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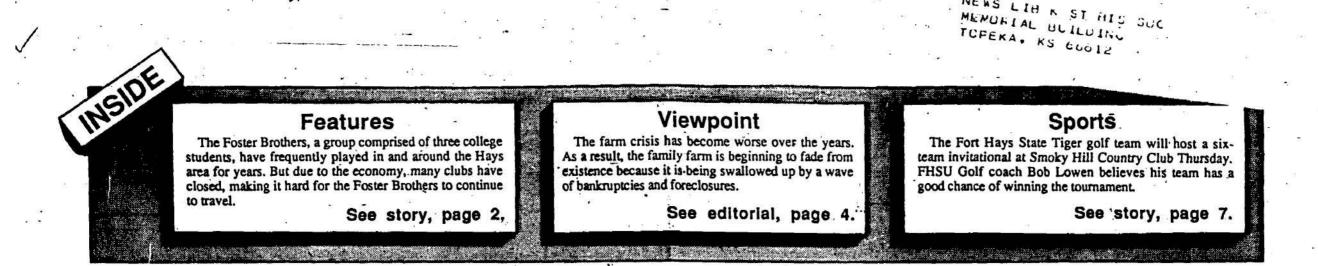
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The University Leader

Regents meet here end of week

By CARL PETZ

The Kansas Board of Regents, along with the Council of presidents from all regent institutions, will be on campus this Thursday and Friday for meetings in the Memorial Union.

Ron Pflughoft, vice president for university relations and development, said the regents visit various campuses throughout the year to meet and visit with faculty and students.

"They usually have one or two visits each year to various campuses and this year we are one of the host universities," Pflughoft said, "It's a good opportunity for the regents to see and get a feel for the campus," he said.

A meeting schedule released by the regents said Thursday's events will include a 10:30 a.m. campus tour for the regents, while the presidents will meet in the union's State Room.

At 12 p.m. the regents will have a luncheon meeting in the union's Prairie Room while the presidents and regents staff will meet in the union's Pioneer Lounge.

The regents will convene at 1:15 p.m. in the union's Stouffer Lounge for a committee meeting on matters relating to academic affairs, the report said.

The Student Advisory Committee will meet at 3 p.m. in the union's



Mime troupe features former theater student

By DAVID BURKE

The buttons on Phil Joseph's vest seem to say it all.

One reads, "For this I went to college?" and the other states, "I refuse to grow up."

Joseph, a 1975 Fort Hays State graduate majoring in theater, is returning to his alma mater this week as a member of Mimewock, a mime troupe from Kansas City.

As for Joseph's "refusing to grow up," it was evident at a performance yesterday afternoon at Lincoln Grade School.

Joseph began his performance with the "classical mime," pulling an invisible rope and being trapped in a soundproof room.

He then stepped out of the room to "leave-the silence behind," and explain mime to the grade school audience.

"I'm not the classical-style mime," he said. "They wear a white face, white gloves, and a black jumpsuit. I went through six years as a mime and didn't speak and didn't use any objects."

Joseph described mime as "the art of silence."

"With no words, how can you describe what it is?" he said to the children.

"Mime is a kind of magic," he said. "You see things that aren't really there."

Among the objects the school children "saw" was a giant bubblegum bubble and a small

"I like working here in elementary, because the arts are taken away from kids later in school. It's not only students, but with the teachers. This can motivate them." Joseph said he has learned to gain great respect for teachers since leaving school.

"I've been at schools in residency. They (teachers) do it every day," he said. "It's tough to be creative."

Joseph, a Kansas City native, joined Mimewock in 1977, purely by "luck."

'It just came from being in the right place at the right time," he

"I found out about their classes, and I decided I could get into taking classes again. I enjoyed the people I met doing it," Joseph said.

In 1979, he joined Mimewock fulltime.

"I quit my job. It really freaked my parents out."

Mimewock presents different shows every year.

Cirkus Beserkus, a tribute to circuses and clowns, is this year's presentation of Mimewock.

"There are two kinds of clowns. There are the traditional, American clowns that we're used to seeing, with the white face and the big shoes. They just look funny.

Then, there's the European-type clowns, which would be like the Charlie Chaplin/Red Skelton/Carol Burnett type clown. The strengths aren't in the costume, but in the character skills.

"It's got a lot of humor and style. The show is about half-silent, with a

We were in Guatemala City, the

State Room to end Thursday's events.

Friday's events will include a 7:30 a.m. breakfast buffet for the regents, presidents and staff in the union's Trails Room. At 8:15 a.m. a pr conference will be held in the union's Pioneer Lounge with regent chairman Frank Becker and regent executive director Stanley Koplik presiding.

The board will meet after the conference in the union's Stouffer Lounge to discuss matters relating to facilities, fiscal affairs and policy procedures. The meeting will also include general items and reports as well as final considerations by the board, the report said.

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Alcohol use prevalent at FHSU

By LESLIE RAGAN

Since July 1, 1985, the consumption of alcoholic beverages on the Fort Hays State University campus has not been permitted except for cereal malt beverages in residence hall rooms. Nevertheless, alcohol consumption does occur at athletic events.

Bill Jellison, vice president for student affairs, said no one is to carry alcohol into a game.

"I believe we ought to try and keep (alcohol) out of the games. It's illegal," he said.

Illegality, however, does not stop games goers from sneaking liquor into athletic events.

Martha Ford, Ulysses senior, said she and her friends have been taking liquor to games since her sophomore year.

Although Ford said she doesn't drink at every game, she said it's easy to sneak booze in.

"I just take a half-pint in my purse," Ford said.

Don Brown, university police chief, said it would be difficult to keep people from bringing liquor into games.

"Liquor has certainly always been

Photo by Monty Devis

Phil Joseph, a 1975 graduate of Fort Hays State, demonstrates juggling for the students of Lincoln Grade School yesterday afternoon. Joseph and his mime group, Mimewock, will perform on campus today.

SGA promotes voter awareness

BY ANNETTE TERRY

During enrollment this fall, a voter registration table was set up to register for the November elections. Chris Crawford, SGA vice president, said most students walked on by, but since then more have become aware of the situation.

Dawn Vopat, Russell junior, said she had not yet registered, but planned to. She said students are part Crawford said. of the society and need to be

involved. Chris Powers, on campus deputy for voter registration said it is important for students to know what is going to be on the ballot. He said it will affect their future.

Powers said the four main issues vote upon themselves.

betting, lottery, liquor by the drink, and property taxation. It is important that students vote,

on the ballot would be pari-mutuel

since many issues pertinate to their future, may be decided by this year's legislator," Powers said.

SGA is trying to get Republican gubernatorial candidate Mike Hayden to come to Fort Hays State to speak. "What (SGA) would really like to see is a gubernatorial debate here,"

Crawford also said that if a debate could be held on campus, it would give FHSU students a chance to hear both sides of each issue and then

make a decision. Students are going to have to take the responsibility to register and

SGA is providing another voter registration table Oct. 8 and 9. The table will be set up in Memorial Union next to the SGA senate

These will be the last days to register on campus, Powers said, but the oppurtunity to register to vote in the November election will be open until Oct. 15.

spreading the word that there will be a voter registration table set up. Powers said that it is important for the students to register and vote.

traditional student, vote the least. (SGA) feels it is important that students have their say since they are the future," Powers said.

Vietnam veterans honored with memorial; nationwide activities planned for Friday

monies.

the Memorial Union.

The event's purpose is to bring more interest to the prisoners of war still held in captivity and those listed as still missing in action in Vietnam.

Other memorial services will be held across the nation on that day for the remembrance of the POW/MIA's.

President Reagan and the United States Congress have designated this at football games and probably day as National POW/MIA Recog-See "Alcohol," poge 5 nition Day. Kansas Governor John National POW/MIA Committee of

A memorial service for prisoners Carlin will sign a proclamation for the American Legion and FHSU of war and those missing in action the event. Hays Mayor Mike chairman of the department of will be 3:30 p.m. Friday in front of Billinger signed a similar resolution business administration. on Aug. 1.

The local American Legion Post 173 and the FHSU Reserve Officers

Training Corps will host the POW/MIA Recognition Day cere-

Some of the activities include a welcome by Fort Hays State President Gerald Tomanek, an appearance by Billinger, and the reading of the names of the 38 Kansas POW/MIAs by Robert Masters, Kansas representative to the

The main speaker will be John Vincent, head football coach. Vincent was listed as missing in action in Vietnam.

people who were there won't be forgotten." Vincent said.

released. Masters said they were he said. But he said he has "been releasing 380 balloons "because lucky" so far. there are 38 Kansans who are 10 for each one."

Joseph later performed real magic lot of circus music, and a circus and demonstrated the art of format." equilibristics. With the troupe, Joseph has

Using equilibristics, he balanced a travelled to Japan, Europe, and wooden cello stand on his head, Guatemala. chin, and nose.

For a finale, he combined capital, two Christmases ago. We equilibristics and juggling by did all of the silent material, and we balancing on a board above a rolling, had one routine translated into barrel, while juggling three double- Spanish. edged battle axes.

"It was the neatest thing we've "Dangerous and stupid juggling ever done." for your sick enjoyment," he said Joseph aimed much of his material during loud applause in the at the grade school audience, but "my real interest is in all levels. gymnasium.

Cowboy named bullfighter of the year in Colorado

A local Fort Hays State student has recently been given a top honor in rodeo competition.

Kevin Rich, Windsor, Colo., sophomore, was named bullfigher of the year by the Colorado State Rodeo Association on Labor Day weekend at Rifle, Colo. The CSRA bullfighting when a friend asked him is an amateur rodeo.

The award is a season-long process, Rich said. "It is voted on by the top 15 cowboys in the amateur ranks in the state," he said.

Bullfighting is similar to the rodeo clown; he said. A bullfighter helps to make the bull turn and spin in bullriding competitions and helps the cowboy in case he is in danger from the bull.

Rich said his job mainly consists of helping the cowboy riding the bull to get a better ride and ultimately a higher score. Rich said of what goes on when riding the bullsome bulls he has to get close to, and you know how to handle the often within a foot, to make the bull

perform better. There is some danger involved in "The service is being held so the bullfighting. Rich said. He said he has been gored by bulls in the leg. hit in the head and cracked three ribs At the end of the ceremony, 380 in his first attempt at bull-fighting. red, white, and blue balloons will be "I've been hit in the air a few times,"

Rich said he did not even think considered MIA/POW. We're doing about quitting after he was hurt in the first competition in which he just a thrill."

was a clown. That competition was a college rodeo in Sterling, Colo.

Locally, Rich said he will bullfight in the Oct. 25 and 26 rodeo at the FHSU rodeo grounds. This rodeo is a match and invitational rodeo. The match rodeo pits FHSU rodeo team members against alumni.

Rich said he started his career in to help him out in a competition. He now works for a stock contractor and bullfights at the rodeos the contractor keeps animals.

There is not much he does to prepare to be a bullfighter, Rich said. He said he usually just tries to emotionally prepare himself for his job. When he goes into the arena, he said he is "so psyched up I can do about anything."

He said riding bulls helped him in bullfighting because he knew what to expect. "You get an understanding bull better," he said.

Rich said he comes from a family of rodeo competitors. His dad was a bull rider and bronc rider.

Rich said his goal is to become a professional bullfigher in the next three years. "I want to go pro but it really depends on what happens," he said. "I will go pro in bull riding next year," he said.

Rich said he likes to bullfight because it is "just a challenge. It's

SGA is putting posters up and

"Eighteen to 24, which is the

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voting booth. By JEAN GIER Managing Editor

Features

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Dave Wopat entertained a group of 40 people, Sunday evening at one of the events sponsored by MUAB for Blue Jean Week. Wopat is the brother of Tom Wopat who played Luke Duke on the Dukes of Hazzard.

Hays relaxes to country rock sound

BY KRISTY LOVE

Conversation is light, the audience varies in age from 20s to middle age, and there is an air of relaxed professionalism on stage as the Foster Brothers begin their first song of the evening at the Alpine Room of the Ramada Inn, one of their performance spots in a region covering several states.

The music they play can best be described as country rock, but according to band spokesman Frank "Red" Foster, their style has changed over the years.

full time back in 1970. We started as a rock 'n' roll band. When rock 'n' roll began to slow down we went to country, and kind of combined the two so we could play all the time. Kenneth does some lead vocals and we went straight country," Frank said. "We still play some rock 'n' roll, and do some rhythm and blues." Another of the Foster brothers, -

Kenneth, joined the group after getting out of the Navy in 1978. Until then, Bob and Frank had played with a number of bands, but they formed the Foster Brothers

group in 1977. traveled with a variety of drummers, fourth member of the group, drummer Ron Bailey, joined them about two years ago. He had played with the group some in 1973 and

1974. All three of the Foster brothers are college students. Frank is a senior majoring in elementary education; Bob is a senior majoring in art, and Kenneth is a sophomore with an undecided major.

"It can be pretty rough sometimes, having to split being a student and "Bob (Foster) and I began playing working and trying to maintain a decent grade point average," Bob said.

Instrumentation in the group is varied. Bob plays lead guitar; When country-western came in big, plays guitar, bass, harmonica, and drums; and Frank plays saxophone, bass, and does most of the lead vocals. The group is also helped out occasionally by Brent Ronen, regularly of the Always Near Band,

on drums, fiddle, and guitar. The brothers got some experience some original work Ken did. They by playing at a beer joint which they plan to work in a studio owned by owned in their hometown of Ronen.

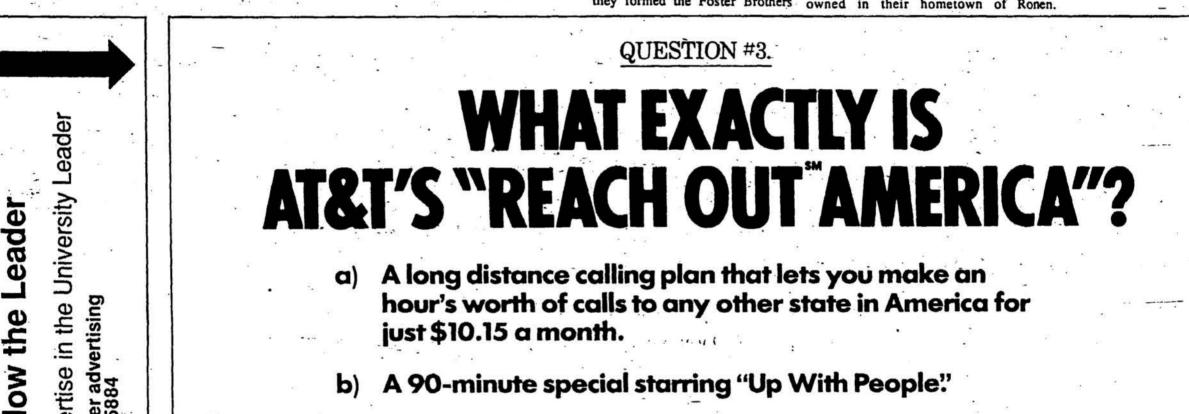
McCracken. They also played From 1975 to 1983, the band frequently at the Outer Limit, now Survivor's. But a large part of their fiddle players, and singers. The experience came from their traveling performances.

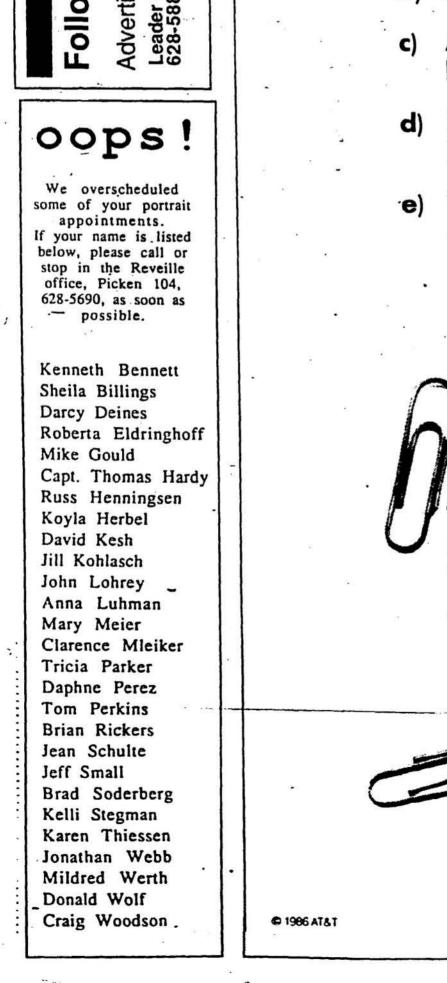
"We've traveled from Wyoming and Montana to New Mexico and Florida, and just about everything in between. We opened for acts like Faron Young and Johnny Rodriguez. We opened for Reagan's campaign in Louisville (Ky.) before a crowd of 15,000," Frank said.

"We do a lot of summer travel, Bob said. "We were with the Caravan East out of Albuquerque (N.M.) for a couple of years, and then we performed for the Chelsea Street Pub out of Austin, Texas for three and a half years solid. We were touring around to 18 different clubs with them."

The band members aren't sure yet if they will be traveling again. Frank said a lot of clubs have closed because of the economy, and without belonging to an agency it's hard to book themselves on a circuit.

The band is looking forward to recording some songs, including



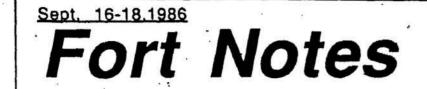


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Calendar

TODAY

· Mimewock: "The New Vaudeville" at 11:30 a.m. in the campus quad.

- · Free game night from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. in the Memorial Union Recreation Area.
- · Workshop on resume writing, interviews, and letter writing at 7 p.m. in the Memorial Union Black and Gold Room.
- Television history course meeting at 6:30 p.m. in Rarick 308.
- · FFA dairy judging at 8 a.m. at the University Farm.
- Museum Association Seminar, "Bats," at 7:30 p.m. in Albertson 310.
- · Campus Bible Fellowship meeting at 6 p.m. in the Memorial Union State Room.
- · Rodeo Club meeting at 7:30 p.m. at the Rodeo Club grounds.
- Cirkus Berzerkus at 7:30 p.m. in the Malloy Felten-Start Theater. Tickets can be purchased at the door adults, \$4; students, \$3; and students under 12, \$2.
- · Reveille pictures for student teachers from 1 to 4:30 p.m. For more information contact the Reveille office at 628-5690.

WEDNESDAY

- · Spotlight concert: Comedy night, Jeff Valdez and friends at 8 p.m. in the Memorial Union Black and Gold Room.
- Student Alumni Association meeting at 4:30 p.m. at Swinging Bridge Park. ..
- · Vision screening at 9 a.m. in the Memorial Union South Lobby.
- Midweek Meditation at 7 p.m. at the Ecumenical Center. · Alpha Kappa Psi meeting at 7 p.m. in the Memorial Union
- Pioneer Lounge.
- Reveille pictures for student teachers from 1 to 4:30 p.m. for more information contact the Reveille office at 628-5690.
- . Fellowship of Christian Athletes meeting and cookout at 7 p.m. at
- Cunningham Hall. Those attending should bring their own meat.
- · Block and Bridle Club meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the Memorial Union Frontier Room.

THURSDAY

- · Encore Series: Robin and Linda Williams and Mike Cross at 8 p.m. at old Hays High School.
- News 12 anchor position tryouts and "People to People" tryouts from 2 to 4:30 p.m. in Heather Hall.
- · Pi Omega Pi meeting at 4:30 p.m. in McCartney second floor, initiation at 5 p.m.
- · Protestant Campus Ministry presents "English Our National Language, Says Who," directed by John Knight, director of English
- at 12 p.m. at the Ecumenical Campus Center.
- · Kansas Board of Regents and Regent institutions presidents on campus.
- · Fashion show from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Memorial Union Cafeteria.
- · A.L. Williams financial services training session at 6:30 p.m. in the Memorial Union Smoky Hill Room.
- Table Talk at 12 p.m. in the Memorial Union Pioneer Lounge.
- · Student Publications Finance Committee meeting at 8:30 a.m. in the Memorial Union Pioneer Lounge.
- · SPURS meeting at 5 p.m. in the Memorial Union Pioneer Lounge.
- SGA meeting at 7 p.m. in the Memorial Union Pioneer Lounge.

Campus

· Hays Association of Helping Professions meeting at 12 p.m., Sept. 19, in the Memorial Union Frontier Room.

Parade theme chosen, grand marshal named

By KRISTY LOVE

Alfred Gerstner, a lifetime resident be the Grand Marshal for the 1986 Homecoming parade.

Gerstner worked in maintenance all nominees for the committee on the Fort Hays State campus for 18 years. He is a veteran of World committee voted on their choice for War II and a former prisoner of war. He was awarded to Bronze Star in 1985. He and his wife have two sons. One son, Wayne, works at FHSU at the warehouse. Gerstner lives in Hays but also maintains a . Dream." The parade will start at 10 farm in the Victoria area.

The grand marshal of the parade is and Main.

selected by-the parade committee. News releases were sent to the Hays Daily News and the Ellis' County Star, asking for nominees. of Ellis County, has been chosen to Background information was required with the nominations. The office of University Relations made a list of

> members to review, and the grand marshal.

Gerstner and the other parade participants will be following the theme, "The Great American a.m. on Saturday, Oct. 11 at 16th

elephone roster behind schedule

This year, the telephone roster, housing department has put out a available through campus operators, is behind schedule because of the computer system in the housing department, Barb Lang, housing department clerk, said.

"This is something that the housing department has never done before," Lang said. Usually the

complete roster.

semester.

floors."

"Running this program out is very two weeks after," Schumacher said. time consuming," Lang said. "This "If we don't have a listing for a is something that they asked me to student in one of the dorms, we can kind of leaders we have today," she do this year, on top of all the other give the number to the dorm's desk," said. Schumacher said. work to do in the office."

Agnes Schumacher, campus individual halls put out a roster for year is really no different than in why it is difficult to get a complete that hall. This is the first year the years past.

administration faculty will be given Restaurant. Friday, Oct. 10 off for the Oktoberfest activities. The opening Saturday. Hays' own Big Band will ceremonies will be held at 10 a.m. be performing in the Cody Room, on Friday at Frontier Park.

The FHSU theatre department will Both are in the Memorial Union. hold three performances of their first There will also be several production over Homecoming breakfasts and luncheons, a tailgate weekend. Working will be per- party, class reunions, and the formed Friday and Saturday evenings Homecoming football game when and Sunday afternoon.

Heather Hall, the radio-televisionfilm building, will be dedicated in a of events are available through the ceremony at 8:30 a.m. on Saturday. Fort Hays State Alumni It follows the Lewis Field Pioneers Association.

Schumacher said the campus

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All students and non- Breakfast at the Vagabond

There will be a dance at 9 p.m. on and a dance with the group Stardust will be held in the Frontier Room.

FHSU will take on Wayne State at 2 p.m. at Lewis Field Stadium.

Ticket information and a schedule



"We wait for the prihtout at Janel Deges, Demar freshman, enrollment which comes out one to agreed with Powers.

"It is important that the younger generation have a say so of what

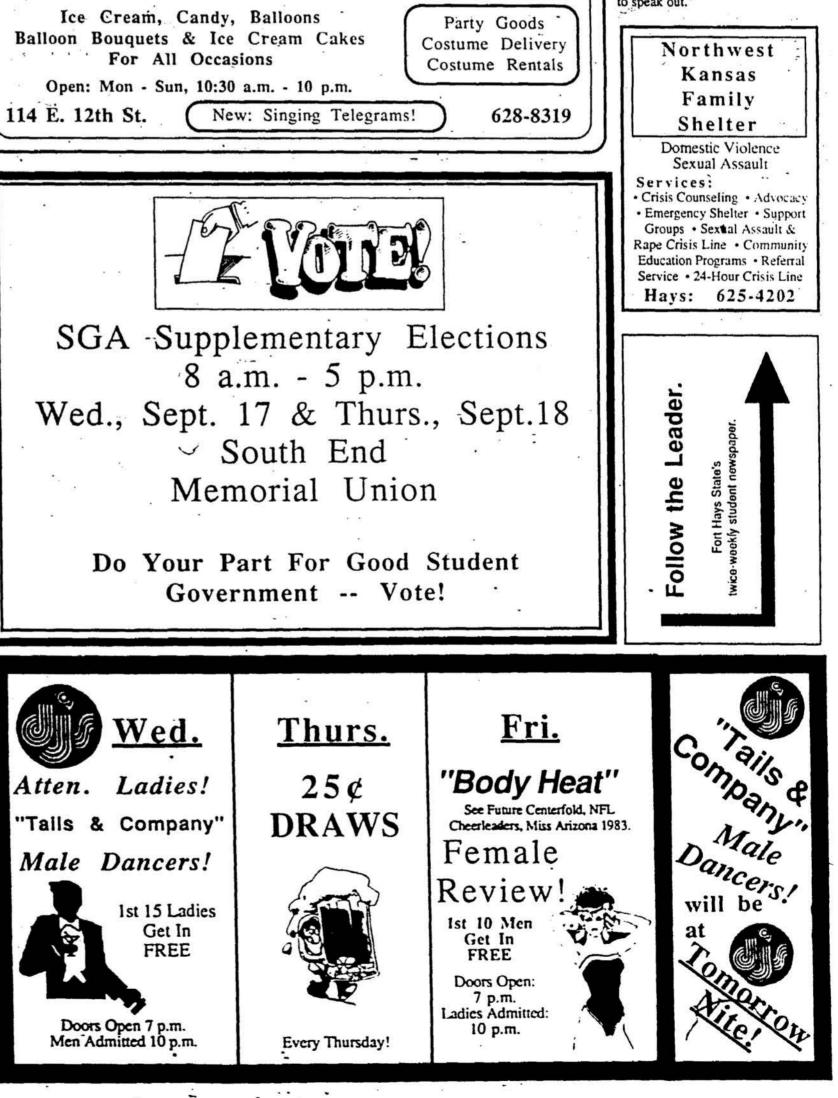
"It's important that the students let Mike Edigar, McMindes Hall the legislation know we are out here switchboard supervisor, said this director, said there are a few reasons and are a vital force," Powers said. Powers also said there are 100,000 roster out at the beginning of the students in Kansas and if they would all vote, a great impact would be "We have one temporary roster, made on the elections this fall.

but we are working now to get it SGA is trying to rent a bus to finalized," he said. "There are always take students from FHSU campus to room changes or someone might the Experiment Center on Nov. 4. want to change roommates or The Fort Hays Experiment Station is the location to vote on election day.

few FHSU students have already reegistered to vote and those who have not, intend to. Crawford said students are becoming more interested in registering and voting.

"Yes, I have registered. (Voting) is the foundation for our democratic system. (Voting) is the only vehicle people have to effectively influence governmental decisions." David Herl, Wakeeny senior, said.

Robert Barnhart, Phillipsburg junior, said, "I plan to (register) next week. If you're not registered you can't vote ... you can't just sluff (voting) off. It is your responsibility to speak out."



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operators have temporary listings for most of the halls and anyone looking for an off campus listing not yet available by the campus operator should contact Hays information.

Agriculture department meeting at 11:30 a.m., Sept. 19, in the Memorial Union Frontier Room.

· Social Studies workshop from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Sept. 19, in the Memorial Union Black and Gold Room.

· Kansas Board of Regents and Regent institution presidents on campus, Sept: 19.

· BRET (real estate) course at 8 a.m., Sept. 20 in McCartney 213.

· ECEC conference, Sept. 20 in the Memorial Union.

BRET (real estate) course at 8 a.m., Sept. 21 in McCartney 213.

· Panhellenic Council meeting at 3:30 p.m., Sept. 22, in the Memorial Union State Room.

· President's cabinet meeting at 9:30 a.m., Sept. 22 in the Memorial Union State Room.

• MUAB meeting at 4 p.m., Sept. 22 in the Memorial Union Pioneer Lounge.

• Delta Sigma Phi Fraternity meeting at 7 p.m., Sept. 22 in the Memorial Union Pioneer Lounge.

. Last day for 25 percent refund is Sept. 22. Last day to enroll in classes is Sept. 22. Last day to drop classes is Nov. 7.

 Kelly Hull Art Exhibit, Sept. 23 through Oct. 13, in the Memorial Union Stouffer Lounge.

· Guest speaker series: Morton Kondrake, "Can America Get By Without Reagan?," at 7:30 p.m., Sept. 23 in the Memorial Union Ballroom.

 Sigma Alpha lota formal rush at 5 p.m., Sept. 23, in Malloy 112. · Senior Companion Advisory Council at 3 p.m., Sept. 23 in the Memorial Union State Room.

· Campus Bible Fellowship at 6 p.m., Sept. 23, in the Memorial Union State Room.

. Tryouts will be held for News 12 anchor positions and "People to People" tryouts from 2 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., Sept. 23 in Heather Hall. A sign-up sheet with various tryout times is available at the main desk in Heather Hall. All students, regardless of their field of study, are welcome to tryout. For more information contact Mike Schrant at 628-5807 or 628-5373.

· All student organizations or anyone who would like to make an entry in the 1986 Homecoming Parade can pick up an entry form in the Alumni Office, located upstairs in the Alumni-Endowment Center. For more information, please call 628-4430. Entries are due Oct. 2.

. The George Kelly Psychological Service Center will sponsor a free eight-week workshop, "Assentiveness in Every Day Living," on Wednesdays from 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at the Center located in Wiest Hall. Dates will be set by the group following individual preregistration. Workshop leaders will be psychologist Dr. David Klein and graduate assistant David S. Anderson. For registration information contact the clinic at 628-4401.

· The Reading Service Center is offering two courses designed to help students acquire techniques for improving their reading and study skills. Each course is scheduled for two 8-week sessions on a passfail basis for one credit. It will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays for 75 minutes. Emphasis will be placed on small group interaction plus one-on-one tutoring with the instructor during the lab period. Interested parties should contact Gerald Calais, assistant professor of education, at 628-5344.

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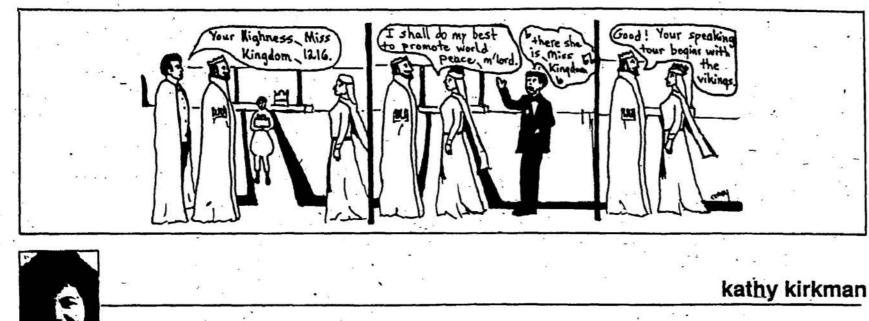
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• The "Outstanding Alumni Exhibition" continues until Sept. 26 with the drawings of Lynn Havel (M.A., 1970) and ceramics by Robert Chism (M.S., 1961). The exhibition is open to the public Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Both artists have exhibited their works extensively throughout Kansas and the United States. They both teach at Butler County Community College at El Dorado

· All students interested in joining Collegiate Young Republicans should contact Allan Busch, chairman of the department of history, in 7 Rarick 353

Viewpoint

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Birthday girl celebrates in surprising way

Sur-prize, sur-prize, sur-prize!!

Thank you Gomer Pyle, you have just summed up the last 20 years of my life. I must explain. Yesterday was my 20th birthday, and over the past two decades, I have been the center of attention at two, please count them slowly, two surprise parties.

Now some people might say, "Wow, what wonderful friends you must have!" But for those of us who have experienced this mostembarrassing moment in life, you might agree that friends who get a kick out of surprise parties really just like to see you squirm, or wet your pants, depending on how excited you get.

My first trauma was the day I turned 17. I suspected absolutely nothing. Boy, I feel so · stupid, even three years later. The evening was like that of many previous birthdays. My two best friends and I dressed up in our best "21" clothes, and invaded a local dinner club, trying desperately to act like it was my 22nd birthday for the third year in a row. We always walked in addressed as ladies, but usually left our mark as "girls."

"Would you ladies care to sit in the lounge before dinner?"

"Um, well, um, I don't care, what do you want to do Tracey?"

"Um, um, um... 1 don't care."

"Would you ladies care for a drink?"

"Um, um, um...What are you going to have, Dian?"

"Hee, hee, hee ... um ... I don't care." As you can tell, we needed to practice our

approach to being 22 for an evening. "Well... girls, how about a nice seat right back here next to the KITCHEN DOOR. Your

cocktail waitress will be right out with your ICED TEA." Ugh. It never failed. So here we sat, eating our

expensive meals with crystal stems full of the house tea -- mind you it had a superb bouquet -trying to think of what we could do with the rest of the evening.

Finally, dinner is finished, we leave our usual tip of 35 cents and hop in the car for the trip home, still wondering what there is to do on one's 17th birthday. A light turns on in my head -- let's really celebrate. "Mom and Dad will never know if one bottle is missing out of their 100 bottle wine rack!" I had these girls convinced. So here we sat, a mere two miles from home, devising a plan on how to get one bottle of wine out of the house without the parents seeing us. I finalize the scheme.

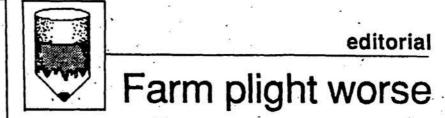
"We'll all go in together. Dian, you, and me will sit in the living room with Mom and act like nothing's about to happen. Tracey, you go upstairs and act like you've got to go the bathroom. About five minutes later, Dian, you get up to go to the bathroom, walk past the rack and stuff a bottle in your dress, high-tail it up to Tracey, who will stash it in her purse, and then we'll be on our merry way." I'm so smart, I thought. Little did I know that I was making a total fool out of myself in front of the two partyplanners who knew good and well that there of you a surprise of my own.

would be no wine tonight.

Here we are, back at the ranch, I'm trying toget my key in the front door, and my two sidekicks are practically knocking the door down, inside, not the 30-some friends hiding in the living room. The door falls open, my mom is there with a stupid grin on her face, I make some crude comment about the meal, and I begin the descent upon the living room, licking my lips at the sight of the wine rack. But! What do I see instead? A big birthday cake sitting on the bar. "Hey, Mom there's a birthday cake in here." Lights on. "SURPRISE !!!!" My face could not get any more red. I think I used the phrase "Oh my God" at least two million times in a matter of minutes.

Well, they got me again this year, though I must say that my friends had a rough time keeping it to themselves; there were quite a few slip-ups. This time, though, no one heard me say, "I'm so full I could just throw up" as I walked in the door. No, this time, the band playing at the dinner club struck up "Happy Birthday" for the whole world to hear. Well, everyone in the club anyway.

Don't get me wrong; I love my friends dearly. fine dinners, and their company for an evening. said. So a special thanks goes to all who made it possible--Dian, Greg, Paige, Tracey, Don, Linda, Sandi, and Steph. Let's just say I owe each one



The plight of the family farm is worsening. With large surpluses of agricultural products like wheat, com, soybeans, and cotton piling up around the country and a large drop in land values, there isn't much yearly income for the family farm.

The unfortunately truth is that many family farms have been swallowed up by a wave of mortgage foreclosures and bankruptcies.

There doesn't seem to be any relief in sight for the family farm -- at least not in the near future.

Right now, U.S. agriculture is going through difficult times. It seems whenever a bill comes before the legislature that would be beneficial to the family farm -- one such as the wheat referendum bill -- it is looked down upon by the corporate farmers.

In the 1981 farm bill, it set farm support levels on a year-by-year basis. When the value of the dollar increased, the legislative-mandated commodity prices were turned into even higher prices in other currencies. As a result, there have been which I think is because of the wine awaiting us fewer exports and a decline in market share.

It is really no surprise that U.S. farmers are worried when they perceive that they might lose export opportunities as a result of efforts by developing countries to strengthen their agriculture. U.S. farmers rely heavily on foreign exports. Without exports, the amount of surplus will increase, making the already low prices even lower.

In 1982, the government called for large reductions in the farm labor force. At the same time, it called for reducing federal price supports:

It's time that the farmers -- big and small alike -- got together and fought for the same cause. If they don't, the United States' agricultural base will surely suffer.

With bankruptcies and foreclosures on the rise, the family farm is slowly fading away. It will eventually become a memory that generations to come will only be able to read about.

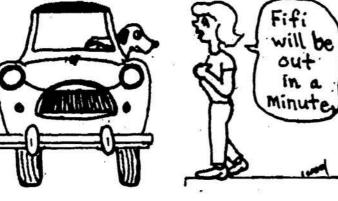
 At the United Farmer and Rancher Congress in St. Louis, Eddie Albert, who portrayed the bumbling farmer on TV's . Green Acres, spoke abouthow the farmers should get angry about their financial situation.

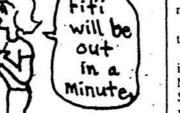
"A system was installed to really cut you down. This is evil Especially when they treat me to champagne, stuff we're talking about. They're cutting our throats," Albert

> Albert also urged farmers to stick together. "We've got to get angry. You've got to get together and be tough."

The rest of the nation will suffer if they're not.

david burke





Supermarkets become meet market of '80s

There's more than one way to say "meat market."

So say good-bye to the singles bars and hello to the supermarket.

It first began last November at a Price Chopper in upstate New York. Then in a Shop 'n' Bag in New Jersey. Now, the 63-store chain Purity Supreme supermarket in New England and many major cities have caught on to the latest dating fad: Supermarket Singles' Night.

It seems we've made a 180 degree difference from 10 years ago: From dark lights and disco music to fluorescent lights and Muzak.

Any of the disco refugees with the polyester John Travolta-polyester suit and gold chains would feel abandonment in the 1980s Yuppies' singles' spot.

This could change the mating ritual as we know it today.

Pick up lines like "What's your sign?" and

"Come around here often?" could be replaced by "Nice rump roast you have there," "I haven't seen melons like that in a long time," or "Hey, how do you keep your hair that way -- chocolate mousse?"

There was also the pick-up line used in Animal House involving a cucumber, but (a) it's already been used, and (b) my parents are probably reading this.

Soon there will come a day when the lounge lizards of your favorite watering hole will be waiting in the frozen vegetables section saying, "Wanna thaw something out?"

A picture and a story by the Associated Press showed a couple dancing in the aisles of the Purity Supreme.

Sorry, but when I want to dance, it'll be to the Fabulous Thunderbirds or Huey Lewis and the News, not a muzak version of My Cherie Amour.

People magazine also featured a story on . supermarket single's night a few weeks ago. It showed some activities at one store, including bowling using canned vegetables and paper towels.

Right, I'm going to buy a roll of Bounty that's. been dented by lima beans, just from some guy trying to impress a woman with a great bowling delivery.

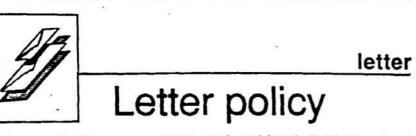
Another activity is an autograph hunt, where people go around asking questions, so singles "can get to know each other."

Any innocent going in to simply shop would be taken aback by a stranger asking if their socks matched.

Enough is enough. There has to be some solace in the world from the pick-up lines, small talk, embarrassment, and nervousness.

Then again, maybe not. See you in the canned vegetable section.

bryon cannon



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issue of a student's right to skip class. We defined the university as a retailer and the student as a customer.

The university provides a service and the student pays the price and uses whatever part of the service he desires. The student has the right to use only part of the service offered by a particular instructor because the student, through his tuition, has hired that instructor.

This week we will turn the issue around. Rather than underscoring that a paying customer has the right to reject certain services the retailer provides, we will examine the fact that the customer has the right to receive all the services provided by the retailer without interference.

As our first example, let us look at the phenomona of academic probation and academic suspension.

To quote the current Fort Hays State catalog: "A student places himself/herself on academic probation when the student's accumulated hours and grade points show that the student is deficient from a C average ... " The statement continues with other points and the final note that probation constitutes a warning that the student may have difficulty in meeting graduation requirements and should correct the problem.

Academic suspension tells a less friendly story: "A student whose accumulated hours and grade

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scholarship."

Jniversity rules work against students

These statements tell a student-customer that he may attend and partake of the services for which he has paid, but only at the satisfaction of the university-retailer. If a student-customer does not live up to the university-retailer's overall expectations, then the student-customer loses the services he has paid for.

The student-customer may have achieved precisely what he set out to achieve. He may have barely passed the class or classes and can live happily with that knowledge. So here we find two paradoxes.

Paradox one: though an individual instructoremployee has passed a student-customer, the university-retailer does not deem the progress of the student-customer satisfactory and throws him out. This constitutes a shrewd business move on the part of the university-retailer. After the 20th day of classes, the student-customer will receive no refund.

Paradox two: a student does not have the right to chart his own academic progress. Though we may decry an individual's lack of concern for academic excellence, if a student-customer passes the classes - even with a 1.0 grade point average - he has passed the classes. What was good enough for the instructor-employee should suffice school interfere with your education.

Last week, this column studied in depth the points show that the student is deficient from a C for the university-retailer. If not, then the average ... will be suspended for poor instructor-employee should alter his grading scale so that only those who attain a C will pass the class. It works for the graduate school.

The academic probation and academic suspension rules give us only one example of the retailer telling the customer how to use the product he has purchased. The university has other rules, similar in nature, which restrict the ability of the customer to receive the kind of education he wants.

The university believes these rules are necessary and proper to the maintenance of the school. But if one carries this concept to other fields, then a piano dealer should repossess an instrument which its owner cannot play well. That the pianist enjoyed his time at the keyboard, regardless of his talent, would make no difference. If he could not play as well as the dealer thought he should, then the owner should not have access to the piano.

Always remember that you, the studentcustomer, have paid good money to attend FHSU and deserve courteous service as a customer. Any rule or policy which restricts your rights as a customer works against your best interests and you must circumvent it. That rule or policy should not exist.

In closing, a bit of popular wisdom: don't let

The University Leader

Quality education hurt by hiring practices Alcohol/from page 1

By CARLA BARBER Staff Writer

State and federal budget cuts have forced many colleges to cut corners wherever possible. According to the American Association of University Professors, one of these cuts is damaging to higher education.

The cost-trimming practice that alarms the AAUP is that of hiring temporary teachers who will not be eligible for tenure.

Dr. Herschel Kasper, a Princeton professor who authored the AAUP report, said colleges who opt to hire temporary teachers are "shooting themselves in the foot" since nontenure-track teachers "adversely attractiveness of the institution."

argued that most temporary teachers costs. "are assigned the most pedagogal tasks, and are not as available to students, as other long-term faculty. What does that say about the quality

of education?" Despite AAUP opposition, the trend is accelerating. According to the College Press Service, nearly half of all the first-time junior faculty positions were nontenure track in 1981, and by 1982-83, over 60 percent of the nation's humanities faculty members were not tenured.

Forty to 45 percent of all nontenure-track positions on American campuses are held by women, Kasper added. He doesn't

AAUP officer Dr. Robert Kreiser easier while cutting back labor always will be," Brown said.

Since colleges are entitled to have new faculty on probation for up to four years, "the school could hire tenured faculty for a probationary period," Kasper said. "By the end of the four to seven years, the institution should have its mind made up on the new program."

Dr. James Murphy, vice president of academic affairs, doesn't see the issue as being quite as cut and dried as all that. He said the quality of teaching depended upon the teacher rather than their standing as temporary or tenured.

Fort Hays State doesn't have a problem with temporary/tenured teachers, since 70 percent of FHSU affect the quality of faculty and the buy the notion that temporary teachers are tenured, with 5-10 teachers make trying new courses percent more on track, Murphy said.

There is no set policy on what happens to those who are caught with alcohol at a game, Jellison said.

"It's handled on an individual basis," he said. If someone becomes unruly and ill-behaved. Jellison said that person will be "arrested and

taken to jail." Athletic director Robert Van Poppel said people will be removed from the games if they become a said usually all that happens is the nuisance.

Wellness clinics offered

the Student Health Center's prime concern.

Therefore, it will offer a vision screening clinic today from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. in the Memorial Union and a blood pressure clinic tomorrow, Sept. 24 from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Both clinics have been offered for several years. They are free and open to the public. The vision clinic is usually attended by 30 to 40 people. Registered nurses will give eye tests to those interested, screening near and far vision.

Free pamphles containing information about various vision problems will be available.

"If we find people have a problem, we will either refer them to their private optometrist, or if they don't have one, we will do further checking here," Ellie Gabel, registered nurse, Student Health Center nurse, said. According to Gabel, the blood

"We've removed people from "I think alcohol consumption is a basketball games and would do it at very hard thing to stop," Van Poppel football games," VanPoppel said. said. The only way to control drinking.

As far as he knows, though, there has never been a fight or alcohol related disturbance at a football game.

Brown said the campus police take whatever action is necessary to curtail alcohol consumption. If someone is caught with a bottle, he alcohol is disposed of.

"It would be unfair to put a rule. into effect without a campaign about it," he said.

clinic.

checked," Gabel said.

throughout the year.

Even though people take liquor. into the games, no one is out to. Wellness of the student body is pressure clinic ususally has a bigger bust anyone for drinking at athletic turnout than the vision screening events.

> "Some people are already taking try to catch someone," Jellison said blood pressure medication and just come in to have their pressure. beverages is an ideal dream, " Brown . said, "But I don't think it will be a

Checking the blood pressure is an important part of student health care: We can prevent someone from having a stroke or a heart attack. If we find that someone has a problem, we will continue checking their blood pressure for three weeks and on the regents Friday agenda include then send them to their private consideration for authority using \$24,000 of oil and gas royalties in physician or continue treatment here," Gabel said,

fiscal year 1987 for various Offering health clinics is essential university farm improvements. The in promoting wellness, Gabel said. regents will also discuss "People are more conscientious considerations" for a search about their health today. They are committee for the FHSU presidential health-oriented," Gabel said. vacancy.

The vision screening and blood Pflughoft said that all of the pressure clinics are the first in a meetings will be open and that he : series of clinics scheduled encourages attendance from both students and faculty:

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Jellison said there is the

"It's on the agenda and has been !

If barring containers from athletics :

"We never want to be in a game to:

"Total absence of alcoholic.

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Matters related to Fort Hays State

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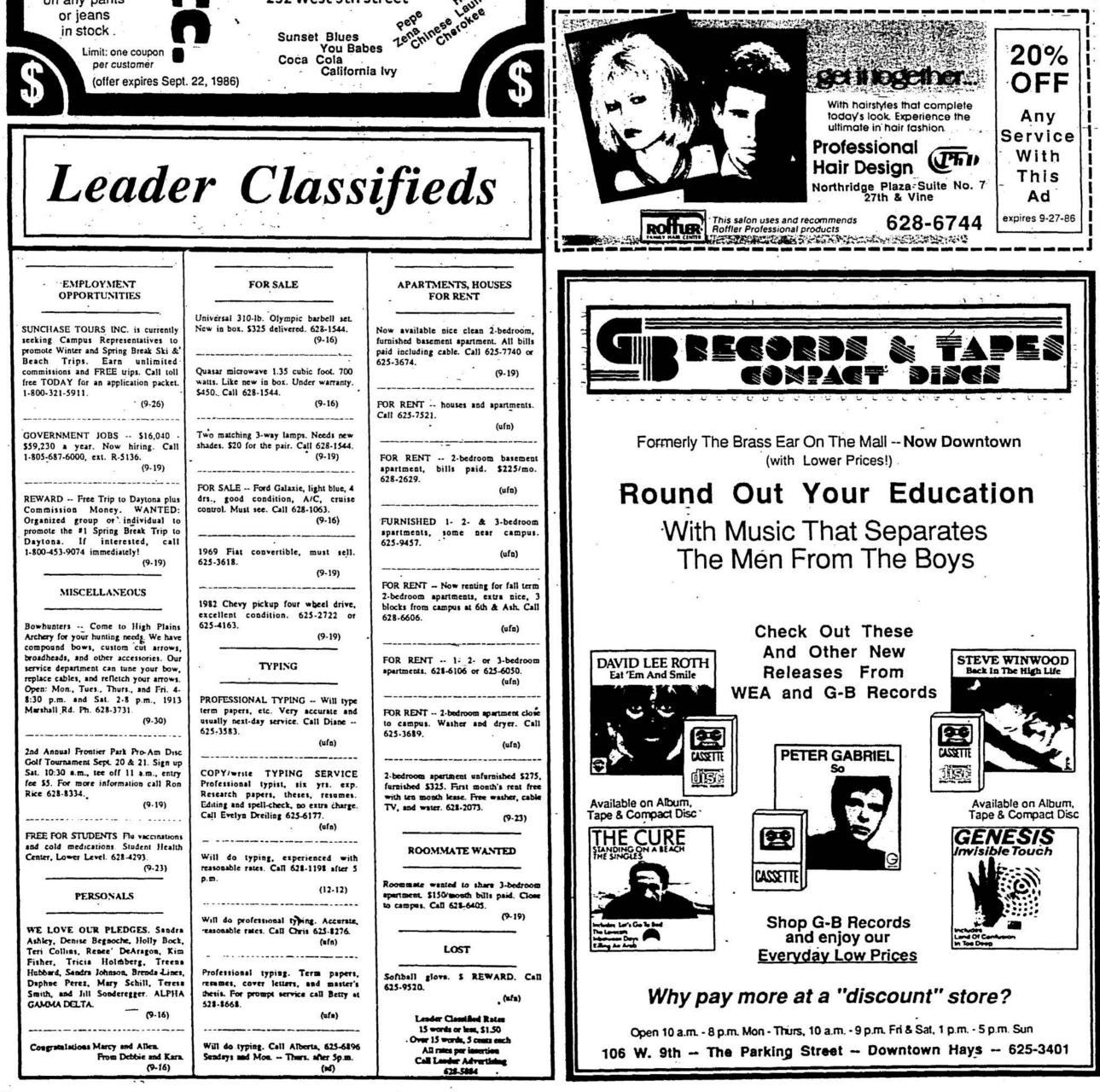
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Entertainment

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William's strikes out in Club Paradise

Reviewed by David Burke

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One can look upon the cast of a movie as a team; say, a baseball team.

In Club Paradise, the team looks impressive on paper. There's Robin Williams, the heavy hitter; Peter O'Toole, the seasoned veteran; SCTV teammates Rick Moranis, Eugene Levy, Joe Flaherty, and Andrea Martin; Saturday Night Live's Mary Gross, Robin Duke, and Brian Doyle-Murray; Steven Kampmann, former writer and co-star of Newhart; and Joanna Cassidy, whose last big role was on TV's Buffalo Bill.

As for the musical part of the team, we have reggae singer Jimmy Cliff. There's also Twiggy, who fits in somewhere on the team, perhaps as a batgirl.

Anyway, the "team" in Club Paradise strikes out. And how.

I expected grand slam laughs, especially from Williams, but instead the laughs were put on rain delay.

One of these days, there will be unique comedy talents, but those have been few and far between.

He is a Chicago fireman who nearly cashes it all in during an apartment fire. Instead of staying in his job and risking his life, he moves to a small tropical island to operate a fleabag hotel with Cliff. Williams runs up against Murray, who runs the island's only other

hotel: a slick, tropical resort. After botched fix-up work, Williams opens "Club Paradise," His first guests include Kampmann and Martin as a bickering couple; hit. Moranis and Levy as two "swinging guys," both named Barry, complete with gold chains; Duke and Gross as disinterested women; and Cassidy as the travel editor of a New York newspaper who is romanced by OToole, the drunken governor of the island.

Then there's Twiggy, who ends up as Williams' love interest, and Levy as the nearsighted pilot.

To the dozens of subplots, add the movie which will utilize Williams' fact that military forces are trying to overthrow the island. In short, a jumbled mess of plots

and subplots. What could have been a good movie is lost in oblivion.

For those of you interested in reggae, the soundtrack by Cliff, a contemporary of Bob Marley, is the album to buy.

I have nothing against the acting team in Club Paradise. This time, they just struck out. With a little batting practice, the next time they step up to the plate there might be a

Batter up!

Leader Rating

Editor's note: Films are rated on a scale from one to four stars with four being the highest.

New sunshade style hits campus

Looking for new sunglasses this prize awards," Edith Gould, fall? Look no farther as a new student president of homecoming style has hit the Fort Hays State parade committee, said.

scene. The unique, wrap-around, "I think they're neat because space-look sunshades will be they are mirrored and will go over available to FHSU students to well with the students. People help celebrate the Homecoming can buy them for a souvenier as a and Oktoberfest weekend. reminder of the Homécoming Distributed by the Homecoming parade," said Gould.

Currently there is a supply of Parade Committee, the sunshades are made of a thin, flexible mylar 500 sunshades and none will be with a reflective, metallized reordered. They will be distributed for \$2.50 at the Corner Bookstore,

> at the same time we are still promoting the parade," said Gould.

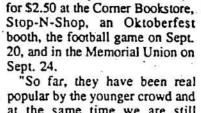
The sunshades were supplied by Anderson's School Spirit out of White Bear Lake, Minn.

attached with a strip of velcro and forehead surface. The sunshades are emblazed Sept. 24. across the front in red letters:

Homecoming '86 FHSU -- The. Great American Dream, "The shades are part of a money-

making project to raise funds for student organizations to help out with their expenses and to use for

outside coating. The earpieces are also has a thin foam strip on the booth, the football game on Sept.









Sports

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Lowen's linksters aim high; shoot for title at own invite

.By KEVIN KRIER Sports Editor

Potential is a word that can be overused in sports vocabulary.

this year's edition of the Tiger linksters is enormous.

"We have some kids like Kevin McKinney (a sophomore transfer McKinney heads the list. The other from Austin, Texas) who can shoot around par most of the time, and we have some kids who can shoot in the mid to upper 70's all the time," Lowen said. "We might, you never Randy Akings, Great Bend junior or know, but we might have one of the Eric Gotsche, Great Bend junior. best teams we've had in quite a while."

The Tiger linksters can take a big step towards realizing this vast Lowen said. "So, it looks as though." source of potential Thursday when they host a six-team invitational at Smoky Hill Country Club.

There will be six teams at the shoot-out and FHSU is very familiar with three of them. Hastings College will bring a team and Kearney State College brings two teams to the SHCC Thursday. Lowen's team has faced these teams before and knows what to expect.

"We know for a fact that Hastings and Kearney are both tough," Lowen said. "Kearney State has two good teams and all three beat us in a tournament last week at Kearney. We know they are very strong."

Other teams coming to the FHSU Invitational are Marymount College and Cloud Community College from Concordia. Despite the strong field,

Lowen believes his team has a great chance to win the tourney.

"If we play like we are capable of playing, we can win it," Lowen said. "I'd just like for our kids to play the But, for Fort Hays State golf kind of golf they are capable of coach Bob Lowen, the potential of playing and put some real numbers on the board.

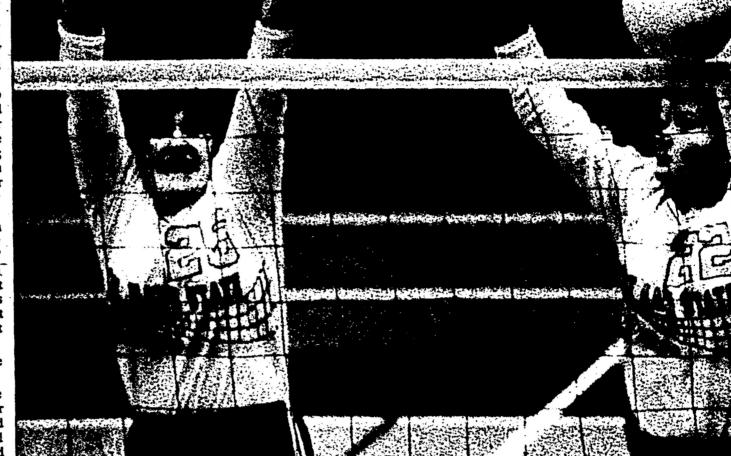
Lowen will take the team's top five golfers to SHCC Thursday and four golfers on the squad include Tom Perkins, Scott City senior: Chad Bowles, Atwood junior; Ron Storz, Phillipsburg junior; and either

"Randy and Eric are involved in a play-off and Randy has Eric down by 10 shots after the first nine holes, Randy will be the fifth player, but Eric will also play Thursday. His score, however, won't count. I just want him to play under pressure just to see what he can do."

Lowen's goals for the team are simple.

"We're just trying to get our game into shape and try to come together as a team, help each other out, and right now we have some pretty good talent," Lowen said. "We played today (Monday) and a couple or three of them played well. We had an exceptionally good round from McKinney. He had a two under par 69 today (Monday), so he played very well."

Tee-off time is 11 a.m. Thursday at the SHCC.



Fort Hays State volleyball players Debble Bunnell, Lander, Wyo. junior, and Shannen Anderson, Eustis, Neb., freshman, attempt to block a shot during the Wendy's Classic in Gross Memorial Collseum last weekend. After a slow start, the Tigerettes rebounded for a 4-2 overall record and the third place trophy. FHSU is now 11-5 for the season and will be competing in the Laverne Invitational this weekend.

Spikers rebound after slow start for 3rd

By KEVIN KRIER Sports Editor

Colorado College, the eventual went well.

need of a win to get their confidence champion with a perfect 6-0 mark, "I think it was a successful restored. won the tournament last year and weekend. The tournament ran Three wins is what FHSU captured proved why they were considered the smoothly, we played some really on the final day and those victories

Sept. 16-19 1986 **Sport Notes** CALENDAR

TODAY

•FHSU tennis at 10 a.m. in Baldwin City with Baker University. •Entries due and play begins at 4:45 p.m. for the Superstar tourney. Events include field goal kicking; pass, punt, and kick; softball throw; home run derby; frisbee throw.

WEDNESDAY

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•Entries due and play begins at 7 p.m. for women's tennis doubles on the FHSU courts.

•Entries due and play begins at 4:30 p.m. for men's and women's horseshoe doubles at the Intramural pits.

THURSDAY

•Entries due and play begins at 3 p.m. for intramural golf. Singles, doubles and co-ed entrants for men and women will meet at the FHSU Municipal course.

FRIDAY

•Intramural touch football entries due in the IM office at 4 p.m. Play is scheduled to begin Monday, Sept. 22 at 4:45 p.m. •FHSU volleyball at LaVerne Invitational all day.

INTRAMURAL RESULTS

Archery

1. Richard Wykoff (Independent)	296
2. Conrad Jones III (Independent)	274
3. Dan Shimp (Sigma Phi Epsilon)	270
4. Shane Roberts (Heat)	264
5. Doug Smith (The C Team)	249

AROUND THE CSIC

CSIC Standings	-
Emporia State	2-0-0
Washburn	2-0-0
Pittsburg State	1-0-0
Wayne State	1-1-0
FHSU	1-1-0
Kearney State	0-1-0
Missouri Southern	0-1-0
Missouri Western	0-3-0

Saturday's results:

Augustana S.D. 7, Wayne State 3; Emporia State 34, Southwestern 14; University of Nebraska-Omaha 3, Kearney State 0; Northeast Missouri State 19, Missouri Western 9; Washburn 38, Northwest Missouri State 24; Pittsburg State 57, Arkansas Tech 38; Northwestern Oklahoma State 44, FHSU 21.

Saturday's schedule:

Emporia State at Baker University, 7:30 p.m.; Black Hills State S.D. at FHSU, 2:30 p.m.; Kearney State at Moorhead State (Minn) 7:30 p.m.; Missouri Southern at Arkansas Tech, 7 p.m.; Missouri Western at Northwest Missouri State, 1:30 p.m.; Pittsburg State at Missouri-Rolla, 1:30 p.m.; Central Missouri State at Washburn, 7:30 p.m.; Wayne State at Southwest State (Minn), 1:30 p.m.

volleyball team started play Friday. afternoon at Gross Memorial Coliseum, they knew it was not going to be an easy day.

When the Fort Hays State

But, after the Tigerettes upset an NCAA school from Colorado (Air Force Academy), Wise and her squad perhaps thought the road to the title would be a cakewalk.

FHSU knocked off Air Force 15-9, 15-11 but soon came back down to earth when Colorado College blasted the Tigerettes 15-4, 15-10.

Classic title this year.

College of Nebraska finished the want for them." tourney with a 5-1 record and the runner-up trophy.

with the way her squad performed. In Sunday's edition of the Hays Daily News, Wise was quoted as things did not look good for FHSU. this weekend. FHSU is now 11-5 for

top contender for the Wendy's strong matches and we tried a lot of vaulted FHSU into the third place plays so the players would get more spot overall.

The Tigerettes went on to post a confident with them," she said. respectable 4-2 mark and claim the "Everybody got playing time again, we might be 4-2 considering the third-place trophy, while Doane which early in the season is what we teams that were coming," Wise said.

the Tigerettes for the two-day came back and finished strong." Wise was not totally displeased tourney as she was named to the all- The Tigerettes left for California tournament team.

After the first day of competition, compete in the LaVerne Invitational saying that she thought the tourney The Tigerettes were 1-2 and in dire the season.

"Before the tournament, I thought

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"Then the girls were pretty down De De Parker, Oberlin senior, led after losing two straight. But, they

Sunday afternoon where they will

FHSU ripped in 44-21 debacle

By ERIC JONTRA Aust. Sports Editor

The Fort Hays State Tigers proved Saturday night that they are not perfect. Far from it, in fact.

The 11th-ranked Tigers selfdestructed in every way possible during Saturday night's drubbing at the hands of unheralded Northwest Oklahoma State, losing by the final count of 44-21.

What started out as a memorable occasion for FHSU (Saturday marked the first-ever induction into the Tiger Sports Hall of Fame) quickly evolved into an evening that most would just as soon forget.

All that Tiger head coach John Vincent and his staff knew about the Ranger team was that they were a running team. In their season opener against Adams State, remaining NWOSU had rambled to a 40-20, ground-oriented win.

Throwing the ball was supposed to be the Ranger's weakest facet, and the FHSU team to win, and win big. So much for pre-game predictions. Trailing 7-0 after one quarter of action, the Rangers erupted for 17 second quarter points and went into

14. The Tigers had ended the first half

with an impressive drive against a stingy Ranger defense and when Randy Fayette connected with Frankie Neal for a 32-yard touchdown with 1:05 left in the second quarter, it seemed like the thwarted nearly every Tiger drive by FHSU squad had finally kicked their sputtering offense into gear.

It didn't stay there very long. The Tigers started the second half

at their own 17-yard line, and after contest. four plays punted the ball away. Eleven plays later, the Rangers 5-yard touchdown pass from Troy Chestnut to Tim Albin.

Although the point after attempt failed, the touchdown marked the last chance the Tigers would have of even coming close to the lead.

The score remained at 23-14 until the start of the fourth quarter, when above his own squad. NWOSU scored on a running play from a yard out. The Rangers added two more touchdowns in the following minutes and had extended their lead to 44-14 before Mike Worth snuck in for a Tiger score with just over five minutes

FHSU had a grand total of six turnovers in the game, including five intercepted passes. In the first half, most pre-game evaluations picked a touchdown, but in the second half Torrance, Calif., native tossed two interceptions in each half,

Jeff Miller, who replaced Fayette late in the game, looked impressive the locker room leading FHSU 17. in the contest, but most of his collected yardage was gained against the Ranger's second defensive unit.

In all, the Tigers gained 397 yards of total offense with 336 coming via the pass and the remaining 61 from their ground game.

Still, the NWOSU defensive unit causing a turnover, something Vincent at least partly attribues to

the Rangers having five and offense. You can't expect to have sometimes six defensive backs in the that many turnovers and win a game,

"I think all those defensive backs," Vincent said, "really caused Randy completed an impressive drive with a some problems. They played well, Vincent spoke of dealt with his too, but we've got to look at the team's inability to successfully cover films and see what those problems the pass. Chestnut, a 6-3, 195were."

> was naturally displeased with his yards passing and three touchdowns. team's effort, but genuinely feels that the Rangers aren't that much burning all night long, the big

"I think they looked good passing controversial pass play in the third and running the ball," Vincent said, quarter of action. "because we had a lot of blown assignments. I really, honestly don't Florida transfer, went deep down the believe they're that much better than middle on a first-down play. Neal we are, and I think that on any given appeared to be tripped up as he sped night anything could happen. We by a Ranger defender, but the official just had some terrible, terrible, on the play threw no flag. At the mental breakdowns out there."

In a way, Lee Brower, the head coach of the Rangers, agreed. "I Vincent said, "that was interference. Fayette was 15-24 for 191 yards and -don't know if we dominated the I don't worry about the rules, but game," Brower said, "but we did get God Almighty, it seemed like he he was just 5-11 for 98 yards. The some good breaks. We felt like our was up in his heels and bumping offense could drive the ball, and I'm him and if that isn't interference, sure that Fort Hays didn't know that than I really and truly don't know we could throw the ball."

> Brower was right. Vincent wasn't "He would have caught the pass, tremendously pleased with the fact and with Frankie's speed, he would that the Tigers gave up as much have scored the touchdown. Still, vardage as the offense could gain. my job is to get the guys ready to (NWOSU also had 397 total yards) play and it's their job to call the but on the same token he wasn't game, so I'm not going to criticize disappointed with the overall them too much. That could have defensive effort.

"At times we broke down on On the very next play, Fayette defense," Vincent said, "but our threw his fourth and final defense was put in pretty bad position several times by our

and you certainly can't make that many mental mistakes."

Many of the "mental mistakes" pound junior, was 12-22 against The second-year FHSU mentor FHSU, ending the game with 184 Although the fuse had been bomb for the Tigers came on a

Neal, the standout University of time, FHSU trailed 23-14.

"There was no doubt at all," what is.

been a big, big play," Vincent said.

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interception, and for all intents purposes, the game was over for the Tigers. -

Fayette's eight interception total after only two games hasn't left Vincent very happy, and Saturday night's defensive showing didn't leave a particularly good taste in his mouth either.

Even so, Vincent isn't planning any major shake-ups in the lineup that is scoring at a 28.5 points per game clip while allowing 25 points per game. According to Vincent, he likes to show his players that he has faith in them.

"I call that the French Army syndrome," said Vincent, "which comes out of the deal from World War I. When everything was going hell for the French, a company would get overrun and they'd just were responsible.

from that. I've seen coaches do that, but it isn't fair to the players guys, but it wouldn't do any good on Monday with the thought that we are going to work on our problems,"

Vincent and his staff will have a week to work out whatever "problems" the Tigers may have before the FHSU club entertains next Saturday.

Although Coach Joe Fisher was disappointed about the results of the season opener at The Wichita State University, the cross country mentor. took the meet in stride and plans to use the experience positively.

"I wasn't really excited about the way we ran," Fisher said. "Some of our runners ran pretty well, but as a team, we got a lot to work on," he added.

The Fort Hays State men captured fifth place in the team standings, while the women came home with a second place finish from the Shocker Invitational, traditionally a tough meet, but lacking in top competition this year.

"I didn't feel it was the quality meet that we thought we would have. It's kind of disappointing," Fisher said.

Shellie Stahly, Newton junior, led

the Tigerette harriers with a 19th scores. place finish in a time of 20:08 over three miles. Chrissy Sitts, Valley Center freshman, turned in an impressive performance in her first collegiate meet, finishing in 20th place with a time of 20:08.5.

Another freshman, Jana Atchison, a native of Kirwin, followed Sitts across the finish line with a time of 20:10, good for a 21st place showing.

The gap widened after Atchison, as Tonya Smith, Alden, N.Y., freshman, was the next Tigerette to cross the line, ending in 26th place with a time of 20:57. Maggie Smelser, McLouth junior, rounded out the FHSU squad, turning in a time of 21:19 and a 30th place finish.

FHSU totaled 85 points to finish second behind Emporia State University with 46 points. Southwestern College ended in third with 124, while Oklahoma State and Wichita State did not complete team

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Other runners competing for the FHSU women, but not counting in the team score, included: Patty Bergmeier, Wakefield sophomore, 36th in 21:45; Karen Borgstedt, Pueblo, Colo., freshman, 52nd in 22:35; Kathy Dixon, Medicine Lodge freshman, 59th in 23:15; and Rosa Vargas, Santa Ana, Cal., junior, 60th. Rick Walker, Englewood junior,

finished first among the FHSU men, touring the five-mile course in 27:30, good for a 19th place finish overall. "He (Walker) really ran well. It was the first time he's been our number one runner," Fisher said. Mike Filley, Tonganoxie junior,

followed Walker across the line ending in a time of 27:55 and a 25th place showing. The team's lone senior, Kirk Hunter of Hoyt, placed 30th in 28:11.

Tom Welker, Woodston sophomore, and Kent Lorenson, Salina sophomore, rounded out the

respectively.

for a fifth place finish as Oklahoma junior, 96th in 31:45. State notched top honors with 31 points. Wichita State finished second Fisher said. "They got excited and with 55 points, followed by got carried away, we pushed the pace Southwestern with 62, Emporia too early," Fisher added. State with 85, FHSU, and Sterling College rounded out the field with

Team scores

Southwestern 124.

Tiger's scoring, placing 38th and 67th in 30:08; Mike Hobbs, Kansas 50th in times of 28:36 and 29:00 City, Kan., junior, 71st in 30:19; Rick Staats, Wichita freshman, 93rd FHSU finished with 110 points in 31:32; and Brian Fisher, Hays

"Our men started out too fast,"

Fisher said the men were-among the leaders the first half of the race but began falling back after the halfway point. "You need to be in position the first half, and then make your move the second half," Fisher said. "If the meet was stopped after the first half, the guys probably would have won," he added.

Coach Fisher said he needs to get all his runners to run in a meet like they do in practice. "We need to work on running the pace we want and competing the last half of the race. We need to run more, intelligently," he said, adding they

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Men: Oklahoma Stale University 31; Wichita State 55; Southwestern 62; Emporia State 85; FHSU 110; Sterling

Women: Emporia State 46; FHSU 85;

Also competing for the Tigers, but not counting in the team scoring, included: Brent Streit, Downs freshman, 65th in 29:55; Melvin Allen, Wichita freshman, had been doing that in practice.

