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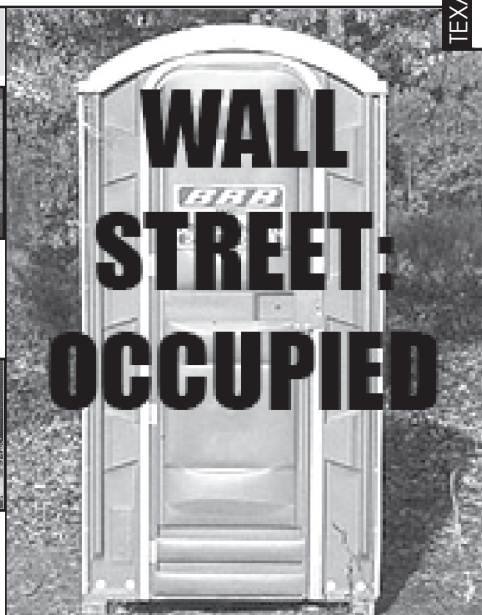
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around campus

- Junior Edward March tried to **walk a straight line** for the officer, but you can only do so much with **7 toes**.
- Does my **breath** taste bad or is it just my **lips**?
- **The weather** may have cooled off but those freshman are **still** in heat.
- This weekend's **Father-daughter outing** quickly turned into "take a picture of me in front of **this thing**" outing.
- "Are you **crazy**?! You can't just connect to the **guest network** like that!"
- Breakfast all day? More like **Breakfast all year!**
- You may blame your "mom jeans," but that **daily Whataburger** fix has got to go

- somewhere.
- Hey good lookin', **whatcha got cookin'**? Crystal Meth.
 - Nah man, you don't want **that bitch**. She's barely beagle.
 - **Potato, Potahto, Burrito, Taquito!**
 - You can't spell tonight without "u" and "I" baby, and **I promise** my sex is better than my spelling.
 - **Oh shit**, I'm in the **squeaky chair** again.
 - The mere existence of **Le Cordon Bleu Academy** proves that every **stoner** goes through a "chef" phase.
 - An Aryan family would **heil** a cab, *amireich*?
 - "I **never** pollinate on the first **photosynthesis date**."
 - That eager guy in the front of the class will finally **resolve differences** with that belligerent guy in the back of the class.
 - "Bro, that girl just eyebrow-fucked the shit out of me."
 - The 1890s called; **they had phones back then too**, apparently.
 - What is this, the **McCombover School of Business**? **#36mafia**
 - When you're blind, **everything's** a piñata!

- It's the **great pumpkin latte**, Charlie Brown.
- A bidet isn't just European, it's **Europoopin'**
- Wait, you're not going to his party? **But Facebook said you were!**
- What's with the **fancy Hot Pockets**? Do you have a **girl** coming over?
- The Philosophy department is **still proud** of the accomplishments their department made **over 1000 years ago**.
- Freshman 15, meet Sophomore Eating Disorder.
- "This **iPhone** sucks." "Dude, **too soon**."


E X T R A

Ex-Girlfriend Fucking Some Dude Named Kevin







White Lady Speaking Spanish For Some Reason

Mazda Miata Poses As Empty Parking Spot

"DROID" Heard From Apple Genius's Pocket



DECODE THE PUZZLE CAP!



ANSWERS: 1. You really don't get that? I thought I raised you better than that! When your mother birthed you out of her womb you had a working brain, now use it or no internet for a week. 2. The gentle art of making love to your one and only soul-mate. 3. A bird in the hand is better than a hand in the bush. 4. "This is what the Lord Almighty says..." Now go and strike Amalek and devote to destruction all that they have. Do not spare them, but kill both man and woman, child and infant, ox and sheep, camel and donkey." 5. Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. Aliquam et turpis sit amet, lorem ipsum mattis. Aliquam vel dui ante, vel ultrices felis. Sed neque. 6. I knew the answer to this before it was cool, it's much better live.

Freshman Already Burns Bridges With Every Forty Acres Bus Driver

C. J. Cervantes

ASSOCIATE EDITOR

AUSTIN - In a feat of human aggravation, government freshman Taylor Reed has managed to burn bridges with every Forty Acres bus driver just two months into his undergraduate college career.

Sources state that the 18-year-old Plano native has done what often takes years and is mostly considered impossible by social scientists: piss-off the jaded bus drivers who work in a monotonous routine day-in and day-out.

"That little shit spilled coffee on the second day," veteran driver Cheryl Stevens complained. "I had to wait 'til I took my [10-minute] break to clean it up. By then the entire aisle was sticky. God damn it!"

At first, the community of drivers was willing to over-

look the incident, blaming it on freshman naivety and ignorance. But as the new school year progressed, they could not fail to see Reed's constant selfish and ridiculous actions.

"Every day that little bastard pulls the wire even after it says, 'Stop Requested.'"

Newly-hired Capital Metro driver Jackson Kennedy declared, "I was happy and optimistic about my new job...until I met that son-of-a-bitch Taylor and his ignorant attitude. Every day that little bastard pulls the wire even after it says 'Stop Requested'. You only have to

pull it once. He's the reason I dread coming to work," Kennedy sighed. "Every day."

By mid-September, all ten bus drivers working the Forty Acres route were praying not to have Reed ride their bus. Driver Al Mitchell recounted once successfully closing the doors just before Reed finished running toward his vehicle. However, the 35-year-old driver was forced to reopen the door for a handicapped person, enabling Reed to enter both the bus and the special, dark place in Mitchell's angry heart.

By the beginning of October, two drivers had quit their jobs and another has entered counseling. These events were the harbinger of the ultimate "Taylor Fuck-up" last Thursday when the bus had to wait three minutes at a



■ This FA bus has disguised itself to avoid the notorious Taylor Pogue. Photo Creative Commons

crowded West Campus stop so Taylor could pick up his belongings scattered across the aisle when he mistakenly left his backpack open.

Private sector employees are not the only ones negatively affected by Reed's actions. State employees at the university, especially professors and staff members, have special ire for

young Taylor. Bennett Saleh, his Turkish Government and Politics instructor, has resorted to taking his bifocal eyeglasses off during lectures so he can avoid seeing Reed, who sits in the middle row. As of press time, Taylor's academic advisor is pretending to have a heart attack to avoid their meeting.

Brain And Penis Agree To Disagree

JACKSONVILLE - After a heated debate, Jeff Best's brain and penis have officially agreed to disagree. "I've heard his side, he's heard mine," remarked Jeff's brain. "I've presented overwhelming evidence in opposition to intercourse with this woman, but the lanes of communication are closed. There's nothing more I can do." The debate to penetrate the 52-year-old divorcee Sandy Felix came after Best's fourth Long Island Iced Tea and continued until the two arrived at Jeff's garage apartment. There, Jeff's penis made his final argument, "Tittys is tittys, baby!"

Geography Jobs Outsourced To Somewhere In Asia

WASHINGTON - According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, a significant amount of geography jobs have been outsourced to somewhere in Asia over the past decade. "At first we were thrilled to hear the news, but we were soon dismayed to realize that Asia is not actually in America," said David Faustino, a member of the President's Council of Economic Advisers. "I have no doubt that we will be able to bring these jobs back to the United States. Now, it's just a matter of finding out where they are. We're pretty sure they are being moved mostly to China, India, or France. Whichever one is shaped like a boot." Internal



White House sources say that President Barack Obama is currently being briefed on what topography is for his address on the findings later this week.

Rachel Maddow Compares Hitler To Hitler



NEW YORK - In her Monday night broadcast, MSNBC commentator Rachel Maddow proposed a connection between the policies and rhetoric of German leader Adolf Hitler and those of Adolf Hitler. "I don't think it's a stretch to say the way Hitler rose to power, set into motion the eradication of millions of people, and caused chaos in Europe and around the globe is that far off from the way Hitler rose to power, set into motion the eradication of millions of people, and caused chaos in Europe and around the globe," said Maddow, bouncing and waving

her hands violently toward the camera. "People tend to want to paint Hitler as a simple, vegetarian painter, but I think that once you take a step back and really look at the evidence, he starts to resemble Hitler more and more." Maddow's critics, such as conservative pundit Ann Coulter, have voiced outrage at the comparison, insisting that Maddow's analysis is far too fact-based to have any sort of credibility.



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Congress Discussing Failure As An Option

Harry Truong
STAFF WRITER

WASHINGTON – The winds of change were felt in the nation's capital today as Congress convened to consider a new direction for the United States: failure.

"You can look back at every crisis this country's ever had – the Civil War, World War II, the Great Depression. Failure's always been on the table, but it's never gotten the proper evaluation it deserves," said Senator Barbara Boxer (D-CA). "I'm looking forward to discussing it and seeing what new ideas The Failure Plan will generate."

Although still in its early stages, reports say The Failure Plan (TFP) outlines three vital components in order to be successful. First, the citizens of the United States will be asked to give up.

"For this to work, we're going to need every man, woman, and child to take a real hard look in the mirror," remarked Senator Charles Schumer (D-NY), "and then go right

"If we just run away, the budget problem is 98% likely to still be there when we get back. I like those odds."

back to bed." The second requirement is that any and all back-up plans must be discarded. This includes pensions, small business investments, and cash piles hidden beneath mattresses. However, money reserved

for gross amounts of lottery tickets and legal gambling will be allowed.

The third component of the TFP: "Cut and Run" has seen strong support from both parties. "Cut and Run" promotes exodus from the United States into the surrounding countries, territories, and oceans. Each American will be required to pick a direction and go with it.

"It's a brilliant idea," said Representative Ted Poe (R-TX) as he packed kitchen utensils into his BMW X5, "We're all thinking about it, so why not do it? From the numbers we've seen, if we just run away, the budget problem is 98% likely to still be there when we get back. I like those odds."

"We've been looking at the budget all wrong for years. Mainly because we've been looking right



■ Congress throws in the towel. Photo Creative Commons

at it." Schumer agreed. "By running, our backs will be turned and we won't be able to see it. It doesn't exist if we can't see it."

But not all members of Congress are on board with TFP. Senator Richard Shelby (R-AL) has been the plan's most outspoken opponent.

"I can't believe this is being seriously considered. I thought it was a joke – a

funny joke at that, but it kept going and going and now I have to explain to grown adults why staying in bed, letting go of 401(k)'s, and moving to Mexico is not the best action for our country."

Senator Shelby is expected to resign after Congress ends its session today, which will open the door for TFP to pass unanimously.

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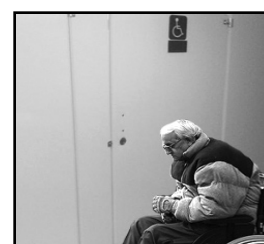
Area Man Substitutes Everything That Came With The Meal Deal



AUSTIN – After ordering the Amigo Meal Deal #3 at lunch this Wednesday, Bryan Pogue proceeded to substitute every food item included. "I didn't want any of the things that came with it, but you just can't beat that price," he reasoned. The meal deal originally included beef fajitas and a choice of rice or beans, but Pogue substituted a Rueben for the fajitas and requested the Thousand Island dressing be to be arranged in a shape, "preferably a smiley face, or Mickey Mouse." Instead of a choice between rice or beans, he requested a choice between seasonal fruit or veggies. He finally inquired, "Oh and instead of a beverage, can I have a number 7?"

Man In Wheelchair Waits For Couple To Finish Up In Handicap Stall

SACRAMENTO – Waiting for a lustful couple to finish their personal affairs in the handicap stall of a TGI Friday's restroom, Martin Washburn, who suffers from paraplegia, sat patiently in his wheelchair. "I'm pretty used to it by now," explained Washburn as he quietly tried to control his bowels. "Naturally there's more room for two people in a handicap stall, and I don't want to get in the way of love." Washburn's three passive knocks on the stall door did little to speed up the couple. "Just because I have a disability, doesn't mean I can't be respectful. I can wait." Though there has been no comment from the two lovers, the man's extended moans show no sign of remorse or exhaustion.



GOP Pushes For Job Creationism

WASHINGTON – In a press conference yesterday, House Republicans released a proposal for job creationism. The seven-day plan outlines the spontaneous generation of enough jobs to solve the unemployment crisis and, to delight of many, even includes a final paid sick day. Responding to democratic criticism, Majority Leader Eric Cantor (R-VA) responded, "Evidence that this plan will work? What? I can't hear you." Thrilled by the high expectations for this policy's efficacy, Republicans plan to divert \$100 billion from Social Security to fund an expedition to find and reconstruct Noah's Ark on the assumption that it will balance the budget and put the nation back on God's good side.

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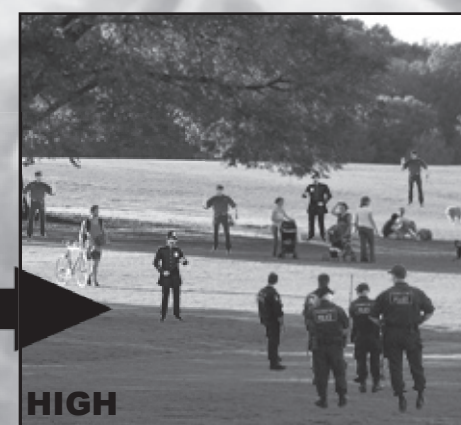
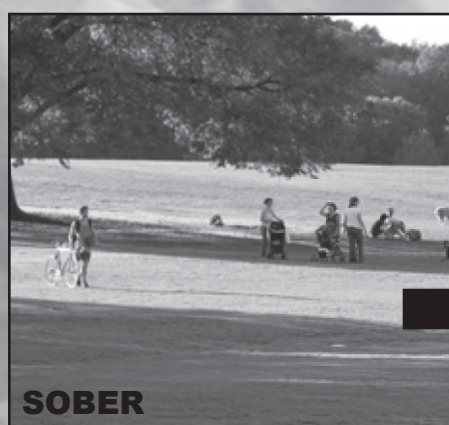
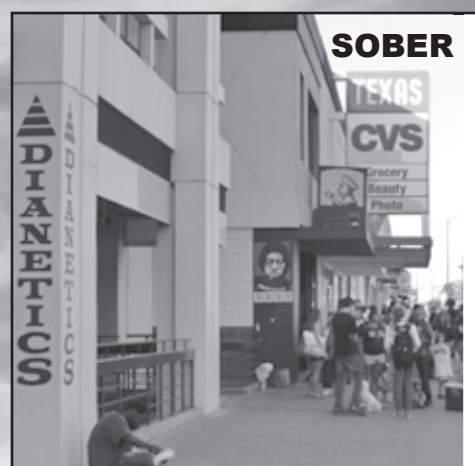
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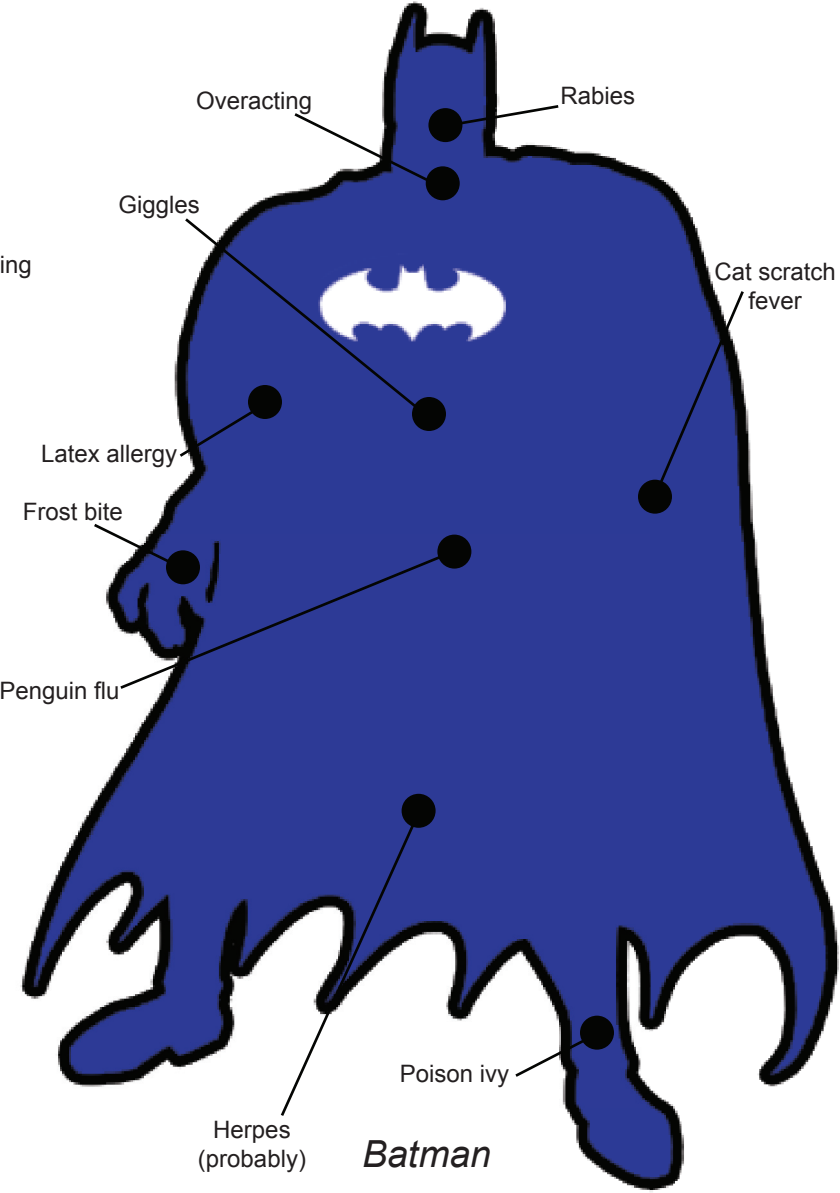
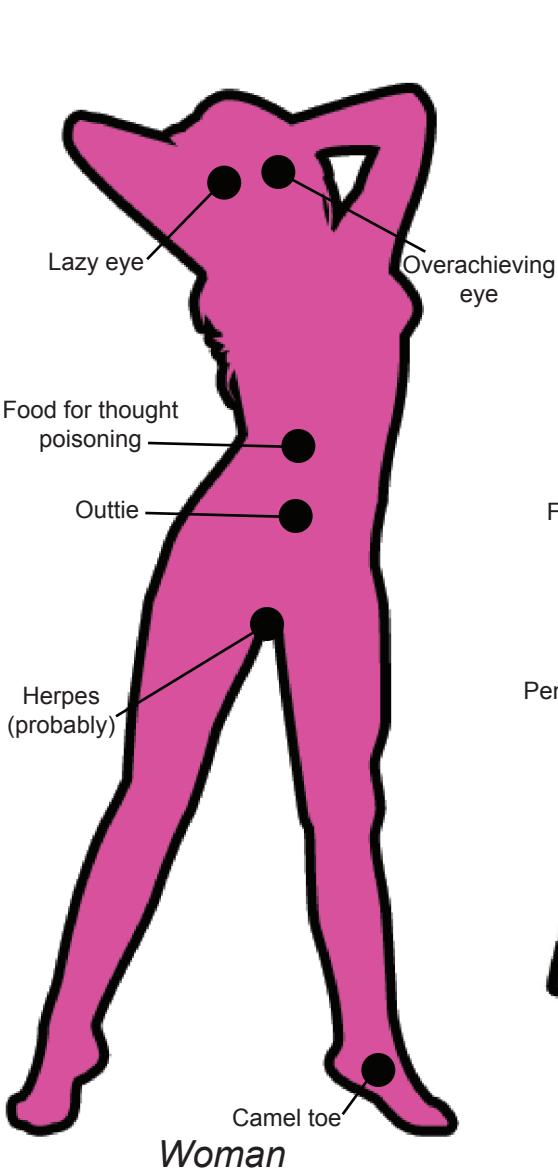
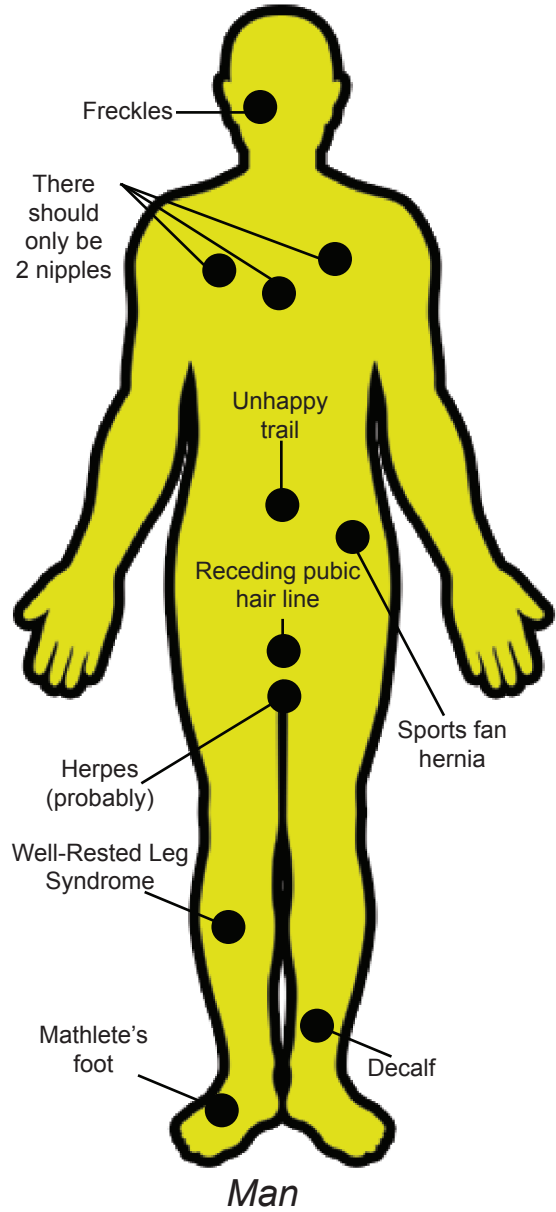
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WHO'S DOWN WITH THE SICKNESS?

COMMON SYMPTOMS

Just in time for the cold weather and midterms, it seems everyone in Austin is sick right now. Thankfully, your friends at the Texas Travesty have put together an extensive guide to help you drag this excuse out until Thanksgiving break! Consider it the *Gray's Anatomy* for our generation, but with more swears. You're welcome.



GRANNY BRUJA'S HOME REMEDIES

SYMPTOMS	REMEDY
SORE THROAT	GROW A PAIR
SINUS HEADACHE	SPIN 7 TIMES, WALK BACKWARDS INTO 3 DOORWAYS, AND TAKE A ZYRTEC
TOO UGLY	JOIN KVRX
TOO PRETTY	HAVE A BABY
ANYTHING	PEE ALL OVER IT
EAR INFECTION	DISINFECT FINGER
DEPRESSION	BULLY THE PLEDGES
DEATH	ALRIGHT FINE, WE'LL GO TO THE

PREGNANT

- Headache (for 18 years)
- Cuttin' umbilical
- Epideral!!!
- Stretch marks
- Water break
- Preggers

COMMON

- Vomitting
- Crying
- Weight gain
- Peeing
- Being a bitch
- Fun to poke

DRUNK OR PREGNANT?

DRUNK

- Headache (for a day)
- Cuttin' Loose
- Shots!!!
- Get tattoo
- Party Foul
- Keggers



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What Can YOU Get Away With?

7 hours of TV

Skip class

Skip date with your girlfriend

Medical marijuana prescription

Spreading disease on purpose

Murder

Email class for notes

What the .01% of Germs are Doing

- Not paying taxes
- Doubling size to .02% through mitosis, AKA incest
- Waging legal battle with their fraternity's national office
- Funding GOP candidates
- Bootyclappin'

Cuba Vows To Send Man To The Planet Hollywood By End Of Decade

Hannah Oley
MANAGING EDITOR

HAVANA – In attempts to strike fear and awe into Cuba's rivals and neighboring countries alike, President Raúl Castro announced plans to send a man to the Planet Hollywood by the year 2020.

"Our socialist revolution has made great strides in recent innovation and technology," Castro stated, pointing to his newly authorized rice cooker. "But it is time we join the space race and begin exploring the final frontier, beginning with a mission to the Planet Hollywood."

Though Planet Hollywood is technically under American ownership, President Castro feels the US relinquished its claim on planetary property when it announced the retirement of its Space Shuttle

Program. "I have received intelligence that the Planet Hollywood has been largely unvisited for years, so I see no reason why the American imperialists would impede our journey there."

Yet the United States has al-

"The space program intends to build medium-range and intermediate-range space shuttles."

ready shown signs of hesitancy towards Cuba's proposed mission. "I strongly urge Cuba to reconsider its mission to Planet Hollywood," said US Secretary of Defense Leon Panetta in a press release Tuesday. "I went there with a few friends once, and the watery Spaghetti Pomodoro I ordered was \$14.99!

You could buy a gourmet muffin with that kind of cash! The only thing that made the trip worthwhile was sitting next to that sweet armor from *The Last Samurai*."

However, Castro maintains he will accomplish this mission "whatever the cost." A Cuban space program is already being established, reflecting influence by previous communist space programs established in the Soviet Union, North Korea and *Star Trek: The Next Generation*. "This is going to be a long and difficult journey," said newly appointed Deputy Administrator Adelmo Garcia-Lopez. "There will be many roadblocks between Havana and the Planet Hollywood, but that day when we are sitting amongst the stars, Cuba will rejoice. With mozzarella sticks."

The space program intends



■ The Final Frontier. Photo Creative Commons

to build medium-range and intermediate-range space shuttles. "We considered a double-mission to also visit the nearby Disney World, but the financial advisory board voted against it," explained Garcia-Lopez. "Even though the second planet is only 1.5 miles off the original course, the diversion would apparently prove quite costly."

Though the plan was originally met with some dissent within Cuba, the opposing

attitudes were never fully articulated amongst screams and gunfire. The country's now unanimous approval for the proposed plan seems to emulate both their hopefulness as well as their disconnect from the rest of Earth. However, this may reflect private, majority-held hopes that by 2020, the Planet Hollywood will have been destroyed by a supernova or Chapter 11 bankruptcy.

Treasury Department Vending Machine Rejects Crisp New Dollar Bill

WASHINGTON – Greg Riefenstahl, an account manager at the U.S. Treasury Department, was flummoxed this week as a vending machine rejected his freshly printed 2011-issue dollar bill. "I don't know what to make of it," said Riefenstahl, as he pressed his hand forlornly against the front of the machine. "I swear this dollar is

as good as new!" Not even the power of Treasury Secretary Timothy Geithner could get the machine to accept the bill, one of billions put into the money supply each year by the Federal Reserve. "This machine is clearly defective," Geithner reasoned. "Either that, or our money supply is."

Info Session Pizza Almost Gone!

CAMPUS – Sources say that the UT Study Abroad information session is almost out of pizza! "You should hurry up and get in here," said advisor Ted Driscoll. "It's not like you have anything better to do. Why not stop by and learn about what we have to offer before it's all gone?" As of press time, the pizza was still hot, but there were only three slices left!

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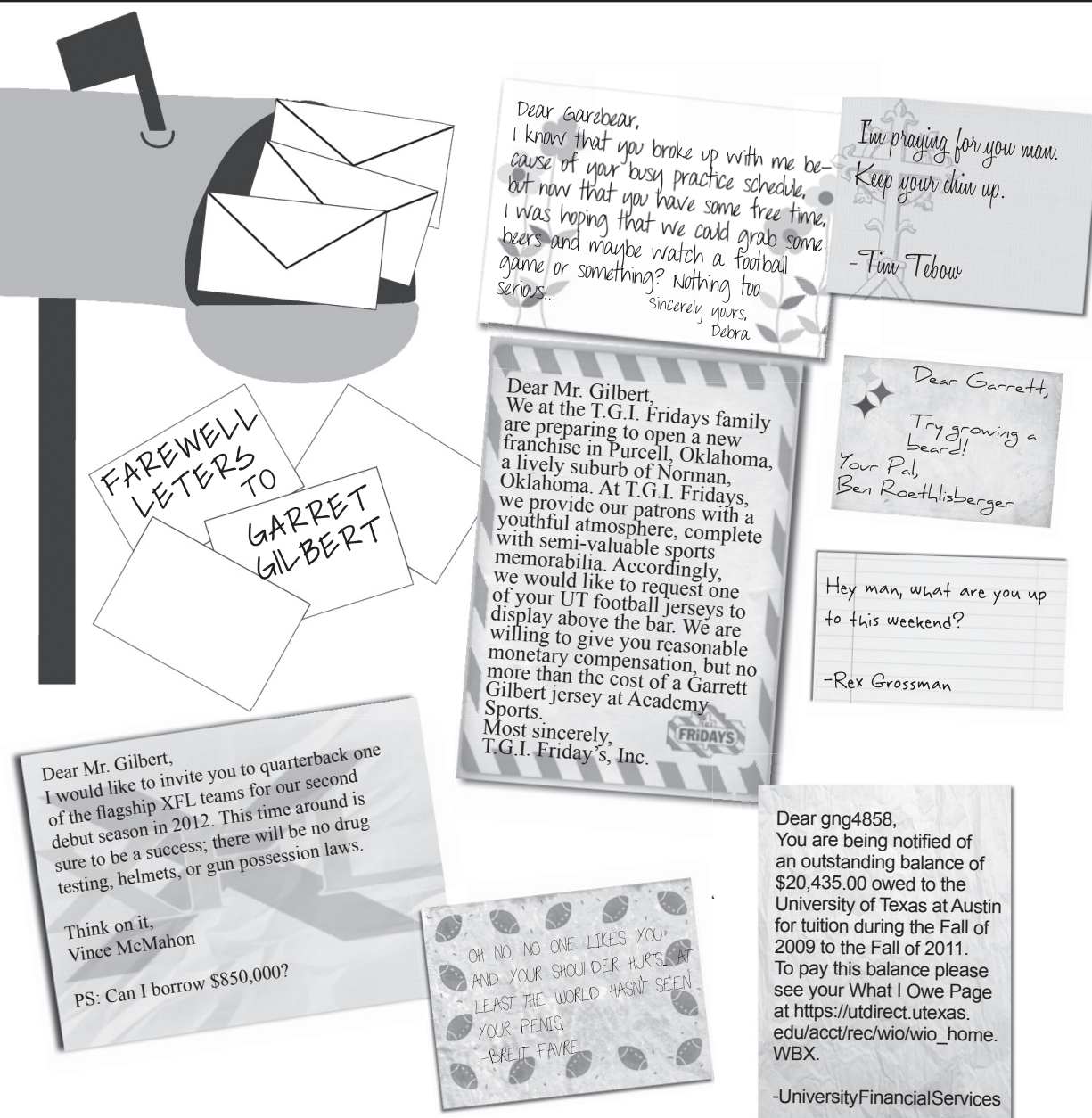
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Dwight Howard Receives 'Employee Of The Month' Award At CarMax

ORLANDO – After a stellar four-week run, Dwight Howard has been named Employee of the Month at the CarMax on South Semoran Boulevard. The 6'11" center, previously employed by the Orlando Magic, was hired as a station attendant just three months ago and has consistently impressed management since his arrival. "What can I say? He's a great worker," CarMax general manager Elliott Madden told reporters. "He's got a great attitude, a great smile, and he really gets to work on the glass." Madden went on to compliment Howard's work ethic, saying: "He's just one of those guys that you know is going to put up numbers," referring to the large neon price numbers placed on every car on the lot. As of press time, Howard was ordering a Powerade from the vending machine by the service bay.

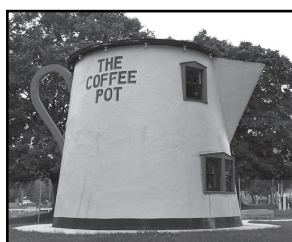


New Basketball Recruit Accidentally Attends Class

CAMPUS – Today, top basketball prospect Jared Williamson accidentally attended his first Introduction to Psychology lecture on his way to the gym. "I don't know what I was thinking. I was on my way over to coach's office to watch some film, and next thing I know, I'm taking notes about Freud," said Williamson. The starting center has not made such a flagrant error since high school, when he mistakenly took an Algebra II test without cheating. After the ordeal, Jared was immediately checked out by team doctors. They have recommended at least two weeks of physical therapy and free tuition.

Drug-Front Coffee Shop Actually Serves Great Mocha

SEATTLE – Last Monday, two students found that their usual drug-front coffee shop, The Coffee Pot, actually serves a great-tasting and affordable mocha. Jackie Taylor and Garrett Deanda decided to try some coffee while waiting for their friend, Mary, and were surprised at how delicious their hot beverages were. "I've always been a loyal customer, but this mocha is just an extra incentive to drop by," said Taylor, as she nervously watched a cop car turn the corner. While owners originally opened the shop to provide quality drugs to their local customers, they felt it would not hurt to begin selling coffee, scones and Jack Johnson CDs. As of press time, management has decided that it will need more styrofoam cups and some sort of pricing system.



Man Asked To Watch Stuff Gets New Clutch

NEW YORK – Justin Highmore, who was asked to watch a woman's clutch wallet earlier today, was seen at Tino's Greek Café in possession of said clutch wallet. He was happy to display the rhinestone-embroidered accessory, particularly showcasing the tiny gold flecks on the tips of the butterfly wings. "This is one of my favorite brands – fashionable, but reasonably priced," said Highmore, turning the clutch around and admiring it from all angles. When asked to explain the resemblance between the purse and the one he was asked to watch, Highmore quickly countered, "We clearly have the same taste, but this matches my outfit better."

Author Learns Word 'Elucidated,' Plans To Use It Liberally

BOSTON – When local author Barrett Stradel used the right-click-thesaurus for his second novel, he was delighted to learn the meaning of the word "elucidated," and now plans to use it liberally. "I always felt stupid not knowing what such a fancy word meant, but now I can elucidate myself to everyone," he stated while blithely

typing away. After revising his entire copy to make sure that the term is included at least once in each paragraph, the author finally felt "the contentment that only comes from an elucidated sense of intellectual superiority." Though editors cringed upon receiving the newly-revised text, they took solace in the fact that he had yet to learn the phrase "inasmuch as."

Visiting Professor Talks Loudly About Portland

EAST AUSTIN – On Sunday, Dr. Theo Koenig, visiting professor of postmodern literature from the University of Portland, was overheard loudly talking to an associate about Portland, Oregon at a coffee shop in East Austin. "I can literally taste the unfair labor practices in this coffee. There is no way this is fair trade. They would never sell this in Portland," said Koenig in disgust before throwing away his recyclable cup. "Are they seriously playing Wolf Parade right now? Apparently, Pacific Time is five years ahead of Central." Koenig's associate was too busy wearing a turtleneck to comment.

I Kind Of Feel Like I Should Be Getting Laid More.

Damien Rice

BACHELOR-SINGER-SONGWRITER

I realize I'm no Casanova or anything. My bench max is about 120 pounds, 125 on a good day. I know that often times my looks are described as "delicate." Hell, I'll even admit that my decision in early 2004 to shave my head might have caused me some image problems. Regardless, I still feel like I should be getting laid twice my current rate.

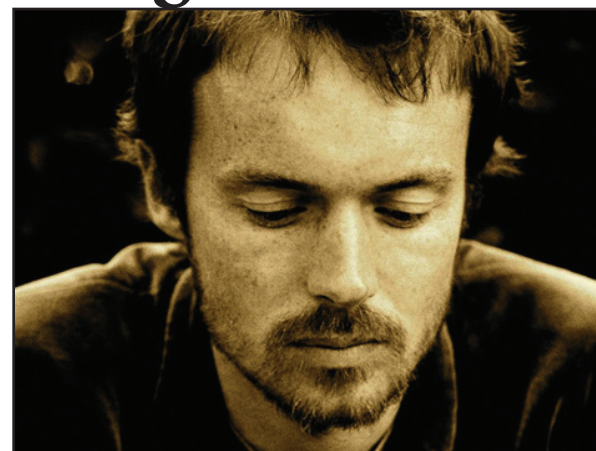
Is it so hard to get a piece of tail for a singer-songwriter whose debut album went platinum ten times in Ireland? Yes, I know it only went gold in the US, but how many albums have you produced that sold 500,000 copies in the States? That's right, none. And yet you still get your dick wet on a regular basis.

I seriously have no idea what the deal is with my pussy intake. I'll have some chick over to my finely appointed mid-17th century castle in the Irish foothills, and we'll settle in to watch some reruns. Then an episode of *One Tree Hill* will come on and I'll just offhandedly mention that the title sequence uses one of my songs, and suddenly the atmosphere gets weird. I usually try to fix it by donning a soothing voice and whispering the entire lyr-

ics to "9 Crimes" into her ears, but that never seems to patch up the situation. It's not a big deal, because the majority of my songs have been written on those nights when a woman refuses the company of my bed. It's during those lonely hours when I stay up crying and writing extended lyrical metaphors with my acoustic guitar in hand. Still, once in a while I wouldn't mind trading my the life as a tortured poet for a few hours of non-stop, tantric, sweaty bangin'.

That's another thing. People always read way too much into my lyrics. I've had multiple fans think the song "Blower's Daughter" is about some mournful breakup that has changed me to the core. You know what it's actually about? The fact that I can't get a single daughter to blow me. Fuck!

Is it because I'm Irish? That's it, isn't it? You just assume that because I'm from an area with harsh, rainy climates and a strong pub culture that I'm some kind of reprobate drunkard. You do realize Pierce Brosnan is Irish, right? I can assure you he's never had the kind of droughts I've had. The dude makes one decent James Bond film, and follows it up with freakin' *Die*



Another Day, yet the panties come clean off whenever he enters a room.

Can we all agree that, in a fair world, I'd be getting laid a little more? I've composed original music for the Songs for Tibet project. You've heard how terrible it is in Tibet? No, not the country with all of the genocide. You're thinking of Sudan. Just, forget it. All I'm saying is that my last name is a grain that sustains the majority of the world's hunger. Ladies, isn't it time that Rice sustains your sexual hunger?

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Let Me Breathe My Dying Breath Into Your Mouth

Valeria

INJURED FEMALE BRIGAND

AAAUGH! I'm hit! Help!

The arrow...in my chest...must have been poisoned with the venom of the snake-god Set! My leg is broken. My body is heavy. All I can taste is blood. The pain is too much. I fear I can fight no longer.

I can only hope that you can continue valiantly in my stead against Thulsa Doom and his bastard army. There are no warriors like you, Conan of Cimmeria. It has been an honor fighting by your side. Alas, my journey is coming to a bloody end. I must prepare my cursed soul for the hellish fires of the afterlife. But before I close my eyes and sleep for eternity, there is one thing I must do. Conan, my love, come to my side. Please, I don't...have...much...time.

Kiss me. Let me breathe my dying breath into your mouth...I...Love...

Gross...

Conan

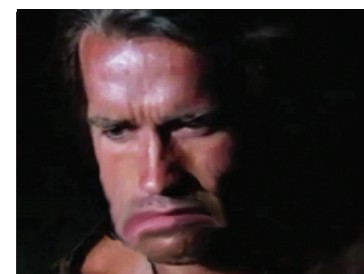
THE BARBARIAN

Whoa whoa whoa, hang on a second. Do you really think it's safe to kiss right now? I mean, I don't want to get sick or anything. That poison is probably contagious, and if we kiss, I'm going to catch it.

Plus, I just took a shower like an hour ago, and your face is covered in blood and dirt. How am I going to conquer Thulsa Doom if I feel all icky?

I'm not trying to be a dick about this, babe; just look at it from my side. You know how much I hate getting sick, and I definitely can't afford to miss any pillaging right now. I'm totally swamped! Don't be selfish, just blow me a kiss or wink or something.

WHOA! Did I say you could hug me? Boundaries. You just rest your pretty head and I'll get to work on your pyre. Holler if you need anything.





The Texas Travesty

INVESTIGATES

Gangs on Campus

You may think that the University of Texas at Austin campus is a simple place of safe academic learning and football merchandise, but it is actually the location of blood rivalries, turf wars, and mass terror. East LA is a playground compared to the Forty Acres. Underneath the burnt orange utopia that is the UT, there is a seedy and shady backwater where the law means nothing. Using informants, Wikipedia, and the magic of imagination, the true story of gangs on campus is now told:

CO-OPPERS

These strung-out no-gooders are engaged in the drug trade, reportedly being ten times more efficient and energetic than the Gulf Cartel. They primarily engage in human smuggling, bringing in fire breathers and nudists from around the world to their opium-den mess halls. When not on NyQuil, they are peddling Ambien on the street corners of West Campus. New members are generally forced into ritual killings through a violent practice called "Chore Wheel." Their gang color is plaid and they know for their especially dangerous fixie bike drive-bys.

THE COMPUTER SCIENTISTZZZ

Founded in 2006 by Computer Science senior Kevin Li, this gang engages in counterfeiting of Dine-in Dollars and online library due date extensions. They are centered around the ACES building and reportedly use the Campus Computer Store as a front to fund their illegal cyber activities. Many members of The Computer Scientistzzz have an 8-bit tear drop tattoo to signify allegiance to their group. UTPD advises talking about women to keep them away.

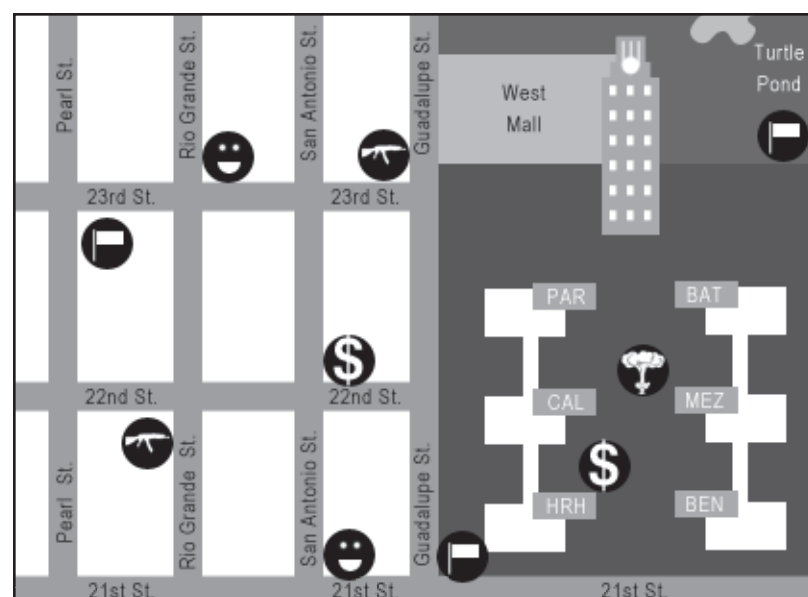
BLOODS AND CRIPS

The Bloods are primarily found near the Six Pack and consist of disenfranchised English majors, while the Crips can be found around the Communications School and consist mainly of Psychology and graduate-level RTF students. The feud between the two is violent and long-standing. Shootouts frequently occur around the Union Chick-Fil-A over the Polynesian Sauce trade. UTPD advises extreme caution.

MCCOMBS FAMILY

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by Slate Rogers
Lead Investigator



Turf War



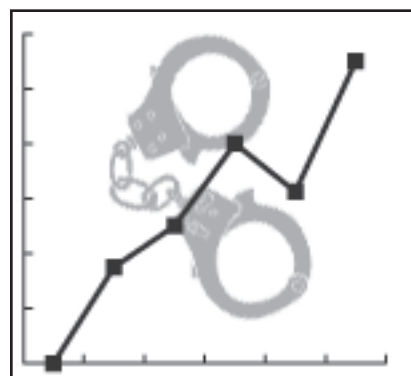
Gang HQ



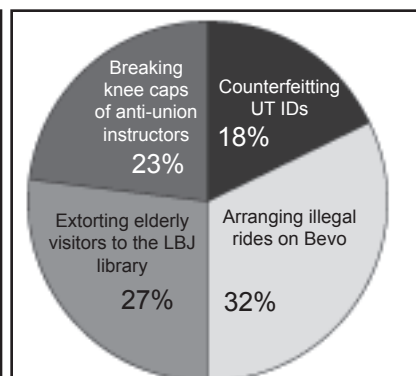
Shootout

Lunch Money
Stolen

Crepe Stand



Incidents of crime have increased over time



Gang activity on campus

THE CORRUPT

Gangs are not the only criminals on campus. UT is filled with corrupt bureaucrats and officials who eagerly listen to money that talks. PTS officials sell parking spots near the best restrooms to the highest bidder. Some unethical professors are rumored to inflate grades in favor of Computer Scientistzzz gang members in exchange for PowerPoint advice. Crooked UTPD personnel provide protection and illegal weapons to other criminal organizations through an extensive system called "call box."

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