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THURSDAY

Mock disaster a challenge

By RANDAL K. McGAOVCK
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Representatives from area law enforcement agencies, the Pampa Fire Department, the city of Pampa and area communities took part in an exercise Wednesday to test their emergency preparedness.

The exercise was sponsored by the Office of Emergency Management and is an annual event for the city.

"I most certainly appreciate everybody's participation in this thing," said Kenneth Hall, the Pampa/Gray County Emergency Management coordinator.

"I think it went fairly well," Hall said at the critique of the training exercise.

He went on to say that a few significant problems became very apparent during the exercise.

One area many people at the critique mentioned as a problem was the lack of communications faced by authorities ranging from police to fire to communications officers.

"There was some confusion about whether a message actually went out through the EOC communication or whether they were simulated," Hall said. "We worked through that and information started coming in after that; I don't think we ever got a grasp on what was going on out there."

The training exercise was staged near the corner of Tyng and Anne and occurred shortly after 1:30 p.m. It included a fake tornado warning, an auto accident with six victims, one of whom was pregnant, and a chemical spill from a train car.

While area law enforcement authorities, the ambulance service and the fire department knew the day of the training exercise, they were not given the time or place until they responded.

Another problem faced by some people in the exercise was the weather.

Originally, the wind was supposed to blow from the southeast but instead was blowing from the north and northwest.

This was a key factor because of the simulated chemical leak.

As for the chemical, firefighters had a problem identifying what it was supposed to be that was leaking from the train car.

Apparently, the train had conflicting markings which identified two different chemicals, both of which are hazardous but react differently.

"The placard showed flammable material and we go with the worst case scenario," said Capt. Kelly Randall, a Pampa firefighter and hazardous material officer for the fire department.

One of the matters that was stressed through out the training exercise was safety for both the victims and for emergency response crews.

Another aspect emphasized was that it was important to identify the mistakes they could in preparation for the real thing, should it ever occur.

"If you had a city or a county government or agency that went through an exercise and everything went smooth and everything was perfect, you would know somebody was cheating," said Dan Rose, a control officer in the exercise. "If we have some problems, that's good; that is what we wanted to see."

In the past, chemical accidents, tornadoes and other disasters were simulated.



(Staff photo by Darlene Holmes)

Pampa firefighters practice removing victims from the scene of an accident Wednesday during a disaster simulation sponsored by the Office of Emergency Management.



(Staff photo by Randal K. McGavock)

Pampa firefighters approach the mock car accident Wednesday as members of the Amarillo media follow closely behind.

Clinton, Yeltsin to palaver again

ATHENS (AP) — President Clinton will hold his second summit meeting with Russian President Boris Yeltsin later this year as the two leaders deepen their ties in the post-Cold War era.

Secretary of State Warren Christopher made the announcement in response to a question at a news conference here. He is attending the spring session of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization with 15 allied foreign ministers.

Clinton and Yeltsin met last April in Vancouver, Canada, and worked on proposals for U.S. assistance to the Russian economy. Other Western nations and Japan have also made multi-billion dollar pledges and will have further discussions with the United States at an economic summit meeting in Tokyo next month.

"President Clinton is generally committed to hold a return meeting with President Yeltsin in the next several months," Christopher said. The details have not been worked out.

The summit would be at least the third for the American president in 1993 as he seeks to defend himself against critics who claim a lack of U.S. leadership abroad.

Apart from the Vancouver summit with Yeltsin and now a second one, he will meet with the heads of the 15 other NATO nations late in the year, probably in Brussels, to review the alliance's stand on Bosnia and other conflicts in Europe.

Clinton, in his less than five months in the White House, has appeared to be more inclined to focus on the American economy, health issues and other domestic concerns.

Grandview-Hopkins ISD considers school options

By JOHN McMILLAN
Staff Writer

The Grandview-Hopkins school board on Tuesday heard five options on school finance that the state has presented it — and the board wasn't enthusiastic about any of them.

"At this point, they're not favoring any of the five," said Norman W. Baxter, superintendent of Grandview-Hopkins Independent School District, who related news about the meeting.

The Grandview-Hopkins school board asked Baxter to study the expected effect on the school district's revenues from each of the options and to review the expected implications for the planned budget for next school year from each of the five options. The school district has until Sept. 1 to select from one of the five choices.

Baxter said he does not have any preference from the five choices available to Grandview-Hopkins school district. "I just think we have to make the best choice for our students to give them the best education possible," he said.

The five options provided under Senate Bill 7, the public school education and finance legislation approved by the Legislature and signed by Governor Ann Richards, are:

- (1) Consolidation with another school district.
- (2) Removal of some of the tax-

able territory from the Grandview-Hopkins school district, a property-rich district, and transfer of that territory to another district to equalize funding among the school districts.

(3) Purchase of weighted average daily attendance credits from other school districts, which is designed to equalize funding among school districts. The Texas Education Agency is asking Grandview-Hopkins ISD to pay it \$3,546 per student if it chooses that option, Baxter said.

(4) Contract for non-resident students. Under this option, Grandview-Hopkins ISD would approach a property-poor school district and agree to pay for the education of some of its students without their attending the Grandview-Hopkins school system.

(5) Consolidate the tax base with one or more districts anywhere in the state, which would enable the districts to pool their tax base.

During the 1992-93 school year, Grandview-Hopkins' weighted average daily attendance, which counts students receiving special services higher than regular students, was 39, Baxter said. That figure is expected to increase to 57 in the fall, because of a new state policy allowing Grandview-Hopkins ISD to count students who graduated from grade 6 there — the highest grade level possible at Grandview-Hopkins ISD — and are attending school elsewhere.

Energy policy debated

WASHINGTON (AP) — As top Senate Democrats pressed for a scaled-back energy tax, President Clinton today sought to assure disgruntled House Democrats that "they didn't walk the plank" for nothing in supporting a broader tax.

"What the final shape of the energy portion will be, no one can now say," Clinton said at a picture-taking session as he met with domestic-policy Cabinet members.

On Capitol Hill, top Senate Democrats reshaping Clinton's troubled deficit-reduction tax bill circulated a plan that would replace his broad energy tax with a smaller levy on transportation fuels.

Clinton said he was glad the process was moving forward — but he sought to distance himself from the deliberations. "I have not signed off on any energy proposal in the Senate yet," Clinton said.

He was trying to repair some of the political damage done earlier in the week when the administration gave up on the original Clinton energy proposal — a tax based on the heat-content of fuels that would raise \$72 billion over five years. The tax had little support in the Senate.

But, in backing away from it, Clinton alienated many House Democrats who voted for the tax because he promised them it was an integral part of the package.

He said that he still prefers the original heat-content tax, and that it could be revived by a House-Senate conference that will ultimately have to reconcile House and Senate Democrats.

Backing away from the larger tax also angered some members of the Congressional Black Caucus, already mad at Clinton for dropping his nomination of Lani Guinier as civil rights chief.

Going with a smaller tax would mean making up the lost revenues by additional cuts in social programs.

Clinton said he agrees with the Black Caucus in preferring the bigger heat-content tax.

But, Clinton said: "Neither they nor I have a vote on the Senate Finance Committee."

Democratic leaders also are floating proposals to clamp a tax on electricity, case proposed new levies on the rich and some Social Security recipients, and take a deeper bite out of Medicare and Medicaid than the House has approved.

Silva perseveres in cancer battle

By JOHN McMILLAN
Staff Writer

Jose Silva Jr. smiles so readily in conversation that those speaking with him might be inclined to forget that the 15-year-old has cancer.

Silva, a student at Pampa Middle School, said in an interview on Wednesday that he has no fear about his personal health — despite the advanced Hodgkin's Disease

that Amarillo doctors diagnosed in him in January.

"I just want to get better and that's it," Silva said. "I'm not thinking about whether I'm sick or anything. I just want to get better, that's all."

Silva is the son of Natalia and Jose Silva and their family lives at 910 E. Browning.

Silva said he visits Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo every three weeks for chemotherapy

treatment, and that doctors have told him the chemotherapy for his advanced Hodgkin's Disease will be completed in six more months. The doctor at Northwest, Dr. Ihsan Alkhalil, a cancer specialist, says Silva is making good progress toward ridding himself of the life-threatening disease, the Pampa youth noted.

Silva's sister-in-law, Agueda Silva, 35, of Pampa, said the

teenage boy is "responding well. He's taking it one step at a time. He's just a positive person."

Donna Stephenson, a social worker for the Chronically Ill and Disabled Children's Program of the Texas Department of Health in Pampa, a program that is paying medical bills incurred by the teenager since Feb. 1, said: "I think his attitude is very good. He's very positive, very pleasant to be around. He doesn't feel sorry for himself at all."

Although the teenager suffered in December from cancer symptoms of coughing and a fever and vomiting, he said, an operation in January that removed a lymph node from his right throat has left him feeling no pain — not even during the chemotherapy treatments, he said.

Jose Silva said he continues to enjoy fishing and baseball and camping as pastimes, even though he has stopped playing the strenuous sport of football because of his illness. The teenager also said that after withdrawing from school in February, he continued his studies with help from home visits by a teacher. Silva said he expects to attend eighth grade in the fall.

Classmates have helped to boost his morale by giving him balloons, candy and cookies, as well as by sending him get-well cards and visiting him, Silva said. The principal of Pampa Middle School, Jerome Stewart, has visited him both at the hospital in Amarillo and at his home in Pampa, the teenager said.

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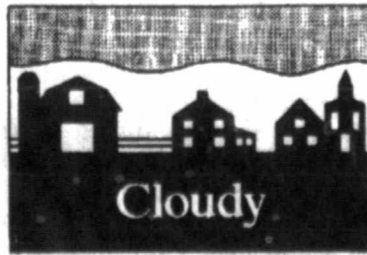
(Staff photo by John McMillan)

Jose Silva Jr., 15, of Pampa is receiving chemotherapy for advanced Hodgkin's disease.

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Daily Record

Services tomorrow

HANTSCHÉ, Irene — 10 a.m., Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel.
REDELLE, J. Lawrence — 10 a.m., Fairview Cemetery.
STUBBS, Randy Steven — 2 p.m., Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel.

Obituaries

J. LAWRENCE REDELLE
HOBBS, N.M. — J. Lawrence Reddell, 88, died Monday, June 7, 1993, at Hobbs, N.M. Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Friday at Fairview Cemetery in Pampa, Texas, with the Rev. Lane Boyd, Pampa District Superintendent of the United Methodist Church, officiating. Arrangements are by Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors of Pampa, with graveside rites courtesy of Top O' Texas Masonic Lodge #1381 AF&AM.
 Mr. Reddell was born on July 9, 1904, in Oklahoma. He was a resident of Pampa from 1950 until 1987, when he moved to Hobbs. He married Hattie Elizabeth Smart on Oct. 5, 1923, in Wagoner, Okla.; she died in 1986. He was a bookkeeper for Groninger & King Trucking Co. for several years and later owned and operated Bee-Bee Oil Co. He was a life member of Top O' Texas Masonic Lodge #1381 AF&AM. He was a member of the Khiva Temple of Amarillo and the El Paso Scottish Rite Consistory. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Pampa.

Survivors include two sons, Tom Reddell of Aurora, Colo., and Jim Reddell of Pampa; a daughter, Mary Nell Wells of Hobbs, N.M.; three brothers, Arthur Reddell of Lake Charles, La., Pat Reddell of Longview, Texas, and Cecil Reddell of Duncan, Okla.; three sisters, Sadie Reddell of Lake Charles, La., Jewel Hughley of Bartlesville, Okla., and Merle Reddell of McAlester, Okla.; 12 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.
 The family will be at 2120 N. Russell in Pampa.

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions Pampa	Dismissals Pampa
Laura Kay Elmore	Maria Ortega
Monica Lynn Ledford	Eleanor H. Tyre
Euicne Maddox	Vick Clyde (extended care)
Virginia Kay Martinez	Briscoe
Harry Earl Opperman	Mary Louise Nelson and baby girl
Julie Jo Smith	Skellytown
Canadian	Kimberly Nicole Wise and baby boy
Chriss Babitzke Jr.	
White Deer	
Julie Ann Furgason	SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions Shamrock
Births	Hallie Davis
To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elmore of Pampa, a girl	Jennifer Morgan
To Mr. and Mrs. Scott Furgason of White Deer, a boy	Birth
To Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ledford of Pampa, a girl	To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morgan of Shamrock, a boy
To Mr. and Mrs. Merkie Martinez of Pampa, a girl	Dismissals Shamrock
	Price Barrett

Calendar of events

BLOOD PRESSURE CHECK
 A blood pressure check is offered from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. each Friday in the Red Cross office, 108 N. Russell. Blood sugar tests are offered the first Friday of each month. A donation is accepted to cover expenses.

Emergency numbers

Ambulance.....	911
Crime Stoppers.....	669-2222
Energas.....	665-5777
Fire.....	911
Police (emergency).....	911
Police (non-emergency).....	669-5700

Police report

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

WEDNESDAY, June 9
 Dolores Ann Spurrier, 2101 N. Zimmers, reported a burglary of a habitation.
 Jill Susan Lewis, PO Box 1112, reported found property.
 A juvenile male reported abuse to a child.
 Shannon S. Hughes, 1032 Varnon Dr., reported criminal trespassing.
 Food King, 1420 N. Hobart, reported a theft.
 Long John Silver's, 1050 N. Hobart, reported criminal mischief.
 The city of Pampa reported criminal mischief.
 Christopher Paul Givens, 2301 Cherokee, reported criminal mischief.
 Sue Holder, 1060 N. Wells, reported criminal mischief over \$20 and under \$200.
 Melissa Jones, 1104 Garland, reported a hit and run.
 Schneider House, 120 S. Russell, reported found property.
 Veteran's Administration Office, 123 W. Foster, reported theft over \$750 and under \$20,000.

TODAY, June 10
 Cynthia Patrice Hanks, 859 S. Sumner, reported an aggravated assault with a deadly weapon.

Arrests
WEDNESDAY, June 9
 Devin Wyett, 21, 2506 Charles, was arrested at 2500 Perryton Parkway on a charge of public intoxication.

Sheriff's Office

The Gray County Sheriff's Office reported no incidents during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Arrests
WEDNESDAY, June 9
 Kathy Anderson Holt, 41, Panhandle, was arrested on a charge of tampering with governmental records. She was released pending the trial.
 Leonard Allen Holt, 46, Panhandle, was arrested on a charge of tampering with governmental records. He was released pending the trial.

Accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported no accidents during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Fires

The Pampa Fire Department reported the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

WEDNESDAY, June 9
 10:31 a.m. — Two units and three firefighters responded to a false alarm at 1800 N. Hobart.
TODAY, June 10
 3:55 a.m. — Two units and five firefighters responded to a false alarm at 1000 Varnon Dr.

Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler-Evans of Pampa.		
Wheat.....	2.54	
Milo.....	3.40	
Com.....	4.07	
The following show the prices for which these securities could have traded at the time of compilation.		
Ky. Cent. Life.....	NA	NA
Serfco.....	4.5/8	NC
Occidental.....	22	NC
The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation.		
Magellan.....	68.55	
Puritan.....	16.43	
The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock Market quotations are furnished by Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa.		
Amoco.....	57 7/8	dn 1/4
Arco.....	122 3/8	dn 5/8
Cabot.....	47	up 1/2
Cabot O&G.....	24 7/8	up 1/8
Chevron.....	90 1/8	up 1/4
Coca-Cola.....	40 1/8	up 1/4
Enron.....	61 1/2	NC
Halliburton.....	40 1/4	dn 1/4
HealthTrust Inc.....	18 5/8	NC
Ingersoll Rand.....	33 7/8	dn 1/2
KNE.....	34 1/4	dn 1/8
Kerr McGee.....	52 3/8	up 1/2
Limited.....	23	up 1/8
Mapco.....	55	NC
Maxx.....	9 1/2	NC
McDonald's.....	49 1/2	NC
Mobil.....	73 1/2	dn 1/8
New Atmos.....	28 1/2	up 3/8
Packer & Parsley.....	27 3/8	dn 3/8
Penney's.....	47 7/8	dn 1/8
Phillips.....	31 5/8	NC
SLB.....	66 3/4	dn 1/2
SPS.....	32 1/8	NC
Tenneco.....	46 7/8	dn 1/4
Texas.....	65	dn 1/8
Wal-Mart.....	26 3/8	dn 1/4
New York Gold.....	370.60	
Silver.....	4.25	
West Texas Crude.....	19.64	



Bill Waters, from left, and David Holt of the M.K. Brown Foundation present a check to John Tripplehorn for construction of the PAAF / VFW museum.

Museum clears obstacle

Local veterans are finalizing construction plans for the Pampa Army Air Field/Veterans of Foreign Wars museum in Memorial Park after receiving a matching funds grant from the M.K. Brown Foundation.
 Foundation chairman Bill Waters and secretary David Holt awarded the PAAF/VFW board with an \$85,000 check Wednesday after the museum fund reached its goal of the same amount Monday.
 Members of the museum board will meet with an architect next week to examine plans for the structure, according to PAAF/VFW Association President John Tripplehorn.
 Once the blueprints are complete, museum officials will accept bids for construction.
 The museum association expects to break ground in 60 to 90 days, Tripplehorn said.
 Plans currently call for incorporation and expansion of the old water pump station on the Memorial Park grounds, a designated historical site, into the new structure.

Police report shooting incident

Gerhardt said at least seven shots were fired from both the handgun and from the shotgun at law enforcement officers before the juvenile was arrested.
 None of the law enforcement officers who responded to the incident were injured, according to Gerhardt.
 She added that police officers were able to apprehend the suspect without returning fire.
 "Every officer did an outstanding job and I'm very proud of them," Gerhardt said.
 In addition to patrol officers from the Pampa Police Department, two detectives from the police department, two deputies from the Gray County Sheriff's Office, Sheriff Randy Stubblefield and two Department of Public Safety troopers responded to the scene, according to the police.
 The juvenile apparently got the weapons from the Hanks' home, according to police.
 Currently, the case is being investigated by Detective Morse Burroughs of the Pampa Police Department.

LOTTO

Wednesday's winning numbers are:
10-16-23-25-40-45

City briefs

- WATER WELL SERVICE, Doug Kennedy, 665-4088. Adv.**
- BRICK REPAIR, Harley Knutson, 665-4237. Adv.**
- FRANK SLAGLE Electric. All electrical services, 665-3748. Adv.**
- EASY'S POP Shop - We now have all major brands of beer. Check our everyday low prices! Adv.**
- FREE BARBEQUE, Robert's Killarney, Saturday, 4 p.m. Adv.**
- CITY LIMITS - Radio Flyer, Friday, Saturday Night Dance, admission \$2. 669-9171. Adv.**
- SPRING AND Summer Clearance 10% to 75% Off. Also a \$10 rack. Personal Touch, 113 N. Cuyler. Adv.**
- GOLD PHILCO side by side refrigerator. 669-6395. Adv.**
- GREATER LOVES Choir will minister at Faith Christian Center, 118 N. Cuyler, Saturday evening at 7 p.m. Adv.**
- HEMILIA KITTENS. Pets Unique, 854 W. Foster. Adv.**
- RADIO FLYER Band at City Limits this Friday, Saturday, admission \$2. 669-9171. Adv.**
- FOUND SMALL black dog, N. Russell vicinity. 665-6779 or 274-7077. Adv.**
- STOREWIDE SALE on selected merchandise up to 50% off. Pets Unique, 854 W. Foster. Adv.**
- SUMMER GYMNASTICS at Madeline Graves Dance and Gymnastics Center, registration Friday June 11, between 4-6. 1345 S. Hobart. No phone registration. Adv.**
- ALL FLOWERS will be picked up in the mow path at Fairview Cemetery on June 15th. Adv.**

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST
 Tonight, mostly cloudy with a low near 60. Friday, mostly cloudy and a chance of showers and thundershowers, the high near 80 and the low near 60, easterly winds 10 to 20 mph. Wednesday's high was 77 degrees; the overnight low was 58 degrees.
REGIONAL FORECAST
West Texas - Panhandle: Tonight, partly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms. Lows in mid to upper 50s. Friday: Partly cloudy with a slight chance of thunderstorms. Highs in upper 70s to low 80s. Friday night: Partly cloudy with a slight chance of thunderstorms. Lows in upper 50s to mid 60s. Saturday through Monday: A slight chance of thunderstorms each day. Lows in upper 50s to mid 60s. Highs in mid 80s to low 90s. South Plains: Today, partly to mostly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms. Severe storms are possible along with locally heavy rain southeast. Highs in upper 70s. Tonight: Partly to mostly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms. A few storms possibly severe and some with locally heavy rain southeast. Lows in upper 50s to low 60s. Friday: Partly cloudy with a slight chance of thunderstorms. Highs in low to mid 80s. Friday night: Partly cloudy with a slight chance of thunderstorms. Lows 60-65. Saturday: A slight chance of thunderstorms. Highs in the 80s. Sunday through Monday: Dry. Lows 60-65. Highs 90-95.
South Texas - Hill Country, South Central Texas: Today, mostly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Highs in mid and upper 80s. Tonight: Mostly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the 70s. Friday: Cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Highs in the 80s. Friday night: Mostly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the 70s. Saturday and Sunday: Mostly cloudy with scattered showers or thunderstorms. Lows in the 70s. Highs in the 90s.
**North Texas - Today, mostly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms west, central and northeast. Partly cloudy with a slight chance of thunderstorms southeast. High 84 to 90. Tonight: Mostly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms west and south. Mostly cloudy east and north with a slight chance of thunderstorms. Lows 65 to 72. Friday and Friday night: Mostly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms. Highs Friday 86 to 90. Lows Friday night 69 to 72. Saturday and Sunday: Partly cloudy with a slight chance of thunderstorms. Lows upper 60s to mid 70s. Highs upper 80s to mid 90s. Monday: Mostly fair. Lows in the 70s with highs in the 90s.
BORDER STATES
Oklahoma - Today, mostly cloudy with showers; thunderstorms likely north and a chance of thunderstorms south. Highs 80 to 85. Tonight: Partly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms. Lows 65 to 70. Friday: Partly sunny with a chance of thunderstorms. Highs in mid 80s.
New Mexico - Today, partly cloudy. Widely scattered thunderstorms central mountains and east, most of them this afternoon. Highs upper 60s to mid 80s mountains and north; 80s to low 90s south. Tonight: Partly cloudy with widely scattered evening thunderstorms central mountains and east. Skies becoming fair west. Lows mid 30s to near 50 mountains; 50 to 65 lower elevations. Friday: Partly cloudy. Widely scattered afternoon thunderstorms, most of them central mountains and southeast. A little warmer west and north. Highs 70s to mid 80s mountains and north; mid 80s to mid 90s south. Friday night: Partly cloudy central mountains and east. Skies becoming fair west. Widely scattered evening thunderstorms, most of them central mountains and east. Lows upper 30s to mid 50s mountains and north-west; 50s to mid 60s east and south.**

McLean plans big weekend

A rodeo, parade, car rally, school reunion and art show are all part of the full slate of events scheduled this weekend for the 83rd annual Route 66 Round-up in McLean.
 Activities begin Friday afternoon with the McLean schools' ex-students' reunion. Registration is at 4 p.m. at the McLean-Alanreed Area Museum on Main Street, followed by a spaghetti supper at the Senior Citizens' Center at 5:30.
 Events continue Friday night with the Route 66 Rodeo, which begins at 8 p.m. at the arena. The rodeo dance follows at the arena slab immediately after the rodeo.
 Registration for the car rally is Saturday morning at 9 a.m. at the bank parking lot at the intersection of Main Street and old Route 66. Drivers hit the 33-mile course at 11 a.m.
 The ex-students' reunion continues Saturday with registration at 8 a.m., a flapper contest at 10 a.m. and an ex-students business meeting at 11 a.m. Class reunions begin at 4:30 p.m., and the reunion dance starts at 8:30 p.m. at the Gerald Tate Ag Barn.
 The public is welcome for lunch Saturday as the bar-b-que kicks off at 12 noon in the park. After lunch the parade will assemble at the north end of Main Street and wind through the streets of McLean beginning at 2 p.m.
 Over 130 pieces are on display at the annual art show at the Devil's Rope Museum. The show began Tuesday and runs through Sunday.

Death possibly from mystery illness

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — The death toll from a mystery illness may have grown with the death of an Indian woman who was airlifted to a hospital here, but health officials say it will take weeks to determine if she had the disease.
 The woman, whose name, tribe and hometown were not released, died at 5:40 p.m. Wednesday at University Hospital, said John McKean, spokesman for the governor's office. He said she was from northwestern New Mexico and was airlifted here from Farmington.
 "Authorities suspect that her death was caused by acute respiratory distress related to the recent illness outbreak in southwestern states, but confirmation of that will require further tests," McKean said.
 The state Office of the Medical Investigator took custody of the body and will coordinate with the national Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta in analyzing the causes of her death, he said.

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Silva

The teenager expressed gratitude for the fund established by Stephenson at First National Bank to defray his medical expenses. Contributions to the medical fund may be made through Sheila Lott at First National Bank, 665-8421. The fund was established because Jose Silva's parents do not have medical insurance, he said.
 Jose Silva said the medical fund makes him "happy, because my parents won't be in debt and because right now I won't be in stress" about their ability to pay the bills, he said. The teenager estimated that he incurred medical bills of \$15,000 through Jan. 28 that have not been paid.
 Another source of happiness for Silva has been the 27-inch television set and video-cassette recorder that he received as a present from the Amarillo nonprofit organization "Make A Wish," which aids children with life-threatening illnesses. He keeps the television set and VCR in his bedroom and says he watches more TV than he did before contracting the cancer.

Fire station tour



(Staff photo by Darlene Holmes)

Fire Chief Claudie Phillips, city commissioners, City Manager Glen Hackler and Mayor Richard Peet listen to Capt. Paul Jenkins describe the use of a portable fan designed to blow the smoke from a burning house during a tour of the Central Fire Station on Tuesday. The tour was part of the City Commission's meeting schedule for the day.

Wolf Creek Festival events set for Friday and Saturday

PERRYTON — Wolf Creek Park, 17 miles southeast of Perryton off Highway 83, will be the site of one of the Panhandle's biggest blowouts this weekend, when the Perryton-Ochiltree Chamber of Commerce hosts Wolf Creek Festival June.

Activities begin Friday evening with a dance featuring the Lost River Band from Red River, N.M. The dance runs from 8-11 p.m. at the park.

Saturday begins a full day of events, starting with Rotary Club-sponsored bicycle races at the park for all ages.

There will also be a horseshoe pitching tournament, sponsored by the Ochiltree County Iron Slinger; sand volleyball tournament, sponsored by the Perryton Activity Center; water-skiing competition; tug-of-war competition, sponsored by The Locker Room; barbecue cookoff; and cow patty bingo, sponsored by Beehive Daycare Center.

Throughout the day, there will be plenty of food and game booths, manned by civic organizations, and an arts and crafts festival, with exhibitors from across the area.

Special events slated during Saturday include a water-skiing exhibit.

Tilton gets pie in face

TULSA, Okla. (AP) — As the elevator door closed on H.W. Schultz, he watched Robert Tilton leave the federal courthouse building and then cringe as if the evangelist were taking a pie to the face.

"I said, 'Did I just see what I thought I saw?'" Schultz, a building service supervisor, said Wednesday.

Yes. When Schultz saw Tilton a few minutes later, Tilton had pie "crammed in his hair, his ear and all over his sports jacket."

Tilton was created by a man in his 20s who had been waiting outside the courthouse for nearly four hours.

The evangelist, who is in court seeking to keep ABC from rerunning its *PrimeTime Live* expose of his ministry, was excused from the hearing Wednesday.

The hearing ended Wednesday, but a decision is not expected until next month.

Chisum joins in BTU tax protest trip

WASHINGTON (AP) — Nine members of the Texas Legislature in town to lobby against the unpopular BTU tax proposal, including Pampa's Warren Chisum, are under fire from a Texas congressman who says their trip was inappropriate.

Congressman John Bryant says he has no problem with state lawmakers coming to town to discuss issues of concern — except when their efforts are linked to those of private lobbyists.

The nine lawmakers arrived in Washington Tuesday for three days of meetings with the Texas congressional delegation and others regarding a tax that they view as potentially disruptive to the economy of the nation's largest energy-consuming state.

The trip is being paid for by the state. But an Austin public relations firm, Read-Poland Associates, was hired by the American Energy Alliance to publicize the trip and coordinate media coverage. Read-Poland spokesman Terry Young confirmed.

The American Energy Alliance, which represents major oil companies and hundreds of other organizations, has been a key player in the effort to derail the BTU tax.

At a news conference Wednesday in front of the Capitol, the lawmakers railed against the tax and criticized the 14 Texas Democratic congressmen who voted in favor of President Clinton's budget package — which contains the BTU tax. Seven Texas Democrats voted against the plan, which narrowly passed after an intensive White House lobbying effort to craft compromises and shore up support among wavering Democrats.

"I happened up on the news conference and was surprised to discover, in effect, it's part of an orchestrated lobbying campaign paid for by the (American Energy Alliance)," said Bryant, D-Dallas, one of the 14 Texans who voted with the president.

Bryant said he approached the lawmakers at the news conference and told them he thought their trip was ill-advised. "I just expressed the strong feeling that these fellows have placed themselves at the services of one of the most powerful lobbying groups in Washington," he said.

"I think it's healthy for them to come here and I wish there was more of it," Bryant added. "But they should come here when they are motivated out of their own concerns about state government and the impact of federal decisions. This quite obviously was organized by a lobbying group. I think it's a completely different animal."

The criticism stung state Sen. Carl Parker, the leader of the bipartisan state delegation. "He needs to be corrected in at least one respect," said Parker, D-Port Arthur. "We are not working in anybody's campaign."

Joining Parker on the trip were Sens. Eddie Lucio, D-Brownsville; Dan Shelley, R-Crosby; and Rodney Ellis, D-Houston. House members were Reps. Tom Uher, D-Bay City; Layton Black, D-Goldsmith; Warren Chisum, D-Pampa; Tom Ramsay, D-Mt. Vernon; and Harold Dutton, D-Houston.

tion by national slalom record holder Eddie Brown, which chamber officials say is always a crowd-pleaser.

Guests will be invited to ride the Aerotrim, a giant metal sphere used by astronauts and athletes alike for training. The sphere provides riders with a special "gyro" motion, in which the rider creates and controls direction as the machine reacts automatically to changes of movement and weight distribution.

Also on tap is a petting zoo from Meridian, Texas. Children will enjoy petting such exotic and domestic animals as pygmy goats, Nilgai antelope, llama, zebra, camels, fainting goats, a miniature horse and an eland, to name a few.

The Wolf Wagon Works out of Crossroads, N.M., will also be at Wolf Creek Festival, cooking food using authentic pioneer chuckwagon methods. Continuing in the Western vein, the Outlaws will pit good guys and bad guys against one another in an old-fashioned shootout, against a frontier town backdrop.

Throughout the day, the Lost River Band will play for the crowd, along with The Gospel Singers. Saturday evening, Dash Riprock and the Dragons take the stage for a concert, beginning at 9 p.m.

Dash Riprock and the Dragons has been the featured band at the Texas State Fair, and has appeared with several stars, including Crystal Gale, Restless Heart, Randy Travis, the Platters, The Commodores and the Mamas and the Papas.

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Weapons training



(Staff photo by Cheryl Barzanski)

Pampa Police Department officer Alvin Johnson (in uniform) undergoes weapons qualification testing Tuesday night. At left, Sgt. Kenneth Hopson, a range master, observes Johnson's use of his service handgun. In this exercise, Johnson was required to distinguish between "suspects" and "hostages" before firing his weapon 12 times in 10 seconds. Officers are required to undergo weapons qualification testing twice a year. The department's range is located near the city landfill.

Student told to take his ponytail to another school

HOUSTON (AP) — A 17-year-old student at Spring High School has been told he must find another school if he plans to continue wearing his hair in a ponytail.

His mother says she wishes he would cut the hair, but Jason McLemore said that's not going to happen. Instead, he said, he will attend summer school at Klein, where the dress code is more relaxed.

"I see this as funny because it's just hair, but serious because this is my education," McLemore said.

The school's grooming code specifies that a male student's hair shall not extend past the sport-shirt collar or T-shirt seam. He had the ponytail last year, and the hair code was in place then also. School officials finally allowed him to keep the ponytail, giving him until the start of the summer session to cut it.

"I wish Jason would just cut his hair now," Charlene Dzadon said. "We'll not take legal action against the school. It's not worth it to us."

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We believe that freedom is a gift from God and not a political grant from government, and that men have the right to take moral action to preserve their life and property for themselves and others.

Freedom is neither license nor anarchy. It is control and sovereignty of oneself, no more, no less. It is, thus, consistent with the coveting commandment.

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Opinion

Open borders aid to peace in trade

Free trade in legitimate goods sometimes can advance trade in illegitimate goods. Open borders can be crossed freely by the virtuous and the unvirtuous alike. For these reasons, the government might have a point in suggesting that the North American Free Trade Agreement could advance the flow of illegal drugs.

Reported *The New York Times*: "Cocaine smugglers working with Colombian drug cartels are starting to set up factories, warehouses and trucking companies in Mexico to exploit the flood of cross-border commerce expected under [NAFTA], United States intelligence and law enforcement officials say."

Now, in general, free trade makes for more virtuous citizens. Honest goods that once were smuggled to avoid high tariffs — computer equipment, TV sets, and so on — can be brought across freely. Fewer border patrol officials are bribed. And because free trade increases the wealth of everyone involved, more people join the middle class, increasing the appreciation of such middle class virtues as thrift and industriousness.

In the case of the United States and Mexico, free trade will bring another benefit. By helping the Mexican economy grow, NAFTA probably will decrease the number of immigrants heading North. Though we favor open immigration, we do lament that recent immigration has strained the U.S. government's welfare system, with taxpayers picking up an ever-higher tab.

Another point: Drug trafficking might not increase across the border; the traffickers' activity could be only to find less dangerous supply routes.

But if drug trafficking does increase — and only the adoption of NAFTA will show whether government fears are realistic — the solution is not more government regulation, but less.

While the government might be tempted to cut NAFTA or to intensify the "war" on drugs, a better tactic would be to tone down that "war."

If drug abuse were treated as a medical and spiritual problem rather than a criminal one, the price of drugs would drop sharply, taking the profit motive away from the drug cartels. More than a decade after the drug "war" was intensified, drug use remains as great as ever. Political solutions have not worked as intended, but have given us the side-effect of turning government loose to seize the property of innocent people.

NAFTA remains a salutary treaty that should be signed into law. Any problems caused by an increase in freedom should be dealt with by further increases in freedom.

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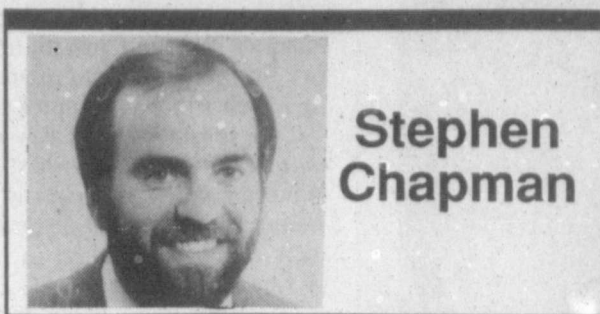
Defeatist free trade message

Ross Perot is not one of those people who think free trade is fine as long as it's fair trade. He doesn't support the unimpeded flow of goods and services across borders solely in those cases where we have the same access to the markets of other nations as they have to ours. He isn't looking for a level playing field, a fair fight, an even break or a two-way street. No, Perot has a simple view of international trade: He's scared to death of it.

That's the message of his latest "infomercial," a lengthy jeremiad on the North American Free Trade Agreement delivered May 30. The treaty forces each country to open its markets to the other and to Canada — no unilateral concessions here. But Perot, noticing that Mexican workers make less than ours and that American companies have the option of relocating south, is filled with foreboding.

If NAFTA is approved, he said, jobs and capital will flee the United States so fast that all we will hear is a "giant sucking sound." He demanded, "How can any company located in the United States, with all of the burdens, mandates and requirements placed on it by federal law, compete with 38-cents-an-hour labor in Mexico a few hundred miles to the south, where there are no mandates, no health care expenses, no retirement expenses, no environmental costs?"

Good question. How can any company compete? And yet, wonder of wonders, thousands do. For some odd reason, there are 20 million people employed in manufacturing in the United States, despite all those low-cost Mexican workers begging for jobs. In Perot's world, this is a vast mystery. Nearly half the goods we buy from Mexico already arrive duty-free, and the remainder face tariffs averaging less than 4 percent. American companies can also take advantage of the maquiladora program,



Stephen Chapman

which grants favorable tariff treatment to products made for export in designated areas of Mexico.

Are we supposed to believe that an American manufacturer saddled with oppressive wage costs is letting a piddly 4 percent duty stand between it and 38-cents-an-hour labor? And that the moment the tariff disappears, the company will rush to escape our soil?

Not likely. The United States has more expensive labor than Mexico; but it also has more productive labor. That and other attractions — including better communications and transportation, a more educated work force, less corruption and a well-functioning legal order — offer ample reason for many firms to prefer the northern side of the Rio Grande. If Perot were a Mexican, he would be railing against the idea of trying to compete with an ultra-modern capitalist colossus boasting so many advantages.

Perot claims we've lost 600,000 manufacturing jobs to Mexico. He hasn't noticed that we've added some 17 million jobs in the United States since 1980. Nor does he mention that NAFTA actually makes it more attractive for U.S. companies to stay in the United States. To reach the growing Mexican market today, they have to overcome an average tariff of 10 percent. Under NAFTA, duties will be zero. Other trade barriers

will also be demolished. U.S. automakers, which in the past had to build cars in Mexico to sell cars in Mexico, will have the option of building here and selling there. How does that make us worse off?

The billionaire's imagination often gets the best of him. He insisted that "\$5 billion of hard-working U.S. taxpayer money is being appropriated to promote NAFTA." Several calls to the United We Stand America yielded no documentation for this claim. The International Trade Administration, the lead agency promoting the agreement, says it got just \$330,000 extra in last year's budget for NAFTA — and none this year. "We can't imagine where he got that figure," says a spokesperson.

Perot seems to think only the United States has any need to buy goods abroad. But so does Mexico — and about three-quarters of its imports come from here. American exports to Mexico have soared in recent years, and a trade deficit with our neighbor to the south has turned into a \$5 billion trade surplus.

All this has happened even though Mexico does a lot to keep out U.S. products. Once NAFTA forces the Mexicans to open up their market, American companies will do even better. By promoting growth and higher living standards in Mexico, the treaty will also fuel additional demand for our wares.

American managers and workers have already shown they can readily compete with Mexico despite the existing handicaps, which NAFTA will remove. But it's not enough for Perot that we're winning — he wants a guarantee that we'll win.

Lacking that, he thinks we should wall ourselves off from the rest of the world, in the pathetic hope that we can avoid even having to try anymore. His attitude brings to mind one of the few memorable things Bill Clinton ever said: Protectionism is just another word for giving up.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Thursday, June 10, the 161st day of 1993. There are 204 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On June 10, 1942, the Gestapo massacred 173 male residents of Lidice Czechoslovakia, in retaliation for the killing of a Nazi official.

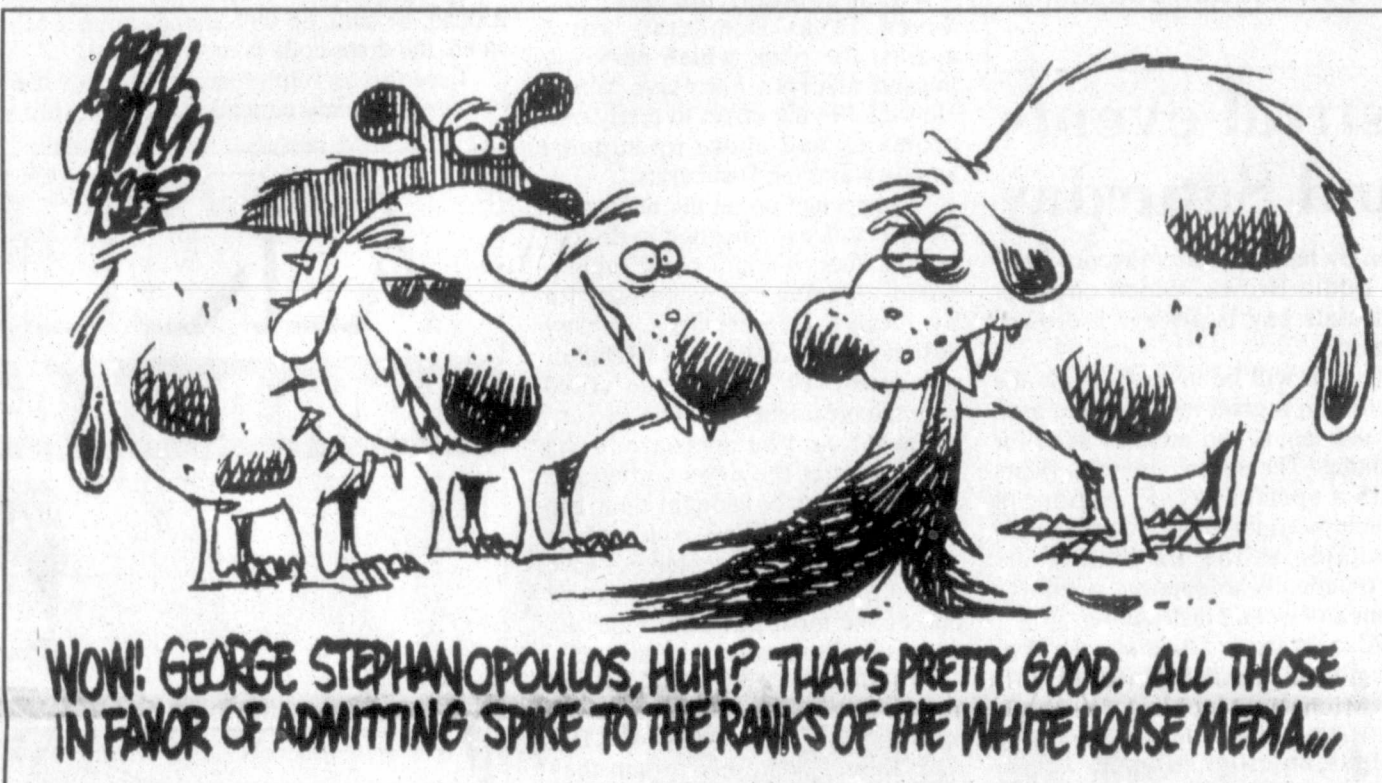
On this date:

In 1801, the North African state of Tripoli declared war on the United States in a dispute over safe passage of merchant vessels through the Mediterranean.

In 1865, the opera *Tristan und Isolde* by Richard Wagner premiered in Munich, Germany.

In 1922, singer-actress Judy Garland was born Frances Gumm in Grand Rapids, Minn.

In 1946, Italy replaced its abolished monarchy with a republic.



He's blessed with cousins

Without a lot of references to Travelgate — other than to explain to those who don't keep up with the news that it was about the Clinton administration massacring the White House travel staff and putting one of President Clinton's cousins temporarily in charge — I'm going to write about my own cousins today.

In the past, I've written about my parents, my grandparents and various aunts and uncles. But I've never had much to say about my cousins, and I'll limit this to first cousins for brevity's sake.

I counted and I have nine living first cousins, seven on my mother's side and two on my father's. I don't see my cousins that often, but we remain family. I thought I would name all my cousins and describe a bit about each one. They are all distinctive. They are all very nice people. Some have profound effects on my life.

And an aside to Northern smart alecks: I would like to point out I never married any of the females. Cousin-marrying went out in the South after the birth of whomever it was who invented instant grits.

My first cousins in no particular order:

MELBA: She's the only one of my cousins who is younger than me. We grew up together in our hometown of Moreland, Ga. One day when we were barely out of our diapers, a local bull got out of its pen and began to chase us.

"Run for it, Melba!" I screamed.

Melba picked up a rock and hit the bull between the eyes with it and it ran away. Melba saved my



Lewis Grizzard

life. As far as I know, however, Melba never made it to Pamplona. Good news for the bulls there.

MARY ANN: Melba's sister. She was very smart and married the smartest boy in Moreland, Stanley Cauthen. They had lots of smart children. Now they also have lots of smart grandchildren. We're getting old, Mary Ann. Seems like only yesterday, you were quashing the Santa Claus myth for us younger kids.

LYNN: She's where my looks went.

JIM: Lynn's handsome brother. A nearby women's college named Jim the best-looking man at the University of Georgia when he was a student there and invited him to a banquet in his honor. Legend has it, he wore white socks with his tuxedo to the banquet. Jim never married until he was in his late 40s. He's another one of my smart cousins.

GERRY: She babysat me when I was a child. If sweet and kind had faces, they would have hers. She taught me to play Monopoly, but wherewas she

when I invested in all those limited partnerships?

GLENDA: Gerry's sister. We were in a store in Moreland one day when I was 8. Glenda was 12. There were some grapes sitting on a counter.

"Like grapes?" Glenda asked me. "Love 'em," I answered. "Why don't you take one," she suggested. "They won't mind." I pulled off one of the grapes and ate it. "You know you're going to hell for stealing that grape," Glenda said. That was the last thing I ever stole. Thanks, Glenda.

SCOOTER: Gerry and Glenda's brother. Great fisherman, great hunter, and former county drag-racing champion. He taught me to throw a curve ball. They hated the dreaded hook in high school in '63 and '64.

MICKEY: She also babysat me as a child, and is why I've always had a thing for redheads, which, incidentally, has cost me about as much money as I lost in those limited partnerships.

MARY JEAN: The classiest lady I've ever known. She wouldn't serve instant grits to a liberal Yankee Democrat.

It should be obvious I've been blessed with some great cousins. And I would like to take this opportunity to say publicly to all of them, "I'm sorry I haven't mentioned you more often in this space and in others, but that doesn't mean I don't love all of you."

And if I had a travel agency I wouldn't hesitate to put a single one of them in charge of it.

Cuz's Travel Service. Sort of has a nice ring to it, doesn't it, Mr. President?

Troubling death of John Wilson

I had planned to write about the Bosnia-Herzegovina tragedy this week, but that faraway crisis receded quickly when I read a news story that had terribly depressing implications for the future of black males.

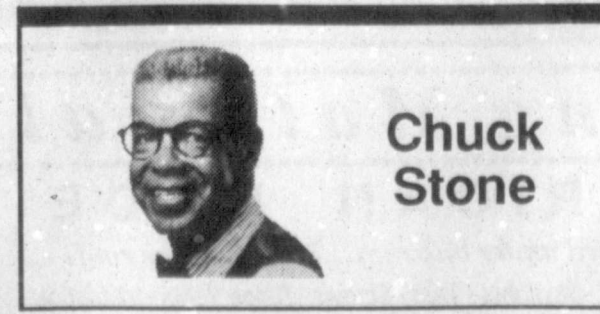
The story brought me back 26 years to a 4 a.m. meeting in a Newark, N.J., hotel room. The second national conference on black power had just ended, only three weeks after that city's orgy in racial violence. A small group of us was sitting on the floor, trying to cobble the conference's final position paper.

Rap Brown, Maulana Karenga (the founder of Kwana, the African-American winter celebration), Bill Strickland (one of the movement's quiet scholars), John A. Wilson (from the Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee), Rev. Nathan Wright (our chairman) and I were seized with a sense of the black community's historical mission.

But one member kept demanding a deeper analysis. "We ought to be discussing the historical rationale for this conference," said Wilson. "We ought to be asking: How will this conference impact on specific agendas?"

"For crying out loud, John," exploded an exasperated Strickland. "At 4 o'clock in the morning, you suddenly decide to become a philosopher king."

"Well, if Newark doesn't elect a black mayor



Chuck Stone

next time," responded Wilson, "what good will this conference have accomplished?"

"Spoken like a typical politician," Karenga said with a chuckle. The rest of us laughed and kidded Wilson some more. We finally completed the agenda at 10 a.m. and wearily trooped to a local soul-food restaurant for breakfast.

Seven years after that conference, Wilson harnessed his SNICK organizing skills to get elected to Washington's City Council. Ironically, the former black power advocate would represent one of the city's most racially integrated districts.

In 1990, Wilson, who had become a respected authority on the city's budget, was elected the chairman of the City Council. Washington's rising star was widely viewed as the favorite if he ran for mayor next year. But he was still wrestling with unresolved inner demons.

Last month, John A. Wilson, only 49, was found hanged in his home. Even as I write that tragic sentence, I can still feel an inner numbness.

John Wilson's death diminishes me, not only because of a longtime friendship, but because we — the nation's capital, this country and the black community — have lost a rare and thoughtful humanitarian. As did Andrew Young, Coleman Young and Marion Barry, Wilson made the difficult transition from civil-rights activist pressuring the system from the outside to an elected official working inside the system.

But I anguish over his death for another painful reason. Here is a black man, who, in a moment of supreme pain, took his life, just as young black men in the ghetto are slaughtering each other with thoughtless abandon.

An endemically powerless black community cannot continue to be an impotent, silent witness to its self-annihilation. We have got to find more effective ways to reach out and bring alienated brothers living in the 'hood to productivity in the American mainstream. We must also let the troubled John Wilsons know that they are an ever-present source of comfort for our troubles.

When I last saw my old friend at an abortion rights rally in Washington, I wish I had told him, "Hey, man, I'm proud of you, and I love the hell out of you."

Classroom Corner

Wilson Elementary honors students

Woodrow Wilson Elementary School honored students in an awards assembly on May 26.

Two fifth graders were honored as outstanding students. Sage Valmores was named Outstanding Fifth Grade Girl and Kevin Osborn was named Outstanding Fifth Grade Boy.

Honored for perfect attendance were Nicklas Lewis, Chance Henley, Chris Driscoll, Cara Pryor, Darin Allen, Teri Rollins, Billy Bob Stowers, Keitha Lewis, Aaron Keller, Crystal Parsley, Asia Wilson, Amber Bernal, Jarod Allen, Destiny Engel, Brian Sealman, Angel Armstrong, Cory Fowler, Callie McGrady, Jon Shephard and Nicole Wilson.

Spelling bee champs were Sage Valmores and Teresa Reed.

Earning the general music award were Heather Hardin and Reese Watson. The choir award was garnered by Sage Valmores and Javier Cruz.

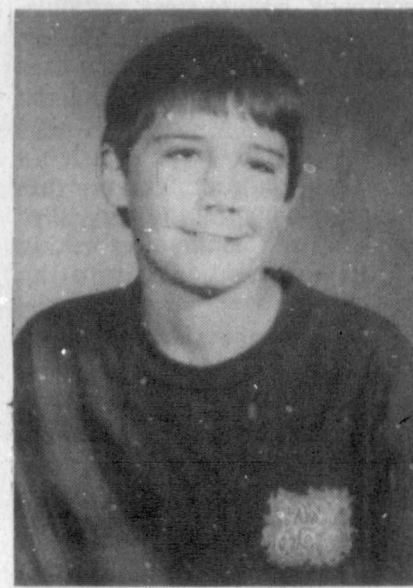
Honored as Presidential Academic Fitness Award winners were



Sage Valmores

Melea Joutt, Kevin Osborn, Jon Shephard, Sage Valmores, Levi Addy, John Johnson, April Melancon, P.J. Reed and Latisha Smith.

Physical education awards were given to Keith Price, Ashley Hardin, Eric Lemons and Schuyler Fulton.



Kevin Osborn

Presidential physical fitness awards were captured by Tisha Smith, Micki Petty and Billy Bob Stowers.

Odyssey of the Mind competitors were Kevin Osborn, Levi Addy and P.J. Reed.

Honor Roll

Travis Elementary School announces honor roll students for the sixth six weeks grading period. Named were:

First grade - Mrs. Hupp's class - A honor roll - April Amador, Samantha Conner, Christina Elliott, Brandon Espinosa, Demetrio Martinez, Terry Pruiett, Samuel Silva, Jonathan Sturgill, Erika Skinner, Amber Asher, AB honor roll - Ryan Carter, Adam Etchison, Danasty Haynes, Lindsay Jennings, Stacey Johnson.

Mrs. Parnell's class - A honor roll - Stephen Bledsoe, Bart Cathey, Keisha Childress, Hunter Craig, Lindsey Flynn, Bryce Fulton, Zack Hucks, Stephanie Nelson, Niecee Sandoval, Jennie Waggoner, Kolby Gilleland; AB honor roll - Jessica Grantham, Cody Jenkins, Robert Lee, Phillip Unruh, Whitney Watts.

Mrs. Street's class - A honor roll - Haley Bowen, Abbi Covalt, Nicki Green, Evelyn Jasso, Jessica Powell, Andy Rodgers, Brianna Russell, Jason Kilhoffer, Jared Simpson. AB honor roll - Jacob Trevathan.

Second grade - Mrs. Laflin's class - Josh Miller, Betsy Crossman, Ryan Zemanek, Jonathan Kilhoffer, Meredith Fleming, Zach Hood, Stephanie Chappell, Zackary Wayman; AB honor roll - Tommy Abernathy, Jennifer Baggett, Stephanie Lehman, Jessica Leos, Josh Cook.

Mrs. Peurifoy's class - A honor roll - Mollie Baker, Cameron Cargill, Tara Coffee, Karissa Intemann, Carolyn Morse, Stephen Nelson, Matthew Robben, David Thacker, Kevin Turner, Chris Van Houten; AB honor roll - Lacy

Blythe, Jill Crawford, Jesse Czesnowski, Cassie Gibson, Tyler Howard, Heather Hucks, Michael McCormick, David Nelson, Jaime Whatley, Tammy Silva, Brian Huddleston.

Mrs. Simon's class - A honor roll - Helen Brooks, Hollie Gattis, Stefani Goldsmith, Amber Green, Justin Haddock, Cameron Hanks, Blake Helms, Matt Jameson, Joanna Lawley, Amanda Lee, Jessica Lynch, Joey Riley, Rachel Stockman, April Taylor, Daniel Williams, Ashley Willis, Andrea McMillan. AB honor roll - Latisha Dudley, Kevin Youree.

Third grade - Mrs. Forister's class - A honor roll - Jon Brooks, Karen Kirkwood, Brian Klein, Shelby McGahan, Eric Sexton, Dustin Sinyard, Brad Stucker, Amanda Youngblood, Aaron Willis; AB honor roll - Jessica Baggett, Michelle Brown, Kayli Winton, Jeremy Green, Samantha Jasso, Ricky Morgan, Kristin Robinson, Levi Trevathan, Brian Yearwood, Zach Rogers.

Mrs. Wells' class - A honor roll - Stacie Carter, Marsha Donnell, Jarred Etheredge, Nathanael Hill, Chad Holland, Justin Waggoner; AB honor roll - Chase Babcock, Charlie Craig, Michelle Gomez, Daniel Heuston, Sabrina Johnson, Courtney Moreland, Adam Rodgers, Heather Parry, Janelle Powers.

Mrs. Zemanek's class - A honor roll - Marcie Bennett, Jessica Montgomery, Terrell Thaxton, Misti Northcutt; AB honor roll - Cali Covalt, Clint Brewer, Kimberly

Conner, Kirby O'Neal, Cody Elliott, L.J. Lawley, David Lusk, Josh Herr.

Fourth grade - Mrs. Duggan's class - A honor roll - Dori Edens, Kim Grice, Aaron Fernuik, Megan Couts, Daniel Abernathy; AB honor roll - Tony Beck, Josh Crawford, Scott James, Crystal Gatlin, Catherine Morse, Riordan Hill, Kyle Keith.

Mrs. Juel's class - Ryan Chambers, Shawn Strate, Katherine Zemanek, Aaron Childress, Tanner Hucks, Bonnie Schiffman; AB honor roll - Crystal Angel, Nick Dyer, Stephanie Hanks, Cory Schumacher, Joanna Wheeley.

Mrs. Moore's class - A honor roll - Josh Gibson, Tara Deaton; AB honor roll - Alexis Amador, Johanna Coker, Ernie Lozano, Casey Meharg, Venancio Silva, John Schlewitz, Luke Wilson, Jason Burklow.

Fifth grade - Mrs. Babcock's class - A honor roll - Bree Ann Dennis, Chris Mackay, Angela Klein, Brent Coffee; AB honor roll - Bobby Walton, Brooke Pope, Amber Rogers, Traci Shelton.

Mrs. Lane's class - A honor roll - Jon Bolz, Candace Cathey, Shane Flynn, Mathew Gomez, Colby Kenner, Courtney Lang, Lacy Plunk, Russell Robben; AB honor roll - Maggie Cowan, Casey Owen, Michelle Qualls, Justin Trollinger.

Mrs. Wyatt's class - A honor roll - Lindsey Donnell, Bradley Gardner, Kerry Turner; AB honor roll - Tiffany Bruce, Amber Doyle, Kyle McCullough, Spencer Hanks, April Rodgers, Chancey Williamson, Lynnsee Hancock.

UIL competition nets winners at Austin

Austin Elementary conducted University Interscholastic League competition in May. Student competed in literary events and number sense. Winners were:

Storytelling - second grade - first, Bonnie Holmes; second, Vanessa Orr; third, Kelly Tripplehorn; fourth, Chris Lasher; fifth, Megan Shannon; sixth, Trey Curtis.

Storytelling - third grade - first, David Phillips; second, Morgan White; third, A.J. Smith; fourth, Sara Scott; fifth, Evan Miller; sixth, Kristen Stowers.

Ready writing - third grade - first, Michelle Lee; second, Rebecca Fatheree; third, Ashley Clark; fourth, Rachel Horton; fifth, Ashley Derington; sixth, Kelley Stowers.

Spelling - third grade - first, Sarah Fraser; second, Brandon Trice; third, Tyler Hudson; fourth, Collin Lewis; fifth, Elizabeth Arrington; sixth, Johnny Pau.

Fourth graders competed in oral reading, spelling, ready writing, number sense and picture memory.

Winners were: oral reading - first, Jaelyn Jennings; second, Lane Baker; third, Starla Willoughby; fourth, Jamie Clay; fifth, Darrel Schroeder; sixth, Ryan Lancaster.

Spelling - first, Mandy Rains; second, Lindsay Langford; third, Meredith Hendricks; fourth, Ashleigh Patton; fifth, Lizette Navarette; sixth, Ryan Black.

Ready writing - first, Liana Ammerman; second, Shanna Baker; third, Melissa Lawrence; fourth, Kira Chumbley; fifth, Jennifer Valingo; sixth, Jimmy Story and

Sarah Redus.

Number sense - first, Andrew Grabato; second, Ryan Sells; third, Jeremy Harper; fourth, Bryce Jordan; fifth, Marcus Ross; sixth, Steve Bickle and Kandy Odom.

Picture memory - first, Kimberly Porter; second, Stephanie Caldwell; third, Vicki Williams; fourth, Mikel Thompson; fifth, Davey Anderson; sixth, Gabe Brack.

Fifth grade competition included: Oral reading - first, Cortnie Allison; second, Layne Duggan; third, Lindsey Tidwell; fourth, Blake Stewart; fifth, Helen Orr; sixth, Jenny Besette.

Ready writing - first, Ashley Laycock; second, Mary Grace Fields; third, Hayle Garrison; fourth, Lee Carmichael; fifth, Sofia Gruszecki; sixth, Cortnie Allison.

Number sense - first, Sean Stowers; second, Stephen Vanderpool; third, Kelly Henderson; fourth, Rebekah Warner and Justin Barnes; sixth, Wesley Warren.

Spelling - first, Lee Carmichael; second, Laurie Berzanskis; third, Michalla Mechler; fourth, Jason Kogler; fifth, Jessica Smith; sixth, Kyle Weller.

Listening - first, Angela Bowman and Tyson Curtis; third, Jacob Musgrave; fourth, Britteny Street; fifth, Cassi Scott; sixth, Cody Shephard.

Picture Memory - first, Team Three - Amy Spearman, Antonio Drees, Sofia Gruszecki, Trevor Muniz, Kimberly Cory; second, Team Two - Dillon Hill, Lael Huss, Amy Stripling, Chi Brack,

Misty Day; third, Team One - Jessa Francis, Ashley Laycock, Danny Kirkpatrick, Greg Lindsey.

Fourth and fifth graders competed in music memory. The first place team was composed of Celeste Stowers, Vicki Williams, Kandy Odom, Sean O'Neal, Stephanie Caldwell.

The second place team was composed of Ryan Sells, Aimee Stephenson, Christy Moutray, Brandy Odom, Marcus Ross.

The third place team was composed of Bonnie Boring, Emily Waters, Ashley Higgs, Lindsey Cree and Trey Rogers.

The fourth place team was composed of Emily Curtis, Marci Hansen, Rainy Hopson, Kristen Stephens and Heidi Searl. Lindsey Cree and Trey Rogers had perfect papers.

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Honor Roll

Honor roll students for the sixth six weeks grading period have been announced by Austin Elementary.

First grade — Courtney Adkins, Andrew Ammons, Chris Arnold, Jessica Arnold, Alan Arzola, Brianna Bailey, Neysha Barker, Ryan Barnes, Aaron Bickle, Laura Bickle, Logan Bowers, Nathan Bruce, Zachary Cain, Kelsey Caldwell, Kathryn Campbell, Jerrod Carruth, Bethany Casados, Erica Cochran, Michelle Cox, Alan Curry, Andrew Curtis, Caleb Darling, Megan David, Chelsey Davis, Shon Day, Brittany Drees, Bryan Duggan, Teri Eastham, Bradley Fletcher, Clarke Hale, Jessica Hall, Krissy Heiskell, Wade Herda, Paul Hollingsworth, Tyler Holmes, David Huss, Misty Ivey, Kayleigh Jennings, Anna Johnson, Jonathan Jones, Tara Jordan, Tyler Knight, Tamara Lambert, Lauryn Langford, Bobby Ledbetter, Jeffrey Lemons, Derek Lewis, Chad Long, Michael Martinez, Nathaniel McNutt, Daniel Meyer, Kenneth Mort, Austin Morton, Erin Norris, Shelby Patton, Julie Pence, Tyler Piersall, Lindsey Price, Casey Reeves, Ashley Schroeder, Devin Scott, Aaron Simon, Jera Skinner, Mac Smith, Kyle Snell, Johnny Story, Shalene Taylor, Ryan Trice, Van Vining, Ricky Watson, Danyelle Watts, Britton White, Gregory Wiley, Seth Williams, Stephanie Willoughby, Mark Wood.

Second grade — Ashley Abbe, Landon Baker, Grant Biehler, Amber Bowers, John Braddock, Abby Bradley, Kristi Broadbent, Todd Brown, Tristan Brown, Zach Budnick, Luke Burton, Stephen Calloway, Andrew Cambren, Ben Campbell, James Casey, Abby Cavalier, Annie Chumbley, Staci Clay, Julie Craig, Trey Curtis, Cody Fedric, Ben Frogg, Kandi Garrison, Cami George, Jay Gerber, John Cody Hahn, Brodie Hall, Price Hall, Kelci Hedrick, Lexi Hill, Bonnie Holmes, Ryan Hughes, Kevin Jantz, Tommy Janway, Brad Justice, Tyler Karr, Harold Kenemore, Franklin King, Tess Kingcade, Matthew Kirkpatrick, Jessica Knipp, Nick Knowles, Evan Ladd, Rhett Laurence, Lindsey Ledbetter, Brandy Ledford, Andrea Lee, Joey Love, Denise Mackie, Jordan Maxwell, Michael Mechler, Lindsey Meyer, Britney Moutray, Raynor Muniz, Matthew Murray, Vanessa Orr, Chris Owen, Cara Packard, Sarah Porter, Curtis Pritchett, Kendra Raber, Brent Rancy, Kingslee Reinhart, Garrett Rhine, Josh Robertson, Hal Rogers, Jake Ross, Brandi Schakel, Sarah Schwab, Jonathan Scott, Eric Scoggins, Megan Shannon, Max Simon, Mitch Shilling, Christy Smith, Layson Smith, Peyton Smith, Jared Snelgrooves, Jordan Spearman, Reid Spearman, Teryn Stowers, A.J. Swope, Lindsey Terrell, Clinton Thompson, Kelly Tripplehorn, Valerie Velez, Will Vise, Lauren Walters, Mary Alice Warner, Joshua Watts, Scotty Willett, Angie

Teens and steroids are dangerous combo
By DR. JOSEPH FETTO
New York University School of Medicine

Competing in sports can help a teen-ager's mental and physical development. But when the need to become bigger and faster prompts teens to use steroid drugs, the game can become dangerous or even deadly.

Anabolic steroid drugs control the production of testosterone and estrogen — the hormones that cause the development of secondary male or female sex characteristics — and are primarily produced in the testes and ovaries.

Young athletes seeking training shortcuts to improve their performance on the sports field often abuse anabolic steroids.

Their achievements often do improve but the accomplishments are generally due to the emotional rather than physical impact of the drugs.

Anabolic steroids cause the body to retain salt and water and reduce muscle flexibility. They provoke a mood of euphoria and have an anti-inflammatory effect that reduces awareness and concern about injury.

The combination of the euphoria, lessened concern about injury and increased muscle tension puts athletes at risk of overestimating their strength and ability. The short-term results can be muscle and bone injuries.

But indiscriminate steroid use can have far more dangerous long-range effects.

In males, these may include premature prostate enlargement, leading to urinary obstruction, liver tumors and, in extreme cases over a long period of time, testicular atrophy.

Steroid use by women can severely affect the reproductive system and result in sterility.

Both genders risk elevated blood pressure and changes in the liver's metabolism, possibly leading to a form of hepatitis and severe inflammation.

Parents who are informed and aware may be able to detect steroid use in their children.

Williams, Michelle Williams, Dustin Williamson, Zachry Windhorst, Jeffrey Woodington.

Third grade — Elizabeth Arrington, Lake Arrington, Mark Bailey, Casey Barnum, Molly Beck, Ryan Bradley, Erik Brown, Ryan Chisum, Ashley Clark, Stephanie Clark, Bandi Coward, Casey Crain, Clay David, Ashley Derington, Stephanie Dickerman, Mathew Dudley, Patrick Dunigan, Greg Easley, Ty Elledge, Ashley Everson, Rebecca Fathere, Kyle Francis, Sarah Fraser, Michael Frels, Shalyn Garner, Claire Hampton, Sepp Haukebo, Ty Heard, Desiree Hillman, Rachel Horton, Tyler Hudson, Ashlee Hunt, Dustin Johnson, Adam Jones, Ashley Jordan, Stacie Kenemore, Katie Kilcrease, Brittany Kindle, Corey Kindle, John Knipp, Michelle Kogler, Ben Ledbetter, Michelle Lee, Collin Lewis, Jennifer Lindsey, Danielle Martinez, Adam Meyer, Evan Miller, Ricky Morehart, Melinda Mort, Lindsey Narron, Ryan Nash, Kevin Needham, Abbey Parker, Johnny Pau, Sarah Peace, Stephanie Peoples, David Philips, Kandra Poole, Erin Raber, Cody Reeves, Sara Scott, Taylor Sims, A.J. Smith, Jared Spearman, Cliff Spencer, Taylor Stellman, Kelly Stowers, Kristen Stowers, Sarah Teague, Brandon Trice, Callie Veal, Dane Ward, Leslie Ward, Doug Warren, Morgan White, Jarrett Woodington.

Fourth grade — Liana Ammerman, David Auwen, Lane Baker, Shanna Baker, Steve Bickle, Ryan Black, Gabe Brack, Colby Brazile, Ashley Broadbent, Shauna Broadus, Brooke Brown, Stefanie Caldwell, Kira Chumbley, Jamie Clay, Michael Cornelison, Christy Davis, Reed DeFever, Cali George, Kirk George, Andrew Grabato, Colby Hale, Jeremy Harper, Taylor Harris, Meredith Hendricks, Jaclyn Jennings, Bryce Jordan, Ashley Knipp,

Jared Kochick, Lindsey Langford, Melissa Lawrence, Lance Lewis, Jesse McLain, Zech McNutt, Christyn Moutray, Lizette Navarette, Brandy Odom, Kandy Odom, Sean O'Neal, Crystal Packard, Ashleigh Patton, Jeremy Pence, Kimberly Porter, Jason Powell, Mandy Rains, Sarah Redus, Jayme Rithaler, Marcus Ross, Darrell Schroeder, Ryan Sells, Sheridan Snell, Aimee Stephenson, Jimmy Story, Celeste Stowers, Trevor Stowers, Jennifer Valingo, Jeffrey Warren, Damon Whaley, Vicki Williams, Starla Willoughby, Matt Withers.

Fifth grader — Becky Aderholt, Justin Barnes, Laurie Berzanskis, Jenny Besette, Chelsea Brown, Bill Campbell, Lee Carmichael, Kimberley Cory, Lindsay Cree, Emily Curtis, Tyson Curtis, Misty Day, Daniel Dreher, Layne Duggan, Lindsey Earl, Mary Grace Fields, Jill Forman, Jesse Francis, Hayle Garrison, Jeremy Goode, Kristin Gragg, Jeremy Hall, Marci Hansen, Matthew Heasley, Kelly Henderson, Ashley Higgs, Dillon Hill, Jennifer Hinds, Rainy Hopson, Lael Huss, Susan Johnson, Amanda Kilcrease, Brandon Knight, Jason Kogler, Ashley Laycock, Greg Lindsey, Eddie Love, Mechalla Mechler, Tandi Morton, Jacob Musgrave, Danette Navarette, Jeremy Nicholas, Helen Orr, Patrick Parsons, Matt Rains, Anna Resendiz, Haley Rex, Trey Rogers, Cassi Scott, Heidi Searl, Cody Shepard, Jared Smith, Jessica Smith, Kevin Smith, Phillip Smith, Kaleb Snelgrooves, Gil Solano, Amy Spearman, Christopher Stellman, Kristen Stephens, Blake Stewart, Sean Stowers, Britney Street, Amy Stripling, Jessica Stucker, Lindsay Tidwell, Jaclyn Turner, Stephen Vanderpool, Kristi Walling, Rebekah Warner, Wesley Warren, Emily Waters, Kyle Weller.

'Caleb's Friend' blends adventure and compassion in ocean tale

By CAROL DEEGAN
Associated Press Writer

"Caleb's Friend" is a richly textured book, both in story and illustrations. A young boy named Caleb, who works on a fishing boat, makes friends with a boy-fish from the sea.

The two meet when Caleb's beloved harmonica, the one his father had taught him to play, slips from his tired hands after a long day of work and falls into the

ocean. To Caleb's utter surprise, his harmonica is returned to the deck of the boat by a silvery-white creature from the sea. From the waist up, the creature looks like a boy about Caleb's age. But from the waist down, he has scales, fins and a magnificent long tail.

To repay the kindness, Caleb offers the boy from the sea a wild summer rose, which the boy clutches gently to his heart as he slips down back beneath the water. In return, the boy gives Caleb a beau-

tiful seashell.

A few days later, the boy from the sea is captured in the fishermen's nets. Despite Caleb's pleas to let the boy go, the fishermen sell him to a circus sideshow.

Caleb cannot let his friend suffer. Eric Jon Nones' story will touch the hearts of adults and children alike. Especially striking are the illustrations, which shimmer in the light of the moon, reflect the sun's rays and roll and pitch in the stormy seas.

Honor Roll

Brandon Woodward.

Third grade - honor roll - Sixto Albear.

Fourth grade - honor roll - Shanna Buck, Star Needham. Super citizens - Kristi Norwood.

Fifth grade - Honor roll - Jeremy

Buck, Candace Crouch, Shannon Oxley, Shawn Stone, Erica Dominguez. Super citizens - Jeremy Buck, Stefanie Harwood, B.J. Wilson, Michael Hinds.

Self-contained - Super citizens - Ricky Harvill, Faye Bennett.

Lamar Elementary announces honor roll and super citizens for the sixth six weeks grading period. Named were:

Kindergarten - Super citizens - John Meza, D'Ann Vela.

First grade - Super citizens - Rose Albear, Jason Brown, Crystal Mata.

Second grade - honor roll - Jeremy Mitchell, Kyle Gregurek, Brandy Nichols. Super citizens - Kedrick Grays, Brandon Olson,

Sesame Street due for autumn update

NEW YORK (AP) — New places and new faces will greet viewers when "Sesame Street" returns for its 25th season this fall.

Sesame Street will take its preschool audience "around the corner" (just past Big Bird's nest) where a hotel, dance studio, thrift shop and playground will be located, announced Michael Loman, the show's executive producer.

In addition, new live characters and puppets are being added.



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Lifestyles

Specialized collection agencies track down deadbeat fathers

By VIVIAN MARINO
AP Business Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Gloria Granat says she's spent years muddling through the legal system trying to force her ex-husband to make monthly child support payments for their 11-year-old son.

But after receiving only a fraction of the more than \$10,000 she claims she's owed, Mrs. Granat did what many bankers and car dealers do when confronted with deadbeats: She hired a private collection agency.

"It was an act of desperation...but I'm glad I did it," said Mrs. Granat, 43, after finally receiving a \$135 check from her former husband, whom she divorced in 1989.

Thousands of other single parents with custody — about 95 percent of them women — have turned to this new breed of debt collectors as child support delinquencies grow and state agencies become increasingly backlogged.

The most recent government data said these accumulated debts totaled \$19 billion by the end of 1989.

The lack of support has financially stung millions of single-parent households and placed an economic burden on states by forcing them to increase social services.

The Clinton administration wants to create a nationwide database on deadbeat parents and enlist the Internal Revenue Service in collecting overdue child support, but the plan remains on hold.

Currently, the IRS is permitted only to divert tax refund checks to state agencies; it has collected \$3.2 billion since 1981.

Collection agencies maintain they can help ease the burden on local governments.

"It's a sad situation that we had to come into existence," said Charles Drake, who runs Children's Support Services, a San Antonio, Texas, collection agency, and himself a product of a single-mother household.

Nonetheless, business has expand-

ed so much so that a year ago Drake and Norfolk, Va., debt collector Jim Jones formed the American Child Support Collection Association trade group. Nearly 50 agencies belong to the network, and they often help each other on multistate cases.

Once the objects of scorn and abuse, debt collectors say the new business has helped improve their image. But their services don't come cheap.

Collectors usually keep anywhere from 15 percent to 25 percent of whatever they recover, in addition to a one-time application fee of around \$25 to \$50.

Child-support advocates warn consumers, however, to avoid agencies that charge substantially more.

"You can find a reputable agency, but there are also shysters out there. Some shut down within six months," said Beth McKinney, executive director of the National Child Support Advocacy Coalition in Hendersonville, Tenn.

"I think that the intentions may start out to be good, but ultimately they're seeing dollar signs. There's billions they could be collecting and millions they could be making."

McKinney says she's received an increasing number of inquiries from single parents about collection agencies in the past year. Usually, she says, she advises them to work through the system first, but concludes: "Seventy-five percent of something is better than zero percent of nothing."

Those about to hire a collector are urged to check references and listen carefully to what the agency says it can do.

"Many of these cases require legal work," said Linda Ann Hammond, an assistant staff director for the American Bar Association Center on Children and the Law in Washington. "Anyone who hires a private collection agency should determine whether there is legal staff available or additional charges and what the staff will and will not do."

Jones, who operates Child Sup-

port Services Inc. in Norfolk, says clients give his agency a limited power of attorney in recovering court-awarded child-support payments.

He said his clients are owed an average \$14,400 each. He claims a success rate of around 40 percent and expects to collect about \$1 million this year alone for his 1,600 cases, including \$11,000 he recently secured from a deadbeat dad tracked down in Britain.

Drake, who expects to recover around \$2 million this year, including back payments for Mrs. Granat, claims a success rate of around 60 percent. He said he usually gets results within 30 days.

Deadbeat dads "will claim that they're broke or hide money in their girlfriend's business," Drake said. "Many hold a grudge. They feel their ex-wives got the house, car and kids and they were left with nothing."

Collection agencies say they use many of the same tactics in tracking down deadbeat parents as they do in getting people to pay overdue bills. That includes letters and phone calls.

Mrs. Granat's husband, who agreed to be interviewed by telephone on the condition that his name not be used to protect his privacy, said Drake's collection agency did that and more.

"They not only harassed me...they tried to irritate me by constantly saying things that are not true," he said. "They called my job several times, threatening my accountant at work. When I called them back to explain, they automatically said I was lying. They said I was scum."

Drake said he wants deadbeat parents to feel uncomfortable. "It takes a lot of work to extract money out of these guys," he said. "These guys in my opinion are criminals. They're stealing from their own kids."

In summary, nothing turns off a romance faster than to violate any of the above. Particularly if the lady is a high-class lady, it is essential that he have a car equal to hers or better.

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DEAR LADY: What if he is kind, considerate, thoughtful, decent, well-mannered, hard-working and honest, but drives a 1976 jalopy? Come on, lady... your values need a tune-up.

DEAR ABBY: I have read many letters in your column about sending announcements of graduations, births, anniversaries, weddings, etc., and I agree that it may appear to be a subtle hint for a gift.

I am 42 years old and recently graduated with my MBA. How to share my accomplishment with acquaintances from past years — the ones we send Christmas cards to — and not appear to be asking for gifts or money was also my dilemma.

I solved the situation by mailing announcements of my graduation after the fact. We could have only six people witness our graduation because of space limitations in the auditorium. I then added a separate letter telling them that I had finally earned my MBA! I also typed in bold letters: NO GIFTS, PLEASE — JUST JOB LEADS AND/OR REFERRALS.

Abby, not one person sent a gift. Several gave me employment ideas, and one even mailed the classified ads from the Los Angeles Times!

SEEKING EMPLOYMENT

DEAR SEEKING: Congratulations. Thanks for a couple of bright ideas that other graduates can use. I especially like your "No gifts, please — just job leads and/or referrals." It will offend no one, and all you need is one lead or referral that will pay off.

Newsmakers

Janna Barton, Albuquerque, N.M., has been named to the United States Achievement Academy. She was nominated by Keith Jordan, band director and head of the fine arts department at La Cueva High School. She serves as captain of the flag corps.

Barton is the daughter of Tolbert and Paula Barton. Her grandparents are Lois Skidmore, formerly of Pampa, now of Albuquerque, N.M., and Tolbert and Bernice Barton, Mena, Ark.

She plans to attend Wayland Baptist University in Plainview and study child psychology.



Janna Barton

Indiana Army National Guard for seven years.

SHELBYVILLE, Ind. — Cw2 Gregory C. Dunham, Pampa, a UH-1H helicopter pilot with Company B, 2-238th, Assault Helicopter Battalion, 38th Combat Aviation Brigade, Shelbyville, was awarded the Army Achievement Medal on April 4, by LtC. Timothy J. Wright of the 28th Aviation Brigade.

His citation reads: "He distinguished himself during a fatal crash accident involving 17 vehicles on Interstate 74 on 1 March 1993. His commanding aggressiveness, energetic approach to this disaster greatly reduced further loss of life and property. This reflects great credit upon himself, the aviation brigade, the 38th Infantry Division and the Indiana Army National Guard."

He has two children Gregory, 13, and Jackie, 8. His mother, Maxine Dunham, resides in Pampa, Texas.

He has been a member of the



Cw2 Gregory C. Dunham possible 4.0.

Robert Keith Barr, Jolee McKenna Burger, and Nathan Darrel Rains were named to the Distinguished Students List at Texas A&M University for the spring semester. Barr is a senior industrial distribution major. Burger is a sophomore English major and Rains is a senior wildlife and fisheries science major.

Two Pampans were named to the Schreiner College President's List for the spring 1993 semester. **Matthew Thomas Collum** and **Roby Dale Conner** earned a minimum 3.6 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

Dean Harold Dreher, was named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the spring semester at Oklahoma Panhandle State University, Goodwell, Okla. Students must maintain at least a 3.3 grade average or above.

Bertrand awarded quilt show scholarship

Stacy Bertrand, Panhandle high school senior, is the winner of the Carson County Quilt Show Scholarship for 1993.

She is the daughter of Harold and Kathy Bertrand, Panhandle.

Nine years of 4-H projects include: sheep, beef, leadership, citizenship, clothing, foods and nutrition, electricity, and horse. Her accomplishments in 4-H are: Gold Star Girl, Junior Leadership Award, Scramble Heifer, third highest individual in high judging, showmanship in sheep, second place at state in "Illustrated Talk on Beef Cattle" Symposium, area alternate for Make a Wool Contest.

Extra curricular activities at Panhandle High School include: student council, basketball, band, FHA, FFA, Spanish club, tennis, The Spicians, choir, track, cross-country, National Honor Society, Parliamen-

tary Procedure Team, Leadership Team and 4-H.

Offices held and special awards include: class representative, basketball captain junior and senior years, senior class vice president, band vice president, FFA reporter, Personal Management Award, English I Award, Accounting Award, Apparel Award, Biology Award, Basketball Award, Academic All District, Lair Staff Award, Citizen Award, Reserve Best of Breed Ewe, Reserve Grand Champion Heifer, 16th place in state livestock judging contest, 7th and 5th places in State Record Book Contest in sheep, 3rd place in market lamb exhibit at Tri-State Fair, 4th top individual in District Clothing and Favorite Food Show, 1st place in Demonstration on Ground-Fault Circuit Interrupter, and 1st place in Illustrated Talk on Environment Affected by Livestock

at district.

Other accomplishments include: Pantherette of the month, all-district, regional qualifier in University Interscholastic League academics, basketball athletic awards, regional and state qualifier in track, regional qualifier in cross-country, state champion and state semi-finalist in basketball, honor student graduate.

Her major will be agri-business and she plans to attend Frank Phillips College at Berger this fall. She will also participate in the school's basketball program.

Scholarship funds are proceeds from the Carson County International Quilt Show each year in Panhandle, Texas. Applicants for the scholarship must have been members of 4-H, FFA or FHA in Carson County. This year's annual show will be Sept. 4-6 at the Ag Building in Panhandle.

Rosy gift points to thorny problem

DEAR ABBY: I would like to comment on the divorced father who sent his 6-year-old daughter a dozen long-stemmed roses for St. Valentine's Day... and his girlfriend of three years, a dozen short-stemmed roses! (He lamely blamed it on "a friend" who ordered them for him.)

First of all, how about something more practical and lasting for a 6-year-old — such as time, shared values, or a memorable trip to the zoo?

Second, don't discount the girlfriend's feelings. Feelings aren't right or wrong. She has a right to have hers.

To the girlfriend: Things will probably not change with your boyfriend, unless they get worse. Men do lots of stupid things regarding children from former marriages to assuage their guilt. Evaluate carefully before making any long-term plans with this one!

I've been there twice, and the only thing I can change about someone else is my attitude.



Dear Abby
Abigail Van Buren

My experience over 20 years has proved that the husband/wife relationship needs to be top priority, with the children a close second — and the children need to know this!

If a stepparent is willing to be a totally self-sacrificing partner, let the children be indulged to the hilt — but if you want and need more from a marriage, either speak up, or beware!

DELAWARE STEPMOTHER

DEAR ABBY: I'm hopeful this information will help men who have been married for a long time, then suddenly lose their spouses and need help in knowing how to court again.

Initially, he needs to lose weight, and then, a vehicle is needed — one that is late model and clean. No trucks, vans or old jalopies, please.

Second: nice clothes — something new in preference to something that has been hanging in the closet for years.

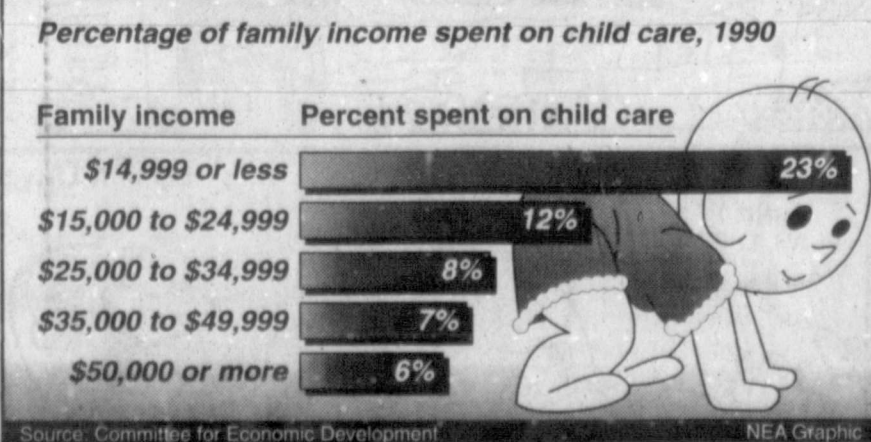
Third: new shaving lotion/cologne, which will make him smell wonderful.

Fourth: more attention paid to body cleanliness and deodorant.

Fifth: more attention paid to oral hygiene.

Sixth: more than \$20 in pocket when going on a date, even if a credit card is used.

Child care



Families earning less than \$15,000 spent nearly one-fourth of their income on child care in 1990. Families earning over \$50,000 spent six percent.

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Club News

Panhandle Piecemakers Quilting Guild met May 27 in the M.K. Brown Room of the Chamber of Commerce Building.

Installation of new officers for 1993-1994 is set for 6:30 p.m. June 24 at Danny's Market. Members are encouraged to attend and bring a guest.

Beginning at the July 22 meeting, there will be no business.

Youth leadership camp set for June 20-24

The Division of Student Services at West Texas A&M will sponsor a youth leadership camp on June 20-24 on the WTAMU campus. The camp is designed for students ages 11 to 14 who want to have an exciting time developing their natural skills, talents and leadership potential.

Activities scheduled for the week will focus on mental, social, emotional and physical development.

Members may bring projects, learn new techniques and share information.

Altrusa International of Pampa met May 24 with President Brenda Tucker presiding.

Glyndene Shelton presented the Accent on Altrusa's 75th anniversary.

Leona Willis installed officers for 1993-1994 using President-elect Judy Warner's theme, "Set Sail for Service." Warner was presented with the Altrusa President's pin and gavel.

Warner described her theme and goals for the coming year. She presented Tucker with the President's plaque and a gift.

The first business meeting for the new year is June 14.

Eggs-ellent eggs-periment teaches lesson

By 3-2-1 CONTACT Magazine
For AP Special Features

It sounds like a Halloween prank: In Seattle, a helicopter dumped dozens of eggs on a schoolyard. But it was no yolk, er, joke. The helicopter was invited to egg Graham Hill Elementary School.

As part of a science experiment,

the helicopter dumped a load of packages, each containing an egg. Kids at school had designed the packages to see if they could keep the eggs from breaking. To cushion the eggs, the students used popcorn, tissue paper, cardboard — even gelatin.

Out of 155 eggs, 65 survived the 200-foot drop. Fourth-grader Devin O'Reilly's egg, "Egbert," was among them. Devin packed Egbert in a plastic foam box.

What's the secret of his success? "If the egg doesn't shake in the package," he says, "it survives."

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NEA Crossword Puzzle

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- 14 Macaw
- 15 Shore
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- 19 Sailor
- 21 Engrave with acid
- 22 Sports match
- 24 Chemical suffix
- 25 Compass pt. abbr.
- 26 Timetable
- 27 Fate
- 29 Music syllable
- 31 Golf peg
- 32 Alternative word
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Astro-Graph

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) There's a possibility you could make things tougher on yourself careenwise today than they need be through premature, impulsive actions. Be disciplined. Get a jump on life by understanding the influences which are governing you in the year ahead. Send for Gemini's Astro-Graph predictions today by mailing \$1.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, NY 10163. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Associates are likely to have more confidence in you today than you do in yourself. This is one of those instances where it would be wiser to trust their judgment than yours.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) A joint venture in which you're involved could be severely bruised today if dissension is allowed to enter the picture. This arrangement is already rather fragile.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) A fear of failure might cause you to postpone making a critical judgment today. More harm could result from indecisiveness than from making a bad guess.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Persons who share the work with you today should also be allowed to share in the benefits if yours and their efforts results in something to be divvied up.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) This might not be one of your better days for taking risks, especially speculating in an area over which you have no input or control.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Think very carefully before making any commitments or promises today. However, if you do agree to something, treat it as a sacred trust and do what you said you'll do.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Treat co-workers the same as you would treat valued friends today if you hope to gain their support. Anything less might be rejected.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Your chances for material acquisition look fair today, but don't raise your expectations up to levels that invite disappointment if they are not achieved.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Be philosophical regarding any reversals you might experience today. Minimize their significance and look upon them as stepping stones instead of stumbling blocks.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) It's the end result that is important today and not whose ideas or tactics got you there. If another's thoughts or suggestions are superior to yours, be grateful they are and use them.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Keep a running tab on expenses or endeavors in which you're involved today. If they are not monitored carefully, there's a chance you could have some serious budget overruns.

Sports



(Staff photo by Danny Cowan)

A sliding runner disappears in a cloud of dust as third baseman Ryan Frogge of Curtis Well Service puts on the tag. Curtis beat First National Bank in the recent Babe Ruth League game.

Showdown shapes up for Dunlap, Celanese teams

VFW edges Bankers in Babe Ruth

Dunlap Industrial and Hoechst Celanese will square off Saturday for undisputed possession of first place in the Optimist Major Bambino National League.

Dunlap tied Celanese for first after escaping with a 3-2 win over Glo-Valve Service Tuesday night at Optimist Park.

Kory Nickell was the winning pitcher in a game which no pitcher gave up an earned run. Josh Rodrigues was credited with a save. Nickell gave up one unearned run on three hits while pitching four innings. He struck out seven, walked one and hit one batter. Rodrigues gave up one unearned run in two innings. He allowed one hit and struck out four.

Brian Doss suffered his first loss of the year. He allowed three unearned runs on three hits. He struck out nine and walked two while pitching a complete game.

Dunlap Industrial broke into the scoring column in the third inning. J.J. Roark was safe on an error. He scored when Greg Lindsey was also safe on an error. Nickell aided

his own cause with a double, scoring Lindsey.

Glo-Valve got one run back in the fourth inning. Shane Flynn led off with a single, advanced to third on an error and scored on a double by Heath Keaton.

Lindsey scored what turned out to be the winning run in the fifth inning. He reached base on an error and scored when Nickell was safe on an error.

Optimist roundup

Glo-Valve came back in the bottom of the inning when Kyle McCullough singled, stole second, went to third on a wild pitch and scored on a passed ball.

Dunlap Industrial improved its record to 6-1. Glo-Valve dropped to 5-3.

Kenny Black, Jason Lee and Aaron Whitney combined pitching duties as VFW held off First National Bank, 9-8, in recent Babe Ruth League action.

Whitney got the win to even his record at 2-2. Black started on the mound for VFW, going three innings. He struck out four, walked three and gave up four runs on five hits, only two of them earned. Jason Lee came on in the fourth and after walking the first batter, he struck out the next three to preserve a 4-3 VFW lead.

The Bankers tied the score at 7-all in their half of the fifth inning. Whitney relieved Lee in the sixth inning. With one out, after walking the first batter he faced, Whitney quickly retired the next two hitters, leaving the score tied at 8-all.

In VFW's top half of the seventh, Bankers pitcher Duane King retired the first two VFW batters, then with two outs Marques Long ripped a triple to right center. Lee doubled up the middle to score Long in what proved to be the game-winning run.

In the Bankers half of the seventh, Bryan Swift started the inning with a single. Whitney then struck out Kerry Adams and walked Brook Ferguson. With one out and runners on first and second, Whitney struck out Jason Bullard and Blaine Northcut hit into a 1-3 force play to end the game.

Whitney pitched 1 2/3rds innings and didn't allow a run on one hit while striking out two and walking two.

King took the loss for the Bankers. Top hitters for VFW were Jeremy Knutson, 2 for 3; Marques Long, 2 for 5; Jason Lee, 1 for 1; Justin Ensey, 1 for 1 and Aaron Baker, 1 for 2.

With the win, VFW halted a five-game losing streak and improved their record to 2-6. Bank falls to 3-5.

Jordan's second-half heroics push Bulls past Suns, 100-92

By BILL BARNARD
AP Basketball Writer

PHOENIX (AP) — Michael Jordan spoke volumes with his second-half heroics in the opener of the NBA Finals.

Then he broke a two-week media boycott after the Chicago Bulls took the first step in their final sprint to a third consecutive NBA title Wednesday night.

The Bulls contested every Phoenix outside shot, harassing the high-scoring Suns into 44.4 percent shooting and winning the opener of the NBA Finals 100-92.

Jordan scored 31 points and Scottie Pippen had 27 for Chicago, which could be building the most dominant NBA dynasty since Boston won eight consecutive titles from 1959-66. Minneapolis is the only other franchise to win three straight championships (1952-54).

"We never lost our poise and that's a part of the experience and maturity of this team," said Jordan, who refused to talk to the media because he was upset with reports on his gambling habits. "We don't lose our control, especially on the road. We've been together a long time and that kind of experience helps."

Chicago's defense was so effective

the Suns took just 15 free throws, 49 less than they took in Game 7 of the Western Conference finals against Seattle on Saturday.

Still, Phoenix rallied from a 20-point deficit in the second period to within two points late in the third.

"We hung in there. We knew we gave away the momentum," Jordan said. "We came back and established ourselves in the second half and fought off their surges."

Richard Dumas, who didn't even play in the Suns' final victory over the SuperSonics, had 20 points and 12 rebounds. Charles Barkley had 21 points and 11 rebounds for the Suns, the highest-scoring team in the NBA's regular season with 113 points per game on the way to a league-high 62 victories.

"They have a good team," Barkley said. "We didn't expect this to be easy. Michael played well; Scottie played well; they all played well, that's why they're two-time defending NBA champion."

Barkley noted the Suns lost their first two games at home to the Los Angeles Lakers in the first round. Game 2 is Friday night at America West Arena.

"Let's not go crazy after just one game," Barkley said. "Let's wait until Game 2. If we lose that one, then we can go crazy."

Added Phoenix coach Paul Westphal: "After the first game, it's always doom and gloom for the losers and party time for the winners."

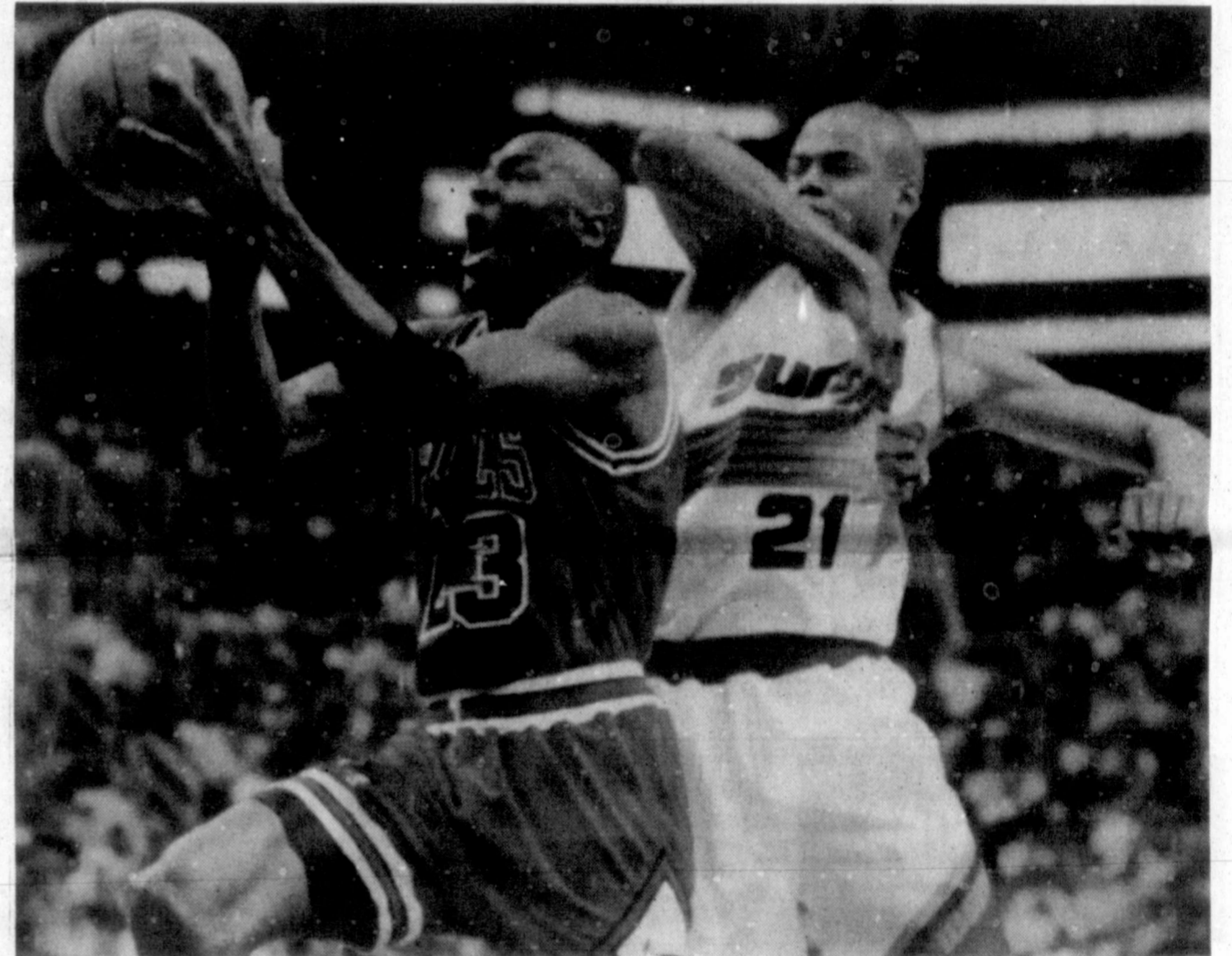
As he has done so often in the past, Jordan started slowly, with just 10 points in the first half. But he scored the Bulls' first four baskets of the fourth period, keeping them narrowly ahead.

Jordan's jumper and Pippen's layup gave Chicago an 88-81 lead with 5:37 remaining, but Barkley's jumper closed Phoenix to 88-85.

The Bulls then sealed the victory with eight straight points, highlighted by Pippen's fastbreak dunk that made it 93-85 with 2:49 to go and B.J. Armstrong's 3-point shot 30 seconds later. Armstrong finished with 16 points.

"We've been here before and know what it takes to win," Jordan said. "We've got to go out there and prove it on the basketball court. One thing that happened with Phoenix is this is their first time to the finals so maybe they were a little too hyped."

The Bulls won their fifth straight playoff game. The Suns' defeat marked the 11th in 12 games by the Western Conference's representative on its home court.



(AP photo)

Michael Jordan goes past the Suns' Richard Dumas for two points Wednesday night in the NBA finals opener.

Long Beach uses long ball to get by Louisiana State in CWS semifinals

By TOM VINT
AP Sports Writer

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — Long Beach State's Eddie Davis is going to eat well the rest of the week. Teammate Eric Martins will make sure of that.

Martins had committed errors on consecutive plays in the sixth inning Wednesday that led to three unearned runs as Louisiana State took an 8-6 lead over the 49ers in the semifinals of the College World Series.

Davis was sent up as a pinch hitter with two outs in the eighth inning and took Martins off the hook with a two-run homer. Kevin Curtis followed with another homer to give Long Beach State the lead in a 10-8 victory.

"I told Eddie I would buy him dinner, breakfast and lunch for the rest of the week," Martins said.

Davis can save his meal money for at least two days as Long Beach State (46-18) and LSU (51-17-1) will meet again Friday, with the winner advancing to Saturday's championship game and the loser going home.

The other bracket's semifinals are tonight, with unbeaten Wichita State (57-16) meeting Oklahoma State (45-16). A victory by Wichita State puts it in the finals, a win by the Cowboys mean a rematch Friday night.

Long Beach State led 5-2 when the Tigers scored six in the sixth. Jim Greeley hit a run-scoring triple and scored on a wild pitch. Armando Rios singled in another run and two more scored when Harry Berrios hit a two-out, bases-loaded grounder to shortstop Rudy Rodriguez. His throw to Martins went right through the second baseman's hands.

Moments later, Berrios started to advance on a pitch that skipped in front of the plate, but catcher Brian Whitley scooped up the ball and fired to Martins, who dropped that one, too, and the sixth run scored.

"That was a big blow, the six-run inning we gave them," Long Beach State coach Dave Snow said. "We had to collect ourselves. It's a tribute to the mental toughness of this team."

What made the comeback even

more impressive was that it came against LSU's Mike Sirotko (11-6), who had three-hit the 49ers in a 7-1 opening-round victory. A run in the seventh on a sacrifice fly by Brian Smith made it 8-6 and Sirotko was called on to start the eighth.

There were two outs and Martins was on via a single when Snow called for Davis.

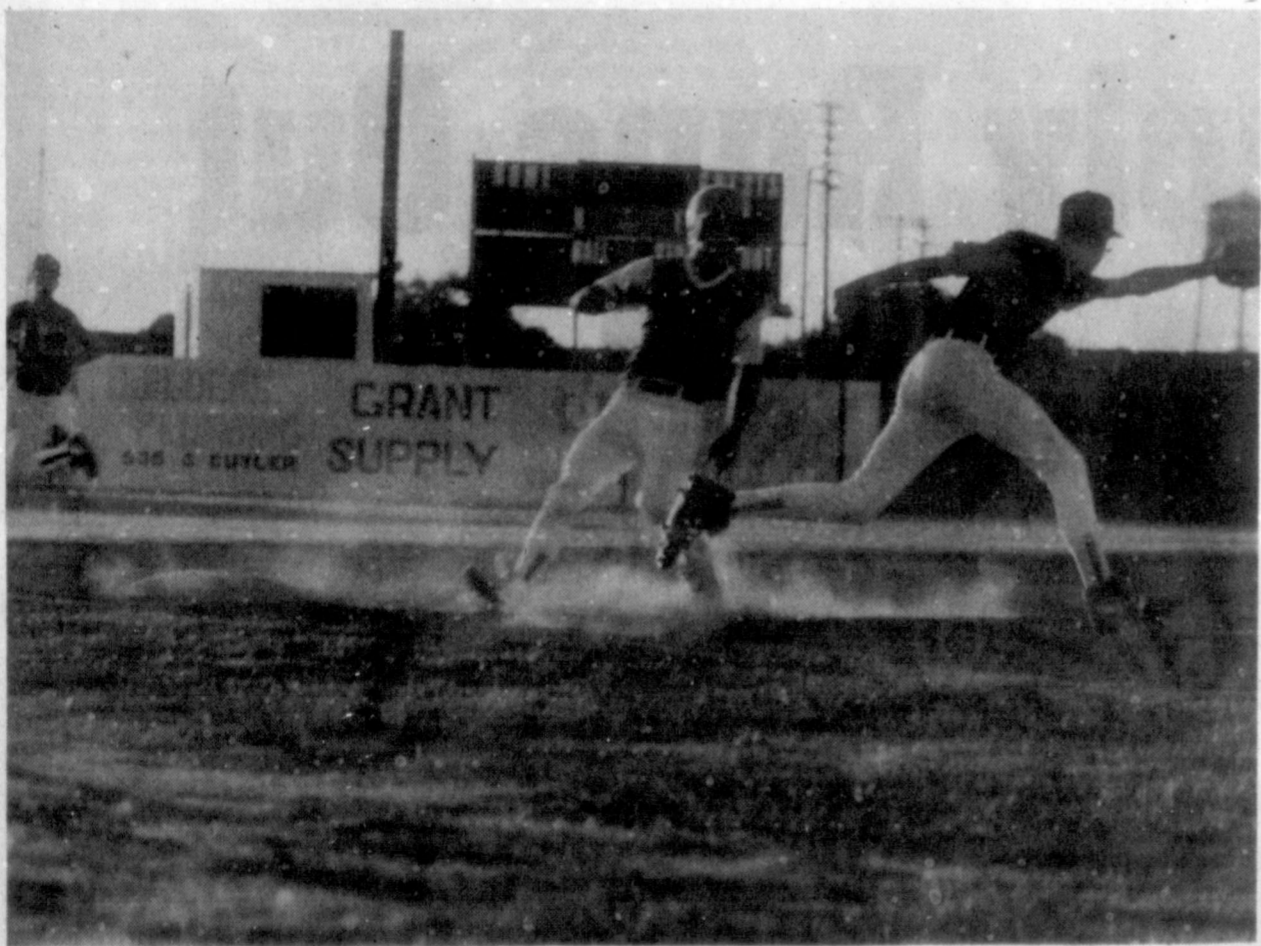
"Eddie had been swinging the bat well and I thought he might be able to get the ball up in the air," Snow said.

Davis, the only non-Californian on the Long Beach State roster, hit it to dead center field, right over the 408-foot sign.

"This couldn't be any sweeter," said Davis of New Orleans. "I knew he was going to throw me sliders. I was just looking for something over the plate and wanted to hit it hard."

Curtis followed with a homer to right and the 49ers added another run on a single by Rodriguez.

It was the sixth time in the 11 games of the Series that a winning run scored in the bottom of the eighth or later.



(Staff photo by Danny Cowan)

First baseman Jakob Bullard of First National Bank gets pulled off the bag by a wild throw as a VFW runner scampers back to first in a recent Babe Ruth League contest at Optimist Park.

Rangers rained out against Minnesota; Astros blanked by Phillies' Mulholland

ARLINGTON (AP) — For the Texas Rangers, Wednesday night's rainout of their scheduled game against the Minnesota Twins came at a very opportune time.

The Rangers' posted lineup for Wednesday's game was again without Jose Canseco and designated hitter Julio Franco, both out with injuries.

And the team's leading home run hitter, Juan Gonzalez, was unable to start in left field due to a pulled

hamstring. Gonzalez was penciled as the cleanup hitter at designated hitter.

Starting shortstop Manuel Lee and right-hander Nolan Ryan also remain on the disabled list.

Wednesday's game, called after a rain delay of an hour and 56 minutes, will be made up as part of a two-night doubleheader on Sept. 10.

Considering the number of injuries he's had to contend with, Rangers manager Kevin Kennedy

was also concerned about playing on a wet field.

"We don't need any more injuries, any guys slipping and sliding and hurting their knee," Kennedy said. "It's good for us. It's another day off the legs for several of our guys who are hurt."

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The Philadelphia Phillies bullpen

doesn't wait for the seventh day to rest. They just wait for Terry Mulholland every fifth day.

The left-hander has picked up where he left off last season, when he led the NL with 12 complete games. He pitched his sixth complete game this season Wednesday night with little more than one-third of the season gone.

Mulholland (7-5) blanked the Houston Astros 8-0, for his second shutout of the season. He allowed

six hits, struck out nine and walked none.

Not particularly known as a strike-out pitcher, Mulholland has 23 in his last two games. He struck out 14 in a 2-1 loss to Colorado on June 4.

"It's probably because I'm getting ahead of the hitters a lot quicker," Mulholland said in trying to explain his sudden rash of strikeouts.

"I'm just in a good groove where all my pitches are working. I'm throwing everything for strikes."

Mulholland also said he has more options when he's got command of all his pitches.

"I threw fastballs, curves and sliders and even had a fourth option with my changeup," he said. "Anytime you have more options it's better."

Darren Daulton, Lenny Dykstra, Milt Thompson and Jim Eisenreich backed Mulholland with a homer each as Philadelphia won for the 12th time in 16 games.

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Canadiens capture their 24th Stanley Cup

By MIKE NADEL
AP Sports Writer

MONTREAL (AP) — Magnifique! Les Habitants have done it again.

The Montreal Canadiens, the most decorated franchise in professional sports history, skated away with their 24th Stanley Cup, beating the Los Angeles Kings 4-1 Wednesday night to win the finals in five games.

"We haven't had a big team. The word was out: 'Hit them,'" said Jacques Demers, the Canadiens' first-year coach. "We are like a boxer who didn't want to go down. The more they knocked us down, the more we got off the canvas."

As often as not, Patrick Roy picked them up off the canvas.

A rookie goaltending sensation when the Canadiens last took the NHL title in 1986, Roy became a certified "bleu, blanc et rouge" hero — the first Montreal player ever to win the Conn Smythe Trophy twice as postseason MVP.

"Patrick was sensational, extraordinary, spectacular," Demers said. "To win the Stanley Cup, you've got to have a great goalie and Patrick Roy was outstanding, dominating. I came here believing he was among the best goalies. And I come out of this believing he's the best."

The best player hockey has ever known, Wayne Gretzky, said afterward that he was thinking about retiring.

"That's what I've got to seriously talk about the next week," the NHL's all-time scoring leader said. "I said to my wife before the playoffs started that I always wanted to go out

on a high. It could have been higher, but I think I played well.

"It just might be time for a new challenge. I always said I want to go out of this game without someone pushing me out."

Roy felt he might be pushed out of Montreal if he didn't perform well in the playoffs.

Rebounding from a difficult season filled with trade rumors, Roy went 16-4 with a 2.13 goals-against average while playing all but 18 minutes of the postseason. He won 16 of 18 games after losing the first two to Quebec.

"If we lost to Quebec, it would have been a bad summer and probably Patrick Roy would be part of a trade," Roy said. "I don't want to be traded. I want to be part of the Canadiens."

He was the main reason Montreal set an NHL postseason record with 10 consecutive overtime wins — including Games 2, 3 and 4 of the finals — stopping all 58 shots he faced during a 96-minute, 39-second OT shutout string.

Roy capped the Canadiens' 34th finals appearance in rather routine fashion, making 18 saves.

John LeClair, who scored the overtime winners in the previous two games, had two assists, and Paul DiPietro scored twice as Montreal became the only sports franchise with at least one title in every decade since the 1910s.

"In the dressing room, we look at all those faces" on the wall of honor, DiPietro said. "If that doesn't get you going, nothing will."

Gretzky, who captained Edmonton to four Stanley Cups before being dealt to Los Angeles in 1988, made Hollywood hockey an event by taking the Kings to the Stanley Cup finals for the first time in their 26-year history.

But though he reaffirmed his greatness by leading all postseason scorers with 40 points — including a goal and three assists in the Kings' 4-1 win in the opener against Montreal — he couldn't make the clutch play in any of the three overtimes and failed to get a single shot in the desperation situation that was Game 5.

"I came to L.A. and it had a lot more to it than hockey," the 32-year-old Gretzky said. "I came here to help sell L.A. on hockey and to help turn this organization around. I think I've fulfilled all my obligations."

Gretzky, who missed the first 39 games of the season with a back injury, said he felt healthy throughout the playoffs and insisted his retirement talk has nothing to do with reports he was unhappy with his contract and with the city of Los Angeles.

"Bruce already put a blank piece of paper in front of me and told me to fill in the numbers," he said, referring to owner Bruce McNall. "And I don't want to play anywhere else. If there is a perfect place in the National Hockey League for me ... it's L.A."

He might have had a perfect ending to his season — and possibly his career — if Los Angeles had been able to hold on in Game 2.

The Kings were less than two minutes from going home with a 2-0 series lead when Marty McSorley was penalized for playing with an illegal stick. Eric Desjardins tied it with a power-play goal and won it 51 seconds into overtime. The Canadiens then won both games at Los Angeles on LeClair's OT heroics.

"We go into L.A. down 2-0," Roy said, "our chances would be small to win the series."

Grill winner



(Special photo)

Sam Moot, center, of Pampa won a barbecue grill during a recent drawing sponsored by the High-Plains Bass Anglers. Also pictured are bass club members Randy Hines, left, and Randall Williams. At a High-Plains Bass Anglers fishing tournament May 22 at Lake MacKenzie, the winners were Jeremy Britten, 11 pounds, 14 ounces; Billy West, 7 pounds, 2 ounces; Gary Carter, 6 pounds, 8 ounces and Gene Hines, 4 pounds, 7 ounces. Jeremy Britten

Kansas City signs Allen

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Excited about the 1993 season. Between them, Joe Montana and Marcus Allen are 70 years old. Signing Allen to three one-year contracts gives the Chiefs

the most-honored backfield in the NFL today, a collection of five Super Bowl rings, four MVP awards, a Heisman Trophy and one certain and one probable future Hall of Fame inductee.

No, says Carl Peterson, the man who signed the glamorous pair to multiyear contracts. After winning the Heisman at USC in 1981, Allen embarked on an illustrious 11-year career with the Raiders that placed him 12th on the league's all-time rushing list.

"You don't get many opportunities to acquire people like Marcus Allen," the president and general manager of the Chiefs said Wednesday. "We're

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Jerry D. Davis

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Dinosaurs again dominating the countryside

WASHINGTON (AP) — It was Capitol Hill meets Godzilla at the world premiere of the movie "Jurassic Park" — and the politicians, it seemed, came away impressed.

Wednesday night's screening of the summer's much-hyped \$56 million dinosaur thriller by director Stephen Spielberg was held to rave reviews in a benefit for the Children's Defense Fund and the Children's Action Network.

It was a bit of Hollywood on the Potomac as the red carpet was rolled out for the likes of "Jurassic" stars Jeff Goldblum, Laura Dern and Sam Neill, along with writer Michael Crichton and top executives from Universal Pictures.

Washington provided some heavyweights of its own, including former Washington Post Executive Editor Ben Bradlee, and his wife, Washington writer Sally Quinn; Health and Human Services Secretary Donna Shalala; Children's Defense Fund founder Marion Wright Edelman; former boxing champ Muhammad Ali; Jack Valenti, president of the Motion Picture Association of America; and several members of Congress.

Tickets started at \$250 and went up to \$10,000.

Noticeably absent: President Clinton, who some critics have accused of being too taken by Hollywood glitter, and first lady Hillary, a former board member of the Children's Defense Fund and long-time friend of

Edelman, whose husband is a member of the Clinton administration.

About 300 inner-city youngsters attending for free had a raucous time, cheering and screaming in the top balcony of the Uptown Theater, one of Washington's largest and oldest movie houses.

"It surprised me because I didn't think it was going to be so exciting and scary. It fooled me," said Tiffany Turner, 14. Tiffany and 15 fellow students from Frederick Douglas Jr. High in Southeast Washington were among those receiving complimentary tickets.

The event's more well-heeled attendees seemed to flinch and yell at all the right hi-tech moments too.

"I thought it was fantastic," said Sen. Patrick Leahy, D-Vt. "They have an all-time hit with this one."

Nevertheless, he was skeptical that the movie's premise — a theme park that features live dinosaurs cloned from million-year-old genetic material — could ever come true. "I hope not," he said.

Sen. Tom Harkin, D-Iowa, emerged smiling with his daughter, Jenny, 11, and wife Ruth.

"That was a fun, scary movie," Harkin said. "You almost feel worn out at the end. The only thing that would have made it better was if it was in 3-D."

"Jenny was sitting to my right and my arm is numb. She was clinging on to me the whole time," Harkin added.

Others who came enjoyed the suspense.

"I just couldn't sit in my seat," said Sarah Klompus, 44, who works with troubled adolescents. "It was unbelievable, and I don't really go for this stuff. Even though there were parts that were somewhat violent, (Spielberg) he was really concerned for the kids."

The movie, which will be released Friday in 2,200 theaters, is adapted from a Crichton novel about a future-fantasy theme park built by a wealthy industrialist. The park's star attractions, dinosaurs, are cloned from genetic material extracted by scientists from insects trapped millions of years ago in amber.

But the park's plans go awry and pretty soon the fearsome creatures are hunting down their human keepers.

"Jurassic" star Laura Dern disagreed with the view of some who have criticized the movie as too intense for children, its prime audience. It is rated PG-13 (parents strongly cautioned because of material that may be inappropriate for children under age 13).

"I don't think it's scary for children and I think depending on what the parent's opinion is the age would be appropriate," she said. "There are a lot of things on television that are pretty disturbing, so I think it's dependent on the child."



'Jurassic Park' co-stars Jeff Goldblum and Laura Dern arrive at the world premiere of the Steven-Spielberg film in Washington Wednesday.

And in Washington, where the movie's premiere drew a genetically engineered animals protesting is an industry in itself, small demonstration against and foods.

World's richest get richer; Waltons stay on top in U.S.

NEW YORK (AP) — The limousine-collecting Sultan of Brunei once again tops the list of the world's wealthiest people, while the second-largest cash pile belongs to a family that gets around in subcompact cars, *Fortune* magazine reports.

The magazine's annual list of the world's richest individuals or families is in the June 28 issue, which hits the newsstands Monday.

The average net worth of the wealthiest rose from \$4.4 billion to \$4.5 billion, less than the U.S. inflation rate of about 3 percent.

For the seventh straight year, the Sultan of Brunei was No. 1, with a \$37 billion fortune in real estate and energy holdings, the same as last year.

The sultan, whose tiny Pacific island nation sits on a vast pool of petroleum, is the single biggest customer of Rolls-Royce and has more than 150 limos.

America's Walton family, which owns 38 percent of the Wal-Mart discount stores, was second again. Its fortune was put at \$23.5 billion, about a half-billion dollars less than last year.

The family, if pressed to economize, would have no trouble. In the style of the fortune's founder, Sam Walton, they avoid flashy living, renting subcompact cars and staying at budget motels.

Among the more notable increases, Warren Buffett's holdings in the stock of his Berkshire Hathaway conglomerate increased his wealth 33 percent to \$6.4 billion.

Fortune confined this year's list to the top 101 billionaires, rather than listing all the world's billionaires as it has in the past. The list had grown from 98 individuals and families in 1987 to 233 last year.

Fortune uses estimates and published information to compile its rankings.

American entries in *Fortune* magazine's 1993 list of world billionaires, with name, home, source of wealth and estimated value in billions of dollars.

There were 26 American billionaires, including families.

1. Helen R. Walton, S. Robson Walton, James C. Walton, Alice L. Walton, Arkansas; John T. Walton, California; Wal-Mart stores; \$23.5.

2. Forrest Mars Sr., Nevada; Forrest Mars Jr., John Mars, Virginia; Jacqueline Mars Vogel, New Jersey; Mars Inc.; \$14.

3. Samuel I. Newhouse Jr., Donald E. Newhouse and family, New York; publishing and broadcasting; \$10.

4. John Werner Kluge, Virginia; communications, real estate; \$8.8.

5. William Gates, Washington state; Microsoft computer software; \$6.7.

6. Warren E. Buffett, Nebraska; investment services, textiles, insurance, media; \$6.4.

7. Ronald Owen Perelman, New York; publishing, cosmetics, medical laboratories, banking; \$5.9.

8. Anne Cox Chambers, Georgia; Barbara Cox Anthony, Hawaii; media and publishing; \$5.8.

9. Edgar M. Bronfman, New York; Phyllis Bronfman Lambert, Charles R. Bronfman and family, Montreal; beverages, 6 percent of Time Warner Inc., real estate, \$4.9.

10. Charles Koch, Kansas; David Koch, New York; Koch Industries; \$4.7.

11. Sumner M. Redstone and family, Massachusetts; National Amusements, movie theaters, cable television; \$3.8.

12. Estee Lauder and family, New York; cosmetics; \$3.4.

13. Paul Allen, Washington state; computer software, Portland Trailblazers basketball team; \$3.3.

14. Rupert Murdoch and family, California; media, publishing; \$3.3.

15. H. Ross Perot, Texas; Perot Systems Corp., real estate, oil and gas production; \$3.3.

16. Richard M. DeVos, Florida; 50 percent of Amway household products; \$3.

17. John T. Dorrance III, Wyoming; Bennett Dorrance, Arizona; Mary Alice Dorrance Malone, Pennsylvania; Campbell Soup; \$3.

18. Jay Van Andel, Michigan; Amway household products; \$3.

19. William Bernard Ziff Jr. and family, Florida; media; \$3.0.

20. Kirk Kerkorian, Nevada; amusement parks, hotel-casinos, 9.2 percent of Chrysler Corp.; \$2.8.

21. Marvin Davis, California; media, oil, real estate development; \$2.6.

22. Walter H. Annenberg, Penn-

sylvania; securities, real estate, art; \$2.5.

23. John Paul Getty, England; trusts, inheritance, investments; \$2.5.

24. Jay Pritzker, Robert Pritzker and family, Illinois; Hyatt hotels,

chewable tobacco, Ticketmaster; \$2.3.

25. Laurence A. Tisch, Preston R. Tisch and family, New York; 30 percent of Loews Corp., 23 percent of CBS; 50 percent of the New York Giants

football team, investments; \$2.2.

26. Cargill MacMillan Jr., California; Whitney MacMillan, Minnesota; Pauline MacMillan Keinath, Missouri; 8 percent of Cargill Inc., 11 percent of Minnesota Vikings football team; \$2.1.



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