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Artist has a different way of defining 'art.'

STATE

Yates' attorneys try to reach plea deal

HOUSTON (AP) — Attorneys in Andrea Yates' capital murder case said Tuesday they are still negotiating a plea deal but have hit dead ends.

If they can't work through those areas, prosecutors and defense attorneys say they'll be ready for a second trial in March.

"Both sides are exhausting every avenue that we can possibly go down to try our best to avoid having to retry this case," Yates' attorney, George Pamham, said outside the Harris County courthouse.

Prosecutor Alan Curry said Yates will have to plead guilty or no contest to drowning her children as part of any plea agreement. Pamham has said his client will not plead guilty in the deaths of three of the five children she drowned in the family's bathtub in 2001.

"The non-negotiables may or may not be sticking points, but they remain non-negotiables," Curry said. "We understand their position and they understand ours."

NATION

Calif. plane crash kills all 4 passengers

CARLSBAD, Calif. (AP) — A private jet overshot a runway and crashed in flames Tuesday, killing all four people aboard, authorities said.

The Cessna 560 came in for a landing at Southern California McClellan-Palomar Airport on a flight from Hailey, Idaho, but went about 150 yards beyond the runway, smashing through scaffolding and slamming into a commercial storage facility, said Bill Polick, spokesman for the San Diego County Department of Public Works.

It was not clear if the plane ever touched down on the runway, he said.

The cause of the crash was not immediately known. Polick said the weather was clear and sunny with only light wind.

Norman Boyd said he saw the plane as he drove near the airport on his way to work.

"Its landing gear was up and it was going down really fast," Boyd, who worked on aircraft in the Navy, said in a telephone interview. "It was heading toward the runway and the approaching speed was way beyond what it should be."

WORLD

Real-life Lassie saves the day in Australia

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — In a case of life imitating fiction, a dog named Lassie apparently helped rescue its injured owner after he fell from a horse.

George Crowther, a 90-year-old farmer from Queensland state, broke his hip and pelvis when he was pitched from a bucking horse and his foot became caught in the reins, his son Austin told *The Associated Press* in a telephone interview Tuesday.

Crowther's dog, Lassie, came to the rescue, snuggling in next to Crowther to keep him warm.

When darkness fell, Crowther's wife came searching in the fields with a flashlight, but couldn't hear the man's feeble cries. She called for the dog and Lassie approached, whimpering.

"She said, 'Where's George?'" Austin Crowther said. The dog then led her to the paddock where Crowther lay cold and injured.

Crowther was recovering Tuesday. "He named her properly," Austin Crowther said of his father's four-legged friend.

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SMITH RESIGNS

Chancellor steps down after a decade in the Tech system in order to 'realign values'

By BRITTANY BARRIENTOS
NEWS EDITOR

Thomas Paine once said, "Time makes more converts than reason."

This may hit close to home for the Texas Tech community, as Tech Chancellor Dr. David Smith resigned from his position Tuesday for that reason.

"My feelings haven't changed about Texas Tech," he said. "I've just had a chance to reflect on the 10 years I've been here and the goals that have been achieved."

Smith's resignation came after he was chosen as a finalist for the chancellor position of two separate university systems, though he said another job offer is not what prompted his resignation.

"There were things to consider. The timing was good," he said. "I always have to be fair to my position."

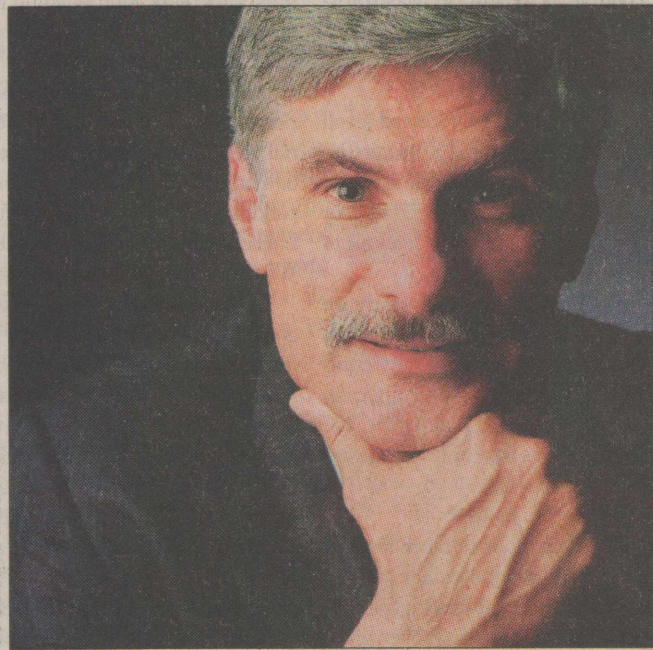
Some of those things he said he considered include the budget being prepared, the time before the next Legislative session and the state of the university.

In addition to those, Smith said the winter break gave him time to consider the possibility of other leadership roles.

The board of regents granted Smith a sabbatical and the option to become a tenured professor in pediatrics when he returns. Currently, that offer seems to be chief in his mind.

"There's a very good possibility that will happen,"

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Alito confirmation supporters appear strong in Senate

By JESSE J. HOLLAND
ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER

WASHINGTON (AP) — Supreme Court nominee Samuel Alito won commitments from a majority of senators Tuesday, assuring his eventual confirmation and a likely tilt of the court to the right.

On the same day Alito won a 10-8 party-line approval from the Senate Judiciary Committee, five Republicans announced that they would vote for his confirmation in the full Senate, pushing him over 50 votes in the 100-member chamber.

Fifty Senate Republicans, plus one Democrat, Ben Nelson of Nebraska, have publicly committed to vote for Alito through their representatives, interviews with *The Associated Press* or news releases.

No Republicans have opposed him and five have yet to declare how they will vote: Sens. Lamar Alexander of Tennessee, Lincoln Chafee of Rhode Island, Susan Collins and Olympia Snowe of Maine and Ted Stevens of Alaska.

One of Alito's supporters, Sen. Craig Thomas of Wyoming, announced after meeting with Alito in his Senate office. "He represents the kind of justice who will interpret the law with respect to the Constitution and not legislate from the bench. His judicial experience is second to none and I'm confident he will do an excellent job handling his constitutional responsibility," Thomas said.

Twenty Democrats are publicly opposing President Bush's pick to replace retiring

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Will we ever see Triple Digits?

After Kobe's 81, fans dream of 100

By MATT EARLE
STAFF WRITER

Some basketball analysts said it was improbable. Others said it was impossible.

Kobe Bryant said it is unthinkable, but a 100-point game is possible. It happened in 1962.

This notion again has become plausible after Bryant eclipsed the 81-point plateau against the Toronto Raptors Sunday.

This is the second highest scoring total by any one player in nearly 44 years.

The only other player to have a higher scoring career game is Wilt Chamberlain with his 100-point effort.

Even more impressive was the manner in which Bryant did it.

Bryant shot 28-of-46 from the field, including 7-of-14 from

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MATT BROWN/The Associated Press

Mayoral candidate has ties to Lubbock, campus newspaper

By MICHELLE CASADY
STAFF WRITER

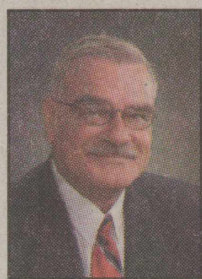
Tom Martin, who has served on the Lubbock City Council as a representative of District 5 and mayor pro tem since May 2002, will be running for mayor in the May 13 election.

David Miller also has announced his candidacy for mayor.

"We have two good candidates for mayor running," Mayor Marc McDougal said. "Tom Martin has been a huge help to me during my two terms as mayor."

Martin said his decision to run came after the current mayor announced his intentions to not run for another term.

"I've also served on the city council for four years," Martin said. "I believe a mayor needs to have city council experience to be successful."



Martin

This is part of an occasional series profiling the mayoral candidates. Election Day is May 13.

neighbor and campaign treasurer Jim White said Martin's decision to run for mayor is the best decision he's made yet in regards to the future of Lubbock.

"We spent many nights and weekends together talking about Lubbock and its future,"

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'THIN GREEN LINE'

Study says Army stretched to breaking point

By ROBERT BURNS
AP MILITARY WRITER

WASHINGTON (AP) — Stretched by frequent troop rotations to Iraq and Afghanistan, the Army has become a "thin green line" that could snap unless relief comes soon, according to a study for the Pentagon.

Andrew Krepinevich, a retired Army officer who wrote the report under a Pentagon contract, concluded that the Army cannot sustain the pace of troop deployments to Iraq long enough to break the back of the insurgency. He also suggested that the Pentagon's decision, announced in December, to begin reducing the force in Iraq this year was driven in part by a realization that the Army was overextended.

As evidence, Krepinevich points to the Army's 2005 recruiting slump — missing its recruiting goal for the first time since 1999 — and its decision to offer much bigger enlist-

ARMY'S NEW PATH

(AP) — To reduce strain on its soldiers, the Army is pursuing several new paths:

— THE NUMBER of active-duty combat brigades would grow over the next few years from 33 to 42, with the stated goal of allowing soldiers to spend two years at their home station for every year they are deployed to a war front.

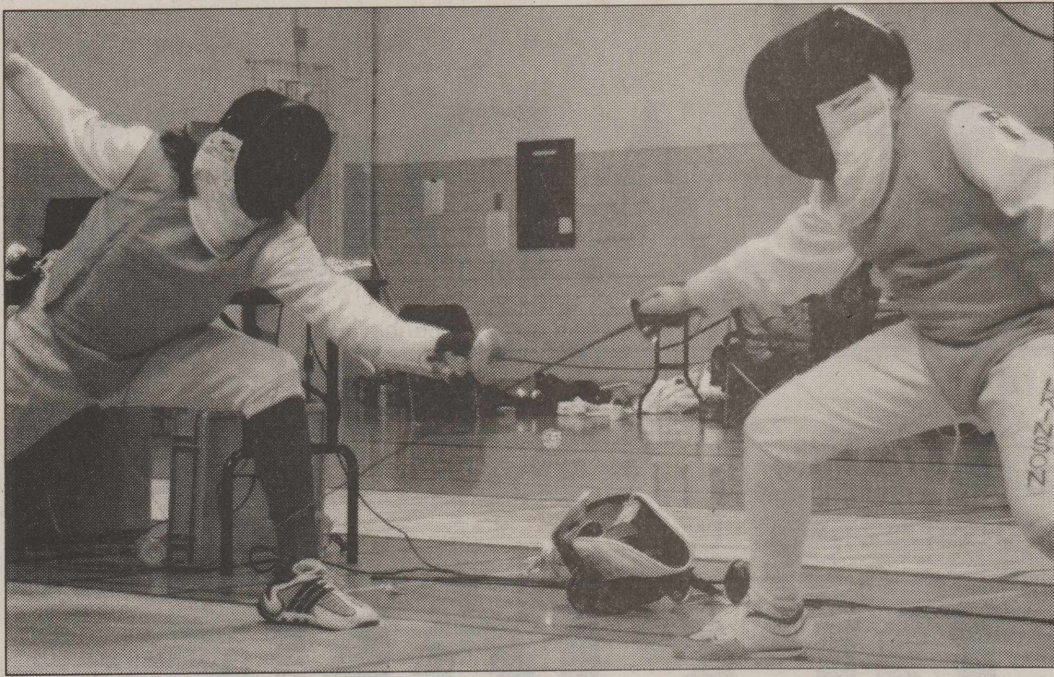
— IN THE short term, the Army is adding more troops to its active-duty ranks, although that is intended to be temporary.

— THE ARMY is implementing what it calls "rebalancing," or the conversion of units like artillery and air defense that are in less demand today to the kinds of units that are in greater demand.

— THE MOST immediate form of relief for the Army would be a substantial reduction in troop levels in Iraq. If the numbers could be cut from the current 136,000 to 100,000 or lower by the end of the year, as many expect, that would provide significant relief. The only announced plan is to cut to about 130,000 by March.

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ON GUARD



MEMBER OF THE Texas Tech fencing club, Greg Everett, left, a sophomore architecture major from Albuquerque, N.M., fences against an opponent during a tournament in the Exercise and Sport Sciences building Sunday morning.

KELLY MATHERLY/The Daily Toreador

SGA elections begin February

Elections are coming up for the Texas Tech Student Government Association, and deadlines are growing near. SGA elections will be Feb. 21 through Feb. 22. Statements of intent to run for office are due by 5 p.m. Friday in the SGA office on the third floor of the Student Union Building. Forms can be given to SGA assistant Jimmie



Bradley. According to the SGA elections flier, students may run for senator of a college, senator at large or for executive office. All students who wish to run for one of these offices need to pick up a statement form and an election code before Friday. Bradley said all students running for election must attend one candidate seminar. Failure to do so will result in disqualification. Seminars are at 8 p.m. Jan. 31 and Feb. 1. Bradley said funding request packets for organizations wanting to receive SGA funding are due 5 p.m. Friday.

Tech, Lubbock police blotters

Jan. 18
Texas Tech police investigated a theft, which occurred at the West Hall Visitor's Center. Two pieces of artwork were taken off the wall.

Tech police investigated criminal mischief that occurred in the English-Philosophy and Education buildings courtyard. A red dye was put into the fountain.

Tech police detained two students for possession of alcohol by a minor and six students for consumption of alcohol by a minor, which occurred on the 10th floor of Chitwood Hall. All students were issued Lubbock County citations and released.

A Tech police officer arrested a student for driving while intoxicated following a traffic violation in the 1500 block of Indiana Avenue and a subsequent traffic stop, which occurred in the 1000 block of Indiana Avenue. The suspect was transported to the Lubbock County Jail, and the Lubbock Wrecker Towing Service towed her vehicle.

Lubbock Police received a call about a burglary at Bill Williams Tire at 1105 E. Slaton Road. The victim said the suspect broke the front door and took an unknown amount of money from a cabinet.

Lubbock police investigate reports of a burglary at Westmark Realtors at 4105 84th St. The victims said a laptop, laptop carrying case, computer Zip drive, Palm Pilot, 200 GB hard drive back unit and a digital camera were stolen.

Jan. 19
A Tech police officer investigated burglary of a vehicle, which occurred in the Z-2 parking lot. The passenger window was broken and a Sony Explode AM/FM CD player was taken.

A Tech police officer investigated burglary of a vehicle, which occurred in the Z-2 parking lot. The driver's side window was broken and a pink Apple iPod Mini and a Belkin iPod FM transmitter were taken.

Tech police investigated burglary of a vehicle, which occurred in the Z-2 parking lot. The driver's side window was broken and an after-

market stereo was taken.

A Tech police officer investigated disorderly conduct, which occurred in the paid parking lot, located east of the Architecture building. An individual was using profane language toward the owner of the vehicle.

A Tech police officer documented damage to a vehicle that occurred in the Z-4 parking lot. A student's vehicle side mirror was damaged.

A Tech police officer investigated burglary of a vehicle, which occurred in the Z-4 parking lot. The passenger side window was broken and an Alpine AM/FM CD player was taken.

Jan. 20
Tech police investigated criminal mischief, which occurred on the second floor of Weymouth Hall. Sixteen ceiling tiles and the air condition duct were damaged.

A Tech police officer investigated graffiti, which occurred on the north side of the Education building in the breezeway. An obscene picture was spray painted onto the building.

A Tech police officer arrested a non-student for a violation of a criminal trespass warning and possession of marijuana that occurred in the Z-3 parking lot. He was transported to the Lubbock County Jail, and the Lubbock Wrecker impounded his vehicle.

A Tech police officer investigated graffiti that occurred in elevator No. 1 in the Flint Avenue Parking Garage. An obscene picture was spray painted onto the glass window of the elevator.

A Tech police officer investigated burglary of a motor vehicle that occurred in the Z-1 parking lot. The right passenger window was broken and a JVC stereo was taken.

A Tech police officer detained a student for providing alcohol to a minor, which occurred on the third floor of Gordon Hall after receiving a 911 call concerning students climbing on the roof of the residence hall. The student was released pending the filing of charges with the Lubbock County District Attorney's Office.

Jan. 21
A Tech police officer issued a criminal trespass warning to a non-student after detaining him because of suspicious activity in the 2500 block of Main Street.

A Tech police officer arrested a student for public intoxication and evading arrest, following a welfare check in the Z-5 parking lot. A second student

was detained for consumption of alcohol by a minor and evaded detention in a motor vehicle from the Z-5 parking lot. The first student was transported to the Lubbock County Jail. The second student was located at his off-campus residence by the Lubbock Police Department and released pending the filing of charges.

Lubbock police arrested a suspect for evading arrest or detention. The suspect was pulled over in the 3000 block of Second Place. The driver of the vehicle then fled and after a pursuit, the driver was taken into custody.

Lubbock police arrested a suspect for burglary of a commercial building and evading arrest or detention. The suspect allegedly broke into a building and took money, then ran from uniformed police officers. The suspect was located and arrested.

Jan. 22
A suspect was arrested for three misdemeanor warrants, one felony warrant and aggravated kidnapping. Police responded to a radio call at 1521 26th St. They arrived and heard the victim crying and were denied entry into the household. The officers kicked open the door and took the suspect into custody and brought the victim and her 4-month-old baby to safety.

A Tech police officer investigated a theft that occurred in the cafeteria of the Health Sciences Center. A variety of food items were taken.

A Tech police officer investigated a burglary of a vehicle, which occurred in the Z-3 parking lot. The passenger window was broken, and the stereo was taken.

A Tech police officer investigated a report of telephone harassment. A student sent several text messages to another student by cell phone. The text messages were threatening in nature.

A Tech police officer documented a code of student conduct violation, which occurred at Chitwood/Weymouth Residence Hall. A potato gun was confiscated by officer personnel.

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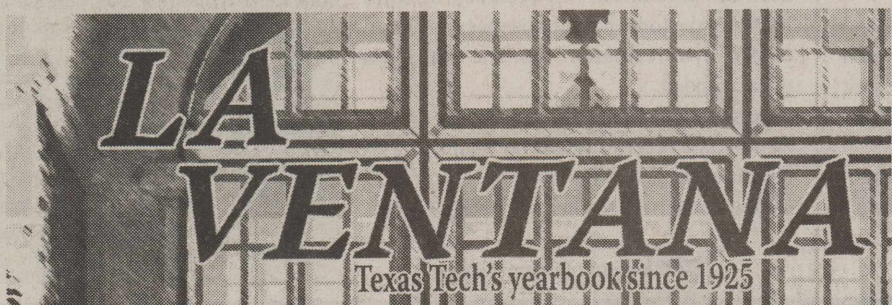
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Heart Health: The truth behind cardiovascular failure, disease

By LAURA BURRUS
STAFF WRITER

College students are not immune to cardiovascular diseases. Students who have a family history of heart disease or who live a sedentary lifestyle have a higher risk of heart failure.

Sandy Reeve, an instructor in the department of health, exercise and sport sciences, said heart attacks are more common in older people, but younger people also are at risk.

"There seem to be more heart attacks in young people now," she said. "Or maybe it's because we just hear about them more."

She said there are several causes for heart attacks in young people, especially athletes, which include dehydration and the overuse of drugs. She said the heart would stop working properly if it is not receiving enough blood and oxygen.

Mallory Boylan, professor of nutrition, said heart attacks are often confused with heart failure. She said it is important to know the difference.

"Sometimes when people have had a heart attack, they've actually had an acute heart failure," she said.

According to the American Heart Association Web site, heart attacks are caused by coronary arteries that have become blocked from a buildup of fat and cholesterol, known as plaque. Blood clots sometimes form, which blocks the blood supply to the heart and sometimes results in a heart

attack.

Boylan said one's heart could stop for many reasons. She said people with bulimia, for example, have very little potassium that reaches the heart because they vomit so often. She said the heart could stop because of a lack of potassium.

Reeve said some heart problems are hereditary and that is why younger people have them. She also said young people who are not active have a higher risk of having a heart attack.

"When young people die from heart failure, it could be a hereditary thing," Reeve said. "Or it could also be a lifestyle thing."

According to the American Heart Association's Web site, learning to avoid a heart attack early in life can help reduce your risk of heart attacks later in life. The association suggests a person should exercise at least 30 minutes a day and eat a diet low in saturated fat, cholesterol and salt. It also suggests people quit smoking.

Reeve said there are studies that prove regular exercise can help reduce blood pressure, which is one of the causes of heart failure. "If you exercise regularly, you can help lower high blood pressure," she said.

According to the association's Web site, the average blood cholesterol level for children and adolescents ages 4 to 19 should be about 165 milligrams per deciliter. About 10 percent of adolescents have cholesterol levels higher

than 200 mg/dl.

Adults' cholesterol levels should be below 200mg/dl. According to the association, 106 million adults who are more than 20 years old have cholesterol levels greater than 200mg/dl. Cholesterol levels above 240mg/dl are considered high risk.

According to the association, cardiovascular diseases are the No. 1 death of Americans. On average, one person dies every 35 seconds because of a cardiovascular disease.

According to the association, the average age for men to have their first heart attack is 66, and 70 years old for women.

Reeve said there are several different types of heart diseases including having too much fluid in the heart or having blocked arteries. She said heart attacks involve a variety of factors.

"A heart attack is the end result of lots of other things going on in the body," Reeve said.

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THE FACTS

Many people don't know about the problems associated with cardio health until something "abnormal" happens.

The American Heart Association provides plenty of information about heart disease and heart failure, along with other interesting facts about cardiovascular diseases.

* 50 percent of men who died suddenly from heart attacks had no previous symptoms

* One in three female adults has some form of cardiovascular disease

* Nearly one in three American adults has high blood pressure

Source: www.americanheart.org

Martin

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White said. "One day we decided to flip a coin and whoever lost the coin toss we decided would run for city council. Tom lost, so he had to serve."

Martin said the coin toss never actually took place but was just a "figure of speech."

"After I retired from the police force I really didn't want anything else to do with city government. But after watching the city for a few years and seeing the direction it was headed, I knew I needed to step up and serve," he said.

According to the Lubbock City Council Web site, Martin graduated from Lubbock High School in 1966 and graduated from Texas Tech in 1970 with a bachelor's degree in journalism. Martin served as news editor of *The Toreador* in 1966-68 and received his master's in public administration in 1977.

The *Toreador* later became *The University Daily* and now is *The Daily Toreador*.

He joined the Lubbock Police Department in 1974 and continued to serve until 1990.

"I've spent 28 years in municipal government, mostly in law enforcement," Martin said. "I have demonstrated my ability to lead."

Martin said his platform consists of many different issues, but focuses mainly on increasing Lubbock business and transportation.

"We have a booming economy right now and Lubbock is enjoying unprecedented growth," he said. "I was one of the leaders in the fight to lower property taxes by nearly 25 percent."

Martin said he has spent a considerable amount of time dealing with transportation.

"We were able to ensure that

the Marsha Sharp Freeway would not be a toll way," he said. "We also sped up construction on the freeway by 12 years."

The speed up in construction was brought about by a proposal Martin wrote to get extra funding from the state for the freeway.

"We don't want Lubbock to end up like Austin, Texas, with a million people and no one can drive anywhere," Martin said.

Natural gas also is an area of interest to Martin. He approached the rest of the City Council with a proposal to make a local company to compete with Atmos Energy.

"It would benefit all Lubbock citizens," he said. "There is no competition right now and our bills are extremely high. We have local competition in lighting and as a result we enjoy some of the lowest rates in the state."

White said Martin is a principled individual.

"You can't persuade Tom to do something that's not right for the people of Lubbock," White said. "He stands by his convictions."

Other areas of interest for Martin according to the city Web site include law enforcement and keeping communication open between Lubbock city and county officials as well as with the school district.

"Most people in Lubbock who are involved in city government know me," he said. "They know my record for track record for getting things done. The people are familiar with me."

Early voting will take place May 1-9. Election day is May 13.

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Alito

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Justice Sandra Day O'Connor, while the other 23 and independent Sen. Jim Jeffords of Vermont are still publicly undecided or refuse to say how they will vote on Alito's nomination.

The only way Democrats can stop the conservative judge now is through a filibuster, a maneuver they show little interest in.

The final debate on the 55-year-old New Jersey jurist begins Wednesday.

"We urge the Senate to move forward with a swift up-or-down vote so he can begin serving on our nation's highest court," White House spokesman Scott McClellan said.

Democrats are working to get a large opposition vote to make their points against President Bush.

"I think it sends a message to the American people that this guy is not King George, he's President George," said Senate Democratic leader Harry Reid of Nevada.

Bush should have picked a woman, said Reid, who urged the president last year to pick White House counsel Harriet Miers. "They couldn't go for her because she was an independent woman," Reid said of Miers, whose nomination was withdrawn under conservative criticism.

Bush then picked Alito, a 15-year federal appeals judge, former federal prosecutor and lawyer for the Reagan administration.

Republicans say he is a perfect choice for the high court. They praise his parrying of Democratic attacks on his judicial record and personal credibility during his confirmation hearings this month.

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Last year warmest in a century

NEW YORK (AP)—Last year was the warmest in a century, nosing out 1998, a federal analysis concludes.

Researchers calculated that 2005 produced the highest annual average surface temperature worldwide since instrument recordings began in the late 1800s, said James Hansen, director of NASA's Goddard Institute for Space Studies.

The result confirms a prediction the institute made in December.

In a telephone interview, Hansen said the analysis estimated temperatures in the Arctic from nearby weather stations because no direct

data were available. Because of that, "we couldn't say with 100 percent certainty that it's the warmest year, but I'm reasonably confident that it was," Hansen said.

More important, he said, is that 2005 reached the warmth of 1998 without help of the "El Nino of the century" that pushed temperatures up in 1998.

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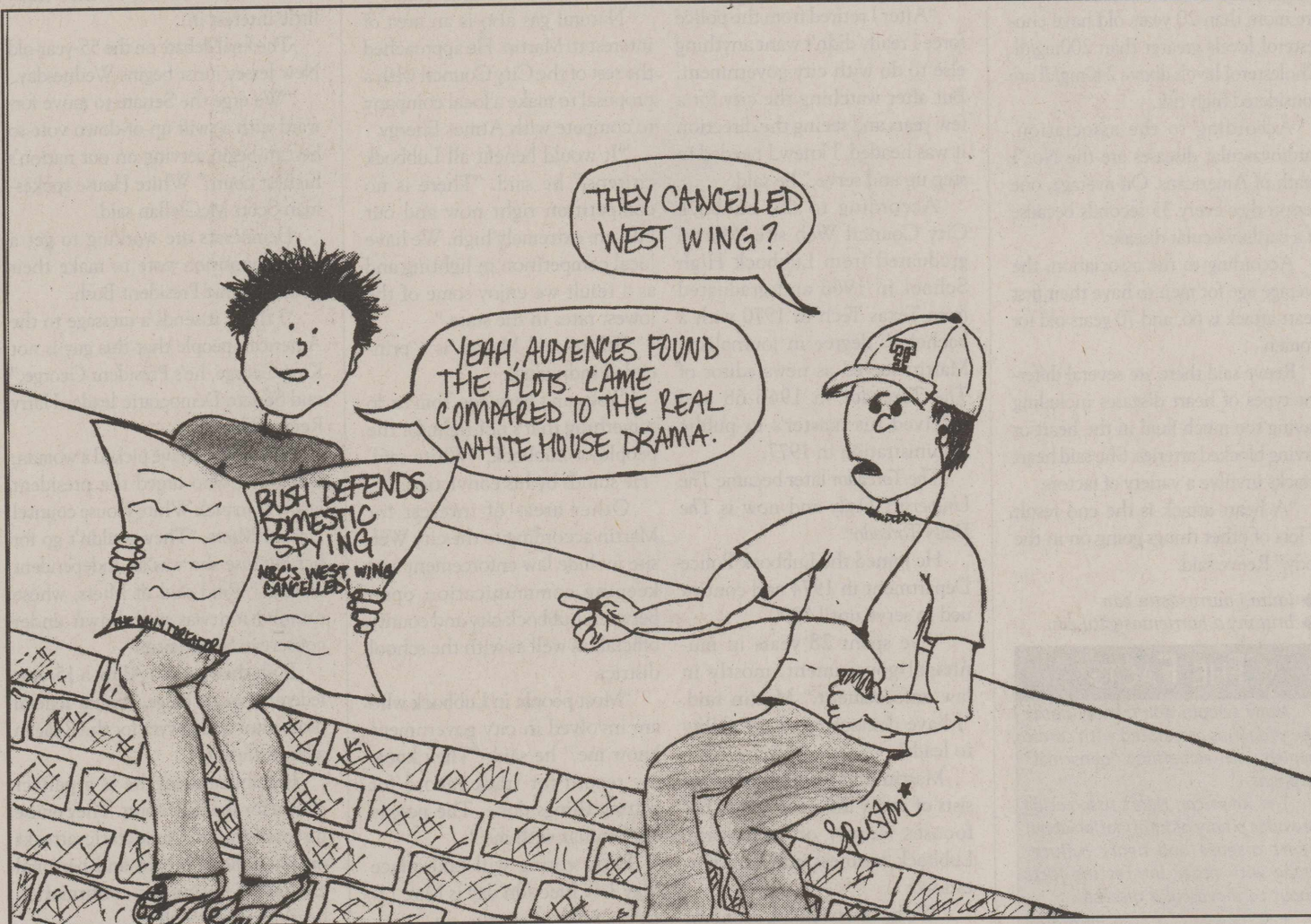
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Neighbors dash rockstar dreams

Promising garage band ruined by unhip neighborhood

"So why do you write a column?" It's a question I get all the time. It's not as if I'm in a veritable quest for notoriety. If I was, that would be a poor decision because not many people read my column, and those who do usually only reply with comments of the "hate mail" variety.

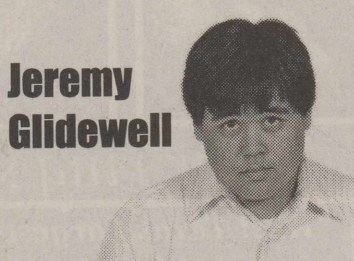
I get questions from those who hate me and love Dr. Phil and those who decry my decision to reveal my anti-cowboy stance (for the record, I am not really anti-cowboy, that was intended to be sardonic in nature; whenever you make that face, it's satire).

I'm not in it for the money. If I was, that would be a stupid decision because columnists do not get paid, with the exception of the time that we got free Red Bull for being in the right place at the right time (Red Bull tastes like feet incredible).

So if it's not fame, and it's not money, why would anyone spend up to ten minutes two hours at the word processor trying to come up with 800 words that don't really affect anyone? The answer is simple. Most of the time I write smart (read wiseacre, not intelligent) columns about "Sanford and Son" and Christopher Walken, try to reference as much of my childhood as possible (anyone remember pogs?), and reveal what happens when a child spends the majority of the 90s watching Nick at Nite and TGIF.

However, filling this space once a week also lends me a

Jeremy Glidewell



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soapbox that I can always on occasion use to complain about the few things in my life that make me unhappy. First there was Wal-

Mart, then there was spending time with my extended family, and now, the one thing that fills me with more despondence than the rest of the world combined - my neighbor.

I moved into my current house before the beginning of my sophomore year and was pleasantly surprised at who lived nearby. He was a pretty nice guy that was married and had recently had a child. I was in a band at the time (we went through several names including: the Small Town Nobodies, Dewey Defeats Truman, Loco Sanchez and Grandmaster B).

While we had a tendency to get a little bit loud, there was a verbal deal in which we wouldn't play during certain times of the day - pretty much any time it was to be presumed that the baby would be sleeping (after meals and after "MacGyver"). It was a fairly easy deal to maintain, and he seemed to kind of enjoy the music, despite it being a little unorthodox. He even went so far as to bring his wife over and have us play a mini-concert for them (He also gave us beer Hi-C and Rice Krispies Treats).

So imagine my chagrin when, after a few months, he got a new job out of state and had to sell his house. A new person moved in, a middle-aged woman who was, at least currently, not married. In retrospect, I should have known she would be problematic when I saw her car in the garage with a cover, but I decided that every-

one, no matter how seemingly uptight deserves a chance.

So my dad, who was in Lubbock at the time, went over and spoke to her about our band and wondered if there were any special accommodations that needed to be made. She asked if we played loudly, and his response was that while we certainly didn't play heavy metal, we were not acoustic and of course would tend to carry over to her side of the fence. She seemed agreeable, so we decided that we would continue and try to always end practice by 7 p.m.

The next day, after ending practice at 6:30 and going inside, an officer comes to my house and knocks on the door and tells me about the complaint from someone in the area. While it is not certain that she was the one who complained, she was the only variable that had changed. We tried again the next day, and when an officer showed up again, we decided to disband.

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'Friend zone' leaves nice guys dateless

I can feel it sucking me in. I can't seem to avoid its strong gravitational pull. Once I am in, I can't do anything to get out.

I am stuck in the "friend zone." My theory is most of the friends you currently have are your friends for one simple reason. You tried to get with them or visa versa and fell into the "friend zone."

The "friend zone" is a lonely place. You sit at a bar across the table from your best friend, and she is cuddling with her boyfriend. Only an hour ago she cried on your shoulder about what a jerk he was being. You know in the back of your mind in a couple of days you will get another one of those teary phone calls asking you if you want to talk. So you run over to her apartment and let her cry on your shoulder once again. Because that is what a best friend is supposed to do.

So how does someone end up in the "friend zone?" Unfortunately the answer is by being a nice guy. If you don't get her drunk and try to take advantage of her, you will end up in the "friend zone." If you don't ignore her when your friends are around or call her a bitch when she questions you, you will end up in the "friend zone."

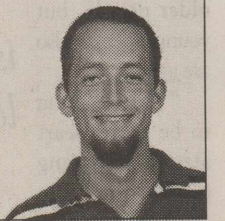
The problem is girls say they want one thing and then go after a completely different thing.

Let us examine a typical Hollywood romantic comedy. Enter Richard Gere as Julia Roberts' lifelong friend. Richard is secretly in love with Julia. Enter Hugh Grant as Julia's cocky boyfriend. For the entire two hour movie, the audience is rooting for Richard. He never would steer Julia wrong. Inevitably by the end of the film, Julia sees the light and runs into Richard's arms. The women seem to love these movies. They eat them up. But they do not live by the philosophy of the movie. In real life, Julia ends up with Hugh, and Richard and I are left wondering where we went wrong.

Women do not know what they want. This extends past what kind of guy they want to spend the rest of their lives with. Let me talk to the guys who have been in a relationship of six months or longer. You think you know what she wants. She thinks she knows what she wants. But one day at about 5 p.m., the two of you are driving down the road. You are hungry and ask her where she wants to have dinner. Her response: "Whatever." In this case "whatever" does not mean "whatever." It actually means, "you better remember what kind of food I like" and "you better remember the last five restaurants we went to because I am not going there again."

So after you have suggested the seventh or eighth restaurant for the two of you to go to, and she has given you another excuse like "no my cousin's

Jay Langley



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ex-roommate works there, and I don't like the shoes I am wearing," just remember she said "whatever."

(Author's note: This last paragraph actually has nothing to do with the "friend zone." It simply illustrates how women have no idea what they want.)

Can someone get out of the "friend zone" once they are in it? The sad answer is no. I was having a conversation with a co-worker of mine the other day. We were talking about a mutual friend, and I suggested she should try dating him. I then heard the words I have heard a million times but still do not understand: "No, we are too good of friends."

So let me get this straight: You don't want to date someone who you can completely trust? You say you want someone who will make you happy and can be there for you through thick and thin. But your boyfriend knows nothing about you. He doesn't know your favorite color let alone your life ambitions or how to make you happy. Don't you want to be with someone who knows everything about you and is willing to stick by you anyway? He will be there even when you feel ugly or fat. Because he thinks you're beautiful no matter what.

My female friends reading this column should not read this and think I am talking about you. This is not my way of telling you that I am secretly in love with you. Anyone who knows me knows that I completely wear my emotions on my sleeve.

So girls, the next time you want a guy to make you happy, don't look very far. He is right there next to you. He will treat you like a queen. He knows everything about you so you know you can trust him. In some capacity, you know he loves you. And in some capacity, you know you love him, too. That's why the next time you have a problem, he is the first person you call. Because you know he will be at your doorstep with a shoulder to cry on.

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VIEW FROM THE BIG 12

Bush plan key to bringing democracy to Middle East

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(U-WIRE) AUSTIN — 2005 was a busy year in the Middle East, and 2006 promises to be no different.

In last year's State of the Union address, Bush raised the bar for Egypt by saying, "[T]he great and proud nation of Egypt, which showed the way toward peace in the Middle East, can now show the way toward democracy in the Middle East." Egypt answered Bush's expectations with sham elections. Ayman Nour, leader of the liberal opposition, was thrown in jail. If Bush is sincere about promoting democracy in the Arab world, he will highlight Nour's plight.

The U.S.-Egypt relationship will attract public scrutiny in 2006. Egypt is seeking a free-trade agreement with the United States, but will not succeed unless Congress, which gives Egypt \$2 billion a year in aid, believes that Egypt is moving forward on the path of liberalization.

Also, President Hosni Mubarak is not getting any younger. He is going to tell Washington that his replacement will either be his son Gamal (affectionately known as Jimmy) or a member of the Muslim Broth-

erhood. Bush needs to convince Mubarak that allowing liberal opposition groups to mobilize without fear is a preferred alternative to corrupt authoritarianism or Muslim theory.

Regarding the Palestinian Authority, Bush said last year, "The beginnings of reform and democracy in the Palestinian territories are now showing the power of freedom to break old patterns of violence and failure. ... The goal of two democratic states, Israel and Palestine, living side by side in peace, is within reach."

The Jan. 25 Palestinian parliamentary elections are a laudable step toward a democratic society, but no candidate is running on a platform of peace. One candidate, a leader of the al-Aqsa Martyrs Brigade named Jamal Abu Roub, answers to the nickname "Hitler." Islamic terrorist group Hamas is expected to make a strong showing in the elections. Israel's policy is that no terrorist can use an election campaign to receive immunity from attack. Therefore, in 2006, Hamas will try to morph into a legitimate political movement - much like the Palestine Liberation Organization did over a decade ago - in order to achieve international and Israeli recognition.

"The government of Saudi Arabia," Bush

said in last year's speech, "can demonstrate its leadership in the region by expanding the role of its people in determining their future." Our so-called ally in the war-on-terrorism, Saudi Arabia has not yet taken any steps to expand the role of its people in determining their future. For example, women are still banned from driving. Bush must be more specific in his call for Saudi Arabia to respect human rights by encouraging the monarchy to empower its women.

About Iraq, Bush said last February, "We will succeed because the Iraqi people value their own liberty." For all the talk about not being able to impose democracy, voter turnout was high for the Dec. 15 parliamentary election. Now the Iraqi political parties will have to negotiate with each other in order to form a coalition government. The Iraqis will do all of this as they struggle to fight the terrorists among them.

In 2006, the U.S. troop level in Iraq will go down, and every politician will take credit for the reduction.

Regarding Syria, Bush said, "Syria still allows its territory, and parts of Lebanon, to be used by terrorists who seek to destroy every chance of peace in the region." Two weeks after Bush's speech, former Lebanese Prime Minister Rafik Hariri was assassinated. The

murder was likely orchestrated by the Syrian regime of President Assad. Syria continues to abet the terrorist insurgency in Iraq, and continues to serve as a gateway for Iranian arms for Hizballah in southern Lebanon. Expect Bush to increase pressure on Assad in 2006 because the road to defeating the Iranian regime passes through Damascus.

On Iran, Bush said, "Iran remains the world's primary state sponsor of terror - pursuing nuclear weapons while depriving its people of the freedom they seek and deserve. ... And to the Iranian people, I say tonight: As you stand for your own liberty, America stands with you."

Bush needs to give more help to Iranian dissidents, both moral support and financial aid. Also, if the United States says that it refuses to live with a nuclear Iran, and if Iran is determined to become a nuclear power, somebody is going to blink.

President Bush is preparing to deliver his 2006 State of the Union address. Expect to hear the latest edition of the Bush Doctrine, which says that the expansion of freedom in the Middle East will make the region and the rest of the world safer and more prosperous. The U.S. will continue to have a major role to play in the Middle East by leading the democratic revolution on all fronts.

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Tech's new identity campaign aims to switch focus from athletics to academics

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The Texas Tech University System has implemented a three-part identity system.

Tech's identity campaign has come under scrutiny of some students and faculty; however, officials pledge the new campaign will help Tech's reputation and image.

Associate Vice Chancellor for Communications and Marketing Lynn Denton said the Double T, the coat of arms and the university seal comprise the three-part identity system.

The Double T will be used for spirit, tradition and athletics; the coat of arms will be used for academics; and the university seal will be used for official documents from the chancellor or president's office.

"We are not getting rid of the Double T," Denton said. "That's one of the biggest misconceptions with this campaign."

She said Tech had more than 200 symbols being used throughout the university, and almost every department had its own identity.

Denton said each college no longer would have their own symbol. Instead, each college will use the coat of arms and have their college name below it.

"What we are trying to do," Denton

said, "is have a unified look for the university instead of several different ones."

She said research shows that outside of West Texas, Tech's academic reputation is almost nonexistent.

"Our athletic reputation is strong, which we are thrilled about," Denton said. "But we are more than just athletics. We need to send the message that we do have a strong academic community."

Amanda Roberson, a public relations major from Allen, said she has noticed Tech's focus on athletics instead of academics.

"In the academic community, it is the best thing we could have done," she said. "All across the country people don't notice us for academics, they just notice our athletics."

Micah Mullin, a junior civil engineering major from Amarillo, said he does not like the new image.

"It makes sense," he said. "But I still don't like it. We aren't known for many things, so we might as well show off what we got already."

Denton said the university agrees that the Double T should still be used for spirit and tradition, but it is not an academic symbol.

She said it makes Tech look unprofessional.

"People judge us by how professional we look," Denton said. "Right now,

when you go to our Web site, we don't look very professional."

Mathematics professor Wayne Lewis said it doesn't matter to him.

"Symbols don't mean much to me," Lewis said. "I don't think it will make a bit of difference because faculty look more at opportunity, research and compatibility than symbols."

Denton said the image campaign is one of many marketing campaigns to boost Tech's academic reputation and professional image.

"With our coat of arms, we are trying to create a unified academic identity," she said. "We aren't trying to distance ourselves from the Double T or athletics, we are just trying to show that sports is not all we care about and our academics are strong."

Denton said Tech is not the only university to implement the three-part identity system. It is one of the last universities to adopt the idea.

"From Here, It Is Possible," will be the new slogan Tech uses to market itself as a credible and professional academic institution," she said.

As part of Tech's identity campaign, the university will have a new look for its Web site, which will launch March 1. Visit www.depts.ttu.edu/webdev/ttu/ for a demo of the new look.

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Disney buying Pixar for \$7.4 million

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The Walt Disney Co. said Tuesday it is buying longtime partner Pixar Animation Studios Inc. for \$7.4 billion in a deal that could restore Disney's clout in animation while vaulting Pixar CEO Steve Jobs into a powerful role at the media conglomerate.

Disney will buy the maker of the blockbuster films "Toy Story" and "Finding Nemo" in an all-stock transaction that makes Jobs Disney's largest shareholder. Jobs, who controls more than half of Pixar's stock and also heads Apple Computer Inc., will also join Disney's board.

"With this transaction, we welcome and embrace Pixar's unique culture, which for two decades, has fostered some of the most innovative and successful films in history," Disney Chief Executive Robert Iger

said in a statement.

Disney has co-financed and distributed Pixar's animated films for the past 12 years, splitting the profits. But that deal expires in June after Pixar delivers "Cars."

Disney, the theme park owner that also owns the ABC and ESPN TV networks, and Pixar have been talking for months about a new relationship.

Pixar Executive Vice President John Lasseter will become chief creative officer of the animation studios and principal creative adviser at Walt Disney Imagineering, which designs and builds the company's theme parks.

Pixar President Ed Catmull will serve as president of the new combined Pixar and Disney animation studios, reporting to Iger and Dick Cook, chairman of The Walt Disney Studios.

Smith

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he said.

If coming back to Tech slips from Smith's radar, however, he said fundamentals he would look for in other roles would be youth involvement, service and health care.

"I've had some time to realign some of my personal goals," he said. "You look ahead and it always seems like you don't have time. I think I'm at that point where I can do that."

As for his successor, Smith said he has hope for the future.

"Whoever comes in here, he or she will fight hard for our faculty," he said. "I think this country doesn't understand how great the students and faculty at Tech are."

Ben Lock, senior vice chancellor for Tech, said it will be up to the board of regents to decide whom that successor will be.

"It's up to the board of regents how they want to proceed," he said. "Searches for these high-profile positions often take awhile, for the board to make sure they have

identified an appropriate pool of candidates."

The regents will come up with a process to pick the chancellor. A process that was established in 2001 when John Monford stepped down as chancellor. There is only one member of the board left from that search, Robert Black.

Lock said despite the changes in the Chancellor's Office, work will continue.

"I was here when John Monford left and the board made David Smith chancellor," he said. "There was no slow down in the amount of work that was done or the people willing to do it."

Lock said he doesn't expect this time around to be any different, and knows the challenge of finding a chancellor will be met with confidence by the regents.

In the last year and a half, Smith entertained offers from both the Georgia University and University of Wisconsin systems. In both instances, Smith withdrew his name from the running, citing family and unfinished

business as his reasons.

Smith was appointed Tech chancellor in 2002. Before that he was president of the Health Sciences Center for six years.

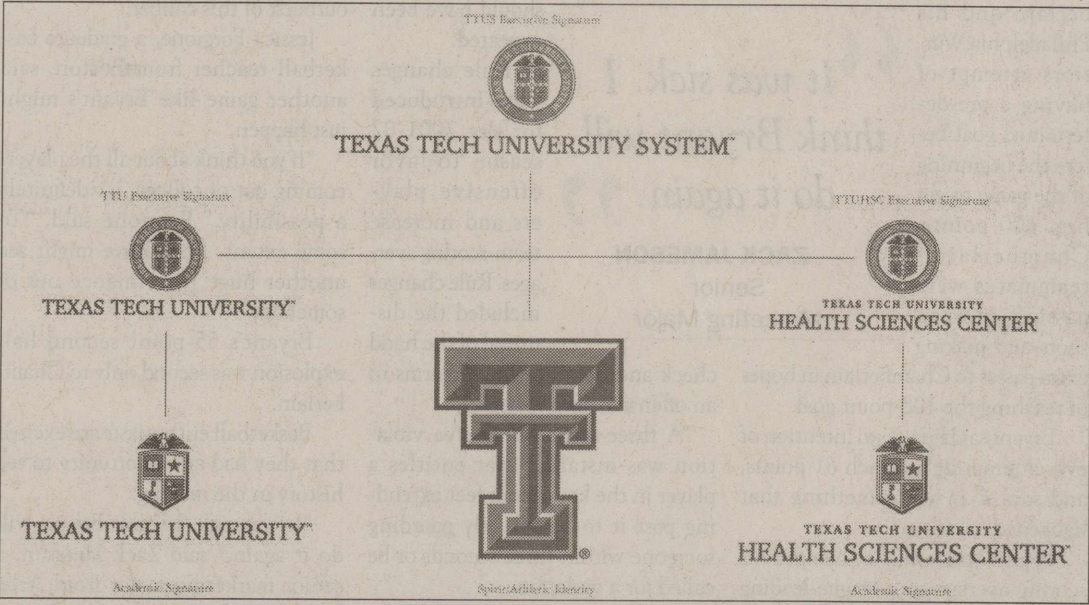
Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison provided this statement regarding Smith's decision: "Chancellor Smith has been a committed leader of the Texas Tech University System for nearly four years and his presence will be missed," she said in the statement. "He leaves behind a strong record of achievement of enhancing the university's centers of excellence, raising significant funding and resources for improvements and increasing its recognition nationwide."

There's no word yet on when the board of regents will meet to discuss Smith's resignation and the process it will enact to replace him.

Despite his resignation, his excitement for the Tech community has not died down.

"We play in a national playground and we can compete with anyone," he said.

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ment bonuses and other incentives.

"You really begin to wonder just how much stress and strain there is on the Army, how much longer it can continue," he said in an interview. He added that the Army is still a highly effective fighting force and is implementing a plan that will expand the number of combat brigades available for rotations to Iraq and Afghanistan.

The 136-page report represents a more sobering picture of the Army's condition than military officials offer in public. While not released publicly, a copy of the report was provided in response to an Associated Press inquiry.

Illustrating his level of concern about strain on the Army, Krepinevich titled one of his report's chapters, "The Thin Green Line."

He wrote that the Army is "in a race against time" to adjust to the demands of war "or risk 'breaking'

the force in the form of a catastrophic decline" in recruitment and re-enlistment.

Col. Lewis Boone, spokesman for Army Forces Command, which is responsible for providing troops to war commanders, said it would be "a very extreme characterization" to call the Army broken. He said his organization has been able to fulfill every request for troops that it has received from field commanders.

The Krepinevich assessment is the latest in the debate over whether the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan have worn out the Army, how the strains can be eased and whether the U.S. military is too burdened to defeat other threats.

Rep. John Murtha, the Pennsylvania Democrat and Vietnam veteran, created a political storm last fall when he called for an early exit from Iraq, arguing that the Army was "broken, worn out" and fueling the insurgency by its mere presence. Administration officials have hotly contested that view.

George Joulwan, a retired four-star Army general and former NATO

commander, agrees the Army is stretched thin.

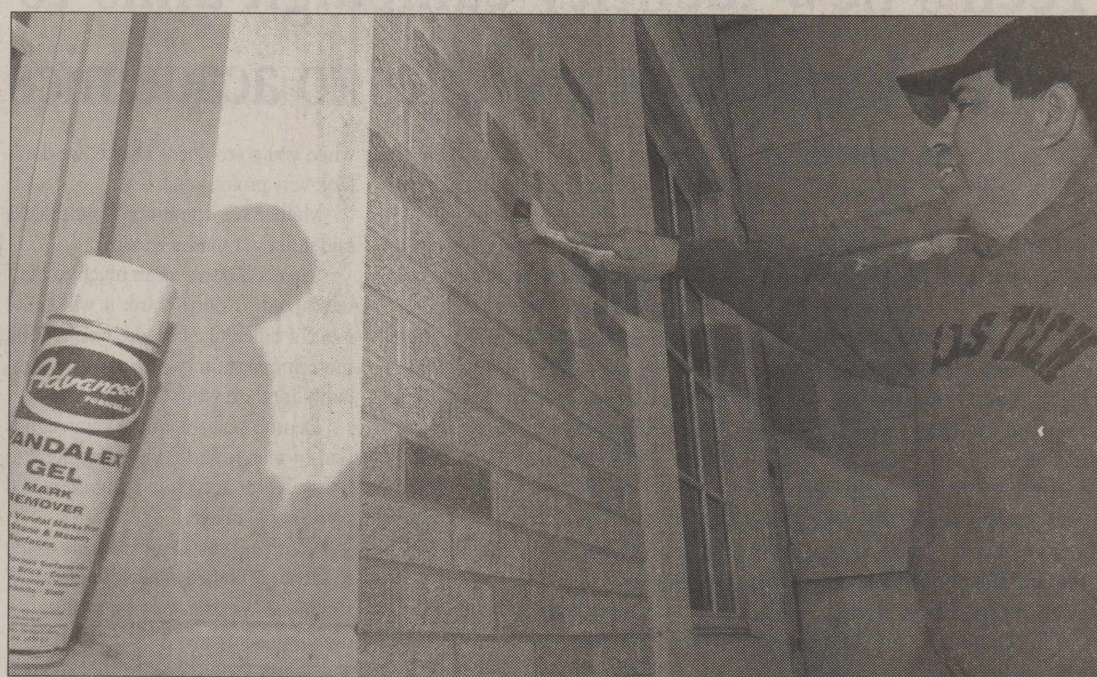
"Whether they're broken or not, I think I would say if we don't change the way we're doing business, they're in danger of being fractured and broken, and I would agree with that," Joulwan told CNN last month.

Krepinevich did not conclude that U.S. forces should quit Iraq now, but said it may be possible to reduce troop levels below 100,000 by the end of the year. There now are about 136,000, Pentagon officials said Tuesday.

For an Army of about 500,000 soldiers — not counting the thousands of National Guard and Reserve soldiers now on active duty — the commitment of 100,000 or so to Iraq might not seem an excessive burden. But because the war has lasted longer than expected, the Army has had to regularly rotate fresh units in while maintaining its normal training efforts and reorganizing the force from top to bottom.

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JUST ANOTHER BRICK IN THE WALL



STEVE LEWIS/The Daily Treador

TEXAS TECH MAINTENANCE worker David Lira scrubs away graffiti Monday afternoon near the west entrance of the Student Union Building.

Gonzales defends domestic surveillance

WASHINGTON (AP) — Attorney General Alberto Gonzales offered additional defenses of President Bush's domestic spying program on Tuesday, as the administration tried to redefine the warrantless surveillance in a way that undermines critics.

Speaking to students at Georgetown University law school, Gonzales said a 15-day grace period allowing warrantless eavesdropping under the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act demonstrates that Congress knew such surveillance "would be essential in wartime."

Gonzales was supplying legal arguments to the president's comments Monday that the effort should be called a "terrorist surveillance program."

Confronting Gonzales during his nearly half-hour speech were more than a dozen young people in the audience who turned their backs to

him and held up for a banner for television cameras. The banner, loosely based on a Benjamin Franklin quote, read: "Those who would sacrifice liberty for security deserve neither."

Before his appearance at Georgetown, Gonzales said in a television interview that some congressional leaders told the administration in 2004 that it would not be possible to write legislation regarding the warrantless surveillance effort without compromising its effectiveness.

"We did go to certain members of the congressional leadership a year and a half ago," Gonzales said on CBS's "The Early Show."

During his remarks in a packed law school lecture room at Georgetown, the attorney general also said the legal standard the administration uses in deciding whether to carry out surveillance on people with suspected al-Qaida ties is equivalent to the standard required for complying

with the Fourth Amendment, which bans unreasonable searches and seizures.

The reasonable basis standard, said Gonzales, "is essentially the same as the traditional Fourth Amendment probable cause standard."

Stephen Saltzburg, a law professor at George Washington University, said that Gonzales' comments do not explain why the administration doesn't go to the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Court to obtain warrants.

"If they are using a probable cause standard, they would have no problem going to the FISA court," said Saltzburg. "The executive might think there's a reasonable basis. Courts might not agree."

Georgetown University law professor David Cole said the reasonable basis standard is not equivalent to probable cause.

Moreover, said Cole, Gonzales' comments seem to conflict with those on Monday by Air Force Gen. Michael Hayden, principal deputy director of national intelligence.

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three-point range. He shot 18-of-20 from the free-throw line while playing for 42 minutes.

His output was as impressive, if not more so, than Chamberlain's stat line of 36-of-63 from the field and 28-of-32 from the foul line while playing all 48 minutes of the game.

There also is suspicion of Chamberlain and his Philadelphia Warriors attempt of having a pre-determined goal before the beginning of the game to get him 100 points. Chamberlain's teammates were passing up open shots and making extra passes to Chamberlain in hopes of reaching the 100-point goal.

Bryant said he has no intention of ever attempting to reach 81 points, and said it is just something that happened.

Bryant's performance bumped his scoring average to a league-leading 35.9 points per game.

No one else has averaged more points per game since Michael Jordan

nearly 19 years ago when he averaged 37.1 points per game.

Most basketball fans did not see this coming. This notion seems odd to them now, as Bryant was well on his way to 80 points a month ago, scoring a career-high 62 points against the Dallas Mavericks. In that game, Bryant did not even play in the fourth quarter.

Critics of his dominant performance believe that with new rules and regulations a huge scoring game should have been expected.

Rule changes were introduced for the 2001-02 season to favor offensive players and increase team-scoring averages. Rule changes included the dismissal of the hand check and not allowing forearms to an offensive players back.

A three-second defensive violation was installed that entitles a player in the key or four feet extending past it to be actively guarding someone within three seconds or be called for a violation.

This helps better clear the lane and allow for players to penetrate the lane and there be less likely of a chance for a possible double team.

These rules were put in place to promote a quicker game with less physical contact. Texas Tech

basketball fan Jody Moore, a junior journalism from Fort Worth, said he doesn't think the new basketball rules helped Bryant achieve 81 points.

"I don't think the new rules just benefit guards and small forwards," Moore said. "I think the rules help everyone, especially a ball hog like Bryant."

When questioned about the possibility of another upcoming outburst of 80 points, or a 100-point game, the possibility has fans expecting another outburst of this caliber.

Jessica Forgione, a graduate basketball teacher from Boston, said another game like Bryant's might just happen.

"If you think about all the players coming out of college, it's definitely a possibility," Forgione said. "To some extent, I think we might see another huge performance out of somebody."

Bryant's 55-point second half explosion was second only to Chamberlain.

Basketball enthusiasts are excited that they had an opportunity to see history in the making.

"It was sick. I think Bryant will do it again," said Zack Jameson, a senior marketing major from Azle. "I think the NBA has become more exciting with players like Bryant, and I'm just glad he scored more than the 62 (points) he laid out on my Mavericks."

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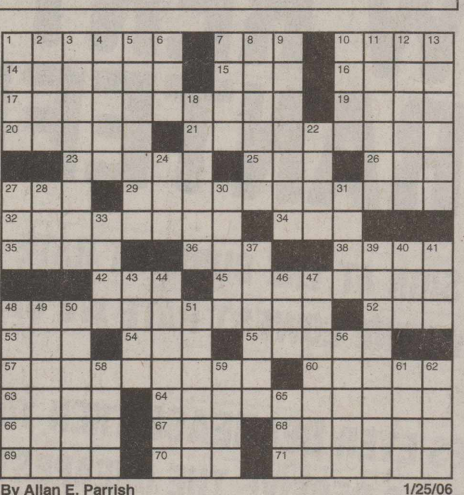
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By Allan E. Parrish
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Queen of dimes: Grant goes for record against OSU

By TRAVIS CRAM
SENIOR SPORTS WRITER

Assists are not always a stat many people talk about. It's not the same as scoring 81 points in a game or having a triple-double, but for senior Erin Grant, it defines the type of player she is.

The State Farm Wade Trophy candidate will take her place in Big 12 history if she can notch at least two assists in the game when the Lady Raiders take on the Cowgirls of Oklahoma State at 7 p.m. today in Stillwater, Okla.

She collected 10 assists last time out against Nebraska. Grant, who is already the all-time assist leader in Lady Raider history, has tallied 763 assists in her career at Tech, 102 of them through 16 games this season.

Stacey Dales (Oklahoma 1998-02) is the current Big 12 record holder with 764 assists.

Tech coach Marsha Sharp said it is a tremendous achievement for Grant, and it may take a while for the record to fall considering Tech has seven regular season games to go.

"She's going to put it in a position where it's going to be hard for people to get to it," she said.

The larger issue at hand for Tech is if it can steal a win on the road against Oklahoma State team that is struggling right now but knows how to defend a home court.

Oklahoma State (6-11, 0-6 Big 12) is still searching for its first Big 12 win of the season after losing a 66-46 contest against Kansas Sunday.

Christian Hood had a breakout game in the effort for the Cowgirls, hitting 5-of-7 from the field and scoring 14 points.

She averages 3.9 points per game.

One threat the Lady Raiders will have to be careful about is the Cowgirl perimeter game.

Sharp said it will put plenty of pressure on the defense to defend the outside shot but the team still will have to focus on what goes on underneath the basket as well.

"We are going to have to be diligent about getting on the boards," she said.

Oklahoma State is ranked fifth in the Big 12 in three-point field goal percentage (32.7 percent), led by junior Brisa Silva.

Silva averages 33 percent from behind the arc, hitting 34 threes in 17 games this season.

Junior Alesha Robertson said the team would have to keep Silva and other players from being able to take those shots early in the game so Tech does not find itself in an early hole.

"They're always an athletic team," Robertson said. "We can't let down on them in the perimeter, and we have to do what we can in the post area."

Tech (8-8, 3-2 Big 12) outlasted Nebraska in its last contest, finally hitting free throws when the Lady Raiders needed them the most.

The team made 11 of 12 free throws in the final six minutes

of the second half to sneak by a surging 'Husker team, 61-59 Saturday.

Senior LaToya Davis led all scorers for Tech with 25 points and 14 rebounds for her 10th double-double of the season.

Robertson hit four three-pointers against Nebraska, scoring 14 points in the game for Tech.

Robertson said she is feeling better about her outside shot, and it has allowed the entire team to get into more of a rhythm.

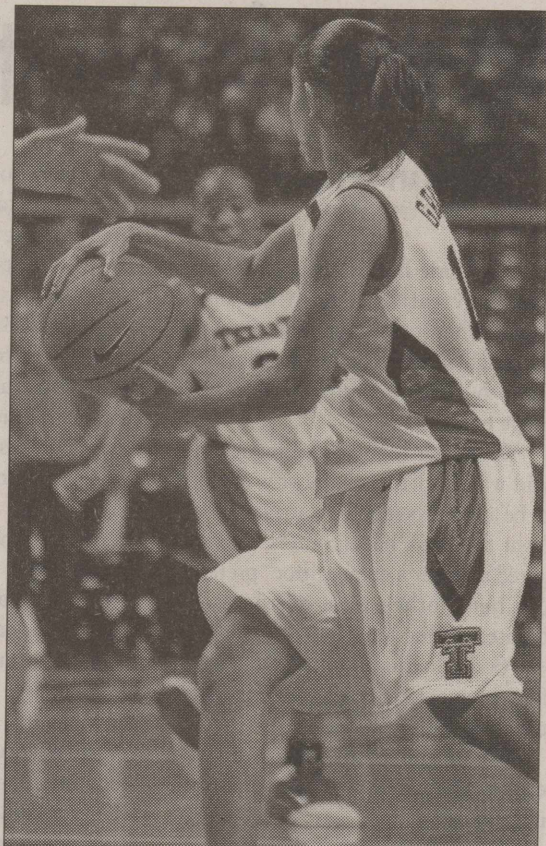
In a conference where anybody can beat anybody, any day, Sharp said it makes going on the road even scarier than before, since the team is in the final stretch of its Big 12 schedule.

"I think they are getting to a point in their season where whatever they do, they're OK with," she said. "When you are on the road, that's a dangerous mentality for the other team to have."

Sharp remembers when Tech was upset in Stillwater two years ago, 88-87 in overtime, and she said she would keep that in her players' minds tonight.

The conference battle can be heard on Texas Tech Sports Network, KKAM-AM 1340.

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TEXAS TECH SENIOR point guard Erin Grant needs two assists in today's game against Oklahoma State to become the Big 12's all-time assist leader. Stacey Dales (Oklahoma 1998-02) is the current record holder.

"She's going to put it in a position where it's going to be hard for people to get to it."

— MARSHA SHARP

Texas Tech women's basketball coach on Erin Grant becoming the Big 12's all-time assist leader.

Transfer adds edge to Tech track

By JAY LANGLEY
SENIOR SPORTS WRITER

Texas Tech hurdler Daryl Burgess trusts his friends. Burgess, a Miami native and junior college national champion in the 110M hurdles, came to Tech because of the encouragement of fellow track athlete Andrae Williams. The two spent time together at South Plains College.

"He told me what a great school Tech is," Burgess said. "And I know 'Dre would not steer me wrong."

Burgess said Tech is a big change for him.

"The hurdle team is intense," he said. "The competition level is totally different than I am used to."

At the junior college level, athletes do not compete in the indoor hurdles. However, in only his second race, Burgess set a school record in the 55M hurdles and qualified provisionally for the NCAA Indoor Championships. The record has since been broken by teammate Shawon Harris.

"I just try to use the talent that the Lord gave me to the best of my ability," Burgess said.

Coach Wes Kittley said Burgess would add something special to the Tech program.

"Anytime you add a junior college national champion, it just adds to the great hurdlers we have like Shawon and Marlon (Odom)."

Kittley said the members of the hurdle team motivate each other.

"They want to beat each other, but they encourage each other at the same time," Kittley said. "It is like when you have two great quarterbacks battling it out for a starting position. It can only benefit the team."

Kittley said he thinks Williams has had a great impact on Burgess' career.

"Andrae came to our program and has done nothing but get better," Kittley said. "That speaks volumes about our program. Especially for the high-class athletes who are considering coming here."

Burgess said he had to get used to life in Lubbock after coming from Miami.

"It is a lot different than the big city life," he said. "But I think I have adjusted pretty easy."

Burgess, a human sciences major, said the most important thing for him to do at Tech is graduate.

"My first and most important goal is to get my degree," he said. "I want to be a child psychologist."

But on the track, Burgess has his share of goals as well.

"I want to compete well and hopefully do well at the Big 12 and NCAA Championships," Burgess said.

The track and field team is very talented, Burgess said, but he believes he can help put the team over the top.

"I think I bring an extra edge that the team might need," he said. "Hopefully that will help the team win championships."

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TOUCH 'EM ALL: BASEBALL BRIEFS

Ortiz might not play in WBC

SANTO DOMINGO, Dominican Republic (AP) — David Ortiz said Monday that his participation in the World Baseball Classic is in doubt because of a supposed lack of communication about the event.

"I haven't known nothing of the Classic. No one has called me, and this type of situation at times provokes one to not participate," Ortiz said after receiving the 2005 award for offensive player of the year at an awards ceremony organized by the company JJ Sports.

Ortiz said he sent a letter stating his intention to participate in the tournament but since then has not been contacted by Stan Javier, the general manager of the Dominican Republic team, or anyone else representing the team.

Epstein returns as Boston GM

BOSTON (AP) — Theo Epstein's new job is the same as his old one: general manager of the Boston Red Sox.

The Red Sox announced Tuesday that Epstein would resume his former duties — nothing more and nothing less than when he left Oct. 31.

"While Theo was contemplating returning to the organization in an advisory role," Red Sox president Larry Lucchino said in a statement, "he and I talked and agreed it was best for the organization if he returned as general manager — a title more appropriate for him because it accurately reflects the role he will play."

The 14-year relationship between Theo and me, and the passage of time over the last three months, have helped to put behind us the friction that developed during last year's negotiations."

Bagwell to show at spring training

HOUSTON (AP) — Jeff Bagwell's agent said the four-time All-Star is planning to show up at spring training, despite the Houston Astros' contention that he's too hurt to play.

"He believes he's going to be ready for the start of the season," Barry Axelrod said Tuesday. "That's what we're counting on."

The 37-year-old Bagwell had surgery on his arthritic right throwing shoulder in June. Doctors who examined him told the Astros this month that the shoulder was still too damaged to expect Bagwell to be productive this season.

The Astros said Monday they intend to file an insurance claim by a Jan. 31 deadline to recoup \$15.6 million of the \$17 million they owe Bagwell this season. Team spokesman Jimmy Stanton said the claim had not been filed Tuesday.

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Art start: former student returns to Tech as colleague

By JEREMY REYNOLDS
FEATURES WRITER

Lisa Marie Barber always knew she had the creative gene in her body. While other students at her junior high and high school bought their clothes from the local department store, she made hers.

When her high school, which she said was 87 percent minority, decided to be a fine arts school to attract people from different backgrounds, she was asked to enter a competition, pretending her clothes were costumes for theater productions.

"So I won this national competition for costumes for clothes I wore everyday to school," Barber said.

When she thinks back on the clothes she use to wear, she described in only one way.

"They were goofy," she said smiling.

Barber, who spent a year of graduate school at Texas Tech, gave a speech Tuesday night on her artwork, which mainly consists of figurative art.

"It's figures in reference to urban landscapes," Barber said.

She also works with quilt art, which she described as the broad, overall term for non-traditional quilts. None of her work is on display at Tech, but some of it is showing at other art galleries near campus.

After she won the national award for costumes, Barber said she started getting scholarships from colleges to attend their campuses to study art.

"I was thinking I'm not going to be an artist, what's this all about?" she said.

She eventually did go to college to study art. Barber's parents would not let her take her sewing machine with her to college because they thought someone would steal it, so she started

working with clay. After clay, she said it was a natural move for her into the figurative field because she always had dealt with human things.

Currently Barber is in New York doing a residency at City University of New York-Hunter College. She said she has her own studio, and soon after her residency is over, she will have a show to display everything she's been working on.

In addition to traveling the country and giving speeches on her artwork, she teaches at Wisconsin-Parkside, where she is in her third year of graduate school. When speaking about what she hoped out of her speech Tuesday night, she said she wants basically the same thing she does out of the classes she teaches.

"(I hope) that I don't put them to sleep," she laughed. "I taught a 3D design class at 8 in the morning that I know some people fell asleep in."

Tech's art department called Barber in because of its current display on ceramics, which Barber has some background in.

Joe Arredondo, director of Landmark Arts at Tech, said he did not know Barber from her stint at Tech in 1992.

"Some of the faculty members who did know her recommended her," Arredondo said.

Barber, who had not been to Lubbock in 12 years, said it is different being asked to come back and give a speech.

"It's weird being invited here by people I didn't even know while attending," Barber said. "It's weird because they'll be looking at me like a colleague in the art field and I still see them as my professors. My thought is I'm still this student of theirs. I'm a little nervous they're going to hear me talk."

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LISA MARIE BARBER, a former graduate student who now is a ceramic artist in residence in New York, poses in front of a ceramic furnace in the Art building Tuesday.

Fivespeed album downshifts

By LAUREN HENCKEL
MUSIC CRITIC

Fivespeed, a rock group out of Phoenix, Ariz., released "Morning over Midnight" Tuesday. A five-piece group, lead by Jared Woosley on vocals, has put together a well-engineered mix. Although group members are quite capable of properly playing their instruments, their sound is nothing new.

Comparable to Hoobastank, Breaking Benjamin and Nickelback, the band sounds like it is playing directly in front of a brick wall — as if its sound could be much bigger. Fivespeed offers just another example of the new rock wave sweeping Clear Channel stations across the United States.

Feeding the hunger of the "Hot Topic" nation, Woosley's lyrics are raw, but good. While the guy can sing, one has to ask if this music really speaks to anyone but teenagers full of angst.

Also: If you suffer from the ever-

growing condition of "man on stage syndrome," the drummer, Shane Addington, is pretty hot.

Moreover, "Morning" probably will appeal to movie producers looking for the perfect background music for a superhero to deliver lots of dialogue over. Is there not a new Spiderman movie being released?

A few tracks are worth rocking out to, however. "The Mess" and "Lost Vegas" are the tracks that do not completely sound like everything else on the album or other bands like Fivespeed.

This music does not contain an ounce of intellectual stimulation, but it would be great for a car trip.

"Morning Over Midnight" was released Tuesday by Virgin Records and retails at about \$13.

Henckel is one of The DT's music critics. E-mail her at Lauren.B.Henckel@ttu.edu.

National Underground

Carsbad Caverns National Park home of bats, world's fifth-longest cave

By LAUREN SCOTT
FEATURES WRITER

A 200-mile drive from Lubbock exposes visitors to a labyrinth of underground trails at Carsbad Caverns National Park. And at 200 miles from Lubbock, Carsbad Caverns is closer than many Texas Tech students' hometowns.

Bridget Litten, Carsbad's public information officer, said nothing could be better than a weekend trip to Carsbad Caverns in New Mexico. She said the caves are truly amazing.

"We have the third-longest cave in the United States," Litten said. "Lechuguilla Cave is 1,567 feet deep and 112 miles long."

According to the caverns Web site, the cave is the fifth-longest cave in the world and the deepest limestone cave in the country.

The cave not only offers extreme size, but also has large amounts of gypsum and sulfur deposits, according to the Web site. The cave has 20 foot gypsum chandeliers hanging from the ceiling.

Lechuguilla Cave is the first cave in the Guadalupe Mountains extending deep enough so scientists can study five geologic formations, according to the caverns' Web site. Some studies have concluded the microbes found in the cave have medicinal qualities that may be beneficial to humans.

Litten said Lechuguilla Cave is not accessible

to the public. The only people allowed in the cave are researchers and explorers.

However, three other caves are accessible to the public.

"There are crawling and climbing tours, and there are also off-dirt tours," Litten said. "Those are off the paved trail, and you get to carry a lantern for your light."

She said the crawling and climbing tours are a little difficult because of the physical nature of the tour. But, if climbing and lanterns does not sound fun, guided tours on the paved trails in the caves are available.

Self-guided tours also are available in the Big Room, Litten said. The Big Room is about eight acres and big enough to fit over six football fields. The self-guided tour is about one mile long and is wheelchair accessible.

According to the Web site, the one-hour tour has an audio portion for additional information about what is in the cave.

When the cave tours are complete, two restaurants accommodate the hungry visitors.

"There's a restaurant above ground that serves hamburgers and that sort of thing," Litten said, "and a lunchroom in the cave that has lunch items like sandwiches."

After an early dinner in the summer, visitors gather at the entrance to Carsbad Cavern to watch the 300,000 bats make their dramatic exit

into the night.

"There's a bit of a talk given by a park ranger prior to the bat flight," Litten said. "The flights go on from Memorial Day to October."

When the sunset bat flight ends, many visitors retreat to their hotels in Whites City, the closest town which is at the entrance to the park. Accommodations also are available in Carsbad, which is about 20 miles from the park.

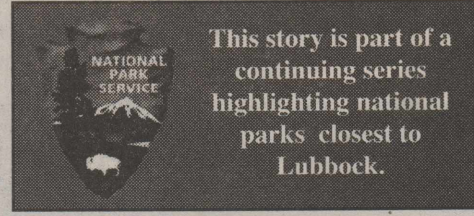
For those who want a little more adventure, camping in the backcountry is available.

"You need to get a backcountry permit, but those are free," Litten said. "Also, there isn't any water out there, so anything you need during your stay out there, you have to bring out with you."

At \$6 for adults and \$3 for children, Litten recommends must-sees to visitors who have never been to the park.

"You have to do a tour of the Big Room," she said. "And definitely stay for the bat flight."

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This story is part of a continuing series highlighting national parks closest to Lubbock.

Size does matter ...

SYRACUSE, N.Y. (AP) — For some male bats, sexual prowess comes with a price — smaller brains. A research team led by Syracuse University biologist Scott Pitnick found that in bat species where the females are promiscuous, the males boasting the largest

testicles also had the smallest brains. Conversely, where the females were faithful, the males had smaller testes and larger brains.

"It turns out size does matter," said Pitnick, whose findings were published in December in "Proceedings of the

Royal Society: Biological Science," an online journal.

The study offers evidence that males, at least in some species, make an evolutionary trade-off between intelligence and sexual prowess, said David Hoskins, a leading authority on bats' mating behavior.

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Topping it off: Hat exhibit hits Ranching Heritage Center

By RUTH BRADLEY
FEATURES WRITER

"Hats are not dead," said Debbie Henderson, author of four books on the subject and the creator of a traveling exhibit of men's hats through the years, now exhibited at the National Ranching Heritage Center.

"We've collected a variety of hats," said Henderson. "We've focused on western, because it's being (shown) in a western museum."

The exhibit includes hats from all over the world used for different purposes.

Robin Crawford, curator for the National Ranching Heritage Center, said the exhibit shows the way hats have influenced technology, business and fashion in society.

"It sort of shows the evolution through the

century," she said.

Crawford said one interesting aspect of the exhibit is the way the cowboy hat has endured in fashion and practicality while other men's hats have gone out of style and are no longer needed.

"Throughout it all most of the other hats have gone by the wayside," said Crawford. "So the cowboy hat has kind of triumphed."

In addition to showing hat fashion through the years, the exhibit also includes a collection of tintype photographs of how men wore them.

"When you look at the pictures in the exhibit, you'll see different shapings of the same hat," said Henderson, "and that's how each person showed their individuality."

Henderson said up until the 1950s, hats were a civic necessity.

"If you look at pictures of groups of men, there are no bare heads," said Henderson.

Soon after that, the advent of the closed-in automobile changed the necessity and practicality for hats, she said. Combined with style changes in the 60s, the need for men's hats rapidly declined.

But there still is interest. Henderson said most people she talks to have hat collections just for fun or still wear them for special occasions.

And there still is passion. Henderson said it is her work with professional hatters that made her so interested in hats in the first place. While working on her doctorate in clothing history at the Union Institute, Henderson said she visited with every professional hatter she could find in the United States — about 40 in all, who create what she said were custom, beautifully made hats

for their clientele. Henderson said talking with the hatters about their craft was what peaked her interest in hats.

"It's like they fell in love with those hats," she said. "They have a passion for those hats, and they see it as artwork."

It is this love that Henderson tries to express in her book "Hat Talk," a compilation of stories about her visits with hatters across the country. This, and two of her other books, are available at the National Ranching Heritage Center gift shop.

The exhibit will be displayed through July 9 at the National Ranching Heritage Center, located at 3121 Fourth St. For more information, call (806) 742-0498.

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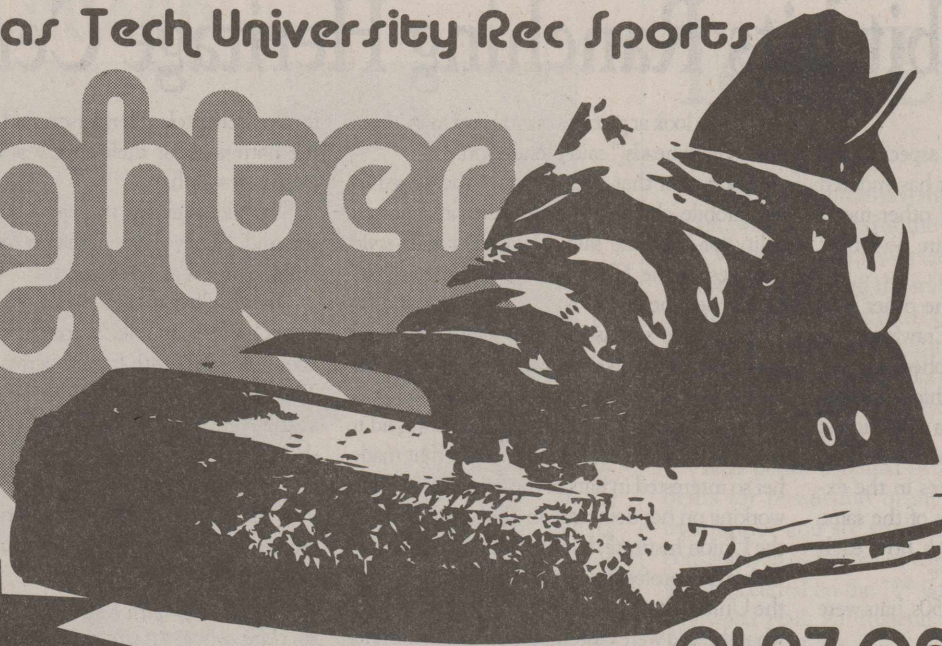
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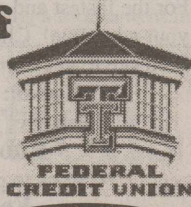
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Women's Self Defense Workshop This Saturday

This workshop will cover techniques for defending yourself against armed and unarmed attackers using correct form, using common items as tools for self defense and learning moves that are effective. The workshop is free but registration is required in the Fit/Well. The class begins at 12:30pm.

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Feeling Stressed? Get A Massage

Don't forget that hour and 1/2 hour massages are available through the Fitness/Wellness Center by licensed therapists. Mental and emotional stress as well as physical pain and soreness can be alleviated with massage. There are currently five therapists on staff—Dewayne, Ashley, Serena, Greg and Donna. Cost is \$35 for an hour or \$20 for a half hour massage. Call 742.3828 to schedule.

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Heartbeats

A quick pulse around the Rec Sports world...

Hoop Team Need A Little Practice?

IM team reservations for the ESC building is available through Rec Sports. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings. Call 742-3351 Monday of each week to get your reservation. Please, one hour per team, per week.

Sport Clubs

Mandatory Presidents and Advisor Meeting, Jan. 25, 7pm in Rm. 206 of the Rec Center.

Aquatic Center Fun

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INTRAMURALS

Want To Get Wet?

Come play the wettest, most exciting sport that Intramurals has to offer this semester – Inner Tube Water Polo. Get 5 friends together, look for your spring break bathing suit, and jump into the Student Rec Center Pool on Sundays. Sign up dates are Tue, Jan. 31 – Thur, Feb. 2. Register your team for a Men's or Co-rec league.



Still Time To Strike It Up

Attention all bowlers! This is your LAST chance to participate in the Intramural's 4-person team bowling tournament. The LAST two dates for bowling are: Tomorrow, January 26th @ 10 pm and Sunday, January 29th @ 9 pm. There is no deadline; however, I can only have 40 teams per night so money is needed to reserve your team's lane. This event will be located at Brunswick South Plains Bowl on 5150 69th Street. The cost for this event will be \$20 per team and will include 3 games of bowling with shoes and whole lot of fun. To sign up, come to the Intramurals Sports office, Room 203. Don't delay because space is limited to the first 40 teams who sign up for this tournament.

Racquetball League Starting Next Week

Entries for the Racquetball Tournament starting Feb. 3rd are now being accepted in the Intramural Office, Room 202 of the SRC. For more information contact Jorge in the IM office at 742-2945.

Basketball Captains Meeting Tonight

Tonight's captains meetings are at 6:45pm and 8:00pm in the Room 116 of the Rec Center. Both meetings will be the same so attend the one that is best for you. The intramural staff will review Texas Tech policies, basketball rules and the sportsmanship policy. Playoff eligibility is determined by your sportsmanship rating. Teams attending this meeting will receive 1 point towards their sportsmanship goal. Captains may only represent one Men's or Women's team and/or one Co-Rec team.

OUTDOOR PURSUITS WEEKEND Getaway!

New Mexico Ski Trip FEB. 17-19

If you like snow sports, this is the trip for you. We will be going to a New Mexico ski resort to be determined based on the best snow conditions. This is a great opportunity to meet new people and spend the weekend out of town. Trip includes transportation, housing and a ski or snowboard rental.

SIGN-UP DEADLINE	DEPARTS	RETURNS	PRICE	SKILL LEVEL	FITNESS LEVEL
Feb. 9	2/17	2/19	\$110	beginner	moderate

Searching for a challenge?

Become a Community Advisor with Housing & Residence Life!

Applications are available online at: <http://www.housing.ttu.edu/Employment/ca.htm>

IMPORTANT DATES:

- 1.25.06-1.27.06: Applications Due (Doak Hall 10am-5pm)
- 1.31.06: StrengthsQuest Night (Wall/Gates 6pm)
- 2.01.06: StrengthsQuest Night (Wall/Gates 6pm)
- 2.03.06: Reference Forms Due (Doak Hall by 5pm)
- 2.14.06-2.16.06: Interviews
- 2.18.06: Group Process

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- Wednesday** – Texas Meat Lovers
- Thursday** – Chicken Picatta
- Friday** – Grilled Spicy Tilapia

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