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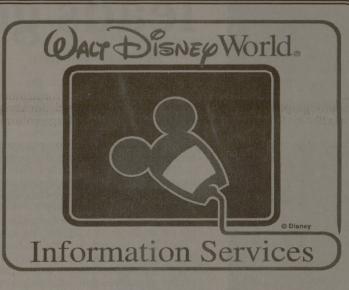
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Brent White, a sophomore biomedical science major, relaxes in his seat while donating blood for the American Red Cross Blood Drive. The blood drive, which runs through Feb. 20, is being put on by the American Red Cross and Alphi Phi Omega.



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## **Oprah's defens** requests judg drop beef cas

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AMARILLO (AP) - Virtually nothing cattlemen's beef defamation case against Op frey merits the trial continuing, defense atto a federal judge outside the jury's presence Tu

U.S. District Judge Mary Lou Robinson q torneys from both sides as she considered def tions to reject the plaintiffs' case and rule in Winfrey's favor.

The motions were filed Friday af-ter the plaintiffs finished four weeks of calling witnesses. Robinson told jurors not to return until Wednesday so she could consider ending the trial. In the motions, lawyers for the

talk show host, her production company and a vegetarian activist who appeared on the April 16, 1996, program about "dangerous foods" reiterated their stance that statements made o did not unfairly disparage U.S. beef.

They also questioned the legality of the l law cattlemen are citing. The civil statute pr ishable food products from knowingly false a atory statements.

'Under the plaintiffs' theory, any personing ed States who owned a cow has a cause of act fense attorney Charles Babcock said. "It cre much danger, too much risk to people speaki generic topics.

The cattlemen claim that Winfrey's show, a on whether the decade-long British epidemic cow disease was a concern for U.S. beef con caused cattle prices to plunge.

Plaintiffs say the market tumble cost them! lion. They claim the show incorrectly porta cattle as being at risk of mad cow disease, never been detected in the United States.

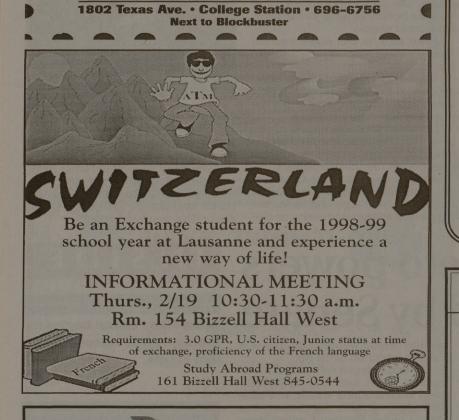
Babcock also argued that cattle feeder wrong people to be using the perishable food ing that livestock aren't in that category "int that people could eat them.

"They have to go through another step in the slaughterhouse," Babcock said.

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Representatives of the Walt Disney World Information Services Team will be presenting Wednesday, February 18th at 6:00 p.m. in Rudder Room 402 on the topics of Business Systems at Walt Disney World and to discuss intern opportunities for summer and fall in Orlando, Florida.

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## MSC SCONA 43 • "Cities: Decline or Rebirth?"

JAMES FRANC

Thursday, February 19 6:00 p.m. MSC 201 "The Future of America's Cities" Mr. Bruce Katz, Director of the Center on Urban and Metropolitan Planning, Brooking Institution

Friday, February 20 10:45 a.m MSC 201 "The American City in the New Millennium" The Honorable Kirk Watson, Mayor of Austin, Texas

Friday, February 20 1:45 p.m. MSC 201 "Are America's Cities Ready for the 21st Century?" Lt. Gen. Julius Becton, Jr. (Ret.), CEO/Suprintendent, Washington, D.C. School District Commander Betty Kelepecz, Los Angeles Police Department Commissioner Michael McKinney, M.D., Texas Health and Human Services Commission

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