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WORLD

## Yeltsin regains control of Black Sea Fleet

MOSCOW (AP) — President Boris Yeltsin on Tuesday seized the initiative from his critics by speeding up creation of Russia's army, reasserting control over the Black Sea fleet, and warning parliament not to reduce his powers.

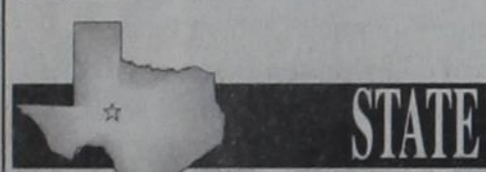
His tough talk was aimed both at countering Ukraine's claims to the Black Sea armada and neutralizing the challenge to his authority by former Communists in parliament.

It was certain to raise tensions in the Commonwealth of Independent States, which has been divided by bickering between Russia and Ukraine over the fleet of more than 300 warships.

"This decree on the Black Sea fleet will give Yeltsin the votes of 'patriots' in the Congress," said presidential adviser Galina Starovoitova about hard-liners.

"But it's a step toward the Yugoslav-ization of relations between Ukraine and Russia," he said.

The moves once again demonstrated the bold side of Yeltsin, 61, who came back from political troubles in 1989, and rose to lead the country following the demise of his rival asserting Russian control over the former Soviet fleet was made in response to an order Monday by Ukrainian President Leonid Kravchuk, who claimed the fleet for Ukraine.



STATE

## Pipeline explosion kills one, injures 16

BRENNHAM (AP) — An explosion packing the power of an earthquake ripped open an underground gas pipeline Tuesday, killing at least one person, flattening nearby mobile homes, and shaking buildings more than 140 miles away.

Cars were thrown from nearby roads. Leaves were ripped from trees whose trunks were blackened. Livestock lay dead in fields. At least 16 people were injured, said Mike Cox, Department of Public Safety spokesman. Other officials put the number at 17 or 18.

"It looks like a tornado came through except there was a path of fire," said Ron Haussecker, emergency management coordinator for Washington County.

"It is amazing the devastation that you can see within a two- to three-mile area," said Washington County Judge Dorothy Morgan, the county's top elected officials. "It's not good."

"I know there are probably about 50 homes that have been destroyed or have some type of damage."



INSIDE

**Features** The continuing recession has many Texas Tech students examining the prospective job markets in their fields. **page 3**

**Weather** High: mid-80s Low: lower 50s Winds: south at 10-20 mph

## Clarification

On Monday The University Daily ran an article concerning alcoholism among college students. Lee Thomas, a preventative program assistant at the Lubbock Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, was quoted as saying, "A regular weekend drinker who can have two drinks or more every weekend is running a really high risk of becoming an alcoholic."

The quote should have read, "Students that are regular heavy drinkers on the weekend tend to run the risk of developing alcoholism."

# Clinton conquers Brown in New York primary

by DAVID ESPO  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Democratic front-runner Bill Clinton sought to defeat Jerry Brown and dispel voter doubts about his candidacy Tuesday, in a pivotal round of presidential primaries in New York and three other states.

The Arkansas governor moved out to a strong lead in first returns from Kansas.

Campaign dropout Paul Tsongas was watching the returns and mulling a decision on whether to reenter the race.

Clinton was projected the winner in Kansas' primary by Cable News Network even before all the state's polls were closed. Wisconsin and

Minnesota also voted, although New York held center stage as the Arkansas governor sought to resume his march to a first-ballot nomination.

Among Republicans, the only suspense was the size of President Bush's victories over challenger Patrick Buchanan. With New York's 100 delegates already in his pocket, Bush held 876 of the 1,105 delegates needed to secure renomination.

In a statement released at the White House, Bush said, "Today's results are another endorsement of our proposals for fundamental reform. While the Democrats offer only confusion, we are earning a mandate to change America as we change the world."

There were 362 Democratic delegates at stake Tuesday. Clinton began the day with

1,082, compared to 166 for Brown. It takes 2,145 to win the nomination.

With just 45 precincts counted in Kansas, Clinton had 52 percent of the vote and non-of-the-above was a distant second, at 16 percent. Tsongas and Brown trailed.

Regardless of how they voted, 70 percent of the Democrats in New York and Wisconsin said they agreed with Brown's criticisms of the political system, and in Kansas it was 60 percent.

Clinton spent most of the day at home in Arkansas before heading to New York for what he hoped would be the biggest victory rally of his campaign.

"I feel pretty good about it," he said. "This is the people's campaign," said

Brown. "There is only forward movement."

The voters offered up fresh evidence of dissatisfaction with the choices allowed them. "I wrote in Ross Perot," said Paige Anderson, a 24-year-old Minnesota voter. "I'm completely dissatisfied with everyone else and he seems to represent the view of the middle class."

Perot, a billionaire Texan, is mulling an independent candidacy that could change the dynamic of the fall campaign between Bush and his Democratic rival.

Clinton, the Arkansas governor, stumbled two weeks ago in a Connecticut defeat, and lost Vermont's caucuses to Brown a week ago. After that he was forced into political combat in New York, confronted by Brown's daily attacks and by the city's tabloids and dodging the draft.

# TARAL, Right to Life exchange verbal blows on abortion rights

by BRIAN COFER  
THE UNIVERSITY DAILY



THE UNIVERSITY DAILY: WALTER GRANBERY

Supporters and foes of abortion faced off Tuesday in a forum concerning the future of *Roe v. Wade*.

"A more conservative Supreme Court has made many afraid that *Roe v. Wade* will be thrown out," said moderator Terry Graham.

Panel members included David Hazlewood, spokesman for Texas Abortion Rights Action League; Frank Newton, Dean of Texas Tech School of Law; and Kimberly Reiken, spokeswoman for Lubbock Right to Life Committee.

Newton said that if *Roe v. Wade* is overturned, abortion will not automatically be made illegal. Instead, the decision will be left to individual states.

"We would bet that when American people are given the facts, they will press for legislation to protect life through all stages of pregnancy," Reiken said.

Hazlewood said a repeal of *Roe* would have a discriminatory effect.

"If *Roe* is overturned, women of color will be the first to suffer," he said. "Women of means will always have access."

Reiken said that while she realizes overturning *Roe v. Wade* would make abortion an unsafe back-alley process, the procedure is not safe as it is.

"There are medical risks to abortions," she said. "And an abortion is never safe for a baby."

Reiken said her organization is opposed to abortion in all cases, except when the woman's life is in danger, while Hazlewood said his organization is dedicated to the individual right of women to make their own choices.

The audience participated with sometimes-heated questions to the panel members.

"How can you justify all these unwanted children being brought into the world?" Texas Tech student Russell Morris asked Reiken.

Reiken said this is a problem that must be addressed better than it currently is, but that it does not serve as a justification for abortion.

Janice Crawford recounted her participation as a nurse in an illegal abortion in 1969, performed upon a five-month-old fetus.

The forum, which was taped as a segment of the program "Ideas and Issues," will be televised at 11 a.m. Sunday, on KLBK-TV, channel 13.

## Tongue in cheek

Kimberly Reiken, spokeswoman for the Lubbock Right to Life Committee, left; Frank Newton, Dean of the Texas Tech School of Law, center; and David

Hazlewood, spokesman for the Texas Abortion Rights Action League, debated abortion Tuesday for a section of "Ideas and Issues."

# Lawless honors outstanding faculty

by CATHERINE DUNN  
THE UNIVERSITY DAILY

Texas Tech faculty members were recognized for outstanding achievement Tuesday during the annual Texas Tech Faculty Honors Convocation, in which Tech President Robert Lawless was the keynote speaker.

Emeritus faculty, Paul Whitfield Horn professors and faculty who received various campus awards throughout the academic year received recognition.

"The strength of this university and the health sciences center has been in the past, and always will be the quality of the faculty," Lawless said.

Lawless said Tech and the health sciences center have the prestige they do today because of past faculty members and some current members who served on the faculty when Tech was still building its name.

"It's only been a little more than 20 years that the health sciences center has gone from a medical school to a full-blown health sciences center. It now has a national and an international reputation," he said.

"The university continues to move. It continues to move because of the quality of its

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— Robert Lawless

faculty."

Lawless said that despite budget cuts, he is not discouraged about Tech's future.

"The future doesn't look bright in terms of dollars, but it looks bright in terms of excellence and in terms of quality because of all of you and your colleagues that are not here today," he said.

"Every one of the faculty deserves recognition and applause," he said. "We are what we are because of the faculty, and we will be what we are to become because of the fac-

ulty. I'm glad that I'm here because of you."

Thirteen professors from each of Tech's colleges and schools received a \$1,500 honorarium and an engraved university and health sciences center medallion for the President's Excellence in Teaching Award. The award was established in 1981.

Three university professors and one health sciences center faculty member received a \$1,500 stipend and a medallion for the President's Academic Achievement Award. The award was established in 1986, and recognizes faculty members for teaching, research and service.

Nine faculty members received the Ex-Students Association New Faculty Award that recognizes outstanding faculty members employed less than five years in each of the university colleges and the School of Law.

Six faculty members received the Outstanding Researcher Award, which the Office of Research Services presented for the first time.

C. Reed Richardson, a professor of animal science, received the Continuing Education Faculty Award for his work with Continuing Education programs.

# Students Day allows Techsans Q&A time

by STEPHEN ARMOUR  
THE UNIVERSITY DAILY

The Texas Tech Student Association and the division of Student Affairs Staff Development Committee will sponsor the second annual Students Day from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. today in the University Center's Courtyard.

The departments that make up Student Affairs will each have a booth set up in the courtyard, said Kathy Keith, public relations director for the SA.

"Students are encouraged to stop by and ask any questions they might have," she said. Keith said the objectives for the day are twofold.

"We want to tell students about the services each department offers," she said. "We also want to take positive criticisms from the students."

"Last year, we had a problem with the students only giving us negative comments.

We hope this year we can get positive feedback from the students. We want them to tell us what we are doing well, so we can continue to do those things. But we also want to know what we can be doing better."

Fifteen departments will be represented in the courtyard, including Admissions and Records, the Attorney for Students, the campus bookstore, Career Planning and Placement, the Counseling Center, the Dean of Students Office, Housing and Dining Services and the PASS Center.

New Student Relations, Recreational Sports, Financial Aid, student publications, student support services, the UC and the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs also will be represented.

Keith said comment cards will be available at each booth, and the Saddle Tramps will decorate the courtyard with red and black streamers.

Keith said that because many students

think the departments have no time to deal with their problems, the departments want to stress that they are there to help.

"They are really friendly and open people and are here to meet the students and help them," she said. "That is their job. They can tell students the best times for coming by the office because a lot come by when they are really busy."

"Students pay fees and it is ridiculous if the students do not take advantage of these services," Keith said. "For example, Career Planning and Placement can be used by students who have been graduated for five years."

The idea for Students Day was originated by SA President Russell Laird.

"Russell hopes Students Day will continue and get bigger and better each year," Keith said. "He wants students to take advantage of this program and work with the student affairs departments to find solutions to improve the services that are now offered."

# UPD officials investigating Weymouth acid bombs

by JENNIFER SANDER  
THE UNIVERSITY DAILY

University Police Department officers have possible leads as to who constructed and placed acid bombs in the Weymouth residence hall on March 11.

"We have a few leads as to who did this," Minnick said. "If we find who did it, the charge will be just like carrying a gun on campus."

Minnick said the crime is a second-degree felony, and if convicted, a person could serve two to 20 years in prison and pay a fine not exceeding \$10,000.

UPD officers were called to the residence hall complex office to investigate the bombs. An office assistant had located a clear, three-liter Coke bottle partially filled with a cloudy, bubbly liquid.

The office assistant found the bottle on the seventh floor of a Weymouth stairwell, and noticed remains of an exploded bottle on the ninth floor. UPD officers recovered the remains and tagged and stored the bottle for evidence.

UPD officers determined that the bottles were homemade acid bombs.

They contacted local bomb experts to demonstrate how the bomb worked.

Bomb experts told UPD officers the bomb could explode about five seconds to five minutes after being sealed, but in order to explode, the mixture must be sealed in an air-tight container.

Weymouth Hall Director Sean Duggan said he did not hear any explosions on the day the bombs were located; however, the office assistant said he heard two explosions that day.

UPD detective Gene Minnick said the bombs can be extremely dangerous, especially if foreign material, such as glass, is placed inside the bottles.

The bombs also can be timed to explode. He said factors such as the amount of acid used, the materials put inside, the order materials are put in and the size of the container all contribute to the bomb's explosion time.

"A person could be coming down the stairwell when the bomb goes off and be seriously injured," he said.

Even if glass is not placed in the bottles, the acid alone could injure someone, Minnick said.

Jim Minton of UPD said the acid found in the bombs was a very mild acid, and could be diluted when washed off with water. However, there are more potent and dangerous acids on the market that can be used as well.

Minnick said it is very rare to find bombs on campus, and that this incident is the first UPD has encountered in a few years.

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Tech students encouraged to attend "Students Day" today



RUSSELL LAIRD

Today, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the University Center Courtyard, every Texas Tech student will have the chance to participate in the university's second annual "Students Day." This special event, sponsored by the Student Association and the Student Affairs Staff Development Committee, will allow students to have one-on-one contact with department heads and top-level administrators from all of the 15 departments within the Student Affairs division. The theme "Students Day" was chosen because it represents the positive attitude that the staff members in the division of Student Affairs have toward providing quality customer service to us as students.

"Students Day" has two purposes. First, it provides a setting for students to learn more about what services the university offers and how students can effectively use these services. The second and most unique purpose of "Students Day" is to provide students a chance to share with administrators their thoughts, ideas and concerns about each of the 15 Student Affairs departments.

Departments represented at "Students Day" include: Financial Aid, Career Planning and Placement, Student Health, Dean of Students, Attorney for Students, University Center, Housing and Dining, Recreational Sports, Admissions and Records, Texas Tech Bookstore, New Student Relations, Student Publications, Student Support Service, Counseling Center and the PASS Center.

This event is one of a kind in the state of Texas. No other university has gone to such lengths to prove that its No. 1 concern is service to students. Opening up direct lines of communication between students and administrators can and will have a very positive effect on the quality of services provided to Texas Tech students.

As students, we cannot afford to let such a unique opportunity pass us by. "Students Day" will be a success only if we participate and share our honest opinions and ideas with those in the university who can make a difference. I encourage you to come by the UC Courtyard to give input on the services that are here for you. Take advantage of your day, "Students Day."

Russell Laird is the president of the Student Association.

editorials  
 DATA SHOULD BE RELEASED

The Senate Select Committee on POW-MIA Affairs continues to push ahead to discover what happened to the more than 2,000 Americans left unaccounted for in Indochina.

Recently it issued a subpoena to Brent Scowcroft, national security adviser to President Bush. According to the *New York Times*, the subpoena demanded "that he turn over documents the White House has withheld since January ..."

These requested documents date back to 1973, when the administration of then-President Nixon "closed the books" on most MIA cases.

Scowcroft and the White House should respond immediately and completely to the committee's request. No national security need remains to keep anything classified on the POW-MIAs. The Vietnam war ended almost 19 years ago; Vietnam no longer poses a threat to anyone. ...

The files belong to the American people, who sent their sons, brothers, and father to fight, die, and be imprisoned in Vietnam. We should be shown everything. Now.

— Odessa American

H. ROSS IS GOOD NEWS

The pending candidacy of H. Ross Perot for the office of president of the United States is good news. ... Perot has benefited greatly in our economic system as he is a self-made billionaire and he is willing to offer his service in return for the opportunities he has gotten in his life. ...

Perot's credentials for the highest office in the land are impeccable. Most importantly of all, he is not now a part of the problem in Washington. He is concerned about what Americans are alarmed about.

Perot's chances of getting elected are good as a majority of American voters are upset about the choices — or lack of choices — they now have at the polls. It's obvious that changes are needed in Washington and in our view, Perot is the person who can get the job done. ...

— Pecos Enterprise

ON SCHOOL FINANCING PLAN

Not long ago, ... House Speaker Gib Lewis had a new proposal for financing public education in Texas. Lewis' preliminary plan suggested consolidating school districts — reducing the 1,066 existing independent school districts to 188 county and multi-county districts. We pointed out that this part of the plan needs close scrutiny. Two reasons are apparent. First would be the loss of local control of our schools. Second would be the creation of large educational bureaucracies. Since Lewis issued his preliminary plan these objections have been brought to his attention, mainly by school administrators and school boards. For that reason, Lewis is now advancing a second part of the basic plan. It would move school administration and decision-making to the most basic level — the neighborhood school. ...

— Brazosport Facts



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MAILBAG

Affirmative Action needed as long as racism exists

Time and time again I have heard several arguments for and against Affirmative Action. I feel strongly about several controversial issues but have never felt a need to express my opinions publicly. However, Affirmative Action is one issue I would like to speak out from one minority's point of view. I wanted to speak out because of a few misconceptions which exist.

First of all, I hear people comment that minorities support Affirmative Action because they are insecure about their capabilities. I am in for Affirmative Action not because I am insecure about myself — in fact, I happen to be very confident — but because we cannot deny racism exists. It has always existed, but it appears to be especially prevalent during hard economic times. As we all know, the United States has been experiencing a recession for the past year, which was caused by several factors.

However, I have heard people blame immigrants (mainly Mexican immigrants) and minorities. I am insulted when I hear people say that minorities should go back to their countries because minorities are causing all the problems. All of us currently living in the United States, regardless of our race — with the exception of the Native Americans — are descendants of immigrants from all parts of the world. This country does not belong to any certain race. Members of the white race are either a German descendent, Italian descendent, etc. All of our ancestors came to the United States because they wanted to experience life in the "land of opportunity."

People have blamed the welfare system for this country's problems. The welfare system is needed for those whom are needy but I realize that abuse of the welfare system exists. I too am angered by this abuse but there is not one particular race utilizing the welfare system; there are several. I would like to mention that I come from a 13-member family and was raised by parents with a strong work ethic. I

would also like to mention that because of our family size and my father's income, we probably could have easily qualified for government assistance.

Instead, my father chose to work hard to provide for his family and he also chose to teach his children to work hard as well at a very young age. (We began working for wages during our summer breaks at about the age of eight, so, yes, many minorities do know about hard work.) People assume that if a person is a minority that person is on welfare and because they blame the welfare system for this country's problems, it is the minority's faults that this country is in trouble. We cannot blame a certain race. If we are intelligent enough, we also know there are several other factors that caused the recession.

I mention these comments I have heard regarding minorities only to point out that there are indeed people who do not like minorities. We need to start looking beneath everyone's skin color. Take a good look. We are all in school because we have the same hopes and dreams. We're all trying to better ourselves. If a person is a certain skin color it does not mean that person has a certain character. Look at each individual person and let's not stereotype.

I have dated people of several different races and have friends of several different races. I associate with those whom I can relate to and do not choose my friends because they are of the same skin color. Unfortunately, not all people believe the same. I am not speaking out because of a personal experience with racial discrimination. I have always had good relationships with my employers, co-workers and friendships that are white. Of my three closest friends, two are whites and I could not ask for better friends than these two people. But as James Sadler pointed out in the March 6 issue of *The University Daily*, and as we all know, there are people out there that do not like minorities and they will not hire one if it is in their control. This is my concern. I have worked too hard to put myself through school and worked too hard to maintain a good GPA to be rejected for a job on the basis of my skin color.

Misconceptions also exist regarding Affirmative Action policies. Some believe that if a company is trying to meet a quota, they will hire any minority regard-

less of whether or not the minority is qualified. I once worked for a corporation which employed about 950 employees and this corporation was definitely an Equal Opportunity employer. In my department, one of my responsibilities included coordinating the interview process when the need arose and I occasionally was an interviewer, depending on the position.

This corporation did try to maintain a certain number of minorities and if ever the number fell below their desirable minimum, the personnel department would send letters to the departments with open positions encouraging them to hire a minority but only if he or she met the qualifications. This letter did not state "hire one even if he or she does not meet the qualifications just so that the quota could be met." During my employment with this corporation, I always saw the best qualified person get hired regardless of their race. We screened applicants thoroughly. The best qualified person was hired even if the person was white during the time that the number of employed minorities fell below the desired minimum. As I mentioned, the department was encouraged to hire a minority but was not forced. If a minority was equally qualified as a white, the minority was hired. After the interview process, we documented in each applicant's file the reasons why the person was hired or not hired.

My hope is that some day Affirmative Action will not be necessary. I, for one, would easily agree to abolish Affirmative Action if I could trust we would be hired on the basis of our credentials and not our skin color. Minorities are not asking for an unfair advantage. We just want to be judged fairly. We want an equal opportunity to prove ourselves. Skin color is not a measure of intelligence.

Name withheld by request.

Who is free?

My Great-Great-Grandfather, Milton S. Austin, was a captain in the confederate army, the 52nd regiment of North Carolina. Before the Civil War he was a practicing attorney in Richmond County, N.C. In 1862 he answered the call for 20,000 volunteers from North Carolina and entered the service as a lieutenant of infantry.

After the War he left North Carolina in a covered wagon with

his wife, en route, evidently, to somewhere in Texas. He had lost his home, property, possessions, the War and four brothers, Marcus, Love and James as well as his own arm at a place, I most reverently call "the field of honor" at Gettysburg, Pennsylvania. While en route to Texas they wintered in a place called Blackhawk, Mississippi (no longer in existence) during which time he wrote many letters to his son, Isham, who was attending Trinity College — now Duke University. This was probably in 1867. I had the great pleasure of reading many of these letters, in one of which he described to his son that his wife had made a pie and put it in a window ledge to cool but ... "Jim, a Negro, took it and ate it, poor fellow, he probably needed it more than we did. ..."

For years I pondered and meditated about this letter because this man had lost everything we call valuable — at least in my immature mind (1987) — and had reason to be bitter and full of hatred but there was none of that. I detected no animosity or hatred only expectant peace and fulfillment for the future. I was truly baffled until only recently the answer came to me.

This was a period of time in American history where men were really rugged individualists; they struck out without any government guarantees, no social security, no insurance, no job and no guidance except an innate knowledge of God. Mr. Austin, as records reveal, was a devout Methodist all his adult life, a Christian if you will, in 19th century America.

With all his loss and sorrow he was looking and searching outside himself knowing and believing that this life is but a vapor and how foolish to dwell on yourself in self-pity, selfishness, me, me, me. With your eyes on God and eternity you have nothing but opportunity in this life. Today we are shackled as slaves to some kind of government handout be it social security, insurance, retirement, welfare, etc., etc.

The government has ripped the spirit of freedom from us, more than that it has inserted confusion and doubt about our God, i.e. no prayer in school, I dare say that my Gr. Gr. Grandfather Mr. Austin left North Carolina in 1867 with no more than a prayer.

Jeff Austin

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# Experience can make after-graduation job market easier to tackle

by LARA CAMPBELL  
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During our parents' generation, people went to college in order to get a better education, and to ensure a good job after graduation.

Today, with the recession in full swing, many college graduates are having a difficult time finding jobs, which has made some college stu-

dents wonder if the expense of college is worth the effort and whether or not their four-year investment in school will pay off.

Researchers are calling today's job market the worst in two decades. Northwestern University's Linquist-Endicott Report stated that of 259 mid to large size businesses, 69 percent are expecting their business to decline or at least remain the same.

Students are taking the recent news differently.

Some insist the market is not as bad as many are claiming, while others are beginning to wonder if changing majors will help their chances in getting a job.

"I've thought about changing my major," said Terry Bowman, a management information systems major. "But people in that (the MIS) field are

having an easier time getting jobs."

Bowman added that he feels there has been a decline in the white collar segment of the work force, with more unskilled workers capable of doing jobs that rely on computers.

"I always thought I picked a major where I didn't have to worry about getting a job," said Lyn Holmes, an accounting major. "If I can't find a job I can always go into business as a CPA."

The report stated the most hard hit students are those with bachelor's degrees in finance and economics and those with master's degrees in business and engineering.

With the hopes of finding a job after they get out of school, some students are starting to make preparations long before graduation.

"I've been lucky over the summers to find a job (in my field), and I get experience," said Jeff Phillips, an art major. "My summer job helps me make connections."

Phillips said he realizes that he may not be able to find a job that fits into his major, but feels his experience and connections give him an upper hand.

Lisa Garcia, an education major, will graduate in December.

"I've prepared by talking to teachers, my professors and going to the career placement center here on campus," Garcia said.

She added that many of her friends have attended seminars, spoken to

*During the breaks, Christmas and spring break, students should visit places to find out more about the industry, and to find out where the opportunities are.*

— Roger Traub

people in their field and checked out books from the library dealing with their careers.

"It may sound stupid to check out books from the library, but if it will help you know more about your field, it's worth it," Garcia said.

Roger Traub, a professor of economics at Texas Tech, recommends that students start attempting to make connections their junior year of college.

"During the breaks, Christmas and spring break, students should visit places to find out more about the industry, and to find out where the opportunities are," Traub said. "It is a year long process. There are a range of

opportunities out there."

Traub said his good students who are well prepared when they graduate are doing well in the job market.

"The 'come and get me' strategy doesn't work anymore," Traub said.

Despite predictions the job market will remain in a slump for the next five years, some students have not expressed much concern about finding a job.

"I'm hoping by the time I get out of school, the economy will have done a 180. Right now I'm worried about school, not the economy," Bowman said.

Holmes agreed, adding "I haven't thought about getting a job yet. I know there is a recession, but I've never been in tune with the economy."

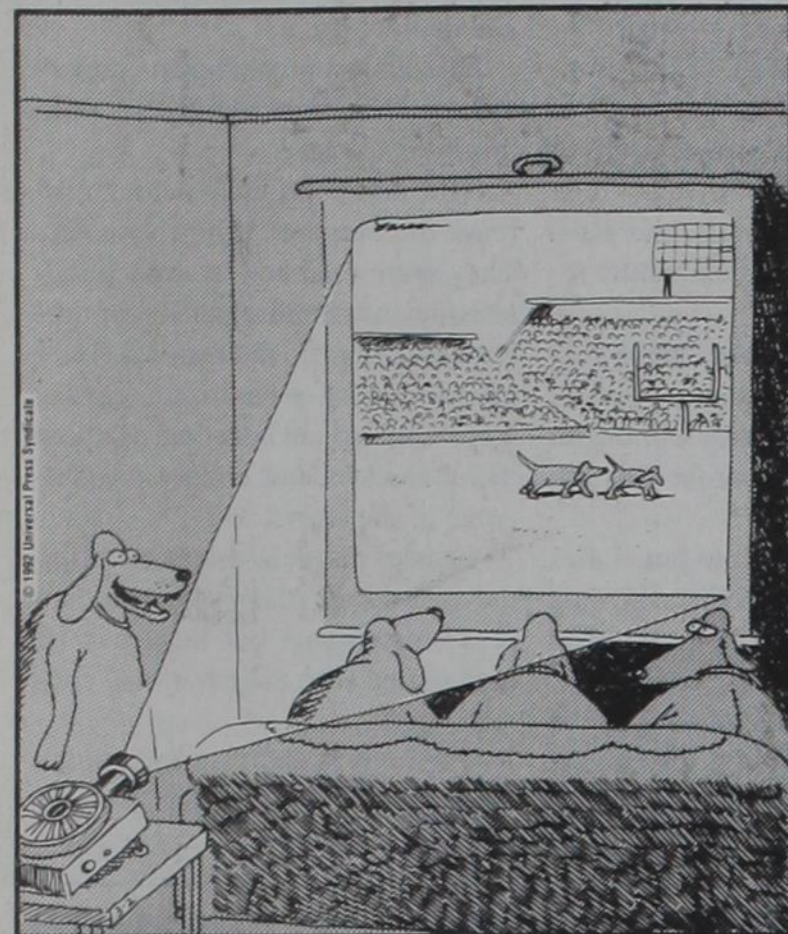
Traub said many college students today are having to deal with parents who do not understand the current job market.

"Right now we do have a round of students whose parents had a different job market (when they graduated from college), and expect the same for their children. They have a hard time relating to their children's problems," Traub said.

Although some students will face a rocky market, most have said they still feel their education is worth their effort.

"Knowledge is the key to power," Holmes said. "Everyone will benefit from a college education."

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# Tech's 'Pirates of Penzance' opens Thursday in UC

by HEATHER PARKER  
THE UNIVERSITY DAILY

For its spring performance, The Texas Tech University Music Theatre will present Gilbert and Sullivan's comic operetta, "The Pirates of Penzance," Thursday through Saturday. Performances begin at 8:15 p.m. in the University Center's Allen Theatre.

Reserved-seating tickets cost \$8 for the general public and \$5 for Tech students and are available at the UC Ticket Booth.

John Gillas is the stage director and producer of this theatrical production. The Tech Symphony Orchestra will be playing in the pit under the direction of Eric Fried.

"It ("Pirates of Penzance") will be very funny and light humorous enter-

tainment," Gillas said. "A lot of jokes will take place during the performance."

Diana Moore is the show's choreographer. "She has done a lot of work for this production," Gillas said. "The dance and movement throughout the show add much of the excitement."

The cast includes Chris Caddell as Major-General Stanely, Jonathan Card as The Pirate King, David Gaschen as Frederic, Shannon Koonce and Dawn Williams as Ruth and Kelly McClendon as Mabel.

Last spring, the music theatre performed "Patience," another Gilbert and Sullivan work. Sir William Gilbert and Sir Arthur Sullivan collaborated on numerous comic operas in the late 19th century. Many of their works are still popular, among them "H.M.S. Pinafore," "The Mikado" and "The

Gondoliers." Highly satiric, the operas targeted the British upper classes.

For further ticket information call the UC ticket booth at 742-3610.



**Pirates of Penzance**  
Frederic (David Gaschen) and Mabel (Kelly McClendon) try to console the Major-General (Chris Caddell).

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## Book review Thrills missing from Marilyn Quayle's new political thriller

by CHRIS WELDON  
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

A struggle for political power inside the Cuban government is the subject of a new novel by Marilyn Quayle, wife of Vice President Dan Quayle, and her sister, Nancy Northcott.

"Embrace the Serpent" is the first collaborative literary effort by Quayle and Northcott. It is a fictitious story set after the death of Cuban dictator Fidel Castro, and tells of a four day conflict between high ranking Cuban officials, the Russians and the Cuban democratic resistance.

Cesar Valles, a brutal Cuban general whose ego matches that of Castro, seizes control of Cuba with the covert assistance of the Russian military.

The Russians want to put Valles in power as a puppet dictator so they can maintain their last foothold in the western hemisphere.

While Valles assures a gullible U.S. president and the rest of the world that his intentions are pro-democracy, he is really securing his

position and planning to tighten his grip on Cuba.

The Cuban resistance movement recognizes that Valles is a tyrant and tries to inform the United States government.

With the help of U.S. Sen. Bob Grant of Georgia, the Cuban resistance tries to prove that Valles is a fraud before it is too late for Cuba and democracy.

The subject matter and its importance are the only things that keep this book afloat.

The major problem with "Embrace the Serpent" is its characters. They seem cold and manufactured, and any emotional statement or outburst is corny and mechanical. They give the story a sanitized feeling. You wind up not wanting to know the characters, but simply the outcome of the story.

Fans of political-drama will find the content of "Embrace the Serpent" interesting, but they may be dissatisfied with the emotional content.

The book is short, so for a quick read, "Embrace the Serpent" is worth the time investment.

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### THE Daily Crossword by Evelyn Benschhof

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The Texas Tech men's tennis team takes on SMU at noon today in the Athletic Training Center.

The Red Raiders (12-10, 2-3 in Southwest Conference) are coming off losses to Texas A&M and Rice last weekend.

"This is the last match for four seniors. The guys played emotionally stale last weekend," head coach Steve Clark said.

"I'm expecting the guys to play



fired up tomorrow. I would be disappointed with anything less."

The lineup features No. 1 Fabio Walker (17-9) to go in the first match. Michael Slauon (14-13) and Thomas Cook (12-14) will play at the No. 2 and No. 3 spots, respectively. Erick Guzman (10-14) and Charles Bailey (13-14) will hold down the No. 3 and

4 spots. "If we win, we will be in good position for the SWC tournament. We have a lot riding on this match," Clark said.

The sixth position has not been determined between Ronnie Emmett and Will Tankersley.

This is the last match of the regular season for the Raiders, as they will compete in the SWC Tournament on April 17-19 in Austin.

# Hockey players reject another proposal

NEW YORK (AP) — NHL players on Tuesday rejected a contract offer the owners said was their last. League president John Ziegler said the season and the Stanley Cup playoffs would be canceled if an agreement was not reached in two days.

Hours earlier, Ziegler had detailed a package that appeared to contain the elements the NHL Players Association had been looking for since going on strike on April 1 — easier free agency rules and continued access to revenues from trading cards.

It took the union's negotiators less than an hour to reject the package.

"It looks like it's a matter of who'll blink first," said Wayne Gretzky of the Los Angeles Kings, hockey's most famous player and the NHL's all-time leading scorer.

Ziegler said the owners' "last proposal" would stay on the table until 3 p.m. EDT on Thursday, but was non-negotiable.

"It's a very sincere and last effort on the part of the owners to save the 75th season of the National Hockey

League," Ziegler said. The biggest concession appeared to be in the area of revenues from trading cards.

Money derived from hockey cards helps to fund the NHL Players Association.

According to figures released by the league on Monday, the players will get between \$11 million and \$12 million this year and the owners will get \$8 million as their share.

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### OUTDOOR SPELUNKING EXPEDITION

The TTU Outdoor Program will be taking a spelunking expedition on the weekend of April 24-26 that is open to all students and staff. The group will travel to McKittrick Ridge which is located between the Guadalupe Mountains and the Carlsbad, N.M., area. The trip will consist of the exploration of three different caves by the use of headlamps. The group will observe various underground formations and animal life. To help preserve e caves and learn more about them, we will do some conservation work as well.

The Trip cost is \$45 and includes: transportation, caving and camping equipment, and instructions. Payment must be made no later than 6 p.m. on April 20. There will be a pre-trip meeting on Tuesday, April 21 at 5:30 p.m. For additional information call 742-2949 or come by the Outdoor Shop, room 206 in the Student Recreation Center.

### LIFEGUARDING AND WSI CLASSES TO BE OFFERED

The Recreational Sports Aquatic Center is offering a lifeguard instructor course April 25-26 from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. This course is designed to teach you how to teach others to be a lifeguard. All students must have a current Community CPR, Standard First Aid, and Lifeguarding car. Cost is \$35 for TTU students and Rec Center pass holders; \$45 for others.

Due to a high demand for lifeguarding and WSI courses, the Aquatic Center has added two courses during the interim period. The classes will be offered May 23-25. The basic lifeguarding course will run from 8 a.m. - 2 p.m. and will teach students the newest water rescue skills for pools.

Students wanting to learn to teach others to swim should sign up for the WSI course. WSI will run from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., Saturday through Monday and 6 p.m. - 10 p.m. on Tuesday, May 26. The cost for basic lifeguarding is \$20 for TTU students and Rec Center pass holders; \$30 for others. The WSI course fee is \$35

## Coming Soon

### Activity ..... Entries Due

Intramurals	
Tennis Doubles .....	April 8-9
Trap & Skeet .....	April 8-9
Home Run Hitting .....	April 14-16
2-Man Golf Scramble .....	April 14-21

Special Events	
Injury Clinic .....	Tonight
In-Line Skating .....	April 12

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for TTU students and Rec Center pass holders; \$45 for others.

Basic Life Support for the professional rescuer is a course designed to review the student's CPR skills while training students on new lifesaving skills. Topics include two-person CPR, utilization of the resuscitation mask, and airway management for spinal injury victims. This course is now a requirement for those intending to be lifeguards. This course is \$15 for TTU students and Rec Center pass holders; \$25 for others.

For more information on courses and signing up, please call the Aquatic Center at 742-3896.

### IN-LINE SKATE RACE SCHEDULED

Join Rec Sports this Sunday for an In-Line (Roller Blade) skate race. There is no entry fee - the race begins at 8 a.m. and skaters may choose 2, 4, or 6 mile distances. Entries are available now but you can enter on Sunday at the North entrance of the SRC. The latest fitness craze - In-Line Skating - comes to Texas Tech.

### BOWLING TRYOUTS

The Texas Tech Intercollegiate Bowling Club will be having tryouts for the '92-93 season on Thursday, April 9. From the tryouts bowlers will be selected to the men's and women's travelling teams. The tryouts will be free of charge and all are invited to come and bowl. The tryouts will begin at 5 p.m. at Imperial Bowling lanes. For further information or if you cannot make the tryouts and would like to be considered, please contact John Mongogna at 797-9239.

### INJURY CLINIC RESUME TONIGHT

Wednesday's Free Injury Clinic hosted by Dr. Robert Yost and the Orthopedic residents from the Health Science Center resumes tonight at 7 p.m. in room 201 of the Student Recreation Center. The weekly clinic allows students with athletic type injuries to have a free examination and receive advice on treatment, care and possible referral. The clinic will continue each Wednesday evening.

For further information call the Rec Sports office at 742-3351 or drop in at tonight's clinic.

### TENNIS AND TRAP SKEET SIGN-UPS SOON

Tennis Singles leagues and the spring doubles tournament entries are now being taken in the Rec Sports Office, SRC 202 during regular office hours. The singles leagues is a new offering for the Spring semester and will be a non-award league without a playoff tournament. Single tennis league play will begin Monday, April 13. The Doubles tournament will begin play Friday, April 10 and will continue possibly through Sunday, April 12. The entry deadline for both the singles leagues and the doubles tournament is tomorrow, April 9. A \$5 ball fee must accompany each entry. A and B classes will be available for both men and women divisions for both events ( a mixed doubles divisions is available for doubles).

The team trap and skeet shoot will take place Saturday, April 11 at the South Plains Gun Club located 1 mile north of the Reese AFB entrance gate. The entry deadline in the Rec Sports Office is Thursday, April 9 (drop-in entries will be accepted at the Gun Club). Each 2-man team may compete in either trap, skeet or both events. Each contestant will shoot one round and their combined scores will determine the champions. A and B classes will be available for men and women. A \$3 per round fee is required and payable to the Gun Club. Equipment may be rented from the Gun Club.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- Softball Home Run Hitting: Entries due 4/16; Play begins 4/21.
- 2-Man Golf Scramble: Entries due 4/21; Play begins 4/25.

## OUTDOOR EQUIPMENT RENTAL AVAILABLE

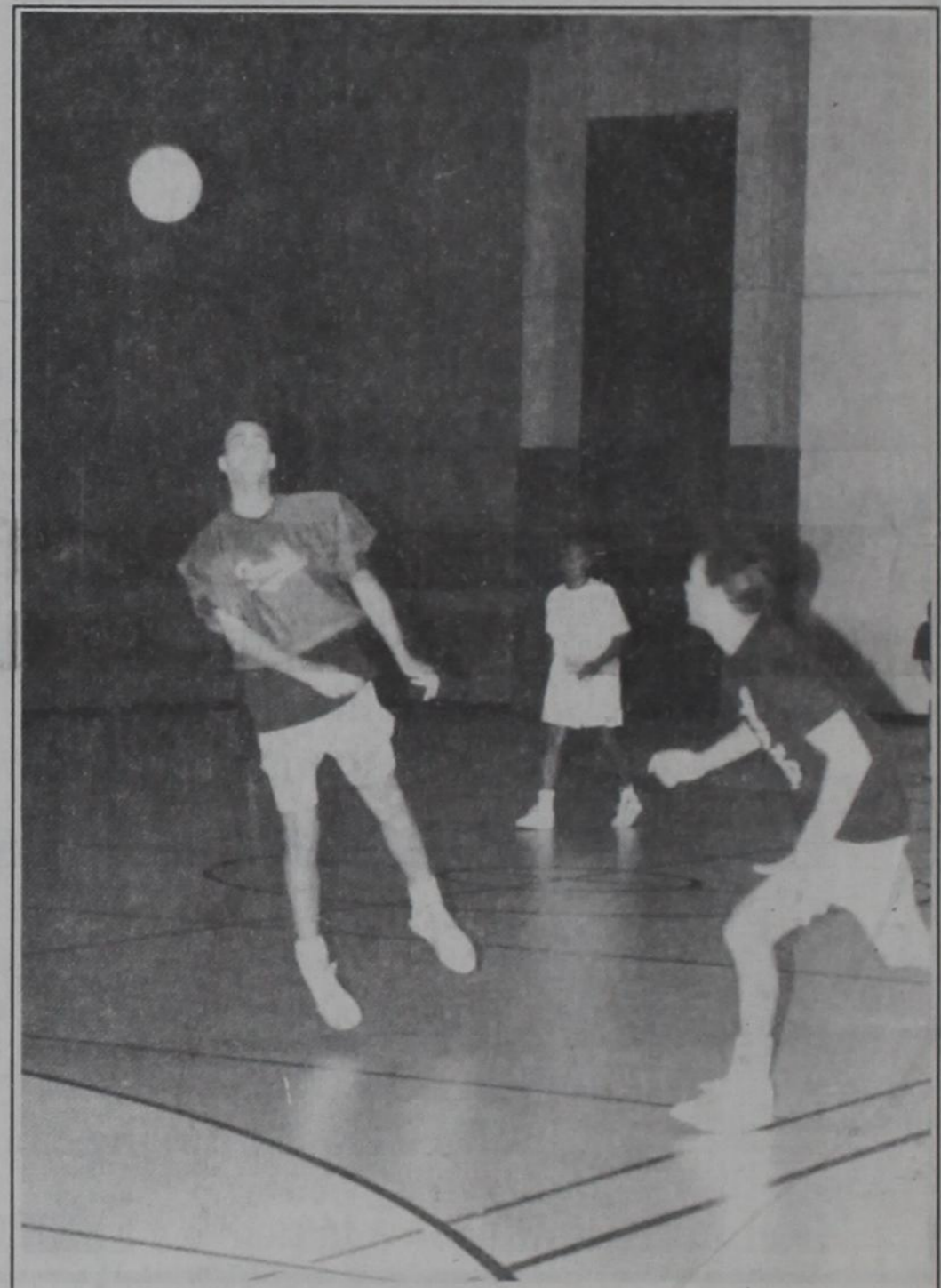
Warm weather means outdoor excursions and the Outdoor Shop, located in room 206 of the SRC, maintains a large inventory of outdoor equipment for your use. All equipment is available for rent by students and staff to assist in allowing individuals and groups to experience camping first hand. Rental hours for the shop are Monday & Friday, noon-6 p.m. and 1 p.m.-5 p.m., Tuesday through Thursday. Rental prices are as follows.

Equipment .....	Weekend (1-3 days)
<b>CAMPING</b>	
Sleeping Bags	
3 season .....	\$3.50
Winter .....	4.00
Backpacks .....	3.00
Tents	
2 person .....	5.00
4 person .....	6.00
6 person .....	8.00
Stove	
1 burner .....	1.50
2 burner .....	2.00
Lantern	
(Mantels extra & fuel not included)	
Fuel .....	1.00/pt.
Cook Kit (4 person) .....	2.00
Mess Kit (2 person) .....	1.00
Ice Chest .....	2.00
Sleeping Pad .....	2.00
2 1/2" .....	2.00
3/8" .....	.75
Water Container	
(2-3 gallon) .....	1.00
Canteen or Fuel Bottle (empty) .....	.50
Compass .....	.50

### WATER SPORTS

17' Canoe .....	25.00
15' Canoe/Rowboat .....	25.00
12 1/2' Whitewater Raft .....	45.00
Sailboard .....	30.00/35.00
Sunfish .....	30.00

Watercraft includes vest and paddles. Swimming ability necessary for rental. \$35 deposit per craft; \$100 deposit per raft. Call 742-2949 for more information.



## Heads up

A Farmhouse player uses his head to advance the ball during last week's indoor soccer game against Delta Sig B. Delta Sig won this game 3-0.

# COMMITTEE APPLICATIONS NOW AVAILABLE!!

Come by the SA Office (2nd floor, UC) for the following councils and committee applications for the 1992-1993 School Year. Applications are due back Friday, April 17 by 5 p.m.

Convocations Committee  
Energy Conservation Committee  
International Education Committee  
Library Committee  
Masked Rider Committee  
Minority Affairs Committee  
Honors & Awards Committee  
Admissions & Retention Committee  
Artists & Speakers Committee  
Bookstore Advisory Committee  
Campus Security & Emergency Committee  
Code of Student Conduct  
Parking Violation Appeals & Parking Policy Advisory Committee  
Personal Safety Awareness Committee  
Student Financial Aids/Scholarship Committee  
Student Health Advisory Committee

Student Publications Committee  
Student Service Fee Advisory Board  
Substance Abuse Awareness Committee  
Undergraduate Student Retention Committee  
University Discipline Committee  
University Discipline Appeals Committee  
Intellectual Property Rights Committee  
Homecoming Coordinating Committee  
University Center Advisory Board  
Student Endowment Fund Committee  
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Community Relations Committee  
Talent Show Committee  
Environmental Awareness Committee  
Legislative Affairs Committee  
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