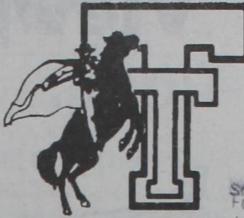
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Tech's Biggest Fan

The most spirited Techsans show off their stuff at Raider Alley Saturday. The winner of the FanaTech contest can win prizes from area businesses.

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Basketball beginnings

Texas Tech Lady Raiders hit the hardwood in their first exhibition game of the season.

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Students see gridlock with Congress

by Tomi Rodgers/UD

marked by the same partisan differ- 20 and gives the president the power Tuesday's election. ences with Congress as his first.

"There has been some narrowing tion. of the House," said Neale Pearson, will be passed by coalitions of Repubalone."

cans had a 53-47 majority in the U.S. gridlock." Senate.

to veto particular sections of legisla-

Texas Tech political science professor. (with a Republican Congress and a ham said. "We're going to be seeing a ranged from relief to disappointment. in the House." "Most of the legislation coming up Democratic president) goes back to the little bit more of the House and Senlicans and Democrats, not by one party the president standing up for them," Turner said. "We'll see a rehashing of

Cameron Graham, chairman of Michael Turner, president of Tech's Tech's College Republicans and a jun-

Senate debates and county elections, things done. "A lot of what's going to happen the Republicans did very well," Gra-Clinton's been working on."

The 1996 election resulted in the After Tuesday's election, Republi- the problems before, but maybe not the first time the U.S. Congress remained Calvert said. "Maybe there will be strong leader. Republican for more than one con- more welfare and health care reform.

secutive term since the 1920s.

University Democrats said he is ior history major from Lubbock, said how the Republican Congress will af- Clinton will have trouble for a while tonio. "(The Congress and White With Republicans maintaining a pleased with Clinton's re-election and he was disappointed in the presiden- fect legislation, Graham said. When getting things passed through the Re- House) will probably be run the same majority in the U.S. Senate, President emphasized the importance of the line-tial election's outcome but still was Clinton presents the State of the Union publican Congress. Bill Clinton's second term may be item veto, which goes into effect Jan. pleased with the overall results of address in January, the country will have a better idea about Clinton's nancial aid more than Dole would for more student loans and others ad-"When you look at the House and plans for working with Congress to get have," Myers said.

Jess Calvert, a junior sociology

Now is too early to predict exactly jor from Weatherford, said he thinks

"Clinton will help students with fi-

"I wish Dole would have won, but Student reaction to the election I'm happy the Republicans kept seats ent view as to what extent the govern-

Some students said they believe lives. Republicans wanting to do things, and ate keeping a check on the programs major from Austin, said he closely more people voted for Clinton because followed the 1996 election and results. of how well the economy is doing, the government," said Tim Stevens, a "I'm not surprised (by the results)," associating a strong economy with a junior range, wildlife and fisheries

> "The economy's going fine," said Ryan Myers, a senior finance ma- Shaun Kirk, a senior architecture and civil engineering major from San An-

way. Nothing's going to change."

While many students are hopeful vocate Clinton's direct lending program, some have a completely differment should be involved in students'

"I don't believe in handouts from management major from Lubbock.

"College is tough enough. It's possible to pay for it yourself and much

Canada to sell reactors to China, groups object

... Canada

Kristen Ostling, member

of the Campaign for Nuclear

should not be

Wednesday denounced the soon-to-be-final- on the brink of building atomic bombs. ized sale of two nuclear reactors to China, but the government, unwilling to lose business in state-controlled Atomic Energy of Canada the world's biggest market, said it had no Ltd., which recently signed a deal with Roqualms about the \$3 billion deal.

Prime Minister Jean Chretien, who has aggressively sought to boost Canadian exports to Asia, is expected to sign a final agreement on the sale during a trade mission to selling them China later this month. A coalition of groups nuclear reactors.

opposed to the deal released a study Wednesday titled "Exporting Disaster," which calls the sale immoral and economically unsound.

Phaseout "In order to sell

when it comes to economics, human rights Campaign for Nuclear Phaseout.

example of the United States in barring the Canada jobs. export of reactors to China because China has

TORONTO (AP) — Anti-nuclear groups supplied nuclear technology to other nations

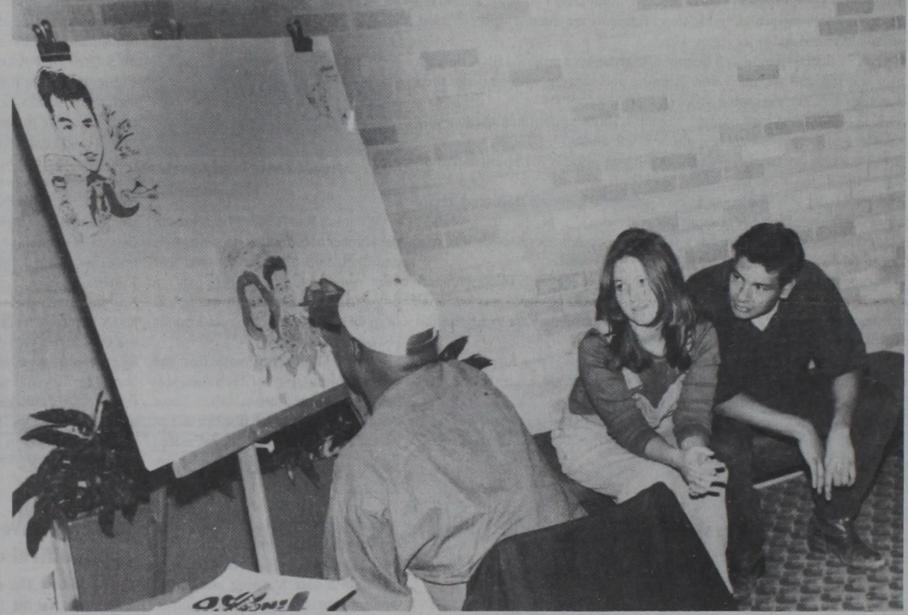
CANDU reactors are manufactured by mania making it the first Western company to

> supply reactors to a former East Bloc country. The study says the pursuit of buyers for CANDU reactors has led to the erosion of Canada's human rights policies.

"Potential CANDU customers such as China, Indonesia and Turkey are among the worst human rights violators in the world, and Canada should not be selling them nuclear re-

CANDU reactors, Canada looks the other way actors," said Kristen Ostling, of the coalition. Chretien, responding to charges that violations and nuclear proliferation," said the Canada is overlooking China's human rights violations, said last month that a high-prin-The study says Canada should follow the cipled "Boy Scout" approach would cost

It would have no effect on Chinese policy.



Pretty pictures: Sam Washington, a senior general studies major restaurant, hotel, institution management major from Austin. from Fort Worth, draws caricatures of Jean Levitt, a freshman pre- Washington has a booth at the arts and crafts fair in the University physical therapy major from Dallas, and Charles Muela, a freshman Center courtyard. The fair ends Friday. ,

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Tech, UT fight for control of spur

by Ginger Pope/UD

Texas Tech and the University of Texas-Austin have joined forces to create a tradition of friendly rivalry through spur swapping.

The winner of the Tech vs. UT football game Saturday in Jones Stadium will take home a gold and silver spur engraved with the logos of the game." two universities on either said Kenny Meixelsperger, Student Association external vice president and a senior finance said. major from Plano.

Texas Tech-Texas spur

game between the two schools sor a set of smaller spurs for

The idea for the spur was pre- to exchange during a presented to student senators last game ceremony, Meixelyear and was approved in spring sperger said.

game," he said. "Whoever wins . said. gets to keep it until the next

celebrated by Tech and UT sev- Austin American-Statesman. eral years ago until the spur was accidentally lost, Meixelsperger of the UT Student Associa-

The Tech and UT Student to celebrate the entrance into the participate in the spur swap. Associations agreed to the Big 12 Conference, Lubbock swap, giving the spur to the businesses and the Committee tiated," Feld said. "And they winning team until the next for Champions decided to spon- invited us to participate."

is played, Meixelsperger said. the Tech and UT chancellors

"We want to use it to excite \$600 and was made by students about the football Earlon Shirley of Tahoka, he The cost of the spur is

The spur costs more than

sponsored by The Lubbock The spur swap was a tradition Avalanche-Journal and The Brian Feld, vice president

tion, said UT will send a rep-To accompany the spur and resentative to the game to "It is something Tech ini-



Bus purchase bad timing for Citibus

bor costs.

by April Castro/UD

Recent federal budget cuts may have affected the financial stability of Lubbock's public officials said Wednesday.

Last week Citibus spent \$8.3 b u s e s million on 36 new buses to serve Lubbock-area residents, said Scott Mitchell, programs manager for Citibus.

Mitchell said he now questions the timeliness of the purchase, considering Citibus' loss of government funding.

The company will lose 80 percent of its operating money Citibus from the federal government be- fleet was the oldest in the state, longer is involved in Citibus' opfore the year 2002, he said.

"We are hoping the state will pick up where the government transit.'

Other sources of income for \$55,000 per year on fuel ex- with it.

Citibus include the vinyl-wrap penses and an additional advertising on the sides of the \$300,000 in maintenance and la- ceive a portion of its funding

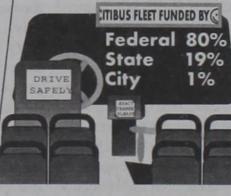
bus and passenger fares. Although the cost was high, transportation system, Citibus purchase of the new buses was will save Citibus money, the

needed to be replaced because of

their age unreliability. Before last week's

purchase.

Mitchell said. Half of the old fleet will be sold, eight will be



erations.

"Citibus is not operated by stored for parts, and eight will the city government," Privett leaves off," he said. "They have be used as backups for the new said. "The operation was made a commitment to public fleet. With the new fleet, the privatized a while back, and we (of people) to schools - elcompany will save an estimated no longer have anything to do ementary, junior high, high

Privett said Citibus does refrom the federal government but Even though the new fleet not the local government.

Mitchell, however, said this necessary, Mitchell said. Old source of the company's funds is false, claiming a portion of the company's funds come directly from the city.

'That is not true, 18 percent of our operating budget comes from the city," Mitchell said. "The city owns the buses, we just run them for the city."

Despite questions about funding, Mitchell said Citibus' services are valuable.

"A lot of our passengers are elderly, but the biggest portionof riders ride back and forth to work or to take care of medical needs," he said. "The routes are near to schools, so we take a lot school and even Texas Tech."

Second-term Cabinet shakeup off to quick start

liam Perry — led a snowballing quitting, officials said. exodus of at least six Cabinet

Transportation Secretary officials Wednesday in a sweep- Federico Peña and Housing Sec- umphantly to the White House telling reporters on Air Force ing second-term staff shakeup. retary Henry Cisneros were ex- from victory celebrations in Ar- One "we just want to savor what Commerce Secretary Mickey pected to leave, as well, admin- kansas, Washington buzzed with happened yesterday."

The anchors of President to resign to return to California. House officials were waging a speculation about successors. Clinton's national security team Energy Secretary Hazel behind-the-scenes campaign for No formal announcements were - Warren Christopher and Wil- O'Leary, out of favor, also was Attorney General Janet Reno to expected before a Cabinet meetgo; she wants to stay.

WASHINGTON (AP) - Kantor told Clinton he intended istration officials said. White leaks about resignations and ing on Friday. Clinton brushed As the president returned tri- aside questions about his staff,

Their View

Students need to show volunteer, holiday spirit



Nakia Alford/columnist

The Thanksgiving and Christmas season are here again. It's time for all students to count their blessings and spread a little extra cheer. For students, the holiday begins that much needed break from the wild ride of studying

But the seasons also can offer a time to serve the community that is a home away from home. There are sev-

out having to look very far. In the University Center, there are many chances to work to make the holidays become better for others in the community. The Angel Tree on the sec-

eral community service opportunities that students can get involved with, with-

ond floor is a nice way to brighten a child's holiday with Christmas toys and/ or warm clothing. Also, the University Center will give students the chance to become in-

volved with several community food drives. Food Bank Days are Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 16 and Nov. 17. The U-Can Share Food Week will be sponsored Dec. 2 to Dec. 6. Each of

the food drives will donate food to needy Lubbock-area families. Another very close community service that students may want to get involved in is the University Baptist Mission and Ministry Center, across from

Joe's Copies on 10th Street. This mission offers students several different ways to get involved. Kingdom Kitchen begins at 6 p.m. every Tuesday and Thursday and serves

meals to anyone who walks in the door. Students are needed to serve food, clean up afterward and offer fellowship.

SALT (Students After School Learning Together) is a program for K through sixth grade students to spend time learning and sharing with students their age, as well as volunteers, after school.

process in a safe environment and not be home alone. SALT is every operated every Monday through Friday 3:15 p.m. until 5:50

This is a great service because it enables youth to continue the learning

The University Mission also gathers clothing, hygiene products and school

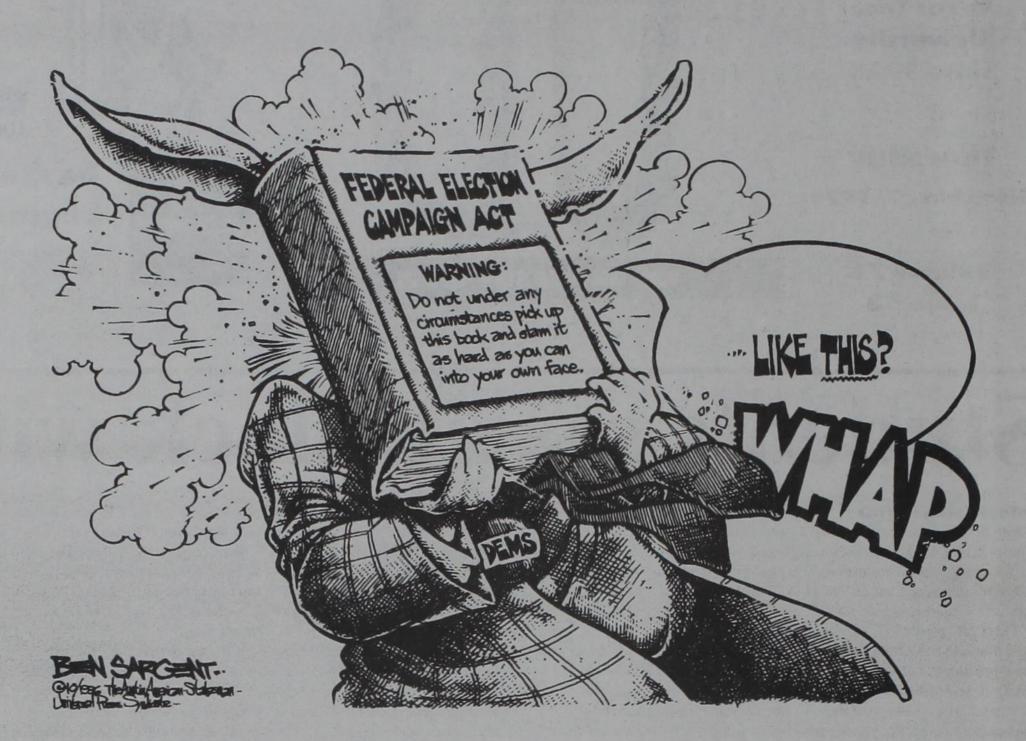
supplies for the needy in the community. It is sometimes overlooked, but a life-saving community service this sea-

All students should keep in mind that the holiday season is filled with parties where alcohol could possibly be served. Several accidents may occur at this time, and it becomes very hard for the health care workers to sustain the miracle of life without a proper blood supply.

Although community service should be a year-round thing for all students, many will find that during this holiday season, there are a number of great

ways one may shower blessings on those less fortunate. Humanity service should be the key thought as the holidays rush in.

Nakia Alford is a sophomore nursing major from Dallas and president of Tech's Black Students Asssociation.



Students should provide spirit for Texas game



Ryan Lunsford/quest columnist

the number of times that opposing fans fans of Texas Tech have continued to red every Friday before a home game burnt orange. and Tech fans alike have asked that very question. It certainly isn't a drugged-up steer on a leash or the butt of quite a few best-selling joke books Rider, has been leading the team onto red on Friday and to support the team all of the students at Texas Tech. This (101 Aggie Jokes).

Raiders. Inspired by the Spanish ar- Bowl.

chitecture on campus, the athletic department chose the esteemed matador Atlantic Journal, was so struck by this over t.u. as its mascot. In the early 1930s, Lub- entrance, he wrote: "No team in any bock Morning-Avalanche reporter bowl game ever made a more sensa- recruiting day of the season on Satur-Collier Parrish followed the Matadors tional entrance." Motivated by the day. Anywhere from 50 to 100 recruits across the nation as they dominated presence of Tech's new mascot, the will take in the game-day atmosphere most all of the teams they faced. The Red Raiders marched on to victory of Jones Stadium. A rowdy crowd that team's bright red jerseys and the strong over Auburn, 35-13. following of Tech fans, all in red, inspired Parrish to label Tech as the "Red the many traditions derived from the with specks of red, white, blue and What is a Red Raider? I can't count stuck and since then, the teams and the student body painted the campus travel the nation dominating as the Red by wearing red to class. The Saddle

dent and alumni. In fact, when Texas first charged onto the field ahead of follows: Technological College first opened its the football team before the Red Raiddoors, no one mentioned the name Red ers' appearance in the 1954 Gator

Raiders" in his columns. The name spirit of the Red Raider. In past years, Tramps are trying to revive this tradithe field for 42 years. Wearing a scar- for Saturday's game against Texas by The Red Raider originates from the let cape and mounted on a pitch-black sporting as much red as possible. A

> 1. Red is an invigorating color. The mere sight of a "sea of red" in the chemical engineering major from Arstands of Jones Stadium will give the lington.

Sportswriter Ed Danforth, of the Red Raiders an intangible advantage

2. Tech is sure to have its largest is dressed in support of their team im-The Masked Rider is only one of presses the recruit more than a crowd

3. It looks a heck of a lot better than

Let's not forget the origin of all our traditions: the spirit of Red Raider. It Our current mascot, the Masked tion by encouraging everyone to wear has accumulated over the years among spirit all began with some West Texas folks showing their pride in Texas overwhelming spirit of Tech fans, stu- horse, Tech ag student Joe Kirk Fulton few incentives for wearing red are as Tech. Let's show that pride on Friday in class and Saturday! Wear red!

Ryan Lunsford is a sophomore

Your View

Columnist should get facts straight first

son is blood donation.

To the editor: Christy Apple (Sports pus. 10/30/96) seems unaware of the history for women in the world of golf. Woods' attitude since blacks were usuexplaining her viewpoint.

Ruth Marie, Tech graduate stu-

Hate speech has no place in Tech residence halls

To the editor: In recent years, constitutional guarantees of free speech have been used to justify acts of "hate" speech at several different universities. 11/5/96) demonstrates that such excuses for contemptible behavior can also be found on the Texas Tech cam-

Harrell was responding to an earlier letter written by Kurt Bruder, who There used to be a number of courses argued that an anti-gay "unsafe zone" that excluded women no matter how sign posted on residence hall room much money they had (They still don't doors was ethically problematic hate pull down as much money as men on speech that might be inconsistent with the professional circuit). Hopefully, university rules. Apparently, Harrell this type of discrimination has been has no problem with such hate speech. eliminated, but she, of feminine gen- His only defense of this behavior was der, should be able to relate to Tiger to claim that Bruder must have a "desire to control people's expressions." ally excluded from golf — and may Because Tech students engage in all still be in some regions — no matter sorts of unpleasant expression, includhow much money they made. Let's ing wearing "No Fat Chix" T-shirts, hope that Apple is too young to have Harrell appears to conclude that the witnessed this phenomena, thereby correct response to reprehensible speech is to do nothing at all.

Nothing could be further from the truth. In this case, free speech is a red students from giving speeches or handing out pamphlets in opposition to gay and lesbian civil rights outside of the classroom or dormitory, just as they could give speeches or pass out no place at a university. pamphlets that praise the Ku Klux Klan, argue for the return of chattel Thurman Harrell's letter (Your View slavery for non-whites or any other

repugnant cause. However, the univer- Students have rights to sity has the legal right, and more importantly, the moral obligation to

what to believe.

But we should strongly oppose of preventing others from expressing rights as an American. their own fundamental beliefs, particu-

herring. Nothing legally prevents Tech effect of chilling free speech. Further- of expression. I have made it a pertime, place and manner restrictions on that has conflicting views. I let them communications major free speech that the Supreme Court has say what they believe and I state my

studies department

own political opinions

maintain a safe learning and living To the editor: The morning of Nov. environment in classrooms and dorms, 6, the day after the 1996 presidential and the "unsafe zone" signs explicitly election, I awoke to find my residence warn gay, lesbian and bisexual stu- hall door badly vandalized because of happen to me because of it, just as oth- at the Committee for Champions dents that they may be physically as- my political views. Between the early saulted if they make the mistake of hours of 2 and 4 a.m., someone wrote ion. My door, even though owned by acknowledging their orientation in extremely vulgar messages on my the university, is considered my proptheir own living space. How else Clinton/Gore sign. Someone wrote, erty until May 8 when the residence and will perform on the Raider Alley should we understand a sign that "Hi! I am on welfare, and I don't ever shows a (presumably gay) person's want to get a job, and I have 12 chilhead being crushed under a giant dren, and that is why I support Clinton/ this person vandalized my door. Gore," on my dry erase board, and No one should be able to tell you wrote "Dole" in large print on two freedom of speech are wonderful other schools this type of atmosphere places on my door.

public expression that has the effect dened by this blatant disregard for my

larly when those beliefs pose no im- to remarks because I have a Clinton/ of them by degrading someone else. a ton of prizes (which will be given to mediate physical threat to anyone. Gore sign on my door and window, These freedoms will truly be great the top five teams) ranging from din-Gays, lesbians and bisexuals apparand I have accepted that. Many times once we can stand by while someone ner for two at Crawdaddy's to Froggy ently have to fear for their lives at this year I have been harassed for my else speaks against or for something Texas Tech if they engage in such ex- political beliefs, but I did not let it we strongly disagree with. That will bother me because I understand that it be the time we understand and appre-The "unsafe zone" signs have the is each individual's right to freedom ciate the rights we have been given as Champions, Texas Tech Intercollemore, such signs are subject to the sonal choice to never attack anyone permitted for decades. Such signs have opinions. If our opinions are not alike, then our opinions are not alike. I never Brian McGee, visiting assistant harass nor comment on their opinions. professor Tech communications This is just a personal decision. I understand and have experienced the fact tion that is garnered by the "letters to jor

fringes on my rights as an American. I have the right to express my opinions and not be afraid of what could ers have the right to express their opinhalls close for summer vacation. It was an infringement on my property when

The freedom of expression and the I was greatly upset and deeply sad- ing of our ancestors many years ago. let's start this tradition at Tech. More We should celebrate these freedoms importantly, if you are a finalist, we I understand that I am susceptible them. We should not take advantage the student section. Finally, there are American citizens.

Students should take part in Tech's FanaTech

To the editor: In light of all the atten-

that others do not agree with me on the editor" section of The University this issue. I am able to accept that un- Daily, I would like to challenge all true til their freedom of expression in- Tech fans to become FanaTechs (pronounced fanatics) for the UT home football game (Saturday).

How do you participate? Show up booth in Raider Alley at 4 p.m. on game day for preliminary judging. The finalists will be selected by 4:45 p.m. stage at 5 p.m. Entrants will be comprised of individuals or teams of no more than five people.

Why should you participate? At rights we have been given by the fight- is the norm during their home games, and delight in the fact that we have will save you a seat in the front row of

The FanaTech project is being sponsored by the Committee for giate Athletics, the Red Raider Club, Claire Sherman, freshman mass the University Center and the Tech Marketing Association. Again, I offer up the challenge to any Red Raider to become a FanaTech for a day. It is my hope that you all are up for the chal-

Mike Kehoe, senior business ma-

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Tech, Citibus work to solve campus transit problems

Arrival times, unauthorized breaks top list of student complaints while drivers defend stressful jobs

by Ginger Pope/UD

The improvement of Citibus ser- heavily. vices to Texas Tech is an issue both the company and the Tech Student route Association have had to address this clocksemester.

Students complained about buses around arriving at the stops too close together campus and drivers taking breaks while stu- until dents were waiting, said Kenny 6:45 Meixelsperger, SA external vice presip.m., and dent and a senior finance major from the green route

"We had a lot of complaints at the clockwise until beginning of the semester about driv- 5:30 p.m. ers, once in the commuter lots, sitting down outside and smoking," pus routes take Meixelsperger said.

"But we worked that out with commuter lots, Citibus, and some of the drivers were residence halls, lisuspended for a week."

Sarah Smith, a freshman early Center and near childhood major from San Antonio, most classroom said she rides the Citibus almost ev- buildings. eryday, especially when it is cold or raining.

"The only problem I really have take students to with the buses is that they get bunched off-campus locaup and too close together," Smith said. "It can be a problem if I'm running late to classes."

Citibus replaced Tech's existing Raybon said the fleet Monday with 13 new buses, pressure of driv-Meixelsperger said.

Tech provides 15 percent of the campus is not as company's business.

The SA allocated \$501,778 from the city. the Student Service Fee last year for Meixelsperger said.

The time of year affects how much pus this semester. the buses are used, he said. During

winter months the buses are used experiences the most pressure is be- our bus is out of service," Raybon said.

Buses begin at 7:10 a.m. The red are walking to and from classes. runs

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Citibus routes

• Buses begin at 7:10 a.m. Monday through Friday

• The Red Route runs clockwise around campus until 6:45 p.m.

• The Green Route runs counterclockwise until 5:30 p.m.

• Tech provides 15 percent of Citibus busi-

 This week 13 new buses were added to the campus fleet

Raybon has

tween classes because so many people

too," ers,

> Raybon said. out of the comalong the major where we can." stops."

student com-Citibus and said tried to address the problems.

Drivers work seven hours, and they have scheduled breaks during a seven-hour shift,

he said. sit in during the ing traffic. scheduled lunch also stop for for Citibus. restroom breaks

and began driving on the Tech cam- commuter lot.

"We're not supposed to smoke on The times of day Raybon said he duty, only during our breaks and when said. "It blows the old one away."

Citibus Transit Planner Brent Black said Citibus is conducting ridership "Traffic can cause stress for driv- surveys so it will know how many stu-

> dents ride the buses. Later this month Citibus officials "There is still plan to conduct surveys about student a problem with demographics and student opinion of students pulling the company's service.

> "The surveys tell us what we need muter and UC to improve and how we can do that," parking lots and Black said. "We hope to improve

> The bus schedules are designed so Raybon said that buses arrive at stops at different he is aware of times, but the schedules often are interrupted by loading or unloading a lot plaints about of students at once, letting those in a wheelchair get on or waiting for the company has people to cross the street, he said.

The problem of buses grouping happens randomly, he said.

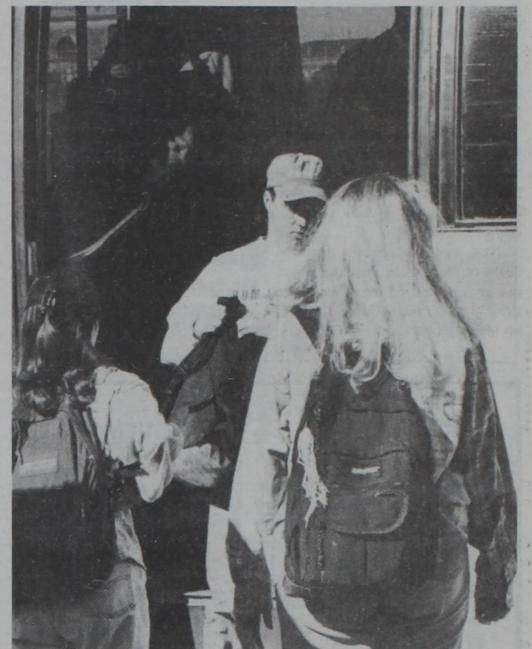
"We have on-time performance 89 shifts of six to to 90 percent of the time," Black said. "And people don't talk about the buses when they are working well, just when lunch they are having problems."

The new buses in Tech's fleet have fabric seats, a redesigned interior and are equipped with loudspeakers warn-Relief drivers ing pedestrians and cyclists of oncom-

About 2 million students on the breaks, Raybon Tech campus ride the buses every year, said. Drivers said Scott Mitchell, programs manager

A new bus with a Texas Tech vinyl at the KTXT-TV wrap advertisement around the bus's services and funding for the buses, driven buses for about a year and a half station and at the meats lab in the C-6 exterior will be donated to the school at 3 p.m. Saturday at Raider Alley.

"This one is beautiful," Mitchell



Wes Underwood/UD

On the road again: Ryan Smagacz, a senior management information systems major from San Antonio, gets off a Citibus at the University Center Tuesday while other students are boarding. Citibus drivers say the most stressful time of day is in between classes when students are rushing from building to building. Tech provides Citibus with 15 percent of its business.

BABIES

Can they believe? Can they be baptized? A discussion of what baptism means. Thursday, November 7th

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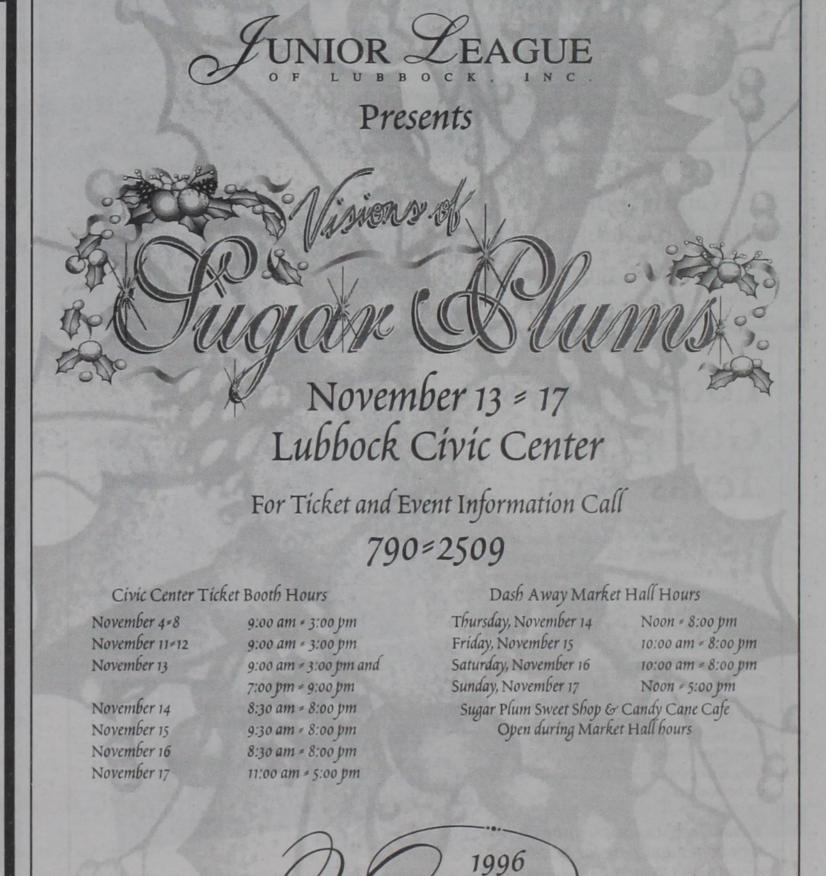


In the 1997 yearbook, LaVentana is featuring 21st birthdays, how they are celebrated and the coming of age.

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Civil War veteran honored in Waco

WACO (AP) — The name of one of Waco's first families lives on in a senior center, an elementary school and a city street.

Many Waco residents, though, are more likely to identify the Sul Ross Senior Center or Ross Avenue as landmarks rather than legacies of Waco

"Everybody has heard 'Sul Ross,' but as far as putting Sul Ross into any sort of historical perspective, most people probably couldn't," said Kent Keeth of the Texas Collection at Baylor University.

Now, nearly a century after the death of the former Texas governor, Ross - one through a rededication of

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Douglas Guthrie, Waco area historian

two groups are working to recognize the other through a long-planned play. This Saturday, the Central Texas

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cation ceremony at 9 a.m. at the cem- Florence, Ala. etery. Douglas Guthrie, a past presiwill speak about Ross and his accom- as an Indian fighter. plishments.

dation developing a historical drama that will cover Waco's history from the town's beginning until the Civil War.

Although the script has not yet been ders. written for the play, Guthrie expects that the main character will be based on Sul Ross, who served as a Texas Ranger before the Civil War.

can speak at length about the former governor and president of Texas A&M and his family, pulling up the dates and his family plot at Oakwood Cemetery, Brigade of the Sons of the Confeder-highlights of his careers as a soldier, the United States," Guthrie said. statesmen and educator.

"I can talk 15 days on any one of these three phases," Guthrie said.

Lawrence Sullivan "Sul" Ross was nationwide publicity," Guthrie said. born in 1838 in Iowa, where his father, Shapley Ross, established an Indian trading colony.

He was still a small child when the to become famous. family moved to Texas, where Shapley known Indian fighter.

Because of that reputation, the to the newly established town, hoping tlers, Guthrie said.

A Texas historical marker beside the Ross Oak, a gnarled oak tree in a that the family camped on that spot Guthrie said. and later purchased the surrounding

Shapley Ross was a postmaster, a ferryman and a hotel owner in town. A daughter, Kate Ross, was the first settler child born here.

Sul Ross grew up working on his for a time after the war. family's farm.

at Independence, then rode horseback bat crime across the Brazos River.

ate Veterans will host a grave rededi- to Florence Wesleyan University in

TechLife

Even while still in school, Ross dent of the Historic Waco Foundation, began to establish his own reputation

Guthrie tells how when Ross was Guthrie is also president of a foun- wounded during a skirmish he took part in on his vacation from school, Indians fighting on his side carried the young soldier to safety on their shoul-

He began rising through the ranks of the Texas Rangers, but his reputation grew when he recaptured Cynthia Ann Parker, who was abducted as a Guthrie, an unabashed Ross fan, child from Fort Parker in Limestone County during an Indian massacre.

"That really gave him fame. That was a story that was printed all over

Parker, who had married and had a child within the tribe, did not want to be freed. "Nonetheless this gave him

Sul Ross resigned from the Texas Rangers to enter the Confederate Army, another realm in which he was

Then in his 20s, Ross enlisted as a Ross became a Texas Ranger and a private but was elected major. He became a general in 1864.

He is honored in a monument at founders of Waco lured Shapley Ross Vicksburg, and Guthrie speaks of Ross fighting for 135 days at a stretch. He his presence would reassure other set- had five horses shot out from under him, Guthrie said.

Sul Ross returned to Waco when the war ended, putting the battles beback yard off South Ninth Street, states hind him as many veterans did not,

> over," Guthrie said. "He helped heal after the Civil War. He helped put Texas back together."

"When the war was over, it was

Like other Confederate veterans, Ross was stripped of his citizenship

Ross lived quietly for years before He first attended Baylor University he was asked to run for sheriff to com-

Craziest Tech fans battle for front-row seats, prizes

by Sara Kattawar/UD

The Texas Tech Athletic Department is looking for a few good fans to receive reserved front-row seats at Saturday's Tech vs. the University of Texas-Austin football game.

The contest Saturday is aimed toward the craziest student fans competition is to get the fans in who are willing to go as far as possible to show their school spirit.

"These fans are asked to come to the Committee for Champions booth at Raider Alley between 4 p.m. and 4:45 p.m. for preliminary judging," said Mike Kehoe, vice up," Kehoe said. president for the sports marketing of the Tech Marketing Association.

"These students will then be allowed to advance to the next round of competition, which will deter- to show everyone their Tech spirit. mine the finalists."

would not be considered distaste- have this competition."

"The preliminary judging will will raise morale for the game. not be done in front of a crowd," anything questionable."

Kehoe said that students are limited only by their imaginations and a one- or two-minute time rule.

"We are expecting students to come wearing body paint, wigs anything that will show Tech spirit," he said. "Basically, it is the game. craziest fan competition."

able for the five final winners.

prizes for the winners," Kehoe said. "There are dinners for two at res- "The prizes are really good, and taurants such as Crawdaddy's and students are always looking for a Orlando's; gift certificates for the way to receive free things." Tech bookstore; Southwest Airlines discounts for tickets; and dents who usually wear red and autographed Byron Hanspard black for the games and even more

large turnout from the students.

"This is the first year, and if it goes over well, then we may try it again during basketball season and possibly for next year's football season," he said.

Kehoe said one reason for the front of the camera for the game. The Tech athletic department is doing most of the work, he said.

The game will be broadcast on the Fox Network, he said.

"The true Tech fans will show

Tom Shubert, director of the University Center, originally came up with the idea and said the competition is a good way for students

"The idea came from a Coca-Kehoe said the students can Cola ad on television," Shubert have groups of up to five and can said. "The idea is to eat football and do anything for the competition that sleep football, so we decided to

Shubert said the competition

"It gives students the chance to he said. "The judges will weed out show their spirit, win fun prizes and have a good time," Shubert said.

Shubert said they are looking forward to having several spirited

Tech students also are looking forward to the competition because it is the first one of its kind for a

"I think it is a great way for stu-Kehoe said prizes will be avail- dents to show their Tech spirit and get involved with the school," said "Local merchants have donated Kyle Davis, a freshman mass communications major from Childress.

Davis said this is good for stuof an incentive for those students Kehoe said they are expecting a who do not normally show spirit.

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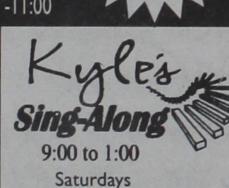


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Soccer team kicks off Big 12 tournament today

I'm nervous,

but everyone has

Lizzie Pruitt, Tech fresh-

to pull together

and play from

the heart.

man goalkeeper

by Brent Dirks/UD

its first-ever Big 12 Conference tour- Nichols said. But the regular season nament is a memorable one as the victory does give the Red Raiders us playing her in the stopper position nominated to the All-Big 12 team with fourth-seeded Red Raiders battle fifth- some confidence going into the tour- with some added speed because Misseeded Missouri at 7:30 p.m. today at nament. the Anhueser-Busch Conference & Sports Center in St. Louis.

The Red Raiders (13-7 overall, 5-4 good to beat Mis-Big 12) defeated the Tigers 3-1 in their souri," Nichols one meeting this year in Columbia, said. Mo. The Tigers are led by top scorer, forward Sara Taylor, who has five victory against goals, four assists and 14 points in the them gives us Tigers' 20 games.

Until a loss two weekends ago to We played well Texas A&M, Texas was scheduled to when we beat play Tech in the first round. Tech them, and we coach Diane Nichols said it really does will have to play not matter if the Red Raiders battle well again to beat Missouri or Texas in the first round.

"Missouri beat Texas in the regu-

"I think Texas may have had a little in the tourney."

Missouri (5-13 overall, 4-5 Big 12)

has improved since the last meeting didn't have when we beat them there," opportunity we get and just play re-The Texas Tech soccer team hopes between the two teams Sept. 29, Nichols said.

> "We're going to have to play

> . "I think that some confidence.

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lar season, and I thought that was a Nichols said defender CeCe Dillion braska, Saturday. little bit of an upset," said Nichols, who started in last week's series with who has guided the Red Raider soc- Texas Christian and North Texas was at home," Nichols said cer team to its third straight winning should give Tech something new to show the Tigers.

Nichols said it will be determined I think we will have to finish every up for the big time." more talent. But we're just glad to be in this week's practice if she will start against Missouri.

"CeCe is an added feature that we

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"I think CeCe will help us as far as

some speed."

she hopes Tech, which split all this season, can ning ways in St. she said. Louis. The winner of the Tech Pruitt said.

vs. Missouri game will go on win.' to play the top-

ally really good. '

Goalkeeper Lizzie Pruitt, who was a 1.52 goals against average with five souri does have shutouts in 20 games, said she has concerns about playing in her first Nichols said college postseason tournament.

> "I'm nervous," Pruitt said. "But everybody just has to pull to-

five road series gether and play from the heart." The Red Raiders' earlier win over

find some win- Missouri can be both good and bad, "We could come in overconfident."

"But we've got to go out there and

Midfielder Julie Clement, whose seeded, Big 12 nose was broken in the last clash with

regular season Missouri, said the Red Raiders are champion Ne- ready to play the Tigers again. "We're as ready as we'll be until

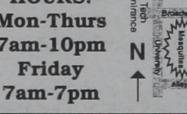
"The only consistency we've had we get there and start playing," said Clement, who has four goals and three "A win against Missouri puts us assists in 20 games. "We've been waitup against a very good Nebraska team. ing all season for this. It's time to show

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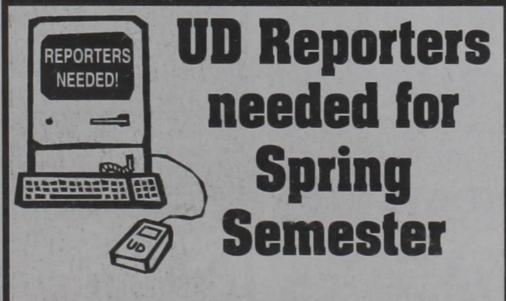
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Lady Raiders to finally play different opponent

After three weeks of practice and two intrasquad scrimmages, the Texas Tech Lady Raiders finally get to see a different opponent -Zala Volan Hungary.

The two teams will battle at 7 p.m. today at the Lubbock Municipal Coliseum in the first exhibition game of the year.

Junior post Crystal Boles, who shot 51 percent from the field last season while averaging 4.7 points and 3.7 rebounds per game, said the practices and intrasquad scrimmages have gone well so far.

"We've been working on defense and rebounding," Boles said. "We're all ready to play another year's squad. team."

know much about Tech's exhibition people to come off the bench.'

Boles said. "We played them my freshman year. We don't get much film from Hungary."

Boles said she was happy about the starting frontcourt job she ap

TECH VS. ZALA VOLAN HUNGARY

When: 7 p.m. today Where: Lubbock Municipal Coliseum What: Lady Raiders first exhibition game of the 1996-97 season

parently will share with freshman forward Keitha Dickerson and junior post Alicia Thompson on this

"I think we should be a deep Boles, who is one of the tallest team, more than in the past," Boles Lady Raiders, said she does not said. "It's going to be important for

Boles, who blocked 68 shots last 'We know they'll probably have year, said she would like to consome older people in their 30s," tribute defense to this year's Lady Raiders' squad.

"My main thing is defense,"

"I hope to contribute defense and pick up my rebounding."

ITA Rolex awaits Tech women netters

by Brent Dirks/UD

The Texas Tech women's tennis team starts its final tournament of the fall season as the Red Raiders start play today in the ITA Regional Rolex on the campus of the University of Texas-Austin.

"I feel right now that this last tournament of the fall is very important," Tim Siegel, director of tennis said. "Every single team in the region will be there.'

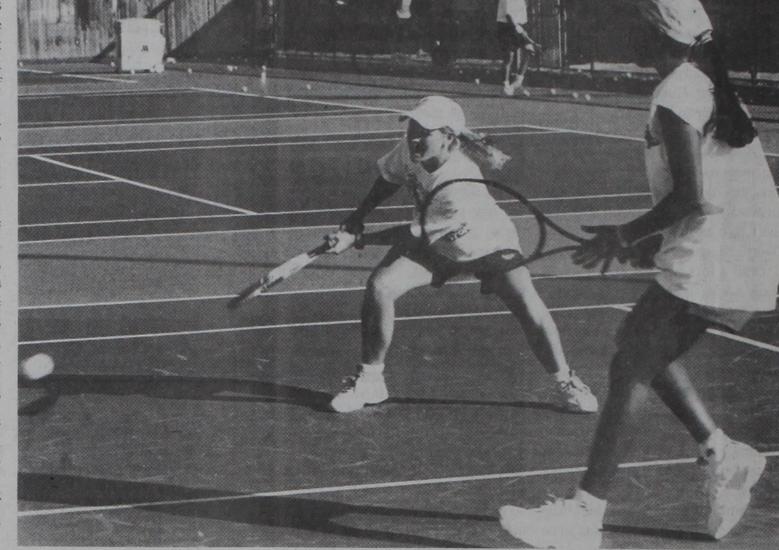
Six team members for Tech were invited into the main draw, Siegel said.

Eva Eguigren, Lucky Ravindra, Erika Fisher, Misty Meyer, Erica Simmons and Amanda Earhart will be the singles players. The doubles teams will consist of Ravindra-Fisher, Earhart-Eguigren and Meyer-Simmons, Siegel said.

"We finished 13 out of 17 last year," he said. "That's going to change this year. They have done better this fall with the confidence level and competitive fire that has to be there."

At this point in the season, Fisher and Earhart have proven themselves above the rest of the pack, he said.

"Ericka has won two tournaments this fall, and she has established herself, and hopefully she'll maintain that in the spring" Siegel said. "Amanda has played great tennis. She competes, said he wants to see the doubles play start right now with it," Siegel said. and I like players like who win improve. matches for us."



Wes Underwood/UD

Tag team: Texas Tech's Erika Fisher and Lucky Ravindra teammates when the Red Raiders head to Austin to take practice their doubles game. The duo will join their part in the ITA Regional Rolex.

Eguigren said the Regional Rolex

"I hope that we go out with the at- will be an important match for the ronment," Eguigren said. "I still need The team has done a good job with titude that we compete and Texas Tech team and an opportunity for her to to work out a lot and try to take a posisingles play up to this point, but Siegel women's tennis gets better, and we improve on what she considers to be a tive attitude.'

mediocre fall season.

"It's hard to get used to the envi-

Big 12 soccer team announced

The 1996 All-Big 12 Conference Cornhuskers' in scoring with 44 points women's soccer team was announced (17 goals, 10 assists). Wednesday, and Texas Tech was absent from the first team. The Red Raid- Melanie Wilson of Texas A&M. The ers' lone representative was freshman freshman goalkeeper has allowed only forward Kristy Frantz, who made the nine goals while recording 52 saves second team.

with 59 points (24 goals, 11 assists) wins over nationally-ranked Duke, NL rookies in hits, doubles, home ing by the Baseball Writers' Associa- New York's Rey Ordonez. while Uppinghouse leads the Southern Methodist and Texas A&M

Rookie-of-the-Year honors go to and a .55 goals against average.

Nebraska's Kari Uppinghouse were named Coach-of-the-Year. The sec- geles Dodgers player has captured the runs and 59 RBIs. selected Co-Players-of-the-Year. ond-year coach has led the honor Blalack leads the Aggies in scoring Cornhuskers to an 19-0-0 record with

Hollandsworth makes it five straight top rookies for L.A. Hollandsworth won the NL Rookie of errors this season. After a slow start, Edgar Renteria was second with 10 ues the Dodgers' stranglehold on the the Year award Wednesday, a record he came on with a strong second half first-place votes and 84 points. Pitts- award, now named after Jackie

NEW YORK (AP) - Todd runs, RBIs, stolen bases and fewest tion of America. Florida shortstop

Hollandsworth received 15 first-The 23-year-old outfielder led all place votes and 105 points in ballot- went to Montreal's F.P. Santangelo and Raul Mondesi, Mike Piazza and Eric

Texas A&M's Bryn Blalack and Nebraska's John Walker was fifth straight year in which a Los An- to finish with a .291 average, 12 home burgh catcher Jason Kendall got one Robinson, the first recipient. He is the

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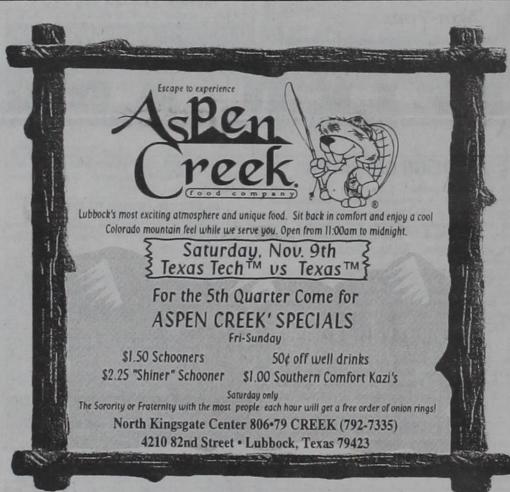
Hollandsworth's selection continfirst-place vote and 30 points overall. Dodgers' 16th player to claim the The other two first-place votes award and he follows Hideo Nomo, Karros as Dodger winners this decade.

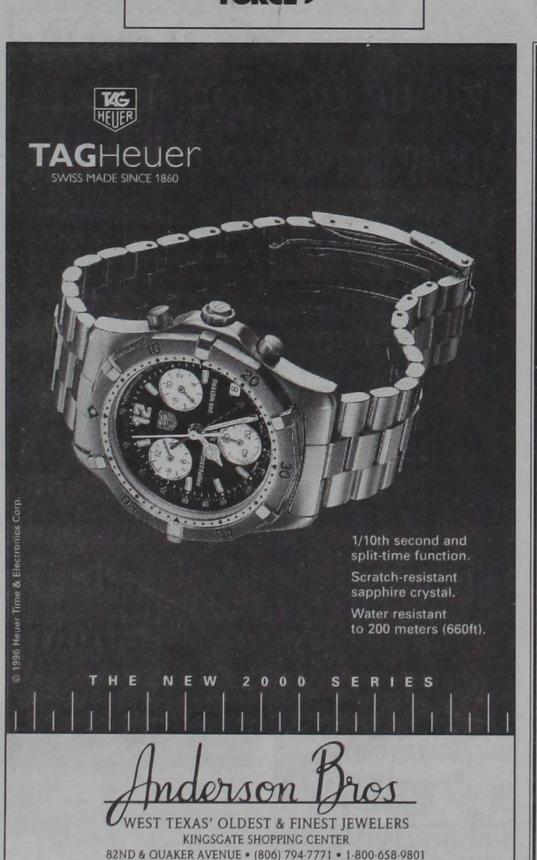
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