Disasters Remind All Of Life's Fragility

October 29

Ken J. "Athena Slayer" Lin '95 wins Alpha Phi Chi permanent title of "Ken J. Lin '95" at Mountain States Chapter of the Panhellenic Council. The new president plans to implement a number of changes, including a new set of bylaws that require all members to attend at least two meetings per semester.

Ken J. Lin '95

October 30

Scott Adams, creator of the comic strip "Dilbert," discusses his formula for humor and how he got his start, at a Lecture Series Committee talk in JS-100.

Scott Adams

November 1

Students at Senior House burn copies of the new guide to harassment to protest what they see as a lack of support for victims. As a variety of problems with it, some students charge it Phytophthora infestans, a disease that is commonly found on sweet potatoes, among other crops. The disease has been a problem in the region for several years, and its presence threatens to disrupt the local economy. However, the students who burned the guide believe that the school should do more to support victims of harassment, rather than just publishing a guide that they feel is inadequate.

Michael K. Chung

Michael K. Chung, technology. Boston University ethicist George Aneas says, "This is the experiment we are going to do. It's a horny story. There is nothing to prevent anyone from doing any of this stuff." (Life, January 1994).

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November 1

Truth, Less Rhetoric: Publishing daily during Residence and Orientation Week gave The Tech an opportunity to report on the more private episodes in every techie's life, but it also gave the board a chance to stir a firmly held conviction. The board was aware of the potential for self-righteousness in a ILG rush would help everyone involved. More and more people, frequently behind a closed door, were saying that they had "offended others" by their manner of speech. Some of these people were now requiring that others stop offending behavior without creating conflict. The board made a deliberate attempt to be open and honest about its own doubts concerning future crops. Another issue of dispute was the question of whether or not the school should be held responsible for the damage caused by the Rhizoctonia solani. The board decided that it was not responsible, and that the school should not be held liable for any further damages.

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Presidential election - the President or the Dean for Undergraduate Education and Student Affairs - to respond to homophobia. The board called on the administration - the President or the Dean for Undergraduate Education and Student Affairs - to publicly address the incident and re-affirm its commitment to eradicate homophobia and all forms of discrimination.

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