Purdue student kills dorm counselor, himself

WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind. (AP) and killed another student who was a dormitory counselor Wednesday. drug possession, Rantz said.

The counselor, an upperclassman who acts as a resident supervisor in the dormitory, had discovered cocaine in the younger student's possession Tuesday, said university spokeswoman Ellen Rantz.

The counselor told campus po-A Purdue University student shot lice, who searched the student's room and car and confirmed the

> Police surrounded the dormitory for more than two hours, after the gunman locked himself in his room. Officers fired tear gas inside, entered the room and found the student dead.

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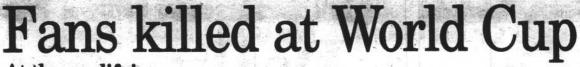
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At the qualifying match, more than 44 people died in a stampede.

GUATEMALA-CITY (AP) -Fans trying to squeeze into a soccer stadium crushed and suffocated one another at a World Cup qualifying match Wednesday night. Between 44 and 80 people were killed and more than 150 were injured, local radio said.

The accident occurred about 45 minutes before a soccer game between Guatemala and Costa Rica at Mateo Flores National Stadium. About 45,000 people, including the presidents of the two countries, were in the stands.

Radio stations gave death tolls as small as 44, but Radio Emisoras Unidas reported at least 80 people were

sold for the match. Fans who were not Sheffield, England, soccer stadium, killed nine people and injured 78.

allowed in tried to pass through a small stadium entrance into a general seating area, witnesses told local radio.

Witnesses said the accident occurred in a concrete causeway about 15 yards long and two or three yards

Security forces could not stop them and the crowd surged through the gate, trampling or suffocating people inside.

Radio reports said dozens of bodies were laid out on the field.

Guatemalan President Alvaro Arzu said that "one of the largest tragedies in our country has happened tonight."

have taken the decision to suspend this

tionally charged soccer matches around out in the stands. the world.

Apparently, too many tickets were the April 15, 1989, disaster at the bia and Sudan in Lusaka, Zambia,

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> ALVARO ARZU President of Guatemala

"I appeal to the maturity of the when 95 people were crushed to death, people of Guatemala," Arzu said. "I On Jan 13 1991 at least 40 people On Jan. 13, 1991, at least 40 people were trampled and crushed at an Orkney, South Africa, stadium when Stampedes have occurred at emo- fans tried to escape fights that broke

On June 16, a stampede at a World The worst in recent history include Cup qualifying match between Zam-

Davis used in pro-death penalty ads across California as election nears

TV screen into the unsmiling image of California at Berkeley. Rep. Vic Fazio.

ing Democrat Fazio. And it's not the week. only campaign in California to make

attack their opponents on the death

port for the death penalty has been at

sullen, bearded face of killer Richard 1978," said Bruce Cain, a political sci- Coast district includes Klaas' home-Allen Davis slowly "morphs" on the ence professor at the University of town of Petaluma.

It took less than two weeks after the The stunning commercial is from Sept. 26 sentencing for the first Davis Tim LeFever, a Republican challeng- ad to appear. The third appeared last

The ad from freshman Rep. Andrea political use of the public's revulsion Seastrand opens with a shot of children toward the man condemned to die for in a playground, and tells viewers that the murder of 12-year-old Polly Klaas. two people were disappointed with At least three Republican congres- Davis' death sentence: Davis and sional candidates from Sacramento Seastrand's opponent in the district hundreds of miles south to Santa Bar- covering San Luis Obispo and Santa bara are using Davis' name in ads to Barbara counties, Democrat Walter

The ad labels Davis "The Mur-"It's a good strategy because sup- derer" and Capps "The Liberal."

Then there's the ad from Rep. Frank

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP) — The the 70 percent level and above since Riggs, a Republican whose North

It shows footage of Davis and describes Riggs as a death penalty supporter. Then Democrat Michela Alioto's face appears, covered by a red question mark. She is heard saying, "I am not in favor of the death penalty."

LeFever, who criticizes Fazio for voting against California's death penalty in 1977, noted that his ad does not mention Polly by name.

"We're talking about the death pen-alty," he said. "We're talking about Vic Fazio's record on the death penalty, and we're talking about what we are going to do with the Richard Allen Davises

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Mexican drug kingpin convicted

Cartel leader may face life in prison for trafficking and money laundering.

HOUSTON (AP) - Mexican drug kingpin Juan Garcia Abrego was convicted today of charges that he masterminded the transportation of tons of cocaine into the United States and laundered millions of dollars in drug profits.

Garcia Abrego looked stern and one of his hands seemed to twitch as the verdict was an- Carlos Salinas de Gortari. nounced. He faces up to life in prison. No sentencing date was set.

The verdict against the 52-year-old drug cartel leader came after nearly 12 hours of deliberations that began Thursday in U.S. District

Garcia Abrego went on trial Sept. 16 on 22 counts of trafficking nearly 15 tons of cocaine reach \$1 billion.

and the illegal laundering of some \$10.5 mil-

Garcia Abrego was once on the FBI's "Most Wanted List," and prosecutors charged that he was making \$2 billion a year before his capture

He reportedly doled out millions of dollars in bribes to high-ranking Mexican officials to have them look the other way. Among Garcia Abrego's alleged associates was Raul Salinas, the elder brother of former Mexico President

The verdict was followed by a property for-feiture hearing at which U.S. District Judge Ewing Werlein Jr. instructed jurors to deliberate on an amount to be seized by the government as coming from illegal drug profits.

Prosecutors told jurors the seizure could



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