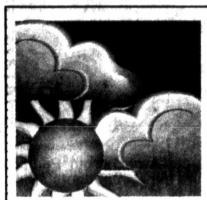
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Low tonight in mid 20s. High tomorrow near 60. See Page 2 for weather details.

Wilson Elementary School will be hosting a practical parenting workshop on Thursday, Jan. **3**0, at 6:30 p.m. in the Wilson cafeteria. Expressing and communicating feelings and emotions will be the subject.

Refreshments will be served and child care will be provided.

For more information, call Delma Holguin at 669-4970.

PAMPA — The Pampa Independent School Board has announced the special meeting called for Thursday, Jan. 30, has been canceled.

The school board will call another meeting at a later date to cover the items on the canceled agenda.

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. George W. Bush has signed

It's the first bill of the 1997 legislative session to be signed and became law immediately upon the governor's signature.

"No Texans should have to live in fear of a stalker and I am pleased that legislators acted to restore this important protection," Bush said

Tuesday. Bush spokeswoman Karen Hughes said the governor will hold a ceremony to mark the bill's signing later this week. She said he wanted to sign it as quickly as possible to put the law into

effect. "That's great. That's what he should have done," said Rep. Brian McCall, R-Plano and a sponsor of the law. "There was no protection

before the signature." The Texas Court of Criminal Appeals last year ruled the state's former antistalking law unconstitutional. Bush made replacing the law an emergency issue for state lawmakers, who began their session Jan. 14.

LUFKIN – Registration is currently under way for the Teacher's Conservation Institute, a week-long summer workshop for teachers interested in environmental edu-

The Institute provides hands-on practical exercises to supplement classroom curricula and student projects for teachers of any subject from kindergarten through 12th grade, as well as education administrators, youth program leaders, nature center employees, science coordinators and librarians. Three hours of graduate credit will be available.

For a free brochure or more information on the workshop, contact the Texas Forestry Association at (409) 632-TREE or write P.O. Box 1488, Lufkin, Texas 75901.

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Trial begins for Hanks in slaying case

By DAVID BOWSER **Staff Writer**

Testimony was expected to continue today in the murder trial of William Harley Hanks in connection with the shotgun slaying of his brother-in-law, Salvador Rodriguez.

The seven-man, five-woman jury listened intently Tuesday afternoon to a tape-recorded statement by Hanks in which he described shooting Rodriguez in the face with a 20-gauge shotgun as the two stood in the living room of Hanks' home at 317 Miami on the night of Oct. 25, 1995.

"I wouldn't have shot him if he hadn't threatened me first," the agitated voice of Hanks repeated from a tape recorder played in the courtroom.

The statement was recorded by Pampa Police Detective Terry Young only hours after the shoot-

Hanks sat silently in the courtroom, looking at his hands in his lap, as the jury listened to his recorded voice describe the events of the fatal evening.

In an emotion-filled voice recorded shortly before 4 a.m. Oct. 26, 1995, less than five hours after of the man's waistband. the shooting, Hanks told detectives that he and friends had been drinking beer, and Rodriguez had joined them at Hanks' house

the night of the shooting. The jury listened to the recording of Hanks telling Detectives Young and Bracie King that Rodriguez was drunk and belligerent that night.

"He was a coke freak," the recorded voice echoed through the 31st District Court of Judge M. Kent Sims.

In his recorded statement to police. Hanks said that Rodriguez was armed with two pistols, a .44 and a .357 magnum, and that Rodriguez had threatened him with them.

Hanks said that when Rodriguez was intoxicated, he wanted to fight with everybody and that on several occasions in the preceding year and a half, Rodriguez had threatened to beat the slightly built Hanks. Hanks was 18 years old at the time of the shooting. Rodriguez was 23. The wives of the men were sisters.

Hanks said in his recorded statement that he was afraid of the jury on Thursday.

Rodriguez.

Earlier Tuesday, as testimony began, the jury heard from a trauma nurse, Jan Dickson, from Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, concerning the wound to Rodriguez' head.

Pampa Police Officer Shawn Fulager testified that he was at Allsup's convenience store at 140 S. Starkweather about 11 p.m. the night of Oct. 25, 1995, when a woman came into the store and asked for help saying, "He's got a gun. There's a man been shot."

Fulager said he followed the woman back to Hanks' house, where he was met by Hanks, who was in the front yard smoking a cigarette.

The Pampa patrolman said Hanks told him, "I shot him. He had a gun, and I was defending

Fulager said he went inside the home, where he found an Hispanic male lying on his back on the living room floor staring blankly at the ceiling.

"I saw a pool of thick, bright red blood around his head," Fulager

The police officer also said he saw the butt of a pistol sticking out

Tammie Davis, 23, who now lives in Mississippi and who was identified as the woman who summoned Fulager, testified that she had been drinking beer that night with a group including her husband, Mike, and Hanks.

Testimony ended Tuesday with defense attorney Harold Comer questioning the discrepancies in two statements given to police by Mike Davis, Tammie Davis' husband, following the shooting.

Young testified that Davis told him in a statement taken early the morning of Oct. 26 that he had grabbed the barrel of the shotgun Hanks was holding, and it went

In a second statement taken later that afternoon, Davis told police he had grabbed the barrel of the shotgun, looked at Hanks' face and let go. His second statement said Hanks walked around Davis, and Davis then heard the shotgun

District Attorney John Mann said he expected testimony in the case to last through today and that the case would most likely go to

Source: Saddam orders more training exercises

WASHINGTON (AP) – Iraqi President Saddam Hussein has ordered a large number of training exercises for his troops and put his wife under house arrest and is pondering invading Kuwait, a senior U.S. military officer says.

White House spokesman Mike McCurry, asked about the report, said today: "I am not aware of anything that would suggest any offensive designs"

on Saddam's part. The officer, speaking Tuesday with Pentagon reporters on condition of anonymity, quoted unnamed intelligence sources as telling U.S. officials the Iraqi leader "comes in every morning and makes a decision" on whether his forces should move

toward Kuwait. He cautioned that he did not believe the high level of training means Iraq will "attack tomor-

row morning.' The officer said Iraq's air and ground forces have maintained a rapid pace of training over the past several weeks, presumably to educate new commanders put in place after a recent military purge

The officer called Saddam "irrational" and a man who could "drive his commanders ... to go south" toward Kuwait.

"We watch his movements very carefully every night," the officer said.

Last week, a leading Iraqi opposition figure said Saddam's security forces had arrested about 600 people, including more than 20 senior military officers and officials, since the assassination attempt on his eldest son and heir apparent,

McCurry, asked about the goings-on in Iraq, replied, There is a great deal of complicated internal struggles for

Asked if the United States was aware of internal power struggles, McCurry said, "No. I'm saying there have been some things that have happened there recently - the attack upon Hussein's son - there are obviously things that have been reported publicly that would indicate that there are some



Pampa United Way celebrates campaign victory at annual meeting and luncheon

The Pampa United Way held teer campaign workers. its annual Awards Luncheon and Annual Meeting on Tuesday, having a victory celebration for exceeding its fundraising goal for the 1996 cam-sions was magnificent."

paign drive. Meeting in the M.K. Brown Room of the Pampa Community Building, United Way board members, campaign volunteers, agency representatives and others gathered to mark a successful drive which saw pledges and donations exceed the goal of \$315,000 to provide funding

assistance to 17 agencies. Jack Reeve, who served as the 1996 campaign chairman, praised the efforts of the volun-

"As you can see by our banner behind us, we went 8.5 percent over our goal to \$341,600," he said. "Each of our working divi-

Kim Hill presented Reeve with a plaque in appreciation of his efforts in guiding the very successful 1996 drive.

Hill also presented United Way Executive Administrator Katrina Bigham with a plaque in appreciation of the hard work Bigham has provided in her 10 years working in the Pampa United Way office.

In business items, the assemblage approved minutes from

last year's meeting, accepted new board members and approved an amendment to the by-laws modifying the surplus funds requirements to match changes in accounting require-United Way Board President ments for non-profit corpora-

Elected as new board members for three-year terms were lack Reeve, Jan Oblak, Jeff Andrews, Bob Marx and Bob White.

The other board members also were recognized: Kim Hill, James Scroggins, Michael Trimble, Porter Briggs, Dr. Jerry Lane, Bob Eskridge, Karen Heare, Curt Beck, Jane Steele and Chuck White.

David Gantz was recognized as the 1997 drive chairman, taking over the reins from Reeve.

Serving as the new Executive Committee for the coming year will be Bob White, president; Karen Heare, vice president; and leff Andrews, treasurer.

Reeve also recognized the agencies that will be receiving the United Way assistance: American Red Cross, Big Brothers Big Sisters, Boy Scouts Golden Spread Council, The Bridge, Community Day Care Center, Genesis House, Texas Plains Girl Scouts Council, Gray County Child Protective Services, Gray County Latch Key, High Plains Epilepsy, Pampa Meals on Wheels, Pampa Sheltered Workshop, Pastoral Counseling, The Salvation Army, Southside Senior Citizens Center, Texas Panhandle Mental Health Authority and Tralee Crisis Center.

Most of the meeting was dedicated to honoring the campaign workers and special supporters for the 1996 drive.

"Everyone here and many people not here today made this year's campaign a success," Reeve said. "Thank you for those

See UNITED WAY, Page 3

Gray County commissioners to meet Friday

(Pampa News photo by Darlene Holmes)

Karen Heare, left, 1996 United Way board secretary/treasur-

er, and Kim Hill, 1996 board president, present United Way

Executive Administrator Katrina Bigham with a bracelet in

honor of her 10 years of service in the United Way office.

Bigham also received a bouquet of flowers from 1996

Gray County commissioners and recommended transfers. will meet in regular session Friday, Jan. 31, at 9 a.m. in the second floor county courtroom.

Campaign Chairman Jack Reeve.

Commissioners will correct Jan. 13 court minutes to reflect the addition of Carla Carter for her signature to the county payroll account and payable accounts at Boatmen's First Bank, and will consider the offer received by the City of Pampa on the sale of delinquent tax property located on North Frost

Under new business commissioners will consider:

• Payment of bills and salaries

 Changes for vehicle insurance coverages as suggested by Bill Bridges.

 Jail Service Agreement between the city and the county. Request of Constable Chris Lockridge to purchase a laptop

computer. Request of Judge Carpenter to change employee from hourly to a monthly salary.

• Naming ex-officio member to the 1997 Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors.

 Interlocal Agreement for Conducting Hearings and Proceedings for court-ordered mental health services with Potter County.

 Allowing County Treasurer to hire a new assistant; and

 Rental contract and agreement with the Farm Service Agency office.

County Judge Richard Peet encourages public attendance to regular ses ions of the Gray County missioners.

Anyon, wishing to bring a matter of concern to the attention of the court must contact his office or appear before the court to request a subject be added to the next agenda. All meetings are open to the public.

Daily Record

Services tomorrow

COTHAM, Palmer C. "Cotton" -Graveside services, 4 p.m., Memory Gardens Cemetery, Pampa.

DANIELS, Mary A. — Graveside services, 2 p.m., Memory Gardens Cemetery, Pampa. **LESTER**, Sam T. — 10 a.m., Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel, Pampa. Graveside services, 2 p.m., Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Wellington.

ROBINSON, Samuel G. Jr. — Graveside April 3, 1924, services, 1 p.m., Chillicothe Cemetery, Chillicothe.

RODGERS, Willie Mae Bagwell — Graveside services, 2 p.m., Claude Cemetery, Claude.

YOUNG, Farris — 2 p.m., Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel, Pampa.

Obituaries

PALMER C. 'COTTON' COTHAM

Palmer C. "Cotton" Cotham, 87, of Pampa, died Wednesday, Jan. 29, 1997. Graveside services will be at 4 p.m. Thursday in Memory Gardens Cemetery with the Rev. Fred Palmer, pastor of The Carpenter's Church, officiating. Burial will be under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Cotham was born May 10, 1909, at Blackburn, Okla. He married Pauline Colgrove Ellington on Sept. 13, 1934; she died March 7, 1991. He had been a Pampa resident since 1946, moving from Kellerville. He worked as a pumper and driller in the oil field for many years and coowned Jones and Associates prior to retiring.

He was preceded in death by a stepson, Bill Ellington, on July 20, 1990; a sister, Edith Brannon; and four brothers, Pink Cotham, Perry Cotham, Leo Cotham and Lindsey Cotham.

Survivors include a daughter and son-in-law, Shirley and James Willson of Pampa, a brother, Deamer Cotham of Cresent City, Calif.; two grandchildren; three step-grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; five step-great-grandchildren; two step-great-great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews and many friends.

MARY A. DANIELS Mary A. Daniels, 72, of Pampa, died Jan. 28, 1997, at Amarillo. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in Memory Gardens Cemetery with the Rev. Rosendo Herrera, associate pastor of St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mrs. Daniels was born Dec. 4, 1924, at McKee's Rocks, Pa. She married Joe T. Daniels on Aug. 21, 1962; he died Aug. 5, 1986. She had been a Pampa resident since the early 1950s, moving from Pennsylvania. She was a Catholic.

Survivors include a daughter, Jackie Bush of Parma, Ohio; three sons, Wendell Ray Potter of San Antonio, Doyle Bruce Potter of Austin and Robert James Potter of Pampa; a sister, Margie Joyce of Ocean Ridge, Fla.; two brothers, Bob Franklin of Placitis, N.M., and H.J. Franklin Jr. of Aliquippa, Pa.; and 12 grandchildren.

SAMUEL G. ROBINSON JR. WICHITA FALLS - Samuel G. Robinson Jr., 69, brother of McLean residents, died Tuesday, Jan. 28, 1997. Graveside services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday in Chillicothe Cemetery at Chillicothe with the Rev. Brian Hughes, minister of First Assembly of God Church, officiating. Burial will be under the direction of Sullivan Funeral Home

Mr. Robinson was born at Tompkinsville, Ky. He had been a Texas Panhandle and Wichita Falls resident most all his life. He retired as section foreman for Fort Worth and Denver Railroad. He was a U.S. Army veteran and member of Lodge #1082 of the Brotherhood of Maintenance and Ways.

Survivors include a daughter, Elizabeth Shorter of Lawton, Okla.; five sons, John Robinson of Lubbock, Rick Robinson of Austin, Mike Robinson of Wichita Falls and Sammy Robinson and Ken Robinson, both of Vernon; three sisters, Ruby Nell Dismuke and Mildred Dalton, both of San Antonio, and Olene Brown of McLean; four brothers, Carter Robinson of Fort Worth, Benny Robinson of McLean and Lewis Weldon Robinson of Lewisville, 17 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

The family will be at 4206 Country Drive in Vernon and will receive visitors from 11:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home WILLIE MAE BAGWELL RODGERS

CLAUDE - Willie Mae Bagwell Rodgers, 96, died Monday, Jan. 27, 1997. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in Claude Cemetery with the Rev. Larry Crumpton of Claude United Methodist Church, officiating Burial will be under the direction of N.S. Griggs and Sons Funeral Directors of Amarillo

Mrs. Rodgers was the last surviving member of the Dr. J.C. Bagwell family. Her parents came to Armstrong County in 1890 from Georgia and settled on Mulberry Flats, part of present day J.A. Ranch, later moving to the Claude area. Mrs. Rodgers earned degrees at West Texas State College as well as a master's degree from the University of Texas She taught in Groom, Claude, Hereford and San Angelo, retiring from the San Angelo school system after 35 years of service. She was a member of Claude United Methodist Church

She was preceded in death by her husband, S.T. Rodgers, in 1977

Survivors include a stepdaughter, Mary Belle Hay of San Angelo, two step-grandsons; and a step-great-grandson

The family requests memorials be to Claude Museum or to Claude Methodist Church.

Fires

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

TUESDAY, Jan 28

2:04 p.m. - Three units and six personnel responded to a motor vehicle accident at 1404 N. Hobart.

Obituaries

FARRIS YOUNG

LEFORS - Farris Young, 72, died Tuesday, Jan. 28, 1997, at Pampa. Services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Earl Maddux, retired Baptist minister, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery at Pampa under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Young was born Covington, Tenn. He married Bonnie Bowman on Dec. 24, 1947, at Vernon. He had been a Lefors resident since 1977, moving from Pampa, and was formerly of Altus, Okla. He was a barber for 37 years, retiring in August of 1996. He was a U.S. Navy

veteran, serving during World War II. He was a former member of Westside Baptist Church of

Survivors include his wife, Bonnie, of the home; two daughters and sons-in-law, Marilyn and Harry Lambright and Debbie and Dwayne Barnes, all of Pampa; three sons and daughtersin-law, Ricky and Patti Young of Skellytown, Mike and Anna Young and Terry and Beth Young, all of Lefors; two sisters, Ruth Hall of Duke, Okla., and Jimmie Lee Wheeler of Oklahoma City, Okla.; a brother, Lewis Young of Altus; 15 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchil-

The family will be at 707 E. Fourth Street in Lefors or at 1037 N. Wells in Pampa.

Sheriff's Office

The Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following incidents and arrests for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

TUESDAY, Jan. 28, Gray County deputies responded to 522 N. Starkweather to assist the Randall County Sheriff's Office.

Gray County deputies responded to 522 N. Starkweather to assist the Potter County Sheriff's Office. Gray County deputies responded to 1505 Ripley on a reported theft.

Arrests Kelly Paige Seratt, 28, 522 N. Starkweather, was arrested on a Potter County warrant for theft by check and issuance of bad checks and a theft warrant from Randall County. She remains in custody. Julie Maul, 26, Clarendon, was arrested on two theft by check warrants from Gray County. She remains in custody.

Ambulance

Rural\Metro reported the following calls for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today. TUESDAY, Jan. 28

2:06 p.m. - A mobile ICU unit responded to 1400 N. Hobart on a motor vehicle accident. No one was transported.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 29 12:08 a.m. - A mobile ICU unit responded to Columbia Medical Center for a patient transfer to

Baptist-St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. 2:30 a.m. – A mobile ICU unit responded to the 600 Block of Graham on a medical assist. One patient

was transported to Columbia Medical Center. 4:45 a.m. – A mobile ICU unit responded to the Columbia Medical Center for a patient transfer to Baptist-St. Anthony's Hospital.

Calendar of events

TRALEE CRISIS **GROUP COUNSELING**

Tralee Crisis Center, 119 N. Frost, is to offer group counseling for battered and abused women 11 a.m. to noon Mondays. Facilitator is Priscilla Kleinpeter, LMFT. For more information, call Ann Hamilton at 669-1131. Space is limited. Call ahead.

PHS SENIOR PARTY **ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING**

An organizational meeting for the 1997 Senior Class All Night Party will be held at 7 p.m. today at the Pampa High School library. All senior parents are encouraged to attend. For more information, call Debbie Cagle at 665-7334.

ALZHEIMERS SUPPORT GROUP The Pampa Alzheimers Support Group will have its next regularly scheduled meeting at 7 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 6, at Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency, 2225 Perryton Pkwy. Dan Snider from Lovett Memorial Library will be speaking on what books and resources are available at the library and how to access them.

CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD The Church of the Good Shepherd, 407 W. Foster, will hold revival services Friday, Jan. 31, through Sunday, Feb. 2, at 7:30 p.m. daily featuring Evangelist Kevin Roberson of San Diego, Calif. The public is invited to attend.

Stocks

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Sen. Teel Bivins, second from left, receives the Golden Apple Award from Pampa Superintendent Dr. Dawson Orr, second from right, and other superintendents from Senate District 31.

Sen. Teel Bivins receives Golden Apple Award

Association of Mid-size Schools (TAMS) presented State Sen. Teel Bivins their Golden Apple Award this week in Austin.

representatives of the 12 midsized schools in Sen. Bivins' legislative district on behalf of all include Andrews, Borger, Education Committee." Dalhart, Denver City, Dumas, Greenwood, Hereford, Kermit, as I am humbled by the enormity Kaufman, a TAMS spokesman.

and Seminole.

children," said TAMS President stand up for what is right. Texas

The Texas Pampa, Perryton, River Road of the challenges that we face setting policy for public education "Teel Bivins is a champion for in Texas," Bivins said.

TAMS is an organization of Dr. Wayne Pierce. "He is known mid-sized public schools and The presentation was made by as a tenacious advocate for edu-represents over 750,000 Texas cation, and will not hesitate to children. The Golden Apple Award is made to public officials is fortunate to have him as chair- who have demonstrated exemmembers of TAMS. The schools man of the important Senate plary support and leadership on behalf of the children of Texas, "I am as honored by this award according to Ron Eubanks of

Southwest wins religious discrimination suit

DALLAS (AP) - A former Southwest Airlines flight attendants says she has no regrets about quitting her job despite losing a lawsuit that alleged the airline refused to accommodate her religious practices.

Vanessa McCauley said her lawsuit was about religious freedom. Herb Kelleher, chief executive of Southwest Airlines, said her motivation was greed, that she sued hoping to get a large in her lawsuit. cash settlement.

"there've been great victories" in pursuing her case.

"I'm honored to have stood for Christians across the nation" against corporate America, she said. "I refused to sell my faith in Jesus Christ for a paycheck.

made this choice.'

There was so much hostility involved in the 10-day trial that freedom. U.S. Magistrate Jane Boyle barred both a plaintiff's witness and a

Ms. McCauley, an ordained minister affiliated with the nondenominational Stepping Stone Family the airline in October 1994 and sought back wages and damages

She said Southwest Airline offi-Jurors Tuesday deliberated cials told her she couldn't wear drape over her uniform. about eight hours before finding her small gold cross necklace Still. Ms. McCauley told the read her Bible or carry it around he said. Worth Star-Telegram, with her while working. She said she resigned rather than comply.

The jury also found for Southwest in a separate libel claim against Kelleher.

Shortly after McCauley filed ance," he testified. the lawsuit in 1995, Kelleher said

istry, not preserve her religious

"We're obviously pleased that the jury heard all the facts and exonerdefense witness from the court- ated the company of all the charges and exonerated Herb Kelleher of all the charges," Southwest attorney Jim Parker said.

Kelleher testified last week that Church of Burleson, resigned from this case was actually about

The executive said McCauley was told she could wear a cross. on a short chain that did not

"Nobody said that Ms. in favor of the airline on Tuesday. while on duty and also couldn't McCauley can't wear her cross," The airline's uniform policy

would prohibit a flight attendant from wearing any necklace outside the uniform, because we try to present a uniform appear-

Southwest policy would also in a letter that she was trying to prevent a flight attendant from "I will never be ashamed that I blackmail the \$2.8 billion-a-year initiating a religious discussion company to start her own min- with a passenger, he added.

Police report

dents and arrest for the 24-hour period ending at 7 broken. a.m. today.

TUESDAY, Jan. 28

Theft of three cartons of cigarettes was reported to 1989 Chevy pickup. at 114 N. Cuyler.

Pampa Middle School reported a disruption of classes incident.

Criminal mischief was reported in the 1100 block tody.

The Pampa Police reported the following inci- of Seneca. Two window panes valued at \$30 were

Criminal mischief was reported at 111 E. Harvester. Approximately \$1,500 damage was done

Arrests Rosalio Bedollo, 39, 1221 Wilcox, was arrested on a charge of public intoxication. He remains in cus-

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FINAL PERFORMANCES of Act I's "Harvey" January 31 and February 1, 7:30 p.m. at Theatre TAX SERVICE: Glenda in Pampa Mall. For reservations

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50% off. Friday only, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Downtown Clarendon, The Nook - for your look in fashion. Adv.

Accidents

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

TUÉSDAY, Jan. 8

A 1987 Chevy I-Rock driven by Manual Susa Zamora, 18, 511 Yeager, and a 1993 Toyota Pickup, driven by Michael Rae Bledsoe, 33, 911 Cinderella, collided at the intersection of Hobart and Harvester. Zamora was cited for failure to yield right of way at stop sign.

Miss your paper? Dial 669-2525 before 7 p.m. weekdays and 10 a.m. Sundays

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

Tonight, fair with a low in mid 20s and light and variable winds. Thursday, sunny with a high near, 60 and southwesterly winds 5-15 mph. High Friday in 60s, warming into 70s by Saturday. Tuesday's high was 46; the overnight low was 28.

REGIONAL FORECAST

West Texas - Panhandle: Tonight, decreasing cloudiness with lows from mid teens to mid 20s. Thursday, sunny with highs Plains: Tonight, mostly cloudy. Lows in low to mid 20s. Thursday, partly cloudy. Highs

in mid to upper 50s

North Texas - Tonight, increasing clouds north and west. Partly cloudy elsewhere. Lows 24 to 28. Thursday, partly cloudy. Highs 53 to 57.

South Texas – Hill Country and South Central: Tonight, fair and cold. Lows in the 20s Hill Country to low 30s south central. Thursday, considerable high cloudiness. Highs in upper 50s Thursday, partly cloudy. Highs elsewhere. from low to upper 50s. South in mid and upper 50s. Coastal Bend and Rio Grande Plains: Tonight, mostly cloudy and cool. Lows in mid 40s coast to near 40

inland. Thursday, partly cloudy and breezy. Highs in mid to

BORDER STATES

New Mexico - Tonight, mostly cloudy with a few showers and snow showers central and southwest, partly cloudy north and east. Lows single digits to around 20 mountains and north with 20s to mid 30s lower elevations south. Thursday, partly to near 60. Upper Coast: Tonight, cloudy south and fair north. fair and cold. Lows in upper 20s Highs mid 30s and 40s mouninland northeast to near 40 coast. tains and northwest with 50s

> Oklahoma - Tonight, decreasing cloudiness. Lows in low to mid 20s. Thursday, mostly sunny. Highs in mid 40s to mid 50s

Former Pampan to head new Texaco division

Now is time to apply for residence homestead exemptions

The disabled veteran's exemption is not the

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Each of the exemptions are a specific

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An example listing of taxing units and the type and amount of each exemption offered

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Virginia ponders retiring 'Carry Me Back to Old Virginia' as state song

like "darkey" and "old massa," Virginia's state song survived to Old Virginia while recognizing its place in Virginia's history.

RICHMOND, Va. (AP) - With lyrics glorifying slavery and words low lawmakers in the state General Assembly to retire Carry Me Back

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WHITE PLAINS, N.Y. - Texaco has announced the formation of Worldwide Lubricants, Coolants and Fuels Additives business unit designed to leverage the company's capabilities in meeting customers' requirements in an increasingly competitive and global marketplace. Thomas S. Neslage has been

appointed general manager of the new unit, which will be based in Houston. The formation of the Worldwide Lubricants, Coolants and Fuel Additives business units follows Texaco's October 1996 announcement to functionally align and globalize its busi-

Neslage, the son of Fred J. Neslage and the late Dorothy Neslage of Pampa, was born in Pampa, Texas. He is a 1970 graduate of Pampa High School. Neslage graduated from Texas Tech University in 1974 with a bachelor of arts degree in marketing and management, and earned a master's of business administration degree from the cants, coolants and fuels addi-University of Tulsa in 1977. He tives products; coordination of recently relocated to Houston worldwide sales and account from Copenhagen, Denmark. He management; purchases of addihas two sons, Stephen and Scott, tives and the base oils; worldwho currently reside Oklahoma City, Okla. in

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Appraisal District's office, now is the time for

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that there are still many homeowners who

have not filed for their exemptions, according

to the Texas Property Tax Code.

Chief Appraiser Pat Bagley is concerned

"The Texas Property Tax Code provides for

partial exemptions from property tax on your

home if you own the home and live in it as

your principle residence on the first day of

He said the general homestead exemption

is available for homeowners. There is also an

additional exemption for those homeowners

that are 65 and over, or who are disabled.

Once a homeowner has applied, he or she

need not reapply in subsequent years,

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It's an anthem blacks and many whites find so offensive that it has

not been sung at an official state function in more than two decades,

but it has defied legislative efforts to replace it every year since 1988.

This year, a black Democrat and a white Republican are asking fel-

"For example, a homeowner 65 years old or

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According to officers of the Gray County person's application.



Thomas S. Neslage

Coolants and Fuel Additives business unit's responsibilities will include the development and implementation of a global lubricants strategic plan; brand management of Texaco's lubriwide sponsorships; and coordination of product development. Commenting on the function of

unit, Texaco Inc. Senior Vice President and President of Global Businesses Glenn F. Tilton said, "Texaco markets lubricants in more than 100 countries and has some of the most powerful lubricant and coolant brand names in the industry, including Havoline Formula and Ursa motor oils, and Havoline Extended Life Anti-Freeze/Coolant. This new structure will allow us to leverage and drive these brands to greater competitive advantage.

"Tom Neslage's broad international management experience and proven leadership abilities will play a key role in our quest to make Texaco lubricants, coolants and fuel additives the products of choice of consumers around the world."

Texaco Inc. Vice President and President of Texaco's International Marketing and Manufacturing unit Clarence P. Cazalot, Jr. added, "This new business unit will help develop a strategy that will clearly benefit Texaco. This allows our organization and affiliates around the world to maximize the market

the new Worldwide Lubricants in 1974, which later became a part of Getty Oil Company, and was the company's regional mar-keting coordinator in Tulsa when Getty merged with Texaco in 1984. Neslage was named Tulsa Region marketing manger - retail in 1987. He moved to Houston as director of Credit Card and **Automated Marketing Systems** in 1988, and was appointed director of quality for Texaco Refining and Marketing Inc. (TRMI) in

> Neslage was named general manager, Texaco A/S located in Copenhagen, Denmark, in July

In 1994 he was appointed managing director and chief executive officer of the Hydro-Texaco joint venture which markets fuels and lubricants under the Hydro-Texaco brand throughout Scandinavia and the Baltic Region. In that position, Neslage was responsible for the operation of the joint venture, while also serving as board chairman for both focused worldwide lubricants the Danish and Norwegian operating companies.

Most recently, he has been on special assignment relating to Texaco's discussions with Shell and operating synergies that come from a global strategy."

He joined Skelly Oil Company downstream business venture. and Saudi Aramco concerning the possible formation of a U.S.

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or she may contact the Gray County Appraisal District at P. O. Box 836, Pampa,

special assistance, call (806) 669-3276.

"I'm a white woman here, and I'm embarrassed," said Melissa

On Tuesday, the Senate - gathered in the same Capitol where the

Confederate Congress met - voted 24-15 to designate Carry Me Back as

state song emeritus and direct a study committee to come up with a

Harrell, 27, of Richmond. "That song had its day. This is not it."

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The various division workers recognized at the luncheon were as follows:

Major Firms (which accounted for 64.7 percent of the goal): Kim Horan, Hoechst Celanese; Jack Peoples, IRI International; and Eldridge, Cabot Barbara Corporation.

The three major firms - Hoechst Celanese, IRI International and Cabot Corporation – received special plaques for their support. The three companies combined provided 42 percent of the funds raised in the 1996 drive: Hoechst Celanese gave 28 percent, IRI 8 percent and Cabot 6 percent.

Loaned Executives: Ray Boring, Jerry Foote, Ray Hupp, Charlie Jones, Mike Kessler, Brad Kogler, Joe Martinez, Verslia Newkirk, Jan Oblak, Bob Smith, Dick Stowers and Ray Thornton.

Professional Division (8 percent of goal): Chairman Doug Ware, Dr. Jack Albracht, Dr. Butch Buck, Duane Harp, Dr. Dan Powell, Dr. Byron Wilkenfeld, Denise Winegeart and Lois Strate.

Public Division (7.8 percent of goal): Bill Hildebrandt, city chairman; Jane Steele, school chairman; Linda Holt, county offices; and Doug Cooper, United Way agen-

Commercial Division (4.1 percent of goal): Chairman David Gantz, who was assisted by representatives from all of the United Way supported agencies and their

Special Gifts and Oil and Gas Division (10.7 percent of goal): Chairman Chuck White, David Fatheree, Newt Secrest, Dick Stowers and Doug Carmichael.

Individuals Division (4.6 percent of goal): Curt Beck, Carol Cofer and Noah Davis.

In addition, Special Volunteer awards were presented to Mike Trimble, advertising, publicity and brochures; Sharon Braddock, organized check-in luncheons; Cindy Gindorf, arranging agency tours; and Decorations and Planning Committee members Jane Steele, Bob Marx, Jerry Lane, Karen Heare and Colleen Eskridge.

Also honored were special supporters for their contributions to the United Way drive:

ing \$500 up to \$1,000): Thurmond McGlothlin, John Gikas, Northgate Inn, Dr. Wm. S. Buck, Dr. George R. Walters, Mrs. R.M. Bellamy, Dietta Pope, Jerry D. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Watson, Travis Elementary School, CDI Stubbs Overbeck and Nickles Industrial Manufacturing.

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Also recognized were companies with more than 10 employees whose employees made a special effort to participate in the Pampa United Way, with more than half of the employees being contribu-

Earning the Employee Partici-Recognition Hoechst Celanese, United Parcel Service, Albertsons, Wal-Mart Store #600, IRI International, Genesis House, Texas Plains Girl Scouts and Culberson Stowers Inc.

Silver Award Group (those giv- Also honored in this group were Southwestern Public Service, FirstBank Southwest Boatmen's First Bank, Energas Company, Community Day Care Center, Southside Senior Citizens Center, Boy Scouts Golden Spread Council and National Bank of Commerce.

> Also receiving recognition were media representatives for "keeping our campaign audible and visible to our community,# according to Reeve. Those honored at Tuesday's luncheon were Mike Ehrle, KGRO/KOMX Radio; Clara Sailor, C & S Cable; and Darlene Holmes and Larry Hollis, The Pampa News.

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BETHESDA, Md. (AP) -Scientists are dusting off a 40two days furiously debating the human tumors. year-old medical mystery: Does issue here contend this virus a monkey virus that contaminated a polio vaccine millions of might predispose some people -Americans took during the 1950s increase the risk of certain rare immune systems – to certain can-

> cers of the brain, bone and lung. And some question whether continuing to use monkey tissue to make vaccines might allow viruses that people don't yet

know exist to sneak in. "Make it in anything but animals," said Barbara Loe Fisher of the National Vaccine Information National Institutes of Health. Center, which criticizes vaccine

make vaccines in human cell free either, Levine added,

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doesn't want Carbone Americans to fear vaccines; he perhaps those with damaged recently had his own child immunized against polio. But government officials worry

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Making polio vaccines using human cells - the kind sold in "We have the technology to Canada but not here - isn't risk lines that are clean," said Dr. because they must be tested for Michele Carbone of Loyola human infections.



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

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Opinion

Clinton's speech was contradictory

President Clinton became only the 14th chief executive to deliver a second inaugural address and only the first Democrat since Franklin Roosevelt to do so.

His address, filmy and indecisive, seemed to reflect all the complexities and conflicts of a president who was re-elected with less than a majority of the popular vote and a Republican Congress to deal with.

If the speech had any theme or structure, it would be one borrowed from his campaign, when he discarded the activist policies of his first two years in favor of a winning "triangulation" strategy that moved him to a "vital center."

Among his better turns of phrase: "We must keep our old democracy forever young. Guided by the ancient vision of a promised land, let us set our sights upon a land of new promise."

And, "At the dawn of the 21st century, a free people must choose to shape the forces of the information age and the global society, to unleash the limitless potential of all our people and form a more perfect union."

He explained in broad strokes the challenges of moving from an industrial economy to an information economy. He talked of fiscal prudence and the need to work with a Republican Congress in reforming Social Security and Medicare.

But for the most part, it was more of the Clinton we've come to know in the last two years - a president offering positions that ever straddle the fence of values and concerns. For instance, he seemed to call for bigger government and smaller government at the same time: "As times change, so government must change. We need a new

government for a new century, a government humble enough not to try to solve all our problems for us, but strong enough to give us the tools to solve our problems for ourselves.

He proposed "a government that is smaller, lives within its means, and does more with less. Yet where it can stand up for our values and interests in the world, and where it can give Americans the power to make a real difference in their every lives, government should do more, not less."

Which does he believe in? And if he believes government needs to be strengthened in some areas and reduced in others, why can't

We would have expected this address to more closely define what Clinton sees on the other side of his bridge

Had the inaugural address laid the broad themes and set a more pointed moral tone, we would be prepared for details of the administration's legislative proposals to flow in the president's State of the Union address Feb. 4

Maybe more government, maybe less. Maybe a government that is the problem, maybe a government that is the solution.

Meanwhile, the real substance of American lives - honest labor, unity of family and friends, volunteerism and more - will carry on outside Washington, still awaiting the leadership that will look outward, recognize and do.

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Television rating system is a hoax

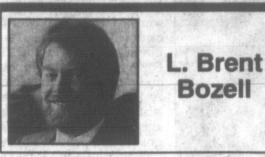
The much ballyhooed television ratings system unveiled by the industry last month is now in effect. Judging from the initial results, it's time to pull the plug on what everyone knew was a con-cept doomed to failure.

You'll recall that the television industry told us its new ratings would accurately measure the suitability of programming for children. There would be four age based categories for television (TV-G; TV-PG; TV-14; TV-M) and, with it, no need for the more comprehensive content based system proposal. And because of the enormity of the undertaking, each network would rate its own shows.

Right off the bat, the problem was obvious: So different are each network's standards that the system is rendered meaningless. There is no "sys-

Take David Letterman's Late Show. CBS has determined it should have the TV-PG rating ("parental guidance (is) suggested ... the program may contain infrequent coarse language, limited violence, (and) some suggestive sexual dialogue and situations.") Letterman's biggest competitor is Jay Leno, but the Tonight Show, with contents virtually identical to the Late Show, somehow earns a TV-14 grade ("parents strongly cautioned ... may contain sophisticated themes, sexual content, strong language and more intense violence") from NBC

If the 11:35 p.m. Tonight Show gets a TV-14 rating from NBC, how do you suppose a network should rate a drama series appearing on prime time that features in one episode alone: a) a young unmarried couple, naked in bed, grunting, groaning, crunching, scratching and moaning in the throes of sexual orgasm; b) a married woman making out with a younger man; and c) a prolonged lesbian kiss with the scene fading out as one woman's kisses trail down the others neck



Why, if you're ABC, you give that show (Relativity) a TV-14 rating, too.

On the other end of the spectrum, it's equally

bizarre. One would imagine that the TV-G rating is reserved for those programs that are perfectly appropriate for youngsters, right? Would you consider appropriate an exchange between parents (on CBS' Everybody Loves Raymond) in which the wife informs the husband that she hasn't breast fed their twins for six months, and he responds, "I thought it was a little less crowded around there!"? What about another scene wherein a woman (on NBC's Mr. Rhodes) reminisces about having sex in her high school's Driver Ed car? Both shows got G ratings from their net-

But those ratings are the exception to the rule. The networks are driven by the desire to capture the highest possible audiences, and that calls for them to label just about everything TV-PG if they can get away with it.

The Jan. 8 episode of NBC's Wings featured a man boasting of having sex with his girlfriend four times a day, adding that the previous night, we did it on the hood of my El Camino." TV-PG.

That same night on that same network, Chicago

Sons included a character discussing his plans to invite a female colleague to a bed and breakfast "where we'll eat pralines off each other's naked bodies." TV-PG.

On Jan. 6, during the eight o'clock so-called Family Hour, CBS was airing its newspaper sitcom Ink, in which a reporter gets his hands on a madam's black book of client names and exclaims: "This story has everything! Sex in a car, sex after lunch, sex under water!" Later in the episode, another character looks back on her boarding school days when she "sold pictures of the gym teacher on the tumbling mat doing it with the headmaster." TV-PG.

On the Jan. 9 episode of NBC's Friends, Joey remembers how depressed he felt when he saw a woman he'd broken up with "just walkin' with her friend Donna, laughin' and talkin'. It just killed me." "Yes," responds his roommate, Chandler, "but you ended up having sex with both of them that afternoon." TV-PG.

Two nights before that, on ABC's Life's Work, a character jokes about a man who masturbated while rubbing against a tree. TV-PG.

Just how internally absurd is this ratings system? At the same time that Life's Work was cracking jokes about masturbation, CBS was airing Promised Land, one of the finest family friendly programs on television today. On this episode, the protagonist saves a woman and her child from the physical abuses they suffer at the hands of the woman's husband, the town sheriff. The rating? You guessed it, TV-PG.

On and on the examples go, but you get the point. It's a senseless system that has done nothing to help the public and, in fact, is doing everything to confuse them. You say tomato, I say tomahto - let's call the whole thing off.



Today in history

By The Associated Press Today is Wednesday, Jan. 29, the 29th day of 1997. There are 336 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On Jan. 29, 1820, Britain's King George III died insane at Windsor Castle, ending a reign that saw both the American and French revolu-

On this date: In 1843, the 25th president of the United States, William McKinley, was born in Niles, Ohio.

In 1845, Edgar Allan Poe's poem "The Raven" was first published, in the New York Evening Mirror. In 1850, Henry Clay introduced

in the Senate a compromise bill on slavery which included the admission of California into the Union as a free state.

In 1861, Kansas became the 34th state of the Union.

In 1900, the American League, consisting of eight baseball teams, was organized in Philadelphia.

In 1936, the first members of baseball's Hall of Fame, including Ty Cobb and Babe Ruth, were named in Cooperstown, N.Y.

In 1958, actors Paul Newman and Joanne Woodward were married.

new consensus or old medicine?

The 24th anniversary of Roe vs. Wade seems a good time to drop in on Kate Michelman of the Vational Abortion Rights Action League. Michelman, in a speech before the National Press Club, declared her wish to "end the conflict" over abortion and forge a new consensus.

But alas, her version of a new consensus is simply a reworked rendition of the pro-choice worldview – a view that remains unchanged despite 24 years of experience that should teach otherwise.

Michelman does acknowledge that abortion is a moral issue. She calls it the "most crucial moral question of our times." But just when you suspect that she might be about to say something interesting, she lapses into crass political sloganeering. Who should decide whether or not to have a child?" she asks. "A woman or Newt Gingrich? A woman or Ralph Reed?"

Sigh. Michelman refuses to acknowledge the responsibility of men and women to make informed and moral decisions about sexual behavior. Sure, a woman has the right to choose whether or not to become pregnant. She makes that choice before engaging in sex. To make that "choice" after a pregnancy is underway, merely as a matter of birth control, is an immoral act.

Michelman and her allies feel a sense of entitlement to risk free sex. She demands to know why a nation that can spend \$600 million per year in research on new cosmetics has not yet found a contraceptive that is "safe, simple and foolproof." Well, for one thing, the trial lawyers have made the risk of marketing new contraceptives prohibitive for much done that over the past generation. And the



Mona Charen

short of putting contraceptives in the drinking water, there may not be any method that is "fool proof." Body chemistry is changeable, and humans are sometimes foolish. The birth control pill is very reliable when used properly - that is, swallowed faithfully at the same time every day. Yet lots of women on the pill conceive every year. It isn't the contraceptive that's unreliable; it's the consumers.

Michelman professes to believe that "responsible sexual education" is the key to reducing the number of abortions (she does claim to want 800,000 fewer abortions by the year 2000.) Everyone is for that, right? Well, that depends upon the emphasis.

Michelman expressed veiled dismay at President Clinton's endorsement of abstinence education. "Abstinence is important," she allowed, "but let's be real here."

Her idea of being "real" is instruction in contraceptive use. She wants to reach every homeroom in America. Well, the sex educators have pretty drug companies. But here's a revolutionary thought results have been nothing like what Michelman

envisions. Greater sex education has not led to greater care about contraception.

It is difficult to measure these things, since mores have also changed dramatically in the past quarter century. But certainly it is clear that universal sex education has not prevented an explosion in out-of-wedlock births and abortions.

Well, nuts-and-bolts instruction isn't enough, argues Michelman. She also seems to want to transmit wholesome attitudes about sex. "We should be teaching from the earliest years right into adolescence that sexuality is not a dirty word." Haven't we been doing just that, with doleful consequences? Abortion advocates want to strip sex of its gen-

erative nature and make it the province of mere play. That's what they mean when they talk about "healthy attitudes." But the two cannot be severed by technology or ideology. Perhaps accepting the awesome responsibility that comes with fertility is the better course.

Haven't we seen what comes of treating sex as play? Women are cheapened. Children are cheated. All those young couples displaying "healthy attitudes" have created an ocean of misery in the form unwanted babies, millions of whom have been aborted. Biology has had the last laugh.

Thirty years of experience with soaring illegitimacy and abortion have not budged abortion advocates. They continue to preach the empty gospel of more sex education and better technological fixes to the annoying fact of human fertility.

They have the media on their side. They get grants from the big foundations. The only thing they can't seem to overcome is human nature.

Newt survives near death experience

"With Gingrich's new eminence, however, has come a less welcome change in his status: He is now, and will be for at least the next two years, the chief target and whipping-boy of the liberal media. If (improbably) he doesn't know what that entails, he will find out ... No one expects him to change overnight into a Francis of Assisi, but if he keeps or letting the liberals cast him as Savonarola, he too could wind up being hanged and burned." Thus I wrote in this space on Nov. 24, 1994. No

doubt it is hard for a busy speaker to read all the columns that appear in Washington, but I do wish Gingrich had read that one. Instead, he has just survived a near death expe-

rience, and his numerous enemies are confidently proclaiming that he is too crippled by it to function for long, or effectively, as speaker.

They are probably letting the wish father the thought. Just at the moment, the impulse toward bipartisanship is very strong in Washington, and since there can't be much bipartisanship without the cooperation of the House of Representatives -Gingrich stands to benefit from the warm breezes that are blowing. To be sure, the Democratic House leaders show signs of wanting to destroy him before the bipartisan spirit takes over, but

they clearly aren't going to get their wish.

In addition, in the way things so often happen in Washington, the spotlight is about to shift again away from Gingrich. We mustn't forget that lit-



William Rusher

tle matter of the recorded cellular phone call among the speaker and various of his lieutenants that a Democratic congressman (probably Jim McDermott - of the Ethics Committee, no less) leaked to the New York Times and the Atlanta Constitution. That entire episode is now under study by the Justice Department, and it is by no means clear that even a spirit of sweet bipartisanwere committed for which the penalty is up to five years in prison and a \$500,000 fine

Moreover, special prosecutor Kenneth Starr is various members of the Clinton administration for crimes, including perjury, committed in the wide rumor has it, among those to be indicted, it is safe to need to be made now.

say that the misdeeds of Speaker Gingrich are soon going to look comparatively trivial. We can expect, therefore, that over the next few

months the Gingrich flap will die down to some considerable extent. How should he behave while it is doing so, and thereafter?

He must, and no doubt will, be seen attending diligently to what is unctuously being called "the people's business." This will involve negotiating with the Clinton administration, and in the process appearing neither too weak nor too intransigent. The hardshelled conservatives, in Congress and elsewhere, will be on the lookout for signs that he is giving away the store in an effort to placate the liberal media. The liberals, on the other hand, are sure to charge that any attempt to stand firm for some conservative prin-

ciple marks a return of "the old Gingrich." One certainly hopes that, in walking this tightrope, he can avoid stifling the vision, eloquence ship will be able to obscure that fact that felonies and leadership that have been his unique contributions to the Republican congressional resurgence.

In the long run - say, in mid-1998 - Gingrich will have to evaluate his situation realistically, reportedly very close to bringing indictments against and decide whether to ask his loyal allies in the House to pledge, in the elections that fall, to reelect him as speaker yet again, or to call four years areas under his jurisdiction: Whitewater, Travelgate, as speaker enough and step down in favor of Filegate, etc. Whether or not the first lady is, as someone else. That decision, however, doesn't

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Cruise film tops charts Super Bowl weekend

By LYNN ELBER **AP Entertainment Writer**

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LOS ANGELES (AP) - The Tom Cruise comedy Jerry Maguire captured the No. 1 spot at the box office in its seventh week, earning \$5.5 million to edge out two competitors in a generally lackluster Super Bowl weekend.

In Love and War, the saga of Ernest Hemingway's World War I romance with a nurse, and Beverly Hills Ninja were close behind, earning \$5.49 million and \$5.48 million, respectively.

Overall earnings were down, apparently the result of competition from the Super Bowl.

"The game always puts a dent in the Sunday box office," said John Krier of Exhibitor Relations Co., which tracks movie grosses.

Metro, the Eddie Murphy police action movie, finished with \$5.47 million for fourth place, just ahead of the musical Evita (\$5.41 million).

Also opening in the top ten were Fierce Creatures, a reunion of the cast from A Fish Called Wanda in a nonsequel comedy about a zoo, and Zeus and Roxanne, a story about a dog-and-dolphin

The top 20 movies at North locations, receipts per location,

Melissa Crane knows she doesn't have to

run as fast as her male counterparts under

the written fitness rules of the Marine Corps.

"Women would always try to keep up with the men in the run," Crane said. "Then

when we would finish the run we would

Crane, a 15-year veteran of the Corps based

at Quantico, Va., said new rules narrowing

the gap in fitness requirements for men and

women have had little impact on those like

Gone are the days when female Marines

ran 1.5 miles while their male counterparts

ran twice as far. As of this month, all Marines

run three miles. Women can run a slightly

Before the new rules took effect, women in

the Marine Corps had to do 50 sit-ups in two

minutes as part of their standard fitness test.

"I'm glad we're getting more on equal

her who have always tried to keep up.

slower time and still pass the test.

Now they do 80, as do the men.

The unwritten rules are another story.

always try to do as many sit-ups.'

total gross and number of weeks

1. Jerry Maguire, Sony, \$5.5 million, 2,207 locations, \$2,501 average, \$109.8 million, seven weeks. 2. In Love and War, New Line, \$5.49 million, 1,610 locations, \$3,409 average, \$5.49 million, one

3. Beverly Hills Ninja, Sony, \$5.48 million, 2,112 locations, \$2,595 average, \$19 million, two

4. Metro, Buena Vista, \$5.47 million, 2,005 locations, \$2,733 average, \$18.7 million, two weeks.

5. Evita, Buena Vista, \$5.41 million, 1,016 locations, \$5,331 average, \$30.5 million, five weeks.

6. Scream, Miramax, \$4.04 million, 1,994 locations, \$2,026 average, \$64.6 million, six weeks. 7. The Relic, Paramount, \$4 mil-

lion, 2,128 locations, \$1,884 average, \$25.3 million, three weeks. 8. Fierce Creatures, Universal, \$3.8 million, 1,593 locations, \$2,360 average, \$3.8 million, one

9. Michael, New Line, \$3.1 million, 2,206 locations, \$1,419 average, \$76.7 million, five weeks. 10. Zeus and Roxanne, MGM,

\$2.8 million, 1,745 locations, \$1,579 average, \$2.8 million, one

11. Mother, Paramount, \$2.6 million, 621 locations, \$4,165 average, \$8.9 million, five weeks.

12. The People vs. Larry Flynt, Sony, \$2.1 million, 1,233 locations, \$1,705 average, \$15.9 million, five weeks.

13. The English Patient, Miramax, \$1.9 million, 615 locations, \$3,114 average, \$36.7 million, 11

14. Shine, Fine Line Features, \$1.4 million, 314 locations, \$4,592 average, \$12.6 million, 10 weeks. 15. Jackie Chan's First Strike, New Line, \$1.4 million, 1,154 locations, \$1,238 average, \$12.9

million, three weeks. 16. 101 Dalmatians, Buena Vista, \$1.2 million, 1,249 locations, \$923 average, \$131.3 million, nine weeks.

17. One Fine Day, Fox, \$1.108 million, 1,084 locations, \$1,023 average, \$42.6 million, six weeks.

18. Everyone Says I Love You, Miramax, \$1.107 million, 270 locations, \$4,101 average, \$3.7 million, five weeks.

19. Turbulence, MGM, \$813,000, 1,499 locations, \$543 average, \$9.8 million, three weeks.

20. Jingle All the Way, Fox, \$598,000, 655 locations, \$912 average, \$59.5 million, 10 weeks.

government prosecution HOUSTON (AP) Military closing gender gap in fitness requirements

Supporters of a cancer doctor on trial on fraud charges in his use of an experimental drug say they are gathering signatures and airing television advertisements about the legal battle.

immediate leverage with Lt. Gov.

Bob Bullock, the Democrat who

presides over the chamber.

Doctor, patients criticize

Senate, House seats filled

BRYAN (AP) - Add another

State Rep. Steve Ogden got a

Mary Moore in a Senate District 5

Ogden, a three-term House

Republican, polled a 55 percent

With 100 percent of the ballots

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Republican to the GOP's majority

in special election

in the state Senate.

special election.

Dr. Stanislaw Burzynski and his Burzynski Research Institute are on trial for mail and insurance fraud involving antineoplastons, which he developed and dispenses at the Houston clinic.

Burzynski contends antineoplastons serve as biochemical switches that "turn off" cancer genes by interrupting signals for cells to multiply.

Patients and relatives participating in a rally Tuesday outside the federal courthouse where Burzynski is on trial repeated their long held beliefs that the in their treatment choices.

his drugs, they said.

Mexican American Chambers list top legislative issues

AUSTIN (AP) — Access to state government, education and fair consumer laws should be the Legislature's top priorities this year, according to the Texas Association of Mexican American Chamber of Commerce.

The one issue is access. We doors open," said Massey Villarreal, chairman of TAMACC.

TAMACC, with 27 member chambers, on Tuesday listed a renewal of affirmative action programs; homeowner's equity borrowing; initiative and referendum legislation; and utility deregulation as key issues for the 1997 Legislature.

Villarreal said Hispanic-owned businesses are the fastest groweconomy "in spite of the obstacles we've faced which are lending, diversity and access."

"My personal feeling on affirmative action ... I don't care what you call it, what we want is access," Villarreal said. "There are all these vehicles in place based on lawsuits. But they're promotion to the Senate on not getting us there. So we'll just Tuesday, defeating Democrat" continue to work and help us pass legislation that's good for all

> End of lawsuit marks possible budget battle

majority to advance to the Senate. AUSTIN (AP) — Higher Medicaid payments to cover counted, unofficial returns indigent patients in Texas nursshowed him with 21,242 votes to 17,252 for Mrs. Moore, a Bryan ing homes means the end of a federal lawsuit against state welfare officials, but they could be In a race of Republicans to succeed Ogden in the House District the beginning of a budget battle.

A nursing home industry group, 14 seat, retired College Station the Texas Health Care Association, physician William Roman defeated former state Rep. Richard sued state welfare officials last year over state-approved Smith of Bryan 4,809-4,425 in Medicaid payments. The group unofficial returns, drawing 52 said the payments approved last State Republican Chairman year weren't enough to properly Tom Pauken hopes that the addicare for residents, in light of costs including last year's minimum tion of a 17th Republican to the 31-seat Senate translates into wage increase.

After the Texas Department of Human Services board Monday approved a proposal to raise the average daily nursing home rate by about seven percent, association Executive Director Tom Suehs said the lawsuit will be dropped.

But Texas Senate Finance Committee Chairman Bill Ratliff voiced concern Tuesday over the future cost of the agreement. He cited an estimate that it would require \$150 million more in the next two-year budget period.

"I encourage them to re-look at the formulas, because we can't keep on with these nursing home rates going up like they are. As a matter of fact, I think we have to start looking at options of reducing eligibility if it keeps on going at the rate it's going," said Ratliff, R-Mount Pleasant.

State judge: Selena's killer not entitled to new trial

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) The former fan club president convicted in the shooting death government should not interfere of Tejano singing star Selena does not deserve a new trial because Cancer victims will die if records she claimed are missing Burzynski is convicted because never were admitted into evithey no longer will be able to get dence, the judge who presided over her trial says.

"All exhibits which erly marked, offered and admitted into the record are accounted for and are in the custody of the 14th Court of Appeals," State District Judge Mike Westergren said Tuesday.

The judge, responding to a request from the 14th Court of Appeals, said he told a clerk or other court employee to make a have to continue to keep the box of documents subpoenaed from the singer's father part of the trial record even though he did not allow them into evidence.

His instruction, however, was not followed and the judge said none of the court clerks or court reporters recalls receiving such directions, he said.

Westergren said it was up to Ms. Saldivar, serving a life prison term for the March 1995 shooting ing business segment in the Texas of Selena Quintanilla Perez, 23, to make sure a sufficient record was presented to show her case should be overturned.

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Zeus and Roxanne

\$2.8, one week, 1,745 screens

Source: Exhibitor Relations Co., Inc.

WASHINGTON (AP) - Gunnery Sgt. minimum requirements were for us."

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week.

The Army also has closed the gap on situps, and all soldiers run two miles. Female soldiers, however, can run a slower time and can do fewer push-ups than the men and still pass. The Navy's rules are similar. The Air Force administers a stationary cycle stress test, with some differences in severity based on gender.

At a time when women make up only 13.2 percent of the active-duty force - up slightly from eleven percent in 1990 – and recruiters the military; officers explain the equalized fitness rules as a morale booster.

Marine Corps Gen. Charles Krulak, the service's top officer, started the move toward equalized fitness rules two years ago.

What signal do we send to the Corps when at the end of a mile and a half, all the women drop off to the side and the men keep running?" Krulak said.

Not everyone is satisfied with the results. terms. It's long overdue," said Gunnery Sgt. Proving Ground, Md., were accused of miles in no more than 15:54. A female in the Karen Imhoff, an 18-year veteran of the widespread consensual and nonconsensual same age group must do between 18 and 58 Corps. "The transition wasn't difficult at all sex with subordinates, James Webb, former push-ups and 50 and 90 sit-ups, and run the

suggested the problem may stem from forcing young men and women together in units that depend on equality in discipline, recognition and exposure to danger.

"When double standards are introduced in matters of physical training and performance, they work against these very criteria," Webb wrote.

Three female Marine sergeants said in interviews that grumbling from men about lighter fitness requirements for women occurs only when women do the bare miniencounter difficulty attracting women into mum of what is required. In most cases, they say, women do more. We still get ribbing once in a while," said

Gunnery Sgt. Jennifer Regn. "I see more women trying to keep the same running standards." Combat and specialty training, as opposed

to fitness testing, is the same regardless of

In the Army, a male soldier in the 17-21 age group must do between 42 and 82 push-ups When Army drill sergeants at Aberdeen and 52 and 92 sit-ups, and must run two because I'd always done more than what the Navy secretary, took a different view. He two miles in at no more than 18:54.

Psychiatrist testifies that Darlie Routier likely telling truth

file of a mother who would kill her sons' stabbing deaths, a psy- of motherhood. chiatrist has testified.

"It's my medical opinion that she was truthful," Dr. Lisa Clayton of Dallas said Tuesday, adding that pain medication Mrs. Routier was taking after the attack may have even acted as North Texas.

"truth serum." examination, Clayton testified as a psychiatrist for the Dallas Darlie Routier and her husband, County Jail and later as a hired Darin, told police about a man defense witness, said Mrs. who may have had a motive to Routier's vague memories and harm their family.

him because of his temper," Dr. Clayton testified, identifying the man only as "Glen."

and six-year-old Devon Routier bings.

KERRVILLE, Texas (AP) - then slashing herself in their sub-Darlie Routier doesn't fit the pro- urban home June 6, 1996. and separated the emotion from her children and seems honest homemaker was angry over explaining the condition. when she blames an intruder for money problems and the burdens

Kerrville because of publicity in

ly stabbing five-year-old Damon demeanor shortly after the stab-

"Their mind has blocked it off Prosecutors claim the Rowlett the event," Dr. Clayton said,

"It's my opinion that Darlie Routier was a very devoted moth-Dr. Clayton, who first inter- er. She went that extra mile for her children," the psychiatrist said.

after the killings - should not be judged as inappropriate, Dr.

Mrs. Routier had been crying during a prayer service earlier the day of the birthday party and her mother urged her to appear upbeat for the sake of the neighborhood children, the psychiatrist testified.

Mrs. Routier and her family were acting in a "hysterical, almost pathetic way, acting like the two children were not dead," Dr. Clayton said. During his questioning, prose-

cutor Toby Shook told the psychiatrist: "Some stranger came in and did this horrible crime or you've been fooled."

But Dr. Clayton said she explanation.

À man named "Glen," who'd been romantically interested in Babcia Jovell - Darin Routier's employee and Mrs. Routier's friend - had made threats and was known to be physically abusive, Dr. Clayton said.

Federal judge favors landlords who refuse to rent to unwed couples ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP) - Baker. The Anchorage Equal intact the Alaska Supreme Court

refuse to rent to unmarried cou- Alaska are protected by the First dants. Amendment, a federal judge ruled.

U.S. District Judge H. Russel Holland said city and state laws forbidding rent discrimination Kevin Clarkson. based on marital status are unconstitutional. The city's and Holland reasoned that if the state's interests in ending the laws were allowed to stand, discrimination, he wrote in the Jan. 25 opinion, were not com- between breaking the law or pelling enough to outweigh the abandoning their religious right to religious expression.

The opinion makes moot a 1994 state Supreme Court decision in a similar case that found in the renters' favor.

The latest case was brought by Anchorage landlords Kevin

Human

Thomas and the Bakers are Christians who believe couples should not live together before marriage, said their lawyer,

In the 30-page opinion, landlords would have to choose

"The burden here is more than city, said he would discuss merely economic; it directly forbids plaintiffs from conforming to their religious convictions, he wrote.

The 1994 case reached the U.S. Thomas and Gary and Joyce Supreme Court, but justices left

Three Alaska landlords who Rights Commission and the ruling that said Tom Swanner Rights violated state and local laws by ples based on religious beliefs Commission were the defen- refusing to rent to unmarried couples.

Clarkson said he expects the issue to reach the U.S. Supreme Court again. A nearly identical California case awaits the Supreme Court's decision on whether to consider the case.

The California Supreme Court sided with unmarried tenants in case. Courts Massachusetts and elsewhere have ruled in favor of landlords. Cliff Groh, a lawyer for the

Holland's ruling with the Equal Rights Commission and might À 1990 U.S. Supreme Court ruling said laws that apply

religion are not unconstitutional just because they may infringe on the religious beliefs of some

to overcome the 1990 ruling by passing the Religious Freedom Restoration Act. The act gives more weight to claims that actions taken by the government sometimes improperly restrict religious freedom.

ed to consider the religious freedom law and issue a decision by





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"A lot of people are afraid of attack likely were caused by "traumatic amnesia." Mrs. Routier is accused of fatal-

Her trial was moved to want a child.

And during prosecution cross-viewed Mrs. Routier in her role inconsistent accounts of the

> She also said "psychic numbing" was responsible for Mrs. Routier's seemingly unemotional

Dr. Clayton testified Mrs. Routier doesn't fit the typical cat-Mrs. Routier contends a man egories of women who kill their dressed in dark clothing and a children, such as women who

baseball cap attacked her and her continually abuse their children sons with a kitchen butcher knife. or teenage mothers who don't

Mrs. Routier's reaction to her sons' deaths - including her seemingly happy mood at a graveside birthday party a week believed there may be another

Clayton said. "I don't think you can say what's appropriate and not appropriate about grief situations. Everyone grieves different-

But in 1993, Congress sought

The Supreme Court is expect-

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January 29, 1997

West Texas girl hopes treatment will bring smile

By MARLA DIAL San Angelo Standard-Times

SAN ANGELO (AP) - For years, Kara James has stood in front of mirrors and tried to will her immobile face to smile.

No matter what she did - even pushing at the corners of her mouth with her fingers - it never worked. The 14-year-old San Angelo girl was born with Moebius Syndrome, an extremely rare condition marked by a lack of facial expression.

When Norma and Buck James adopted Kara and her sister, Cerina, 12 years ago, they - like most people - had never heard of the disorder, which affects only about 1,000 Americans. They still have never seen anyone else who

"They told us she was a lot worse than what she really was. She was supposed to be mentally retarded and everything else," Buck said, recalling the warnings that came along with the 2-yearold girl.

But in most ways, Kara was, and is, normal. One of her hands is misshapen, and she lacks some the facial paralysis, and she cer- complete her smile. tainly is not retarded.

relatively minor, compared to the to do that for Kara, because that's new hope.

Syndrome, the pile of pictures Kara's family has kept through the years don't tell the whole

The unchanging face beneath differing hairstyles in the collection of snapshots and school pictures doesn't portray the eighthgrader's love of percussion instruments or horses. Nor does it give any hint of self-consciousness, or the exasperation Kara felt as photographers cajoled her with phrases like, "Smile - don't

look so mad." After initial curiosity, Kara said her friends at school eventually have learned to detect her emotions, as her family can.

"When (people) got to know me, they said, You always can see a smile in your eyes," Kara scope," her husband added.

But the James family hopes all of that will change very soon, when Kara receives a breakthrough surgery that could allow

They didn't know it at the time, but the wheels were set in motion a year ago, when a 7-year-old California girl named Chelsey muscles in part of her chest - Thomas went through the same signs of Poland's Anomaly, a con-surgery on half of her face. The dition that often accompanies Jameses heard about her well-Moebius Syndrome. But her publicized case in May, when she speech is only slightly affected by received the second surgery to

"We were just so excited,"

worst- case scenarios of Moebius what she's wanted all her life. We were as thrilled as we could be."

The first step was to contact the doctor who performed Chelsey's surgery: Dr. Ronald Zuker, head of the plastic surgery division at also are finding support from the Hospital for Sick Children in other families that know first-Toronto, Canada.

Although other surgeries exist or those with Moebius Syndrome, Zuker has pioneered a technique that uses part of a muscle from the patient's inner thigh and transplants it to the face. The gracilis muscle from the leg is connected to the masseter - a cheek muscle that controls chewing and positioned to lift the corner of the mouth and upper lip.

"It is a very, very delicate surgery," Norma said.

"It's all done under a micro-Since Zuker has never seen Kara, the Jameses allowed some-

one to shoot videotape of their daughter so he could examine her long distance. They eventually got a letter saying she was a perfect candidate for the surgery, which is now scheduled for Feb. 28 in Toronto.

The family spent several months working but arrangements with their medical insurance company. Their insurance will pay for the \$48,000 procedure because it is not considered cosmetic surgery.

Knowing about the procedure

"When we got her, we were told there was nothing that could be done. And at that time, there wasn't," Buck said.

For the first time, the lameses hand what living with Moebius Syndrome is like. They discovered and joined the Moebius Syndrome Foundation, a nonprofit organization started by parents and people who have the disorder.

"I've really learned a lot," Norma said. "I hardly knew anything until we started getting these newsletters."

Kara is impatiently waiting for Feb. 26, the day she will leave for Toronto. She's looking forward to seeing Niagara Falls along the

Her family will stay in Canada at least 10 days, then return in the summer for her second surgery.

"After the surgery, it takes seven weeks before you notice anything - before the smile appears," Norma said.

Kara, who has been through eight previous surgeries - seven for her eyes, one for her hand shows no sign of nervousness about the long- awaited smile

"I guess it's going to make me feel like I can do anything," she

"I want to show everybody my Although her symptoms are Norma said. "We said we wanted has given Kara and her family smile - show the whole world

Massachusetts proposes rules to legalize medical marijuana

ing pregnancy, because the risk born health problems.

Study finds no sign of harm

from Prozac during pregnancy

BOSTON (AP) - A reassuring

new study found no sign that

taking Prozac during pregnan-

cy can harm a woman's unborn

Prozac is the most widely pre-

scribed medicine for depression.

It is taken by more than 12 mil-

lion people worldwide. While

Prozac is not thought to cause

major birth defects, some won-

dered whether it might cause

The new study turned up no

evidence that women who take

Prozac or a variety of medicines

called tricyclic antidepressants

during pregnancy in any way affected their children's IQs, lan-

guage development or behavior.

woman needs antidepressants,

she should continue them dur-

"I am very confident that if a

subtle harm to babies' brains.

BOSTON (AP) - Entering a national debate on the medicinal proposed legalizing the drug for ma, asthma or chemotherapy side effects.

The Department of Public own. Health's proposal would implejuana possession.

passed in Similar laws November in Arizona and California, and at least 35 other states have laws providing greater tolerance for the medical use of marijuana, but many are late March. little-known and little-used.

The Massachusetts law would not let doctors prescribe marijuana for patients. Rather, it would allow them to certify that the methods of relief.

A doctor would recommend a patient to a three-member use of marijuana, Massachusetts panel, which would review the patient's medical records and patients suffering from glauco- decide whether to issue the certificate. Patients would have to obtain the drug on their

of not being treated is much

bigger than any risk of the drug," said Dr. Gideon Koren of

the University of Toronto. His study was published in the New

Pregnant women who suffer

from depression are often told

to stop taking their medicines because of the possibility of

harm to the unborn child.

Koren said some women end

up getting abortions or even

The issue surfaced again in

October, when a team from the,

University of California at San

Diego published a study in the New England Journal of Medicine

raising the possibility that Prozac

increases the risk of premature

delivery and some minor new-

attempting suicide because they

cannot bear their depression.

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'We're trying to alleviate sufment an August law that fering and pain," public health declared medical certification a commissioner David Mulligan defense against a charge of mari- said. "In no sense are we encouraging marijuana use by the pub-

The proposal will be considered next by the state's Public Health Council, which will hold a public hearing before voting in

Massachusetts also will try to set up a research program, using these certified patients, on the medicinal effects of smoked marijuana with quantities grown by patients had exhausted other either the federal or state govern-

... You Feel Better!

Fatty foods, smoking increase teens' risk for heart disease

By JAMES ROWLEY **Associated Press Writer**

WASHINGTON (AP) - Teenagers may increase their risk of heart disease later in life by smoking or eating fatty foods, according to a study of autopsy results that found artery blockage in young people who died accidentally.

The study found dramatic differences in off early in life," Rifkind said. the severity of fatty deposits on the arteries of teen-agers and other young people, depending on whether they smoked or ate diets rich later in life, the researchers concluded.

levels of cholesterol in their blood, according to the autopsies performed on 1,079 men and 364 women between the ages of 15 and 34.

The amount of fatty deposits increased with age, and the difference between subjects with high and low cholesterol showed up as early as age 15, according to the study published in the January issue of Arteriosclerosis, Thrombosis and Vascular Biology.

Although studies based on autopsies of rated fat under 10 percent. American soldiers killed during the Korean and Vietnam wars found similar results, this women, said Dr. Basil Rifkind, of the later in life.

National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute, which sponsored the research.

The researchers said their study disproves the notion that women, who generally have heart attacks 10 years later then men, do not

have to alter their diets as early in life as men. "It pretty firmly adds another large piece to the jigsaw puzzle and says the problems of diet and heart disease is something that starts

A childhood diet rich in fatty foods can begin the progression toward heart disease

Children who eat a lot of cheeseburgers Fatty deposits and lesions were found in and milkshakes increase their risk of heart inner surfaces of the aorta and the right corothe major arteries of young people with high attacks if they do not change their dietary nary artery. habits by young adulthood, researchers said. "The saturated fat intake and the calories a

single meal of that sort provides is tremendous and make you use up your daily rations in one meal," Rifkind said.

The heart institute's National Cholesterol Education Program recommends that all children over the age of 2 keep fat consumption under 30 percent of daily calories and satu-

But there has been a debate among scientists about how early dietary changes are is first large sample of data from young needed to reduce the risk of heart disease the Louisiana State University Medical

Begun in 1985, the study's findings were

extended for the first time to women. The study found a high correlation between cholesterol levels and fatty deposits in girls and young women as well as boys and men. The same patterns were found in whites and blacks.

Blood-serum cholesterol tests were performed during the autopsies, which also tested for the presence of the chemical thiocyanate, an indicator of smoking.

Subjects with high levels of low-density (LDL) cholesterol, the bad cholesterol, also had streaks of fat or raised lesions on the Fewer deposits of fat were found among

subjects with high levels of high-density (HDL) cholesterol, which is credited with helping clear the arteries, and low levels of LDL cholesterol, the study found.

As fat deposits build up in the arteries, the risk of blockage and heart attack increases.

Fifteen centers around the country collected data from autopsies performed on young people who were victims of homicide, suicide or accidental deaths.

Tissue samples and blood were analyzed at Center in New Orleans.

qualify. And General Mills can't said Bruce Silverglade of Center even put the label on Apple- for Science in the Public Interest. Certain oat products already

high-fiber foods. But the new regthe wrong message, ignoring that that it fights a disease.

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When They Feel Better ...

FDA allows heart-healthy claims for eating oatmeal WASHINGTON (AP) - The diately, was prompted by a But not every oat-containing fruits and vegetables are full of

box of oatmeal advertise that it's meal. heart-healthy.

foods made from rolled oats, oat and other brands. bran and oat flour that contain reduce the risk of heart disease as long as they're part of a low-

The regulation, effective imme-President Joe Rutledge.

Food and Drug Administration request from Quaker Oats, the product - like high-fat bran soluble fiber. has decided to let that morning nation's leading maker of oat- muffins and granola - qualifies,

Under the new regulation, fit, too: General Mills is preparcompanies can claim that eating ing to relabel original Cheerios

"Essentially the FDA is telling enough soluble fiber may consumers that they can help because they don't contain could be labeled as low-fat or reduce their risk of heart disease every morning with a bowl and a

grams or less of fat per serving - than gorging on oat products," Cinnamon or Frosted Cheerios

enough oat bran.

"If one wants to increase solu-

the FDA warned. Only low-fat ble fiber consumption, it's easier Other cereal makers will bene- products - those that have 3 eating a variety of foods rather

Consumer advocates said the ulation marks the first time the spoon," said General Mills Vice FDA decision sends consumers FDA has let a specific food claim

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Community Calendar

Note: Civic clubs, organizations, church groups and others wanting their special meetings and activities listed on the community calendar should contact the Greater Pampa Area Chamber of Commerce office, 200 N. Ballard, or call 669-3241, at least two weeks before the scheduled event.

January
AL-ANON will hold weekly meetings on Mondays and Wednesdays at 8 p.m. at 910 W. Kentucky. For more information,

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CLEAN AIR AL-ANON will hold weekly meetings on Tuesdays and Thursdays at noon at 810 W. 23rd. For more information, call 669-0407 or 669-3988.

CLEAN AIR AL-ATEEN will hold weekly meetings on Mondays at 7 p.m. at 810 W. 23rd. For more information, contact 669-0407 or

VFW POST #1657, 105 S. Cuyler. Charity Bingo every Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Doors open at 12 noon. Public is welcome. License No. 1-75-6037422-9.

BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS of the Texas Panhandle Inc. has an office open in Pampa. For information as a volunteer, or if you have a child who would qualify for the program, call 665-1211. WOMEN OF THE MOOSE CHARITY BINGO every Monday at 7 p.m. at the Moose Lodge, 403 E. Brown. Doors open at 6 p.m. Public welcome. License #1-751616469-0.

MEN OF THE MOOSE CHARITY BINGO every Friday at 7:30 p.m. at the Moose Lodge, 403 E. Brown. Doors open at 6 p.m. Public welcome. License #1-75-0769811-0.

14-31 - PAMPA MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL EXHIBIT. Selected student art works, White Deer Land Museum, 116 S. Cuyler. Tuesday-Sunday, 1-4 p.m., or phone 669-8041 for an appointment. Sponsored by the Pampa Fine Arts Association; for more information, call 665-0343.

30 - PAMPA HIGH SCHOOL CONCERT CHOIR presents musical "Crazy for You" at 7:30 p.m. at M.K. Brown Memorial Auditorium. For more information, contact Susie Wilson at 669-

30-31 - PIZZA HUT DELIVERY, 10th Anniversary. Door prizes for the first 100 customers. For more information, contact Becky

31 – ACT I PRESENTS "Harvey," directed by Cheryl Shuck and Darlene Hodges. Pampa Mall, 7:30 p.m. For more information, contact 665-3710.

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4 - CLEAN PAMPA INC. will hold its monthly general membership meeting at Chaney's Cafe. Dutch treat. Lunch starts at 11:45 a.m., meeting starts at 12:15 p.m. For more information, contact

Lora Baggerman at 665-2514. 5 – BUCKNER COMMUNITY BASED SERVICES will offer a Nurturing Program with focus on providing quality parenting education. For more information, contact the First Baptist Church,

669-1155. 6 - THE ALZHEIMERS SUPPORT GROUP will meet at 7 p.m. at Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency. Dan Snider from the Lovett Memorial Library will speak on what books and resources are available at the library and how to access these items. For more

information, contact Chrys Smith at 665-0356. 9 - FIRST PENTECOSTAL CHURCH, 1700 Alcock, will be "singing" from 2-4 p.m., with the public invited. For more information, contact Mina Towery at 665-3361 or 665-8529.

11 - ST. MATTHEW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH Annual Pancake

Supper, from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.. For more information, call 665-0701.

15 – BETA SIGMA PHI Scholarship Benefit Dance at M.K. Brown Memorial Auditorium, from 8 p.m. to midnight. Dance and casino Mardi Gras. Band will be Kracker Jack. \$25 a couple in advance, or \$30 at the door. Set-ups and snacks included. All funds go toward

a Pampa student scholarship. For more information, contact Terry Harrison at 665-6037 or Carolyn Smith at 665-5158.

16-19 – "THE GLORY AND THE FIRE" dramatic presentation, First Assembly of God Church, 500 S. Cuyler (Cuyler and Hwy. 60), 7 p.m. nightly. This drama portrays scenes of life as people confront the reality of heaven and hell. Nursery provided through age 3. Children under age of 12 should be accompanied by adult, and parents should be advised that the intensity of this presentation may not be suitable for children under 12. Admission is free, but an offering will be received. For more information, contact Rev. Mike Moss at 665-5941 (office) or 665-6060 (home).

20 - CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ANNUAL BANQUET and naming of Citizen of the Year. 7 p.m., M.K. Brown Memorial Auditorium and Civic Center. Featuring Dan Willis, cowboy poet/storyteller from Cranfills Gap, Texas. Tickets, \$15 per person. For more information, call the Chamber at 669-3241.

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The State Of Texas County Of Gray

President answers fundraising questions mere hours before attending \$1 million donor dinner

champion of campaign finance reform. But tance of the Carlton. by night President Clinton is still the Democrats' million-dollar man.

ence dominated by questions about women wearing DNC Finance name tags. Democratic Party fundraising irregularities, Clinton was the star attraction at a \$1 million donors' dinner.

About 70 business leaders paid \$10,000 per person or \$15,000 per organization to attend the Democratic National Committee event at the Carlton Hotel just across LaFayette Square from the White House.

To the rest of the American people this may sound ridiculous, but \$10,000 is a you," Sean P. O'Keefe, 29, president of company based in Los Angeles, said after that's the problem. the dinner.

Not everyone was so talkative. Seven peonever shuts down," said Don Simon, execuple entering the dinner through the hotel's main door declined comment.

One donor arrived in a chauffeured Lincoln tions on campaign spending. Town Car, another in a Mercedes-Benz with a "Clinton-Gore '96" bumper sticker.

on a chilly night; the city's biggest lobbyists never really stops."

WASHINGTON (AP) - By day, he's a are based on K Street, within walking dis-

Inside the lobby, a harpist accompanied by a flute played as the donors passed below a gild-Hours after a White House news confer- ed ceiling and were greeted by smiling young

As the guests dined on salmon and asparagus beneath the room's four chandeliers, Clinton said no donor has ever asked him to use the presidency on their behalf, and he has never done so.

There is no system which has been offered start to finish," he said. "So we have to depend upon people to help us."

DNC spokesman David Eichenbaum said small amount to pay to converse with the list of paying guests would not be avail-intelligent people that will be able to help able. "Read the FEC reports," he quipped. There was nothing illegal, or even unusual

Winco Corp., a small communications about the Tuesday night dinner. Some say

tive vice president of Common Cause, a non-

partisan group that lobbies for tighter restric-"It's a truism that as soon as one election is

over, everybody starts raising money for the But most arrived by taxi or on foot, and next - or paying off debts from the last," many men ventured out without overcoats Simon said. "The sale of access and influence of the money is raised "in a perfectly lawful

O'Keefe described Tuesday night's fundraiser as an open forum for small businesses that have an important stake in government decisions.

"It's really a whole basis of access to an open ear with the government, which I have not experienced directly, but which I think is important to the entrepreneurial and capital process within the United States and always has been," he said.

At his news conference earlier, Clinton conceded that "mistakes were made" in raising, which is completely publicly funded from millions of dollars for his re-election campaign. But he insisted his administration was never for sale.

Clinton acknowledged it was wrong to have the nation's top banking regulator meet with leading banking executives at a White House session arranged by Democratic fundraisers last May. But he said there was nothing improper about his own attendance, or that of Treasury Secretary. Robert Rubin.

He urged Congress to fix a campaign finance system that has not been updated since Watergate-era reforms 20 years ago.

Clinton said the huge costs of campaigns have produced an inevitable race for cash. "A huge percentage, way, way over 90 percent" fashion," he said.

Air ace, author, BBC pioneer, Oscar winner Cecil Lewis dies at 98

whose wide-ranging career executive to Oscar winner, has died. He was 98.

King Edward VII Hospital, his Chinese air force. family said. No cause of death was given.

"Sagittarius Rising," saw its vice.

LONDON (AP) - Cecil Lewis, fifth edition published in 1993. After the war, Lewis went to took him from flying ace to China as manager of commerauthor, and from broadcast cial aviation for a British com- John Birt said. pany. The Chinese government He died Monday at London's instructor and he helped form a he won an Academy Award for Mediterranean island of Corfu.

Lewis returned to Britain in Irish 1922 and became program man- Bernard Lewis joined the Royal Flying ager for the fledgling British Pygmalion.

great pioneering spirits of the British commercial television. BBC director-general

his screenplay adaptation of playwright Shaw's

Corps at age 17. Wounded in Broadcasting Co., precursor of In World War II, Lewis action, he emerged from World the British Broadcasting Corp. rejoined the armed forces as a In World War II, Lewis 1978. work for the United Nations in vate.

"Cecil Lewis was one of the New York and a spell with

He worked as a journalist for the London newspaper the Lewis left the BBC in 1926 for Daily Mail from 1956 to 1966, appointed him as a flying film and theater work. In 1938, then went to live on the

> His autobiography Never George Look Back - one of 19 books he play wrote - was published in 1974 and filmed for television in

Lewis, who divorced twice, is War I with a Military Cross, one He and the three other founders flying instructor and later survived by his wife, and by a of Britain's highest bravery received a government license embarked on several more son and daughter from his first awards. His autobiographical that year to set up a pioneer careers - sheep farming in marriage. His family said account of the air war, national radio broadcasting ser- South Africa, broadcasting funeral services would be pri-



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Wednesday January 29

felt very comfortable letting the

man who had recently been nomi-

nated for the vice presidency baby-

sit for me. When I returned, he

proudly said, "Your baby needed a

change, so I found your diaper bag

DEAR NANCY: What a won-

derfully warm memory of President Truman. Obviously, he

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How the world has changed!

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Wife Lacks Ginger To Join Husband's Fred Astaire Act

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I have been married 14 years. He is a good provider and a loving father to our two children.

We are part of a social circle that entertains frequently, and that is where the problem lies. My husband dances with every woman at the party while I sit at the table watching him make all kinds of sexy movements with them. He doesn't ignore me completely, but I am uncomfortable watching him touch all these other women.

If I say anything, my husband argues that I am the one he goes home with, buys the jewelry and gifts for, and comes home to every night. He says my disapproving looks spoil his fun, and claims he just likes to have a good time.

He shows his affection toward me when we are alone. We go on vacations together frequently. He says he loves me and the children and that our marriage is forever. But this dancing thing is bothering me.

How do I handle this? Should I just not pay attention, or try to give him a dose of his own medicine (but I am not the type to go around asking every woman's husband to dance)?

SITTING ON THE SIDELINES IN NEW YORK

DEAR ON THE SIDELINES: Your husband is acting as though he has nothing to hide, and apparently he doesn't. He comes home to you every day

Horoscope

Thursday, Jan. 30, 1997

You can achieve many of your objectives

in the year ahead if you are not too self-

ish. Helping others succeed will open the

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Take care

not to step out of character today and

door to opportunities for you.

face was familiar, but I could not place it until the loudspeaker blared, Senator Truman, please come to the Abigail desk." As he left, he said, "Don't worry, I'll be right back." Van Buren He was true to his word, and I

and is affectionate and gener-

Since no one else reacts negatively to his dancing, evidently he is not behaving inappropriately. Consider taking some lessons, thereby making yourself a more interesting and enjoyable dance partner. Then perhaps your husband will ask

DEAR ABBY: This is another true story about a kind act from a

A gentleman sitting on the bench with me saw my distress and said, "I will be here for the next half-hour and I am experienced in child care, as I have a young daughter." His

your mate's moods today. You will not want to do something which will be unsettling to this person. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Today, guard

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against the inclination to take on more responsibility than you can comfortably handle today. LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Spending

small price tags will be best. TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You are free SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) When inter-

to change your mind as often as you like, acting with in-laws, relatives or other fambut if you abuse this privilege today, you ily members today, handle delicate might alienate people who are trying to issues with care. A lack of tact could spark an argument.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) If you behave in a manner that could cause CANCER (June 21-July 22) Try to avoid fail to structure your day properly, you will friends who hold you in high esteem to risky financial endeavors today, regard- waste time, money and energy burning



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you to dance more often.

man of character: Harry S. Truman.

Many years ago, I was a young Army wife traveling with an infant. was at Washington National Airport, having been bumped from my connecting flight, badly in need of a bathroom, but I could not leave my baby alone.

reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail \$2.75 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156. PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Under most conditions your hunches are worth considering, but today they could lead you down a dead-end street.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Today, you more money than you intended won't might have better luck with strangers in ensure that you will have a good time regard to business propositions. Your today. In fact, pleasurable pursuits with friends know you too well.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) If you do not SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You appreciate people who go out of their will ask others to keep a secret today. way to help you today, you can bet that However, if word leaks out you will probathey won't be available to help you in the bly be the one who broadcast the news,

question their judgment. Know where to less of how appealing they seem to be rubber, spinning your wheels and going look for romance and you'll find it. The Do not get taken for a ride.

Astro-Graph Matchmaker instantly LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Try to recognize



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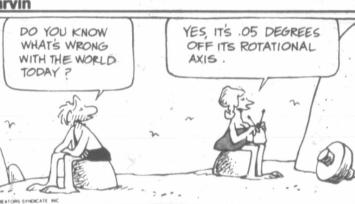






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"Do I know what a sieve is

Mommy? Grandma says she has a mind like one of those."



"It's all your fault. You stopped in front of the bakery store."



HE'S ALWAYS WANTED TO PROVE THAT









AS SOON AS A CHILD

IS BORN, HE OR SHE

DOG AND A BANJO

SHOULD BE ISSUED A



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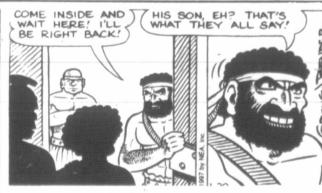




AT LAST I'VE FOUND A FORM

OF EXERCISE I ENJOY!





MA'AM? THAT'S RIGHT.

A FAMILY OF EIGHT ..

EIGHT DOGS AND

EIGHT BANJOS.







Peanuts

Alley Oop

AND I CONCLUDE MY

REPORT BY OFFERING

THIS SUGGESTION



BASKETBALL

PAMPA - The Pampa 9th grade Lady Harvesters basketball team defeated Hereford last Saturday by a score of 34-

Pampa faced a a much taller team, but by using a pressure half-court press and a man to man defense, the freshmen Lady Harvesters held off Hereford to stay in third place in the district standings.

The Pampa freshmen finish the season out this week, playing in the District 1-4A Tournament at Dumas on Thursday and Saturday.

MIAMI - Miami swept Lefors in a District 5-1A boys' girls doubleheader Tuesday

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In the girls' game, Lindsay Gill scored 16 points and Erin Locke added 10 as Miami posted a 47-23 win.

Penny Summers had 8 points to lead Lefors in scor-

ing.
Miami won the boys' contest by a score of 47-23.

Jared Neighbors and Shane Mitchell scored 12 points each to lead the Warriors in scoring. Justin Howard led Lefors in scoring with 24 points. Chris McKean added 6 points.

FOOTBALL

FOXBORO, Mass. (AP) — Bill Parcells is playing another game three days after the Super Bowl: the waiting

Parcells, coming off a Super Bowl loss Sunday night to Green Bay, is waiting for NFL commissioner Tagliabue's decision on whether Parcells is free to

coach elsewhere next season. Tagliabue was expected to issue his decision as early as today after presiding Tuesday over a conference call in which Parcells and Patriots owner Robert Kraft aired their contract differences.

"There's nothing. I really can't talk about anything because I don't know, Parcells, rumored to be headed to the New York Jets as coach and general manager, said Tuesday after arriving at Foxboro Stadium.

At issue is a provision added to Parcells' contract in 1996, which the team claims gives it exclusive rights to Parcells' coaching service in

The Boston Globe reported today that Parcells' attorney, Joel Kozol, argued that the coach's original contract negotiated with former owner James B. Orthwein in 1992 — supersedes the 1996 amendments.

The newspaper said Kozol contended the 1992 deal allows Parcells to terminate his contract by paying his base salary for his final coaching season as a buyout. Parcells earned \$1.2 million in 1996, and wants to pay that amount in return for complete freedom.

"He'll be taking a big business risk that he can replace that money," Parcells' agent, Robert Fraley, told New York newspaper Newsday.

If the commissioner rules in favor of the Patriots, the team is expected to ask for compensation — likely draft picks - from a team interested in Parcells. The Jets, who fired Rich Kotite as coach following a 1-15 season, have the top pick in the April draft.

Newsday said today that Kraft asked Tagliabue for a first-round pick to allow any move. However, the newspaper cited a source close to Tagliabue as saying it was unlikely a first-round pick would be allowed as compen-

"(Tagliabue) feels that that would go against the philosophy of the league," said the source, who believes New York's second-round pick would be a more likely settle-

Fraley told The New York Times that if Tagliabue ruled in favor of the Patriots, Parcells would be prepared to buy his way out of New

England.

'Bill will have to pay a lot of money to be rid of the final year," Fraley told the newspaper.

Notebook Bears surprise 23rd-ranked Longhorns

WACO, Texas (AP) — It was enough to make Texas coach Tom Penders' trademark curls stand on end.

with 21 seconds to play snapped the game's final tie and gave Baylor a 76-72 victory over Penders' 23rd-ranked Longhorns on Tuesday night.

Mannon launched his bomb four feet from the 3-point line and banked it home off the glass. Penders could only stare in wonder of how victory was

know, the basketball gods ... I've never seen anything like said.

Bears had won only one of its six Big 12 Conference games Damond Mannon's 3-pointer coming into Tuesday night's match on Baylor's home court.

> The win was the first for Baylor (13-7, 2-6 Big 12) against a ranked opponent since the Bears upset Arkansas in 1990.

This was something we dence-builder.

'We hadn't lost our confi-"When something like that dence, but when you keep goes in, you know it wasn't telling players to play hard and meant to be," he said. "I don't something will happen, something has got to happen," Miller game.

Baylor a 75-72 lead, but Reggie a 7-0 run that was started by a jumper that the Bears the lead Freeman was called for travel- 3-pointer by David Jones., for good at 70-69. ing as he drove to the lane.

Texas then fouled Roddrick Miller, who made one of two free throws for a 76-72 lead with 10 seconds left.

20 points and 14 rebounds. Patrick Hunter, who scored needed," said Baylor coach eight points over the final seven floor, literally, against Missouri. Harry Miller. "It's a big confi-minutes, finished with 18 points.

Freeman led Texas with 24

There were 10 lead changes and 54 personal fouls in the

Kris Clack had 11 points as Texas (11-6, 5-2) had an the Longhorns took a 41-38

The upset was all the more opportunity to tie the score halftime lead.

Patrick Hunter followed with startling considering that the after Mannon's shot gave Trailing 69-63, Baylor went on two free throws and a 19-foot

Aggies hold off Missouri

Doug Brandt led Baylor with (AP) - Brian Barone had only 4 pumped up as well," said Shanne points, but the Texas A&M fresh- Jones, whose career-high 21 points man point guard was all over the led A&M (8-9, 2-5 Big 12).

> only one turnover, directing a Kansas State. Texas A&M defense that held off Tuesday night.

COLLEGE STATION, Texas balls. His hustle gets the crowd

After an 0-5 start in the inaugur-Barone, the son of Aggies head al Big 12 season, the Aggies now coach Tony Barone, had six have two straight wins, counting assists, six rebounds, a steal and Saturday's 76-67 victory over

"These last two victories are Missouri in a 61-57 victory really a confidence builder for us. It lets the rest of the conference "It really pumps us up to see know that we are here and have to him dive on the floor after loose be reckoned with," Jones said.

PHS girls nipped by Randall in season's last home game

coach Mike Jones a big win in rebounds. his final coaching appearance in McNeely Fieldhouse.

Randall's Lisa McPherson hit a shot with three seconds remaining to give the Lady Raiders a 33-31 win Tuesday night in McNeely Fieldhouse.

District 1-4A and 18-8 overall, 23-21. Randall gained a onehad already clinched a playoff spot going into the game. The Lady Harvesters are 3-8 in dis-changed twice going down the trict and 11-15 overall.

Pampa's Faustine Curry led to stay.

PAMPA — The Pampa Lady all scorers with 14 points and Harvesters almost gave head the 6-1 junior also collared 12

> Courtney Gilmore led Randall scorers with 12 points. Pampa trailed by as many as a dozen points in the first half, but rallied to narrow the gap to three, 17-14, at intermission.

Curry's three-point play at the 4:47 mark of the third quar-The Lady Raiders, 8-3 in ter gave Pampa its first lead at point edge, 29-28, going into the fourth quarter and the lead stretch before McPherson's

Jones, who has been the Lady Harvesters' head coach the past four years, has accepted the head girls' basketball coaching position at Howard Payne University in Brownwood.

Randall 33, Pampa 31

Pampa — Faustine Curry 14, Yvette Brown 9, Jennifer Jones 3, Tina Dwight 2, Kristi Carpenter 2, Jordanna Young 1; Three-point goals: Jones 1.

Randall — Courtney Gilmore 12, Andrea Burrows, 7, Cynthia Benson 7, Lisa McPherson 5, bucket put the visitors in front Melissa Trevino 2; Three-point goals: McPherson 1, Burrows 1.



Pampa's Faustine Curry had 14 points and 12 rebounds against Randall.

Among golfing's royalty, Palmer is still the king

When Arnold Palmer walks mere presence sets off a whis- than the game they play.

Nearly a quarter century after people who watch them play. his last PGA Tour victory, nearly history of the game.

Palmer for 42 years, since he surgery such great news. won for the first time in 1955.

The true importance of Palmer how he won — in a hard-chargstyle.

the way he connected with fans. Palmer's winning smile, easy charm and generosity with his time remain the models for all athletes on how to deal with suc- to receive two ticker-tape searched for just the right words cess and disappointment.

All athletes should learn from a decade after last winning on Palmer that part of the price of the senior tour, Palmer remains success must be paid by never the most popular player in the forgetting where you came from.

That's what made Palmer's The buzz that Tiger Woods cre- announcement that he will ated in his few months as a pro-return to competitive golf when Palmer had cancer, the response fessional golfer has followed he recovers from prostate cancer from his fans was overwhelm-Golf needs Arnold Palmer.

Every measure of success and to golf far transcends talent. His satisfaction Palmer has taken out appeal was based on victories, of the game he has given back in surely, but it was also based on the form of autographs, interviews, dinner appearances, chargambling, go-for-broke ity work and just plain playing.

There have probably been only Perhaps more important was two golfers in the history of the game who reached outside the sport and appealed to the non- out in handsome contrast to his golf fan.

All athletes should learn from York, was as big in the 1920s as by the outpouring of affection. into a room heads still turn. His Palmer that they are not bigger Babe Ruth, Jack Dempsey and Red Grange.

pered wave of words. "There's All athletes should learn from And Palmer, who had the per-appreciate it," Palmer said. "I said. "As for when, it depends Arnie," they say. "It's the king," Palmer that the millions they fect personality and style for the want them all to know how on my recovery and the state of make come from the ordinary new media of television, cap- much their cards and letters my game. tured the nation's imagination in the 1950s and '60s.

Ben Hogan was intriguing. Jack Nicklaus was dominating. But Jones and Palmer were the complete package.

So when word got out that

"I've got mail from people that is unbelievable," Palmer said last week at Bay Hill Golf Club in his first public appearance since cancer surgery Jan. 15. "From golfers and non-golfers. There is no way I could answer them all."

Palmer stood behind the podium at Bay Hill still as dashing as ever with his white hair standing tanned, slightly lined face. He a club again until March 1 and he Bobby Jones, the only person paused for a second and parades on Broadway in New to express how touched he was

meant to me. There was a twinkle of amusement in the heart of Palmer's eves that offset the touch of

weariness around the edges. "I have heard from prostate cancer people all over the United States," he said. "Most of them after surgery. So maybe my

handicap will go down." Asking Palmer when he will play competitive golf again is almost like asking him when he will take his next breath. The

answer is: As soon as possible. "I have every intention of being at Augusta," Palmer said about the Masters. "I hope to putting stance. play. I plan to play.

"If the doctors are right, and I "In some way I would like all think they are, I will be playing the people to know how much I some competitive golf," Palmer That's Arnold. At age 67 he is

talking about the state of his game. He has achieved riches that would make even Tiger Woods jealous yet he has no intention of walking away from

"I'm happy," Palmer said said their handicaps went down about the doctors' assessment that he is likely now free of cancer. "I feel very fortunate."

As should everyone who has had the chance to watch Palmer play. As should everyone who will once again see Palmer's hard, awkward swing with the grimacing, head-ducking followthrough and the knock-kneed

All athletes should take note of Palmer won't be able to swing the reception Palmer receives when he steps onto the first tee said it's been more than 40 years at Augusta National in April. since he's gone that long without They will see the reward for being a nice guy.

Raiders close in on district title

PAMPA — Kevin Clayton added 14 as Randall downed Pampa, \$78-63, Tuesday night in Fieldhouse.

Randall drew closer to wrapping up the district champi- 18-17, than the Raiders. onship, improving to 9-1 in the 1-4A race. For the year, the Raiders are 22-5. Pampa is 4-5 in district play and 11-17 overall.

August Larson and Devin points in the first half. Brandon Lemons combined for 43 points, Larson with 23 and Lemons 20, to Raiders. pace the Harvesters.

went on a scoring spurt early in the game. Lemons, who had his the third quarter to cut the margin best scoring output of the season, scored the next 12 points to put was averaging 9.1 ppg going into the game almost out of reach.

Randall led by 13, 63-50, going into the fourth quarter.

Randall had a 39-27 reboundscored 27 points and Jared Lopez ing advantage with Jimmy Webb tilt, 84-67. pulling down 17 rebounds for the District 1-4A action at McNeely led the Harvesters in rebounds

Pampa had one less turnover,

Pampa hit 15 of 22 free throw attempts while Randall was 8 of 15. The 6-5 Clayton, who hit three 3-point goals, scored 16 of his 27

Sims added 12 points for the Larson, who is averaging 19.1 The Harvesters trailed by 10 ppg, scored 13 first-half points points, 40-30, at intermission, but and drilled three 3-pointers for

> the game. Kaleb Meek chipped in 9 points for the Harvesters.

Randall won the junior varsity

The next district clash for the Raiders. Larson and Gabe Wilbon Harvesters is Friday night at Canyon. Gametime is 7:30.

In other district games Tuesday night, Dumas defeated Caprock, 69-63, and Canyon won over Borger, 62-54. The Eagles are 8-1 and have wrapped up one of the three playoff spots.

Randall 78, Pampa 63 Randall — Kevin Clayton 27, Jared Lopez 14, Brandon Sims 12, Derek Daniel 7, Brian Warner 8, Jay Paetzold 4, Jimmy Webb 4, Jesse Hunnicutt 2; Three-point goals: Warner 3, Clayton 3, Lopez

Pampa — August Larson 23, to four, 40-36. However, Randall had 12 second-half points. He Devin Lemons 20, Kaleb Meek 9, Shawn Young 6, Tyson Alexander 3, JaMarious Osborne 2; Threepoint goals: Larson 3, Young 2, Lemons 1, Alexander 1.

Pampa freshmen are 15-1

PAMPA — The Pampa 9th Shephard and Brent Coffee had 8 grade boys' basketball team boosted their record to 15-1 with a pair of victories.

The Pampa 9th graders, a perfect 9-0 in district play, defeated Belleau 1. Hereford, 50-36.

Leading the scoring were Jesse Francis with 13 points, followed by Kevin Osborne with 11, Casey Owens 8, Jeremy Silva 7, Russell Robben 6, Matt Heasley 3 and Jason Kogler 2.

Pampa also defeated Randall, 49-34.

Robben topped Pampa in scoring with 15 points, followed by Francis with 9, Owens 8, Heasley 6, Kogler and Steven Vanderpool 4 each, and Silva 1.

In B team action, Pampa defeated Hereford, 53-35.

lead Pampa's scoring attack. John great, great team effort.'

Pampa also defeated Randall, 50-27, in a B game. Boyd led Pampa in scoring with 15 points while Shephard had 12, Stowers and Coffee 7 points each. The Pampa B team is 7-6 for the

points each; Tyrone Walker and

Jacob Campos 4 each; Shawn

Stowers and Richard Kogler 3

each; David Robinson 2 and Doug

season and 4-4 in district. Both Pampa teams host Canyon on Saturday with games sched-

uled for 10 a.m and 11:30 a.m. "Both groups are starting to come together as the season draws to a close. With the district tournament less than three weeks, both the A and B teams continue to work hard and play with a positive attitude," said Pampa coach Dennis Boyd had 20 points to Troy Bell. "They're both giving a

Rodman gets counseling from Jackson

having Chicago Bulls forward.

commissioner David Stern today Eugene Amos. in New York to plead the case for Rodman, who was suspended at

CHICAGO (AP) - Rev. Jesse which will cost Rodman more Jackson, after counseling Dennis than \$1.1 million in salary. He also Rodman, wants the NBA to was fined \$25,000 by the league, immediately reinstate the misbe- and he has agreed to pay a \$200,000 out-of-court settlement Jackson planned to meet with to Minneapolis cameraman

Stern has insisted that before least 11 games for kicking a Rodman is reinstated, he must courtside cameraman on Jan. 15. undergo psychiatric counseling The Bulls' 111-96 victory and assure the league that he Tuesday night at Vancouver was will adhere to acceptable stan-

Arkansas turns back Stephen F. Austin in overtime

 When it was Hog-killing time lation. Tuesday night, Stephen F. Austin lacked the killer instinct, coach Royce Chadwick said.

No. 20 Stephen F. Austin in a non-shot off as the buzzer sounded. conference matchup Tuesday.

NACOGDOCHES, Texas (AP) deficit with 13 minutes left in regu-

Arkansas (15-4) outscored SFA (17-3) 19-10 in the extra frame after the Razorback's Karen Jones hit a Karyn Karlin's layup with 2:52 layup to tie the game 66-66 with left in overtime led No. 18 1:05 left in regulation. Arkansas Arkansas to an 85-76 victory over was unable to get a last-second

Karlin's layup put Arkansas in To get there, the Razorbacks had front before Kimberly Wilson fol- Ladyjacks 34-19 in the final 13 to come back from a 15-point lowed with a 3-pointer with 1:06 minutes of regulation.

left in overtime to give the Razorbacks a six-point lead and force the Ladyjacks to foul the rest SFA took a 31-24 halftime lead

at 47-32 with 13:04 left in regulation. Then the Razorbacks began their comeback. Arkansas outscored

and had opened a 15-point lead

the sixth game of the suspension, dards of behavior.

Scoreboard

BASKETBALL Tuesday's Major College Scores By The Associated Press EAST

Harvard 74, Lehigh 58 Michigan 67, Penn St. 59 Syracuse 93, Seton Hall 60 mple 70, La Salle 67, 20T Auburn 72, Alabama 62 Charleston Southern 79, Radford 73 Louisville 71, DePaul 54 Troy St. 71, Alebama St. 67 Virginia 56, N. Carolina St. 50 Walte Forest 61, Virginia Tech 44 Xavier, Ohio 91, Rhode Island 79 SOUTHWEST Baylor 76, Texas 72 Texas A&M 61, Missouri 57 **FAR WEST**

National Basketball Association At A Glance By The Associated Press All Times EST EASTERN CONFERENCE

N. Arizona 61, S. Utah 58

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New York	31	13	.705	1/2
Washington	22	21	.512	9
Orlando	19	20	.487	10
New Jersey			.268	19
Boston	9	31	225	20 1/2
Boston Philadelphia	9	33	2	14 21 1/2
Central Divis	olon			
Chicago	38	5	.884	-
Detroit	31	11	.738	6 1/2
Atlanta Charlotte	29	12	.707	8
Charlotte	25	18	.581	
Cleveland	24	18	.571	13 1/2
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Indiana	19	22	.463	18
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San Antonio	11	29	.275	19 1/2
Vancouver	8	38	.174	25 1/2
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Sacramento 91, Minnesota 88 L.A. Lakers 102, Dallas 83 Utah 114, Denver 99 Chicago 111, Vancouver 96 Atlanta 112, L.A. Clippers 96 Wedneeday's Games Toronto at Philadelphia, 7:30 p.m. Phoenix at Orlando, 7:30 p.m. Boston at Miami, 7:30 p.m. Indiana at Charlotte, 7:30 p.m. New York at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m. Portland at Detroit, 7:30 p.m. L.A. Lakers at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m. Seattle at Golden State, 10:30 p.m. Thursday's Games Phoenix at New Jersey, 7:30 p.m. Minnesota at Dallas, 8:30 p.m. Denver at Houston, 8:30 p.m. Atlanta at Utah, 9 p.m. Vancouver at L.A. Clippers, 10:30 p.m. Chicago at Sacramento, 10:30 p.m.

Lakers-Mavericks, Summary L.A. LAKERS(102) Jones 3-11 0-0 6, Campbell 2-4 0-0 4, O'Neal 13-23 5-10 31, Bryant 5-11 2-3 12, Van Exel 8-13 0-0 19, Knight 3-7 0-0 6, Fisher 0-0 5-6 5, Kersey 4-8 0-0 9, Rooks 1-1 1-1 3, Scott 2-2 2-2 7, Kleine 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 41-81 15-22

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DALLAS (83)

Mashburn 9-16 7-9 26, Green 3-7 0-0 6,

Montross 4-6 0-0 8, Harper 3-11 2-2 8,

Jackson 3-10 4-6 10, Miller 3-9 0-0 6, Finley 4-7 3-3 11, McCloud 1-12 1-2 4, Dreiling 1-1 0-0 2, Roberts 0-0 2-2 2. Totals 31-79 19-24 83. L.A. Lakers 18 20 29 35 — 102

Daltes 23 18 12 30 — 83

3-Point goals—Los Angeles 5-16 (Van Exel 3-6, Scott 1-1, Kersey 1-2, Bryant 0-3, Jones 0-4), Dallas 2-11 (Mashburn 1-3, McCloud 1-4, Harper 0-1, Finley 0-1, Jackson 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Los Angeles 50 (O'Neal 10), Dallas 50 (Miller 12). Assists— Los Angeles 19 (Van Exel 6), Dallas 17 (Jackson 6). Total fouls—Los Angeles 19, Dallas 18. A-18,042 (18,042).

TRANSACTIONS

Tuesday's Sports Transactions

American League CHICAGO WHITE SOX-Agreed to terms with LHP Wilson Alvarez on a one-year con-

KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Traded RHP Melvin Bunch to the Montreal Expos for OF Yamil Benitez. National League SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS—Promoted Ned Colletti to assistant general manager and Dick Tidrow to director of player personnel.

BASKETBALL National Basketball Association CHARLOTTE HORNETS—Signed C Eric Leckner to a 10-day contract.

DALLAS MAVERICKS—Suspended F Chris Gatting for one game for leaving practice.
LOS ANGELES CLIPPERS—Placed C Dwayne Schintzius on the injured list. Activated C Stanley Roberts from the injured

NEW YORK KNICKS—Named Ian Mahoney

director of administration. PHILADELPHIA 76ERS—Activated F Demick Coleman. Place F Mark Hendrickson on the SAN ANTONIO SPURS—Signed G-F Darrin Hancock and C-F Jamie Felck to 10-day conChicago 2, N.Y. Rangers 1 Colorado 5, Toronto 2 Anaheim 4, St. Louis 1

Dallas 7, Los Angeles 2 Vancouver 5, San Jose 2

Tuesday's Games Philadelphia 4, Phoenix 1 Florida 5, Montreal 1

Calgary 4, N.Y. Islanders 3

Wednesday's Games Pittsburgh at Buffalo, 7:30 p.m.

Ottawa at New Jersey, 7:30 p.m.
Philadelphia at Washington, 7:30 p.m.
St. Louis at Toronto, 7:30 p.m.
Phoenix at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.

Anaheim at Dallas, 7:30 p.m. Los Angeles at Colorado, 9 p.m. San Jose at Edmonton, 9:30 p.m.

Thursday's Games
St. Louis at Ottawa, 7:30 p.m.
Montreel at Tampa Bay, 7:30 p.m.
Boston at Florida, 7:30 p.m.

San Jose at Calgary, 9:30 p.m. N.Y. Islanders at Vancouver, 10 p.m.

Hartford at Los Angeles, 10:30 p.m.

BRIEFS

NEW ORLEANS (AP) - Volunteers given

bat was killed, one of the volunteers says.

responsibility for a crew of bungee jumpers

received only two minutes of instruction before the Super Bowl rehearsal in which one acro-

The unidentified volunteer also said the group

was asked not to tell the performers about

their lack of experience, The Times-Picayune reported. The volunteers were responsible for

letting out the jumpers' lines. Lora Patterson, 41, of Sarasota, Fla., hit the

ground on her second dive during Thursday's rehearsal and died of a head injury.

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Reggie Brooks, Tampa Bay's third-leading rusher last season, signed a two-year contract. Brooks joined the Bucs last season after three years with Washington.

DALLAS (AP) — Chris Gatting, the Dallas Mavericks' leading scorer and rebounder, was

suspended without pay for a game against the Los Angeles Lakers after leaving a practice

NEWARK, N.J. (AP) - Having twice lost to

not following their July bout in New York.

Golota and comerman Sam Colonna charge

they were injured because Bowe was negli-

gent in supervising his employees and because the Garden failed to provide ade-

quate security. Golota and Colonna are seek-

ing an unspecified amount of money for med-

ical expenses and pain, according to the law-suit filed in state Superior Court in Jersey City.

Riddick Bowe on disqualification for low blows, heavyweight Andrew Golota is suing Bowe and Madison Square Garden over the

FOOTBALL National Football League DETROIT LIONS—Named Bob Palcic tight ends coach and Don Clemons a defensive assistant and assistant strength coach.
NEW ORLEANS SAINTS—Named Mike Ditka coach, Danny Abramowicz offensive coordinator, Zaven Yaralian defensive coordinator and Rick Venturi linebackers coach. Announced that Bill Kuharich will remain as chief operating officer, president and general manager. TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS—Re-signed RB Reggie Brooks. HOCKEY

National Hockey League BUFFALO SABRES—Placed LW Randy Burridge on the injured reserve list. Recalled LW Vaclav Varada and C Wayne Primeau from Rochester of the AHL. Sent LW Barri Moore to Rochester. DALLAS STARS-Claimed C Neal Broten off

waivers from the Los Angeles Kings. SAN JOSE SHARKS—Recalled LW Alexel Yegorov and RW Chris Tancill from Kentucky of the AHL.

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N.Y. Rangers	25	20	7	57	178	145	
New Jersey	24	17	- 5	53	121	115	
Washington	20	24	5	45	130	136	
Tampa Bay	18	23	- 6	42	136	149	
N.Y. Islanders	16	24	9	41	136	146	
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Pittsburgh	27	17	5	59	183	151	
Buffalo	25	19	- 5	55	141	131	
Hartford	20	21	7	47	140	152	
Montreal	18	25	8	44	158	182	

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Detroit	22	16	9	-53	144	108
St. Louis	23	23	4	50	150	159
Phoenix	21	24	4	46	136	157
Chicago	18	26	8	44	130	139
Toronto	19	31	0	38	149	176
Pacific Divis	sion					
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Colorado	30	12	8	68	170	117
Edmonton-	23	22	5	51	160	150
Vancouver	23	23	2	48	155	160
Anaheim	19	23	6	44	137	144
Calgary	18	25	6	42	123	145

They also name as defendants manager Rock Newman, Spencer Promotions and Spencer TRACK AND FIELD 25 6 42 123 145 26 6 40 131 169 25 5 39 123 151 18 17 17 Los Angeles San Jose LOS ANGELES (AP) - Contrary to a report out of Australia over the weekend, Olympic Monday's Games star Carl Lewis will extend his career beyond this year, attorney David Greifinger said.

Monday. BOXING

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Highlight for Toronto, lowlight for New Jersey

By The Associated Press

up with record-setting perfor-mances. That was good for the game — and the Knicks beat Raptors and bad for the Nets.

The Raptors got the most lopsided victory in their two-year history, 120-84 over Portland on Tuesday night. Doug Christie led Toronto with 33 points, tying a career high.

"They just came out and jumped us," Portland guard Kenny Anderson said. "They outhustled us and hit their shots. They did everything right and we did everything wrong.

Meanwhile, New Jersey was held to its lowest point total since joining the NBA in 1976, losing to the Cleveland Cavaliers 84-62.

"We have to get better as indi- Pistons 93, Bucks 84 viduals and get better as a team," Nets coach John Calipari said. "Today we took a giant step backwards, and it was a team effort."

the Nets to 10 points in the first quarter and 11 in the fourth.

Elsewhere in the NBA, it was New York 109, Boston 107; Washington 102, Orlando 82; Charlotte 98, Indiana 97; Detroit 93, Milwaukee 84; Sacramento 91, Minnesota 88; Los Angeles Lakers 102, Dallas 83; Utah 114, Denver 99; Chicago 111, Vancouver 96; and Atlanta 112, Los Angeles Clippers 96.

Bullets 102, Magic 82

At Landover, Chris Webber had 17 points and 14 rebounds as and 10 rebounds as Los Angeles Washington snapped Orlando's four-game winning streak. Juwan without suspended star Chris Howard had 26 points and 10 Gatling, led 51-49 midway rebounds for the Bullets, who won for only the third time in the Lakers took control with an nine games. Anfernee Hardaway 18-2 run. Jamal Mashburn scored 22 for the Magic.

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Knicks 109, Celtics 107

At New York, Chris Childs Toronto and New Jersey came made a 3-pointer with 8.4 sec-Boston for the 18th straight time. Allan Houston scored 25 points and Charles Oakley had a seasonhigh 20 for the Knicks, who shot a season-high 58.4 percent from the field. Boston rookie Antoine Walker had 27 points and a season-high 16 rebounds.

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Kings 91, Timberwolves 88 At Minneapolis, Richmond celebrated his fifth consecutive All-Star selection with 28 points and nine assists for Sacramento. Minnesota got 25 points and eight rebounds from Tom Gugliotta, who was selected to his first All-Star game.

At Milwaukee, Grant Hill scored 22 points and Detroit held its opponent under 100 points for the 22nd straight game. The The Cavs' stingy defense held Houston Rockets are the only team to score 100 points against Detroit this season, in a 115-96 victory on Dec. 12. Glenn Robinson scored 15 points for the Bucks.

Hornets 98, Pacers 97

Glen Rice scored 30 points, including a pair of clinching foul shots with four seconds left. Reggie Miller scored 26 points for the Pacers, who have lost three straight at home.

Lakers 102, Mavericks 83

Shaquille O'Neal had 31 points won at Dallas. The Mavs, playing through the third period before scored 26 points for Dallas.

Ditka is new Saints' coach

Tuesday's Games
Toronto 120, Portland 84

Detroit 93, Milwaukee 84

New York 109, Boston 107

Washington 102, Orlando 82 Charlotte 98, Indiana 97

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Before he left football in 1992, Mike Ditka developed a reputation as a tough guy who put up with little from players, management or the media.

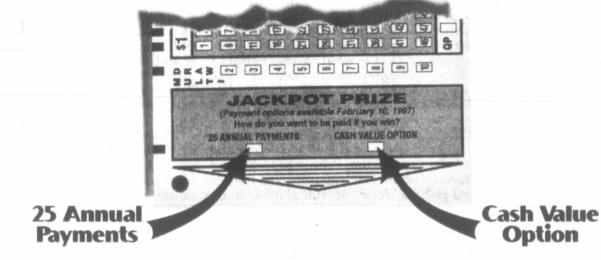
Ditka, the latest coach to shake off burnout and return from the broadcast booth to the sidelines, is the new coach of the New Orleans Saints.

He's also intent on showing that his old image doesn't match his new ways.

"I want to create a sense of pride here," Ditka said he was hired as the Saints' 12th head coach. "I want to make it fun for everybody, especially the people in the organization. I want the fans to enjoy it too."

Ditka, an NBC studio analyst the past four years, was offered the job Jan. 20, and on Tuesday he signed a three-year contract that will pay him between \$5.5 million and \$6 million over the length of the deal. He and owner Tom Benson said they decided last week not to announce his hiring until after the Super Bowl on Sunday in order not to divert attention from the NFL's marquee game.

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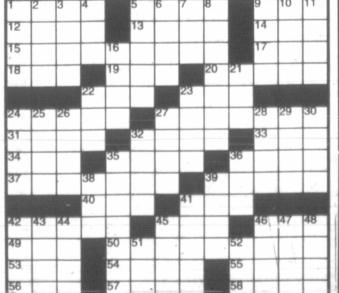
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