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Boxing misses Tyson's punch, former champs

What do dinosaurs and boxing have in common? Dinosaurs are extinct and boxing is headed in the same direction.

Boxing has lost whatever luster it did have over the last year. There are a bunch of reasons to explain why.

The first and foremost is the fact that Mike Tyson has decided to take a few years off and spend his time in an Indiana correctional facility. Although Tyson is a heavyweight, his loss affects the sport of boxing as a whole.

Although Tyson had somewhat of a thug image, he was boxing. After becoming the youngest heavyweight champion of all time, it seemed like the sport peaked. Ever since he pummeled Michael Spinks into submission, boxing has gone downhill.

And it all started with Tyson. First he had some lackluster fights in his title defenses and then he was upset by "Hunger" Buster Douglas in Tokyo. The loss actually breathed new life into the fight game because it was a more wide open competition instead of a one-man wrecking crew. But recently, things have changed. Tyson's in jail. Evander Holyfield is the champion because there are not any other decent heavyweights around. In fact, the two best fighters are both over 40.

Larry Holmes, the king of the ring before Tyson came around,

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Aggies miss out on Baylor sweep

From Staff and Wire Reports

WACO — It has been more than two months since the Texas A&M baseball team swept a Southwest Conference series.

Baylor pitcher Jason Rathbun allowed eight hits and two unearned runs Tuesday as the Bears held off the Aggies 9-2 in the third game of a rain-delayed SWC series.

The Aggies, 15-12 in the conference, now hold a 2 1/2 game lead over Rice and Baylor with less than a month left in the season. A&M is 30-16 overall. The Bears are 25-22.

Kelly Wunsch, 4-3, was the losing pitcher for the Aggies. He allowed seven hits and three runs in 2 2/3 innings.

Rathbun, 3-5, struck out one and walked three. The Bears committed five errors but turned three double plays as they snapped a three-game losing streak.

Brian Black, Frank Foltyn and Mark Jett each had three hits for Baylor and Jahn Finke had a two-run homer.

Monday, A&M's Jeff Granger struck out 11 Bears to pick up a 3-1 win. Brian Harrison held off Baylor, 1-0, in the second half of the doubleheader.

The Aggies stole the first two games of the series on Monday but failed to complete the task in the final contest.

The last team to be swept by A&M in a conference series was the Houston

	Conference		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
Texas	22	6	35	10
A&M	15	12	30	16
Rice	14	16	28	21
Tech	12	15	26	21
Baylor	13	15	25	22
TCU	12	15	23	22
UH	9	18	21	24

Cougars, who came to Olsen Field in February and left with three losses.

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LIKE STARTING OVER

Coryatt looks ahead to NFL glory, riches

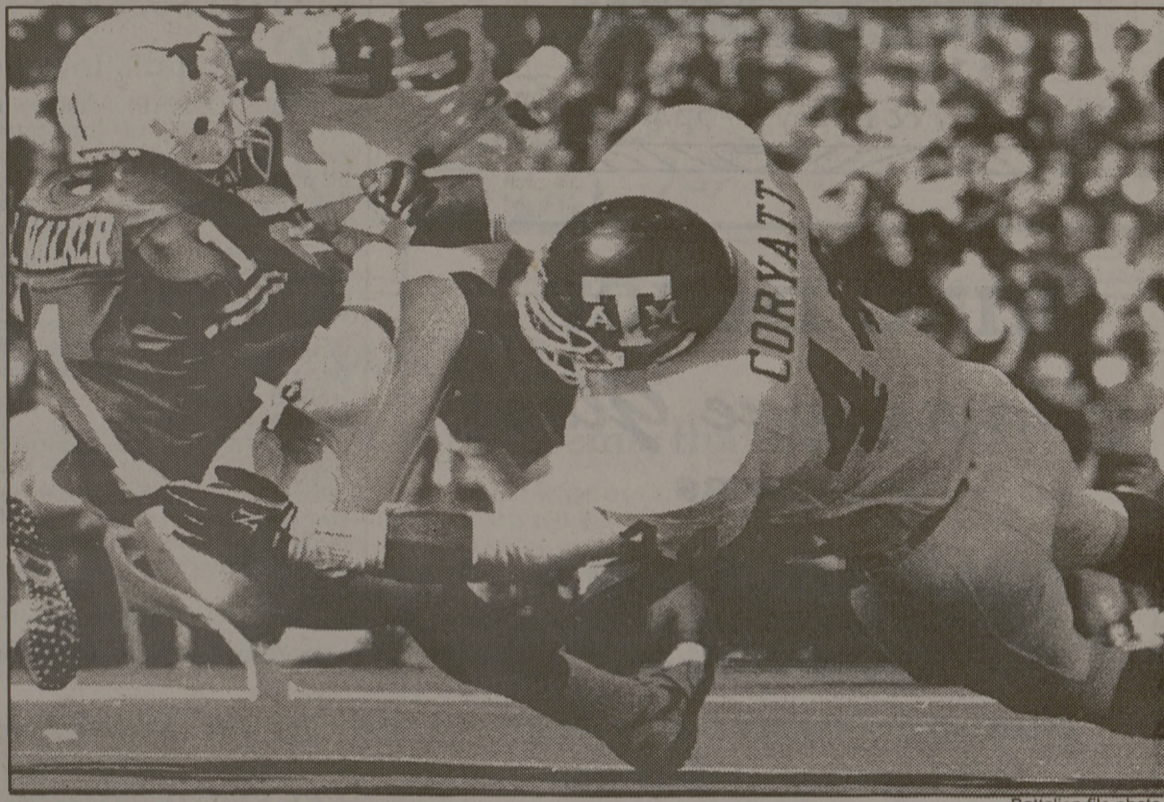
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Sunday could be the day that changes Quentin Coryatt's life.

Coryatt, who was the cornerstone of the nation's No. 1 defense last season, has been projected by some to be picked as high as second in this weekend's NFL draft.

Being one of the top picks could mean a lot of things to the former Texas A&M linebacker, including the fulfillment of a life-long dream, a multi-million dollar contract and a new set of expectations.

"Playing in the NFL has been a dream of mine since I was a kid," Coryatt said. "I'm very excited about the situation I'm in right now, but I'm going to need to keep working hard. It is just like when I came to A&M, it's a whole new level, and I'm going to have to work hard on the transition to that level. It's like I'm starting all over."



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Former A&M linebacker Quentin Coryatt has shown NFL scouts that he is the top linebacker in this year's draft. Coryatt and cornerback Kevin Smith are expected to be first-round selections.

The fact that he is considered to be one of the top players in the draft is no surprise to A&M fans. Coryatt spent the entire 1991 season wreaking havoc on opposing defenses, and scored A&M's only points in the Mobil Cotton Bowl Classic by sacking Florida State quarterback Casey Weldon in the end

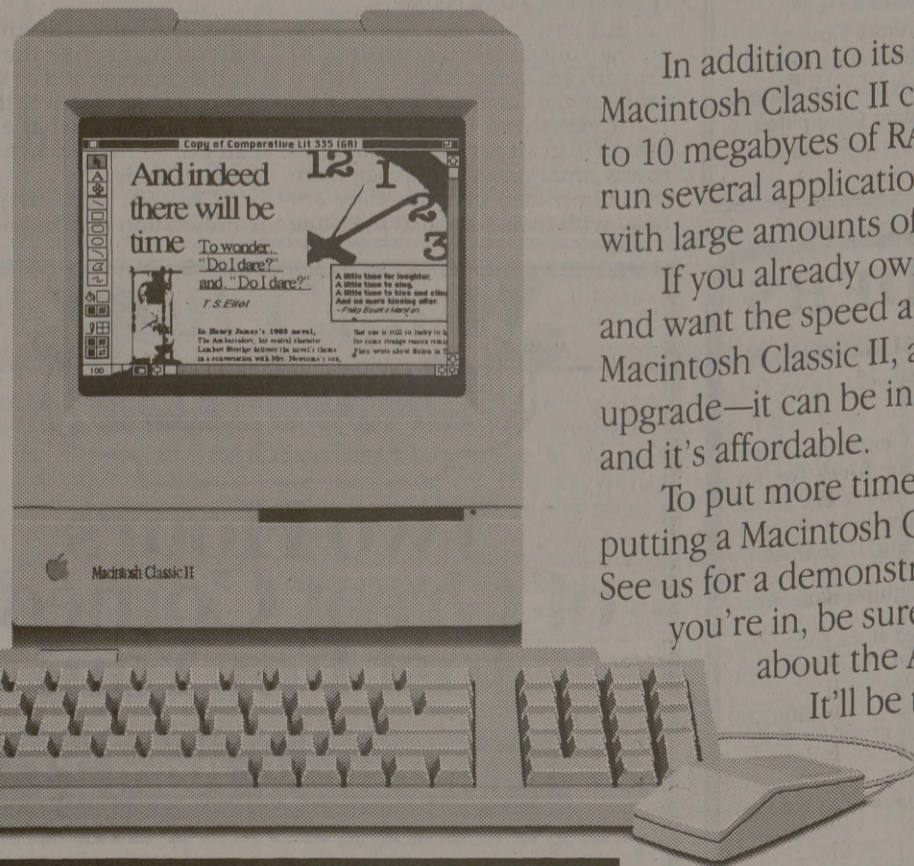
zone for a safety. After the game, Weldon paid tribute to Coryatt's amazing speed, saying he couldn't believe how quickly the 243-pound linebacker had closed on him.

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