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Junior Isaac Vergara shouts encouragement as freshman Joseph Yow of Company E-1 strains at the rope in the tug-of-war competition at the Corps' Fish Intramural Day. E-1 out-

pulled B Company Band to win the tug-of-war championship in Saturday's activities.

Battalion photo by Jim Hale

Tougher standards set for use in sanity cases

United Press International
AUSTIN — The Texas Supreme Court set a new standard Wednesday by which juries must measure the evidence in sanity hearings before a person can be committed to a mental institution for an indefinite period.

The court responded to a U.S. Supreme Court guideline in a Galveston case that had made its way through the Texas court system, and said a person cannot be committed indefinitely to an institution unless

the jury finds by "clear and convincing evidence" that the person is mentally ill.

The "clear and convincing evidence" standard is considered more stringent than the "preponderance of evidence" rule ordinarily used in civil cases and the "beyond a reasonable doubt" rule applied in criminal trials.

The decision came on an appeal by Frank O'Neal Addington of Galveston, who challenged a probate court decision committing him in-

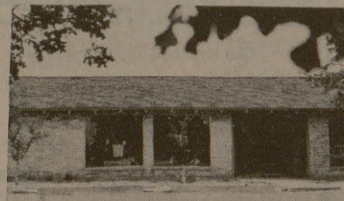
definitely to the Austin State Hospital.

A Civil Appeals Court reversed that judgment, however, contending proof of mental illness for an indefinite commitment should convince jurors "beyond a reasonable doubt."

The Texas Supreme Court, the first time it heard Addington's appeal, had upheld his commitment and ruled the "preponderance of the evidence" rule was the proper yardstick in mental illness cases.

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Lawyer's remarks send will case back for new trial

United Press International
AUSTIN — A dispute over an 83-year-old East Texas woman's revisions in her will less than three weeks before her death was sent back to a district court for a new trial Wednesday because an attorney's remarks that relatives of the woman who helped her revise the will were like circling vultures amounted to improper jury arguments.

In a 1956 will, Mamie Chambless had provided that her estate would be divided among her four sisters or their heirs.

But she revised the will Nov. 19, 1976, to leave the estate to her two

living sisters, and deleted any bequests to children of two sisters who died after the 1956 will was written.

Chambless died Dec. 5, 1976, less than three weeks after she signed the revised will at the Woodville nursing home where she was a patient. Her doctor said she was senile at the time of the will revision, and had "good days and bad days."

E.O. Fortenberry and seven other nephews and nieces — all children of the two dead sisters — filed suit challenging the will's revision and contending Chambless was

not mentally competent when the changes were made.

A trial court agreed with their arguments the woman was not mentally competent to revise the will shortly before her death, and ruled the 1956 will was valid.

During that trial, the attorney for the nephews and nieces challenging the will changes told the jury, "The vultures were circling in the air and they swooped down on her."

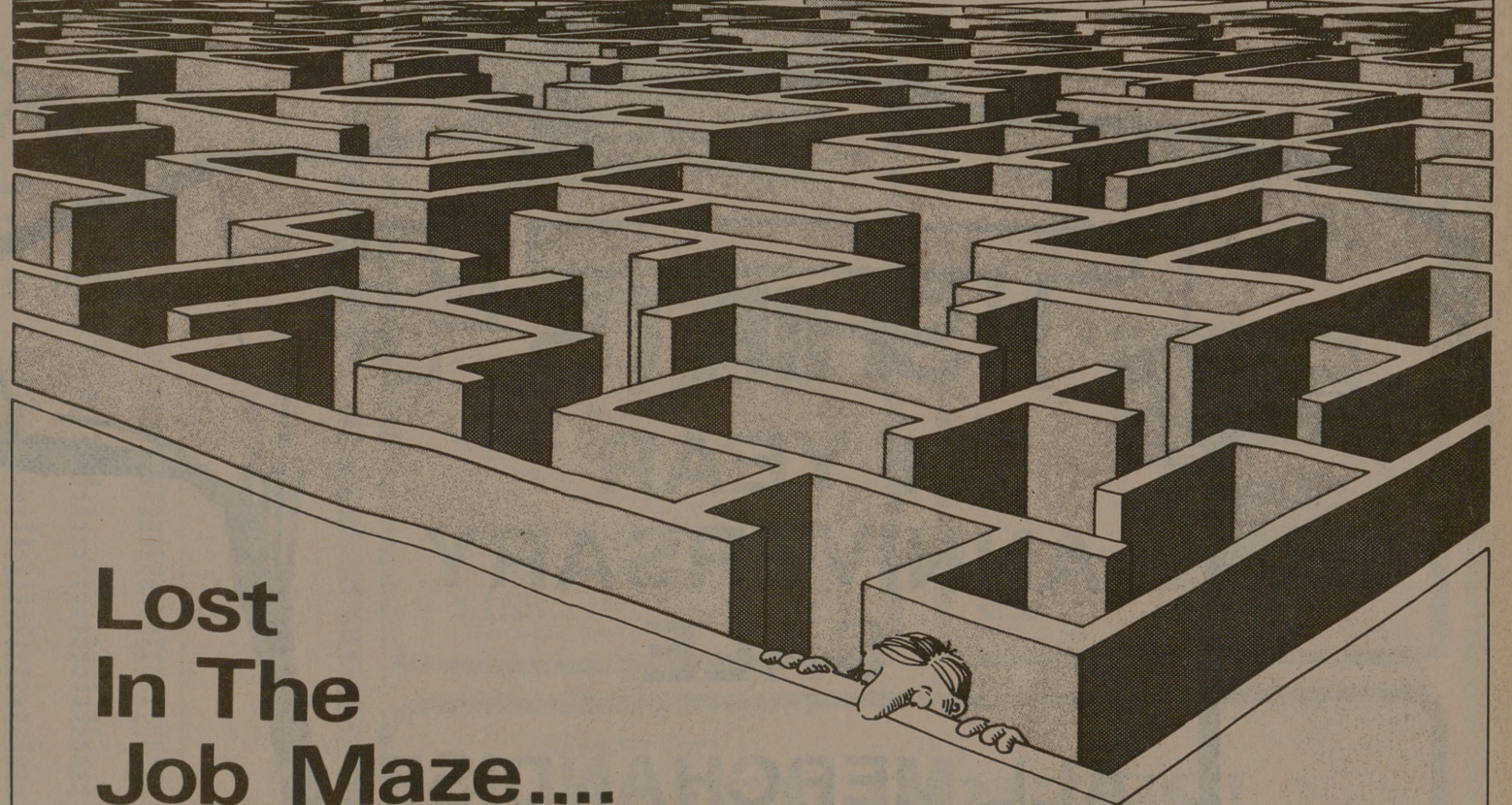
The Beaumont Court of Civil Appeals overturned the trial court's decision because of the jury arguments.

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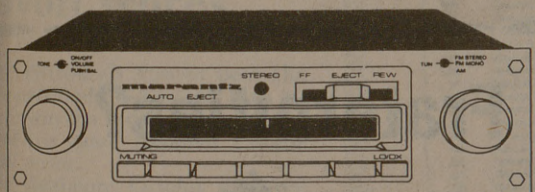
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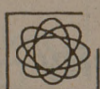
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