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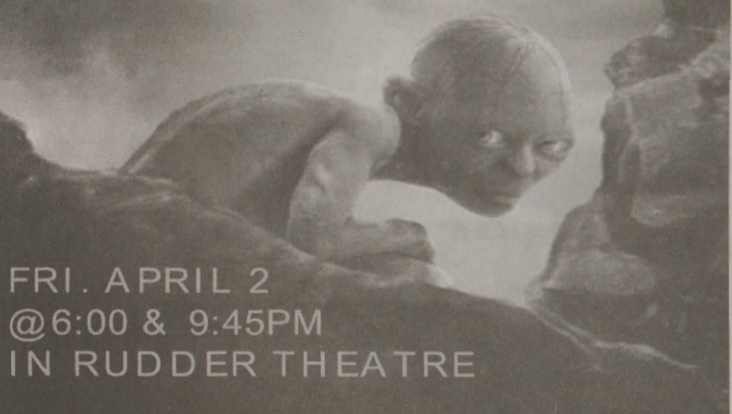
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FISH

BY R. DELUNA



SO YOU MADE IT TO AUSTIN, FLOWER? THAT'S GOOD NO, WELL, PROBABLY JUST HANG HERE TONIGHT... DING DONG

WHAT!? THE DOORBELL? NO, OF COURSE I WOULDN'T CHEAT ON OUR DIET WHILE YOU'RE AWAY BY GETTING PIZZA!!

WELL, WHAT WOULD GET ME IN MORE TROUBLE... ORDERING A PIZZA, OR INVITING OVER A COUPLE GIRLS WE MET AT NORTHGATE?

IT'S A TOSS-UP? HAND-TOSSED? I THOUGHT YOU ORDERED THICK CRUST... QUIET YOU!

NOISE & POLLUTION

BY JOSH DARWIN



THOSE OF US HERE AT "NOISE POLLUTION" WOULD LIKE TO APOLOGIZE FOR NOT APPEARING THIS PAST WEDNESDAY.

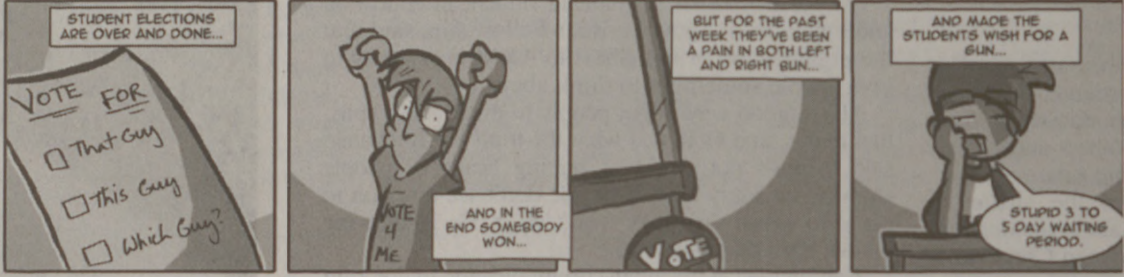
ESPECIALLY TO RUBEN AND WILL, THE OTHER CARTOONISTS, WHO TOOK THE TIME TO POKE FUN AT OUR ABSENCE.

WHERE WERE WE? WELL, THAT'S NONE OF YOUR BUSINESS.

JUST KNOW THAT WE MADE SURE WE HAD BOTH YOUR GIRLFRIENDS HOME BY ELEVEN.

DUNNBOYZ

BY WILL LLOYD



STUDENT ELECTIONS ARE OVER AND DONE... VOTE FOR [] That Guy [] This Guy [] Which Guy?

AND IN THE END SOMEBODY WON... ME

BUT FOR THE PAST WEEK THEY'VE BEEN A PAIN IN BOTH LEFT AND RIGHT SUN... VOTE

AND MADE THE STUDENTS WISH FOR A GUN... STUDY 3 TO 5 DAY WAITING PERIOD.

Mercury

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"(Mercury) is a neurotoxin and affects the central nervous system," Presley said. "It can cause many problems including paralysis and death, but among the first harmful things noted would be learning disabilities." High levels of mercury are especially damaging to unborn children. The fetus is so small that it only takes a small amount of mercury to cause great harm, Presley said. Pregnant women and women of childbearing age should be extremely cautious about the levels of mercury they take in,

he said.

The government is working to fix the problem of high mercury levels in seafood by trying to lower the mercury levels in lakes and oceans where fish are caught for human consumption. Industrial power plants are a major source of unsafe mercury emission into the environment, Gill said.

"The burning of fossil fuels for the production of energy is one industry which introduces mercury into the environment on regional and global scales," Gill said. "There is a great deal of discussion going on right now between the (U.S.) Environmental Protection Agency), the electric power

industry and Congress about cutting mercury emissions from power plants."

Despite the recent concern about high mercury levels in fish, people should not stop eating seafood altogether, Gill said. People gain many health benefits from eating fish and other seafood, Gill said. People simply need to be aware of the high levels of mercury and that they should be cautious about which fish they eat.

"The high mercury content in some fish has made me more cautious of what seafood I eat," Laura Duncan, a freshman psychology major, said. "But I will most definitely continue eating seafood."

Museum

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Cambodian Land Mine Museum Relief Fund. Fitoussi said he met Ra, who now works as an anti-land mine activist, while working as a professional photographer in Cambodia.

The A&M Chapter of the American Institute of Architecture Students (AIAS) is sponsoring a race Saturday at 9 a.m. at the Langford Architecture Center to raise money for construction of a help center in Siem Reap, Cambodia.

Ashley Dias, a sophomore architecture major and sophomore representative for AIAS, and other students in the class decided they wanted to do more than create proposals: They wanted to raise money for the construction and make the dream a reality.

About 20 percent of Cambodian children injured by mines die from their

injuries, and survivors are likely to be seriously injured and often permanently disabled, according to UNICEF.

Prosthesis is unlikely to be available in Cambodia because of scarce medical services.

An estimated 110 million land mines in 64 countries are still lodged in the ground.

Cambodia, Afghanistan and Angola have suffered 85 percent of the world's land mine casualties, according to UNICEF.

Dias said almost \$3,000 has been raised so far: half from T-shirt sales and half from race registration.

Anyone who has not yet registered for the race can do so at Langford from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. Saturday. The cost is \$15 and includes a T-shirt.

"You can be a vampire with a camera and make your money off people suffering or you can choose to use your images to shake people from their indifference," Fitoussi said.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Woman, four children found beaten to death

DETROIT (AP) — Five people were tied up and beaten to death Thursday in a downtown Detroit house, but a 13-year-old girl escaped and alerted authorities.

A suspect was in custody, Deputy Police Chief Cara Best said. The victims were a 33-year-old woman, a 16-year-old boy and three girls ages 9 to 14.

Best would not say what weapon was used, only that police believed they recovered it.

Dozens of people stood behind yellow police tape that blocked off the street front of the house, a grayish bungalow downtown Detroit. Trash was strewn in the street and in nearby vacant lots.

A group of five young women arrived on scene and were taken aside by police. They then began wailing and yelling.

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