# The Hampa News

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# Winter weather not as harsh as expected

unbraced in parts of the state, as the expect-night. ed storms didn't quite materialize, but today may be a different story.

very difficult challenge," said Jim range. The predicted low for tonight was 12 day. Sterkovich, a forecaster with the National degrees. Weather Service in Fort Worth.

all the difference between flurries and a few high at 51.

Texans who bundled up and braced for the Panhandle, South Plains and low rolling South Plains and low rolling plains by Sun-

The forecast for Pampa and the Texas Panhandle called for frigid temperatures and

The rest of the area was cloudy with tem-'A hundred miles difference in the direc-peratures mostly in the 40s. Midland had the tion of that low pressure system could make region's low at 39, while Sanderson had the

In West Texas, a winter storm watch in urday night, spreading southward into the any by early Saturday evening.

Saturday snowstorms unbundled and plains was still in effect through Sunday day. Snow was expected throughout the rest of the region through Monday.

Up to four inches of snow was expected of North Texas was in the 30s. today with additional accumulation of up to Snow forecasting has always been a snow today with a high in the 20-degree six inches in parts of the panhandle Mon-

> Lows were expected in the 20s, with highs in the 50s.

In North Texas, skies were cloudy and temperatures were cold. The Dallas area, which expected as much as four inches of Snow was expected in the Panhandle Sat- snow by Saturday afternoon, didn't have 20s.

Dining and dancing in Pampa

rain and sleet were reported. Temperatures tures mostly in the 30s and 40s. were mostly in the 40s, but the western part

Light patches of snow were reported in the 30s and highs in the 60s. Mineral Wells, Jacksboro, Gainesville, Sherman and McKinney, but the National Weather Service cancelled a North Texas New Mexico across the Texas Panhandle snow advisory. The Texas Department of Transportation said all roads were open.

North Texas should continue to be cloudy Sunday, with highs near 40 and lows in the

In South Texas, skies were cloudy and inches was expected in Western Oklahoma.

In the eastern part of the region, some rain fell throughout the area, with tempera-

There may be some flurries or freezing rain across the Hill Country, with lows in

A winter storm watch was in effect today for the northeast and east central plains of and into Oklahoma.

Snow showers were expected in the mountains of New Mexico extending to the eastern plains into the Texas Panhandle and South Plains. Accumulations of two to five

### Teens say ball player seduced

VICTORIA, Texas (AP) — Ron Gant of the Atlanta Braves and a friend are named in a lawsuit accusing them of conspiring to have sex with two teen-age girls on Christmas Eve, a newspaper reported Sat-

Gant, 28, and Stephen Gaskin, 27, toria Advocate in a copyright story.

Bernard Klimist, a Victoria attorney representing Gant, released a allegations.

"Anyone can file a lawsuit," Klimist said. "Ron and Steve adamantly deny the accusations which have been made in the petition. They will defend themselves and expect to be cleared of all claims made against them.

Filley, contacted at his home Saturday, said the case will go before a grand jury on Feb. 4. He refused to

Sexual intercourse with anyone under 17 is a felony in Texas, punishable by up to 20 years in prison and a \$10,000 fine.

The civil lawsuit, filed Jan. 7 in persons, age 15 and 16.'

## Lawmakers OK watered-down political reforms, avert goverment collapse

Under the watchful eye of King Tut in a well decorated M.K. Brown Auditorium Heritage Room, Kathy Pratt, left, Leslie Epps, and Lisa

Acker toasted the eighth annual Charity Ball hosted by the Junior Service League of Pampa Saturday night. The annual event is the

organization's major fund-raiser to support their various service projects. This year's theme was 'Around the World,' according to

league spokesman Debbie Dunham. Pratt was chairman of the beverage committee. Epps was Charity Ball chairman this year, and

By LAURA KING **Associated Press Writer** 

TOKYO (AP) - Parliament approved watershed measures Satursaving Prime Minister Morihiro Hosokawa's job and enabling him to shift focus to Japan's No. 1 problem — the faltering economy.

Acker was the Charity Ball advisor. (Pampa News photo)

The political reforms were considerably weaker than those originally envisioned by Hosokawa, who had said he would quit if they were not passed during the legislative session that ended Saturday.

But amid widespread sentiment that a watered-down package was better than none, Hosokawa start.' expressed satisfaction with the result.

"We have climbed one big mountain, a mountain that we had to overcome, and it was hard," Hosokawa told reporters after the seat districts. The change is progress. vote. He pledged that his six-monthold government would immediately from the same party from com- new "framework" accord prior to was a major victory for Hosokawa, turn its attention to the economy, peting against each other by talks Feb. 11 by the two leaders in which has been somewhat neglected in the push for reform.

The reforms weren't secured until late Friday when Hosokawa agreed to a compromise with the opposition Liberal Democrats.

To cement the accord, the prime minister was obliged to back down on a key corruption-fighting measure. Corporate contributions to individual politicians now will be limited but not banned, as Hosokawa had urged.

"Even the half-baked reform ...

offers hopes for a better political peddling favors to constituents. Washington, but both acknowledge future," the English-language Japan Times editorialized in Sunday's edi- allocated in proportion to the vote Japan's bulging trade surplus.

The reforms represent a substanousted the Liberal Democrats last year after 38 years in power.

"The people have been waiting almost 40 years for this," said Kozo cern in business circles and driven said. Watanabe, a lawmaker from Shinseito, one of the parties in officials began talks after Saturday's Hosokawa's coalition. "We have vote on measures meant to help pull begun to respond to the wishes of Japan out of recession. the people. Today, we just made a

The plan announced Friday by Hosokawa and opposition leader Yohei Kono will create 300 singleseat districts in the more powerful lower house, replacing the multiple- ingly impatient over the lack of meant to discourage candidates

The remaining 200 seats will be sharp differences over how to trim

total each party receives.

anger over big-money corruption and he failed to act decisively to revive the sagging economy.

The downturn, the worst since down stock prices. Wasting no time,

'Economic policy is our most important priority now," Hosokawa

Trade also has gotten short shrift in recent months, and the Clinton administration has grown increas-

The two sides had hoped for a

Hosokawa said an economic stim-When he took office in August, ulus package — which Washington day to stem political corruption, tial change in Japan's political sys- Hosokawa said political reform has also been pushing for — would tem. Battles over reform have top- would be his top priority. But that likely be announced this week. But pled several governments, and voter kept his government preoccupied, he acknowledged he would head to his meeting with President Clinton with less in hand than he'd hoped.

"There are still lots of very diffi-World War II, has caused deep con- cult problems to be dealt with," he

> The fight over reform, and the worsening economic slump, have stolen some of Hosokawa's luster. He enjoyed record-high popularity after taking office six months ago, winning plaudits for his fresh approach and telegenic style.

> But only a week ago, when the reform package was rejected by Parliament's upper house, many observers believed the government was headed for collapse.

> Simply surviving to fight again the descendant of a famous warlord

> Still, the shaky state of his sevenparty coalition was made brutally clear. Defections by lawmakers from the Socialist party, the biggest in Hosokawa's bloc, caused the package's defeat in the upper house eight days ago.

> In Saturday's votes, both houses approved earlier versions of the reform package with the understanding they would be revised in line with the compromise in the next legislative session, starting Monday.

#### Administration goes to Congress with peacekeeping plan

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Clinton administration will go to Congress next week with proposed guidelines restricting U.S. involvement in international peacekeeping operations, an official says.

The move follows a review during which President Clinton and his senior officials enunciated progressively tougher limits. They include a requirement to show specific security risk and assurances that American forces would be part of a multinational mission.

The review is centered on a presidential directive, known as PRD13, to define military missions abroad. The official would not give details of the administration proposals.

### Driver of stolen car shoots self

AMARILLO -- The driver of a stolen car died Saturday afternoon of a self-inflicted gunshot wound after being stopped by a Department of Public Safety trooper west of Amarillo.

Jeffrey Aaron Humphreys, 19, of Lancaster, shot himself in the head about 4:30 p.m. Saturday after being pulled over by a highway patrolman about two miles west of Amarillo on Interstate 40, Department of Public Safety officers said.

Officers said the series of events leading to the shooting started about 4 p.m. when a young man tried to pass a bad check at Tommy's Grocery in Adrian about 50 miles west of Amarillo. The grocery store clerk became suspicious, officers said, and called the Oldham County Sheriff's office in Vega to give them a description of the man and his car.

About 4:30 p.m. a Department of Public Safety trooper saw a car, a 1985 Nissan, matching the description given by the store clerk. The officer said it was eastbound on Interstate 40. He followed the car and stopped. As the trooper got out of his car, he said he saw the driver of the Nissan raise his hand with a

"The officer at first thought the driver was pulling a gun on him," a Department of Public Safety spokesman said. "As the officer was drawing his pistol, the driver shot himself in the head.

The driver was rushed to the Northwest Texas Hospital emergency room, officers said, where he was pronounced dead shortly before

Department of Public Safety spokesman said the car the man was driving had been reported stolen from Lancaster, a town south of

### Canadians fight smuggling battle

TORONTO (AP) -- Canada and its provinces levy 400 percent taxes on cigarettes trying to force people to stop smoking, but now they find the remedy to one problem has created another - smuggling.

Contraband cigarettes account for as much as 75 percent of the market in Ouebec and 40 percent in Ontario, the country's two most populous provinces. That led to a retailers' rebellion last week.

Shopkeepers in Quebec banded together to defy the law by selling contraband cigarettes at cut-rate prices, first at St. Eustache, near Montreal, then at Sherbrooke. They openly sold smuggled cigarettes for 20 Canadian dollars (\$15), a carton instead of the retail price of 48 Canadian dollars (\$36).

# them

are also under criminal investigation in connection with the alleged incident with the girls, aged 15 and 16, Victoria County District Attorney George Filley III told The Vic-

statement Saturday denying the

discuss details of his investigation except to say that neither Gant nor Gaskin have been interviewed.

Duval County, says Gant and Gaskin conspired "for the specific purpose of engaging in sexual contact, sexual stimulation and sexual intercourse with two minor female

Filley said he didn't know why the civil case was filed in Duval County, about 100 miles southwest of Victoria in far south Texas.

The 15-year-old girl who filed the case accuses Gaskin of having sex with her "with the encouragement, aid, and assistance of" Gant. The lawsuit also says both Gant and Gaskin knew the Victoria high school students were minors.

### FBI seeks fish filchers

DANBURY, Texas (AP) -The FBI has been called in to net the fish filchers who got away with a million young hybrid catfish, worth about \$100,000, from three unsecured spawning ponds.

"This is the first fish story we've been involved in that I know of," FBI spokesman Rolando Moss said, adding that the agency is involved because the catfish might have been taken across state lines. Authorities are checking

leads that the fingerlings, each about seven inches long, might be in Arkansas, Alabama or Mississippi, where much of the catfish industry is located.

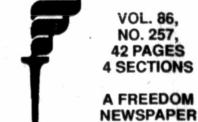
The fishnapping occurred at the facilities of Anat Inc., which operates seven spawning ponds outside Danbury. The small Brazoria County community is about 50 miles south of Houston.

Company chairwoman Debra Epps said the culprits must have had special equipment. "You can't just go up there and take fish out of the pond," she said. "You need special nets, tanks and a big

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### Services tomorrow

**JOLLY**, Eloise "Toots" — 2 p.m., First United Methodist Church, Wheeler. SANFORD, Robert Hall — 10:30 a.m.,

Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel.

#### **Obituaries**

HAZEL BURNETT

CANADIAN - Hazel Burnett, 77, died Friday, Jan. 28, 1994. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. today in the Edith Ford Cemetery with the Rev. Mike Williams officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Stickley-Hill Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Burnett was born in Canadian on July 29, 1916, and graduated from Canadian High School. She attended business school in Lubbock. She married J.T. Burnett on March 10, 1937, in Lubbock. She was the assistant city clerk in Canadian for 16 years and a bookkeeper for Burnett Implements for 11 years. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include her husband, J.T., of the home; two daughters, Daveeda Hand and Davene Hendershot, both of Canadian; four grandchildren, David Hendershot of Canadian, Sheryl Leewright of Richland Hills and Donna Fitzgerald and Dana Braun, both of Rowlett.

VIOLA DUGGAN

STAMFORD — Viola Duggan, 65, a former resident of Pampa, died Wednesday, Jan. 26, 1994. Services were Friday at St. John's United Methodist Church with the Rev. Phil McClendon officiating. Burial was in Highland Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Kinney Funeral Home.

Mrs. Duggan was born Aug. 29, 1928, in Allison and grew up in Pampa, where she attended school. chief. She married Robert Guggan on Oct. 4, 1947, in Pampa. She moved from Nocona to Stamford in mischief. 1960, and helped establish Duggan's Auto Supply in 1962. She was active in the family business until she retired in 1989. She was a member of the Stamford Lady Golfers and a member of the St. John's United Methodist Church, where she was a lifetime member of the United Methodist Women and was active in the **Emmaus** Community.

She was preceded in death by her father, a sister and a brother.

Survivors include her husband, Robert, of the home; three sons, Robert Stanley Duggan Jr. and Jerry Dan Duggan, both of Stamford, and David Lee Duggan of Breckenridge; her mother, Ethel Willson of Pampa; two sisters, Nadine Lockhart of Amarillo and Betty Marie Craig of Pampa; two brothers, James Oliver Willson and Alford Wayne Willson, both of Pampa; and seven grandchildren.

**ELOISE 'TOOTS' JOLLY** 

WHEELER — Eloise "Toots" Jolly, 71, died Friday, Jan. 28, 1994, at her home in Wheeler. Services will be at 2 p.m. Monday in the First United Methodist Church in Wheeler with the Rev. Warren Schoenecker, pastor, and the Rev. M.B. Smith, a Baptist minister of Pampa, officiating. Burial will be in Wheeler Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Home.

Mrs. Jolly was born May 31, 1922, in Erath County. She moved to Wheeler County with her family in 1926. She married W.L. Jolly in 1940 at Sayre, Okla. **She owned and operated** a hobby shop in Wheeler for about 10 years. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and was a past president of the American Legion Auxiliary

Survivors include her husband, W.L., of Wheeler; two sons, Dean Jolly of Tyler and Jim Jolly of Arlington; eight grandchildren and 12 great-grand-

The family requests memorials be to First United Methodist Church of Wheeler or to the American Cancer Society

**ROBERT HALL SANFORD** 

Robert Hall Sanford, 86, died, Friday, Jan. 28, 1994. Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Monday at Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Kenneth Metzger, pastor of the First United Methodist church, officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of to an investigation at 316 E. Francis. Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Sanford was born July 5, 1907, in Hall County. He graduated from Hedley schools in 1926. He married Angela Strnad on July 31, 1937, at Taylor. He came to Pampa in 1929 and worked as a clerk for the Post Office Department, retiring in 1965 as the assistant postmaster. He served with the U.S. Army in World War II and was in the invasions of Leyte and Okinawa in the South Pacific. He was a member of the local Veterans of Foreign Wars post, the National Association of Retired Federal Employees, the First United Methodist Church and the Men's Fellowship

Survivors include his wife, Angela, of the home; and several nieces and nephews.

**MILFORD THOMPSON** 

CANADIAN — Milford Thompson, 69, died Thursday, Jan. 27, 1994. Services will be at 2 p.m. today in the Canadian Church of Christ with Gordon Lawson of Woodward, Okla., and Mike Heatwole, minister, officiating. Burial will be in the Edith Ford Cemetery. Arrangements are by Stickley-Hill Funeral Directors.

Mr. Thompson was born in Fargo, Okla., and attended school there. He served with the U.S. Navy during World War II. He moved to Canadian in 1946. He married Alma Fritzler in 1953 at Clovis, N.M. He owned and operated his own trucking company.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Mark Thompson of Canadian and Dennis Thompson of Liberal; a daughter, Bernita Powers of Canadian; a brother, John Thompson of Fort Myers, Fla.; four sisters, Ona Lee Harris of Henderson, Nev., Verla Lucas of Beaver, Utah, Fay Oliver of Woodward, Okla., and Doris Rigsby of Oklahoma City; and five grandchildren.

#### **Obituaries**

**NICHOLAS WILSON** 

WELLINGTON — Nicholas Wilson, 2, the son of a Pampa resident, died Thursday, Jan. 27, 1994. Graveside services were Saturday in Fairview Cemetery with the Rev. Ivory L. Patrick, pastor of the Macedonia Baptist Church in Pampa, officiating. Arrangements were by Adams Funeral Home. The toddler was born in Amarillo.

Survivors include his parents, Rhoda Meadows of Wellington and Larry Wilson of Pampa; three sisters, Melody Meadows and Tyneshia Wilson, both of Wellington, and Annttwanetta Wilson of Pampa; three brothers, Laray Wilson of Wellington and Larry Wilson Jr. and Orlando Brown, both of Pampa; grandparents, Roscoe Meadows of Wellington and Darlene Williams of Pampa; and great-grandparents, Lucy Meadows of Wellington and Lillie Nickelberry of

### Police report

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents during the 32-hour period ending at 3 p.m. Saturday.

FRIDAY, Jan. 28

Waulita Purvis, 912 Campbell, reported a theft. Harvey Mart #2, 1020 E. Frederic, reported a

SATURDAY, Jan. 29 Rick Jean Beshears, 31, 852 E. Craven, reported

criminal mischief. The state of Texas requested an outside agency

Shelly Deed, 909 E. Francis, reported criminal mis-Patricia Lundy, 904 E. Francis, reported criminal

Sharon Gordon, 1015 E. Francis, reported a theft.

Arrest SATURDAY, Jan. 29

Willie L. Ballard, age unknown, 1032 Varnon Dr., was arrested at his residence on a parole violation. He was later transferred to the Gray County jail.

### Calendar of events

T.O.P.S. #149

Take Off Pounds Sensibly (T.O.P.S.) meets at 6 p.m. Monday at 513 E. Francis. Call 669-2389 for more information.

12-STEP SURVIVORS GROUP

A 12-step survivors group for victims of incest and sexual abuse meets at 7 p.m. Wednesday. For more information, call 669-7403 or write SIA, P.O. Box 119, Pampa, 79066-0119.

12-STEP SURVIVORS GROUP

A 12-step survivors group for victims of incest and sexual abuse plans to meet at 7 p.m. Monday. For more information, call 883-2097 or write SIA, P.O. Box 903, White Deer, 79097

NATIONAL B25 PRESERVATION GROUP

The National B25 Preservation Group plans to meet at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Quivira Room of Corona-

### Fires

The Pampa Fire Department reported the following calls during the 33-hour period ending at 4 p.m. Sat-

FRIDAY, Jan. 28

7:35 a.m. – Two units and four firefighters responded to a medical assistance call at 1016 Charles. 11 a.m. – Two units and four firefighters responded

to a medical assistance call at 2427 Hobart. 3:47 p.m. – Two units and four firefighters responded to a good intent call at 801 E. Gordon. SATURDAY, Jan. 29

3:35 p.m. – One unit and two firefighters responded

### Hospital

CORONADO

HOSPITAL **Admissions** Pampa

Valerie Paige Baldridge Juanita Latham Burke Jesse Jackson Burns Johnnie Kay Dill Lensy Ann Mixon Bobby Jack Schiffman Miami

Francis Albert Moyin-

**Dismissals** Pampa Roberta Dunson Rinda Lynne Gettles

Jerry Lynn Hood Verlie May Johnson Edna Dewey Maple Fritch Mary K. Whatley

### Sheriff's Office

The Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following incident during the 32-hour period ending at 3 p.m. Saturday. No arrests were reported. FRIDAY, Jan. 28

The Hiway Package Store, U.S. 60, reported a

### **Ambulance**

American Medical Transport Paramedic Service had a total of 36° calls for the period of Friday, Jan. 21, through Thursday, Jan. 27. Of those calls, 21 were emergency responses and 15 were of a non-emergen-

#### Bank fund set up for medical case

An account has been set up at First National Bank of Pampa to help drefray medical expenses for Billie Arnold Moore.

Joyce Cornell, friend of the family said Moore was in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo with a brain tumor.

For deposits to the account, Cornell said, contact Sheila Lott at First National Bank.

### KKK highway adoption under attack VIDOR (AP) - Texas Attorney ject enlists the help of individuals and

General Dan Morales filed a lawsuit Friday seeking to prevent the Ku Klux Klan from participating in a state highway cleanup program near

this once all-white town. Morales contended the effort by the "hate group" could lead to racial problems in Vidor, a small town that crous. Their attempt to adopt a highhas gained national attention way is nothing more than an effort because of its efforts to move blacks to exploit the problems they have

into a public housing project. The Texas Adopt-A-Highway pro-

groups in cleaning up state roadways. Adopted highways usually have a sign bearing the name of their sponsor.

"Given the Klan's record of harassment and hatred with Vidor, their efforts toward community service and public charity are ludigenerated for this community,"

### Journalism professor files lawsuit against Baylor

AUSTIN (AP) - Baylor University associate journalism professor Sara Stone has filed a \$1.5 million lawsuit against the school, alleging she was the victim of sexual harassment and discrimination.

The lawsuit, filed this week in federal court in Austin, also names as defendants Baylor President Herbert Reynolds and Loyal Gould, former journalism department chairman. Gould was named a professor emeritus at Baylor after stepping down as chairman last year. In addition to the monetary damages, the lawsuit asks

for a judge's order to make Ms. Stone a full professor. Reynolds would not discuss the lawsuit, which he said he has not seen, the Austin American-Statesman reported.

"The better part of valor is to wait until it's in hand and go from there," he said. Baylor's vice president for communications, Michael

Bishop, said it's the university's policy not to comment on litigation, the Waco Tribune-Herald reported.

and Israel F. Flores of misdemeanor dis-

orderly conduct. Both offenses are pun-

the Dec. 8 episode, which allegedly

took place after a Christmas party at

the Houston Police Officers Associa-

Prosecutor Bruce Halling said the

two went after the party to a bar and

then to a downtown parking lot with

two other officers. The four drank

beer from two kegs in the back of

Local GOP to open

party headquarters

State Sen. Teel Bivins will be the

featured speaker for the grand open-

ing of the Gray County Republican

Party headquarters Tuesday in

The grand opening is scheduled

for 2 to 6 p.m. in Suite 110 in the

Hughes Building, 408 W.

Kingsmill, according to County

Mechler said Bivins will be at the

"Other Republican candidates for

local office will be available to meet

the voters and answer questions,"

Chairman Tom Mechler.

Mechler said.

headquarters from 2 to 3 p.m.

Both officers were suspended after

ishable by fines of up to \$200.

tion building.

HOUSTON (AP) - Two Harris Gibbs' pickup, he said.

County sheriff's deputies have been indicted on misdemeanor charges that they hit two men and fired a pistol during a downtown keg party. The indictment, return Friday, accuscers called him over and asked, "What es Derrel Gibbs of misdemeanor assault are you doing downtown, nigger?"

him, knocked him down and pulled a Halling said.

Gould, reached Saturday by The Associated Press, referred questions to his lawyer, Tom Ragland. There was no answer at telephone numbers listed for Ragland.

Stone's lawsuit alleges that Gould and other journalism faculty members created an atmosphere of genderbased hostility and harassment from the time she

It contends that Gould denied Stone promotions, pay increases and the right to participate in seminars and other academic meetings.

Stone, who had previously taught journalism courses at West Texas State University in Canyon, and Baylor have been in conflict over the allegations since Septem-

Baylor last year offered early retirement packages to Gould and two other faculty members, and Reynolds

said the school decided not to renew another's contract, the Tribune-Herald reported.

### Harris County deputies indicted for hitting two men

The incidents occurred when the only Gibbs struck Williams. officers were approached by 27-year-According to Williams, one of the offi- asked the officers for a handout.

Williams said the group then hit involved and now we can't find him,"

gun on him. Halling indicated that

The prosecutor said another man, old Curtis Williams, Halling said. Carl Deaver, later wandered up and

"The allegation is that Flores hit him, but Deaver never wanted to get

Access to the entire the OSHA

be requested by employees, former

resentatives and by OSHA officials.

Room N3101, 200 Constitution Ave.,

Copies of the form can be obtained

### Employers should post injuries form

Employers with 11 or more OSHA Form 200 includes informaemployees must post during the tion on type of injury and illness. month of February a summary of all extent and outcome. This informajob-related injuries and illnesses tion alerts employees to possible which occurred during 1993, hazards, OSHA officials said. according to the U.S. Department of Labor's Occupational Safety and Form 200 for an establishment may Health Administration (OSHA).

The summary must remain posted employees and their designated repfrom Feb. 1 to March 1, 1994.

Since 1972, employers have been required to post the annual totals on by sending self-addressed labels to OSHA Form 200, "Log and Sum- the closest OSHA field office or to mary of Occupational Injuries and the OSHA Publications Office, Illnesses." The form is to be displayed wherever notices to employees are usually posted.

N.W., Washington, D.C. 20210. Information may also be obtained by The right-hand portion of the telephoning 1-202-219-4667.

> For Saturday's **Winning Numbers**

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1301 S. Hobart

### City briefs

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

NEED EXTRA Income? International Food Giant expanding across Texas. Excellent part time or full time business opportunity. Call for details, 665-8766, 669-3139. Adv.

CITY OF Pampa - Persons interested in serving on the Cable Advisory Board need to submit a letter of interest to the Office of the City by Tuesday, February 1, 1994. If the first one. If you will donate your you would like information regarding any of the advisory boards/com- Land Museum, at 669-8041. Adv. missions and their responsibilities. please contact the Office of the City Secretary. Adv.

MERCHANDISE REDUC-

Pampa Mall. February 1-14. Adv. WANTED: RN'S, LVN's interested in giving quality care openings available. 665-0356. Adv.

TAX SERVICE, Glenda Brown-day. 1334 N. Hobart. Adv. lee, 614 Davis, 665-8074, 274-2142.

booths and one booth in front. 669- gifts. Adv. 0703 or come by Untouchables, 301 W. Foster. Adv.

VALENTINE BALLOONS Bouquet. 25% off. Ewe Niquely Ewe, Pampa Mall. Adv.

109 W. Francis. Adv. LAWNMOWER CHAINSAW

ery. Radcliff Lawnmower Chainsaw Sales & Service, 519 S. Cuyler, 669-3395. Adv. LEFORS & MCLEAN Alumni: We need the High School yearbooks Secretary, P.O. Box 2499, Pampa, from your schools, going back to

> annual, please call the White Deer MARY KAY Cosmetics, Deb Stapleton consultant. Facials, sup-

plies, deliveries, 665-2095. Adv. SHERYL LESTER will be on TION Sale. Ewe Niquely Ewe, call for haircuts Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 665-6725. Adv.

> VALENTINE SALE at Goldkraft Jewelers, 50% Off on everything! 10-5:30 Monday thru Satur-BASKETS OF Love - New ship-

ment of gift items for all occasions NEED 3 hairdressers, 2 private including unique Valentine day

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, I've Adv. called, I've come by, I've delivered, Yet no reply! Do you not receive your messages or what? Said, set, scattered! 1-25-94 Hembree, Adv.

KEEPSAKE BOXES by Glynda WHY WAIT for your federal Turley just arrived in time for income tax refund? It's fast! It's Valentine's Day at All Its Charm, easy! H&R Block, 1301 N. Hobart, 665-2161. Adv.

JERRY'S APPLIANCE has Repair - all makes. Pick up, delivopened a new store. We invite all old and new customers to come in and check out the quality appliances Frigidaire has to offer. 106 S. Cuyler, 665-3743. Adv.

BAD BOYS, Don't make the threats! If you can't back 'em up! Said, set & scattered! 1-25-94 Hembree. Adv

WALLPAPER HANGING, 8 years locally. Sherry 665-3111. Adv. TICKET DISMISSAL, Insurance Discount, 669-3871. Bowman Defensive Driving, (USA). Adv.

VALENTINE'S DAY Specials on all type Nails and Pedicures. Call Dory, 665-4343, Song's Salon. Adv. **UPRIGHT BALDWIN** studio piano, \$1100. 669-9474 after 3.

CAJUN FOOD, Wednesday night, 6-9 p.m. Hamburger Station.

KITCHEN AND BATH Cabinets, tops-formica, refacing, marble, tub surrounds. Gray's Decorating,

669-2971. Adv.

### Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

Today, cold and snowy with a high in the mid 20s and easterly and northeasterly winds at 15 to 20 effect as two to four inches of snow is expected to fall. Tonight, cold and snowy with a low around 12 degrees. An 80 percent chance of snow exists with accumulation of four to six inches expected. Monday, cold with a high in the low 20s. A 30 percent chance of additional snow fall exists.

**REGIONAL FORECAST** West Texas - Panhandle: Winter storm watch today and tonight. Today, snow and blowing snow. Windy and cold with highs 20 to 25. Tonight, snow continuing. Total snow accumulations of 6 to 8 inches possible. Lows 5-15. Monday, cloudy with a chance of light snow. Highs 15-20. Monday night, mostly cloudy and cold with a chance of light snow. Lows from 5 to 10 above. South Plains: Winter storm watch today and tonight. Today, snow and blowing snow likely. Colder, highs around 30. Tonight, snow and blowing snow. Lows 15 to 20. Total snow accumulations around 4 inches possible. Monday, cloudy with a chance of snow. Highs around 30. Mon-

day night, mostly cloudy and cold

with a chance of light snow. Lows

North Texas - Today, mostly cloudy and not as cold. Highs 39 to 47. Tonight, cloudy and colder with a chance of snow, mainly north. Lows 24 to 30. Monday, cloudy and ending. Lows 15 to 23.

South Central: Today, partly cloudy 60. Tonight, partly cloudy and cold. 30s south central. Monday, mostly cloudy and cold with a slight chance of rain. High in the 40s Hill Country to near 50 south central. cloudy with a slight chance of rain in the morning becoming partly cloudy in the afternoon. Highs in the 50s. Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows in the 30s inland to near 40 coast. Monday, increasing clouds becoming mostly cloudy. Highs in the low 60s. Lower Rio Grande Valley and Plains: Today, mostly cloudy with a slight chance of rain in the morning becoming partly cloudy in the afternoon. Highs near 60. Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows near 40 west to mid 40s coast. Monday, increasing clouds becoming mostly cloudy. Highs in the 60s.

**BORDER STATES** New Mexico - Winter storm watch today for the northeast and east central plains, Sandia/Manzano mountains and the central highlands. Today, much colder northeast along the Red River Valley.

with a good chance of snow across the north. Accumulations of 2 to 4 inches possible north central and northeast. Partly cloudy south. Warmer southwest. Highs in the cold with a chance of snow mainly teens and 20s northeast, 20s and north. Highs 28 to 39. Monday 30s mountains with 40s to mid 50s mph. A winter storm watch is in night, cloudy and colder with snow at lower elevations of the south. Tonight, cloudy and cold north and South Texas - Hill Country and east with a chance of snow. Partly cloudy southwest. Lows 5 below and warmer. High in the 50s to near zero to 15 above mountains and north with 20s at lower elevations Lows from near 30 Hill Country to of the south. Monday and Monday night, partly cloudy southwest otherwise mostly cloudy and cold. A chance of snow showers mountains and east. Highs in the 20s and 30s Coastal Bend: Today, mostly except for 40s southwest. Lows 5 below zero to 15 above mountains and north with 20s at lower elevations of the south. Oklahoma - Winter storm watch

today and this evening for western Oklahoma. Today, snow spreading over the remainder of western Oklahoma into central Oklahoma. Snow accumulations of 2 to 5 inches are possible in western Oklahoma with amounts under 2 inches elsewhere. Highs from mid 20s to low 30s with readings near 40 in southeastern Oklahoma, Tonight, snow gradually tapering off. Cold with lows from mid teens to mid 20s. Monday, decreasing cloudiness and cold with highs in the 30s. Monday night, partly cloudy and cold with lows in the single digits in northern Oklahoma to mid teens

# Trial to begin for mother accused of killing daughter's ex-sweetheart

By JOSH LEMIEUX **Associated Press Writer** 

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BROWNSVILLE (AP) - Nearly a year after honor student Joey Fischer was gunned down, bizarre tales linking his death to the mother of a teenage flame and a local fortune teller will likely unfold in a courtroom.

Jury selection begins Monday in the capital murder trial of Dora Garcia Cisneros, 56, a doctor's wife kill Fischer after he broke off a relationship with her daughter.

Neither prosecutors nor defense attorneys have signaled much about their courtroom strategies.

At a pretrial hearing last year, Mrs. Cisneros' attorney, Tony Canales, insisted his client was not involved in the alleged conspiracy.

18, was shot twice at close range as he cleaned a car in front of his home in the fashionable Brownsville suburb of Rancho Viejo on March 3, 1993.

their children to St. Joseph Academy, a Roman Catholic school where Fischer ranked 11th in his senior class.

The shock escalated a month later when Cameron County investigators arrested Mrs. Cisneros and Maria Mercedes Martinez, 72, a reputed "curandera" – a type of folk healer and fortune teller not uncommon along the Texas-Mexico border.

The Fischer and Cisneros families are prominent in Olivares and Heriberto Puentes Pizana to kill Fischer, applications from people with South Texas connec-Brownsville. The victim's father, Joseph "Buddy" Fischer, is a businessman who was once president of the local Rotary Club. Mrs. Cisneros is the wife of wellknown Brownsville surgeon David Cisneros.

The Cisneros family's previous attorney said her arrest was a case of mistaken identity.

A county judge placed a gag order on police reports and evidence after the arrests, and investigators refused accused of hiring a shadowy assortment of figures to to comment publicly on the alleged motive. But it became well-known that Fischer had dated Mrs. Cis- If convicted, they would face the death penalty or life in neros' youngest daughter, Cristina, who has never spoken to reporters about the case.

Fischer reportedly broke off the relationship in mid-1992 while he was a junior and Cristina Cisneros was a sophomore. According to published reports, people close to Fischer told investigators that Mrs. Cisneros The case has been shrouded in secrecy since Fischer, had offered to pay the teen-ager to continue the relationship, but he declined.

The indictment alleges that in October of that year Mrs. Cisneros began plotting the teenager's death, The slaying shocked the upscale families who send telling Mrs. Martinez she would pay anyone to kill him. It says Mrs. Cisneros gave the teenagers' prom picture

> Garza, nicknamed "El Guero" - The Fairhaired One. Garza, a Mexican national who resided legally in San Antonio, had sought the advise of the folk healer about

> to Mrs. Martinez, who passed it to a man named Daniel

his family problems, sheriff's detectives said.

gave them the picture so they could identify him, and tions. then paid them with Mrs. Cisneros' money.

exchanged, but investigators have placed the figure between \$2,000 and \$5,000.

Olivares, 23, and Puentes, 21, both of Matamoros, Mexico, remain at large. They are believed to be in

All five defendants are charged with capital murder.

said Friday that it was "very probable" that his client tinez, the folk healer. would plead guilty to a lesser offense and become a wit-

ness for the prosecution. The plea could happen as early as Monday, leaving Cyganiewicz said.

A business card found near Fischer's body turned out to be crucial evidence, according to sheriff's detective keep jurors from hearing the alleged confessions of Abel Perez Jr., who led the investigation with Lt. Garza and Mrs. Martinez.

from a gunman's pocket.

The card, from a bail-bonds company near Dallas, had the "214" area code handwritten in front of the telephone number. Investigators asked the bail-bond The indictment alleges that Garza, 43, hired Israel company to fax to Brownsville any recent bond jury, attorneys say.

Almost immediately, investigators received an appli-The indictment doesn't specify how much money was cation filled out in the same handwriting as found on the business card, Perez said.

The bond applicant told investigators he had given the card to a friend in case the friend got arrested, Perez

Perez said the questioning eventually led to Olivares and Garza.

The detective said Garza confessed his involvement and agreed to wear a recording device so investigators But the folk healer's attorney, Edmund Cyganiewicz, could listen to his later conversations with Mrs. Mar-

Deputies then arrested Mrs. Martinez and persuaded her to wear an FM transmitter during a conversation with Mrs. Cisneros on April 6, 1993 - the day Mrs. Cisonly Mrs. Cisneros and Garza to stand trial, neros was arrested, Perez testified at the pre-trial hear-

District Judge Rogelio Valdez has denied motions to

Before jury selection begins, Valdez is scheduled Authorities speculated that the card must have fallen Monday to hear motions by Mrs. Cisneros' attorney asking that she be tried separately from the other defendants and that her recorded conversation with Mrs. Martinez be suppressed.

It will likely take two weeks or more to empanel a

### Peres, Arafat upbeat after meeting to wrap up talks on peace plan

By ALEXANDER G. HIGGINS **Associated Press Writer** 

DAVOS, Switzerland (AP) -Israel's Foreign Minister Shimon Peres and PLO leader Yasser Arafat met Saturday in a newly optimistic mood about reaching an Israeli-Palestinian peace deal soon.

Despite earlier pessimism over prospects for a breakthrough, both men were upbeat as they met for evening talks in a luxury hotel. When asked when a peace deal would be signed, Arafat said, "Very soon." Peres said, "Fairly soon."

The two leaders spoke during a break about a half-hour after talks began Saturday night. One-on-one talks continued afterward.

In a brief session with Israeli and Palestinian journalists before the meeting began, Arafat said the two sides were working "to put together the basic platform for an agreement this evening

Yossi Sarid, Israel's environment minister and a member of the negotiating team, said agreement was unlikely to be finalized Saturday night but that Sunday "is a good

day to conclude. He briefed reporters after more than three hours of discussions Saturday night, saying "the atmosphere is very good and very positive.'

At the start of the meeting, Peres told Israeli journalists: "We have to bridge serious gaps. All of us here have serious intentions and will try to do everything to fulfill the aspirations of our two peoples."

Earlier, both sides said major problems remained in finalizing an Israeli withdrawal that would allow Palestinian self-rule in the Gaza Strip and the West Bank town of Jericho, under a general agreement signed in Washington in September.

But the atmosphere in the hotel room was relaxed and cordial. Arafat and Peres smiled and shook hands for the cameras.

"We can't have a Middle Eastern meeting without shaking hands," said Arafat.

'We shake hands during the day and we negotiate during the night,' quipped Peres.

Arafat and Peres were to meet again Sunday and then join a debate on Middle East peace with Egypt's foreign minister and Jordan's crown prince at the privately organized World Economic Forum.

Upon his arrival at Zurich airport, Arafat told Swiss radio no breakthrough was imminent. Israeli radio said expectations of an immediate result were "below zero" in Peres' delegation.

Arafat held a pre-dawn meeting at his headquarters in Tunis, Tunisia, with the PLO Executive Committee, then met with the U.S. ambassador to request American help in ending the deadlock with Israel on Palestinian self-rule in the occupied territories, the PLO news agency WAFA said.

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### **Democratic headquarters**



Jim Osborne, left, Judge H. Bryan Poff, Congressman Bill Sarpalius and Wendell Palmer were among those who gathered at 116 W. Foster Saturday for the grand opening of the Gray County Democratic headquarters. Osborne and Palmer face each other in the Democratic primary March 8 in the race for county judge. (Pampa News photo)

### Richards' office to begin saving phone records

**Associated Press Writer** 

"After all this, we'll probably start saving them," said Bill Cryer, Richards' press secretary. His statement follows a Houston Chronicle report that Richards' office destroys after each month's bill is paid.

"We still believe we have the right to destroy them, if we want to, after a month – but why do that if the press, which represents the public in these matters, wants to look at them and they think a month is too short?" Crver asked. "We have nothing to hide there, frankly.

During a campaign stop in Dallas, Richards said, "We did what they told us to do, and we're happy to do anything they want us to do. It doesn't matter to me."

began consistently destroying long- said it found no "conscious pattern of distance records after Land Commis- misuse of state property for political sioner Garry Mauro in 1992 came or personal purposes.

under investigation for using state telephones for political calls.

He said he was mistaken in earlier AUSTIN (AP) - Gov. Ann saying that Richards' office had Richards' office likely will begin pre-. always routinely destroyed the longserving long-distance records in the distance records, and in his assumpwake of a controversy over their roution that her predecessor, Republican tine destruction, a spokesman said former Gov. Bill Clements, had done the same.

Clements has said he is due an apology. Cryer declined to give one, saying he didn't accuse Clements of wrongdoing. Cryer said that Mauro's 1992 situation raised awareness that her itemized long-distance records there was a schedule for retaining records that should be followed.

"We said we need to make sure our employees are following the law on public records, period," Cryer said.

An internal audit at Mauro's agency found 1,440 local and long-distance telephone calls made to political offices by Mauro and other General Land Office employees, including calls to Democrat Bill Clinton's

Mauro, who was chairman of Clinton's Texas campaign, reimbursed the state for the calls. The Travis County Cryer also said Richards' office district attorney's public integrity unit

Cryer said state law requires some records to be saved but others to be destroyed because of the cost of

maintaining them. He said one part of the schedule for retaining records says that telecommunications billings should be kept for three years. But another part says that long-distance billing logs should be kept for a month after payment.

He said Richards' office assumed and still believes - that the latter entry is the one that applies to the long-distance detail part of the telephone bill.

So Cryer said it was believed in 1992 that some people were unnecessarily saving records. "We ordered our people to follow the letter of the law," he said.

But Karen Hughes, state Republican executive director, took issue with the changing stories from the Democratic governor's office and the timing of the records destruction.

"You don't start destroying records because you don't have anything to hide," she said. "It doesn't take you three or four times to get your story right if you're not trying to hide something."

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### Iran ends war games in Persian Gulf

By ANWAR FARUQI **Associated Press Writer** 

air, ground and naval forces have in the Gulf. ended six days of maneuvers in the northern Persian Gulf, the latest in a series of war games that included missile deployment.

The Islamic Republic News Agency, monitored in Nicosia, the southern Gulf around the Strait reported Saturday that "enemy" ships were intercepted and captured the West's oil supplies flow. during the exercise, codenamed Victory-3.

On the last day of exercises Friday, heavy artillery, backed by air force jets and helicopters, pounded forces. enemy positions, the official agency

The war games, hailed earlier by Tehran Radio as the biggest staged in the northern Gulf, involved forces of the Islamic Revolution Guards Corps and the army.

Earlier in January, the Revolutionary Guards and air force held four days of amphibious maneuvers, one conducted in the Gulf over the last

Last October, the Guards Corp. week-long missile maneuvers Hormuz. ern gateway to the Gulf.

These involved high-speed Emirates for two decades.

deployment of anti-ship and surface-to-air missiles from the Iranian mainland around the navy base at NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) - Iran's Bandar Abbas to unspecified islands

They also involved air defense and logistical support operations, IRNA reported at the time.

Iran has Chinese-built HY-2 Silkworm anti-ship batteries based in of Hormuz, through which much of

The Guards Corps, Iran's principal revolutionary force, has its own ground and air forces, which operate separately from the regular

Iran is engaged in a major arms buildup. Its military moves have been particularly closely watched by its Arab neighbors and the West since it took delivery of two Russian Kilo-class diesel-powered submarines over the last 14 months.

The Islamic republic is the only Gulf country with submarines.

Relations between Iran and its of several amphibious operations Gulf Arab neighbors have been tense since September 1992, when the Iranians took over the strategic island of Abu Musa, which domiand the regular navy carried out nates the western end of the Gulf of

around the Strait of Hormuz, south- The island had been jointly con trolled by Iran and the United Arab

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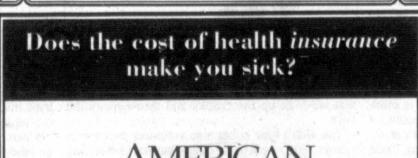
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### Opinion

### President will take a closer look now

In withdrawing his nomination for defense secretary, Bobby Ray Inman charged that his enemies were practicing "modern McCarthyism." My, what a thin skin. One wonders how Inman might have stood up to Saddam Hussein, Kim Il Sung, Moammar Qadhafi or some other violent potentate.

Modern McCarthyism? Inman's major complaint was that Senate Minority Leader Bob Dole and the media were rough with him. In fact, Dole called the admiral - once the No. 2 man at the CIA - a "very good person for the job" and only cautioned that the nomination would receive the usual close scrutiny. Sen. John McCain pointed out that all the Republican members of the Senate Armed Services Committee supported Inman, almost assuring his confirmation.

In bowing out, Inman also carped about New York Times columnist William Safire, who, indeed, wrote a scathing column about the admiral some weeks back. But most pundits have been quite complimentary about the admiral's qualifications. And of the dozens of politicians Safire has assailed over the years, it's hard to think of one who has reacted as timidly as

Compared to the treatment given some recent nominees -Clarence Thomas comes to mind – the media and the Senate treated Inman with kid gloves.

Perhaps what really spooked the old spook was the prospect of answering questions about why he dodged paying Social Security taxes for his maid. In a similar scandal a year ago - remember "Nannygate"? - two potential attorneys general Zoe Baird and Kimba Wood - were torpedoed after revelations that they had not paid Social Security taxes for their children's nannies.

The "nanny tax" or "maid tax" itself is outrageous. No one should be forced to pay it. Even so, such standards are now part of the political landscape. A political operative like Inman ought to have realized how not paying the taxes - especially after the Baird-Wood flap - might damage his career.

Women senators were poised to ask: Why were Baird and Wood dumped overboard, but not Inman? Is there a double stan-

dard, admiral? In appointing the hawkish admiral, President Clinton was "going to his right." Will the president take the same tactic in his new nominee? Perhaps.

One thing is for sure: After Nannygate, Inman's Maidgate, Travelgate, Troopergate and Whitewatergate, Clinton will make certain the new nominee didn't dodge any taxes and won't give the administration any grief.

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"I will not let you fail. Kids don't fail. Teachers fail. School systems fail. Colleges that turn out teachers who cannot teach fail." That was Mrs. Marva Collins' attitude when she started Chicago's Westside Preparatory School on the second floor of her home in 1975 with \$5,000. Since that time, the school has grown from six to 250 students, with hundreds on the waiting list, and a worldwide reputation for excellence.

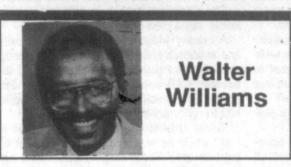
Recently, I had the pleasure of an on-site visit to the Marva Collins Preparatory School of Cincinnati (MCPSC) that's affiliated with its Chicago sister. In 1990, Mrs. Cleaster Mims started the school with 24 students in the base- a fairly high level of pre-calculus math problems. ment of the Olivet Baptist Church. With volunteer help, Mrs. Mims and her board of directors be wondering what government agency gave Mrs. were able to purchase the Cincinnati Hebrew Day School building. There are now 126 students, with dozens on the waiting list.

Virtually all the MCPSC students are from low- and moderate-income households. All are black except two. Grades go from preschool through eighth. Almost 90 percent of the students score at grade level on standardized tests. Many charitable donations. score as high as two and a half, and some as high and saw students bristling with enthusiasm. In build bookshelves, do repair work and maintain

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one class, sixth, seventh and eighth grade students were at the blackboard writing solutions to

That's just part of the story because you must Mims the grant money to start the school. There was, and is, none. Rev. Booth, pastor of the Olivet Baptist Church, recalls the school's financially shaky beginning: "Two or three mothers wouldn't give up. We started with a raffle." Plus, Mrs. Mims and other good Cincinnatians, white and black, began fund-raising events and made

Now you say, "What's the tuition?" It's \$3,000 as six, grades above grade level. Boys show up to a year for one kid and \$4,000 for two. Tuition school wearing a white shirt and tie and girls in doesn't cover all operating costs, but here's what jumpers and blouses. I visited every single class happens. Parents chip in their time and skills to

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an after-school center to help working parents. Then there's the energetic and persuasive Mrs. Mims and her board of directors beating the bushes for used equipment and scholarship funds. Such zeal to provide black kids with a better education makes saying no to a request for financial help difficult - I know, firsthand.

There's a message in this story about Mrs. Mims and her helpers. The message is that black people, even those with meager means, have the resources to meaningfully solve problems. That has always been the case until we were sold the idea that we are helpless victims of a racist society and that government programs, politicians and assorted poverty pimps were our salvation.

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For people who say they care about the destruction of black kids' future by government schools, I want them to answer some questions for me. What kind of racism and poverty stops us from having a raffle, if needed to start a school? Do we really have to worry about racial integration before there can be black educational excellence? How many more generations of black children's education are we going to allow to be destroyed as they're held hostage by an incompetent, costly, self-serving government education establishment? If you think we are helpless, you don't have half the character of a Mrs. Cleaster Whitehurst-Mims.

### **Today in history**

**By The Associated Press** 

Today is Sunday, Jan. 30, the 30th day of 1994. There are 335 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On Jan. 30, 1968, Communist forces launched surprise attacks against South Vietnamese provincial capitals in what became known as the "Tet Offensive," named for the Lunar New Year.

On this date: In 1649, England's King Charles I

was beheaded. In 1798, a brawl broke out in the

House of Representatives in Philadelphia, as Matthew Lyon of Vermont spat in the face of Roger Griswold of Connecticut. In 1882, the 32nd president of the

United States, Franklin Delano Roosevelt, was born in Hyde Park, N.Y. In 1933, Adolf Hitler became

chancellor of Germany. In 1933, the first episode of The Lone Ranger radio program was broadcast on WXYZ in Detroit.

In 1948, Indian political and spiritual leader Mohandas K. Gandhi was murdered by a Hindu extremist.



It isn't easy getting out of a hospital, even after a doctor says you can go.

I had been at Emory Hospital for two weeks. There are veteran lab rats that haven't undergone the testing I did. Name an orifice and somebody put a tube in it.

I was bleeding into my liver. A doctor ran a catheter up an artery from my groin and stopped the bleeding. Otherwise, they told me later, the repairs would have had to have been done surgically, and what with my blood so thin, well ...

The doctor said, "Go home and eat." The blood loss and hospital stay has taken me down to what I haven't weighed since I started room. The last minutes passed like kidney shaving.

They wouldn't just let me walk out of the hospital. I think they were afraid I would fall down or the rolling chair, I still had to pass the nurses' the wind from a door shutting might blow me stand. down.

tion Department for a wheelchair to get me to the guess they're used to that. parking lot, where somebody waited to drive me

I packed and waited for Transportation on the side of the bed. How many hours had I stared at that print titled "Impressions of America" on the wall?

The tray from lunch was still there. So was off the entree, water from the collected steam inside drips onto the food, spoiling whatever lot of mail.



appetite you might have had.

Twenty-four hours times 14, I'd been in that

Even after Transportation had seated me in

That was fine, I had wanted to say goodbye. I So, before I could go, they called the Transporta- hadn't always been pleasant or cooperative, but I

I said goodbye and thanks. A nurse gave me a form to sign.

To the elevator and down. And out to the parking

lot and, finally, into the car and toward home. It was the first time in 1994 I had been anywhere

except a hospital.

I missed the dog greeting me at the front door. the food on it. When you take the plastic cover He's been dead nearly two months now. The newspapers had piled up on the front porch. There was a

"You get home and you'll feel a lot better," people told me.

It's better than the hospital. Nobody takes my vital signs every three hours. Anybody who comes at me for blood in my house will be met by a steak knife from my kitchen drawer.

They didn't have cable television at the hospital. I've got more than 50 channels at home. I could watch Purdue play basketball against the University of Connecticut - or was it Seton Hall? - in the privacy of my own den.

Dedra cooked a pot roast. A man sent chicken and dumplings and turnip greens. I sent out for chili dogs. My friend Spike came by one morning and made breakfast. Spike can fry eggs to my liking like nobody since my mother. And I try to eat. I really try to eat.

The medicine is still there. Big pills. Little pills. You take one of these a day. Two of these a day. Then, there's that green iron pill I take three times a day that's supposed to help replace the blood I lost. I hate taking pills.

My bed is the best part of being home. There is actually room to turn over in it.

I don't want to go back to a hospital. Ever. Since March 22 I've spent three months in a hospital. That's enough. Isn't that enough? One doctors says two or three weeks to get back.

Another says six to eight. I just want to live my normal life again.

I'm home. I guess that's a start.

# Fighting to save our neighborhoods

Our dedicated Day of The Dream has been duly celebrated - with a smattering of speech-making and an orgy of mall shopping. Our politicians and preachers have paid their annual homage to Martin Luther King Jr. by telling us how they, too, have a dream about a crime-free tomorrow with opportu-Now, feeling better, most of us are back at the

myopic grind that is our business-as-usual. We are sending our children off to school, trying not to think about the fact that an estimated 100,000 of their classmates (it's always somebody else's kids) will be secretly packing guns.

At the White House, real news was made in the form of commemorative candor. "There is more violence, less opportunity and more destruction of family and community for the places that are really hard hit than there ever was 25 years ago," said President Chnton. "And I think the only way we can honor Martin Luther King's memory is to be honest about that and to ask ourselves, what can we do? ..."

Clinton has put the full weight of his presidency behind what he calls a "new partnership" between government and private enterprise to develop America's most needy neighborhoods.

Is that our best hope for fighting crime? We get little help from the pop-politics culture that dominates our news media's misguided quest for balance. The nation's loudest liberals and conservatives are back at their old battle stations, from the hallowed halls of Congress to the hot-airwaves of



talk radio and its video equivalent, CNN's Crossfire. On crime, the liberals demand that we treat the sociogenic root causes; the conservatives insist that we lock up the crooks and throw away the

You won't hear either side volunteer the correct answer: We've got to do both - but start by putting more cops on the streets to reduce the incidents of crime (it worked in Los Angeles, when police patrols were increased before the latest Rodney King police brutality court decisions).

Perhaps the best analysis of the plight faced by all Americans - especially those who live in our urban ghettos - was this passage uttered by Vice President Al Gore Jr. as we celebrated what would have been the 65th birthday of Martin Luther

"By our readiness to allow arms to be purchased hero is one who masters the art of shooting and the a controller.

technique of killing, we have created an atmosphere in which violence and hatred have become popular pastimes."

Gore read those words in tribute - for they were first spoken in 1963 by Martin Luther King, five years before he was murdered by a gunman firing at whim. And while it is easy to see from King's words that little seems to have changed in the three decades since, we have also seen some signs that indicate for the first time that we may finally come to grips with our most fundamental national ills.

In Washington, the Rev. Jesse Jackson, a disciple of King's who in recent years often seemed to be serving his own political agenda, has taken on perhaps his most noble and worthwhile cause of all: the violence committed by blacks against blacks (94 percent of all black murder victims were killed by other blacks).

And our Democratic president put his prestige behind a program enacted by Congress to create 104 "empowerment zones" and "enterprise communities" - he promised that they would be run in a common-sense, hands-off way that sounds downright Republican. Local communities and private enterprise will come up with plans to develop needy urban and rural neighborhoods and give jobs to the residents; the federal government will provide tax incentives and cut red tape.

Clinton's challenge will be to harness this new at will and fired at whim, by allowing our movies form of activist government and rein supreme - to and television screens to teach our children that the assure that Washington serves as a catalyst but not

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A member of the Polar Bears of Washington, D.C., takes a plunge into the lcy Potomac River on Saturday. About 30 club members, holding on to ropes to prevent from being swept downstream, took part in the annual plunge after knocking a hole in the 4-inch thick ice across from the Kennedy Center. (AP photo)

### Floods batter West Virginia, Pennsylvania and Indiana

home up for sale that day.

"I don't think I could give it

Elsewhere in Pennsylvania, the

problem was ice. It clogged water-

ways throughout the state and con-

tributed to one death, a woman whose

car skidded on an icy bridge, hit a

snowbank that acted as a ramp and

Ice also caused problems in Con-

necticut. At least 75 homes near New

London along the Shetucket River

were flooded when ice jammed

against a bridge. And an ice floe a

mile long and 60 feet wide jammed

the Pomperaug River near Southbury,

forcing 30 people to leave their

In upstate New York, one of three

motorists who rushed to help a

woman when her car spun into a

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away," she said. "I could advertise it

as a mobile home-slash-houseboat

PARKERSBURG, W.Va. (AP) -An Ohio River swollen with rain and melted snow surged beyond its banks Saturday, unleashing floods that covered some homes up to their roofs and that you can fish out of from your sank a 50-foot boat as it rested in a door.' back yard.

Floods also battered Pennsylvania, where the Monongahela River threatened 100 homes, and Indiana, where one river fork rose more than five feet above flood stage.

In Parkersburg, the Ohio River was 2 1/2 feet above flood stage and was expected to crest Sunday at 5 feet above flood stage. About 200 homes were flooded along the Little Kanawha River, which flows into the Ohio. No injuries were reported.

The waters closed roads, swallowed a baseball field and a volleyball court and forced about 200 families to leave their homes, said Ken Riffle, a spokesman for the Wood County

Office of Emergency Services. The Williamstown Bridge, which connects Williamstown and Marietta, Ohio, was closed because water had

covered the Ohio side. The Hocking River flooded the southern Ohio town of Chauncey, forcing the evacuation of about 55 people and washing out the two state

routes that lead into town. About 235 people were allowed to

return to their suburban Cleveland homes after ice was cleared from the overflowing Chagrin and Rocky

Bridges in Indiana, including a few that date back to the 1900s, were threatened by ice chunks from last week's cold snap that jammed against pilings along the surging White River.

"The ice jam was solid, bank to bank, and I could feel movement on the bridge as the ice chunks hit the piers and the ice breakers," said Jackson County Commissioner Steve Gill, who monitored ice flow near the Rockford Bridge.

In south-central Indiana, the East Fork of the White River crested 5.5 feet over flood stage, but did not threaten the nearby town of Seymour.

In Pennsylvania, the Monongahela River rose 2 1/2 feet above flood stage Saturday near Carol Bowers' mobile home in the Pittsburgh suburb of West Elizabeth.

The home wasn't damaged, but the timing couldn't have been



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### Gray County attorney ready to get hot on hot checks

By CHERYL BERZANSKIS

about to get the hot seat, according to Gray

County Attorney Todd Alvey. In a change from previous policy, Alvey said, partial payments on checks collected by the office will not be allowed.

The offense of theft by check, otherwise known as "hot" check writing, is a Class A, B or C misdemeanor, depending on the amount of the check. Prosecution of hot check writers is the responsibility of the county attorney.

said, "If you are supposed to come in here one to make restitution after a warrant is issued, time a month, you better come in one time a month or warrants will go out."

unable to collect must first attempt to do so, the fine or jail. county attorney's office will use force of law to collect the check, the merchant's fee for a worth- of theft by check, jail time erases the debt, but less check and a second fee to reimburse the doesn't erase the fine imposed, he said. office for its service. The office accepts cash or

money orders to pay off the check and fees.

While jail time and a hefty fine are possibilities for those found guilty of writing hot checks, People who don't pay up on hot checks are Alvey said he'd rather work with people to make good on their debts. For those with multiple hot checks outstanding, the writer may pay off one check plus fees at a time. They may not make partial payments on a single check, as was previ-

Alvey will send a courtesy letter to the check writers letting them know the check was turned over for collection. If there is no response, a warrant for their arrest will be issued, he said.

Warrants will be served by Constable Chris "I will pursue hot checks much harder," Alvey Lockridge, Alvey said. If a hot check writer asks Alvey said he would agree to let them do so without a threat of arrest or jail. Those who make no While merchants who receive a check they are attempt to settle the outstanding checks may face

For those who opt to plead guilty on a charge

\$20 to \$200, the maximum fine is \$1500 and 180 days in county jail. For Class A charges, checks \$200 to \$750, a maximum fine of \$3000 and up

to one year in jail may be assessed. To reimburse the county for prosecution of hot check writers, the Code of Criminal Procedure allows the county attorney's office to collect a fee

For checks of \$10 or less, they may collect \$5; for checks \$10 to \$100, the office may collect \$10; for checks \$100 to \$300, the office may collect \$30; for checks \$300 to \$500, the office may collect \$50; and for checks \$500 to\$750, the

office may collect \$75. Writing hot checks isn't cheap. For example, an uncollectible check for \$100 might have a \$25 merchant fee (the maximum allowed by law) plus a \$10 fee to the county attorney's office, requiring the writer to pay \$135 to clear the debt. An uncollectible check for \$500 would have the same \$25 merchant fee but the county attorney's fee would be \$75, adding up to \$600.

Beginning Sept. 1, the county attorney's office For a Class B charge of theft by check, checks is authorized to collect checks up to \$1500.

### Croatia denies its troops are involved in Bosnia

ia denied on Saturday that its army troops were fighting in Bosnia, and to block the republic's indepenaccused the Muslim-led Bosnian government of making those charges for political reasons.

"These statements were aimed at putting international pressure on Croatia" and "getting an arms embargo on the Muslims lifted," said Defense Ministry spokesman Drago Krpina at a news confer-

The Bosnian government, which often has said regular Croatian army troops were helping Bosnian Croat militias fighting inside Bosnia, filed its first formal complaint with the United Nations on Friday.

Bosnia's prime minister, Haris Silajdzic, said as many as 30,000 Croatian troops had moved in. Senior U.N. military officials in Zagreb said Friday that they had evidence of about 3,000 troops with Croatian army insignia heading toward southern and central

Croatia has long answered Bosnia to fight alongside their ies.

said.

Western officials repeatedly have directly involved in the Bosnian factions. conflict. Serbia and Montenegro, the only

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ZAGREB, Croatia (AP) - Croat- 1992 when minority Serbs, backed by the Yugoslav federal army, tried dence from Yugoslavia. They now

control 70 percent of its territory. Croats and the Muslim-led Bosnian army were allies at first, but lately have fought each other

for land not claimed by Serbs. Recent gains by the Muslims in central Bosnia have prompted speculation Croatia might try to assist

its proxies in the region. In Bosnia: U.N. observers entered a

Bosnian village where Croat troops were alleged to have massacred people a week ago, and they found the bodies of 22 civilians, the Bosnian Embassy in Zagreb said.

U.N. officials could not be reached late Saturday to confirm the report. U.N. peacekeepers had been trying to reach Here, a village near Prozor in western Bosnia, since Tuesday, but were hampered by local fighting.

 Bosnian authorities were holding four people for questioning in the killing on Thursday of charges of direct involvement in British aid worker Paul Goodall, Bosnia by saying that some Croats U.N. officials said. The case has of Bosnian origin had returned to jeopardized vital U.N. food deliver-

A suspension would be disas-But "not one Croatian army unit trous for many of an estimated 2.7 was ever sent to Bosnia," Krpina million Bosnians dependent on outside aid this winter.

Aid deliveries often have been warned Croatia that it could face harassed by soldiers of Bosnia's international sanctions if it became warring Muslim, Croat and Serb

But recent incidents away from the front lines and well within govremaining republics in Yugoslavia, ernment territory, where people are are under a crippling U.N. trade the most isolated and in need of aid, embargo for supporting Serb rebels have raised new alarms. Goodall was killed by gunmen near the gov-Bosnia's war broke out in April ernment-held town of Zenica.

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### County commissioners to meet Tuesday

Gray County commissioners will about county road policy, state reim-

agenda is a 10:30 a.m. discussion about the fire contract with Skelly-

consider a request to purchase or Precinct 2; Gerald Wright, Precinct Department of Health, Department County Clerk Wanda Carter, ex-offiof Human Services and Texas cio member. Department of Regulatory and Protective Services.

Other items include discussions Courthouse.

have a full plate on Tuesday when bursement for tank removal in they meet in regular session at 9 Precinct 1, and consideration of advertising for construction bids for For consideration on the 12-item new rooms in the old jail space.

Gray County Commissioners Court is made up of County Judge Carl Kennedy; commissioners Joe At 11 a.m., commissioners will Wheeley, Precinct 1; Jim Greene, lease a building on behalf of Texas 3; Ted Simmons, Precinct 4; and

> The court meets in the second floor courtroom of Gray County

### Recycling center taking phone books

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the recycling center, the tele- year with grant money from phone books will be shipped to the state and consists of area the telephone company to be cities including Pampa, Panrecycled.

Recycling telephone books is Borger.

Beginning on Feb. 1, another example of how the Pampa's recycling center will amount of material that goes be accepting phone books in into city landfills can be addition to other products like reduced and in the long run glass, plastic and paper prod- save taxpayers money, accord-

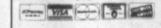
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**Bob Muns** 

### Muns seeking re-election as justice of peace

Bob Muns, justice of the peace for Precinct 1, has officially announced his candidacy for re-election.

Muns has been a justice of the peace for seven years. He has over 200 hours of specialized training to enable him to carry out his duties as a justice of the peace.

Muns was employed with the Federal Bureau of Investigation in Washington D.C. for almost two years as a fingerprint technician. He later became an officer with the United States Park Police in Washington where he served for over 10 years.

He was ret red from the federal government on disability retirement for injuries received in the line of duty. He was the recipient of the United States Department of Interior National Parks Service Commendable Service Award upon his retirement.

Muns attended numerous schools while employed with the U.S. Park Police. Among those schools were advanced and latent fingerprints, crime scene search, collection and preservation of evidence, sex crimes investigation and arson. He attended schools conducted by the Federal Bureau of Narcotics and Bureau of Drug Abuse Control as well as narcotics training at Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Ohio.

Muns trained police officers in drug investigation and narcotics identification. He also trained officers in basic and advanced fingerprints.

Muns has been accepted as member of the Texas Division of the International Association for Identi-

He and his wife, Jean, have four children, three of whom are living: Greg of Weatherford, Okla., Cindy Wolken of Midland and Michele Kelley of Pampa. They have six grandchildren and recently celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary. They are members of First Baptist Church where both teach Sunday School. He is a member of the adult choir and the men's ensemble.

Muns serves on the board of the American Red Cross and Lefors Senior Citizen's Center and is a charter member of the Texas Panhandle Child Death Review Team.

Muns has expressed a desire to continue to serve the citizens of Gray County in a fair and equitable manner in his position as a judge, treating all citizens the same.

### Evers legacy: Is NAACP leader remembered for his life, or his death?

**AP National Writer** 

JACKSON, Miss. (AP) - There is a Medgar Evers Boulevard here that crosses Martin Luther King Jr. Drive. There is a Medgar Evers Library, a Medgar Evers Community Center and, soon, a Medgar Evers Museum.

Last week, as the trial of the man accused of killing Evers began, the Jackson City Council designated the neighborhood where the civil rights leader once lived - and died as the city's first historic district.

Medgar Evers is a monument now, cast in heroic bronze in much the same way that Confederate generals were once remembered in Mississippi. But his is, in some ways, an uncertain legacy.

Go inside the library that bears his name and you will find no books about him. Ask many young people in Mississippi who he was and they will struggle to respond.

When prospective jurors in the trial of Byron De La Beckwith, the white supremacist and rationally for nine years in a maelstrom of accused of assassinating Evers, were asked what they knew about him, many of them black and white - said they knew little.

In some ways, it seems that Evers is Indian Studies at the University of North remembered more for the way in which he died - shot in the back with what prosecutors called a bullet "aimed by prejudice, propelled by hatred and fired by a coward" - than for the accomplishments of his life.

They were not insignificant:

- As the first Mississippi field secretary for the NAACP - essentially, its first full-time paid worker in the state - he led voter registration drives that began slowly swelling the number of black voters in Mississippi.

He played a key role in enrolling James Meredith as the first black student at the University of Mississippi. The law school had rejected Evers' application in 1954.

- He helped organize economic boycotts against businesses that discriminated against

- At grave risk, he investigated and filed reports to NAACP headquarters on cases involving violence or illegal discrimination

When Evers died at age 37 on June 12, 1963, he was a giant to many black Mississippians, even if he was a cipher to whites. But those who remember him now are more likely to recall his attitudes than his deeds.

"He functioned openly and courageously hatred and bigotry and violence. And I would say that was his greatest accomplishment," said an old friend, John Salter, a professor of

"If the only thing we can say about Medgar Evers is that he was responsible — that he felt a keen duty and purpose to make life better

professor of political science at Jackson State

'He had a tough mind and a tender heart," recalled the Rev. L.D. Bass, pastor of a black

Evers was deeply despised by many whites in Mississippi. At Beckwith's first trial in 1964, prosecutor William Waller called Evers' work with the NAACP "repugnant, repulsive, obnoxious.'

But those who knew him well can recall no glaring character flaws and believe that Evers forced many whites to respect him even as they hated him.

Salter, a half-blooded American Indian who taught at a black college in Mississippi in the early 1960s, was adviser to the NAACP Youth Council and worked closely with Evers. He' remembers him as a "well-rounded guy" who was distinguished by his fundamental decency. "In those days," Salter recalled, "a South-

ern white man would never take a black man's hand. But Medgar would go up to a prominent white man, like J.L. Ray, who was in charge of the anti-civil rights police, and he would stick out his hand in a genuinely friendly way and say, 'How are you, Captain Ray?'

"And Ray, who was under it all a decent right?" person, would stick out his hand before he could stop himself and find himself shaking hands with a black man. Medgar was in no for black Mississippians - I think that's sense a hater, but someone who took humani-

enough," said an admirer, Mary Coleman, a ty - whatever the humanity was - on an equal shoulder-to-shoulder basis.'

In many histories of the civil rights movement, Evers is mentioned primarily as a martyr, the first prominent civil rights leader to be assassinated in the 1960s. That may be how he is finally remembered.

But those who would keep his name alive believe the value of his life outweighs that of

"There were any number of things that Medgar was trying to do," his widow, Myrlie Evers, testified last week at Beckwith's trial. What was striking, as she described them, was how many had been realized.

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He wanted to integrate schools, she said, and wanted blacks to be allowed into public swimming pools and restaurants, "to be able to use the libraries, to be able to go to department stores and be able to try on clothes. ... To be able to be called by a name instead of 'Boy' or 'Girl.' To be able to be called by a courtesy title."

Outside the courthouse on Friday, L.D. Bass and a friend, Joe Parker, stood chatting about Evers in the chill wind of early evening.

"You see," Bass concluded, "you can kill a man but you can't kill his idea. Isn't that

'That's right," Parker said. The two nodded knowingly.

"Medgar's ideas are living on," Bass said.

"That's right," his friend added.

### Residents and businesses don't want spring breakers on Galveston Island

GALVESTON (AP) - The banned alcohol at Stewart Beach, Texas beaches this March will get a young people. lukewarm welcome from Galveston Island merchants.

Soured by drunken youths and some violence in recent years, the Galveston Hotel-Motel Association and city beach managers are making a point of not promoting the isle this year on Texas college campuses.

raucous swimsuit contests. All that's planned are live broadcasts by Houston radio stations, volleyball tournaments and a sand sculpting pletely away from the students.

'One of the reasons we are not ble spring break attendees," Elton advertising and promoting spring said. break to the college and university groups is because the park board supports nonalcoholic beaches," said Lyda Ann Quinn, chairwoman ate friction, who want to break up of the city park board.

The city has banned alcohol conmany beach areas in stages since rules and sticking students with

throngs of college students invading one of the most popular areas for

City officials say they want to make Galveston more appealing to

"I can't think of even one hotelier that is marketing to spring break,' said hotel-motel association president William "Buzz" Elton.

"The alcohol-free beach ordi-So far, no one is sponsoring free nance passed last year was a very rock concerts, and there will be no giant step forward in putting out the message that there's not going to be

any nonsense." But hotels aren't turning com-

"We are welcoming the responsi-

"What we do not welcome and what we are not ready for is these people who cause trouble, who cre-

furnishings and start fights.' Most beachfront hotels are prosumption along its seawall and tecting themselves by stiffening

SAN CRISTOBAL DE LAS CASAS, Mexico (AP) – The Mexican government and rebels in southern Mexico have agreed to an agenda for future peace talks, the president's peace envoy said Satur- pas. More than 100 people have day. But whether face-to-face nego- died in the fighting. tiations actually will occur remains unresolved.

Manuel Camacho Solis said.

At a news conference, Camacho ment corruption. claimed the government has met conditions for talks set by the rebel Zapatista National Liberation Army.

declared on Jan. 10, a sweeping Indian communities in Chiapas, multi-party agreement signed Thursday to ensure this year's pres- end to hostilities. idential elections are clean, and Friday's release by the army of 38 of 70 suspected rebels.

"The conditions are established for dialogue," Camacho said, readto the rebels. "We must not lose the opportunity to begin direct dialogue. This way, you win and Mexico wins."

sponse from rebel leaders.

Negotiator calls for meeting with Mexican rebels

The two sides have not met since the conflict erupted on New Year's Day in the southern state of Chia-

The Zapatistas say they are fighting to protest poverty, discrimina-"I don't know when or if this tion and the exploitation of Meximeeting will happen," envoy co's impoverished Indians, and also have called for an end to govern-

The four-point agenda agreed to by both sides includes economic, social, political and cultural He referred to a cease-fire demands focusing on problems of Camacho said, as well as a definite

> But the rebels have yet to agree to a time and place for negotiations,

Along with the public communique, Camacho said he was sending from a communique addressed ing the rebel commanders a "private communication" suggesting possible meeting sites, guarantees, presence of journalists "that will Zapatistas.

There was no immediate re- not diminish the safety of the participants.'

Camacho proposed a seven-step process to end the conflict, including negotiations, agreements, a permanent cease-fire and disarming of the rebels "with full guarantees."

He urged the guerrillas to renounce violence, referring to the Zapatistas as "an armed organization that the country wants to see transformed into a political voice."

Camacho is shuttling back and forth between Mexico City and San Cristobal de las Casas, one of several highland towns occupied briefly by the rebels shortly after midnight on Jan. 1.

Both the Mexican army and the guerrillas have been accused of human rights violations in the conflict, although figures quoted by a local newspaper show the majority of complaints are against the military.

The daily Tabasco Hoy said more than half of the complaints received by human rights officials are against the Mexican army, logistics, and suggestions for the while about 9 percent are against







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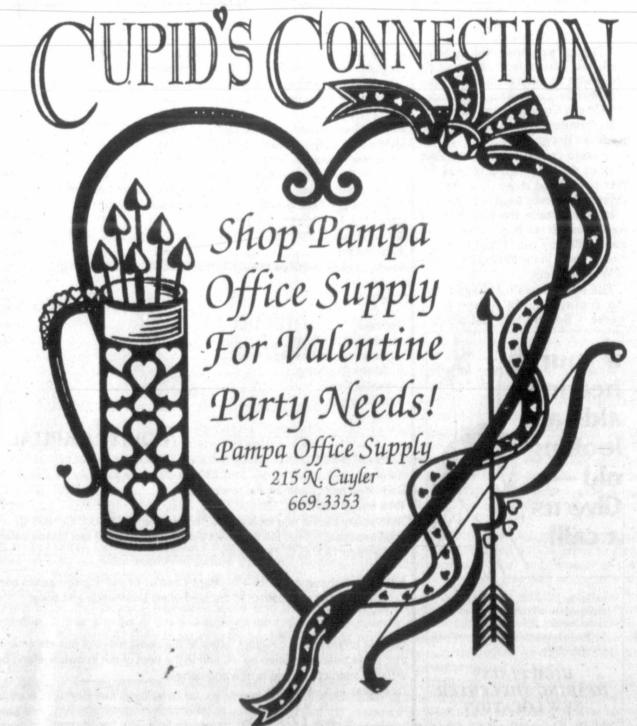
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### Panhandle Chapter, API, installs new officers

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Officers include John Allen, Texaco E&P Inc., Pampa, chairman; Dennis Laycock, L&C Leasing, Pampa, vice chairman assistant; Lyle Lehman, Serfco, Pampa, first vice chairman, program/publicity; Bob Neslage, first vice chairman assistant, Pampa; Tom Utley, Halliburton, Pampa, second vice chairman, membership; and Frank Groves, Texas Railroad Commission, Pampa, second vice nings, Halliburton, Pampa; and chairman assistant.

Others include Jim Johnston, Pampa. Benson McCown & Co., Amarillo, third vice chairman, scholarship, is TRRC record retention chairand third vice chairman assistants Rex Waller, Halliburton, Pampa; Craig Johnson, Texaco Trading & (Texas) Inc., Perryton.

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ment director, with assistants Pete Blanda, Gulf (retired), Pampa; David Martin, Parker & Parsley, White Deer; Cecil Pearce, Enron Oil & Gas Co., Pampa; and Ron

Serving as director for the golf tournament is Alan Fletcher, Dunlap Industrial, Pampa. Serving as golf tournament assistants are Bebo Terry, B&B Solvent, Pampa; Billy Mac Millican, Hugoton Energy, Pampa; Terry Ellis, Cabot Oil & Gas Corp., Pampa; John Jen-Paul Yowell, Pennzoil E&P Co.,

Dan Michael, consultant, Pampa,

Dale Greenhouse, Dale-Ann Co., Pampa, is advisory chairman. Transportation, Amarillo; and Members of the advisory commit-Wayne Sexton, Poole Company tee are Charlie McDaniel, Maxus, Canadian; Bill Morgan, Danco Oil Also installed were Glynn Lusk, Tools, Canadian; Joe Curtis, Excel Maxus, Pampa, treasurer; Terry Production Co., Pampa; Tom King, Baker Service Tools, Pampa, Miller, Texaco E&P Inc., Pampa; treasurer assistant; Bob Benyshek, and Dick Wall, Texaco E&P Inc.,

Guest speaker for the banquet was Bobby Joe Cudd of Cudd Pressure Control of Woodward, fires following the Persian Gulf

His firm, one of four United States companies involved in ous" service and leadership in Augustine, contract pumper, putting out the fires, had the highest efficiency record in putting out more fires in faster time. Cudd Control workers were asked to stay in Kuwait after the first six months to continue clean-up operations from the well fires.

Cudd showed a videotape detailing the destruction of the Kuwait oil wells and surrounding areas before the clean-up companies came in. Most of the damage was caused by civilian Iragis who had entered the country after its takeover by Iraq. They set the oil fires in a 10-mile stretch when retreating back into Iraq, Cudd said, killing about 60,000 Kuwaitis and leaving behind numerous, severely damaged vehicles.

Johnson, for his sponsorship of the The Pampa News.

The Panhandle Chapter of the Pampa, was installed as entertain- involvement in the control and 1993 shrimp boil; Bebo Terry, for clean-up of the Kuwait oil well his leadership as chairman of the scholarship golf tournament from 1989 to 1993; and Flavious Smith, for his "distinguished and meritorichapter chairman and membership chairman positions from 1990 to

> The Panhandle Chapter of API provides scholarships to area students, averaging \$12,000 to \$15,000 yearly, the most given by any chapter in the district. Main fund-raisers for the scholarship fund are the shrimp boil membership drive in September and the annual golf tournament in May.

The chapter has approximately 200 members from Pampa, Canadian, Borger, Perryton, Amarillo and surrounding areas.

The only qualification for membership is an interest in petroleum related industries. The chapter meetings are generally held on the Receiving special certificates of third Thursday of each month in appreciation at the meeting were Pampa, either at the Pampa Coun-Cudd, for his program on the try Club or the Sportsman's Club. Kuwait oil fires; Bob Neslage, for Anyone interested in joining may his contributions to the chapter as attend one of the meetings, notices 1993 membership chairman; Craig for which are usually published in

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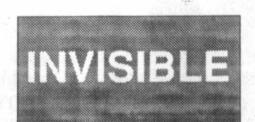
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Receiving special certificates of appreciation at the Panhandle Chapter, API, officer installation banquet last week were, from left, Craig Johnson, Flavious Smith, Bob Neslage and Bebo Terry. (Special photo)

### Steak and Ale restaurant chain drops Limbaugh lunch shows

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. (AP) - Fans decision at a recent meeting of the the chain's decision to close the so- get rid of them.' called Rush Rooms.

Steak and Ale franchises were told recently to close the rooms.

"I don't know why they're doing that," devoted listener George Davis said as he had a steak in the Rush called here for advice.' Room at the Springfield franchise. "I bleeding-heart liberals.'

Steak and Ale in Springfield, had opened the first Rush Room in the chain. It had spread to 24 other restaurants in the 156-restaurant company.

"They felt like we shouldn't be in restaurant executives were told of the ments and jokes."

of Rush Limbaugh who enjoyed hav- Dallas-based company. "When we ing lunch at the Steak and Ale while saw 'Rush Rooms' on the agenda, we listening to the conservative's radio thought they were going to tell us we program say they're disappointed at all had to have one. Nope. They said to

Sales went up 16 percent when Nye opened his Rush Room last March.

Others quickly started their own Rush Rooms, he said. "They followed our lead," Nye said. "Several of them

Attorney Art Hudkins, who loblike the way Rush gives it to the bied the local Steak and Ale to start a Rush Room, sent a fax to the restau-Bill Nye, general manager of the rant's corporate headquarters and to Limbaugh's show protesting the decision.

Not only do conservatives enjoy the program, he said, "but the liberal clients and friends have been having the political business," Nye said after great entertainment, discussions, argu-

### Lipscomb grand jury indicts two men

Ochiltree County man were free lewdness. His bond is \$2,000. on bond today after being indicted

men on three charges Thursday.

A Lipscomb County man and an indicted for misdemeanor public

William Eugene (Billy) Van by a Lipscomb County grand jury. Camp, 27, of Perryton, was The grand jury indicted the two indicted on a charge of burglary of a habitation and felony crimi-Indicted were Robert LeAlan nal mischief. His bonds total Shaffer, 42, of Booker, who was \$12,500.



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HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & FELDMAN Tonkawa) Enron Oil & Gas Co., #1 Bressler '30' (160 ac) 1570' from North & 1320' from West line, Sec. 30,1,G&M, 5 mi SE from Glazier, PD 8000' (20 North Broadway, suite 830, Okla. City, OK

OCHILTREE (WILDCAT & PSHIGODA Douglas) Phillips Petroleum Co., #6 Lina 'C' (665 ac) 550' from North & 2268' from East line, Sec. 570,43,H&TC, 11 mi south from Perryton, PD 6100' (Box 358, Borger, TX 79008)

(PANHANDLE) WHEELER Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas Corp., P.M. Keller (320 ac) Sec. 48,24,H&GN, 14 mi SW from way, Suite 600, Okla. City, OK 73134) for the following wells:

#46, 2590' from South & 1320' from East line of Sec., PD 2709'. #47, 2590' from South & 1980' from West line of Sec., PD 2701'.

### Chamber Communique

Congratulations and welcome to new Chamber member KIRK'S AUTO SUPPLY, Wade L. Kirk, 595 I-40 West in McLean.

Tickets are available for the Feb. 3, 65th Chamber Annual Meeting, 7p.m., at the M.K. Brown Memorial Auditorium and Civic Center. Dr. Barry Thompson, president of West Texas A&M University, will be the

The public is cordially invited. Call the Chamber office for your reservation(s). Dyer's Bar-B-Que will be serving prime rib.

Clubs and Organizations - The Chamber will be updating the information (contact person, phone number, address, meeting times) on our listed Clubs and Organizations. Contact the Chamber to be added to the roster.

Community Calendar - Call 669-3241 to have your upcoming event added to the Chamber Community Calendar.

The Pampa Community Building is available to accommodate groups for meetings, parties, banquets, luncheons, receptions, etc. Call the Chamber office for information on the booking dates and rental rates.

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### Energas Co. names sales representative

LUBBOCK - Ritchie D. Priddy has been named to the position of large volume sales representative for Energas Company.

Priddy joined the company in November 1991 as a consumer services specialist in Lubbock. He formerly served as a marketing representative for TU Electric.

Priddy, a native of Big Spring, earned an associate's degree from Howard College, a bachelor's degree in journalism from Texas A&M University and a master's degree in mass communications from Texas Tech University. He is presently working toward a master's degree in management at Texas Tech.

Active in professional and civic activities, Priddy is a member of ASHRAE (American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers), and serves on the board of directors of the Lubbock Optimist Club.

In making the announcement, Energas Executive Vice President John Ray said Priddy would be responsible for initiating, developing and maintaining business relationships with the company's large volume commercial and industrial customers.

Priddy and his wife Tammi have two children. They reside in Lubbock. Energas Company, a division of Atmos Energy Corporation of Dal-

West Texas.

### Business briefs

PHILADELPHIA (AP) - Scott Paper Co. announced its third restructuring in four years, saying it would cut another fourth of its work force to try to bring costs in line with competitors'.

With plans to cut 8,300 jobs, Scott joined other big manufacturers and consumer products companies making drastic payroll cuts and closed factories recently in hopes of catching up with more productive rivals.

NEW YORK (AP) - Borden Inc. lost \$635.9 million in the fourth quarter and \$593.6 million for all of 1993 due mainly to a restructuring announced earlier this month that includes selling its North American snack food operations and other

**Application to Plug-Back** HUTCHINSON (HUTCH Penn

Lime 4000') P.L.O., #1 Harlan (560 PBTD 11128' - Plug-Back ac) 660' from North & 1980' from East line, Sec. 13,3,BS&F, 8 mi north from Skellytown, PD 6444' (5410 Inc., #6-7 Flowers 'D', Sec. 7,-Bell, Ste. 219, Amarillo, TX 79109) Application to Re-Enter

LIPSCOMB (WILDCAT) H-S Exploration, #1 Peterson (640 ac) 1223' from South & 1315' from East line, Sec. 350,43,H&TC, 2 mi NW from Higgins, PD 11600' (500 S. Taylor, LB #242, Amarillo, TX 79101)

Gas Well Completions Morrow) Venus Oil Co., #1 Archer Trusts, Sec. 151,4-T,T&NO, elev. 3155 df, spud 10-4-93, drlg. compl 10-21-93, tested 1-7-94, potential 1080 MCF, rock pressure 1032, pay 7634-7852, TD 8000', PBTD 7879'

HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Douglas) Wallace Oil & Gas, Inc., #1-3 Petree, Sec. 3,1,1&GN, elev. 2628 kb, spud 10-28-93, drlg. compl 11-10-93, tested 12-22-93, potential 1080 MCF, J.M. Huber Corp., #2 McCoy 'A', Sec. Wheeler (14000 Quail Springs Park-rock pressure 1066, pay 7830-7849, TD 8000', PBTD 7934'

ROBERTS (N.W. MENDOTA, S.W. Granite Wash) Maxus Exploration Co., #1 Vernon M. Flowers, Sec. 80,B-1,H&GN, spud 12-20-93, 8,H&GN, spud 5-17-75, plugged 10drlg. compl 12-24-93, tested 1-14-94, 8-93, TD 15562' (gas) -

potential 331 MCF, rock pressure 3061, pay 10390-10449, TD 12239',

ROBERTS (N.W. MENDOTA, S.W. Granite Wash) Seagull Midcon, BS&F, elev. 2779 kb, spud 9-29-93, drlg. compl 10-26-93, tested 1-4-94, potential 5234 MCF, rock pressure 1613, pay 9806-10344, TD 10500', PBTD 10397'

WHEELER (WILDCAT) Kerr-McGee Corp., #1 Holmes '17', Sec. 17,RE, R&E, elev. 2655 rkb, spud 9-15-93, drlg. compl 12-4-93, tested 1-HANSFORD (HANSFORD Lower 1-94, potential 10800 MCF, rock pressure 8395, pay 15322-15348, TD 15454', PBTD 15404' -

**Plugged Wells HUTCHINSON (PANHANDLE)** Melandsara Ltd. Partnership, #1W Lasater, Sec. 26,M-23,TCRR, spud 1-22-59, plugged 12-20-93, TD 3290' (disposal) - Form 1 filed in S. Anis-

ROBERTS (SHREIKEY Morrow) 13,M-2,H&GN, spud 7-9-77, plugged 12-28-93, TD 11000' (gas)

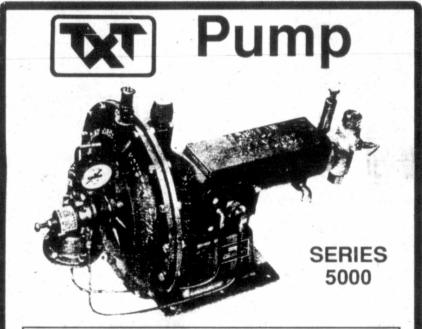
WHEELER (WHEELER-PAN Granite Wash) Phillips Petroleum Co., #1 Sandifer 'A', Sec. 51,A-

### Furr's plans special Valentine dinner

Couples need to register in cials said. advance at the restaurant. Furr's books will be held at 4:30 p.m.

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Furr's/Bishop's is one of the Cafeteria will serve up to 50 cou- largest operators of cafeterias in the ples on Monday, Feb. 14. The din- United States, operating 145 restauner will be held from 3:30 p.m. rants in 17 states under the names of until 5 p.m. A drawing for \$50, Furr's Cafeterias; Bishop's Buffets; \$25 and \$10 Furr's/Bishop's gift Zoo-Kini's Soup, Salads and Grill; and The El Paso Barbeque Co.



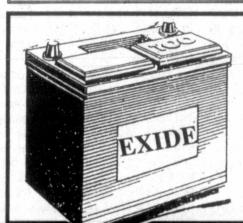
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### Top agents



Mike Keagy and Judi Edwards, owners of Quentin Williams Realtors, presented bonus checks to their top three agents recently at a luncheon at the Pampa Country Club. The top producers for the last six months of 1994 were, pictured above from left, Roberta Babb, first place; Becky Baten, second place; and Heidi Chronister, third place. Quentin Williams Realtors were involved in sales totaling more than \$3.3 million, which represents more than 53 percent of the total sales through the Pampa Multiple Listing Service. (*Pampa News* photo by Darlene Holmes)

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### Words of Wisdom X

The alphabet is a wonderful organizational tool. You can use it for filing systems, seating charts and listing the names of several important people on one list - without offending anyone. Kings and presidents use it, and it works well in phone books and dictio-

It seems only natural that we organize a column in alphabetical order. I can imagine no column that would be better suited for alphabetical arrangement than your tenth Words of Wisdom, So here it is: Wisdom in in alphabetical order. The First Half

· Action - Thought is the blossom; language the bud; action the fruit behind it. — Ralph Waldo Emerson

· Bible - A thorough knowledge of the Bible is worth more than a college education. — Theodore Roosevelt

· College - When a subject becomes totally obsolete, we make it a required course. — Peter Drucker

 Democracy – Democracy is based on the conviction that man has the moral and intellectual capacity, as well as the inalienable right to govern himself with reason and justice. — Harry S. Tru-

• Experience - Experience enables you to recognize a mistake when you make it again. — Franklin P. Jones

• Freedom - The natural progress of things is for liberty to yield and government to gain ground. — Thomas Jefferson (Natural, but not desirable — D.T.)

· Government - This country has come to feel the same when Congress is in session as when the baby gets hold of a hammer. -Will Rogers

• Humor - A man isn't poor if he can still laugh. — Raymond Hitchcock

• Intelligence - When you don't have an education, you've got to use your brains. — Anonymous

• Justice - Justice is the insurance which we have in our lives and property. Obedience is the premium we pay for it. — William

• Kindness - A kind heart is a foundation of gladness, making everything in its vicinity freshen into smiles. — Washington Irving • Love - He that falls in love with himself will have no rivals. -

• Mother - All that I am, or hope to be, I owe to my angel mother. — Abraham Lincoln

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• Neighbors - The impersonal hand of government can never replace the helping hand of a neighbor. — Hubert H. Humphrey

• Old Age - The problem with old age is that there isn't much future in it. — Anonymous · Patriotism · Abandon your animosities and make your sons

Americans! — Robert E. Lee

• Quiet - The good and the wise lead quiet lives. - Euripides Reading – Reading is to the mind what exercise is to the body.

Joseph Addison • Solitude - I live in that solitude which is painful in youth, but delicious in the years of maturity. — Albert Einstein

• Trust - Put your trust in God, but keep your powder dry. Oliver Cromwell

• Unity – One country, one constitution, one destiny. — Daniel

· Vocation - Every calling is great when greatly pursued. -

Oliver Wendell Holmes, Jr.

· Work - Nothing is really work unless you would rather be doing something else. — James M. Barrie

• Xylophone - I'm glad Webster spelled zilaphone with an x. -

· Yesterday - I am not afraid of tomorrow, for I have seen yes-

terday and I love today. - William Allen White • Zeal - Experience shows that success is due less to ability than

to zeal. The winner is he who gives himself to his work, body and soul. — Charles Buxton

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### Dresser sells interest in M-I, signs wastewater agreement with China

From Staff and Wire Reports

DALLAS - Dresser Industries Inc. said it has agreed to sell its 64 percent interest in M-I Drilling Fluids Co. to Smith International Inc. for \$160 million.

The sale was required under a settlement Dresser reached with the U.S. Department of Justice, which had raised antitrust concerns over the estimated \$1 billion merger of Baroid Corp. into Dresser. The merger was completed last week.

The M-I sale is subject to negotiation of a definitive agreement, approval from both the Smith and Dresser boards of directors, regulatory approval and the consent of Halliburton Co., which owns the other 36 percent of M-I. Smith said the deal was expected to close Feb. 28.

The acquisition will more than double Smith's annual revenues, the company said. Smith said M-I gener-

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the 1993 fiscal year, ended Oct. 31. Houston-based Smith International supplies drilling products and downhole tools and services to the oil and gas drilling industry.

"With this acquisition, Smith will control industry leaders that provide two of the most important performance factors affecting the drilling penetration rate, and therefore the cost, of a well," Smith chairman, president and chief executive officer

Dallas-based Dresser said it will remain in the drilling fluids business through its wholly owned subsidiary, Baroid Drilling Fluids Inc.

Doug Rock said.

The Justice Department also told Dresser to dispose of Baroid's domestic diamond drill bit business, DB Stratabit (USA) Inc.

Separately, Dresser announced last week that it had signed a memorandum of understanding with Beijing Wastewater Treatment Engineering ated revenues of \$398.4 million in Corp. to participate in the construc-

tion of wastewater treatment plants Bureau and has organized the conthroughout China.

detailed technical information for

Dresser will be working with Beijing Wastewater Treatment Engineering Corp. (BWTE) for the project. BWTE, established under the approval of the Beijing Municipal Government, is the leading authority in organizing the construction of

wastewater treatment plants in China.

struction of Beixiaohe and Dresser said it will provide Fangzhuang wastewater treatment plants in Beijing, as well as the Beiequipment selection on all future jing Gaobeidian wastewater treatment plant, the largest in China.

Dresser Industries entered the wastewater industry in the early 1900s by manufacturing and installing an internal combustion engine for water pumps. Today, Dresser manufactures large diesel and gas engines, drive pumps, blowers, gas meters and piping specialty It is a wholly-owned subsidiary of products, valves and instrumentation Beijing Municipal Engineering for the industry.

#### "IN THE BEGINNING GOD ---"

there begins to unfold the Genesis account of creation. Often the question is asked. "Where did God come from?" The human mind can only comprehend things which exist as having a beginning and an end God did not "come from" anything or anybody. God is eternal and therefore, has no beginning nor any end. The psalmist records: "Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever thou hadst formed the earth and the world, even from everlasting to everlasting, thou art God." (Psa. 90:2.) Jehovah God identified Himself to Moses as "I AM THAT I AM." (Ex. 3:14.) Jesus Christ also spoke of Himself as "I AM" (Jn. 8:58.) Therefore, Jesus Christ is as eternal as God is.

We conclude that God established a point in eternity to begin what we can recognize as the beginning of time. From the beginning of creation, things have existed and will continue to exist until that point in time when God shall destroy all

things material (2 Pet. 3:8-13.) With the Bible account of creation, we

have the cause of everything that is and the

"In the beginning God created the explanation of their continued existance. heavens and the earth." With these words, With everything God created, there is within the things themselves, the means to their continued existance (Gen. 1:11-12.) Without the Bible account of creation, men continue to grope for the explanation of existant things, even the universe itself. While there are many things of creation that we seem to be incapable of understanding, still we can certainly recognize that the creation itself suggests intelligence, design and continuance. But, at the same time we also recognize the deteriorating effect of time upon the

> Paul wrote: "For the invisible things of Him since the creation of the world are clearly seen, being perceived through the things that are made, even His everlasting power and diviinity; that they may be without excuse." (Rom. 1:20.) He also explained to the Athenians regarding "The God that made the world and all things therein." (Acts 17:24.) Truly, with God we have the explanation for everything there is. Without Him, we have only guesses and speculation.

-Billy T. Jones

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AMARILLO - The Pampa High tennis team opened its spring season at Amarillo High Thurs-

Selected as players of the week by coach Larry Wheeler were senior Stefan Bressler and junior

Pampa plays at Borger next week with the junior varsity playing Tuesday and the varsity on Thursday. The varsity will then play at Hereford next Saturday against Hereford and Clovis, N.M. The Pampa-Amarillo High individual results are as follows:

Girls singles

Jamie Barker (P) def. Adriane Flythe, 6-0, 6-Lorrie Fulton (P) def. Vickie Jubang, 6-2, 6-1. Barker (P) def. Jubang (A), 6-0, 6-1.

Flythe (A) def. Fulton, 6-3, 6-2. Girls doubles

Marcie Hansen-Livia Woodburn (A) def. Catarina Campos-Marissa Grabato, 6-0, 6-1; Timaree Chastain-Holly Howell (A) def. Kristi Carter-Cami Stone, 6-2, 6-1.

**Boys singles** 

Paul Wooldridge (A) def. J.B. Horton, 6-0, 6-Clark Wooldridge (A) def. Lanny Schale, 6-0, 6-1. C. Wooldridge (A) def. Horton, 6-2, 6-2. Marc Mandel (A) def. Schale (P), 6-4, 7-6 (14-12).

**Boys Doubles** Brandon Exposito-Mandel (A) def. Brooks Gentry-Billy DeWitt, 6-1, 6-3; Stefan Bressler-Aaron Witt (P) def. Dave Chastain-Sammy Patel, 2-6, 6-4,

FOOTBALL

ATLANTA (AP) - Some 48 hours after Norv Turner directs the Dallas Cowboys offense in the Super Bowl he could become the enemy.

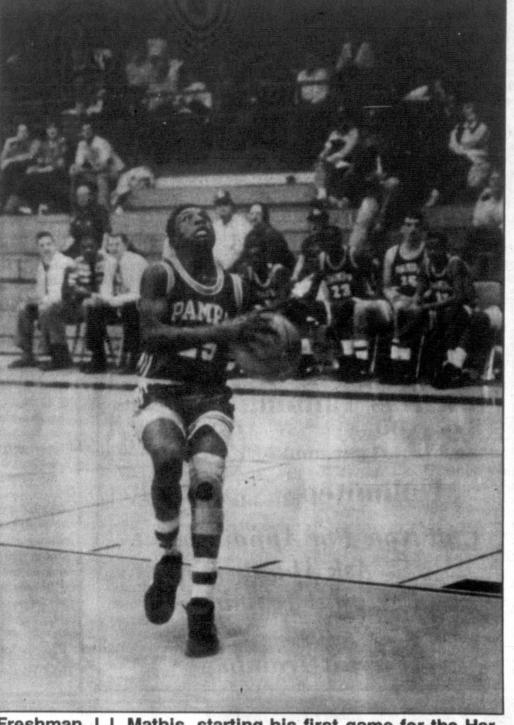
"It probably will hit me a couple of hours after the game that I probably won't be with the Cowboys any more," Turner said. "The three years I've had with the Cowboys have been just fabulous."

Turner, a low-key mastermind who turned the Cowboys offensive machine into one of the most feared in the NFL, will fly to Washington early next

If he likes what he hears from the Redskins about their vacant head coaching job, he could be going against the Cowboys twice a year in the NFC East.

'Washington contacted me and I have a strong interest in that situation," Turner said.

# Notebook Harvesters breeze past Borger



Freshman J.J. Mathis, starting his first game for the Harvesters, scored 10 points and pulled down 6 rebounds against Borger Friday night. (Pampa News file photo)

**Sports Writer** 

BORGER - Alone at the top.

That's where the Pampa Harvesters are after dominating the Borger Bulling away to a 76-52 win Friday night.

The two teams went into the game deadlocked for first in the District 1-4A standings with 4-0 records. Both had almost identical season records, Pampa at 17-8 and Borger at 18-7. But the expectant nip and tuck type of contest never materialized.

The score was deadlocked three times early in the first quarter, but then the Harvesters started pulling away. With the score at 6-all, J.J. Mathis hit two straight field goals and Duane Nickelberry followed with a fast break layup to push never came back after that Pampa

Pampa led 14-8 at the end of the first quarter and sophomore guard Rayford Young pushed the lead to 10 points (20-10) on a putback early in the second quarter. The Harvesters were sizzling from the floor, hitting 32 of 55 field goal attempts (58.2 percent) for the contest. Young had one of the hottest hands, leading all scorers with 19 points, 13 in the second half. Junior forward Hank Gin- sign at the ticket office that read, dorf was explosive coming off the bench. He finished with 18 points That just about says it all," Hale and collared four rebounds.

Mathis, a freshman starting his first game, tossed in 10 points and pulled down 6 rebounds to help give Pampa a 41-28 advantage on the boards. Nickelberry, a 5-9 junior, ripped down 9 rebounds to go with his 11

A scoring surge starting midway in the second quarter all but nailed the vesters outscored the Bulldogs, 12-3, during the stretch with Young's 17foot jumper giving his club a 17point bulge just before halftime.

The Harvesters led, 32-18, at the half and 55-33 going into the final

Seivern Wallace - Pampa's 6-4 center and not normally a long-range threat, - hit a 3-point shot in the final dogs on both ends of the floor in rac- minute to close out the 'Harvesters' field goal scoring.

> Pampa begins the second half of District 1-4A play Tuesday night against Dumas. Tipoff time is 7:30 in McNeely Fieldhouse.

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'We had such a good effort from all of our kids. All 10 played extremely hard and when we made a substitution, our level of play didn't Pampa out to a 12-6 lead. Borger go down one bit. What we want to do now is stay focused and be ready to play Tuesday night," said Harvesters' head coach Robert Hale.

> Top scorer for Borger was Russ McNellis with 16 points.

Almost 2,000 fans filled Tex Hanna Fieldhouse for the Pampa-Borger game, which is one of the longest standing rivalries in Texas high school basketball.

"When we walked out the building after the game, there was a big, old 'Borger versus Pampa, sold out.'

**Individual Statistics** Pampa 76, Borger 52

Pampa: Rayford Young 19, Hank Gindorf 18, Duane Nickelberry 11, J.J. Mathis 10, Seivern Wallace 7, Coy Laury 6, Justin Collingsworth 4, Brad Baldridge 1; Three-point goals - Nickelberrry 1, Wallace 1.

Borger: Russ McNellis 16, Tim lid on Borger's chances. The Har- Baker 10, Rob Crain 10, Jonathan Johnson 6, Eric Powell 4, Jeremy Armstrong 2, Gene Kemp 2, Matt Thompson 2; Three-point goals: Crain 2, McNellis 2.

# Kelton boys spoil Groom's perfect district record



Groom post Wes Hall (#41) beats Kelton's Brandon Lewis to a rebound during the Lions' 66-64 win Friday night at Groom. (Pampa News photo by Susan Adeletti)

By SUSAN ADELETTI Sports Writer

Groom's perfect district record Fri- within four. day night, and at the same time Wes Hall halved the deficit to notched their 20th victory of the sea- open the third quarter, before Kelson. Four Kelton players scored in ton's offense kicked in again and the double digits and several Lions saw Lewis drain a trey to give the cleaned up on the boards, including Lions a six-point lead. J.W. Ray, who grabbed 19 rebounds Hall wasn't discouraged, howevduring the Lions' 66-64 victory.

showed," Kelton coach Brad Slatton after narrowed another eight-point said. "We all played well - every kid gap to two. played with a lot of heart. All my seniors really stepped up."

losses resulting from district action, who brought the Tigers to within were prepared for a rough tilt against one point. But that would be the 5-0 Groom, a team which - until yes- last time Groom would be so close. terday - was barrelling through an Kelton ran away with the lead eight-game winning streak.

problem executing its offense in the game. Groom even managed against Groom, the Tigers gave up a three-pointer at the buzzer, but the never. Several large Lion leads were shot was in vain as the scoreboard

"I felt like we played as hard as hardly reflected Kelton's heroics. we could. It just worked out the way "We had a lot of kids that really it did," Groom coach Jay Lamb said. hustled and played well," Lamb

matched for the first seven minutes, ed us bad." Bo Burgin sunk a three-pointer to Lewis added nine rebounds of his Kelton began to respond.

first half, Kelton had a 10-point knocked in 19 points while Burgin cushion to sit on. Before halftime, however, Groom mustered up a GROOM - Kelton boys tarnished strong rally which put the Tigers

er, as a few minutes later he knotted "We came ready to play, and it the yo-yoing score at 41, and soon In the fourth quarter, another

Kelton run and six-point lead was The Lions, with two of their three squelched by Groom's Seth Ritter,

again, and Groom was on its way to Though Kelton didn't have much chasing it again, just as time ran out killed off by Groom's ability to rally. flicked to only 66-64, a score which

"We were behind most of the time; said, noting that the Lions' power-we just never could get up on them." ful rebounding may have made the After looking very evenly- difference. "Kelton really outboard-

give Groom an 18-15 lead late in the own to Ray's 19, and also racked first quarter. But early in the second, up 15 points. Brian Kirkland scored 18 and Danny Buckingham regis-With two minutes remaining in the tered 17 for the Lions. Hall

scored 16 for Groom.

"I think the key for us was making sure we stayed in the game, and then take our chances in the fourth quarter," Slatton said. "It was a big one for us. We wouldn't have been out of it if we had lost it, but it sure helps."

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	Panhandle	15	24	39	61	
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	G - Hall 19, Burgin 1	6				
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	Lefors	18	30	48	66	
S - Breeding 21, Kendrick 12						
	L - Cox 22, Green 18					
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	Hedley	15	38	60	94	
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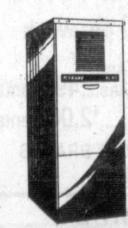
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# Tagliabue's talk highlights dull Super Bowl week

NFL Commissioner may push for drastic rule changes

By BARRY WILNER AP Football Writer

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ATLANTA (AP) - No nightclub brawls. No exposed backsides. No guarantees.

week, except for a flap over the tance. Georgia state flag and some strong suggestions by the commissioner about rules changes for next season.

Unlike overdone buildups to recent NFL championship games, this was one boring stretch in which commissioner Paul Tagliabue had more interesting things to say than Jimmy Johnson. While the Dallas coach didn't utter any predictions of victory, as he did the previous week before the NFC Championship game, Tagliabue strongly suggested some substantial alterations to the

Tagliabue mentioned the possibil-

eliminating the illegal contact rule Bowl. It is an affront to the idea of to allow receivers to run pass routes fair play, good will and brotherunimpeded, and moving the defen- hood." sive line back about a yard off the ball. He also said consideration will troversy. be given to placing different values Just a deadly dull Super Bowlf on field goals, depending on dis-

> While the NFL stayed out of the controversy about the state flag, which has a Confederate symbol on it, a group of about 25 mostly black media members said they found the flag "offensive, racist and supremist," and would protest on

Rep. John Lewis said he agreed with the protest.

"This flag represents a past era in American history — a dark, evil and sad period," Lewis said. "The flag is a symbol of racism, bigotry and intolerance. The flag contradicts the ideals of sportsmanship and unity ity of adding the 2-point conversion, that is associated with the Super

Tagliabue steered clear of the con-

The Super Bowl will be televised on Amarillo's Channel 4, Cable Channel 5, starting at 5 p.m. today.

'It's a political issue," said Tagliabue, who has been advised by the Rev. Jesse Jackson, NFLPA president Gene Upshaw and Atlanta mayor Bill Campbell. "We are not a political advocacy group. We are a football league. Their advice was not to get into the controversy. They recommended leaving the issue with the people of Georgia. To escalate the rhetoric would be counter-productive."

In his annual State of the NFL

address Friday, Tagliabue provided more substantial fodder than anymificantly upgrading income from derance of them this season was thing the Cowboys or Bills could its television package. come up with. The best they could do were some fines for not showing up at media sessions; a minor verbal run-in between Thurman Thomas and a newsman; and Leon Lett's reluctant Q and A with the media.

Jim McMahon was not around to moon a helicopter, as he did in New Orleans in 1986. Darryl Talley avoided any late-night scuffles at any Atlanta nightclubs.

Nor were there any more serious fresh analysis of it.' scenarios, such as the Gulf War that was being waged during the 1991 Super Bowl, or the Miami riots before the '89 game, or the discovery of Bengals running back Stanley Wilson in a cocaine stupor in his hotel room the same year.

So that left it to Tagliabue, coming off a terrific season himself, to spice up the proceedings. The NFL had a great 1993, reaching a collective bargaining agreement with the

Bobby Ross and Dennis Green, who cent. recently came out of college to the NFL, have lobbied for the 2-point conversion. He made it clear he was not against adopting it.

"The idea is to de-emphasize field goals and re-emphasize touchdowns," Tagliabue said. "People are now seeing that this is more than a gimmick. We're going to have a

As for rules changes to help change in the dynamics of play-

"The speed, size and greatness of these athletes have forced changes in the game," Tagliabue said. "Defensive backs are becoming bigger than the receivers. There's a feeling it might be too much of an advantage.

Tagliabue was less clear on what players association, expanding to might be done about field goals, Super Bowl week.

troublesome. There were 673 made

He emphasized that Johnson, out of 879 attempts for 76.6 per-Tagliabue said field goals could be worth 1, 2 or 3 points, depending on the length of the kick. He said there are two possible scenarios being dis-

> value based on distance. "Do you want to reward the long kick, or do you want to reward the team that moves the ball?" Tagli-

cussed: increasing or decreasing the

He also said realignment will be offenses, Tagliabue noted the discussed at the league's March meetings; the NFL will consider future expansion to 32 teams, with Toronto, Montreal and Vancouver possible sites; increasing timeouts from three to four in each half; and placing a headset and microphone - one device being considered is called an 'audiblizer' - in the quarterback's helmet.

He said nothing about livening up

### Dorsett elected to football hall of fame

By HAL BOCK **AP Sports Writer** 

ATLANTA (AP) - Running back Tony Dorsett led the charge of six NFL greats into the Pro Football Hall of Fame Saturday, celebrating his election with a shout.

"To the Hall, y'all," Dorsett exclaimed. "Here I come!"

He reaches Canton with some impressive company, including longtime Dallas teammate Randy White, who anchored the Cowboys defense while Dorsett was leading the offense.

Also elected were Minnesota coach Bud Grant, San Francisco cornerback Jimmy Johnson, St. Louis tight end Jackie Smith and Cleveland running back Leroy

Dorsett finished his career with 12,739 rushing yards and 77 touchdowns. That followed a Heisman Trophy-winning career at Pittsburgh, where he set an NCAA record with 6,082 yards rushing and became the first college player to have three 1,500-yard rushing sea-

long time," he said when Hall of les, second most in Cowboys histo-Fame director Pete Elliott tele- ry. phoned him with the news. "It's quite an honor to be elected the first time around.

"In my mind, this is the best fraternity there is."

Dorsett arrived in Dallas in 1977, didate, a player who completed 60 two years after White. Together, percent of his career 25 years ago. they played in five NFC championship games and two Super

Dorsett finished his career as the league's second-leading rusher and set a record that will never be broken with a 99-yard TD run against Minnesota Jan. 3, 1983. For him, though, winning the Super Bowl in 1978 overshadowed his other

accomplishments. "You can't duplicate a Super yards rushing. Bowl championship," he said. 'Just being a part of that, that's a feeling you never forget."

Dorsett said he hoped longtime Cowboys coach Tom Landry would give his induction speech.

"He's the reason I had the career had," he said. "At times, I criticized him because he didn't use me more. It did prolong my career and I made the Hall of Fame. This is the way I'd like to thank him."

in his first year on the ballot. He shared MVP honors in the 1978 Super Bowl and played in nine straight Pro Bowls from 1978 to "This is the best call I've had in a 1986. He finished with 1,104 tack-

the Browns, made it as a senior can- TDs.

"Beautiful!" he said upon hearing the news. "I feel great, not only for myself but for the Browns organization and my teammates. One guy can't do it by himself. I had a great team.'

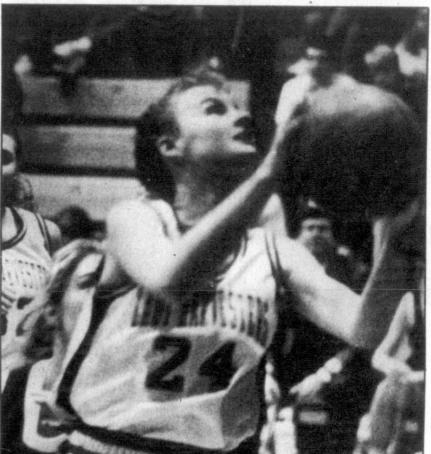
Kelly backed up Jim Brown for his first two seasons, then replaced Brown in 1966 and rushed for more than 1,000 yards each of the next three years. He finished with 7,274

"Playing with Jim Brown was great," Kelly said. "I'm grateful he retired early so I could get a chance to play.'

Johnson, the brother of 1960 Olympic decathlon champion Rafer Johnson, played 16 seasons for the 49ers and had 47 interceptions, second most in club history. He was a four-time All-Pro.

"I'm in a state of disbelief," he said. "Nothing in my athletic career Like Dorsett, White was elected came easy. I knew this was a longshot. I never take anything for granted. You go looking at a dream, looking at the rainbow and you hope to get to the pot of gold."

Smith played from 1963-77 with the Cardinals and finished his career with Dorsett and White on Dorsett and Kelly are the 20th Dallas' 1978 NFC champions. He and 21st modern era running backs played in five straight Pro Bowls elected to the Hall of Fame. Kelly, and finished his career with 480 who played from 1964-1973 with catches for 7,918 yards and 40



Pampa freshman Jennifer Jones was high scorer with 13 points against Borger Friday night. The Lady Harvesters host Dumas in more district play Tuesday night, starting at 6 in McNeely Fieldhouse. Dumas, which defeated Caprock, 51-20, Friday night, is tied with Borger for second place in the district standings. (Pampa News photo)

# Pampa girls fall to Borger

BORGER - Pampa lost to Borger, 60-25, in a District 1-4A girls' game Friday

The Lady Harvesters played a strong first half defensively against Borger, trailing by 10-2 after the first quarter and 24-13 at halftime. The Lady Bulldogs extended their lead to 24 points after three quarters.

Jennifer Jones was high scorer for Pampa with 13 points. Liz Borchart led Borger with 16 points.

Elisha Calloway added 7 points for Pampa, followed by Jayme Davis with 4 and Jane

The Lady Harvesters (3-19 for the season, 1-6 in district) host Dumas at 6 Tuesday

Borger improves to 22-6 overall and 5-2 in district play. In other district games Friday night, Randall downed Hereford, 51-39, and Dumas won over Caprock, 51-20.

Randall continues to lead the district race with a 7-0 record. Borger and Dumas are tied for second, both with 5-2

### Bassmasters hold annual awards banquet

The Top Of Texas Bassmaster to Maxine Stauffacher. The fun awards banquet recently at doing silly things at tournaments. Chaney's Cafe in Pampa.

Roy Alderson took top honors as Mr. Bass, Big Bass for the year and 806 Region winner.

Club of Pampa held its annual award is given in to a member for The club's top six anglers for

1993 were Roy Alderson, Joe Millican, Mary Alderson, Ronny Alderson, Mike Young and Lynn Odom. Carmen Alderson was Lady Bass They qualfied for the state tournament at Lake Amistad in March, As The Duck Award was presented the 806 Region winner, Alderson

The club's top six anglers are (left to right) Lynn Odom, Mike Young,

Ronny Alderson, Mary Alderson, Joe Millican and Roy Alderson.



has also qualified for the B.A.S.S. Federation Divisional Tournament at the Lake of the Ozarks in June.

The club's officers for 1994 are Floyd Lott, president; Steve Stauffacher, vice-president; Mary Alderson, secretary-treasurer and Joe Millican, tournament director.

The next club meeting is at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at 315 South Price. Persons interested in joining the club are invited to

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### Prosecutor plans reprise of Menendez case after double deadlocked juries

By LINDA DEUTSCH **AP Special Correspondent** 

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Erik and Lyle Menendez will face trial again for the shotgun killings of their wealthy parents, whatever the price, prosecutors say. But after two juries tions will be impossible.

"Be damned with how much Garcetti said Friday after a mistrial was declared for Lyle. Erik's case ended Jan. 13, also with a hung jury.

The panels could not agree on whether the brothers shot their parents in cold blood for the family fortune or out of fear that Jose and Kitty Menendez were about to kill their sons to cover up years of sexual and psychological abuse.

The brothers, charged with firstdegree murder, had been tried simultaneously before separate juries for six

Superior Court Judge Stanley Weisberg scheduled a Feb. 28 hearing to money to convict two boys who aren't

set a new trial date for both cases.

"It was a classic first-degree murder case. ..." said Jude Nelson, one of quake. Lyle's jurors. "It's very disappointing. I almost feel like a failure."

Another juror on Lyle's panel, Twinkles Edmond, said she was confused by the jury instructions and was deadlocked, the defense said convic- undecided about a verdict. But she said she believed some of Lyle's story.

"Nobody was there at the time of money it's going to cost," Los Ange- the murder," she said. "So you have les County District Attorney Gil to take his word for it. You had to work with that."

> An angry Garcetti had no doubts. "This office is going to try this case again as a first-degree murder case because that's what it is," said Garcetti, who insisted he would seek the death penalty again.

> Leslie Abramson, who defended Erik, said she would be open to a plea bargain but felt Garcetti had boxed

"He's committed to spending another \$2 million to try a case he can't possibly win," she said. "Another \$2 million of taxpayers"

Lyle, 26, and Erik, 23, admitted that they shot their parents down in their Beverly Hills mansion on Aug. 20,

In tearful testimony, they portrayed a family torn apart by infidelities, child abuse, perversion, drugs and alcohol. Their father, they said, was a child molester and their mother knew and let it continue.

"I think that the complexity of this

a danger to anybody when we've got vidual life experiences makes this a a city in ruins" from the recent eartha unanimous verdict," said Jill Lansing, Lyle's defense attorney.

> Only three members of Lyle's jury and five of Erik's voted to convict the brothers of first-degree murder, Weisberg revealed after declaring Lyle's

Hazel Thornton, one of Erik's jurors who voted for voluntary manslaughter rather than first-degree murder, had some advice Friday for the prosecution: "Get some more evidence and case and the fact that it draws on indi-prove it in a convincing manner."

months of testimony and reached the same frustrating conclusion: They couldn't decide whether Lyle and Erik Menendez coldly executed their wealthy parents or shot them in fear because of years of abuse.

"I think that the complexity of this case and the fact that it draws on individual life experiences, makes this a case that will probably never result in a unanimous verdict," Lansing said.

Weisberg not to talk until both cases

Two separate juries heard six empaneled because some legal issues affected only one of the brothers.

> The split in Lyle's jury included three votes for second-degree murder. However, there were six votes for

voluntary manslaughter in the killing of Jose Menendez but only five in the killing of Kitty Menendez, with one juror holding out for involuntary manslaughter on the mother's slaying.

unanimous verdict," Lansing said.

Lyle's jury deliberated more than
Erik's jurors had been ordered by 136 hours. Talks were halted for a week by the Jan. 17 earthquake that were finished. Separate juries were damaged the Van Nuys courthouse.

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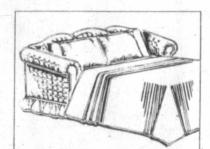
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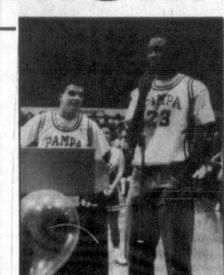
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# Memories are made of this...

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By CHERYL BERZANSKIS News Editor

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School spirit is what memories are made of.

The idea of school spirit - that intangible quality of pride and belief that one's own school is the best - brings to mind the whole school getting together behind their team, said varsity cheerleader Ginny Hopper.

"We're here to support our school," she said after Friday's pregame pep rally at PHS.

She defined school spirit in terms of athletic competition.

"I see it as getting together to support your team for what ever sport that may be," said the third year cheerleader.

Head cheerleader Kimberly Martin defined school spirit in terms of the academic area, also, but noted that academic contests don't receive the publicity or acclaim that athletics do.

She defined school spirit this way: "Just taking pride in activities of your school and taking part in them."

PHS school spirit stacks up beside that of other area schools quite well, Hopper said, especially when the sports contest involves arch-rival Borger as did Friday night's basketball game.

Raising school spirit can be difficult, Hopper said. The hardest partis figuring out what other students like and providing it during pep rally time, she said.

Senior Mika Clark, who played volleyball during her high school years, said that a cheering crowd gives a sense of confidence and purpose to an athletic team. The level of school spirit, she explained, depends on what sport is being played, Football and boys basketball are on the receiving end of lots of community and school support, she said.

"If it's a girls sport, they don't come out for it," Clark said.

Taking a long term view of school spirit is Athletic Director Dennis Cavalier.

"School spirit is what makes it special, unique, invigorating," Cavalier said, "School spirit, you know, is something that carries on after a student graduates - what the atmosphere was and they think back at the five year reunion, the 10 year reunion. It's what distinguishes each class. It's a legacy they carry a lifetime, really."

"School spirit takes many forms. Some of it is exhibited at a pep rally. Other examples occur during the day or at other activities. It is intertwined with the community.

"In my opinion, school spirit here is outstanding from an athletic standpoint. I think it is outstanding in other areas also. As Athletic Director I attend practically every contest. I think our students follow our athletic teams more closely than others."

One particular basketball contest stands out in Cavalier's mind and sets Pampa apart in terms of school

About two years ago, Pampa boys made the state semi-final playoffs against Georgetown. The contest was held in Austin.

Pampa fans - 10 hours away - turned out to see the Harvesters at least as well as the Georgetown fans, who live only a short distance from the capital city, said Cavalier. "That personifies the spirit here," he

Cavalier who has been in education for 26 years sees school spirit as a valuable commodity in a school district. That feeling of cameraderie needs nurturing, he said.

"School spirit makes the memories of your school life a positive memory," Cavalier said.

Pampa News photos by Darlene Holmes, Susan Adeletti and Julian Chen









### 4-H Futures & Features

5:00-6:30 p.m., Annex

E.T. Club meeting, 7 p.m., Calvary Baptist Church Grandview Club meeting, 7:30

p.m. Grandview-Hopkins School 2 - Step Ahead foods project - 4 p.m.

4-H CLOTHING PROJECT The 4-H Clothing Project is set to begin! Some fun activities have been planned for you. Several options for participation exist:

(1) For those who want to learn to sew, we will offer project sessions. (2) For 4-H'ers who already know sewing basics, we will offer oppor-

tunities to learn new skills. (3) For those 4-H'ers who like to shop for clothing, a consumer buy-

ing option is offered. (4) A <u>Fashion Design</u> opportunity is available for the creative 4-H'ers (you do not have to sew to do fashion design).

4-H ROUNDUP — METHOD-**DEMONSTRATIONS and ILLUS-**TRATED TALKS

It's time to start planning your entry for 4-H Roundup. Our County roundup is May 5 which will be here before we know it!

Presentations may be made as an individual or two person team. Presentations should be 7 to 12 minutes long. Live animals may be used in the poultry, companion animal and dog categories.

Presentations may be made in: agronomy, beef cattle junior symposium, clothing educational activity, citizenship and county government awareness, companion animals, consumer life skills, cooperative, dairy, electric energy, entomology, family life education, farm and ranch economics, focus on health, food and nutrition, housing and the environment, horse, horticulture preparation and use, landscape or production horticulture, meat science, natural resources, open class, pork, poultry, promote 4-H, rabbit, safety and accident prevention, Sheep and/or Goats, Public Speaking, and Share the Fun.

Give us a call and let us know what you want to do!

STOCK SHOWS people who helped put on the Gray from parents who worked in the H. Lambs — Reserve Champion concession stand to superintendents Finewool Cross, Sean O'Neal, of each division, the success of the Grandview 4-H. Swine — Champi-

Also, thank you to the 4-H leaders who helped haul animals, clip hogs, shear sheep, work in the ring, and do all the things that allowed us to make all of the shows a success.

4-H SHOWMANSHIP SHOW annual 4-H show on January 15. Selected Grand Champion int he respective divisions were:

Swine - Lindsey Hampton, Pampa 4-H

Sheep — Jill Hefley, McLean 4-H Steer — Shelly Davenport, Lefors

each division were:

Swine — Josh Gibson — Pampa Sheep — Dennis Williams —

Lefors 4-H Steer — Angie Davenport —

Lefors 4-H Champion Showman for each

division included:

Swine - Heather Asencio, Pampa 4-H

Sheep — Dennis Williams, Lefors 4-H Beef —Bryan Bockmon, Lefors

This year's judge was Zack

Wilcox, Donley County Extension **GRAY COUNTY RESULTS** 

4-H'ers excelled at the Gray County and Top of Texas shows this past weekend. At the Gray County Show held January 21, Gray County

#### Area students inducted into Kappa Delta Pi

CANYON - Students from Pampa, Canadian and Groom were among 28 students inducted recently into the Iota Theta Chapter of Kappa Delta Pi at West Texas

A&M University. Membership in Kappa Delta Pi, a national scholastic honor society in education, is restricted to students who have an overall grade point average of at least 3.25 on a 4.0 scale. Also, students must have a GPA of 3.0 or better in professional education classes and must have maintained at least a 3.0 in all work at WTAMU.

Inductees must also have completed a minimum of three semesters in professional education, hold the classification of at least a second-semester sophomore and be enrolled at WT.

Inductees included Jennifer Karen Honderich, senior, interdisciplinary, Pampa; Rebecca Lewis, senior, English education, Pampa; Linda Folley, senior, reading education, Canadian; and Cynthia Dianne Byers, graduate student, biology education, Panhandle.

1 - Consumer Project meeting, 4-H'ers had the following placings. Swine: Grand Champion Hog, Tobee Bowman, Lefors 4-H; Reserve Grand Champion Hog, Nonnie James, Pampa 4-H; Champion Berkshire, Mark Tucker, Lefors 4-H; Reserve Champion Berkshire, Craig Seely, Lefors 4-H; Champion Chesterwhite, Jessica Maddox, Pampa 4-H; Reserve Champion Duroc, Alan Parker, Pampa 4-H; Reserve Champion Hampshire, Tanner Winkler, Pampa 4-H; Champion Other Pure Breeds, Melisa Price, Pampa 4-H; Reserve Champion Other Pure Breeds, Matt Stripling, Pampa 4-H; Champion York, Tobee Bowman, Lefors 4-H; Reserve Champion Yorkshire, Justin Thomas, Pampa 4-H; Champion Crossbreed, Nonnie James, Pampa 4-H; Reserve Champion Crossbreed, Lindsey Hampton, Pampa 4-

> Steers: Grand Champion Steer, Nikki Bockmon, Lefors 4-H; Reserve Grand Champion Steer, Angie Davenport, Lefors 4-H; Champion Exotic, Nikki Bockmon, Lefors 4-H; Reserve Champion Exotic, Sean O'Neal, Grandview 4-H; Champion English, Angie Davenport, Lefors 4-H; Reserve Champion English, Shelly Davenport, Lefors 4-H.

> Sheep: Reserve Grand Champion Lamb, Sean O'Neal, Grandview 4-H; Reserve Champion Mediumwool, T'Andra Holmes, Pampa 4-H; Champion Finewool, Jessica Fish, McLean 4-H; Champion Southdown, Matt Reeves, Grandview 4-H; Champion Finewool Cross, Sean O'Neal, Grandview 4-H.

> Congratulations to all these kids and to all the 4-H'ers who worked hard and did an excellent job this weekend.

> **CHAMPION** SHOWN BY GRAY COUNTY 4-H'ERS IN TOP OF TEXAS STOCK SHOW

Gray County 4-H'ers had a very good weekend competing in the Top Of Texas Show. Results of the County 4-H'ers is as follows: Heifers — Champion English, Den-

Special thank yous go to all the nis Williams, Lefors 4-H; Rabbits: Grand Champion, Nathan County and Top of Texas stock Dawes, Pampa 4-H; Reserve Grand shows. Without everyone's help Champion, Eric Phillips, Pampa 4shows would not have been possi- on Berkshire, Mark Tucker, Lefors 4-H; Champion Other Pure Breeds. Jeremy Winkler, Pampa 4-H; Reserve Champion Yorkshire, Tobee Bowman, Lefors 4-H; Reserve Champion Other Pure Breeds, Ashlie Lee, Pampa 4-H; 3rd Place Berkshire, Amy Stripling, Gray County 4-H'ers held their Pampa 4-H; 3rd Place Duroc, Alan Parker, Pampa 4-H; 2nd Place Hampshire, Garrett Rhine, Pampa 4-H; 3rd Place Hampshire, Tanner Winkler, Pampa 4-H; 3rd Place Hampshire, Josh Gibson, Pampa 4-H; 2nd Place Yorkshire, Justin Thomas, Pampa 4-H; 3rd Place Yorkshire, Tracy Tucker, Lefors 4-Reserve Grand Champions in H; 3rd Place Other Pure Breeds, Justin Hampton, Pampa 4-H; 2nd Other Pure Breeds, Matt Stripling, Pampa 4-H; 3rd Place Other Pure Breeds, Melisa Price, Pampa 4-H; 3rd Place Cross, Cassie Hamilton, Pampa 4-H; 1st Place Cross, Megan Couts, Pampa 4-H; 2nd Place Cross Alicia Lee, Pampa 4-H; 2nd Place Cross, Megan Couts, Pampa 4-H; and 3rd Place Cross, Josh Gibson, Pampa 4-H.

> Congratulations to all our 4-H'ers and good luck at San Antonio and Houston.

Neighborhood Watch works!



Trisha Dawn Weatherly and Brad Morris

# Weatherly - Morris

Trisha Dawn Weatherly and Brad Morris, both of Houston, plan to marry March 19 at the First Baptist Church of Odessa.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick H. Weatherly, El Paso, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. H.L. Weatherly of Pampa. The groom-to-be is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Morris, Odessa.

She graduated from Texas Tech University in Lubbock and works as a teaching assistant at Houston University. He is a Texas Tech University graduate and is employed by Arco Chemical in Houston.



Mr. and Mrs. Quenton Nolte

# Nolte anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Quenton Nolte of bock; Gary Nolte, Plano; Leigh Ann of Brookhollow.

Nolte and the former Elleta Bullard were married Jan. 27, 1944 41 years and have lived in Ransom Canyon for nine years.

They are the parents of Quenton Tulsa, Okla.; David Nolte, Lubbock; Nolte, Pampa; Patricia Vowels, Lub-

Ransom Canyon celebrated their Watson, Wolfforth and the late Alan 50th wedding anniversary Jan. 29 Nolte, who died in 1978. They have with a reception at the Little Chapel 20 grandchildren and four greatgrandchildren.

Nolte was one of the original military personnel to open the Pampa in Pampa. They lived in Pampa for Army Air Force Base. He had a bookkeeping and tax service in Pampa for 25 years.

Elleta worked for Cabot Nolte Jr, Houston; Dale Nolte, Research and Development in Pampa. She is a writer and Marsha Luke, Lubbock; Dwaine Texas Tech University stu-

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# Hall - Kirby

Marci Gail Hall and Robert Earl Kirby, both of Denton, plan to marry March 12 at First Baptist Church of Pampa.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Hugh and Jeannell Hall, Pampa. The groom-to-be is the son of Verne Kirby, Houston, and Mrs. James Murdock,

She is a 1988 graduate of Pampa High School. She earned a bachelor's degree in elementary education from the University of North Texas. She is employed by Newton Rayzor Elementary in Denton, teaching fourth grade. He is a 1987 graduate of Gainsville High School. He earned a bachelor's degree in business computer information systems from the University of

North Texas. He is employed by FEMA in the database analysis department.

### Area students named to West Texas Dean's List

the Deans' List for the 1993 fall

Students earning President's List recognition achieved a semester grade point average (GPA) of 3.850 graduate hours.

with a minimum of 12 undergradu-

Cynthia A. Austin, senior, Reading; Jennifer E. Barker, sophomore, Musical Theatre; Monte J. Bennett, freshman, Pre-Engineering; Stacie L. Brainard, senior, Reading; Connie B. Chisum, post bachelor, Nursing; Dave A. Davis, freshman, ies. undeclared major; \*Rhonda S. Frels, senior, Reading; Erin M. Frugé, freshman, Allied Health Science; Jason H. Garren, senior, Kinesiology-PE; John H. Goddard, senior, General Business; Kristi D. Harden, post bachelor, Nursing; Brad A. Hinkel, senior, Marketing; Meredith

### Kiss a frog and feel better fast

By 3-2-1 CONTACT Magazine Do frogs cause warts? Nope. But they cure them - and lots of other

things, says scientist Michael Tyler. He claims that frog skin can treat a variety of health problems. For example, the green tree frog produces a substance that fights bacterial infections. And a South American frog oozes a very powerful painkiller.

To get these substances, some scientists skin frogs and boil their skin. Tyler has developed a method that doesn't hurt frogs, just relaxes them. It makes them produce more fluids.

Tyler predicts that medicines from frog skin will soon be popping up in drugstores. Ribbit!

One hundred eighty-eight West K. Horton, freshman, undeclared Texas A&M University students major; Tamra D. Johnson, senior, were named to the President's List Reading; Christie A. Jones, freshand 750 students earned mention on man, Biology; \* Lisa K. Kenner, senior, Nursing; Rebecca F. Lewis, senior, English; Denise M. Locknane, senior, Accounting; \* Mary Just Long, sophomore, Music Therapy; Joseph R. McFarland, post bachelor, (of a possible 4.0) or better with a General Studies; William W. Mills, minimum class load of 12 under- senior, Reading; Shanna R. Molitor, sophomore, Reading; Tarin R. Peet, Students on the Deans' List sophomore, . Kinesiology-PE; achieved GPA's of at least 3,250. William C. Roach, junior, Theatre; \* Angie M. Schimitto, junior, The-

atre; \* Sona A. Solano, freshman, undeclared major; Monica S. Stephens, junior, Social Work: Mark B. Sweatt, senior, Nursing; Michelle D. Tapp, senior, English; Amy R. Turner, senior, Reading; Mary C. White, senior, Social Stud-

An asterisk (\*) by a student's name indicates President's List recognition.

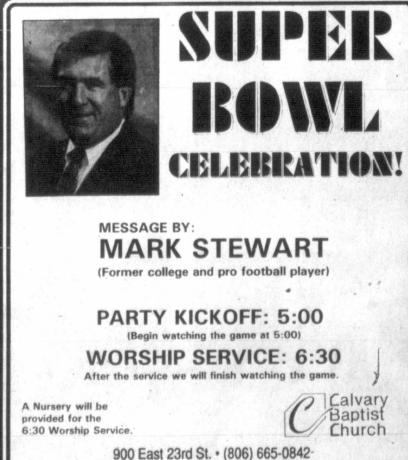
# Bridal Registry

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# Old friends come to visit; Skellytown Lions sponsor volleyball tournament

A few drops of rain during the night, which may have been dew, equalled the refreshing events of the past week. Here are a few of the highlights that can be easily read before Super Bowl time.

Kayla Pursley made the rounds when she was here earlier in the week from Oklahoma City. She visited her friends at Hospice, the Pampa News, Rolanda's, some of her ACT I friends, and with Barry Bowman, her old computer buddy, and Dr. Bob Loerwald, who by the way is recovering nicely from recent bypass surgery. A group once known as the ladies for lunch bunch met at Dos Caballeros for lunch that lasted for two hours to allow time for visiting. For years the Pursley family members met for a daily coffee break, which this time took place in the home of too. As you might expect, Kayla is involved in Oklahoma City in several areas of interest, including subjects, writing for one, and by asm of the group at a high level. writing at least two newsletters for well known enthusiasm with her.

bration because of illness within Santa Fe in March, supported by honoree, Estelle Montgomery, One event was a successful potato refused to be a year older until the supper, enjoyed by a large crowd. celebration. Helping her with the There will be a Valentine's banquet event with their presence at the Sir- at the church on Valentine's Day. loin Stockade were her husband The barbecued brisket dinner will fries. Belated birthday wishes, tions, rather than a set price, will be

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Peeking at Pampa By Katie

Ina Reading, under the weather for a time, is back in the swing of playing bridge with her two tables group. She was th hostess recently. Ina is known for being a gracious and kind lady.

Kind words of appreciation to Sam Porter, coach at Pampa Middle School for his work with the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, made up of youth from all denominations. Kayla's aunt, Dona Cornutt. Although Sam and Sylvia have no Kayla's sister, Adney, was there, children in the group, Sam gives untiringly of his time in organizing programs and meetings for the group. Sam does more than his part attending seminars on her favorite in keeping the interest and enthusi-

Debbie Brame and Rod Lackey organizations. Kayla brought her are two busy adults, who work with the youth group at the Baptist One birthday celebrating group Church in Skellytown. The youth had to postpone a November cele- have big plans for a skiing trip in the group until mid-January. The fund raisers within the community. Skip, Vivian and Mickey White, be catered. Reservations may be Idie and Hood Earp, Dorothy Jef- made at the church office. Dona-

the entire community of Skellytown will have their 15th or 16th annual volleyball tournament of women's and men's and mixed teams for one hilarious time on Feb. 11 and 12. Tommy Thornburg, coach, is in charge of arrangements with the help of dozens of interested supporters. Tommy will call about 100 local women to bring about 130 homebaked pies for the concession stand to go with hot ham sandwiches, hot dog, nachos, frito pies and soft drinks. On the gym committee are Kenneth Cox, Mike Chaney, Marvin Kramer, Tommy, Eddie at their Lefors property for several Miller and Bruce Brame. One the cafeteria committee are Nick and Carolyn Nichols, Frosty Horner, Bill Stephenson, Jerry Simpson, Bill Horst and Charles Harper. Twenty teams will play a minimum of nine games each. If volleyball is to your liking, Skellytown is the Pampa, and David and Paula place to go on Feb. 11 and 12.

The Skellytown Lion's Club and

spirit is the key word. Kay May, principal of Skellytown Elementary, and her husband Troy are already making plans with friends in Oklahoma for a big

Watch for more details. Community

Alaskan cruise next summer. Seen enjoying pizza at Mr.

Norma Stephenson. In another room were Lee and Brenda Cornelison and son Michael and Don

Jim and Carol Brown and daughter Beth moved to Abilene a few days ago. Jim accepted a promotion and transfer with World Book Encyclopedia. Best wishes to a sweet family.

Ruby Blackwell of Lefors recently received her 50 year pin from the Shamrock Chapter of the Order or Eastern Star. Kathryn Harbour, Worthy Matron, and Roy Henry, Worthy Patron, of Shamrock came to her home to present the pin and a plaque. Other guests were Ardell Briggs and Sue Smiley of the Pampa Order.

Betty Clegg made a recent trip to Wylie to visit her two daughters, Sue and Matt Conte and Sharon and Tom Dupuy of Baton Rouge. She enjoyed her two grandchildren Michelle and Michael Conte.

J.C. and Mary Jackson are back

Gertrude Wall was surprised when her family members brought ice cream and cake to help celebrate her birthday on Sunday. Her guests were JoAnn and C.E. Fenno, Pampa, Franklin and Nell Wall, Lowrie of Clarendon.

J.A. and Bette Jackson have returned to Lefors for awhile after visiting in California.

Robert and Cara Morris enjoying being in Atlanta for the Super Bowl. Robert is an avid Cowboys fan.

Enjoy the Super Bowl! See you next week. Katie.

#### Pampa Schools Monday Holiday.

combread or hot rolls.

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### Jan. 31-Feb. 4

Pampa Meals on Wheels

Menus

Monday

Tuesday

Shepherd's pie, green beans,

Wednesday

Seasoned chicken, peas, candied

Thursday

Chopped sirloin with mushroom

gravy, rice pilaf, tomatoes, pud-

Friday

Barbecue wieners, macaroni and

Pampa Senior Citizens

Monday

Chicken fried steak or chicken

spaghetti; mashed potatoes,

spinach, beets, pinto beans; slaw,

or rice pudding, combread or hot

Tuesday

Meat loaf or chicken fried

chicken breasts, twice baked pota-

toes, fried okra, broccoli, beans,

slaw, tossed or jello salad, choco-

Wednesday

Roast beef brisket with brown gravy, mashed potatoes, carrots,

turnip greens, beans, slaw, tossed

or jello salad, cherry cobbler or

applesauce cake, combread or hot

Thursday

Stew or chili, pinto beans, green

beans, Spanish hominy, slaw,

tossed or jello salad, German

chocolate cake or custard pie,

Friday

pie or yellow cake, garlic bread,

late pie or lemon cake, hot rolls.

cheese, cabbage, applesauce.

Stew, combread, cookie bars.

cottage cheese, fruit cocktail.

carrots, jello.

Tuesday Breakfast: Toast, jelly, fruit or

juice, choice of milk. Lunch: Chicken nuggets, whipped potatoes, gravy, peaches, hot roll, choice of milk.

Wednesday Breakfast: Pancake and sausage, fruit or juice, choice of milk. Lunch: Beef and cheese nachos,

pinto beans, pineapple combread, hot sauce, choice of milk. Thursday Breakfast: Scrambled egg, bis-

cuit, fruit or juice, choice of milk. Lunch: Pig in a blanket, green beans, pears, choice of milk. Friday

Breakfast: Cereal, toast, fruit or juice, choice of milk. Lunch: Hamburger, burger tossed or jello salad; orange cake salad, pickle slices, tater tots,

gelatin with fruit, choice of milk. Lefors Schools

Monday Breakfast: Pancakes, cereal,

peanut butter, juice, milk. Lunch: Pork patties, potatoes, gravy, blackeyed peas, apricot cobbler, rolls, milk.

Tuesday Breakfast: Sausage, biscuits, gravy, juice, cereal, milk.

Lunch: Burritos, chili, cheese, salad, pineapple or applesauce milk, salad bar.

Wednesday Breakfast: Oats, cereal, peanut

butter, juice, milk. Lunch: Pizza, salad, orange,

milk, salad bar. Thursday Breakfast: French toast sticks, juice, milk, cereal, peanut butter.

Fried cod fish or baked ham Lunch: Dinner sausage, potawith fruit sauce, French fries, buttoes, gravy, blackeyed peas, rolls, tered squash, English peas, beans, cherry cobbler, milk, salad bar. slaw, tossed or jello salad, coconut Friday

Breakfast: Breakfast burritos, juice, milk, cereal.

Lunch: Hamburgers, barbecue, over tater tots, hamburger salad, brownies, milk.

# Acknowledgement of loss soothes the pain

DEAR ABBY: My brother recently died from an intentional overdose of prescription drugs. He

Although it was a shock at the time, it was a suicide waiting to my boss. They never said word to happen. Bill (his real name) was be about my brother's death. Words manic-depressive, and we (his family) had bailed him out of some serious situations. I know in my heart Suicide is even more uncomfortthat I did everything I could, but it finally reached the point when I realized it was useless - consequently, I had no contact with Bill for the last few years.

We learned from the coroner that Bill was unemployed, homeless and HIV-positive. He died alone on a beach in Honolulu. We decided to have him buried in Honolulu, because we knew he loved it there.

We had an evening memorial service locally for friends and family. A few of my co-workers came. Several with them I socialized outside of work did not attend. Neither did **Dear Abby:** 

cannot express the hurt I felt. Death is an uncomfortable topic. able. Regardless of the circum-

I hope you print this. Perhaps others will learn from it. It's important to know that even the simplest acknowledgment of a person's loss is no small thing. You may use my

> LORI HAZEN, SALINE, MICH.

DEAR LORI: My heart goes out to you. There's an important

message in your letter.

I've had many letters from readers who have lost a loved one through suicide, and because many mistakenly assumed it might embarrass the family to be so late in the day?" stances, a loss through death is reminded of the tragedy, they painful. It is the support of those simply acted as though it never around us that helps us get through happened. A loss is a loss regardless of the circumstances.

> Readers, a few words acknowledging that loss will be greatly appreciated. A card, a note, even a telephone call saying, "I'm sorry about your loss," would be comforting.

when I read the letter from Nancy er my grandchildren. Fox, who warned her 4-year-old son to be careful as he left the house to

My 82-year-old mother once told my brother — a 50-year-old man that he had better not drink coffee so late in the day or he might not be able to sleep.

I pounced on her, saying, "For heaven's sake, Mom, he's old enough to decide for himself whether he can have coffee or not

Then guilt set in when I remembered doing the same thing not long ago when I said to my married daughter, "Dear, aren't you too hot in that sweater?"

She kindly replied, "If I get too hot, I'll take it off, Mom.

No matter how old your children are, it's hard to get out o the habit of mothering them. My New Year's resolution is to kick that "mother-DEAR ABBY: I had to laugh ing" habit. From now on, I'll moth-

ISOLDE CARLSEN. OGDEN, UTAH

### Search opens for 'TEXAS' cast

The search will begin soon for 140 hospitality staff. talented actors, singers, dancers and technicians to fill salaried positions positions for the 1994 season of the musical drama "TEXAS." Auditions are scheduled from late January through early March in six cities across the Southwestern United States.

tion, "TEXAS" is recognized by the others must register between 10:30 National Institute of Outdoor Drama in Chapel Hill, N.C., as the best attended outdoor drama in the nation.

Pioneer Amphitheatre has been filled to an average of more than 90 percent of its capacity over the last five years. Audiences come from around the world to see the saga of ture and references. the men and women who tamed the Texas Panhandle in the late 1800s. Almost 2.5 million people have seen "TEXAS" since 1966.

author Paul Green, "TEXAS" is directed by Neil Hess. "TEXAS" cast earn college credit on the nearby cam-

pus of West Texas A&M University. The cast is open to anyone 18 years or older. In addition to actors, singers, dancers and technical crew,

SHOE SALE

Fall

An audition will be held in Norman, Okla. on Feb. 5. Another audition is scheduled for San Antonio on Feb. 12. Dallas will be the site of auditions on Feb. 13.

West Texas A&M University will host auditions on Feb. 19. Dancers Entering into its 29th year of produc- will register from 10-10:30 a.m. All and 11:15 a.m. Individual auditions will begin as soon as the dance auditions are completed. The last audition for the 1994 season will be held in Tucson, Ariz., on March 6.

Individuals interested in auditioning for "TEXAS" must bring a pic-

The script calls for four men and four women in leading roles. In addition, there are six male supporting roles. Actors will present a memo-Written by Pulitzer Prize winning rized scene, not to exceed three minutes, that accentuates outdoor voice and presence. Actors often double as members also have opportunity to members of the chorus and should prepare a vocaì number.

All voice ranges are required in chorus, solos and men's quartets. Signers should prepare one number of their choice. No "pop" or "rock" positions also are available on the hits will be accepted.

## 'His' is rivaling 'hers' as imprint on home decor

By BARBARA MAYER For AP Special Features

more masculine motif as the bachelor pad goes upscale and women no longer make all of the home decorating decisions after marriage.

"Popular themes for new wallcoverings collections include the Southwest and rustic patterns, and we're seeing more neutrals and brown," says Anne Buley, an editor at Wallcoverings Windows & Interior Fashion magazine, a trade publication in Stamford, Conn. "The collections are not billed as for men only, but they have a very masculine feeling."

For example, there's the new Western Frontier collection by Seabrook Wallcoverings of Memphis, Tenn. It includes wallpapers with textures that imitate denim, khaki and barn wood and borders of red bandannas, a main street of the Old West and a melange of cowboy boots and sheriff's badges.

The wallpaper was created to complement the rustic look that is popular now, according to Jim Seabrook, president. His company also markets golf, tennis and fishing patterns in its "Gentlemen's Club" collection.

says she recently attended a wallpaper hanging clinic. "Almost half the people there were male profession- try."

als who wanted to learn how to hang their own wallpaper," she says.

Masculine bedroom accessories, increasingly bought by both sexes.

paisleys now are so popular that they've gone beyond a men-only look," says Rose Gerace, director of public relations for Westpoint Stevens Home Fashions, the bath and bedding people in New York.

Also, what was once a byway in the world of antiques has become a better-traveled road as pieces with a decidedly masculine appeal become more popular.

An antiques show of men's collectibles is set for April 15-17 at the Metropolitan Antiques Pavillion in New York where some 50 dealers are expected to offer old sports trophies, desk accessories and writing instruments, scientific instruments, canes, men's jewelry such as watches and cufflinks, cameras, bar items and smokers' accessories.

"Men are taking a more active. role in decorating the home, and they are among the most aggressive collectors," Cory Margolis says.

"There's tons of stuff out there, a lot of it still in drawers," he Amy Ash, a Seabrook spokesman, says. "I find it at mall shows, outdoor flea markets and or house calls all around the coun-

years as co-owner of Man-tiques

From her vantage point of 25 tive accents all over the house. "Decorators are buying nauti-

in New York, Elinor Zellin says cal items, bronze busts of histori-Home furnishings are taking on a not just those by Ralph Lauren, are the biggest change is that so- cal figures, sporting prints and called men's collectibles and plates with images of historical "Cowboy themes, plaids and antiques are now used as decora-figures and buildings," she says.

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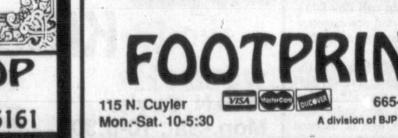
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#### Homemakers' News **Donna Brauchi**

Shopping for used clothing is an excellent way to extend the family clothing dollar and enviroshop for clothing. There are advantages and disadvantages to this method of buying.

On the "plus" side for used clothing is that often you can find one-ofa-kind or seldom worn items. Used clothing is usually available for excellent prices. It is good for growing children. If you are looking for fabric to be used for other garments, used clothing may be your best bet.

Some disadvantages to shopping for used clothing include the limited locations and the amount of time required to shop. Lack of size, fiber, and care information is often a problem. Of course, selections may lack fashion appeal and a "no return" situation may be a drawback.

If you have made the decision to shop for used clothing, you will need to follow some basic guidelines to have a successful experience. Do I need it? Does it fit? Is it the right size? Is anything wrong with it? Can I spend this amount of money? All of these are major questions to ask yourself when buying used clothing and accessories. Think ahead when buying used clothing and accessories to avoid impulse buying. Be aware of specific personal and family needs.

Here are some tips to help you make the most of your used clothing shopping experience:

(1) Watch for garments that fit in with the existing wardrobes of family members. Coordinate colors and styles.

(2) Look for unique fabrics and colors that would be too expensive if purchased new. Check to see if the fabric is worn looking, stained, torn, faded, picked, or pulled. If so, pass it up.

(3) Examine each article carefully. Decide if the styling is still good or can be restyled and if the garment is in good condition.

(4) Look through men's clothing. Often you can find some great buys in garments that have received little wear.

(5) Check the garment carefully for care labels. If they are missing, look for fiber content, which will be a clue to care.

(6) Take along a tape measure for By FRANCINE PARNES comparing personal measurements to garment measurements to make sure garments fit.

(7) Decide what the garment is worth to you and make a reasonable offer or negotiate on sales. Unless you know that prices are not negotiable, it never hurts to ask.

(8) Generally, owners of household items at yard or garage sales are more receptive to counter offers than are resale stores.

(9) Go prepared to try on clothes over the clothes you are wearing. Wear lightweight clothes that fit snugly. Slip on skirts and pants under your skirt.

(10) Children's or special occasion clothing are the best choice since children quickly outgrow their clothing and special occasion clothing is worn infrequently. To insure proper fit, bring child to try garments on before you buy.

(11) In children's wear, look for room-to-grow features such as wide hems and seams, and tucks. Look for durability.

(12) Don't be afraid to mix a fun, used item with new clothes to create a personal statement.

(13) Footwear should be purchased carefully and with some amount of caution, since shoes and boots tend to conform to the original owner's feet. For this reason, it is best to buy footwear that has been worn very little. Avoid buying shoes. with worn-down heels or misshaped

For more information on consumer buying, contact your Gray County Extension Service.

### Enviro-Fair set for March 11-12

Enviro-Fair '94 will be conducted March 11-12, at the M.K. Brown Auditorium in Pampa. Featuring a variety of exhibits and speakers, the Enviro-Fair will address questions, concerns, and ideas to help citizens live with environmental laws and regulations and to develop environment-friendly practices.

The Enviro-Fair is being conducted as a joint educational effort of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Clean Pampa, Inc., and the city

of Pampa. Individuals, businesses, or organizations desiring to exhibit at the Enviro-Fair should call 669-8033. Both commercial and non-commercial exhibit spaces are available.

Spaces are limited. Educational programs of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service are open to all to all citizens without regard to race, color, sex, disability, religion, age, or national origin.

### Monahans Sandhills Park: A winter sand blast

San Angelo Standard-Times

MONAHANS SANDHILLS STATE PARK, Texas (AP) - Forget summer.

A sunny (and windless) winter day is the best time to visit this inland beach-without-a-sea.

Summer sun can bake this park's sandy dunes until they sizzle. But a sunny winter day simply makes the sand shimmer with toasty warmth.

The other advantage of an off-season visit is that a winter dunetrekker enjoys a wonderful sense of solitude: On the mid-week afternoon I visited, I shared the 3,840acre park with only a half-dozen other visitors.

And what a park!

Visiting the sandhills for the first time is like discovering a long-lost stretch of a movie-perfect desert.

From the interstate, the landscape between Odessa and Monahans looks scrubby and uninviting: flat land punctuated by scraggly bushes.

The short drive off the interstate into the park, though, takes visitors into another world.

The hard, harsh landscape begins to soften into big, bush-covered lumps. The vegetated, "stabilized" dunes are only the warm-up act for the main attraction.

As you venture further into the park, the bushes fade away, revealing big, "active" dunes - naked piles of golden sand that shift and change with the wind and seem to stretch forever. (The park represents a small portion of a dune field that stretches about 200 miles into New Mexico.)

Want to play in the sand? Go ahead.

permitted in the dunes, visitors are encouraged to walk, climb and slide down the enormous piles of sand.

Some build sand castles. Others burrow into the soft, silky sand. The park even rents plastic discs

(\$1 an hour, available from the park office) so that adventurous sorts can try sand sledding. I decided to forego sand sledding

(and sand in my shorts). But I did slog up a hill-sized dune

— feeling all the while like an extra in "Lawrence of Arabia."

Walking in sand is an unsettling



Visitors slog up a sand dune at Monahans Sandhills State Park in this November, 1993 photo. Loose sand and steep dunes make for slow climbing. A sunny and windless day is the best time to visit this inland beach-without-a-sea.

Walking — when you sink into the Though motorized vehicles aren't sand several inches with each step turns into a slow-motion chore.

> Running down a 50-foot-high dune is a different matter. You slip. ranges from sand sagebrush and You slide. You laugh out loud in spite of yourself.

Anyone who thinks of deserts as dead, uninviting wastelands will be pleasantly surprised by the sandhills at Monahans. Animal and bird tracks form fascinating trails back and forth across the dunes. Wildlife emerges from the dunes at dawn and dusk to water in shallow pools scattered throughout the park.

- and unsteady - experience. well, desert-like, it forms an interesting frame for the dunes.

> A nature trail near the park's headquarters offers a self-guided tour of desert flora and fauna that mesquite to a miniature forest of 3foot-high Havard shinoak. And if you've never seen a giant pack rat nest, this is the place.

But the real beauty of the park is built on nothing more than sand.

Nature sculpts the sand into everchanging art, carving soft curves and gentle ripples and knife-sharp

The show changes constantly dur-

paints the sandhills with ever-shifting shadows. The park's other attraction is

silence. The sand seems to soak up sound, by self-registering. creating a deafening quietness.

Paved roads lead visitors into the is \$3 per vehicle. dunes and offer a short driving tour of the park. Less-adventurous visi- electrical hook-ups and five nontors may want to stick to the pave-

To truly sample the park, though, you need to climb at least a small dune and gaze off into the ocean of sand.

ment — and the picnic tables.

The park also offers camping facilities, including electric hookups and restrooms and showers.

delightful 1903 railroad section house) is closed in the winter. The section house's shaded porch never closes, though, and its wooden benches offer a peaceful spot for dune-watching.

The headquarters building houses a small museum of local artifacts and a series of displays that explains the park's history, geology and plant

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and animal life. The park has been a labor of love for people from the Monahans area. They raised the money to establish

the park, which opened in 1957. Area residents rallied again last year when the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department threatened to eliminate camping at the park and

open the park only five days a week.

"This was apparently because our attendance, which had been averaging 100,000 a year with 6,000 overnight campers, had dropped,' said Kathlyn Dunagan, chairman of the Friends of Monahans Sandhills State Park.

In order to keep the camping sites and daily operation, the "Friends' group organized and raised \$10,000. "All the community came togeth-

er to fight" the decision to scale back operations at the park, Dunagan said.

Good for them! And good for us sand-lovers.

Getting to Monahans Sandhills State Park:

WHERE: The park is located just off Interstate 20, 30 miles southwest of Odessa and 5 miles east of Mona-

WHEN: The park is open yearround. The park office (which includes a museum and book shop) is open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily in the winter months. Visitors and campers may enter the park from 5 to 10 p.m.

HOW MUCH: The admission fee

CAMPING: Sites include 19 with electrical sites. Electrical hook-up sites are \$9 plus the \$3 daily entrance fee. Non-electrical sites are \$6 plus the \$3 entrance fee. Camping reservations may be made up to three months in advance.

INFORMATION: (915) 943-2092. Box 1738, Monahans, TX

#### While the desert's vegetation is, ing the day as the rising-setting sun A concessions stand (housed in a 79756. Old time gifts for new wave lovers okay on Valentine's Day

For AP Special Features

You may have a modern romance, but on Valentine's Day it's OK to go After all, candlelight is more

romantic than a Mag-Lite, so look for an old-fashioned way to say "I Love You."

For her, consider a heart-shaped "Fuer Elise," from the San Francisco Music Box Company. For him, haunt antiques stores, auctions and nifty shaving brush, in ribbed gold-

Old World gifts rank high on the charm quotient, says Nancy Lindemagazine in New York.

be a time for indulgence and collars and nightshirts. romance ... and the Victorian era

"People were investing \$30 for Valentine keepsakes, and women even gave each other gifts."

So rather, perhaps, than a dozen long-stemmed roses, express your passion with a floral essence. Evelvn. from Crabree & Evelyn, is derived from old-time rose stock fabric and lace music box that plays carefully nurtured to full bloom by horticulturist David Austin in Eng-

If you're unsure of fragrance, flea markets for vintage cuff links, consider an antique perfume bottle an heirloom watch or an old-time or atomizer. It'll look dandy on the shaving brush and soap mug. If dressing table along with Nina ther was a fabulous letter writer," you're short on time, Cartier has a Ricci's vanity table set in curved matte goldtone.

Also worthy of the boudoir is vintage-style lingerie from Eileen every swain had access to books West. Her white cotton collection meyer, editor-in-chief of Victoria with pin tucks, satin ribbons and beaded lace includes camisoles, "Valentine's Day is supposed to drop-waist nightgowns with sailor

flourished," Lindemeyer says. says West, a San Francisco designer, "and we're known for pretty, femihand-painted lace and gold filigree nine, turn-of-the-century looks. The romance of the styles is perfect for Valentine's Day.' Those with a creative bent might

want to try a handmade greeting card, penning wedding vows in calligraphy on a parchment scroll or composing an old-fashioned love If you want to say "I adore you"

but suffer writer's block, letter-writing guides are a tradition, says Lindemeyer of Victoria magazine. "If you think your great-grandfa-

she says, "he may have had some help." The Victorian era was a very sentimental period, she says, "and and magazines to help him write a letter to his beloved.'

If you're totally tongue-tied, enlist Suzan Briganti, a San Francisco accessories designer, and friend. "We've been designing Victorian Briganti designs old-fashioned hand

was the period when keepsakes sleepwear for almost 18 years," muffs and her friend writes, signs "A cameo on a pendant or choker and seals a love letter to tuck into is certainly very Victorian and

each muff pocket. of the muff."

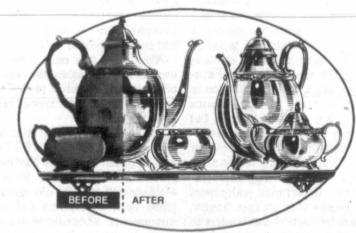
Other accessories — cameo chokers on black ribbons, pendants, velquality and nostalgic allure.

romantic," says Linda Sease, public "With fashion going toward Vic- relations manager for Foley's in torian and Edwardian styling since Houston. "And a cameo pin looks last fall," Briganti says, "I felt it absolutely beautiful on an oblong was the perfect time for the return lace scarf that you turn into an ascot.'

For an old-fashioned romantic weekend, cuddle up by the fire at a vet portrait hats and lacy jabots and country inn or bed and breakfast. If French cuffs — also have heirloom you must be modern, get tickets for two to a rock concert.

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## Newsmakers

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Martin of Pampa. Kevin Hazel, son of Murrell and ing in the mechanical career field.

Stormie Lanell Grimsley, a senior Recruiting Station in Borger says she is Loreta Hazel, Pampa, enlisted in the at Pampa High School has joined the scheduled to report Aug. 17 for basic United States Air Force this month according to Staff Sgt Patrick Bell, Air Force recruiter.

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# TV's regular midseason crisis: Out with the old, in with the new

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LOS ANGELES (AP) - It's time for television's midseason metamorphosis, when networks dump their weak-witted sitcoms and struggling dramas and introduce ... well, more of the same.

or two will emerge among the new shows to delight

A moment, however, for a couple of the dearly departed. The big loss: NBC's fine family drama Against the Grain, set in a football-crazy Texas town. Despite good reviews, it couldn't get a ratings first

Also gone is ABC's lightly plotted but charmingly played Moon Over Miami, a Moonlighting couldabeen. The network claims it's on hiatus, but expect that to be a permanent condition.

Now, the contenders.

ABC's Birdland (9 p.m. CST Wednesday), starring Brian Dennehy as a hospital psychiatric director. CBS has Burke's Law, with Gene Barry picking up the sleuth role he played 30 years ago (8 p.m. CST Friday).

Fox Broadcasting Co. gave the midseason nod to The Mary Tyler Moore for the '90s, say the producers.

Cowboy Poetry Breakfast set for Feb. 12

and Charlie Bell will headline the He joined the Navy in 1941. A col-

12 at the Big Texan, 7701 E. I-40 his original poems at Old West

Crumley was born at Turkey and Ceta Canyon, Coors Rodeo, Stock-

was raised near the foot of the man Saddle Shop and Masonic

poetry, story telling, teaching and and have had previous readings at

drawing. She has recited her origithe Big Texan Cowboy Poetry

and social events in Groom, Pan- open the breakfast with guitar and

handle and Canyon. She takes cred- honky tonk piano music.

George Carlin Show (8:30 p.m. CST Sunday), featuring Rush Limbaugh-type in Monty (7 p.m. CST Tuesday).

A pack of other shows waits in the wings. ABC is move in together. staking its hopes on a mix of sitcoms, dramas, a news magazine and one animated comedy series.

The Critic, a half-hour cartoon from the producers of OK, OK, let's give them a chance; maybe a butterfly Fox's The Simpsons, shows at 7:30 p.m. CST Wednesday. Jon Lovitz provides the voice of Jay Sherman, a tough boss, a spiteful ex-wife and lousy movies. The bright spot is his young son.

> Byrds of Paradise from producer Steven Bochco (riding high with NYPD Blue) stars thirtysomething alumnus Timothy Busfield. He plays a Yale professor who moves with his three children to Hawaii after his wife is

Thunder Alley features Ed Asner as a retired stock-car creators. racer who opens his Indianapolis home to his newly divorced daughter and her trio of children. Home Five new series are already up and running, including Improvement producer Matt Williams is the behind-thescenes talent.

Comedian Ellen DeGeneres stars in These Friends of Mine, a comedy created for her by the producers of The Wonder Years. She's a single woman in Los Angeles, a

Jackee Harry and Tim Reid star in Sister, Sister as the the comedian's verbal antics, and to Henry Winkler as a single parents of adopted twin girls. When the girls discover each other at age 13, Harry and Reid decide to

Premiere dates have yet to be announced for the four

Throw another news magazine on the TV fire: Turning Point, with correspondents Meredith Vieira, John Donvan, Don Kladstrup and Deborah Amos premieres 9 pudgy, acerbic New York film critic coping with a p.m. CST March 9. The twist: It features one story and one reporter per outing.

CBS three comedies and two dramas in the wings, all but one awaiting premiere dates.

Tom Arnold bows 7:30 p.m. CST Wednesday, March 2. Arnold stars as a working-class man who tries to build a dreamhouse for his family on a Kansas farm next to a city dump. Arnold and wife Roseanne are co- based series.

Muddling Through is an offbeat comedy starring Stephanie Hodge as a woman who has spent three years in jail for shooting her unfaithful husband, and who South Central Los Angeles. Tina Lifford stars. now wants her old life back.

back with 704 Hauser. It's Family in reverse: the sitcom stars John Amos as a blue-collar liberal bedeviled by an ultraconservative son.

The drama Traps stars George C. Scott as a veteran homicide chief and Dan Cortese as his nonconformist grandson, also a detective. It's from prolific action producer Stephen J. Cannell (The Commish, The A-

Karen Allen and Terence Knox star as husband and wife in the drama Down Home, a chronicle of an extended family living along North Carolina's tide

waters NBC has announced a single midseason entry so far. Winnetka Road comes from Aaron Spelling, that master of serial drama, and stars Ed Begley Jr., Meg Tilly and Josh Brolin in a Midwestern saga. A premiere date was unannounced.

Air dates also weren't announced for a pair of Fox shows, one a sober-mined sitcom and the other a reality-

South Central is a half-hour show that promises to combine comedy and drama in the struggle of a single black mother trying to raise her family in riot-scarred

Cop Files, hosted by actor Richard Roundtree, fea-Producer Norman Lear of All in the Family fame is tures re-creations of memorable police cases featured on

the reality show "Cops." So many shows, so few time slots. Incumbents, do you know where your ratings are?

### Sundance Film Festival highlights new looks at breakdown of the nuclear family

By JOHN HORN

**AP Entertainment Writer** 

PARK CITY, Utah (AP) - A generation of filmmakers raised amid the drama Spanking the Monkey, the happy-go-lucky clans of The says of family dramas. "It's about Brady Bunch and The Cosby Show our identities.' is taking a fresh look at the nuclear family and finding it melting down.

showcase for independent movie cares just a little bit too much. directors, is dysfunctional families. From an unconventional short film the most accomplished feature- a psychological rodeo." length documentary, feuding parents, quarreling siblings and between documentaries and narra-

AMARILLO - Martha Crumley

Cowboy Poetry Breakfast on Feb.

ties. She now resides in Amarillo.

She has always had a love for

sium, Old West Days in Amarillo

it for her unusual poem, "Bob

caprock in Hall and Briscoe coun- Lodges.

nal poems at the Lubbock Sympo- Breakfast.

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verse in which many Sundance prizes at the festival, which con- candid, often painful to watch. films orbit.

"I think it's very rich ground," David Russell, the writer-director of

One of the hottest films at the festival, Spanking the Monkey looks at The dominant theme at this year's a family whose father doesn't care Sundance Film Festival, the top at all for his son and whose mother

"I think every family is dysfunctional, but not every one is as bad as directed by actress Darryl Hannah to this," Russell says. "This family is

Thirty-two films divided equally estranged couples make up the uni- tive features are competing for

Bell grew up in Oklahoma City.

lector of poetry, he also has read

Days, girls and boys outings in

Both are members of the South-

Rusty Nichols of Borger will

Poetry books by cowboys and

cowgirls will be available for sale.

west Cowboys Poets Association

cludes today. A total of nine world competition in this mountain resort example, moviegoers may have

Among the films with fractured families in the mix are Fun, about two suburban teenage girls from broken homes who kill a complete stranger; Blessing, a chronicle of a Wisconsin farm family whose emotional life is often as barren as their unplanted fields; Nina Takes a Lover, a rather languid tale of marriages imploding in San Francisco; The Secret Life of Houses, in which a 9-year-old girl is left alone by her suicidal, alcoholic mother; and Martha and Ethel, a documentary focusing on nannies who raised children for two sets of parents who

couldn't quite be bothered. Even those works without unkindly kinship as their yin have them as film Last Supper, a latchkey child erful stories. plots revenge on her mother's abusive boyfriend. Even in The Scent of Green Papaya, a Vietnamese feature breaking up, the husband taking all attain a transcendent quality. the family's money and disappear-

Unlike the tidy studio films in which a difficult subject like divorce is an excuse for a broad comic turn independent films tend to be more he says.

Audiences don't seem to mind, premieres and 20 U.S. debuts are though: In the most troubling secamong the films playing outside tions of Spanking the Monkey, for stopped breathing, but they did not

> Robert Redford, who launched the Sundance festival in 1985, says these independent filmmakers have the creative freedom to tackle subjects the major Hollywood players usually won't touch.

> "The studios are a little more conservative on the side of story content," Redford says. "There's more formula in the mainstream films. There's no formula in the independent film. That's the whole reason it's independent.'

Tran Anh Hung, who directed The Scent of Green Papaya, says many filmmakers often ignore the most basic elements of life - good and bad – mistakenly believing they their yang. In Miss Hannah's short are not the building blocks of pow-

"What you don't see are people living their daily lives," he says. "And yet that's an incredibly imporexploring a young servant girl, the tant dimension. It's only working in girl's employers are constantly the stories of daily life that you can

Those who dare wade into family dramas often are swept away melodrama, Russell says.

"I think subtlety is the key. What's not said in a family is much - Mrs. Doubtfire, anyone? - these more important than what's said,"

monly honest" perspective on fami- lessons about parenting and love.

Produced and directed by two behaved - not how we felt."

In making the unusual decision to women raised in the separate housepurchase a documentary for release holds governed by nannies Martha into movie theaters, Sony Classics Kniefel and Ethel Edwards, Martha says it was drawn to Martha and and Ethel in its narrow scrutiny of Ethel because of the film's "uncom- two family units offers broad

Director Jyll Johnstone, raised Says festival director Geoffrey under Martha's cheerless authorita. Gilmore: "It shows there's a market ian rule, says in a heartbreaking synfor works that are not simply opsis of her childhood: "What was important was how we looked and

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By Howie Schneider



By Johnny Hart







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Astro-Graph By Bernice Bede Osol

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ing that a bit boring, don't turn down social

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you recently established with someone in

your field of endeavor might be able to help

you today where your career is concerned.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You might be a

bit more popular today than other members

of your peer group. Something unique may

transpire which will show you the value of

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Just because

something isn't working out the way you

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take it. Your fate is in your own hands.

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been hoping to achieve that can not be

done without support from others might

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**MARVIN** 





By Tom Armstrong



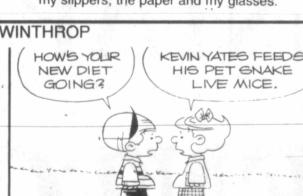
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### Scientists study long-term survivors in search of answers to AIDS

By DANIEL Q. HANEY **AP Science Writer** 

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Rob Anderson remembers how angry he felt back in 1985 when he read experts' predictions about AIDS. Everyone who catches the virus would surely die from it, they said. By then, Rob Anderson had been infected for six years.

"I decided, 'I'll show them,' " he said.

And he did

Anderson has had HIV, the AIDS virus, for about 15 years. He still is healthy. And this raises a question that has begun to fascinate scientists: Why does the AIDS virus kill some people much more slowly than others?

Early in the brief history of this disease, death seemed to be the only certainty. More than 200,000 Americans have been lost so far; about 100 more die

Clearly, the longer people are infected with HIV, the more likely they are to fall ill with full-blown AIDS and die. Yet the course of this decline is unpredictable

Scientists wonder why, for instance, that 12 percent of those infected with HIV go on to develop AIDS within five years of catching the virus. Why do half stay healthy for 10 years? Why are a third still going strong

The study of long-term HIV survivors has become a hot area of study in AIDS; researchers would very much like to figure out what makes these lucky few different

"It's a question of following clues," said Dr. Lewis Schrager of the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases. "We hope the clues will give us new ideas and directions for vaccine development and therapeutic strategies.'

The disease is so new that no one really knows how long people can live with the infection. The latest projections, however, suggest that 10 percent to 17 percent still will be alive and free of disease 20 years after they catch HIV. Perhaps some will live out full lives with their infections.

Like so much in AIDS, there are few clear answers to the "why" questions.

Long-term HIV survivors like Anderson, a 40-yearold San Francisco artist, have their own theories.

"I feel it all goes back to my attitude," he said. "I won't let this make me ill. I've watched quite a number of friends go from being relatively healthy to sick and dead in very short periods of time. In every case, they all bought into the idea that you have to die from AIDS if you have HIV. I just simply don't agree with that."

Others credit their diets, their vitamins, their medicines, their exercise, their meditation. But as far as scientists can tell, long-term survival has little to do with how people get infected, their sex habits, the food they eat or anything else they do.

Instead, they are looking at three main theories of you at why some people survive longer with HIV:

> They are genetically different. - Their immune systems work better.

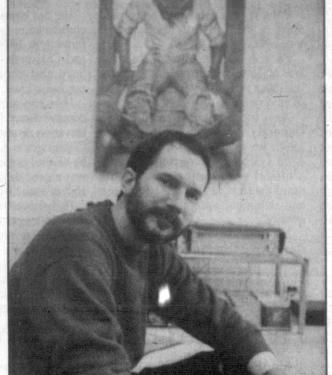
- They are infected with less rapacious strains of the

Indeed, all three possibilities could be true.

Most information about long-term survivors comes from studies of gay men that began in the early 1980s, shortly after the AIDS epidemic started.

The largest of these is the Multicenter AIDS Cohort If a difference in immune responses explains longinfected at the outset in 1984. Two similar studies in the key. San Francisco are following a total of 2,700 men.

ly so doctors can track the course of their infections. high levels of these white cells in their bloodstreams.



Artist Robert Anderson poses in front of one of his paintings in his San Francisco home. Anderson has had HIV, the AIDS virus, for about 15 years and is still healthy. This raises a question that has begun to fascinate scientists: Why does the AIDS virus kill some people more slowly than others? (AP photo by George Nikitin)

The AIDS virus attacks a crucial variety of white blood cells called helper T-cells or CD4 cells.

Healthy people have about 1,000 of these cells per cubic millimeter of blood. Most people experience an initial drop in helper cells immediately after they get infected. Then, the loss almost - but not quite - levels off. For years, the totals drop very slowly. Eventually, they fall below 200, and this puts people at risk of overwhelming infections, the hallmark of AIDS.

The researchers are especially fascinated by Anderson and others who escape this inexorable damage. He, like perhaps about 5 percent of all infected people, has not continued to lose helper cells. Instead, his levels are

'It will be imperative to follow these people for long periods of time to see what happens," Schrager said. Some may suddenly start losing CD4 cells. Some may never, which would be fascinating. There is clearly a hope that at least some of these people will represent a unique group, not just the tail of a normal distribution."

Study conducted by the National Institutes of Health. term survival, some experts believe another type of Of 4,954 men enrolled in the study, 1,809 already were virus-suppressing blood cells called CD8 cells could be

Dr. John Phair of Northwestern University and others The men in these studies give blood samples regular- have noticed that long-term survivors have abnormally

in the response to this infection," Phair said.

Just why is unclear. But scientists are especially intrigued by the possible role of a variety of CD8 cells known as cytotoxic lymphocytes, which recognize HIVinfected CD4 cells and destroy them.

Researchers theorize that long-term survivors might have more of these cells, or that the ones they have ferent medical reasons. might do a better job of hunting down infected CD4 cells before they release more copies of the virus into

'The question is: What's different with these peo-California, San Francisco.

She thinks genes may play a role, especially the human leukocyte antigens, or HLA, genes. These genes vary from person to person and play an integral role in regulating the immune system.

HIV survivors.

Other evidence suggests, however, that differences in the strains of virus people catch could be just as important as variations between people

Dr. David Vlahov of Johns Hopkins University studies genetic diversity in the virus. He found that some said. "But I'd rather be newly infected any day, knowlong-term survivors carry forms that stay genetically ing what I do about this virus.

"It tells us that CD8 cells play a very important role stable. Those who fall sick have HIV that mutates rapidly.

> A strange tragedy in Australia adds more evidence of the importance of viral strains.

Between nine and 13 years ago, six people got HIV from blood transfusions donated by one infected man. They ranged in age from 35 to 77 and got blood for dif-

The only thing they have in common is the outcome of their infections: All of them, as well as the donor,

Differences in immune system responses may account ple?" asked Dr. Susan Buchbinder of the University of for some people's longevity with HIV, said Dr. Jennifer earmont of the Red Cross Blood Bank in Sydney. But

"in this case," she said, "we think it's the bug. While long-term HIV survivors may find such theories interesting, many seem to view the virus as a personal foe, one that may eventually catch up with them. Buchbinder has found a particular pattern of HLA Even Anderson, despite his positive thinking, admits to genes that appears to be more common among longtime twinges of apprehension whenever he catches the flu or a bad cold.

> LeBaron Moseby of Boston, who has been infected for at least nine of his 49 years, simply feels lucky to be

> "A lot of people want to be long-term survivors," he

### Energas offers some safety tips on carbon monoxide

LUBBOCK - Energas Company in a confined space like a garage. would like to offer some safety tips regarding carbon monoxide.

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 Carbon monoxide (CO) detectors are commercially available, and the prices range between \$60 to duced by any gasoline-powered \$200. If you purchase a CO detector, make sure it meets the requirements or lawn edgers. Such items as char- of the Underwriters Laboratories coal grills, wood stoves, fireplaces (UL) 2034. However, the best preand other similar equipment might caution is to make sure all fuel- monoxide can lead to brain damburning appliances and furnaces are operating properly.

conditions, and extreme care must appliances might also produce includes some type of safety mesbe taken when they are in use. To carbon monoxide. Under safe, sage in the gas bill on a regular prevent carbon monoxide poisoning: normal operating conditions, the basis. Do not operate a gasoline-pow- amount produced will be small. If ered engine in a confined or gas appliances are installed, adjusted and operated properly,

The first symptoms are headaches, dizziness and sleepiness. The skin may turn a cherry red. As more carbon monoxide crowds out oxygen in the blood, symptoms may include nausea, vomiting and an irregular or fluttering heartbeat.

Symptoms may progress to muscular weakness and impairment of judgment, unconsciousness and death.

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In a blender, you'll get a smoother puree if you put the liquid ingredients in first and then - with the motor running - add the solids. In a processor, chop the solids, then pour in the liquids.

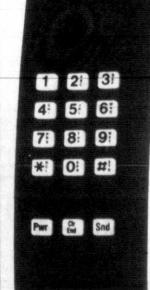
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### The Market Forecaster

By George Kleinman

WHEAT - (BULL/BEAR)

OUTLOOK: Watch out for the funds! It's hard to step in front of a freight train, and the grains felt the brunt of fund liquidation last week. Just a bit of bad news last week (in this case a slight decline in export mentals would suggest. activity) was enough to start the ball rolling.

The market was a bit top-heavy with "hot money" - in other words, longs who were ready to pull the trigger on the first hint of trouble. This type of action feeds on itself, and the result was a decline of over 25¢/bu. But remember, the best cure for low prices is low prices. The anticipated ending supply of just under 600 million bushels is tight and wheat now appears to be entering a value area.

STRATEGY: Hedgers: You've previously sold up to 50 percent of your inventory using the March Chicago contract above \$3.50, but thus far we've missed our objective for the balance (over \$4). Our bias is still positive on market breaks, so I would avoid the temptation to sell on weakness - rather, be patient and look to sell on strength. Our objective is still for a rally over the four dollar level, but we'll consider scaling down that number if not reached by mid February.

Traders: You should have been able to cover our previously recommended short sale of March K.C. tool (above \$3.85) at a profit. Prices are now cheap enough to stimulate export demand. Consider buying March Minneapolis under \$3.72. Risk 10¢/bu. (\$500 per contract plus fees) for an objective of \$3.92 or better.

CORN - (BULL/BEAR)

OUTLOOK: There are many market players now saying "it's over." They say corn's not responding to bullish news (the crop report) and that's true. I don't believe it's over yet - ending stocks are very tight, estimated to be 60 percent lower than '92. This should prevent the market from collapsing too much more and at some point I look for another rally.

With that said, however, the most

to protect his equity. He will need CATTLE - (BULL) ammunition to pick up bargains when available. This means using stops to lock in profits, because when the funds start selling the market can go much lower than funda-

Farmers should use strategies designed to improve the profitability of their operation. These include scale up selling of old crop supplies and using option strategies to limit downside risk. The fundamentals have not changed, but don't be bullheaded when the market starts falling. We'll be looking for the signs this correction has ended.

STRATEGY: Hedgers: Our strategy (recommended two weeks ago) to roll up your call options was well timed - your downside risk was substantially reduced during the recent downturn. (We suggested [this is a quote] "for example, if you own March 250s (bought at 8¢), sell them for 56¢ and buy the 300 calls for 12¢. You take in 48¢ profit and at worst keep at least 36¢ of it minus commissions if the 300 calls expire worthless. You still maintain the benefits if corn moves higher still.")

Bottom, line, options have been the way to go - much better than storage. If you don't understand the ins and outs of how they work, as a producer it's to your benefit to learn how to use this valuable marketing

even. Now look to buy March into back over three.

OUTLOOK: The severe winter weather in the Midwest and East Coast closed the movement of boxed beef. Yet, demand was still much improved from a couple of weeks ago. In other words, without the weather, demand would have been phenomenal. Nearby futures went from a premium to the cash market, to a discount. This makes them look a bit too cheap and we anticipate the seasonal tendency for higher cattle prices at this time of year should reassert itself soon.

STRATEGY: Hedgers: 1) Consider taking advantage of the weakness in corn prices to price your feed needs by buying corn calls. 2) Hold on to your cattle puts, which is our preferred method for hedging fat cattle prices. In a bull market, puts are better than futures or forward contracts since they leave upside potential open - yet they'll still gain in value in a weak market to offset lower cash prices.

Cowlcalf operators: The corn weakness has not helped feeder cattle prices to firm up and this is a disappointment. If you still own the put protection (recommended from approximately the 84 level on the March futures), hold tight.

Traders: Our spread (Long February Cattle versus Short April Cattle - entered with the April trading at least 250 points greater than the Traders: Last week we were February) remains quiet at press stopped out of our March (bought at time. The risk remains a close above \$296 1/2) at \$2.98 for about a break 350. Hold it for at least another two weeks. New recommendation: Buy support (\$2.90-\$2.92). Risk a close February under 7255. Risk to a under \$2.85 for an initial objective close under 7125 for a move back above 7425.

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George Kleinman is president of Commodity Resource Corporation (CRC), a licensed brokerage firm which specializes in marketing strategies using agricultural futures and options. CRC welcomes questions - they can be reached at 1-800-233-4445.

### lowa farmer, legislator new SCS chief

Paul W. Johnson was appointed vice effective this month.

Prior to his appointment, Johnson legislator well known as an architect northeast Iowa. of environmental legislation.

Generaly Assembly from 1984 to 1990, he was a major architect of Iowa's Groundwater Protection Act, a model used nationwide for its emphasis on research, education and voluntary approaches to water

Johnson also authored the Iowa to live in harmony with the land.

Resource Enhancement and Protec-

and Christmas trees and had a dairy was an Iowa farmer and former state herd and sheep near Decorah in

Johnson served as an assistant As a representative in the Iowa commissioner for his local soil conservation district. He has been named Conservation Legislator of the Year by several organizations in Iowa, and was named to the Iowa Conservation Hall of Fame by the Wildlife Society.

tant challenges of our time is to learn Johnson is a graduate of the Unition Program (REAP), the Iowa versity of Michigan, where he able Agriculture.

He believes one of the most impor-

Energy Efficiency Act and the Iowa received bachelor of science and Integrated Farm Management Pro- master of science degrees in forestry. Joslyn Johnson have three grown He also pursued doctoral studies in children.

He has been actively involved in forestry. He taught forestry in Ghana chief of the Soil Conservation Ser- conservation issues since he started for two years and has worked for the farming in 1974. He raised com, hay USDA Forest Service in the Pacific Northwest. He also has been visiting professor of environmental policy at Luther College.

His studies and consulting work in other countries in addition to Ghana include Honduras and Costa Rica, where he studied tropical forest ecology; Sweden, where he studied agriculture, environment and energy policies on a grant from the Swedish government; and the U.S.S.R., where he traveled in 1991 as a consultant for the Audubon Society's Valdai Project on Sustain-

Johnson, 52, and his wife Patricia

### Panhandle Livestock Assn. to meet Feb. 19 in Amarillo

AMARILLO - Panhandle Livestock Association will Young Country. Breakfast will be served at 11 p.m. to hold its 79th annual meeting Saturday, Feb. 19, at the Harvey Hotel in Amarillo.

The convention will begin at 9 a.m. with registration in the atrium of the hotel. The Board of Directors will meet at 10 a.m. At 10:30 a.m., the items for the Silent Auction will be on display in the ballroom and there will be a Bloody

There will be a luncheon and general membership meeting at noon. The guest speaker for the general meeting will be Jennifer Finch, originally from Dalhart and now a national account manager for the National Cattleman's Association with her office located in Denver, Colo.

The silent auction will continue throughout the day and will conclude with a cocktail party and snack buffet beginning a 6 p.m. and the bidding closing at 7:30.

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In an attempt to fund a second scholarship, this year there will be a raffle to raise further funds. To be raffled will be a day at Remington Park in Oklahoma City and two nights in the Embassy Suites. The drawing for the winner of the raffle will be at 9 p.m. at the dance. The winner will not have to be present to win.

Reservations can be made for the entire day or for any part of the day by calling Earl Wheatly at (806) 856-5939. The PLA would like to invite anyone interested in the livestock industry to come and spend a part or all of the day at the annual meeting.

#### important action a trader can take is Perry gives safety tips for tools, electrical equipment

this time of the year are between planting and harvest, so Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry reminds farmers and ranchers to be alert for potential accidents with tools and electricity as they do equipment maintenance and repairs.

Each year thousands of people are injured and several even killed as they use power tools, according to the National Safety Council.

The most frequent cause of power tool-related deaths is electric shock. To guard against electric ing. shock, regularly inspect and maintain power tools, ground them correctly and avoid working in wet or damp areas.

Many power tool-related injuries and confine long hair in nets. also can be avoided by wearing

AUSTIN - Many Texas farmers proper protective gear such as safety glasses, goggles or a face shield; heavy-duty safety shoes; and gloves. For those involved in dusty work, a simple disposable dust mask or cartridge-type filter respirator can prevent inhalation of dust, airborne mineral particles.

with tools include:

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In a three-year study, conducted on the 193,000-acre Jornada Experimental Range near Las Cruces, N.M., losses were reduced from half a flock of about 150 sheep to "We've seen a cow face down a

coyote more than once and force it to make a hasty exit," range scientist Dean Anderson said.

USDA said sheep losses to coyotes cost ranchers about \$5 million a year. Putting cows and sheep on the

same range also had environmental benefits, Anderson said. Overgrazing was less of a problem because cattle eat mainly grass, and sheep prefer shrubs and broadleaf plants.

And it's an inexpensive way to fight herd losses from marauding coyotes, the department said. Fencing costs that can approach \$2,000 a mile for sheep may be cut in half and training the sheep to assimilate with the cows runs at most 50 cents per lamb, researchers said.

The training costs drop when more sheep are added to the original

Anderson and the other researchers started by grouping young sheep and calves in small paddocks, adding guard dogs for "extra insurance." Anderson recommended penning

seven sheep and three cows together for the bonding period. Researchers hope to identify

which sheep form the strongest bonds with their 1,200-pound protectors and then breed that trait into other sheep.

Other safety tips for working

· Keep all guards in place. Cover belts, pulleys, gears and shafts that could cause injury or catch cloth-

sleeves, dangling shirttails and tattered clothing that could catch in moving parts. Remove all jewelry

sawdust, paint spray particles and

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### Reminders for pesticide dealers

AUSTIN - Agriculture Commisresponsible for documenting all federally restricted and state limit- pesticide applicator. ed-use pesticides that they dis-

"We've had some dealers who basis. unload to customers right off the "People have been unsure about the distribution. The dealer has placed the order and is getting the money from the customer, so the dealer is responsible for record-

In addition to recording distribusioner Rick Perry reminds pesticide tion and keeping it on file for two dealers that under Texas pesticide years, dealers can only distribute a laws and regulations, dealers are restricted use or state limited-use pesticide to a licensed or certified

In Texas, dealers who distribute pesticides that are restricted By law, "distribute" means offer under state and federal laws must for sale, hold for sale, sell, barter or be licensed by the Texas Department of Agriculture on an annual Commercial and non-commer-

distributor's truck," Perry said, cial applicators must also be licensed annually, while private who is responsible for recording applicators must renew their license every five years.

For more information about dealer licenses or pesticide use training, contact TDA's Pesticide Programs Division at (512) 475-1657.

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### Number of pesticide ailments can't be traced

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WASHINGTON (AP) - The Environmental Protection Agency wants to protect farmers and their employees against pesticide-caused illnesses. Trouble is, officials can't show the safeguards work, a new report says.

Officials don't know how many people become ill from farm chemicals, and without those numbers, they are unable to prove that safeguards work, the General Accounting Office report says.

"It's under diagnosed and under reported," said Dr. Diana Ordin, medical officer with the National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health in Cincinnati. The agency, part of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, is helping develop a model for states to report

pesticide-caused ailments. The federal government has tried to collect data from a number of sources. But funding cuts killed one effort in part by a tax on chemicals. It's far from foolproof, in 1981, the report says. The agency quit collecting hos- too.

pital emergency room data in 1987. Only eight states have specific pesticide reporting requirements: Arizona, California, Florida, Iowa, New York, Oregon, Texas and Washington. But except for the model system in California, "all were quite limited in coverage, comprehensiveness and quality of information," the report said.

There's evidence farmers and their help can develop fertility problems, damage to their nervous systems or cancer if they absorb too much of the wrong pesticide. Their children may have birth defects or other prob-

Or farm workers might become ill for a few days, suffering burns, fatigue, eye irritation, rashes, diarrhea or worse — like breathing problems that force them onto respirators. Some may even die, although officials believe the number of deaths is small.

Pesticide exposure has become enough of a public health concern for the National Cancer Institute to spend \$15 million on a 10-year study of what kind of cancers occur among farm families. That study has begun, and some of the first results, on pesticide exposures, could be ready late this year.

Also, the EPA has put out rules to make sure that farm laborers wear proper protective clothing, know what kind of chemicals they're dealing with, and don't ulation.

return to treated crop land too early. Those rules take effect this April.

But without data, the auditors said, there's little to support future claims by the government that it is permitting only safe pesticides to be used and is protecting the workers who use them.

An estimated 3.2 million to 4 million farmers, farm workers and families may be exposed to pesticides through direct handling or contact with crop residues, the report said.

The report notes EPA estimates that at least 20,000 people become ill from occupational exposure to pesticides each year. Other estimates range as high as

The EPA estimate is based on data from California, the only state with a comprehensive monitoring and

data collection system, the report says. But the California system is also expensive, financed

As is the case everywhere, workers have to recognize that they are ill and seek medical care, if any is available and they want to risk losing their jobs or missing

work. That's a real problem with migrant workers. Doctors have to make a frequently difficult diagnosis and report the illness. Although doctors may not mind reporting measles or other ailments to authorities, reporting an occupational disease can cause hassles with bureaucrats, enforcement authorities and lawyers.

"That chain is fragile," said Dr. Lynn Goldman, a former California health official now in charge of pesticide matters at the EPA.

Still, more extensive reporting does more than gather numbers. It helps identify unforeseen health problems when pesticides are approved.

Ordin mentions the discovery that firefighters risked pesticide exposure when putting out blazes at nurseries. The longer officials work at pinpointing the numbers, the harder they realize it is - not just for farmworkers,

but everyone. "It's extraordinarily difficult and nearly impossible in the occupational setting," said Dennis Perrotta, chief of the bureau of epidemiology at the Texas Department of Health. "And I would probably say that it is impossible, or closer to impossible, to find that for the general pop-

### Sushi bar staple grown off Maine coast as seaweed farming firm seeks market

By GLENN ADAMS **Associated Press Writer** 

EASTPORT, Maine (AP) - Swim aside, sardines. Stand back, salmon. Seaweed is moving in as this busy little fishing burg's latest treat from yezoensis. the deep.

A new company is growing the Japanese variety of nori - a staple of sushi bars - in waters better known for salmon aquaculture and the herring that used to supply a number of sardine canning plants.

Coastal Plantations International Inc. claims to be the only seaweed farming company in North America. Its president and chief executive officer, Ira Levine, says most of America's nori comes from Japan, China and Korea, where it is grown in abundance and considered an everyday food.

Growing the plants on 6- by 60foot nets suspended in the cold waters off the nation's easternmost city, Coastal Plantations hopes to produce 1 percent of the nori consumed in the United States this year.

Within three years, Levine hopes to capture 10 percent of the domestic market - that is, if Americans take to commercial use. eating the nutrient-rich seaweed with soup and salads and using it to flavor hamburgers and make tea.

The cultivated seaweed grows into what resembles a dark red-brown, leafy lettuce. It's grown up to 10 inches before it's clipped and taken to a factory where the clippings are chopped and dried to form 8-by 8inch sheets. The worldwide market is estimated at 12 to 15 billion

Those who prefer nori by itself can break pieces off the dry, paperthin sheets. Place a piece on your tongue and it melts in your mouth.

Levine, who describes the taste as nutty, roasty, smoky," said nori has been known for its medicinal qualities since 3,000 B.C.

It is known to lower cholesterol, and studies are being done on its ability to cure stomach cancer and ulcers, said Levine, who has a doctorate in seaweed farming and teaches at the University of Southern

An earlier attempt to farm nori, aided by University of Washington researchers, failed to work in the 1980s because of a lack of aquaculture lease sites on the West Coast.

Levine, then an aquaculture consultant, was looking for an opportu-

found ample seaweed farming left by the sardine industry. grounds off Maine's rocky coast and had the advantage of other Americans' experience growing the plant,

Last fall, Coastal Plantations reaped its first harvest in its second year in the business - only a third as long as it took the Western growers to reach that point.

"Our learning curve is steep, but not as steep as other people's," said Steve Crawford, who oversees operations at the company's Eastport plant, a former sardine cannery jutting over Cobscook Bay.

Crawford, who has been in fish aquaculture for 23 years and once ran the largest catfish farm in Oklahoma, had obtained aquaculture permits and had set up a processing plant by the time Levine came on the scene and Coastal Plantations was formed in 1992

Coastal Plantations has leases to grow nori on 80 acres of the bay, parts of which resemble a floating checkerboard where salmon and rainbow trout are also grown for

Maine's growing season runs from June to December, when the water matches the temperatures of Tokyo Bay where Japanese grow nori from

January to June. Levine hopes to be an active play-

lar in America, is cultivated in a multistage process.

is poured on scores of scallop and oyster shells.

stage for the seaweed-cultivation process.

Then the nets are placed in aquaculture lease sites.

By The Associated Press

SOME FACTS ABOUT NORI

Nori, a tasty seaweed long popular in the Orient and increasingly popu-

In Maine, the process starts with a furry ball of imported Japanese sea-

The shells are suspended for months in pools of water kept at tempera-

Maine's growing season is during the warmer months, when the water

Through manipulation of temperatures and light, hairlike filaments

Just before the filaments release their seeds, the shells are put into a

large tank built to accommodate 6- by 60-foot nets. The tiny seeds attach

themselves to the huge nets as they are immersed in the vat, setting the

Cultivated nori grows into what resembles a dark red-brown, leafy let-

Nori clippings are taken to the factory, where they are chopped and

piped onto a machine that dries the nori and produces neat, 8-by-8-inch

tuce. It is allowed to grow up to 10 inches long before it's clipped.

temperatures match those of Japan during its winter and growing season.

grow on the shells and produce millions of microscopic spores, or seeds.

tures simulating those of nori's native Tokyo Bay in the summer.

weed, smaller than a fingertip, which is emulsified in a blender. The fluid

nity to start his own business. He which has been filling the vacuum

For a century, sardine canning, which has nearly disappeared in the last few decades, was the major whose scientific name is Porphyra industry in the town of nearly 2,000 people.

Levine's company has applied for nori-cultivation leases on 140 acres of water off Eastport where others could grow nori for Coastal Plantations.

The salmon farmers, according to Levine, are likely prospects. The two products, he says, complement each other, since nori thrives on salmon excrement. By placing nori plantations around salmon aquaculture sites, salmon farmers would cleanse the water of salmon waste while nourishing the nori.

"This is not just a seaweed company," said Levine, whose company will work to genetically improve the four local species of nori with hopes of making them more palatable and commercially viable.

Like tobacco, the world market price of nori is fixed regularly on the basis of quality. At the health food store or sushi bar, prices for the poorest quality nori are 19 cents a sheet; the best sheets can cost \$10 each. Coastal Plantations' midrange nori is running 45-60 cents a sheet.

The company produced about 100,000 "sheets" in 1993. "This year, we will make 3 million er in the local sea-farming industry sheets," said Crawford.

### Ag briefs

WASHINGTON (AP) - Answer- ber 1992 was 7 percent higher. ing demands from timber-starved raw wood imported into the United

States. Glen Lee, deputy administrator for plant protection at the Agriculture Department's Animal Plant and Health Inspection Service, said the regulations would help safeguard smaller increments. U.S. forests from pests and disease

in imported timber. from Chile and New Zealand and the former Soviet Union larch and fir logs from Siberia.

planning to expand them to raw timber from other areas, too.

The regulations would require that United States. the bark of the logs be stripped off and that they be fumigated with a pesticide and stored in cargo areas below ship decks. The rules would apply to lumber, wood chips and some wood packing materials, the department said.

In the past, the U.S. government had no policy on log imports from Chile, so shipments were dealt with one by one. USDA estimated in November that an estimated \$6 million of Chilean pine would be imported annually, under the new rules.

Public hearings are on the proposal are to be held next month in Oregon and Washington, D.C.

Comments on docket No. 91-074-3 may be sent to: Chief, Regulatory Analysis and Development, PPD, APHIS, USDA, Room 804, Federal Building, 6505 Belcrest Road, would pose a risk. Hyattsville, Md., 20782.

WASHINGTON (AP) - The U.S. agricultural trade surplus in November rose 4 percent from a month earwas still 4 percent below 1992 lev- statement. els at the same point, the govern-

percent increase in exports from October helped create the larger surplus, according to the Agriculture Department's latest U.S. Agricultur-

al Trade Update. However, the surplus in Novem- country.

WASHINGTON (AP) - Three

Agriculture Department researchers

got a clue to how eagerly their work

was awaited when almost 8,000

inhabitants of a small town in Brazil

The people of Envira, in the

Brazilian rain forest, were desperate

for relief from the millions of

aggressive, stinging fire ants that had

"It's not an exaggeration to say

that the ants were overrunning the

place," said entomologist David

Williams. "We found some colonies

with more than a million ants inside.

I've been studying fire ants for 17

years, and I've never seen anything

The mayor said almost every fami-

tiny, reddish-brown, voracious seen.

ly had had children attacked by the

insects. Children had to be kept

besieged them for several years.

By MARGARET SCHERF

**Associated Press Writer** 

greeted them at an air strip.

Surplus levels in 1993 generally mills in the Pacific Northwest, the were more moderate than the year Clinton administration is planning to before – the highs were not as high establish permanent rules governing and the lows not as low - with the cumulative total through November reaching \$15.9 billion.

Soybean meal exports jumped 48 percent to \$137 million in November. Tobacco, beef and veal shipments also increased, but by much

Exports of grain and feed, horticultural products, nuts and poultry APHIS set out an interim inspec- all fell. Wheat exports were higher tion and treatment program in than October shipments and more November to guard against plant than 1992 totals, due to large purpests in iradiata pine logs imported chases from China and republics of expected to increase with the pas-

Now, USDA is proposing the reg-former Soviet republics caused corn said. ulations be made permanent and is exports to decline 4 percent from October. The Netherlands was the largest buyer of soybeans from the

Although calendar-year imports were unchanged from 1992 at \$22.6 billion, November imports fell 2 percent to just over \$2 billion.

Coffee and juice imports declined the most, with increases in imports of fresh and frozen produce.

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Agriculture Department says it may expand the list of fruits and vegetables allowed for importation.

The department plans to publish a list this spring that will include produce already allowed for importation as well as new items not considered a risk to U.S. agriculture because of pests they may carry.

In addition, importers can write to the department requesting that other items be included, and USDA scientists will examine whether these "Only produce that poses no sig-

nificant risk of introducing new pests will be added to the list," Lonnie J. King, acting administrator of the department's Animal and Plant lier, but the 1993 cumulative total Health Inspection Service, said in a

"We want to give importers and A 2 percent drop in imports and a add to the list of allowed fruits and vegetables," King said. Once the department settles on a

final version of the list, only fruit U.S. entomologists show Brazilians how to fight fire ants

The researchers put an eradication

September, Williams and his two could not be used.

process into effect and taught the

inhabitants how to continue it so the

companions were armed with 2,000

pounds of bait containing an insect

growth regulator that inhibits the

development of worker fire ants, said

a report in this month's issue of

USDA's Agricultural Research mag-

ed by the chemical manufacturer

that were about the size of my

desk," Williams said. "It was a sight

to see. There were easily more than a

million ants in each one. They were

the biggest fire ant colonies I've ever

The scientists reassured residents

The bait, called Logic, was donat-

We found some mounds there

ants won't return.

Ciba-Geigy.

WASHINGTON (AP) - Mexico is buying more seafood from the United States, in part to cater to the health-conscious demands of tourists, with a particular appetite for lobster and scallops, the Agriculture Department reports.

During the first nine months of last year, U.S. seafood exports to Mexico were up 62 percent to \$24.7 million, the department said. In addition to tourists' tastes, general growth in Mexico's economy is credited with the increased demand for American fish.

Seafood trade is with Mexico is sage of the North American Free Lower demand in Japan and the Trade Agreement, the department

> WASHINGTON (AP) - Algeria is looking for supplies of durum wheat and semolina, the Agriculture Department says.

> The North African nation normally imports about 2 million tons of durum and semolina annually. But Italy, which has been an important supplier, is selling its product closer to home to keep the European market prices stable, and North American supplies are down, the department said.

> The European Community issued export licenses for 300,000 tons of durum and semolina last year. That's less than 14 percent of what was shipped abroad the previous

WASHINGTON (AP) - U.S. commercial red meat production totaled a record 3.55 billion pounds during December, 3 percent above the previous high set in the same month of 1992.

Beef production totaled 1.95 billion pounds, up 5 percent from December 1992. The average live weight increased 17 pounds to 1,188

Veal production totaled 24 million pounds, down 8 percent from a year ago and tied with December 1973's other interested people a chance to record low. The average live weight was up 23 pounds to 384 pounds.

Pork production, at a record 1.55 billion pounds, was up 2 percent from the previous high set in and vegetables included on it will be December 1992. The average live allowed for importation into this weight was up 3 pounds to 257

They spread 500 pounds of Logic

Logic contains the active ingredi-

ent fenoxycarb, which inhibits devel-

opment of worker fire ants. The

chemical is dissolved in soybean oil

that is then applied to corn granules.

Worker fire ants carry the granules

back to their nest and feed them to

the queen. She continues to lay eggs,

but they never develop into worker

present die and are not replaced.

additional treatments during the

rainy season in February and again

and the colony collapses.

ants. Eventually, workers that are

indoors and residents couldn't raise at a town meeting that the insect

Arriving in the village last spreaders in areas where the tractor

and livestock.

### Wind energy project could provide power to thousands of homes in Texas by 1996

EL PASO (AP) - A planned alterbines and operate the project. native energy project will provide power for thousands of Texas homes beginning in 1996 by harnessing the Guadalupe Pass region's perpetual

Texas' growing power needs, which of electricity, enough to power nology will drive the price down to are pushing the state toward becoming an energy importer as both population and industry increase, said Ron Calhoun, a Texas General Land Office spokesman.

(Land Commissioner Garry) Mauro is convinced that wind power a lot of wind out there and a lot of sun out there."

As many as 750 turbines could eventually be installed as part of power, which will provide the tur- mechanical engineering professor, Canyon.

The first phase of the wind farm, located about 10 miles south of that will go online in 1996. It will be The project could help meet capable of generating 50 megawatts versity of Texas-El Paso. New tech-15,000 homes.

The second phase, which won't be competitive, he said. built until the project's effectiveness is determined, would generate 200 megawatts, enough for 60,000 homes.

The Guadalupe Pass area is one is one of the ways we can produce the best regions for wind energy as electricity used in Texas. Even so, this energy," Calhoun said. "There's it has one of the state's highest concentrations of Class 5 wind power – an average breeze of 17 mph, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

"and we have the land and the need

to do it." The cost of creating wind energy Guadalupe Pass and 100 miles east has dropped in the last decade from of El Paso, will include 150 turbines 30 cents a kilowatt hour to 7 cents a kilowatt hour, said Swift of the Uni-4-5 cents, making wind power more

The cost of electricity produced by burning fossil fuels is between 5 and 7 cents.

Mauro has said wind power could potentially provide 10 percent of the there will remain a need for other

energy sources. "It's not a question of one thing supplanting another. We're going "Texas has a huge wind resource, to have to use everything we've the joint venture by the land enough to make many times the got," said Vaughn Nelson, direcoffice, the Lower Colorado River energy needs of Texas, so we could tor of the Alternative Energy Authority and Kenetech Wind- export," said Andrew Swift, a Institute at West Texas A&M in

### Year-end economic surge best in six years

finished 1993 with the kind of robust growth not seen since Ronald Reagan was president. Clinton administration officials basked in the glow of the report Friday and the stock market surged into record The gross domestic product - the total

of all goods and services produced in the United States - grew at brisk 5.9 percent annual rate in the fourth quarter, the Commerce Department said. "You can't get much more solid and

steady growth than that," Treasury Secregrowth regulator is safe for people tary Lloyd Bentsen told the U.S. Conference of Mayors.

It was the fastest growth since the end on as much of the 2,400-acre town as of 1987, 2 1/2 years before the start of the they could with a tractor and hand- 1990-91 recession. And, it was accompanied by mild infla-

tion. A price measure tied to the GDP advanced at a scant 1.3 percent annual rate in the fourth quarter, the second-lowest quarterly rate since 1967. The combination touched off rallies in

both the stock and bond markets.

"It is the best of almost all possible worlds. ... It is hard to imagine ... economic circumstances that could be any better," said economist David Jones of Aubrey G. Lanston & Co.

For all of 1993, GDP grew 2.9 percent, Without workers, the queen also dies the best gain in five years.

At the White House, spokesman Mark Williams said the remaining 1,500 Gearan said, "We're delighted," and pounds of chemical will be used for attributed the growth to the administration's deficit-reduction program, which he said resulted in lower interest rates.

But, Robert E. Rubin, director of the

WASHINGTON (AP) - The economy president's National Economic Council, told reporters at a breakfast that "the fourth quarter is aberrational for all kinds of reasons."

A third of the growth came from catchup production by auto companies to restock depleted inventories and from a rebound in crop production from the summer's flooding in the Midwest and drought in the Southeast, according to Commerce Department chief economist Lewis Alexander. And inflation was held down by a sharp drop in crude oil prices.

"We're quite confident we're in a sort of sustainable, healthy recovery but there's no question the 5.9 number is unusual and no one expects that to continue," Alexander said.

Government purchases, held back by the downsizing of the military, and the nation's trade performance both detracted from growth in the fourth quarter. But almost everything else that could have gone right did.

\*Housing construction, spurred by mortgage rates near 25-year lows, advanced at a 31.7 percent rate. That in turn fueled spending on furniture and appliances.

Consumer spending overall was up 4 percent, including a 14.3 percent advance for durable goods — the big-ticket items expected to last three or more years.

Businesses increased their investment spending at a 21 percent rate, the strongest pace since 1978. Purchases of computers and other efficiency-enhancing equipment rose at a 24.6 percent rate. Even the longmoribund commercial construction sector advanced, at a 10.7 percent rate.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF SHERIFFS SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF GRAY By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable Justice Court, Precinct No. 2, Gray County, Texas on the 21st day of September, 1993 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of CREED LAMB vs ANNA HILL CROW and J.A. HILL ESTATE, Cause No. SC-5852 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the 1 day of February, 1993 which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the OFFICIAL door of the courthouse of said Gray County, in the City of PAMPA, Texas, the following

described property, to-wit: Tract I: All of that certain tract of land being the East 57.5 feet of Lots Nos. 17-20, of the ORIGI-NAL TOWN of McLean, Gray County, Texas; more particularly described as 512 West 4th McLean, Texas; and

Tract II: That certain mineral lease located in the South one-half (\$/2) of Section 9, Block 3, B&B Lss. containing 65 acres, more or less. Levied on the 15 day of December, 1993 as the property of ANNA HILL CROW and J.A. HILL ESTATE to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$1,230.00 with interest from the 21st day of September, 1993 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of CREED LAMB GIVEN UNDER MY HAND this

16 day of December, 1993. Randy Stubblefield Sheriff/Constable Gray County, Texas By: Jim McDonald

Jan. 16, 23, 30, 1994

806/323-5393. Bids should be submitted in lots of 1,5,10,20 or the entire lot and are due in the office of Superinten-Canadian Independent School District, 800 Hillside, Canadian, Texas 79014 by 4:00 p.m. on Monday, February 14, 1994. Please mark "Cooler Bid" on the outside of the envelope. Bids will be considered at that time. The coolers must be picked up by February 25,1994. Canadian Independent School District reserves the right to reject any or Jan. 23,30,1994

LEGAL NOTICE Notice to file rendition statements, property reports, appli-cations for qualified open-space land valuation, applications for exemptions, availability of forms and procedure for the determination of the quantity of property held in inventory.

To all persons owning or control-ling, as agents or otherwise, any personal or real property subject to appraisal by the Gray County Appraisal District, I, W. Pat Bagley, Chief Appraiser for the said Gray-County Appraisal District, pursuant to Section 11.43 Chapter 11, Section 22.21 Chapter 22, Section 23.43; and Section 23.54 Chapter 23, Texas Property Tax Code, Hereby give notice on behalf of Gray County Appraisal District, a political subdivision of the State of Texas, whose properties are appraised by the Chief Appraiser for the Gray County Appraisal District, to said owners and agents to file all rendition statements, property reports, appli-cation for qualified open-space land valuations and applications fo Appraiser on or before April 1, 1994 at 815 North Sumner, Post Office Box 836, Pampa, Texas, 79066-0836. All forms are available upon request at the said address. The Gray County Appraisal District hereby establishes a procedure for the determination of the value of the personal property on January 1, 1994 as property on January 1, 1994 as required by Section 23.12 Chapter 23, Texas Property Tax Code. The value of personal property such as inventory, equipment, determined by rendition, observation by the roperties, pertinent records of the business and any other reasonable approach that will accurately reflect the market value of person al property The State of Texas County of Gray

Jan. 30, 1994 LEGAL NOTICE

Taxes Chapter 33, Section 33.06 Texas Property Tax Code.

An individual is entitled to defer collection of taxes or abate a suit to collect a delinquent tax assessed against his residence homestead if e is 65 years of age or older and owns and occupies the residence as his homestead

To obtain a deferral, an individual must file an affidavit with the chief appraiser stating the fact that the person has attained the age of 65 and owns and occupies the property as his residence.

To obtain an abatement, the individual must file in the court in which suit is pending an affidavit stating that the person has attained the age of 65 and owns and occupies the property as his residence. Affidavits for deferral are available at the Gray County Appraisal District Office at 815 North Sumner, Pampa, Texas, phone number 665-0791. The State of Texas County of Gray

Jan. 30, 1994 A-29

The terms of office for the following places on the Board of Directors of Education Service Center. Region XVI (1601 S. Cleveland, xpire on May 31, 1994. Place 1 Armstrong, Briscoe, Carson Donley, Randall (that part included in the boundaries of arillo ISD), and Swisher.

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Eligible persons may file in person at the office of the Executive Director (1601 S. Cleveland. Amarillo) during regular office hours beginning on Tuesday, February 1, 1994 at 8:00 a.m. and ending on Sunday, February 20, 1994, at 5:00 p.m.. Upon request, a filing form can be secured and returned as outlined above or by certified mail postmarked no later than midnight February 20, 1994 (telephone 376-5521; mailing address - Box 30600, Amarillo, TX 79120). Eligibility: not less than 18 years of age, U.S. citizen, resident of counties to be repre-sented, not a professional educator, not a professional educator, not currently a local school board member or higher education board member, and not a vendor serving education service centers in Texas. Jan. 28, 30, 31, 1994

### 1c Memorials

ACT I - Area Community Theater Inc. P.O. Box 379, Pampa Texas

ADULT Literacy Council, P.O. Box 2022, Pampa, Tx. 79066.

AGAPE Assistance, P. O. Box 2397, Pampa, Tx. 79066-2397. ALZHEIMER'S Disease and

Related Disorders Assn., P.O. Box 2234, Pampa, Tx. 79066.

AMERICAN Cancer Society, c/o Mrs. Kenneth Walters, 1418 N. Dwight, Pampa, Tx.

AMERICAN Diabetes Assn., 8140 N. MoPac Bldg. 1 Suite 130, Austin, TX 78759.

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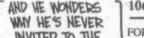
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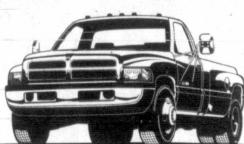
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### Go ahead, pick a card, any card - for national health care

By JEFFREY BAIR **Associated Press Writer** 

President Clinton holds all the cards in the administration's campaign to give each American a uniform health insurance identifier.

His health reform agenda, which is bound to spawn a medical bureaucracy into the next century, includes an obscure but important detail - the need for factories that can churn out plastic "Health Security" cards guaranteeing access to care.

The card, which will resemble a credit card, is likely to become a staple of every wallet, as common as a Social Security card and driver's license. But who makes the card, and what type of information it conveys, aren't yet clear.

The information question is particularly important because of the sensitive nature of personal medical histories and the potential for abuse by thieves, counterfeiters and other con artists.

The health card will provide access to databases that not only contain a person's height and weight, but records of medications, substance abuse, mental health and family histories.

Still, the uncertainty about the cards hasn't deterred an intense competition for this potentially lucrative government work.

The battle lines have been drawn between producers of the magneticstripe card, which is the format for credit cards and automated banking cards, and two newer technologies - the smart card and optical card.

The stripe card is the least expensive, costing 50 cents to \$1.50 each and holding the equivalent of a few lines of type. Data is stored on magnetic tape on one side.

The smart card contains a silicon chip that's read with a computer, and will hold three to four pages of typewritten data. Popular in Europe, the card's U.S. use largely has been limited to military bases or colleges.

Smart cards cost about \$1.50 each, but can cost much more. A Wyoming food-aid program, for example, paid \$10.34 apiece for smart cards.

The harder-to-find optical cards cost about \$4 each and are similar to smart cards, except they're read with expensive lasers. Optical cards hold the most information of any card. Just one, for example, can hold three texts of John Grisham's The Pelican Brief.

The Clinton "Health Security" blueprint says the card will be a magnetic-stripe card that contains a personal identification number and the name of an individual's health plan.

That doesn't mean the smart card

tion. Smart-card manufacturers have Plasticard Inc., he said magnetichired a congressional lobbyist.

Moreover, the administration has shown interest in smart cards. A member of Clinton's health task force inquired about a plan to issue smart cards for health insurance in North Dakota, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming and Nevada, said Tom Singer, research director at the Westem Governor's Association.

Vice President Al Gore, the administration's lead proponent of the computerized information age, has said the smart card is the best way to deliver government benefits.

The International Card Manufacturers Association, which represents stripe- and smart-card makers, is neutral on which card should be ruptions. used, Association President Robert Blum said.

stripe cards will be adequate.

"The job would have to be broken up among a number of manufacturers, and it would take them awhile," he said in a telephone interview from Littleton, Colo. "I certainly couldn't do it alone.'

If a magnetic-stripe card is used, a obtain an account number from the card to tap into a computer medical file over a telephone line. The Clinton book said access to records will be is based on simple algorithms that limited to health professionals "who have a legitimate need to see them."

security of such a network is vulnerable to abuse and telephone-line dis-

"That system will be breached. No doubt about that," said Stephen Price-

Makers of the newer cards say the

has been eliminated from considera- dent of stripe-card maker Colorado manager for Canon Inc.'s optical cards.

"What if a company doesn't want to hire someone with AIDS? All they have to do is look at what medications that person has taken, and they will know right away," said Janet Sayles-Falls, executive director of the Smart Card Industry Association.

A security consultant to stripe-card makers said the claim that smart doctor's office or hospital would cards are safer than stripe cards is nonsense. He said the smart card can be copied easily.

"The simple, low-cost smart card can be broken by any hacker," said Denise Jeffreys, president of XTEC Inc. of Miami. Jeffreys also acknowledged that many stripe cards can be compromised "with equipment you can buy at any Radio Shack."

Patients with smart or optical cards would carry their medical life stories. But under his other hat, as presi- Francis, North American marketing But losing the card could mean

rebuilding your story.

In Oklahoma City, smart cards are already sold as portable file cabinets for medical information. Eight pharmacies last year began selling the \$10-a-year Medicard smart card.

Seven hospitals and an ambulance fleet installed Medicard readers so they can quickly obtain information such as histories of heart trouble or epilepsy, doctors' phone numbers and names of relatives.

"It's the coming thing \( \neq \) I'm telling all my friends about it," said Ed Taylor, a retired Oklahoma City oil worker whose card lists his medications and allergies including aspirin and bee stings.

Oklahoma City pharmacist Jim Brakebill said his store performs about one transaction a day with the red Medicards. If customers visit another druggist while out of town, Jim's Tower Pharmacy will perform a 30-second Medicard update at no

charge when they return.

Brakebill said two dozen doctors he knows are installing smart-card readers to obtain patient information more quickly.

"Who among us hasn't had to go to the doctor and sit down and fill out the same forms out every time? What a pain," said Sayles-Falls of the smart card group.

Talk of a national identification card also raises questions about government intrusions. One health-care consultant said the key question is not which card will be used, but rather whether any card should be issued at all.

"Whenever you get any kind of card authorized by the government, people freak out, correctly or not." said Grace-Marie Arnett, president of Arnett & Co. in Washington. "And the civil libertarians go nuts. Americans rebel against any type of state control."

### COMPARING STRIPE, SMART AND OPTICAL CARDS

By The Associated Press

Inc. of Miami.

Facts about the types of cards whose makers are competing to produce the national health care card:

MAGNETIC STRIPE CARDS - Major producers NBS Card Services Inc. of South Plainfield, N.J.; and Colorado Plasticard Inc. of Littleton, Colo. ... Used in the United States as credit cards, debit cards, automated-teller cards, drivers licenses, workplace identification cards and health insurance cards. ... Readers are relatively inexpensive and widely available. ... Vulnerable to loss of data if the stripes are scratched with paper clips or keys or the cards come near small appliances or magnetic door catches. ... Nearly one in 10 transactions fails because of card damage, according to card security specialist XTEC

SMART CARDS - Major producers include AT&T; DataCard Corp. of suburban Minneapolis; Gemplus Card International Corp., of France; Dallas-based MicroCard Technologies Inc., a subsidiary of France's Group Bull; and Toshiba Corp. of Tokyo ... First worldwide patent issued to French journalist Roland are Malco Plastics of Baltimore; Perfect Plastic of Moreno in 1974. ... Marine recruits in Parris Island, Chicago; Kirk Plastic of Rancho Domingo, Calif.; S.C., and Club Med vacationers have bought supplies with smart cards.

> OPTICAL CARDS - Major producers include Canon Inc. of Tokyo; LaserCard Systems Corp. of Mountain View, Calif., a subsidiary of Drexler Technology Corp. of Mountain View; and Dai Nippon Printing Co. of Tokyo. ... Invented by Laser-Card founder Jerry Drexler in 1981. ... Used for health insurance in parts of Scotland and Taiwan. Has enough memory to hold a complete medical history and a digital image of a patient's face for

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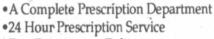
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