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PAMPA — Two of the four people believed kidnapped over the weekend here have been found near the border, Pampa police officers said today.

Elvdia Mendoza Olivas, 46, and Olga Olivas, 17, were located in Presidio and were safe, Pampa police Lt. Steve Chance said today. The mother and daughter disappeared Saturday night along with Olga's sister, Angie, 22, and her two-year-old daughter, Ester. Authorities had been seeking Esau Franco, 30, who is believed to be Ester's father, in connection with the incident. Franco is also wanted by the FBI on kidnapping charges in connection with the abduction of Angie's brother earlier this year.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Clinton administration endorsed an overhaul of the nation's financial system that would include interstate banking, simplified regulations and greater access to overseas markets.

Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen said more details would be available on other proposals when administration officials testify before Congress.

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Department of Health and federal Food and Drug Administration are investigating whether condoms recalled Friday are defective.

Samples of the condoms, distributed under the brand name Fame, were delivered to the FDA laboratory in Dallas for testing Monday. Texas Health Commissioner David Smith ordered the recall of Fame, Bulldog and Prestige brand condoms. State health officials said the importer didn't have a recent certification demonstrating that the condoms met U.S. standards.

About 3 million of the condoms were bought by the Texas Department of Health and distributed to local and regional health departments and contractors.

DALLAS (AP) — A water-skiing San Angelo minister who touts autonomy for church missions and colleges is the new president of the Baptist General Convention of Texas. (See page 3).

AUSTIN (AP) - Before it even hits its first anniversary, Texas' lotto game has set a national record for first-year sales and is poised to break the \$1 billion mark, says State Comptroller John Sharp. (See page 3).

NEW YORK (AP) — Apple Computer Inc. began selling a Macintosh computer that has a built-in TV, the first PC to come out of the box with that capability.

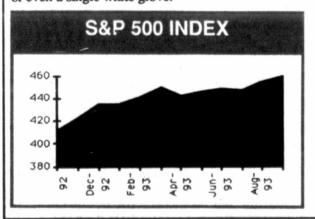
The \$2,000 machine is an experiment for the world's second-largest personal computer maker, which will sell it only on college campuses and through a handful of retail chains, Apple said.

HOUSTON (AP) — Another leader of the disastrous raid on the Branch Davidian stronghold has been reassigned.

The Houston Chronicle reported today that Ted Royster, head of the Dallas office of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, was reassigned to a post in El Paso presumably because of inconsistent statements he made about his awareness that agents had lost the element of surprise.

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Michael Jackson and Madonna are bringing their acts South of the Border. to a country where free trade is also translating into a

pop and rock invasion. Back to back, Michael and Madonna are about to storm Mexico with concert appearances in this capital over the next three weeks. Never mind the charges dogging the Gloved One, nor the accusations that the Material Girl poses a menace to youth. For Mexico, a country of 84 million people on the verge of a free trade embrace of the United States and Canada, the free trade of big-name music acts is already on. About 100 fans stood for hours hoping for a glimpse of even a single white glove.



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New Hoechst Celanese health study out

most other U.S. residents.

Celanese chemical plant near investigators reviewed medi- officials said. The results were Pampa are healthier than cal records of all employees adjusted for age, race and sex. who worked at the plant for The study, funded by more than six consecutive of 1,359 workers, representing Hoechst Celanese, grew out months in the Pampa plant's nearly 28,000 person-years of of pending litigation over 40-year history. ENSR Health employment at the plan said health concerns. The report Sciences, under the direction of was completed prior Mon- Dr. Jack Mandel of the Univer- Herb Reed. Compared to U.S. day's scheduled court date in sity of Minnesota, conducted averages, Pampa plant employ-Houston when the lawsuit the mortality study. ENSR ees live longer and have lower

released today indicated Company officials said of death of virtually every There were 20 percent fewer well-educated employees, work workers at the Hoechst today that during the study, Pampa plant former employee, cancer cases than the national

> Researchers reviewed records Hoechst Celanese spokesman

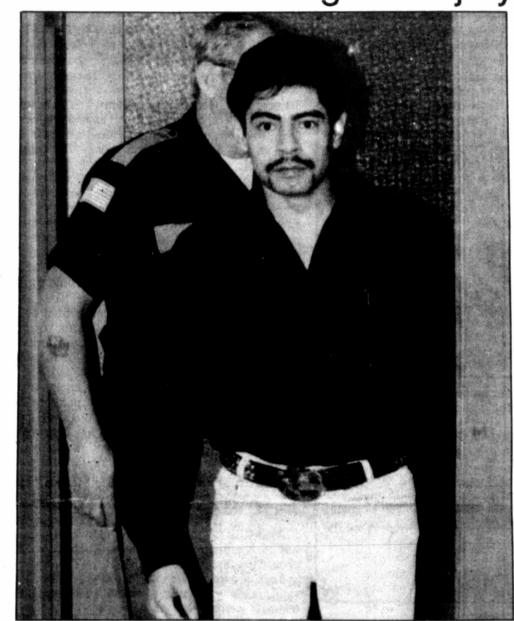
The Pampa plant employee respiratory and lung disease.

"This study confirms what we have said all along," said Jerry

An independent study is expected to go to trial. researchers examined the cause mortality rate from cancer. "Our people, who are bright, safely around chemicals every day of their working lives.'

> The only cause of death population also appears to which the study showed to be have a lower incidence of significantly higher than expectdeath from heart disease and ed was prostate cancer in men. There were six cases versus an expected level of less than two. There is no known relationship Moore, plant manager for between prostate cancer and Hoechst Celanese in Pampa. chemical exposure, Reed said.

Sexual assault trial goes to jury



Abrame Galaviz Rodriguez

Jury deliberates Rodriguez's fate

By CHERYL BERZANSKIS **News Editor**

A Pampa jury was deliberating at noon today the fate of a 32-year-old man accused of sexually assaulting a mentally retarded man in the summer of 1992.

The defense rested shortly after 9 a.m. today after putting the mother of Abrame Galaviz Rodriguez, accused of sodomizing a mentally retarded man, on the witness stand.

The woman told 223rd District Court jurors today her son was mowing grass at the time

the assault is reported to have happened. Frances Rodriguez said her son arrived at her house about noon and spent about 30 minutes mowing her back yard on July 4, 1992. She remembers, she said, because the noon time tornado whistle blew as he walked down the alley near her South Banks Street home.

"There's not a single piece of physical evidence in this case to link the victim and this defendant," defense attorney David Holt said in his closing arguments.

Holt said Rodriguez' actions were inconsistent with that of a guilty man. Why, the attorney asked, would he return to the motel if he had committed the offense.

District Attorney John Mann insisted in his the victim into remaining silent.

Slaton, described in graphic detail the assault of July 4, 1992.

Earlier testimony from three witnesses indicated the victim was assaulted in room six of the Plainsman Motel, but under questioning by Mann, the victim said emphatically that he was assaulted in "his own house," room nine, at the motel.

Mann, taken by surprise, attempted to find out why the man indicated the assault iff's Office, which investigated the episode. occurred in his own room, when during investigation the victim alleged the assault occurred in Rodriguez's room at the motel.

his story about the location of the attack. but he did not waver about the details of the attack. He described a graphic scene of sexual mayhem which resulted in the Monday.

arrest of Rodriguez.

"I did not go into his room ... He came into our house," the man said, referring to his family's room nine at the motel.

The small-statured, blond-haired man told jurors that he heard his parents and motel managers Debbie and Billy Williams call his name, but Rodriguez had his hand over his mouth, and he could not answer.

"The loudest voice I made was like this, but I don't blame them for not hearing me," he said. He said he never consented to sexual relations with Rodriguez but tried to escape. Rodriguez threated to kill him if he told, the victim said.

Testifying for the state during the afternoon testimony were Debra McKinley Williams. who first discovered the victim; Deputy Stan McNutt, who was the lead investigator for the Gray County Sheriff's Office; and Debbie Jenkins, a sexual assault nurse examiner for Northwest Texas Hospital. Following the victim's testimony was Billy Williams, who also spoke to the victim immediately following the incident, and the victim's mother.

Testimony indicated the victim's family lived at the motel for several months. On the day of the attack, July 4, 1992, the victim's family was planning a trip when the they were closing arguments that Rodriquez returned to unable to locate him. They looked around the the motel because he thought he had scared motel, the mother said, and when they didn't find him there, they drove to Wal-Mart to look In testimony Monday, the victim, now of for him. When the victim's mother and father returned from Wal-Mart, they were told what had happened to their son.

In the meantime, Debra Williams saw the young man and his brother talking to Rodriguez in the parking lot, but went into her set of rooms at the motel where she was employed until she was called to the door by the victim, who told her what happened. Billy Williams summoned the Gray County Sher-

Jenkins examined the victim on July 6, 1992 at NWTH. She told the jury that she discovered two one-centimeter, unhealed It was never clear why the man changed tears on the victim's anus which, combined with the graphic history he relayed, was consistent with sexual assault.

The state rested its case at about 4:20 p.m.

Counterfeit money seized; two arrested in Boise City

BOISE CITY, Okla. (AP) — Joseph L. Gallo, special agent in Two Texas men were arrested charge of the Secret Service in Oklaand about \$380,000 worth of homa, said authorities found about counterfeit money was seized \$380,000 in counterfeit money and after an alert waitress tipped photographic negatives used to authorities that two men were make the phony money. He said trying to pay for their meal with fake money.

Donald Francis Christian, 31, and Ronald Jay Lopez, 29, both of San counterfeit money is suspected to Antonio, were charged with possession and passing of counterfeit currency, federal prosecutors said Mon-

The men were arrested Thursday bill. in the Oklahoma Panhandle by the Cimarron County Sheriff's Department, said John Green, first assistant U.S. attorney.

most of the money was in \$20 bills, which were of average quality.

Gallo said only about \$2,000 in have been passed in Colorado, Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas.

The men are accused of trying to pay for their meal with a fake \$100

"An alert waitress in the cafe felt the money was counterfeit, and the Cimarron County Sheriff's Department was contacted," Gallo said.

Truckers urge national strike over fuel costs

By H. JOSEF HEBERT **Associated Press Writer**

Large trucking organizations and truck traffic, but fliers have been ciranswering one of the toll-free number culating at truck stops across the established to coordinate the protest. country urging drivers to park their rigs on Nov. 11.

Some truckers have opened a netto coordinate the planned protest against fuel rises of up to 40 cents a gallon.

"Anybody in trucking right now has heard about this. These fliers in fuel prices. have been showing up everywhere,' Todd Spencer, executive director of Owner-Operators Independent ers," she said, adding that her hus-Drivers, a group that represents 20,000 truck operators, said Monday.

While not directly involved in the protest effort, Spencer said his Missouri-based group was "trying to stay on top of the situation" to advise member drivers.

It's unclear how many of the seeing the fliers at truck stops. nation's estimated 4.5 million truck drivers — including as many as nies said they opposed an interrup-500,000 independent owner-operators - might participate. In the past, complained to the Interstate Comsuch wildcat attempts to bring truck merce Commission about the sudden traffic to a halt have gained only jump in diesel prices. sparse and sporadic support.

Spokesmen for the American sents major trucking companies, and

said they expect few — if any employee drivers to take part.

But some truckers organizing the WASHINGTON (AP) — Angry protest say thousands of independent independent drivers are calling for a operators, who account of much of nationwide truckers strike next the long-haul truck traffic, are month to protest rapidly rising diesel expected pull their rigs off the road for a few days. "This is going to be a nationwide

companies, as well as the Teamsters shutdown," asserted Mary Pearman, union, oppose an interruption of a former driver who has been Mrs. Pearman, who said her

brother and husband helped organize the protest as part of an organization work of toll-free telephone numbers called Truckers Across America, said the independent drivers have a range of grievances. They're especially incensed by a sudden increase

"Somebody's really lining their pockets, and it sure ain't the truckband, Jim, was on a run from Michigan to Massachusetts and dropping protest fliers at each truck stop.

In a telephone interview from Beaumont, Texas, Mrs. Pearman said she has been getting hundreds of calls from drivers asking about the protest after

Although large trucking compation of truck traffic, they too have

The increases supposedly reflect the new 4.3 cent-a-gallon increase in the fed-Trucking Associations, which repre- eral fuel tax and the additional cost of producing a cleaner-burning, low-sulthe Teamsters, which represents phur diesel required by environmenabout 100,000 long-haul drivers, tal laws that took effect this month.

Touring the Texas Panhandle



Kathie Greer, left, with the musical drama TEXAS; Seleta Chance of M.K. Brown Auditorium and LaDonna Page of Pasadena's Strawberry Festival discuss activities of the Panhandle Tourism Marketing workshop in Pampa today. The host group was formed to promote the panhandle as a tourism destination point. (Pampa News photo by Darlene Holmes).

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Services tomorrow

GALINDO, Belinda — 3 p.m., Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, Sweet-

LEWIS, Robert L. — 2 p.m., Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel.

YORK, Clay — 10:30 a.m., First Baptist Church, Shamrock.

WILSON, Xenia Rasha — 2 p.m., St. Stephen's Baptist Church, Clarendon.

Obituaries

BELINDA GALINDO

SWEETWATER - Miss Belinda Galindo, 16, a native of Groom, died Sunday, Oct. 24, 1993, in Sweetwater. Services will be at 3 p.m. Wednesday at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, followed by burial at Sweetwater Cemetery, with the Rev. Frank Chavez presiding. Arrangements are by Cate-Spencer and Trent Funeral Home of Sweetwater.

Miss Galindo was born on May 22, 1977, at Groom. She was a junior at Sweetwater High School. She was a member of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church. She was preceded in death by her grandmother, Otilia Ancira.

Survivors include her parents, Errbey Sr. and Grace Galindo of the home; two brothers, Errbey Galindo Jr. and Joshua Galindo of the home; a sister, Sarita Galindo of the home; paternal grandparents, Esiquio Galindo of Rocksprings and Leonore Carrillo of Sonora; a maternal grandfather, Silverio Ancira of Junction; and numerous aunts and nieces.

The family requests memorials be to the American

Cancer Society. **ROBERT L. LEWIS**

Robert L. Lewis, 67, died Monday, Oct. 25, 1993, at Amarillo. Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel, with the Rev. Don Turner and the Rev. George Warren, associate pastors at First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery by Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Lewis was born on Sept. 13, 1926, in Quanah. He had been a resident of Pampa for more than 40 years, having moved here from Corsicana. He married Senora Mayo on May 17, 1952, in Clovis, N.M. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, having served in the 50th Military Police Battalion. He worked for Cabot Corp. and IRI for more than 20 years, retiring in December 1986. He was a Baptist. His grandparents, Jeff and Hollie Seitz, were among the first settlers in the Mobeetie area.

Survivors include his wife, Senora, of the home; two sons, Robert Lynn Lewis and Fred D. Lewis, both of Arlington; a daughter, Holly Bailey of Garland; a brother, Jack Lewis of Amarillo; two sisters, Dorothy Little of Amarillo and Evelyn Smith of El Paso: and five grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to American Heart Association, 2404 W. Seventh, Amarillo, TX

MELVIN M. NICHOLS

ANDREWS - Melvin M. Nichols, 74, brother of a Pampa resident, died Wednesday, Oct. 20, 1993, in Andrews. Funeral services were held on Friday at the Andrews Presbyterian Church in Andrews, with the Rev. Bob Zap, pastor, officiating, Burial was at Andrews Cemetery under the direction of McNett Funeral Home, with Masonic graveside rites.

Mr. Nichols was born on Jan. 1, 1919, in Okmulgee, Okla. He married Roberts Lois Hurst on May 20, 1945, in Pampa. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge in Eunice, N.M., Scottish Rite Bodies in Santa Fe, N.M., Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Legion and the Disabled American Veterans. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife; and a sister, Wilda McGahen of Pampa.

The family requests memorials be to a favorite charity.

CLARENDON — Xenia Rasha Wilson, 2, granddaughter of a Pampa resident, died Saturday, Oct. 23, 1993. Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in St. Stephen's Baptist Church, with the Rev. Vurn Martin of Amarillo officiating. Burial will be in Citizens

XENIA RASHA WILSON

Cemetery by Robertson Funeral Directors Inc. Xenia was born in Amarillo and had lived in Clarendon most of her life. She was a member of St. Stephen's Baptist Church.

Survivors include her mother, Isabelle Wilson of Clarendon; her father, Bobby Joe Kelly of Wichita Falls; her grandparents, Billy Ray Wilson of Claude and Geneva Weaver of Pampa; and her great-grandparents, May Butler of Clarendon, Emma Tillis of Wichita Falls and Rubin Brown of Estelline.

Calendar of events

PAMPA SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER

HALLOWEEN DANCE The Pampa Senior Citizens Center, 500 W. Francis.

will be having a Halloween Dance from 8-11 p.m. Friday, Oct. 29. There will be refreshments and a costume contest.

HORACE MANN FALL FESTIVAL

Horace Mann Elementary School will be holding its annual Fall Festival from 5-9 p.m. Thursday at the school. The festival includes a carnival, bake sale and stew supper. The event is sponsored by Horace Mann Booster Club.

Police report

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

MONDAY, Oct. 25

Sandy Huddleston, 411 Yeager, reported a traffic Willie Marlene Johnson, 1441 Charles, reported

criminal trespassing. Jimmy Andrew Johnson, 2301 N. Nelson, reported

The Rock Shop, 904 S. Nelson, reported criminal

The Sunshine House, 312 N. Gray, reported a theft of over \$20 and under \$200.

Wal-Mart, 2225 N. Hobart, reported a theft. Cabot Corporation/IRI International, 807 N. Sumner, reported a theft.

> Arrests MONDAY, Oct. 25

Daniel Patrick Keel, 30, 730 S. Reid, was arrested in the 600 block of East Frederic on a charge of pub-

Tammy Bennett, 32, 1104 S. Sumner, was arrested on U.S. 60 on four outstanding warrants. TUESDAY, Oct. 26

Beatrice Maddox, 23, 1416 E. Browning, was

arrested at 1416 E. Browning on an outstanding war-Ronald J. Dunn, 49, 416 W. Crawford, was arrested in the 300 block of North Hobart on two outstanding

Hospital

warrants.

CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions

Pampa Birdie Mavie Derrick Herman Virgil Kelly Perryton Mary Lou Eudy

Births To Ms. Patricia Vargas of Pampa, a girl. To Ms. Misty Villarreal of Pampa, a girl.

Dismissals Pampa Harold D. Conner Owen Wilson Long Barbara Pamela Low-

Jane Anne McBride **SHAMROCK** HOSPITAL **Admissions** No admissions were

reported. **Dismissals** Shamrock Truman Bradstreet

Amy Westbrook Johnny Rhodes Wheeler Gordon Stile

Accidents

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

MONDAY, Oct. 25

6:02 p.m. - A 1991 Dodge driven by Garland Owen Allen, 27, 1235 Starkweather, collided with a 1988 Ford pickup legally parked in the 2200 block of North Zimmers. Allen reported a possible injury and was transported via ambulance to Coronado Hospital. where he was treated and released. No citations were

Sheriff's Office

The Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following incident during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

MONDAY, Oct. 25

Carla Schiffman, 1401 S. Hobart, reported criminal mischief.

Fires

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

MONDAY, Oct. 25

1:57 p.m. - Two units and three firefighters responded to a grass fire ten miles southwest of Pampa on FM 2300.

4:46 p.m. - Three units and five firefighters responded to an accident at the intersection of Starkweather and Kingsmill.

Stocks

The following grain quotations are	Chevron96 7/8	up 5/8
provided by Wheeler-Evans of	Coca-Cola42 1/2	dn 3/8
Pampa.	Diamond Sham26 1/8	up 1/4
Wheat3.26.	Enron32 3/8	up 1/8
Milo4.21	Halliburton33 7/8	NC
Com	HealthTrust Inc23 1/2	dn 1/4
9	Ingersoll Rand36 3/4	dn 1/8
The following show the prices for	KNE27 1/2	up 1/4
which these securities could have	Kerr McGee50 5/8	dn 1/4
traded at the time of compilation:	Limited22 1/8	dn 1/2
	Mapco59 1/8	dn 1/8
Serfco 5 dn 1/4	Maxus 6 1/2	dn 1/8
Occidental 18 7/8 up 1/8	McDonald's56 1/8	dn 3/8
The following show the prices for	Mobil81 1/4	dn 3/8
which these mutual funds were bid at	New Atmos31	up 1/8
the time of compilation:	Parker & Parsley31 3/8	up 1/2
Magellan74.86	Penney's49 1/8	dn 1/8
Puritan	Phillips31 5/8	dn 1
r 011001110.12	SLB62 1/2	dn 5/8
The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock	SPS31 1/2	dn 1/8
Market quotations are furnished by	Tenneco49 7/8	dn 3/8
Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa.	Texaco67 1/2	dn 1/4
Amoco55 3/4 dn 3/8	Wal-Mart26 1/8	dn 1/2
Arco111 7/8 dn 1 1/8	New York Gold	367.35
Cabot54 1/2 up 1/2	Silver	
Cabot O&G24 3/8 dn 1/8	West Texas Crude	17.53
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Two killed, five wounded in West Belfast shooting

BELFAST, Northern Ireland (AP) claimed responsibility for the sectariple and injured five in a Roman the number of people killed in deaths.' Catholic area of west Belfast today, Belfast since an IRA bomb Saturday the Royal Ulster Constabulary said.

The shooting, during a shift change at a city-operated garbage truck night in north Belfast and the prodepot, came as religious and political leaders in Northern Ireland called for Force claimed responsibility in a call calm following the weekend IRA to a local radio station. bombing that killed 10 people.

gunmen got out, entered the depot end the violence. and sprayed the workers with gunstable Ronnie Flanagan.

left 10 dead.

A Catholic man was slain Monday

Ken Maginnis, a Unionist Party "It would appear a car pulled up at lawmaker in the House of Commons, the cleansing depot and at least two called on the government to act to

"They have got to decide to disfire," said RUC assistant chief con-mantle the command and control for it at all. But we were expecting it. structure of the paramilitary organi-The Ulster Freedom Fighters, a zations," Maginnis told British pro-British Protestant outlaw gang, Broadcasting Corp. radio.

He said he was "saddened and - Assailants shot and killed two peo- an revenge killing that brought to 14 horrified by these continuing

Joe Hendron, a local lawmaker, said the situation in Northern Ireland is "as bad now as it ever was."

"There's this palpable fear wher-British extremist Ulster Volunteer ever you go. The political point of this is we should be talking. In a vacuum it's the gangsters and the scum who have a field day," Hendron told reporters at the shooting scene. John McGill said arriving late for

work today saved his life.

"It was just total carnage, no call We knew we were just a large group of sitting ducks and with no securi-

Red Ribbon Week



Sarah Maul, left, an eighth grade student at Pampa Middle School, sells eighthgrader Cindy Culver a ribbon during Red Ribbon Week at the school. Red Ribbon Week, being celebrated throughout Pampa Independent School District this week, is an annual statewide tradition in the fight against illicit drug consumption. (Pampa News photo by Darlene Holmes)

City to consider expanding discounts at golf course

By RANDAL K. McGAVOCK **Staff Writer**

Local employees of city, county, state and federal agencies as well as the employees of the Pampa Independent School District might soon be eligible for group discounts at

Pampa's municipal golf course. During today's session of the Pampa City Commission, the mayor and commissioners will consider an ordinance which will "redefine" what a government agency is and along the way make those employees eligible for a 10 percent group discount could participate as a business.' now extended to area businesses.

of the employees of a business must sign up to buy the annual passes.

ly if an alternative to the proposed ordinance is considered.

The alternative would allow only three or more employees of a business composed of 50 or less

employees to receive the discount when they sign up as a group.

director of community services. eral or state agency, or state political "The ordinance proposed is going to subdivision or independent school redefine what a business is; current-district." ly, a business is what you and I that matter, any state or local agency Hildebrandt.

Currently, a minimum of 10 percent ter has been discussed at a city comwork session held on Oct. 12, City But that also might change slight- Engineer Richard Morris and David course pro, presented the idea to the commission, which seemed to generally support the idea.

During that meeting, no formal employees to receive the discount action was taken by the commission, a charge for golf carts and the drivwhen they sign up as a group or which suggested to Teichmann that ing range fees still exist, Teichmann eight percent of the employees of a he discuss the matter further with said.

business composed of 50 or more the Golf Course Advisory Board. In the proposed ordinance, a business is defined as "any for-profit "It's not specifically for city sole proprietorship, partnership, coremployees," said Bill Hildebrandt, poration or other entity and any fed-

While the idea for a group disthink a business is - Radio Shack, a count for city employees was first jewelry store or a corporation like suggested, it was decided that it IRI International. There has been no would not be fair to just include mechanism by which the school dis- them and exclude county employtrict or the county or the city or, for ees, for example, according to

"If we set up something specifi-This is not the first time the mat- cally for city employees, that would not be equitable to state or county mission meeting. During the last employees or the school district, for that matter," he said.

In the 1993-1994 operating bud-Teichmann, the Hidden Hills golf get for the city, 25 percent of the golf course's revenues are projected to come from the annual passes. While the passes are valid, green fees do not have to be paid, although

Pantex citizens panel selection process continues

AMARILLO (AP) - A committee environmentalists and farmers near views, and I think that was accomchoose the committee.

Such tedium reflects efforts to find a fair way of naming a citizen's panel to advise the Pantex nuclear weapons plant.

The touchy process - kicked off in July by Energy Secretary Hazel O'Leary - inched forward Monday as a four-member committee named a 16-member committee that will select eight of the final advisers. Those final eight advisers, in turn,

can add up to 12 more members to their group. The 16-member selection com-

mittee includes Pantex workers who dismantle nuclear bombs and store the plutonium at the plant. Other members include business leaders,

has chosen the committee that will the site 17 miles northeast of Amarplished," said Roger Mulder of "I'm happy with the list," said

Carson County Judge Jay Roselius. 'We didn't all get what we wanted."

group represents a broad range of since the Cold War ended.

LEFORS - Area students plan- students attending colleges, unining to attend institutions of higher versities or trade schools after learning after high school are invit- high school graduation.

The Opportunity Plan is a non-

Gov. Ann Richard's office.

Energy officials spawned debate when they sought comments on how to change Pantex - close it, or "It was real important that this enlarge its functions and jobs -

Opportunity Plan discussion set at Lefors

ed to hear a representative from Plan at 7 p.m. Thursday in the surrounding communities are invit-Lefors Civic Center.

mation on financial assistance for Civic Club.

High school juniors and seniors Canyon discuss the Opportunity and their parents from Lefors and ed to attend the meeting.

The discussion program is being profit association providing infor- sponsored by the Lefors Art and

City briefs

BRICK REPAIR, Harley Knutson, 665-4237. Adv.

WOW! 2 burgers, 2 fries, 2 drinks \$3.99. Daks Drive Inn, 665-3433. We deliver! Adv.

David's Golf Shop on everything in store! Adv. **AUSTIN ELEMENTARY Fall** Festival Carnival, Bake sale and Chili supper. Tickets available at

school office. Thursday, October 28, 5 to 8 p.m. Adv. FINAL SALE. Eudell is retiring. bisque fired birds, animals and

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

Tonight, mostly cloudy, clear and

cold, low in the upper 20s, north

winds diminishing to 5-10 mph

after midnight. Wednesday, sunny

and warmer with a high in the low

50s. The high on Monday was 79;

REGIONAL FORECAST

cloudy this evening then clearing.

Lows around 30. Wednesday and

Wednesday night, fair. Highs in the

50s. Lows around 30. South Plains:

Tonight, a slight chance of light

rain northwest, with a few flurries

possible late, otherwise cloudy.

Lows in low to mid 30s. Wednes-

day, becoming partly sunny. Highs

in the 50s. Wednesday night, clear.

Lows in the 30s.

West Texas - Panhandle: Tonight,

the overnight low was 44.

101 N. Sumner, Adv.

MEALS ON Wheels, P.O. Box 939, Pampa, 669-1007. Adv. MARC AND Julianna Gilbert, John Haesle 665-4686. Adv.

Arlington, are proud parents of Katharine Alexis, born October 22, regular mattress, box springs and GOLF SALE continues at 1993. Grandparents Carolyn Gilbert, Sandra and Bill Waters, and Forrest Washbourne.

\$99 SUITS, selected group, Bob Clements, Inc. 1437 N. Hobart, 665-5121. Adv.

Dolls, finished pieces, porcelain room of an estate - Beautiful off Woodruff, Nail Tech: Manicures, 665-5591. Adv.

> chance of rain south late. Wednesmid 50s west to mid 60s east. Wednesday night, clearing and cool. Lows in upper 30s to mid 40s.

South Texas - Hill Country and South Central: Tonight, mostly cloudy with scattered showers. cloudy with widely scattered rain Snow showers mountains and west. Lows in the 40s Hill Country to near 50 south central. Wednesday, mostly cloudy with widely scattered rain. Highs in the 60s. Wednesday night, mostly cloudy with widely scattered rain. Lows near 40 Hill Country to 40s south central. Coastal Bend: Tonight, increasing clouds. Lows from 50s inland to near 60 coast. Wednesday, mostly cloudy with widely scattered showers. Highs in the 60s to near 70. Wednesday night, mostly cloudy with scattered showers. North Texas - Tonight, mostly Lows in the 40s to near 50. Lower becoming mostly sunny. High in cloudy and cooler with a slight Rio Grande Valley and Plains: 50s.

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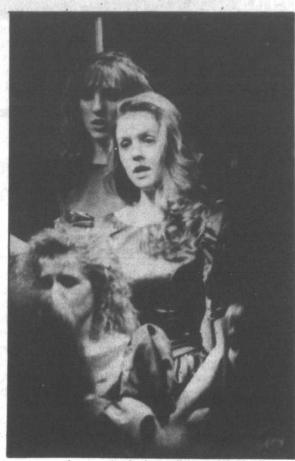
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BORDER STATES New Mexico - Tonight, mostly north. Lows teens and 20s mountains and north with 30s lower elevations south. Wednesday, mostly cloudy with a few showers and mountain snow showers south. Decreasing cloudiness central and north. Highs 40s and 50s mountains and north with upper 50s to 60s south. Wednesday night, mostly fair skies. Lows teens and 20s mountains north with 30s lower elevations south.

Oklahoma - Tonight, mostly cloudy. Lows in 30s. Wednesday,





The Pampa High School concert choir was one of several that filled M.K. Brown Audtiorium with music Monday night. Choirs from Pampa Middle School joined the high school choral department for the annual Fall Concert. Above left, Stephanie Green, and above right, Jennifer Mays were two of those who sang out with the Pampa High School concert choir during the performance. (Pampa News photos)

Texas Baptists elect new state president

DALLAS (AP) - A water-skiing San Angelo minister who touts autonomy for church missions and colleges is the new president of the Baptist General Convention of

Jerold R. McBride, pastor of First Baptist Church in San Angelo, was elected to the post Monday evening as moderates kept their hold on the 2.5 million-member convention.

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The 61-year-old McBride received 3,142 votes, or 67 percent, of balloting of delegates at the convention's annual statewide gathering. He defeated the Rev. Wayne L. Allen, 64, of Carrollton. Allen received 1,539 votes, or 33 percent.

Baylor University alumni were among those backing McBride, who said he supports funding for the Waco college.

"One frame of mind says that if I frame of mind.

should support them," he said. Church in Carrollton, had support alignment with Texas Baptists Comare training people.

In 1991, Baptist fundamentalists had been unable to take control of ern Baptists. Baylor in a showdown that highlighted that year's opening session change Texas Baptists' progress. of the state Baptist convention.

the San Angelo church since 1971, was also backed by Texas Baptists Committed, a political action arm of is making.

by U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchi-

son's attorneys in her ethics charges

case was called a "legal trick" by

attorney fought to keep the charges

ing the allegations presented to a

Attorney Dick DeGuerin of Hous-

"We want to go to trial right

away. I feel certain that when we go

ton said this would allow Hutchi-

son's trial to start as scheduled on

On Monday, Mrs. Hutchison's

prosecutors.

Nov. 29.

second grand jury.

AUSTIN (AP) - The latest move wrong," he said.



Jerold R. McBride

can't control you, I won't give you state moderates in this week's bid money," he said. "I'm not of that against Allen. Both men contended they were nonaligned.

> gers, aligned with the so-called Con- polarization of the church. servative Resurgence among South-

McBride said he did not want to

McBride, who has been pastor at that Texas Baptists (are) going," he said. "I'm really impressed with the progress Texas Baptist (convention)

Judge to consider Hutchison ethics case request

ney Ronnie Earle called it "a legal

against her in place rather than hav- lawyers will delay proceedings by because one grand juror faced an

the state's case, such as evidence

secured by the grand jury that

month by a Travis County grand jury

DeGuerin's request today.

indicted her.

But Travis County District Attor- records as part of a coverup.

trick to delay proceedings while giv- claims the allegations are the result

ing the appearance of seeking a of a Democratic plot to discredit her.

Prosecutors said Hutchison's others - was called into question

Lynch said he would rule on tial questions about the improperly

continuing to attack other parts of outstanding theft charge. State law

"I don't want to see the church distracted by the controversies of the Southern Baptist Convention," said McBride.

That convention is the largest Protestant group in the United

Describing himself as a radical pragmatist and a theological conservative, McBride said he did not believe in dictating church missions and strongly believed in local autonomy.

"I believe in freedom ... not coercing anybody on how to give their mission dollars," he said.

McBride is a father of three who said he took up water skiing and dirt bike riding when his three children were young. Now that they're grown, he says, he still enjoys boating and has become known as the 'pastor puller" because he enjoys taking parishioners skiing.

Allen was supported by the Texas Baptist Conservative Fellowship and the lay group Baptists With a "If Baylor is doing service ... we But Allen, pastor of First Baptist Mission. He had said McBride's "They are doing a good job. They from delegates, also called messen- mitted "could lead to a greater

But McBride said, "I don't think anybody can out-fundamentalize me, but I'm not negative about it."

'You are dealing with two men "I really believe in the direction who have much more in common with each other than the Republicans and Democrats on the national level," said Dennis R. Wiles, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church in Garland.

and political gain, then destroying

She denies any wrongdoing, and

Her case – along with about 500

prohibits someone facing a theft

charge from serving on a grand jury.

Although DeGuerin raised the ini-

Comptroller: Texas breaks sales record for lotto game

AUSTIN (AP) - Before it even hits its first anniversary, Texas' lotto game has set a national record for first-year sales and is poised to break the \$1 billion mark, says State Comptroller John Sharp.

"We're proud of that new record," Sharp said Monday.

Texas had \$973.6 million worth of sales by the close of business Saturday, when the lotto jackpot was an estimated \$40 million, according to lottery officials. Sales for the Lotto Texas game began

The previous lotto record-holder for 52 weeks of sales was Florida in 1989, with \$960.3 million, he said.

There were three winning tickets for Saturday's pick-six drawing, one purchased in Fort Worth and the other two in the Dallas area, prompting Sharp to call Saturday "Metroplex day."

Mexican national Pedro Ouezada. a Fort Worth waiter, was the first to claim his share of the prize Monday.

The word at the Arlington jail Monday was that a man who had been held for suspected car theft. over the weekend was among the big winners. But police Monday night said the 19-year-old held a printout listing the winning numbers, but not a winning ticket,

The comptroller announced the record-breaking lotto sales as the state launched a new numbers

In the new game, tickets range from 50 cents to \$5 and gamblers play three numbers from zero to

Winning numbers are randomly drawn from a machine. Prizes for a 50-cent play range from \$40 to \$250, and up to \$500 for a \$1 play.

Players can try to match the winning numbers in the exact order they are drawn, or any order.

Sharp said retailers whose terminals were turned on this weekend so they could become familiar with the game sold almost \$250,000 worth of Pick 3 tickets on Saturday and

Monday morning's sales were more than \$108,000.

Drawings will be held Monday through Saturday for Pick 3. Lotto drawings will remain on Wednesday and Saturday.

The comptroller announced the new game even though he's getting rid of lottery responsibility under a state law approved this year.

The law moves the lottery to a three-member commission, and the game technically ceased being a division of the comptroller's office on Sept. 15, said lottery spokesman Steve Levine. But he said Sharp retains the commissioners' powers until they are appointed by Gov. Ann Richards.

"We anticipate the governor will meet the Sept. 15 deadline for the appointment of commissioners -Just kidding, Ann," Sharp joked.

"We've completed the (lottery) startup process' with the advent of Pick 3, he said. "When the governor appoints the three commissioners, it'll be started and ready for them to take over."

Richards spokeswoman Margaret Justus said the governor hopes to name the new commissioners "shortly."

seated grand jury, on Monday he "We are very close. This is a very Hutchison, 50, was indicted last proposed that those indictments important position," Ms. Justus against Hutchison be replaced with said. "We want to be very careful to trial, a fair jury will find that Sen. on charges of using her previous charges filed directly by the district about who we appoint to this

Southside **Senior Citizens** Center



EDITOR'S NOTE: This is one in a series of profiles on the agencies and services funded by Pampa United Way assistance. The information is provided by the United Way from the 16 agencies receiving funding from the organization.

The Southside Senior Citizens Center's Mobile Meals program fills a great need on Saturdays when disabled and elderly people do not receive the regular Meals on Wheels which are delivered Monday through Friday.

The home-cooked food is really a treat, and always something to look forward to. They always take the time to see if I am all right or

No one ever anticipates being alone or disabled. The Southside Senior Citizens Center makes my life much more bearable with their wonderful food and caring attitude. Weekends would be really lonely

The Southside Senior Citizens Center is a United Way funded orga-

Sincerely, Gayle

Volunteers are currently out seeking contributions for the 1993 Pampa United Way fund-raising campaign. Those not being contacted may call the United Way office at 669-1001 for information on how to make contributions.

Last United Way check-in Thursday

fund-raising campaign.

The meeting will begin at 5 p.m. munity Building, 200 N. Ballard.

As of Friday, Pampa United Way had 55 percent of its overall Pampa United Way.

"There (are) quite a few major

Gray County Latch Key, Gray letter to the approximately 250 County Child Protective Services fund-raising volunteers for Pampa and Pampa Family Services Cen- United Way. "If you cannot make ter on Thursday will sponsor the it to the check-in meeting, you final progress report and party for can drop off your cards at my Pampa United Way Inc.'s annual office in the Community Build-

Bigham likened her volunteers Thursday in the M.K. Brown to "the mouth, hands and feet" for Meeting Room of the Pampa Com- the 16 non-profit social service agencies in town that it helps fund.

This year's Pampa United Way fund-raising campaign began fund-raising goal for this year of Sept. 14; funds raised from the \$335,000, said Katrina Bigham, annual event will be allotted to executive administrator of the the United Way agencies in calendar year 1994.

This is the Pampa United Way's firm (informational) packets still 40th annual fund-raising season. out and commercial (pledge) cards Established in 1953, the Pampa not picked up and turned into my United Way offices are housed in office," Bigham said in her Friday the Pampa Community Building.

National Guard to host Spook House

The Texas National Guard will go a-haunting this weekend.

Spook House from 7 p.m. to 10 a spokesman for the unit.

Guard Building on U.S. 60 East.

"There will be a neighborhood, door-to-door Trick-or-Treat inside Pampa's unit will host its annual the building," said Kristi Ledbetter, p.m., Saturday at the Texas National

Instant pictures will be available for a fee, she said.

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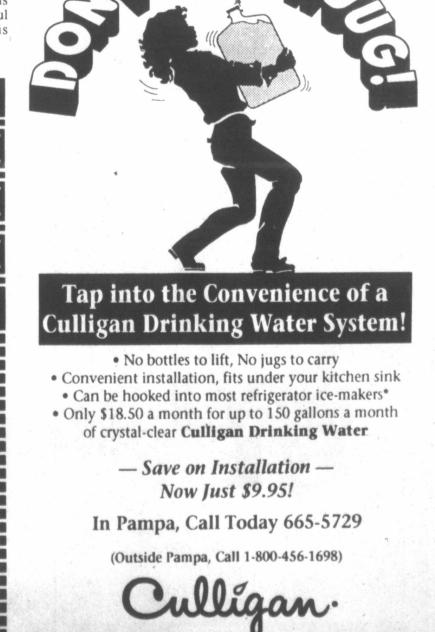
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Louise Fletcher

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Opinion

Trade ruling sets a bad precedent

Even as Americans debate whether to adopt an international pact lowering trade barriers against Mexico and Canada, an Arkansas court has decided to erect some trade barriers of its own - within our country.

The court held earlier this month that the nation's largest retail chain had violated a state law against so-called "predatory pricing" by pegging its prices for prescription drugs below cost, winning business from some smaller competitors. The court agreed with those competitors, three indepedent pharmacies that had brought suit, that the Wal-Mart chair had intended to drive them off.

Antitrust attorneys reportedly are now girding for more such challenges against large companies, ostensibly because those, too, are pricing their assorted products below their own cost to ruin rivals that can't afford it. Indeed, Arkansas is only one of 23 states with laws allowing such lawsuits.

Whether Wal-Mart really intended the undoing of its small rivals, or was just engaging in savvy business, is up to the courts to sort out as this case makes its way through the appeals system.

The retail giant denies the allegations; its discount stores, after all, offer a vast array of products nationwide and would profit little by running off a few neighborhood druggists. What should concern the public at large, though, is that once again, the government is trampling over the free market - and that means consumers - in the name of noble rostrums like "leveling the playing field."

In essense, such arbitrary laws as Arkansas' - barring prices "injuring competitors and destroying competition" - are little more than domestic protectionism. They flout the same truths of economics as do national tariffs, quotas and other measures set up to slow the flow of cheaper goods from abroad.

And as with foreign trade, where "dumping" charges are at times leveled against foreign competitors for selling products below cost, the plaintiffs in Arkansas are alleging that they are being underpriced by a company that is taking a loss on one product line in order to dominate the market for it.

Only, instead of putting up protectionist barriers at the nation's borders, these predatory-pricing laws put up the barriers around individual companies buffering them against competition from just

All of this disserves the consumer no less than does protectionism against competition from abroad. Just as another country's producers of goods or services might offer Americans a better bargain, so do the targets of these predatory-pricing allegations.

Fortunately, not all authorities are buying into the claim. The federal court system appears less sympathetic. For instance, in August a federal jury in Texas rejected claims that American Airlines was trying to drive other carriers out of business through fare wars.

But the Arkansas ruling sets an unnerving precedent. It represents yet another intrusion by government into private enterprise. And as is so often the case when the government meddles in the free market, consumers pick up the tab.

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Dodging another debacle

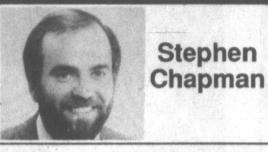
The thugs in Port-au-Prince who prevented a U.S. Navy vessel from unloading American and Canadian troops this month will have few credits when they go before St. Peter on Judgment Day, but they may be able to point to one good deed: sparing President Clinton from wandering into yet another military fiasco and political disaster in a country of scant concern to the United States.

The administration's journey from Somalia to Haiti has been an alarming progression from routine bungling to gross incompetence, whose consequences were only barely averted by events beyond its control as most events these days seem to be.

The United States possesses the mightiest fighting force ever seen on earth. Yet this president proposed to send, into a country wracked by political violence. some 600 soldiers, armed with nothing more than pistols, whose orders if fired upon were - in the words of an unidentified "senior Western official" quoted in The New York Times - to "run the other way."

Run the other way? The last time I checked, that was not the motto of the U.S. Marine Corps. Perhaps it should be, at least as long as we have a president who is prepared to do enough to get our troops into trouble but not enough to get them out. Memorizing this phrase would help pass the time of our soldiers in Mogadishu, almost all of whom have been holed up in a fortified compound, unable to venture out on patrol.

In the case of Haiti, the administration apparently saw no need to provide our troops with the means to defend themselves because the mission it had assigned them was so soothingly benign. They were going to train members of the armed forces and build roads, clinics and schools, helping to prepare the



country for the return of exiled President Jean-Bertrand Aristide and for enduring democratic rule.

The State Department scoffed at the worries of Pentagon officials, who weren't able to block the undertaking. "Suddenly, Chicken Little says the sky is falling, but there is no problem of major proportion," said special envoy Lawrence Pezzullo just a few days before the troops aboard the USS Harlan County found themselves with a problem that didn't look

It came as a rude shock to Secretary of State Warren Christopher that not everyone in Haiti embraced the Americans as angels of mercy. "This international contingent was to be offered a peaceful environment with the full support of the local police and military organizations they would be training and assisting, he complained. "Those promises have not been kept."

Shrewd people don't gamble American lives on the promises of veteran killers such as those running the Haitian security forces - particularly when the promises are manifestly at odds with the killers' own interests. But shrewd people are in short supply at the upper levels of the State Department and the White House, where no one seems to grasp the difference before it's too late.

between running a soup kitchen and suppressing a civil conflict.

If the mission in Haiti were perfectly safe and scrupulously pacific, we should have sent the Peace Corps instead of the army. But if a situation warrants American soldiers, they ought to be prepared to meet the worst eventuality with overwhelming force - not merely enough to cope with the most optimistic scenario.

In Haiti, as in Somalia, the Clinton administration has preferred to do the minimum, as if feeble efforts were safer than robust ones. This is policy-making on a hope and a prayer, in an arena where officials should never forget the sovereignty of Murphy's Law, which says that if anything can go wrong, it will.

But the central problem in our policy is presuming that Haiti is important enough to justify risking American lives. The "vital interest" at stake there is the possibility of Haitians washing up on our shores. But this problem, assuming it is one, can be curbed by intercepting refugee boats at sea - as the Coast Guard has been doing with considerable success.

The real motivation for this mission, in fact, is the administration's reckless urge to do admirably selfless deeds throughout the world. If Clinton wants to promote democracy in Haiti, he should be content to do it through economic sanctions, which rarely result in the corpses of our soldiers being publicly desecrated.

The American people realized belatedly in Somalia that although they would like to furnish humanitarian help to suffering people abroad, the sacrifice they are ready to make for that privilege is not great. They are coming to that realization at an earlier stage in Haiti and hoping that their president will also catch on



Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Tuesday, Oct. 26, the 299th day of 1993. There are 66 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On Oct. 26, 1881, the "Gunfight at the OK Corral" took place in Tombstone, Ariz., as Wyatt Earp, his two brothers and Doc Holliday shot it out with Ike Clanton's gang. Three members of Clanton's gang were killed; Earp's brothers were

wounded. On this date:

In 1774, the First Continental Congress adjourned in Philadelphia. In 1825, the Erie Canal opened in upstate New York, connecting Lake Erie and the Hudson River.

In 1942, the U.S. ship Hornet was sunk in the Battle of Santa Cruz Islands during World War II.

In 1949, President Harry Truman signed a measure raising the minimum wage from 40 to 75 cents an hour.

In 1957, the Soviet Union announced that defense minister Marshal Georgi Zhukov had been relieved of his duties.

Baseball on the trashy side

ATLANTA – I'm just as much of a Braves fan as the next Atlanta chop-chop yahoo, but I've got to admit I've come to like the Philadelphia Phillies, too. You know why? Because the prissy pots don't.

They quoted this woman at a hair salon in the Atlanta papers recently. She was asked what she thought of the Phillies after watching them play the Braves on TV the first two games of the National League Championship Series. She said, "The tobacco chewing was pretty gross

... I'm an environmentalist and so I just can't understand the tobacco in terms of putting it into your body. There was also some pretty bad hair out there." Go shampoo a goat and leave the Phillies to look

as they damn well please. You hit something white with a stick and then you run and slide around in the dirt. You sweat and you spit and you curse.

In A League of Their Own, Tom Hanks was trying to explain to one of his female baseball players about the game. She was crying

"There's no crying in baseball," he said. Of course there isn't. There's yelling and screaming and belching and John Kruk of the Phillies reminds me of the kind of guy who probably still thinks it's funny to make escaping gas sounds by cupping his palm under his armpit.



Hell, that still is funny. It's funnier than Married

With Children. What to do with the prissy pots.

"I'm an environmentalist, so I just can't under-

stand the tobacco in terms of putting it in your body." That's why they invented chewing tobacco, lady, so baseball players could spit in color. Take Len

Dykstra of the Phillies. Here's a guy who would put up with Somalia for about as long as he would a hanging curve ball.

Len Dykstra is trying to win ball games, not get a GO cover. He doesn't care if tobacco juice dribbles out of the side of his mouth and onto his uniform. He wants it to do that. He wants to gross you out. It's

when he isn't making sounds with his armpit. There was a quote from him once in Sports Illustrated. A woman saw him smoking a cigarette in

think outdoor plumbing.

Back to John Kruk. Ol' John Kruk from West

He gets a raise, he buys a new satellite dish to

put outside the trailer, so he can get all the stations

(by-God) Virginia. You look at this guy and you

the dug-out during a spring training game. She said something like, "Aren't you ashamed?

A professional athlete smoking."

He responded, "I ain't a professional athlete. I'm a baseball player." The man's a p-l-a-y-e-r. I like that crazy relief pitcher, too. Mitch Williams. He'd give Queen Elizabeth a hotfoot.

Hair? He styles his with Kruk's cigarette lighter. I'm not on the sports pages anymore, so I can be a homer and root for the Braves.

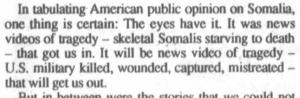
But I would take the Phillies in a fight, a riot, a war. Send those guys to Somalia.

The only thing wrong with the Phillies is their name. Calling that crowd Phillies is like calling the corner barbershop Christophe's.

Call 'em the Muds or the Bloods. Or the Nightmare from the North.

I just happen to like my baseball teams a little on the trashy side.

omalia at a glance isn't enoug



But in between were the stories that we could not

 There were major miscalculations by those who make American policy behind closed doors, including the Oval Office and the White House Situation Room where Somalia wasn't considered a situation requiring much attention by a president preoccupied with domestic reforms.

 There were also miscalculations – lapses, really – by the media, especially the television networks that feed us the pictures that, like it or not, mold policymaking in this video age. We've missed pictures of a major reality in the hinterlands - hundreds of thousands of Somalis who are alive and fed today thanks to America's initial effort. Are they greeting U.S. forces in village scenes that look like a miniature liberation of Paris? We can't say. We haven't seen it with our own eyes.

Today, we'll take a closer look at news we couldn't

(1) Once again, policy-makers didn't ask the key question: "Then what do we do?"

Blame here is bipartisan and bipresidential. Presidents Bush and Clinton and their top advisers failed to explore steps the U.S. military would have to follow if, once engaged in Somalia, all didn't go according to



what he lives for.

Martin Schram

plan. When the U.S. troops landed, the warlords had stopped warring and started waiting. After all, Bush had declared on Dec. 4 that we were there just "to open the supply routes" and then "we will withdraw our troops.

But if these outlaws decided to just wait for the United States to leave before resuming warring and famine-as-usual - ask the question, "Then what do we do?" We had no planned answer.

U.S. forces, under the Bush-Clinton policy, were cut from 28,000 to 5,000 (which would have been fine if the warlords didn't resume warring). Defense Secretary Les Aspin rejected pleas of the field commander to send tanks and armor (ditto). Clinton, buried in his domestic reforms, permitted U.N. Sectretary-General Boutrous Boutrous-Ghali to change the mission into a manhunt for warlord Mohammed Farah Aidid.

(2) American officials drastically underestimated the size and strength of Aidid's army and his popular

Looking for Aidid, U.S. troops attacked the wrong

building and captured U.N. peacekeepers by mistake. In a remarkable one-two punch on CNN, Adm. Jonathan Howe, the U.N. special envoy, insisted U.N. forces had not really been targeting Aidid.

But then our most exemplary ex-president, Jimmy Carter, just back from a fact-finding visit to Somalia's neighbors, said: "My interpretation of what has been going on in Mogadishu and what Admiral Howe has said ... are not compatible with each other ... United Nations forces excessively emphasized the capture or killing of Gen. Aidid ... The leaders in the eastern African region ... all think this was a disastrous mistake."

(3) On CNN's Reliable Sources, CNN executive vice president Ed Turner (my friend and sometimes boss for years) candidly acknowledged why we missed scenes of grateful rural Somalis: "We have devoted much of our resources to working the breaking news story which has been in downtown Mogadishu. I think that was a lapse on our part ... and I'm not proud of it."

But if Americans haven't always gotten the total news picture out of Somalia, apparently the elusive outlaw Aidid has a special diplomatic channel for gathering intelligence on Washington policy-making. 'I understand that Gen. Aidid will only stay in houses where he can receive CNN," says Jimmy Carter. "And he has a portable antenna that he focuses on the proper satellite."

Then, using the new diplomatic pouch of the '90s, Carter spoke directly to Aidid via CNN: "Take the initiative and declare a total cease fire." And that's what happened.

Deciding veto on income-tax power

By PEGGY FIKAC **Associated Press Writer**

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AUSTIN (AP) - Voters would get to decide whether Texas ever has a state personal income tax under a proposed constitutional amendment on the Nov. 2 ballot.

income-tax veto power by preventing the levy, or any subsequent increases, unless approved in a statewide referendum. It also would require the revenue to be used to tion because it would "tie legislareduce school property taxes and aid

to the people. The Legislature under run state government. the current constitution could pass an income tax without a statewide vote - although that prospect has been described as unlikely because it would mean "political suicide."

camps: Some fear it would open the door to an income tax by making the levy more attractive. Others say the measure is bad public policy and wouldn't reduce poor people's tax burden.

"I believe it's just a slick way of very controversial issue," said Rep. real," he said. Warren Chisum, D-Pampa, head of the Legislature's Conservative Chairman John Montford, who Coalition.

them from an income tax, they bet- and results in property tax relief.

ter think again," he said, painting the proposal.

"First, place the voter, rather than politician who can be voted out of to the economic course of a state office, in the position of granting final approval of the dreaded tax," Proposition 4 would give Texans to the voter's legitimate concerns of states that doesn't have a personal about public education.

Ruthann Geer, president of the League of Women Voters of Texas, said her group opposes the propositors' hands in one of the most important areas of legislative Supporters say it's giving power responsibility - raising the funds to

people's taxes. But she said this henhouse.' Opponents come from different measure would benefit "the largest property taxpayers – businesses."

school taxes would be reduced, there wouldn't be a limit on property taxes imposed by other local governmental bodies. "The potential for is confusing. massive increases in local governthe Legislature getting around a ment spending then becomes very

But Senate Finance Committee sponsored the proposal, says it's "If taxpayers think that voting in clearly meant to ensure any personal favor of this proposition will save income tax is approved by Texans Cause in Texas. "So we vote no on

He scoffed at the idea that there's what he calls a two-part strategy to a hidden agenda, asking, "How could you hide the ball on this?"

"This decision is so fundamental that I truly believe the voters should be in the loop," said Montford, Dhe said. "Second, tie the income tax Lubbock. Texas is one of a handful state income tax.

> Some are suspicious because the idea was pushed by Democratic Lt. Gov. Bob Bułlock, who had earlier supported a state income tax and is up for re-election next year.

"We think it was a very crafty political maneuver by Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock to avoid political heat for Jude Filler, executive director of his support of an income tax," said the Texas Alliance for Human Karen Hughes, state GOP executive Needs, said her group would support director. "You've always got to be an income tax that reduced poor suspicious when a fox guards the

But Bullock has said the proposal would make Texans "full partners Chisum also said that while with the Legislature in any future decision on this matter that affects everyone's pocketbook."

Other opponents say the proposal

"We think people should be able to determine the consequences of an action, and we cannot figure out whether this amendment makes a state income tax more likely or less likely," said Mary Nell Mathis, who heads the watchdog group Common general principles.'

includes 12,000 beds for substance

Contingent on voter approval of the

\$1 billion in bonds, the Legislature

corrections facilities through the next

break ground on 22,000 state jail

The remainder of the bond money

By the end of the century, state

officials have estimated that if current

Ellinger says the building boom

Paying off the bonds with interes

before voters worth more than \$10

bill of goods - based on the urgent

need to reduce crime - by building

But Whitmire says Texas is finally

getting "smart" on crime. The 'lock-

tality is a thing of the past, except

em up and throw away the key' men-

"The public is again being sold a

prisons and mental health facilities.

Summaries of 16 proposed amendments

AUSTIN (AP) - Summaries of the 16 proposed con- tional two-year right of redemption to apply only to stitutional amendments on the Nov. 2 ballot:

Proposition 1

\$50 Million in bonds for historically underutilized right of redemption. businesses

Would authorize the Legislature to issue up to \$50 Proposition 10 million in general obligation bonds to aid in the startup costs of historically underutilized businesses, those in bonds owned by women and minorities.

Proposition 2

Property tax exemption for pollution control devices Would permit the Legislature to exempt from property taxes all or part of property used to meet federal state and local regulations to control air, water or land Proposition 11 pollution.

Proposition 3

Relinquishing state land in Fort Bend and Austin

Would relinquish the state's claim to a one-third interest in land and mineral rights in 4,428 acres of the Proposition 12 two counties, clearing up a 160-year-old question that dates to the original Mexican land grant.

Proposition 4

Requiring income tax referendum

Would require voter approval of any law imposing a state personal income tax; require at least two-thirds of net revenue from an income tax to reduce public Proposition 13 school maintenance-and-operations property taxes; use remaining revenue for support of education.

Proposition 5

Establishing qualifications for sheriffs Would allow legislators to set minimum qualifica-

tions for county sheriffs in Texas.

Abolishing office of Jackson County surveyor

surveyor, transferring its functions to an officer designated by the commissioners court.

Would abolish the elected office of Jackson County

Proposition 7 Repeal of corporate requirements for issuing stocks **Proposition 15**

Would repeal a section of the Constitution adopted in response to an 1870s-era "stock watering" scandal than the amount paid for it.

Proposition 8

Abolishing office of McLennan County surveyor Would abolish the elected office of McLennan County surveyor if approved by county voters.

Proposition 9

Limiting right to redeem property sold at a tax sale Would permit the Legislature to limit the constitu- Texas agricultural products.

on the divided peninsula might be

Also Monday, South Korean For-

eign Minister Han Sung-joo said

Seoul may approve a package deal

in which Washington considers

diplomatic ties with North Korea in

exchange for nuclear inspections

The developments Monday were

the first signs of progress in months

of talks aimed at resolving concerns

that North Korea is developing

nuclear weapons. North Korea has

blocked international inspections of

to make one or two atomic weapons

by 1995. The North maintains, how-

ever, that its nuclear program is

and there is no risk factor ... we

"As long as conditions are ripe,

purely for peaceful purposes.

International experts say North Korea may have enough plutonium

its nuclear sites.

resolved through dialogue

exchanging presidential envoys, consideration," he said.

former owners of a residence homestead or land designated for agricultural use. Former owners of other types of property would have six months to exercise a

Allowing Veterans Land Board to issue \$750 million

Would authorize the board to issue up to \$750 million in general obligation bonds, with \$250 million to be used to augment the Veterans Land Fund and \$500 million to be used for the veterans' housing program through a new fund.

Setting duties of local public pension system trustees Would stipulate that boards of trustees of public retirement systems not belonging to a statewide public retirement system must administer it for benefit of participants and beneficiaries.

Denying bail to people on probation, charged with certain offenses

Would authorize a judge to deny bail to a person accused of certain violent or sexual crimes while they are on probation, parole or free under mandatory supervision for prior felonies.

Higher Education Assistance Fund aid for Texas State Technical College

Would add the four TSTC system campuses to the list of higher education campuses receiving construction and equipment funding from the Higher Education Assistance Fund.

Proposition 14

Authorizing \$1 billion in bonds for corrections facil-

Would allow the state to issue up to \$1 billion in general obligation bonds, with the money used to finance construction of prison beds, new state jails, youth corrections and mental health and retardation facilities.

To eliminate statewide vote for abolishing county surveyor offices

Would allow county commissioners courts to call in which stock was issued with a face value greater elections to abolish the elected office of county surveyor in a county.

Proposition 16

Koreas make progress on exchanging envoys

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) - need to consider all possible meth-joint military war games with the

North and South Korea reportedly ods," Han told reporters. A package United States, the reports said.

neared agreement Monday on deal "is one of the methods under North Korea claims the exercises

raising hopes that nuclear tensions In the past, South Korea has South Korea said it would discon-

insisted on settling the nuclear issue

special envoys, but agreed to meet

again Nov. 4 to iron out their differ-

ences, according to pool news

The two countries failed to reach

before discussing other issues.

Authorizing \$75 million in bonds for agricultural business loans

are preparation for nuclear war.

tinue the Team Spirit exercises,

conducted annually since 1976, only

after a final agreement is reached on

Monday's progress followed a

series of secret U.S.-North Korea

talks in which Pyongyang reported-

ly offered to open its nuclear facili-

Would increase amount of general obligation bonds that may be issued for the Texas Agricultural Fund from \$25 million to \$100 million to provide financial help in production, processing, marketing or exporting

Shelling out to keep criminals in

By SCOTT ROTHSCHILD **Associated Press Writer**

AUSTIN (AP) - For the fourth time in six years and in the middle of possibly the largest prison buildup in the world, Texans will vote on whether to take out a loan to add more lockups to one of the nation's largest prison systems. The proposed constitutional

amendment would allow the issuance of \$1 billion in state-backed bonds for tal health and mental retardation facil-The measure is No. 14 of 16 pro-

posals on the Nov. 2 ballot. Early voting runs from Oct. 13 through Oct.

enforcement, mayors, prosecutors and their sentence. victim's rights groups. Citizens United for the Rehabilitation approach. of Errants, the Texas Alliance for

Human Needs and the New Alliance of keeping them locked up has grown the new prisons makes the question Most of those groups say the state and social services to try and stop the

root causes of crime. Wally Ellinger of CURE said prisons built with the proposed bonds would be for people who now are in elementary school. That money would be more efficiently spent on

those children now, he said.

ton, and coauthor of the amendment, the prison system will more than dousaid more prisons are needed to help ble by 1997 to 128,000 capacity. This protect Texans from crime.

"People rightfully believe the crimary abuse programs." inal justice system is broken," he

And, he said, the new bonds will has appropriated \$320 million for pay for an important change in how construction of state jails and other the state treats criminals. Much of the bond revenue would fiscal year. Combined with other

go toward construction of a new type bond monies, the state is waiting to of prison called "state jails." In theory, these would be used to incarcerate beds, and possibly 42,000 more after the construction of prisons and men- non-violent offenders long enough for that. them to benefit from rehabilitation. That would also free up maximum can be used by future Legislatures for security prisons for violent offenders, making those inmates serve longer portions of their sentence.

Currently, because of overcrowded trends continue one of every 21 adult The proposal is backed by state prison conditions, inmates often serve Texans – about 700,000 people – will leaders, and a coalition of law only one month for every year of be incarcerated, on probation, or on 'We are working for a safer, saner

Opposition to the measure comes Texas," Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock said can never catch up to demand, and from a number of groups, including recently in discussing the new must stop. The number of inmates and the cost over the next 20 years, and running

There are currently about 60,228 should invest its money in education inmates in the prison system, and more than 24,000 inmates backed up

> in county jails. By comparison, there are about more schools of crime," he said. 64,000 inmates in New York prisons, and 119,000 in California.

But Texas is gearing up to surpass

Financed by a total of \$2 billion in when it comes to incarcerating vio-But Sen. John Whitmire, D-Housbonds approved from 1987 to 1991, lent criminals, he said.

Eye clinic doctors drop lawsuit against 'Dateline NBC'

parole.

billion, he said.

GREENSBORO, N.C. (AP) - An eye clinic dropped an \$8 million lawsuit against NBC over a Dateline NBC report that suggested it was scheduling needless cataract

The Southeastern Eye Center said Monday it was dropping the lawsuit because the number of patients had rebounded from the 30 percent drop that followed the May 4 broadcast.

"There's no question that Dateline stated and implied that we were doing unsavory things," said Mark McDaniel, president of Central Carolina Surgical Eye Associates, which operates Southeastern. "The fact that they now say we are doing nothing wrong has restored our reputation, and that's what we were after from the very beginning.

The segment implied a healthy woman who posed as a patient was minutes away from unnecessary surgery

NBC spokeswoman Beth Comstock, said the network stuck by the accuracy of the program, and that it hadn't said the clinic actually performed unnecessary cataract surgery.

"Our position hasn't changed. The fact remains that Southeastern dropped the lawsuit and NBC has

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We felt the lawsuit had no merit,"

she said. McDaniel said the woman was told by two different doctors she did not need cataract surgery. He said she called back to try to schedule surgery because NBC was facing a

deadline. The lawsuit accused Dateline segment, McDaniel said.

paid no money. We feel vindicated, NBC reporter Brian Ross and the network of trespassing, eavesdropping, invasion of privacy, interference with economic advantage, con-

spiracy and defamation. The lawsuit, filed in August, sought \$6 million in damages for the clinic and \$2 million for Dr. Richard Epes, the physician featured in the

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Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Vincent Price, whose gaunt face and creepy voice put chills in such thrillers as The Raven and House of Wax, was a modern-day Renaissance man who dedicated his life to the arts, friends and relatives say.

Price died Monday night at his Hollywood Hills home after a fiveyear struggle with lung cancer. He

"I think it's going to be a big loss because he gave so much through all the characters he played," said comedian Milton Berle, who knew Price from the actor's appearances on Berle's Texaço Star Theater in

"He was one of the finest actors, besides being one of the most charming gentlemen I ever met,' Berle said.

the 1950s.

Price was amused by his reputation as the perfect villain.

"I'm not the least bit disappointed that I'm remembered primarily for my horror roles," he said in 1985. He said a fan in Houston once

offered her neck to be bitten. "Now I have never played Dracula," he remarked. "Anyway, I bit

her. My, was she surprised!" From the beginning of his film career in 1938, Price appeared in a variety of films, from the sublime said. "I haven't been as 'success-(Laura, The Ten Commandments) to the ridiculous (Dr. Goldfoot and the

Bikini Machine). Price exploited his reputation as a villain by contributing a ghostly voice to Michael Jackson's hit record, "Thriller," playing the creator of Edward Scissorhands in the 1990 film and hosting the PBS

series Mystery during the 1980s. remembered Price as a warm man who cared passionately about the

"Some people remember him for the horror movies or the television shows, but his mission in life and the thing he believed in was the power of the arts," the actor's daughter, Victoria Price, said from a Los Angeles-bound airplane to join

Vincent Price

"He was just a wonderful man, a wonderful father, and a wonderful friend," his son, V.B. Price, said from his Albuquerque, N.M., home.

Price wrote several art books (I Like What I Know) and wrote about cooking (A Treasury of Great Recipes). During the 1960s he served as art-buying consultant for bathroom-cleanser TV commer-Sears, Roebuck and Co., which was selling original art. He also founded a college art gallery.

feel that I've had a good life," Price Mouse Detective. ful' as some people, but I've certainly had more fun.

Born May 27, 1911, Price was the son of a St. Louis candy manufacturer. His father's wealth shaped his childhood, with art-viewing actor married costume designer Mary tours of Europe and a Yale University education. Price graduated with a degree in art history and English.

While studying at the University But family members and friends of London, he took a dare from a friend and auditioned for a role in ters and a son, and two grandsons. the play Chicago starring John

He got the role and was then cast in Victoria Regina, his 6-foot-4 frame and precise speech just fitting Gilbert Miller invited him to appear opposite Helen Hayes in the New York production.

my passage from London," Price recalled. "I came home steerage, smelling like a goat."

Price performed in several plays at Orson Welles' Mercury Theater. In 1938 he married his first wife, actress Edith Barrett, on the theater's stage.

That same year, Price moved to Hollywood, and he remained thereafter. Under contract to 20th Century Fox, he proved a valuable character actor in such films as Song of Bernadette, Wilson, The Eve of St. Mark, Leave Her to Heaven and Dragonwyck.

As a free-lance actor he appeared in a wide variety of films, including Up in Central Park, Abbott and Costello Meet the Invisible Man, The Three Musketeers, Curtain Call at Cactus Creek and Son of Sinbad.

His reputation as a scare merchant was established in the 1953 3-D thriller, House of Wax.

During the 1960s Price appeared with Boris Karloff, Peter Lorre, Lon Chaney Jr. and others in a series of Edgar Allan Poe movies made by Roger Corman.

In later years Price appeared in cials, as a panel member of Hollywood Squares and as the voice of the villainous Dr. Ratigan in the "I've just done everything, but I animated Disney feature, The Great

Between film and television appearances, he toured in a oneman show, Diversion and Delights, portraying Oscar Wilde.

Price's marriage to Edith Barrett ended in divorce in 1948. In 1949 the Grant. They had a daughter, Mary, and divorced in 1973. His third wife was the English actress Coral Browne, who died in May 1991.

Price is survived by two daugh-The family planned to hold a private funeral and memorial service

at a time to be determined. Price had asked that in lieu of flowers donations be made to the the role of Prince Albert. Producer art gallery he founded 40 years ago at the East Los Angeles City College. A public memorial service will be held at the college gallery, "Miller wouldn't even pay for but a date has not been set.

Conservatives wiped out by Liberals as voters rewrite Canada's politics

By SHEILA NORMAN-CULP Associated Press Writer

TORONTO (AP) - In an election that rewrote the political map als rolled to an unexpectedly tion. strong victory and the separatist Bloc Quebecois emerged as the second most powerful party.

Prime Minister Kim Campbell's Progressive Conservatives - who won stunning victories in 1984 party in tatters.

Campbell could not even muster enough votes to retain her own seeks independence for Canada's expose this country to protection-

In an equally stunning development, the Bloc Quebecois (pronounced kay-bec-KWA) won enough support in French-speak-

Voters in this country of 27 million turned to Chretien because he tory campaigned on a promise to deal with the No. 1 issue: creating jobs to tackle Canada's 11.2 percent unemployment.

When the political bloodletting district. was over early today, Chretien's Liberals had won 178 of the 295 seats in the Commons and assured themselves a majority govern-

The Conservatives had plunged from 155 seats to two, an unprecedented defeat. The socialist New in ignominy, dropping from 43 seats to eight.

The Bloc Quebecios, which all but one of them in the West.

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of Canada has been significantly gan, Quebec. altered and a different political era has begun," declared Preston North American Free Trade Manning, the leader of Reform, which had only one member of of Canada, Jean Chretien's Liber- parliament before Monday's elec-

The Conservative defeat was so vast that it could not be attributed to any one miscue. In the East, they were blown out of the picture by Liberals; in the West their seats went to Reform, a party more and 1988 under Brian Mulroney - rightist than the Conservatives crashed Monday, holding on to a that preached deficit elimination mere two seats and leaving the to taxpayers fed up with government waste.

> The Bloc Quebecois, which grabbed their electorate in Que-

When the campaign began 47 days ago, Campbell came out of ing Quebec to squeak by the the blocks quickly with high pop-Reform Party, based in Alberta, to ularity ratings. But she stumbled capture the privileged role of offi- and then ground to a halt under cial opposition in the House of the weight of Mulroney's disastrous economic legacy and the worst-run campaign in recent his-

> Campbell, who made news in June when she became Canada's first female prime minister, was even ousted in her own Vancouver

"Success was not ours tonight," she admitted, but added, "Our time in the sun will come again."

In his victory speech early today, the 59-year-old Chretien promised to curb the Liberals' reputation for spending, put Canada's unsolved bickering Democrats nearly matched them between French and English on the back shelf and focus on the economy.

"We have to concentrate all tives. campaigned only in Quebec, our efforts on the economy to swept up 54 seats, and the upstart create jobs, to have growth, to Reform Party captured 52 seats, give dignity to the workers who want to work across this land," "Tonight the political landscape he told supporters in Shawini- pened to me."

But how that related to the Accord with the United States and Mexico wasn't clear. Chretien has said he wants to renegotiate parts of a free trade agreement with the United States that went into effect four years ago.

In an editorial today, the influential Financial Post newspaper urged Chretien to "remove the threat of abrogating the North American Free Trade Agreement and the Canada-U.S. free trade agreement."

It said, "Renegotiation is strategically foolish because it will only French-majority province, ists in the U.S. Congress who would point to the huge benefits Canada has already enjoyed as a result of bilateral free trade.'

No matter how Chretien decides to tackle the trade issue, the Canada he is taking over has a daunting \$26 billion deficit and is only slowly emerging from a devastating, three-year recession.

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irit Set d:

He must accomplish this while unifying a huge nation divided along East-West and French-English lines.

Lucien Bouchard, who founded Bloc Quebecois just three years ago, promised that in economic matters "the interests of Quebec would often be the same as the interests of Canada.'

But he repeated his party's deep committment to independence for Quebec, noting there were "two countries in this country" - one English and one French.

Gracious in victory, Chretien offered consolation to Campbell and her vanquished Conserva-

"In life, there is always a second chance," said the soft-spoken Quebec laywer who has spent 30odd years in politics. "That hap-

Barney, Aladdin popular Halloween costumes

CHARLESTON, W.Va. (AP) - I love you. You love me. Trick or treat.

That ubiquitous purple dinosaur, Barney, has danced into costume shops and retail stores nationwide as one of the most popular items among all age groups for trick-or- market Aladdin characters as Halloween merchandise, treating and Halloween parties.

Cornish, president of Collegeville Imagineering of Col-company's creative services manager. legeville, Pa., which owns the rights to market Halloween merchandise for Barney and his smaller sidekick,

The company has designed the Barney costume for ping. children ages 6 months to 6 years at retail stores

entertain children at Halloween parties.

At The Costume Co. of Arlington, Mass., owner Jeanne Silver says she gets inquiries daily for what she refers to as her generic "purple dinosaur" costumes.

Also catching the fancy of trick-or-treaters this Halloween are characters from Disney's blockbuster film

"It's popular with every age group, with children, with pre-teens, with grownups, with parades, with special events," Silver said.

Disguise Inc. of San Diego, which owns the rights to has sold nearly 1 million costumes including Aladdin, It's more popular than our wildest dreams," said Sam Princess Jasmine and the Genie, said Rory Baker, t

We still are doing some last minute production 'Cled because people are placing reorders like crazy," Baker said. "We are cranking them out. It's keeping us hop-

Slip-on rubber masks and wigs offer alternatives to nationwide, Cornish said. He declined to disclose sales Halloween costumes. More popular varieties include MTV's Beavis and Butt-head, Bill and Hillary Clinton, The purple prehistoric craze is evident at costume Whoopi Goldberg and Ted Danson, and characters shops, too, where adults are renting bootleg Barneys to from Saturday Night Live, including Wayne's World's Wayne and Garth - "for guys who don't want to get dressed up but want to go to a party," Silver said.

Then there are the old standbys – vampires, gangsters and flappers, renaissance characters, and, of course, the king of rock 'n' roll.

'Everyone who wants to be Elvis always looks like Elvis," Silver said.



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placed second in the Best Apple Ple in the Panhandle contest held in Shamrock earlier this month. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnle Shank of McLean and is a member of Gray County 4-H.

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Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I'll get right to the point - I) am gay, but I don't like being gay. I want a wife and children. I also have a career in which further advancement would be very difficult if it becomes known that I am gay. Psychiatrists and other therapists I have consulted have tried to help me adjust to my homosexuality rather than help me to change.

Abby, adjusting to homosexuality is fine for those who have accepted their homosexuality, but I have not. I know I'd be happier straight. Please help me. UNHAPPY

DEAR UNHAPPY: Did you choose to be homosexual? If so, you could choose to be "straight." But if you have always had erotic feelings for men instead of women, then face it, you are homosexual — and even though you may be able to change your behavior, you will not be able to change your

Some therapists insist that if a homosexual is sufficiently motivated, he or she can become "straight." Maybe so, but the chances are slim. Marrying and having children may make you happier, but what about the other people you involve?

To thine own self be true. Only then will you find true happiness.

DEAR ABBY: I read the piece in your column about slamming doors and had to share my experi-

When I was young, I got mad, went to my room and slammed the door so hard the whole house

My father promptly came to my bedroom and, without a word, he removed the door from its hinges. In two weeks, without my door — and my privacy - I learned that door slamming was not a very good

idea.

CYNTHIA IN KANSAS

DEAR CYNTHIA: Your father was a very wise man. Actions speak louder than words — and can be much more effective.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I have family members who come to our town fairly often, but they never call us. They are not just shirttail relatives -

we are very closely related. We know of nothing we did that may have cause hard feelings. We heard they are in town now and we know where they are staying. Should we call them? ANONYMOUS, PLEASE

DEAR ANONYMOUS: No. Why put them on the spot? Drop these relatives a note and say that you are sorry to have missed them when they were last in town. Ask them to please let you know next time they plan to come because you would love to see them. If that doesn't get results, give up and assume that they don't feel as close to you as you feel to them.

DEAR ABBY: My mother was a fun-loving person who kept everyone laughing. Her name was Josephine, but everyone called her "Josie."

It was Mom's wish that when she died, she did not want to go to a funeral parlor — she wanted to be laid out at her own home.

Her wish was granted. One of my uncles, who was a professional photographer, was asked to take Mom's last picture. He came to her house with all this equipment; then he cleared everyone out of the room, and we heard him say, "Don't move, - just stay real still, please!"

Some of us laughed so hard, we had to go outside. MRS. H.C. IN FLORIDA

Best apple pie In decorating, honesty begins at home.

By BARBARA MAYER For AP Special Features

There's a certain naivete to the notion that how you furnish your home can change your life. Yet, it's an idea that endures.

20th century, when proponents of the Arts and Crafts movement set out to cleanse the home of Victorian clutter. They substituted plain oak furniture and handcrafted accessories for Victoriana in the belief that the honesty of exposed wood joinery would encourage a preference for honesty in other areas of life — and blow against the factory system.

Some of these ideas are still

private collections throughout like a leaf. the United States is at the muse-

um through Feb. 27. It dates at least to the early objects were the beginnings of a century-long movement," Kardon says.

> The show is the first of eight planned exhibitions and accompanying books that will help made, the Arts and Crafts movewrite the history of the rise of ment revered handmade decorathe decorative crafts during the 20th century. Taken together, what's on

that buying crafts would strike a themes, such as nature as an play, were made by hand in inspiration. Woodsy colors small workshops where care was became popular between 1900 taken to produce something of with us, according to Janet Kar- and 1920. Nature was also the high quality. don, director of the American inspiration for a raft of decora-Craft Museum in New York and tive themes — embroidery on was made by hand. Yet, if they Detroit. Accessories include Fairfield County, in Stam-

The era introduced a preference for natural finishes on "We want to show that these wood furniture, for earthy brown and green ceramic pots, for natural textiles, and for hand-hammered silver and copper bowls.

Though most home furnishings of the day were machinetive furnishings. Many of the most interesting items, such as Tiffany lampshades and vases show suggests certain basic and Rookwood pottery on dis-

touches that looked like hand- browse through. work.

vidually in vitrines.

requirements of museum display the crafts. make this impractical, the director says.

organizer of "The Ideal Home: textiles, patterns for stained could use a machine to make embroidered curtains, period ford, Conn.

1900-1920." The exhibition of glass windows and metal something better, they did," lighting and Roycroft china. about 200 special Arts and screens, even the shape of furni- Kardon says. "One solution was There's also a reprinted 1909 Crafts objects from public and ture, such as a table that looks to use the machines, yet add Craftsman furniture catalog to

Visitors may be struck by how In their own day, these objects familiar they are with what they were home furnishings, not see. Yet, Kardon says, there are museum pieces displayed indi- many gaps in what is known about 20th century decorative Ideally, a Stickley chest crafts. A goal of the exhibit is to should have its accompanying supply some of the missing embroidered cloth, candlestick information and to suggest a and ceramic vase. But the new approach to thinking about

"The Ideal Home: 1900-1920," is on view through Feb. So, using reproductions cur- 27, 1994. Then it will be on rently in stores, show organizers exhibition in several U.S. cities arranged a room that looks like a through 1995: J. B. Speed Art real living room, circa 1900, Museum, Louisville, Ky.; complete with period wallpaper Fort Wayne (Ind.) Museum border. The furniture is Stickley, of Art, and the Whitney 'They said everything good tiles are from Pewabic Pottery of Museum of American Art,

The pen is mightier than the sword

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By DAVID BOWSER **Managing Editor**

Pampa News.. In fact, there handling portion of it." have been times when

the editors have felt he has written more than the paper's reporters. He's probably gotten more results.

It was a cold January's day in 1991 when Morgan stood in the post office and watched people get out of their cars and fight their way through the rutted, icy streets to reach the sidewalk mail boxes in downtown Pampa.

"There was no way you could put a letter in one of them from your car window," Morgan said. "I said Surrounded by his files of letters, W.A. Morgan proposes, the city disposes. there's got to be a better solution than that."

He began writing letters to the postal service, the City of drew up three proposals and follow submitted them to the city and to the post office. After numerous letters and a few replies, the postal service put drive-up mail boxes on the corner southeast of Pampa's downtown post office, almost duplicating plans Morgan had submitted almost two years before.

"I was manager of construction and maintenance at Celanese for 25 or 30 years," he said. "I know you don't mention something and forget it. You've got to follow up on

Morgan moved to Pampa in 1952, when Celanese transferred him from their 1975. Kingsville plant at the other end of the state. He helped organize their engineering department then became their of school in the late 1930s and maintenance and construction had gotten a job when he decidmanager. He retired from ed to give higher learning Celanese in 1982 at age 67 another chance.

after 35 years with the compa-

"The last project I was man-

building a scale model includ-

"Many years ago," he said. "I

worked for Santa Fe so fortu-

After Santa Fe, he worked

"I've spent most of my life in

While he was born in Slaton,

south of Lubbock, both Morgan

and his wife attended Amarillo

High School. She graduated in

1932. He graduated in 1933.

They went on to West Texas

State where she graduated in

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than she was," he said.

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"I was working for the rail degree in economics. road," he said. "There was a W.A. Morgan is not a ager on was the coal construct er rebuilding bridges between graduate." stranger to the pages of *The* tion project," he said, "the coal there and Presidio on the old Oriental Rail Road. I decided if said.

He quit his job and hitch-

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year," he said. "I had to work

for another year before I could

After three years at Tech,

Morgan hitch-hiked to Amaril-

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enrolled at West Texas State.

He spent another three years

studying engineering at the

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In 1972, West Texas State

"I shot the whole wad in one

"I graduated in 1975," he party of three of us at Sweetwa-said. "I was the world's oldest

But things had changed, he

"I took the first semester of an economics course at Tech in 1940," he said. "WT accepted it, and I took the other half 30 years later. I'll have to tell you, there was quite a bit of difference, but I enjoyed it.'

Despite his degree, marriage and career and two children, Morgan isn't ready to retire to a rocking chair. He's still designing and still writing letters.

"My biggest deal," he said, "I started in 1988. I haven't given up on it either.'

It is a flume through Central Park to help

"There's stagnant water Pampa and The Pampa News to ing using an electric train to hiked to Lubbock where he down there," he said. "There propose better solutions. He show the path the track would enrolled at Tech for a year, are mosquitoes and kids wadspending his life savings of ing in the mud and looking for \$425 on books and tuitions. He tadpoles which is what I'd do if I were a kid." took a job washing dishes at a

Morgan has designed a system to improve the drainage and has researched the costs.

"I think it could be done," he said. "Amarillo and Borger have similar situations but instead of cruddy-looking water, they have grass growing right down to the water's edge. It looks great."

Although the 78-year-old Morgan has lived in Pampa for home, and he gets perturbed when people don't take care of courses that Morgan thought his city. He's been known to go home and get a hoe to chop down weeds in front of offices "I had the advantage over the where people don't care enough to do it themselves.

"Dadratit," he said, "this Indeed, by the time he was could be a beautiful place in 60, he found that he lacked people would only do a little only three hours of having a part to make it that way."

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CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) If you're feeling a bit high strung today, don't take it out on innocent family members. They're not responsible for your emotional surges. AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Your mental faculties are your most prominent assets today. You should do exceptionally well in situations that emphasis communication and PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Make material goals your principle targets today. Your chart shows this is where you're likely to be

the most successful. Give it a try. ARIES (March 21-April 19) Boldness and determination can make you a force to be reckoned with today. When your mind is

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Astro-Graph

by bernice bede osol

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You have the

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too difficult to attempt. Scorpio, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for your Astro-

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SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Familiar

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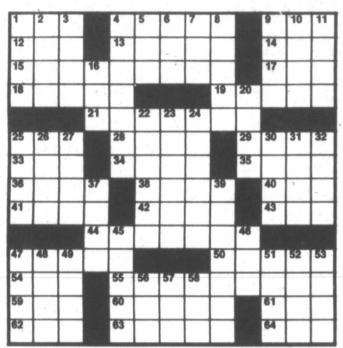
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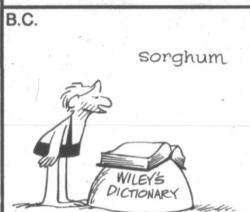
with someone you recently met. Each will be eager to get to know the other better. CANCER (June 21-July 22) Even though you may innately welcome assistance from others today you'll fare better operating as independently from associates as possible. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Others won't be left guessing as to where you stand on critical issues today. You're not apt to be bashful

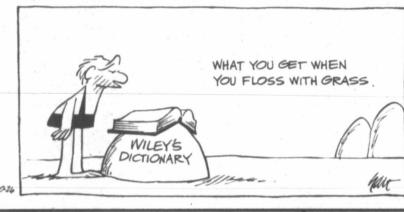
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Little Arnie Schwarzenegger playing with the family dog.

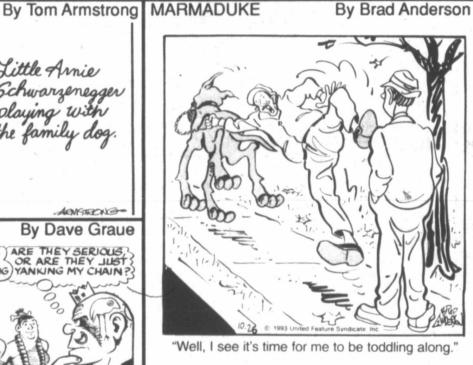
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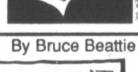








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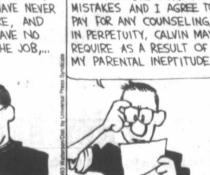
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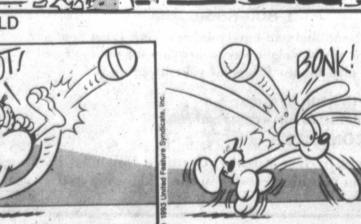
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ROSEMONT, Ill. (AP) — St. Louis and Charlotte are the favorites as five cities await the NFL's verdict on which two are in as expansion franchises. The owners begin meeting Tuesday, with a decision expected by the end of the day, according to league spokesman Greg Aiello.

Baltimore, Jacksonville and Memphis are other cities in contention. The league's first expansion since 1976 will make 30 teams when new clubs begin play in 1995.

On Tuesday morning, the league's combined expansion and finance committees are scheduled to recommend its choices. Then the 28 owners will vote, with a city needing 21 votes to be approved.

St. Louis and Charlotte appeared to be front-runners, with Baltimore third if St. Louis is rejected. Most owners seem inclined to give one franchise to a city that lost one - St. Louis lost the Cardinals to Phoenix in 1988 and Baltimore the Colts to Indianapolis in 1984.

CLEVELAND (AP) — The Cleveland Browns' quarterback controversy ended when X-rays revealed a second-degree shoulder separation that probably finishes Vinny Testaverde for the season.

Under NFL rules, once a player is on injured reserve, he's out for the season, including playoffs. Bernie Kosar will return as Cleveland's starter, backed up by Todd Philcox.

In two Browns' victories after coach Bill Belichick benched Kosar, Testaverde threw five touchdown passes. He was hurt in the fourth quarter of Sunday's 28-23 win over Pittsburgh when he got sandwiched between linebackers Reggie Barnes and Kevin Greene trying to scramble.

NEW YORK (AP) — Will Clark filed for free agency, Otis Nixon bid goodbye to the Atlanta Braves and Toronto said so long to Jack Morris as baseball's business season began.

Clark, Nixon, NL batting champion Andres Galarraga of Colorado and Texas first baseman Rafael Palmeiro were among 21 who filed for free agency. The first to file was Mets left-hander Sid Fernandez.

Clark, a first baseman who spent his entire career with the Giants, is the biggest name among approximately 110 players eligible. Nixon had a rare player option worth \$2.5 million, but decided against exer-

Players can't talk money, except with former clubs, until Nov. 8, but may have general discussions with other teams after they file.

The World Series champion Blue Jays wouldn't exercise their \$5.15 million option on Morris and will pay a \$1 million buyout.

Other players who filed were Montreal pitcher Dennis Martinez, Houston pitcher Mark Portugal, Cincinnati third baseman Chris Sabo, and San Francisco pitcher Jim Deshaies, who declined to exercise a \$700,000 option.

NEW YORK (AP) - Gene Lamont, who led the Chicago White Sox to their first division title in 10 ears, was voted American League Manager of the Year.

Lamont received eight first-place votes, nine second-place votes and five third-place votes in balloting by the Baseball Writers Association of America, a total of 72 points.

Buck Showalter of the Yankees was second with 63 points, and Cito Gaston, who hasn't won despite leading Toronto to consecutive World Series titles, was third with 49 points.

Lamont, hired by the White Sox on Nov. 26, 1991, finished 86-76 in 1992, then took them this year to a 94-68 record and AL West title.

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Free-agent forward Mark Aguirre and the Los Angeles Clippers reached agreement on a one-year contract.

Aguirre, a 12-year veteran who played with Detroit and Dallas, should be in uniform Tuesday night against Indiana.

Aguirre, 33, who averaged a career-low 9.9 points last season in 51 games with the Pistons, was waived Oct. 7. His career average is 20.4 points. Aguirre helped the Pistons win back-to-back NBA titles in 1989-90, and they are obligated to pay him \$3 million over the next two years.

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — The Golden State Warriors, looking to shore up their injury-depleted backcourt, signed Avery Johnson to a two-year contract.

Johnson, a 5-foot-11 free agent, played with San Antonio last season, but the Spurs chose not to resign him. Johnson averaged career highs of 8.7 points and 7.5 assists a game last season, averaging 27.1 minutes in 75 games.

He fills the Warriors' need for a point guard after all-star Tim Hardaway was lost for the season with a knee injury. Guard Sarunas Marciulionis also is out for the year with a knee injury.

DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) — Drake basketball coach Rudy Washington was suspended from the Bulldogs' Nov. 27 opener with Simpson because of comments at last season's Missouri Valley Conference tournament, the league announced.

Washington complained publicly about officiating and general administration of the conference after Drake's 60-59 semifinal tournament loss to Illinois State March 7. Conference rules stipulate a suspension for public criticism of officials or the

TORONTO (AP) — Winnipeg Jets right wing Teemu Selanne, who scored eight points in three games, was named NHL player of the week. Selanne, last season's rookie of the year, had three goals and five assists and is tied for eighth in the NHL scoring race with 13 points overall.

STOCKHOLM, Sweden (AP) - Mikael Pernfors, a Swede playing this tournament the first time since 1989, beat Kelly Jones 6-4, 6-1 in the opening round of the \$1.65 million Stockholm Open.

In other first-round matches, Richey Reneberg defeated Swedish qualifier David Engel 6-2, 6-4; Mali Vai Washington downed Amos Mansdorf of Israel 6-4, 6-4; Aaron Krickstein beat Nicklas Kulti of Sweden 6-3, 7-6 (8-6); David Wheaton outlasted Daniel Nestor of Canada 7-6 (7-4), 6-7 (7-5), 7-5, and Carlos Costa of Spain dropped Andrei Chesnokov of Russia 6-3, 6-3.

Vikings' defense shuts down Bears, 19-12

By HERBERT G. McCANN **Associated Press Writer**

CHICAGO (AP) - Minnesota cornerback Audray McMillian is a proven thief.

That fact may have escaped the notice of Chicago Bears on.' quarterback Jim Harbaugh, who had a third-quarter pass picked off by McMillian and returned for a touchdown.

Bears coach Dave Wannstedt says the play, which gave the Vikings a 19-6 lead, took the wind out of the Bears' sails.

has that kind of larceny in him," Vikings coach Dennis Green said after Monday night's 19-12 Minnesota victory. "He had a lot last year, but he is going to 60 yards and was returned from make a lot more as time goes

McMillian, who tied for the league lead in interceptions last season with eight, was pretty modest about his game-breaking play, calling it easy. But Green differed, saying it was the result of a lot of studying.

the quarterback, he was in good don't."

"I think Audray McMillian position and made the play look easy," Green said.

> The Vikings spurted out reach of the Bears three plays after a punt by Harry Newsome carried the end zone to the 10 by Terry Obee. The Vikings were up 13-6 at the time.

"I felt I could make a play, but they got me," Obee said of his decision to run out of the end make up your mind. Sometimes the coverage.' "He did a great job of reading you break it and sometimes you

On third-and-5, Harbaugh threw the ball in his direction, rolled left looking for rookie adding that what followed was tight end Chris Gedney. Instead, he found McMillian at'the 22yard line, who trotted untouched

into the end zone.

'We knew based on watching film on them that they like to throw slants on third-and-5," McMillian said. "We happened to get a tremendous pass rush on him (Harbaugh) early and he came back and got rid of the ball zone. "You only have seconds to real quick and we were right in

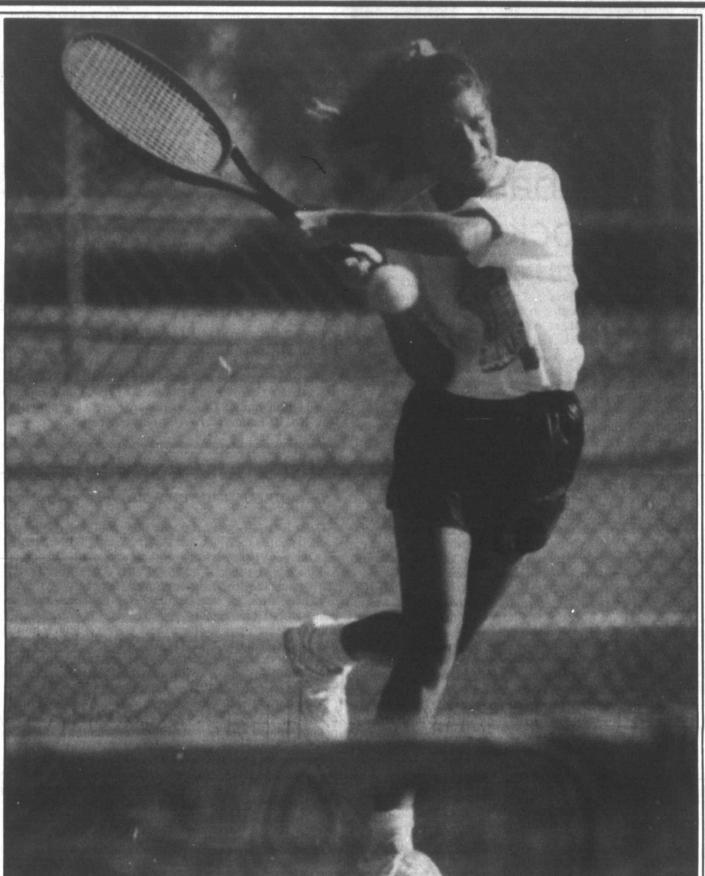
The eight-year veteran said he couldn't believe Harbaugh

"I wanted to ensure the catch and try to get it in the end zone," McMillian said. "You have to make those

plays. Gedney said the interception was the result of a mishap in timing between Harbaugh and him-

"We've only had a couple of weeks to work with each other," he said.

Harbaugh said he wants to look at the film.



Pampa High sophomore Jamie Barker has won 27 consecutive tennis matches. (Pampa News photo)

On a roll

Barker has netted 27 consecutive wins

By L.D. STRATE **Sports Writer**

er is on a roll.

The 15-year-old Pampa High School sophomore has won an amazing 27 consecutive singles matches. She hasn't lost since her first day of Sept. 11, 1992.

And, according to PHS tennis coach her future is incredibly bright," Larry Wheeler, she continues to Wheeler said. improve in leaps and bounds.

"Jamie has made tremendous strides in her freshman year," Wheeler said. much improved."

Barker has lost only four sets in in posting her 28-1 singles record. In District 1-4A play, her singles record is a perfect 12-0, losing only one set. She's also a perfect 18-0 in district and region 1-4A singles matches combined while losing just one set. Teaming mostly with her older sister, Patsy, she has posted a 51-11 record in doubles.

"By playing doubles last spring, her during last year's team tennis regionals. return of serve and volleys became much more valuable parts of her game," Wheeler said. "Also, her position of co-captain on this year's team has furthered her leadership abilities."

Pampa High tennis star Jamie Bark- court. Away from home, she's won 20 from Andrews. of 21 matches.

"Jamie seems to thrive on accomplishing goals that people tell her she cannot reach. Sometimes Jamie does things on the court that I don't think high school competition, way back on even she can believe that she did. With on-going continued dedication,

Barker's string of victories include several upsets against more experithis year, even with her great success enced players. She has beaten defendstronger and her physical strength is consecutive weeks. Both players finished in the top four in singles at last days year's regionals and placed in the 1992 regional tournament in doubles. Barker also defeated the No. 1 players from Odessa Permian and Tascosa, two teams ranked in the state's top 20. Another of her victims was Jennifer No. 1 player for West Texas A&M.

> Last season, Barker was 16-1 in sin- II. gles and 42-8 in doubles in helping Pampa to a sixth-place finish in the record (singles and doubles) was 5-1. said.

Last spring, Barker won four tour- She was district runnerup and regional nament double titles. She is unbeaten quarterfinalist in doubles last spring, in eight matches played on the home losing to regional and state runnersup

Barker's success may be tied more to the mental aspects of tennis rather than improved physical ability.

"I've learned to be more patient, especially when I'm losing," Barker said. "I don't think about quitting and

getting down on myself." Barker is also involved in the United States Tennis Association (USTA) program and has climbed to the Super Champion division, which is the highest level play for high school players. ing champion Dawna Denny of Borger She will compete in USTA tourna-"Mentally, she has become much and Brianna Reinaver of Hereford in ments in Houston and Dallas during the Thanksgiving and Christmas holi-

> "Her participation in USTA will further strengthen her overall game, Wheeler added.

There's no doubt Barker will be highly sought by numerous colleges when she's a senior, but she has mixed Hines of Andrews. Hines now is the emotions about teaming up again with her sister, who is the No. 5 player at Barker defeated Hines in straight sets Cameron University this fall. Cameron is ranked No. 9 in Division

"It would be nice to be able to play with her again, but I'd also like to try team tennis regionals. Her combined and play Division I tennis," Jamie

Spikers close season tonight

By SUSAN ADELETTI **Sports Writer**

Tonight the Pampa volleyball team will play its final game of the season at Hereford, against a team which already knows it's going to the play-

Hereford, which made it to the state semifinals last season, boasts a 7-2 district record and clinched the second playoff spot this past weekend at Borg-

On paper, this team of tall, tall hitters may look like no match for Pampa. But the Harvesters, while tied for third place in the district, just may have a chance to end the season with a

"I think we have a real good chance tonight," Pampa head coach Brad Borden said. "We feel like we can go up there and

Borden noted that since the district standings have already been decided, Hereford's playoff spot may give the Herd cause to relax, and possibly, lose.

"They don't have anything to play for," he said.

On their last meeting, Pampa took a game from Hereford, forcing a tiebreaker before losing, 3-15, 15-11, 15-1. The Harvesters played one of their best defensive matches, with Serenity King notching 15 digs, Candi Atwood nine, and Emily Brooks eight. King also registered five kills while committing no

Pampa is coming off a loss to district leader Dumas, a team which Borden believes can win the state championship. The match was a good one for the Harvesters, despite the 15-3, 15-9 loss which marked their third in

King piled up 16 digs and Atwood acquired seven in the two games, and Tammy Chesher killed five times. All this without the services of flu-stricken Shelly Young, a regular top name on the scoring column.

The Harvesters' chances are improved tonight, as Young will be back in the starting lineup.

Box dies at home

DETROIT (AP) - Former Detroit Lions standout receiver Cloyce Box, who still holds or shares several team records, has died at the age of 70.

Box, who went on to become a millionaire in the Texas oil business, died in his sleep Sunday at his Dallas home. Box played for the Lions in 1949-50 and 1952-54. He caught 129 passes for

2,665 yards and 32 touchdowns in his career and played in three straight NFL championship games, winning in 1952-53. "He was a hell of a receiver," said

Joe Schmidt, a Lions Hall of Fame linebacker. "He was 6-foot-4, and his speed was comparable to any of today's receivers. He had a graceful stride and at 220 pounds he was a bigsized man." Box, a two-time Pro Bowl player,

holds three Lions' records and is tied for three more. He holds the records for most touchdown catches in a season (15), most receiving yards in a game (302) and most touchdown catches in a game (4).

"I tried to cover him in practice, and he made a better defensive back out me," said Yale Lary, a Hall of Fame defensive back who lives in Fort Worth. "You wouldn't think he was really that fast, but he ran like a deer and was so large I had to climb all over his back."

Box went on to become a millionaire after football, serving has chairman and chief executive officer of Box Energy Corp., an oil and gas production and exploration company.

He had donated more than \$1 million to a fund for former NFL players who need assistance.

"He never ever forgot the guys who played football with him," Lary said. Box is survived by his wife, Ashley, and four sons.

Rangers' Palmeiro files for free agent status DALLAS (AP) - Fresh off a season they meet his price. Free agent players can't talk

that boasts 37 homers and 105 RBIs, Texas Rangers first baseman Rafael Palmeiro is exercising his options.

The club's top dollar player filed for free agency Monday, the first day of the declaration period.

remain with the Rangers, but only if agency.

in baseball, but I'm up there."

The Rangers also decided not to offer salary arbitration to left-handed pitcher Craig Lefferts or catcher Geno Petralli, Palmeiro has long said he wants to making both eligible to declare free

"I'm not going to ask for \$7 million a money, except with their former year," he said. "I'm not the best player clubs, until Nov. 8, but may have general discussions with other teams after they file.

Palmeiro, who finished among the top 10 in the AL in six offensive categories, rejected a five-year, \$25-million offer from the Rangers.

Pampa girls' basketball coach Mike Jones (second from right) prepares to christen the new lockerroom, while his son checks out the new lockers, during last night's ribboncutting ceremony at the McNeely Field House. (Pampa News photo by Susan Adelet-

Pampa girls begin basketball season with new lockerroom

By SUSAN ADELETTI **Sports Writer**

ule. For Pampa's hoopsters, it - the marker board. also means a new lockerroom. "I've always wanted a big

taking over the head coaching long!" job in September. Moving from Jones noted that almost all of Jones feels that the efforts of the six years, he decided that a new es and improved team deserved bet-

gave us permission to do what hours along with the parents." we wanted to do."

a bathroom, a wall-to-wall car- club and area residents. benches, the rows of stained and have children in the district."

floor. Theft was a daily prob- financed the carpenter.

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When Ryan became the Oilers defensive

The Oilers signed Marshall to a one-year

two weeks while the Oilers (3-4) won two

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new lockers each come equipped hour days to get it done. Literalwith a combination lock.

One of Jones' favorite features The start of girls' basketball of the room is not the fancy lock- to happen again in the coming season means more than just a ers or even the loaded equipment months. Plans are underway to new roster and a new sched-room, but a much simpler object renovate the girls' track and

Mike Jones led the campaign marker board," he joked. "Dry-starting work on the other two," for a renovated lockerroom after erasable, and about eight feet Jones said.

the boys' side of the gym, where the work was done on a volun- crew will be much-appreciated Jones was a varsity assistant for teer basis by parents and coach- by his team.

us," Jones said, flustered by try- in years to come," he said, noting "When I came over here, one ing to name them all. "We had a that the inspiration for the project of my goals was to upgrade the ton of parents come at one time came from the team-first perspecwhole basketball program," or another. And my coaching tive, "We believe that the programs Jones said. "The school district staff has just worked countless are here for our kids, and we're just

The new room is equipped came from all different sources walls are painted bright white, with a separate equipment room, including the athletic booster emblazoned with Harvester green

Massick, who had no connection letin board in the hallway "The girls have never had with the basketball program screams, "The Great Advenlockers," Jones said. "They just except wanting to help. Massick ture." came in and left their stuff on the put in almost two days' work and

Jones expects that problem to done," Jones said. "And that's it's already been a great advenbe a thing of the past, since the burning the midnight oil - 15- ture for me.'

ly, blood, sweat and tears." The whole process is going volleyball lockerrooms as well.

"I think next week they're

Despite all the hard work,

"It's really turned out neat. It's "We had so many people help something the girls can be proud of fortunate to coach them."

Jones also noted that help In the new lockerroom, the and gold stripes. Speakers sit on pet, two big mirrors, bulletin and "It's just amazing," he said. top of the lockers to provide that marker boards, not to mention "We've had people in the com- all-important pre-game music. the lockers. Sitting atop built-in munity [help] who don't even The clock, painted by Jones' wife, proudly reads "Lady Harvarnished wooden lockers are the
Jones used as an example Rick vester Basketball." And the bul-

> "Our motto for the year is 'The Great Adventure'," Jones "It took four weeks to get this explained. "Like I told the kids,

Tie costs Permian number 1 ranking

By JAIME ARON **Associated Press Writer**

DALLAS (AP) — Odessa Permian coach Tam Hollingshead's decision to settle for a 21-21 tie against arch-rival Midland Lee last weekend cost the Panthers their No. 1 ranking in

But it hasn't done a thing to their chances of making the playoffs or winning the district title — which is why Hollingshead decided to kick an extra point with 15 seconds left instead of trying for a two-point conversion that would've won or lost the

"The thing was, we didn't want a district loss. We wanted a chance to be outright district champion," said Hollingshead, whose Panthers slipped to No. 4 as Dallas Carter moved up a notch to the top spot in the voting by sports writers and broadcasters across the state.

Permian will win the District 4-5A title if it wins its final two games against Abilene Cooper and San Angelo Central. One victory puts the Panthers back in the playoffs to hunt for a second state title in three years.

"What we were trying to do is play the odds and get our kids in the playoffs. That's the first and most important thing," Hollingshead said. "In our hearts, we wanted to go for it, but with the district implications involved, we felt like we had to go

Permian was one of three 5A teams tying district foes last weekend, joining No. 7 Lewisville, which tied The Colony 7-7; and No. 9 Longview, which tied Tyler Lee 10-10.

Lewisville moved to eighth and Longview fell from the ranking, as did previous No. 6 Aldine Eisenhower, a 33-25 loser to

Moving into the poll are Euless Trinity at No. 9 and Houston Cy-Creek at No. 10. Trinity lost to No. 2 Converse Judson in last season's Division I title game.

The only other class changing near the top was 1A, where last week's No. 33 Hart fell from the poll following a humiliating 67-0 loss to Sudan, which moved into the ranking at No. 10. Celeste dropped from fourth to ninth after losing 28-6 to No.

Class 2A remained intact and the only movement in 4A was No. 10 El Campo sliding out following a 55-34 loss to No. 9

The Ricebirds were replaced by undefeated Waco University. Southlake Carroll's string of weeks as 3A's unanimous No. 1 squad ended, but the Dragons still are entrenched atop the class. New No. 10 Tatum received the only other first-place vote.

Stars post special victory

DETROIT (AP) — The Dallas Stars' victory over Detroit was special. Dean Evason scored a power-play goal and set up a short-

handed goal as the Stars beat the Red Wings 5-3 Monday night. 'Our power play wasn't working real well, but overall, we had the edge on special teams," Dallas coach Bob Gainey said.

"In a game like this, that can be the difference." "There are a lot of penalties being called now, so special teams are very important," Evason said. "If you can kill all of your opponent's power plays, that's great. Getting a shorthanded

goal is just a bonus.' While both Brent Gilchrist, who scored the shorthanded goal, and Evason are on the small side, they had no trouble shutting

down the anemic Red Wings power play. "Brent and I aren't the biggest guys, but we are able to just get in guy's way," Evason said. "You don't always need to hit people. If you can just stop their momentum, that's just as

In Detroit's last two games, both losses, they have just one power-play goal in 16 attempts.

'Nothing is working," Dino Ciccarelli said. "I don't know what the answer is, because every guy on this team is trying as hard as we can, but it isn't happening right now."

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Saddle Broncs - 1. Lance Gaillard, Gruver 71 2. Rance Bray, Dumas 65. Calf Roping - 1. Jim Locke, Canadian 8.906; 2. Rusty Slavin, Canadian 11.026; 3. Chad Elliott, Hub City 11.234; 4. Jered Norris, Canadian 11.521; 5. Shawn Hill, Canadian 11.644; 6. Ryan Rankin, Canadian 13.360; 7. Brandon Brown, Dumas

14.378; 8. Jeremy Hennigh, Wheeler 14.448. Steer Wrestling - 1. Jack Bradshaw, Canadian 6.031; 2. Jim Lock, Canadian 6.114; 3. Josh Purcell. Wheeler 6.211; 4. Matt Reeves, Pampa

Team Roping - 1. Jim Locke, Canadian and Ryan Rankin, Canadian 7.285; 2. Shawn Hill, Canadian and Rusty Slavin, Canadian 7.452; 3. Jim Locke, Canadian and Ben Blue, Gruver 8.036; 4. Michael Snelson, RR and C.Mr. Kuhlman, Canyon 9.740; 5. Michael Snelson, RR and Flint Mask, RR 9.740; 6. Chance Franks, S/S and Brandon Brown, Dumas 12.789; 7. Tye Sims, Canyon and C.M. Kuhlman, Canyon 13.040; 8. Jered Norris, Canadi-

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an and Ben Blue, Gruver 13.137.

Pampa 62; 6.Matt Duck, Pampa 58.

and been inactive in the other four.

\$2.75 million contract on July 2 and he made trailed 12-7 in the third quarter when Ray

But a knee injury early in training camp led Now they get a bye week to prepare for

Marshall has watched in frustration the past Marshall 100 percent before he returns.

ahead touchdown.

next will give me time to be even stronger."

Coach Jack Pardee said the Oilers wanted

Ribbon Roping - 1. Ryan Rankin, Canadian 7.876; 2. Rustin Slavin, Canadian 9.903; 3. Brandon Brown, Dumas 9.933; 4. Cloudy Kidd, Hereford 9.975; 5. Matt Carlson, Wheeler 11.369; 6 Chad Elliott, Hub City 11.443; 7. Sammy Albracht Canyon 11.731; 8. Michael Snelson, RR 12.100. Barrels - 1. Jodi Avent, S/S 16.759; 2. Nichole

17.076; 4. Chasity Rickman, Hereford 17.106; 5. Remick Haley, Wheeler 17.198; 6. Shvonne Farrow, Dumas 17.355; 7. Jodi Bovkin, W/C 17.378; 8. Lana Keathley, Wheeler 17.386. Poles - 1. Julie Richardson, Wheeler 20.548; 2 Chasity Rickman, Hereford 20.890; 3. Robyn Byars, W/C 20.916; 4. Shvonne Farrow, Dumas

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David McLean, Adrian 70; 3. Collin Gasparovic,

a big impression in is first day of training Childress recovered a fumble at the Oilers' Marshall's big play capabilities after strug-

lage and then he tried to return too soon and two more weeks of healing time for Marshall. quarter until Childress' big play.

"Maybe with this practice time during the

Marshall has played briefly in three games He's played in only three games this season and has seven solo tackles and four assists. "I'm about where I need to be but it's "I can do just about everything," he said tough," Marshall said. "They decided and I coordinator, he said obtaining Marshall would Monday. "I don't have a problem running, decided to take a little time and not push get the Oilers to the Super Bowl, but knee and They just figured they could win this game through the surgery. We both decided it's best

offense through the first seven games.

bye week, we can get some of our mistakes "The kind of Wilber Marshall that we traded corrected and get some people healthy," games after losing three in a row. The last vic- for is what we need, not just to get somebody on Pardee said.

Oilers' Marshall frustrated by ankle, knee injuries HOUSTON (AP) — Houston Oilers tory came Sunday, 28-12 over the Cincinnati the field," Pardee said. "He's making progress."

ankle injuries have kept Marshall on the side- without me being out there. This week and for me and the team that I just get it healthy. Hopefully, after this bye week, I can come The Oilers almost didn't win Sunday. They back and help out."

The Bengals, ranked 26th in total offense, to arthroscopic surgery to remove loose carti- another home game against Seattle. It's also were about to take a 19-7 lead in the third

All-Around Boy - Jim Locke, Canadian, 23 All-Around Girl - Chasity Rickman, Hereford,

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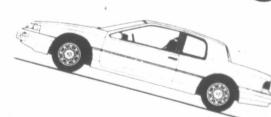


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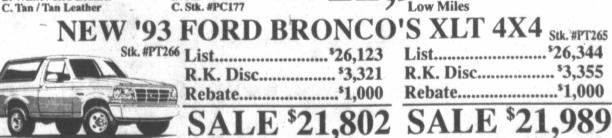
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Book names best, worst cities: Cincinnati gains the top spot

home of the Bengals, the Reds and Rated Almanac: 3-foot sculptures of flying pigs, won top honors Monday as North America's best city. But forget Wash. about finding utopia.

"There isn't an ideal haven in North America," says the Places Rated Almanac, issued every four years since 1981 by Prentice Hall N.C. Travel. But "many come close through a combination of strengths."

The authors rated 343 cities in 10 categories, then combined the scores to rank the overall winners and losers.

For instance, New York City finished among the Top 10 in four categories; transportation, health care, the arts and higher education. But its poor showing in such areas as cost of living, jobs and crime lowered its ranking to 105 overall.

The worst place to live, according to the list, was Yuba City, Calif. Boosters were crowing in Cincinnati, a former meat-packing

hub that honors its past with sculptures of bronzed flying pigs in a riverfront park.

"I've always felt Cincinnati is an Calif. extraordinary city. It's probably a well-kept secret," said Mayor Dwight Tillery.

Officials in Yuba City, 50 miles northeast of Sacramento, took the news stoically.

"We will look at the points where we were deficient and take advantage of it," said Bill Fuller, assistant to the city manager.

Four years ago, the Places Rated Almanac listed Pine Bluff, Ark., last and Seattle first among 333

NEW YORK (AP) - Cincinnati, listed best to worst by the Places

 Cincinnati. 2. Seattle-Bellevue-Everett,

3. Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J. 4. Toronto.

6. Raleigh-Durham-Chapel Hill, 7. Washington.

8. Salt Lake City-Ogden. 9. Indianapolis, Ind.

10. Louisville, Ky.-Ind. 11. Vancouver, British Columbia.

12. Atlanta.

13. Portland, Ore. 14. Cleveland-Lorain-Elyria.

15. Knoxville, Tenn.

16. San Diego.

5. Pittsburgh

17. Boston. 18. San Francisco.

19. Greensboro-Winston-Salem,

20. Syracuse, N.Y.

The bottom 20 on the list: 324. Longview-Marshall, Texas.

325. Lewiston-Auburn, Maine. 326. Bakersfield, Calif.

327. Goldsboro, N.C.

328. Visalia-Tulare-Porterville,

329. Dover, Del. 330. Stockton-Lodi, Calif.

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338. Jacksonville, N.C. 339. Albany, Ga.

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342. Merced, Calif.

'Gettysburg' proving to be popular despite its length

By JOHN HORN **AP Entertainment Writer**

LOS ANGELES (AP) - At four hours and 18 minutes, the Civil War epic Gettysburg is the fall's longest film. Very quietly, it is also emerging as one of the season's most popular.

Because of its running time, Gettysburg can be shown only twice a day in theaters, while top-grossing films like Demolition Man and The Beverly Hillbillies are projected as many as six times daily.

But with just two showings a day and a limited release in only 239 theater locations, Gettysburg brought in \$1 million this past weekend, to place 13th in the box office standings.

Its per location earnings of \$4,296 were better than the nation's No. 1 release, The Beverly Hillbillies, which made \$7.18 million in 2,162 locations for a \$3,320 average.

Angels, and starring Jeff Daniels, Gettysburg has made \$3.4 million during three weeks of release, according to lion. figures released Monday.

"We started out getting an older audience, the Civil Wars buffs, but Inc. Estimated ticket sales are from now we're broadening out. We're getting younger people and families, because the word of mouth is really good," said Mitch Goldman, president of marketing and distribution for New Line Cinema.

Because of its long running time, Goldman said most theaters are scheduling Gettysburg for 1 and 7 p.m. showings.

"People have to plan for this movie - you can't just pick up the paper and say, 'Let's go see a movie tonight,' he said

was Demolition Man with \$7.09 mil-

\$6.2 million, Fourth place went to Cool Runnings with a gate of \$5.4 mil-

Here are the weekend's top 10 films, according to Exhibitor Relations Co. Friday through Sunday, with distributor, weekend gross, number of North American theater locations, average per location, total gross and number of weeks in release.

and projections where actual figures were not available

1. The Beverly Hillbillies, 20th Century Fox, \$7.18 million, 2,162 locations, \$3,320 per location, \$18.9 million, two weeks.

2. Demolition Man, Warner Bros., \$7.09 million, 2,258 locations, \$3,140 In second place over the weekend per location, \$39.5 million, three weeks.

3. The Nightmare Before Christmas, lion, while Tim Burton's The Night- Disney, \$6.2 million, 563 locations, weeks.

Adapted from the book The Killer mare Before Christmas was third with \$11,075 per location, \$6.6 million, two

4. Cool Runnings, Disney, \$5.4 million, 1,828 locations, \$2,937 per loca-

tion, \$33.3 million, four weeks. 5. Rudy, TriStar, \$5 million, 1,460 locations, \$3,444 per location, \$6.4 million, two weeks.

6. Malice, Columbia, \$4.1 million, 1,519 locations, \$2,706 per location, \$32.7 million, four weeks.

7. The Joy Luck Club, Disney, \$2.6 Figures are based on actual receipts million, 566 locations, \$4,647 per location, \$18.6 million, seven weeks.

8. Judgment Night, Universal, \$2.5 million, 1,545 locations, \$1,625 per location, \$7.8 million, two weeks.

9. The Good Son, 20th Century Fox, \$2.1 million, 1,508 locations, \$1,389 per location, \$38.1 million, five weeks. 10. The Age of Innocence, Columbia, \$1.9 million, 839 locations,

\$2,285 per location, \$25 million, six

Out-of-control Chinese satellite expected to scatter debris as it falls

nese satellite is expected to plunge back to Earth atmosphere grabs the satellite," said Maj. Nelson as early as Friday, showering parts of the world McCouch of the North American Aerospace with debris that could include a 2-ton chunk of Command in Colorado, which is tracking the metal the size of an automobile.

Exactly when and where the satellite will come The satellite's orbit carries it over much of the lake. populated world, as far north as Moscow and London and as far south as the tip of Argentina and Chile.

"This fuzzy impact prediction will remain in retrieved by the Chinese after 10 days in orbit.

WASHINGTON (AP) - An out-of-control Chi- effect because it will change radically once the

Entering the atmosphere, an object can bounce down cannot be predicted until the final hours. and skip much as a flat stone skimming over a

The four-ton satellite was launched Oct. 8 from the Jiuquan Launch Center in the Gobi Desert on a Long March rocket. It was to have been

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But when Chinese ground controllers radioed the re-entry commands on Oct. 18, the satellite went out of control and stayed in orbit. The industry magazine, Aviation Week and Space Technology, had an account of the problem in its Oct. 25 issue, quoting Geoffrey Perry, who heads the Kettering Space Observer group in England.

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