegiatetutoring.com

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You WILL learn Spanish! Call Todd at 792-5153.

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Up to \$8.10. Part-time openings with flexible schedules. No experience required. Scholarships available. Conditions exist. 793-0536 (11am-5pm).

ATTENTION PT/OT or pre-med students.

Physical Therapy assistant needed. Great source of observation hours with pay. 11am-1pm/4-9:30pm, flexible shifts available. Brian, 745-5711 after 5pm, 740-9374 pager.

ATTENTION:

Do you like to clean? If you are a part-time student available M-W-F or T-Th 8a.m.-5p.m., call MerryMaids today. 799-0620.

CLUB MONTAGE

high energy dance club now hiring dancers and promotion director. 744-3744 after 3pm.

HOME PLATE DINER

DEPENDABLE, HONEST and friendly customer and kitchen openings 11:30am-2:30pm/5:30-9:30pm. 3515 50th.

DRIVERS NEEDED

Get your hands on some dough at Papa John's Pizza, the fastest growing pizza company in America and voted the "best pizza" by Texas Tech for 2 years running! If you are at least 18, have a valid driver's license, and a clean driving record... join us! We offer flexible schedules and you'll earn \$8-\$15/hour. Apply in person at: Papa John's Pizza 2812 - 4th St. EOE.

ELEMENTARY TEACHER

Certified elementary teacher to instruct in a private, home based school 20 hours per week, 3 to 4 students, 2nd through 4th grade. Generous salary, vacation, and benefits. Emphasis in early childhood development with certification through the Human Sciences department a plus. Experience preferred. Fax resume and letter of interest to: The Journey School c/o Holland 798-0015.

HELP NEEDED:

knowledge of accounting, computers, and secretarial skills. +/- 20 hours per week. For application call 748-5990, leave message or e-mail dg@rossnarrn.com.

HIRING IMMEDIATELY

M-F 12-9 Long term full and part time. 11 year established local company seeking responsible long term help. Good speaking skills and phone experience a plus. \$6.00/hr. to start, weekly bonus. call 784-0322 between 1-6pm

HUBNET, INC.

is currently seeking a position for a web designer. Requires writing HTML and graphic design. Serious programmers only. Please deliver resume in person to 3060 34 street.

IMMEDIATE OPENINGS:

part time warehouse/maintenance person. 1.5pm, M-F. Good driving record. Must. Need fork lift experience. Contact Pat 745-2019.

SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS!

Durham has a great part-time job for students who are 21 or older, and able to arrange class schedule to be available from 6:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. have a good driving record and have no criminal history. We offer flex training, \$7.00/hour to start, \$400.00 on bonus, uniforms provided. Apply in person, Durham Transportation, 5501 Martin Luther King Blvd., Lubbock TX., or call 766-1616 for more information.

SHOW ME THE MONEY

Telemarketers needed. \$6/hour plus bonus. M-Th. Call Kim at 785-0644.

SKI TECHNICIANS WANTED

for repair and retail sales at Ski Lubbock Sports. Call 785-6906 9am-5pm.

STUDENT ASSISTANT

Data entry position immediately available in the Physical Plant Safety/Fleet Management Office. Must have computer experience (WordPerfect, Excel), be dependable, and work a minimum of 20hrs/week. Flexible hours to coordinate with class schedule and holidays. \$5.15/hr, applications taken at Physical Plant (corner of Flint & Main), Room 105 from 7:45 - 11:45am and 12:45 - 4:45pm. Applications taken until position filled.

STUDENT ASSISTANT

Data entry, filing, copying, errands, etc. Experience with Windows 95 required. To be performed in an industrial environment. Must work minimum 20hrs/week. Hours flexible between 7:45am - 4:45pm Monday thru Friday. Job is year round physical plant. \$5.15/hr. Applications taken at Texas Tech University Physical Plant, Room 105, until position is filled.

STUDENT ASSISTANT

Physical Plant Human Resources- filing, copying, light data entry, mail, errands, etc. as needed. Typing skills 45WPM minimum. WordPerfect, Word, Excel preferred. Interpersonal skills to work with all levels of Physical Plant staff. Dress code- business attire. Must work minimum 20hrs/week year round to include summers and part of Christmas breaks, hours flexible between 7:45am - 5:00pm Monday thru Friday. \$5.15/hr, applications taken at Texas Tech University Physical Plant, Room 105, until position filled.

TELEMARKETERS NEEDED:

flexible hours to fit any schedule. No experience necessary. Cash paid weekly. 762-5718.

WANTED:

Females to help teach physical exam skills to medical students. Call Kim at 743-2356.

Doc's Liquor

Help wanted to work in liquor store. Female or Male. Must be 21 years old. Apply in person at Doc's Liquor.

South Plains MORTGAGE

Nine full or part-time positions available. Must be able to type 45 wpm and experience in Window 95 preferred.
783-8448

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We are accepting applications for entry level sales associates. We are looking for persons who are energetic, dependable, ambitious, have outgoing personalities and have personal integrity. Must have an ability to work in a fast paced work environment and know what it means to give outstanding customer service. We offer:

- FLEXIBLE SHIFTS THAT FIT YOUR SCHEDULE
- COLLEGE TUITION REIMBURSEMENT OF UP TO \$2,100 ANNUALLY
- We offer an excellent variety of benefits including health-life-dental insurance, prescription drug card, paid sick-leave and paid vacation.

Drug Testing Required
Applications are available at all Town & Country Food Stores or 3513-50th St. E.O.E.

UNFURNISHED FOR RENT

2 BEDROOM 2 story townhomes, \$325/yr lease or \$350/6 mo lease. Private backyard, access gates, ceiling fans and mini-blinds. Pets welcome. Call 795-4142 or come to 2020 5th Street. Walking distance to Tech.

21 QUAD, fireplace, w/d built in yard, and no pets.

\$500/month. Call Carolyn 793-0703/794-2941.

2012 18th St. 3-1 central air heat, w/d connections, appliance and ceiling fans.

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2514 28th, one bedroom apartment, \$225 plus utilities and references.

Available in October. 797-4471.

3 BEDROOM 1 bath house, 1319 15th, downtown by Depot District.

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Green fields and trees surround you. Pool, laundry, basketball, volleyball and tennis courts. Small pets welcome. Beautifully remodeled interior, plush carpets, ceramic tile flooring, accent walls, new appliances. Currently remodeling exterior. Ask about remodeling specials. 792-3268.

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Walk to Tech, hardwood floors. Two bedrooms, \$450/month. One bedroom, \$320/month. 763-3401.

NEWLY REMODELED Two, three, and four bedroom houses for lease.

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Washer/dryer connections, ceiling fans, hardwood floors, all new inside, fenced yard. \$800/ month 2614 35th 797-6274.

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2-1 brick quadrangle. Appliances, central air and w/d connections. No pets, water paid. \$425. Near SP Mail. 5722 Brownfield Drive 789-6537.

REMODELED TWO bedroom close to Tech.

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SUBLET 1BD apartment at Heritage Apartments, no deposit.

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TALUS APARTMENTS 1915 14th St. 1 & 2 bedroom.

On-site manager and security. 765-0090.

THREE BEDROOM house, 2311 12th, \$995/month.

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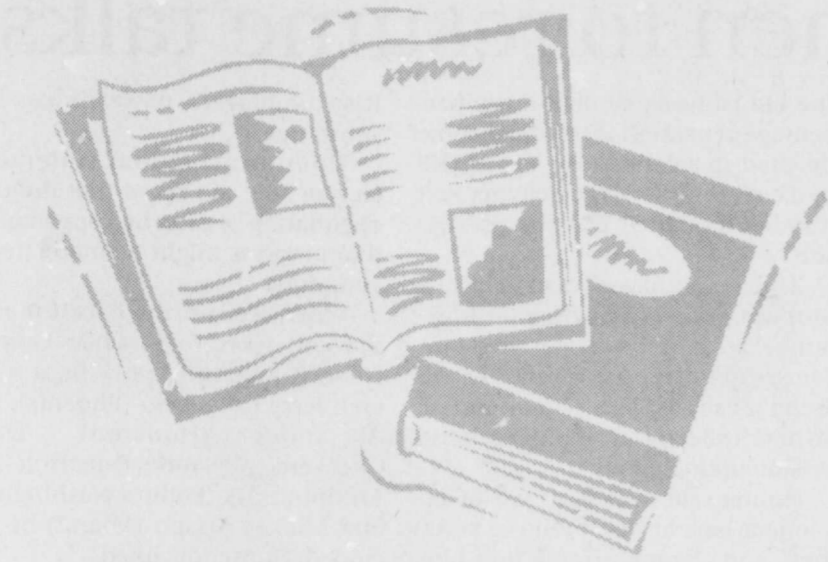
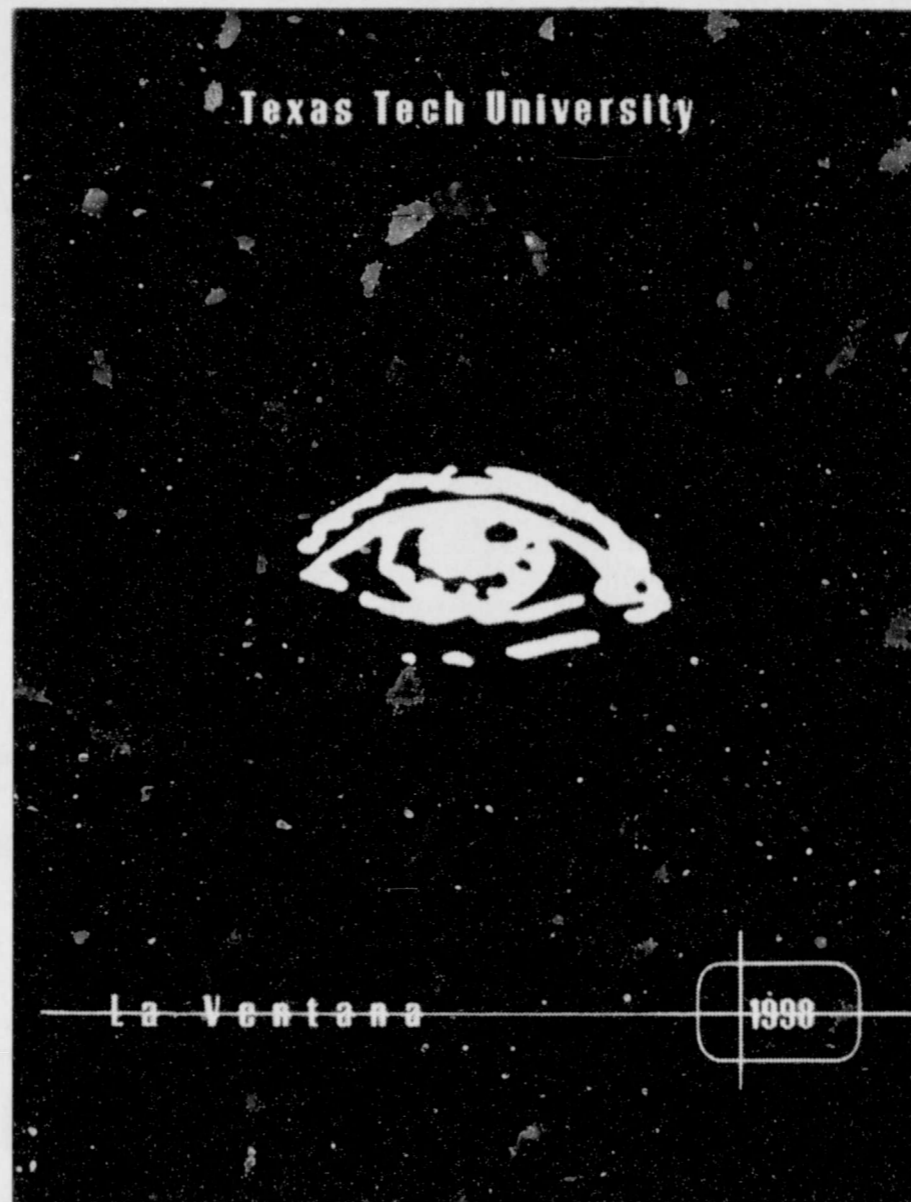
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97-98 Yearbooks have arrived!



Promoting enthusiasm for Tech, community

ELEVATING spirit

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Untering crowds and leading fans in cheers, the Texas Tech cheerleaders promoted spirit at all major Tech athletic events.

The squad, consisting of 12 males and 12 females, led the fans in cheering the home and visiting teams during the game at Jones Stadium and the LaBock Municipal Coliseum.



Cheerleaders



Cheerleaders

Residence Halls at Texas Tech offer a variety of amenities, including laundry services.



When a dorm hall is used for dining, it's a great place to meet friends and enjoy a meal.

Bring your Tech ID and pick yours up TODAY.

UC - Rm 209 Sept. 22-25 9am-4pm

LA VENTANA A Tech Tradition since 1926

Women band together to help community

BINDING ties

Page By Aimee Sanders Story By Gloria Wheeler

The students in Women's Service Organization shared a common goal of helping their community and each other.

"I thought as a freshman and I helped me form a strong support network," said Secretary Cathy Evers, a senior psychology major from Austin.



The women helped a variety of community programs, including mentoring the South East Asian Association with their own hand-knitting skills and helping write a weekly meal for the First United Methodist Church Soup Kitchen.

WFO President Alicia Wilson, a sophomore psychology major from Houston, said it was a pleasure to help others in need.



Spirit & Service



Students enjoy a meal in the dining hall.