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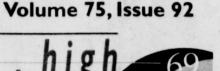
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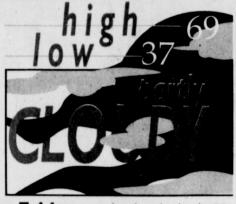
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#### STATENEWS -

#### Second suspect in disabled woman's death begins trial

FORT WORTH (AP) - A second man accused of kidnapping a 19-year-old developmentally disabled woman and using her for target practice is set to go on trial Thursday.

Michael Wayne Hall, 20, is charged with capital murder for the February 1998 torture and slaving of Amy Robinson, who had a genetic disorder called Turner's Syndrome.

Prosecutors plan to seek the death penalty against Hall.

Hall's friend Robert Neville Jr. already has been convicted in the girl's murder and is scheduled for execution April 27.

Police nabbed the pair at a U.S. Customs checkpoint at the Mexican border near Eagle Pass shortly after the murder.

The judge has ruled that a taped confession and statement given by the suspects shortly after their arrests can be admitted into evidence.

#### by A.P.Thompson Staff Writer

The Texas Tech Student Government Association is working with members of the administration to help formulate a plan for the possible parental alcohol notification policy.

SGA President Doug Jeffrey, said he has been working with Michael Shonrock, interim vice president for Student Affairs, on formulating a notification task force.

The task force would be designed to locate and consider different options Tech officials could consider if a student has violated Tech's alcohol and drug policy.

Alcohol and illegal drugs are not allowed on Tech property, according to the Student Affairs Handbook. Discussion about whether or not Tech should adopt a parental notification policy began at the Board of Regents meeting in December.

"Basically, we're trying to determine what



said. "Legally, under amendments to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, Tech is allowed to notify parents when their son or daughter is found to be breaking these rules."

Under the act, passed in 1974, and also known as the Buckley Amendment, campus officials around the nation are allowed to implement policies that permit the notification of parents or legal guardians in the event that a student is found illegally consuming or in possession of alcohol and other drugs.

Tech presently does not notify parents of a student's violation.

"We have other measures that currently are taken, but we're looking at it to decide if this is all we need to do," Shonrock said.

The task force is being organized to look at the issue and will be comprised of students from around the campus, Jeffrey said.

"Were in the discussion phase. I'm against all-out notification of these violations because students have a right to privacy," he said.

However, Jeffrey did say that in some instances, parents also have the right to know what is going on with their son or daughter.

"In some cases, perhaps in an alcohol poisoning case for instance, I think it would be fair to tell parents because that person needs help, and I'm all for getting them as much help as soon as possible."

Shonrock said much the same for special cases

"I think something like an alcohol poisoning, where a student may be a danger to himself or others, it's only common sense (to notify parents)," he said.

Jeffrey added the task force is not looking to change Tech policy but rather provide a plan for action that the administrators would agree with.

"We can hope for the blessing of the Board of Regents," he said.

In Texas, only Texas A&M University notifies parents of students who have been caught illegally drinking, according to Shonrock.

Around the nation, Marshall College and the University of Delaware also have implemented policies similar to A&M's.

According to the Dean of Students Office, the majority of alcohol violations are committed in campus residence halls and mostly by freshmen and sophomores at Tech.

### Radioactive steam leaks in New York

BUCHANAN, N.Y. (AP) - A generator leak at a Hudson River nuclear power plant resulted in a brief release of radioactive steam, and some people living in the plant's shadow said Wednesday that they should have been alerted to the accident.

"Where were the sirens?" asked David Coviello, 55, who lives two doors from the plant gate. "I have a 7-year-old son, an 18year-old daughter."

Officials said the steam was barely radioactive, and its escape Tuesday night from the Indian Point 2 nuclear reactor was "momentary and minuscule," so there was no health danger and no need to warn nearby resi-

Still, resident Salvatore Simone said offi-

"I should decide for myself," he said. "I

The sirens were kept silent because offi-

Guidelines from the Nuclear Regulatory

cials should notify people of any accident,

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son to set them off, said deputy county ex-

Commission "call for the sounding of sirens

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such as evacuations or stay-inside orders,

Consolidated Edison Co., which owns and

operates the plant, declared an alert, a first

for the plant, which is on the Hudson River

about 35 miles north of New York City. About

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Following their arrests in March 1998, both Hall and Neville described to the Fort Worth Star-Telegram and television station KDFW how they saw Robinson riding her bike and offered her a ride to work at a grocery store.

#### NATIONALNEWS **Sears pulls Benetton contract**

#### after taking heat for ads

CHICAGO (AP) - Sears, Roebuck & Co. terminated its contract with the trendy Benetton clothing company Wednesday under pressure from victims' rights groups who objected to an advertising campaign featuring death row inmates.

Sears chairman and chief executive Arthur C. Martinez was "outraged," as were many customers, at ads, said company spokesman Tom Nicholson.

The ads, which began appearing in magazines and on billboards last month, feature portraits of American death row inmates in prison uniforms over the words, "Sentenced to Death." The ads also give the inmate's name, date of birth, crime and expected method of execution.

Benetton officials said the ads were meant to raise awareness about the death penalty, but victims' rights groups said the ads glorified convicted killers and were insensitive to victims' families and friends.

#### WORLDNEWS -German president addresses Israel's parliament

JERUSALEM (AP) - The first German words ever spoken in Israel's parliament were a plea Wednesday for forgiveness for the Holocaust, but they made some Israelis shiver nonetheless.

Speaker Avraham Burg, whose father fled Nazi Germany in 1939, said he thought long and hard before allowing German President Johannes Rau to address the Knesset in what Burg called "the language of the murderers and the murdered."

Some lawmakers stayed away in protest. However, former Speaker Shevah Weiss, a Holocaust survivor, said that while he had very mixed feelings about German - the first German word he ever heard was "Achtung," shouted by Nazi troops in the Warsaw Ghetto - he believed Rau should be heard.

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Russell Collins, an architecture graduate student from San Antonio, speaks with Nick Jarke, a senior architecture major from San Antonio, about Collins' exhibit in the Architecture building gallery Wednesday.

#### Student learns about himself through experiences, work

#### by Jennifer Bailey

**Staff Writer** 

by Kelsey Walter

Staff Writer

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ussell Collins is thankful for the nights he has slaved into the morn-Ling, the thousands of pencils he has worked down to the nub and the times he just wanted to give up.

The graduate architecture student from San Antonio is about to graduate from Texas Tech, yet he has found a small way to say thank you for pushing him to do his very best.

"A Collection of Works by Me," an exhibit by Collins, is on display in the courtyard lobby of the Architecture building.

"I have learned so much about myself while here at Tech," Collins said. "There are so many people here who have become my family away from home. The exhibit is the only way I can thank each and every one of them."

Collins' exhibit features all artistic mediums including models, sketches and fin-

One year after Texas Tech student resi-

dents voted to change the visitation policies

in residence halls, the Board of Regents ap-

proved campus-wide 24-hour visitation

But for some students, it's too little too

Kelly Thielhorn, a freshman broadcast

journalism major from Houston, said she was

not satisfied about the 24-hour visitation

While she said she thinks passing the pro-

"I think it is kind of unfair that the visita-

The policy was passed a year after on-

tion does not begin until next semester when

a lot of people are moving out of the dorms,"

posal is a good idea, she is upset that it was

policy approved by the board last week.

not approved sooner.

Thielhorn said.

ished artwork completed throughout his six years at Tech.

Pieces of furniture also are on display, including a table and free-standing bar that Collins built.

He said his experiences at Tech have helped him grow as a person and truly discover what it is he wants to do in life.

"This exhibit is a gift to the College of Architecture, my fellow students, peers and faculty," Collins said.

Working on an old door converted into an architect's drafting table, Collins has spent the past six years perfecting his craft.

His road to graduation has been long and hard, but he feels the work has been worth it.

"If it were not for the faculty and students here at Tech, I definitely would have not been as successful," Collins said.

He has drawn everything from a portrait of John Wayne to a tourism poster for the city of San Antonio.

Collins said he hopes people are inspired after viewing his work.

"I want people to be inspired by their own ambitions and goals through a medium which they can physically see," he said.

Chris Williams, Collins' roommate, said although he may not know it, Collins has been a role model.

"Russell is very down to earth," said Williams, a senior finance major from Dallas

"He is an artistic person with a very strong work ethic. Because of his work ethic, Russell has made me strive to become a better person."

Collins, who will graduate in May, has decided to work in either New York or Boston but said no matter where he goes, he always will remember Tech.

"I hope that everyone who walks through the halls at Tech realizes how lucky we are to be here, and before they leave in one way or another, thank those who have inspired them to achieve their goals," Collins said.

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The only general emergency at a U.S. nuclear plant was the March 1979 accident at Three Mile Island in Pennsylvania.

### **Education dean** candidate drops out of running

#### by Kevin McEwen

StaffWriter

The list of candidates for the new dean of education has dropped from three to two.

Kenneth Craycraft from Sam Houston University took himself out of the running last week in order to pursue another job.

Craycraft could not be reached for comment

Now, with only two candidates for the position and time running out to fill the position, Tech must decide if it will bring in another candidate.

"At this point, we are assessing if we want to bring in a third candidate or just decide between the two remaining candidates," said Larry Hovey, interim dean of the College of Education.

The two remaining candidates are Stephen Bowes from the University of New Mexico and Allen Warner from the University of Houston.

Hovey said he commends the dean search committee for finding highly-qualified applicants

"The search committee did a fine job finding the candidates and scheduling them to come in," Hovey said.

Bowes finishes his interviews with Tech today, and Warner has been scheduled to visit Tech from March 6 and 7.

the change set up by the Resident Hall Association in which 57 percent of 1,200 students were in favor of 24-hour visitation.

Thielhorn is planning to move to an apartment and may not get to experience the additional freedom given to residence hall life. Students who live on campus will have the chance to vote for their respected hall to adopt the policy next fall.

From the four choices the students will be able to choose from, two-thirds of the students must vote in favor of the policy before it is put into effect.

Lindsay Bloomquist, a freshman business major from Austin, said she is in favor of the policy but said it is vital for students to respect their roommates for it to be successful. Bloomquist said having a boyfriend or girlfriend over constantly might get awkward if some ground rules are not established.

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needs into consideration before any decision is made," she said.

Andrew Nelson, a freshman advertising major from Austin, said he is looking forward to the day women can stay late in his room.

"I think it is great," he said. "I think all guys would agree with me when I say that girls

need to be able to stay over later.

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Students also approve visitation policy campus residents participated in a vote for

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#### Members of the Alpha Phi sorority are on the hunt to find the ultimate heartthrob at Texas Tech and to raise money for cardiac care units while do-The heartthrob contest, which

ends Thursday, allows all Tech students to vote for their favorite heartthrob. Canisters with pictures of 21 Tech men are available

by Jennifer Bailey

Staff Writer

ing so.

for viewing at the University Center. People can vote by placing money inside their favorite heartthrob's jar.

Kristin Reasoner, a sophomore RHIM major from Plano, said voting is open to everyone.

"Girls generally vote for the guy who they think is the cutest, and the guys vote for the representative of their organization," Reasoner said.

Anyone can vote from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., today near the main entrance of the UC.

On Feb. 7, members of the Tech sorority mock kidnapped 21 men representing different fraternities and organizations.

The "victims," who were elected by fellow members of their respective organization, were chosen because they best represented what their organization stands for.

Becky Bryant, a junior business finance major from Odessa, said the

alpha phi heartthr to vote: put money for heartthrob in jar at the uc main entrance table open 10-2 today benefits local cardiac centers

outofouriail." Bryant said. "Each fraternity helped raise the \$30 bail."

The winner from the mock kidnapping event received points that will be added to a final tally along with the money raised from the canisters in the UC.

Bryant said all proceeds will go to the Alpha Phi philanthropy of cardiac care.

"Our philanthropy distributes the money to different local and national organizations dealing with cardiac centers," Bryant said. "Alpha Phi recently helped University Medical Center with the purchase of cardiac equipment."



Jessica Hall, a sophomore business major from Garland; Kristin Reasoner, a sophomore restaurant, hotel and institutional management from Plano; and Lauren Baugher, a sophomore business major from Garland, collect money for the Alpha Phi heatthrob contest. Proceeds go to local and national cardiac centers. Anyone can vote on a hearttrhob from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. today in the University Center, near the main entrance.

#### VISITATION, from p. I

However, some students did see slight problems in the proposed rule. Thielhorn said there always are going to be people who disagree but that it is hard to please everyone at the same time.

"At least next year's freshmen will not beforced to put up with the same things that the current freshmen have to deal with," she said.

Eddie Brown, a freshman arts and sciences major from Dallas, said the possible visitation policy is great, but

in order for it to work, there must be restrictions.

"It keeps students from having to sneak out, but at the same time, there needs to be rules established to keep things from getting out of hand," he said.

Liz Miracle, a sophomore prephysical therapy major from Wills Point, said there are a few problems in the idea.

"Girls won't be able to walk down

the hall without worrying about guys seeing them in their towels," she said.

#### City of Lubbock seeks apprentices

people to fill the positions of assistant electrician, plumber, office machine technician and framer. The ap-

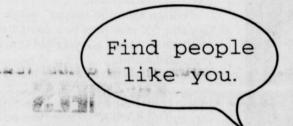
The city of Lubbock is seeking four prenticeships are for 12 months. All positions are paid, and apprentices can work up to 40 hours a week. For more information, call 775-2293.

In Wednesday's story on Horn Professorships, Daniel Benson was misidentified as Gerald Skoog. Skoog was actually quoted, not Benson. The UD regrets the error.

#### Insurance provider drops coverage for breast cancer victims

NEW YORK (AP) - Aetna, the nation's biggest health insurer, is dropping most coverage of bone marrow transplants for women with breast cancer after an encouraging study of the treatment was discredited.

Aetna said Wednesday it will pay for the treatment only for women who are are participating in federally sponsored studies of the approach. The company said it will continue to pay for bone man row transplants for illnesses such as leukemia, where studies have proved its effectiveness. The decision comes two weeks after it was disclosed that a South African study of the treatment that had given hope to some women with advanced breast cancer contained falsified data."At this point in time there is no credible evidence that this approach is likely to be better than a more conventional approach," said Dr. Arthur Leibowitz, chief medical officer for Aetna U.S. Healthcare. "We now have five well-controlled studies that show this thing doesn't work." The four other studie found no difference in survival between breast cancer patients who underwent the procedure and those who tried less risky treatment. Those findings prompted top cancer specialists to conclude that, at least for women with advanced breast cancer, a bone marrow transplant is not a good option.



Sorority hunts for Tech heartthrob



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# more problems

#### by Adrienne Gaviglio staff Writer

Pigeons around the city are causing more problems for some Hub City residents dead than when alive.

Poisoned pigeon carcasses have many people worried about the safety of other animals.

Dee Dee Philips, a Lubbock esident, never knew that when poisoned pigeons began falling in her yard, they would eventually lead to the death of her cat.

Philips found her cat choking after swallowing a pigeon, her cat later died after consuming the bird

However, a poisoned pigeon will not affect all animals in the way it affected Philips' cat.

If another animal consumes a pigeon that has been poisoned. the poison will not harm the animal unless the stomach of the pireon is opened and eaten, said Laurel Linn, a veterinarian at the Animal Hospital of Lubbock.

The poisoned corn, used by Texas Tech and other private businesses in Lubbock to control the pigeon population, is meant for the pigeons to eat but also can be consumed by other birds, which is raising alarm.

Robert Lee, a special agent with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, said if a poisoning of an endangered animal occurs within his jurisdiction, then he might be called in to investigate.

"I am not sure if it is considered a crime when a cat dies because of the poison it finds in a pigeon," Lee said. "If it were my jurisdiction, then there might be more I could do."

The Migratory Bird Treaty Act lists all endangered birds that are protected by federal law and says they cannot be killed or hunted. Pigeons are not protected under the act, Lee said.

However, if the pesticide is found to have killed an endangered bird, then there is a violation of the act.

"The other law that I would look at concerning the pigeons would be the federal insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act," Lee said. "This would be checking how the pesticide is being applied."

Robert Faulk, a veterinarian at the Pet Hospital, said he was surprised that there was nothing the Fish and Wildlife Service could do about pigeons being poisoned.

"It seems to me that poisoning pigeons should be in violation of some kind of law," Faulk said. "If it is not, then it should be.'

Faulk has seen many poisoned pigeons from the Tech campus to areas around the Kingsgate Shopping Center near 82nd Street and Quaker Avenue.

"I guess my question would be why the city feels the need to poison these birds?" he said. "What have they done that is so wrong?"

It is inhumane and wrong for anyone to take it upon themselves to poison any animal, Faulk said.

A representative for People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals said there are other alternatives for pigeon control.

There is a simple pigeon control method that uses plastic spikes that are applied once in the location. The spikes are used to deter pigeons from roosting on a building.

Tech has tried to use metal spikes over the Business Administration building, but it was ineffective, said Douglas Chowning, director of the Physical Plant.

"In the spikes, we found that the birds were building nests," Chowning said. "We have also researched other possibilities, and they were too expensive."

Tech has looked into the companies that specialize in bird control, but the alternatives were too costly, ranging from \$40,000 to \$110,000. The poisoning method Tech uses now costs \$4,000 per

Esko Exterminating, who poisons for the city of Lubbock, declined to comment about pigeon poisoning in town.

# Pigeons causing Family fights to keep treehouse

HIGHLAND VILLAGE (AP) - The Holtzman family's treehouse sits 16 feet above the ground next to their home in a quiet neighborhood of this city 25 miles northwest of Dallas.

But the 8-by-10 treehouse Lee Holtzman spent four days building with his three sons last November might not be high enough to escape the grasp of city officials.

Prompted by a neighbor, city zoning officials want to bring Holtzman and his treehouse down to earth.

Most of his neighbors don't mind the treehouse, which sits atop three elm trees to the left or east of his home. Family children use an aluminum ladder to climb into the treehouse, which is decorated inside with beaten up chairs, a wood table and a small black radio.

City officials say it violates a city ordinance that only allows such a structure behind the main building on a piece of property.

The back yard is too shallow, and Holtzman could not build the treehouse behind the family's home, he said.

"There are no sidewalks or playgrounds in our neighborhood," Holtzman said. "I thought wouldn't it be great to get my kids out of the street and give them a safe place to play."

But city officials soon attempted to ground the idea. "The city's zoning ordinance con-

siders children's play structures as ac-

### **Reader's Ask**

A Service of Texas Tech Student Health Services

Reader Asks: I didn't date in high school and really looked forward to dating here, but now I have a problem. How do you approach the "first kiss" with a girl? I always feel like a geek, and so what do women think is a cool way



know and it spontaneously happens, but if you lunge and miss or she acts like she hates it, then that's a bummer. So when in doubt, try leading into the kiss by saying,"I had a great time. I hope we can see each other again. Would you mind if I kissed you?" Then give her time to respond. If she doesn't respond, mumbles something you can't understand or looks away from you, then drop it. Keep in mind that every date does not require a kiss. Sometimes just getting to know and getting comfortable with the significant other can make the first kiss easier and more relaxed. That comfort zone may take a few or several dates. Also, a brief kiss on the cheek can be an ice breaker.

Reader Asks: A magazine I got in the mail has lots of products you can order that promises some pretty amazing things. How can I know which ads I can trust?

Jo Says: I think most of us are guilty of looking for a quick fix for everything from weight loss and back pain, to a cure for AIDS or cancer. There are, though, some tell-tale signs that should alert you to bogus offers. If it guarantees to "take a pound a day" off, to reduce certain parts of your body or allow you to lose weight while you sleep, that's bull. If it claims to cure a number of illnesses or can cure cancer (do you know how many types of cancer there are?), leave it alone. If the ad uses the words "secret,""instant,""amazing" or "miraculous," don't believe it. If the ad says the medicine cessory buildings and they are only allowed behind the main structure on a piece of property," said William F. Lundberg, Highland Village's city manager.

After a neighbor filed a complaint against the structure, city officials sent Holtzman a certified letter Dec. 1 saying the treehouse had to come down. He was given 30 days to remove it, but that was extended when he said he would appeal the order.

From Dec. 4 to Dec. 14, Holtzman went to his neighbors, asking them to sign a petition to keep the treehouse. He went to 89 homes, collected 114 signatures and support from virtually every house he visited, he said, including approval from the woman

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am so hungry the next morning after a

really big meal the night before? I figured

that the extra calories would carry me well

Jo Says: Unfortunately, there is no

medical explanation available for the next-

morning hungrys. Even though our stom-

achs can stretch up to the size of a large

grapefruit when full, there is no proof that

a stretched stomach feels emptier the next

day. Some scientists have postulated that

overeating can trigger hormonal secretions

that cause feelings of hunger, but again,

there is no proof of this. This should prob-

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big meal or you could pay for it with a

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who had first complained to the city.

On Feb. 3, Holtzman went before the city's zoning board of adjustment to appeal the decision, but he was unsuccessful.

"It's not a matter of opposing the treehouse but opposing its location," Lundberg said. "The city is required to enforce its zoning ordinances."

But Holtzman's next door neighbor, Kathleen Lockhart, said if the neighborhood doesn't have a problem with the treehouse, city officials shouldn't either.

"It's not an eyesore," Lockhart said. "It actually matches my home's color. When the leaves on the tree come back this spring, you won't be able to see it anyway."

worse case of the hungrys the next day.

Reader Asks: I have had two boyfriends that I cared enough about to sleep with, and when they broke up with me, I was devastated. I have a new boyfriend distributor and then sell it to your friends now, and I don't want to sleep with him because it hurts too bad if we don't work out. The problem is, he knows one of the old boyfriends and knows I slept with him. How do I say "no" since he knows I've had sex before?

Jo Says: First off, no one owes anyone else sex. It is not the only way we can show love, not the only way to be intimate with someone, not owed because someone spends money and time with us, and not the be all, do all and end all to a relationship. Let your boyfriend know that you have chosen to wait and why. Be clear about your into the next day but just the opposite limits and don't send mixed signals. Determine where you draw the line when kissing and touching and make that clear, and then stick to your decision to be fair to you both. If he pressures you and mentions that it is no big deal because you have done this before, you can say,"I don't want to do it again because the big deal is that it's my body and my decision."

Drop boxes for Reader's Ask are located in the University **Center and Student Health Ser**vices in Thompson Hall, or you can e-mail questions to sthjwh@ttu.hsc.edu.



Henderson Columnist

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Jo Says: Depends on the girl and the situation. We asked around here, among the female students we

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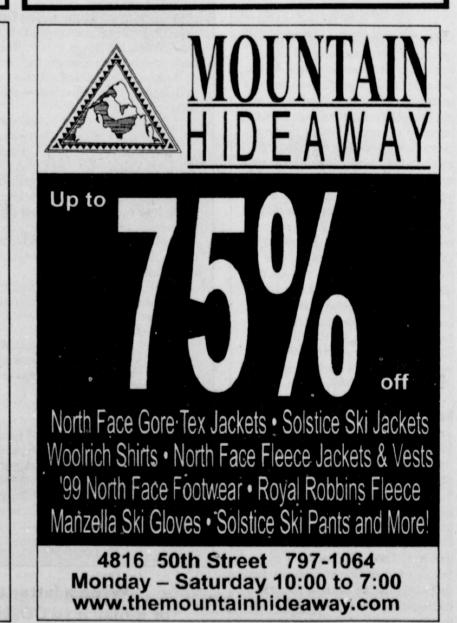


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#### The University Daily Thursday, February 17, 2000





### Lubbock police could learn a few things from Tech officers

K, maybe it is because I have been reporting about the police and what goes on crime-wise on campus, but I feel like I have been betrayed. Some of you might be wondering, "what is this guy talking about?'

Well, it all started last Friday night, when a couple of friends and I were sitting around just watching some television, hanging out, nothing really that big. We decided we would go rent a movie, but unfortunately, it was past midnight, and all of the video stores were closed.

Just to make sure, we decided to call around and see if there was a video store still open, and by an act of God, Video Express on Fourth Street was open. So we piled into my car

With no knowledge of what was going on, I turned left into a parking lot and stopped.

The officer came up to my window, asked for my driver's license and insurance, and then asked me to get out of the vehicle. Still with no knowledge of why I was pulled over, I stepped out of my car, into the cold evening air and preceded to follow the officer to the back of my car.

Then, I was informed of why I was pulled over. Are you ready for this? You might want to sit down.

My tail-light covers were too faded and were not red enough. I wanted to go off on this guy. I mean, come on, my covers were not broken, no tail light was out, they were just too faded.

I had just gotten this car not four weeks ago, and now, I am getting pulled over for faded tail-light covers.

Thinking that my story would help, I explained that I had gotten this car over the break and had no knowledge of the covers being faded. He then told me to go sit in my car while he wrote up the ticket.

began, and this is what made me feel betrayed.

The officer asked me to tell my passengers to get out, so that they could search my vehicle. "You want to what?" I have never had my car searched, and they had no reason to search it. What on this earth would cause him to want to search my car? Well, he informed me that my back passengers were moving around a lot when he pulled me over, and that led him to believe that they were perhaps "stashing" some narcotics or a gun.

So, my friends got out of the car, and the officer started to search it, which in the process, dented the bottom of my door with his boot. Of course, he found nothing because I sort of have this rule about keeping weapons of mass destruction in the car. Momma always said, "Keep your private life at home where it belongs."

After he was done, he stepped out and said,

# Columnist wrong in religion issue

Then I was reading the Feb. 14 issue of a certain sports magazine, I got pretty upset, not because I was expecting the swimsuit issue, but because I got another cover of Michael Jordan (he doesn't even play anymore, and he still gets a cover?). What actually annoyed me was the view column.

While I normally find this column to be funny and entertaining, this time I was slightly insulted. The columnist whined about athletes giving praise to God after a victory in a sports game. This apparently was in response to Kurt Warner's MVP presentation ceremony after the Super Bowl where he thanked Jesus.

The columnist said he doesn't feel it makes sense that God has any stake in the Super Bowl or favors one team over the other. While I agree with that statement (God is more of a baseball fan). I don't think that's the point.



Jay

Hudec

Columnist

ing his thanks and paying his respects to God. He did that after every Rams game this year, win or lose; but sports reporters don't normally include religious messages in the sound bytes. That's understandable since sports editors have a short time to fill during news programs, and it would have taken time away from all those other athletes saying, "I gave it 110" or "I just wanted to win one for the team." Not to mention the fact that it

Warner was just express-

might offend even more people than I am by writing this.

What bothers me is that the columnist has a problem with Warner expressing his religious beliefs. America, love it or leave it, is a free country. People can say whatever they want on television, provided it gets past the censors.

To restrict someone from saying what they feel would be a violation on the freedom of speech. We have had to hear athletes and politicians give press conferences about drug use, violence and other indiscretions, regardless of whether we really wanted to know or not. I mean, how much quality television did we miss last year because we had to hear all about Clinton's affair with Lewinsky?



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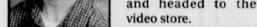
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**TO THE EDITOR** 

Thanks, Valentine

To the editor: I want to thank the pledges

of Pi Kappa Alpha for the rose and the visit Feb. 13. What an unexpected treat this

was! When life forces you to live away

to share their lives with me was a real plea-

To the editor: On Feb. 13, 21 pledges from

the Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity convened

upon the Mackenzie Assisted Living

dents, including visiting and much con-

They carried gifts of roses to all the resi-

What a joy to have 21 young men to

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To the editor: I completely and spiritually

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To have young gentlemen take the time

**Thelma Watts** 

Mackenzie House Lubbock

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from your home, pleasures can be few.

Now, I just got my car right before coming Michael back from Winter Denton Break, so anytime I go somewhere, I like to

**StaffWriter** take my vehicle because I love it. Well, as we began driving down Fourth Street, I noticed some flashing lights in my

rearview mirror. I thought it was an ambulance, but of course, not on my luck. It was a Lubbock police car, actually a police blazer, and it was pulling me over.

I looked down at my speedometer - I wasn't speeding. I looked at my passengers - everyone had their seat belts on. I had no idea what was wrong.

So I went back to my car, almost to the point of insanity, and sat there awaiting my ticket. Not three minutes after I sat sit back in my car, a cop car pulled up, and another officer stepped out. Both officers came and asked me to step out of the car.

So I stepped out, wondering what the heck is going on, and proceeded to talk with both officers.

The first officer handed me a ticket to sign for my lights and said he is giving me a warning for yielding left, not right, when he pulled me over. Does it really matter which way I turn?

After I signed the ticket, my next torment

need to get involved is if someone is actually

"OK, you can go now," like a complete jerk. No "sorry for the inconvenience" or "sorry I pulled you out into the freezing cold," and of course, no apology for the dent in my door.

So now, I have a dented door, a ticket for faded tail lights and a serious sense of betraval from the Lubbock police. All this because I was probably on the wrong side of town at the wrong time, or maybe it was because my car is black and looks suspicious.

I just wish for once, they could feel how we feel, and we could treat them the way they treat us. Maybe then, we might actually get some respect from the people that are supposed to protect us. That is why we should respect our Tech police, because they respect us and give us a little more credit.

Michael Denton is a sophomore business major from Odessa.

#### test has done its job.

For all you that feel this an infringement on students' right, is the fact that we have any kind of law an infringement of your

teach children how to become productive citizens and what is right from wrong. However, this is just a measure to help out when parents are not with their children.

ing hung for treason goes, hanging them would be as senseless as shooting a drunken driver in China. The school board members, teachers and community of Lockney only are looking out for the safety

> Gretchen Quebe sophomore family studies

West Texas and a resident of Floyd County (the county in which Lockney resides), I oppose Mr. Colley's remarks (UD, 02/15). The drug-use rate in rural high schools is increasing at an alarming rate. The Lockney ISD School Board is taking preemptive strikes at drug use. This is not only a good bet but constitutional. That's right, I said constitutional. The courts have decided that school children have little to no rights involving drug testing. Schaill vs. Tippecanoe County: In this 1988 court decision, the 7th Circuit ruled that it was legal and constitutional for schools to test for illegal drug use. In October of 1998, the Supreme Court of the United States ruled that random drug testing was in fact legal and constitutional.

> **George Pigg** graduate student public administration

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rights? I agree that it is a parental obligation to

As far as the school board members beand well-being of their students.

Jay Hudec is a second year medical student from Plano. Every time he wins the Super Bowl on "Game Day '98," he thanks Sony for creating the Playstation, his old roommate for selling it to him and his classes for being boring so that he had no choice but to play video games 12 hours a day.

hurt by these religious followers. Besides criticizing them, maybe there ought to be an article about why all of the students feel threatened by them, and maybe come back with a little of their own medicine. An antagonist loves nothing more than for someone to argue with them - treat these ICOC members the same way. If we do what is "right" in God's eyes, the evil soon will learn the error of their ways.

Will Martin

sophomore South Plains College

#### Just say no

To the editor: As a graduate of Lockney High School, I speak of experience of this town and school system. The issue at hand is to give students a reason to say no to drugs, alcohol and tobacco — nothing more, nothing less. The fact remains, for the majority of high school students, the possession and use of tobacco and alcohol is illegal. Furthermore, the use and possession of drugs and paraphernalia is illegal for all U.S. citizens.

The intentions of LISD drug testing is to safeguard the minors in the community from use, addiction and possible deaths from these substances. Despite the claims by Joseph Colley (UD, 02/15), students in the Lockney school system are in fact innocent until proven guilty. Not until a student is found with the traces of tobacco, alcohol or drugs, are the stipulations of the punishment administered. Those being, three days of in-school suspension, 21 days of suspension from extracurricular activities and drug counseling; contrary to Colley's column.

The simple fact is, if one student is given the reason to say no to tobacco, alcohol and drugs, then the purpose of the random drug

To the editor: As a concerned citizen of

We can't just pick and choose what is conveyed on television because it might bother someone, that's what the Russians did. The athletes who are giving this shout out to God, Buddha or whomever, have attracted the attention of the media probably because they have just played a pivotal role in winning some important game. If they hadn't done something good, the press

wouldn't care what they said, so let them say what they want. It's their moment. If they want to use their moment in the spotlight to give credit to God, their father or James Brown, the godfather of soul, that's their right. They earned it. They aren't trying to convert you to their religion. They are simply expressing their beliefs. And freedom for religious expression is one of the reasons this country was founded.

The other was a wealth of tobacco crop, which we also now condemn, but I digress.

The column stated how uncomfortable athletes make sports reporters and television audiences by expressing their religious faith. That just seems dumb to me.

That's like being offended because you have to drive by a synagogue on the way to mosque. Does that mean sports writers found this more offensive than John Rocker's ignorant racist blathering?

As for the viewing audience at home, if you don't like what someone is saying on television, change the channel. That's what remote controls are for. The low ratings for the presidential candidates' debates show just how well this system works.

Sure, I'm a Christian, but I don't think that should make my argument any less valid. If Warner had been giving praise to Zeus, I still would respect his right to say it.

It wouldn't change my religious beliefs one bit, just like I doubt anyone converted to Christianity by watching the Super Bowl. I was just happy to see someone motivated by something other than money or fame.

But hey, this is the same magazine that tried to make us all feel sorry for Dwight Gooden, Darryl Strawberry, Latrell Sprewell and Lawrence Phillips. Because, after all, if you had a hard life, then as soon as you are rich and famous, you are forced to do drugs or break the law.

It's enough to make me want to cancel my subscription (well, maybe after the swimsuit issue). Actually, the column really only made me upset for about five minutes. Then I realized it was just a columnist who had space to fill and a deadline looming and was probably grasping at straws for some topic to make fun of or complain about for, oh say, 832 words.

#### Thursday, February 17, 2000

# **KISS to rock Hub City all night**

#### by Sebastian Kitchen Staff Writer

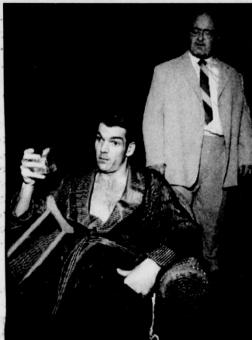
ISS fans can get their vocal chords and face paint ready, possibly for the last time. The KISS Farewell Tour will roll into Lubbock on March 29.

KISS, one of the most popular rock 'n' roll bands in history, will return to headline a concert at the United Spirit Arena. Special guests include Skid Row and Ted Nugent.

Tickets go on sale at 10 a.m. Feb. 26 and are available at all Select-A-Seat locations including the University Center ticket booth and both locations of Ralph's Records, 909 University Ave., and 3322 82nd St.

KISS has sold more than 80 million records. The band has released 29 albums, of which 26 have gone either gold, platinum or multi-platinum. KISS is second only to the Beatles for most gold records obtained by any artist in history.

The tour will feature the original members - Gene Simmons, Paul Stanley, Ace Frehley and Peter Criss.



Greg Kreller/The University Dail

Keith Welch of Stardate Concerts said they will not be able to fit as many people into the KISS concert as the arena's first big show. At the Feb. 8 Elton John show, people could sit and watch from behind the stage. Production will not allow that to happen at this show. Instead of the estimated 14,000 people at the John show, Welch said they could sell about 11,000 seats to the KISS show.

United Spirit Arena General Manager Kent Meredith said he figured they could fit around 12,500 in the arena for the show. A larger stage and larger sound area will allow fewer seats on the floor. Either way, the second major show has been booked at the arena.

"This will not be like Elton John," Meredith said. "But there will be a mix of college kids and older groupies who have been around forever. This is certainly a different crowd than Elton John. It will be a different crowd and that's what we're trying to do."

Meredith said the John show put Lubbock on the map for major bands and major concerts. He said the next big test is to see how well the KISS show

today.

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sells.

The band's 1996-97 KISS Reunion was the top grossing tour of the year. After reuniting for the tour, the band released its first album in 20 years in 1998. Psycho Circus was nominated for a Grammy. Spitting blood, breathing fire and breaking guitars was back. The

KISS Courtesy Photo band has been filling up arenas and stadiums since exploding on the music scene in the 1970s.

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KISS rocked its way into radio with hits like "Detroit Rock City," "I Was Made For Loving You," "Calling Dr. Love," "Strutter," " Shout It Out Loud" and "Rock And Roll All Night."

Chinese Opera to perform The Shanghal Kunju of theatre in China and has been performed for centuries. It is the root of China's theatrical arts be-Opera Theatre will perform at 8 p.m today at the University Center Allen Theatre. Tickets cost \$8 for cause Kunju includes po-Texas Tech students and etry, dance, music and \$16 for the general public. drama into one art form. Kunju is the oldest form

#### Klien line withdrawn by government

NEW DELHI, India (AP) -An Indian government minister has urged fashion designer Calvin Klein to withdraw his line of products made with snake skins to set an example for others in the industry.

Maneka Gandhi, India's minister of social justice and empowerment, said she sus-

pected the skins originated in India.

"For several years, I have admired your refusal to include the skins of animals in your collection .... So I was shocked and immensely disappointed to learn that your newest collection includes snake skins," Gandhi said.

#### Three Tenors to take stage separately

ime, the Three Tenors - Jose Carreras, Placido Domingo and Luciano Pavarotti — will all appear at the Metropolitan Opera on the me nigh

They won't be giving a trio co. rt. Each will star in one act of different opera. The Met anunced the May 11 program on

NEW YORK (AP) - For the first Wednesday and said the evening will be a benefit for the company's pension fund. James Levine will conduct, with the Metropolitan Opera orchestra, chorus and ballet. Ticket prices range from \$100 to

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\$1,000 for the performance and \$12,750 to \$2,500 for the performance and banquet afterwards with the artists at the opera house.

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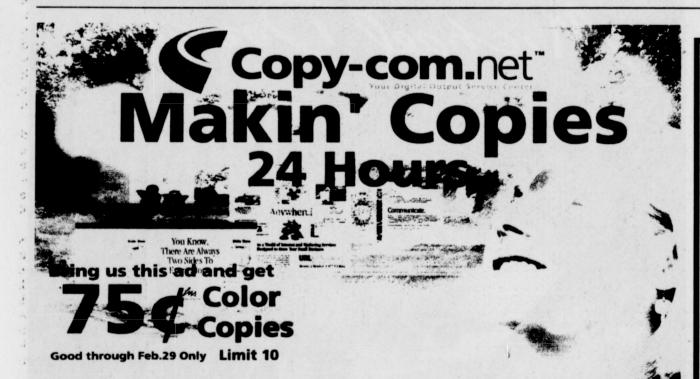
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Final dress redents cost \$5 with a Tech ID and \$10 for hearsal will be 8 p.m. general admission.

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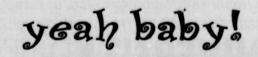
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### **Ceremonies set for fallen Cowboys coach**

city of Dallas hosted a celebration in honor of Tom Landry, more than 100,000 people lined city streets for a parade celebrating the incredible career of the former Cowboys coach.

The city is putting on a much smaller, more subdued gathering Thursday afternoon with a memorial service at a downtown symphony center that may be able to squeeze in 2,600 admirers.

"We're trying to keep this a memorial service rather than an event," said David Fisher, interim director of administration for the Morton H. Meyerson Symphony Center. "We're trying to keep the wishes of the family and the mood. It's a somber event. It's not a parade."

Landry, who died Saturday, will be laid to rest in a private ceremony early Thursday.

At noon, family and friends will hold a private memorial service at

DALLAS (AP) - The last time the Highland Park United Methodist Church, where Landry was a member for 43 years. About 1,100 people are expected to fit into the main sanctuary and a chapel that will receive a closed-circuit feed.

> The order of worship includes several scripture readings, hymns and other prayers in memory of a man who considered faith the most important aspect of his life. Landry often said his priorities were God, family and football - in that order.

> The family wants no still or video pictures taken of the ceremony. They have, however, decided to make audio available.Video and audio of the 4 p.m. public service will be broadcast live on most local television stations. The event will be heavy on football memories as speakers include Pro Football Hall of Fame players Bob Lilly, Roger Staubach and Sam Huff, and former Cowboys general manager Tex Schramm, another

Hall of Famer.

Atlanta Falcons coach Dan Reeves, a former Cowboys player and assistant coach, also will speak, as will NFL commissioner Paul Tagliabue; Ann Murchison, the widow of Cowboys founder Clint Murchison Jr.; and former Cowboys Don Perkins and Rayfield Wright.

Tommy Loy, whose one-man trumpet rendition of the national anthem opened Cowboys home games during the Landry era, will perform, as will the Dallas Baptist University Chorale and the Dallas Children's Chorus.

Landry wouldn't have expected such grand treatment. After he was fired Feb. 25, 1989, he said: "People will forget me quick."

He learned otherwise two months later when Dallas threw "Hats off to Tom Landry!" appreciation day, which began at noon and lasted into the night with an invitation-only ball

at a hotel and a public concert at Texas Stadium.

Landry wrote in his 1990 autobiography that as he and his wife, Alicia, left for the parade, she wondered aloud whether anyone was going to show up.

"Were we ever surprised," he wrote. "The cheers, the applause, the waving banners and the constant calls of 'Tom! Tom! We love you!' made me feel that never in my life have I ever been so affirmed, so loved

"By the time Alicia and I got to bed that night, we felt numb. The sense of love we experienced that day in Dallas meant more than any Super Bowl win."

For 29 years, Landry was the stoic man in the fedora hat who turned the Dallas Cowboys from a 1960 expansion team into "America's Team."

They had 20 straight winning seasons and appeared in five Super Bowls, winning two. His 270 victories are third-most in NFL history. His tenure ended the day Arkansas oil-

man Jerry Jones bought the Cowboys. Last May, Landry was diagnosed with leukemia. He was in and out of the hospital for nine months before

losing his battle Saturday. He was 75. There has been a statewide outpouring of emotion toward him in recent days, including:

-The Dallas Stars having a moment of silence in Landry's honor before a home game Sunday night. On Tuesday night, the Dallas Mavericks did the same.

-In Austin, where Landry starred for the University of Texas, a sign outside a popular Mexican restaurant paid homage to Landry and "Peanuts" cartoonist Charles M. Schulz, who also died Saturday.

"With Landry as his coach, Charlie Brown will make that field goal," the sign read.

#### **Rodman** gets ejected, wants to fight Stern

DALLAS (AP) - Dennis Rodman didn't need long to start causing trouble.Rodman was ejected from only his second game with the Dallas Mavericks, then made things worse by accusing the league and commissioner David Stern of being out to get him.

'I don't know who gave David Stern all the power in the world to sit there and make all the rules in the world, but this league has gone to hell," Rodman said. "It's ridiculous."

Rodman challenged Stern to settle their differences with their fists.

"I wish me and David Stern can get some damn gloves on and we go in the ring and we can see who'll come out the winner," Rodman said. "Me and him."

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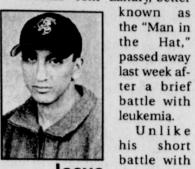
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**OPENS FEBRUARY 25 AT THEATRES EVER** 

### Legendary coach remembered for morals, ideals, 'America's Team'

n Sept. 11, 1924, aboy was born in Mission. Seventyfive years later, he was remembered by everyone as one of the greatest coaches to ever live. Thomas "Tom" Landry, better



lesus the disease, Landry was Arenas the Columnist boys' coach for a long

time and even though he's gone, his legend still lives.

In 1960, Landry became the coach for a little and unknown team called the Dallas Cowboys.

A few seasons later, along with a pair of Super Bowl wins, Landry's little unknown squad became "America's Team."

With guys like Roger Staubach, Randy White, Mike Renfro, Herschel Walker and Tony Dorsett all having played for the Cowboys, it was easy for America to fall in love with the team. Having a coach like Landry didn't

hurt either.

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You hardly ever saw him smile, but you never saw him frown.

He was the kind of coach that put God first, family second and football a distant third.

When he told his players to model their lives the same way, they looked at him in disbelief.

I'm sure every other coach in the NFL wanted their players to put football first, football second and if they won a Super Bowl, they could go to church and celebrate with their family.

Landry's career was full of good times and bad times, too.

He had seven-straight losing seasons, followed by 20 consecutive winning seasons, including five Super Bowl appearances and two Super Bowl wins.

However, through it all, he remained the same person.

As a football player, Landry played cornerback for the New York Giants. and in 1954, he was asked to be an assistant coach.

As a player, Landry only made \$12,000. The most he would make as a player was \$15,000 a year, yet he managed to coach the defense and make the All-Pro team.

When he became the Cowboys' coach, he signed a five-year contract that averaged \$34,500 a year.

He never asked for much, except for enough players, some money to pay the bills and a little help from the man up above.

Landry was a good man with good morals and coached people to hold the same values.

> During the Landry era, the NFL was never in the spotlight like it is today. Or should I say, it was never and kills two people, as long as they in the gutter like it

is today. Landry never had guys on his team that were arrested for drugs, domestic violence or murder.

Landry would have never coached 29 games in today's NFL, much less 29 years as he did with the Cowboys.

Now a days, the NFL has become a home to convicts and soon-to-be convicts. Some players are using and selling drugs while

others are committing murder. I can't put all of the blame on an

NFL head coach, but the coaching staff should at least know what kind of person they are acquiring.

Lots of NFL coaches are trying to follow Landry's legend of winning but are forgetting to follow the legend I think he would most want them to follow: the legend of Landry's morality

Landry cared more about how his

players were perceived by the public than how many games they won or how much money he was making.

NFL coaches today don't care if one of their players beats his wife

I hope that

show up for the He never asked game Sunday. for much, exsomeone remembers cept for enough Landry's legend and what it really means players, some to football. If someone money to pay doesn't take it upon themthe bills and a selves to try and turn the little help from NFL back on the right track, the man above. then it will start to dimin-

ish the way the Cowboys did after their leader was fired in 1989.

Landry made the Cowboys into "America's Team," and the Cowboys made football into America's pastime.

If today's NFL coaches don't follow Landry's example, they are going to create a new title for football: America's forgotten pastime. Jesus Arenas is a junior broad-

cast journalism major from Lubbock. He can be reached via e-mail at Jearenas@hotmail.com.

### Investigators deem IOC victim in scandal

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — The In- businessman and the son of an IOC the Salt Lake case. He said he helped ternational Olympic Committee thinks U.S. investigators consider the organization a "victim" in the Salt Lake City scandal, a top IOC official said Wednesday.

IOC director general Francois Carrard believes the Justice Department and FBI are targeting individuals and not the IOC as a whole or its president, Juan Antonio Samaranch.

executive board member - have been charged in the criminal investigation.

The IOC stressed it has always cooperated with the federal investigation, that Samaranch voluntarily agreed to the interview and that he was questioned solely as a witness and not a suspect.

Carrard, who was with Samaranch Samaranch was questioned for during the questioning, said he was tion are widely believed to be Tom commission, which will make recmore than five hours in New York on not aware who those under investigation might be - whether Salt Lake bid officials, individual IOC members or others.

create a sham job for John Kim, son of powerful South Korean IOC executive board member Kim Un-

John Kim was indicted in September on federal charges that he lied to investigators and entered the United States with a fraudulently obtained green card.

The chief targets of the investiga-Welch, who led the Salt Lake bid ef-

managing drug tests at the Sydney Games.

The IOC will retain authority over drug testing, analysis and sanctions during the Sydney Games.

Buteople will be notified: the IOC medical commission chairman, the head of the drug lab and three independent observers.

The group will report any positive findings to the full IOC medical ommendations to the IOC executive

#### Vegas mayor to meet with team owner

Goodman says he will meet later this month with the owner of an NBA team reportedly interested in relocating to this gambling city.

Goodman declined to name the owner, saying he was meeting with him in confidence.

Goodman said earlier this month he thought the Houston Rockets would be a good fit for Las Vegas.

Rockets owner Les Alexander has said he must have a new arena to be competitive. Last November, Houston voters rejected a proposal for a downtown arena to accommodate basketball and hockey.

Louisville, Ky., and a handful of other cities have their sights set on

LAS VEGAS (AP) - Mayor Oscar the Rockets. However, team officials met Tuesday with the Harris County-Houston Sports Authority to begin crafting a new referendum.

Goodman has made luring an NBA team to Las Vegas one of his priorities. However, the city does not have a new arena, either, and NBA Commissioner David Stern has expressed reservations about having a team in a city where betting on league games is legal. Stern said Las Vegas is "not likely to be seriously considered" for an expansion team - should the NBA expand— if it does not ban betting on NBA basketball.

Goodman said earlier that three teams had contacted him about moving to Las Vegas.



Feb. 1 by U.S. authorities investigating the more than \$1.2 million in cash, gifts, free travel and other inducements offered to IOC members and their families during Salt Lake's winning bid for the 2002 Winter Games

Ten IOC members were expelled or forced to resign for their part in the scandal.

So far, two people — a Salt Lake

member questioned by U.S. investigators. Carrard said he was interviewed strictly in his role as president of the organization.

Utah businessman David Simmons pleaded guilty Aug. 3 to a federal misdemeanor tax charge in

fort, and his former deputy, Dave Johnson.

In other developments at IOC Samaranch was the eighth IOC meetings in Sydney, Olympic leaders approved new drug-testing procedures designed to make the system more open and eliminate any suspicion of cover-ups.

The IOC reached agreement with the Australian government on establishing an accountable system for board The board will have the sole right to disgualify any athletes.

In addition, there will be a full report on drug test results within a month after the games.

IOC officials said they hope the measures will address suspicions that the IOC ignored or covered up test failures, especially in the final days of the games.



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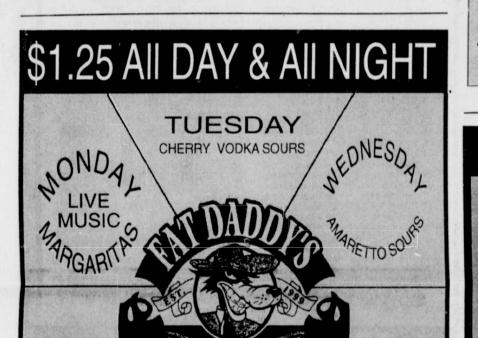
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Lady Raiders pull into tie for second in Big 12

by Matt Muench Staff Writer

The Lady Raiders picked up a key win Wednesday when they knocked off a competitive Nebraska squad, 66-62, at the United Spirit Arena.

The win gives the Tech squad their 29th-straight home victory.

The win was even bigger for the Lady Raiders after finding out that both Oklahoma and Iowa State lost, putting the Lady Raiders in a tie for second place in the Big 12.

'We are fired up," Tech coach Marsha Sharp said. "I think that any time you beat a team with the caliber of Nebraska and then finding out that we have a chance to play for first place in the Big 12 on Saturday is big for us."

Tech forward Aleah Johnson was key down the stretch for the Lady Raiders as she sank four free throws to seal the victory for the Lady Raiders

Johnson ended up hitting all 10 of her free-throw attempts during the contest and finished the game with 18 points and eight rebounds. "I knew I wasn't shooting well all night, so I had to get my points

some way which I guess was at the

free-throw line," Johnson said. "When you have a bad shooting night, you have to try anything."

The Lady Raiders began the first half with three turnovers on their first three possessions.

They would not grab a lead in the first half until guard Katrisa O'Neal, who had 10 points in the contest, hit a 15-foot jumper with a little more than six minutes left until the break.

From that point, the two teams would exchange buckets, and there huge minutes," Sharp said. "She is were a total of "We just have nine lead changes in the

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In the second stanza, the 'Huskers came out of the locker room with a bang, going on a 12-4 run to begin the first five minutes of the half.

Tech guard Melinda Schmucker-Pharies said it is rough to play a team that slows the pace of the game down, but Tech had to deal with it.

"We just have to be patient with what they are trying to do with us and at the same time play our game," Schmucker-Pharies said.

Tech would regain the lead with 8:47 left in the game when Johnson hit two free throws to give the Lady

Raiders a 50-48 edge en route to the victory.

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"It was a rough game and tough game for us," Schmucker-Pharies said. "We had to just keep or heads up and keep shooting in the second half."

Sophomore Tanisha Ellison had a big night for the Lady Raiders off the bench, hitting all four of her shots and finishing with eight points in the contest.

"She has been giving us some

a big part of what we are doing, and she is beginning to muscle her way around on the offensive end."

Forward Keitha Dickerson recorded her 12th doubledouble of the year, grabbing a game-high 15 rebounds and scoring 12 points.

Saturday's game will be another key contest for the Lady Raiders when they face Oklahoma, who sits atop the Big 12 standings, at the United Spirit **Aleah Johnson** Arena. Tech forward Johnson said

as the conference

schedule draws to a close, each contest will be closely contested.

"We just have to get ready because no one is going to let down on us," Johnson said. "I don't plan on having anymore games where we beat teams by 20 or 30 points."

