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Lady Aggies drop third-straight game

STAFF AND WIRE REPORT
COLUMBIA, Mo. — The Texas A&M Women's Basketball Team dropped its third-straight Big 12 Conference game to the University of Missouri Tigers 91-80 last night. Despite four

Lady Aggies scoring in double figures, A&M was outshot by the Tigers .566 to .519.
Senior forward Melissa Roller-son and senior guard Lana Tucker led all scorers with 18. Freshman Amy Yates was five-of-six from the field and finished with 13.
Junior center Kim Linder started the game and continued her hot streak with 14 points.
Guard Julie Helm led all Tiger scorers with 21 and forward Ekpe Akpaffiong was close behind with 19.



Tucker

County agrees on price tag for Astrodon

HOUSTON (AP) — Harris County commissioners have decided \$19.5 million is a fair price for the Astros owner Drayton McLane's control of the county-owned stadium.
The Tuesday vote was the part of a four-way agreement could lead to a new baseball stadium, planned for a site on the side of downtown.
Commissioners voted they were a "fair and adequate" offer of control of the stadium away from McLane, who operates the stadium through his Astrodon USA Corp.
"Essentially all parties agreed that need to agree," Harris County Judge Robert Shelton, the head of the five-member commissioners court.
A spokesperson for Astrodon USA was not immediately available Wednesday, when The Associated Press called for comment.
A referendum approved by voters last year promised that general property taxes will not be used to fund a new baseball stadium. Local officials had tentatively agreed to pay \$19.5 million toward the \$265-million stadium, downtown business leaders had promised to continue funding permanent seat licenses would be the rest.

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Kansas knocks off Tech

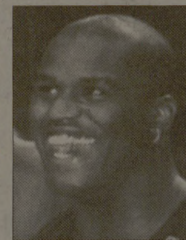
LUBBOCK (AP) — Paul Pierce scored all 16 of his points in the second half Wednesday night to help erase No. 1 Kansas' biggest halftime deficit this season and the Jayhawks went on to an 86-77 victory over No. 22 Texas Tech.
The Jayhawks (21-0, 7-0 Big 12), under siege for most of the game by Red Raiders center Tony Battie, forced Texas Tech into 10 second-half turnovers to retain

their status as the country's only unbeaten Division I team.
Battie finished with 29 points against Kansas, which was without injured center Scot Pollard to help guard him.
Texas Tech (13-5, 5-3) led 47-33 at halftime and held off the Jayhawks until midway into the second half, when five straight turnovers led to 10 Kansas points and its first lead, 64-63 with 8:30 to play.

Lakers sneak up on Spurs, 99-94

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — All-Star Eddie Jones scored 19 of his 23 points in the second half to lead the Los Angeles Lakers to a come-from-behind 99-92 victory over the San Antonio Spurs on Wednesday night.
All five starters scored in double figures for the Lakers, who won their fifth straight game. Shaquille O'Neal had 21 points, Kobe Bryant 19, Nick Van Exel 14 and Elden

Campbell 10. O'Neal also pulled down 19 rebounds.
San Antonio was led by Dominique Wilkins' 28 points. Sean Elliott added 23 and Vernon Maxwell 11.
Trailing 74-67 entering the fourth quarter, Los Angeles rallied behind Jones and Bryant. The two combined for 11 points as Los Angeles went on a 19-8 run ending with a rebound basket by O'Neal with 4:45 to play for an 86-82 lead.
Bryant connected on a three-point shot with 3:07 left to give Los Angeles a 91-84 lead, and Jones gave Los Angeles its largest lead of the game, 96-88, on two free throws with 1:09 to play.



O'Neal

Jones connected on five free throws in the last minute and Antonio could get no closer than five points the rest of the way.
After leading 46-45 at halftime, Elliott and Maxwell each scored eight points in the third quarter. San Antonio stretched its lead to 74-67 on a three-point shot by Wilkins.
Maxwell jumpstarted the Spurs in the first quarter with three point shots in the first three minutes as San Antonio led 15-7 at 9:06 remaining.
Los Angeles rallied to take a 92-88 lead after one quarter as O'Neal had nine points ap-

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Houston brought back outfielder Luis Gonzalez, whom they traded to the Cubs two years ago.
"I'm happy to be back [after] getting traded to Chicago a couple of years ago and getting an opportunity to get back and play with some of my old teammates again," he said.
However, the big money of the off-season went to Reynolds. Reynolds won 16 games and struck out 204 batters last season while walking only 44. His walks-to-innings pitching ratio was fourth-best in the league be-

hind Atlanta's Greg Maddux and Florida's Kevin Brown and Danny Darwin.
The Astros' philosophy of keeping their core players together will give them the best chance to win.
"The Astros' philosophy of keeping their core players together will give them the best chance to win," baseman and 1994 MVP Jeff Bagwell and perennial Star second baseman Craig Biggio lead a group of players who have spent most of their careers together.
"In the early '90s we were all young when we got set up," Gonzalez said. "You look at Atlanta and what those guys all stuck together and now they're the best teams in baseball."
"We were going in that direction but kind of away from that. We've got some players that hopefully the players we have can be the right

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