

OCC helps with shopping list

Center aids off-campus Ags

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Since its establishment in 1978, the Off-Campus Center located in the Puryear Lounge has been devoted to meeting the needs of some 22,000 off-campus students by providing those students with a variety of services. The center primarily serves as a resource for off-campus students," says Jan Winniford, the center's coordinator. The Off-Campus Center operates within the Department of Student Affairs, differing from the Off-Campus Aggies association which is primarily a student organization. The center publishes a guide for off-campus living entitled "The Survival Manual" which contains information of particular concern to

students living off-campus such as transportation, leases, utilities, and buying groceries. The center maintains an up-to-date listing of available housing in the Bryan-College Station area, including apartments, houses, duplexes and trailers, and periodically surveys price listings in the area. Roommate locator services are provided by the center along with roommate sessions which are designed to help students find compatible roommates. A pamphlet, "You Are Your Roommate's Roommate" is published by the center to serve as a guide to the sessions. Students experiencing problems with roommates can receive counseling from the staff at the center, which can be beneficial since the Student's Legal Adviser is unable to represent

a student against another student in roommate disputes. When students encounter problems with landlords, the center can advise the students on their basic rights as tenants on questions concerning such matters as maintenance and leases. The center also sponsors programs on various types of problems from budgeting to security. A program is being developed to keep off-campus students who live at home with parents better informed of University activities. In helping to fight the high cost of driving a car to campus, the center also handles a car pool referral service for students living in close proximity of one another.

Legal advisers offer free consultation to students

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You really believe you've been cheated. You think you may have a case against a business. You and your landlord could really use some good legal advice — but there's one problem. You've got no cash. It's just these types of situations that come to the attention of the Student Legal Adviser's office. The most common questions brought to Jim Locke and Dan Usiak, the office's two attorneys, concern landlord-tenant problems. But the great majority of those problems never end up as lawsuits, Locke said. "Students usually represent themselves in J.P. (Justice of the Peace) or small claims actions," Locke said. "Our office advises the student on his chances in court."

Locke said the advisers are not allowed to appear in court with the students in any criminal proceedings but they may help the student arrange a defense. The Student Legal Advisers will not advise in any cases of student-against-student disagreements because they believe it is unfair. Nor will they represent a student against Texas A&M University, but they will help guide the student in resolving problems with a particular department of the University. When a student wishes to pursue any action the attorneys may advise private counsel, Locke said. Locke said that in most cases, whenever those actions do end up in court, the student is at least partially successful. "It's highly unusual to get all of what may have been initially sought," Locke said. "But about 90 percent get at least some settlement."

Campus Names

David L. Pugh

Associate Professor David L. Pugh succeeds Dr. Wolfgang G. Roeseler as head of urban and regional planning effective Sept. 1. Pugh has been a faculty member for five years and has had extensive involvement in professional activities of the department in Texas.

Carrol D. Claycamp

Professor Carrol D. Claycamp has been selected department head of building construction beginning Sept. 1. He succeeds Professor James H. Marsh III who has served as head of the department since September, 1969.

John B. Beckham

John B. Beckham, associate dean of Texas A&M University's College of Science, will serve as interim dean, effective Sept. 1, announced Vice President for Academic Affairs J.M. Prescott. Beckham will fill the vacancy created when Dr. Thomas Sugihara transfers to Oregon State University as dean of science.

Dr. Lyle F. Schoenfeldt

Dr. Lyle F. Schoenfeldt, professor of management at the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute of Troy, N.Y. has been named professor and head of the department of management. He replaces Dr. William Mobley who was promoted to associate dean of the college in Texas A&M University's College of Business Administration.

Dr. Darrell Smith

Dr. Darrell Smith, professor of educational psychology, will receive one of the highest professional honors awarded this month at the 89th annual convention of the American Psychological Association in Los Angeles.

Dr. Charles D. Holland

A new book by Dr. Charles D. Holland, head of the chemical engineering department at Texas A&M University, has been named "Featured Selection for August" by the McGraw-Hill Chemical Engineers' Book Club. The author of five books, Holland has published a vast number of articles on distillation.

Dr. Gordon Eaton

Dr. Gordon Eaton, 51, becomes dean of geosciences after having served as associate chief geologist with the USGS geologic division. Eaton earned national recognition for his research on the volcanic history of Yellowstone National Park and for tectonic studies in the western United States. He holds graduate degrees from the California Institute of Technology and a bachelor's degree from Wesleyan University in Connecticut. Eaton assumes the post Sept. 1, replacing Earl Cook who will return to full-time teaching and research after 10 years as dean.



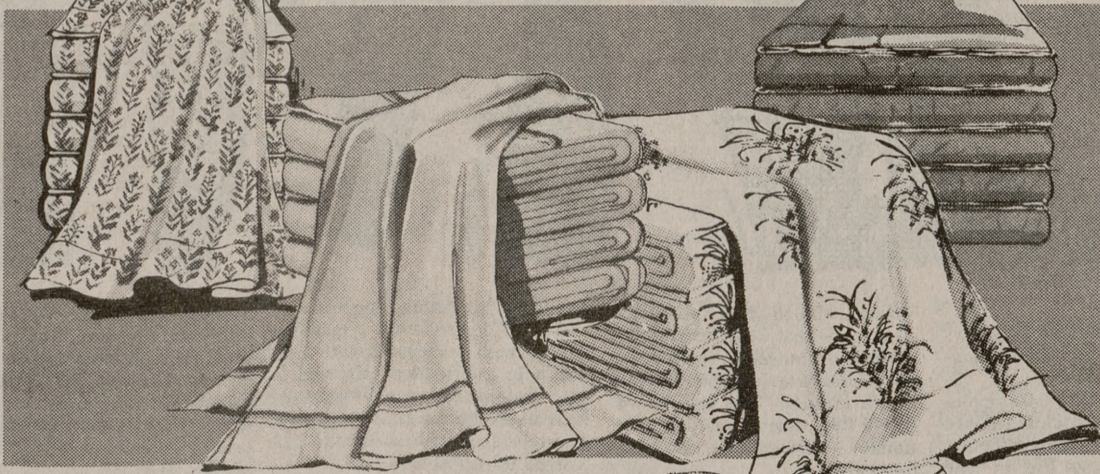
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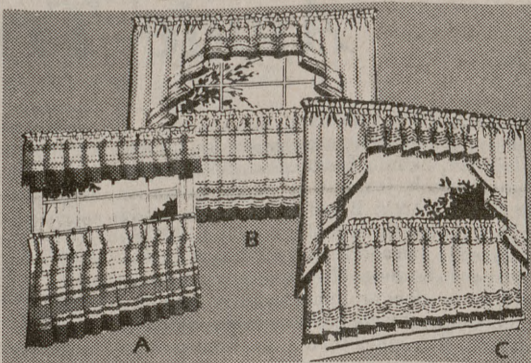
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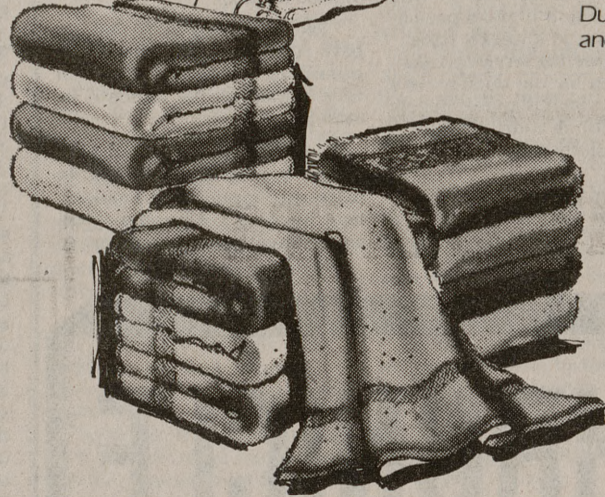
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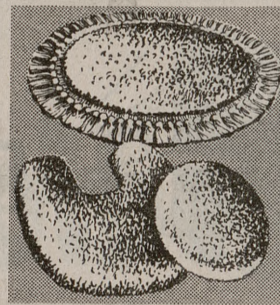
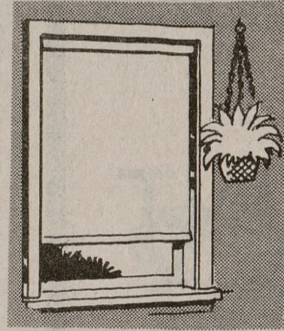
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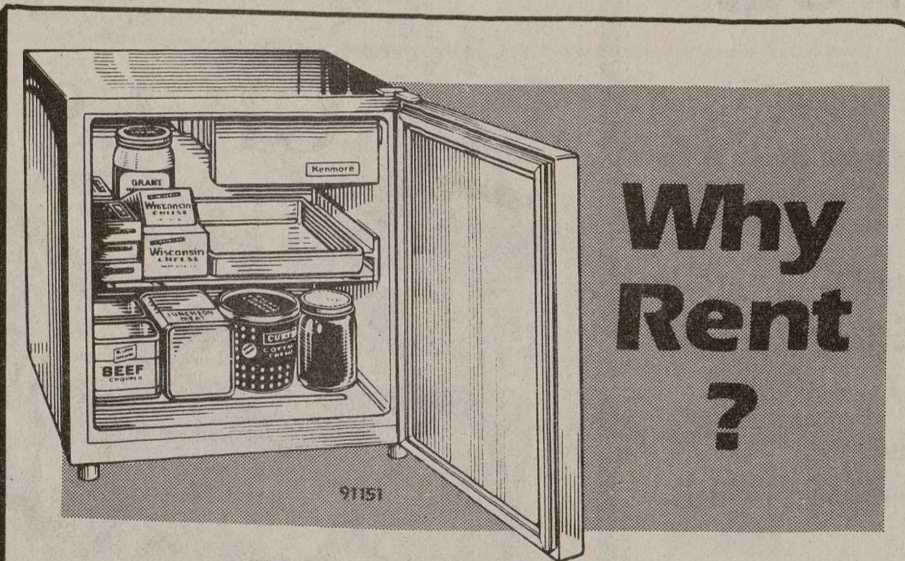


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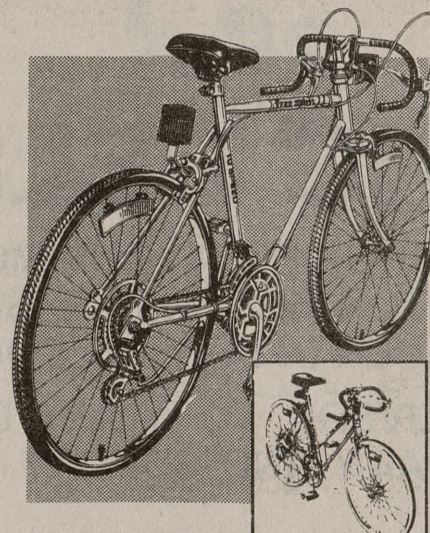
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