



## Tech faculty members get $\mathrm{A}+$ at convocation Texas Tech police blotter



TEXAS TECH PRESIDENT Jon Whitmore congratulates Dorothy Bagwell, recipient of the President's Excellence in Teaching award from the College of Human Sciences, during the Tech aciences building. Award recipients were given both praise and stipends for their hard work

he President's Excellence in Teach ing Awards and President's Academic Achievement Awards. dallions in addition to to stipends to thank

## Wilson

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1 portunity, he said in a news release The Colorado HSC is ranked sixth in the nation based on federal research
expenditures by the National Science expenditures
Foundation.
According According to a statement released
by Tech Interim Chancellor by Tech Interim Chancellor Donal
Haragan, Wilson will be missed. Haragan, Wilson will be missed.
"Under his leadership, the Healt Sciences Center has raised $\$ 38$ millio and a new pharmacy school program in
Abilene was launched," Haragan said Abilene was launched," Haragan said
in the statement. "Roy Wilson brough in the statement. Roy Wilson brought
a new vision and vitality to the Health a new vision and tiante to che Heal
Sciences Center He has achieved many
things." things,"
Wilson said the same things tha atracted him to Tech made thard fo
him to leave.

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#### Abstract

The President's Academic Achieve- ment Award, which was siven to three professors, included a $\$ 2,00$ stipend and professors, included $\$ 2,000$ stipend and a medallion to honor the research and service of the recipients: Peter Dotray, service of the recipienst: Peter Dotra David Lamour and William Dukes. Marcy spoke graciously about each of the faculty members recognized at the convocation, often referring to com- ments written by students about their respective professors. Whitmore said during his recent meeting with Tech's Presidential Scholars he heard many students speak highly of the experiences they have had with the faculty th educations. Marcy said it is exactly this brand of student appreciation for their professors that marks the impact teachers are mak- ing in their students lives. ing in their students lives. Other awards Marcy announced targeted professors' advances in their targeted professors advances in their President's Book Award honored three professors for their contributions to the world of academic literature. away withent the highest sum awarded: a $\$ 5,000$ stipend in recognition for his recent book, "The Miskitu People of Awastara." Tamra Wa Tamra Walter, asistant professor in ogy and social work, said she was pleased with Dennis' recognition. "We're very proud of him," she said. is recognizing the achievements the is recognizing the faculty has made." $\xrightarrow{*}$ danielle.novy@ttu.edu

\section*{"This has been a tremendous privi-} lege. I've enjoyed it, and I will never regret my time here," he said. "But upon final analysis, this (position) is an opfinal analysis, this (position) is an opportunity for me to expand my hori and that is very appealing to me." and that is very appeaing to me." Though an interim president will not be named until July 1 , there a aready is speculation as to who will be speculation as to who will be named. "Ive "I've given a couple of names to the board, but I really don't want those names board, but I really don't want those names to become public, yet," Wilson said. According to a news release from the University of Colorado, Wilson's contract will end with them June 30, 2011 Wilson g University in in 1980 with a medical degree and from the University of Califigonia at Los Angeles in 1990 with a master's degree in epidemiology, according to a news release. - michelle.casady@tu.edu

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$\qquad$ Texas Tech police responded
to the R-7 parking lot where a
Texas Tech staft membris prisonal texas Tech staff member's personal
vehicle was on fire. The Lubbock Fire Department responded and
extinguished the fire. The owner o exinguished the fire. The owner of
the vehicle made arrangements for the vehicle to be towed to a repair facility. $\qquad$ mischief to a student's vehicle in the Z4-N parking lot. The side mirrors had been damaged sometime between
April 3.
A Tech police officer arrested a
non-student for publice intoxication in non-student for public intoxication in the 900 block of University Avenue The non-student was transported to
the county jail following the issuance of a criminal trespass warning. April 5
A Tech police officer responded to a 911 medical emergency at the
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Center. A female student suffered Center. A female student suffiered
an epieptic seizure and was transported to the University Medical Center. An examinationininvestiga tion request was completed and
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of Public Safety, Driver Improve ment Bureau.
A Tech police officer issued a criminal trespass warning to a nonstudent. He had been seen looking
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fices and classrooms throughout the Tech Health Sciences Center for no legitimate reason. His trespass
warning is issued for warning is issued
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A Tech police officer detained of alcohol in the Z4-N pasking lot. The student was issued a Lubboc County citation and released. gated a theft in a room of the HSC An HSC Dictaphone was taken. A Tech police officer investigated a hefl in Room 205 of the Food Technology building. A Te
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purple Roadmaster Mount Fury bicycle was taken.
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The upside of global warming

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According to a recent issue of According to a recent issue of Time
magazine (who apparently decided to delay its annual "Does Jesus Real Exist?" in favor of some other form of liberal bias), the earth is sick. In an effort to fight off i
some crazy things
Hurricanes, tidal waves, drought
and something called Cyclone Larry (wasn't he on "Chappelle's Show"?) that bombarded the eoast of Australia
with winds up to and including 180 mph . fever, the kind hy, it's only a small Campbell's Chicken Noodle Soup DayQuil, Sprite/7UP (whichever one you prefer, however, do not drink
Sierra Mist as studies to its medicinal
properties have proven inconclusive) and a couple of days off from school where you played video games and
tried to beat the second swimming level from Super Mario Brothers (Level $7-2$ ) which if I remember correctly was pretty hard.
All right, so techni
All right, so technically it is not a fever rather the middle of a scientific phenomenon called global warming. perature has risen, and I swear r' making this up, all of one degree (from 57 degrees to 58 degrees) over the past 125 years (I'd convert it to Celsius, but who really cares about Canada?). But they project tit might rise by anywhere between 1 and 9 degrees by 2100 . no big deal, we'll all probably be dead


With 11 months of summer, people will exercise more, travel more and construction will be able to be done year round. Simply put, global warming is good for the economy. by then, and not only that, what does
matter if it's 105 degrees instead 98 degrees during the summer, as lon as I have air conditioning and the Now it would seem this would be a cycle because the electricity used to contributing to the depletion of the emitting chloroflourocarbon which hen stay in the air and increase the emperature of the earth thus adding a reater need for air conditioning. But
and his carefully selected scientists say
there is no direct link between ozone
depletion and fossi f fuels, and it would depletion and fossil fuels, and it would
be both un- American be both un-American and unpatriotic
to disagree with the government durto disagree with
ing wartime.
Even if global warming were Even if global warming were
actually happening (as evidenced by
the slow dissolution of the Lubbock the slow dissolution of the Lubbock climate into two seasons - summer
and Spring) there would be nothing to fear except for the unfrozen creatures - including possible mastodons, saber-toothed tigers, Archaeopteryx and larger versions of current creatures (like deer, wolves and bears). But the possibility of terrifying beasts coming to our land, wreaking havoc
in their wake by mercilessly killing and eating any humans and domesticated animals in their paths and stealing our picnic baskets is a small price to pay for the obvious benefits that are intrinsic with the idea of global warming.
the Supreme Court - lawyers on the Supreme Court - 1 know what need is more lawyers, but if you want an old school conservative on the court (and you know I do), what makes more sense than going all the way back to the Paleolithic
Era? It was an era of old fashion valEra? It was an era of old fashion val-
ues, where women were subservient to men, abortion had not yet been for the , and technology was feared away Americ . Golden Age. View from the Big 12

## Lack of assimilation a concern in immigration debate

sustain our current populace, ye they complain when more water is made available by the unfreezing
of the polar ice caps. Can you spell of the polar ice caps. Can you spel
hypocrisy? Sure the water has sal hypocrisy? Sure the water has sal
in it but that just adds flavor, and if you don't like it you can perform grade-school science experiment to get rid of it. More water and more - everybody wins. More sun equals more fun -
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gets in my eyes.
But other than that, the benefits are obvious. With 11 months of summer, people will exercise more,
travel more and construction will be able to be done year round. Simpl put, global warming is good for the economy.
If you mis If you miss precipitation there's
always the flooding that will accom always the flooding that will accompany the large-scale droughts that will as a month long winter filled with temperatures in the negative degrees (Fahrenheit, none of that French crap Celsius here) and crammed with blizzards that contain snow that would be
measured in multiple feet.

## There are no drawbacks excep

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- Glldewell is a senior music education major from Mineral Wells. E-mall him at Jierathat many Latin American immigrants,one American characteristic: a belief theyGeorge Will pith rights and privileges. Ashaveaquired the enititlement mentality cre-entitlement to exemptios state, asserting anthe sociery they invited themselves into"The immigration debates over theeconomic impact. However, the sociologicalmplications of this mass influx of Spanish-neaki, Isweet Latericans are significancans are embracing nativism.Those Americans who favor stringenmmigration laws are generally portrayed ho want tof club-wielding barbarians Unfortunately, the she brown man down. ach more complex phenomenon and as "racist." We: the Challenges to Americas National


## Huntington does an effective job outlining

 he potential problems posed by massive Latin American immiration.He tells one story, for examp inga U.S.-Mexico soccere gampe in Southerm entire crowd fiercely booed the American players. He goes on to cite reams of data suggesting thar Latin American inmigrawith the capacity to fundamentally alter he United States.
While we are i migrants, never before has sher beensuch large population, almost totally homomegnous larguage, entering such a concentrated all Latin American immigrants enter the United States through it 2,000 -mile border with Mexico, they generally settle in the
border states of California, Arizona and exas Like immierants throushout history hey typically band togecher and form insular ommunities where they speak their native In the 18 it century, Germanit. settled in Pennsylvania in large numbers and formed similarly insular communities.
German prevailed in these towns and they had little interaction with the local British settlers.

Indeed, many British Americans became
concemed that these German newcomers concermed that these German newcomers
were going to undermine American unity
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 against Latinos, it is simply anger with some of their actions.
Such nativis
Such nativist sentiments have their of the United States.
We must ensure that despite their dense numbers, Latin American immigrants to the United States are fully incorporated nto society so they become Americans, rather than mer
United States.



Good cops, bad cops W W zoo party last Friday and
 ratios were simply fantastic. Then a about $1: 30$ a.m. we heard the normal cop rumors, which quickly proved
ruee. We had a suspicion our neighbors cue. We had a suspicion our neighbors
called them, possibly because the called them, possibly because the
mounds of animal and human crap outside their door. Or maybe they called because they swore an oath with Satan to prevent fun in Lubbock.
Either way, the cops were at our door, and everyone was freaking out and fleeing to the back rooms.
The two policemen entered and I (Eric) opened the door to my dark room. The living room light fell on the frightened and mournful faces of about 20 people. It looked like Anne Frank' last days in there (well, except for the wandering farm creatures). Tearing u
I said, It'stime to go guys. Time to I said, "lis time to go guys. Time to go."
With their heads down, they were led from the party.
Us roommates lined up along the
counter to speak with the cops. One cop looked at one of our roommates and said, "For the love of God son, put
some pants on before we get started", some pants on before we get started."
Grudgingly, he clothed himself and retuudgingly, he clothed himself and reproceeded to ask our ages. As 19 rang
out across the board, he slowly looked to his right. He sududied the two kegs for a second. Then he turned slowly to his
left only to see cups, handles, cans and left only to see cups, handles, cans and colorful arrangement of mostly eaten
Jell- shots. Things looked dismal for us (we knew they wouldn't let us bring Twister to jail).
The officer then began with "Well, we have a couple of options here." He oold us he easily could call the TABC
f he wanted to. We knew the dreaded if he wanted to. We knew the dreaded
alphabet police would nail us for the lphabet police would nail us for the mal rights violations (we lost a lot of good chickens that night). While one a sly grin as he patted his nightstick gainst his palm. He was hot stuff all to let us off this time and left. They effectively came in and pissed -n our parade. With experiences like hat, it's not too hard to see where our culture's dislike of cops comes from. If
you don't think the dislikes there, lets you don't think the dislikes there, lets take last Decembe
During the ceremony, they thanked he Lubbock Polic
he crowd booed.
Way to stay classy, Lubbock. Ou
nost expensive and holy festival o most expensive and holy festival of
the year, and we freaking boo the cops. We yean, and we say too much ing boo the cops. We can't say too much in the way of
shame on you, because we were drunk and booed too (who can resist a good inappropriate boo). Who's really to blame is the guy that started it. You know who you are, though none of
us do. Actually, we're tired of people hinking they're hardcore when they
say, "Yeah, screw cops!" Just think about it. We're all a bunch of idiot college kids, and we need someone to keep us in check. We drink, go to
parties, drink more and then drive all be breathine through tubes. Like it or not, police are a part of the delicate balance in ourl lives.
There still are njust and mean cops out therer. Cops here are good ones and there are bad ones. Look what happens when some-
hing is left basically unchecked. If you go to a party here you're bound to moe, smell or smoks in mhis marijuana. There's well, real grass. We don't even smoke the sufff, and we see more MJ in a week han we do cilantro; and my God we see a lot of cilantro. There are two main reasons why
his is. First, cops usually are more his is. First, cops usually are more
concerned with the meth-labs and the rough stuff. Also, if they busted the rough stuff. Also, if they busted
all MJ operations, where would they get their weed? We're not being cute
with that comment. Like we said, cops are people, and a whole lot of people smoke. Another factor is most of the good
cops we only experience indirectly cops we only experience indirectly or
don'tnotice. You don't mentally thank the police everytime you don't get shot
or killed by a drunken driver. Usually, if someone meets a cop, it's going to be a bad day for that person. No one gets a ticket and thinks, "Boy, it's a
good thing they pulled me over. I was a good thing they pulled me over. I was a
danger to myself and others." You just think about how big of a jerk that cop was for giving you a $\$ 200$ ticket. Our dislike of police also stems from our natural loathing of authority figures, which has been ingrained in
our minds since we were little. It used to be the principals, teachers, she-male gym coaches and not to forget that power-hungry Santa Clause. But, as
soon as Kris Cringles tyrannical reign
ended, the police took his place ended, the police took his place.
Don't get us wrong; this Don't get us wrong; this isn't a
mandate for everyone to obey the mandate for everyone to obey the
law. Think of all the fun you've had in law. Think of all the fun you've had in
college. Then think about how much coliege. Then think about how much
of it was legal. We are in constant conflict to see what we can get away with, and the police do their best to counteract us. So as college students, it's our job to test them and keep
them sharp. them sharp.
If you do If you don't like the way things in the policy process of the law like us. We're currently proposing a law Texas and Iowa (there's no between should ever go to that state). We're also going to then break that law and get jailed purposely. Then we'll tunMorgan Freeman

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## Webaroo lets users hop on the Web away from home

By CARLOS BERGFELD Semor Staff Writer

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Monday.
Different from traditional offline browsing, Webaroo traditionaldes its users with "Web packs"- focused content packages of several Web sites on a
variety of topics.
If users only want a certain Web If users only want a certain Web
site, this option is available, as well. site, this option is available, as well.
"There's a whole group that could take their laptop to a school or library and download what they need," said
John Durrett, associate professor of John Durrett, associate professor of
information systems and quantitative
 The service would be of great use
to those with dial-up service or no Prosecutor: Duke rape allegations not going away
DURHAM, N.C. (AP) - Durham

Countr'shefrosecutor suid Tuesday he | will not abandon his invertigation into |
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| the alleged rape and beating of an exotic |$|$ dancer at aparty thrown by members Duke Universitys lacrosse team.

"A lot has been said in the "A lot has been said in the press, that this case should go away," District Atromey Mike Nifong told a community form. "Mypresence here means that this tarm. My presence heret
On Monday, attorneys representing

members of the lacrose team said DNA from the 46 playest tested did not match | evidence collected from the woman. |
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| No DNA from any young man tested | was found anywhere on or about this woman," defense atromer Wade Smith

said. He said he hoped Nifong would said. He said he hoped Nifong would drop
the investigation. the investigation.
No chares $h$
No charges have been filed in the
case, but Nifong has said he believes a crime occurred at the March 13 party, which according to court records was
attended only by lacrosse player. The woman sadid her attrackers were white, woman siad her atrackers were whire,
and DN A samples were taken from every


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Web sites, storing the entire pages on the device.
"I think for some Web sites it would be useful," said Danny Boyle, a graduate student studying archi-
tecture from College Station with an interest in computers and Web design. "It just depends on what sites
yourre into."

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size: the smallest-sized pages with the size. the smaliest-sized pages with the
highes-quality content are selected for inclusion.
This means the snapshot of the Web or the packages must leave out certain sites of comparable content to others.
"You've got to leave stuff out," said Durrett, citing the massive size of the Durrett, citing the massive size of the
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ing. "Forty-something gigs won't even touch the thing." However, if users of the Web-
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alternative Web sites with equally valid information. "A lot of people, they just kind of
look at things and go, I don't really look at things and go, 'I don't really
need to look at anything else,", said you're into." snapshot of the entire Web, along with electronic media and communica-

While convenient for some, others Mac, Linux and some portable ay have access to the Internet so of. users may be out of luck, as Webaroo en the service becomes unnecessary, ard mobile devices with Windows $\begin{array}{ll}\text { toungblood said. } & \end{array} \begin{array}{ll}\text { Wocket PC } 2003 \text { Second Edition. }\end{array}$. $\begin{array}{ll}\text { With entire cities either already } & \text { Pocket PC 2003 Second Edition. } \\ \text { Support for Windows Mobile } 5.0\end{array}$ on the verge of universal wireless devices will arrive shortly, according access, the service would seem to be to Webaroo's Web site.


The DT Reader's Choice Awards has just gotten easier. The survey will be available only online, so don't miss your chance to choose Lubbock's best. Use the link provided and give us your opinion. The survey will be available until April 16, 2006 The most popular answers will be published in the April 28 edition of The Daily Toreador.

Many questions have options listed that were popular choices from last year's survey. There is also a field to write in a choice not listed.

## Reader's CHOICE

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## Newest perk of aging - happiness

## By DANIELLE NOVY

While the average skydiver may not be 80 ears old, a recent study suggests senior citizens are living for the moment more than their col lege-aged counterparts.
Derek Isaacowitz, psychology at Brandeis University who led the research, said he found elderly people tend to channel their thoughts into what makes them smile now rather than worrying about what to come down the road. His research team collected a pool of more
than 60 participants from opposite sides of the age spectrum who were classified into two age groups, those aged between 18 and 21 , and those who fit into the 57 to 84 age-range, according to the report.
The test sum
virtual faces portraying a range of emotions
including, fear, anger, sadness and happiness.
promise of graduation on the horizon tend to believes Isacoowtit's' recent research followed
$\qquad$ in their current states is limited.
He said all of the study's participants Laura L. Carstensen of Stanford University.
Carstensen's research involves a theory Carstensen's research involves a theory sentially is a theory where individuals set oals according to their perception of what the future holds for them, according to a report she
published with Frieder R. Lang in 2002 Bleckley said the research points to the theory that as people get older, they tend to do to things and be around people that make them feel good. Bleckley said the research highlighting
e concept that senior citizens grow more optimistic and direct themselves toward what makes them happy, helps to shatter common stereotypes. "Lt's important to say this goes against our
typical stereotypes of older people," she said typical stereotypes of older people,", she said.
"Some tend to think that of older people as Some tend to think that of older people as case."
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Magazine's Focus rests squarely on the college student

| ANDREW WOO <br> Staff Writer | The magazine currently focuses one topic per issue. Last month, | The next issue will look at the amount of time it takes for students to graduate college. Sherman said | For in-depth story ideas, Focus could take advice from some Texas |
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| Though it may not have the same peal as the Sports Illustrated Swim- | it looked at the rising cost of college tuition. Sherman said the magazine | more students who come to four-year schools are getting their diploma in |  |
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| students. | "We'll continue to discuss ing cost of college," she said. |  | , |
|  |  | Other upcoming publications may | my time than my major |
|  |  | cover such topics as college | said. "''m not able to have time to work |
| 兂 |  | first-generation students - students |  |
| , |  | who | Hill said she would like to read a |
| education. <br> In a telephone interv | ear un | After the magazine first hit the |  |
| Indianapolis, Dollyne Sherman, rector of communications for | The mag deal with th | ves in the summer of 2003, Shersaid it she has been pleased with its | Deepak Mikkilineni, a senio tory major from Houston, also sa |
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Gasoline
CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1 grade was going for $\$ 3.09$ - and there weren't many customers. Ervin Goodall, 56 , a professional driver was paying $\$ 3.29$ grade into his large sedan, han last vear a higger hit" said Goodall, who added that when it comes to personal day trips.
Guy Caruso, head of the Energy Departnent's statistical agency, said prices at the
pump, which averaged $\$ 2.68$ a gallon last week nationwide, are likely to increase 10 to 15 cents a gallon in the coming weeks, peak in May and drop off in late summer. He said the
price spikes.
"We assume normal weather," added Ca so, head of the Energy Information AdminLration. If a hurricane or a refinery outage auses supply problems, or if crude oil takes major jump, prices will be higher yet.
Crude oil climbed above $\$ 69$ a barrel Tuesday to the highest level this year before easing back somewhat. Wholesale gasoline for delivery in May was a shade over $\$ 2$ a gallon, 29 percent higher than a year ago.
But Caruso said motorists are not But Caruso said motorists are not ex-
pected to cut back on their summer driving - a view miirored by AAA, formerly the American Automobie Associacion, which
also predicts a busy summer travel season. In fact, motorists are expected to use 1. percent more gasoline than last summer.
Said Geoff Sundstrom, a spokesman for AAA, "Although the price of gasoline is very high, the fact is the economy still seems to be growing. We're adding jobs, so we would expect we would see arelaak when her travel season."
higher than the same week a year ago and are likely rise further as higher crude oil and wholesale gasoline cosss move through th ystem, said Caruso
barring a major distuption, although some regions, especially the East Coast, may have to rely more on gasoline imports, the Energy Department says. Crude oil is expected to remain high, a
year, it says.
Refiners have been shifting away from the additive MTBE - which causes drinking water contamination - resulting in a greater demand for com-based ethanol. That's push-
ing up prices "a few pennies," Caruso said. ing up prices "a few pennies," Caruso said
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## Ethics in a troubled world

Former Enron exec, professors discuss ethics on campus and why students should be concerned

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Lynn Brewer does not work for the CIA, but she has frist-hand knowledge of espionage. She never received a
-degre in ethics, but she has witten a
 the sand regarding ethical decisions. said. The idea of someone being unBrewer, a former employee and ethical is strictly based on how he or whistle blower for the Enron Corpora- she is viewed by other people.
tion, said most students who graduate "The easiest person to in the world "tion, said most students who graduate "The easiest person to in the world from Texas Tech eventually will end
up in a company like Enron, but she said her experience could teach college students what to look out for. "If it doesn't feel right, then it
probably isn't," she said. "It's better probably isn't," she said. "It's better
to leave a company than stay and fall under prosecution."
Brewer did just that when she
found out about the underhanded
dealings of her co-workers. She said
she offered her letter of resignation
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twice in the course of working for th
twice in the course of working for the
Houston business.
Nouston business.
"Enron's world was not about pro-
ducing power,"" she said. "It was about
stealing it."
stealing it."
Investors in Enron lost about $\$ 90$
billion in a little less than a month,
Brewer said.
Brewer said.
"No one in this company told me
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## to cook the books," she said. "They said find me the revenue." With college students leaving the

safe harbors of their universities in the
years to come, Brewer's story, along cheating on tests and plagiarism, but
with all the other sound bites of cor- said there is a bigger problem plaguing ruption and fraud in theindustry, have
become bedtime stories for business become bedtime stories for business
majors about what to avoid.
Concern about ethics on college WEDNESDAY


"It's sad that people do not read the
newspapers anymore." newspapers anymore."
One of the problems Currer point
ed out was a lack of knowledge about
the war in Iraq, and the blind faith the war in Iraq, and the blind faith
students put on orher people. students put on other people.
"People are morally responsible for knowing what is going on in the world around them," he said. The ethical problem among stu-
dents who do not read the paper is
whether they truly whether they truly are being mor-
ally responsible. Curzer said since ally responsible. Curzer said since
these students are in college, and are adults, they should start to recognize it is time to start being morally and
ethically accountable for the events ethically accountable for the events
around them. Curzer said students learn ethica
beliefs from their parents or other beliefs from their parents or other
people they see as having authority.
uthey "They shouldn't be getting th information from untrustworthy or ignorant people," he said. "A lot of people trust their parents, but they
are adults now, and it's time to turn around and look at your parents and
ask, 'Do they know what they're talk
ask, Do they know what they're tak.
ing about."
Another usually unreliable source
for students are churches. Currer said
YNNN BREWER, AUTHOR of "Confessions of an Enron Executive," speaks about her experiences during the thre Yars she worked for Enron Thursday afternoon at the Merket A who claim they know the material they you study, you'll get one," said Shaik are preaching about, but sometimes Ahmed, manager of A-Plus Tutoring.
that is not always the case.
Ahmed said he has heard the Jonathan Marks, director of the complaints against his business and ethics initiative at Tech, said students their practice; he has even heard his on campus have a glaring unethical business be called unethical.
opportunity in front of them in the "Oh, it is not unethical," he opportunity in front of them in the "It's also not cheating. We are helping
form of A-Plus Tutoring.

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Many opting for veggies instead of meat

By LINDSAY WHARTON by Letures Writer

Rich Burgess has an unusual diet He is a lacto-ovo vegetarian, someone who does not consume meat but will consume animal products like eggs
and milk. Burgess, a graduate student and in-
structor in the philosophy department,

Burgess said he does not want to
force people to become vegetarians.
force people to become vegetarians. "I just want people to take a deeply
embedded attitude we have in this
culture and really examine it," Burgess
area to understand," Gable said. "They
need to get good information," he said.
cant believe you don't eat meat."
"The more restrictive a diet ts n't believe you don't eat meat." "The more restrictive a diet is, the more
She said she normally eats at Thai health risks there are". She said she normally eats at Thai health risks there are."
Indian restaurants because those Vegetarians need and Indian restaurants because those Vegetarians need to be cautious
ethnic groups understand that some about calcium, iron and vitamin B12, aid. and really examine it," Burgess people do not eat meat. Shriver said. Vegetarians deprived of structor in the philosophy department,
said he became a vegetarian for
 often is met with
d is agree "I certainly in the
beginning noticed how
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for his. Shat you're eating," Gable said.
Shalon Hudgens, a sophomore pub- plant foods. Vegans, a more extreme lic relations major from Andrews, said form, only eat plant food and will not
she has not considered the vegetarian she has not considered the vegetarian purchase any animal product like leather
diet for health reasons and her personal enjoyment of meat.
after meals," he said.
Peyton Gable, aunior sociology ma-
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The pain and suffering involved in ani- $\begin{aligned} & \text { Por from Lubbock, said she siscavegetarian } \\ & \text { for spiritual and health reasons. } \\ & \text { mals,", he said. } \\ & \text { His reasoning is summarized into } \\ & \text { "What you put in your body has an }\end{aligned}$
two principles that he addresses in his
 "I don't think you get the balanced Shriver said.
nutrition that meat provides,"s she said. Some vegetarian types are not as Brent Shriver, associate professor of strict. Pesco-vegetarians incorporate His reasoning is summarized into two principles that he addresses in his
classes. One, that people should miniclasses. One, that people should mini-
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Fox's 'House' taking off with 'American Idol' assist

How do you gloat about the Page Six scandal? Very quietly
NEW YORK (AP) - Just asking: unique word that meansenjoyinganoother's singled out by Page Six is NOT being ardo DiCaprio and Babra Streisand. "P'm Which famous actor of stage, screen and misfortune. Page Six has dished it out singled out by Page Six.
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Which gregarious salkshow host wouldn't be fun to see the paper squirm. And yet luster, their presence in the public wware- it's tue, Sunshine added, "it's a complete go near it? And which publicistst told us, notody wants to crow out loud. After all, go near it: And which publicist told us,
"NOBODY'S going to want to go there!"
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Building, pours a customer's salad into a container Tuesday afternoon.

| NEW YORK (AP) - With a little help from Simon Cowell and the gang, "House" last week drew the highest ratings among young viewers of any Fox scripted series since "Ally McBeal" six years ago. Hugh Laurie's Dr. Gregory House and his co-stars on the medical drama have been catching fire, showing improved ratings four weeks in a tow, according to Nielsen Media Research. <br> Like last season, "House" is | being helped immensely by airing directly after television's most popular show, "American Idol." Still, last week's episode had strong retention rates: "American Idol" was seen by 28.8 million viewers, with 22.7 million staying on to watch "House." <br> Fox won its seventh straight week in the ratings among viewers aged 18 to 49 , the demographic that advertisers pay a premium to reach. |
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These Tity-obsesesed world, with so many Web sites and blogs dedicated to gossip, it has gotten even meaner, some in the industry
say - because it is so competitive say - because it is so competitive.
"Gossip columns should be fun" "Gossip columns should be fun,
bemoans Sunshine. "They shouldn't be bemoans sunshine. They shouldnat of made-up stories and defamatory
fut information. Whate xists in these columns is not something we as a society should be proud of."

NBC secures Matt Lauer on 'Today' with three-year contract
NEW YORK (AP) - While the television world was paying artention
to Meredith Viera's selcetion as Katie Couric's successor on the "Today" show last week, Matt Laner quietly agreed to a contract extension to keep
him on the show until 2011 . him on the show until 2011.
NBC confirmed the deal Tuesday, after Lauer revealed it during an in. terview with The New York Times The network released no details. Lauer will make around $\$ 13$ million a year, roughly equivalent to Couric
pay, the newspaper said. pay, the newspaper said.
Lauer, who hhares a Dec. 30 birth
day with Vieira, is 48 . He was not immediately available for comment a spokeswoman said.
His contract was to have expired
in 2008. Lauer has been co-host with in 2008. Lauer has been co-host with
Couric on morning television's most popular and profitable show since January 1997, when he replaced Bryant Gumbel.
"like it here," Lauer told the
Times. "I can be csey bour Times. "I can be cagey about it and
do all the things you'te supposed to do all the things you'te supposed to
do. llike this job."
With
 sented turn toward ABC's second-place "Good Morning America," which would face changes if either co-host
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is tapped as a long-term substiute
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Lauer has kept up an exhaustive
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Over the course of a week, he's sent

to mystery spots across the globe with the audience guessing his des| tination. |
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Otherwise, he's kept a relatively
low profice, recelving nuch attention COMING!
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up to work with a shockingly shore haircut.
Vieira, 52 , is expected to start a Lauer's co host in September:
Published reports say NBC offere Published reports say NBC offered
afouryear conract paying her atleast
si0 mill $\$ 10$ million a year, but that co
be independently confrmed.

## The Gamekillers OBITUARIES April 2006



MASSIS Andre, São Paulo, BR Was lured away from a pretly young thing and into a heated game of 'Foos' by his good friend Carl-more commonly known as "The Mayor of No Women's Land." While Andre made several attempts to step away and pack into contention with the said female, Carl's relentless pursuit for all hings that don'tinvolve getting some, was ultimately too much for the young Andre. He quickly found himself sweating it out over the air hockey table, from where he would catch a glimpse of his young beaury heading out the door with another suitor. Andre's game will be remembered by many, just not her.


NIEVES Fernando, New York, NY His game was alive and well on its way to a ten digit exchange with a hottie known as Britney, but was suddenly bushwhacked by a classic Gamekiller, The Drama Queen. She ran into the scene, tears streaming, and sobbed a story of having seen her ex from four years ago. "I, I, I just can't be alone tonight, Brit." Still a retrievable situation had Fernando kept his cool. But he didn't. "Four years seems like a long time ago, he said in all innocence. By the time The Drama Queen was done flipping the script, Fernando was recast in the role of "the villain" in front of a crowd of horrified on-tookers. No one hooks up with an insensifive pig. Rest in peace Fernando, bu you sleep alone.

## DANIELSON Zack, Aflanta, GA

It was early in the evening yesterday when Zack's game left us, and while it didn't go without a fight, Zack did have his arse unceremoniously handed to him. Upon returning from the bathroom, Zack found the girl he
was seeing had been surrounded by a beefy mesomorph, Early Man who tried to use his abundant muscle to strong-arm him out of the picture. Zack did not keep his cool and accused his young lady friend of fliring with the first guy who came along. His girl, no doubt disgusted by Zack's overthetop bravado fled the scene when his far from attractive jealousy escalated into Zack throwing a punch, which was caught in mid-air by something that looked like a hand, but felt like a 201 b vice. By the time Zack regained consciousness, he was home alone and unable to console himself with his dominant hand.


SHIEH Hanwey, Los Angeles, CA Hanwey was chatting up a latin diva at an apariment complex barbecue and his game was hot enough to pose a fire hazard, that is until his friend and cocoon of horror known as The Mess entered the picture and snatched Hanwey up like a flash flood of distraction. Somewhat of a loose cannon, The Mess immediately engaged Hanwey in the age-old male bonding tradition of lighting one's own farts. Sure there's lititle more enticing than the ignition of one's own combustible human gasses, but much like riding an electric scooter, you don' look that cool doing it. When the laughter subsided, Hanwey was lef with nothing but a good laugh and the faint smell of old eggs, while his lady was snared by a new suito: Man, talk about blowing it.


KUMAR Bharat, Jacksonville, FL
After kicking his game to a leggy redhead at a dorm mixer, Bharat was intervupled by Trevor, a.k.a British Accent Guy. Women are drawn to men with British accents,

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so all it took was a single "pardon" to make his girl raise an eyebrow toward this game killing Redcoat. This prompled Bharat to get riled by calling out the guy's busted grill of yellowing bad teeth and comparing the merits of baseball over cricket. The British Accent Guy smiled and opened his mouth only to offer small bits of non-confrontational banter, allowing his accent to seep into the girl's brain like a piece of brilliant propaganda. In the end, the Brit would invade on Bharat's teritory with ease, taking the girl, and leaving Bharat's game strewn on the road as a piece of collateral damage.

## SMITH Eric, Washington, DC

His game came to its demise in the most unlikely of circumstances. While engaging in two of his most pleasurable pastimes: talking about boats, with his other passion, a beautiful girl who seemed genuinely interested. They were even planning to go out in his 15 foot dinghy, only to hit unseen rocks in the form of The One Upper, the classic Gamekiller who lives by the motto "Anything you can do I can do better." Sure enough, The One Upper claimed to not only know boats, but he also boasted of captaining his own 40foot vessel. Eric tried to navigate to the calmer waters of car talk but was run over again by The One Upper's supposed vintage German roadster. The tension quickly mounted, and soon the two were engaged in a ruthless game of one-upmanship. On and on they went, seeing what the other guy just said and raising him. When the smoke cleared, Eric had won the gloatfest, but the girl was nowhere to be found. No one likes a braggart. Eric's game was last seen drifiting away towards the vast sea of loneliness in an undersized boat.


FOX Jon, London, UK
Jon's game, beloved to many a cheerleader and facilitator of the ménage of 2003, was fairing well at a Gold Coast club with a delightul pair of sisters. That is until the playboy predator and full time Gamekiller simply known as Kash Munni entered the picture. A wellendowed socialite famous for trashing 5 -star hotel rooms, Kash had traveled in from oil rich lands

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wearing expensive litilian loafers and indoor sunglasses. Drinks were bought for willing and unwilling recipients alike with his family's fortune, which he shamelessly llaunted in the form of an array of high status plastic. This caused Jon to suddenly lose his cool and go on the defensive by opening a tab of his own. On his debit card. After three rounds, Jon's account was maxed. Shorlly after he was dropped off alone would Jon learn the hard way that a woman's affection should never be for sale, and that many a man has gone broke trying to prove otherwise.


UTSCH Chad, New Brunswick, NJ His game was faring nicely at the local coffee shop with a seemingly receptive latte drinker called Rita and he seemed well on his way to a litile affernoon delight, that is until the corduroy-clad Gamekiller known as " $1 Q^{\prime}$ entered picture. This pompous scholastic scavenger, famous for luring men into heated debates on subjects of which they know nothing overheard the conversation turning to art and pounced. Immediately he steered the dialogue into an area known as Out Of Chad's Depth where he would dish out ever increasing portions of intellectual emasculation. Chad reacted as anyone with a 20 point $I Q$ deficit facing " $1 Q$ " would: the wrong way No, the answer to "When do you eel Picasso peaked?" isn't to shove the questioner in the chest. Rita was leff to apologize emphatically for Chad's actions and asked if she could make up for it in some way. Chad tried to recover, but it was too late. He had lost his cool, and his game would retire home, where il would begin its own blue period.


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## INTRAMURALS

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