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Other Beef, Lamb, Pork, Sausage, Dairy products and farm fresh eggs are available. Prices effective while supplies last or through April 30, 1988. We are open for business Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. We are located on the West Campus between the Kleberg Center and the Horticulture/Forest Science Building. (Phone: 845-5651).

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3 officers fired after man says he was beaten

HOUSTON (AP) — Three patrol officers were fired from the Houston Police Department for allegedly beating a prisoner last year on the city's northeast side, records show.

The man who was allegedly beaten, Jimmy Precella, 28, said Tuesday that three officers repeatedly struck him with nightsticks and flashlights.

Precella said the officers — Hubert L. Watson, Edward B. Robinson Sr. and Jeffrey K. Sparks — also cursed him during the alleged attack on Sept. 25, 1987.

The officers were fired Friday by Assistant Police Chief Dennis Storemski, head of the department's field operations command.

On Tuesday, the three officers appealed the dismissals through the city's Civil Service Commission.

In papers filed with the commission, Storemski said Precella was beaten by the officers after he was stopped and given three traffic tickets.

A week earlier, Watson had arrested Precella on a charge of assaulting his wife — a charge later dismissed, Storemski said.

During the earlier incident, while en route to the City Jail, Precella "allegedly cut the backseat of the patrol car," Storemski said.

In the documents, Storemski said the trio took the prisoner to a nearby parking lot and beat him.

"While it is possible that not all three officers actually struck Mr. Precella, they were all present and would have been aware of the activities of the other officers," he wrote.

"Each officer has been untruthful because each officer has expressly denied any mistreatment of the prisoner," he wrote.

Director lives despite failure to raise money for 'goddess'

EL PASO (AP) — Pete Duarte still lives, even though he raised only 40 percent of the \$500,000 he wanted to raise last year for the La Fe Clinic he directs.

Duarte, taking a cue from evangelist Oral Roberts, said last April that the Aztec goddess Xochitlitzquatl told him to walk into the desert and never come back if he didn't raise the half-million dollars for the clinic during a 40-day fund drive.

Xochitlitzquatl spared Duarte, though he came up \$300,000 short. This year, to be safe, Duarte quipped that he planned to offer three puppies for sacrifice in a tongue-in-cheek ceremony at sunrise Friday at a site overlooking El Paso and Ciudad Juarez, Mexico.

The 50-year-old director of the southside health clinic for the poor planned to don purple jogging shorts, run to Lookout Point on Franklin Mountain at the crack of dawn, chant "Xochi," as he calls the Aztec god, offer three white puppies for sacrifice and plant corn on the rocks, said Domingo Nick Reyes, a clinic administrator.

The corn-planting is done in hope that Xochitlitzquatl — goddess of fertility, flowers, health and good cheer — will bring prosperity to the 20-year-old clinic, Reyes said Thursday.

The 6 a.m. ceremony, also featuring drummers and dancers, has its serious side: publicizing this year's 40-day fund drive in which the clinic again hopes to raise \$500,000 for items such as examining tables, waiting chairs and medical equipment.

The clinic raised almost \$200,000 last year, almost all from corporations.

As they did last year, contributors will receive a "green card" to Aztlan, the promised land of Aztec.

What's Up

Friday

AGGIE HOSTESSES: Applications are due for those wanting to apply for the job by noon today on the ninth floor of Rudder Tower.
LATTER-DAY SAINTS STUDENT ASSOCIATION: Clifford Whetten will speak at the sandwich seminar at noon at the Institute Building. There also will be an LDSA council meeting at 3 p.m. at the building.
A&M AMIGA USER GROUP: will show rays tracing animation on a personal computer from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. today in the Zachry lobby and at 2 p.m. Saturday in 104C Zachry.
INTERVARSITY CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP: will meet at 7 p.m. in 301 Rudder to go see the Jesus film together.
CAMPUS CRUSADE FOR CHRIST: will meet at 7:30 p.m. in 108 Harrington to watch the Jesus film.

Saturday

DAVIS-GARY HALL: will have their weekly "let's go get drunk and pick up" meeting at 8:30 p.m. at the Dixie Chicken.
A&M TELEVISION EVANGELISTS: will confess to various indecent acts during their meeting at midnight in the Rumpus Room of the Silk Stocking Lounge, Highway 6.
THE PAKISTAN CLUB: will have an annual dinner and a Pakistan Day celebration at 7 p.m. in 145 MSC.

Sunday

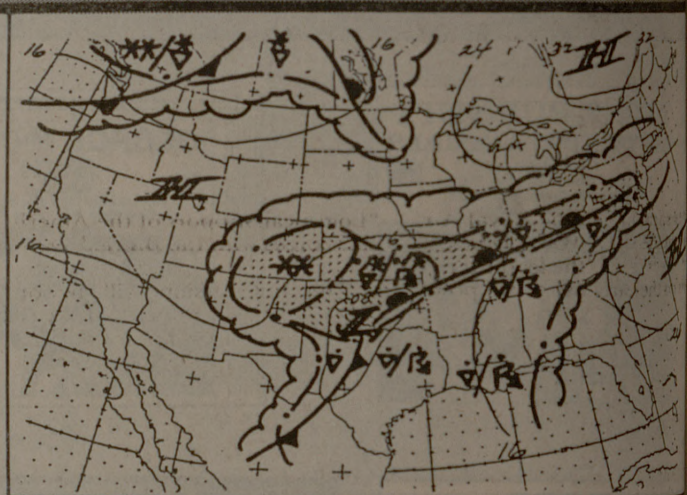
ALPHA PHI OMEGA: will have a pledge meeting at 7 p.m. and an annual meeting at 8 p.m. in 701 Rudder.

Monday

NATIONAL ENGINEERING SOCIETY: Manuel M. Davenport, professor and former department head of the philosophy department, will speak at 7 p.m. in 103 Zachry.
PSI CHI/PSYCHOLOGY CLUB: Dr. Simpson will speak about the honor program at 7 p.m. in 510 Rudder.
SIGMA IOTA EPSILON: Professor Reed will speak at 7:30 p.m. in 105 Blocker.
ACADEMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE: Dean Chenoweth from the engineering department will lead an open discussion "Cheating: What Are Your Scruples?" in the main lobby of Zachry Engineering Center.
AGGIE PARTNERS FOR SPECIAL OLYMPICS: will have a volunteer meeting at 7 p.m. in the MSC hallway through Friday. Club members will meet at 7 p.m. in 267 G. Rollie White to discuss the planning progress of the Special Olympics.
GREEK WEEK 1988: will sponsor Greek Night Out at the Zephyr Club and Edge with drink specials for all members wearing their Greek letters. There will be a banner judging contest from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. at all chapter houses. More is "Letter Day" for all Greek members.

Items for What's Up should be submitted to The Battalion, 216 Reed McGraw. We only publish the name and phone number of the contact if they're looking. What's Up is a Battalion service that lists non-profit events and activities. Submissions are run on a first-come, first-served basis. There is no guarantee an entry will run. If you have questions, especially on April Fool's Day, please don't bother to call the newsroom at 845-3315.

Weather Watch



Key:
☁ - Lightning ☁ - Fog ⚡ - Thunderstorms
☔ - Rain ❄ - Snow 🌫 - Drizzle
❄ - Ice Pellets ☔ - Rain Shower ❄ - Freezing Rain

Sunset Today: 6:43 p.m. Sunrise Friday: 6:12 a.m.

Map Discussion: The snowstorm coming out of the Central Rockies will continue to be active as it moves into the plains. The upper-level low pressure system is quite vigorous and a moderate to strong inflow of low level moisture from the Gulf will enhance the snow situation in the plains and bring shower and thunderstorms from central Texas to the Ohio Valley to New England.

Forecast:
Today and Tonight: Cloudy and mild. High temperature 73 degrees. Southwesterly winds 10 to 18 mph. Probability of rain is 40 percent. Low temperature Saturday morning of 53 degrees.

Saturday: Overcast Saturday morning with a Pacific cold front passing by the College Station during the morning and a slight decrease in the cloudiness Saturday evening. Winds southerly at 10 to 18 mph ahead of the front, becoming northwesterly Saturday afternoon. High temperature near 70 midday, then in the evening. Probability of rain will be 20 percent through early afternoon.

Prepared by: Charlie P. Staff Meteorologist
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