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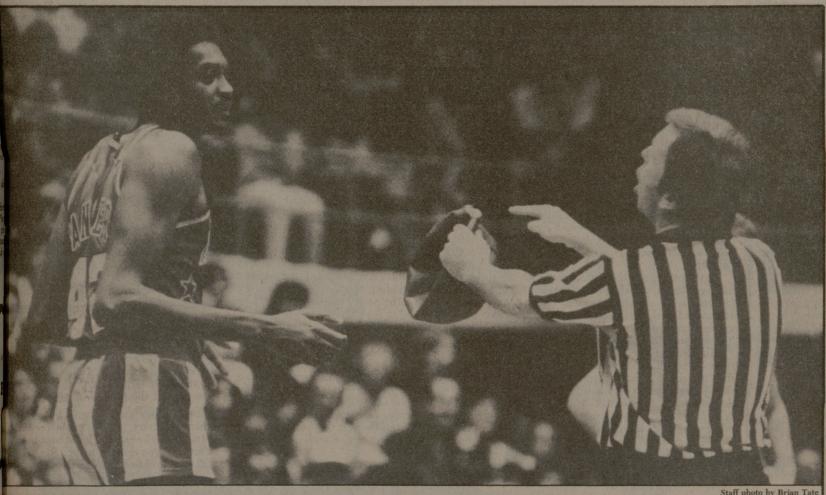
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#### The Weather

Yesterday	Today
High       68         Low       45         Rain       none	Low40

Residents to file



Harlem Globetrotter "Twiggy" Sanders argues with the referee over a basketball which he said was

made in College Station — with all the air hissed out

of it. The Globetrotters, who performed Tuesday in

G. Rollie White Coliseum, are the subject of the

cover story in Thursday's Focus. Focus, The Battal-

Staff photo by Brian Tate

ion's weekly entertainment tabloid, has been redesigned to give it an attractive, readable look. Focus includes TV logs, features and reviews - so Focus on us as we Focus on entertainment, in Thursday's

By BELINDA McCOY Battalion Staff
Raintree subdivision residents today plan to submit a petition to the College Station city secretary calling for a referen-

petition today

City Attorney Lowell Denton had said earlier that referendum laws do not apply

dum election on a recent zone change that

will allow an industry to build near the

However, Citizens for Responsible Government, the group opposed to the zone change, plans to file the petition of approximately 500 signatures with the city secretary anyway, said Dr. Robert C. Webb,

"We are hoping the impact of 500 signatures will have a force in making something happen in the city government," said

Westinghouse Electric Corp., the industry that plans to locate in the rezoned area, is not the issue of the disagreement, Webb said, but rather the method by which the council used to rezone the land.

Frederick B. Bower, president of Raintree Homeowners Association, a group formed independently of the rezoning issue, presented a speech before the council opposing the rezoning.

He said he believes the decision to rezone was made too hastily.

The decision was made that night. There was no attempt to try and check any

of the facts that we had presented. There was no attempt to try and provide any answers to some of the questions that were raised. The minds of the city council were already made up," he said. "How can you make a decision when you have no facts?"

The name of the corporation was not revealed until Jan. 13, after the land had been rezoned from residential and agriculturalopen district to M-1 planned-industrial in a city council vote of 6-1.

"Westinghouse is not involved — they happen to be the people who precipitated the deal ... We're against the principle whereby the whole procedure of rezoning

Westinghouse plans to exercise an option it obtained on a 55-acre tract of land near the Raintree subdivision. A spokesman for the company, Tom Duncan, said the corporation plans to build a 150,000square feet building, with a 500-employee

Exactly when Westinghouse will begin construction on the building or what will be manufactured at the building is still unknown, Duncan said.

If the city chooses to deny the petition then the citizens' groups will "re-evaluate the situation at that time," Bower said. "We have options available to us. Whether we will take them, we haven't decided.

Those options, Bower said, include a re-call election of the council and a possible lawsuit against the city.

# More funds wanted for Texas' black universities

By TERRY DURAN

Focus ...

Battalion Staff
Opinions are mixed on whether a \$20 million "educational cellence fund" recommended by the Legislative Budget Board lbe enough to bring the state and its two primarily black wiversities into compliance with federal desegregation require-

In early December, the LBB, which reviews all state agency udgets, came up with a \$20 million addition to the previously approved 1982-83 budgets for Prairie View A&M University and xas Southern University, following an appeal by Texas Attorney

Prairie View will get \$8 million of that appropriation; TSU will

the remaining \$12 million.

Thursday's

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Prairie View's president, Dr. A.I. Thomas, originally submitted abudget including \$26 million in requested state funds, to be designated for major building repair and rehabilitation. The board defield this part of his budget request, saying the school should get the funds from within the Texas A&M University System. This money would probably have to come from the sale of bonds acked by the Available University Fund.

The U.S. Department of Education announced provisional ceptance Jan. 15 of Texas' proposed higher education desegre-tion plan. Attorney General White's appeal to the LBB and tminute negotiations with the Education Department got tentive approval and kept Texas off the noncompliance list. Texas leators and the state legislature now have until June 15 to come with a detailed plan that will satisfy the requirements of Title

Texas is the only state listed as being in "partial" compliance with federal desegregation regulations. Noncompliance letters from the Education Department have been sent to 17 other

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states, including Missouri, Kentucky, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Oklahoma, Virginia and Pennsylvania. The last six states are now operating under federally imposed desegregation programs.

Rep. Wilhelmina Delco, chairman of the state higher education committee, said Tuesday the \$20 million "good faith" appropriation will not be enough, although she praised Attorney General White for his "leadership" in submitting a proposal temporarily acceptable to Education Department officials

She said the usual period allowed for compliance is 120 days, not the five months allowed Texas. This will allow the legislature to complete its session; Delco said allocation bills are traditionally among the last to appear before the body. The extra time will also give the governor the opportunity to sign whatever legislation is finally passed, she said

"We'll either spend the money on the schools or we'll spend it

in court and then wind up spending it on the schools anyway," "This is a golden opportunity to put our money where our

rhetoric has been," she added. "Full compliance will require the will of the Board (of Regents) and the will of the state."

Federal District Judge John Pratt in Washington ordered the Education Department in 1977 to develop specific standards for determining a state's compliance with Title VI. In 1978 and 1979, the department developed those criteria and started reviewing higher education in eight states, including Texas.

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Those criteria call for: 1) a five-year increase of black high school graduates who attend college so their number is proportionate to the percentage of whites; 2) increasing the number of black faculty and administrators at mostly white institutions; and 3) making predominantly black schools more attractive to white

Attorney General White has noted that "too many black students go (to college) out of state .... We're losing some of the most talented to East and West Coast schools.

Dr. C. A. Wood, Prairie View A&M's public information director, said Thursday the \$8 million for Prairie View is only "a drop in the bucket," relative to what the school needs.

Wood cited the university president as saying, "We are far behind in our physical facilities. Prairie View is the second oldest school in the state, but we've always been behind the so-called 'first class' universities.

Chuck Smith, media relations director for Texas Southern University, said, "The bottom line is that Texas was not in compliance (with federal regulations)." He said there are "historically significant" differences in the attention given TSU, Lamar Universitycomparable in size and enrollment to TSU — and the University

Meanwhile, LBB Director Thomas M. Keel says his board is out of the picture.

"It's up to the Legislature now. We've made our recommendations, and now it's strictly a matter of what the House and Senate

## Hostage welcome continues throughout nation today

United Press International
WASHINGTON — America's yellow
bbon "celebration of freedom" rolled on ay in tiny towns and teeming cities denined to match Washington's day-long pouring of joy for the return of the 52 S. hostages from Iran.

Dropping its blase mask for a day of bilee, Washington literally wrapped it-If in yellow bunting and turned out an imated half-million people to cheer the mecoming of the 52 Americans who ent 444 days in captivity.

It also was the chance for the United ates, speaking in the voice of its new resident, to put the rest of the world on tice it does not intend to let such an isode be repeated.

The climax for the 52 men and women, ned by relatives, colleagues who got out Tehran earlier, survivors of the commanteam that tried but failed to free them ad most of the capital's official elite, took ace on the South Lawn of the White

There, President Reagan paid tribute to em for "making us proud to be Amerans" and delivered a stern warning to yone who tries again to victimize U.S. izens abroad.

"Let terrorists be aware that when the les of international behavior are violated, r policy will be one of swift and effective ution," he said. "We hear it said that e live in an era of limits to our power. Vell, let it also be understood there are

mits to our patience The emotion-packed day took its toll on obert C. Ode, 65, the oldest of the freed mericans, who was hospitalized in fair

condition Tuesday night, suffering from pneumonia and severe bronchitis.

A spokesman said Ode, of Falls Church,

Va., was taken to National Hospital in Arlington, Va.

Ode was retired from the State Department and had been at the U.S. Embassy in Tehran for only a month on temporary assignment when it was overrun Nov. 4, 1979. He flew to freedom last week wearing plastic shower slippers, explaining the Iranians took away his shoes the day he was

captured and never returned them. His hospitalization and Reagan's warning were the only grim notes to a day that began for the ex-hostages with a mass news conferences at West Point, then went on to Washington for a parade that drew a police-estimated 500,000 onlookers, presidential welcomes and a thundering display of fire-

That was all the nation required of the returnees, but as they dispersed for rest and return to everyday life, their hometowns continued the round of happy wel-

The planned celebrations ranged from the thousands expected to turn out in Krakow, Mo., and Oak Creek, Wis., to what Mayor Ed Koch promised would be the largest in history of New York City's famed ticker tape welcomes for 21 former hostages accepting the city's invitation. De-troit planned to wrap a yellow ribbon around the top floor of the world's tallest

There was one factor that made Washington's welcome extra warm. All but one of the hostages were federal employees. Like 360,000 others in the

Washington area, they for years have heard politicians describe them as leeches and enemies of the public.

The spokesman for the hostages at the White House was Bruce Laingen, who was the ranking officer at the Tehran Embassy when it was seized.

He described the return as "a celebration of freedom." He told the 6,000 people, ranging from the government's highest officers to some pool typists who won tickets in office drawings at the State Department and Pentagon, he spoke for liberated 'Americans who will always have a love affair with this country.

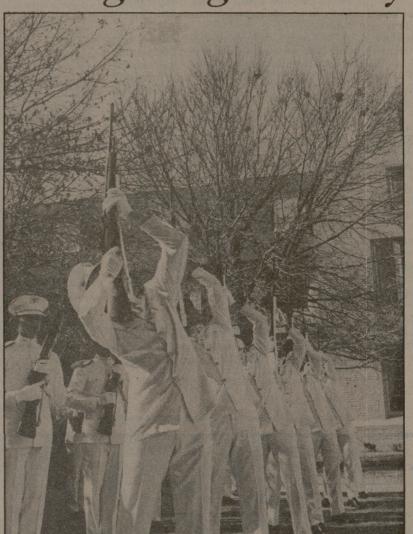
Standing next to the president on a low, painted stage that looked out to the Washington Monument and Jefferson Memorial, Laingen told the crowd the returnees "join with you in a prayer for thanksgiving for the way in which this crisis has strengthened the spirit and resilience that is the mark of a true, truly free society.'

Reagan gave Laingen a flag at the out-door ceremony. Each of the other Americans received one at an indoor reception

Mrs. Reagan, who was described by a White House aide as "misty eyed" from the moment the buses pulled up, gave a kiss to Regis Ragan, a former hostage the president greeted as "cousin" and the first lady called "kissing cousin.

While the freed hostages were reunited with their closest relatives at West Point Sunday, friends and kin who had not been included in that group were on hand at Andrews Air Force Base outside Washing-

### Teague's generosity recalled



Members of the Ross Volunteers' firing squad raise their rifles in a salute to deceased U.S. Rep. Olin E. "Tiger" Teague. A memorial service was held Tuesday in Teague's honor.

Olin E. "Tiger" Teague was the type of man people enjoyed being around, Edwin H. Cooper said Tuesday afternoon in a memorial service at A&M United Methodist Church.

Approximately 250 people, including several Texas A&M University administrators and long-time friends of Teague attended the service honoring the former U.S. Congressman from Texas' 6th District. A member of the Texas A&M College Class of '32, Teague died Friday morning in the National Medical Center in Bethesda, Md., at the age of 70, after a lingering illness.

His funeral was held earlier in the day at Fort Meyer, Va., with burial in Arlington Cemetery.

Cooper, dean of admissions and records at the University, said Teague's de-termined nature and generous spirit were exemplified throughout his life.

In World War II, "he asked nothing of his troops he wouldn't do himself — and he usually did it himself first," the dean

Teague worked hard for those causes he believed in, Cooper said. "His support of Texas A&M and the advancement of science ... will continue to reap rich di-vidends for years to come," he said. Teague fought for the individual, the

Reverend Bob E. Waters, who officiated at the service, said. He was "willing to dream a people's dream," he said, wrestle it into reality. He never labored for legislation - he always labored for people.

The service culminated in three rifle volleys fired by the Ross Volunteers and "Taps" played by the Aggie Band buglers.

Among those attending the service: Charles H. Samson, acting president of the University; Col. James R. Woodall, Corps commandant; Charles McCandless, associate vice president for academic affairs; Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Loupot, friends of Teague; and Margaret Rudder, widow of James Earl Rudder, former president of the University.