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Shades of Eden



Ripples in a pond temporarily disturb the tranquility in the greenhouse at the Botanical Gardens.

TCU Daily Skiff/ Andy LaGrone

License plate thefts arise from new laws

By JOE LATTANZI
TCU Daily Skiff

The university hasn't experienced a surge of license plate and registration sticker thefts like other areas of Texas since the passage of a new state law requiring proof of insurance, campus police said.

Enacted in September, the new law requires all motorists to show proof of liability insurance before they can register their cars. The new law also requires motorists to show proof of insurance when renewing drivers' licenses and during automobile safety inspections.

Texas law previously required motorists to show proof of insurance only when stopped by a police officer.

Since the beginning of the semester, one stolen rear license plate was reported, campus police said. Two to three students and faculty members have asked about missing stickers, but haven't officially reported them stolen.

A rise in stolen license plates and registration stickers has occurred in Travis County since the new insurance law was passed, according to an article in *The Dallas Morning News*. Dallas County has reported an increase in the number of people reporting stolen license plates. In El Paso, Hidalgo and Bexar Counties, license plate theft was a problem even before the new law was enacted.

Tax officials across the state are bracing themselves for similar problems, according to the *Morning News*.

Stolen license plates and registration stickers have always been problems during the September renewal period, said June Garrison, Tarrant

County tax-assessor collector. Many people simply steal the registration tags to avoid paying the cost of automobile insurance.

"It's always been a problem for some time," Garrison said. "It's very common."

The entire plate is reported missing in most cases, Garrison said. In other cases, people return the plates with the sticker defaced by someone trying to remove it. In some cases, the plates are returned with the sticker removed.

"The new law doesn't seem to have affected Fort Worth as yet," said Don Edwards, associate chief deputy of the tax office. "In fact, there's been a decrease in license plate thefts in September when it's compared to the same time last year."

The theft of license plates during September decreased by 17 percent since last year, said Edwards, director of the Motor Vehicle Department. During September 1990, 2,781 license plates were stolen. This September, 2,374 plates were stolen. The figures were county-wide and included all classes and weights of motor vehicles.

The frequency of registration sticker thefts has increased slightly during the past two years, said Charles Cripliver, a Fort Worth police crime prevention officer.

"There's nothing to worry about in Fort Worth so far," Cripliver said. "But I foresee a big increase because of the September law, but it hasn't reached epidemic proportions yet."

Cripliver recommended an effective method to prevent theft of the registration stickers short of removing the plate.

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Program produces new shows

Play search offers beginning playwrights a shot at the stage

By KEVIN LINTZ
TCU Daily Skiff

Playwrights who have never had a script produced have a chance to see their writings on stage and in costume thanks to the Alpha Psi Omega play search.

The Delta Upsilon chapter of Alpha Psi Omega is conducting their second annual search for plays. They're accepting all types of plays, including one-acts, comedies, tragedies and musicals.

The theater fraternity hopes to give playwrights, actors and directors an opportunity to work with plays that have not been previously performed.

Jeff Bateman, president of Alpha Psi Omega, said he was pleased with the program's turnout last year and hopes to see the same enthusiasm this year.

Last year, the fraternity received 10 plays and performed two of them, Bateman said. The plays, both one-acts, were performed on one night and had "a good response," he said.

In addition to seeing their plays performed, playwrights can get feedback from the audience and members of the theater department about their plays.

"Sculpting," a drama/fantasy by Shannon Slaton, and "Dolphins and Other Defenseless Creatures," a story of a dysfunctional family by Jennifer B. Thomas, were last year's productions.

Although many plays are submitted, not all can be used, Bateman said.

"We try to produce the script that will give us the best production," he said. "If the script is not chosen, it is not necessarily a reflection on the script."

The search is not limited to university stu-

dents, Bateman said. Plays are sent in from all over the country, he said.

The search is made known to people at TCU and the Metroplex as well as New York and Los Angeles, he said.

The two plays already submitted this year are from Galveston and Duncanville.

Bateman said he feels the search is a wonderful opportunity for everyone involved.

"It's very hard to get a script produced, especially if you're not known," Bateman said. "If a playwright wants to be seen, we're providing an opportunity."

The search is not only a chance for playwrights to get some publicity, it is also helpful to the director and the actors, Bateman said.

"As an actor, it's an incredible opportunity to create a role," he said. "It's a piece of clay you can mold how you like."

Student House officers to campaign next week

NICOLE FOY
TCU Daily Skiff

The filing deadline for the House of Student Representatives officer election is 5 p.m. Friday.

Campaigning for the offices of president, vice president for programming, secretary and treasurer will begin immediately after the deadline, but the House Elections Committee recommends candidates wait until they are briefed on specific campaign rules at a candidates meeting at 5 p.m. Sunday in Student Center Room 222.

Applications for the Nov. 12 election are available in the Student Activities Office until Friday. Completed applications should be returned to Student Activities.

Qualifications for candidates were outlined Tuesday at the House meeting. Full-time students who have completed at least 30 semester hours with a minimum overall grade point average of 2.5 at the time of filing are eligible.

Candidates for treasurer must have completed at least three hours of college-level accounting with a grade point average of at least 3.0 in the course prior to filing. Candidates for vice president for programming must have served at least one semester on the Programming Council, and the secretary must be able to type 30 words a minute and take shorthand or exceptional notes.

In other business, the House voted to cosponsor an annual lectureship on reli-

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Class takes advantage of top-ranked course

By RICK WATERS
TCU Daily Skiff

A young man quietly steps onto the finely-cut, green grass of the Colonial Country Club's golf course.

He stops, inhales a deep breath of clean air and stretches his legs. He squints through his sunglasses at some putters on the tenth green as the wind tosses his hair.

For Tom Warner, superintendent of Colonial's golf course, it is just another day at his office, just another golf course.

But to Charlotte Schweitzer's beginner and advanced golf classes, it is a special opportunity to see one of the United States' top-ranked golf courses.

"It's such an excellent resource," Schweitzer said. "It's amazing to think that of all the 1,600 golf courses in the United States, we have No. 37 just a few blocks away."

Schweitzer, who has taught golf at the university for almost seven years, takes both her classes to Colonial every semester to see the "rich history" of the course and to ask Warner questions and to receive tips. The trip is highlighted by a putting practice session for the students on the greens.

"It's a tremendous opportunity to play there," said senior general studies major Mary Ivie. "It's such a prestigious place and so gorgeous. It revitalizes you."

"It was my first opportunity to come in contact with a nationally-known course played by professional players," said freshman economics major Kory Nelson.

Much of the students' excursion involves getting hands-on experience. Many of the aspects of the game that remain "behind the scenes" are emphasized, like course maintenance, Schweitzer said.

"Golf is a sport in which you destroy your playing surface," she said. "It's important to see how the course is repaired."

Also included in the experience is touring the Wall of Champions and viewing the Hogan Trophy Room.

Warner doesn't ask for anything in return, but sees the experience as a way of showing the golfers a bit about what he does.

"I'm proud of what I do and it's a chance to show them the behind the scenes," Warner said. "I'm just giving back to golf what golf gave to me. The students' coming out here dispels the mystique about Colonial. We're just another golf course."

Inside

War of the sexes

Columnist examines misunderstandings and inequalities between men and women.

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Track

Despite losses, cross-country team plans to do well against A&M.

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Outside

Today's weather will be partly cloudy with scattered showers and a high temperature of 85 degrees.

Thursday's weather will be partly sunny with a high temperature of 89 degrees.

Sign thefts delay construction

Campus police plan to erect barricades around renovations

By JOHN J. LUMPKIN
TCU Daily Skiff

Theft of warning signs by students is causing delays in the road construction schedule around campus.

"It amazes me that they have the gall to tear down the signs when we are working on the beautification of the area," said John Denton, local inspector for the Construction Engineering civil service.

Denton was further disgusted they were doing so "under the banner of a Christian university," he said.

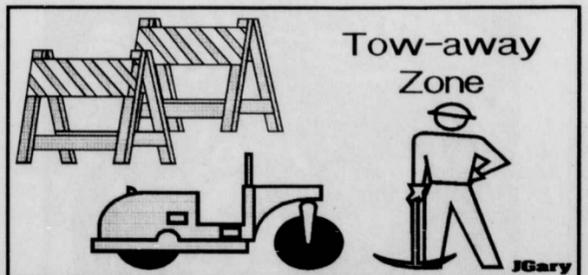
Police have been unable to do anything about the thefts, he said.

Starting Thursday, workers will put up barricades to cordon off Princeton and Lubbock as a further measure.

"Anyone going around the barricades is an automatic tow-away," said Oscar Stewart, campus police chief. "Maybe that will get the students' attention."

"We will tow cars this Saturday if they're parked along Princeton or Lubbock," Denton said.

For two weeks, workers have been putting up "Tow-Away Zone" signs



to warn drivers of impending construction.

However, the workers have arrived to find the signs gone and students' cars parked where the construction was to take place, Denton said.

"We have the police department's permission to put those up," he said.

The thefts have forced workers to wait for the weekend to repair the roads, but the signs and barricades must go up during the week, Denton said.

"I was hoping that the students wouldn't disobey the signs," Stewart said. "When they put up the signs, they do it for a reason."

Workers put up the signs to warn drivers of hazards during the construction such as "scraped-up pavement" and potholes, he said.

The students obeyed the signs on Friday, probably because of less classes and therefore less traffic, he said.

The signs are put up early because the police require a three-day notice, so they place stickers warning illegally parked cars, Denton said.

Fort Worth police have already towed one vehicle violating the signs, Denton said. He suspected it was a student's car.

The roads being worked on are Cantey, Lubbock, Parmer, Princeton and Waits.

Austin Pavement is contracted by the city to do the work. They were unable to work last weekend due to a plant breakdown.

CAMPUSlines

CAMPUSlines is provided as a service to the TCU community. Announcements of events, meetings and other general campus information should be brought by the Skiff office, Moudy 291S or sent to TCU Box 32929. The Skiff reserves the right to edit for style and taste.

International Faculty Reception will be held from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Thursday in Reed Hall Room 214. Everyone is welcome to attend. For more information, contact Julie Gentry at 923-0564.

Journalism Department will give Grammar, Spelling and Punctuation tests at 2 p.m. Thursday in Moudy Building Room 280S. Students can register in the Journalism Department office, Moudy 256S.

The Speech Honor Society will meet at 4:15 p.m. today in the Moudy third floor lobby.

Adult Commuter Network will have an organizational meeting at 2 p.m. today in Student Center Room 204.

National Art Education Association is sponsoring a workshop on "Marbleizing paper and fabric" from 4 to 6 p.m. today in Moudy Building Room 207N. The workshop costs \$5.

The St. Paul Outreach Prime Time Support Group meets from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. the fourth Monday of every month at Raymond's Barbecue Cafeteria on Garland Road. For more information, call 879-3975.

HIV counseling and testing for the general public will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. Thursdays at the Nelson-Tebedo Community Clinic. Testing costs \$10, and is anonymous and confidential.

HELPlines

The Volunteer Center, a service of the United Way needs volunteers. Call the Volunteer Center at 860-1613 for information about the following or other opportunities.

Volunteers are needed to demonstrate pioneer craft skills at a historic log cabin village in Fort Worth. Training will be provided.

Volunteers are needed to assist with educational activities for developmentally-delayed children between the ages of two and seven years. Shifts are available on weekdays between 8 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.

Volunteers are needed to assist the AIDS Resource Center. Training is available. For more information, call the Community Outreach Project of the Dallas Gay Alliance and the Foundation for Human Understanding at (214)521-5124.

Volunteers are needed to spend a minimum of one hour per week with a mental health patient and join in activities that will strengthen socialization skills, like bowling or shopping.

Volunteers are needed to assist elderly people with their personal and/or financial affairs. Training will be held in November.

Volunteers are needed to assist in the day surgery unit of a local hospital by transporting patients by wheelchair, giving fluids to recovering patients and running errands in the hospital. Available Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

Volunteers are needed to assist with a recycling program on the city's east side. Help is needed to sort and carry recyclables from cars to recycling areas Saturday mornings.

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"I suggest that motorists take a razor and make slight cuts in the sticker," he said. "If somebody tries to peel the sticker off, they wind up with only a piece."

Fort Worth police statistics about stolen license plates and registration stickers weren't immediately available, Crippliver said.

The state legislature may permanently solve the problem of registration sticker thefts, Garrison said.

"In 1995, there'll be new legislation in the mill to solve the problem," she said.

The state legislature will introduce a bill changing the size of the registration stickers, Garrison said. The bill will require that the sticker be mounted inside the windshield next to the vehicle inspection sticker.

License plates and registration stickers cost \$5.30 each to replace, Edwards said. The initial cost for a registration sticker varies from \$50 to \$60, depending on the age of the car.

Ye gods & little fishes

by Stev Klinetobe



Insanity Fair

by Joe Barnes



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Siege

by Andy Grieser & Kall Loper

gion with the Student Government of Brite Divinity School. The House allocated \$430 for the series, which added to the \$200 given by the House Forums Committee for the event.

The series will feature Martin Marty, the service professor of history of modern Christianity at the University of Chicago. Marty will address issues about seminary and the ministry and faith in post-secular times in two lectures to be held Oct. 31 in Robert Carr Chapel. The public is welcome to attend.

Marty is senior editor of *The Christian Century* and holds 40 honorary degrees in the field of religion. He has written over 40 books, and was awarded the National Book Award for his book "Righteous Empire."



Calvin and Hobbes

by Bill Watterson



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AIDS scare

C.J. hoax should prompt greater awareness

The Metroplex can now breathe a sigh of relief, knowing "C.J." and the AIDS scare she provoked was only a nightmare.

Or was it?

For weeks, Dallas-Fort Worth has been terrorized by a woman, identifying herself only by the initials C.J., who claimed she had contracted the deadly AIDS virus and was spreading it to men she met at area nightclubs.

A letter by C.J. turned up in *Ebony* magazine in September saying she was "angry, very angry" because she contracted the disease from a man.

Spreading it was now her form of revenge. The letter prompted several calls to radio stations across the area claiming to be C.J., all the while drawing national attention, including ABC's *Prime Time Live*.

But Dallas police revealed Tuesday that it was all a hoax. Officials announced a 15-year-old girl was the author of the *Ebony* letter and a 29-year-old female medical school employee was behind many of the calls.

But just because this incident was fictitious does not in any way diminish the impact it should have on the public. AIDS is still just as deadly and just as horrible as it was one week ago. The risks of catching it are identical, despite whether a C.J. exists.

This incident should be used to better educate the public and once again make them aware of the tremendous risks and consequences of the AIDS virus.

It should also prompt leaders in business and government to provide more money for AIDS research and public information about the deadly disease.

C.J. was a hoax this time, but next time we might not be so lucky.

AIDS

Compromise

Parties need to work together to save economy

On Sunday, Texas Sen. Lloyd Bentsen fired the opening volley in the latest economic showdown between Republicans and Democrats seeking to spark the nation's sluggish economy.

Instead of partisan bickering, both sides should come together and develop a mutually acceptable plan through compromise.

Bentsen, chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, has unveiled an economic plan calling for \$72.5 billion in tax cuts coupled with a 5 percent reduction in defense spending.

His program would use the defense reduction, commonly referred to as the peace dividend, to finance tax breaks, aimed largely at the middle class.

This is proving to be the major point of contention with Republicans in the Senate as well as the Bush administration. The White House wants the peace dividend to be used to reduce the nation's deficit.

Senate Republicans, most notably Minority Leader Bob Dole (R-Kans.) have vowed that any budget program, including the one pushed by Bentsen, that conflicts with last year's budget agreement would be completely rejected.

The Republicans, however, have been pushing cutting the capital gains tax and providing investment tax credits to increase investment, thereby jump-starting the economy.

This has been rejected by Congressional Democrats who say it only favors the rich and excludes the poor and middle class.

If both sides would lay down their partisan prejudices, a compromise could easily be struck that would satisfy both sides.

Allowing the peace dividend to be given to the middle class while cutting the capital gains tax would be only one way of giving both sides what they desperately want.

In the end, the Republicans, the Democrats and the nation can only win.

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THE ONLY WAY A WOMAN COULD BECOME A CATHOLIC PRIEST...



Despite problems, campus is friendly

By TERI LEE YANKOWSKY
Columnist

One of the warmest places on campus is the Pit.

Not because of all the fumes that circulate and the heat lamps for the hamburgers, bagels and fries, but because of the television.

That's right, the television.

Every day from about 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., people gather to eat and watch soap operas. "All My Children" and "Days of Our Lives" are frequently-viewed favorites.

But even more than just watching the same TV shows, people are bonded to each other in a different way. They really take time to talk with each other.

People don't care if the person next to them is black or white, liberal or conservative. African-Americans, whites, Hispanics, athletes, Greeks, independents — almost every aspect of the student body is represented around that big-screen TV.

People move over to make room for strangers on the couch. Students relocate their chairs so they will not be blocking others' views.

Complete strangers engage in conversations about the shows' plots. They laugh and smile together. They hate and love the characters together. They have fun together.

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Around that TV in the Pit, people are exposed to one of the most important aspects of campus life: camaraderie.

But if people are a bit more perceptive, they can see this everywhere at TCU.

Students hold doors open for others and often help to pick up things which others may have dropped, even if they don't know the people.

The phrases "please," "thank you" and "Have a nice day" are constantly heard in exchanges between cashiers and students. And in the crowded cafeteria lines, "excuse me" frequently pops out too.

Professors are almost always willing to take time out of their busy schedules and

work with students. Most of them really care about their classes and want their students to do well.

Looking around, people also will begin to notice the large number of students smiling and saying "Hi" to one another on campus.

People don't think "Ok, I'll say hello only to those who supported Dukakis" or "I'll only wish Italians a happy day." Most people just live in the spirit of loving one's neighbor and wish everyone well.

Frankly, people at TCU are just nice, good folks.

The university does have a lot of problems, though: Greek-independent disunity, fair-weather football fans, an administration that doesn't listen to students, crowded cafeterias, overpriced food and no parking, to mention a few. Those really are outweighed by what makes up this university: people.

The people at this school are wonderful. We are so often reminded of the bad here, it is time to be reminded of the good.

Focusing on the good now and then will help make all of our lives just a bit better, a hint happier, a pinch perkier. And that's such a rewarding result for such a little effort.

What do women want? Why ask why?

By CARL KOZLOWSKI
Columnist



"You're coming on too strong."

"You never show me you love me."

"What did you think you were paying for?"

Virtually every guy has heard these statements at one time or

another. They are perhaps among the most confusing sentences in the English language; molecular physics is a cakewalk next to figuring out what women mean when saying things like this.

These are the words that create phrases like "tug-of-war relationship" and "My life is an emotional roller coaster." They are sentences that have kept psychiatrists well-heeled throughout the 20th Century. Before psychoanalysis was invented by Freud, the male suicide rates must have been really astronomical.

These are the words that draw the battle lines in the war of the sexes, a battle that has evolved throughout time from the Middle Ages to "Moonlighting" and from Clarence Thomas to "Thelma and Louise."

"You're too defensive." What can a guy say to a statement like that? "No, I'm not" are usually the words that pop out in response. But this is just Step Two in women's plot to take over the world by driving men insane. After a woman complains to a man about how she is treated, he's reduced to saying "I'm sorry" on every single little count. Then she says he is too defensive.

Perhaps football was invented in response to this phenomenon: men crouch down, huddle up or generally cover while making plans, and then grunt in frustration or anger as they run around a playing field again and again and AGAIN, never really getting anywhere or accomplishing anything except the occasional score. What better analogy for the way women see men? Men are either offensive or defensive, and usually the lines are redrawn within seconds on the game

Most of the time paths can cross and communication is successfully achieved. But there are those times, the Nightmare Dates from Hell, when nothing seems to go right.

clock of life.

Another recent phenomenon in the overall scheme of things is the rise of feminism. Women use a derivative of the word "feminine" to describe their movement, but then they basically want to be treated like men. Men can't say "girl," "honey," "babe" or even "lady" to a woman any more without being slapped by either a hand or a lawsuit.

Men now have to say "woman," but never "my woman." That is the true kiss of death. In the kinder, gentler, more enlightened '90s, if you say "my girlfriend" or "my boyfriend" when introducing each other, then each of you feels "stifled," as if your own personal achievements don't matter.

To correct that situation, you introduce each other as "my friend." But if you do that often enough, insecurity sets in. She'll inevitably pull you aside and say, "Are you ashamed of me? Why don't you tell them I'm your girlfriend? I've got PLENTY of friends: You're my boyfriend."

The guy's bewildered response? "So — what does THAT mean, plenty of friends?" And then finally, the time-honored, No. 1 Phrase of Female Human Beings On a Date: "Don't read things into it!"

The frustration usually begins when planning the date. The guy and the girl call each other and confusion sets in as each tries to make the better impression. She doesn't want to impose, he doesn't want to look cheap — even though he's just wanted a check to get funding for the date.

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munication is successfully achieved. But there are those times, the Nightmare Dates from Hell, when nothing seems to go right.

"Dinner?" asks the guy.

"I just ate," she sweetly replies.

Next question: "Movie?"

"I've seen just about all of them. Besides, I don't feel like sitting indoors for two hours. We could play putt-putt. But no, the weather's icky outside."

Hopes dashed again. Is any of this worth it?

But she never sounds upset — she sounds sweet and, I quote, "REALLY wants to go."

But when you make a third suggestion, she says, "We don't have to do everything in one night. It's just the first date." Keep that up, and it'll be the ONLY date, you think, but you hold your tongue because it's the '90s and you have to be (dramatic super hero music here) Sensitive Man!

Now it sounds like SHE's got a timetable, and as she goes on, you don't like the sound of it.

"Well, not on a first-date situation. That would be more like a second or third date."

Well, what is this? A new form of Twister?! Twist my arm again and AGAIN and AGAIN to get me in the position you want? Groveling at your command? Or are you Ann Landers or something? The Queen of Dating?

But even if men continue to be driven insane, and we never figure out what women want, we have managed to learn something in these modern times. Just as we live in fear of being owned by a woman, we too have no right to act as if we are owners of the opposing sex. Times have changed, and perhaps for the better.

At least now we have the luxury of knowing that if a woman stands by a man, it's by her own choice — not by a ball and chain, a caveman's club or a contract by which her father signed her over. Rather, women and men are partners in this day and age. Which leaves still just one, but quite basic, question to answer:

What does a woman want? Perhaps men will never know the answer. Perhaps there is no answer.

Sports

Cross country teams prepare for conference championship

By JOHN COLE
TCU Daily Skiff

The men's and women's cross country teams haven't burned many teams on the track lately, but they're not giving up either.

Since their season began in early September, the Frogs have competed in five races throughout North Texas, and in each competition both teams have finished in the bottom half of the results.

Despite their poor showing, the Frogs remain confident preparing for their next meet against Texas A&M in College Station tomorrow. The meet is the final preparation before the Southwest Conference Championships Nov. 3 in Austin.

Coach John McKenzie says his athletes are not running for team competition, but rather to improve individually. They'll be prepared for the Austin meet, he said.

"The results from the past meets do

not really matter and are not accurate of the quality of our runners," McKenzie said. "These races are to get our runners prepared for what really matters, which is the Southwest Conference competition."

"The fall is basically a time to get as much training in as little time as possible and for each of us to get used to racing against other teams," junior Luke McKenzie said.

Junior Glen Legros for the men, and senior Toni Sythes and junior Cloe Schuetzeberg for the women, have shined individually for the Frog teams.

Legros finished ninth out of as many as 70 runners in competitions in Waco and at the University of Texas at Arlington.

"Glen is our top runner and I am extremely satisfied with his showing this season," coach McKenzie said.

"He is running a lot better than last year. He should carry the men's team

a long way in the Southwest Conference races."

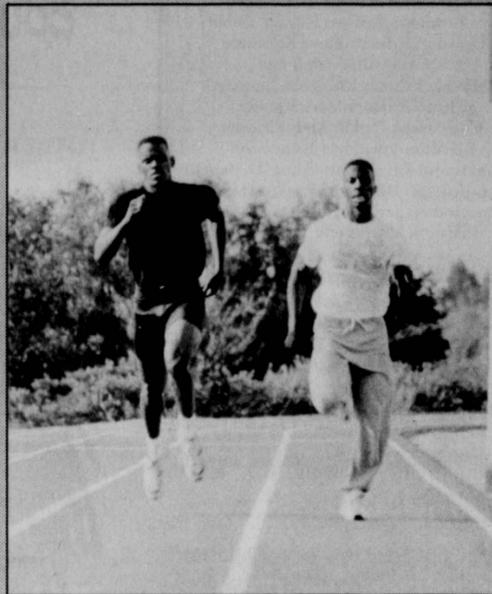
On the women's side, a balanced attack from Sythes (20th), Schuetzeberg (46th) and junior Kim Baker (51st) helped secure a ninth-place finish for the women last week in Austin.

"I am a little disappointed in my finish last week," Schuetzeberg said. "But I'm expecting to break into the top twenty in Austin after we get a chance to rest after the Texas A&M race."

Schuetzeberg's remark seems consistent with the team's outlook heading into the races at College Station.

"Our bunch has worked really hard individually so far this season, and they have not had the proper amount of rest time with all the training we have done so far," McKenzie said. "After the A&M meet, we will take it easy in order to prepare for the conference races."

On the run



TCU Daily Skiff/ Andrew LaGrone
Flyin' Frogs Horatio Porter (right) and a teammate sprint at the TCU track Tuesday.

Sports briefs

Frogs break Aggies

The TCU men's swimming team accomplished Friday what only one other team has done in the past. It beat Texas A&M. It beat the Aggies 141-101 by placing first in nine events before a home crowd at the TCU Rickel Pool.

The win put to shame the Frog's only other victory over the Aggies, a nailbiter 56-55 contest in 1989.

The women's team didn't fare so well, losing to the Aggies 151-91. But junior Kelly Crowell broke two school diving records and qualified for post-season competition on the 1 and 3-meter boards.

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