


SCOTUS nominee Alito STATE
Houston crack house killer set to die today HUNTSVILLE (AP) - Robert Dale Rowell aready had as saying under his beth on a robbery conviction, when a Harris
County jury decided he deserved to die for shooting three people ata Houston crack house, kailing ted.
third paralyed.
Rowell, 50 , faces lechal injection this evening for the 1993 shooting spree tha
leff Raymond Mata, 38 , and Irvin Wright, 52 , dead. Mata's wife, Angie Perez, was seriouly wounded.
He would be the 18 He would be the 18th Texas prisone
executed this year and the firto of fwo on consecutive nights shis week. Condemned inmate Shannon Thomas was of ofllowhim to the death chamber Wednesday night for a triple laying
Eve in 1993.
Pere said she heard a thumping sound and screams from Wright's room. Wright,
investigators detemined had been badly investigators determined, had been badly
beaten wihh a claw hammerand wasled into the couple's room. All three were herded into a bathroom where they were shot in
bathab. Rowell then took a showe.

NATION 911 call backfires when caller busted for pot PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (AP) -
Ronald Meyers called police when he heard suspicious noises outside his home. He ended up in jail after officers saw
something suspicious inside the hame an eight-foot tall pot plant and nearly
$\$ 100,000$ of $\$ 100,000$ of marijuana.
Meyers summoned offic Mevers summoned officers to his home moming, claiming that someone was try-
ingto open his windows and that he could
hear voices outside. ing to open his $w i$ in
hear voices outsid.
Offcers found Officers found no burglar but asked
if they could check inside said polic if they could check inside, said police
spokesman Sgt. John Booth. When spokesman Sgt. John Booth. When
Meyers, 59 , let them in, officers found more than $\$ 100,000$ worth of marijuana,
he said. The stax included an eight-foot pot plant, more elants srowing in the garage
and havested maxijuana - some packed into large plastic bags - stuffed in large
storage bins in a bedroom, Booth said. storage bins in a bedroom, Booth said.
Officers also found syinges and other drug paraphemalia, he said.

## WORLD

Crossing Jordan: Rice visits to offer sympathy

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& \text { RAMALLAH, West Bank (AP } \\
& \text { Secretary of State Condoleezza Ric }
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$$ rearranged her travel schedule a t the last minute Monday to try to win a deal

Israei-Palestinian border issues. Israeli-Palestitian bordier issues.
While negotiations continued in Jerusalem, Rice made a quick side trip to
Jordan to offer condolences for the more than 50 peoplocondillen in in terorist horetel
bombings last week. She seta a arre yellow bombings last week. She seta large yellow
and white wreath beside a temporary wall
erected in place of blown out glass at he Rected isson SAS hotel, where many of the
victims had been vicims had been ane
wedding celebration.
Rice
wedding celebration.
Rice said the United States and Jordan will stand together against ter-
rorism. "Theris. "The no justification for the wanton killing of innocenss," Rice said before going inside the hotel to survey
the damage. She also met with Jordanian King
the
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## INSIDE

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## Strong earthquake shakes Japan

## By HIROKO TABUCHI

TOKYO (AP) - A strong earthquake shook northern Japan early Tuesday, triggering a small tsunami that struck coostal towns about 200 miles from the epicenter. There were no immediate reports of damage.
The quake, with a preliminary magniude of 6.9 , hit at $6: 39$ a.m. ( $3: 39$ p.m. CST Monday) and was centered off the east coast of Japan's main island of Honshu, according to the U.S. Geological Survey and Japan's
Tsunami waves of 12 and 19 inches hit
Tsurological Ageny.
Accused parent killer caught s.anamam

BELLEVILLE, Ind. (AP) - A Pennsylvaia teenager suspected of killing his gillfriend's captured in Indiana on Monday with the girl in his car after a police chase that ended in crash. The 14 -year-old girl was not hurt, authorities said. David Ludwig, 18 , and Kara Beth Borden were taken into custody around midday after in Belleville, some 600 miles from where the killings took place.
Police were que
Police were questioning Ludwig but had not spoken with Kara. Because of her age, Indiana and Pennsylvania law requires a relative,
uardian or attorney to be present Invardian or attorney to be present. Investigators said it was not immediately
lear whether the girl was abducted or went ABDUCTION continued on Page 3

Seniors get answers about medicare plan By JAY LANGLEY
Senior Staff Writea
Lubbock senior citizen Ken George went o the Science Spectrum Monday with many Drug benefit, which goes into effect Jan. 1. "I came down here to have them explain it to me," George said. "It is very confusing. Congressman Randy Neugebauer's office families about the new benefit plan. families about the new benefit plan.
"We are here to help," Neugebauer representative Raquel Padilla told a crowd of about 300 at the Science Spectrum. "The new plan is a very good thing for everyone." The new benefit offers insurance coverof for prescription drugs through a variety of prescription
plan options.
Most of Monday's meeting was conducted by Medicare spokesperson Jennifer Johnson. "The best thing about the new plan," she

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 computer sciences major from Lubbock, follow their GPS satelitite-navigated car around the parking lot west of the Electrical En
building Monday evening. The car is a project for a lab in which students' cars must complete one full lap around a course.
Beating the Bug: Health officials encourage students to get flu shots
By BETH AARON
Sevor STarf Wrirer the virus, Bennett said, so getting a flu shot students will have to miss class because of Health Department for help finding other before flu season is wise. Flu shots are $\$ 18$ for and body aches, Bennett Evelyn McPherson, health department students at Thompson Maybe it's not saic Hall, said a representative from the Student Health going to be a bad since this year's sup. influenza year. Since this year's sup-
ply of the flu vaccine was ply of the flu vaccine was
made available by the We don't know.
U.S. government Oct. 24,
approximately 30 students As. RON WARNER approximately 30 students associate Professor
week have come in to
Texas Tech HSC eceive flu vaccinations, Texas Tech HSC
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$\qquad$ director at Tech, said in a 2003 intervie "It's kind of a herd im. with The Daily Toreador a uts kind of a herd im- with The Daily Toreador that students may
munity thing," she said.
also call their family physicians to nunity thing," she said. also call their family physicians to request a
In 2003, Student flu shot if there are not enough vaccination Health Services ran out at Thompson Hall. $f$ the flu vaccine. This Dr Ron Warnet
ear, there have not been Department of Family aciate professor in the ndications thus far that cine at the Tech Health Community Medihere will be a sho of flu shots at Thompso the Center for Disease Control and Prevention Hall, a representati from Student Health Ser- Locally, Warner said, no all of the stes. ccording to Student Health Services. vices said.
The more students who get flu shots If there

Alito: 'The Constitution does not Car burglary a problem locally; protect a right to an abortion'

WASHINGTON (AP) - Supreme Court nominee privately on Tuesday. "When he comes before the Senate, Samuel Alito boasted about his work arguing that "the Judge Alito faces a heacy burden of demononstrating that he
Constitution does not protect a right to an abortion"
nol onger holds these extremely troubling views and would Constitution does not protect a right to an abortion" no longer holds these extremely yroubling views and would
while trying to become a deputy assistant attomey general bring an open mind and a real commitment to fundamental in the Reagan administration, according to documents rights and freedoms?:
released Monday. O'Connor has been a crucial swing vote on abortion Alito, afederal appellate judge nominated by President on the Supreme Court, and Alito's opponents fear that Bush to the nation's highest court, was a young lawyer he and recently confirmed Chief Justice John Roberts working for the solicitor general's office in 1985 when he would swing the Supreme Court to the right and lead to applied for the position under Attorney General Edwin Meese.
As part of his appli As part of his application, Alito
sent a document saying his work in the solicitor general's office had included helping "to advance legal positions in which 1 personally believe very strongly."
"Iam particulaly mod rributions in recent coses in which the government argued that racial and ethnic quotas should not be allowed and that the Constitution does not proct That sentence provides one of the frrst clear-cut statements attributed to
Alito about abortion, which will be one of the main topics of his lanuary confirmation hearing as retiring Justice Sandra Day O'Connor's's replacement: think that it is more reason to question him closely at the hearing,?
 why the right two weeks of private meetings that he
has "great respect" for Roe $v$. Wade has "great respect" for Roe v. Wade as
a precedent, but he did not comits upholding it. enthusiastic support Alito "joinsalonglistof jurists who for Judge Alito $\begin{aligned} & \text { decided, including Ruth Bader Gins- } \\ & \text { burg before she was confirmed to }\end{aligned}$ after campaigning the court," said Sen. John Cornyn, R-Texas, a member of the Judiciary against Harriet Committee. "The question is whether Miers. $\begin{aligned} & \text { he will put his personal views aside as } \\ & \text { any judge should and base his rulings }\end{aligned}$ Miers.
-EDWARD KENNEDY
on what the Constitutions says. His long
track record as a federal appeals court $\begin{array}{ll}\text { - EDWARD KENNEDY } & \begin{array}{l}\text { on what the Constitution says. Hislong } \\ \text { track record a a s federal appeals court } \\ \text { judge shows that he has indeed put }\end{array} \\ \text { Democratic Senator }\end{array}$ Democratic Senator
Massachussets Democratic Senator
Massachussets his personal views on abortion aside, and I have every confidence he will said Sen. Arlen Specter, R-Pa, who will run Alito's Jan. continue to do so officials see no apparent trends

By ANDREW WOOD

for a new window for his Chevrolet
The case stil
tion, he said. for a new window for his Chevrolet
suburban and may pay for new
, any Tech students go ou ty have shifted their views about abortion over the years and tial Library on Monday. Bush picked Alito after White House counsel Harriet sistant
Miers withdrew her Supreme Court nomination when until 1987.

to take their mind off school, but hey do not expect to have added hicles addition to locking their vestress because their vehicles are
broken into.
Kyle Buzzard Kyle Buzzard, a junior public it does something good and scares,
relations major from Southlake, off people away from your car," said his 2003 Suburban was



The break-in into Buzzard's
$\qquad$ that have been the Texas
Tech Police Tech Police
 $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Avenue. } & \text { since Sept. 1, said } \\ \text { After coming back from his } & \text { B.J. Watson, Tech Police De- }\end{array}$ After coming back from his class, he said he discovered
someone apparently threw a rock artment senior administrative
$\qquad$ Although there have been
nany vehicle break-ins reported, Tech Police Chief Ron Seacrist said he does not see a pattern with He said the suspect took amlifiers, stereos, subwoofers and other types of audio equipment out of his suburban. The equipment, he said, was too large to be The incident, Buzzard said, He attributed the on-campus ar break-ins to a failure to tock vehicles. The document was included in more than 100 pages of material about Alito released by the Ronald Reagan ${ }^{\text {tee. }}$ Specter, an abortion rights moderate, said a lot of people Presidential Library and the George H.W. Bush Presiden-
that he has found Alito to have "a very heavy commit- When Alito wrote this document, he was working as ment to legal interpretation which might differ from his an assistant to the solicitor general, where he stayed from own personal views""
Bush picked Alito after White House counsel Harriet sistant attorney general in 1985 , he did not win that job

Miers wiedrew hithering criticisis by some conservatives. In the document, Alito declared himself a "lifelong
confonted by
"This may explain why the right wing expressed such
registered" Republican and a Federalist Society member, enthusiastic support for Judge Alito after campaigning and said he had donated money to the National Republican against Harriet Miers," said Sen. Edward Kennedy, D. Congressional Committee, the National Conservative PoMass., one of several senators who will meet with Alito litical Action Committee and several GOP candidates. prompted him to purchase an
automobile alarm. He said the automobile alarm. He said the
police have no leads on the person who broke in to the four police have no leads on the weeks ago. He said the credit card
person who broke in to the four was traced to Roswell, N.M.,
vehicles, but have continued but the suspect has not yet been
$\qquad$ One incident the police chief
mentioned was a credit card being stolen out of a vehicle several their investigation.
but the suspect has not yet been more securitown that might need

## (1) <br> Microsoft reveals Xbox launch titles

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games to the 60 . newsroom at (806) 742-3393 The list includes various sports, the Xbox Live service that offers

"adventure, first-person downloadable titles, will offer shooter and with 18 titles in all slated, between 12 and 15 gam
download on launch day. o sell with the system. Microsoft will hay day more security. Some people have
gone to parking lots at bars and gone to parking lots at bars
clubs to break into vehicles clubs to break into vehicles.
Brandon Dunaway, general manager of Blue Light Live, said more cars in Lubbock's Depot Entertainment District have been broken into during the last few
months, but there is not a specific reason for the increase. on for it," he said. "It's just At least two or three vehicles in nearby parking lots have been broken into during the last three or four months, Dunaway said. The
burglary problem could be associated with more people coming to ated with more peo

With the winter break approaching, Seacrist said vehicles would need more security, "It's getting close to Christmas," crease. Don't leave anything out." crease. Don't leave anything out."
Along with locking their vehicles, he also suggested people keep their valuable objects concealed. Seacrist offered some advice to students. "Leave it locked and leave it out

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have access to the amount of flu
vaccine they would like.
If Lubock clinics run out of
the flu shot, Warner said physicians
probably will begin to prioritize
their patients. Those at the highest
risk of contracting influenaz, such
a the elderly and patients with
pre-existing medical conditions
like asthma, will have access to the
flu vaccine eforo e the rest of the
general population.
If one cannot be vaccinated
against the flu, other simple precau-

Medicare
CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1 she said. "Is that it is available to all people who qualify for Medicare." Minimum coverage under the
hew benefit, known as Medicare Part D, requires a monthly premium of $\$ 32$. The plan carries a deductible of $\$ 250$. After the insured person pays $\$ 3,600$, then he or she must pay 5 prescription drugs each time. prescription drugs each time.
"How many plans do you know that pay 95 percent of the bill," Johnson said. "Most people in their later years who need prescription drugs pay well over $\$ 3,600$ in a year."

Abduction
CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1 along willingly, but they were operating on
kidnapped.
"It's completely insane, com-
pletely insane," Lancaster County, pletely insane," Lancaster County, "This isn't a Romeo-and-Juliet deal This is far worse than that."
Authorities said Ludwig shot Ka ra's parents, Michael F. and Cathry and their daughter argued about her curfew when she came home late. The shootings happened at the family' home near Lititr, Pa., about 60 mile west of Philadelphi
across the East, and police in Penn sylvania and Indiana investigated reported sightings of the pair as they made their way west in a red Volk swagen Jetta. They were stopped Belleville, abou
Indiänapolis.'
State police spokesman 1st Sgt. Dave Bursten said authorities re ceived a report Monday morning of a vehicle matching that description at a truck stop near Fort Wayne. Troopers went car was gone. broadcast to police statewide Bursten said, and troopers spotted it around said, and roopers spe.
midday in Belleville.
Ludwig led them on a five-mile chase at speeds of 90 to 95 mph . Trooper David Cox said Ludwig
was "very reckless, very dangerous at was "very reckless, very dangerous at
that point," meeting vehicles head-on and running them into a ditch before
that point he hit the tree.
After officers pulled Ludwig from the car, Borden got out and was fran-
virus, Warner said.
Eating a well-balanced diet
(ics pencils and doorknobs.
ich in vitamins and minerals, getrich in vitamins and minerals, getting plenty of sleep, and staying strong resistance to disease, War a he said. "The point of washing your hand is is to ,"
The bottom line, Warner said, is that practicing common-sense
hygiene is the key to fighting viruses like influenza.
share mugs and cups during influenza season," he said.
Anyone with the resources to
Johnson said the new Medicare
plan will decrease drug spending by plan will decrease drug
50 percent annually. "The average person will save about $\$ 1,100$ per year," she said.
"But these numbers do not include extra help for people with limited incomes."
Enrollment for the benefit begins
today and ends May 15. A person today and ends May 15. A person
who is not eligible for Medicare until who is not eligible for Medicare until
February has a seven-month period to enroll.
"If someone enrolls after May 15 they must pay a 1 percent penalty for every month they were not covered
on the plan," Jhnson said "So we on the plan," Johnson said. "So we
encourage people to enroll as soon encourage people to enroll as soon as possible.
Johnson said Medicare Part D bathroom, where she heard a second shot, presumably the one that killed her mother, court papers said. Ludwig
then ran through the house calling for then ran through the house call
Kara, she told investigators. The couple's 9 -year-old son the neighbors, who called 911. rest warrant for Ludwig on on charges rest warrant for Ludwig on charges of
criminal homicide and kidnapping infiltrating computers



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inated, Warner said. Students going home for the Thanksgiving
holiday who are traveling outside holiday who are traveling outside
of Lubbock, where there has been of Lubbock, where there has been little flu activity thus far, may
encounter pockets of influenza in other parts of the state and country, get sick, and bring the virus back to the Hub City. "Maybe it's not going to be a
bad influenza year," he said. "We bad influenza ye
don't know."
For more information about
flu shots or symptoms or to make an appointment to get vaccinat-
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offers many options.
"People need to heir many options are so they can take full advantage of the plan,"
she said. "We have provided all he said. "We have provided all chosing the correct options." Johnson told the crowd anyone who needs help choosing a plan can read the "Medicare and You 2006 Handbook," go
towww.medicare.gov, or call 1towww.medicare
800 -Medicare.
"Don't be afraid to ask for help," Johnson said. "There is more than enough help available to you. We have hired hundreds of new specialists whose only job is
to help you figure out which plan to help you figur
is best for you."
Stephanie Mannon, 16 , said Ludwig and Kara had been seeing
each other secretly." Their parents each other secretly. "Their parents
didn't approve of them being didn't approve of them being
together" because of the age difftogether" because of the age dif-
ference, she said. "It wasn't because he was a shady character, because he wasn't."
Both Ludwig and Kara maintain
Web sites. Hers refers to Web sites. Hers refers to interests in
soccer, att and her Christian faith; soccer, art and her Christian faith;
his says he enjoys "having soft air his says he enjoys "having soft air
gun wars" and claims expertise in gun wars" and claim
"getting in trouble."

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Tech's only alternative.

Tech offcicial discusses new

## programs for university

## By ANDREW WOOD <br> Staff Writer

college life less expensive for students,
the university is trying to make college the university is trying to make college
education a more global experience. Shonrock said he had just reProgress with scholarship funds, the Texas Tech campus in Spain
and a new application process for and a new application process for
the residence halls are a few ongoing the residence halls are a few ongoing
internal projects aimed to benefit Tech students.
Michael Shonrock, vice president
of Student Affairs, of Student Affairs, said Barnes \& Noble has decided to donate $\$ 150,000$ to the Student Government Associa-
tion's $\$ 5$ million scholarship fund. tion's $\$ 5$ million scholarship fund.
The SGA has taken the initiative to raise $\$ 5$ million to give to students with the "Paving the Way to Student Success" campaign.
Shonrock said Barnes \& Noll Shonrock said Barnes \& Noble's
donation is "return of investment" donation is a "return of investment.
"Obviously, the more you use the local Barines and Noble, the more we local Barnes and Noble, the more we
can return to students," he said. A press conference for the scholarship fund is scheduled for Friday. Shonrock said Tech President Jon Whitmore and Chancellor Dr. David Smith are expected to attend.
An estimated $\$ 450,000$, he An estimated $\$ 450,000$, he said,
has been raised for the scholarship has been raised for the scholarship
campaign, and he expects more money to be raised for the scholarship fund during the winter break. SGA President Nathan Nash said he has been pleased with the
campaign's progress. campaign's progress.
started with the campaign," he said. The scholarships, Nash said, will provide more assistance to students in need while rewarding more students for their academic
achievements. "If we can be that successful, hopefully everybody can benefit as a result,'
Nash said. Tech C
Spain. Spain. He said he have a better learning experience at the new center, with new classrooms and computer labs.
Nash, Shonrock and Casey Harmon, SGA internal vice president, all
attended the center's opening. Nash attended the center's opening. Nash
said the Seville Center is within 5 miles of buildings constructed centuries ago.
He said th
He said the center is located near a
athedral built in the ninth cathedral built in the ninth century. "Everything around has a lot of
history. It's really neat to have a Tech history. I's's really neaat to have a ech
center located in the center of all of center located in the center of all of
it," he said. "I think the opportunity Tech has for students in downtown Spain is something to be proud of."
Shonrock said students in Shonrock said students in Europe
can sign up for an International can sign up for an International
S.O.S. plan where they can travel to other centers on the continent and other centers on the continent and
utilize their services as long as they are registered for classes.
The plan, he said, helps students in case they get in an emergency situation and allows them to return to the United States if necessary. He said the
policy is in effect 24 hours a day and policy is in effect
365 days a week.
He said students in Lubbock would be facing changes, as well. A new policy will limit application deadlines for students planning to live in the
residence halls. The deadline now will residence halls. The deadline now will
be October instead of Fehruary October instead of February.
"We have some nice facilities, an now it's much more compectitive on campus," he said. "We want to give the

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# PAGE <br> The Daily Toreador 



## Fighting to win in the war on drugs <br> Step No. 1 in the new battle plan: Legalize marijuana, tax sales




| the United States. Currently, cartel lead- |
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| ers essentially control Central and South |
| American countries through money They | American countries through money. They

pay off political leaders, the military and even local citizens to ensure their autonomy
and safety.
You se, fighting drugg is much differen
from fighting terrorism and radical Islam. from ighting terrorism and radical Islam.
Radical fundamentalists appeal to shared ideology, drug cartels appeal to shared Ideology, drug cartels appeal to
people's wallets. That's how we can ap
peal to those citizens If money can buy peal to thoses citizens if money can buy their suppo
bid them.
Druss can be fought in much the same way as the Cold War, by outspending those
who sell them. Cartel leaders are essentially businesmen. Their tactics are harsher than your typical Fortune-500 CEOO, yet, at the end of the day, their goal is the same, to
make a buck
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cartels free reign. cartels free reign.
The United $S$ Sara
The United States has the clout, the economic power and the will to win. Itll take time, effort, money and forward think
ing by Americans, but its not that hard.
Legalize marijuana, start education
against druy use earlier and use the power
of the dollar to destron dus of the dollar to destroy drugs at their source. Thirty years is much too long to
still be dealing with this problem. Its time still be dealing with this problem. It's tim
to end it, now.
Caliva is a senior mathematics major from San Antonlo. E-mal

Letters to the Edtror
Review for 'keepingabreast' unfair Caliva's logic on CIA prisons 'absurd'

Gone are the days of theater
reviewers who understand theater.
Or so it would seem with The Daily Or so it wo
Toreador.
Jeremy Reynoldd's review of
keepingabreast" was proof positive that some are insistent upon viewing live theater in comparison
to film and television. He even compares the play to "the Lifetime his review.
Can he not compare the play to
ther plays? Has he not seen enough plays to be able to compare the play with other works? Does he have any background that qualifies him
as a theater reviewer? Is originality a heater reviewer? 1s originality
He compliments Mattie Ad amson, then goes on to say that
her "character is more than a little cliché with her attitude and do-rag know if Jeremy realized that she now if Jeremy realized that she chemotherapy. Should cancer patients be confined to simple head coverings?
How can one go so far as to describe
omeone playing a cancer patient as
being cliché? Maybe he will be the one to write, "The cancer patient and unoriginal; where does he (or she) get off playing the character as angry and upset or sad about their situation? Hello ... 'Philadelphia,' hasn't everyone seen it?"
Maybe some people/characters Maybe some people/characters been seen before.
Frankly, I'm disappointed with
his review. If only I had 500 words to spend on it! Texas Tech has finally produced some very good
student written/directed plays in the lab theatre. Students are actually starting to
watch student written/directed shows. Shows are regularly sold out now. "keepingabreast" is the best show I've seen in the past three years at Tech.
Reynolds is the sar wit Reynolds is the same writer who
so poignantly wrote " "Saw 2' so poignantly wrote, "'Saw 2 ' might
end up being the Shakespeare of end up being the Shakespeare of
the B-horror movie genre." Maybe he does know something about theater.
David Sha

## David Shaver

 shining example of the of liberty and a Shining example of the rule of law during and unique. A quick glance at the world map today shows they were more than decssil - democracy is the dominant Caliva proposeses in the world today. don our rrinciples inatit is OK to aban ing them to other parts of the world wh clearly lack them. It is she same "destroy village to save it" strategy that prolonged and uitimately yndment in Viernam.
This logic is absurd to me. Secrecy brutality and harshness in our method
do not serve to advance our cause they do not serve to advance our cause,
in fact serve to work against it. I agree that this is a different kin of war - it is not conventional in any sense of the word. It is something like a worldwide guerilla war with nof font lines or standing armies, just ideologies.
Like most guerilla-syle wars. Like most guerilla-style wars, the conflict most assuredly can never be won
with force of arms alone. If nothing else, Iraq has demonsstrated that to us clearly. Intelligence is a big part of that Itreeligence is a big part of that
strugle to be sure, but a greater at-
tention must be made to winning the
earts and minds of our enemies in a wa hat undermines her active and passive support they receive from people in
countries like Saudi Arabia, Indonesia countries ike $S$.
raq, Iran, etc.
When we begin to win the hearts and ninds of those people, the well ofsuicide bombers, weapons, and cash to finance terror begins to dry up and only then can Wome form of victory be achieved.
When we whisk our captured
When we whisk our captured en-
mies off to a secret location, to inter-
Idefinitely, we lose that battle to undermine terrorism.
If the CIA cannot get good intellisence to fight the war on terror or cannot successfully undermine the enemy, they
cannot "provide knowledge and action cannot "provide knowledge and action United States" nor "preserve American United Sades",
life and ideals."
War is hell,
War is hell, and yes, we'll be damned we are going to lose this fight. But if we continue to fight it in a secret, using
shameful tactics hat do not advance our caume, I fear the fight will continue for a long, bloody time.
Chris Denham Second year law student

La résistance: French riots about race, not religion
P
 are a justified
rage and fuss
power etc.
 From the right about how the children
and grandchildren of African and Middle Easterm immigrants, mostly Muslim, are generation of vipers - tertorist cells of the New Europe.
This is
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This is so much bunk. This is 'treligious justifed.
What you are seeing here is something
impler:
French society is not an immigrant's
sociery Americans her society. Americans have gotten so good
at bringing new people in from the cold at bringing new people in from the cold,
weve forgotten how hard it is for evervone weve forgoten how hard it is for everyone
else. Especially if you are like France, which, cor being an enlightened Westem country, is really, really bad at making any kind of real change.
Here, an $A$
Here, an American isan American ifhe/
he ebeieves in American idemes he believes in American ideal. A Frenchman... is, well. French. Hence the problem. And the frenchdont only like their french-
ness - which is hard toreconcile with being
an immierant, or Muslim-but hey like ness - which is hard to treconcile with being
an inmierant, or Muslim but they like the
institutions hey have come to recognize as institutions they have come to recognize as
being Frencl, such has hideously inefficient and bloated welfare sate. It is instructive, perhaps, instead of askig what has happened, asking what hasn't happened. What hasn't happened? France The Wall Street Joumand reports, he U.S.S has created 57 million new jobs. Europe, only
four million-most of those, in govermment. rance hasn'tcut govermment spending and stagnation.
The outpourings of the Fifth Republic are responsible for about half of the GDP, conrasted with 36 percent in Americ, Because le's's face it lit's hard to get a job in rance especially with a dusky skin tone),
buteasy tostay in it with a mandatory hort but easy tostay in it with a mandatory short workweek and early retirement. Which
is why everybody is so reluctant to create new jobs, and hesitant to do away with any Ew ones.
Even if the French were predisposed to hir someone of Algerian heritage overa guy holooked just like them, there wouldn't be enough chairs to go around. France hasn't
employed its people: The latest youth jobmployed its people: The latest youth jobThe overall jobless rate is 10 percent. In the sensitive urban oones" where ehe majority of he rioters are living and currently burning, Femployment nears 40 percent. France hasn't mended her cities. The heid beyond the draams of the American nercity. Look down on a map of the City of Light, and what do you see? Where are he hotbeds of violence? Clichy sous-Bois. Montermeil. Torcy. Le Queue-en-Brie. Noisy-le-Grand. All are on the outside of the Paris. As if an invisible wall girded the city.
Whydidn't the French trytopierce thot Whydidn't the french try topierce ethat encourage the kind of small business, the kind of entrepreneurship that not only creates the majority of an economy's jobs, but is essential to immigrant integration into civil sociery.

So france neds a more conservative economic policy. But she also needs a liberal
scial policy France has no social policy, France has no real equivalent
to our affirmative action, which can be decried today because its been so succeesful in the past. Compared to the United States or United Kingdom. foreien facese are rare in
not only in French government, but also in the boardroom and national news media. Our Supreme Court, the least demoCratic of our branches, is staffed with Italian and Affican peestuasion - all groups that at one time or another large segments of the populace wanted booted out of the of the populy
country.
We atta
We a attack any notion of hyphenated
Americanism but Americanism, but we forget whata in inspired
compromise hhat Here, you are able to balance fear of
osing your ancestral ways with your pride at being a part of this country, to keep the old world with the new. France has no equivalent linguistic
middle ground for the French-bom descendants of the "newcomers." You're either "French" or an "immigrant." No hyphen. if, say, your population consists of of million to 6 million peoplle of North African origin, or 10 percent of the Fifth Republic.
If the idea of an upward push for darkIf the idea of an upward push for dark-
colored faces up the sociecoonomic ladder colored faces up the socioeconomic ladder
is a saber rattle in the face of proper Gallic identity, I suggest it is
America assumes France is to the left of them on everything. Amnesia. In the States, we recognize that our identity as a country is continually yp for grabs. France has an old-fashioned view of
what being French is: the official culure is what being french is: the official culture is took blood-drenched decades of Haymarket
and Draft tiots to help us decide what con and Draft riots to help us decide what con-
stiuted a citizen of this country. We fought a Civil War about it. As freedom spreads chrough the world, societies, as a necessity, must become
more open. Open markets, open minds more open. Open markets, open minds

- and of course, open gates. Immigration is necessary and highly beneficicial to every great nation that's embraced
it; but, you can't have it both ways. it; but, you can't have it both ways.
You can't bring in foreign workers to do your dirty work and not give their offspring a slice of what they made. You can't have
generations of workers kept from jobs and generations of workers kept from jobs and
from recognition because your economy's tocimmobil
Grow up.
What is
What is happening to the Republic of France is shocking and unnecessary, butitis,
Ithink, natural. The sooner they make theit Ithink, natural. The sooner they make their
peace with the Open World, he beter. The times, they are a changin'.

Rhode is a senior philosophy major from Lubbock. E-ma


Red Raider cross country overcomes weather in Utah, sends two runners to national meet in Ind,

By TRAVIS CRAM

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|  | Alace finish in 2004. | after finishing fou |
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| After finishing third in the Big | Championships. |  |

} While competing in the NCAA Chimakwila ran to to $13^{\text {t }}$ place finish He said he will try to improve his Mountain Regional Championship Saturday, junior cross country runner
Irene Kimaiyo found out the weather of a change from West Texas. "I wasn't ready for it to be that
cold," she said. "It freaked me out at first, but I got over it and did it." Kimaiyo and junior runner Kevin
Chelimo each finished sixh Chelimo each finished sixth at the egional meet and will move on to
compete in the NCAA National Championships Nov. 21 in Terre
Haute, Ind Kimaiyo was the top runner for the women's team with a time of 21:21.1 in the women's 6 K race. She
finished $10^{\mathrm{h}}$ at the Big 12 championnhished $10^{\text {th }}$ at the Big 12 championships, two weeks prior to competing
in Utah, with a time of $21: 13$. She said overall she was pleased with her performance, despite the conditions.
The women's team placed eight
with a time of 21:45.6, while junior ships by working on his speed drills Jessica Stovall placed $42^{\text {nd }}$ with a more in practice. Now he has a bet
time of 22:53.6.

Tourney's should cause shake-up of men's Top 25

| (AP) - Only four teams in the preseason Top 25 played the first week and went a combined $7-0$, so there were very few changes Monday in The Associated Press' poll. <br> Wait two weeks. <br> Fifteen ranked teams will compete in four early-season tournaments over the next 11 days, and that should cause plenty of movement. <br> Duke was again the runaway No. 1, receiving 62 first-place votes - one more than in the preseason poll - and 1,788 points. That was 127 more than Texas, which again was No. 1 on six ballots. <br> Connecticut held third, followed by Michigan State, which dropped to three first-place votes, and Villanova, which again was No. 1 on | one ballot. <br> Oklahoma and Louisville held sixth and seventh, and then came the first of the two changes with Kentucky and Gonzaga swapping the eighth and ninth spots. <br> Arizona again rounded out the Top Ten. <br> Boston College was 11th, followed by Memphis, Stanford, West Virginia, Alabama, Syracuse, Illinois, UCLA, Wake Forest and lowa. <br> The last five ranked teams were George Washington, Nevada, Indiana, Maryland and Iowa State. <br> The other switch was UCLA and Wake Forest at Nos. 18 and 19. <br> West Virginia, Syracuse and Wake Forest went 2-0 last week, while Kentucky won its only game. | he average margin of victory for e ranked teams was 15.8 points, ith the only close games Syracuse's -62 victory over Cornell and Wake orest' $83-78$ overtime win against eorge Mason. <br> The four tournaments with the aded fields are: the Maui Invitanal with No. 3 Connecticut, No. 4 ichigan State, No. 9 Gonzaga, No. Arizona and No. 24 Maryland; e Guardians Classic with No. 2 exas, No. 8 Kentucky, No. 14 West irginia and No. 20 lowa; the Preason NIT with No. 1 Duke, No. 12 emphis, No. 15 Alabama and No. UCLA; and the 2 K Sports College oops Classic benefiting Coaches vs. ancer with No. 16 Syracuse and o. 19 Wake Forest. |
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## ¿ Life \& Leisure <br> TUESDAY



## By JEREMY REYNOLDS

Pamela Grundy did not grow up dreaming hoop dreams and fantasiz ing about the Final Four. But her role in women's basketball has now been
inked, published and hit the shelves in August.

## Grundy, along with her free- lance sports writing neigher

 lance sports writing neighbor Susan Shackelford, have penned a book. "Shattering the Glass: The Remark-able History of Women's Basketball," able History of Women's Basketball,' chronicles the history of women's
basketball from the 1890s to the
${ }^{\text {present. }}$ "I think basketball is a wonderful game because it is a democratic game," Grundy said. "Anyone can play it.'
Gru Grundy and Shackelford started terviewed more than 50 people for it, including a few Olympic athletes. The book has stories about how


Attn: American idiots
Green Day live album doesn't disappoint

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 "Bullet in a Bible" is a compila-
tion of new and old hits. It is not

## Lauren

 Henckel anti-American, just anti-war. Livefrom Milton Keynes, England, the concert was recorded ove two nights and in front of 65,000
screaming fans in June 2005. If you screaming fans in June 2005. If you
loved the concert shown on MTV loved the concert shown on MTV
and MTV2 last week, and prove to be the bearer of good taste, this

## set is for you.

Beginning with hits from "American Idiot," such as the band's newest single, "Jesus of Suburbia and the previously release
"Holiday," Billie Joe Armstron leads the crowd through a raucous review.
Crowd participation is intense, and the actual feel of being at live show can be achieved through listening to this well-produced endeavor. Bassist Mike Dirnt and
drummer Tré Cool help to prove that rock-god status has not left this talented trio. No wonder the band picked up the Grammy for Best Rock Album last February. Track 10 proves to be a key
crowd favorite, "King for a Day" crowd favorite, King for a Day,
with "Shout" and Monty Python's
"Always Look on the Bright Sid
of Life." The audience and nergy is enough to make band at home listener get "a little bit louder now." No worries, good-time "Minority" will grace your ears ind ive format as well. Green Day put n a great live show, with plenty of fun and no disappointments. The attached DVD (also availdocumentary for PSP) features a documentary section. The DVD Keynes, England around Milton nuseums and varile visiting war also can feast their two hours of performance on almost wo hours of performance footage,
interviews with the band, fan reac tions and behind-the-scenes of the latest Green Day tour.
Reprise Records releases "Bullet in the Bible" today. The DVD/CD ways Look on the Bright Side

Henckel is one of The DT's Lauren.B.Henckel@ttu.edu.

## Texas recycles <br> for annual euent today

By LINDSAY WHARTON
Feanvars Watrer
People from all over the state are hosting events to encourage recy-
cling, and raise money for various charities and organizations for Texas Recycles Day today. Mary Kelly, a public communica
tion and outreach employee tion and outreach employe
for the Texas Commistal Equality, said the theme of this
recycling day is
"G "Growing Recy-
cling in Texas," cling in Texas,"
with an emphasis on
and compost. She said the
state organization hopes
to encourage people to use compost
piles and to piles and to inspire them to start or
continue a recycling pro "Recycling is oldd it's been. for years," she said, "We try to keep for years, she
the interest."
The succes
The success of these events var-
ies from year to year, she said. Thi year, 170 different groups agreed to organize events.
The Lubbock
organize events.
The Lubbock County Juvenile
Justice Alternative Education Pro-


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ram is the sole Lubbock organization listed as a Recycles Day event Lubbock.
Ricardo Martinez, office supervi-
so at the education program, said $h e$ was startled when he found out many organizations were not involved in Texas Recycles Day.
couldn't believe it," he said.
Martinez said he has Martinez said he has re-
cycled for most of his
life, and it is important cycled for most of his
life, and it is important
for people to be aware of life, and it is important
for people to be aware of
the need to recycle. the need to recycle.
"If you have the "If you have the
right attitude, you can take care of this
place for your great place for your grea
great grandchildren," great gran
he said.
The alternative program
accepting newspapers, shred ded paper, ink cartridges, and tin and aluminum cans. These donations will
be sold by the program to help fund be sold by the program to help fund
the school. The items that cannot be sold are given to the city.
 been a success
"We've got a couple of truckloads already," she said.
The event is The event is entirely run by stueducation school. The students in the program are students who have been expelled from school and are required to do a certain amount of community service. He said the students have done
well, but there only is so much well, but there only
organization can do.


## "I wish mo Martinez said.

Diego Mecias, a freshman civi engineering and architecture major from El Paso, said recycling is impor-
tant for the environment, but it tant for the environment, but it is
difficult to do on a regular basis. difficult to do on a regular basis.
"I don't know where to go or have anything to to recycle," he said. anything to recycle, he said.
Brandon Holly, a sophomore
history and Spanish major from history and Spanish major from
Kingwood, said guilt is what inspires Kingwood, said guilt is what inspires
him to recycle. "I'm a big prop

## ronment," he said.

Holly recycles paper and plastic
bottles at a local recycling center bottles at a local recycling center.
According to Lubbock Solid Waste Management, 2 percent of Lubbock's population, or around
4,000 people based on U.S. Censuis 4,000 people based on U.S. Censuis
population numbers, participate in population numbers, participate
recycling programs in Lubbock. There are three recycling centers in Lubbock. The centers are located at 2002 Elmwood, 208 Municipal
Drive, and $1631844^{\text {W S }}$. The Drive, and $163184^{\text {th }} \mathrm{St}$. . The centers
are open 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday are open 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday
through Friday and 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. through Fr
Saturday.

