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at that time," Major said. "The objective was to free Kuwait. It was freed." Bush described the tough decisions he had to make during the ordeal. "When you commit someone else's son or daughter, that's the toughest decision you can make," Bush said.

Schwarzkopf said, "What helped tremendously was that we knew we were right." Schwarzkopf praised Bush for his leadership during the war. He said that, during the Vietnam War, there were 80 news correspondents in Vietnam. During the Gulf War, there were 2,060, and the U.S. armed forces worked more closely with the media by providing military resources and assistance.

"The press pools were provided with ammunition, I mean, transportation," Schwarzkopf said with a laugh. Bush took a moment during the discussion to show a clip from the Feb. 16, 1991 episode of "Saturday Night Live," in which the military refused to answer questions regarding the location or strategy of coalition forces.

Although the satirical portrayal of the war and of then-Secretary of Defense Dick Cheney drew a laugh from the audience and the five panel members, it was a real-world situation for the coalition leaders because the Gulf War was the first war fought in the age of real-time satellite communications.

Fitzwater said it was a challenge to rally the American people in favor of the war. "It was by no means a sure thing that we were going to get Congressional support," Fitzwater said.

Gates said once the American people were ready, their support was obvious. "All of the usual bureaucratic bickering fell to the wayside," he said. Bush said America's swift victory in Iraq healed many wounds from the Vietnam War.

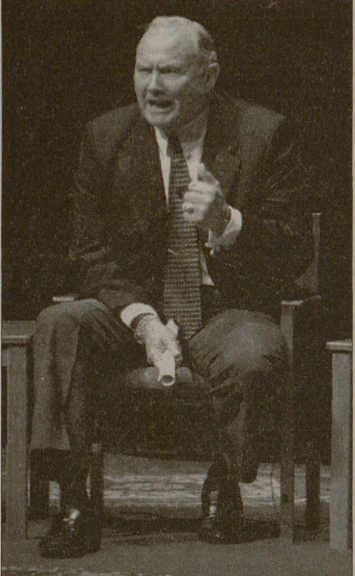
Major said Britain had less trouble than the United States when it began to look for support. "There is a tendency among the British that, when there is trouble, the place for the British is alongside the United States," he said. Schwarzkopf said during the peak of the war, American troops were receiving 82,000 pounds of mail every day. He had to create 195 post offices just to distribute mail. He described the amount of equipment, ammunition, provisions and millions of gallons of fuel necessary to wage the offensive in Iraq.

One particular number drew a "whoop" from the Aggies in the audience. Schwarzkopf said the U.S. armed forces brought 199 million beers to the Middle East when it mobilized.

"We sent the (Iraqi) national guard running with its tail between their legs, and we did it all in 100 hours," Schwarzkopf said.

Bush said it is possible that, in the future, the United States will have good relations with Iraq, and Major agreed.

"I don't think it's probable," Major said. "But I won't say it's impossible. If it is, perhaps, the biggest word in the English language."



CODY WAGES/THE BATTALION

Norman Schwarzkopf speaks to the crowd about the Gulf War. 2,400 people attended the panel discussion.

PORTRAIT

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form of censorship.

"Texas A&M will rape the Constitution and rape the people who disagree with them," Bates said.

Dr. Jerry Gaston, deputy chancellor of the System, said although he did not know who was offended by the portrait and approached Richardson, he said he had heard it was a student and that Richardson then had the portrait taken down.

Richardson said the portrait was taken down after TTI officials received some complaints from students, staff and others.

"We decided this was not something to be in the main lobby when we are trying to show a friendly and comfortable face to minority students," Richardson said.

After the removal of the portrait, Bates said the A&M administration sent a delegation to apologize to Henry Gilchrist, son of Gibb Gilchrist, who "told them to get out."

At a meeting between Gaston and Bates on Feb. 14, Bates said Gaston offered him a compromise regarding the portrait.

"They are not going to do anything to correct this because they are not leaders," Bates said. "They don't have the backbone to lead. Taking it down was wrong, and they know it. Jerry Gaston admitted to me they were wrong."

"[Gaston] did want to run a compromise by me," Bates said. "I told him 'I don't think so.' He offered the compromise in the past tense. He said he had commissioned a portrait to be painted of Gibb Gilchrist, to have in the lobby, without Robert E. Lee in it. They're going to hang the old portrait in a small conference room in TTI [Gibb Gilchrist building] where it will hardly ever be seen."

However, Gaston said he offered no compromise.

"I'm in no position to offer him anything," Gaston said. "Somewhere along the line, he characterized what I had described to him as a compromise. I told him what I understood was that there is, in process, a new piece of artwork celebrating Gilchrist that was going to be hung where the painting used to be, and the painting is to be hung in the conference room of TTI."

Richardson confirmed that a new piece of art will be created, but he

would not comment on what the art will be.

"We are working on something like that [new artwork]," Richardson said. "We're not ready to publish what we're going to do. We haven't decided what to do with the portrait. We've been having continuing discussions and evaluations including the best way to honor Gilchrist in that building."

Bates said anything less than returning the portrait to its original place would be unacceptable. He said he has called Gov. Rick Perry to resolve the conflict, and if Perry does not respond, Bates said he will hold a news conference on campus.

"If the governor does not get more involved, I'll call a conference on the polo fields, at which point we'll discuss what'll happen to the state of Texas and Texas A&M because of continued violations of the Constitution," Bates said. "I'm sure it'll end up in the Supreme Court of the United States of America. I'm not going to sit around and do nothing."

Bates and the other members of Justice Action Movement United vs. Texas A&M University (JAMU TAMU), an organization he founded to fight censorship at A&M, will invite 50 to 60 constitutional groups to A&M, Bates said, to "take on the state of Texas."

Richardson dismissed Bates' threat. When Bates held a press conference last year in front of the Gilchrist building, Richardson said, "it kind of fell flat. There were no people there."

Regarding Bates' statement that this case may go to the Supreme Court, Richardson said, "I don't think there's any grounds for anything like that."

Gaston said he agrees with Bates that free speech is important.

"He referenced people supporting free speech and the First Amendment," Gaston said. "I subscribe to that 100 percent. I said, 'Dan, you've got to do what you've got to do.' I didn't try to dissuade him, but I did agree that free speech is essential."

Robertson agrees that free speech is essential, but is also important where and how it is endorsed.

He said he takes full responsibility for starting the sequence of events that led to students thinking about an issue and to the removal of the portrait.

"I started the discussion which started the sequence of events," Robertson said. "In the end, a teacher had an experiment in which students learned something."

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6-8 PM	Chem 107 Ch. 6	Chem 107 Ch. 7	Chem 228 P	Chem 102 Ch. 18A	Chem 102 L
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