

## Aggs come up one short against UT

By Kevin Espenlaub  
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Tied 4-4 in the third set, sophomore Khaled El Dorry had an out-of-bounds call overturned by the official at court No. 6. The call eventually led to a break of El Dorry's serve and the conclusion of a four-and-a-half hour match Saturday against the No. 12 University of Texas Longhorns (18-2, 5-1) in Austin in front of more than 700 fans.

Texas freshman Roger Gubser fell to El Dorry in the first set but rallied back to win the second and held his serve for the sixth game of the third set, carrying his team to a 4-3 victory over the No. 14 Aggies. The loss handed A&M (16-4, 3-1) its first conference loss in the last 16 Big 12 matches it has played.

"I've been in that situation a few times before and I was able to come

through," El Dorry said. "Today I let my team down, and I won't let that happen again. I have to bounce back and persevere."

El Dorry's valiant effort came on the heels of a come-from-behind victory by freshman Lester Cook, who tied the team score at 3-3 with his three-set victory over Texas sophomore Jose Zarhi on court No. 3.

Cook took the 3-1 lead in the first set before Zarhi fired back and won five of the next six games to claim the first set. It was one of four first sets the Longhorns claimed in singles competition after claiming the doubles point.

Cook won the second set by sweeping the tiebreaker and riding that momentum to a 4-0 lead in the third set. Zarhi managed a break and

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## A&M holds off KSU, 6-5

By Doug Fuentes  
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The Texas A&M baseball team survived a late scare from Kansas State and held off the Wildcats, 6-5, to win the series in front of 4,604 fans at Olsen Field on Sunday.

The No. 16 Aggies (28-13, 9-6 Big 12) bounced back from a one-run loss to the Wildcats on Saturday thanks in part to better use of their bats.

A&M totaled 10 hits, including home runs from Rusty Meyer and Neal Stephenson.

"We got a little bit more hitting today and that's encouraging," said A&M head coach Mark Johnson. "We didn't sit on the lead, we increased it, so I can't be too disappointed about that. I think right now in our conference, anytime you can win a series you better be happy."

Trailing 6-2 heading into the top of the ninth, the Wildcats (19-16, 6-6) made a last-gasp rally that almost forced extra innings.

Gabe Luttrell started the inning by reaching base on an error by A&M



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Texas A&M second baseman Ty Garner tags Kansas State's Tim Doty during the Aggies' 6-5 win over the Wildcats. The win raised A&M's conference record to 9-6.

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## Terburgh ends 'Cats rally, Aggies survive scare from K-State

By Dallas Shipp  
THE BATTALION

The Texas A&M women's tennis team continued its hot streak heading into the final and most crucial week of the season by defeating the Kansas State Wildcats, 5-2, Saturday.

The No. 27 Aggies held off a strong upset bid from the Wildcats, who were looking for their first-ever win over A&M.

The win ties the A&M school record for most wins in a season and improves A&M's record to 20-3, 8-1 in Big 12 play.

"Kansas State is a very solid

team," said A&M head coach Bobby Kleinecke. "Their top players are very, very strong, and I knew they were going to give us everything we could handle today."

The match started off on a positive note for the Aggies, who won two out of three matches to win the doubles point. The Aggies are 20-0 this season after winning the doubles point.

Soon after singles play began, senior Martina Nedorostova was forced to end her match early after she reinjured a pulled muscle in her back.

Junior Ashley Hedberg quickly regained the lead for the Aggies,

barely breaking a sweat while knocking off Andrea Cooper, 6-1, 6-2.

Sophomore Jessica Roland's struggles continued in singles play. After dropping a hard-fought first set to Alena Jecminkova, 4-6, Roland fell 1-6 in the second set to lose her fourth straight match. The loss on court No. 1 gave the Wildcats a strong surge with only four matches to play.

"[Roland] has been playing well," Kleinecke said. "She just hasn't come up with the win and her confidence is really shaky right now. When you play at No. 1 it doesn't matter if you are playing a

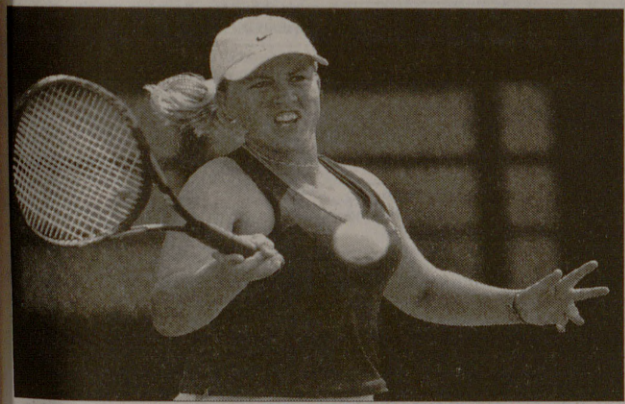
good team or a low team, they are going to have a good No. 1 player."

A&M regained its lead thanks to sophomore Roberta Spencer's win over Paulina Castillejos, 6-0, 6-4, at No. 6.

However, that was the last match decided quickly and easily. After gaining a 3-2 lead, the Aggies dropped the first sets on courts No. 2 and No. 4.

Senior Majorie Terburgh, playing at No. 4, dropped her first set, 5-7, against Kansas State's Maria Rosenburg. After winning the second set, Terburgh stormed through

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Texas A&M senior Majorie Terburgh returns a shot during her match-clinching win over Maria Rosenburg on Saturday.

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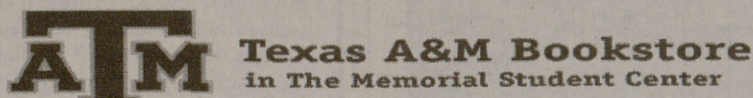
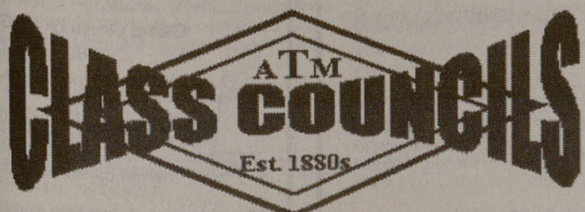
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