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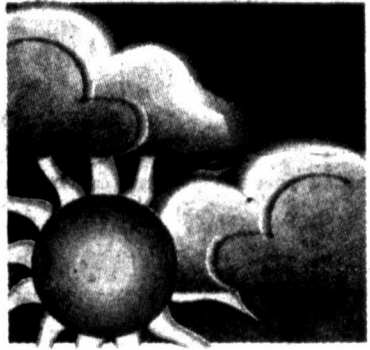
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PAMPA — Jan. 29 at 7 p.m. is when the Nona S. Payne Concert will get under way at Calvary Baptist Church at 900 E. 23rd. Music is provided by bands from Pampa High School and Pampa Middle School.

PAMPA — Clarendon College Center is offering a conversational Spanish course to be taught by Eunice Moreno on Tuesday evenings from 7 to 9 p.m. For more information call 665-8801. Jan. 27 - April 14.

HOUSTON (AP) — A former model partially paralyzed in an attack more than a decade ago has won a \$22.3 million verdict from the city of Houston, whose police force she said failed to protect her.

Barbra Piotrowski accused the Houston Police Department of discriminating against her almost 18 years ago by dismissing a threat on her life without giving her a warning.

Ms. Piotrowski, the one-time mistress of health-spa tycoon Richard Minns, says police ignored a September 1980 report from a Houston man that he had been offered \$10,000 to kill her, chop up her body and dump the remains in the Gulf of Mexico.

Five weeks after the tip was received, Ms. Piotrowski, a former model, was shot four times in the back as she left a Houston doughnut shop.

- Lucille Ortega, 77, former Hemphill County Hospital employee.
- John A. Pierce, 76, former owner of Stockyard's Service and Garage.

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'Oprah Trial' brings out star gazers

By MARK BABINECK
Associated Press Writer

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — An estimated five-week beef defamation trial pitting Texas cattlemen against Oprah Winfrey is under way, yet most of Amarillo is worried about more pressing matters.

For instance, there's buzz that NBA star Charles Barkley might be coming to town. And actress Janine Turner. And singer Kenny Rogers.

Ms. Winfrey's civil trial is a big enough news by itself. The fact that she might attract other stars to the Texas Panhandle when she begins taping her show here Thursday is really dazzling folks.

Ms. Winfrey didn't say anything about her trial after eight women and four men were chosen to sit on the jury Tuesday. But she managed to drop a few names as she left the courthouse.

"We'll have Clint Black," she said. "Oh, and Patrick Swayze."

Ms. Winfrey didn't say anything about her trial...but she managed to drop a few names... "We'll have Clint Black," she said. "Oh, and Patrick Swayze."

Add Houston Rockets forward Barkley, Turner, Rogers and possibly a few more stars with Texas ties, and Amarillo's celebrity fever is getting white hot.

Harpo Productions Inc. limited the hours a toll-free ticket hotline would be open today in an agreement with Southwestern Bell. A similar hotline last week paralyzed area phone service for a half hour.

The trial itself has almost gotten lost in all the star-studded hubbub.

Opening statements were set for this afternoon as plaintiffs try to persuade jurors that the April 16, 1996, "Oprah Winfrey Show" about mad cow disease cost them \$12 million when cattle prices fell.

Defense attorneys say there are other explanations for the market plunge.

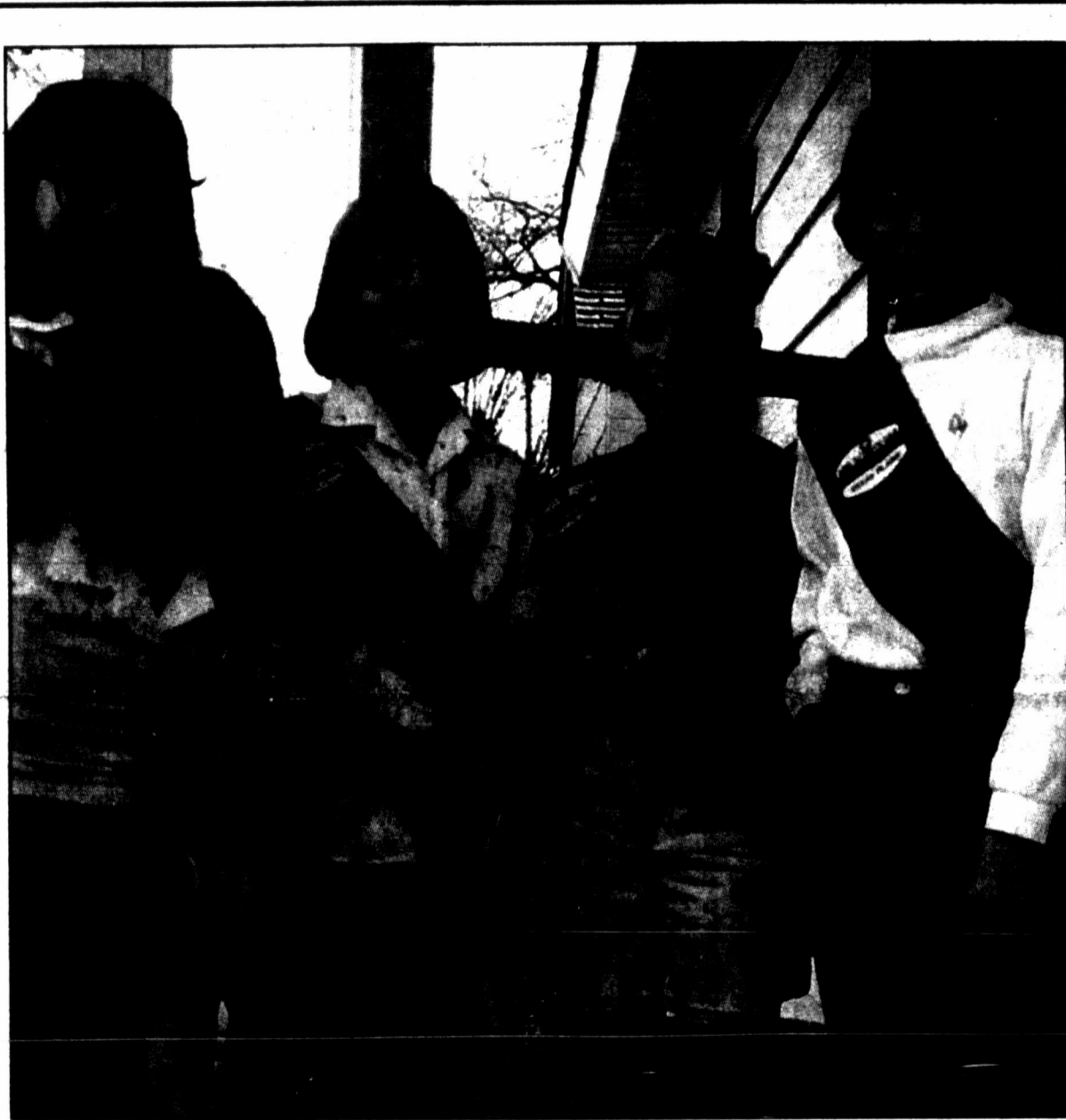
Three chosen jurors admitted past connections to the cattle industry, though all said they could consider the case fairly. None of the three women who said they were avid Oprah viewers made the cut.

Others from the original jury pool of 57 never had a chance.

"I'm too involved in the science of cattle feeding," said one dismissed for leaning toward the cattle industry, adding wryly: "I don't know how we've made cattle mad."

U.S. District Judge Mary Lou Robinson dismissed that man and 12 others for implying they couldn't objective

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(Pampa News photo by Miranda Bailey)

Girl Scout cookies are on the way! Troop #435 is selling cookies through Sat. Jan. 24. For more information call the scout office at 669-6862. (from left) Megan North, Aly Mackie, Allison Hall, Lauren Denney and Tanis Belleau.

Grand jurors return murder indictments

Richard Procter was shot once in the head while sitting in his car Christmas Eve 1996 and at the time the only clue seemed to be a red pickup in the area.

Ten months later arrest warrants were issued for two Pampa men, Jesus Santacruz, 34, and Ricardo DeLeon, 31, who were both arrested Oct. 10 of last year.

Yesterday, a Gray County grand jury indicted both men for the murder and bond was set for one million dollars each. They have both been in the Gray County Jail since their arrest.

"My feeling is one of relief," said Gray County District Attorney John Mann. "There was a year's worth of work by many officers, from many departments, working together to get us this far."

If convicted, each man can face 5-to-99 years or life in prison. Mann said he believes he knows which one was the "triggerman" but said he couldn't comment on the evidence at this point. He says his office is still putting the case together and he doesn't yet know what sentence he will seek for the defendants.

Arraignment is set for Feb. 9 in the 223rd Judicial Court of Judge Sims. Sims said that depending of defense motions he hoped to start the case in two to three months.

Mann who is going to Wichita Falls to act as special prosecutor in another case said he will make sure he is here then if the defense does not waive arraignment.

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Fire intentionally set, officials rule

A fire early Monday morning in a Pampa house has been ruled arson.

Fire Marshal Gary Stevens said the fire at 744 Scott was intentionally set but the exact cause was still under investigation.

The blaze was called into the fire department at 1:34 a.m. Monday morning. Three fire units and four firefighters originally responded but five more people had to be called in.

Stevens said damage to the interior was extensive. No one was living in the house at the time although it was furnished.

The owners of the house have apparently moved out of town, Stevens said, and may be living in Las Vegas, Nev. Officials had not located the owners as of press time today.

Clinton 'outraged' over latest sexual claims against him

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Clinton is "outraged" by accusations he had a sexual relationship with a former White House intern and asserts "he's never had any improper relationship with this woman," the White House said today.

Clinton's attorney, Robert Bennett, also rejected the allegations. "The president emphatically denies it. I smell a rat," Bennett told reporters as he arrived at the White House this morning.

Asked about reports of tape-recorded conversations about the alleged affair and purported efforts to conceal it, Bennett said, "I know nothing about that. Before I comment on it, I want to investigate it."

White House press secretary

Mike McCurry issued a statement after talking with Clinton about new allegations that prompted Whitewater prosecutor Kenneth Starr to expand his 3 1/2-year investigation into new territory — whether Clinton tried to influence a former intern's testimony in the Paula Jones sexual harassment lawsuit.

The former intern, Monica S. Lewinsky, 24, has signed a declaration in the Jones lawsuit denying she ever had a sexual relationship with the president and stands by that assertion, her lawyer said.

McCurry said the White House would cooperate with Starr.

A crush of reporters crowded into McCurry's office to question

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New bank president has panhandle ties

By MIRANDA G. BAILEY
Staff Writer

Chris R. Koop was named president of NationsBank First National Bank in Pampa yesterday replacing Randy Watson.

Boatmen's First National Bank and its branches throughout the panhandle are scheduled to convert to NationsBank in February. The Pampa branch will convert Feb. 20, according to Tom Jones, president of Boatmen's in Amarillo.

Jones quoted Randy Watson as saying he decided to pursue other interests. Watson was unavailable for comment.

Koop, a 14-year veteran of NationsBank and its predecessor banks, has served in various lending capacities in Odessa and El Paso. In 1995, he was named president of NationsBank Uvalde. In February 1997, he transferred to NationsBank Austin as Vice President of Commercial banking.

Koop's family has roots in Pampa and the panhandle area. His father was born in Pampa and grew up in Phillips, Koop said.

"Chris is a great addition to our management team," said Jones. "He understands the unique financial needs of the customers in our area which will make him an asset to our customers and the Pampa community as well."

While in El Paso and Uvalde, Koop was very active in community activities and served on many civic boards. He has been a member of Rotary International and involved in Boy Scouts of America at the troop level.

"My family and I are excited



Chris R. Koop

about the move and we're eager to get settled," said Koop. "I'm looking forward to working with our associates and continuing the traditions of this bank in offering quality financial services to its customers here in Pampa."

He and his wife, DeAnna, have three children. Mrs. Koop is an experienced middle school math coordinator/teacher. The family is active in the First United Methodist Church.

Firm sues DPS for criminal information

LUBBOCK (AP) — A Lubbock company that performs criminal background checks for schools and apartment communities has sued the Texas Department of Public Safety for its entire criminal conviction database.

Tenant Tracker Inc. alleges in a lawsuit filed in a Travis County state district court that the DPS refuses to release information that the Legislature

made public through a bill passed last year.

A Feb. 5 hearing has been set, the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal reported.

Keith Clifton, president of the company, said that refusing to release information works to the advantage of child molesters, who want to remain anonymous so they can continue committing crimes.

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Services tomorrow

ORTEGA, Lucille - 2 p.m., Stickley-Hill Funeral Directors Funeral Chapel, Canadian.
PIERCE, John A. - 10 a.m., St. Hyacinth's Catholic Church, Amarillo.

Obituaries

LUCILLE ORTEGA

CANADIAN - Lucille Ortega, 77, died Monday, Jan. 19, 1998, at Woodward, Okla. Services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in Stickley-Hill Funeral Chapel with David Young of Canadian officiating. Burial will be in Edith Ford Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Stickley-Hill Funeral Directors of Canadian.

Mrs. Ortega was born Oct. 20, 1920, in Georgia, to Harrison and Margaret Grantham. She married Gregorio Ortega on Oct. 6, 1952, at San Antonio. She had been a Canadian resident since 1956. She was a homemaker and a Health Care Provider. She worked for Hemphill County Hospital and Abraham Memorial Home.

Survivors include three daughters, Betty Jo Phillips of Temple and Frances Lucas of Enid, Okla.; five sons, Billy Joe Waldrop of Kerville, Jessie F. Waldrop of Woodward, Gregory Ortega of Rosharon and Johnny Ortega of Mississippi; two sisters, Jean and Judy; two brothers, Harrison James Grantham and Freddie Grantham, both of Amarillo; and numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

JOHN A. PIERCE

AMARILLO - John A. Pierce, 76, brother of a Miami resident, died Tuesday, Jan. 20, 1998. Vigil services will be at 7:30 p.m. today in Schooler Funeral Home Brentwood Chapel. Services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday in St. Hyacinth's Catholic Church with Monsignor Joseph Tash, of St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church, officiating. Burial will be in Llano Cemetery.

Mr. Pierce was born at Welch, Okla. He married Eva Winton in 1944 at Miami, Okla. He had been an Amarillo resident since 1954. He joined the U.S. Air Force at 18 and served for 3 1/2 years, training pilots and crew members on B-25s. He was a former owner of Stockyard's Service and Garage and was a charter member of St. Hyacinth's Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife, Eva; a daughter, Penny Teehee of Amarillo; a son, John Scott Pierce of Austin; four sisters, Agnes Stafford of Pryor, Okla., Maxine Monte of Oklahoma City, Okla., Marie Carter of Miami and Betty Chenoweth of Welch; four brothers, Jim Pierce of Welch, Joe Pierce of Stillwater, Jerry Pierce of Miami, Okla., and Sammy Pierce of Bellville; and two grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Baptist St. Anthony's Hospice and Life Enrichment Center.

Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Attebery Grain of Pampa. Prices change at 2 p.m.

Wheat	2.94	dn 5/16
Milo	4.33	dn 1/16
Corn	4.85	dn 1/16
Soybeans	6.09	dn 1/16

The following show the prices for which these securities could have traded at the time of compilation:

Occidental	27 1/8	NC
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The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation:

Magellan	96.10	dn 1/8
Puritan	19.57	dn 1/8

The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock Market quotations are furnished by Edward Jones & Co. of Pampa.

Amoco	82 15/16	dn 1/4
Arco	77 7/8	dn 7/16
Cabot	27	dn 1/16
Cabot O&G	20 5/8	dn 5/16
Chevron	77 1/2	up 7/16
Coca-Cola	65 5/8	dn 5/16
Columbia/HCA	26 15/16	dn 1/16
Enron	42 1/8	up 1/16
Halliburton	47 3/4	dn 3/4
IRI	13 7/8	nc
KNE	52 1/16	up 3/16
Kerr McGee	62 7/16	up 1/16
Limited	27	dn 1/4
Mapco	43 7/8	dn 3/16
McDonald's	47 1/4	dn 3/4
Mobil	69 15/16	dn 9/16
New Atmos	28 3/16	dn 1/16
NCE	46 1/16	dn 1/8
Pennney's	60 1/8	up 15/16
Phillips	44 7/8	NC
Pioneer Nat. Res.	24	NC
SLB	78 15/16	up 1
Tenneco	37 5/8	up 5/8
Texaco	55 1/16	dn 1/8
Ultramar	32 15/16	dn 1/2
Wal Mart	41 3/4	dn 3/4
New York Gold	291.00	
Silver	5.70	
West Texas Crude	16.45	

Calendar of events

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS
Narcotics Anonymous, a new non-profit group to aid people having problems with the use of narcotics, will have meetings at 8 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays at 1121 S. Hobart. For more information, call 669-6260 or 669-2665.

SKELLY-GETTY-TEXACO RETIREES CLUB
Skelly-Getty-Texaco Retirees Club will be meeting on Thursday, January 22 at 1:30 p.m. at Senior Citizens Center.

Police report

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

Tuesday, January 20

Juana Ramirez, 42, 1037 Prairie Drive, charged with no seat belt and defective equipment.

Sheriff's Office

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

Tuesday, January 20

William Young, 18, Dunbar, W.Va., charged with theft of gasoline in Carson County.

Amy Schoonover, 18, Borger, was arrested by a DPS trooper on a charge of DWI.

Edward Lee Briley Jr., 19, Texas Department of Correction, was brought to the jail by Transcor. His charges are theft over \$20,000 and under \$100,000.

Accidents

The following accident reports were turned in by Pampa Police Department officers during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Friday, January 16

An unknown vehicle struck a 1988 blue Honda, owned by Bill or Paula Robben, 1601 Grape, that was parked in the parking lot in the 1400 block of North Charles. The Honda's front bumper was forced off.

Tuesday, January 20

Two legally parked homemade trailers in the 2500 block of Rosewood were damaged when a white Ford Mustang driven by Darla Honeycutt, 24, 1008 S. Banks, struck one trailer knocking it into the other one. The trailers are owned by David Alan Luster of 2501 Rosewood. No charges were noted on the report.

Ambulance

The Rural/Metro reported the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Tuesday, January 20

10:59 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 500 block of Doucette and transported one to Baptist St. Anthony's in Amarillo.

11:48 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to a local nursing home and transported one to Columbia Medical Center.

12:47 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 1100 block of Seneca. No one was transported.

6:23 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 1200 block of S. Hobart and transported one to Columbia Medical Center.

6:50 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to Columbia Medical Center and transported one to a local residence.

9:18 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to Columbia Medical Center and transported one to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

Fires

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

Tuesday, January 20

6:25 p.m. - Three units and five personnel responded to a storage building fire 10 miles south on Hwy. 749 and one-half mile east. The building was a total loss.

6:43 p.m. - One unit and two personnel responded to 1144 Terrace to check a hot water heater.

Wednesday, January 21

12:21 a.m. - Three units and six personnel responded to 2545 Perryton Parkway on a gasoline leak from a vehicle.

Emergency numbers

Ambulance	911
Crime Stoppers	669-2222
Energas	665-5777
Fire	911
Police (emergency)	911
Police (non-emergency)	669-5700
SPS	669-7432
Water	669-5830

Judge: Parents have right to send teen to treatment facility

By MICHELLE LOCKE
Associated Press Writer

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) - Cheers, whistles and a burst of courtroom applause welcomed a judge's ruling that the parents of a rebellious teen had the right to send him to a strict treatment program in Jamaica.

Superior Court Judge Ken Kawaichi ruled against a prosecutor who alleged David Van Blarigan was kidnapped and falsely imprisoned. The prosecutor had asked the judge to have David return so he could speak for himself in court, but Kawaichi refused.

In deciding that Jim and Sue Van Blarigan exercised proper parental power, the judge said: "It is not that easy a line to draw as to what is appropriate and what is not."

Kawaichi said he had no evidence that David is being abused at Tranquility Bay, the highly supervised camp where he was sent last November after being taken away from his Oakland home in the middle of the night by two men hired by his parents.

Family attorney Dan Koller said David was a "troubled youth," although he would not discuss what those troubles were in open court.

Police were called by a neighbor whom David

The youth was taken away from his Oakland home in the middle of the night by two men hired by his parents.

telephoned from an airport. The state filed the case as a civil, not a criminal, action.

The incident touched off a debate over the lengths to which parents can go to keep their youngsters out of trouble.

Terri Mesple, one of scores of program supporters who crowded into the small courtroom, said the decision recognizes the realities of trying to help problem children.

"If you have an out-of-control child, they're not going to agree that they're out of control and they're not going to agree to go to treatment," said Mesple, who hired an escort service to force her own daughter into a Utah treatment program. "Parents do what they have to do."

Some in the courtroom disagreed with Kawaichi. "Trampling on children's human rights merely because of their minor status is wrong and dangerous," said Jordan Riak, executive director of an Alamo-based group called Parents and Teachers Against Violence in Education. "If this was done to an adult, there would be national outrage."

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ly hear the case. Ten were dismissed because they admitted sympathy for the cattle industry, the region's economic engine.

Amarillo cattle feeder Paul Engler sued after watching vegetarian activist Howard Lyman's appearance on "The Oprah Winfrey Show." Lyman criticized the U.S. practice of feeding processed livestock to cattle, a custom believed to have spread mad cow disease in Europe.

Ms. Winfrey responded that she was "stopped

cold" from ever eating another hamburger after hearing about the cattle-to-cattle feeding, which was banned in this country last year.

Mad cow disease, or bovine spongiform encephalopathy, is a brain-destroying disease that has afflicted cattle in Britain since the late 1980s. In 1996, British scientists announced that humans might have contracted a similar brain disease by eating infected beef.

Plaintiffs are suing under a 1995 Texas law holding liable anyone who makes false and disparaging statements about perishable food products. A dozen other states have similar statutes.

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INDICTMENTS

In other action, the wandering trusty who walked off a Gray County work detail only to be recaptured 30 minutes later was indicted on escape and burglary of a habitation. Robert Lee Meeks, 29, of

Canadian, is charged with burglary and stealing a jacket during his quick round of freedom. The escape charge can get him two-to-10 years but the burglary charge carries a sentence of 20 years to life.

The only other action taken yesterday, was indictment. Stephen Lee Spencer, 38, 2119 Lea, for possession of a controlled substance.

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CLINTON

him about the latest allegations. Reading from notes, he said, "The president is outraged by these allegations. He's never had any improper relationship with this woman. He's made it clear from the beginning that he wants people to tell the truth in all matters."

"I can say that the president was quite firm about me making that statement," McCurry said.

After reading his statement, he referred reporters to Clinton's Whitewater attorney, David Kendall, for further information.

The presidential spokesman tried to portray a White House going about its work in a normal fashion despite the sensational charges. He said that the president's outrage over the charges quickly faded as he turned to discussions with national security advisers about Iraq.

Attorney William H. Ginsburg, of Los Angeles said his client, Ms. Lewinsky, has not been formally interviewed by prosecutors but that he has met in Washington with Starr's investigators.

Ginsburg said the Justice Department had approved a formal expansion of the Whitewater investigation. "I know that Janet Reno has definitely signed off," he said.

The Washington Post and The Los Angeles Times, which first reported the development along with ABC News, said today that the three-judge federal appeals court panel that oversees Starr's probe also approved the expanded probe.

Clinton repeatedly has denied Jones' allegations that he sexually harassed her while Arkansas governor and last weekend was questioned by Ms. Jones' attorneys for six hours.

The latest development marks a departure for Starr's investigation, which has focused on the Clintons' failed Whitewater land venture and other Arkansas business dealings. It also has examined whether since coming to Washington the first family or aides have done anything to impede that investigation.

Ginsburg declined to discuss the specifics of what he talked about with Starr's investigators, but confirmed he had met with them in Washington.

He said Ms. Lewinsky was scheduled to be questioned later this week by Jones' attorneys in the sexual harassment lawsuit.

Earlier, Ms. Lewinsky provided a written statement in the lawsuit denying she ever had a sexual

Both newspapers and ABC said that, according to sources, Ms. Lewinsky said in one of the taped conversations that Clinton and Jordan had asked her to deny to Ms. Jones' lawyers that she had had a relationship with the president.

relationship with Clinton while an intern at the White House, Ginsburg said.

"At this time, she stands by her declaration," the lawyer said.

The Times and ABC News reported that Starr was investigating whether Clinton asked his friend and trusted adviser, Vernon Jordan, a Washington attorney, to discuss with Ms. Lewinsky her testimony.

The two reported that Starr's office had received a tip from a former associate of Ms. Lewinsky, Linda Tripp, that prompted the investigation.

NBC News, which said investigators are working with 20 hours of tape-recorded conversations in the case, said it reached Jordan overnight at a New York hotel and that he declined comment.

The Washington Post and ABC reported that Tripp provided Starr with audiotapes that she recorded of conversations she had with Ms. Lewinsky in which the former intern recounted details of a 1 1/2-year affair she said she had with Clinton. Ms. Lewinsky started working at the White House in December 1995.

Both newspapers and ABC said that, according to sources, Ms. Lewinsky said in one of the taped conversations that Clinton and Jordan had asked her to deny to Ms. Jones' lawyers that she had had a relationship with the president.

Last summer, Tripp told Newsweek that another former worker, Kathleen E. Willey, told her that Clinton had made sexual advances toward Ms. Willey in the White House. At the time, Bennett denied "that anything improper was ever said or done in connection with Ms. Willey."

After working as an intern at the White House, Ms. Lewinsky worked in the public affairs department at the Pentagon along with Tripp. She left the job, but it had nothing to do with the sexual harassment case, Ginsburg said.

Ms. Lewinsky remains in Washington, her lawyer said.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

Cloudy and colder today with a high of 40 with an easterly wind of 5-15 mph. Low tonight in the mid 20s with a southeast wind of 5-15 mph and possibly a few snow flurries. Tomorrow, continued cloudy and cold with a high in the mid 40s and winds from the southeast at 5-15. The overnight low was 28.

REGIONAL FORECAST

WEST TEXAS - Panhandle - Tonight, cloudy and cold with a 30 percent chance of light rain. Rain changing to or mixing with sleet, freezing rain or light snow. Little or no accumulations. Low 20 to 25. Variable wind 5 to 15 mph. Thursday, morning snow flurries, otherwise mostly cloudy and cool. High around 40. Southwest wind 5-15 mph.

SOUTH TEXAS - Hill Country and South Central Texas - Tonight, cloudy and cool with a chance of rain or thunderstorms. Lows in the mid 40s, near 40 Hill Country. Thursday, mostly cloudy and breezy with a slight chance of morning rain. Highs in the upper 50s, near 50 Hill Country. Thursday night, mostly cloudy and cool. Lows near 40. Southeast Texas and Upper Texas Coast - Tonight, cloudy with a chance of evening showers or thunderstorms, some possibly severe. Locally heavy rain possible. Light rain, drizzle and fog developing after the wind

shift. Lows near 50 inland to lower 50s coast. Thursday, cloudy and cooler with a chance of showers. Highs in the mid 50s. Coastal Bend and the Rio Grande Plains - Tonight, mostly cloudy with a slight chance of showers. Patchy fog developing late. Lows near 60 coast to the mid 50s inland. Thursday, cloudy, breezy and cooler. Highs in the lower 60s.

BORDER STATES - **NEW MEXICO** - Tonight, isolated evening showers west, otherwise partly cloudy. Mostly cloudy with a continued chance of flurries or light showers east. Lows from the single digits and teens mountains and northwest, 20s to near 30 elsewhere. Thursday, variable cloudiness north with a slight chance of light snow showers mountains and northeast early. Partly cloudy south with areas of low clouds southeast. Highs 30s to upper 40s mountains and northwest with mostly 50s east and south.

OKLAHOMA - Tonight, cloudy with a chance of rain, mainly south. Rain possibly mixed with snow central and north. Lows in the mid 20s to mid 30s. Thursday, mostly cloudy with a chance of rain. Rain possibly mixed with snow central and north in the morning. Highs in the lower and mid 40s.

City briefs

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CALF FRIES - Moose Lodge, Thursday 22nd. Members & guests. Adv.

IMAGES SHOE Sale - up to 50% off on selected Brighton, Pappagallo & Cole Haan. 123 N. Cuyler, 669-1091. Adv.

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CLINT & Sons Smoke House and Deli seating now available. Ground Beef 99¢ lb., Gal. Milk \$1.99, Homemade Sausages, Jerky, Deli Meats & Cheeses. Grain fed freezer beef & pork. Order your Super Bowl Trays, Party Eats & Sandwiches today. 1421 N. Hobart. Adv.

SUNSET BAR & Grill will open Fri., Jan. 23, at 4 p.m. featuring Live Band Side Pocket. Thanks members for all your patience and support. Adv.

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CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH - begins Jan. 27th. Class is every Tuesday 7-9 p.m. for 12 weeks at Clarendon College. For more information call 665-8801. Adv.

CLOSE-OUT Fixtures - \$5 & up. Pampa Hardware, 120 N. Cuyler, 669-2579. Adv.

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 McKinley Quarles and Dustin Laycock of the Pampa High School Tennis Team presented United Way Director Katrina Bigham with a \$125 check last week — 50 percent of the team's snow shoveling, fundraising efforts.

Condemned woman seeking to block execution

AUSTIN (AP) — Today or Thursday, Karla Faye Tucker will ask the State Board of Pardons and Paroles for clemency to keep her from becoming the first woman executed in Texas since the Civil War.

Her lawyers said she would take that step as they made another on Tuesday — asking the Court of Criminal Appeals to halt her Feb. 3 execution.

Acknowledging her guilt but pleading for mercy, Ms. Tucker's lawyers said she is a new woman who deserves to have her death sentence commuted.

"She is guilty of the crime," said lawyer George Secrest of Houston.

"This is not a quest to undermine a jury's verdict. We're not asking for a new trial. This is a quest to save her life because she's a changed individual. If, in fact, rehabilitation and mercy play no part in the criminal justice system, tell us loud and clear."

The 38-year-old woman was convicted of killing Jerry Lynn Dean, 27, of Houston. Deborah Thornton, 32, also was killed in that attack.

Another lawyer, David Botsford of Austin, said he expects nothing to come of the request to have her sentence commuted.

"It's an exercise in futility. Last year, there were 16 commutation requests from (the) 37 people executed, and none of those who voted on those cases

voted to recommend clemency," he said.

Ms. Tucker and a companion, Daniel Garrett, both received death sentences for the slaying. Garrett died in prison in 1993 of liver disease.

Testimony at their trials showed the pair broke into Dean's apartment June 13, 1983,

to steal motorcycle parts. After Dean was bludgeoned with a hammer by Garrett, Ms. Tucker repeatedly hit him with the ax to stop the beaten Dean from making a gurgling sound.

Ms. Thornton was hiding under a blanket. When she was discovered in the room, Ms. Tucker turned the ax on her.


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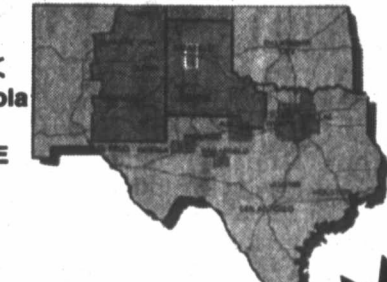
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CLARENDON — Clarendon College will host the first ever Careers 2005 Workshop from 12:30-3 p.m. Feb. 13 in Harned Sisters Fine Arts Auditorium on CC campus.

Area high school students will learn about future employment, projections and labor market trends. The keynote speaker will be Dr. Bill Whitter, project director for the Texas State Occupational Coordinating Committee. Whitter will deliver fun and informative data regarding job market trends.

Students will also have the opportunity to explore popular Texas Panhandle occupations. Industry leaders from a variety of occupations will meet with students in four breakout sessions. Representatives from the following industries will participate in the workshop: hotel and restaurant management, health occupations, agriculture, equine, computer technology, criminal justice, environmental, nuclear,

petro-chemical and engineering. Panhandle Tech Prep Director LeAnne Vogel and Curriculum Director Lisa Bentley will introduce students to emerging technical programs and tech-prep opportunities.

Careers 2005 Workshop is open to all area high school students and teachers. Admission is free, and registration forms are available by calling CC Counseling Center at 1-800-687-9737.

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In Remembrance of Bob L. Shoulders

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the Ruth Class and Hobart Baptist Church for the food and flowers brought to our home, also to our friends and neighbors for their visits, food, and expressions of sympathy.

Our deep appreciation to Rev. M.B. Smith, and Rev. Harold Hook for the comforting service, to Gayle Steward for the music, to Carmichael Whitley for their help and kindness shown us, and to Roberta's for the lovely floral arrangements.

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Let Peace Begin With Me

This newspaper is dedicated to furnishing information to our readers so that they can better promote and preserve their own freedom and encourage others to see its blessings. Only when man understands freedom and is free to control himself and all he possesses can he develop to his utmost capabilities.

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

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

L.W. McCall
Publisher

Kate B. Dickson
Associate Publisher/Editor



Guest
columnist

Lewis Meers
President, PEDC

Misconceptions surround PEDC

The sales tax election that the voters approved by a 61% majority is good news for economic development. The continuation of the Economic Development Corporation is also good news for Pampa and a message to the other communities in the Panhandle that Pampa is in for the long haul and will continue to be a player in economic development activities.

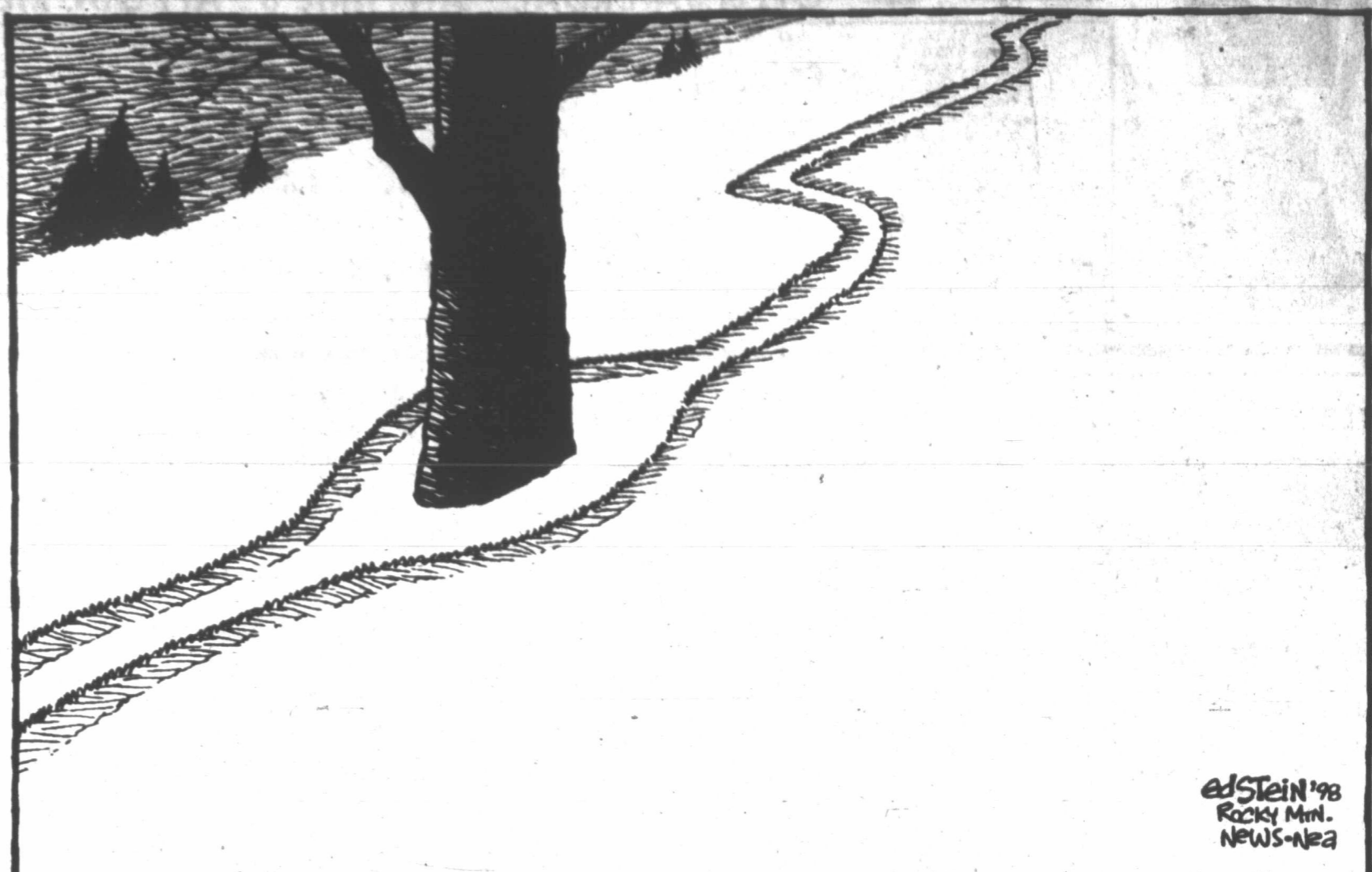
I would like to thank the many people who devoted much time and effort to see to it that the Development Corporation continues in Pampa. Mr. Jack Reeve chaired the committee of many citizens, financed entirely by donations from individuals. This committee is to be congratulated for the outstanding job that was done.

Now that the vote is over with, I would like to reassure all of the citizens of Pampa that the Economic Development Corporation will continue to make the most of the resources that have been given us. There was a lot of misinformation on various issues raised during the campaign. The Economic Development Corporation has an open door policy to the citizens of Pampa. Our accounting records are open at all times. The Economic Development Corporation has an audit every year, and it furnishes monthly financial statements to those who request them. Additionally, the board meetings are open to the public. Problem is seldom does anyone show up that does not have business with the Economic Development Corporation. I encourage any citizen of Pampa to come to the board meetings each month.

A letter to the editor against the sales tax made untrue statements with respect to the Coronado Inn. The facts are: 1) The Economic Development Corporation made a loan guarantee of \$100,000 to the owners of the Coronado Inn for payment of various taxes; 2) The Economic Development Corporation has a real estate tax lien in its favor in the amount of \$59,000; 3) To date, the owners of the Coronado Inn have made payments to the bank, which has reduced the note balance down to approximately \$69,000; 4) The exposure to the Economic Development Corporation at this point is \$10,000; 5) Approximately 40 jobs were maintained and the hotel remained in business during one of the busiest times in the summer months.

Questions have been raised about the U.S. Bus Company. It is still in business with an excellent backlog of bus units to manufacture. The bus company is currently getting financing from a third-party bank and is getting stronger each day. This company is important to Pampa due to the size and nature of its business. We have analyzed the economic impact to Pampa over the next 15 years. That impact will benefit Pampa to the tune of \$75,000,000 and will primarily benefit the private sector.

I could continue on for many pages. However, I would encourage you to contact the staff of the Economic Development Corporation or any board member, if you still have any questions.



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ANOTHER IMPORTANT DIFFERENCE BETWEEN CARTOONS AND REAL LIFE

Announcing the 1997 ASPs!

Welcome to the ninth annual Outrageous Personage of the Year awards. Please note that it is rated PG-14, mainly because the contestants have been given the option of wearing bikinis.

What's risqué about that, you ask? Try to imagine Henry Kissinger in a bikini. OK? We probably should be rated PG-55.

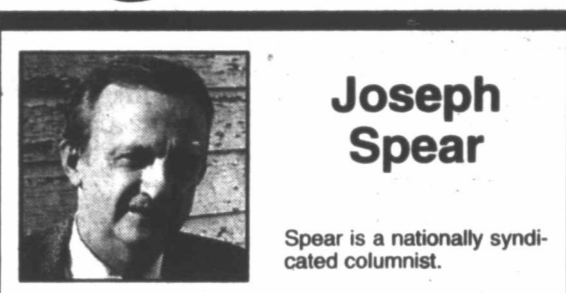
First the legally required notices.

Our purpose today is to honor the most hypocritical, inane, preposterous or ridiculous individuals to strut across the public stage in the year 1997. Ineligibles include foreign nationals, groups and Joe. The contest is sponsored by the Spear Foundation and the Association of Sagacious Pundits, which will someday distribute statues of tiny snakes to winners. This explains why our show is often called the ASP awards.

In addition to such old standbys as Bill Clinton, Al Gore, Jesse Helms, Jesse Jackson, Jerry Falwell and Rush Limbaugh, the mail brought last minute nominations for Henry the K; Sen. Al D'Amato, R-N.Y.; Reps. Tom Lantos, D-Calif., and Richard Armitage, R-Texas; Govs. Tommy Thompson of Wisconsin and Pete Wilson of California; Mayor Marion Barry of Washington, D.C.; and entertainers Jay Leno and Frank Gifford.

In the closest contest ever, these winners were chosen:

Tied for fifth place, and winners of Brass ASPs, are Sen. Robert Torricelli, D-N.J., and author Kathryn Harrison. Torricelli claimed he experienced the pain of ethnic abuse when he watched the Kefauver hearings on the Mafia



Joseph Spear

Spear is a nationally syndicated columnist.

in 1951; he was three days old when the hearings began. Harrison penned a memoir alleging an affair with her father; it was, in a word, gross.

In fourth place, and winner of the Bronze ASP, is Latrell Sprewell, the former Golden State Warrior basketball player who was suspended by the NBA for choking his coach and threatening to kill him, and who hired Johnnie Cochran to play the race card.

In third place, and winner of the Silver ASP, is billionaire financier Donald Trump, who almost declared bankruptcy, was put on a monthly allowance of \$450,000, then wrote a book describing how he crawled out of the gutter.

In second place, and winner of the Gold ASP, is Susan Carpenter-McMillan, mouthpiece for Paula Jones, the woman who claims she was exposed to the presidential member and can describe "distinguishing characteristics." Carpenter-McMillan suggested on "Meet the Press" that the president produce a photo of said organ so the world can judge who is telling the truth.

In first place, and winner of the coveted Platinum ASP ... a drum roll please ... is the Rev. Louis Farrakhan, leader of the Nation of Islam. An anti-Semite and racist who once allowed that "God calls the white man the skunk of the planet earth," Farrakhan embarked in 1996 on a "World Friendship Tour" of 18 nations in Africa and the Middle East, including Libya, which is believed to be harboring the killers who bombed Pan Am 103.

This past year, he returned to Libya and was there on the Dec. 21 anniversary of the 1988 atrocity. A State Department spokesman termed the visit a display of "stupefying timing." I must refrain from characterizing it, and Louis Farrakhan, lest I be forced to reclassify this dispatch and give it an X rating.

The Association of Sagacious Pundits wishes also to announce these special awards:

A Shameless ASP to Pat Robertson, who sold half of the Family Channel to Rupert "Married ... With Children" Murdoch.

—A Horse's ASP to sportscaster Marv Albert, who pleaded guilty to assault in a raunchy sexual encounter and then launched a media tour to lambaste his accusers as liars.

—A Dumb ASP to South Carolina board of education member Henry Jordan, who said he was getting "tired of cults" and added: "Screw the Buddhists and kill the Muslims." Another Dumb ASP to John Wayne Babbitt, he of severed-penis fame, who said he couldn't find work because "no one's going to hire a celebrity."

See you next year.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Wednesday, Jan. 21, the 21st day of 1998. There are 344 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Jan. 21, 1793, during the French Revolution, King Louis XVI, condemned for treason, was executed on the guillotine.

On this date:

In 1861, Jefferson Davis of

Mississippi and four other Southerners resigned from the U.S. Senate.

In 1908, New York City's Board of Aldermen passed an ordinance that effectively prohibited women from smoking in public (However, the measure was vetoed by Mayor George B. McClellan Jr.).

In 1915, the first Kiwanis Club was founded, in Detroit.

In 1924, Russian revolutionary Vladimir Ilyich Lenin died at age 54.

In 1942, Count Basie and His Orchestra recorded "One O'Clock Jump" in New York City for Okeh Records.

In 1950, a federal jury in New York City found former State Department official Alger Hiss guilty of perjury.

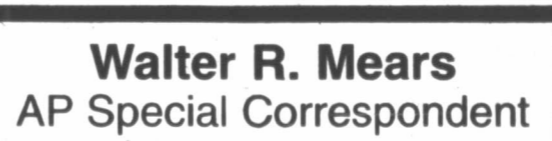
In 1950, George Orwell, author of "1984," died in London.

In 1954, the first atomic submarine, the USS Nautilus, was launched at Groton, Conn.

In 1976, the supersonic Concorde jet was put into service by Britain and France.

In 1977, President Carter pardoned almost all Vietnam War draft evaders.

U.S. energy independence shelved



Walter R. Mears
AP Special Correspondent

With plenty of gas to fill it up, and prices at the pump going down, the once-urgent quest for U.S. energy independence isn't getting so much as an afterthought.

Oil imports are up, well past 50 percent of total consumption — a level once set by Congress as America's peril point.

And nearly 20 points higher than 25 years ago, when the Arab oil embargo threw the American economy into turmoil, sent prices soaring and made lines at the gas station a national headache.

But as imports and consumption both went up in 1997, so did industry oil inventories, increasing to about 1 billion barrels, the American Petroleum Institute reported.

With prices down by about 5 percent, that was good business.

Raising inventories in government reserves, to provide insurance against interruptions in foreign oil supplies, was part of the policy push prompted by the energy crises of 1973 and the late 1970s. The other was to curb the appetite for imports by promoting conservation and energy efficiency. The market hasn't done that; indeed, the increased flow of petroleum for gasoline has done the opposite.

By the numbers, according to the API, petroleum imports went up 4.4 percent during 1997, to 53.1 percent of U.S. oil use.

More than half the increase in imports went into industry inventories rather than to immediate consumption.

Ironically, since Richard Nixon declared in 1973 that the United States should produce and conserve its way to self-sufficiency by 1980 — he called it Project Independent — reliance on

imported oil has been increasing instead.

The 55 mph national speed limit was imposed as a conservation step after the 1973 Arab oil embargo. It was repealed late in 1995.

At the time of the Nixon-era energy crisis, imports accounted for about 35 percent of U.S. consumption. By 1977, imports were past 40 percent, prices soared, fueling inflation, and Jimmy Carter had his energy crisis; he said it would take the moral equivalent of war to deal with it.

Not that conservation efforts didn't register. Steps including automobile mileage requirements, an increasing use of natural gas, new technologies and other measures that began with the oil crunches have changed the mix.

According to the Energy Department, the United States is now 30 percent more energy efficient than 25 years ago.

Still, when the crises eased, business went back to usual. In 1990, Congress did vote to declare that 50 percent dependence on imported oil would be the peril point for U.S. national security.

In 1994, imports exceeded half of U.S. use for the first time.

Energy Department projections show imports could reach 60 percent by 2010.

By industry account, technological advances and political changes have created new sources overseas and reduced the potential of another

disruption in Middle Eastern supplies. More than half of U.S. oil imports are from Venezuela, Mexico and Canada; some 20 percent come from the Middle East.

And with times good, supplies ample and prices down about 8 percent over the past year, energy conservation policy is a footnote, if that, on the political agenda now.

That's not without risk. Disruptions in world oil markets and energy price shocks have been factors in the last three economic recessions.

Now the energy markets are helping boost the economy. "U.S. crude oil and petroleum prices generally began 1998 as they had ended 1997, in a continuing decline brought on by world production growth outstripping demand," the Energy Department said in its latest market report.

It's a mark of better times that the strategic petroleum reserve created in 1975 to cushion market disruptions hasn't had oil added since 1994. Since then, oil from the emergency reserve has been sold twice to reduce budget deficits, and once, on President Clinton's order, in a 1996 attempt to stem a sharp increase in gasoline prices.

There could be a different kind of pressure for conservation and reduced consumption — the international agreement to combat global warming. It would take both to meet the U.S. pledge to reduce fuel emissions to 7 percent below 1990 levels by 2012, should that deal be ratified. Republican opponents say it would jeopardize the U.S. economy.

As usual, oil and politics will be a combustible mixture.

Berry's World



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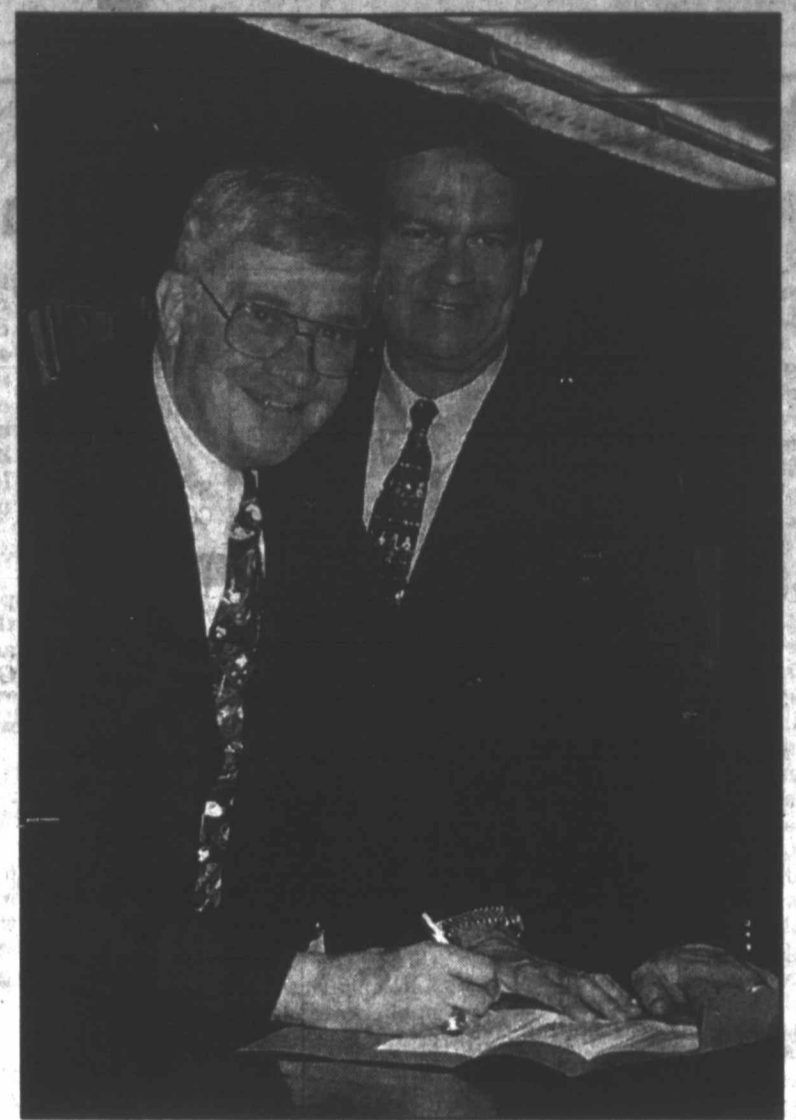
Girl Scouts



(Pampa News photo by Miranda Bailey)

The Pampa Girl Scouts Troop #435 will be selling cookies through Saturday, Jan. 24. For more information contact 669-6862. (back, left) Aly Mackie, Ashlie Stout, Joy Hart, Shalea Ausbrooks (front, left) Allison Hall, Tanis Belleau, Lurn Denney, Megan North and Taren Johnson.

School board appreciation



(Pampa News photo by Miranda Bailey)

Pampa ISD Board of Education President John Curry watches on as Mayor Bob Neslage signs a proclamation for School Board Appreciation month.

Cuba: Catholics roll out red carpet for today's papal visit

HAVANA (AP) — The faithful paused in prayer and welcomed exile pilgrims from throughout the world as Cubans — from bartenders to schoolgirls to bishops — anticipated the historic visit today of Pope John Paul II.

Church officials fanned out across the country to spread word of the pope's impending arrival to a population that in many cases is no longer familiar with the workings of the faith. Prayer vigils were held in churches throughout the nation Tuesday.

From Havana to Santiago, the communist government was racing to make final preparations. Crews steamrolled fresh asphalt

over potholed roads as officials prepared for large crowds for papal Masses.

"Everyone is crazy about seeing him," said Francisco Gilmes, a bartender in the neighborhood of Guanabacoa. He has been to church only once in his life, but he plans to take a bus to central Havana to see the pontiff.

While most Cubans agree the pope's five-day visit will leave their country changed, they are divided on how it will be affected.

Foes of Castro hope it will weaken his communist regime, which came to power in 1959. The former altar-boy-turned-socialist-leader hopes to gain

stature for his government and support for an end to the more than three-decade-old U.S. economic embargo. And the Cuban church hopes to expand its influence.

In one dramatic homecoming that perhaps offers a preview of the pope's message, an exiled bishop invited by John Paul to Cuba returned to his old church with an emotional appeal for Cuban Catholics to look past old hurts to the future.

"Put aside hatreds, resentments. Let's forgive old divisions and give a message of reconciliation," said Bishop Eduardo Masvidal Boza, his voice sometimes quavering on the verge of

tears as he received a tumultuous reception at the Virgin of Charity Church in Havana.

The slight, stoop-shouldered Boza, whose face bears a resemblance to the pontiff, smiled and waved as parishioners applauded enthusiastically. Many churchgoers wept openly, and some left their places to approach him, bend over and kiss his ring.

"It's a miracle," said 62-year-old Cupertino Gutierrez, wiping away tears. "We didn't hope to have this. We didn't expect this." In September 1961, Boza, an outspoken anti-Communist prelate, was expelled with 129 other priests.

At Havana's airport, there was joyous pandemonium as returning exiles exchanged tears and hugs with relatives they had not seen in years. Many came to their homeland hopeful that the papal visit will be the first step toward democracy for Cuba.

"There hasn't been a single place where he has put his feet that things have not been changed," said Elly Chavel of Miami. "Why should Cuba be the exception to his entire life?"

In a televised appearance Saturday, Castro insisted that the visit would be a show of strength for his government, proving its religious tolerance.

Emphasizing the spiritual pur-

pose of the papal visit, church workers conducted last-minute evangelization efforts throughout the country where only 40 percent of the 11 million population are baptized Catholics, and few practice their faith on a regular basis.

Archbishop Alberto Giraldo of Medellin, Colombia, said Mass in the farming town of Jovellanos on Tuesday to raise awareness.

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Victim's Of Domestic Violence Have The Law On Their Side

DEAR ABBY: You printed a letter from a woman who signed herself "Living a Nightmare," who had been a victim of domestic violence dating back to her honeymoon. You provided her with some solid advice; however, some information was missing from your reply that would benefit all women involved in violent relationships.

Victims of domestic violence need to be made aware that their abusive spouses are breaking the law. Domestic violence is a crime, and it should be reported to the proper authorities. "Living a Nightmare's" husband has already broken her nose, her wrist, her shoulder, and caused a miscarriage by kicking her when she was four months pregnant. In her case, calling the police is long overdue.

In addition to ordering the booklet you recommended, women should know that help is a phone call away. Confidential assistance is available 24 hours a day through domestic violence hotlines throughout the country. I suggest getting started by calling 1-800-799-SAFE, a nationwide toll-free hotline that can provide immediate help and connect women with the resources nearest them.

Those in violent relationships also need to understand that an entire generation of children are at risk, because domestic violence is a learned behavior that's passed along to the next generation. Research shows that in homes where a father is physically abusing his



Abigail Van Buren
SYNDICATED COLUMNIST

spouse, the children are more likely to grow up to participate in violent relationships themselves. This should be of great interest to "Living a Nightmare," as she already recognizes that the home lives of her children are "terrible." If she understands that her children are likely to repeat the pattern themselves, I'm sure she'll want to call for help at once.

Abby, please print this to make "Living a Nightmare," and everyone in a similar situation, aware of these facts. Last year I was fortunate enough to become involved in a public awareness campaign to generate awareness of, and put an end to, domestic violence. If it helps just one woman, we will have accomplished a great deal.

SCOTT A. LYNCH,
HALES CORNERS, WIS.

DEAR SCOTT: I hope it does, because I have been told that the problem has reached epidemic proportions in this country. Domestic violence cuts

across all social, economic, educational, religious, ethnic and cultural lines, and there are no stereotypical perpetrators or victims. I have received letters concerning women who physically abuse their boyfriends and husbands, and domestic violence also occurs in same-sex unions.

When people hear about a physically abusive relationship, the first question they usually ask is, "Why doesn't she leave?" Only when people start asking, "Why is he using violence?" will we be able to end the problem.

DEAR ABBY: Please inform me of the proper etiquette. A friend was married for three days, and then the marriage was annulled. What should she do with the wedding gifts?

WONDERING IN TUCSON

DEAR WONDERING: Since the marriage lasted only three days and was then annulled, the wedding gifts belong to the bride and groom. Whether they return any presents depends on their personal feelings about it. The bride, however, should return any jewelry or heirlooms she received from the groom's family.



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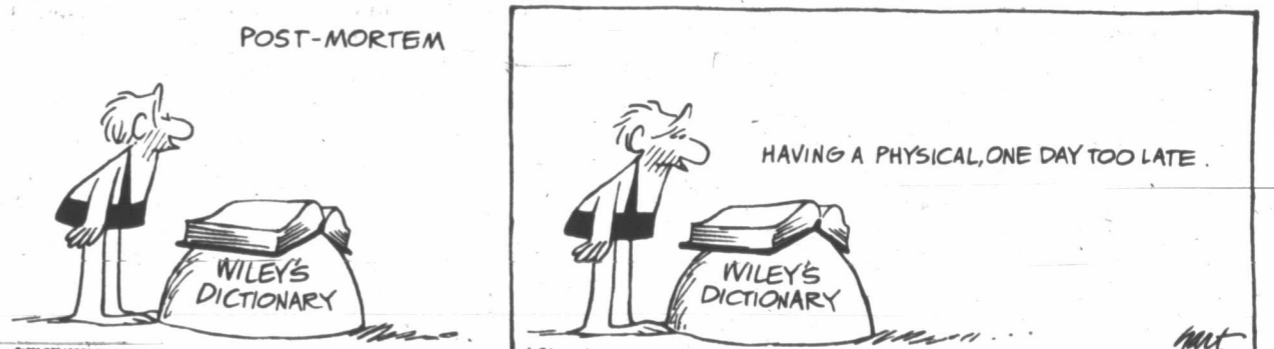
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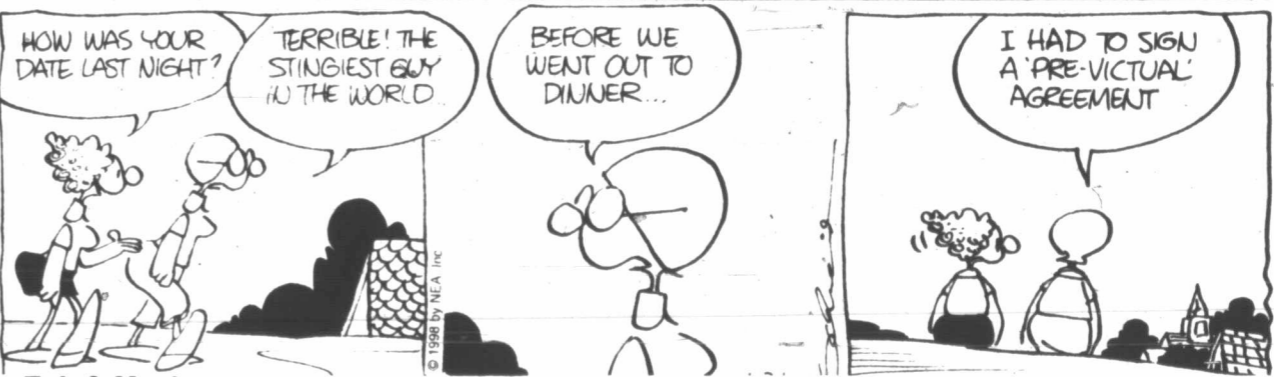
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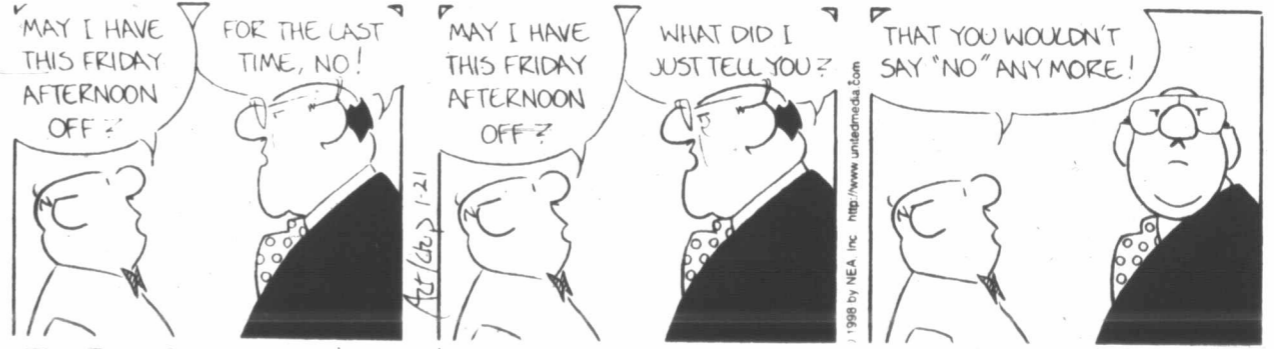
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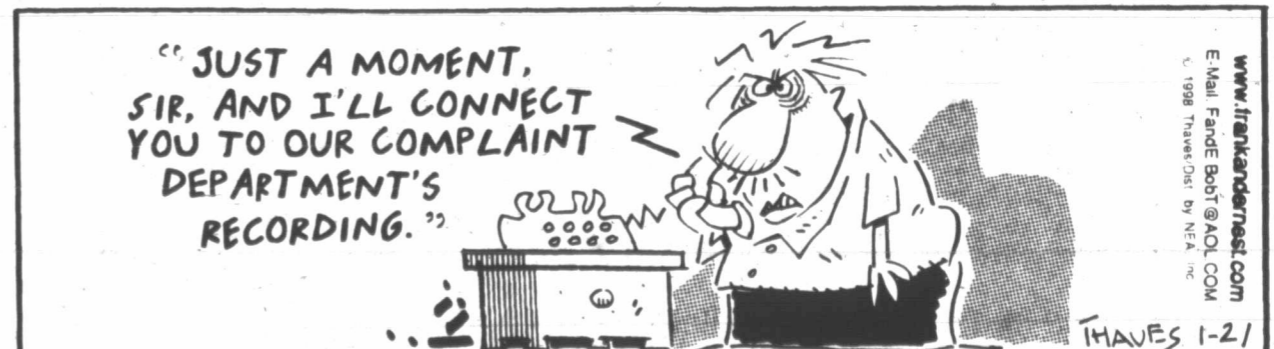
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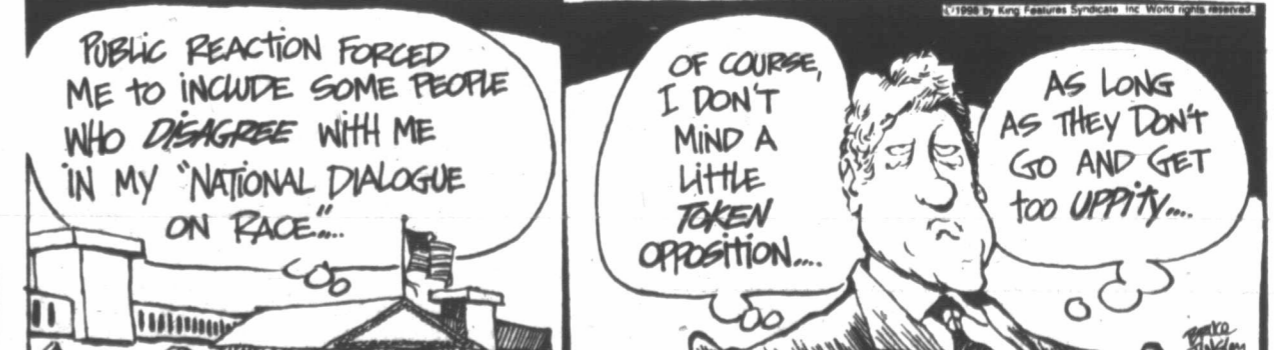
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Horoscope



Thursday, Jan. 22, 1998

In the year ahead, it will be pleasurable and easy for you to work with new acquaintances, though things might not run as smoothly where traditional partnerships are concerned.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Your judgment might be questionable today regarding decisions that affect your career. Think your moves through carefully and don't yield to pressure. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker instantly 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) Temper

your schemes with a realistic prospective. Even though you might think in grandiose terms, small, critical details could be your nemesis.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Be more protective of your possessions than usual today. If you're careless, a stranger might take a shine to something you're especially fond of yourself.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Your judgment is reasonably good today pertaining to matters that affect you alone, but not when you try to extend your thinking to cover others.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Today, you may tend to count too much on people or on things you think you have coming to you. This unwise approach could lead to disappointment.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Do not wear out your welcome today if you're invited to a friend's place. If you arrive early, try to be numbered among the first to leave.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Someone you may have to rely upon today may not be there when you need him or her. The moral of this story is to count on yourself

and not others.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) If you get involved in an intense debate with an adversary who feels as strongly about an issue as you do, things could get quite heated today.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Some pressure might be brought to bear on you today regarding an old obligation. If it isn't resolved satisfactorily, it could continue to fester.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Though you may solicit advice from others today, their input isn't likely to sway you and you might go about doing things as you initially intended.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) It could be advantageous today to give credence to health matters. Do not overexert or overindulge yourself, especially with food or drink.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You might have trouble managing youngsters today, but not nearly as much as you could have if you let outsiders instruct you on running the show.

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"The knee is the elbow of the leg."



"No, I can't give it to you to take home. Mr. Winslow insisted on delivery to him."

The Family Circus



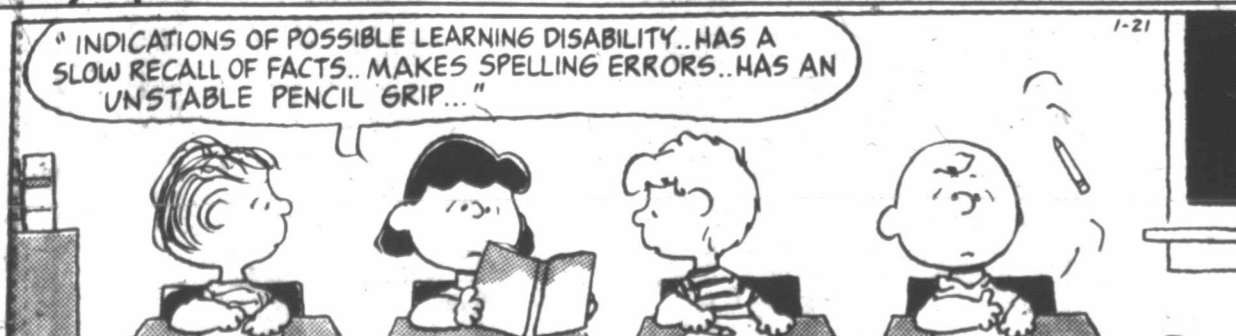
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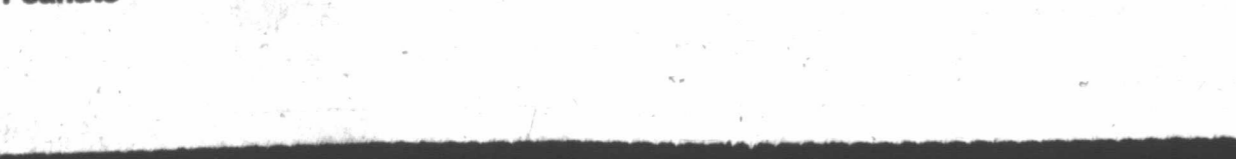
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SPORTS

Notebook

BASKETBALL

WHITE DEER — The Pampa C team competed in the White Deer Boys' 7th Grade Tournament last weekend.

Results are as follows:
 White Deer 36, Pampa 14
 Pampa high scorers: Brent Rainey 6, Ryan Hughes 4.
 Highland Park 28, Pampa 24
 Pampa high scorers: Jason Hillman 11, Matt Jameson 6.

FOOTBALL

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y. (AP) — In 1988, as the New England Patriots walked off the field after losing a game against Denver, a few members of the Broncos' defense thanked Doug Flutie.

Flutie had no impact on the game, which the Broncos won 21-10. The 5-foot-9 quarterback played only briefly and threw one incomplete pass after sitting on the bench behind Tony Eason and Steve Grogan.

"I remember the defensive people from Denver saying they were thankful that I was not playing just because of the headaches that I caused," Flutie said. "Hopefully, I can cause some headaches."

Flutie was released by the Patriots the next season and jumped to the Canadian Football League, where he has dominated for eight seasons. On Tuesday, the former Heisman Trophy winner from Boston College returned to the NFL when he signed a two-year contract worth \$550,000 with the Buffalo Bills.

TENNIS

MELBOURNE, Australia (AP) — Before a strangely silent crowd that refused to take sides in the keenly anticipated family battle, Serena Williams couldn't quite manage to strike a blow for little sisters.

The 16-year-old took a 3-1 lead against 17-year-old sister Venus in the first-set tiebreak and then led 4-3 on serve before hitting one of her eight double faults of the day.

She never recovered, and Venus raced to a 7-6 (7-4), 6-1 victory in 1 hour, 27 minutes in a second-round Australian Open match.

Then 15-year-old Mirjana Lucic, another in the teen-age wave of the future in women's tennis, also failed to advance against a more experienced opponent — No. 4 seed Iva Majoli, the French Open champion.

In a slugfest with her Croatian compatriot, Lucic frequently overhit, losing 7-5, 6-4.

FOOTBALL

HOUSTON (AP) — So far, Alan Weddell hasn't been accused of deserting his roots, but he fully expects it.

Weddell, a member of the University of Texas' 1970 championship team before becoming a highly successful high school coach and leading La Marque to three straight Class 4A titles, was named linebackers coach at Texas' archrival Texas A&M on Tuesday.

Now he's waiting for the fall-out.

"I'm sure I'll get some calls," Weddell laughed. "But my daddy was an Aggie so I guess I wasn't a pure-bred Longhorn anyway. The hardest part will be learning to do that thumbs up sign instead of hook 'em horns."

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — Philadelphia Eagles offensive coordinator Jon Gruden had a follow-up interview with the Oakland Raiders about their coaching vacancy, his fourth meeting with team officials in two years.

Gruden, who also met with Raiders officials Jan. 8, interviewed twice with the Raiders last year — when Oakland owner Al Davis decided to promote Joe Bugel to the job. Bugel was fired this month after going 4-12.

SAN DIEGO (AP) — June Jones, former head coach of the Atlanta Falcons, was hired as quarterbacks coach of the San Diego Chargers.



(Pampa News photo)

Kelsey Yowell scored eight points as the Lady Harvesters defeated Caprock last night in McNeely Fieldhouse.

Broncos' linemen survive media rush

SAN DIEGO (AP) — They spoke at last.

Tackle Gary Zimmerman admitted he's uncomfortable around a lot of people, and here he was, shoehorned onto the same patch of field with some 3,000 members of the media. Center Tom Nalen disclosed that he vomits before each game, apparently from nervousness.

Those were just some of the revelations that came out Tuesday at Super Bowl media day, when Denver's offensive linemen broke a two-year code of silence. During that time, they imposed fines on themselves if they talked to reporters.

But faced with \$10,000 fines by the NFL if they boycotted the first and biggest of three interview sessions, the code was broken.

Guard Mark Schlereth was amused at the cluster of journalists surrounding each of the linemen, who usually wander around anonymously at such sessions.

"It's not like we're a bunch of ogres who don't know how to speak," he said. "But if we did talk all season, nobody would want to talk to us now."

The linemen suspended their own system of fines for any members who violated the code.

The media moratorium began as a bonding experience for the linemen, with the encouragement of line coach Alex Gibbs. Gibbs spent the full hour answering questions patiently from a seat in the stands. But he made it clear he considered it a distraction to deal with the media while preparing to meet defending Super Bowl champion Green Bay on Sunday.

"I've got problems blocking

Gilbert Brown and Reggie White, and this interview isn't solving any of those problems," Gibbs said. "I'm not scoring any points, I'm not making any first downs right here."

Broncos third-string tight end Byron Chamberlain had a good time at media day. He carried around a video camera, and at one point spoke with a radio station via cellular phone.

"It's crazy, but I'd love to do this every year," Chamberlain said. "I'd rather talk to you guys. I love talking. I love you guys, anyway."

On a more serious note, Green Bay Packers offensive coordinator Sherm Lewis wondered what he'd have to do to get an interview for a head coaching job in the NFL.

"I can do no more. As an assistant coach, I can't," Lewis said. "I think I've served a hell of an apprenticeship, though."

Lewis was the focus of a New York Times story on Tuesday that said a small group of black assistant coaches has privately talked about the possibility of filing a class-action discrimination lawsuit.

He was not interviewed for any of the 11 coaching vacancies after the 1996 season. None of the jobs went to blacks. Two more jobs have been filled since the end of the 1997 season, with Buffalo hiring Wade Phillips and Indianapolis going for Jim Mora. Two others, Oakland and Dallas, remain open.

Lewis said he didn't know why he hasn't been seriously considered for an NFL job despite his glowing resume, "but I'd like to think it's not a racial issue."

Texas Tech women upset

AMES, Iowa (AP) — Iowa State's Janel Grimm sat down at the interview table and studied the stat sheet for a moment. Then, it was as if the realization of what had just happened finally sank in.

Grimm and the Cyclones had just upset Texas Tech.

"Holy cow," she exclaimed.

Iowa State beat the No. 5-ranked Lady Raiders 82-73 Tuesday night to take over sole possession of first place in the Big 12. The Cyclones did it by shooting over Tech's zone defense and shacking Tech star Alicia Thompson in the second half

with its own collapsing zone.

Eight 3-pointers in the first half helped loosen Tech's zone and Iowa State finished with a school-record 14 baskets from behind the arc. Stacy Frese made seven of them and led all scorers with 24 points.

"The two things I told our kids before the game was we need to make some 3s and we had to keep the crowd in the game and we did both," Iowa State coach Bill Fennelly said.

"No doubt the crowd impacted the game. They were loud and they helped our players when they got tired."

Hampton agrees to three-year deal with Astros

HOUSTON (AP) — Mike Hampton, who recovered from a slow start last season to finish 15-10, has been rewarded with a \$12 million, three-year contract.

"Some long-term pitching contracts don't work out because of durability," Astros general manager Gerry Hunsicker said Tuesday. "But with the revision

in his pitching, style Mike should be around for many years."

Hampton slumped last spring while pitching coach Vern Ruhle and manager Larry Dierker changed his pitching style. He was 3-7 with a 5.29 ERA at the end of June. Then in July, he started a career-best seven-game winning streak that included five

Lady Harvesters claim 1-4A win over Caprock

PAMPA — It was another rock-solid win for the Pampa Lady Harvesters. Last Friday, the Lady Harvesters rolled past Dumas, 44-31. Tuesday night, the Lady Harvesters defeated Caprock by the same 13-point margin, 56-43.

Pampa is now 3-5 in district and 9-12 for the season. Caprock drops to 1-7 in district and 8-15 overall.

Sophomore guard LaVonne Evans scored 11 points to lead the Lady Harvesters in scoring. McKinley Quarles and Lisa Dwight were right behind with 10 points each. Dwight led Pampa in rebounding with 8 as the Lady Harvesters gained a 41-23 rebounding advantage.

The Lady Harvesters also helped their own cause with some accurate foul shooting, hitting 19 of 26 free throw attempts. Evans was perfect at 6 of 6 from the foul line and so was Faustine Curry at 4 of 4.

"We had a high percentage from the foul line from all our kids. It was pleasant surprise," said Pampa coach Mark Elms.

The Lady Harvesters were 14 of 17 from the line in the first half to help carry them to a 12-point lead, 30-18, at halftime. An eight-point run in the first quarter got the Lady Harvesters off to a fast start. A 16-foot jumper by Kelsey Yowell, followed by a three-point goal from Evans, in the final minute of the first quarter put Pampa up, 17-8.

"All of our stats were pretty balanced," Elms said. "That's what I like to see. The kids just did a good, overall job." Jordanna Young added 9 points to Pampa's scoring attack while Yowell and Curry added 8 each.

Jessica Ornelas had 10 points and Sabre Parks 9 to lead Caprock in scoring.

It was the third meeting between Pampa and Caprock this season. Pampa defeated Caprock, 60-49, in the first district meeting between the two teams.

Caprock has claimed a 54-49 win in the Fantasy of Lights Tournament.

The Lady Harvesters play at

Borger Friday night with the game starting at 6.

Pampa defeated Caprock in the junior varsity game, 41-33. Ann Gaddis had 12 points and Kellen Waters 10 to lead Pampa in scoring.

WHITE DEER — Clarendon claimed a pair of District 2-2A wins over White Deer Tuesday night.

In the boys' game, Scotty Elliott scored 20 points as Clarendon won by a score of 69-51. Brent Gaines added 17 points.

Donnie Adams had 13 points and Craig Urbanczyk 10 to lead the Bucks in scoring.

Clarendon downed White Deer, 46-43, in the girls' game.

Lindsey Eads and Chamberlin had 13 points each to lead Clarendon scorers.

White Deer led at halftime, 23-18.

Amanda Freeman was high scorer for White Deer with 14 points. Traci Duncan followed with 12.

Longhorns turn back Pampa

By MATT HUTCHISON
Sports Writer

PAMPA — A mid-season slump continues to plague the Harvesters as Pampa fell, 55-48, to the Caprock Longhorns Tuesday night in The Pit.

The tough loss concluded the first half of the District 1-4A where Pampa suffered through five losses to wind up 1-5.

The game seemed to be controlled by the Harvesters throughout most of the first half as guards Lynn Brown and Jesse Francis sank a couple of baskets from 3-point land early to give Pampa an advantage. The Harvesters also did a good job on the boards, limiting the Longhorns to only two rebounds

in the first quarter.

The advantage held until the about the middle of the second quarter. Caprock found a way to manipulate the Harvester zone and soon the Longhorns were down only a bucket with time remaining. Caprock was able to tie the score before the halftime break, but it seemed as if only by luck, and the Harvesters still maintained an advantage despite the tied score.

In the third quarter Pampa's problems became apparent as Caprock began to exploit the middle of the floor. Longhorn guard Michael Soria commanded a Caprock offense that exploited the weak defense in the paint as Caprock started to mount a lead.

On offense, the Harvesters

found little or no shot selection and the impact was immediate. Pampa was unable to answer Caprock's buckets and was forced to throw up poor shots.

In the fourth quarter Pampa trailed by as little as four points, but could never quite gain the edge. Pampa no longer controlled the rebounds and missed shots hurt the Harvesters down the stretch.

Leading the Harvesters was Jesse Francis with 13 points and Shawn Young, who drained 11 points despite limited playing time.

Friday, Pampa travels to Borger to kick off the second half of loop play as the Harvesters look to shut down Borger. Pampa defeated Borger earlier in the season.



(Pampa News photo)

Pampa's Brian Sprinkle (20) chases after a Lubbock High player in an effort to gain possession of the ball in soccer action Tuesday at Harvester Stadium.

Lubbock High wins soccer tilt

PAMPA — Lubbock High shut out Pampa, 2-0, in a high school boys' soccer math Tuesday at Harvester Stadium.

"This was probably the best and worst we've played. We were dominating the whole match and I thought we were taking it too them, but then we just fell apart," said Pampa head coach Warren Cottle.

The Harvesters play in Lubbock at 12 noon Saturday against Coronado.

"Coronado is going to test us. They've got one of the top teams in the area, but I feel like we'll be ready for them," Cottle added.

The next home match will be Tuesday at 4:15 against

Palo Duro. Pampa opens District 5 play on Jan. 31 against Randall in Harvester Stadium. The match starts at 12 noon.

In other soccer contests Tuesday, Amarillo High defeated Borger 4-1, Palo Duro blanked Randall 1-0, and Tascosa shut out Caprock 2-0.

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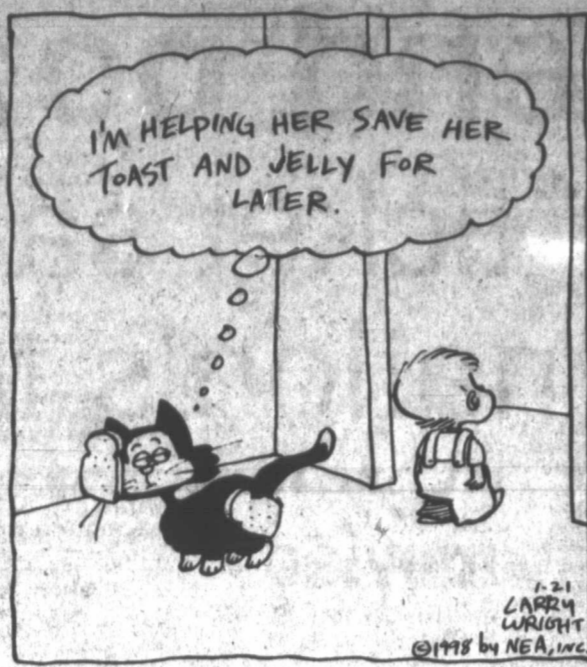
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Justice Harvey Hudson declares for Court of Criminal Appeals

HOUSTON — Harvey Hudson, a justice of the Fourteenth Court of Appeals, has filed as a candidate for the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2. Hudson, who was one of six Republicans elected to the Fourteenth Court of Appeals in 1994, is now seeking a position on the state's highest criminal court.

Before being elected to the Fourteenth Court of Appeals, Hudson was the chief of the Appellate Division in the Harris County District Attorney's Office. During his 15 years as an assistant district attorney, Hudson represented the State of Texas in some of Harris County's most celebrated cases — including the well-known case of the "cheerleader mom" who became the subject of two network television movies after she relied upon solicitation of murder to enhance her daughter's chances of winning a high school cheerleader competition. Hudson is acknowledged as the prosecuting attorney in over 240 published opinions issued by Texas appellate courts — with over 70 of these decisions being delivered by the state's highest court.

In 1987, Hudson campaigned with other prosecutors for a constitutional amendment that gave the state, for the first time, a limited right of appeal when judges suppress critical evidence, dismiss an indictment or grant a new trial. He also testified in 1989 before the Senate Jurisprudence Committee in support of a constitutional amendment that now permits jurors to be told of the effect of parole laws before they assess punishment in criminal cases.

Early in his career at the district attorney's office, Hudson served in both the Trial Bureau and the Consumer Fraud Division of the Special Crimes Bureau. Hudson was also a certified peace officer while working in the Consumer Fraud Division. This enabled him to more easily direct and assist undercover investigations being conducted by investigators of the district attorney's office.

Hudson, who is now 48, says he first aspired to sit on the Court of Criminal Appeals when he began arguing cases before the court in the early 80s. Believing the practice of soliciting money from lawyers subverts the idea of an impartial judiciary, Hudson is accepting no campaign contributions from lawyers or law firms. He is married and has three children in high school.



(Special photo) **Harvey Hudson, a Justice of the Fourteenth Court of Appeals, has filed as a candidate for the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, Place two.**

Weekend box office: 'Titanic' ticket sales edge toward nation's top 10

LOS ANGELES (AP) — "Titanic" has owned American theaters since its release five weeks ago, taking in \$243 million to become the 13th highest-grossing film in U.S. history.

The disaster epic earned \$36 million over the holiday weekend to remain No. 1 Exhibitor Relations Co. Inc. reported Tuesday. The film also received four Golden Globes on Sunday, for best drama, director, original score and original song.

"Good Will Hunting" earned \$13.7 million during the four-day weekend for second place, followed by the Denzel Washington thriller "Fallen," with \$10.4 million.

Two other new films made their debuts in the top 10. "Hard Rain," starring Morgan Freeman and Christian Slater, took in \$8 million at No. 5, followed by "Half Baked" with \$7.7 million in sixth.

The top 20 movies at North American theaters Friday through Monday, followed by studio, gross, number of theater locations, receipts per location, total gross and number of weeks in release, as compiled by Exhibitor Relations:

BOX OFFICE	
Top weekend movies	
Weekend of Jan. 16-19, 1998	
All dollar figures in millions	
Gross to date, weeks in release, number of screens	Weekend gross
1. Titanic \$242.7, five weeks, 2,767 screens	\$36
2. Good Will Hunting \$37.3, seven weeks, 1,819 screens	\$13.7
3. Fallen \$10.4, one week, 2,448 screens	\$10.4
4. As Good As It Gets \$67, four weeks, 1,753 screens	\$10
5. Hard Rain \$8, one week, 2,107 screens	\$8
6. Half Baked \$7.7, one week, 1,701 screens	\$7.7
7. Wag the Dog \$18, four weeks, 1,752 screens	\$6.5
8. Tomorrow Never Dies \$112, five weeks, 2,427 screens	\$6.3
9. MouseHunt \$52, five weeks, 2,003 screens	\$5.5
10. Amistad \$35, six weeks, 1,001 screens	\$3.3

Source: Exhibitor Relations Co., Inc. AP

1. "Titanic," Paramount, \$36 million, 2,767 locations, \$13,016 average, \$242.7 million, five weeks.

2. "Good Will Hunting," Miramax, \$13.7 million, 1,819 locations, \$7,536 average, \$37.3 million, seven weeks.

3. "Fallen," Warners, \$10.4 million, 2,448 locations, 4,249 average, \$10.4 million, one week.

4. "As Good As It Gets," Tristar, \$10 million, 1,753 locations, \$5,721 average, \$67 million, four weeks.

5. "Hard Rain," Paramount, \$8 million, 2,107 locations, \$3,801 average, \$8 million, one week.

6. "Half Baked," Universal, \$7.7 million, 1,701 locations, \$4,540 average, \$7.7 million, one week.

7. "Wag the Dog," New Line, \$6.5 million, 1,752 locations, \$3,695 average, \$18 million, four weeks.

8. "Tomorrow Never Dies," MGM, \$6.3 million, 2,427 locations, \$2,611 average, \$112 million, five weeks.

9. "MouseHunt," DreamWorks, \$5.5 million, 2,003 locations, \$2,741 average, \$52 million, five weeks.

10. "Amistad," DreamWorks, \$3.3 million, 1,001 locations, \$3,338 average, \$35 million, six weeks.

11. "Star Kid," Trimark, \$3 mil-

lion, 1,041 locations, \$2,842 average, one week.

12. "Firestorm," Fox, \$2.1 million, 2,057 locations, \$1,037 average, \$7 million, two weeks.

13. "Jackie Brown," Miramax, \$1.98 million, 1,247 locations, \$1,589 average, \$37 million, four weeks.

14. "Scream 2," Miramax, \$1.93 million, 1,549 locations, \$1,252 average, \$94 million, six weeks.

15. "Kundun," Disney, \$1.6 million, 439 locations, \$3,690 average, \$2 million, four weeks.

16. "The Boxer," Universal, \$1.4 million, 523 locations, \$2,755 average, \$4 million, three weeks.

17. "Flubber," Disney, \$1.2 million, 1,052 locations, \$1,165 average, \$87.2 million, eight weeks.

18. "For Richer or Poorer," Universal, \$1.06 million, 880 locations, \$1,205 average, \$30 million, six weeks.

19. "The Full Monty," Fox, \$1.03 million, 469 locations, \$2,205 average, \$37 million, 23 weeks.

20. "Deconstructing Harry," Fine Line, \$961,000, 427 locations, \$2,251 average, \$8 million, six weeks.

Judge dismisses lawsuit in Ramsey case

BOULDER, Colo. (AP) — An attorney's bid to force prosecutors to file criminal charges in the JonBenet Ramsey slaying has been dismissed by a judge.

District Judge Roxanne Bailin threw out the lawsuit Tuesday, finding no evidence that District Attorney Alex Hunter was refusing to prosecute the case.

She wrote that "at a time when many detectives are still working full time on the investigation, it cannot be said that the district attorney has refused to prosecute."

New York attorney Darnay Hoffman, who filed the suit, said he was disappointed, but noted that the judge did not prohibit him from filing again.

Blood-spatter expert to testify in Mowbray retrial

BROWNSVILLE, Texas (AP) — A world-renowned expert on blood-spatter takes the stand today in defense of a woman accused of killing her husband 10 years ago, as the retrial of Susie Mowbray winds to a close.

Dr. Herbert MacDonell was scheduled to testify this morning as the final defense witness in Mrs. Mowbray's trial. A few additional state witnesses were scheduled to follow, with closing arguments set for Thursday.

Mrs. Mowbray, 49, was not expected to take the stand.

Prosecutors allege Mrs. Mowbray shot her husband on Sept. 16, 1987, for \$1.8 million in insurance money. She insists

Bill Mowbray, a local Cadillac dealer, killed himself because of emotional and financial troubles.

In 1988, Mrs. Mowbray was convicted of murder and sentenced to life in prison, but she won a new trial in 1996 after an appeals court ruled prosecutors suppressed blood evidence contradicting their homicide theory.

That evidence came from MacDonell, whom defense attorneys have dubbed their "star witness."

MacDonell was hired by prosecutors prior to Mrs. Mowbray's first trial to examine the nightgown she wore

the night Mowbray died.

He told them he found no blood on the gown, and concluded the garment could not have been in close proximity to the gunshot wound or was protected in some manner if it were.

But MacDonell never testified at the first trial. Instead, prosecutors hired another expert who testified that he found microscopic spots of blood on the gown, leading him to believe it was a homicide.

That expert, Austin police officer Dusty Hesskew, told jurors Tuesday that he was forced to recant his testimony at a 1995 appeals hearing after learning a follow-up test never confirmed

there was blood on the gown.

Defense attorneys insist MacDonell's original report proves Mrs. Mowbray could not have killed her husband.

On Tuesday, the defense sought to strengthen its suicide argument with the testimony of a banker who told jurors Bill Mowbray asked him for a loan just days before his death and vowed to commit suicide if he didn't get the money.

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