## Ethical questions raised about local stations

TWO STATIONS, ONE VOICE? KAMC-TV, KLBK-TV operate in same newsroom, produce separate newscasts, act as competition in Lubbock market.
By Britany Barrientos and Bryan Wendell/
The University Daly and Robin Briscoel Inceement with KAMC through Mission Broadcasting


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Tech officials work 'FINAL'LY FINISHED to create unified $\log 0$

By Meghann Loral
The University Dail
The public image of Texas Tech is affected by visual communicatio with internal and external audiences. Tech officials are aiming to create a cation by changing the guidelines regarding logos for the academic entities on campus. Lynn Denton, vire school would be able to customize for communications vice chancellor the logo by adding the college name. said under the current marketing, to the shield. Paige Holland, the guidelines, each college,
school and department
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the university is allowed the university is allowed
to have its own logo. She said the university would no longer allow individual logos to be used. using one going to start ..academic logo," she ...academic logo, she using those individual logos all campus."
The new guidelines will offer consistency in all academic aspects of the university through a new logo,
which incorporates the universit which incorporates the university
seal and shield.
The university seal was handdrawn in 1923, Denton said. Graphic designers updated the seal to create 21 st century look. The seal will is controlled by the athletic departbe used on official communication campus can be used by the rest o from academic offices including the

BOOKSTORE BARTER


ICTORIA MCDEVITT, A senior political sciencerne Uniersity Daily VICTORIA MCDEVITT, A senior political science major from Plano, returns her textbooks to Casey Lamar, a sophomore exercise and sport
sciences major from Decatur, at the Double T Bookstore on 4th Street Monday afternoon.


JOE BLOODW
England pleads guilty to inmate abuses at Abu Ghraib


#### Abstract

The charges carry up to 11 befe the start of her trial. defense reached an agreement for a lesser sentence prosecutors and the FORT HOOD (AP) — Pfc. Lynndie England, the young woman  pictured grinning and giving a thumbs-up in some of the most notoriou photos to come out of the Abu Ghraib scandal, pleaded guily Monda mistreating prisoners, saying she let her comrades talk her into goin along with the abuse. Wearing her dress green Army uniform and speaking somberly in a soft voice, the 22 -year-old Army reservist told the judge she initially resisted aking part in the abuse at the Baghdad prison, but ultimately caved in "I had a choice, but I chose to do what my friends wanted me" se


U.S. prosecutor: migrant traffickers enslaving undocumented workers

By Mark Stevenson/Associated Press where he is looking to increase cooperation with there for months as concubines.
MEXICO CITY (AP) - Migrant traffickers are $\begin{gathered}\text { Mexican officials in prosecuting such cases. } \\ \text { The } 16,000 \text { figure represents enslaved migrants }\end{gathered}$ "The four were held as slaves to serve as concuMEXCO CITY(AP) - Migrant traftickers are The 16,000 figure represents enslaved migrants bines for the alien smugglers, to cook, clean, and
using the increasingly large flow of undocumented from all over the world, but "a very large percent- then at night be raped by the alien smugglers,"
migrants into the United Stares to selectively en. slave some of those workers, offen as prostitutes or age of those are Mexicans, DeBaca said. field hands, a U.S. Justice Department anti-slavery • "can ripen into a slavery situarion" prosecutor said Monday. "There's such a large movement of people prosecutor said Monday.
Traffickers' "safe houses" - homes where "There's such a large movement of people
north, that it's easy to move people within that migrants are held pending payment of smugglers' stream to enslave them as well," he said. "You fees - not only are becoming more common in can slip people into the migrant stream, fully U.S. border states, but also now sometimes involve intending to enslave them, (though) they might
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The prolonged captivity is contributing to more than 16,000 estimated cases of slavery in the police raided a group of trailers in Texas used as
United States each year, Justice Department at- safe-houses by mirnant more than 16,000 estimated cases of slavery in the police raided a group of trailers in Texas used as Justice Department's human rights division, said
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safe-houses by migrant traffickers. They found four cooperation with victims and Mexican prosecu-
torney Lou DeBaca told reporters in Mexico City, Mexican women who had been forced to serve tors is key.

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Texan among those Jilted groom still South Korea, Japan arrested in kidnapping wants to marry bride play down weapons

VICKSBURG, Miss. (AP) - A
man and a woman were arrested man and a woman were arrested
Monday in South Carolina on chargMonday in South Carolina on charges they abducted
at knifepoint. Warren County Sheriff Martin
Pace said the tens, Pace said the teens, a 1 -year-old
girl and a 17 -year-old boy, identified themselves to authorities after a car wreck in Laurens, S.C., early Monday.
Pace sa Pace said the two were being treated at a South Carolina hospital
but were expected to be released. Pace but were expected to be released.
declined to identify the teens. Arrested by South Carolina stat police and charged with Sunday's al-
leged kidnapping were Ronald Wayne leged kidnapping were Ronald Wayne,
Suugart,, , of Coolidge, Texas, and
N Norma Lisa Thiem, 40, of Florence,
S.C, he sheriff said. Coolidge is S.C., the sheriff said. Coollidge
about 75 miles south of Dallas. about 75 miles south of Dallas.
Offcials at the Laurens County,
S. S.C., Jail said Shugart was being
treated in the emergency room at the Laurens County Hospital.
Shugart was listed in stable condiShugart was listed in stable condi-
tion in the emergency room, but the spokesman had no information on
whether Thiem required treatment whether Thie
at a hospital.

DULUTH, Ga. (AP) - The jilted groom whose bride-to-be ran away four days before their wedding
still wants to marry Jennifer Wilstill wants to marry Jennifer Wil-
banks, saying, "Haven't we all made banks, saying, "Haven't we all made
mistakes!" "Just be
ust because we haven't walked down the aisle, just because we
haven't stood in front of 500 people and said our I Do's, my commitment before God to her was the day 1 bought that ring and put it on her
finger, and I'm not backing down finger, and I'm not backing down
from that," John Mason said Monday in an interview with Fox News' Hannity \& Colmes show.
It was Mason's first public statement since he learned on the morning of his scheduled wedding day that his fiancee had gotten cold feet.
As her family and friends feared As her family and friends feared
the worst, police say Wilbanks cut he worst, police say Wilbanks cut Las Vegas to back out of a lavish, 600 guest wedding planned for Saturday. She then went on to Albuquerque, N.M., where she eventually called
Mason and police from a pay phone at a 7 -Eleven, saying she had been was a case of cold feet.

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) South Korea and other Asian govern-
ments on Monday played down the significance of North Korea's latest missile test, saying it involved a shortrange weapon unable to reach as far range weapon wand
as
Japan and with no link to the communist North's nuclear program. North Korea apparently testfired a missile into the Sea of Japan Sunday, raising new concerns about
its nuclear intentions just days after a U.S. intelligence official said the secretive state had the ability to arm a missile with a nuclear warhead. The missile that North Korea recently fred is a short-range missile
and is far from the one that can carty a nuclear weapon," Deputy Foreign Minister Song Min-soon said in an interview with South Korea's Yonhap news agency. "This isn't a case to be linked to the nuclear dispute." envoy to tho is South Korea's top commented nuclear dispute, also commented on reports that Wash-
ington warned allies that North Korea might be ready to conduct an Korea might be ready to conduct an
underground nuclear test as early as June, with Song saying South Korea had received no such warning.

Last of three African elephants
from Chicago zoo dies after move CHICAGO (AP) - The last of harsh winters could be harmful to A veterinarian and two elephant
three African elephants brought to the elephants. The animals, how- keepers accompanied Wankie on three African elephants brought to the elephants. The animals, how- keepers accompanied Wankie on
Lincoln Park Zoo in 2003 - over ever, were kept in heated struc- the 1,400 -mile journey from Chicathe objections of animal activists -died shortly following her transfer to a Utah zoo, officials said.
Wankie the en Wankie the elephant's health
deteriorated en route to Hogle deteriorated en route to Hogle
Zoo in Salt Lake City, and officials Zoo in Salt Lake City, and officials
there were forced to euthanized the 36 -year-old animal on Sunday. The cause of death was not immediately known, but zoo officials were investigating.
"WVe woul "We wouldn't expect an elephant this age to die," Lincoln Park Zoo
spokeswoman Kelly McGrath said spokeswoman Kelly McGrath said.
"If we did, we might have looked at alternatives to moving her. We at alternatives to moving her. We
moved her because it's not good to let these animals live alone." Wankie was one of three female elephants acquired by Lincoln Park Zoo from San Diego in 2003. At the time, activists with the of Animals argued that Chicago's us all.

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Dead day time time to kick back, study

By Travis Cram/ The University Daily exercise and sports sciences major from

The Woodlands, said she plans to attend Today marks the end of the 2005 spring semester, and individual study
day allows students to rest before finals day allo
week.

Students at Texas Tech will have the next couple of nights to get their thoughts and notes together before taking finals.
Huntingdon College in Montgomery, Ala, deffnes dead day as a day set aside
between the end of classes in the spring term and the beginning of final exams term and the beginning of final exams complete end-ofterm projects.
need to keep dead days.
"We should defnit
"We should defnitely not do away wastes their dead days "Not everybody cull "eal "ay. Some people actually use them."
Dead days, students said, not only give time for students to rest their minds steam before finals.
"Theyrre good for seing people and
hanging out with friends before everyone hanging out with friends before everyone leaves for the summer," Brunson said. Cassie Cone, a sophomore business
major from Kingwood, said she will have major from Kingwood, said she will have
fun the next couple of days while fitting fun the next couple
in some studying.
"Tuesday night I am definitely going
out," she said. "Wednesday I am going
to lie around and slep. I might do some reviews but fifit s sice and sunny outside, I'm probably going to lay out and relax by the pool." study before finals begin and does to have to worry about tests for awhile. "I don't have any tests till next Monday," he said. "I'm sure Ill go to Chimy's on Wednesday and then go over to Crickets." Cone said many people use dead day
for studying but there is nothing wor for studying but there is nothing wro with having fun before studying.
"Dead days are just good for ly around and doing nothing," she said.

Markets
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collaborations, the highest number of collaborations in the nation, Thatcher said.
There are several markets where Nexstar and Mission control large portionission market.
In Lubbock, for example KLBK-TV and KAMC28-TV control more than 30 percent of the market, Thatcher said. In Wichita Falls, KJTL-TV and KFDX-TV together conIn Abilene, KATB-TV and KRBC-TV control 60 percent of the market, according to the

## Follow the money:

Former KAMC photojournalist
Melanie May, now a distance learning instructor at 1ech, worked at the station
during the 1999 merger. May believes the two stations could save money by using fewer resources.
"There was alot "There was alot of furnover rate, and don't know ifit's just his industry, or ifit had a lot to do with hhe merger", she said.
"People would leave, but they wouldn't People would leave, but they wouldn't twice the amount of work because they wouldn' trehire people."
Werrsman, who once owned two separate newspapers in different markets, said he often would allow discounts for advertisers who
both newspapers.
May. said this practice is effective
in business and would allow KLBK and KAMC to draw in a wider range of advertisers.
"From a business perspective, you are saving money and you have twice the amount of airtime, and your profts - as
fara s from advertising perspective - you can go out and get commercials and air them on both stations," she said. Reno said from a business standpoint, the merge makes sense.
The joint operation is independent because the producers are separate and
each channel has its own style. KLBK, each channel has its own style. KLBK,
Reno said, has fewe stories, but that go more in-depht, and KAMC shows more stories with less deph. Nexstarand Mission work together in 13 markets nationwide. If the companies are, in fact, in violation of FCC rulings,
Maher said punishment can range from Maher said punishment can range from
a warning to revoking the station's a warning to revoking the station's

Nexstar Web site.
Other states where the collab-
orative team is present are New York, Pennsylvania, Alabama Louisiana, Georgia, Arkansas, Missouri, Connecticut and Iowa, In these states,
数 site. Orporations control the two share of the market The largest portion is in Joplin, Missouri, where they control more than 67 percent of the market with elevisise-TV and KSNF-TV he Web stations, according to Nexstar aims to acquire sta markets to continue to achieve lower programming costs cording to the Web site.

Logo
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"The double-T is an ath letic mark," she said. According to the guide lines for the use of Tech of Intercollegiate Athletics External Operations regu lates, promotes and protects the use of the university' registered marks, both on and off campus.
The university has many The university has many egistered marks including three-dimensional double-T and the Masked Rider on horse.
Denton said the double-T would continue to be used by the university to promote as it has done in the past "Nothing is changin with the double-T," she said "We're not doing away with the double-T.'
Other universities have developed similar systems of randing with a separate $\log$ university, Denton said. Tech is one of the last ma or universities in the country to make this change and the change is one that is needed. "We're following the same throughout the country," she
reporters such as Ellen McNamara and Dori Robau offen do increased work, wititing one
full-length story for one of fhes sationsew casts and a shorter version for the other casts and a shorter verion for the oher.
Todd Reno, KAMC news director, said

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## Two UD editors discuss their final thoughts

## It's time for a change

Be a crusader - give back to the world that's given so much to you

IRwanda who is caught in the middle of a vicious civil war. He is Hutu, the tribe in power, but his wife, children and many of his friends, neighbors and coworkers are Tutsi, the tribe referred to as "cockroaches" the Hutu army is hell-bent on exterminating.
The movie is
sons, but mostly, it's powerful because it's true. It's painful because the events depicted actually happened. Almost a million people - people with names, identities, families, dreams and lives - were killed brutally.

| Their crime? Their faces were a little |
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up with machetes and beating them to death with sticks.
I originally planned this to be a farewell column. Then I realized I could say goodbye, or I could say something worth hearing.
We live
is very wrong when people are killed for is very wrong when people are killed for
belonging to a different tribe. Something is wrong when children are slaughtered in an effort to wipe out the next generation
of a people. Something is wrong when the of a people. Something is wrong when the
lives of black men and women in Africa are not as important as the lives of Europeans

## and Americans.

## spread than that.

Something is wrong with the world when a place like the Haven Animal Shelter in Lubbock has to exist, because people are too selfish and lazy to take care of the animals for which they willingly
assumed responsibility, when the sweet assumed responsibility, when the sweet-
est, friendliest cats and dogs I've ever met are forced to live in cages, and the people who work there have to somehow spread their time, energy and funding over so many animals.
Something is wrong when one out of
two marriages ends in divorce, when two marriages ends in divorce, when one
in three people gets cancer, when children in three people gets cancer, when children
are abused and neglected by the people who should be willing to die to protect
Something is wrong when one person hates another because of his skin color, ethnicity, religion or sexual orientation. Something is wong is wher The way so wrong with the world today - that's selfishness. We all, as a society, as a people, have been trained to take care of ourselves first. That used to be self-preservation. Unfortunately, we've preserved our physical selves far too well, and in the
process we as a people are losing our process we
humanity.
n this campus has been blessed. I know I have. I'm in college. I have a place to live and a reliable vehicle. I have a wonderful, supportive family and good friends. I have a belief system. I my dresser. I have never been truly afraid my dresser. I have never been truly arraad
for my life. I'm not sure I know the difference between a gunshot and firecracker going off.
And I deserve none of this. All of it was a gift from God. I just as easily could have been born in a war-t
to drug-dependent parents.
But I wasn't. I have been blessed. And because
world.
I don't buy into communism or Marxism, that everyone should be forced to give all to the government and receive back just


We all have a social responsibility to help those less fortunate than us. Not because the government said to, not because of guilt, but because we are all blessed in some way.

## Whether you believe

 Jesus Christ's teaching of helping the least of those people on earth, whether you believe in karma or whether you're still wondering - you owe something.This in't a regulatory debt. This is a social responsibility I have, that because I need to give back.
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Whether you believe Jesus Christ's teaching of helping the least of those
people on earth, wherher you believe people on earth, whether you believe in
karma or whether you're still wondering - you owe something.

You owe it to the world, you owe it to
your past and your future and you owe to yourself.
Many people, myself included, will
graduate in a few days and graduate in a few days and enter the "real world. I challenge all of us, the graduating
class of 2005 , to go out there and make a positive difference in the real world. Be an agent for change.
Stand up for what you believe in. Teach a child how to read. Volunteer at a home
less shelter less shelter.
Join the animals. Improve yourself feach kind to animals. Improve yourself each
love with those around you.
This legacy is one around which we all - young, old, male, female, black, white liberal and conservative - can unite and work on together. eration of which the baby boomers have despaired.
That selfishness that makes the world a bad place to be - let's get rid of it. As the main character from the movie said
"These are difficult times. We need to hel each other.

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## Looking, listening and learning

Three years working for The UD and one year as opinions editor has provided insight into the campus' mind

I
 $L=$ about our staff at the paper and the
students students at Texas Tech. The other day as I trudged up the
steep staircase to newsroom, I realized I have walked up and down that staircase more than any
other in my life up to this point. A other in my life up to this point. As
this newspaper was the first thing with this newspaper was the first thing with
which I became involved when I transwhich I became involved when I trans-
ferred to Tech in 2002, I have clocked
more hours in the Student Media buildmore hours in the Student Media build-
ing than in any bedroom in which I've slept since I moved here.
Two and a half years as a full employ-
ee and one semester as a columnist at this paper has given me much perspec tive from the inside and out. I've seen many employees come and go, includ-
ing myself. I've seen editors - again, including myself - not work out and reporters just stop showing up as if this was a mere student organization and not
a daily newspaper. I haven't needed to join a sorority during my three yea at Tech because the drama that surtogether has been enough
It has not been the easiest of years.
Of course, no amount of time spent in af course, no amount of time spent in always fun. As we try to model The UD much on the newsrooms in "real life," reality hits pretty $h$
real life we found
We began the year with a young
Weal staff, many of whom were not prepared for the responsibility that came with their titles.
Editor in chief Heidi Toth must be commended for sticking with this year at Tech's student newspaper professional. She made it happen. She wanted reporters to stay because they wanted to learn and write, not because they wanted to hang out with their riends in the newsroom all the time think she finally has a staff commit ted to that purpose - and a staff she
finally can trust. She wanted The UD to be useful and meaningful to the students who read. I believe she has accomplished that.

tion, and thus often lost a writer here an there. But we had a purpose to f
and that was most important and that was most important. campus, very eloquently, much about huge variety of issues. Columnists Dave Ring and Will Davis held up very opposite ends of a spectrum that became very brigh in an election year. Robin Milstead fough
against the norm and shocked the campu against the norm and shock.
with "feminist" arguments.
As for the campus -
editor used to be few - letters to the betwee until last fall. Somehow, this year, we've been fortunate enough to seem to have campus ready and willing to let us know what is in the minds of students, staff
faculty and even alumni. These letters I believe, have been instrumental in en couraging dialogue between the people associated with Tech and let me know the students perhaps were not as apathetic as 'd thought.
Some letters made me laugh. Som made me cry. Some were so intelligen
and articulate that I thought of beggin and articulate that $I$ thought of begging
the authors to come write for me eve week. Some were hurtful personal attack nstead of intelligent commentary. Some writers expanded beyond the point for which they were initially writing the let ter, and sone missed the point entirely.
But I do believe the letters, which ften exude a lot of energy in their short length, have been what the campus read the most this year.
Though there's not nearly enough ral lies or protests on this campus, we've had iny, minor protests and calls to action on Page 4 this year.
I'm proud to have been a part of it. ope you were, too.
Good luck with
ay. I will miss the camput comes your which has kept many of us in the news room kicking for so long. I will miss the football games I never attended and the plays I never got to see. Do it all for me.
Enjoy your life here Enjoy your life here at Tech. And
 E-mail
edu.



# When college is interrupted by cance 

 toughest test of her life as she endures chemotherapy without health insurance. Physically and mentally, she's
doing OK. But financially, she is falling way behind.

AFTER: LYNDEE ANTILLEY poses in one of the hats she uses to cover her shaved
head. Chemotherapy caused her long hair head. Chemotherapy caused her long hair head. Chemotherapy
to fall out in clumps.
in her left leg, debt become the nastiest four-letter whose life was full of friends and fun. She worked and word in her vocabulary. After adding up stacks of went to school full time. She had long brown hair, and past due hospital bills for months of chemotherapy, fashion was her passion. Now, dealing with her illness learn from her. She hopes her story will help others intense radiation treatments and the overwhelming has become her full-time job; Scott and White hospital understand the value of insurance, friendship and of miscellaneous expenses, Antilley said the charges in Temple is where she spends most of her time. She life. Everything happens for a reason, she said, and if equal $\$ 200,000$ and are expected to exceed half a has to depend on others and a collection of hats now
million dollars. $\quad$ take turns covering her bald head
She keeps applying for Medicaid and Social Security
"The hardest part for me was
for Medicaid and Social Security "The hardest part for me was when the doctor said benefits even though she already
has would take over a year out of my
has denied. She said she life," she said while trying to hold doesn't know what else to do. back tears. "I've always told myself Eur is the proactive problem there was no way I would quit school solver of the pair, she said, and he and move back home. But I didn't
is the one taking action by setting have a choice. It's difficult to rely on is the one taking action by setting have a choice. It's difficult to rely o
up a Web site and putting dona- someone else to take care of me."
 such as Cricket's and Cujos. between them, Eur said his longAntilley said she is grate f or Purr's help, but is embarrassed the girlfriend is an inspiration to bout making pleas for money those around her because she make those around her because she make
the best out of a bad situation. "I don't want to beg," she said "She has an amazing attitude,
na tranquil tone. "I don't want he said as he put his arm around in a tranquil tone. "d $\begin{array}{ll}\text { are ways; 'll get through it." } & \begin{array}{l}\text { her. "If were eld probably lose it. But she is }\end{array} \\ \text { would }\end{array}$ are ways; I Il get through it."
While monetary in small, sporadic spurts, she said The bump on her upper thigh

If I were in this situation, I would probably lose it. But she is so
strong.

- KENNY FUR Junior Construction Engineering Major from
there ispuppose in her pain Macc wore," she said. "Not hat I have it easy, but I have it a lot easier than a lot of people. If you let life get to you, it will break look at life from, and I definitely perspective." As to Kings basketball game plays on the TV and a yellow lab barks in the background, it's clear that for Fir and Antilles, life is about more than cancer. In some ways, they
consider themselves typical Tech consider themselves typical Tech
students, and life goes on even when it becomes complicated. But, as the average student Major from Austin

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insurmountable bills and life turned upside own, she school is definitely something that helps me get
in
doesn't focus on herself. She wants Tech students to through this."

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## Gradualig Gradina

OLD SCHOOL: With a more than 60 -year gap between her freshman and senior years, Kathryn Webster is set to walk May 14.
full load was the same price as one parking ticket on today's campus \$25. No student fees were added ficial school mascot and Tech was
decades away from joining the Bi in her classes probably thought
this was because she was old and
senile, she said, but there is moree
to the story she tries to disguise.
When she was 6 years old, she
caught scarret fever, which made
her completely deaf in her right
ear. She gets through classes by
reading lips.
Overcoming her disability
and her age, however, were not
her greatest challenges. Parking
problems and tuition increases do
not seem to bother her. And, what
proves to be the average student's
obstacle to success - missing class
did not get in Webster's way. In
fact, she has a perfect
record, except for one day.
It wance
oldest Sept. 11, 2001, and her
Kevin grandaughter's husband,
Kenheimer, was on the
54 fth floor of the south WWorld
Trade Center when the hijacked
plane hit. She skipped class to
wait to hear he had made it out
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KATHRYN WEBSTER POSES book bag and graduation cap and gown beside the Pfluger fountains Sunday afternoon.

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 Webster decided to quit pursuin
her degree to help her father on her degree to help her father on
his Texas farm; World War II had his Texas farm; World War II had
negatively affected her family's negatively affected her family's
finances and university life was the last thing on her mind. More than 60 years, one daugh ter and three grandchildren later, degree. In 2001 she was sitting degree. In 2001 she was sitting
at the graduation of one of her granddaughters from Tech, and she decided it was time to finish. Her daughter, late husband and two granddaughters all were Tech alumni, and she was ready to join that collegiate club.
"This incredible
This incredible inferiority
complex came over me as I realized I was one of the only members of my family who had not graduated school," she said. "I enrolled the Monday after that graduation." Though the price tag on higher education went up much faster
than new university buildings, Webster said she has no regrets. The $\$ 3,500$ she spent on tuition this semester was worth it because she's finally got her cap and gown.
At 9 a.m. May 14, Webster, who was born the same year The
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and Tech began offering classes, will graduate cum laude with a will graduate cum laude with a
bachelor of arts in anthropology and a minor in English. As she clutched her red honors
cord, she said she is mostrout cord, she said she is most proud about
graduating with a 3.66 GPA. graduating with a 3.66 GPA.
"When I got into this, I "When I got into this, I was
really worried I wouldn't be able really worried I wouldn't be able
to pass," she said with a strong southern accent. "I was afraid I was too old to be able to remember anything."
Peering Peering out through her pre
scription glasses, Webster said she scription glasses, Webster said she
sat in the front row of her classes sat in the front row of her classes
so she could see clearly. Everyone


She said she hopes she has

## served as an example to younger students.

"The most valuable result of
education is the ability to make ourself do the ability to make
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to class.
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"Yass. Her ," she said. "Even when it's not But my daughter said, 'Mom, I on campus, she said pular people the thing you "Even when it's not want to live to see you walk,'" want to do."
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vent in her When I got into her face. knew, and they would be talking event in her
life made her this I was really is an associ- and I would say, 'Hey, that's my want to walk
away from her worried I wouldn't $\begin{aligned} & \text { ate principle at grandma,"' she said. "Everyone } \\ & \text { Estacado High liked her. She really fits in with }\end{aligned}$ ambition.
Her only
be able to pass. I School, said her young people."
$\qquad$ daughter, Vee Hisey, who
graduated
from Tech in 1975, was diagnosed with
Lou Gehrig's Lou Gehrig's
disease early this year.
Since no Since no-
medical treatment or cure
exists for this major from Lub- and she said she may even consider
bock, agreed. her much time have not given "I am amazed that she actually "I think I might get a job," she said this shocking news made it ter grades than most of the people fied with stopping here."

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Cher's farewell tour ends at last at Hollywood Bowl dancers, a dancing elephant and a video montage of her lengthy giant screens showed the Sonny career marked the end of Cher's
three-year farewell tour. three-year farewell tour.
Cher, 58 , played to a crowd Saturday at the Hollywood crowd Saturday at the Hollywood
Bowl and insisted this final concert on her 325 -stop tour really was the end. "I'm approaching 80 ," she
oked to the crowd, "and if $I$ did hat thing everyone does, come round in one of those carts you know, the ones with the joysticks giant screens showed the Sonny
Bono years, shots from her solo
career and clips of career and clips of Cher with
Carol Burnett, Ray Charles, Elton John, David Bowie and the Muppets.
Cher, who made her entrance from above decked out in a silver coat and hood. She kicked
off the evening with her stan dard opening song, a cover of What I'm Looking For," and
$\begin{array}{lll}\text { "There are two reasons people } & \text { ditched the coat as she hit the } \\ \text { stage to reveal a skimpy } G \text {-string }\end{array}$ ome back. Because, like the outfit Stones, they're broke. Again. Or The show, which included hey' re old divas who can't wait to about a dozen costume

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## Seniors say farewell to

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Kate Rowan did more than just go college. She went to Australia. took time off (school) and lived Australia for a while," she said Everyone thought I was crazy." ory major from Ho senior art history major from Houston, prepares
for graduation, she has no regrets for graduation, she has no regrets
about how she lived her college life about how she lived her college life.
Rowan, along with other Texas Tech

Iso has traveled to three different him.
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ountries.
"Just being out on your own is a you've got," he said. "That's what's spend time studying
"Just being out on your own is a you've got," he said. "That's what's
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gotten me through." jor from San Ang "Don't lose sigh Don't lose sight of what your purpose here is, she said
tinating doesnnt pay off," inating doessn't pay off," hat's going to have to live with it. major from San Angelo, said he fol-

Rowan said no matter what Don't let your friends make decisions lowed his heart and took his own ad- student's college experience is the ex $\begin{array}{ll}\text { vor you." } & \text { vice when mak- } \\ \text { He said the people you surround } & \text { ing decisions. }\end{array}$ ing decisions.
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thing," he said. CC (Find good friends," Rodriguez "Find good friends," Rodriguez with people who will study with you Don't be afraid
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ally worry about and things they wish they knew for students returning to class after graduation.
Michael Rodriguez, a senior general business major from Lubbock, decisions students make in college. you're happier
said he was a hometown toy, but

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have spent more time enjoying about having a lot of "Is it rey really Lubbock.
"'lll tell you now that graduation the person?" she said. "College is is this close, I regret not doing things of times, people haven't changed in Lubbock," he said. "Lubbock re- anything. Four years later, they're the ally does have a lot to offer. Take same person with a degree."
advantage of it."
The risks she took in colleg advantage of i. '.
Linda O Dell, a senior general The risks she took in college studies major from Muscat, Oman, for "the real world," she said. also said she regrets not taking advantage of Lubbock. She wishes she
had used more free services available wasn't hard," Rowan said. "The university experience provides you with the opportunity to have freedom - a
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## Men’s Tennis <br> Siegel named Big 12 Coach of the Year

Coach unanimously selected for honor, Nijaki named Newcomer of the Year
Texas Tech men's tennis coach Tim Siegel was the unanimous selection for the Big Nijaki is ranked No. 20 in the nation, fourth among sophomores.
Sophomore Boian Summanski also was honored; he was named to the All-Big Siegel, in his 12 th year as coach of the Red Raiders, led Tech to a $23-3$ record 12 team for his singles play.
Szumanski, a native of Opole, Poland, is the Red Raiders' No. 2 singles
the best in school history. Siegel is the first Raider coach to win the award. Tech was ranked as player witha $16-4$ spring record. He fnished Big 12 play witha 3 -4 mark. high as No. 9 in the Division I tennis rankings in a season that included
memorable wins against Texas and Texas A\&M April $8-9$. Sumankk is ranked No. 45 in the country in the latest ITA rankings.
Baylors Benedikt Dorsch was named the Player of the Year forthe memorable wins against Texas and Texas A\&M Appril 8 Tech began the season by winning its firrt 17 matches and finished tied for second in the Big 12 with $5-2$ record
 Bii 12, while Freshman of whe Year honors went to Lars Poerschke of Baylor and Jerry Makowsk of Texas A\&M.
The Red Raiders are wating to see what's ne
Sophomore Radek Nijaki, Tech's No. 1 singles player this season,
was named Big 12 Newcomer of the Year in a unanimous selection. The
Tech Tellilis ment of the 2005NCAA Championship bracket will be announced
Zielona-Gora, Poland, native had the top re
6-1 mark; he posted a spring record of $12-4$.
Mavericks' forward Keith Van Horn out about two weeks with left ankle sprain DALLAS (AP) - Dallas Mavericks forward Keith Van Horn has a with Rockets center Dikembe Mutombo for a rebound and landed awk second-degree left
the NBA playoffs. $\qquad$
the NBA playoffs.
An MRI on Monday confirmed the previous diagnosis of a sprain, meanmay miss the start of a second-round series. Van Horn injured his ankle Thursday ni
wardly. He sat out Game 4
Van Horn averaged 7.3 points and two rebounds in the series against Houston, significantly down from his averages of 12.2 points and 4.4
rebounds since coming to Dallas in a trade from Milwaukee on Feb . 24 The series was tied at two games apiece heading into Game 5 on The series wa
Monday night.

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Raiders finish eighth in Big 12 Championship
The Texas Tech men's golf team 42nd and Dresser finished 22nd with a struggled to post solid scores at the total of 228. Juniors Nicolas Allain and
Big 12 Conference Championship
Tyler Symons rounded out the compeBig this weekend at Whispering Pine tition for Tech finishing 34th and 53rd Golf Club in Trinity. The Red Raiders
entered the tournament as the No. $3 \cdot \mathrm{~K} \mathrm{i} \mathrm{m}$ won the individual title entered the tournament as the No. $3 . \mathrm{Kim}$ won the individual title
seed and finished eighth overall.
Senior Shaun Melville Senior Shaun Melville
led the way for the Raiders
as he shot a three-day total of 227 for an 18 th- -place finish. He fred a one-over par 73 his best individual finish at Tech. Next up for the Raiders is
Nophomore Oscar Floren maxwell hosted by Oklahoma on Sophomore Oscar Floren and May 14-16. Then, Tech hopes to be
junior Andrew Dreser had been lead- playing in an NCAA Regional which ing the way for Tech entering the Big appears likely as coach Greg Sands 12 Championship and both could not team is No. 27.
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Anthony fined $\$ 7,500$ for shove NEW YORK (AP) - Denver
forward Carmelo Anthony was fined $\begin{aligned} & \text { the } \\ & \text { Saturday }\end{aligned}$ night. The Spurs lead the $\$ 7,500$ by the NBA on Monday for best-of-seven series $2-1$, with Game
 Game 3 of the
first-round playoff
series between the Nuggets and Spurs.
Anthony received flagrant seconds left in the fourth period of league vice president Stu Jackson.

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Van Gundy fined \$100,000 for comments
DALLAS (AP) - The NBA fined Houston Rockets coach Jeff Van Gundy "No such directive was given to the offcicials regarding Yao Ming or any
$\$ 100,000$ - the largest amount ever for a coach - on Monday, a day after he other player or team in the playoffs," NBA vice president Stu Jackson said in $\$ 100,000$ - the largest amount ever for a coach - on Monday, a day after he other player or team in the playoffs," NBA vice president Stu Jackson said
accused officials of targeting center Yao Ming this postseason and said Dallas a statement released late Sunday to reporters from KRIV-TV, The New York accused offficials of targeting center Yao Ming this postseason and said Dallas Speaking to three reporters at the team hotel in Dallas Sunday night, Van
Gundy said a referee not working the playoffs called him and warned that officials "were looking at Yao harder because of Mark's complaints" to the league office. He said Cuban "has been
hard on them," and "he's gotten the benefit."
"I didn't think that really worked in the NBA, but in
this case it has," Van Gundy said, declining to identify
the official he spoke to. Times and the Houston Chron
Gundy made his comments.
Cuban, who has been fined more than $\$ 1$ millions years ago, said in an e-mail that the accusations were "crayz") and "an insul to officials." He also noted Dallas center Erick Dampier has picked up quick ouls in every game in this series.
Cuban said the tean invidual players differently," Cuban wrote. have been called moving screens on Yao and backup have been called moving screens on Yao and backup
Dikembe Mutombo. He said the league responded that Dikembe Mutombo. He said the league responded that
"ne official he spoke to.
At a shootaround Monday before Game 5 of the
"nine were actually moving screens and should have been series, Van Gundy said "I stand by what I said. I believe it. I know what was told to me, and I've seen how it played
out."
That was hours before the fine was announced. At the time, V
Gundy said he had been told not to say anything more about it. MDEKETR alled but were not."
"So if anything, he has it completely backward," Cuban Yao foul
"I daid he had been told not to say anything more about it. fouls in Game 2 , when he made 13 of 14 shots and scored 33 Van Gundy said.
 was to be attended by NBA commissioner David Stern. Van Gundy said he got a call from his friend who is an official after Houston took a 2-0 lead. The coach said he was told he targeting of Yao was intione points, then had five fouls in each of the last two games. inutes of Game 3.
Both coaches have been fined during the series. Dallas' Avery Johnson was penalized
Game 1.

Sports Opinion
Selig's next move: plastic forks in the clubhouse

| (AP) - Just wait until the crusader in Bud Selig finds out how popular this latest "tough love" campaign proves to be. From that day forward, ballplayers and even the owners who promoted him from their ranks will be lucky to find a moments peace. <br> Next, Selig will demand that every clubhouse be inspected for asbestos, and every dugout scanned for radon. The time-honored tradition of sneaking a smoke in the hallway? Gone forever. And any team still putting out silverware for the post-game buffet should consider itself on notice: Switch to plastic utensils or face a trillion-dollar fine. <br> It's all well and good that the commissioner finally tried flexing his "best interests of the game" powers, sending a letter to baseball union boss Don Fehr last week proposing a 50 -game suspension after a first positive test for steroids, a 100 -game sit-down for a second and a lifetime ban for a third. The symbolism of "three strikes and you're out" is inspired, and Selig's call to test for amphetamines is better than that. |
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