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Friends and family gathered to mourn the death and celebrate the life of TCU benefactor M. J. Neeley at a memorial service Jan. 12 at University Christian Church.

## M. J. Neeley passes away

### Donor honored for 50 years of service to the university

By Christy Hawkins  
TCU Daily Skiff

M. J. Neeley, a Fort Worth businessman who enhanced the TCU community for over 50 years, died Jan. 8 at the age of 97.

Neeley was honored in 1967 when TCU's Board of Trustees named the School of Business after him.

He served on TCU's board of trustees since 1947 and was the board's chairman in 1969. At the time of his death he was an honorary trustee.

Chancellor William E. Tucker said Neeley's unwavering support of the entire university was his greatest contribution to TCU.

"The support was reflected not only in his gifts of money but also through the inspiration of his leadership," Tucker said. "The presence of his mind and heart were always with TCU."

Chancellor Emeritus James M. Moody said the School of Business was named after Neeley because of his strong character, not because of a promise of money.

Dean Kirk H. Downey of the School of Business said Neeley was a role model for everyone.

"The way he lived his life and the way he did his business were his greatest contributions," Downey said.

Downey said Neeley was active on the International Board of Visitors, a group of business executives and CEO's who counsel students, faculty and staff and help recruit students for

the School of Business.

"He will be missed," Downey said. Neeley's willingness to talk to individual students was also a special quality about him, Tucker said.

Despite his age, Neeley continued to speak with students through the early 1990s, and he continued to attend TCU events up until two years ago, Tucker said.

"He would not give up," he said.

Neeley and his wife, Alice, who died in 1986, were also the founders of TCU's Star-point School for children with learning difficulties.

"This project symbolizes the beauty and strength he added to TCU," Tucker said during his eulogy at a memorial service for Neeley Jan. 12 at University Christian Church.

When Neeley first moved to Fort Worth in the 1920s, he built his home on land which is now covered by part of the University Christian Church.

His proximity to the campus became a catalyst for his involvement with TCU, Tucker said.

Neeley mainly wanted to hear from students, Moody said during his eulogy.



M.J. Neeley

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## Delts charged in Christmas tree heist

By Ginger D. Richardson  
TCU Daily Skiff

Seven members of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity were charged last week with misdemeanor theft after allegedly stealing Christmas trees from area stores last month.

Freshmen Jason M. Considine, Steven Scarborough, Kevin C. Seelman, William E. Patterson, Richard T. Truitt, Peter Lind and senior Ethan M. Boothe face a maximum penalty of 180 days in jail and a \$2500 fine, said Fort Worth police spokesman Lt. Mark Krey.

"This is a serious matter," Krey said. "And I think

the courts will take this seriously based on what the officers witnessed."

None of the students could be reached for comment on the matter, but fraternity president Chris Dupree, a junior finance accounting major, said the incident was not an event sanctioned by the fraternity. Dupree also said the "prank" was not a hazing matter.

"We do not condone or encourage this kind of behavior," Dupree said. "It has never been done before and is no way related to any member's pledgeship. It was just a bunch of good guys making a poor decision."

The students were arrested in the early morning

hours of Dec. 7 after police officers saw them taking 10 Christmas trees from a Minyard Food Store's parking lot on the 4500 block of Camp Bowie Boulevard, Krey said.

Upon further questioning by the officers, the students led police to the house of former TCU student and Del member Mark Mourer, where police found 43 more trees in the back yard.

Mourer said he had no prior knowledge of the prank and was not directly involved in the incident.

"It was obviously a terrible judgement call on our part and a dumb prank that should never have hap-

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## Winter storms wreak havoc

### Several students get stranded on east coast and abroad

By Jodi Wetuski  
TCU Daily Skiff

Cathy Bailey sat in Newark International Airport last week anxiously gripping the boarding pass that would get her on a flight to TCU.

But almost 60 hours and zero showers later, Bailey was still waiting as the snow piled higher and higher outside.

"It was hell," said Bailey, a senior nursing major. "I always thought of airports as being busy 24 hours a day, but it was empty. It was eerie."

The Blizzard of '96, which buried some Northeastern areas in three feet of snow and killed dozens of people, was not the only dilemma that delayed the travel plans of several Horned Frogs. The federal government shutdown prevented some international students from getting their travel visas.

"We have students from a bunch of countries who couldn't come to the required orientation on Jan. 8," said Al Mladenka, director of International Student Affairs. "Some grad students still will not be able to arrive

until Jan. 22 or Jan. 26 in some cases.

"We have to be as flexible as we can," he said. "We will have to have some make-up orientation sessions."

Mladenka said although many students couldn't get visas, he heard of only one international student, Olga Isaeva, who was delayed on her connecting flight in New York because of the blizzard.

Isaeva was stranded in New York's Kennedy Airport with her mother, who does not speak any English.

"We wanted to see New York but we could not because the buses were not running," she said. "I'm from Northern Russia and it was interesting to see how people do not know what to do with snow. In Russia, we have a lot of snow but the buses keep running."

Bailey said the cooped-up community in the airport found various ways to bide its time.

"I played cards a lot with a family from California and two guys going to West Point. There was always a huge line for the phone," she said. "There was a Budweiser factory not too far from the airport, and when we

could see the sign glowing, we knew the snow was letting up.

"United Airlines was really great and gave us pillows and blankets to use," she said. "They also let us watch movies in the 747."

Meredith Niedziela, a senior nursing major, had a smooth flight out of Newark Sunday, but she said her brother Joseph, a freshman pre-major, wasn't as lucky on his flight the week before.

"We asked him 'Are you sure you can take off?' and he said 'Yeah,'" she said. "But his flight was canceled, and New Jersey was declared in a state of emergency, so he spent two days in the airport."

Joseph agreed with Bailey that the airport was practically empty.

"We just kind of sat around and walked around," he said. "Basically, we did nothing."

Mladenka said his office is frantically trying to accommodate those students who were delayed.

"It's always tough for some students to get here on time," Mladenka said. "But this year, we had those two added factors."



### UCR: to schedule or not to schedule

TCU Daily Skiff/Andrew Desjardins

Jennifer Sweeney, coordinator of Academic Services, explained University Curriculum Requirements to orientees Jan. 10 in the Student Center. Orientation for new international students, new freshmen and transfer students took place last week.

## Restrooms renovated for greater accessibility

By Amy Treadaway  
TCU Daily Skiff

Over Christmas break, construction began on the renovations of the Student Center restrooms for handicap accessibility.

Don Palmer, director of facilities planning, said the renovations should be complete by the end of the week.

The Student Center was targeted for renovation because the area is considered a priority basis due to the number of people who pass through it, Palmer said. The renovations include larger stalls and raised toilets for the disabled.

Gregory Esch, a senior news-editorial major, said the Student Center renovations are extremely helpful for disabled students.

"I'll say hallelujah," he said. "It's great to know that we can please

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## News Digest

### Snow sends Easterners south

NEW YORK (AP) — The Blizzard of '96 has prompted a blizzard of calls to hotels and cruise lines from East Coast residents desperate to get a respite from snowdrifts and icy streets.

Continental Airlines' bookings to Florida, Puerto Rico and other sunny spots surged 20 percent above normal after last week's storm, *The New York Times* reported today.

The 17 Hyatt resorts in Florida, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, Aruba and the Cayman Islands, reported a 68 percent rise in reservations following the blizzard, the newspaper said.

### Packers coach on the mend

DALLAS (AP) — Green Bay Packers assistant coach Gil Haskell has made significant improvement from a head injury he suffered in a sideline mishap during Sunday's NFC championship game, a surgeon said Tuesday.

Haskell, 52, whose skull was fractured, will be moved from Baylor's neurological intensive care unit Wednesday.

Haskell's head struck the artificial turf at Texas Stadium when Dallas Cowboys safety Darren Woodson blocked flanker Robert Brooks out of bounds and into the Packers' 52-year-old assistant.

### Justice Dept. okays Disney deal

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Justice Department's antitrust division approved Walt Disney Co.'s \$19 billion purchase of Capital Cities/ABC Inc. after Disney agreed to sell Los Angeles television station KCAL-TV.

The department questioned whether Disney's ownership of both KCAL-TV and KABC-TV in Los Angeles would reduce competition in that area.

The deal still requires approval from the Federal Communications Commission.

### Eight hurt in high-rise blaze

BOSTON (AP) — Firefighters on ladders broke windows in a 10-story office building and ran through smoky stairwells and halls to rescue office workers today during a fire that reached seven alarms.

Eight people, including three firefighters, were injured before the fire was brought under control.

About 75 to 100 people were in the building when the alarm was sounded, said Fire Commissioner Martin Pierce. Damage was estimated at \$500,000 and the cause of the fire is not known.

### Air Force officer held in China

WASHINGTON (AP) — In a new setback to U.S.-Chinese relations, an American Air Force colonel has been arrested in China and interrogated continuously without food for 19 hours.

Col. Bradley Gerdes was detained last week while on a mission approved by Chinese authorities to Saixi in southern China, officials said Tuesday. They said his Chinese interrogators accused him of infiltrating into a military installation, which Gerdes adamantly denied.

## CampusLines

Campus Lines is provided as a service to the TCU community. Announcements of events, public meetings and other general campus information should be brought to the Skiff office, Moudy 2915 or sent to TCU Box 298050. The Skiff reserves the right to edit for style and taste.

**THE TCU CATHOLIC COMMUNITY** will meet for mass at 5 p.m., supper at 5:30 p.m., and a program at 6 p.m. Thursday in Reed Hall faculty lounge.

**THE WESLEY FOUNDATION** will meet for supper and a program at 5:30 p.m. Thursday in the Wesley Foundation building. The meeting is open to all students.

**DISCIPLE STUDENT FELLOWSHIP** will meet at 5:15 p.m.

Thursday at University Christian Church for dinner and a program.

**WEIGHT WATCHERS** will meet noon to 1 p.m. Monday in Pete Wright Hall. The eight-week program costs \$80. Interested parties should contact Yvonne Mann, extension 6054 or send an e-mail message to ymann@tcu.edu.

**BAPTIST STUDENT INDUSTRIES** will meet Monday night at 7 p.m. in the Woodson Room of the Student Center.

**TCU CIRCLE K INTERNATIONAL** is the world's largest collegiate service organization. Meetings are at 6 p.m. Tuesdays in Student Center 205. The major emphasis of the chapter is on helping children. Call Chris Alexander at 920-2458.

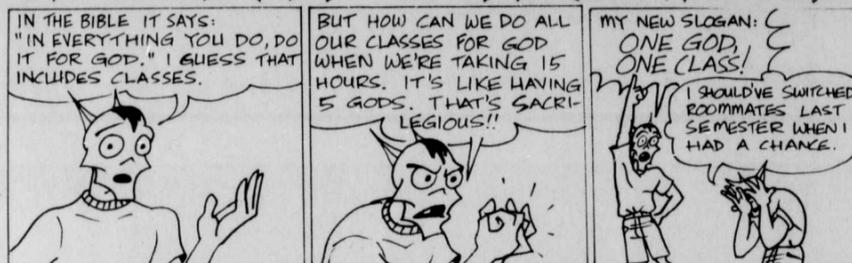
**APPLICATIONS FOR RESIDENT ASSISTANT** are available in Student Center 233. They are due back at the office Jan. 29.

**RESIDENTIAL SERVICES** has applications for orientation student assistant, orientation office manager, and orientation photographer in Student Center 220. They are due in the same office Feb. 2.

**VOLUNTEER GUARDIANS**, a program of Senior Citizen Services of Greater Tarrant County, will hold training sessions for those interested in becoming court-appointed guardians for incapacitated elderly. Meetings will be held from 6 to 9:30 p.m., Feb. 15, 22, and 29 at the Broadway Baptist Church in Fort Worth. For more information call Marnie Stites at 338-4433.

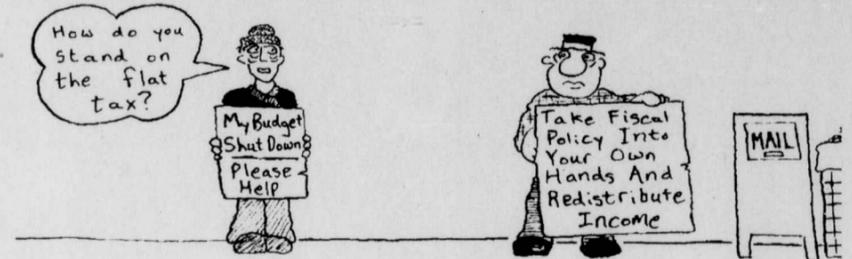
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by Ben Roman & Adam Wright



## The Beaten Path

by P. D. Magnus



## PurplePoll

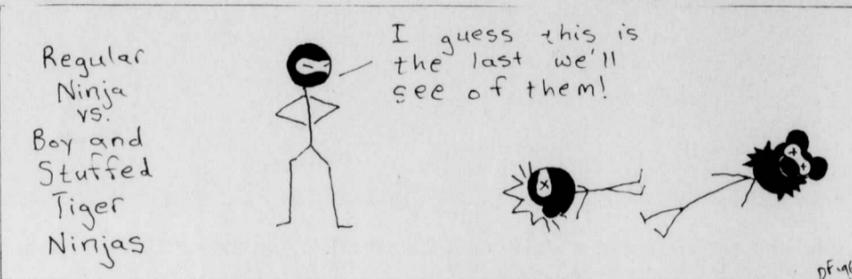
In the recent budget debates in Washington, do you side most with President Clinton, Congressional Republicans, or neither?

	CLINTON	GOP
	23	25
Neither:	52	

Today's Purple Poll question was asked of 100 people in the Main Cafeteria last evening by a Skiff pollster.

## Ninja Verses

by Don Frederic



## WeatherWatch

Today will be mostly cloudy, windy and warm with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. The high will be 70, the low in the 50s. Thursday will be cloudy and windy with highs in the 50s and steadily dropping temperatures.

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opened," Mourer said. "I am just glad I was at The Pub when all of this took place." Rick Barnes, director of student organizational services, said the incident and the fraternity were still under

investigation by the university. "We wanted to deal with the individuals immediately — before they left for break, so we haven't had the chance to close the book on the case, and we don't know what route we are going to take with the fraternity yet," Barnes said. All students allegedly involved in the prank have been disciplined and

reprimanded internally by both the university and the fraternity, Dupree said. Fraternity sanctions against the students range from suspension until graduation to a year of probation, Dupree said. Barnes would not disclose what university sanctions were levied against the students.

## Neeley from page 1

"He had a way with people. He listened first and never blurted out anything. He believed every man was entitled to his opinions," Moudy said. Neeley's primary influences were his father and his grandfather, Moudy said. These mentors taught Neeley that everyone has a different conscience and a different upbringing from which they develop their overall attitude towards life, Moudy said. In 1929, Neeley started as a bookkeeper for Hobbs Manufacturing Co. and later had the opportunity to purchase all of the company's stock, soon becoming the sole owner of the company.

Neeley then started a company to help independent truckers finance their businesses and became founding president of the Truck Trailer Manufacturing Association. Throughout his life, he became involved in several aspects of the business world including insurance, railroading, land development, mining, banking, ranching and finance. Most recently, he was chairman of the board of M. J. Neeley & Co. and Pressure Vessel Inc. and the director of University Bank, Fort Worth Savings & Loan Association, Fort Worth Steel & Manufacturing Co. and the Georgetown Railroad Co. Neeley received many awards throughout his life including the outstanding community service award from the North Fort Worth Rotary

Club in 1961, the Brotherhood Award from the National Conference of Christians and Jews in 1965, the B'nai B'rith Civic Achievement Award in 1966, the William B. Todd Memorial Service Award from the Rotary Club of Fort Worth in 1967 and the Golden Deeds Award presented by the Fort Worth Exchange Club in 1970. Neeley took great pride in his family, which consisted of his wife, two daughters, nine grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. Neeley attended Texas A&M University and was rarely absent from annual Aggie alumni gatherings. "M. J. had a love affair with TCU for 50 years, and yes, he was an Aggie, but folks, he was an Aggie who was a Horned Frog, too," Tucker said during his eulogy.

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Mother Nature any time we want without having to squeeze in." The next construction for handicap accommodations will be centered in Reed Hall. Ramp and

elevator construction will begin this summer when fewer people are on campus. One ramp will be added in the faculty lounge and one outside the south entrance to Reed Hall, Palmer said. The elevator will be in the south corner, and will only replace some conference rooms and offices which will

be relocated in fall 1996. "As for the elevator, I'm not in Reed Hall that much anymore, but I'm sure the people who are will appreciate it," Esch said. "Not only can disabled students be accommodated, but teachers can be accommodated, too, by not having to move classes to other rooms."

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■ Jodi Wetuski

## Skiff gets makeover for spring

It's as dependable as the sun coming up every morning and tuition going up every year.

When the new student orientations end and the add-drop lines begin snaking around campus, you can be sure the new *Skiff* editor will soon write his or her "Welcome To A New Semester" column.

So here it is. The changes this semester don't end with the spiffy-looking Opinion layout or the new flag at the top of every page.

We've brought back the Purple Poll on page two. We will aspire to ask thought-provoking questions every day, and if anyone has suggestions, we will gladly consider them.

Our special weekly pages are back. Friday's Weekend page will include not only the traditional movie reviews, but more music reviews as well. We're also planning restaurant reviews featuring different ethnic dishes from eateries around Fort Worth.

Wednesdays will alternate between the Perspective Page and the Style Page.

Future Perspective articles will examine fraternities' and sororities' roles at TCU while they celebrate their 40th anniversary on campus. We're also planning a spread at the end of the semester to examine whether the

Student House of Representatives Executive Board members lived up to their campaign promises.

Style stories will focus on the lighter side of campus life, such as the body piercing trend and the annual collegiate trek to the mecca of all parties — Mardi Gras. We'll also cover the development of University and Berry streets and how it affects the student body.

But the "hard news" issues won't take a back seat. The trustees are convening on campus again, and we'll make our traditional effort to crash the party. Even if we're turned away at the door, it won't stop us from analyzing the university's budget process.

We'll also look at the progress on the upcoming alumni center and the new performing arts center, as well as the efforts to make the campus more accessible to students in wheelchairs.

"TCU Newsmakers," a new weekly series, will profile a professor, student or alum who has done something interesting in his or her life outside the university.

And we're resurrecting the "Inside Politics" series that puts a campus spin on prominent national stories.

But most importantly, this semester's staff is committed to accuracy and truth. Contrary to popular belief, the *Skiff* is not out to get anyone. We go to

### Pyre of Truth



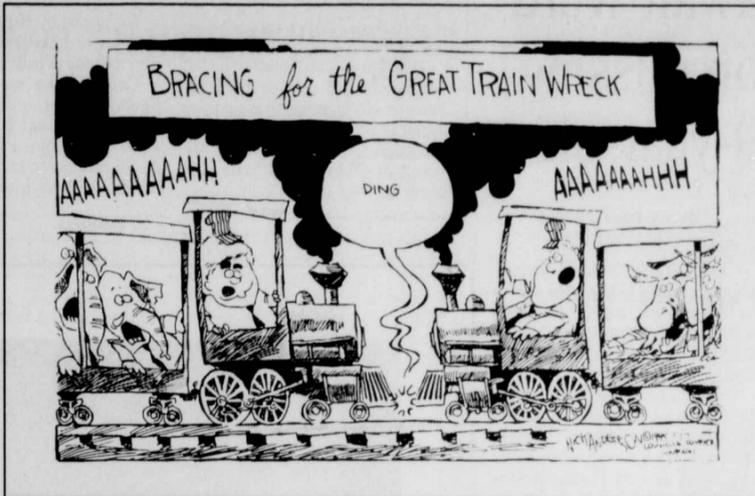
TCU and love the university as much as the next purple-blooded Horned Frog. We do not go and hunt for gossip and rumors to try and make a story. There will be many

positive stories in this paper, but if scandal hits, we'll be there, pen, paper and camera in hand.

Although I've heard it said that the *Skiff* staff should spend its time "making news and not reporting it," I feel we perform a valuable and unique service on campus. The *Star-Telegram* covers the big stories, but we truly have our finger on the pulse of the university.

Or, to put it another way — the *Skiff* is the only paper that gives a damn about TCU.

Jodi Wetuski is a senior news-editorial major and editor-in-chief of the *Skiff*.



■ Kevin Arceneaux

## Clinton's budget bargain compromises his values

All presidents want to be known as something. For example, President Bush wanted to be known as "the Education President." So with the budget fiasco as my muse, I think President Clinton wants to be known as "the Me Too President."

Not too long ago, President Clinton was talking about the need to control the deficit, not balance it. He felt we should create full employment, better health care and higher wages.

Yet within a matter of months he changed his tune. First it was the wonderful balanced budget in ten years using numbers from the White House staff of economists, the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). Then all it took was a government shutdown, and he switched to the new-and-improved seven-year balanced budget plan, again using OMB numbers.

Of course, Republicans didn't like this plan because, not only did it not cut social programs enough or benefit the rich as much as the GOP plan, President Clinton was not using Congressional numbers figured by the Congressional Budget Office (CBO).

Now the president has changed courses again. He's offering a seven-year balanced budget using CBO numbers, but with a smaller tax cut and fewer cuts in social spending.

A lot of people are giving the president a pat on the back. He looks like the only guy in this mess who will compromise. After all, he has at least acquiesced to the Republicans on almost all of their demands (i.e., a seven-year balanced budget using CBO numbers).

So maybe the Republicans only get \$87 billion of the \$241 billion in tax cuts for their bourgeois friends. The point is the budget will be balanced, and we're all going to live happily ever after. Yeah, and there's a better chance Elvis is living in Kalamazoo, Mich., flipping burgers at the local Burger King, as I write.

It is true President Clinton is the only one attempting to use reason. Unlike the Republicans, he is trying to compromise. But he can compromise without cutting Medicare and welfare, especially when there are better things to cut — like, subsidies for mega-corporations or tax breaks that help all those friendly lobbyists.

It seems like Clinton is trying to score some easy political points by going along with the Republicans on a balanced budget plan he knows won't fix Medicare or welfare, just because it is the current fad. The good of the country should come before the 1996 elections. Instead of playing follow-the-leader and

### Quest for Futility



offering a series of ineffectual budgets until landing on one frighteningly close to the Republican offering, he should have come to the American people and been absolutely honest.

He should have looked all of us in the eyes and said, "We don't need a balanced budget, and even if we did, I couldn't promise it." And then he should have offered one that truly cut government waste, while preserving, if not improving, social programs.

Contrary to popular myth, the deficit is not growing "out of control." If we look at absolute figures, the federal deficits appear to be growing astronomically from the end of the 1960s through the Reagan/Bush era. (Yet after Clinton took office the deficit actually declined significantly.)

But if we look at it as a percentage of the gross national product, it has actually remained relatively stable. And compared with the rates of private borrowing, it has actually declined — that is, Americans are in more debt than the government.

Also, most economists will tell you a deficit is essential for a healthy economy and saving recessions from turning into depressions.

Besides, how does one go about balancing the budget in seven years?

Well, all we need is for X, Y and Z to be true, the wind to blow north by northwest on Tuesdays and the price of tea in China to stay the same. Look, folks, this isn't an exact science. I don't care if the CBO, the OMB or the NFL provides the numbers. It's like predicting the weather in seven years — I wouldn't count on it.

Before we balance anything, we need an economy that is creating good jobs, education and welfare systems that work and a political system with fewer perks and loopholes for those without need.

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## M. J. Neeley

### Donor's legacy of charity should be a lesson to all

M. J. Neeley was not only a true friend of TCU, but an inspiration to administrators, faculty and students.

### ■ Editorial

Neeley was a keen Fort Worth businessman who, although a Texas A&M graduate, loved the Horned Frogs and rarely missed any university events. Before his death at the age of 97, he was still active in the Fort Worth and TCU communities.

It is remarkable that someone who earned a degree from one of our rival universities took such profound interest in our campus. His donations were not one-time gifts; instead, he made TCU's well-being a lifelong commitment.

Neeley's death should remind us that the names on our buildings and statues are the names of real people, without whom our campus would not be what it is today.

This institution consists of people who believe in and give to it. Neeley helped make our school what it is, and his gifts of time, energy and money should inspire us to give more to the place which makes us proud to be Horned Frogs.

In 1967, the TCU Board of Trustees named the School of Business in Neeley's honor. Neeley was a true mentor to the students of the business school — throughout his life he was involved with several aspects of the business world, including insurance, railroading, land development, mining, banking, ranching and finance.

Although most of the TCU community remem-

bers Neeley from his association with the business school, he and his wife, Alice, also founded

TCU's Starpoint School, which focuses on teaching children with learning disabilities.

Aside from his business nature, Neeley had a deep concern for students and their happiness. The Starpoint School is an example of his well-rounded involvement on our campus.

Perhaps Chancellor Tucker said it best at the memorial service Friday when he described Neeley's unwavering support of the university as his greatest contribution to TCU. This support was seen in not only monetary gifts, but also strong leadership.

Neeley was chairman of the Board of Trustees in 1969 and an honorary trustee at the time of his death. In addition, he was also an active member of the International Board of Visitors, a group of business executives and CEOs which counsels students, faculty and staff and helps recruit students for the School of Business.

As a donor and supporter, Neeley's contributions to our school will last for generations. Although most students probably never met the man, it was his unlimited generosity that helped make TCU the school it is today.

His selflessness and loyalty are shining examples of the qualities we should all embrace in any endeavor. Our campus is a better place because of M. J. Neeley, and he will be missed.

■ Bob Turney

## A final 'State of the Bob' address

Well, this is it, the finale, the farewell tour, my last semester writing for the *Skiff* (assuming that I pass my Spanish class with a "C" or better, hint, hint). So, as is my tradition, I'll start this semester off with my "State of the Bob" address.

**Bosnia:** Finally, the slaughter will end, thanks to the intervention of IFOR, made up mainly of NATO and Russian forces. With a little luck, and a lot of firepower, they should be able to keep the peace. Hopefully it will continue even after the troops leave.

**Russia:** The United States is faced with the conundrum of supporting democracy by promoting what is looking more and more like a South American model strongman. Boris Yeltsin may not be the best hope for democracy, and persistent U.S. attempts to help him hurt his image with the Russian people and tick off the Brown (fascist/nationalist) leaders like Gen. Alexander Lebed, driving them towards an alliance with the resurgent Reds.

### Am Wrasslin' with Life

Seeing that you, the audience, is bored with the world, let's turn our focus in a national direction.

**1996 Presidential Campaign:** It's getting harder and harder not to make fun of the people who are running for president. Have you heard about the new Bob Dole toy? Yes, Pander Bear is warm, fuzzy and when you pull his string, he says stuff like "I'm saved by Jesus!" and "Hollywood is bad!"

Then there's Phil Gramm. I don't care what they say in the movie *Sabrina*, Harrison Ford's character is not the only living



heart donor, because Phil belongs on that list. If the next Ice Age were to descend upon us today (of course, right now D.C. is under 30 inches), Gramm would be the only thing to survive, along with polar bears, penguins and Russians who drink two liters of vodka a day (roughly 90 percent of the population).

What about Lamar Alexander? There's a real winner. The retailer of the soon-to-be-patented LamarWear has sold more than sixty dozen of Alexander's red and black plaid shirts. Thus, he faces the humiliation of selling more shirts than he'll get votes in the primaries.

As for Steve Forbes, he is living proof that both elites and ideas are better if not inbred, and Pat Buchanan is D.O.A. after the vitriolic racism in his 1992 convention speech.

On the Democratic side, there's Bill Clinton, and . . . it's really just too easy, guys. I can't bring myself to poke fun at the man in the newly-renamed Waffle House. Besides, he is improving, and — this just in

— Clinton has taken a stand! Our president has decided that he is against large winter storms that keep federal employees out of work. More on this late-breaking decision as details become available.

What about campus innovations implemented over the break, you ask?

**Six-digit post office box numbers:** an idea that truly sucks! Do we have so many students and administrators that we really need an extra digit? For starters, not all of the boxes are currently used. Secondly, where are we going to put all these new boxes? Thirdly, isn't it just one more sign that we have too many administrators if they all want their own box, and we don't have enough to meet the demand?

If you have comments or suggestions for a column, I can be reached at Bob, c/o A Barstool at the Pub, blood alcohol-zip 0.21436.

Bob Turney is a senior political science and history double major from Houston, whose roommate doesn't know what 'gams' are.

"This just in - Clinton has taken a stand!"

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# Relatives await word on missing 9-year-old

BY JANINE ZUNIGA  
ASSOCIATED PRESS

ARLINGTON, Texas — Richard Hagerman clung to hope Tuesday as the investigation into the disappearance of the 9-year-old daughter he describes as smart and a bit of a showoff continued for a third day.

"We're just waiting," the 45-year-old machinist said Tuesday as he and his estranged wife, Donna Whitson, made national and even supernatural appeals for help in finding Amber Hagerman. "We're hoping that the media gets the word out and gets someone who knows something."

The blue-eyed, brown-haired third-grader hasn't been seen since Saturday when a witness says he heard her scream and saw her struggle with a man who dragged her into his pickup. Amber was riding her bicycle near an abandoned grocery store blocks from her grandparents' home when she was snatched.

Hagerman and Ms. Whitson went separately to the police station late Monday for further questioning, Hagerman said, adding each took a lie-detector test and passed.

"I wanted it," he said. "They mentioned it and I said, 'Let's do it.'"

Police spokesman Dee Anderson declined to discuss specifics of the polygraph tests, saying people should not read much into them and that they are only a small part of a routine investigation.

Meanwhile, officers have "pretty much scaled back the ground searches" and are concentrating more on narrowing the list of potential suspects, including known sex offenders.

"A lot of them aren't feasible, and we've eliminated many after we've talked to them," Anderson said.

Amber's parents made appearances on morning network news shows to try to boost awareness about the case. Reporters, cameras and yards of cables crowded the dark living room of Amber's grandparents, Glenda and Jimmie Whitson.

"The more places we can go with the media, maybe the more information we can get," Hagerman said.

The supernatural aspect came late Monday after Hagerman said his sister contacted a psychic. He said they went over to the scene of the abduction "but that didn't lead to anything."

Anderson said response to the investigation has been phenomenal with authorities receiving about 200 calls Monday alone.

"The community is very touched by this," he said, adding that eight full-time investigators are working the case with assistance from an equal number of FBI officials.

Local businesses have offered a combined \$15,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and indictment of Amber's kidnapper.

"She's a great little girl. Everybody likes her," Hagerman said. "She's loving and a little wild. She'd be on her bike kind of showing off riding without using her hands."

# Marine rape case sparks Japanese protest

ASSOCIATED PRESS

TOKYO — The mother of a U.S. Marine charged with raping a 12-year-old girl is going all the way to Japan's Supreme Court with her campaign to move his trial off the island of Okinawa, officials said Tuesday.

The appeal by Barbara Cannon is expected to delay final arguments in the rape case at least a week.

Cannon, the mother of Pfc. Kendrick Ledet, of Waycross, Ga., filed the appeal Monday, said Hidekatsu Shinjo, a spokesman for the district court in the Okinawan capital of Naha, where the trial is

being held.

On Friday, an appeals court rejected Cannon's earlier petition for a change of venue. She had argued that outrage in Okinawa over the rape puts pressure on the three judges to convict and harshly sentence Ledet and two other American servicemen.

"These judges are human beings. They have children, they have wives, and they have to live in Okinawa. We believe these judges are under pressure," said the American lawyer advising her, Michael Griffith. He spoke by telephone from New York.

The rape has heightened local hostility to the U.S. military presence.

The island grudgingly hosts two-thirds of the 47,000 U.S. troops in Japan.

Ledet's lawyer, Yutaka Arakawa, called the appeal "a meaningless exercise" that will not succeed.

Charged along with Ledet are

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## Donation brings Next Frontier drive nearer to goal

By CHRISTI GIFFORD  
TCU DAILY SKIFF

The Next Frontier campaign has raised \$85.6 million of its \$100 million goal with the help of the largest and most recent gift of \$140,000 from the Howard M. Keck Foundation. The gift will be used for new chemistry equipment.

Bronson Davis, vice chancellor for university advancement, said although the Next Frontier is the university's first attempt at a fundraising campaign, TCU is doing a good job of getting donors.

"I'm confident we'll make the goal," he said. Davis said completing projects — such as the Dee J. Kelly Alumni and Visitors Center and the Mary D. Walsh Performing Arts Center — were the most important parts of the campaign.

Six major projects remain: building a technology center to house the engineering department, the computer science department, information services, the Tager TV studio and the satellite communications program; raising \$1 million for Brite Divinity School housing; building a possible university center to complement the Student Center; adding a possible Judaism

chairperson, lectureship and library collection; increasing the Annual Fund; and building new track and baseball stadiums.

The groundbreaking for the performing arts center next to Ed Landreth Hall will begin in March. Ground has already been broken on the alumni center.

"We know Brown-Lupton (Student Center) is not sufficient to students' needs," Davis said.

A study should begin soon to determine how best to utilize the Student Center's capabilities and what is still needed, he said. Davis said the university center project would probably not be finished by the end of the Next Frontier campaign.

The Judaism chairperson, lectureship and library collection is an attempt to attract more Jewish students to TCU, he said. Currently, there is no Jewish scholar on campus, and Davis said the administration believes it is important for students to have this perspective.

Another project is to increase the annual fund to \$4 million. Right now, Davis said the fund seems to be hovering around \$2.2 million.

Davis said building a Worth Hills jogging track, a bill the House of Student Representatives

voted down last semester, is still a possibility. The bill asked for \$40,000 out of the House's General Reserve Fund. The administration has a drawing and several estimates for both a perimeter track and a track with interior trails.

Davis said he wanted the students to have an opportunity to be a part of the campaign, but it was difficult to get students to come together on one project because of many varying interests.

He said the administration wanted to keep any student project small enough so the students could pay for a majority of it. When students return to campus as alumni, they could say it was their project, Davis said.

The campus portion of the campaign, which received gifts from faculty and staff, received donation commitments totaling \$365,736 more than its goal of \$1.5 million.

The Next Frontier campaign has eight regional efforts outside Fort Worth, including Dallas, Houston, the Permian Basin, San Antonio, Amarillo, Austin, Chicago and New York. Three of those areas (Dallas, Houston and the Permian Basin) have met the goals set for them. The San Antonio, Chicago and Austin regional cam-

paigns will begin this spring.

The campaign "went public" in November 1994, although it actually began in June 1992 with private gifts by friends of the university.

The campaign is scheduled to end Dec. 31, 1997, and Davis said he is confident the campaign will surpass the \$100 million goal.

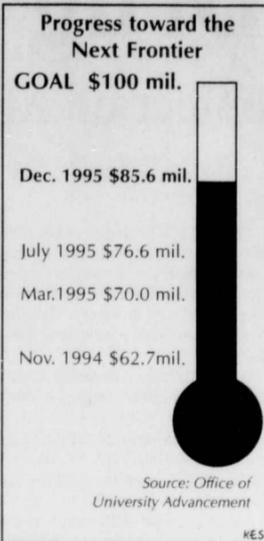
Davis said the campaign has received gifts from major donors, and may begin returning to those same people for second gifts. The end of the campaign will focus on smaller gifts.

The gifts are separated into three categories: over \$100,000, between \$5,000 and \$100,000 and below \$5,000.

In the fall, a phone and mail campaign will be a final push for \$1,000 donations, Davis said.

As of Dec. 7, 1995, the following commitments had been made to the following areas of the campaign:

- Academic and student programs: \$13,776,160
- Scholarships, fellowships and assistantships: \$13,004,362
- Physical campus: \$27,631,502
- Annual fund and other restricted: \$13,952,176
- General endowment: \$12,850,750
- Other restricted gifts: \$2,695,414



## Senior seminar serves up business etiquette skills

By JODI WETUSKI  
TCU DAILY SKIFF

As the dishes of shrimp, oysters and crab claws were brought to the table, the young dinner guests looked at each other with confusion.

"How do I eat that?" and "What fork do I use?" they whispered to each other as they sorted through their silverware.

But luckily, this wasn't a formal occasion. It was a program designed to teach seniors proper etiquette in the business world.

Ninety-six members of the Class of '96 attended the second annual senior conference Jan. 13 and 14. They learned proper etiquette, networking, how to live on a tight budget and how to adjust to life after college.

"I feel more prepared to start interviews and send out resumes," said Kate Ford, a senior nutrition and dietetics major. "I enjoyed the breakout sessions where we talked to people in our related fields. They have the type of jobs we want and had good information on how to look for them."

Erin Trujillo, a senior social work major, said she enjoyed the conference because of its personal touch.

"It concentrated on you rather than grouping you in with everybody else," she said. "They asked if you

could go through the transition as a person. They never said, 'You're becoming a social worker.' Instead they said, 'You're going into the social work field, but you'll still be the same person.'"

Administrators compared the conference to freshman orientation.

"When a student starts (at) TCU, we have an orientation program to move them from high school to college and try to give them a sense of what they need to do to be successful," said Don Mills, vice chancellor for student affairs. "This is the same kind of thing at the other end. We try to say to the student, 'Life after college is different, but there are some tools and skills that will benefit you whatever you do.'"

In one of his presentations, Mills showed the seniors surveys that the class of 1996 filled out during its freshman orientation in 1992. Many seniors said they were surprised at how their political opinions and personal goals changed after four years in college.

"My answers changed very much," Ford said. "... We've all formed our values over the last four years. I think back then we just agreed with what our parents told us."

Staff writer Bob Turney contributed to this report.

## Prof to showcase violin talents at concert

By ANDREW DESJARDINS  
TCU DAILY SKIFF

Local artists from the Fort Worth Symphony Orchestra and the University of North Texas will perform a chamber music recital tomorrow featuring TCU assistant professor of violin Barbara Barber.

Barber will perform with Audrey Redcay, a doctorate student from the University of North Texas, and Laura Bruton, a principal violinist from the Fort Worth Symphony

Orchestra, in the first piece, Beethoven's "Serenade in D Major."

"This is an unusual arrangement of instruments," Barber said. "I don't think I've seen an arrangement before that had the parts for flute, violin and viola. The group played this piece last fall at the University of North Texas."

The final song of the evening, Mendelssohn's "Trio in C Minor Opus 66," will feature principal cel-

list Barrett Sills from the Fort Worth Symphony and pianist Jill Springer, a faculty member at



Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Barber is the director of the Advanced String Camp and Metroplex String Festival and is an inter-

nationally known concert violinist and recording artist, according to a press release. She was the founder and the coordinator for 16 years of the Suzuki String Program at Texas Tech University.

Barber is also the author of a series of books, cassettes and CDs, "Solos for Young Violinists," distributed by Warner Brothers Publications.

The concert will be held at 7:30 p.m. in Ed Landreth Hall. The event is free and open to the public.

## Russia's civil war spills over into Turkey

Chechen rebels hijack ferry, taking hundreds hostage during bloody battle

By CHRIS BIRD  
ASSOCIATED PRESS

PERVOMAYSKAYA, Russia — The Chechen separatists' fierce campaign ignited outside Russia for the first time Tuesday, with rebels hijacking a ferry in Turkey while their comrades battled Russian troops for a second day in this burned-out village.

Chechen gunmen clung to their positions as Russian tanks and helicopter gunships assailed Pervomayskaya for a second day. Despite salvo after salvo of missiles and artillery fire, they refused to release dozens of hostages.

Tank rounds slammed across frozen fields and rockets from helicopter gunships exploded in the burning remains of the village as black columns of smoke rose in the winter sky.

At least 100 people had been killed and injured in the fighting. It was not known if any hostages were among the dead.

Maj. Gen. Alexander Mikhailov, a spokesman for the Federal Security Service, claimed the rebels had suffered terrible losses. "We're not counting them in terms of corpses — we're counting them in terms of arms and legs."

Russian jets rocketed a convoy of guerrilla reinforcements trying to reach Pervomayskaya, leaving about 150 rebels dead, according to Yevgeny Ryabsev, an Interior Ministry spokesman. There was no independent confirmation of the reported clash 12 miles southeast of the village.

Hundreds of miles away, masked Chechen gunmen seized a ferry in Trabzon, Turkey, on Tuesday and threatened to kill all the Russians on board, the semiofficial Anatolia news agency said. The gun-

men shouted slogans demanding independence for Chechnya, then set sail for an unknown destination, reportedly with 165 people on board. It was not known how many were Russian; the ferry was scheduled to have gone to the Russian city of Sochi.

A Russian woman who escaped from the vessel told Anatolia several people were wounded. Anatolia said one passenger was killed.

Chechens have turned to hostage-taking as they fight for independence from Moscow. In Pervomayskaya, a village in the southern Russian republic of Dagestan on the border with Chechnya, they were believed to be holding between 70 and 120 hostages before the Russian assault began Monday morning.

Since then, Russian troops have brought out 24 people from the village, said Mikhailov, the Russian security service spokesman. Most were hostages, but at least two were journalists.

Despite two days of fighting involving dozens of tanks and armored vehicles backed by several battalions of shock troops, the government forces appeared to control only part of the small village.

The guerrillas were hiding in deep bunkers in the foundations of houses, sniping at the attacking Russians. The roar of automatic weapons fire popped and cracked without halt as darkness fell Tuesday.

The Interior Ministry in Moscow reported that 60 rebels were killed, 15 seriously wounded and an unspecified number of others captured. Russian officials did not say if any hostages had died in the fighting.

The rebels, estimated to number between 150 and 250, have fought back fiercely with small arms and rocket-propelled grenades. They have destroyed several Russian armored personnel carriers.

Four Russian servicemen were killed and at least 20 wounded. One of the dead was Col. Andrei Krestyaninov, commander of an Interior Ministry rapid reaction unit, the ministry said.

Dazed ex-hostages were interrogated in a neighboring village by Russian forces to make sure they weren't rebels in disguise.

One man was distraught as Russian authorities loaded the hostages onto a bus that took them to Kizlyar, where Chechen fighters seized them a week ago. "My daughter is in there," he cried. "I can't leave."

Guerrillas struck in the Chechen capital Grozny, where about 30 workers at an electric power plant were reportedly seized Tuesday, the ITAR-Tass news agency quoted a security service spokesman as saying.

Alexander Zdanovich of the Federal Security Service said a special task force was investigating the report the workers had been captured and taken away in buses to an unknown destination.

On Jan. 9, the rebels slipped past border guards and seized up to 3,000 hostages in Kizlyar, a town in Dagestan. At least 40 people were killed in that fighting.

With a promise of safe passage, the gunmen released most hostages and headed for Chechnya with the rest in a convoy of buses. They were stopped by Russian forces at Pervomayskaya on Wednesday, just short of the border.

The rebels refused demands to free the hostages without a new guarantee of safe passage back to their breakaway republic. The Russians brought in hundreds of troops and encircled the village with tanks and artillery.



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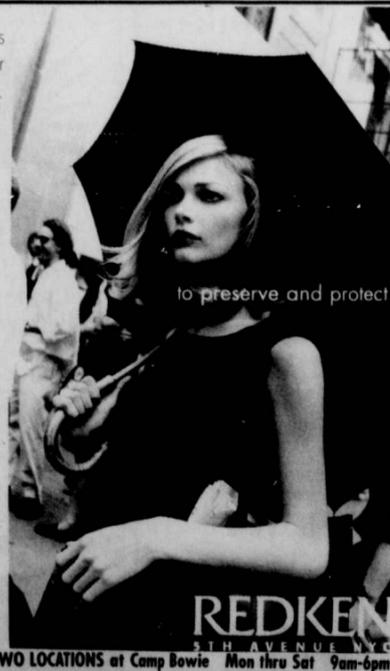
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## Drug traffic slows

### Effect of Abrego's arrest unknown

BY ANITA SNOW  
ASSOCIATED PRESS

MEXICO CITY (AP) — The flow of cocaine into the United States may slow temporarily as the rivals of jailed drug lord Juan Garcia Abrego battle over his turf, but there likely will be little long-term effect, experts said Tuesday.

Although Garcia Abrego was one of the most formidable smuggling kingpins in Mexico, his power had waned recently. Now, members of his cartel and others will be hungry to snatch up the multimillion-dollar business he controlled.

"A lot of people will struggle to get Garcia Abrego's business," said Phil Jordan, a retired DEA agent from Dallas who helped put together the U.S. case against the drug kingpin in the early 1990s.

"But it will take them years to amass the kind of power and fortune he enjoyed," Jordan added. "He was one of the big guys."

Recent blows to Colombia's Cali cartel have helped create a new breed of Mexican drug lords, poised to become equally powerful in the world market.

The Mexicans now are responsible for smuggling at least three-quarters of

all cocaine entering the United States, U.S. authorities say.

Garcia Abrego, one of the FBI's 10 most-wanted, was arrested by Mexican authorities and deported Monday to Houston, where he faces U.S. federal charges of drug trafficking, conspiracy and money laundering.

The arrest is expected to boost President Ernesto Zedillo in his effort to prove his administration can overcome widespread corruption and effectively combat drug trafficking.

Mexico comes up in March for U.S. recertification for its role in the drug war. The State Department and Congress annually rate countries for their cooperation and award U.S. aid accordingly.

"Hopefully Garcia Abrego's arrest is just a start," said Jordan. "If the Zedillo administration goes after the rest of the drug lords we could really see some results."

The arrest was seen as the most important in Mexico's drug war since Miguel Angel Felix Gallardo, the "Godfather of Mexican Drug Trafficking" was imprisoned in 1989.

Felix Gallardo's arrest put a temporary dent in Mexican trafficking as others battled for his territory. But within a few years, the vacuum was filled.

The same process is likely to happen again, the experts said.

Garcia Abrego's rivals "are celebrating tonight," said Peter Lupsha, a University of New Mexico professor who studies the drug trade.

Juarez cartel leader Amado Carrillo Fuentes, described as Mexico's No. 1 drug smuggler, can only benefit from Garcia Abrego's arrest, Lupsha said.

Carrillo Fuentes, known as "The Lord of the Skies" for his use of old passenger jets to fly Colombian cocaine into Mexico, has risen rapidly in power — aided by the cool, professional manner he learned from his mentors in the Cali cartel.

"Nothing changes for drug trafficking," said Lupsha. "The arrest of Juan Garcia Abrego is simply cleaning up on the last Mexican administration and passing the baton: The corruption and trafficking will continue."

Felix Gallardo's empire ultimately was split between his lieutenants Joaquin Guzman Loera and Hector Luis Palma Salazar, who formed the Sinaloa cartel, and his nephews who took control of the Tijuana area.

The rivalry of the two groups has been blamed for much of Mexico's recent drug violence, including the May 1993 slaying of Roman Catholic Cardinal Juan Jesus Posadas Ocampo.

## Foundation picks jury for Cliburn competition

ASSOCIATED PRESS

FORT WORTH, Texas — Six Americans and two French pianists are among 13 jurors chosen for the Tenth Van Cliburn International Competition for the world's most prestigious piano gold medal.

John Giordano, music director and conductor of the Fort Worth Chamber and Symphony Orchestras, will return for his seventh competition as the jury's non-voting chairman.

The competition is scheduled from May 23 to June 8, 1997.

James Conlon, artistic adviser to the Paris Opera, will conduct the Fort Worth orchestras in the final round of competition.

The Van Cliburn Foundation has commissioned William Bolcom, a professor at the University of Michigan School of Music, to compose the work performed in the competition's semifinal round.

The Tokyo String Quartet will perform with the 12 semifinalists in the chamber music phase of that round.

## No evidence found in harassment case

By MIKE COCHRAN  
ASSOCIATED PRESS

AUSTIN — An independent state agency has found no evidence that the Texas Rangers sexually harassed one of the first two women members of the crime-fighting organization, The Associated Press has learned.

The confidential ruling by the Texas Commission on Human Rights was disclosed in a one-page letter to Cheryl Steadman, 35, now a Department of Public Safety sergeant stationed in Houston.

"Examination of the evidence indicates that there is no reasonable cause to believe that there is a violation" of state law, the letter said.

William Hale, executive director of the commission, did not return telephone calls from the AP. But Steadman and her Houston attorney, Beatrice Mladenka-Fowler, confirmed the findings.

"I was very, very disappointed," Steadman said Tuesday. "But I was not surprised."

She said it appeared the commission did little more than accept the conclusions of DPS internal affairs officers who investigated her 1994 complaints.

Filing a human rights complaint generally is designed to avoid litigation, Mladenka-Fowler said. If the commission finds in a complainant's favor, it can attempt to mediate between the parties or even bring its own civil action, she said.

Mladenka-Fowler has asked the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission to review the human

rights commission's handling of the case.

"I am disturbed by the conduct of the commission in this matter," the attorney said, "as well as by the impact of the negative finding regarding my client's Human Rights Act claims."

Still pending before the commission is a complaint filed by Lisa Sheppard of Corpus Christi, a DPS criminal intelligence investigator who rejected a Ranger commission in 1994.

Sgt. Sheppard accused Capt. Maurice Cook, the Ranger chief, of a "calculated" act of sexual discrimination.

The two DPS officers have taken their case to federal court in a lawsuit filed in December against the Rangers, the DPS, the DPS director and a member of the policy-making Public Safety Commission.

The state attorney general's office, in a formal response, said the charges are baseless and that any dealings with the two women "were free of any discriminatory intent or act."

Mladenka-Fowler said Monday she was not surprised by the general denial.

"What else could they say?" she told the AP.

Steadman, who resigned from the Rangers in 1994, insists she was constantly harassed by her colleagues for being "too ladylike ... too feminine ... and too sensitive."

In her formal human rights complaint, she said she was not permitted to investigate major criminal cases.

## Woman on death row spared from execution

By RAY LONG  
ASSOCIATED PRESS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP) — A woman who had insisted she be put to death for killing her abusive husband was spared Tuesday by Gov. Jim Edgar hours before she was to become the second woman in at least 20 years to be executed in the United States.

Guinevere Garcia apparently had a change of heart: "Thank God that this thing has happened," her lawyer quoted her as saying after Edgar commuted her death sentence to life in prison with no chance of parole.

Garcia, 37, was to have been executed shortly after midnight for shooting her husband during an argument that grew from a botched robbery.

Death-penalty opponents, including Bianca Jagger, had campaigned for clemency over Garcia's objections, arguing that she had a harrowing life that included alcoholism and sexual abuse in childhood and prostitution as a teen-ager.

As late as last week, Garcia had angrily denounced efforts to win clemency, telling the state Prisoner Review Board, "This is not a suicide. ... I am responsible for these crimes."

Edgar, a Republican who hadn't overturned a death sentence in five years in office, said the facts of Garcia's crime didn't justify her execution. He cited evidence that she apparently didn't plan to kill her husband.

"Horrible as was her crime, it is an offense comparable to those that judges and jurors have determined over and over again should not be punishable by death," Edgar said in a statement.

The governor acknowledged that he was acting against Garcia's wishes, but said: "It is not the state's responsibility to carry out the wishes of a defendant. It is the state's

responsibility to assure that the death penalty continues to be administered properly."

Garcia's attorney, Manos Kavvadias, said Garcia never really wanted to die but was "drained" after losing an appeal to the Illinois Supreme Court last year. "She was ready to accept the sentence as it was," he said.

After prison officials told her of Edgar's decision, "she was relieved — like a big weight had been removed from her," Kavvadias said.

Edgar rejected arguments that Garcia was a victim of battered woman syndrome. His aides insisted neither the international spotlight nor Garcia's gender influenced his decision.

The only woman put to death in the United States since the Supreme Court reinstated capital punishment in 1976 was Velma Barfield. Barfield, 52, was executed by injection in North Carolina in 1984 for poisoning her boyfriend.

Orphaned as a toddler by the apparent suicide of her mother, Garcia was raised by her grandparents in Chicago. An uncle began sexually abusing her at age 6, and by 11 she was an alcoholic, according to court records.

By 16, Garcia had become a prostitute, married an Iranian student to keep him in the United States and conceived a daughter. Eleven months after Sarah Swan was born, Garcia suffocated the baby with a plastic bag.

The girl's death was treated as an accident for years until an arson investigator got Ms. Garcia to admit she killed her daughter and set fires near the anniversaries of the child's birth and death.

She served 10 years in prison for the killing. When she got out, the former prostitute married George Garcia, a one-time john who, according to court records, physically and sexually abused her. Within four months, she had killed him.

## Clinton's approval ratings slip

WASHINGTON — President Clinton's job rating remains slightly more negative than the majority approval he enjoyed in November and December, according to a poll released Tuesday.

While 46 percent approve of Clinton's performance, 47 percent disapprove, according to the CNN-USA Today-Gallup poll taken Friday through Monday. In three Gallup polls late last year, Clinton's approval rating ranged from 51 percent to 53 percent, but it slid to 42 percent in early January just before a partial truce in the federal budget battle.

Those polled were more likely to have a favorable opinion of Clinton than an unfavorable view, by 54 percent to 44 percent. But Hillary Rodham Clinton's favorability rating, which was once as high as 61 percent, has slipped to 43 per-

cent, with 51 percent viewing the president's wife unfavorably as she deals with questions about her role in the Whitewater and travel office investigations.

Among Republican voters nationwide, support for Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kan., remains as high as ever at 55 percent, compared with 12 percent for his nearest competitor for the nomination, publisher Steve Forbes. Other Republican candidates are in single digits.

Dole runs neck-and-neck with Clinton in a two-way matchup among registered voters.

The poll of 1,039 adults includes 891 registered voters and 405 registered Republicans. Results have a margin of sampling error ranging from plus or minus 3 percentage points overall to 5 points for responses of the smaller group of GOP voters.

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## ROTC unit named center for excellence

By K.E. STENSKE  
TCU DAILY SKIFF

TCU's Army ROTC unit will soon be named a center for nursing excellence by the National ROTC cadet command.

"When you say nursing and TCU at cadet command, people recognize that," said Capt. Scott Porter, ROTC scholarship officer and assistant professor of military science. "We are known in cadet command for quality students."

The nursing excellence designation results from the ability of the school to get nursing students into clinicals. The university's Harris College of Nursing has "phenomenal" passing rates, Porter said.

It is tough to get the designation as a nursing

school of excellence, Porter said. TCU is the only school in Texas to receive the designation.

"Look at all the other schools in Texas that have nursing schools: University of Texas, Tarleton State University, University of Texas at Arlington, St. Mary's University, University of Texas at San Antonio, and yet we're the only school (with this honor)," Porter said. "In fact we have a number of our cadets that have transferred in from UT-Arlington and UT-San Antonio because they know we'll get them to clinicals."

He said throughout the nation there are only a small number of schools that have been designated as centers for nursing excellence.

"It's definitely going to be a benefit," Porter said. "One thing I've been impressed with is

TCU's commitment to students," he said. "That's the biggest factor (for the designation)."

The Army sends ten Army nursing scholarship students to TCU, Porter said. This guarantees the university a good, steady flow of quality students.

"If twenty nursing scholarship students came here who had the academic requirements, they'd be in clinicals two years later," he said. "As far as I know, there is no other school in the nation that does that."

The designation will be a benefit because the unit will be able to maintain a large number of nurses, he said.

"It helps maintain the overall size and quality of the program because it definitely adds diversity," Porter said.

Porter said there will be fourteen ROTC nursing students graduating this year.

"I don't believe there are any schools in the United States that will commission that many nurse lieutenants this year," he said.

When the Army started discussions about setting up a center for nursing excellence, Porter said he looked into what the Army and the university wanted for the program.

"It was a perfect fit," Porter said. "There was nothing to do other than make both parties aware, saying 'Yes, this is something that is going to benefit both parties.'"

"From my perspective, it is the culmination of two years of work for me," Porter said.

TCU's unit should formally receive the designation sometime in February, he said.

## Mother may lose custody of her child in hearing

ASSOCIATED PRESS

AUSTIN — The mother of a baby girl surgically separated from her twin last year faces a March 11 hearing to terminate her parental rights.

Alicia Tejada lost the right to visit the child in November after admitting at a court appearance that she'd used crack the previous day.

A state judge told Tejada then that she could win the right to visit Michelle if she got treatment and stayed off drugs.

Tejada subsequently went to an inpatient treatment facility for several days, but didn't complete the program, said her lawyer, Larry Schaubhut Jr., on Tuesday. Tejada declined comment.

If Tejada had complied with the requirements, she would have had a chance to seek visitation rights at a Tuesday hearing, he said. Since she has not, she faces a March hearing on the state's effort to terminate all parental rights.

The March hearing could be delayed if Tejada begins complying with the requirements, Schaubhut said. In addition, if she decides to request a jury trial, it would be pushed back to April 22.

The state took custody of Tejada's twin daughters, Michelle and Nichelle, in June. They were born 13 weeks early on May 15, joined at their heads.

Michelle's sister, Nichelle, died several days after the Sept. 8 operation separating the two. Nichelle was given no chance of survival because a herpes infection contracted in the womb had destroyed all or part of major organs.

Michelle, who is in foster care, is doing well, said her court-appointed lawyer, Leigh DuBose.

Tejada's parental rights to six other children have been terminated.

## Cowboys fans fight for tickets

By JAY JORDEN  
ASSOCIATED PRESS

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas Cowboys fans still trying to get plane reservations and tickets to the Super Bowl need three things, not necessarily in order: persistence, composure and cash — lots of it.

It'll cost you to get to Tempe, Ariz., later this month to watch the Cowboys appear in a record eighth Super Bowl and attempt to win their fifth.

The race for the best seats and travel prices is going to the fastest fans to pick up their phones.

"It's not easy for procrastinators," Cowboys spokesman Doug Hood said. "If they are procrastinating, they'll probably be procrastinating in front of a television with a remote on game day."

The travel agency at the Cowboys' Valley Ranch headquarters in Irving said Monday night some Super Bowl tickets remained for

sale.

"Please don't give up," a recorded message stated. "We still have packages available. Call us tomorrow."

But they're not cheap. A game day trip including the air fare, a ticket on the 10- to 20-yard line at the Texas side, meals and transportation is running \$1,599.

A package for a two-night stay leaving Jan. 27 that includes all expenses but meals is priced at \$2,199.

One travel service said that, although one carrier still had tickets available from Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport to Phoenix on Jan. 27 and the next day, return flights on Monday were sold out.

"On Monday, the 29th, you cannot get out of Phoenix. It's booked solid," said Vera Garcia of Hickory Travel Service in Tucson, Ariz.

The reservation she was able to book Monday night, on American

Airlines, had a round-trip fare of \$520 and a return on Jan. 30. Only a waiting list was available for a Jan. 29 return flight.

Tickets available from one agency for the upper end zone in Sun Devils Stadium can range from \$1,200 to \$1,500. That price goes up \$250 for lower level end zone or yard line seats. It rises to almost \$2,500 for upper yard line seats.

"The feel we're getting from the customer, the potential buyers, is they don't really want to spend \$1,000," said Kelly Avant of Lone Star Tickets.

Hood cautioned not to assume that other ticket choices would not be available.

But, once a fan gets to Phoenix, there's no guarantee how easy it will be to get a rental car to Tempe, 12 miles away.

But Garcia said it will be worth it for fans who persevere.

"Dallas is going to win, no matter what," she said.

## Calcium, bran in diet may lower cancer risk

By LAURAN NEERGAARD  
ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — Scientists have uncovered more evidence that a diet high in wheat bran or calcium may lower the risk of colorectal cancer by soaking up acids that doctors believe spur the tumors.

Arizonans fed high-dose supplements of either wheat bran or calcium produced much lower amounts of these bile acids than people on low-fiber, low-calcium diets, researchers from the Arizona Cancer Center report in Wednesday's Journal of the National Cancer Institute.

Now the hospital is studying more than 1,400 people at high risk for colorectal cancer to determine whether long-term consumption of wheat bran prevents actual tumors as well as it inhibits this risky bile acid.

"The findings of the Arizona trial are encouraging," Dr. Michael Wargovich of the M.D. Anderson Cancer Center in Houston wrote in an accompanying editorial. "While not yet proven, evidence is mounting that changing the composition of the diet ... may lead to prevention" of colorectal cancer.

Some 138,000 Americans were diagnosed with colon or rectal cancer last year. About 55,000 died, a toll second only to lung cancer.

Surveys have long indicated that people who eat lots of fiber are less

likely to get colorectal cancer, and more recent research suggests calcium may provide similar protection. Rodent studies show wheat bran is a particularly important fiber source.

Scientists suspected that high concentrations of fecal bile acids spurred tumor growth. Drs. David Alberts and Cheryl Ritenbaugh theorized that dietary fiber and calcium could bind to these acids, essentially soaking them up so they couldn't interact with colon or rectal cells.

They divided 95 people at high risk for colorectal cancer into groups that ate different doses of wheat bran or calcium supplements for nine months, and compared their daily bile acid production.

People who ate 13.5 grams of wheat bran supplements, on top of their regular diet, produced 52 percent less bile acid than did low-fiber eaters.

People who ate 1,500 milligrams of calcium had a 35 percent reduction. But the study was too small to be sure wheat bran helped more than calcium, Ritenbaugh cautioned.

The study was not designed to see if eating both nutrients together would help even more. But there were some signs that the two nutrients instead canceled each other out — because wheat bran and calcium bind to each other in the gut as well as binding to bile acid, Ritenbaugh explained.

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## Texas runs away with 15-point win

### Frogs fall in second conference game

By ERNESTO MORAN  
TCU DAILY SKIFF

The TCU men's basketball team is still seeking its first Southwest Conference victory of the season after suffering a 103-88 defeat Saturday at the hands of the University of Texas before 12,389 fans at the Frank Erwin Center in Austin.

Led by senior forward Sonny Alvarado, the Longhorns raced out to a 20-6 lead in the opening five minutes and never looked back. Alvarado scored 10 points during the run on his way to a career-high 32 points. TCU fell to 9-7 overall and 0-2 in the SWC, while Texas moved to 8-4, 1-1.

TCU reserve guard Sharif Butler worked to keep the Frogs in the game with a pair of baskets sandwiched around a free throw by guard Jeff Jacobs. But when Butler's second hoop cut the Texas lead to 11 with 12:53 to go in the half, it was the last time the Frogs would get within 13 points of Texas until a Jacobs three-pointer with 3:17 left in the game.

"It was kind of disappointing," said Butler, who led the Frogs with a season-high 25 points. "I felt like we were well-prepared for the game. We expected to win."

Texas junior guard Reggie Freeman, who came into the game as the nation's seventh-leading scorer with a 24.9 average, followed Butler's

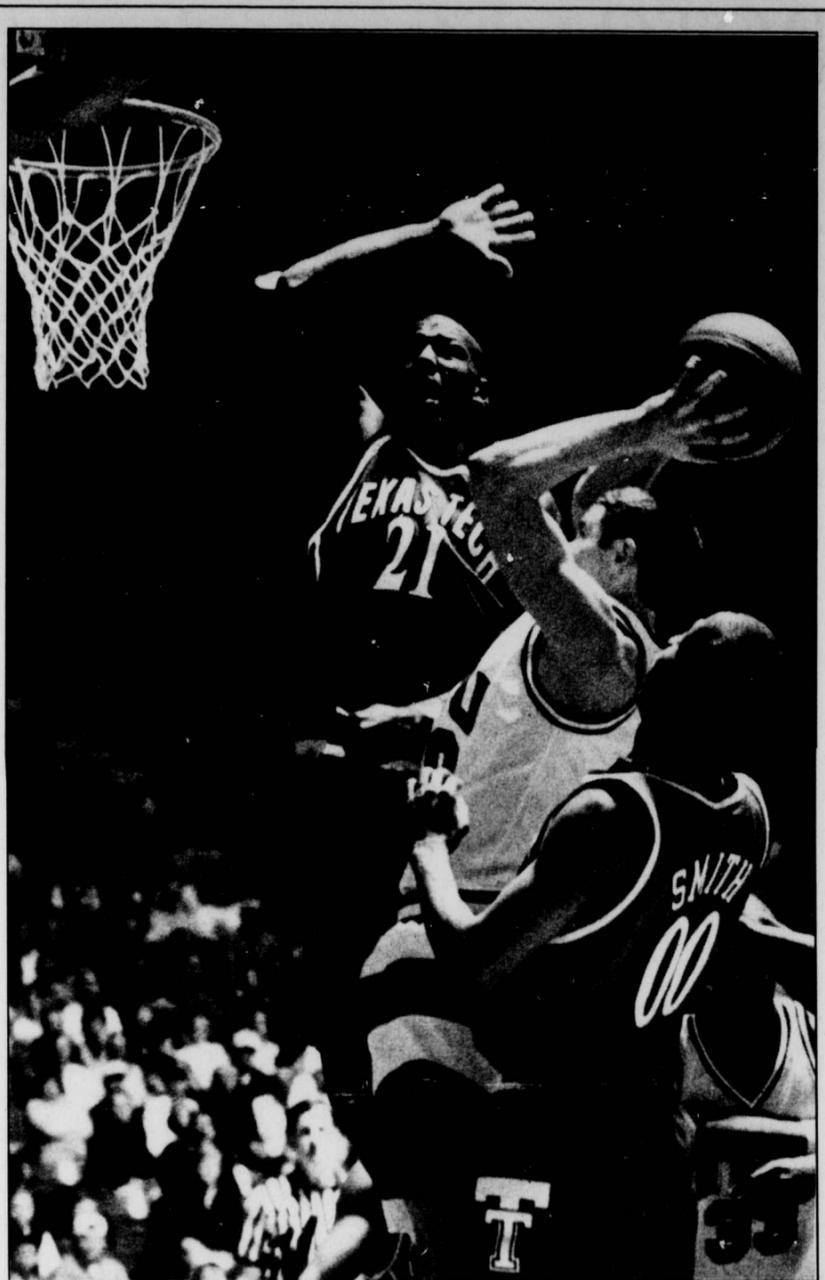
basket with a three-pointer, and the rout was on. Freeman finished with 19 points on 6-for-21 shooting.

Butler said the Frogs' failure to rebound and handle the Longhorns' full-court press spelled doom for TCU.

"We failed to block out," he said. "They hit the boards a lot harder than we did. We didn't handle the pressure as well as we should have. We were outthusted."

At halftime Texas had a 55-18 lead. The Frogs were out-rebounded in the first half 23-20, including 11 offensive boards for the Longhorns, and though TCU entered the contest

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TCU Daily Skiff/Ginger D. Richardson  
Freshman guard Luke Allan (center) drives to the hoop Jan. 10 against Texas Tech Red Raider guards Koy Smith (left) and Cory Carr (right). The Frogs lost to last year's Southwest Conference co-champions 90-86.

## Men's Results Wrap Up - Jan. 13

At: Erwin Center, Austin, Texas

### Texas Christian University Horned Frogs

Name	TOT-FG		3-PT		FT	FTA	REB	PTS	SHOTS			STL	TIME
	FG	FGA	FG	FGA					ASST	BLK	STL		
33 Damion Walker	4	9	0	0	11	13	4	19	0	1	0	31	
22 James Penny	4	10	0	1	0	2	6	8	0	3	0	24	
50 Byron Waits	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	1	08	
21 Jeff Jacobs	3	8	2	5	2	5	4	10	3	0	1	25	
12 Anthony Burks	1	3	0	2	2	4	1	4	5	0	1	21	
44 Dennis Davis	3	6	0	0	1	2	7	7	1	1	0	12	
05 Sharif Butler	9	18	2	6	5	9	5	25	3	0	4	32	
34 Saipel Tuialii	0	1	0	0	1	2	7	1	1	0	0	15	
13 Juan Bragg	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	03	
54 Chris Richards	1	2	0	0	2	2	3	4	0	0	0	09	
32 Princest Parks	2	3	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	06	
20 Luke Allan	2	3	0	1	0	0	2	4	2	0	2	11	
Team Rebounds	1												
<b>Totals</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>200</b>	

### University of Texas Longhorns

Name	TOT-FG		3-PT		FT	FTA	REB	PTS	SHOTS			STL	TIME
	FG	FGA	FG	FGA					ASST	BLK	STL		
32 Reggie Freeman	6	21	3	8	4	6	8	19	4	0	0	32	
15 Kris Clack	6	7	0	1	2	2	10	14	4	2	2	27	
00 Sonny Alvarado	13	20	0	0	6	10	13	32	2	0	5	29	
31 DeJuan Vazquez	0	2	0	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	09	
14 Lamont Hill	5	9	3	3	2	4	5	15	2	0	3	29	
13 B. Perryman	0	10	0	10	7	8	3	7	4	0	2	35	
50 Dennis Jordan	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	10	
25 Titus Warmesley	1	2	1	2	1	4	0	4	1	0	1	08	
04 S. Quarles	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	02	
33 Carlton Dixon	2	4	0	0	2	2	0	6	1	0	0	11	
05 Al Coleman	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	1	0	0	0	05	
Team Rebounds	4												
<b>Totals</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>200</b>	

Technical Fouls: Texas - none; TCU - 3

## Davis scores two TDs during all-star classic

By TASHA ZEMKE  
TCU DAILY SKIFF

Under a cloudless sky, in a football stadium full of fans there to see the best of the college best, senior running back Andre Davis proved that his position on a team of all-stars was well deserved.

On Jan. 13 at the 71st Shrine East-West Classic in Palo Alto, Calif., Davis scored two touchdowns for the West and gave the team a halftime lead that would eventually lead to a 34-18 win.

Davis ran two yards for the first touchdown of the game, then caught an 11-yard pass from University of Washington halfback Damon Huard for the second score. Davis caught three passes for a total of 34 yards and led the West in rushing with 38 yards.

Davis was the only player to represent TCU. Derrick Cullors, who played tailback for the Frogs before transferring to Western Kentucky, played for the East.

Quarterbacking the game for the West was Nebraska's Tommie Frazier, Michigan State's Tony Banks called signals for the east.

"(Frazier) has a great arm, and he's a great person," Davis said. Davis said he enjoyed competing alongside the other all-star college seniors.

"The game was competitive but it was fun," he said.

The game was broadcast on ESPN and gave national exposure to all-star players like Davis who are up for the NFL draft.

"But we were doin' it for the kids," he said. The Shriner children's hos-

pitals are a great cause to play for, Davis said.

Davis spent the night in Fort Worth Tuesday, but will leave Wednesday for Hawaii to play in the Hula Bowl on Saturday. He will receive television coverage and a stipend of about \$1,000, he said.

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## Longhorns shut down Lady Frogs

By K.E. STENSKE  
TCU Daily Skiff

The Lady Frogs, plagued by sluggish shooting and numerous turnovers, fell to the Lady Longhorns 96-33 over the weekend. The Jan. 13 loss marked their second conference defeat.

"One night it's on, one night it's off," Shell Robinson, head coach of the Lady Frogs said following TCU's second conference defeat.

The Lady Frogs were definitely off during the Jan. 13 game against Texas, and the Lady Longhorns took full advantage of the Lady Frogs mistakes. Texas led 51-15 at halftime and never came close to relinquishing the lead.

Texas started the game with a 19-4 run and never looked back. Junior forward Amie Smith led the Lady Longhorns with 16 points and eight rebounds. All of her points came in the first 15 minutes of play. She was four of five from the free throw line.

Twenty-four TCU turnovers combined with 7-24 shooting from the floor (29 percent) resulted in the Texas halftime lead.

TCU had more turnovers in the first half than it has had in some complete games, Robinson said.

The Lady Frogs came out fired up for the second half, playing tight defense for the first three minutes and immediately responding to Texas scoring. The team's turnovers dropped

from 24 to seven, but so did the Lady Frog's shooting percentage. They shot 18 percent from the floor (7-38).

"Tonight we didn't show it, but we're better offensively," Robinson said.

Sophomore guard Leah Garcia said, "The coach was inspirational during half time, but we got intimidated by Texas during the game."

A basket by Garcia with 16:55 left in the half was the last time TCU was heard from until Garcia scored again at 5:43. During the 11-minute drought, Texas reeled off 21 unanswered points.

Down the home stretch the Lady Frogs came to life, beginning with a 6-2 run. They finished the game by virtually matching the Lady Longhorns basket-for-basket.

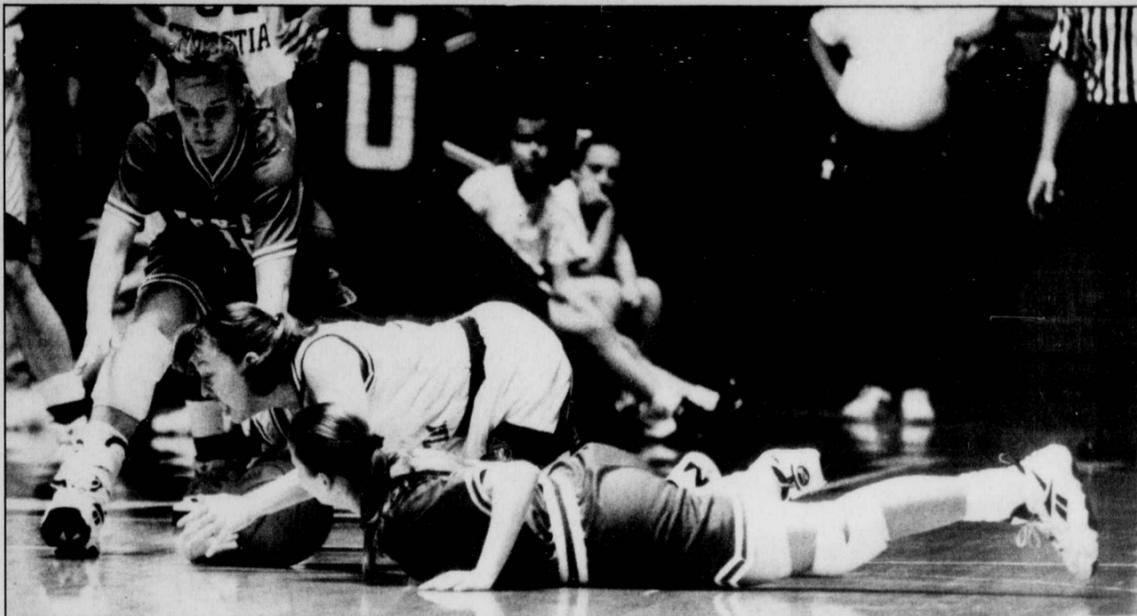
The 33 points TCU scored nearly surpassed an 11-year-old record for fewest points scored in a game, which occurred in 1985 against Texas Tech.

"Any SWC team is going to be tough," Robinson said. "We are a young team and constantly the underdog, but we're never going to give up. We need to figure out the problem and get it right."

Robinson said TCU was not mentally in the game.

"We needed to contain them defensively and match up person-to-person."

Typically the Lady Frogs have four or five players in double figures,



Junior Guard Kayla Courtade (center) scrambles for a loose ball Saturday night against the University of Texas. The Lady Frogs turned the ball over 24 times during their 96-33 loss to the Lady Longhorns.

but sophomore guard Leah Garcia was the lone TCU player in double figures against Texas. She led the Lady Frogs with 14 points and seven rebounds. Sophomore forward

Rachel Holamon contributed the second highest total with six points.

The low-point total was a direct result of a miserable shooting performance by the Lady Frogs. The team

shot a dismal 22 percent, compared to the Lady Longhorns' 46 percent.

"We practice well, work hard, but just have not proven what kind of team we really are," Garcia said.

"Hopefully we will redeem ourselves against Houston."

The Lady Frogs face off at 7 p.m. Jan. 17 against the Lady Cougars at Daniel-Meyer Coliseum.

### Women's Results Wrap Up - Jan. 13

At: Daniel-Meyer Coliseum

#### Texas Christian University Lady Frogs

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25 Stacy Price	0	4	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	35
44 Jennifer Hickman	0	2	0	1	0	0	3	0	2	0	1	14
15 Ginger Usher	2	8	1	3	0	0	3	5	0	0	1	22
10 Leah Garcia	7	21	0	1	0	2	7	14	3	0	1	38
11 Jackie Jenkins	0	8	0	4	0	2	4	0	1	0	1	25
21 Shannon Cooper	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	03
31 Tamika Christopher	2	8	0	0	0	3	1	4	1	0	0	12
32 Shalecia Stewart	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	06
33 Kayla Courtade	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	09
34 Shawanda Harps	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	16
50 Rachel Holamon	1	4	1	2	3	4	2	6	1	0	0	09
54 Kim Keepers	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	11
Team Rebounds							12					
<b>Totals</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>200</b>

#### University of Texas Lady Longhorns

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10 Amie Smith	6	10	0	0	4	5	8	16	1	0	1	17
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## Longhorns shut down Lady Frogs

By K.E. STENSKE  
TCU DAILY SKIFF

The Lady Frogs, plagued by sluggish shooting and numerous turnovers, fell to the Lady Longhorns 96-33 over the weekend. The Jan. 13 loss marked their second conference defeat.

"One night it's on, one night it's off," Shell Robinson, head coach for the Lady Frogs said following TCU's second conference defeat.

The Lady Frogs were definitely off during the Jan. 13 game against Texas, and the Lady Longhorns took full advantage of the Lady Frogs mistakes. Texas led 51-15 at halftime and never came close to relinquishing the lead.

Texas started the game with a 19-4 run and never looked back. Junior forward Amie Smith led the Lady Longhorns with 16 points and eight rebounds. All of her points came in the first 15 minutes of play. She was four of five from the free throw line.

Twenty-four TCU turnovers combined with 7-24 shooting from the floor (29 percent) resulted in the Texas halftime lead.

TCU had more turnovers in the first half than it has had in some complete games, Robinson said.

The Lady Frogs came out fired up for the second half, playing tight defense for the first three minutes and immediately responding to Texas scoring. The team's turnovers dropped

from 24 to seven, but so did the Lady Frog's shooting percentage. They shot 18 percent from the floor (7-38).

"Tonight we didn't show it, but we're better offensively," Robinson said.

Sophomore guard Leah Garcia said, "The coach was inspirational during half time, but we got intimidated by Texas during the game."

A basket by Garcia with 16:55 left in the half was the last time TCU was heard from until Garcia scored again at 5:43. During the 11-minute drought, Texas reeled off 21 unanswered points.

Down the home stretch the Lady Frogs came to life, beginning with a 6-2 run. They finished the game by virtually matching the Lady Longhorns basket-for-basket.

The 33 points TCU scored nearly surpassed an 11-year-old record for fewest points scored in a game, which occurred in 1985 against Texas Tech.

"Any SWC team is going to be tough," Robinson said. "We are a young team and constantly the underdog, but we're never going to give up. We need to figure out the problem and get it right."

Robinson said TCU was not mentally in the game.

"We needed to contain them defensively and match up person-to-person."

Typically the Lady Frogs have four or five players in double figures,



Junior Guard Kayla Courtade (center) scrambles for a loose ball Saturday night against the University of Texas. The Lady Frogs turned the ball over 24 times during their 96-33 loss to the Lady Longhorns.

but sophomore guard Leah Garcia was the lone TCU player in double figures against Texas. She led the Lady Frogs with 14 points and seven rebounds. Sophomore forward

Rachel Holamon contributed the second highest total with six points.

The low-point total was a direct result of a miserable shooting performance by the Lady Frogs. The team

shot a dismal 22 percent, compared to the Lady Longhorns' 46 percent.

"We practice well, work hard, but just have not proven what kind of team we really are," Garcia said.

"Hopefully we will redeem ourselves against Houston."

The Lady Frogs face off at 7 p.m. Jan. 17 against the Lady Cougars at Daniel-Meyer Coliseum.

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25 Stacy Price	0	4	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	35
44 Jennifer Hickman	0	2	0	1	0	0	3	0	2	0	1	14
15 Ginger Usher	2	8	1	3	0	0	3	5	0	0	1	22
10 Leah Garcia	7	21	0	1	0	2	7	14	3	0	1	38
11 Jackie Jenkins	0	8	0	4	0	2	4	0	1	0	1	25
21 Shannon Cooper	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	03
31 Tamika Christopher	2	8	0	0	0	3	1	4	1	0	0	12
32 Shalecia Stewart	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	06
33 Kayla Courtade	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	09
34 Shawanda Harps	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	16
50 Rachel Holamon	1	4	1	2	3	4	2	6	1	0	0	09
54 Kim Keepers	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	11
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## Franchise relocation a danger for NFL

As the end of the NFL season draws near, there are several stories that have dominated. Some are positive stories like the Green Bay Packers and the Indianapolis Colts, and some are sad stories, like the crucifixion and subsequent resignation of Don Shula, who was replaced by Jimmy Johnson.

While the Shula-Johnson story may be the biggest in the news at this point, no other story can compare to the new trend of franchise free agency that has swept over the league.

For the second time in as many years, at least two teams will be changing their address: the Cleveland Browns and the Houston Oilers will likely be moving to Baltimore and Nashville, respectively.

Professional sports have taken a large hit over the past few years. Hockey, baseball and basketball have all had work stoppages over the past two years. In the case of basketball, teams were able to resolve their differences before missing any games, but hockey and baseball didn't fare as well.

Football has been relatively immune from labor disputes since 1987 when the owners went with replacement players for three games.

However, over the past two seasons, a bigger problem has threatened to destroy the league.

Franchise free agency is a growing epidemic. Franchise relocation was rare before the 1980s, but then the Raiders moved to Los Angeles in 1983 after many great years in Oakland. After that, the Baltimore Colts moved to Indianapolis, and the Saint Louis Cardinals moved to Phoenix.

In the 1990s, we have already seen the Raiders move back to Oakland and the Rams move from Anaheim to Saint Louis. Now the Browns and the Oilers have followed their lead and flown the coop.

Presently, there is a method that can be used to block these moves. The first and easiest method is for Congress to pass the "Fan's Rights Bill" proposed by Sen. John Glenn, D-Ohio.

Under this bill, the antitrust laws will be relaxed enough to allow owners to block any move they want without the threat of an antitrust lawsuit. This is perhaps the best plan because it will give power to the league. It will block moves that would hurt the league and allow moves that would help the league.

If this bill is passed, then the sanctity of the league can be preserved, and the interest of the fans will be protected. Continuity and stability is in the best long-term financial interest of the league. Franchise relocation is definitely not in the interest of the fans.

The idea of franchise free agency has also spread to Tampa Bay, Seattle and Arizona. Although these teams have only whispered about moving, their threats have angered fans in their respective communities.

The problem with franchise free agency is twofold. First of all, it slaps the people who really support the NFL financially: the fans. The fans are the true owners of the teams because without their support, the game would not survive.

When news of the move hit Houston, attendance at Oilers' games plummeted from 50,000 to 30,000 fans per game. Even though these problems seem to be localized, if franchise free agency continues, then fans across the country will be disenchanted with the sport much like fans became disenchanted with baseball.

The second problem with franchise free agency is the alarming trend of teams moving from large markets to smaller markets. Los Angeles lost both of its teams. Oakland is hardly a large media center, and St. Louis is not much better. The Oilers threaten to move from the fourth largest city to about the 40th. Baltimore is slightly smaller than Cleveland, but it is still a downgrade.

This will eventually suck dry the other major source of revenue in the NFL: TV money. If the status quo is maintained without any other teams moving into Los Angeles, then the TV networks will definitely not give the NFL as much money as they have before. In other words, NFL owners will get whacked from both ends if these moves continue to occur.

This bill is the best possible situation for the NFL and the fans. Continuity and stability are the best long-term financial interests of the league. Franchise relocation is definitely not in the best interest of the fans.

The best success stories in sports always involve organizations that are able to develop long-term relationships with the fans and the community. These relationships just aren't possible if the teams are allowed to move around at will.



**Scott Barzilla**  
Sports columnist

## 'Hotshot Mary' popular with tennis fans

By STEVE WILSTEIN  
ASSOCIATED PRESS

MELBOURNE, Australia — It must mean something when a fan with a spiky mohawk has "Mary" written in blue block letters on both sides of his head, "Pierce" on both his muscular arms, and he's waving a sign that reads: "Sexy Hotshot Mary."

Is it crazy love or sick infatuation, something to be appreciated, laughed at, or feared?

In an age of celebrity stalkers, in the aftermath of the Monica Seles stabbing, security guards at the Australian Open looked at that fan Tuesday night with wary eyes.

Pierce, the defending champion, took a more benign attitude, taking it as flattery and autographing the fan's sign.

"It's pretty interesting here," Pierce said after a 6-3, 6-1 victory over Petra Schwarz. "It's a young crowd and I like that because they really get into the matches and yell and clap and have fun."

For Pierce, it was another indication that she's "arrived," become more than just a tennis player. She became a

Grand Slam champ here a year ago, a star.

Yet, even as she pursues another title, and some fans pursue her, Pierce is trying to figure out where the magic went the rest of 1995.

She won the Australian, then, poof, she vanished. Lost in the fourth round at the French, second round at Wimbledon, third round at the U.S. Open. A year of promise evaporated into a year of puzzling losses.

She couldn't explain what happened, and she couldn't really make excuses. No serious injuries, no personal problems. She couldn't blame her coach or her father. When the year was over, she simply had to face up to the reality that she had to build on her success, not rest on it.

Pierce's game had been as subtle as a train wreck. She pounded with two-fisted backhands and one-handed forehands. And if that didn't work, she pounded the ball harder. When she was on, as she was at the Australian last year, she could beat anyone in straight sets. In the final here, she did it to Arantxa Sanchez Vicario.

But that style, ultimately, would wear down Pierce, tire her out as the

year dragged on, and make her too predictable. She had to add to her repertoire the delicacy of drops and lobs and the surprise of the odd overhead or volley. She had to shorten some points, not keep them going forever with side-to-side groundstrokes.

In her return to Center Court a day after turning 21, Pierce showed she was beginning to learn that lesson. Schwarz, wasn't exactly a major threat, having lost in the opening round here four times before, but Pierce used the occasion to demonstrate the new variety in her game.

"I've been trying to come into the net a lot more, serve wide a bit and, if I hit a good shot, to come in," Pierce said. "On a second serve, to hit a good return and come in. And I've been trying to mix up the drop shots so the girls don't get used to my pace and start to get into a groove. So that's my game now, trying to play a little bit smarter and with more variety."

"It makes it easier for me, instead of just pounding and pounding."

Whether Pierce will have the courage to use her new shots against an opponent like Monica Seles remains to be seen. It's one thing to

fool around with no pressure against a mistake-prone player like Schwarz, another to do it in the later rounds against tougher players. At times like that, there's a tendency to revert to habit.

Pierce also showed she may have conquered another problem she's had — the inclination to give up on balls she thinks may be just out of her reach. That has cost her points and matches.

On one point on this cool, windy evening, Schwarz angled a soft backhand drop shot crosscourt that looked like a winner. Pierce charged in from the baseline and scooped it up with a backhand. Schwarz pounced on that shot with a forehand volley, but instead of backing off, Pierce lunged for a forehand volley winner that gave her a 5-2 lead in the first set.

Pierce's role model for such intensity may be none other than Seles, three times a champion here and a possible opponent for Pierce in the final.

"She has a very strong mental attitude," Pierce said. "She's just a very tough competitor."

It's exactly that kind of attitude, that sort of toughness, Pierce needs to become a champion again.



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