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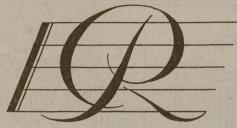
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### Recycle

nient landfill, he says. "We'll get bags that contain half newspaper and half old food," he says.

As a result, Junction 505 and the College Station Public Services Department have proposed an or-dinance that would turn the site, owned by the city of College Station, into a permanent facility. The proposal suggests the city fence the area and hire people to supervise the site during certain hours. At night, the site would be

Fagan says, however, that Junction 505 would still maintain a large portion of the work in-

"The city would definitely benefit from this," Fagan says. "Since we don't charge anything

for our services."

He added that the city is trying to reduce its landfills and the recycling site could aid in the process by accepting recyclable products that."

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that are usually taken to land Joe LaBeau, director of the lege Station public services partment, agrees that the prosed takeover of the site wo e worthwhile

'Of course, there are insura and tax concerns that mus worked out," LaBeau says. the city council is eager to;

mote the idea." LaBeau says the Public vices Department and June 505 will present the plan to cials at the first or second Col Station City Council meeting

In the meantime, Fagan quests that people refrain in dropping off newspapers, a board and plastic when a sign posted or when it is raining.

"Some of the materials bring aren't recyclable, wh makes the site look trashy," Fa says. "We're hoping to change

### SCONA

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cern topics concerning their

Attendance has traditionally been delegates only, but we are trying to change that." SCONA's new adviser, John

Lopez, said the conference presents an interesting challenge to the students who run it.

"My job really hasn't been as difficult as I thought it might be," Lopez said. "The students have done an excellent job of planning this year's conference over the summer."

Lopez, after finishing only his second week working with SCONA, said he hopes to change the way the students look at the conference.
"I want to see SCONA run

more as a business," he said. are in a unique position. We do receive any student fee money, we have to raise our own, very much like a real business."

In addition to advising SCONA, Lopez also advises A&M's College Bowl Commi an intramural and intercolleg group that participates in a'Je

ardy style academic game.

Lopez came to A&M from Austin, where he was workin his master's degree in Public A fairs at the Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs.

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Roller said SCONA will be a cepting applications for commitmembers at the MSC Open House Sunday from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.

### Economy

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'In past recoveries, 'shot out of a cannon' is a typical phrase ford scribing the economy. What's happening here is crawling out of hole," said Allen Sinai, chief economist at the Boston Co The jobless claims report, which offered no encouraging news

the hiring front, may mean equally bleak numbers in Friday's une ployment report for August, analysts said.

In advance of the report, most analysts predicted the jobles a probably inched up to 6.9 percent from July's 6.8 percent. A separa survey of business establishments, analysts predicted, will probable to the probability of show that the economy added relatively few jobs last month.

Thursday's jobless claims report from the Labor Department showed that for the week ending Aug. 24, the number of Americans ing new applications for unemployment benefits failed to improve holding at the 421,000 level from the previous week Rather than falling, as would be consistent with a recovery, the jo less claims number has actually crept up, on average, over the particles

The latest four-week average of new jobless claims is at 420,000 month ago, it was 406,000, according to analysts who calculate the for

week average from the Labor Department statistics. If August's employment numbers are weak enough, the Federal R serve might be prompted to provide a fresh round of lowered inter rates in an effort to keep the economy from slipping into a "doub dip" recession, analysts said.

In a separate report, the Labor Department revised its earlier num bers on productivity — defined as output per hour of work — to say grew at an annual rate of 0.5 percent from April to June, rather than 1.9 percent rebound first reported.

The poor second quarter productivity growth followed dismi showings of the previous two quarters, too, when the U.S. econom was mired in recession.

The downward productivity revision was not a big surprise cause the government also recently revised calculations for Ar through June on overall economic growth. The gross national produ rather than increasing as first believed, actually fell slightly in the ond quarter.

Meanwhile, the Commerce Department said a survey conducted July and August found businesses planning to spend \$532.4 billion expansion and modernization, compared to \$523.8 billion in 1990.

That 1.6 percent rise would be the smallest increase since spends

actually fell 4.1 percent in 1986. In other unsettling news, big retail companies including Sears, Rebuck and Co. and Woolworth Corp. generally said sales at establish stores - the key barometer of their performance - were unchanged down from August 1990, when business was hurt by the outbreaking

## CIA

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Walsh's 41/2-year criminal investigation began picking up sp this summer when Alan Fiers, the ex-chief of the CIA's Central Ame can Task Force, pleaded guilty to two counts in the scandal and beg cooperating with prosecutors. George's legal troubles began when Fiers implicated him in the sca

Walsh has said that he is investigating a "cover-up in the CIA." Fi has spent several days in recent weeks in front of the federal grand answering prosecutors' questions about his former CIA colleagues.

George, as deputy director for CIA operations during the Iran-Ci tra affair, was in charge of all the agency's overseas spy networks. Fiers told prosecutors that George orchestrated a coverup in w CIA officials hid North's role in the Contra resupply network Congress, according to a court document released in July when

pleaded guilty. The alleged coverup took place after one of the planes the operation was shot down over Nicaragua on Oct. 5, 1986.

Congress had barred the CIA from assisting the Contras militarily 1984 and North, a member of the National Security Council staff, settly stepped in to fill the gap. North later testified he did so at the distion of the CIA's then chief, the late William Casey.

Fiers said George told him to avoid giving Congress any detail able how a congressionally authorized effort to supply the Contras will medicine and other humanitarian supplies turned into an arms shipping.

George told Fiers that giving Congress any details would "put spotlight" on the Reagan administration and reveal North's involved ment in the operation, said a court document outlining Fiers' stateme to prosecutors.

Fiers also said he told George in late summer 1986 about the div sion of Iran arms sale money to the Contras, the most politically exp

sive aspect of the Iran-Contra affair. Fiers said that George already knew about the diversion when Fi

told him about it. Now you (Fiers) are one of a handful of people who know this Fiers said George told him.

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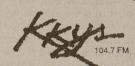
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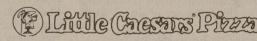
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