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## Perry announces \$8.4 million in TETF funding for renewable energy research



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TEXAS GOVERNOR RICK Perry presents a Texas Emerging Technology Fund (TETF) grant to Texas Tech University at 2 p.m. Monday at the Merket Alumni Center. The grant, which totals \$8.4 million, will be used to develop and research solutions to problems faced by today's wind energy industry.

By TRISTIN WALKER

announced an \$8.4 million on Tech's campus. grant to Texas Tech and the National Institute for Renewable tem Chancellor Kent Hance, state of Texas.

At the conference, Tech Sys-

Energy from the Texas Emerg- Tech President Guy Bailey and ing Technology Fund (TETF) at Governor Rick Perry discussed bring to Texas Tech and the

"The importance of what said. "Texas always powered the in research. nation and, thanks to a new

way on the renewable energy for Renewable Energy, which

plays a highly important role in moving Texas and the rest of to build and operate the first the nation toward energy inde- wind research farm in the U.S., pendence, which he argued is developing prototypes and techessential to the nation's future. nology to try and solve two dif-

power grid set standard that Bailey said. other states can follow in their

energy to the next level in the inability to transmit and store state of Texas, Perry said, and wind energy. the hard work that will be put into that research could send a will not only be a leader in the powerful message to the rest of production of wind energy,"

wind science and engineering state in the country and 90 University. percent of current wind energy production takes place in West to become Tier One," he said.

we are doing today cannot be Texas Tech is not a leader in are certainly headed in the right 2 p.m. Monday in a conference the importance of energy inde- overstated from the standpoint research and development and direction." Texas governor Rick Perry at the Merket Alumni Center pendence and the possibilities of what the future of this counthe award Tech received yester- > tristin.walker@ttu.edu the funds from the TETF will try is going to look like," Perry day will help Tech be a leader

The funds will also go to help

generation of hard workers and Texas Tech, with its partners, visionaries, Texas is leading the establish the National Institute will bring together industry, Perry also said this university government and academia.

They will all partner together "This partnership will help ficult challenges that are faced speed the integration with a by today's wind energy industry,

The two difficult challengpursuit of our success," he said. es are the high cost of wind \*Texas Tech will be able to energy, especially relative to take research in renewable non-renewable sources, and the

"We think as we do this we Bailey said, "but also in research Tech has been a leader in and development as well."

As such research begins to for 40 years, and currently, the take place and external fundonly Ph.D. program in wind sci- ing like the TETF continue to. ence and engineering available come to Tech, Bailey said Tech in the U.S. Texas is the number will see a boost in its pursuit of one wind-energy-producing status as a National Research

"It is a huge boost in our goal "I think it is absolutely in our However, Bailey said that grasp to reach this goal, and we

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## Khmer Rouge jailer faces 19 years for 16,000 dead

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

PHNOM PENH, Cambodia (AP) — A war crimes tribunal sentenced the Khmer Rouge's chief jailer on Monday to a prison term that will see him serve less than half a day for every person killed at the notorious torture center he

commanded.

Survivors expressed anger and disbelief that a key player in the genocide that wiped out a quarter of Cambodia's population could one day walk free — despite being convicted of war crimes and crimes against humanity.

"I can't accept this," sobbed Saodi Ouch, 46, shaking so hard she could hardly talk. "My family died ... my older sister, my older brother. I'm the only one left."

Kaing Guek Eav, known as Duch, was the first major Khmer Rouge figure to face trial more than three decades after the "killing fields" regime tried to turn the country into a vast agrarian society — leading to the deaths of 1.7 million people.

As commander of the top secret Tuol Sleng prison — code-named S-21 — the 67-year-old Duch admitted to overseeing the torture and deaths of as many as 16,000 people.

He was sentenced to 35 years in prison, but will spend only 19 in jail — 11 years were shaved off for time served and another five for illegal detention in a military prison.

"It is just unacceptable to have a man who killed thousands of people serving just 19 years," said Theary Seng, a human rights lawyer, who lost both her parents to the Khmer Rouge and has been working with other victims

to find justice. "It comes down to serving 11½ hours

per life that he took," she said, adding that if prosecutors could get only such a lenient sentence in a case where the defendant ad-

mitted his guilt, they could expect even less in the flatly rejected claims he was acting upcoming trial of four senior Khmer Rouge figures.

The U.N.-backed tribunal is scheduled to try the group's top ideologist, 84-year-old Nuon Chea, its former head of state, Khieu Samphan, 79, and two other top leaders, both in their 80s, early next year. Unlike Duch, they have denied

Several other major figures have died, including the Khmer Rouge leader, Pol Pot, in 1998.

Judges said that in handing down their verdict Monday, they took into consideration the historical context of the atrocities: The 1975-79 regime was the product of the Cold War times.

They also recognized that Duch

— unlike any of the others in detention — was not in the Khmer serving 11.5 hours Rouge's inner circle, had cooperated with the court and shown expressions of remorse, however "lim-

**THEARY SENG** Human rights lawyer

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per life that he

took.

ited." But they on orders from the top or that he was a "cog in the machine" who could not get out.

"In carrying out his functions, he showed a high degree of efficiency and zeal," the judges wrote. "He worked tirelessly to ensure that S-21 ran as efficiently as possible and did so out of unquestioning loyalty to

They said he signed off on all executions and was often present when interrogators used torture to extract confessions, including pulling out prisoners' toenails, administering electric shocks, and waterboarding. Sometimes he even took part.

Duch (pronounced DOIK) revealed little emotion throughout the 77-day trial.

As the court handed down its sentence in a packed courtroom Monday, he stood rigidly and looked into the distance, his eyes occasionally shifting from side to side without making any contact.

"He tricked everybody," said Chum Mey, 79, one of just a few people sent to Tuol Sleng prison who survived. The key witness wiped his eyes. "See ... my tears drop down again. I feel like I was victim during the Khmer Rouge, and now I'm a victim once again."

Like many key players in the Khmer Rouge, Duch was an academic before he became a revolutionary. The former math teacher joined Pol Pot's movement in 1967, three years before the U.S. started carpetbombing Cambodia to try to wipe out Northern Vietnamese troops and Viet Cong inside the border. By 1976, he was the trusted head of its ultimate killing machine, S-21.

## Texas challenges EPA on overturning permit program

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas officials on Monday appealed the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's decision to overturn a 16-year-old state air permitting

Texas Attorney General Greg Abbott filed the petition for reconsideration with the U.S. 5th Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans.

The EPA ruled last month that the state's so-called flexible permit program violated the Clean Air Act, which requires state-issued permits to set limits on each of the dozens of individual production units inside a plant. The state's program set a general limit on how much air pollutants an entire facility can release.

The EPA's decision will force some 125 refineries and petrochemical plants to invest millions of dollars to get new permits. Many plants may also have to invest in updates to comply with federal regulations.

In his appeal, Abbott wrote that the flexible permit program "improves air quality while helping regulators and regulated entities operate more efficiently."

The EPA did not immediately returned a message seeking comment on the appeal.

Gov. Rick Perry praised the appeal in

a statement Monday, saying "the EPA's overreach is as potentially devastating as it is unnecessary."

The EPA's move came after years of bickering and negotiations between the federal agency and Texas. The argument recently escalated from a battle over environmental issues into a heated political dispute over states' rights.

Perry has been using the issue to drive home his contention that President Barack Obama's administration is overreaching.

"This legal action is the next step in our ongoing commitment to fight back against the Obama Administration's ever-widening effort to undermine our air quality initiatives and force a heavyhanded federal agenda on the people of Texas," he said. "The EPA's actions would likely result in significantly higher prices for energy and just about everything else, a frightening prospect during a time so many Americans are struggling to make ends meet.'

State officials have insisted that the state's permitting program complies with the federal law and has improved air

The EPA says Texas' system masks pollution and makes it impossible to regulate emissions and protect public

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## Biologists release endangered turtles into Gulf despite oil

hoping that by the time the babies. tiny critters get as far east as the BP spill the toxic oil will largely be gone.

The U.S Fish and Wildlife Service and the National Park Service decided in June that the critically endangered Kemp's ridley turtles would be released off the Texas coasts as usual, since the impact of the massive oil spill has been minimal in Texas waters. Since then, between 7,000 and 8,000 baby Kemp's have been released.

The Kemp's loggerhead cousins, who mostly nest and hatch in Florida, are being moved to that state's eastern coast to ensure they are not released directly into the oil's

Federal biologists believe that baby turtles, who were released in areas that have not been impacted, would suffer greater harm if they were held in captivity until the slick is cleaned. The decision to release the Kemp's has stirred debate, though, especially among those who fear the turtles' recovery will suffer a major setback due to the spill.

Kemp's ridley turtles have been on the endangered list

Eight years later, Donna Shaver, the National Park Service's resident turtle expert, began her journey to save the species. Along with some 150 volunteers and other staff, she

PADRE ISLAND NATION- patrols Padre Island's beaches, AL SEASHORE (AP) — Hun- collecting the nests, incubatdreds of endangered baby sea ing them and waiting for them turtles embarked on a new to hatch. Once they hatch, life in the Gulf of Mexico on Shaver spends nights moni-Monday with federal biologists toring the silver-dollar-sized

For weeks in the summer, Shaver catches catnaps on a bed in her office, waking every hour to the sound of a timer around her neck so she can check on the turtles and listen for scratching — a sign they have entered the critical "frenzy" stage that signals they need to be immediately released into the water.

Beginning Sunday evening and throughout Monday night, groups of hundreds of turtles scratched for Shaver. Some 1,000 Kemp's were let loose throughout the night.

Volunteers first raked the beaches of the cumbersome, thick seawood covering the sand, making sure the turtles don't expend extra energy plowing through the sticky threads. Others held nets overhead making sure the predatory seagulls couldn't scoop down and make off with a baby. Still more stood in the water with sticks and orange streamers, scaring the gulls away from the water.

'We don't just want to be feeding the birds and fish," Shaver said.

The decision to release the Kemp's was not easy, she said. However, scientists have learned that holding turtles captive at a critical developmental stage can be harmful, messing with their navigation and foraging skills and possibly damaging their chances for longevity.

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## **GROUNDWORK**



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WORKERS LAY NEW asphalt early Monday afternoon at the intersection of 18th Street and Flint Avenue. The roadwork has been in progress since the beginning of the summer.

## Study finds Ohio probation system is fragmented

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Ohio's probation system is too fragmented and the state cycles too many low-risk offenders serving short sentences through the prison system, according to a report released Monday that found the state spent \$189 million in 2008 alone on inmates with an average sentence of just nine

The study says Ohio's numerous probation agencies overlap, aren't coordinated and have different training standards, and that there's no useful information collected statewide that could help improve the probation system. The state spends more than \$130 million annually on programs trying to keep people out of prison with no information on whether the programs actually work, the report found.

The study also says offenders who commit minor drug and property crimes are often supervised for years, while inmates who pose a high risk to public safety are released from prison without supervision.

"Ohio's probation system is a

that do not have consistent policies," the report said.

The analysis also confirms something Ohio officials have known for years: A large number of offenders cycle through prisons with sentences of just a few months, placing a costly burden on an already strapped agency. One reason for this cycling: the minimum sentence for lower level felonies is six months in Ohio, compared to one year in many other states.

"We're essentially running the biggest jail in the state — in the prison system," Ed Latessa, a criminologist at the University of Cincinnati and one of the study's researchers, told The Associated Press.

California is trying to slow the so-called "churning" of inmates by better managing minor parole violators in hopes of reducing the prison population by 6,500. In Texas, parole and probation violators are sent to detention facilities outside the prison system rather than re-imprison

The Ohio study found that four patchwork of independent agencies of every 10 inmates serving short for a 1992 drug trafficking conviction,

sentences have a low risk of re- he was released in 1999 and spent 14 offending. Two of every three committed property crimes or were drug offenders, and have two or fewer prior

"Altogether this means that after the short hit of incapacitation, they're back on the street and likely no better for it," the study found.

About half of the 26,000 inmates admitted annually to Ohio prisons serve sentences under a year, according to the Department of Rehabilitation and Correction. But the cost to process them is the same as a long-term offender: about \$300 for men and about \$800 for women, whose medical screening costs tend to be higher.

"These individuals cost the same amount of money to admit whether they serve a day or serve 100 years," said DRC spokeswoman Julie Wal-

Dan Cahill has spent the majority of his 55 years behind bars in Ohio counting multiple stays in juvenile and adult prisons. After serving time

months on parole. In 2004 he served a straight 18-month prison sentence with no parole for theft and drug possession.

Cahill, now a landscaper in Delaware County in the center of the state, said he far preferred the straight prison time. He said probation is too severe, requiring offenders to report to monitors so often and attend so many meetings that violations — meaning more prison time — are inevitable.

"It's not an alternative for prison, it's a holding pattern for the prison system," Cahill said. "It's geared toward failure."

Many states have a centralized probation system. But in Ohio individual counties create and run their own programs.

"We really don't know how many people are on probation," said Gayle Dittmer, chief probation officer in Franklin County. "Right now there isn't anyplace to go where you can gather statewide



## Obama hopes for no change in fall elections

WASHINGTON (AP) — Presipolicies that led us into the mess or tion around. dent Barack Obama, who rocketed to the policies that are leading out of you can believe in," is now telling vot- Las Vegas. ers they shouldn't change a thing.

His message for the fall elections, who've seen little progress. which are looking ominous for his and the Democrats are starting to fix blame, not his predecessor's. them. So stick with the Democrats and don't go back to the GOP.

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Unemployment is stuck near dou-Democrats, is that Republicans caused ble digits and polls show many voters the nation's economic troubles, but he have decided Obama's policies are to hasn't dropped to the 8 percent level

> by saying that Republicans had their chance to drive, then drove the car into a ditch and shouldn't get the keys back. But voters may be concluding White House and both chambers of very far.

> of view, the people in charge at this point are the people who own the problem," said Andrew Kohut, head of the nonpartisan Pew Research Center.

four months is to turn that perceping itself."

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So he's traveled, from Buffalo, N.Y., the White House promising "change" the mess," Obama said recently in to San Francisco, reminding voters of the mess he faced when he took office: Trouble is, it's a tough sell to voters a shrinking economy, lost jobs, weak markets, an economic crisis becoming international in scope.

Now, even though unemployment the administration once projected, the Obama often frames the argument economy is gradually picking up and adding jobs, the president says. Putting Republicans in power, he contends, would reverse the momentum.

But the White House knows it can't that Democrats, who control the just be about blaming George W. Bush, though the former president's endur-Congress, have had their chance at ing unpopularity helps Obama's case. the wheel, too, and haven't gotten Obama must try to take it a step further and get voters to view Republicans now "From the American public's point running for office as little more than extensions of Bush who would advance the ex-president's same policies.

"This isn't about relitigating history," said Obama senior adviser David Obama's challenge for the next Axelrod. "This is about history repeat-

Will the strategy work in an election year roiling with anti-incumbent sentiment? That's not yet clear, though it hasn't appeared to boost Democrats' standing much so far. Midterm elections typically deal a drubbing to the president's party anyway, and for Democrats it could mean losing control of the House.

Republicans say they intend to keep the focus on Obama's policies, which they cast as deficit-busting, biggovernment boondoggles. "Democrats can attempt to spin it any way they want, but unfortunately for them this election is going to be a referendum on the president and his party's failed economic policies," said Rep. Pete Sessions, R-Texas, chairman of the National Republican Congressional Committee.

But Obama's pickings were slim when it came to campaign themes.

The narrative that worked so well when Obama was a presidential candidate offering himself as a transformational figure who could change Washington is no longer at his disposal. He can hardly claim to have delivered on that promise because he hasn't changed Washington, at least not much, as he's acknowledged.



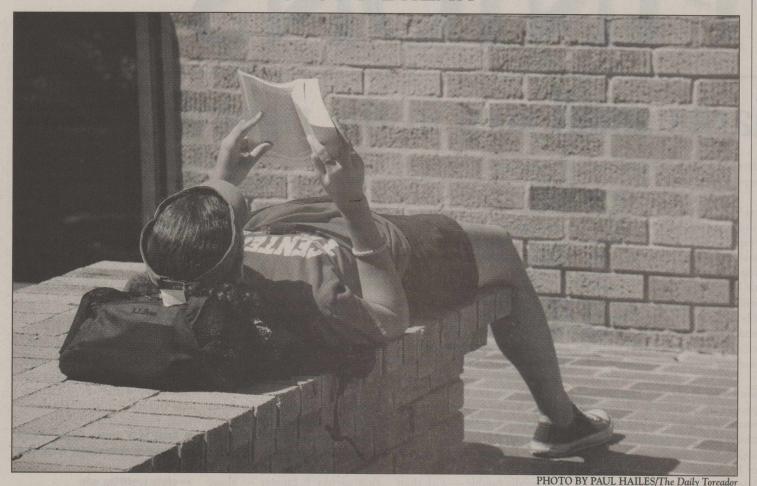


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## STUDY BREAK



Assange on Monday com-

pared the impact of the re-

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He also said his group

"We have built up an

Assange said he believed

"It is our experience that

blower disclosures," he said.

CAROLYN HOCKADAY, A junior sociology major, reads The Complete Sherlock Holmes Series Monday in the Otto Nelson Courtyard in Holden Hall.

## Pentagon scrambles to assess wikileaks damage

WASHINGTON (AP) — have to be tested in court. The monumental leak of clasassess the damage.

The documents are described provide an unvarnished look citing security reasons. at combat in the past six years, including U.S. frustration over forces have made great strides be used as a measure of success publicity about the Afghan reports Pakistan secretly aided in reducing the number of civil- or a determining factor in our files. insurgents and civilian ca- ian deaths in Afghanistan. sualties at the hand of U.S.

ting another 15,000 documents for future release.

ners."

The White House says it leaks. However, White House ministry wrote. spokesman Robert Gibbs said it — to redact information in the tions in Afghanistan. documents that could harm U.S. military personnel.

Wikileaks' decision to withhold cently in building up the Af-15,000 of its files was related.

respond to specifics detailed atmosphere." in the documents, including reports of the Taliban's use of heat-seeking anti-aircraft missiles.

"Just because they are posted on the Internet, doesn't make them unclassified," Lapan

The Pentagon says it is still investigating the source of the documents. The military has detained Bradley Manning, a former Army intelligence analyst in Baghdad, for allegedly transmitting classified information. But the latest documents. could have come from anyone with a secret-level clearance, Lapan said.

WikiLeaks founder Julian Assange promised on Monday that the release of documents — one of the largest unauthorized disclosures in military history — was just the begin-

Assange told reporters in London that he believed that "thousands" of U.S. attacks in Afghanistan could be investigated for evidence of war crimes, although he acknowledged that such claims would

sified Afghan war documents ticular to a deadly missile strike about possible "backlashes" and leased material to the openthreatened Monday to create ordered by Taskforce 373, a unit urged all sides in Afghanistan ing of East Germany's secret new conflict with Pakistan, allegedly charged with hunting to work toward national rec-police files. "This is the whose spy agency was a focus down and killing senior Taliban onciliation. of much of the material, and targets. He said there was also raised questions about Wash- evidence of cover-ups when of the House Armed Services ington's own ability to protect civilians were killed, including Committee, said the documents had many more documents military secrets. The White what he called a suspiciously reflect his view that U.S. war on other subjects, including House called the disclosures high number of casualties that strategy was adrift last year, be-files on countries from across "alarming" and scrambled to U.S. forces attributed to rico- fore President Barack Obama's the globe. chet wounds.

as battlefield reports compiled declined to respond to specifics U.S. forces. by various military units that contained in the documents,

White House national secu-

Col. Dave Lapan, a Defense Haqqani said the documents releasing classified information Department spokesman, said "do not reflect the current on- earlier this month. the military would probably ground realities." Islamabad's age to the lives of our service the ISI, against allegations it org. members and coalition part- has supported insurgent net-

"The people of Pakistan didn't try to stop news organiza- and its security forces, includtions who had access to secret ing the ISI, have rendered U.S. military documents from enormous sacrifices against publishing reports about the militancy and terrorism," the

NATO refused to comment did ask WikiLeaks - through on the leak, but individual reporters who were given ad- nations said they hoped it vanced copies of the documents wouldn't harm current opera-

British Foreign Secretary William Hague said there has It was not clear whether been significant progress reghan state "so I hope any such The Pentagon declined to leaks will not poison that

German Foreign Minister Assange pointed in par- Guido Westerwelle warned

Rep. Ike Skelton, chairman Stasi archives," he said. decision to retool the war plan The Defense Department and add tens of thousands of enormous backlog of whistle-

Skelton, D-Mo., warned Monday that the documents more whistle-blowing mate-But Lapan said that coalition are outdated and "should not rial will flood in after the continued mission there."

U.S. government agen- courage is contagious," he rity adviser Gen. Jim Jones said cies have been bracing for said. WikiLeaks.org, a self-de- the release of the documents the deluge of classified docuscribed whistleblower organi- "put the lives of Americans ments since the leak of helization, posted 76,000 of the and our partners at risk," while copter cockpit video of a 2007 reports to its website Sunday Pakistan dismissed the docu- fire fight in Baghdad. That night. The group said it is vet- ments as malicious and unsub- was blamed on Manning, the 22-year-old Army intelligence Pakistan Ambassador Husain analyst who was charged with

Manning had bragged online need "days, if not weeks" to ministry of foreign affairs issued that he downloaded 260,000 review all the documents and a similar statement, defending classified U.S. cables and transdetermine "the potential dam- Pakistan's intelligence agency, mitted them to WikiLeaks.

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## BP's Hayward to leave as CEO, Russia job in works

Hayward, who became the face of BP's flailing efforts to contain the massive Gulf oil spill, will step down as chief executive in October and be offered a job with the company's joint venture in Russia, a person familiar with the matter said Monday.

The person spoke on condition of anonymity because an official announcement had not been made by the British company's board, which was meeting Monday in London to decide Hayward's fate.

It's not yet clear what Hayward's role will be with TNK-BP. BP owns half of the oil firm, which is Russia's

It was once run by American Bob Dudley, now the odds-on favorite to replace Hayward as BP CEO. After Hayward made a series of missteps, including telling reporters he wanted his life back as Gulf residents struggled to deal with the spill, Dudley took over as BP's point man in dealing with it.

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Tony He was in London Monday with other board members.

Hayward was called back to London a month ago after a bruising encounter with a Congressional committee and has since kept a low profile.

"We're getting to the end of the situation," said David Battersby at Redmayne Bentley Stockbrokers. "To draw a line under it, they need a new chief executive."

In New York, BP shares rose almost 5 percent Monday as the stock market anticipated a formal announcement about Hayward. Shares of BP PLC rose \$1.82, or 4.9 percent, to \$38.68 in midday trading in New York. BP shares closed up 4.6 percent Monday at 416.95 pence in London.

The BP board would have to approve a change in company leadership, and there is persistent speculation that chairman Karl-Henric Svanberg, who moved into the post on Jan. 1, is also likely to lose his job later this year.

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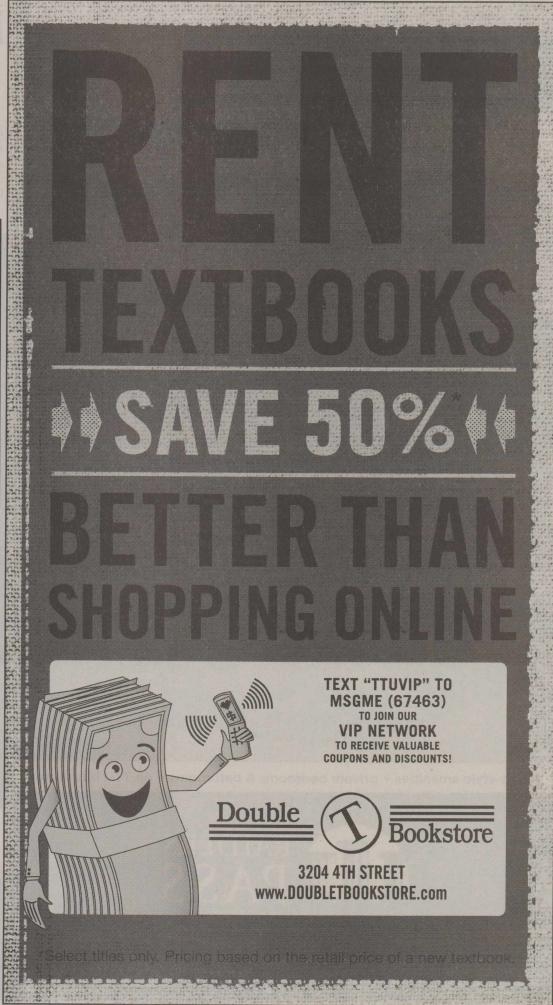
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# PINIONS

## Dodd-Frank Act marks small step in the right direction

By CHRIS LEAL

Last week President Obama signed yet another landmark bill, the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act, into law. The bill's passage into law is supposed to represent the solution to the problems of Wall Street which helped directly cause the current financial

Instead, however, the bill may prove to be much less gamechanging to the Wall Street culture of speculation than one would have hoped, and could prove to be a poor use of precious political capital.

Publicly, before the bill's signing, the general trend was for the financial industry and conservamouth the bill saying it was too harsh on the banks, a seemingly standard operating procedure:

But after it was signed into law last Wednesday, there have been a number of Wall Street traders, hedge fund managers, and business media commentators beginning to talk about how the bill was too watered-down and doesn't do enough to regulate the industry in a way as to prevent the causes of the current crisis from happening again.

Whether these people are just able to speak more freely now that negotiations of the bill have ended or they're just intending to be politically contrarian to Obama is debatable, but the truth is that there seems to be a generational

tive news media in tandem to bad- divide on Wall Street as to the type of needed regulations.

There are a number of legends on Wall Street, such as John Bogle and George Soros (81 and 79, respectively), who feel passionately that the current set of new regulations is simply not enough to keep Wall Street in check; while young-comers such as Lloyd Blankfein and Jamie Dimon (55 and 54, respectively) are more content with the current culture and regulatory framework.

This older generation, represented by Bogle and Soros, was present for an era of banking that was created in response to the culture of financial speculation of the 1920's and the subsequent crash of 1929. From the mid 30's to the late 60's banking was regulated

into a sort of public utility. It was own money. It just shouldn't be stable, low-risk and governmentinsured.

Banks focused on taking deposits and making loans, while high-risk investment and security trading were restricted to separate institutions.

Beginning in the 1970s, and escalating into the '80s and '90s, these regulations that kept the financial industry stable for decades were increasingly removed in order to make way for speculative gambles and high-risk returns on public deposits that would be paid for by the government (i.e. the taxpayer) in the event these gambles turned out badly.

Now, I'm not saying people shouldn't be allowed to speculate — or legally gamble — with their

allowed with public deposits that are government-insured; that's called socializing the loss and privatizing the profit. This is what the Glass-Stegall act prevented from its enactment in 1933 until its final repeal in 1999; and it's what the "Volker Rule" (named after ex fed chairman Paul Volker, 82) would have done, though it's been watered down into a mere nuisance for banks to bypass, instead of actually preventing them from any proprietary trading.

In short, the Dodd-Frank bill is not completely devoid of positive outcomes. It makes good efforts at beginning to reign-in and monitor derivative transactions, and the consumer protection agency it creates — along with new powers granted to the Federal Reserve — I believe are a step in the right direction.

But this bill is like having your arm cut off and attempting to put a band-aid over it. It falls short of the deeper directional change necessary to bring about lasting stability - similar to what we received after the Great Depression. We should be more mindful of the perspectives that these veterans such as Volker, Soros and Bogle bring to the table, as they are first-hand witnesses of a financial industry culture which no longer exists.

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## Changes to Tech football program likely have a learning curve

By THOMAS LOTT

of Barack Obama. Whether you see that as a compliment or an insult is up to you, but the similarities are undeniable.

Tuberville has come to Tech under some of the roughest circumstances any coach has ever faced.

As you all know, Mike Leach was fired only one year after having Tech on the brink of a BCS bowl game, and he was poised to make a run at it again with some teams taking big losses in

was being carted around like he was a Triple Crown-winning horse who will never be seen again in Lubbock. He could not even live up to. made multiple appearances at Tech sporting events, including throwing out the men told us change was on the horithe first pitch at a baseball game. Sadly, zon. Barack's rally cry was for our health this is the first similarity to Obama — care, energy and economic problems. but I did hear he actually knew how to Tommy Tuberville was going to attack

throw a baseball, unlike Obama.

He kept making appearances at Tommy Tuberville is Tech's version luncheons and showing up on billboards, becoming an instant celebrity in this city. Obama was very similar after he won the election, making appearances at the 2009 Major League Baseball all-star game, attending the 2010 National Football League Super Bowl, and talking with Oprah for the whole nation to see.

These appearances the men made created a certain accessibility which the men's predecessors may have lost in their last few years, at least in the media's When Tuberville came to Tech, he opinion. But it also created expectations that a president like George Washington or a coach like Vince Lombardi

our speed, defense and lack of national that he promised too much. There was year in and year out. I would love to championships.

Tuberville changed the way Tech recruited. You could see this in the couple of months he had to recruit before the signing day. He signed players who allegedly ran 4.3 forties and put an emphasis care system the best for everyone only on speed rather than size.

philosophy entirely, moving from a 4-3 defense to a 3-4. Many people who watch professional football jumped for joy at this possibility, considering the fact that some of the best defenses in the league — such as the Baltimore situations. He has promised a brand

Tuberville will need to excel in the short run for the people who were here when Tech went 11-2.

no way he could deliver everything he promised. He promised to get us out of the recession, only to see the unemployment rate actually go up.

He promised to make our health to see many of his senators on the ropes He also changed the defensive for the upcoming election because they supported the highly controversial bill. He is clearly seeing the repercussions of these failures in his plummeting approval rating.

Tuberville could face these same Big 12-lite. Hopefully it is good talk, But they encouraged this. Each of too soon will hurt you in the short run. next couple of years simply because we do not have the personnel for it.

What Barack Obama learned was competing for Big 12 championships we are making.

see this, but the fact is that anytime you change as much as Tech football has, a learning process will be inevitable.

He opened up a can of worms when he said Tech would soon be in contention for a national title. The dangerous thing is people are listening. Casey Cowan of Double T 104.3 predicted Tech to go 10-2 this year.

I would love to see this — do not get me wrong — but the truth of the matter is that Tech was picked by the Big 12 media to finish fourth in the Big Ravens and Pittsburg Steelers — use a new defense that will be the talk of the of Nebraska and Colorado). It is sad to and it is painful. say that no team who has finished fourth to discover is that too many changes trouble with the new 3-4 defense in the than nine games in a season while averaging just under seven since 2002.

> This is also assuming that Tech will He said he is going to put Tech in finish fourth in respect to the former Big the national title picture and have us 12 South teams with all of the changes

No one at Texas Tech would like to see us win a national championship as much as I would. I have gone to nearly every single home game Tech has played since I have come here, I have barely missed a spring practice over the last two years, I can tell you each and every recruit we have signed since 2006 and I wear a shirt in support of Taylor Potts at football games. Yes, the shirt says "Pott-Heads."

But I really do not want our fans to get their hopes up. Being an Astros fan, I know the pain of a team going through 12 South (this was before the departure a learning process or a rebuilding year,

I could honestly see us going through But what Tommy Tuberville is going because I can easily see us getting into in the Big 12 South has ever won more one next year. I just hope people stay supportive of the team even if we do not show immediate progress over these next few years.

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## Marriage laws should change with times

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Argentina became the first country in Latin America to legalize marriages between two people of the same sex July 15, joining the ranks of only have done the same.

Why can't the U.S. be a part of

Today's

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By VINCENT DEFRANCESCO that select club that offers equal mar- all, won't allowing homosexuals to riage rights to all people? As one of wed undermine the sanctity of the the world's most progressive nations, America should be at the forefront of human rights. While there are significant cultural, legislative and religious barriers to equal marriage a handful of nations worldwide that rights, what happened in Argentina in 2004. can and should happen here.

institution of marriage? No, not really. Massachusetts, bastion of sin and home to the liberal elite, actually has the lowest divorce rate in the nation. Massachusetts legalized gay marriage

Consider, however, the states But the fight will be difficult. After where divorce rates rose during the same period. Of the 19 states that experienced increases in divorce, 15 have amended their state constitutions to ban gay marriage. So much for the sanctity of marriage. Isn't there a saying about rocks and glass houses?

Some might say that homosexuality is immoral. However, that is a personal belief and should stay that way. The fact that many states codified discriminatory bans in their laws and constitutions is concerning.

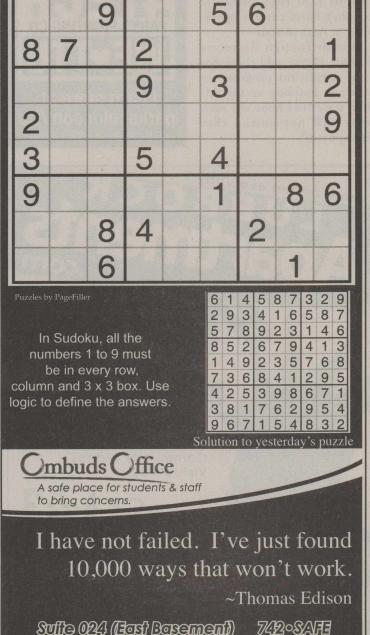
In 1998, Alaska instituted the first constitutional amendment against gay marriage, and many other states have followed suit. It can't be that there were no homosexuals in the U.S. before then. Those amendments were seemingly geared to discourage the natural flow of civil rights.

Resistance against gay marriage rights exists in Argentina. Before last week's historic vote, the Catholic church and evangelical groups coordinated a concerted campaign against legalization and brought 60,000 marchers to bear on the Argentine Congress, according to the Associated Press. Yet, that opposition was overcome via the democratic process.

What happened there can happen here. In 2003, a Pew poll found that 59 percent of Americans opposed gay marriage, nearly double the 32 percent that supported it. Yet in April 2009, only five years later, an ABC/Washington Post poll found support of gay marriage exceeding its opposition for the first time — 49 percent to 46 percent.

This tremendous upswing in support for gay rights indicates an open-mindedness that didn't exist even a few years ago. Indeed, five states now allow same-sex marriage, and eight others allow civil unions.

Similar civil rights' struggles took time and caused much social conflict. Expect the fight for gay marriage rights in America to be no different, but expect it to succeed.



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## Tuberville to make first Big 12 Media Days appearance

By JON ARNOLD

A day after Big 12 Media Days opened Texas Tech and coach Tommy Tuberville will take their turn under the media microscope.

Tech is scheduled to meet with various radio shows and national television outlets between 8:30 a.m. and 10:50 a.m. before coach Tuberville addresses print reporters in a press conference at 11:15

Joining Tuberville in Irving will be defensive lineman Colby

with the process since he attended last year.

The two other players scheduled to be in Irving are quarterbacks Taylor Potts and Steven Sheffield. The decision to bring both quarterbacks is a shrewd move from Tuberville, who continues to avoid tipping his hand as to which quarterback will earn the starting job.

Much of the attention this morning is sure to focus on Tuberville himself. This is his first appearance at an official Big 12

Whitlock, who should be familiar Conference event, and the new coach already has made a splash. He was reprimanded earlier this month for comments expressing skepticism about the conference's future during a radio interview.

> Another question on the media's mind is how Tech's offense will function. At Auburn Tuberville was known for having a defensefirst mentality and running the ball frequently. Former coach Mike Leach's coaching strategy is almost the complete opposite.

Still, Tuberville hired on Neil

Brown as offensive coordinator, the SEC, and while he is a rookie to from Bill Hancock, the BCS Execuand Brown will bring a fast-paced offense to Lubbock. Brown's offense at Troy last year trailed only three and Kansas coach Turner Gill are teams, one of them Tech, in passing yardage last year. Since being named Tech's coach, Tuberville has insisted that while he will shift the Red Raiders' defensive strategy he plans on leaving the offense largely unchanged.

One thing that won't be questioned today is Tuberville's pedigree. The former National Coach of the Year coached for a decade in

the Big 12 he is certainly no rookie at managing the press. Tuberville the two coaches coaching their first Big 12 season.

Nebraska, Baylor, Iowa State and Texas A&M were part of the first day of the event, and Tech will share the stage with Missouri, Oklahoma State and Kansas State today before the rest of the conference concludes media days Wednesday.

There will also be presentations >>> jon.arnold@ttu.edu.

tive Director, Walt Anderson, the Coordinator of Football Officials and Big 12 Commissioner Dan Beebe this afternoon.

Fans can watch a live stream of Tuberville's remarks and the rest of the press conferences on the conference website www. big12sports.com.

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## Nebraska head coach Bo Pelini is first to speak at Big 12 Media Days

**By JON ARNOLD** 

IRVING — Most Big 12 Media Days come and go without too much fanfare. But this year, after an offseason during the demise of the conference seemed imminent, the first day of the event in Irving was expected to resemble a forced family reunion of sorts. In reality, there were a few tense moments and plenty of forced smiles, but for the most part it was business as usual.

The first coach to face the print media contingent was Bo Pelini, whose Nebraska squad is bound for the Big Ten after this season. Pelini made clear before taking questions from reporters that he would not be addressing anything relating to the school's move to the Big Ten. Still, the issue invariably came up.

"We really haven't talked much about it," Pelini said of the school's conference switch. "We're looking forward to the fall, and we've been doing our homework on the opponents."

The Huskers nearly took the Big 12 Championship last year, losing the game on a last-second field goal by Texas. The field goal was attempted after a controversial review added time back on the game clock after an incompletion. Nebraska's motto this offseason has been the word "finish."

Next was Baylor's Art Briles. Baylor played a far less significant role in the realignment madness, much to the chagrin of the Bears' fans and apparently Texas lawmakers. They were one of the schools that reportedly would be left out of any sort of conference switch. This added to an offseason during which Briles was a top candidate for the coaching job at Texas Tech vacated after the firing of Mike

Briles seemed to channel Leach, who was notorious for his quirky press conferences, when he spent time asking reporters and offering different hypotheses about the spelling of the word successes after he used the word in one of

He expressed optimism for his team, which will return star quarand ready as he needs to be. Griftention to other great players on award.

During his time on the dias last year Paul Rhoads was very open about Iowa State's need to improve after coming off a 2-win season the year before. This year, after a 7-6 season Rhoads said his team would be better than last year's incarnation. That might be true, but they'll face a much tougher schedule than they did last year with Texas Tech coming to Ames and trips to Norman and Austin on back-to-back weeks.

"We'll be an improved football team in 2010, and we'll need to be," he said. "We face a very challenging schedule that some rate as the toughest in the country."

Rounding out the day was Texas A&M and Mike Sherman. terback Robert Griffin. Griffin A&M has high hopes that this lost the vast majority of last season year will be their best season in to a right knee injury. Briles said recent memory. Quarterback Jerhe believes Griffin is as healthy rod Johnson is the confrence's pre-season offensive player of the fin was absent from today's event, year and Linebacker Von Miller, and Briles said he left Griffin at who led the country in sacks last home in order to bring more at- season, took the co-defensive

about his desire to take the program to the heights it saw in the mid-'80's and '90s and said this season is about taking that next

"I think we're getting closer to that point, that vision that I had when I took the job," Sherman said. "This season for us is about taking that next step, and the next step for us

Coach Mike Sherman spoke is to be in games in the fourth quarter with two minutes left where you're in position to win the football game."

> Missouri, Oklahoma State, Kansas State and Texas Tech will be the four teams featured today.

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## Armstrong comments on 2010 Tour de France, doping allegations

Lance Armstrong could never leave well enough alone.

For all his other outsized traits, that restlessness still defines him. It propelled Armstrong to revolutionize a sport, become its greatest champion and a hero to cancer survivors worldwide. That same impulse is what drove him to get back on his bike barely two years ago and risk it all.

Back then, Armstrong was retired with his legacy largely intact, still every bit as powerful and public a figure as he desired. He dated starlets, swapped text messages with Bono, testified before lawmakers and linked arms with Bill Clinton to announce an ambitious global initiative to combat the disease that nearly killed him almost 15 years earlier.

Yet this Sunday saw Armstrong shuffled off to the background at the Tour de France, standing quietly off to one side as the yellow jersey he wore seven years in a row was stretched across the slim shoulders of 27-year-old Spaniard Alberto Contador.

Seeing his one-time teammate and rival atop the podium for the second straight year, and third in the last four, certainly hurt. Armstrong finished third to Contador in 2009, in his first comeback ride after a layoff that stretched back to 2005.

plagued by cobblestones and flat no longer a factor even before the midway point of the race. He eventually faded to 23rd, almost 40 minutes behind the winner.

The consolation, noble as it seemed to the rest of us looking on, is that Armstrong, scraped up and sore as any 38-year-old could ever be, didn't quit.

But being an also-ran was never good enough for Armstrong before. And the sting of this defeat could linger even longer because of a federal investigation launched earlier this year following accusations of doping by Floyd Landis, another former teammate, that one or more of Armstrong's seven tour titles were achieved by doping.

"In 10 years, when I look back on the 2010 Tour, it won't be the memory that I have," Armstrong said earlier Sunday, before the final stage run-in to Paris.

"Obviously, I won't have a yellow jersey to remember — I'll remember the team, digging deep to win the team (competition) .... I'll remember having my son here for a week at the Tour. I'll remember the bad luck, certainly, the crashes.'

"But that," Armstrong added, referring to Landis' allegations against him and others, "won't be

This time around, he was the thing that I'll take away."

Armstrong has never shied tires, caught up in crashes and away from attention. He's perhaps the most frequently tested athlete on the planet and has never come court case he's fought since, and

> he learned early on that wouldn't be enough to keep suspicion at bay.

back dirty. But

Late in the first of his seven straight wins, in 1999, Armstrong was found to be using a corticosteroid in a cream for saddle sores, he maintained - and for which he produced a pre-

scription. But Armstrong, as he has every time since, couldn't resist the chance to fire back.

"They say stress causes cancer. So if you want to avoid cancer, don't come to the Tour de France and wear the yellow jersey," he to be as tireless and relentless a said at the time. "It's too much crusader for cancer research as he

He never let his guard down after that.

Whether as plaintiff or defendant, Armstrong has won every

hard against attempts to It's not going to nail him by French antistop me from doping aurunning my thorities, several damaging foundation. It books and even queswon't stop me from tions about some of his being a good father associates notably Italto my kids. It won't ian doctor Michele Ferrari, stop me from doing whom he quietly dropped whatever I want to soon after. As a re-

### **LANCE ARMSTRONG**

do with my life.

Founding Chairman Lance Armstrong Foundation even as he struggled to stay in the race, have put both that record and his legacy in jeopardy. Even Armstrong acknowledged

Yet the ongoing investigation,

trumpeted across the headlines

"Legacies won't ever be written the same now, like they were before — in this era of 24-7 news and media, and blogs and speculation and the constant need for attention from the media,"

But Armstrong was certain about this much: "If Frank Sinatra lived today, he'd have a much more difficult time being Frank Sinatra."

Whether that applies to being Lance Armstrong, only time

But he was already a worldclass triathlete at 15, even before cancer and arguably the toughest training regimen ever transformed him into something as close to a machine as humanly

During his run, Armstrong also boasted the most money, best team, support staff and state-ofthe-art equipment. He might jet down to train on the moonscapes of Tenerife, up to the tip of L'Alpe d'Huez, or rent a wind tunnel to find out if the material on the back of his jersey bunched up too much — ridges mean more resistance to wind. Those innovations changed cycling forever.

"It was a very traditional sport, very old school, almost relaxed,'

We just wiped it all clean and said, 'We're going to analyze every little thing - if it's the composition of a team, if it's a diet, if it's reconn-ing the courses, if it's the tactics, if it's radios, whatever it is - we sort of led the push there."

Yet when Armstrong walked away the first time, in 2005, he was determined not to let even those accomplishments - and the controversies that blew up in the wake of all that winning — to define him. He's just as determined now.

"There are several camps here: there's one of 'he didn't do anything'; there's one where 'he did everything'; and there's another camp that, 'he may have done something, but everybody else did something, so I'm OK

"That's totally fine, I have no problem with that. I gave up fighting that a long time ago," Armstrong said.

"It's not going to stop me from running my foundation. It won't stop me from being a good father to my kids. It won't stop me from doing whatever I want to do with

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## Hamilton, Hunter lead Rangers over Angels

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ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) got a boost earlier in the day three runs, Tommy Hunter pitched into the seventh inning to remain unbeaten and the Texas Rangers edged the Los Angeles Angels 6-4 on Sunday night.

three of four in the series to build a seven-game lead over

- Josh Hamilton drove in when they acquired righthander Dan Haren in a trade with the Arizona Diamond-

tested in the court of public

opinion, too. It didn't hurt, of

course, that Armstrong proved

Hunter allowed three runs and three hits over 6 1-3 innings to become the first Rang-AL West-leading Texas won ers pitcher to win his first eight decisions in a season. The right-hander is the second the second-place Angels, who player to accomplish the feat ed "Beat L.A., beat L.A." in

this season, joining Carlos Silva of the Chicago Cubs. Hideki Matsui chased Hunt-

er with a two-run homer and Alberto Callaspo's run-scoring groundout cut it to 6-4 in the ninth but Neftali Feliz got Howie Kendrick and Juan Rivera to ground out to complete his AL-best 28th save.

The crowd of 38,320 chant-

the ninth as Texas bounced back from Saturday night's 6-2 loss and improved to 34-20 at Rangers Ballpark.

Torii Hunter also went deep for the Angels, who fell to 3-6 against Texas this season and have lost five of seven overall. Los Angeles has 10 games left against the Rangers, including three this weekend in Southern

## Cowboys' Bryant will catch passes, not carry pads

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camp to catch passes, not carry somebody else's shoulder pads after practice.

When receiver Roy Williams after practice. handed his pads to Bryant on

draft pick last April didn't carry them. Veteran players traditionally hand their pads to a rookie

"I feel like I was drafted to play

Dallas Cowboys rookie receiver session in pads, the rookie who pads," Bryant said. "If I was a free Lions in 2004. Dez Bryant said he is in training was the Cowboys' first-round agent, it would still be the same "No matter if you're a No. 1

> to go through such rituals during their first season. He said he car-

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Sunday after the team's first camp football, not carry another player's he was a rookie for the Detroit

pick or the 7,000th pick, you've Williams said every rookie has still got to do something when vou're a rookie," Williams said.

When Bill Parcells was still ried pads and paid for meals when with the Cowboys, the team's top pick was responsible for taking water to the coach during breaks at training camp. Current coach Wade Phillips doesn't have such a requirement.

While there are some who believe Bryant could challenge Williams for the starting job opposite Pro Bowl receiver Miles Austin, there have been no apparent issues

between the receivers. After camp opened Saturday with a practice without pads, Williams called Bryant a great player and said he was glad Dallas

drafted him. "Controversy is what everybody loves, try to pin him against me, me against him, and it's not going to work," Williams said Saturday.

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