

Senate meeting tonight

The Student Senate will meet at 7:30 tonight in 204 Harrington to approve appointments and discuss bills.

The Senate will approve appointments for these vacancies: College of Engineering at-large seat, College of Science seat, Moses/Moore/Crocker/Davis-Gary dorm seat, College of Architecture at-large representative, and two positions for off-campus graduates and the Ward IV representative.

One bill the Senate will discuss is the **Data Processing Directorship Bill**, outlining the duties of the data processing director and policy for student government use of the processor.

Another is the **University Drive Parking Bill**, recommendation to redesignate a strip of parking spaces along University Drive for cars with brown and blue permits only. Parking along the strip is currently intended for vehicles with blue, brown and red permits.

The last is the **Academic Visibility Bill**, which recommends to remove a dumpster from between the YMCA Building and the Coke Building which now blocks the view of the Academic Building.

Substitute hypnotist to perform

Ruth Carroll, a well-known female hypnotist will appear at 8 tonight in Rudder Theater. The show is sponsored jointly by the MSC Great Issues and Basement committees.

Hypnotist Edwin L. Baron was scheduled to perform, but had a severe heart attack and had to cancel his performance.

Gulf employees recalled; threatened plant reopens

United Press International
BAYTOWN — Gulf Oil Chemical Co. officials issued a partial recall of employees at its extortion-wracked Cedar Bayou plant Tuesday and said it would take at least two weeks before operations were back at normal levels.

Authorities in two states held four Colorado residents under bonds of \$1 million each in scheming to extort \$15 million from Gulf by threatening to blow up the massive \$1 billion plant east of Houston.

Gulf spokesman O. Keith Owen III estimated the recall

would involve about one-third of the plant's workforce. The plant has a normal workforce of about 1,100.

"It is our best judgment that the plant is secure," he said.

"These employees will be engaged in preparation work, readying the plant for a phased return to operation. We have no estimate at this time as to when all of the processing units will be returned to normal operations, but we estimate it will be at least two weeks," Owen said.

The five-day shutdown triggered by an extortion letter and the discovery of five bombs has

cost Gulf \$4.5 million through Monday, said spokesman Jerry Bradley.

Although an extortion letter, which reportedly set a Sunday deadline for payment, said 10 devices were hidden at the Cedar Bayou plant, Owens said and "extensive search of plant property has disclosed no additional suspicious devices."

He said no additional searches of the property were planned, "but we will be keeping our eyes open."

Gulf received the threat Sept. 28 in letters to four company executives.

Two of the suspects have described themselves as armed "survivalists" who believe there may be a national crisis that will result in panic.

John Pfeifenberger, executive editor of the Durango Herald, Monday said the suspects, Michael Worth, 34, and John McBride, 46, were interviewed by the newspaper last year in a story about survivalists.

Worth, McBride, Ted McKinney and Jill Bird, all of Durango, have been charged with extortion.

Four aliens killed in smugglers' truck

United Press International
EDINBURG — Four aliens fleeing the violence of El Salvador for a new life in America were asphyxiated inside a refrigerator truck and their 12 hysterical companions said the smugglers planned to burn all of them alive, authorities said Tuesday.

"We have reports from the aliens that an attempt was made by the driver to set the aliens on fire," said E.J. Vickery, the U.S. Border Patrol's assistant chief in McAllen, 10 miles south of Edinburg where the victims were found.

"But they screamed and hollered and a passerby called the police and the driver apparently panicked and left," Vickery said.

Edinburg fire department chief John Econonedes said burned foam was found under the truck which indicated an attempt was made to burn the truck and the aliens.

Vickery said the aliens told officers the driver told them he

was going to burn the truck with them inside.

The dead aliens were in one group of about 45 Salvadoran nationals brought into the United States in three trucks, Vickery said. Three of the deceased were men and the fourth was a woman.

"We don't know what happened to the other two trucks," he said. "All we have is this refrigeration truck in which we found the bodies."

The refrigerated tractor-trailer van contained 26 aliens, Vickery said, of which four died and 10 were missing.

The rest were hospitalized, two in critical condition.

Authorities believed the aliens were headed, at least initially, for Houston and then Washington D.C.

Authorities were broadcasting a description of the smuggling suspects as "two Anglo men traveling in a white truck pulled by a tractor."

Vickery said the aliens "all arrived in Reynosa, Mexico, Sunday morning. They split into two groups and they crossed the Rio Grande either by wading or swimming."

He said the Salvadorans had a "Mexican guide with them" and crossed into the United States Sunday night, and the trucks were waiting approximately 12 miles north of the border near Edinburg.

The aliens then were placed into smaller trucks, taken to a house and some were later put in the refrigeration van, Vickery said.

"The air conditioner was turned on, then the driver or drivers went somewhere for some reason," Vickery said.

"When they returned, the engine had probably died or the air conditioner was turned off. When the drivers found the people dead, they shut the door, tried to set it on fire, panicked and left," Vickery quoted the aliens as stating.

GETTING OUT

Rudder Forum 8:00
OCT. 7, 8, 9 &
14, 15, 16

Tickets available
at the MSC
box office
or at the door

WANTED:

MEMBERS FOR MSC COMMITTEES AND PROJECTS

In order for your Student Union to function effectively and brings you the finest programs available, it must have your support.

THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEES AND PROJECTS STILL NEED PEOPLE IN THESE AREAS:

COMMITTEES

- MSC Aggie Cinema — general helpers to work movies
- MSC Arts — any interested in public relations; general workers
- MSC Basement — 10 people interested in public relations, 10 general workers, and interested people.
- MSC Black Awareness — people interested in finance, public relations, operation, and programming
- MSC CAMAC — 20 students interested in public relations
- MSC Cepheid Variable — general workers
- MSC Camera — 2 helpers in finance, 10 in public relations, 20 in operations, 10 in programs, specifically contacting and coordinating speakers and workshops
- MSC Free University — everyone!
- MSC Great Issues — 5 workers in public relations, 5 in planning with good research skills
- MSC Hospitality — interview in spring
- MSC OPAS — interview in spring
- MSC Outdoor Recreation — people interested in public relations and planning
- MSC Political Forum — 10 workers in public relations and many general workers
- MSC Recreation — people interested in public relations and planning
- MSC Townhall — interview in late spring
- MSC Travel — interview in spring
- MSC Video — 1 worker in finance, 1 in public relations, and many general workers

SPECIAL PROJECTS

- MSC Christmas Program — helper interested in chairman assistant position, general workers
- MSC Discovery — any interested in public relations, operations, planning, decorating, and general workers
- MSC All Night Fair — as many general workers as possible
- MSC Madrigal Dinners — 10 general workers, 5 interested in operations, 10 people to play trumpet, trombone, oboe, viola, flute, cello, general workers to set crew and sound and lighting technicians
- MSC College Bowl — 5 people to help run the tournament such as timekeeping

REWARDS:

- EXPERIENCE THAT NO CLASSROOM CAN TEACH — MANAGEMENT, FINANCE, PUBLIC RELATIONS, OPERATIONS, PROGRAMMING.
- EXCITING OPPORTUNITIES FOR PERSONAL GROWTH.
- GOOD TIMES AND GOOD FRIENDS.

MSC OCTOBER PROGRAMS

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| MONDAY, OCTOBER 4th
MSC OPAS Houston Ballet "Cinderella" | TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19th
MSC GREAT ISSUES Ralph Nader |
| TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5th
MSC POLITICAL FORUM Lloyd Bentsen
MSC POLITICAL FORUM Robert White
MSC OUTDOOR RECREATION Roll Session
MSC OPAS Name That Tune | WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 20th
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "The Bridge Over the River Kwai"
MSC COLLEGE BOWL Competition |
| WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 6th
MSC GREAT ISSUES/MSC BASEMENT Edward Barron
MSC HOSPITALITY Fashion Show | THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21st
MSC OPAS "I musici"
MSC OUTDOOR RECREATION Roll Session
MSC CEPHEID VARIABLE "The Day The Earth Stood Still" |
| FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8th
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "Missing"
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "Blazing Saddles" | FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22nd
MSC TOWN HALL The Motels
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "Absence of Malice" |
| SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9th
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "Missing"
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "Blazing Saddles"
MSC OUTDOOR RECREATION Day Kayaking | SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23rd
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "And Now For Something Completely Different"
MSC BLACK AWARENESS Gospel Choir Concert
MSC OUTDOOR RECREATION Backpacking |
| SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10th
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "My Dinner With Andre"
MSC CAMAC Ballet Folklorico | SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24th
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "Montenegro" |
| MONDAY, OCTOBER 11th
MSC GREAT ISSUES Thomas Hauser | TUESDAY, OCTOBER 26th
MSC CEPHEID VARIABLE "Phantom of the Opera"
MSC OUTDOOR RECREATION Texas Endangered Wildlife Seminar |
| TUESDAY, OCTOBER 12th
MSC CEPHEID VARIABLE "It, Terror From Outer Space"
MSC OUTDOOR RECREATION Wilderness School Seminar | WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27th
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "All The President's Men"
MSC FREE UNIVERSITY Short Course Sign Up
MSC COLLEGE BOWL Competition |
| WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 13th
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "American Gigolo"
MSC GREAT ISSUES Edward Teller
MSC LOST & FOUND AUCTION
MSC COLLEGE BOWL Competition | THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28th
MSC POLITICAL FORUM Political Awareness Day
MSC CEPHEID VARIABLE "Cat People"
MSC HOSPITALITY Children's Party |
| THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14th
MSC CEPHEID VARIABLE "Bedknobs and Broomsticks" | FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29th
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "Chariots of Fire"
MSC CEPHEID VARIABLE "Cat People" |
| FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15th
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "On Golden Pond"
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "Dead Men Don't Wear Plaid"
MSC BASEMENT The Lift | SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30th
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "Chariots of Fire"
MSC CEPHEID VARIABLE "Cat People" |
| SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16th
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "On Golden Pond"
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "Dead Men Don't Wear Plaid"
MSC OUTDOOR RECREATION Rockclimbing | SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31st (HALLOWEEN)
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "Fellini's Satyricon" |
| SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17th
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "The Boat Is Full"
MSC OUTDOOR RECREATION Rockclimbing | MONDAY, NOVEMBER 1st
MSC GREAT ISSUES Stuart Taylor |
| | WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 3rd
MSC AGGIE CINEMA "Oliver"
MSC COLLEGE BOWL Competition |

