

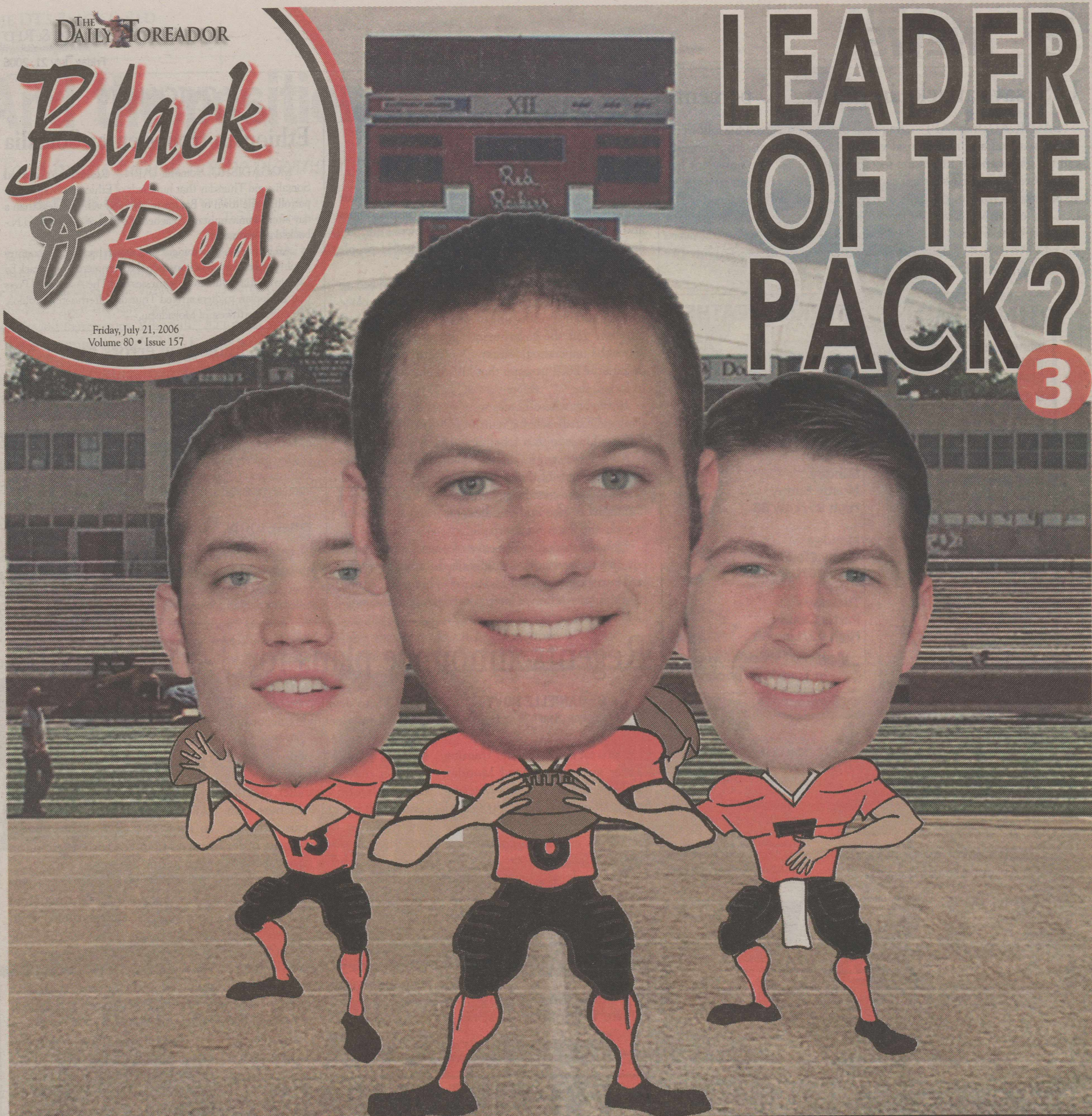
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U.S. says attacks in Iraq up 40 percent

BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — Iraq's top Shiite cleric urged his followers Thursday to refrain from reprisal violence against Sunnis, his strongest call yet for an end to increasing sectarian bloodshed. The statement by Grand Ayatollah Ali Al-Sistani came as U.S. military officials reported a 40 percent increase in the daily average of attacks in the Baghdad area. U.S. spokesman Maj. Gen. William Caldwell said there has been an average of 34 attacks a day against U.S. and Iraqi forces in the capital over the past five days. The daily average for the period June 14 until July 13 was 24 a day, he said.

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Rescuers search for tsunami survivors

PANGANDARAN, Indonesia (AP) — Rescue workers dug decomposed corpses from ruined homes and hotels in this tsunami-devastated town Thursday, and a mass burial was held for some of the 531 people killed by the waves.

President Susilo Bambang Yudhoyono vowed to have a nationwide tsunami warning system in place by mid-2008, months ahead of schedule, following criticism that the government failed to tell residents about the impending disaster. One is still not in place despite the 2004 tsunami that killed tens of thousands in Indonesia.

Survivors whose homes were smashed scoured the Pangandaran beach for nails, wood, tin — anything they could use to start rebuilding their lives.

"We need a family shelter," said Sakiman, 71, who was among tens of thousands waiting to return home. "The camps are crowded, inconvenient. We've received donations of rice and noodles, but can't cook them because the water is too dirty."

Hundreds stood at the edge of a mass grave, some covering their mouths, as unidentified corpses were lowered into the ground. The bodies were photographed and tagged in case relatives later wanted to claim them.

QUICK HITS

Ethiopian troops enter Somalia

MOGADISHU, Somalia (AP) — Residents of central Somalia said Thursday that hundreds of Ethiopian troops were patrolling the town of Baidoa in armored vehicles, less than a day after Islamic militants reached the base of the weak, U.N.-backed government.

An Ethiopian government spokesman had said his country would protect Somalia's transitional government from attack by Islamic militias. Numerous witnesses told The Associated Press that Ethiopian soldiers arrived Thursday afternoon in Baidoa, 150 miles northwest of Mogadishu.

Report finds drug errors hurt 1.5M

WASHINGTON (AP) — More than 1.5 million Americans are injured every year by drug errors in hospitals, nursing homes and doctor's offices, a count that doesn't even estimate patients' own medication mix-ups, says a report that calls for major steps to increase patient safety. Topping that list: All prescriptions should be written electronically by 2010, the Institute of Medicine said. At least a quarter of all medication-related injuries are preventable, the institute concluded in the report it released Thursday.

Bush touts Voting Rights Act renewal

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush on Thursday urged the Senate to renew a landmark civil rights law passed in the 1960s to stop racist voting practices in the South. "President Johnson called the right to vote the lifeblood of our democracy.

Regents announce plans for T-STEM center

By DANIELLE NOVY
SENIOR STAFF WRITER

Plans for a new teacher-training center were announced Monday in the Board of Regents Meeting Room after Texas Tech was named one of only five universities to receive \$1 million in competitive grants.

The funds will go toward the creation of a Texas Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics center, better known as a

T-STEM, to develop instructional materials in select fields, according to a press release.

Dean Fontenot, who is slated to direct the new T-STEM center along with John Chandler, said the center will provide teachers with new resources they can integrate into their lesson plans in order to offer students a strong base of curriculum in the fields of math, science, technology and engineering.

In effect, the center will help high school students better prepare for college, especially those planning on studying engineering, she said. Today, only 35 percent of students who come into college intending to study engineering actually end up graduating with a

degree in this field.

"By 2010, almost 90 percent of engineers will be from foreign countries," Fontenot said.

The T-STEM center will thus be aimed at broadening the educational backgrounds of students so they may find success in the courses involved with receiving an engineering degree.

T-STEM is \$71 initiative created to improve the instruction of both science and mathematics in secondary schools across the Lone Star State, according to a press release. Among the various partners involved in the effort is the Office of the Governor as well as the Texas Education Agency.

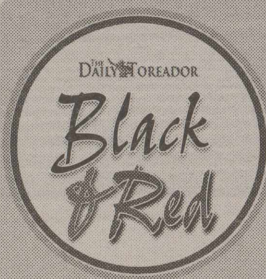
"The initial project was something started by the TEA," Fontenot said. "What the TEA is doing is trying to get more students prepared to go to college."

She said both in-service and pre-service teachers alike from throughout the state will be able to come to Lubbock and take advantage of the facility.

"Anything like this always helps the Lubbock community," Fontenot said.

For more information, visit the Web site www.tstem.ttu.edu.

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And the position goes to ...

Todd insists he will not be playing in 2006, Harrell next option

By **TRAVIS CRAM**
MANAGING EDITOR

With the start of the 2006-07 season still more than one month away, the biggest question to be answered in the Hub City is the same as it has been the last four seasons; Who will be the new starting quarterback?

The hearings to name a new quarterback began this spring with the front-runners being sophomore quarterback Graham Harrell and sophomore quarterback Chris Todd.

Although Texas Tech coach Mike Leach has not formally appointed a new general of his Air Raid offense, Todd said he is not expecting to play in the upcoming season.

"You know, I won't be playing this season, so I'm really not concentrating on the whole competition thing," Todd said. "I just want to prepare myself to where I can be ready to step in there if I need to."

Leach was contacted, but was unavailable to comment on the

quarterback situation.

Todd did not play in any games last season while Harrell took the majority of snaps behind 2005 starter Cody Hodges.

Harrell played in six games total, completing 37-of-55 for 422 yards and three touchdowns.

As a redshirt-freshman in 2005, the Ennis native got his first true test when he was forced to replace an injured Hodges during the fourth quarter of the 2006 AT&T Cotton Bowl against then-No. 13 Alabama.

During this year's spring practices, Harrell said it was a chance to learn how to compete in pressure situations.

"That was quite a different situation," he said. "It was a good experience though, and hopefully, we will all be able to learn from that game for

this next year."

The annual Red-Black game during the spring featured Harrell and Todd receiving the majority of snaps with sophomore walk-on Ryan Rowland taking the rest.

Harrell led the game completing 27-of-38 for 277 yards, followed by Todd's 15-of-23 for 119 yards.

Rowland finished 9-of-16 for 85 yards and one score.

Harrell said it will be exciting to finally

get some heavy practices in once the entire team is set to begin in August, but for him the quarterback race only seems more important because of the hype that surrounds the position.

"It's a Mike Leach thing," he said. "He does it every spring and really tries to do it at every position just to add a little competition."

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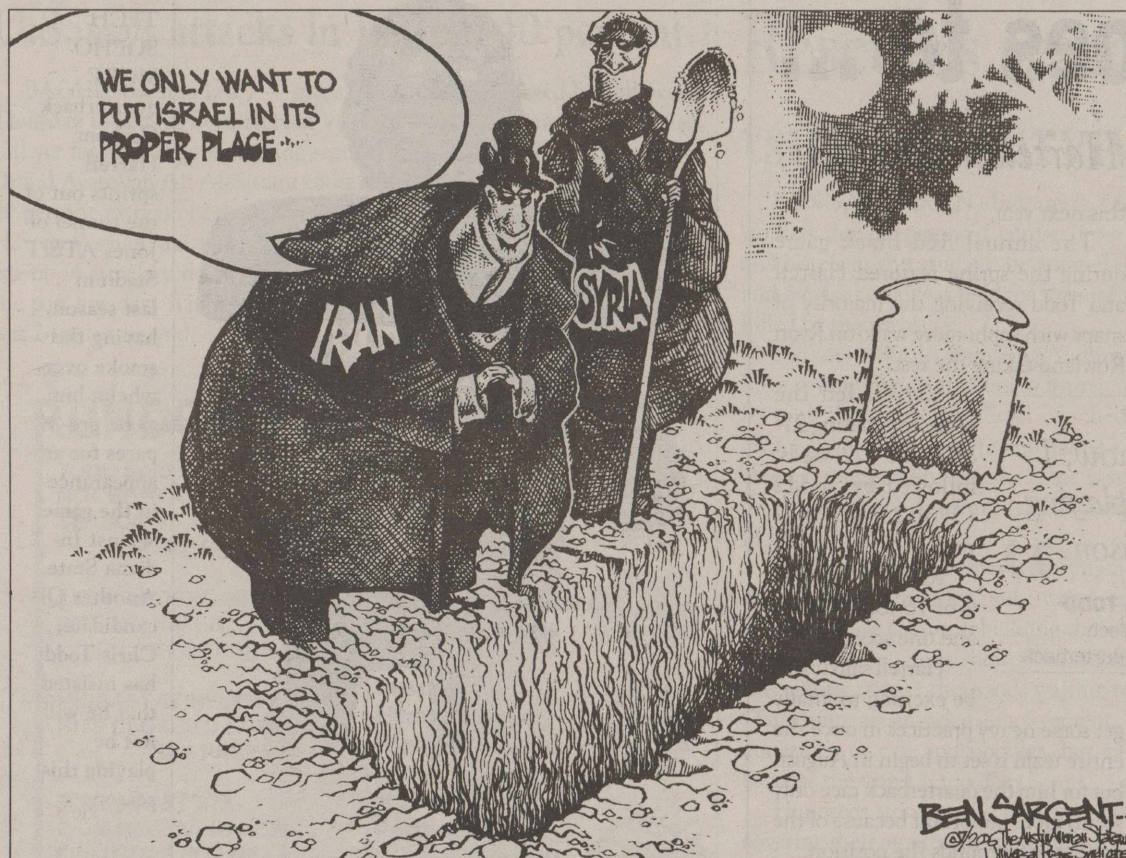
— **CHRIS TODD**
Texas Tech
Sophomore Quarterback



TEXAS TECH SOPHOMORE quarterback Graham Harrell sprints out of the tunnel of Jones AT&T Stadium last season, having the smoke overwhelm him as he prepares for an appearance in the game against Indiana State. Another QB candidate, Chris Todd, has insisted that he will not be playing this season.

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Rather than complaining, celebrate the sunshine

Lately, weather forecasts predict oppressive heat and meteorologists are urging people to stay indoors if they can. There are headlines in most major newspapers describing “choking” heat; a CBS news story warned of a heat wave “baking” America, saying that there is “no relief in sight.”

What do they mean, “no relief in sight?” Of course there is; it’s called winter.

It is surprising to me that the heat continues to make headlines in several major newspapers; apparently it’s big news that it gets hot in summer. Sure, it’s a little warmer than normal, which I’ll admit is concerning. And it’s true that there are risks associated with heat, and people should take certain precautions (like wearing sunscreen, hanging out in the shade, etc.).

But while I wouldn’t exactly recommend going jogging for five miles when it’s 100 degrees out-

Sarai Brinker



side (I’d recommend doing that in the morning, when it’s only 70 degrees), I do think it’s a bit dramatic to describe our conditions as almost unbearable. Since when did hot, sunny weather become so oppressive that we are told to stay indoors?

Summertime should be about Frisbee, picnics in the park and playing at the pool. All the things you can’t do when it’s snowing outside.

It seems like everyone wants what they don’t have. You live in Lubbock, you want trees. You live in the mountains, and it gets too cold. Here, I’ve been hearing a lot

of complaining about how hot and dry it is, which is kind of funny, since earlier this summer I visited Ireland where the major complaint was about the cold and the wet.

We should stop complaining and start celebrating the beautiful clear skies and abundant recreational activities it provides. After all, no amount of remarking that it’s hot outside is going to somehow will the weather to cool off even a single degree. And even if it could, no one really wants to live in a climate-controlled box where it is always a comfortable 70.6 degrees.

So for now, accept that it is hot, grab a water bottle and some sunscreen and celebrate the sunshine. Pretty soon it will be winter, and you’ll be wishing for summer.

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‘I pity the ...’

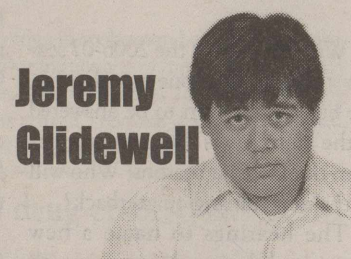
Mr. T gives up gold, what will you?

Mr. T is retiring his jewelry. According to Associated Press reports, reporters questioned T after seeing him in what was perceived as a subdued wardrobe (worry not, he has kept the Mohawk and beard). Mr. T has decided to stop wearing his trademark neckwear after spending time with the less fortunate, saying that, “As a spiritual man, I felt it would be a sin against my God for me to wear all that gold again because I spent a lot of time with the less fortunate.” This was in reference to his visit to New Orleans where he witnessed first hand the devastation caused by Hurricane Katrina.

Normally, I would deride him for his decision, by writing something sardonic. I would bestow upon him the yearly award for “Best Delayed Overreaction to a Natural Disaster.” I would say that without the gold, he should no longer be allowed to use his nom de plume and should instead revert back to his given name, which ironically, was Norbert Tee. But I can not do that. Why not? Because I have decided to follow the advice of Mr. T (or Tee) and give up something that has become, in some fashion, so associated with me that it has evolved into a trademark. I, Jeremy Glidewell, have given up sarcasm. I mean, I cannot, in good conscience, see all those people suffering and then callously skewer other people, who are completely unrelated to the original people, in the hopes of soliciting a few grins. That would be wrong.

Just think if other people could follow the lead of B.A. Baracus, not

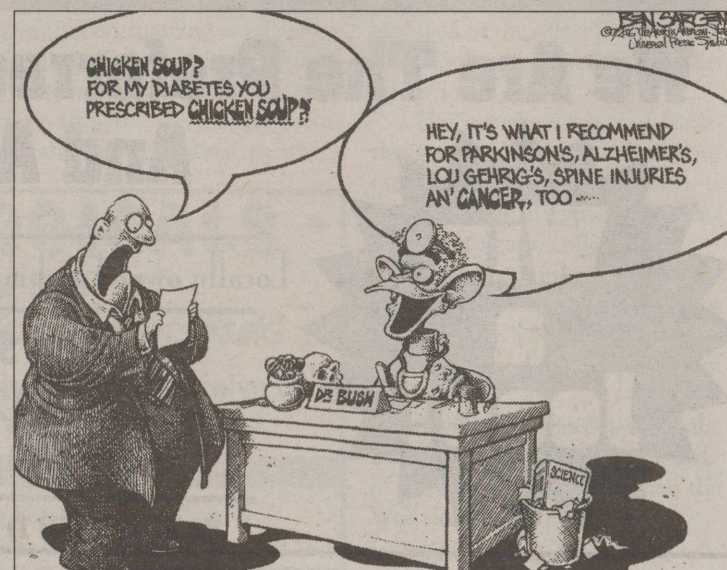
Jeremy Glidewell



in the sense of trying to escape every time that Hannibal’s back is turned, but rather in giving up something vital to ourselves, not in order to sell that vital item to help a charity, but rather because of the guilt we feel over the value of our excesses. And besides, as Mr. T himself said, “The gold is in my heart.” Which begs the question, how did the gold get in his heart? Did he eat it? And could he possibly remove the gold from his heart and wear it again when New Orleans gets back to normal?

Regardless, I’m asking you, Texas Tech, to do the same. No, not eat your possessions. Give up something that you deem vital to your everyday existence (much in the same way that I’ve given up deadpan irony). You don’t actually have to send that money to help anyone less fortunate - this isn’t something where you turn over a hypothetical new leaf. It’s more like Lent, where you give something up with no real point (like cookies) so that you can tell other people what you’ve given up, and then eat a whole package of Oreos as soon as it’s out of your collective consciousness.

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Defense rests in Yates case, closing arguments for Monday

HOUSTON (AP) — The defense rested its case Thursday in Andrea Yates' second murder trial in the bathtub drowning deaths of her children.

State District Judge Belinda Hill set closing arguments for Monday, and prosecutor Kaylynn Williford said jurors will be sequestered during deliberations.

Yates, 42, is being retried because an appeals court overturned her 2002 capital murder conviction on the grounds that some erroneous testimony may have influenced jurors. Yates, charged in three of her five children's 2001 deaths, has again pleaded innocent by reason of insanity.

If convicted, she will be sentenced to life in prison. If found not guilty by reason of insanity, she will be committed to a state mental hospital, with periodic hearings to determine whether she should be released — although jurors

are not allowed to know that.

Defense attorneys first asked Hill to allow jurors to know what would happen to Yates after either verdict, hoping jurors would realize that an acquittal would mean Yates would be committed to a mental hospital for years, and would not be free.

When Hill rejected that request, the defense asked that the jury not be allowed to discuss during deliberations what might happen to Yates. Hill said she would consider the request.

Yates' attorneys say Yates suffered from severe postpartum psychosis when she killed 7-year-old Noah, 5-year-old John, 3-year-old Paul, 2-year-old Luke and 6-month-old Mary. They say she meets Texas' definition of insanity: that a severe mental illness prevents someone who is committing a crime from knowing it is wrong.

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Lady Raiders ink another player to roster

Lady Raider head coach Kristy Curry has added another addition to her 2007-08 squad.

Thursday, Curry announced the signing of University of Pittsburgh transfer Maddy Brown to a letter of intent, according to a press release.

The Honeoye Falls, N.Y. native is transferring as a sophomore after spending her freshman campaign with the Panthers and due to the NCAA transfer rules, Brown will have to sit

out the 2006-07 season.

According to the release, coach Curry said the left-handed Brown is a versatile player on the perimeter who will add experience and leadership to the team.

"Having played a year in the Big East will definitely give us much needed experience as we lose three senior perimeter players as we prepare for the future," Curry said of Brown in the release. "The year off will give her a chance to learn our system and improve her game. We

are very excited to have Maddy join our program, and the Lady Raider Nation will enjoy watching her play."

The 5-foot-10 guard played all 33 games and started 12 times for Pittsburgh during the 2005-06 season averaging 7.2 points, 2.5 rebounds and 1.3 assists per game.

She shot 34.8 percent from the field including a 33.1 three-point percentage and recorded 27 steals.

—Stephen Monahan/Senior Staff Writer

One month after Guard arrival murders down, arrests up

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — The number of murders in New Orleans has been cut nearly in half since the National Guard and state police arrived to help patrol the city a month ago, and arrests in some crime-plagued neighborhoods have almost doubled, according to police statistics.

In the 30 days before the deployment June 20, there were 21 killings in the city. From June 20 to Wednesday, there were 11.

Police superintendent Warren

Riley claimed success in reducing the violent crime rate. Deputy Chief John Bryson called the results "remarkable."

The Guard was sent to patrol largely deserted, flooded-out areas where looting was still a problem since last year's Hurricane Katrina. Police task forces were reassigned to beats in the troubled streets of Central City, Pigeon Town and other neighborhoods that have grown increasingly violent. Bryson credits those task forces with the increase in arrests and decrease in killings.

In Central City, the city's bloodiest

neighborhood with 18 of this year's 67 killings, arrests about doubled since June 20, said Capt. Bob Bardy, commander of a district that includes part of the area.

His officers averaged 150 to 180 arrests per week before June 20. Between July 9 and July 15, they made 318.

Gov. Kathleen Blanco sent the Guard and state police into the city at the request of Mayor Ray Nagin. The violence in Central City — including the fatal shooting of five teenagers — prompted the move.

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Marines in Lebanon to evacuate Americans

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — U.S. Marines landed in Beirut on Thursday for the first time in more than 20 years, helping evacuate Americans onto a Navy ship bound for Cyprus from battle-torn Lebanon. About 40 U.S. Marines arrived at a beach just north of Beirut in a landing craft and picked up 300 Americans who they ferried to the amphibious assault ship USS Nashville just off the coast. The Nashville is supposed to sail for Cyprus with about 1,000 Americans.

New Israeli-Hezbollah fighting breaks out

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — A large fight between Israeli forces and Hezbollah guerrillas broke out Thursday evening on the Lebanese side of the border, the Israeli army said, adding that its troops suffered casualties but did not elaborate. Hezbollah's Al-Manar television said three Israeli soldiers were killed and 10 wounded in fighting. The forces crossed the border as part of ongoing operations to push back Hezbollah guerrillas who have continued firing rockets into northern Israel despite more than a week of massive bombardment.

Israeli army takes casualties in fighting

JERUSALEM (AP) — Heavy fighting between Israeli forces and Hezbollah guerrillas broke out Thursday evening on the Lebanese side of the border, the Israeli army said, with Israel suffering several casualties. The Israeli force crossed the border as part of ongoing operations to clear out Hezbollah infrastructure along a small band on the Lebanese side, the army said. The army did not provide numbers or conditions of the casualties.

Annan calls for immediate halt to conflict

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — Secretary-General Kofi Annan called Thursday for an immediate halt to the escalating conflict between Israel and Lebanon's Hezbollah militia but said there were "serious obstacles to reaching a cease-fire."



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A LEBANESE POLICE officer carries a crying child in stroller to a landing craft from the USS Nashville used in evacuating stranded American citizens from the beach north of Beirut, Lebanon, Thursday. The USS Nashville anchored off the coast of Lebanon evacuated nearly 1, 200 Americans from the war torn country to take them to Cyprus.

Mideast conflict hits close to home

By PAUL ROBERTS
SENIOR STAFF WRITER

For one Lubbock family, the crisis in Lebanon is too close to home.

Bassam Shoujan, a restaurant owner who has lived in Lubbock for more than 20 years, has been concerned all week of his two sons and Shoujan's wife, who were trapped in Lebanon.

Shoujan said Thursday morning he finally heard good news from the U.S. Embassy that his family was rescued from Lebanon and is on their way home.

"Today they got lucky and got out," Shoujan said. "Now I am just waiting for one more call saying when they will be home."

Shoujan said his family went to Lebanon for a visit last week. They were stranded there once the fighting began.

Shoujan said he was unable to talk to his family the entire time, except for one phone call.

"They called me and said they wanted to leave, but there was no

chance," Shoujan said.

While Shoujan thought about the dangers around his family, U.S. officials worked hard at attempting to evacuate more than 25,000 Americans in Lebanon.

He said he then received a phone call from the American Embassy telling him his family has been evacuated from the area, along with 8,000 other Americans.

Once evacuated from Lebanon, Americans are taken to a staging area on the island of Cyprus. Then from Cyprus, they are loaded onto planes bound for the Eastern coast of the U.S.

Shoujan said he is very happy to hear the good news but will stop worrying only when his family is safe at home here in Lubbock.

He said he was in terrible shape all week, thinking about his family and if they will ever be rescued.

"I panicked. I couldn't sleep, you know," Shoujan said. "It did not help that I had to go to work every day."

He said some of this anxiety left him when he received the phone call from the embassy.

"The most important thing is they are rescued," Shoujan said.

Now he waits for the return of his wife and two sons.

The City of Lubbock tested an emergency management plan when Lubbock was chosen as a potential site for American evacuees from Lebanon.

On Wednesday, the FEMA Operation Center in Washington, D.C., notified Texas Emergency Operations

that Texas can expect to receive 10,000 evacuees.

The city conducted an emergency meeting Wednesday to discuss the plans to assist the evacuees, said Kevin Overstreet, Lubbock's emergency management coordinator.

He said Lubbock needed to be prepared in the case that some evacuees were sent to the Hub City.

"In the city council meeting, steps were taken to authorize expenditures of \$500,000," Overstreet said.

The city council discussed appropriate funding to assist the evacuees, which includes the \$500,000 they set aside — the same amount used for assistance of Hurricane Katrina evacuees last August. The city council was able to locate available hotel rooms and made arrangements for dozens of Citibuses for transportation, as well as numerous of other plans, Overstreet said.

However, late Wednesday afternoon, the city council was informed they would not be hosting any evacuees as most will stay on the east coast.

"In a phone conference from the state, we were informed to stand down but be ready, just in case," Overstreet said.

Lubbock city council was informed Texas will not be host to any evacuees, but Lubbock was prepared.

"Lubbock is ready to take on any responsibility of that magnitude," Overstreet said. "The city council and mayor were organized and willing to do whatever it takes."

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Just one of the guys

Work from classic men's art club coming to West Texas

By JEREMY REYNOLDS
SENIOR STAFF WRITER

It started rather modestly in 1871 as a gentlemen's club; a place where a few men could meet and discuss and critique their own artwork. However, this small New-York based club quickly grew into one of the most prestigious art organizations in the world.

Their name, Salmagundi, comes from papers Washington Irving published where Salmagundi meant a mixture of various ingredients, and now, with the help of the Texas Tech Museum, the artwork from the club will be on display starting Sunday.

Natasha Adkins, a graduate student at the museum who helped with the research of the exhibit, said the show has been traveling to other museums in the U.S. before it came to Lubbock.

Adkins said she believed any Tech student would find some kind of interest in the exhibit because it offers something for everyone. As far as being different from other exhibits that have come through the museum, she said this one is unique because of the history of the club and the members throughout the years and even up until today.

"I think there's a variety of subject matter here that any art student would find interesting," Adkins said.

According to a pamphlet about

the club, it has been credited for giving many famous artists their rise to stardom including Guy Wiggins, who is now a part of the club.

Charles Volkmar, the club potter back in 1894, was recognized as one of the better pot makers in the country through his work with the club.

The group is one of the oldest art organizations in America. At first, the purpose of the club was to critique one another's work, but now they have branched out into critiquing other works that are on display at museums around the world, according to a pamphlet about the club.

The exhibit is not scheduled to open until Sunday, but Adkins said there has already been interest shown by visitors.

"People are peeking in and asking questions about the exhibit,"

she said.

Throughout the years, the group has had to change venues a number of times. It started in the house of one of its members, and then proceeded into searching other areas for a suitable venue.

According to the pamphlet, the group purchased its present-day home in 1917. The brownstone building on Fifth Avenue has become an important venue in New York City for art exhibitions.

"This is just a showcase of the members of this group," Adkins said. "It will cover a wide spectrum of time."

The show will start its run on Sunday at the Tech Museum and run through Sept. 17; it will feature 65 pieces of work from the group.

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PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

LONDON (AP) — Kate Hudson has accepted libel damages from a supermarket tabloid that claimed she was dangerously thin.

The British edition of the National Enquirer has agreed to pay undisclosed damages and print an apology for an October 2005 article that claimed Hudson was "way too thin" and looked "like skin and bones," Simon Smith, a lawyer for the 27-year-old actress, said Thursday.

American Media Inc., the magazine's U.S.-based publisher, apologized for "the deep distress and acute embarrassment" caused by the allegations, which it acknowledged were false.

REDWOOD CITY, Calif. (AP) — Victor Willis, the original policeman in '70s disco band The Village People, has pleaded no contest to drug possession charges.

Willis, 54, appeared in court Wednesday. He was arrested in March in South San Francisco after police stopped his car and said they found cocaine and drug paraphernalia. At the time, he faced a bench warrant for failing to appear at his October sentencing hearing in San Mateo County Superior Court on another drug charge.

A judge will decide Sept. 1 whether Willis should be sentenced to a residential drug treatment program or go to prison. He has been in custody since his arrest.

LA CANADA FLINTRIDGE, Calif. (AP) — Haley Joel Osment was hospitalized after he apparently lost control of his car while heading to his Los Angeles area home, authorities said.

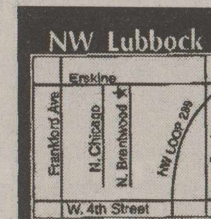
Osment, who was nominated for an Academy Award for his role as a boy who could see dead people in "The Sixth Sense," was driving a 1995 Saturn about 1 a.m. Thursday when the car collided with a brick pillar and flipped, said Los Angeles County sheriff's Lt. Greg Sisneros.

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McConaughey selling car for hurricane relief

DALLAS (AP) — Matthew McConaughey is selling a sports car on eBay to raise money for hurricane relief.

The 36-year-old actor is donating all proceeds from the sale of his 1971 Corvette Stingray convertible to Oprah's Angel Network for Katrina and Rita recovery efforts, according to details on the Web site <http://www.oprah.com>

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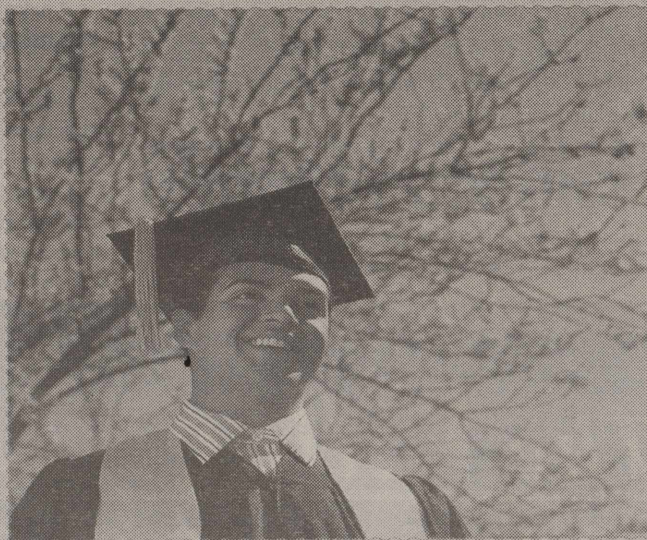


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From SBC to the new AT&T

By **STEPHEN MONAHAN**
SENIOR STAFF WRITER

By Aug. 1, the newest commitment to the Texas Tech football team should be ready to start for the Red Raiders' home opener Sept. 2 against Southern Methodist University.

That commit is the FieldTurf surface currently being installed at Jones AT&T Stadium replacing the AstroTurf Tech used for the 1999 through 2005 seasons.

Tech Athletic Director Gerald Myers said the installation of the playing field began July 11 and is expected to take approximately two weeks to complete.

"Basically, it will be completed Aug. 1," Myers said. "When I say basically, all the work will be done."

However, Myers also said that basic touchups of odds and ends around the stadium would be needed — much like the completion of a new home.

"It's like a new house," he said. "They finish it and they have a punch list of what they have to touch up."

The Tech athletic director said the turf was rolled into 10-yard increments. When setting the material, the first two rolls are laid out and then sewn together. Next, the turf was stretched out to its capacity and another 10-yard roll was laid out and sewn together and the process continued until all 120 yards were finished.

"They'll come back and lay the FieldTurf on the sidelines all the way out to the wall," Myers added. "The floor of the stadium will be covered wall to wall. It's going to really enhance the interior of the stadium. It's going to be an attractive field to play on."

According to the FieldTurf Web site, www.fieldturf.com, the turf is a blend of specially treated Polyethylene fibers. Its key components are rubber granules, which is tire rubber cryogenically frozen and shattered into smooth, clean, rounded particles, sized and shaped to stay in suspension.

The Web site states the rubber granules are precisely layered to guarantee uniformity with the result of the product being a stable, resilient, uniform, shock-absorbing surface.

A list of 40 NCAA institutions have had the surface installed including the likes of Big 12 foes Nebraska and Kansas State and the surface was created to alleviate injury to athletes, including abrasions that are caused from such surfaces such as AstroTurf, according to the Web site.

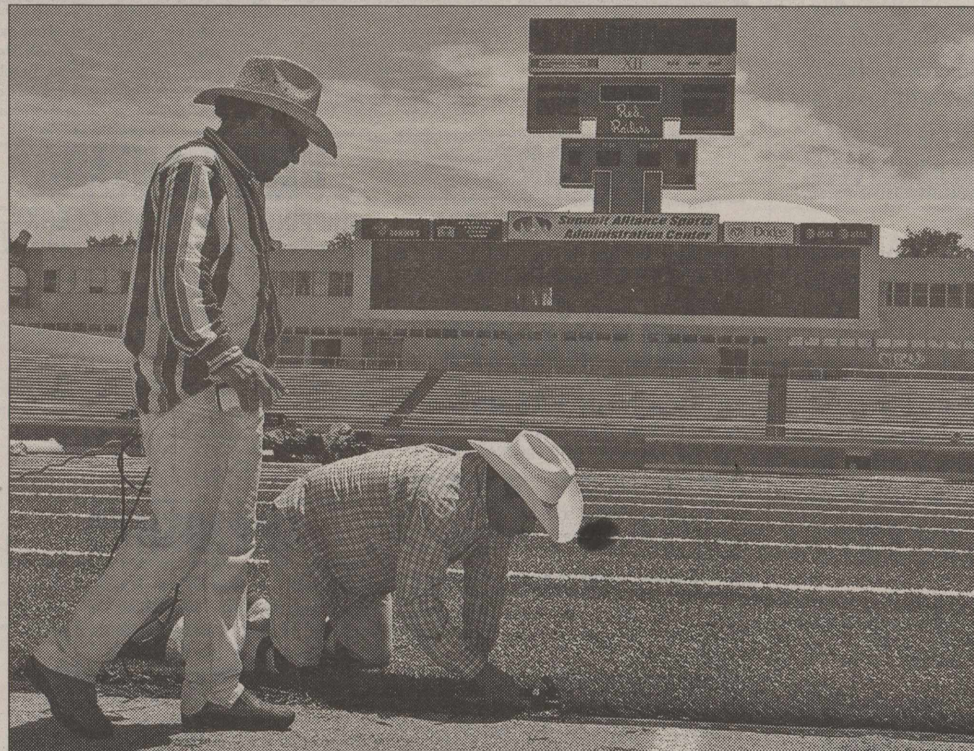
Tech quarterbacks Graham Harrell and Chris Todd said they have previously played on FieldTurf, but neither seemingly prefer the new playing surface as opposed to the old turf.

"We have a little area back here on the practice field that we run on everyday," Harrell said. "Back home at Ennis, that's what we had. I think it's good on our bodies. I like the old turf too."

Todd said the new turf may be more beneficial to player injuries.

"I really don't prefer one of the other," Todd said. "The old turf we had was kind of hard and it hurt when you fell, but besides that, I think everybody is kind of the same speed on the same turf, and so I don't think that it's going to make that big of a difference."

The FieldTurf is not the only new feature to the stadium. A field wall, made of Tech brick, outlines the in-



CESAR OLIVAS AND Gustavo Armendarez cut and spray parts of new turf at Jones AT&T Stadium, Thursday afternoon. The FieldTurf is scheduled to be complete by Aug. 1.

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ner-portion of the stadium replacing the track, and was completed prior to the installation of the turf.

Two panels on each endzone are engraved with two lines from the "Matador Song."

The north end reads, "Fearless

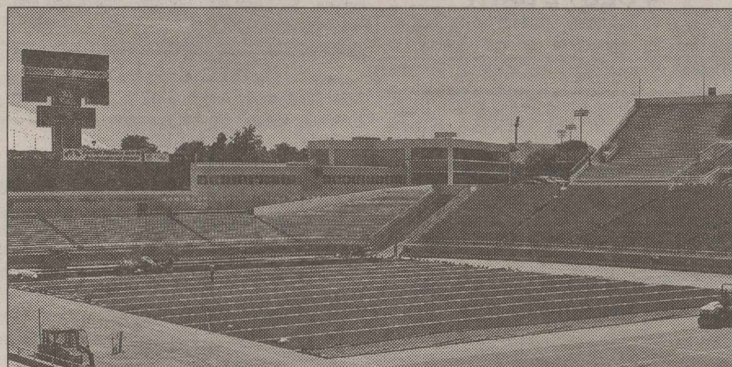
champions ever be, stand on heights of victory," while the south end reads, "Strive for honor evermore, long live the Matador."

Myers said workers began the project in mid-March by laying a base for the field wall around the

stadium followed by a lot of drainage work.

"It's about five feet high with borders of cut stone," Myers said of the field wall. "The base covers the top and the bottom of the borders."

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THE NEW LOOK of Jones AT&T Stadium as of July 13.

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Big 12 schedule set for Lady Raiders

After the Texas Tech women's basketball team finishes their road-plagued, non-conference schedule, the Lady Raiders will open Big 12 Conference play at Baylor Jan. 3, according to the Tech 2007 conference schedule announced recently.

During the opening month of conference, the Lady Raiders will host Oklahoma State, Texas A&M, Missouri and Texas and will travel to Baylor, Oklahoma, Oklahoma State and Kansas.

In February, Baylor, Kansas State and Oklahoma will visit Lubbock, while the Lady Raiders will be tested on the road versus Colorado, Nebraska, Texas A&M and Texas.

Tech will finish their season with a home game versus Iowa State March 1.

2006-07 Texas Tech Women's Basketball Schedule

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Tues. Oct. 31 HOUSTON JAGUARS (exhibition)
Sun. Nov. 5 ATHLETES IN ACTION (exhibition)
Fri. Nov. 10 TEXAS-SAN ANTONIO
Tues. Nov. 14 at Houston
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Fri. Nov. 24 at Hawaii
Sat. Nov. 25 vs. Arkansas/Denver
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Wed. Nov. 29 TULANE
Fri. Dec. 1 at Fresno State
Sun. Dec. 3 at Stanford
Wed. Dec. 6 TEXAS-ARLINGTON
Thurs. Dec. 14 ORAL ROBERTS
Mon. Dec. 18 at Arizona State
Thurs. Dec. 21 FURMAN
Sat. Dec. 30 at SMU
Wed. Jan. 3 at Baylor*
Sat. Jan. 6 OKLAHOMA STATE*
Wed. Jan. 10 TEXAS A&M*
Sat. Jan. 13 at Oklahoma*
Wed. Jan. 17 MISSOURI*
Sat. Jan. 20 at Oklahoma State*
Sat. Jan. 27 TEXAS*
Wed. Jan. 31 at Kansas*
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Wed. Feb. 7 BAYLOR*
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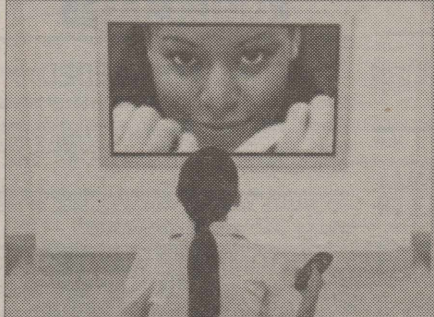
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