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There's Something I've Been Meaning to Tell You...

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The current exhibition at the **Marty Walker Gallery** showcases text-based work by six artists: **Archie Scott Gobber, Alexandra Grant, Mark Flood, Thomas Feulmer, Mickey Smith** and **Wayne White**. The gallery calls it "a compelling contemporary survey of emerging and midcareer artists utilizing text as a means of visual and conceptual communication." In an age of rampant text-messaging, can you think of a more relevant show? The work of one of the artists, **Grant**, was featured in a Focus exhibition in 2007 at the Museum of Contemporary Art in Los Angeles, whose previous director, Jeremy Strick, recently became director of the Nasher Sculpture Center. One really unusual aspect of the Marty Walker show is the work of New York-based artist **Smith**, who, according to the gallery, explores "history, knowledge and a sense of place in her photographs of book spines."

– MICHAEL GRANBERRY / Staff Writer

pictured: **Alexandra Grant's** *Contender*, 2005
mixed media on paper, 126 x 80 in.

Where: Marty Walker Gallery
2135 Farrington St
Dallas, TX 75207

When: Feb 21-March 21
Tue-Sat 11 am-5 pm and by appointment

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