ts Married students join 'National Night Out'

By Mia B. Moody

TAFF WRITER

Residents of the Texas A&M Martied Student Housing participated A&M has crime problems."

Tuesday in "National Night Out," a Students who attended the Natampaign for neighborhood crime tional Night Out said they thought

nal technology, said the council de-rided to co-sponsor the National Mohamad Saleen, a graduate stument complex is not a Utopia.

"One of the officers brought The

the crimes are petty like slashed tires how to prevent crimes. and stolen bicycles and people walking around in other people apartments. But by the officer reading this report, residents realized that

prevention intended to help create the program was entertaining as well Sandra Burke, president of the Married Student Housing Council and a graduate student in educational technology, said the council in a discrut. A bright hot-air balloon was shot into the air with McGruff "the crime dog" on board, children participated in a coloring contest and students met neighbore to in a student met neighbo

ded to co-sponsor the National Night Out program with the University Police Department after residents became aware that their apartpate in the program.

"I think this is a very good idea, Battalion and read the Police Beat especially since most of the residents and the residents were shocked to here are international students," Saearn the amount of crimes that go on at A&M," Burke said. "Most of our homes and we can teach people

At 8 p.m. the residents were told to turn their porch lights on to participate in a contest sponsored by National Town Watch, a crime prevention agency in Pennsylvania. A satellite was used to judge which neighborhood was the brightest in the United States.

Officer Betty LeMay who works in the crime prevention unit at the University Police Department said the department is working on several programs to decrease the crime rate

"We have implemented a Crimeline which will give students information about crime on campus and crime prevention tips," LeMay said.
"The Aggie Watch is a program which enables students to report anything that looks suspicious. The last program, operational I.D., en-

courages occupants to engrave all of

the items in their apartment."



McGruff "the crime dog" joins University Police Crime Prevention Officer Betty LeMay

and Bryan police Sgt. Choya Walling for a hotair balloon ride, part of National Night Out.

Hance plans to get nomination Railroad officials say

Railroad commissioner plans 'new vision for Texas', Waco train collision

AUSTIN (AP) — Kent Hance said his proposals for sweeping education and criminal justice changes in Texas, coupled with his experience His announcement makes him the third GOP candidate to enter the nounced her bid for governor. Attorney General Jim Mattox is expected to challenge her in the in government, will assure him the Republican nomination for gover-

with announcements in Austin, San Antonio, Houston, Dallas and Lubbock, campaign press secretary Mark Sanders said. Hance then will embark on a two-week tour of 29

In a Monday interview with the Dallas Morning News, Hance proposed that the state education commissioner be elected, rather than appointed by the State Board of

The change would make the commissioner more accountable to Texans, said Hance, who added that he would stress local control in the edu-

reation system.

Hance said he would support the death penalty for drug dealers and a constitutional amendment denying bond for pushers. He advocated mandatory jail time for all users of il-

legal drugs.
Hance also vowed to work for tax breaks for businesses.

In his quest for nomination, Hance said he will spend \$3 million and his campaign theme will be a "New Vision for Texas."

out, there is no reason to move her."
The girl is believed to have been syoung age and been given drug in

Former Secretary of State Jack Rains of Houston, Texas A&M Class

Democratic primary.

Hance touted sur of '60, and Midland businessman The Railroad Commission chair-nan plans to enter the race Tuesday of '60, and Midland businessman Clayton Williams, Class of '54, al-ready have announced. Corporate takeover artist T. Boone Pickens of Amarillo has said he will decide by

Tuesday whether to enter the race. Among the Democrats, State

Hance touted surveys that show him the front-runner in the race for the GOP nomination.

His campaign released partial results of a survey by its pollster, Lance Tarrance, that indicated Hance was 20 points ahead in the GOP field. The poll of 500 GOP voters was

conducted July 31 through Aug. 2. It has a margin of error of plus or minus 4.5 percentage points.

Some of Hance's detractors have

said the reason he is ahead in the early surveys is that he has more name identification than the other

Republican hopefuls.

This will be Hance's fourth statewide race since 1984. He ran unsuccessfully for the U.S. Senate as a Democrat that year, then became a Republican in 1985.

not caused by speed

WACO (AP) — Engineers driving two freight trains involved in a fatal collision near a candy factory Tuesday appeared to have been operating the engines at legal speeds, a Union Pacific Railroad spokesman

"There was a grain train pulling 99 cars southbound which collided with a switch engine pulling 16 cars in the opposite direction," Alex Tice said. "The engineer of the grain train was killed.

Waco police Sgt. Roy Halsell identified the man killed as Frank Lewis, 37, of Fort Worth.

Five other crewmen were treated for injuries at Hillcrest Baptist Medical Center. Three were treated for minor injuries then released, and the other two were in stable condition, hospital spokesman Mike Beaty

A firefighter called to the scene after the wreck also was injured, Waco assistant fire chief David Walsleben said.

He was treated for a back injury then later released from Providence

Investigators are trying to determine why the two trains, both traveling under 20 mph, collided, Tice said.

Waco Fire Department officials said the accident occurred shortly after 6 a.m. near the M&M Mars factory.
"The situation was stabilized in about an hour," Fire Chief Robert

"Most of the flame and smoke was from diesel, ruptured fuel tanks on

the engines.

'There was no hazardous materials involved, other than the diesel

The grain train was destined for Corpus Christi, and the switch engine was going to a siding about a mile from where the collision occurred, Tice said.

'That particular area was restricted to cars going 20 miles per hour or less," Tice said.

"But you take the momentum of a locomotive and combine it with a switch engine and the impact is still going to be pretty significant.

Tice said he did not know how long it would take to repair the damaged tracks, but said officials had asked for about 480 feet of new rail

Work crews are expected to continue working today to reopen the line, Tice said

Social workers place AIDS victim in custody after reported sex abuse

taken custody of a 9-year-old AIDS patient they say was sexually abused and who reportedly was injected with drugs as punishment.

The San Antonio girl, who probably will remain in state custody until she dies, has been placed in foster care with a family who knows her, said David Reilly, regional director of the Texas Department of Human

"Everybody just wants to give her the best we can give her in the time she has," Reilly said Monday. "She is with the person she wants to be with, and, if that works

The girl is believed to have been sexually abused at a young age and been given drug injections as punishment, according to a report filed in the child's case. "From everything we can determine from the circumstances, it appears to be she got it (the AIDS virus) from abuse," Reilly said.

Authorities held a closed-door hearing Monday concerning the girl in state district court. District Judge Tom Rickhoff said the hearing was closed to the public because of a law requiring confidentiality in AIDS cases.

Among the issues believed to have been discussed in the hearing was whether the girl should attend public

'As far as we're concerned, she's going to go to school," Reilly said. "I don't think we have an obligation to tell the school (about her disease). In fact, we may be precluded (by law) from telling them.

TRAVIS HOUSE APARTMENTS

2 Shuttle bus Routes 2 Swimming pools Covered parking

New Carpeting Walk-in Closets Spacious floor plans

Open Monday-Sunday 505 Harvey Rd.

693-7184



Join The **Beach Volleyball Tournament** at TRAVIS HOUSE Co-hosted by SNEAKERS

> 3-Man Fee: \$15.00

Play will begin Aug. 19 at TRAVIS HOUSE Finals will take place Aug. 20 at SNEAKERS

KKYS will be having a live Remote of the Action

For more information contact Gary 693-7184



Is It a Sports Bar? Is It a Nightclub? Is It a Restaurant? Come and See!



CABANA BUCKS

BUY ANY TACO AND GET 1 FREE

OF EQUAL OR LESSER VALUE

701 Texas Ave. South (at University Dr.)

693-1904

COLLEGE STATION TEXAS



505 CHURCH STREET

LASERJET SERIES II

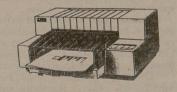
\$1,724.00



LASERJET SERIES II-D \$2,748.00

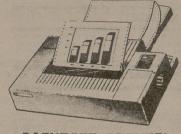


DESKJET PRINTER \$540.00



DESKJET PLUS PRINTER

\$676.00



7475A PLOTTER

\$1,288.00

409/846-5332

PAINTJET PRINTER

\$948.00

ATTN: FULL TIME FACULTY AND PROFESSIONAL STAFF

PLEASE CALL FOR EDUCATIONAL DISCOUNT PRICING