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Please look for our schedule in the Battalion on Thursday, & Monday.

Aggies, Longhorns pool research on genes through shared facilities

□ Rivalries between A&M and UT will be set aside during a health science center agreement joining the Institute of Biosciences and **Technology and the Institute of** Molecular Medicine.

By Lisa Johnson THE BATTALION

Texas A&M University and the University of Texas-Houston Health Science Center have entered into an agreement in which the UT-Houston will occupy space in A&M's Institute of Biosciences and Technology (IBT) at the Texas Medical Center

The two floors that UT-Houston will occupy in the building will serve as the location of their Institute of Molecular Medicine (IMM) for the Prevention of Human

Dr. Fuller W. Bazer, IBT interim director, said the use of the facilities will benefit both A&M and UT-Houston because the universities are conducting research in similar areas and pooling their resources and information will help to further their work.

"Much of the research that will be done in the area of genetics will involve the study of people who are genetically predisposed to disease," Bazer said. "We will be conducting studies to determine the predisposition to diseases like cancer and diabetes in order to during which UT-Houston will pay give those genetically predisposed an opportunity to change their lifestyles.

"In addition to the fact that our research is mutually beneficial, the sharing of the expensive facilities and equipment necessary to conduct such research should help to leverage out funding between the two

This first interaction between these two institutions will establish a link between A&M's outstanding agricultural, biological and veterinary science programs, Bazer said, with the with the "world-class" biomedical research of the Texas Medical Center.

F. Burks, UT-Houston's executive vice-presi-

Burks said the agreement brings together

The agreement between the two institu-

dent for research and academic affairs.

the best of both schools' science programs.

"... the sharing of the expensive facilities

and equipment ... should help to leverage

out funding between the two schools."

renovations and additions to the en well as for the use of the facilities end of the 10-year lease, two option current five-year agreements will be able for UT-Houston.

When the agreement ends, the wood ownership of all facilities and equipment revert to the IBT.

Construction on the two floors is cent complete, Bazer said. Work on the rior of the facilities is scheduled to mid-January, and the facility sho ready for scientific occupation and may by July 1996.

Bazer said he is a about the idea of a po 20-year commitme tween the two scho hopes to eventually the College of Medic the agreement. The ready employs the advision IS

A&M hosts Stanford

University professor

Texas A&M's Department of ophy and Humanities is press "What Good is Consciousness"

Fred Dretske, a Stanford Uni

philosophy professor.

The colloquium begins all p.m. in 506A Blocker Building.

Punishment decision

HOUSTON (AP) - Jurors rel

Selena trial continue

today for a second day of deliber

on punishment for Yolanda Sa who was convicted earlier this killing Tejano music star Selena.

The jury received the penalty of the case Wednesday and do punishment for nearly 5 1/2 ho

na fan club president and busine

on Monday must decide on one punishment options, ranging fro

\$10,000 to a minimum of probal

Jurors who convicted the former

Sweeney elected as Mile

fore recessing for the night.

- Dr. Fuller W. Bazer IBT interim director the institute for the bir nical policy and eth the moral and ethical aspects of scientife

Baser said he is hopeful that the relationsearch, he said. ships formed between the IBT and the IMM will form a basis for increased cooperativity in the future, a sentiment shared by Thomas

"The mission of the IBT's agreement to link the largest land-grant Univerver

the world with the largest medical on he said. "The liaison between the two help to demonstrate to everyone our ven ingness to interact in order to help th

Southerland provides opportunity for students to express views

□ A&M's vice president for student affairs will address student concerns on pressing campus issues.

By Michelle Lyons THE BATTALION

Students will have the opportunity to express any concerns or suggestions in an open forum hosted by the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs today from 3-5 p.m. in 308 Rudder.

Dr. J. Malon Southerland, vice president for student affairs, will be available for students to discuss their concerns or opinions about student life at Texas A&M.

Southerland said the forum is intended to increase communication between himself and

the students.

"It is important to have a communication vehicle," he said. "I try to be accessible to the students.

Southerland said he wants students to express any opinions — good or bad, as well as any

thoughts or announcements.

"If you have something to say or ask, come on," he said.

In addition to the forum, Southerland also sponsors Chat and Chew, where students are invited to different locations around campus to have refreshments and talk with him over any concerns

Today

Tonight

thunderstorms. High near 84. SE winds 8-16 mph.

Mostly cloudy with scattered showers and

Mostly cloudy with isolated showers and

Southerland said the main difference between the forum and the Chat and Chew is that the forum is in a more formal location, while the Chat and Chews are held in a variety of places including the Commons and the Recreational Sports Facility.

Felicia James, assistant to the vice president for student affairs, said these programs are excellent opportunities for students to become better acquainted with Southerland.

'I know sometimes students may feel a bit intimidated going to the vice president's office," James said. "We try to use it as an opportunity to let students speak with him in a more informal setting. "This is one of several things we're putting to-

gether to get Dr. Southerland closer to the students. We've had quite a few students stop by." Leslie Briers, a student assistant in Souther-

land's office and a junior accounting major, said these programs have been successful in the past.
"It's very casual," she said. "Dr. Southerland is

very down-to-earth, and he loves to get into a good conversation.

"He's really interested in how the students are feeling so he can represent them better."

Briers said the topics students bring up usually relate to current campus issues, and she expects students will ask about the Kyle Field expansion and the new Student Government Fee Allocation Committee

In addition to the opportunity to speak with Southerland, there will be refreshments and door prizes for attendees.

AFL-CIO president NEW YORK (AP) -

Sweeney, who led a dissident paign to reinvigorate the labor ment, was elected president AFL-CIO Wednesday in the fire tested election in the federation year history. Sweeney, president of the Serv

ployees International Union, defeat longtime friend Thomas Donahus had been president since Lane Kil was forced to resign in August. Taking the gavel and control

federation, Sweeney said the next would bring "massive efforts in training of organizers, changing face of our leadership and work gether with our activists."

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with widely scattered showers and thunderstorms ending by sunset. High near 86. SW winds 8-16 mph becoming northerly 5-10 mph late. Source - A&M Chapter of the American Meteorological Society

Friday

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