

Campus

Art students display work in Moudy

From oils on canvas to welded metal sculptures, the Bachelor of Fine Arts Studio Art exhibition opened Monday in the J.M. Moudy Exhibition Hall to showcase the work of five studio art seniors.

Running until Dec. 4, the exhibit is a requirement the seniors must fulfill before graduation.

"It gives everyone in the department an opportunity to see what has been achieved while the students are in their course work," said Ronald Watson, chairman of the art department. "It is also a great experience for the students because many times they've never had their own show. They get to learn a great deal."

John Nickell, Michelle Renée Lilley, Mike Blake, Joanna Darsey and Bonnie Terrazas, all senior studio art majors, have been preparing for the show all semester, Watson said.

"I think it's a very high quality of work for the level of show it is," Watson said. "Some individuals have taken enormous steps forward from where they were some time ago."

Watson said he hopes many students will take the time to attend the exhibit.

"I think that having an art department in the university context allows all students to experience freshly created works of art that speak to them in different ways," he said. "This will allow people in other majors to see what their contemporaries are doing in art. I think this show speaks very highly of the quality of students we have in the art department."

Colleges

Vanderbilt University gets \$340 million gift

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — In one of the largest gifts ever to a college, Vanderbilt University has been promised at least \$340 million worth of stock in a California company, Ingram Micro Inc.

Ingram Charitable Fund, which is based in Nashville, donated 8 million shares Monday — nearly 6 percent of the computer distributor — to be used for a wide range of university programs.

"This gift is of incalculable importance to Vanderbilt," Chancellor Joe Wyatt said. "It is unprecedented in size and stands alongside Cornelius Vanderbilt's founding gift 125 years ago as a singular landmark in the history of this university."

Cornelius Vanderbilt gave \$1 million to build and endow the university.

The fund released 2 million shares of Ingram to the university and kept 6 million shares in trust.

Texas A&M clears hurdle for law school

HOUSTON (AP) — Texas A&M University is one step closer to getting a law school in Houston.

Lawyers for the private South Texas College of Law in Houston won a round Monday in their court fight over affiliation with Texas A&M.

The Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, which was sued by the South Texas College of Law, had urged state District Judge Suzanne Covington in Austin to dismiss the lawsuit, contending the court had no jurisdiction.

"It is a very significant ruling by the court," said attorney Roland Garcia Jr., who represented the law school at Monday's hearing. "It confirms our belief that the lawsuit brought by South Texas warranted a full review by the court and that the issues before the court were important issues."

Earlier this year, the state Coordinating Board voted 15-2 to reject A&M's bid to offer legal studies through the South Texas college.

The institutions affiliated in January, when the downtown Houston law school received the A&M name while remaining a \$14,000-a-year private school.

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Celebrate the season



Students at the Order of Omega Christmas

Tree Lighting eagerly get into the spirit of giving (left) and receiving (above).

Donations from the TCU community will become part of the Bank One Spirit of Christmas program.

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House vote encourages dining choice

♦ Resolution pushes administrators to expand use of student meal card.

By William Thomas Burdette
STAFF REPORTER

The TCU House of Student Representative made strides toward providing students with more options for their dining pleasure as it passed a bill to install 18 grills around campus and a resolution to encourage the administration to consider the use of meal cards at restaurants and businesses off campus.

Jared Pope, who introduced this bill, said the passage of this resolution is the final thing students can do to make the use of meal cards off campus — an issue that has been

rumored widely and is practically a campus legend — a reality.

"This is the final process in what students have to do to get the meal cards used off campus," said Pope, chairman of the Technology Advancement Committee.

From there, the resolution will be sent to Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs Don Mills and Chancellor Michael Ferrari to decide if and how to implement the idea.

While the resolution cannot directly implement the use of cards off campus, it is designed to encourage the administration to implement the idea. However, Pope said his committee did a lot of research and he is optimistic that the administration will heed the resolution and

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Frog Shuttle ridership up

♦ Improvements to bus routes find success with students.

By Deana Snow
STAFF REPORTER

The Frog shuttle has been running its new routes for almost a month, and the difference is showing.

Campus Police chief Steve McGee said the number of students riding the shuttle has increased dramatically.

"We are really pleased," McGee said. "We have done some random checks in the big lot near Perrotti's, and at 10 a.m. on a Monday we had over 50 places empty. On Tuesday

and Thursday there were not as many open spots, but we can find a few. The new shuttle system is making an impact."

The Worth Hills residents are showing a huge amount of compliance, which is helping, McGee said. Yesterday, they only found three Worth Hills permits in the lots.

McGee said they have not had any positive or negative feedback. They are planning to seek riders' responses in the beginning of next week.

He said they want comments on how to improve the shuttle system and how well the students like the shuttle.

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Berry revitalization a community effort

By Aimée Courtice
SKIFF STAFF

For almost six years, Rick Kubes, the owner of Kubes Jewelers on Berry Street, thought about moving his business from the neighborhood it had been in for 45 years.

Berry Street had shown signs of decline for more than a decade. Buildings were abandoned and storefronts remained unkempt. It seemed as if Berry Street, once a busy com-

mercial hubbub, was on its way out.

"We had put a lot of thought into relocating in the last five or six years," Kubes said. "We could not wait until the entire street fell down before we decided to do something about it."

"I have a very strong vested interest in this part of town," he said. "If you grow up in it, you hate to see it go down."

It wasn't until TCU announced its plans to build a university bookstore on Berry that

Kubes reconsidered.

"The key thing we realized was that Berry Street was our home and we did not feel comfortable anywhere else," Kubes said. "Why would we walk away? It would be like giving up on a family member."

"When TCU made the commitment, that told us that the street will turn around. We did not want to leave and add to the retreating of the street."

Kubes decided to stay, and Berry Street was on its way back.

Since February 1996, the Berry Street Initiative, a grass-roots revitalization effort of local businesses and residents, has worked to redevelop the Berry Street corridor, a 2.4-mile stretch from University Drive to Interstate 35.

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Foundation selects new members

By Sylvia Carrizales
STAFF REPORTER

After flipping through the colorful brochures that fill their mailboxes day after day, high school juniors and seniors select schools to visit that may be their future college.

When these prospective students take their first step on the TCU campus, they meet a smiling-faced student clad in a purple shirt from Student Foundation who leads them on a campus tour.

"I think it's fun to meet the people that are looking into TCU," said Kelly Imig, a sophomore psychology major. "I especially wanted to do the tours to try and make TCU as attractive as possible."

Student Foundation is a group of students selected to lead weekly tours, make thank-you calls to donors and host alumni events.

"I think it's a very unique opportunity for students where they get a good look at the university as a whole from prospective students to alumni who have been away from the school for 20 or 30 years," said Jeff Crane, Student Foundation adviser.

More than 100 students applied and 41 new members were selected by a committee that consisted of repre-

A friendly quizmaster Religion professor revered for commitment to teaching



Ambrose Edens

HORNED FROG OF THE WEEK

By Christopher Rose
SKIFF STAFF

On exam day, apprehension invades a TCU classroom as students frantically pore over lecture notes, preparing for a test their professor calls the "friendly quiz." Since the first day of class, this professor warned the students they should be ready for the "friendly quiz" because they don't want to take the "hostile makeup."

And, as he has done since 1954, Ambrose Edens, emeritus professor of religious studies, takes that warning one step further. Unlike the nondescript tie he normally wears, on many test days he enters the Beasley Hall classroom wearing a blazing red tie.

"It's the universal danger sign," said Edens, who teaches an introductory course on the Bible. "It tells students they need to be well prepared for the test because I'm

picky when it comes to grading."

However, after more than 40 years of teaching religion at TCU, this may be Edens last semester to give a "friendly quiz" or wear his trademark red tie.

Describing his long tenure at TCU, the 78-year-old Edens simply said, "It's been fun."

But to students and colleagues, Edens' contribution as a teacher and friend has been much more than that.

"He made an impact in my life," said Ron Flowers, chairman of the TCU religion department and a TCU undergraduate from 1954 to 1957. "I consider him one of the better teachers I had as a student, and he's one of two TCU professors that inspired me to become a teacher."

Flowers said what inspired him was Edens' lecture style. He said Edens brought the subject matter to life by expressing humor in his

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Pulse

Announcements of campus events, public meetings and other general campus information should be brought to the TCU Daily Skiff at Muddy Building South, Room 291, mailed to TCU Box 298050 or e-mailed to skiffletters@tcu.edu. Deadline for receiving announcements is 2 p.m. the day before they are to run. The Skiff reserves the right to edit submissions for style, taste and space available.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE ORGANIZATION weekly meeting at 5:30 p.m. today in Student Center Room 214.

FREE LEGAL ADVICE available from 6 to 7:30 p.m. today in the Student Government Association office in the Student Center Annex.

ANNUAL HOLIDAY CRAFT FAIR from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Dec. 3-4 in the Student Center Lounge and Reading Room. The event is sponsored by the Programming Council Special Events Committee. Call 257-5233 or 257-2014.

MCKINNEY BIBLE CHURCH will host Kanakuk Kamps — America's largest Christian sports camp — at 7 p.m. Dec. 3. Come see the films and meet the directors. Applications for summer employment will be available at the films. Call 922-9313.

SENIOR CONFERENCE REGISTRATION MATERIALS now available from Career Services in the Student Center Annex. The conference is a two-day retreat for seniors focusing on the skills necessary to be successful after graduation. It will be held Jan. 16-17, 1999, at the Arlington Marriott. Registration deadline is Dec. 11. Call 257-7860.

DISCOUNT TICKETS available at the Student Center Information Desk for many area attractions and services including movie theaters, the zoo, bus tokens and passes and dining dollars.

BATTLE OF FLOWERS ASSOCIATION'S 74TH ORATORICAL CONTEST offers undergraduate students up to \$1,000 in prize money for the winning speech. An additional \$1,800 in prize money will also be awarded. The contest will be held March 5 in San Antonio and is limited to the first 15 applicants. This year's topic is "Life in the Texas Mission." For more information send an e-mail to Judy Lackritz@juno.com or write to her at 1033 Ivy Lane, San Antonio, Texas 78209.

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In The News . . .

World

Christmas holiday reinstated in Cuba by Communist Party

HAVANA — Christmas is coming to Cuba this holiday — officially, that is.

The Communist Party used the entire front page of Cuba's only daily newspaper, *Granma*, to recommend Tuesday that "from this year on" Dec. 25 be a permanent holiday in Cuba. Adoption by the Communist government is assured.

Ordinary Cubans — whether religious or not — welcomed the news, which re-establishes a custom the communist government abolished in 1969.

"It makes me very happy," said Marta Soler, a secretary who came to the Our Lady of Carmen church to buy nativity figurines.

"It's another day to rest. . . . You can share it with the family," said Judith Arango Rodriguez, 26.

Cuba's Roman Catholic Church issued a statement declaring it "highly values this gesture" and expressing confidence that "the path of opening of Cuba" would lead to "causes for joy, unity and hope for the Cuban people."

It said re-establishing the holiday was "an act which does justice to our Christian-based culture." It also came after a request by Pope John Paul II, who visited Cuba in January.

Nation

Male dancer pleads innocent to charges from underage party

PLEASANTON, Calif. — A male dancer who allegedly stripped nude at a Halloween party pleaded innocent to four felony counts of sexual contact with teen-age girls, saying he didn't know the high school freshmen and sophomores were underage.

Steven Schmitt was paid to perform a 45-minute routine for as many as 50 girls — most of them 14 and 15 years old — at the party on Oct. 30.

"He was exploited," said his attorney, William Gagen, after Monday's arraignment. "He wouldn't have been there or stayed there if he had thought the girls were underage."

Gagen and Deputy District Attorney Deborah Streicher both blamed Carley McGrath, the mother of the party's 15-year-old host, for sanctioning the party.

McGrath, 39, was arraigned Tuesday in Alameda County Superior Court on one count of exposing minors to lewd entertainment. She was scheduled to enter a plea today.

Schmitt was charged with three counts of lewd and lascivious conduct with minors 14 or 15 years old and one count of oral copulation with a minor under 16.

If convicted, Schmitt could face up to 12 years in prison.

McGrath told investigators that Schmitt was hired without her knowledge but she let him perform rather than embarrass her daughter.

Teen confesses to killing family and friend, prosecutor says

MUSKEGON, Mich. — An 18-year-old man confessed to fatally shooting his parents, grandfather, brother and his brother's girlfriend on the day his father had threatened to kick him out of the house, a prosecutor said.

Seth Privacky was arraigned Tuesday on five counts of open murder. Privacky said he would have had to move out Sunday — the day of the shootings — prosecutor Tony Tague said.

The teen said he shot the five in their heads at close range, execution-style, Tague said.

Privacky's classmate, 18-year-old Steven Wallace, was arraigned on the same charges. Both were jailed on \$5 million bail.

Killed were Privacky's parents, Stephen Privacky, 50, and Linda A. Privacky, 49; his grandfather John J. Privacky, 78; his brother, Jedediah, 19; and Jedediah's girlfriend, April A. Boss, 19. Their bodies were discovered early Monday morning.

Court records released Tuesday indicated Privacky's parents became concerned with his psychological well-being last year after he was picked up twice for shoplifting.

In a letter to Muskegon's Juvenile Court on May 22, 1997, Linda Privacky said a family doctor prescribed an antidepressant medication for Privacky and referred the family to a counselor for therapy.

After the arraignment, Tague told reporters that Privacky made his confession about an hour before the arraignment. Tague said the teen-ager told authorities he shot all five, point-blank in the head, and then moved the bodies around with Wallace's help to make it look like a robbery.

Exxon's purchase of Mobil will eliminate 9,000 jobs worldwide

NEW YORK — Exxon agreed to buy Mobil for \$73.7 billion Tuesday in a deal that would create the largest corporation in the world and put back together two of the biggest pieces from the 1911 breakup of John D. Rockefeller's Standard Oil.

Roughly 9,000 jobs will be eliminated worldwide as a result of the takeover, or about 7 percent of the companies' combined workforce of 123,000, Exxon chairman Lee Raymond said.

Despite the new company's vast reach, a world oil glut is expected to keep pump prices at rock-bottom levels for now. Analysts also expect the companies will have to sell off numerous gas stations and refineries to satisfy antitrust regulators.

The deal is the latest example of rapid consolidation in an industry whose profits have been cut by worldwide overproduction, weak demand and slumping prices.

"We need to face some facts. The world has changed," Mobil chairman Lucio Noto said. "The easy things are behind us."

The company will be known as Exxon Mobil Corp. There will continue to be Mobil and Exxon gas stations, as well as use the Exxon tiger and Mobil's red Pegasus logo.

State

Escaped Texas death-row inmate continues to elude authorities

HUNTSVILLE, Texas — Texas prison officials still searching for the death-row inmate who escaped late Thanksgiving night brought in a National Guard helicopter equipped with high-tech heat-detecting gear on Tuesday, and they shifted the main search area.

The helicopter joined at least two other aircraft and a ground effort of about 500 officers and 70 tracking dogs in the search for condemned killer Martin Gurule in the dense woods and swampy terrain.

After saying for days that Gurule had to be within a seven-mile perimeter south and east of the prison about 85 miles northeast of Houston, prison officials said Tuesday they had shifted the placement of ground forces.

"We are reconfiguring our search area at this point, and that's really all I want to say," said Larry Fitzgerald, spokesman for the Ellis Unit of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, which is home of Texas' death row.

The search was eased somewhat Tuesday to give Gurule a chance to make a move, said Wayne Scott, executive director of the prison system.

Also, the work program that provided Gurule more freedom was suspended pending an evaluation.

"We will examine the entire program," Texas Department of Criminal Justice Chairman Allan Polunsky said.

Under the program, inmates can work in the prison garment factory or in general janitorial service. They are given unlimited movement in and out of their cells, while other inmates remain locked up 23 hours a day.

Gurule and his six accomplices were all work-eligible.

Gurule, 29, scaled a pair of 10-foot fences topped with razor wire and fled into the foggy night just after midnight Thursday, leaving the six accomplices behind as guards fired at him with rifles from towers 200 feet away.

The escape was the first from death row in Texas since 1934.

Gurule was sentenced to death for shooting a Corpus Christi restaurant owner in 1992. He also was charged with killing a restaurant worker, but that case never went to trial.

Although officials believe he remains hidden near the prison, they have investigated dozens of tips, some as far away as Dallas — 175 miles to the north, called in by people who believed they saw him.

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editorial

HOME SWEET HOME

Delay of moving-in date hurts students

Students living on campus received their housing information from residential services Tuesday, and many of them might have noticed something peculiar — residence halls won't be opening back up until the Wednesday before classes begin, instead of the Sunday earlier.

Don Mills, vice chancellor for student affairs, said the change was made because of concern about how long students would be on campus without things to do before classes began. He said there were several cases of vandalism before last spring's classes.

Combined with the expense of opening the halls early, the powers that be were convinced to shift the move-in date later in the week.

Granted, the number of students required to be back on campus early makes up a small minority, but these students must, nonetheless, return. Many groups (er, including the *Skiff* staff) must make other arrangements for the few days before the dormitories open. Perhaps it is a waste for TCU to open all the dorms early for a few students, but at the very least, the university should provide alternatives for students (many of whom are campus leaders) who must return to campus early.

Your friend's couch is only comfortable for so long.

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Ode to an old pair of shoes

I had my birthday last weekend, and it was a little bittersweet. I got a new pair of shoes.

You see, I hadn't gotten a new pair since August 1996, when I got a pair of Adidas running shoes for \$10. I bought them expecting them to fall apart almost immediately, yet they lasted over two years.

Retiring the old shoes was so poignant that my brother and I came up with an ode to commemorate the shoes' passing. (To the tune of "Hey, Jude":)

"Hey shoes, don't take it bad./You cost 10 bucks and last

forever./You'll always have a special place in my heart,/But you've got holes, so I need some better."

I understand if most of you don't understand the fuss about these little shoes that could. The reason is that a great many of you don't know what it really means not to have money. When that is your situation, a \$10 pair of shoes that lasts 2 1/2 years is a godsend.

I certainly don't live in poverty, but I have noticed that my life experience has left me with a distinctly different way of looking at the world from most of the people around me. And from my perspective, I can see where so many of you are missing out.

Cars are a prime example. I have to shake my head as I drive around and see the kind of cars people drive here. Poor souls. You are missing out on the experience of having a real college car.



STEPHEN SUFFRON

My older brother, Jeff, had a real college car. It was a 1986 Mercury Topaz, dubbed "The 'Paz." It broke down so often and carried such an odor that Adam Sandler's "Ode to My Car" was its all-too-appropriate theme song.

Late one particularly frustrating evening, Jeff arrived in his apartment when The 'Paz wouldn't carry him all the way to the house. Disgusted by the situation, Jeff popped in "Ode to My Car." One line into the song, a loud cackle came from his roommate's bedroom. Jeff's roommate — who had been, uh, entertaining a lady — emerged wearing only hastily pulled up shorts, and, between bursts of laughter, wheezed, "Dude, what happened?"

The 'Paz provided Jeff countless stories like that one that he can tell anytime and get a sure laugh. It's priceless. Now who among you, driving

your BMWs and 4-Runners, have a similar story? What are you going to say? "You know, man, the 'Xus had a rattle the other day for, like, 10 minutes! ... But it went away."

As for me, I didn't have a car until my junior year when I used a loan to buy a \$1,500 1984 Celica. Each time it has looked as if this car was going to destroy me financially, I have been amazed at the ways God has provided. Again, something that you Mercedes-owners are missing.

So woe to you, O, Lexus-owner; I pity thee! You are missing out on the character-building, life-enriching experience that is owning a crappy car. Your privileged state has robbed you of the true college experience.

So, uh, you wanna trade?

Stephen Suffron is a senior broadcast journalism major from League City, Texas.

Some rules aren't necessarily made to be broken

Arguments for private groups stem from Supreme Court ruling

Before I get too involved in this column, there are a few things you need to know about me. The first thing is that I don't consider myself a prejudiced person. I know. I know. Everyone is prejudiced. But I like to think I'm pretty open-minded about just about everything.

I like to believe I'm one of those people who doesn't get that hung up on stereotypes and broad generalizations because even though perceptions of people that are rooted in these things are often fallacious, they are nothing more than mere perceptions. I would venture to say that I'm one of the most accepting people anywhere on this planet.

The other thing I think is important

tant is that I'm not anti-gay. I've always been one of those people that homosexual friends and acquaintances love to announce their sexual orientation to, because most of the ones who do tend to think I'm a lesbian, and the others tend to realize that I don't care what you or what you are so long as you're willing to listen to me ramble.

So, having attached my disclaimer, I would like to honestly say that I agree with a decision made by the U.S. Supreme Court.

In 1989, according to The Associated Press, California policeman Charles Merino became an adult leader for the Boy Scouts. He held the post until 1992, when the group discovered he was a homosexual and subsequently suspended his registration as an adult leader.

He sued the local Boy Scouts council, and in 1994 a state trial judge ruled that the group had violated a state anti-discrimination

law that applied to public agencies and accommodations. A state appeals court later reversed the decision, claiming the Boy Scouts are not a business covered by the anti-bias law.

Monday, after waiting four years

to have his appeal heard by the U.S. Supreme Court, it was dismissed without comment from the nine judges.

On the surface, this case sounds like egregious wrongs to our fellow men.

But just beneath that unnecessary urge we as humans seem to have for wanting to care about everyone and everything and not looking at the facts in favor of merely taking a politically correct stand, is the simple fact that the Supreme Court was right to dismiss this frivolous lawsuit.

Private organizations are just that — private. Because of that, they have a right to accept and reject whomsoever they see fit to.

There simply isn't much the rest of us can do about it. And, to be honest, there simply shouldn't be.

If a private organization chooses to reject possible members and oust current ones because they feel something about the individual (be it skin color, weight, hair length, foot size or, in this case, sexual orientation) goes against the morals and standards of or no longer compliments their organization, they should not be punished or forced to allow the "undesirables" admittance.

The whole point of private organizations is to have a club that makes up its own rules and that doesn't have to have everyone on the planet as a member. Besides, if everyone on the planet is allowed admittance, then how can organizations still be private?

I suppose right now, since we all go to a private university, you wise owls out there are saying that if my beliefs were put into effect here,

then I probably, for the simple fact that I'm black, struggling to stay in the middle class and am one of six children, most definitely would not be here.

All I can say is that luckily laws have been passed to put everyone on an equal playing field in the arena of employment (equal opportunity laws) and education (affirmative action). These laws were enacted because, without them, some of us might never get to experience life outside our neighborhoods and others might never get to experience working and learning beside people different from ourselves.

But the Boy Scouts?

What real national catastrophe will result if they decide not to allow homosexual boys to "enlist" or homosexual men to lead them?

Not a single one.

We have to realize that some things just don't require the participation of everyone. We all try to

Freedom of speech

The endorsement of National Bible Week by various government officials has some people in an uproar about the separation of church and state, but what these people are forgetting is the ever-important, highly prized right of freedom of speech.

According to the *Fort Worth Star-Telegram*, many states and cities — including Texas and several in Northeast Tarrant County — endorsed National Bible Week, which took place from Nov. 22-29.

Government officials and the National Bible Association say the week is supposed to encourage people to read the Bible because of its extensive influence on Western civilization.

Others disagree, saying these endorsements violate the constitutional separation of church and state. Randall Gorman — a North Richland Hills resident and state director of the American Atheists — told the *Star-Telegram* these endorsements are the government's way of prescribing the Judeo-Christian religion onto the citizens of the United States. There is now a court challenge to the endorsement in Arizona.

During all this wrangling about opinions and endorsements, people seem to have forgotten one key thing: Everyone is entitled — also by the Constitution — to the right to

express his or her own opinion. It doesn't matter if that opinion fits in with the majority or is outside the norm — everyone has the right to express it.

All the mayors and governors who signed the endorsement were just expressing their own personal opinion. Even if that opinion is expressed officially, people know it is still an opinion.

Of course, each governor and mayor did not poll each and every one of his or her constituents about National Bible Week, and the public knows this. These officials believed that National Bible Week deserved public recognition, but they are not trying to force people who don't agree to go along with their ideas.

Perhaps because of their prestigious position, the opinion of a gov-

ernment official carries more weight than that of the average guy or gal on the street, and that means they should wield their opinions carefully.

However, what that doesn't mean is that they should never express their opinion for fear of offending certain groups of people. Just because an official holds an opinion, it doesn't mean those people who elected him or her hold that same opinion, and no one should think they would.

Also, it is possible that free-thinking Americans will not give an elected official's opinion — even in the form of an official endorsement — a heavier weight because of an innate distrust of politicians or a desire to rely on facts and not the opinions of others. In this case, it hurts absolutely nothing for an elected official to express his or her opinion on an issue — even an issue involving religion.

While elected officials are tied to their office for the term, they are still people outside of that office; and as people, they have the right to express opinions.

That is exactly what the National Bible Week endorsements were all about. These mayors and governors hold the opinion that the Bible is a significant document — not only spiritually, but also culturally — and they used signing the endorsement as a way to express this opinion.

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awareness could be said to discriminate against those without breast cancer or AIDS and those who aren't black.

But no one says that, and these events are much more publicized than National Bible Week. The point is that the public should be made aware of all these things, and it is not bad, or discriminatory, to endorse any of them.

Of course, the freedom of religion should not be withdrawn from any citizen of the United States but neither should freedom of speech. Government officials should be allowed the same rights as their constituents.

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ends National Bible Week controversy

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implement it for next fall.

Pope also said the Technology Advancement Committee has done a lot of research on the resolution and businesses seem receptive to the idea.

"Our committee has spent about four or five weeks researching different universities," he said.

"I've already talked to Einstein's, Boston Market, Jons Grille and Flash and they're all like, 'Yeah, whenever this comes up, bring it in and we'll get it worked out,'" he said.

Pope and Dining Services Committee chairwoman Elizabeth Gipson said that if the idea is

implemented, some things could change with Marriott next year.

"If this goes through, they may change their hours just because we'll be able to (eat) off campus more," he said. "So there may be changes like that, but, all in all, it's not going to be that different."

As TCU's contract with Marriott stands now, all students living on campus must put at least \$400 on their meal card. Pope said next semester, he thinks there will be two accounts: one for on-campus use and one for off-campus use.

While the resolution will not ensure a wider range of culinary options next semester, the grill bill

will provide Marriott-wary students with the option to grill out.

Walker Moody, who introduced the bill, said the grills are really nice.

"We are getting covered grills for great smoked flavor," said Moody, Permanent Improvements Committee chairman. "They have a hard-top cover so they're rust-free."

Moody also addressed the potential danger the grills could cause.

"True, we're kids playing with fire," Moody said. "But I am giving college students the benefit of the doubt. Since we are here — we're on our own, we're young adults

moving up the ladder — I would like to let people think that they can grill by themselves."

He did, however, absolve himself from any responsibility for personal injury.

"I'm not taking personal responsibility if someone burns their hand on this," he said.

While Moody said the grills are nice, they don't include everything.

"The food is not included for this particular model," he said.

Another bill to put message boards in the residence halls and a resolution to support the addition of more change machines around campus were also passed.

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From the beginning of the shuttle system in September until change of routes in the first part of November, the number of students riding the shuttle was fairly constant between 1,100 and 1,400 per week.

Since the change in the route place on Nov. 9, the numbers have increased to almost 2,400 students per week. Part of the increase is due to the extended hours, but McGee said it is also due to the convenience of the shuttle.

Tinsley Cheatham, a senior finance major, helped Campus Police make the changes to the system.

"I think everyone likes the new

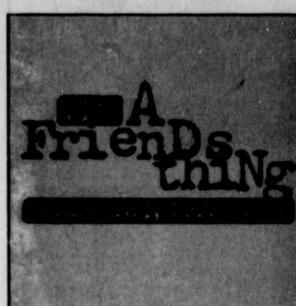
routes and times better," Cheatham said. "There are a lot more people on the bus at all different times."

She said the bus that runs back and forth between Worth Hills and The Main is used more than the other route.

"The one at The Main is faster, and it is easy to walk over to that stop," she said.

Cheatham said the bus drivers are really friendly, and students seem to appreciate seeing the same faces.

"The best part about the shuttle is the convenience," she said. "It is easier to take the bus than have to go with a car."



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lectures, which were full of content.

In addition, he said Edens impressed him as a "tireless educator," dedicated to serving students in many ways, such as sponsoring Chi Delta Mu, a campus religion organization. Also, Edens coordinated all undergraduate advising in the religion department, even after he officially retired in 1990.

But Flowers said Edens' real impact should be measured by what he does behind the scenes without drawing attention to himself. For example, he said Edens supports many scholarships and has helped students travel abroad with him by paying their expenses.

"No one really knows how much he has done," Flowers said. "For people able to scratch the surface, they will find that Ambrose Edens is a man of the most generous spirit."

Bryan Feille, the Howard Glen Brown Lecturer in Pastoral Ministry at Brite Divinity School and a TCU student in 1965, said Edens' generosity deeply affected his career as a teacher and pastor.

"Besides our friendship," Feille said, "the biggest influence Edens had on me is that he gave me the opportunity to travel and see the world through his eyes. I learned quite a lot due to Edens' incredible knowledge in church history."

Edens' knowledge isn't that well-known in the university community. Flowers said

Edens doesn't publish as much as most TCU faculty. Still, Flowers said he regards Edens as someone who is good at critiquing what goes on at TCU and the religion department.

"He has been the conscience of the department over the years," Flowers said.

For Edens, those years of teaching began as an adjunct instructor in 1947 when he attended Brite College of the Bible. During that time, Dean Colby Hall invited him to teach an undergraduate course about the Old Testament.

Officially, Edens became a full-time professor in 1954, and since then, he has taught almost every type of religion course in the department. And although he could have stopped teaching when he retired in 1990, Edens said he continued because he wanted to keep busy, among other reasons.

"I felt comfortable here because TCU is my family and home," said Edens, who never married. "But most of all, I like teaching and keeping in touch with the young people."

James Atwood, assistant dean of admissions and a religion instructor, agrees.

As a student of Edens' and Flowers' in the late 1960s, Atwood said Edens paced his detailed lectures perfectly to keep a student's attention. He also discovered Edens' difficult exams require students to stay focused.

Once, after a test, Atwood realized he

failed to answer an essay question. He ran to Edens' office and asked him what he could do to salvage his grade.

After a long pause, Edens told Atwood, "Well, you can go join a monastery, or you can do better on the next exam."

Atwood said that this incident illustrates Edens' utmost commitment to teaching, a commitment in which Edens "encourages students, but he doesn't coddle them." Atwood said Edens doesn't "agree with students who don't do their work."

Outside the classroom, Atwood said Edens is a laid back person, an avid sports fan and a voracious reader.

Despite the praise from former students, Edens downplays his contributions to the religion department. Sitting in his office where his plants occupy every nook and corner, he uses one word to characterize the greatest achievement of his teaching career.

"Survival," said Edens who attended TCU as an undergraduate in 1938. "I've survived the changes, though some things have stayed the same."

He said the university seems to place more emphasis on publication by faculty members than teaching. But he said teachers are more technically prepared than they've been in the past.

"What hasn't changed are students, except for their attire," Edens said. "At every test, there are several good students,

and there are some really terrible ones."

Similarly, Edens' teaching methods haven't changed that much either.

As a student, Flowers said he paid particular attention on test day because Edens wore not just a red tie, but sometimes a red sports coat and trousers. Additionally, he said Edens' lectures contained illustrations drawn from sports that grabbed his attention.

Forty-four years later, Edens' lecture style continues to captivate TCU students.

"He's very quick-witted," said Karen Pinkerton, a freshman radio-TV-film major. "He keeps class interesting by relating the TCU football team to events in the Old Testament. But when we take his exams, he's very hard on grammar."

As far as Edens is concerned, he never expected to teach this long. But he said teaching is his ministry — his life work.

In his office, hidden behind rows of reference books in the department's library, Edens gazes up at his beloved plants and quietly smiles.

"All of the plants in the department have a common ancestor. All are directly related in some way to the ones in my office," he said.

To some degree, the religion department is also directly related to Ambrose Edens.

"He will be missed," Feille said. "In fact, it's difficult to conceive the religion department without him."

FOUNDATION

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sentatives from the admissions and alumni relations offices and Student Development Services.

"We look for students with a commitment to the university who could articulate their enthusiasm and had a poised but energetic expression of self," said Kay Higgins, director of New Student Orientation and the Women's Resource Center and a member of the selection committee.

A major goal of the selection committee was to select a more diverse group to represent TCU.

"There has been a concerted effort in the last four years to address that issue, and it still was a very important priority," Higgins said.

Stephanie Zoleko, a freshman marketing major and a new member of Student Foundation, said she was honored to work with alumni and incoming students.

"TCU isn't perfect, but you really have to know how to represent the best in every situation," Zoleko said. "You never know the questions the prospective students are going to ask you. I can use this skill in other aspects of my life."

Tyler Smith, a junior business and finance major and Student Foundation president, said he wants to get the group out on campus.

"One of our goals, and that of the four officers, is to increase the awareness of Student Foundation on campus," Smith said. "We still run into people who ask, 'What is Student Foundation?'"

Smith said the two facets of Student Foundation are to work with incoming students and with alumni at their events.

An incentive for Student Foundation members is a mentor program that pairs juniors and seniors with alumni who work in their field of study, Smith said.

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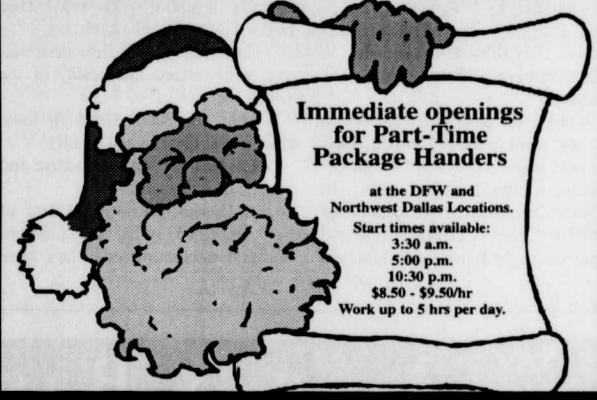
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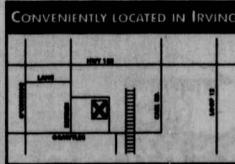
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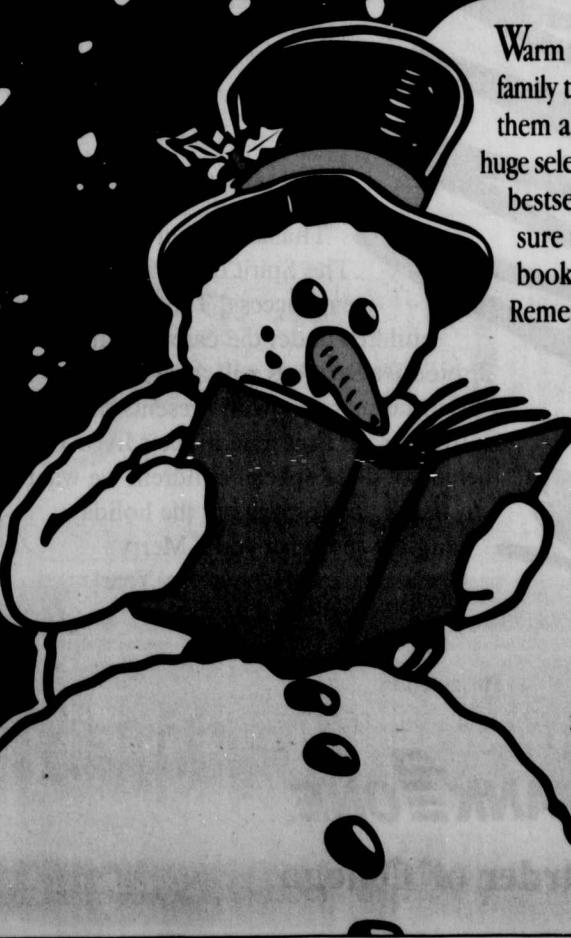
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through encouraging projects such as the TCU Bookstore.

Linda Clark, chairwoman of the initiative, said interest originated among members of the local community who wanted to improve Berry Street.

"A lot of us remember what the street was like," she said. "It used to be a thriving commercial corridor."

A bond issue passed by the city of Fort Worth earlier this year allocated \$1.5 million for the redevelopment of Berry Street. Fernando Costas, the planning director for the city of Fort Worth, said this is the first time that money from a capital improvements program grant has been allocated for a streetscape and urban-design project.

Costas also said the \$1.5 million will help spur development of the entire street.

"It can serve as a catalyst for revitalization of the commercial district as well as residential areas," Costas said.

He also said that although no design plans have been finalized, it is possible that two or three blocks of the street will be chosen for initial development.

"The money we have is initial funding," he said. "We will make the greatest use of the funds which are available."

The most recent developments include the purchase of the southeast corner of University Drive and Berry Street for a gas station as well as the purchase of the former Stripling and Cox building by Walgreen's. In addition, the Fort Worth Independent School District will relocate its administrative offices behind the Walgreen's.

Along with proposed additions to the street, the initiative recently took the next major step toward a comprehensive redevelopment plan. In October, a committee comprised of staff from the city of Fort Worth and members of the Berry Street Initiative

chose a design firm to come up with a thorough development plan for the corridor.

Clark said the firm is currently working out a contract with the city. He said the firm's name cannot be released until the details are finalized, which was expected to happen in late November.

Sandra Dennehy, chairwoman of the initiative's Urban Design Committee, said the next step in the process, once a contract has been signed, is to pursue additional funds.

Clark said revamping the entire corridor will cost about \$10 million. She said one of the reasons the particular firm was chosen was because it was knowledgeable on how to raise money for the initiative.

Clark said they will seek out financial support in the form of public-private partnerships. She said the initiative will investigate possible partnerships with the city of Fort Worth, utility companies as well as the Parks and Community Services Department.

"We have had informal conversation with prospective partners," she said. "We will look to our firm as a consultant to find the best prospects."

Kubes also said the firm was chosen because its visions for Berry Street coincided with the initiative's hopes for the street.

"We were looking for firms with a little bit of spark," he said. "As a group, we liked the artistic flair of this firm."

Kubes also said the initiative and the firm want the urban design to go into the neighborhoods and extend beyond Berry Street storefronts.

"They really have an understanding of the nature and reality of the street," he said.

Costas said feedback from local residents has been very positive.

"Residents are very supportive and eager," he said.

Jim Hodges, former president of the Jennings-May-St. Louis neighborhood association, said he's been

participating in the initiative since its first public meeting.

"I think a lot of progress has been made," he said. "The initiative has several members who are members of neighborhood associations. We like what is happening with the area."

There is a perception of Berry Street that it is not a safe place to be. The reality is that it is not a crime-ridden area. But the perception is the hardest thing to fight. It's an urban myth that perpetuates itself."

— Ray Booth,
member of Daedalus Development Corporation
of Fort Worth

Some local businesses have also been pleased by the gradual progress of the initiative. Clark said initial success with the initiative is partially owed to improvements made by TCU to Berry Street with the TCU Bookstore and the new parking lot and grass area in front of Perotti's Pizza.

Robin Record, owner of the Berry Street Grill, said she notices progress on the street, even though her business is located close to the corner of University and Berry.

"I think it is great," she said. "This community is really involved, and it is really starting to come back."

Record said she has more traffic in her restaurant and the TCU Bookstore has helped make her restaurant more visible.

"Business is good," she said. "We've got a lot of old clientele. But improvements all along Berry will only help us more."

Blake Hawkins, the manager of The Computer Store, which has been on Berry since 1984, said he approves

of the work being done. He said he does not worry about the condition of the street affecting his business.

"Our client-base is mostly corporate," he said. "Our clients know where we are."

The manager at Perotti's Pizza, who did not want his name used, said

"TCU is the anchor of that street," she said. "That's why it is really important to have TCU involvement in the events."

Costas also said support for Berry Street needs to be a combined effort.

"We need businesses and neighborhood leaders like TCU to participate in the project to promote it," he said.

Kubes said TCU has always been vital for Berry Street and the more Berry Street improves, the more TCU will benefit.

"TCU wants its lead-in streets to be impressive," he said. "It will be important for people coming to the university from that direction to have a good impression."

But the manager at Perotti's said he doesn't think TCU's motives are to help Berry Street improve.

"They say they're buying it up to clean up Berry Street, but they're doing it so they can get bigger and get their enrollment up," he said.

But Clark said TCU's role so far has coincided with the initiative's intentions to develop an urban corridor, meaning that improvement is not only happening right on Berry Street but also in the surrounding neighborhoods.

She said TCU's new McCart-Sandage housing will provide more stability to the Berry Street corridor.

Don Mills, vice chancellor for student affairs and overseer of the development of the project, said TCU's intention is to help the university as well as the local community.

"Our interest is not for the sake of buying up just to buy it up," he said. "We see areas that need redevelopment and where we have concern."

Larry Garrison, director of facilities planning at TCU, is a member of the Urban Design Committee. He said that beyond the McCart-Sandage project, TCU has not made any definite commitments.

Ray Booth and Francis McCarthy of the Daedalus Development Corporation of Fort Worth said they

have paid close attention to the redevelopment of Berry Street because of the impact the project will have on Fort Worth.

"Berry Street is one of the most visible and well-known city projects," Booth said.

They have traced the problems and redevelopment of Berry Street as well as other areas in Fort Worth, including Magnolia Street.

Booth said one of the problems that has plagued Berry Street is public perception of the street's safety.

"There is a perception of Berry Street that it is not a safe place to be," he said. "The reality is that it is not a crime-ridden area. But the perception is the hardest thing to fight. It's an urban myth that perpetuates itself."

Both McCarthy and Booth said there are similarities between the redevelopment of Berry and Magnolia streets.

Booth said the perception of the Magnolia area was improved with the addition of a police storefront because it boosted a sense of volunteerism and interaction within the community.

He said the addition of the police storefront on Berry Street two years ago has helped clear up some public perceptions.

McCarthy said Berry Street serves as a unique model for other city redevelopment efforts.

"It's a good example that center-city redevelopment can work," he said. "It shows that a community can mobilize and work together. The neighborhood strength of (the initiative) gives it clout."

Booth, a member of the Urban Design Committee who also served on the committee that selected a firm, said the city, because of its work with the initiative, is learning a lot about public input.

"The city is seeing how important public input really is," he said. "Public input is becoming more of an integral part of planning. It's really democracy in action."

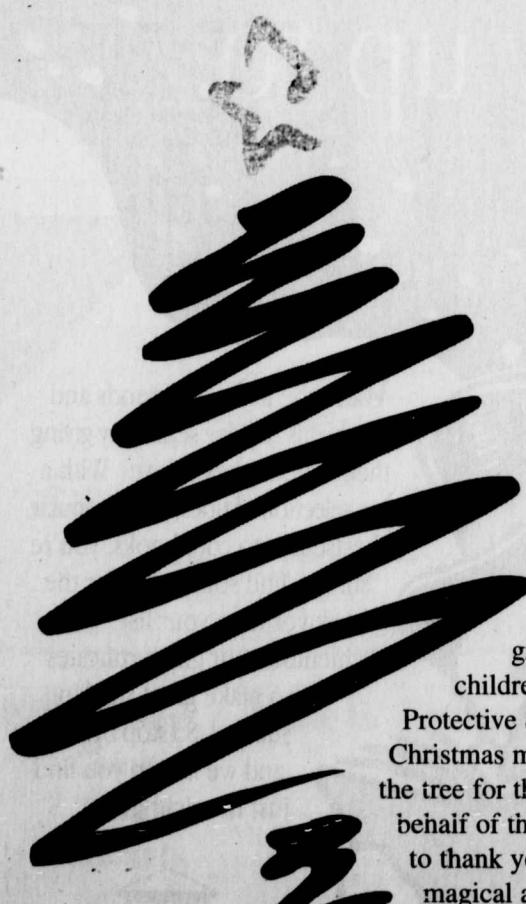
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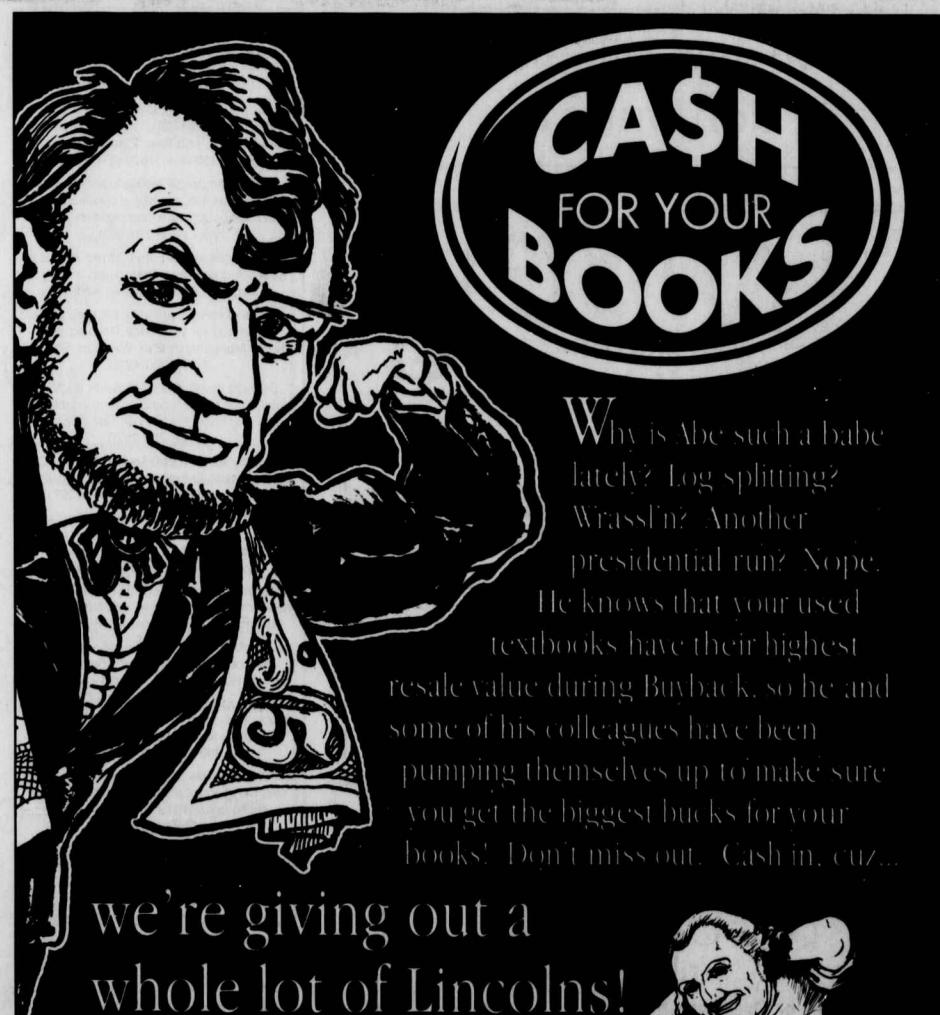
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Defensive end earns all-conference honors

The accolades keep coming in for the revitalized TCU Horned Frog football program, which enjoyed only its sixth winning season in 33 years after finishing 1-10 last season.

One week after having eight players named to the conference's first and second teams, sophomore defensive end Aaron Schobel was selected for the *Football News* All-Western Athletic Conference team, which will appear in the magazine's Dec. 5 issue.

Schobel, a native of Columbus, Texas, finished the season with 68 tackles — seven of them for a loss. His 7 1/2 sacks for 55 yards led the team. Schobel also batted down two passes and caused three fumbles. Last year, he posted similar stats, with 69 tackles — eight for a loss — and seven sacks for a loss of 39 yards.

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Rangers sign Palmeiro for \$45 million

ARLINGTON (AP) — Rafael Palmeiro is coming back to Texas. This time, he hopes to stay for good.

The free-agent first baseman and the Rangers agreed to a \$45 million, five-year contract on Tuesday, five years after Texas signed Will Clark and let Palmeiro go to Baltimore.

"It's good to be home," Palmeiro said. "This is where I want to be. This is where I want to finish my career. And this is where I want to win."

Palmeiro said he and the Orioles were on the brink of a five-year contract that would have paid him \$50 million. But he decided to bypass the extra money and return to the city his family has continued to call home.

"The more I thought about it, the more I wanted to be home," he said. "It just came down to what was right, what I felt was right. And I think this is right."

Texas general manager Doug Melvin said he was surprised when Palmeiro called Tuesday morning and asked if anything could be worked out. The deal came together quickly, "probably within half an hour," Melvin said. Palmeiro, bypassing agent Jim Bronner, said he negotiated it himself.

Palmeiro, who played for Texas from 1989-93, was a fan favorite during his first stint in Arlington.

His departure was a bitter one, with Palmeiro criticizing the Rangers' desire to win a World Series and telling a newspaper that Clark, a teammate at Mississippi State, had undercut him.

Palmeiro said Tuesday that he has left his bitterness behind.

"What happened in the past is in the past," he said. "We had our differences back then, but the important thing is today I'm back home."

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Frogs ground Eagles, 122-69

♦ Nailon and Gainous combine for 51 points in trouncing of North Texas.

By David Quinlan
SKIFF STAFF

The TCU men's basketball team poured it on Tuesday night at Daniel-Meyer Coliseum, punishing the University of North Texas 122-69.

Jumping to a 21-1 lead within the first five minutes of the game, the Frogs looked back to normal with Lee Nailon and Marquise Gainous earning double-doubles.

"I thought our guys played good," TCU head coach Billy Tubbs said. "It was our kind of game. It looks like we are back to TCU basketball."

The Frogs (6-2), which dropped a game to 12th-ranked Oklahoma State on Saturday, handed UNT (0-3) its third-straight loss.

"The first five minutes would determine what would happen," UNT head coach Vic Trilli said. "That's Billy's game. I knew that coming in."

All-American Lee Nailon could not be contained as he crashed the boards for 11 rebounds and 25 points.

The 230-pound power forward got in early foul trouble, picking up his third personal foul before the end of the first half.

"I felt pretty good tonight," Nailon said. "It was a tough game; we just made it look easy."

Maybe too easy. The Frogs pressed most

of the night, forcing 32 turnovers and 18 steals. Disappointed with his seniors, Trilli went with his freshmen for most of the game.

"I was just waiting for that buzzer to go off and go home," Trilli said. "You can't come into this place and play tentative."

TCU's leading scorer, Marquise Gainous, helped relieve some of the pressure from Nailon. The 6-foot-9-inch forward had 26 points and pulled down 12 rebounds.

"He's come along real well," Nailon said. "The both of us are getting more comfortable and we're becoming a good duo."

Looking like the team they were a year ago, the Frogs seemed automatic from behind the arc.

Making 11 for 20 from three-point land, TCU's Prince Fowler and Ryan Carroll were hot. Both combined for 24 points, and the two guards opened the game up for the Frogs.

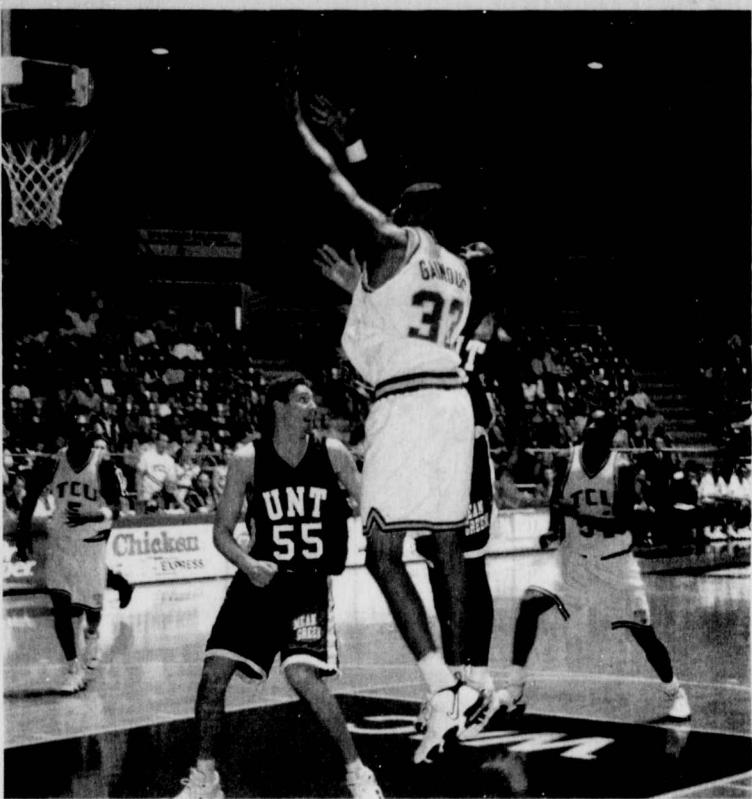
"We ran into a Top 25 team tonight," Trilli said. "This is a good basketball team. Watch them. They're real good."

The Frogs were without Derale Wilson, who underwent surgery Tuesday to his left foot.

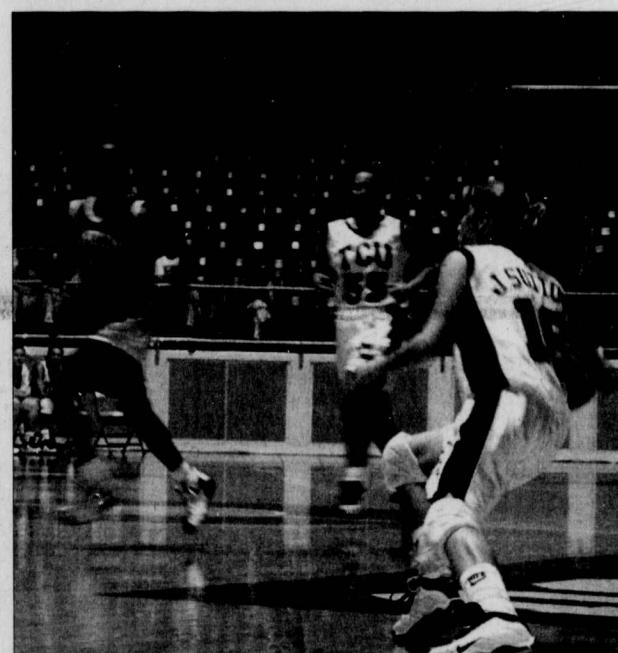
The junior transfer injured his foot during the Oklahoma State game and will likely miss the rest of the season.

"Wilson's surgery went well," Tubbs said. "But I think he's through for the year."

TCU continues its four-game home stretch when they host Texas El Paso at 2:05 p.m. Saturday at Daniel-Meyer Coliseum.



Junior forward Marquise Gainous goes strong to the hole in Tuesday's match against North Texas in Daniel-Meyer Coliseum. Gainous scored 25 points and pulled down 11 rebounds in the Frogs' 122-69 dismantling of the Eagles.



Sophomore guard Jill Sutton brings the ball up the court against Grambling State in Tuesday's 95-72 victory at Daniel-Meyer Coliseum.

Frogs shoot record 49 free throws in 95-72 win

By Rusty Simmons
SKIFF STAFF

Grambling State wandered into Daniel-Meyer Coliseum Tuesday night hoping to physically mop the floor with the TCU women's basketball team. The Tigers succeeded somewhat. But the Frogs cashed in on 36 of their new school-record 49 free-throw attempts to capture a 95-72 victory.

TCU jumped off to a 24-8 lead, highlighted by an inside and outside attack. Sophomore center Karen Clayton dominated the low post early by scoring seven of her nine points in the first five minutes, and sophomore guard Jill Sutton took advantage of two open three-point shots to score six of her 15 points.

Soon after the fast Frog start, Grambling State's physical onslaught began. Over the next 10 minutes of the first half, the game took a sloppy turn, as Grambling State sent TCU to the free-throw stripe 17 times.

"The game got ugly," head coach Mike Petersen said. "We need a more artistic game, where our opponents shoot jumpers, and we run our offense."

This TCU-style of basketball never showed up again. Although the Frogs converted on 74 percent of their free throws, their ability to pull away from Grambling State was diminished as every TCU run was slowed by a foul

and a trip to the line. The Frogs even fell into the physical play at some points. Elbows flew, bodies fell and TCU gave the Tigers 38 free-throw chances during the contest.

"We couldn't get them off the line, and they were fouling to extend the game," Petersen said.

Junior Zakiyyah Johnson made 11 of 13 free throws to score a game-high 19 points.

"It was so good to see her break through," Petersen said. "I called her out, and she responded great."

While Johnson broke through, a familiar face did what she had done all season long. Senior Misty Meadows scored 11 points and snatched 13 rebounds against a Grambling team Petersen called the most athletic squad TCU will face this year.

"I felt if we could just break even on the boards, we would be all right," Petersen said. "To outrebound them 57-42, it shows our work in practice paid off."

Double-digit scoring from sophomore guard Amy Sutton and junior guard Diamond Jackson and the shutting down of the Tigers' leading scorer, Terrika Mitchell, helped TCU hang on for the 95-72 win and the squad's fourth-straight home victory.

The Frogs take their home floor again this weekend when they host the Horned Frog Invitational. TCU tips off against Eastern Washington University at 8 p.m. Friday.

Stoops named to head coach position at Oklahoma

By Owen Canfield
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

expectations here at Oklahoma — in fact, I will embrace them," said Stoops, a head coach for the first time. "I know we'll operate with no excuses."

Stoops, who received a five-year contract worth close to \$700,000 annually, was introduced at what was more a pep rally than a news conference.

Dennis Franchione of TCU was mentioned as a possible candidate for the job, but he had denied any

contact with Oklahoma officials.

Franchione was a strong possibility to replace Blake after leading the University of New Mexico to a spot in the Western Athletic Conference championship game and a spot in the Insight Bowl in 1997. This season he resurrected a TCU program that had gone 1-10 by leading the team to a 6-5 season. It was TCU's sixth winning season in 33 years.

Other coaches mentioned as

potential successors were Gary Barnett of Northwestern and Jim Donnan of Georgia.

"This person, at every level, excelled," said Joe Castiglione, who was hired as Oklahoma athletic director in April. "Bob, as a player and coach, has been involved in success at every level." He said Stoops "fit perfectly the profile we developed."

"I've been extremely fortunate to be with the people I've been with,"

Stoops said. "I believe where I've been has given me great preparation to be able to handle the position."

"The University of Oklahoma was a very easy decision," he said. "I've been talking about this job with many coaches for many years that I've thought this was always a very special job."

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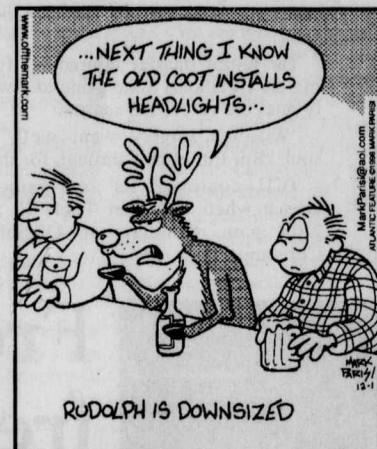


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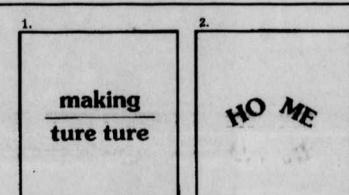
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