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Man facing eviction shoots 2, himself

HOUSTON (AP) — A man facing eviction Monday from a luxury apartment complex shot a neighbor through his door, reloaded his revolver and stormed the complex's office, killing the manager and pistol-whipping the man trying to serve the eviction notice before killing himself, police said.

Frantic residents called the complex's office to warn workers that a gunman was on his way to them. The manager warned co-workers to get out, and police credited her with saving lives before she was killed.

"I don't know if she had time to get out," said police Capt. Dwayne Ready.

NATION

Gonzales intends to remain attorney general

WASHINGTON (AP) - Alberto Gonzales, with a fresh vote of confidence from President Bush, vowed Monday to remain as attorney general despite lingering differences with senators over the firing of federal

Appearing at a news conference on identity theft, Gonzales said he will remain "as long as I can continue to serve effectively."

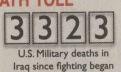
"There are a series of priorities, a series of objectives, that I want to see accomplished," he said, "and we are working as hard as we can to achieve those objectives."

WORLD

Former Russian President Yeltsin dies

MOSCOW (AP) - Boris Yeltsin, who kicked the props out from under the tottering Soviet empire and then struggled to build a nation from its wreckage, died Monday after seeing many of his democratic reforms rolled back.

The former Russian president was 76. Larger than life during his tenure, Yeltsin shrank from public view following his retirement on New Year's Eve 1999, and in recent years has rarely given interviews.



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Senate blocks Perry's HPV vaccine order

By LIZ AUSTIN PETERSON ASSOCAITED PRESS

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Senate approved a bill Monday that would bar state health officials from following Gov. Rick Perry's order requiring schoolgirls to be vaccinated against a cancer-causing sexually transmitted disease.

The bill was overwhelmingly approved by the Texas House last

Perry has not said whether he will sign the bill, veto it or let it become law without his signature. If the governor vetoes the bill, lawmakers could override it with a two-thirds vote of both the House and Senate. cancer and genital warts. Both chambers approved the bill by well over that margin.

month. If the House accepts the February when he issued an executive tioned the vaccine's safety and ef- attendance. The Senate's version of

changes made by the Senate, the bill order directing state health officials ficacy and said the mandate intrudes the ban would expire in 2011. could be on the governor's desk later to require the HPV vaccine for girls too far into families' lives. starting sixth grade as of September

> HPV vaccine on the market, protects girls and women against strains of the virus that cause most cases of cervical

Passing the legislation sets a precedent that "we as a Legislature have Merck & Co.'s Gardasil, the only a voice and we get to decide what vaccines are mandated in the state of Texas and which vaccines are not," Sen. Glenn Hegar said.

The bill approved by the House risks and benefits of the vaccine. Perry's order outraged lawmakers would permanently prohibit the from both parties and much of his state from adding the HPV vaccine ton Republican who sponsored the Perry made national headlines in social conservative base, who questo the list of shots required for school

Hegar, a Katy Republican who is sponsoring the bill in the Senate, said he strongly opposes mandating the HPV vaccine now or in the future. But he said lawmakers should revisit the issue down the road, when they have more information about the

Rep. Dennis Bonnen, an Angle-

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Weymouth CA found dead

A Weymouth Residence Hall community adviser was found dead Saturday evening.

James Jason Ramsey, a sophomore business administration major from Katy, was a CA on the third floor of Weymouth.

Lt. David Parker, of the Texas Tech Police Department, said foul play is not suspected, and the cause of death has not been determined. He could not comment further on situation as the inverstigation is ongoing.

Sally Post, director of news bureau and broadcasting in the Office of Communications and Marketing, said the

Department of Housing and Residence Life will have a floor meeting with students living on the third floor and other students who were close to Ramsey to talk about him and what happened. There will be employees at the counseling center available to offer guidance to grieving students.

The Department of Housing and Residence Life refused to comment on the situation.

A representative from the coroner's office said the results of the autopsy will not be made available to the public for at least another 45 days.

— Ben Maki/The Daily Toreador

Iranian president offers to have talks with President Bush

By NASSER KARIMI ASSOCIATED PRESS

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) — Iran's hard-line president proposed Monday to hold public talks with President Bush on a wide range of issues, without saying whether that included international suspicions of the Iranian nuclear program or allegations of Iranian meddling

"Last year, I announced readiness for a televised debate over global issues with his excellency Mr. Bush. And now we announce

that I am ready to negotiate with him about bilateral issues as well as regional and international issues," Mahmoud Ahmadinejad was quoted as saying on the Web site of Al-Alam, Iran's state-run Arabic satellite television

The Iranian leader did not elaborate on what specifically he was willing to discuss with the U.S. president, but he said the talks "should be held with media present."

It was not immediately clear if Iran's supreme leader, Ayatollah Ali Khamenei, who

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Texting

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contact (people) in a variety of ways,"

Companies she has looked at offer four to eight different methods of communication, she said, including text messaging, e-mail, land-line calls and cell-phone calls.

posal must be able to contact stu- started the company with other about the use of mass text messaging dents, faculty, staff and possibly individuals three years ago with the during emergencies on campus. parents within 30 minutes, Lutherer goal of providing a backbone for said.

Texas Tech has been looking into Tech shootings, she said.

The final REP hopefully will ask weather and emergencies.

for proposals from service providers within 30 days, she said.

have it in effect even during some phone, twice the number of those usof our freshman orientations, so we can talk to them about this," Lutherer said.

Companies offering these types of anywhere." services include Informz and MES-SAGEbuzz.

organizations.

MESSAGEbuzz, according to this type of service since the fall, but www.messagebuzz.com, offers text it has had difficulty finding service messaging capabilities, which inproviders until after the Virginia cludes services such as sending out Technology Services at Neosho information about organizations, the

According to the Web site, "by the end of 2006, roughly 2.3 billion "I would say that our plan is to, people across the globe had a mobile ing the Internet. The mobile channel has made it possible to reach these on-the-go consumers — anytime and

Kelley said since the Virginia Tech shootings, he has received Steven Kelley, chief executive phone calls from six universities The company who gets the pro- officer of MESSAGEbuzz, said he across the nation specifically asking

> Two schools already using MES-SAGEbuzz are the University of Southern California and Neosho County Community College.

Kerry Ranabargar, director of school has been using MESSAGE-

buzz for about a year.

"Basically, we kind of thought that one of the main pieces of communication students have is their cell phone," he said, "so we felt that sending announcements via text messages rather than other mediums (made sense)."

At Neosho County Community College, students can choose whether mail informing individuals in the than 700 students signed up for Red they have the service.

Ranabargar said 25 to 30 percent of students at Neosho County Com-MESSAGEbuzz.

"It's been slow to adopt, but it continues to grow, and obviously MESSAGEbuzz in 2006 to hold a mo-them know what is going on around this is something that is needed,"

At Neosho County Community County Community College, said the College and USC, MESSAGEbuzz up to use it. is not currently used for emergency

ing into expanding their services.

Ranabargar said a committee has been formed at the college to talk of emergencies.

cialist at USC, said after the Virginia tention. It's a phenomenal service." Tech shootings, she sent out an eemergency management part of the school that MESSAGEbuzz is already Additionally, there are more than munity College are currently using can be expanded to be used during activated their accounts. emergency situations.

bile scavenger hunt to send out other the Texas Tech campus and the Hub types of information, however only City, gives them weather updates approximately 200 students signed and, in the future, can warn them

Schmidt said despite the small >> naomi.kaskela@ttu.edu

purposes, but both schools are look- number of students who signed up for the service, she believes it is a valuable tool for college campuses.

"My personal opinion on that is about using MESSAGEbuzz in case this is a really great way to get a hold of students," she said. "Text messages, Jonielle Schmidt, program spe- it's not intrusive, but it gets your at-

At Texas Tech, there are more Raiders Mobile Campus, Moses said. in use on the campus and that it 600 students signed up who have not

He said he encourages students to Schmidt said USC started using sign up for the service because it lets about emergencies.

Iran

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Ahmadinejad's proposal.

the U.S. Embassy in Tehran.

ambitions before talks could ever they are."

Khamenei has regularly rejected bates or a media spectacle, the United Iran's president proposed holding a any direct talks between Tehran and States has offered actual discussions if televised debate with the American Washington because of what he calls Iran would only agree to what the in- leader, but the White House called U.S. "bullying" of Iran. The two ternational community has asked for the offer "a diversion from the legiticountries have not had diplomatic repeatedly: stop uranium enrichment mate concerns" about Iran's nuclear relations since the 1979 storming of and reprocessing," Gordon Johndroe, program. a spokesman for the National Security

The Bush administration said Iran Council at the White House, said must abandon any nuclear weapon Monday. "We're ready whenever

Ahmadinejad's offer was not "Instead of offering televised de- his first overture to Bush. Last year,

He also wrote a letter to Bush last

year that Washington dismissed as suspicions that Iran is trying to dethe peaceful use of nuclear reactors to ington has no plans to attack Iran. generate electricity.

The United States and others also have accused Tehran of helping Shiite Muslims militias blamed for much of

Ahmadinejad told Al-Alam that irrelevant because it did not address he thought the U.S. was "unlikely" to means are the wrong approach to use military force against Iran because solving disputes. "If some think that velop atomic weapons. Tehran denies of the dispute over the nuclear pro- by resorting to threats they (can) doing that, saying the program is for gram. U.S. officials have said Wash- change the world in favor of them-

"It is unlikely that such a will as saying. exists in the United States. I think there are enough wise people in the U.S. administration to prevent such nuclear intentions and called on the Iraq's sectarian bloodshed — a charge a decision," Al-Alam quoted Ahmadinejad as saying.

The Iranian leader said military selves, they are wrong," he was quoted

Earlier Monday, Ahmadinejad defended what he said are Iran's peaceful European Union to speak for itself during nuclear negotiations.

Ethanol plants causing market uncertainty, various rising costs

By RICHARD CAMPANARO STAFF WRITER

most likely causing an increase in over the next several years, corn expected to rise by more than 33 the price of commodities, namely prices appear likely to set new percent. corn, possibly leaving consumers records, especially if production is to absorb the cost.

According to a statement by will have various implications for of corn planted. other agricultural commodities.

adversely affected by weather."

Keith Collins, chief economist site, www.ers.usda.gov, as of April farmers might use cropland typiwith the U. S. Department of 5, predictions estimate the cost cally used for cotton production the United States. Agriculture, to the U.S. Senate of corn per bushel to reach \$3.13 for substitutes like grain-sorghum Committee on Environmental and for the 2006-07 crop year. This and other crops related to ethanol Public Works in September 2006, is the highest peak corn prices production and livestock feed. as more corn is diverted to supply have reached in the past 30 years, Since the increasing price of corn ethanol plants, rising corn prices despite an increase in the acreage most likely will cause the price

"Increased demand for corn strongest force in rising corn costs benefits since this also may cause products to rise. There is a general for conversion into ethanol will is an increase in the "farmgate" an increase in the price of cotton. inflation of food prices, but it can come of specific commodities, and corn feed and other substitute likely lead to higher corn prices price" — the price of a product He said researchers will better be assumed that the increases in speculation might be premature. goods, he said. as corn must be bid away from available at a farm — which is up understand whether a significant the price of meat, dairy and cot. It is mainly dependant on the

into corn production and away This is the result of a smaller corn occurred as June approaches. from other crops," Collins said in crop harvested in 2006, which

Steve Oswalt, research associate with Texas Tech's plant and According to the USDA Web soil science department, said local of substitute goods to increase as

The USDA Web site reported for corn. The rising number of ethanol his statement before the Senate. was down 3.3 percent from 2005, there are 110 ethanol refineries in plants in the United States is "As ethanol production expands while the demand for ethanol is the United States, which together how the rising price of corn will have the capability to produce impact the price of finished prodis expected to double in the next ucts. few years. Corn accounts for more than 90 percent of the total value to have to watch down the road," and production of feed grains in Oswalt said.

are used for corn planting. Conrad Lyford, associate professor of applied agricultural economics, said consumers should expect the price of finished goods According to the Web site, the well, local farmers could reap the such as beef, milk and other dairy

other uses, and land must be bid nearly \$1 per bushel from 2006. reduction in cotton acreage has ton in the near future are directly situation of competitors and the related to the increased demand amount of profit margins that the

> Oswalt said he cannot be sure he said. 5.4 billion gallons per year. This ucts such as beef and dairy prod-

Around 80 million acres of land absorb some of the costs or pass on the increase to customers, but the decision will be that of major retail outlets such as Wal-Mart, Target Corporation and United work," Lyford said. Supermarkets.

companies decide to maintain,

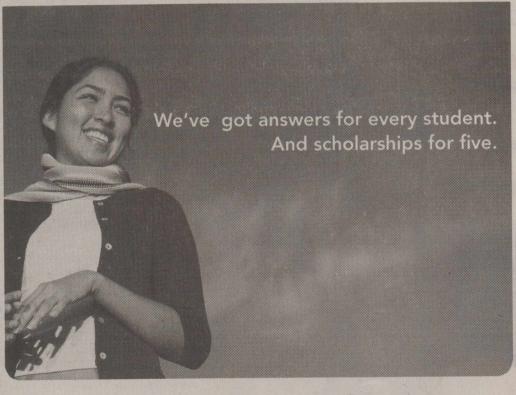
Agriculture producers do not have the capacity to determine the prices of their commodities, Lyford said. Price is established based on "That's something were going supply and demand coupled with several other variables. Uncertainty and variability

Lyford said distributors could regarding the commodities market will be reduced in the near future, 'The prices may stay, but peo-

ple will get used to the way things Increase in commodity prices

Lyford said several variables will benefit farmers but will reduce leave uncertainty as to the out- profitability for those reliant on

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Local ministry sponsors Social Justice Week



money will go to help the refugees.

"Brian Anderson started think-

Anderson said he got the idea from

decided to do their own outreach proj-

Today's topic is New Orleans

"We're not sending any money

nobody wants to do the dirty work."

I've worked on, I knew about the

ects in the Lubbock community.

solution to the problem.

COLLIN FOSTER, TECH alumnus, Kelli Steger, a senior industrial engineering major, and Chelsie Lancaster, a sophomore finance major, promote Social Justice Week at the Free Speech Area Monday afternoon.

same issues.

By GLENYS BOLLS STAFF WRITER

ministry group from Westminster Presbyterian Church, is sponsoring Social Justice Week Monday through Friday at Texas Tech.

The group will focus on a different social injustice each day of the week. The group set up a table near the Free Speech Pavilion where it is selling Tshirts promoting the event. Proceeds from the T-shirt sales will go entirely to the various foundations represented through the week's activities.

Monday's topic was Invisible Chilin Uganda who walk to larger cities each night to avoid being kidnapped by the Lord's Resistance Army, a group that kidnaps children and forces them to be soldiers in its revolt against the to New Orleans because they don't Austin to sleep on the Capitol steps," government.

"You don't expect murderers in the form of a child," said Brian Anderson, a junior international business and political science major from Keller who homelessness in Lubbock. helped organize Social Justice Week.

The group showed the documentary "Invisible Children" in three separate venues Monday to raise awareness of the issue, and it will show the film at 8:30 p.m. today at J and B it. Coffee. Anderson said he encourages students and faculty members to buy Project brings professional services see in the world." DVDs of the documentary because the to the homeless to help them, \(\rightarrow \) glenys.bolls@ttu.edu

"Professionals and people in the community donate their time," he said. "Doctors come do checkups; financial professionals help with finances. We want people to give their money and their time, but mainly their time."

Thursday the group will focus on digging wells in Africa.

AIDS is a major factor in the high death toll in Africa, Anderson said. AIDS weakens an individual's immune system, and the person can die of almost any disease he or she comes into contact with. Many of these diseases are water-born, and some people do not have the resources to boil their water before drinking or cooking with it, so they often are infected by diseases in the water.

"The 1,000 Wells Project digs ing about issues he wanted to raise wells to combat the AIDS epidemic," Late Night Ministries, a college awareness of," said Terra Tindle, a Anderson said. "The average well senior Biblical text major at Lubbock costs \$3,000, but it ranges from \$1,500 Christian University from Odessa. to \$15,000 by geographic location. "So he got together with a small With that average, one U.S. dollar group of people interested in the equates water for one African for an entire year."

Friday's focus is Stop the Traffik, attending a Passion Conference with an effort to end the worldwide slave his church group each of the past two trade. Anderson said students should years. The group could not attend look for a 6-foot by 8-foot canvas this year's conference, so its members Friday that he is planning to have students cover with their handprints as a symbol of unity behind the effort.

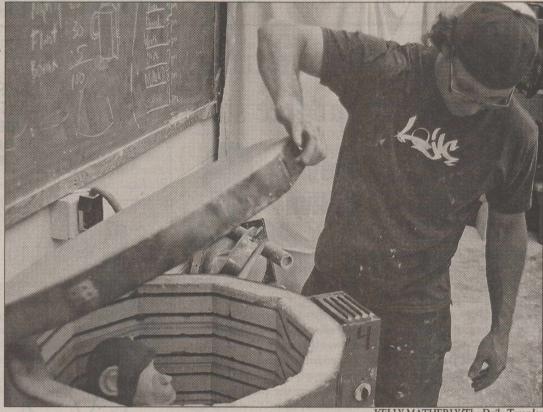
Saturday, the week will conclude dren, which focused on the children Katrina Relief. Anderson said he with a trip to Austin. As many as 50 spent his spring break in New Orleans students can go on the trip, which is and discovered money is no longer the free except for meals, to raise awareness of the Invisible Children.

"We're taking a trip Saturday to need it," he said. "What they need is said William Hulsey, a senior biolvolunteers. Everyone sent money, but ogy major from Tulia. "It's all free, so people should come to our booth and Wednesday, the group will look at sign up to go."

The protest, called "Displace Me," 'Some of the people who put this will be conducted Saturday night in "It's hard to be secure in a situation together just had a passion for a cer- 15 U.S. cities. Anderson said the tain thing," Tindle said. "Personally, United Nations had been sending I'm passionate about homelessness in money to the refugees in Uganda, but Lubbock. From some of the projects the money has run out.

"Unless the U.S. government steps Compassion Project, and I suggested up, they'll starve," he said. "Our vision is that people will come together this The Lubbock Compassion week to be the change they wish to

MONKEY BUSINESS



KELLY MATHERLY/The Daily Toreado

DRYDEN WELLS, A graduate ceramics major from St. Louis, closes the lid to a kiln before starting the firing process for a ceramic monkey.

Jury aguits man of assaulting girls

DARLINGTON, S.C. (AP) - A jury acquitted a convicted sex offender Monday of raping two teenage girls who police say escaped after they were left to die in an underground bunker he had built.

Kenneth Glenn Hinson, 48, appeared to cry after the jury read its verdict, which followed about four hours of deliberations over two days.

"I think the verdict says it all," he said as he was escorted from the courtroom.

Authorities accused Hinson of snatching the 17-year-old girls from their bedroom last year and dragging them one at a time to the underground room, raping them and binding them with duct tape.

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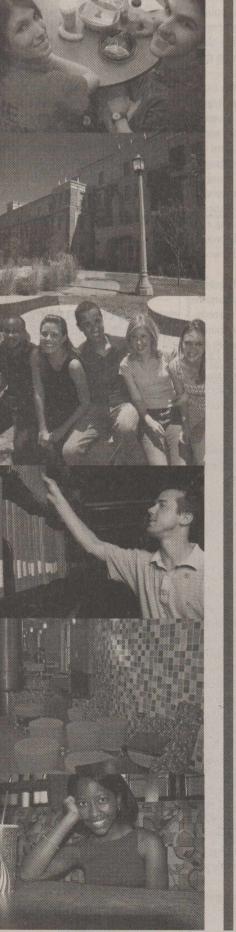
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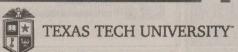
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OPINIONS

A well-regulated militia is necessary for our free state

Tt's a misnomer to label the incident at Virginia Tech as unavoid-Lable. Some of the events leading up to the shooting certainly adopt a Shakespearian-quality, destined by fate. Yet, incidents such as this can only embolden advocates for thoughtful gun laws and reaffirm the intentions of the framers of the ers to unleash unhindered violence Second Amendment.

Most anti-gun groups see the Second Amendment as an antiquated portion of the Constitution drafted out of constant dread of British military reprisals following America's victory in the Revolutionary War.

Anti-gun groups are partially founding fathers feared vengeance from the British immediately followthat would allow ordinary citizens to protect themselves and their property when the regular Army couldn't be present. A "well-regulated militia" was established as part of the Second state.

was how exactly such a militia was to be established, who its members would be and what kind of weapons they would be allowed. The founders gave a framework from which teaches us a good lesson. Despite all both the U.S. and individual state the money we spend on law enforcelegislatures could adapt laws to their ment and homeland security, the constituents. It was reasoned by men far more intelligent and noble than hours a day. Therefore, responsibility us, including Alexander Hamilton, must fall into the hands of ordinary "to model our political system upon citizens. speculations of lasting tranquility, is to calculate on the weaker springs of the human character." Last week, in Blacksburg, Va., the lasting tranquility of a college campus came under attack from a weaker spring of human less-restrictive-concealed-weapons character. In that moment, our laws, laws, is to have America live in a which took tranquility for granted, constant police state in which no one

In 18th-century language, a wellregulated militia would be construed ernments are rarely responsible with as a collection of farmers, ranchers, power of that magnitude. Adolph blacksmiths, carpenters and other Hitler's Germany and Joseph Stalin's ordinary Americans who, in times of Soviet Union both had strict policies crisis, would be called upon to defend against a person's right to bear arms, America's land and people.

A well-regulated militia also should respective populaces. rely on members of the community and the government cannot respond innocent against those who would cause bodily harm. Our government, them to carry concealed handguns for do them harm. their protection and the protection of those around them.

of those areas, such as courthouses protect our right to be free. and airports, are protected by not only armed peace officers, but metal **Caliva is a senior mathematics** as schools, become havens for kill- him at trey.caliva@ttu.edu.



on people ill-equipped to defend

What would happen if such a zone were eliminated or select people were allowed to bring guns in? We need to look no farther than the Oct. 1, 1997, shooting spree in Pearl, Miss.

Following the brutal stabbing of correct in that translation. The his mother, then-16-year-old Luke Woodham brought a rifle to Pearl High School. There he shot and ing the revolution. So they drafted killed his ex-girlfriend, her best friend an amendment to the Constitution and wounded seven others. During the chaos, Assistant Principal Joel Myrick retrieved a .45-caliber pistol from his car and subdued a fleeing Woodham until police arrived. According to the following police Amendment to the United States investigation, the shooter was at-Constitution to protect a "free tempting to continue his rampage at Pearl Middle School. Myrick, What the founders didn't specify because of the decision to carry his gun in his car, was able to prevent more innocent young people from dying that day.

> The incident at Pearl High School government cannot protect you 24

> Any police force in a free state is reactive. When an incident happens that threatens the lives of others, the police react to the scene.

The only other option, besides owns guns except the government. Unfortunately, history shows govwhich subsequently allowed them Fast forward to the 21st century. to enact murderous policies on their

If America needs a response in the to protect lives when crisis strikes form of gun control to the tragedy at Virginia Tech, we need to enact quickly enough. Instead of a militia longer waiting periods before somemade up of laborers and craftsmen, one is able to purchase any form of a we have formed a militia of middle- gun. We need to ensure background class workers — including teachers checks performed on those purchasand businessmen — to protect the ing weapons involve criminal records as well as their mental health history. We also must give law-abiding citias in the State of Texas, regulates zens the ability to adequately protect that middle-class militia. We allow themselves against those who would

The ability of the Second Amendment to effectively relate to situations Except, in some areas, we restrict such as last week's massacre is a testathe ability of the middle-class militia ment to the ingenuity of the framers to act. We create areas considered of the constitution. All we have to do "gun-free zones" where concealed is apply their words in modern terms. handguns are not allowed. This As violence continues to be a threat includes schools, churches, court- to Americans, what we need for our rooms, hospitals and airports. Some safety is a well-regulated militia to

detectors. Those that aren't, such major from San Antonio. E-mail

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

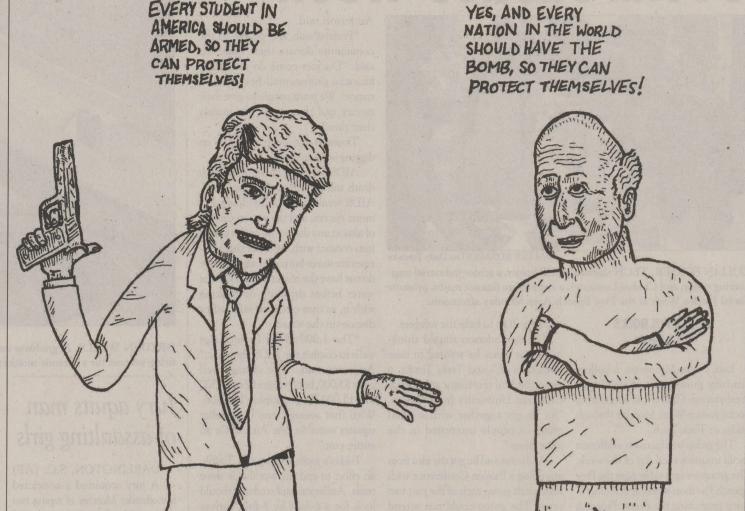
Oh, how I love public debates.

In response to the Eric Braden cartoon turmoil: Free speech is worth offending a few people. Sorry, my view. If we fire everyone in the public sphere who is offensive, we'd have to do it across the board to be fair. How many hip-hop artists would still have jobs? These rappers get to say whatever the @*#\$ they want and not have to worry about record companies canceling their contracts. Rush Limbaugh is offensive, so is Bill O'Reilly. Should they be fired? Personally I didn't think the cartoon was offensive. I thought it was funny. The Virginia Tech shooting made me want to cry. Am I insensitive? Braden was expressing his view that the Bush administration is hypocritical for mourning the loss of gunned-down students while supporting gun lobbying. Not my view (just yet), but I respect it.

In response to Martinez's Global Warming article. I understand where you're coming from, but seriously, how much do you know about global warming and/or science? I'm not trying to be offensive, but the first thing one learns when he/she gets much past a basic level is that scientists disagree with each other ALL THE TIME! That scientists from all the pertinent fields, (climatology, atmospheric science, ecology and chemistry), from all over the world have ruled overwhelmingly, that global warming is happening and is human caused. The science behind global warming is pretty understandable too, if you read up on it. Start with Tim Flannery's

DT, keep up the good work! Getting the public (me) riled up is a good thing if it's about something important.

Clint Peters, senior natural history/philosophy/English major from Lubbock.



In light of the large volume of criticism received in response to Eric Braden's cartoon that ran in the April 20, 2007 edition of The Daily Toreador and the editorial board's decision to run the cartoon, The Daily Toreador editorial board has decided to explain our reasoning to the readers:

The editorial board of The Daily Toreador made the decision to run Eric Braden's April 20, 2007 cartoon, and that is a decision we neither back down from nor apologize for. We do, however, apologize for the fact that some readers were offended by the cartoon.

It is the function of an Opinions Page to act as a forum of expression for different viewpoints and dissenting opinions. As stated in the staff box, those opinions expressed do not necessarily represent the opinions of the staff as a whole. In running the cartoon, we utilized the Opinions Page as a tool to bring to light an idea that was not necessarily congruent with the mainstream line of thinking.

The cartoon was a timely commentary on a national tragedy. The decision to print the cartoon was not one made lightly, and hours of deliberation went into the process.

it is not the role of the editorial board to censor viewpoints simply because some may disagree with them. We live in a free, democratic society in which we are taught to value the opinions of others and encourage debate.

Some would say we exhibited a lack of sensitivity in running the cartoon. Our response to these claims is simple: We were willing to forgo a certain level of sensitivity to allow Braden to bring to the surface the issue of gun control. His opinion being a controversial one was not enough to keep it from running on the Opinions Page.

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Students need to follow own goals in career

By CHRIS FLOOK DAILY NEWS (BALL STATE U.)

(U-WIRE) MUNCIE, Ind. Recently, I boarded a plane and watched this guy bark a litany of instructions into his cell phone. The viciousness of each command sounded as though whatever he was talking about was a matter of life and death.

flight taking copious notes as he poured over various business materials. Sitting on the aisle, he became especially irritated as the lady next to him got up a couple of times to use the bathroom. He sighed heavily as if each intrusion into his commercial our master's goals with the utmost seri-

servitude was excruciatingly unbearable ousness. Career now has an unyielding our families, even the ones not yet

What bothered me most about this made it seem as if death was sitting next to him, disguised as the lady with a small bladder. I simply did not understand why he was so stressed about life. As close to death as this man was, why was he ally castrate ourselves, choosing the He spent the majority of the so concerned about anything, let alone amenities that such an existence brings on a plane, old and alone - pissed off at

business, this late in the game? This rotting curmudgeon represents everything wrong about our culture; we simply have lost the courage to follow our own dreams. We adopt someone else's ambition as our own, taking on

gravity of importance.

college, we end up deciding to spiritu- majesty's concubines. been violently severed from our decision a never-ending list of instructions. making process. Like a eunuch in charge of the sultan's harem, we only manage

from the doorway. We justify this drudgery because for a pointless life.

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produced, need resources. Families Many students are told that we must don't feed themselves and long hours guy was not his haughty rudeness, but do well in school so we can obtain a mean more resources. However, lured his advanced age. His wrinkly skin, degree, even though the certification by advertising's bright shiny baubles, randomly festooned with liver spots, no longer ensures steady employ- most of us end up spending our surplus ment. Eventually being hired requires assets not on family, but on junk we a lifetime of working for someone else. don't need. This means we must return After jumping through the hoop of to the harem each day to manage his

> Eventually, we find ourselves sitting - even though freedom of choice has everything and everyone, while reading

Although I do believe that a strong work ethic is essential in all endeavors, his majesty's assets by watching them wasting this ability on corporate, ideological or individual masters sets one up

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HPV

Gates' missile defense

pitch to Russians fails

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1 bill in the House, said he's willing

to let the ban expire in 2011. "It's reasonable for us to take another look," he said, adding that he likely will encourage the House to accept the Senate's changes. If the House rejects the changes, members of both chambers will meet to work out the differences.

Perry spokeswoman Krista Moody said the governor will decide what action to take once the bill gets to his desk. He has 10 days to take action or it will become law without his signature.

"The governor is disappointed by today's actions and is sad for the lives that will not be saved," Moody said.

Sen. Leticia Van de Putte was the only senator to vote against the bill. The San Antonio Democrat had filed legislation to require the HPV vaccine long before Perry

Monday to coax Russia from its

bases in Europe, but he suggested

Gates, on his first visit to the

opening bid in a series of high-level

Bush administration diplomatic

moves aimed at softening Russia's

view on missile defense. Secretary

of State Condoleezza Rice will

issued his order.

She unsuccessfully tried to amend the bill to make the ban expire in 2009 but said later that she would have voted against the legislation even if her amendment had been approved.

"We'll never know how many women are going to get cervical cancer and die because we didn't act when we could," said Van de Putte, who is a pharmacist. "Only time will tell."

Hegar said nothing would stop lawmakers from repealing the ban during the next biennial legislative session if they feel strongly about the issue.

The Senate also passed a bill that would require schools to distribute a brochure about the virus, the vaccine and cervical cancer to the parents of female students. State health officials would put together the brochure, which also would be distributed in doctor's offices, health clinics and hospitals under legislation approved last week.

Obama says Bush has fallen short in role as leader of free world

"No more will Congress turn a in his response. "I will strongly reject Democrats took control of Congress in bill is going nowhere fast," said Rep.

blind eye to the Bush administration's an artificial timetable (for) withdrawal January and promised to change policy Jerry Lewis, R-Calif., referring to the

WORLD EVENTS IN BRIEF

Democrats agree on Iraq legislation Bush has threatened to veto

cratic leaders agreed Monday on president of living in a state of denial Oval Office as he met with his top Iraq House and Senate met in late after-

WASHINGTON (AP) — A his- ate Majority Leader Harry Reid said tell those who wear the uniform how to than 3,200 U.S. troops.

Bush has fallen short in his role as Obama said in a speech to the Chileader of the free world, and the 2008 cago Council on Global Affairs.

Iraq by Oct. 1 with a goal of a complete

pullout six months later.

election is a chance to change that. White House, but for the last six address that was rescheduled last tempted to turn inward in the face of deed and by example," he said.

CHICAGO (AP) — Democratic years the position of leader of the week after the shootings at Virginia negative world opinion. presidential candidate Sen. Barack free world has remained open. And Obama said Monday that President it is time to fill that role once more,"

incompetence and dishonesty," Sen- and/or Washington politicians trying to in a war has claimed the lives of more veto threat.

toric veto showdown assured, Demo- in a speech in which he accused the do their job," he told reporters in the

legislation that requires the first U.S. about events in Iraq more than four commander, Gen. David Petraeus.

combat troops to be withdrawn from years after the U.S.-led invasion.

Taken together, the day's events

Bush, confident of enough votes marked the quickening of a confrontion, but made no attempt to delay or

to sustain his veto, was unambiguous tation that has been building since even seek changes. "We all know this

"America cannot meet the threats In his remarks, Obama said the of this century alone, but the world world is disappointed in the United cannot meet them without America. States, but it would be a mistake to We must neither retreat from the The Illinois senator was in his "cede our claim of leadership in world world nor try to bully it into submis-"This president may occupy the hometown to deliver a foreign policy affairs" because Americans might be sion — we must lead the world by

Congressional negotiators for the

noon and ratified the details of the

legislation. Republicans voiced opposi-

Presidential hopeful Huckabee says Gonzales a 'major distraction' for Bush

suggested the attorney general volun- on both fronts.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Re- elected, he would increase the number Gonzales even as the candidate implied for when you can decide that if you are for President Bush and the GOP, and take his cues from military commanders eight federal prosecutors.

publican presidential hopeful Mike of U.S. troops in Iraq and change the that the country's top law enforcement a distraction that you no longer will Huckabee on Monday called Al- Pentagon's policy on gay service mem- official should leave the post on his own create that level of problem for your berto Gonzales a "major distraction" bers, although he insisted he would given the furor over the dismissals of boss," he said.

In an interview with Associated be for the appointee to make the decipresident and for the administration The former Arkansas governor Press reporters and editors, Huckabee sion and not force the president to do and for the Republican Party," Huckaalso left open the possibility that, if deferred to Bush on whether to fire so. You best serve the person you work bee said.

"The attorney general is clearly "Sometimes the best position would creating a major distraction for the

Social Security, Medicare trust funds will last a year longer before gone

rity and Medicare, trustees of the ficials said. government's two largest benefit programs said Monday.

lion retiring baby boomers still will legislation to deal with Medicare's that will bankrupt future genera- outlays. The trustees first made

For the first time, Medicare hit The oncoming crush of 78 mil- Bush to send the House and Senate runaway entitlement spending top 45 percent of the program's

er benefits, more taxes and some fund by 2041 unless Congress and cans, who crafted that trigger when of Ohio. accounting magic will buy an the White House can agree on a they were in control of the House extra year of life for Social Secu- way to save the programs, the of- and Senate, immediately used the is triggered any time two consecunews to call for changes.

a trigger that requires President need for Congress to address needed to finance Medicare will crash the Medicare trust fund by funding problems with his 2009 tions of Americans," said House that determination last year.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Few- 2019 and the Social Security trust budget. Congressional Republican leader John Boehner

The Medicare funding warning tive trustees reports conclude that "Today's report reinforces the the amount of general revenue

Study: Fat workers cost more in injury claims, lost workdays

CHICAGO (AP) — Overweight the study will convince employers to 13 times more lost workdays due to employees. workers cost their bosses more in injury invest in programs to help fight obesity. work-related injuries, and their mediclaims than their lean colleagues, sug- One employment attorney warned cal claims for those injuries were seven years of data from 11,728 people emgests a study that found the heaviest companies that treating fat workers times higher than their fit co-workers. employees had twice the rate of work- differently could lead to discrimination ers' compensation claims as their fit complaints.

Duke University researchers also

Overweight workers were more likely to have claims involving injuries to the back, wrist, arm, neck, Obesity experts said they hope found that the fattest workers had shoulder, hip, knee and foot than other tion claims.

The findings were based on eight ployed by Duke and its health system. Researchers found that workers with higher body mass indexes, or BMIs, had higher rates of workers' compensa-

NASA releases images of the sun, saying they may help predict solar storms

NASA released the first three-dispacecraft may lead to better predictions of solar eruptions that can affect communications and power lines on Earth.

the instruments work,' but beyond science centers nationwide.

GREENBELT, Md. (AP) — that the first reaction was 'Wow!" The twin spacecraft, launched in ejection. Along with overloading scientist Simon Plunkett said as he October, are orbiting the Sun, one power lines and disrupting satellite mensional images of the sun Monday, explained the images to a room full slightly ahead of the Earth and one communications, the eruptions can saying the photos taken from twin of journalists and scientists wearing behind. The separation, just like the endanger astronauts on spacewalks.

spacecraft (for Solar Terrestrial Relations Observatory) are available "The first reaction was 'Great, on the Internet and at museums and

The images from the STEREO vides the depth perception that allows the 3D images to be obtained.

solar eruption called a coronal mass Laboratory project.

distance between our two eyes, pro- Scientists would like to improve predictions of the arrival time from the current day or so to a few hours, That depth perception is also par- said Russell Howard, principal inticularly helpful for studying a type of vestigator for the Naval Research

follow later this week at talks in and U.S. technical experts would confer in the weeks ahead.

it seems.

"I felt like we made some headway," he told a small group of

at his Moscow hotel. "I think there are some mistechnical aspects of the missile its border. defense system that the Pentagon

MOSCOW (AP) — Defense Republic about hosting a missile Secretary Robert Gates failed tracking radar.

"Those are the kinds of things that opposition to U.S. missile defense we can clarify," Gates told reporters.

President Bush also spoke with Pu-Moscow may be more flexible than tin on Monday _ by telephone _ about missile defense and other issues, the White House said. The Kremlin said Russian capital since he came here the call was initiated by the White as CIA director in 1992, made the House and included international political problems, cooperation on humanitarian issues and a planned meeting between the two leaders in June in Germany during the summit of major industrialized nations.

In Moscow, the Russians also Norway, and Gates said Russian raised with Gates their concern about a U.S. Navy plan to convert nuclear warheads of some of its submarine-Outwardly, Gates seemed to launched Trident missiles to convenmake little or no progress. But after tional warheads. The Russians' worry a full day of meetings, including a is that a converted Trident missile session with President Vladimir could be mistaken for a nuclear Putin, he sounded a modestly op-launch, risking the possibility of a timistic note and said talks would retaliatory nuclear strike. Gates said the warhead conversion plan remains on the Pentagon's agenda.

Last week, U.S. officials gave the American and Russian reporters Russians a new package of suggested ways of cooperating on missile defense — a move intended to offset understandings" on the Russians' the Russians' concern about having part, Gates said, about some of the American military forces so close to

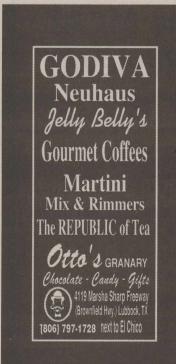
Gates said Monday that these wants to place in eastern Europe. proposals include working together The intent is to give a degree of to experiment with new concepts and protection to Europe — including technologies as well as research and parts of Russia — from missiles fired development, and possibly co-locatfrom the Middle East. Washington ing U.S. and Russian radars. He also is engaged in talks with Poland mentioned the possibility of U.S. and about building a missile defense Russian forces doing missile defense base there to house 10 intercep- operations as part of a peacekeeping tor rockets, and with the Czech mission.

Democrats, Bush prepare for showdown over Iraq legislation

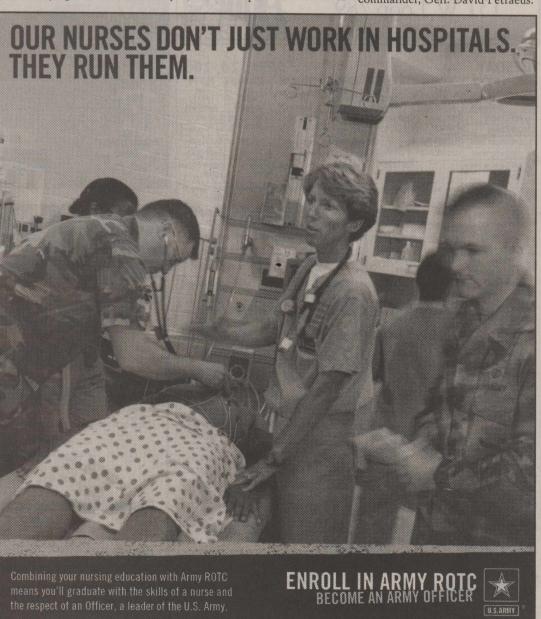
WASHINGTON (AP) — A withdrawal and/or Washington wear the uniform how to do their Office as he met with his top Iraq historic veto showdown assured, politicians trying to tell those who job," he told reporters in the Oval Democratic leaders agreed Monday on legislation that requires the first U.S. combat troops to be withdrawn from Iraq by Oct. 1 with a goal of a complete pullout six months later.

"No more will Congress turn a blind eye to the Bush administration's incompetence and dishonesty," Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid said in a speech in which he accused the president of living in a state of denial about events in Iraq more than four years after the U.S.-led invasion.

Bush, confident of enough votes to sustain his veto, was unambiguous in his response. "I will strongly reject an artificial timetable (for)



commander, Gen. David Petraeus.



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New rules to regulate hazardous chemical plants still create controversy

est oil refinery on the East Coast.

She wonders what she's breathing, though she says the odors are not as noxious as they were a few decades

Since the terrorist attacks of Sept. toured the Conoco Phillips Bay View plant with a group of like-minded citizens and was amazed at what she saw _ and didn't see. "There wasn't any guard or security official that I saw. than out here."

Now federal officials are catching has nine, Illinois 14 and Texas 17. up with Taylor's concerns.

In October, Congress passed a law giving the Homeland Security Department the authority to regulate

Those rules have now been pub-terrorist attack." most of her life, Jean Taylor has lived lished, and regulators and the aboutin northern New Jersey near the larg- to-be regulated, congressional and as many as 66,000 plants around state officials, industry and environ- the country possess some amount mentalists all have different views of what comes next.

While New Jersey has a particularly large concentration of chemical facilities, nearly every U.S. urban area 11, 2001, she also has wondered about has plants that produce or use hazardsecurity. A community activist, she ous materials capable of endangering their neighbors. The government lists about 100 plants nationwide with a million or more people living in such a "vulnerability zone."

California, for example, is home to There's more security at the airport 12 plants, each with more than a million people living in its shadow. Ohio

Homeland Security Secretary Michael Chertoff acknowledges "the collection of a lot of potentially dangerous chemicals in one place the nation's most hazardous chemical does create an attractive target to somebody who wants to carry out a

Department regulators estimate of a "chemical of interest." Roughly one-third of those already are regulated by other agencies, such as the Coast Guard or the Environmental Protection Agency. For the rest, the government is asking the owners to complete an online questionnaire within 60 days telling what they manufacture, what chemicals they store, in what quantities, and in what type of storage.

The department will determine their risk level by assessing the potential consequences to people nearby of an accident or attack, the impact of sabotage or theft, and the economic consequences of any catastrophe.

Chertoff estimates about 7,000 plants will fall into the high-risk

Assistant Secretary Robert present a significant risk because they

cess, said 100 to 150 in the topmost program. tier can expect the earliest attention and closest scrutiny.

All 7,000 high-risk facilities will file "vulnerability assessments" in which various threat scenarios are played out. Managers must determine whether the plant could withstand on these facilities that they may on an attack by armed assailants, for ex- their own choose to adjust their busiample, or a bomb. Each plant must develop a security plan that will resolve those vulnerabilities. The Homeland Security Department will then follow up with inspections.

will have only about 80 regulators to department to do just that. Critics makers and state officials is that the address all the high-risk plants, and a say too much attention is paid to budget of \$25 million.

Chemistry Council, an industry group, of the chemicals used. said some companies already have taken many of the required steps. But Stephan estimated 20 percent

Among the new tools Congress has given the department is the ability to levy fines up to \$25,000 per day, or to shut down egregious violators.

"We have the ability to make life so burdensome and so uncomfortable ness model and the types of chemicals they use. However, we are not going to dictate that they change," said DHS spokesman Russ Knocke.

A number of lawmakers and Stephan said resources are tight; he environmental activists want the fences and physical security instead T. Ted Cromwell of the American of reducing the amounts and toxicity

> "A chemical attack could be carried out with readily available have to go on the grounds to do it,"

Stephan, who will oversee the pro- haven't participated in any voluntary says Bob Bostock, former homeland security chief at EPA.

> "It is common sense that if a facility owner can replace a deadly chemical with a safer chemical that would not kill tens of thousands of people," then the department should be able at least to discuss reducing the danger with the owner of the facility, said Sen. Joe Lieberman, I-Conn., chairman of the Homeland Security

Environmental groups such as Greenpeace also contend the rules fail to protect communities.

One issue that rankles some lawfederal rules could override state rules that are even more stringent. New York, Maryland and New Jersey are among states that have enacted their own chemical regulations. Those could be challenged in court technology, and people wouldn't even by companies now brought under

Flaunting your French fashion: Tips to be trendy

By EMILY LINER THE HOYA (GEORGETOWN)

(U-WIRE) WASHINGTON—At Georgetown, students can roll out of bed and slip into class still wearing their pajama pants. This is not the case in Europe, where one actually has to take public transportation to commute to Longchamp and other couture boutiques seen, and the intimidating stares of the But even in mid-range clothing stores,

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of course — will let you know where or more.

Clothes in France are pretty expensive. Walking down Rue du President Edouard Herriot — the M Street of Lyon — Louis Vuitton, Max Mara, school. The university is a place to be tease passers-by with their latest wares.

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But of course, there is always H&M or Zara for cheap separates. What's more, the government actually mandates sales twice a year. During those weeks, prices are cut 20-70 percent as stores make room for the upcoming collections.

girls are adjusting their wardrobes from and their moms), the dread-mullet (short boots to flowing, long tunics for sunny weather. That is all topped-off with the look of the season: A trenchcoat.

For shoes, the big thing right now is flats with a leather ankle strap or ribbons that tie around the ankle. Many flip-flops, disproving the assumption that flip-flops are as much of a giveaway to than optimal for navigating the hilly, cobblestone streets of Europe; they don't provide much more support or comfort angular shapes and bright colors. than walking barefoot.

Guys often rock graphic tees from French high school boys.

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students gathered around the entrance it's not unusual to see dresses, jeans and the Spanish label Pull and Bear (an — all puffing away on strong cigarettes, purses for 150 euros (about 200 dollars) offshoot of Zara), which look a lot like the faux-vintage tees at Urban Outfitters. A pair of low-top, black Converses is a wardrobe staple.

> But the tell-tale sign of a Spaniard is the mullet. In Madrid, you can't walk down the block without encountering one. And there are many variations: The Now that spring is here, French chick mullet (popular with teenage girls winter's look of jeans tucked into high on top, dreadlocked in the back and very popular in hippie-filled Granada) and the faux-hawk mullet, to name a few.

The mullet phenomenon is so intense that a friend of mine who lives in Madrid waited until Easter break to get her hair cut in Paris, for fear that her girls, however, are also wearing leather no-mullet instructions would get lost in

Hair aside, there are a few accessories being American as a navy-blue passport. that all Europeans seem to agree on. But thin ballet flats and flip-flops are less Eyeglasses, for example, are just as much of a fashion choice as anything else. Europeans love really funky styles, like

And then there's the infamous Euro-As preppy as the French are — they pean men's carryall. Man-bags range in did, after all, give us Lacoste — the sizes from messenger bags big enough to Spanish are their party-crazed, hipster hold a laptop to tiny wallet-size purses counterparts. Many Spanish girls mix a with the Burberry print. I bought one pair of brightly colored heels with black of the latter in Morocco for 40 dirhams tights and a miniskirt to go clubbing, (about five dollars) so that I would have and an '80s-style jacket completes the a safe place to keep my money, but they seem to be especially popular among

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Sanjaya of 'American Idol': 'I'm not just a musician, I'm an entertainer'

NEW YORK (AP) — Sanjaya do is experience the whole entertain-Malakar is so famous, he can't walk anywhere without getting noticed.

"It's really weird. I mean, I'm just Sanjaya from Seattle," the 17year-old "American Idol" cast-off said Monday on "Live With Regis

"It's paparazzi (who) get at you," he said, "and fans come up and try to give you hugs and get autographs. I would love to just be able to hug everyone and give autographs and take pictures, but you can't."

Malakar was voted off the Fox talent competition last week after a long and unlikely run in which he outlasted better singers and captivated millions of TV viewers with said. his goofy charm and ever-changing hairdos.

He wants to be a triple threat: talk show. singer, actor and model. "Like, I really — what I want to said.

just a musician, I'm an entertainer," Malakar said. Fresh off "American Idol," the

ment business because, I mean, I'm not

lanky teen/media It Boy is in demand. Another stop on his post-show publicity tour was David Letterman's "Late Show" on CBS, where Malakar was to read the "Top Ten" list Monday

On Saturday, he attended a White House correspondents' dinner in Washington as a guest of People "It was really weird because the

governor of New York came up to me and said, 'I'm a fan, I vote," Malakar "That's fantastic," said Kelly Ripa,

co-host of the syndicated daytime "It was really weird," Malakar

Founder of 'Girls Gone Wild' videos sentenced in Fla. to jail for contempt of court

PANAMA CITY, Fla. (AP) appeals and things and I was conaway tears, the multimillionaire founder of the "Girls Gone Wild" video empire pleaded guilty to contempt of court Monday and was sentenced to 35 days in jail.

Joe Francis, who was sued by seven women who were minors during settlement talks.

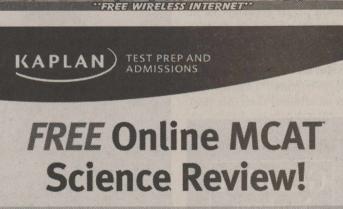
It was wrong. I had heard about at them.

Blowing his nose and wiping fused. I am sorry, I really am," said Francis, 34.

Francis drew the contempt charge during negotiations to settle the federal lawsuit brought after his production company filmed the women at Panama City Beach in 2003.

Attorneys for the women said when filmed, apologized to the Francis, who makes a reported \$29 judge for yelling at the plaintiffs million a year taping topless women for his videos, lost his temper in "I am sorry for my behavior. negotiations and yelled obscenities





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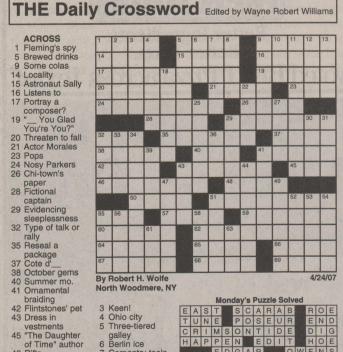
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SPORTS

Tech baseball scores nine runs in rout of College of the Southwest

By WES SKIPWITH STAFF WRITER

With the game tied 1-1 in the starter." bottom of the second inning, Texas fly ball to dead center field. The ball Kieschnick to round the bases for an the road against TCU Wednesday the game up 1-1 after one inning. inside-the-park home run, putting and Missouri this weekend. Tech ahead 2-1 and for good as Tech 9-3 Monday in a make-up game at Dan Law Field.

ter fielder) was going to catch it, but the field." thank the Lord he didn't, and I was yelling at me to go home."

4-4 on the year with a 5.44 ERA.

third spot in the rotation.

'We definitely have a lot of people that can be in there," Odom back in the bottom of the inning.

good at the time — that is what with a walk and then advanced to

defeated College of the Southwest game (of a series), that kind of determines how you feel," Hays said. "I personally thought (the cen- good. So it was good to get back on down the right-field line, scoring

running all the way," Kieschnick get going early in the game. In the a two-run homer over the wall in said. "I actually kind of slowed up top of the first, starting pitcher left field. The next batter up was at third, but then I heard the dugout Odom gave up a single up the Kieschnick, who walked and then middle to CSW's (20-33) lead-off stole second and third. Kyle Martin Aaron Odom picked up the win batter. A passed ball by catcher followed with a double, driving after throwing five innings and Carter Gwinn allowed the runner in Kieschnick and putting Tech giving up two runs on five hits and to advance to second, and a wild ahead 7-1. tossing five strikeouts. He moved to pitch from Odom put the runner on third. Odom then walked the before it was all over. Thennis led Odom said while his perfor- next batter before giving up an RBI the way offensively for Tech, going mance was solid Monday, there are single to CSW's Jason Marin. The 2-for-3 with three RBIs. still several others qualified for the Mustangs led 1-0 going into the bottom of the first.

Tech (25-17) answered right

said. "It's whoever is throwing Doug Thennis led the inning off we are going to need for a Sunday second on a baulk committed by CSW's starting pitcher Jesus Ro-The win Monday was Tech's driguez. A pop fly from Kieschnick Tech's Roger Kieschnick blasted a third victory in the past four days. allowed Thennis to tag up and Tech coach Larry Hays said it was move to third. Matt Smith singled ricocheted off the wall, allowing good to get a win before going on to right, scoring Thennis and tying

> After Kieschnick gave the Red "When you get beat the last Raiders the lead in the second, Tech put the game out of reach in the fourth with a four-hit, five-run "The game yesterday didn't turn out inning. Carter Grooms doubled James Leverton and Chris Hall. The Red Raiders struggled to Thennis came up next and belted

Both teams added two more runs

Tech travels to Fort Worth Wednesday to take on TCU for a make-up game.

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TEXAS TECH'S KYLE Martin and the Red Raiders defeated College of the Southwest Monday at Dan Law

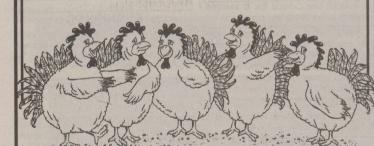
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No-win situation: Gagne back on DL for Rangers

ARLINGTON (AP) — The be fine," Gagne said before Monday limped noticeably after his last pitch of just his second save situation for can do that." his new team.

Award winner for Los Angeles, was Gagne signed a one-year, \$6 million appearing in consecutive games for deal loaded with bonus opportunities. the Rangers for the first time Sunday He had one save in 3 1-3 scoreless when he started favoring his right innings after starting the season on leg after his 11th pitch. He was diag- the disabled list. nosed with a hip injury.

"I think in four or five days, I'd

hander left the game in the middle we're not in a situation where we

After missing most of the past two save in a 4-3 win over the A's. Gagne, the 2003 NL Cy Young seasons with elbow and back injuries,

On Saturday, manager Ron Wash-Gagne said he could have been ington made a trip to the mound back on the mound within a week, because he thought something was but he was placed on the DL because wrong with Gagne. But Gagne said of the year." the Rangers bullpen needs to be at he was fine and finished the game, a 7-0 victory over Oakland.

It was different Sunday. Gagne pain in the hip area.

Texas Rangers put closer Eric Gagne night's game against the Seattle and stayed on the field only about on the 15-day disabled list Monday, Mariners. "But in the American a minute after Washington and the a day after the oft-injured right- League, you need a full bullpen, so training staff came out. Akinori Otsuka, last year's Rangers closer, came on to record the final two outs for the

> Otsuka would move back into the closer's role, with Joaquin Benoit taking over the eighth-inning slot.

> "Health is the most important thing," Washington said. "It's tough because he's your closer, but you push on with the players you have and then have (Gagne) for the rest

ended the session when he felt more with two saves in five appearances.

"Just walking around and sitting down, it's fine," Gagne said. "It just bothers me when I throw. I've never had anything like this before. This is more a precautionary thing."

Texas recalled right-hander Frank Francisco, who was out of the big Washington said Monday that leagues for two years with elbow problems before returning late last season. Francisco was a key member of a bullpen that helped keep Texas in contention until the final days in 2004, but he had elbow ligament replacement surgery in April 2005.

This season at Triple-A Oklahoma, Francisco didn't allow a hit or earned run in six innings, striking Gagne tried to throw Monday but out 14 and walking three. He was 1-0

Francisco, who could replace Benoit as the seventh-inning specialist, said his fastball has been clocked at 94 to 96 mph in the minors, and he has been able to pitch effectively on consecutive days.

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Coaches ask NCAA to delay decision on text message ban

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) -Some college football coaches think the NCAA should find a middle ground on a proposed text messaging ban.

Grant Teaff, executive director of the American Football Coaches Association, said Monday he had sent a letter appealing to the NCAA's board of directors to consider a more moderate approach rather than adopting the management council's proposal to eliminate all forms of electronic communication between coaches and recruits.

If the board passes the measure Thursday, it would take effect in August.

Teaff believes more debate would create a better solution.

"Hopefully, they'll delay the decision to come up with the type of regulations that can be policed," Teaff said. "This all or nothing approach is not the right answer."

Unlike restrictions on phone calls and in-person visits, there are no coach limits on text messaging. E-mails and faxes would be exempt from the new ban but would be limited by current NCAA guidelines.

Teaff's solution is to allow text messages during certain parts of the year, much like NCAA rules regulate other interaction. Teaff said the high school and college coaches have been working on that proposal for six months.

The NCAA was concerned that unlimited text messages created a loophole that permitted coaches to send a message asking recruits to call them — calls that would violate NCAA rules if the coach made the call.

NCAA spokesman Bob Williams said the board would review the letter but declined comment because it had not yet been received.