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indicate whether the purchase included alcoholic beverages. Fiscal Officers and others who approve vouchers for payment must do so only if the purchases have been properly documented.

Mobley said the primary issue concerning alcohol has been the completeness and accuracy of vouchers issued for alcohol purchases.

"It is important to note that no instances have been found at Texas A&M University or the A&M System to indicate that tax dollars were spent to purchase alcohol," Mobley said.

Dr. Mark Weichold, speaker of the Faculty Senate, said he was pleased with the Board's actions concerning an alcohol policy.

"The fact that we've got a clearly stated policy now makes me happy," Weichold "I am also pleased to see the policy was worded in such a way that the presidents of each institution were given some flexibility

Dr. Ray Bowen, A&M president, said the policy will help A&M to obey all laws concerning alcohol.
"It will certainly help

avoid any further problems, Bowen said.

The policy takes the place of a total ban on alcohol pur-chases issued by Mobley in March, following the indict-ment of two Board of Regent secretaries.

The two women were indicted on felony charges of falsifying government documents by disguising alcohol purchases as purchases of

Four A&M employees were indicted in June on misdemeanor charges of tampering with government documents. Four others, who opted not to go through the grand jury process, were also charged with tampering.

U.S. plans to help Rwanda

Refugees fight to live until food, medical aid arrives

GOMA, Zaire (AP) — A wave of U.S. food and medical help for anguished Rwanda refugees was on the way Saturday, but aidworkers say filth and famine will give death the upper hand in the refugee camps for at least another week.

Cholera is spreading quickly and ferociously through the camps, killing at least 3,000 refugees since Wednesday, according to the U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees. Others are dying of other diseases and

malnutrition.

President Clinton on Friday authorized more than \$100 million for airlifts of medicine, food and water, bringing the total of U.S. aid for the Rwandan crisis to \$250 million since April.

"One hopes is the U.S. puts in all its muscle, things will start to change fairly dramatically by the end of next week," said Ru-pert Colville, a spokesman for the UNHCR in Geneva. "It is probably only a massive

intervention, that only a super-power like the Americans can provide, that will save this situ-ation," said Ray Wilkinson, a UNHCR spokesman in Goma. Although the U.S. effort, bol-

stered by German support, was a big step toward relief, much more is needed, said Colville.
"We are very disappointed

with the response on other parts of our appeal, particularly on the sanitation," he said. Cholera spreads through con-

tact with contaminated feces and the refugee camps need at least 60,000 latrines for adequate sanitation, Colville said. But no government has offered to provide or maintain latrines. "It's no good purifying the wa-ter if there's feces lying all over

the place," he said. The refugees, members of the

Hutu ethnic group, have crammed into sprawling, pesti-

lential camps in Zaire to escape feared reprisals from the Tutsi-led Rwandan Patriotic Front, which last week defeated the government army after three

months of battle.

The rebels launched their offensive in April after extremist Hutu militias started slaughtering Tutsis and others believed to

oppose the Hutu regime.

The militias killed more than 500,000 Rwandans - some estimates say as many as 1 million with axes, guns and machetes before they were driven into hiding by the RPF.

As many as 1.7 million refugees fled in the past 10 days, scared into flight by radio broad-casts from the former govern-ment saying the RPF planned to kill them.

U.N. special envoy Shaharyar Khan said there have been no reports of civilian abuse at the hands of the RPF.

The camps — where the air reeks of excrement, decomposing corpses and the smoke from cooking fires — are so miserable that thousands of refugees have gathered at the border,

hoping to return.
Radio Rwanda, once the propaganda weapon of the Hutu government and now the voice of the RPF, has been airing hourly broadcasts promising the refugees security and urging them to return home. But those who tried met a

baffling roadblock.

Hundreds were stopped Friday by Zairian authorities who closed the border for an un-known reason, UNHCR known reason, UNHCR spokesman Ray Wilkinson told reporters in Goma.

French troops manning the humanitarian protection zone were believed to have ordered the border to be closed while they cleaned the area of hundreds of hand grenades and small

United States aid for Rwanda's refugees

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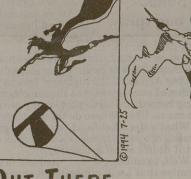
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