

Bug collecting



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Hee Kim, a senior entomology major, catches owflies, antilions, green lacewings and other insects using a mercury vapor light trap outside College Station. Kim was collecting sample fauna from around the area for research purposes.

News in Brief

Committee approves bill to overturn Bush's ban on federal aid

WASHINGTON (AP) — A bill to overturn the administration's policy banning federal aid for groups that advocate abortion rights was approved by a Senate committee Wednesday. By a 12-7 vote, the Senate Foreign Relations Committee passed the bill. Sens. Gordon Smith of Oregon and Lincoln Chafee of Rhode Island were the lone Republicans supporting the bill.

Democrats have been seething over the policy since President Bush imposed it during his first week in office.

The policy bars U.S. aid to international groups that use their own money to support abortion through performing the surgery, counseling about it as a family planning option or lobbying foreign governments on abortion policy.

The House has already voted to preserve Bush's policy, so Senate Democrats face an uphill battle to reverse the rule.

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Legally Blonde Original Motion Picture Soundtrack A&M Records

From beginning to end, the soundtrack to the hit movie Legally Blonde pumps out girl power tunes. The soundtrack has a California sound to it without being too "pop." It can be compared to the 1995 Clueless soundtrack.

titles sound cheesy and girlish, the ladies of this album deliver a huge dose of quality music.

Superchic[k] begins the "girls rock" theme of the soundtrack with "One Girl Evolution," which provides a good transition from the girly first track by Hoku, "Perfect Day."

A perfect amount of funk is found in "Magic" by the Black Eyed Peas featuring the sweet hip-hop vocals of Terry Dexter. Samantha Mumba changes the soundtrack's mood by delving a smooth ballad "Don't Need You To (Tell Me I'm Pretty)" and is followed by "A Thousand Miles" by newcomer Vanessa Carlton.

Valeria contributes a salsa-like tune with "Ooh La La"

accompanied by maracas and congas.

The all-girl band, Lo-Ball is a real treat to the album with "Can't Get Me Down," which sounds like Elle Woods' (Reese Witherspoon) anthem. The racing guitars and drums leave listeners hoping to hear more from these talented ladies.

The album ends on a sweet note with Mya's remake of the James Brown hit, "Sex Machine." The sounds of a jamming cowbell and bass guitar make listeners want to watch Legally Blonde again.

Girls of all ages will enjoy driving around with friends while listening to this soundtrack and its message that "Girls Rule." (Grade: B)

—Lizette Resendez

A = instant classic B = a cut above C = average D = don't buy it F = burn in effigy

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