

## Reveille finds summer home in Liverpool

Reveille IV will be having fun in the sun this summer with Jeff Gruetzmacher, a freshman meteorology major from Liverpool, Tex. Gruetzmacher applied for the job of keeping Texas A&M University's mascot because it is the highest honor of Company E-2, he said. Company E-2 is responsible for Reveille IV and sees to it that she makes all the football games. Often members of the company make personal contributions to ensure that Reveille IV attends all the games. Gruetzmacher said he lives in a rural area so Reveille IV will have plenty of room to romp about this summer.

Reveille IV went to Liverpool recently to try out her summer home. Gruetzmacher said that Reveille IV got along splendidly with his dachshund.

Reveille IV is now able to sit, shake hands and heel on command after attending a training course at the Canine Hilton in Austin. She breezed through the six-week course in only four weeks, Gruetzmacher said, and stayed the additional two weeks for further education.



## SUMMER BAGGAGE STORAGE

YOU DON'T HAVE TO PACK EVERYTHING HOME!!

If you need to store something during the summer such as trunks, lamps, carpets, etc., the Agronomy Society can help you. We will store and insure your baggage under the following plan:

Students may store all items in either the basement of the northwest corner of the old hospital (laundry entrance), the basement of Ramp K of Walton Hall, or the basement of Ramp B of Hart Hall. One term summer storage should be stored in Hart Hall.

All store rooms will be open to accept items for storage as follows:

Monday, May 9	4:30 - 5:30 p.m.	
Tuesday, May 10	4:30 - 5:30 p.m.	
Wednesday, May 11	4:30 - 5:30 p.m.	
Thursday, May 12	11:00 - 12:00 noon	4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Friday, May 13	11:00 - 12:00 noon	4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

All baggage will be stored at the student's risk but all possible precautions will be taken to safeguard it. Insurance coverage will be provided for water, wind, rain, and fire damage.

The storage charge will be 2% of the declared value of items stored. A minimum of \$.75 per article will be charged for all articles with a declared value of less than \$40. Bulky articles such as chairs, bicycles, carpets, and filing cabinets will be stored for \$1.50.

All inquiries concerning baggage storage should be directed to the Instruction Section in the Agronomy Department of Texas A&M University, phone 845-3042.

# SUMMER JOB BLUES?

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100 A&M students will be accepted for out of state work.

INTERVIEWS:

PLACE: RUDDER TOWER ROOM 507

TIME: 3:30 and 6:30

DATE: WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY-FRIDAY

World is an illusion, Shimoda says

## Jonathan Livingston Seagull is similar to 'Messiah' new book

By RUSTY CAWLEY  
Battalion Staff

**ILLUSIONS: The Adventures of a Reluctant Messiah** by Richard Bach, Delacorte Press, \$5.95. Donald Shimoda is a messiah from the Holy Land of Indiana who prefers levitating objects to healing masses. So he quits. He flies about the Midwest in an old Travel Air 4000 bi-plane, selling lessons to the common people below. Three dollars for ten minutes in the air. But Shimoda can't help but revert to his old tricks now and then. Heal-

The author meets the messiah during his own barnstorming stints. He soon becomes obsessed by Shimoda and his theories on life and reality.

The world is an illusion, Shimoda says. Accept that, and anything you want is yours.

We are given a glimpse of the Messiah's Handbook, a manual on saving souls and understanding life used by every messiah from Christ to Mohammed.

"The world is your exercise book, the pages on which you do your sums," says the Handbook. "It is not reality, although you can express reality there if you wish."

"You are also free to write nonsense, or lies, or to tear the pages." This the Gospel of the Is.

Bach becomes a disciple, an apprentice savior. He picks up the basics quickly. Levitating wrenches. Walking on water.

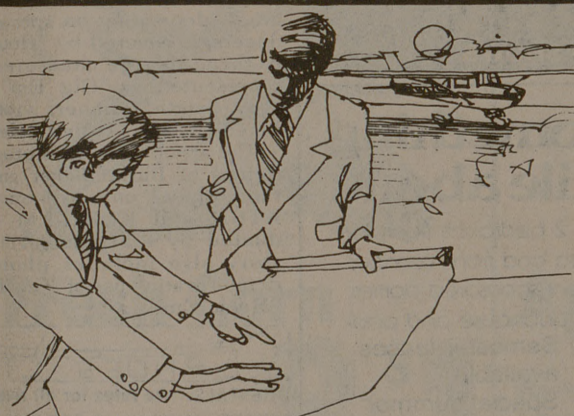
But accepting that nothing is real and everyone is free to do as he chooses is too much for him to bear.

**ILLUSIONS** is written in the same tight and simple style as Jonathan Livingston Seagull. It is short enough to read in an evening, but too stunning to forget.

Bach strips away reality as we know it and gives us a new reality: our dreams.

### Book Review

ing the sick. Teaching the sinful. ending his flock. **ILLUSIONS: The Adventures of a Reluctant Messiah** is Richard Bach's first book since he wrote Jonathan Livingston Seagull seven years ago. It carries the same message as Seagull: Find out what you really want to do — then do it. Fortunately, it avoids becoming Jonathan Livingston Seagull, Part



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