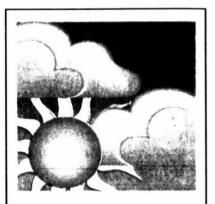


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High today 80. Low tonight upper 40s. For weather details see Page 2.

PAMPA — The Pampa Area Singles Club will host a dance Saturday at M.K. Brown Auditorium. A social with snacks is set for 7:30 p.m. and the dance is from 8-11 p.m. Admission is \$5.

LAKE McCLELLAN The Lake McClellan Improvement Committee will sell wood from the cleanup of the Lake McClellan recreation area. The wood consists of cottonwood and other types native to the lake. The clean-up is being done by crews from the Jordan Unit. For those interested in the wood, the cost is \$25 per "rick", or level pickup full. Wood is loaded only by appointment by calling Steven Ray Thornton Sr., at 665-8607; please leave a message if no one is there.

One ticket correctly matched all six numbers drawn Wednesday night for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas.

PEDC aids new school, bow company

By JEFF WEST Staff Writer

The Pampa Economic Development Corporation invested in a future training facility and helped a local company try to expand to a larger national market.

Clarendon College and the Pampa Center Foundation will start a technical school in Pampa, a project they call Ap-Tech, for applied technology. The school will be housed in separate facilities from Clarendon College but the college will oversee the administration of the school. The school plans to offer a one-year pro-

to expand to include a welding program later. Other courses will be added as a need was demonstrated.

Chuck White, a board member of the Pampa Center Foundation, said the school has located two buildings at Price and Kentucky that are set up for machining. He also said some tools have been donated and he's expecting other donations.

White said a committee of members from local businesses such as IRI International, Nickles Industrial Manufacturing and Titan Specialties have expressed interest in the training and gram for beginning machinists first, and have helped set a course of study.

He said the machinist course will take about a year to complete and will allow someone with no machinist training to operate a simple machining process.

The Pampa Center Foundation asked the PEDC for a \$300,000 grant. Half of that money is to be bestowed immediately to purchase the buildings on Price Road, tools and other materials to get the school started.

The other half of the \$300,000 will be paid into the building fund for the new Clarendon College Pampa Center, upon ground breaking for that facility.

The Pampa Center will be important to the Ap-Tech course, according to White,

because much of the initial training for machinists involve math, blueprint reading and other academic studies that are better suited to classrooms.

The board approved the grant on a 3-1 vote with board member Jerry Foote abstaining and board Vice-President Roger David voting against the measure.

When asked by a reporter why he voted no, David would not say. Foote abstained because he is a member of the foundation board.

The other financial request was from Bill Forman, owner and founder of Great Plains Traditional Bow Company, in See PEDC, Page 2

Judge says Round-up time... no to bond rl in 'pot' case A bail hearing for Michael Earl Steptoe, 29, Pampa, resulted in a judge's order the man be held without bond for possession of marijuana. Steptoe's charge of possession of over four ounces but less than five pounds is a state jail felony that would normally be a bondable offense. But Steptoe is also under indictment for burglary of a building and robbery in Hall County.

Texas law permits bail to be denied when someone is accused of a felony while under indictment for two other felonies. The law states, however, that if bail is denied a trial must be held within 60 days or bail must be immediately set.

Thirty-first District Judge M. ent Sims granted the motion to deny bail after the Wednesday afternoon hearing at the Gray County Courthouse. Assistant District Attorney Matt Martindale was asked why the action was taken and if Steptoe is a danger to society. He replied, "I think so, he would not be a good candidate for bail."



state lottery officials said.

The winning ticket, worth an estimated \$4 million, was sold in Converse.

The numbers drawn Wednesday night from a field of 50 were: 2, 9, 11, 28, 29 and 43.

If sales continue as expected. Saturday night's drawing will be worth an estimated \$4 million.

• Eva J. Bennett Buzzard, 69, member of Texas Panhandlers Camping Club. • Mildred Lafferty, 90. Services pending. • Carol Remy, 55. Services pending.

Obituaries are printed daily as a free service to the readers of The Pampa News.

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(Pampa News photo by David Bowser)

Taking advantage of sunny skies and 80-plus-degree temperatures Wednesday afternoon, Bill Arrington, owner of the Rocking Chair Ranch west of Pampa move calves to new pastures.

School reopens at shooting site

By ALLEN G. BREED **Associated Press Writer**

JONESBORO, Ark. (AP) - Children wearing white ribbons filed past a sea of bouquets today to return to the school where their friends and a teacher were gunned down in a stunning few minutes of terror two days

"Life goes on, and from there we're going to start a new beginning," said Westside Middle School sixth-grader Colby Brooks. "I can't believe my own classmates could be

doing this.

Two Westside students - Mitchell Johnson, 13, and Andrew "Drew" Golden, 11 - are accused of killing English teacher Shannon Wright and four students in Tuesday's fusillade from a wooded ridge behind the school. Eleven other people were wounded, including five who remained hospitalized today. In a court appearance Wednesday, they were ordered held pending an April 29 hearing.

The school day began with an hourlong meeting in the cafeteria, where crisis coun-

selors took questions and worked to ease the youngsters' fears, said Houston psychologist Scott Poland, one of the experts who came to Jonesboro to help out.

He told reporters afterward that he had seen anger, confusion, shock and sadness among the students, and "we have to help them understand this is normal." Among the questions, he said, was "is my school safe?"

"We are probably looking at the safest middle school in America today," he said. A white cross of flowers with a red bow

See SCHOOL, Page 2

Freeman new **Miss Irish Rose**

SHAMROCK Freeman, 18-year-old daughter of Tonya Freeman and Johnny Freeman of White Deer, was chosen 1998 Miss Irish Rose during the Irish Rose Pageant held St. Patrick's Day in Shamrock. First runner-up was Miss Wellington Kahsa Brister of Wellington, second runner-up was Tammy Callaway of Elk City, Okla., sponsored by El Paso Field Service, and third runner-up was Brittany Barber of Childress, sponsored by Special Moments. Tonya Switzer of Shamrock, sponsored by Shamrock Rotary, was named

Amanda Miss Congeniality.

Freeman - sponsored by Clint and Sons Processing - is currently a senior at White Deer High School where she excels at basketball, receiving All District Honors for the White Deer Does for the 1997-98 basketball season. She enjoys movies with friends and plans to pursue a degree in food technology at Texas Tech University upon completing her high school education.

She is the granddaughter of Sue and Bill Terry and Doris and Sonny Freeman, all of White Deer



Miss Irish Rose Amanda Freeman

Concert member campaign under way

Join now to hear bluegrass music and song, concert piano, the comic inflatable theater and ballet dancing.

The first phase of the '98-'99 Pampa Community Concert campaign will end April 4, and the membership drive will continue to May 2. The campaign is dedicated to Jack Skelly who worked with the Concert Association for 54 years. In 1994, he received a plaque in recognition of 50 years of service. Mrs. Skelly was the guest of honor at the dinner Monday.

Concerts in the '98-'99 season will include the Nashville Bluegrass Band, the Piano concert by Jan Gottlieb Jiracek of Germany, The Fred Garbo Inflatable Theater Company and the New York Theater Ballet.

The Nashville Bluegrass Band is jointly sponsored by Pampa and Borger concert groups and will be presented in Borger. Other programs will be present-ed in M. K. Brown Auditorium in Pampa.

Attendance is by membership in the Pampa concert group. Tickets are \$25 for adults, \$10 for students, and \$60 for family (2 adults and 2 or more students under 18). Attendance also is by reciprocal agreement with concert groups in Borger, Hereford and Plainview.

For more information, call 665-0343.



Daily Record

Services tomorrow

BUZZARD, Eva Jr. Bennett – 4 p.m. Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors Colonial Chapel, Pampa.

Obituaries

EVA J. BENNETT BUZZARD

Eva J. Bennett Buzzard, 69, of Pampa, died Tuesday, March 24, 1998. Services will be at 4 p.m. Friday in Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel with Dr. Jerry lane of Pampa officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mrs. Buzzard was born July 1, 1928, at Decatur, Ala. She grew up in Wetumka, Okla. She married Bill E. Bennett on Nov. 1, 1946, at Wetumka; he died Oct. 7, 1992. She later married Mark A. Buzzard on Jan. 21, 1995. at Yuma, Ariz.

She had been a Pampa resident since 1966 moving from Phillips where she lived from 1946-66. She was a member of United Methodist Church, St. Paul United Methodist Church and Texas Panhandlers Camping Club She enjoyed wintering in mild southern places since 1986.

She was preceded in death by her parents, and four sisters. Elizabeth Foster, Albie Baker, Evelyn Oldacre and Billie Hughes

Survivors include her husband. Mark, of the home; two daughters. Kathy Winborne of Pampa and Cindy Stokes of Amanilo two stepdaughters. Jana Meyers of Fampa and Sheri Ray of Shallowater, two stepsons Charles Buzzard of Pampa and Danny Buzzard of Austin four sisters, Burnice Hatfield of Foxsboro, MA. Ledgel Lawver of Borger. Colleen Watson of Wooster. Ohio, and Delores Dalton of Kerens: two brothers, Bobby Oldacre of Talala. Okla., and Wendel Oldacre of Wills Point, six grandchildren; and a great-grandchild

The family will be at 1700 Coffee and requests memorials be to Hospice of the Panhandle. Box 2795, Pampa, TX 79066-2795

MILDRED LAFFERTY

Mildred Lafferty, 90, of Pampa, died Wednesday, March 25, 1998, at Amarillo

CAROL REMY WHEELER - Carol Remy, 55, died Wednesday, March 26, 1998.

Calendar of events

PAMPA AREA LITERACY COUNCIL

Pampa Area Literary Council office will be open from 1 to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday. For more information, call 665-2331.

THEE PLACE

Thee Place for Singles is open 7-10:30 p.m. Saturdays at 520 W. Kingsmill.

ADHD/ADD SUPPORT GROUP

Efforts are under way to form a support group for parents of children with attention deficit/hyperactivity disorder or attention deficit disorder. Those interested are asked to call Connie at 665-1206, or after 6 p.m. and weekends, 669-9364.

Police report

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

Wednesday, March 26

Jeremy A. Halvaei, 17, 1829 Christy, was arrested on charges of no valid drivers license.

Sheriff's Office

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

Wednesday, March 26

Lisa Dawn Anderson, 33, 212 N. Nelson, was arrested on warrants and on charges of issuance of a bad check

Andrew Ward Reed, 58, 110 S. Summer, was arrested on charges of making terrorist threats. Ramon R. Jimenez, 20, 713 Denver, was arrest-

ed on a warrant. Betty Weatherwax Lée, 37, 218 N. Russell, was

arrested on charges of public intoxication, and violation of probation.

Mare Martinez, 26, 917 Scott, was arrested on charges of public intoxication. :-

Accidents

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

Wednesday, March 26

Trov Brewer, 56, 305 Roberta, was cited for failure to vield right of way when his 1979 Cadillac apparently made a left hand turn at Hobart and Wilcox and was struck by the 1991 GMC pickup driven by Jerren Clare Miller, 18, 1921 N. Christy, who was driving south on Hobart. One injury was reported.

Fires

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

Wednesday, March 26

8:03 a.m. - Three units and eight personnel responded to 1500 Hobart on an auto accident. 5:45 p.m. —One unit and two personnel responded to a standby in Skellytown.

7:52 p.m. —Three units and five personnel responded to Alcock and Hobart on an automobile accident.

Court report

Prudencia G. Rodriguez pled no contest to charges of Harboring a Runaway Child and received a \$500 fine, 45 days in Gray county jail, one year of probation, 60 hours of community service and \$199.25 in court costs.

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the company about carrying their bows but he needs to add more people, materials and later on move to a new building to make enough bows to Pampa. The company makes custom archery bows, satisfy the distributor's needs.

> The PEDC board granted his request to guarantee a \$100,000 loan, from National Bank of Commerce (NBC), for seven years, give him a grant of \$5,000 immediately for interest pay down on current loans, and \$5,000 in one year and to guarantee 20 percent of a loan up to \$75,000, if needed, anytime in the next two years, for the purpose of buying a larger building.

> The board did make a stipulation that Forman, as a sole proprietorship, take out a term life policy of \$120,000 to cover the cost of the loan.

sands and thousands of bows but we do hundreds The vote to approve the request was unanimous with Jerry Foote, PEDC board member and president of NBC abstaining.

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SCHOOL

and hundreds," he said.

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by hand.

was on the flagpole in front of the school, and the flag flew at half-staff. The walkway where the killings occurred was festooned with red and white bouquets, and white ribbons fluttered from nearly every nearby post and mailbox.

He told the board he'd founded the company

about seven years ago, and has steadily grown his

market. Currently, the company's bows are offered

through 115 to 120 dealers in the U.S. and a couple

of dealers in Europe. The company's bows are also

featured in a national catalog. The firm has two

"We are probably the second or third largest cus-

full-time employees and two part-time employees.

tom bow company in the world. We're a custom

builder, not high production. We don't build thou-

He said a large bow distributor has approached

Twelve-year-old Colby, who spoke before he went into the school, said he was triends with most of the victims. 'My heart's going out to their famihes." Colby said. On his red sweatshirt it said, Westside Baskethall

Like many of the children, he was accompanied by his mother today.

His first class this morning would have been taught by Mrs. Wright, who died trying to shield a student from the gunfire Tuesday.

She's probably crving, thinking how we're all gneving over her," Colby said. "And she's probably telling us to keep on studying that English and spelling words and move on, and not worry about her. 'cause she's doing good.'

School officials said 17 percent of the middle school's 250 students were absent, about double the normal absence rate. Colby said he thought children should show up, because "It's just going to be as bad Monday as it is today."

Erica Swindle, also 12, decided not to go to class, saving she didn't think she would be up to it until Monday. "I never thought Andrew would do that," she said. "I'll be a little bit nervous when the fire drills go off."

"It scares you real bad," Erica said. "I could have been shot in the back.'

School officials canceled all outdoor activities today but told pupils that if a fire alarm went off, they would have to leave the building.

Drew's grandfather, Doug Golden, told The Associated Press on Wednesday that the boy admit-

Five shot dead in Ark. mobile home

REDFIELD, Ark. (AP) - Five people, including helping with the two small children, authorities two young children, were found shot to death in a said. mobile home.

The bodies were found Wednesday night after authorities went to the home at the request of relatives who had filed missing persons complaints.

The victims were identified as Misty Irwin, 20; ner cousin Shelly Sorg, 24; Ms. Sorg's children bicycles up and down the street," she said.

"She's (the slain teacher) probably crying, thinking how we're all grieving over her," Colby said. "And she's probably telling us to keep on studying that English and spelling words and move on, and not worry about her, 'cause she's doing good."

ted he pulled the fire alarm that drew the students outside and that he fired some shots, but said he couldn't recall anything else.

The boy also admitted breaking into his grandfather's house Tuesday and stealing three rifles and four handguns, Golden said.

"He told me and the police that he got the guns here," Golden said in a telephone interview. "He told me he fired some shots. He said he shot at a car on the parking lot but 'I don't remember anything after that."

State police said it appeared the killings were done with a .30-06 rifle and a .44-caliber rifle. Golden gave similar descriptions of guns taken from his house and also said a World War II vintage rifle and a double-barrel Derringer .22 that didn't work also were taken.

The boy's motivation, Golden said, was just to scare his classmates.

"We don't know why," he said.

Wednesday, 9-year-old Cory Hallett held his mother's hand as she talked with reporters over the hum of satellite trucks and the gush of the power washers. The third-grader said he overheard the boys say they were "going to kill people."

"He was afraid to go to sleep," said Cory's mother, Holly. "He felt guilty 'cause he was able to go to sleep.'

There were no arrests. 'I haven't met them, I've just seen them going in . and out. It's a complete shock," said a neighbor,

Mary Featherston. "This is a quiet neighborhood. Kids ride their Conf Shell Pa of Fifte Busine Leade 15 Pan Natior be in ! qualif Leade office

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BLOOD PRESSURE CHECK

A blood pressure check and blood sugar tests offered from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. each Friday in the Red Cross office, 108 N. Russell. A donation is accepted to cover expenses.

"ALL YOU CAN EAT" FISH FRY

The Knights of Columbus will have their annual "All You Can Eat" Fish Fry on Friday, April 3, from 5:30 to 8 p.m. at the Knights Hall, located at the corner of Ward and Buckler Streets. The dinner includes cat fish, hush puppies, red beans, coleslaw, desert, and beverage. The public is invited to treat themselves to this fine Lenten dinner. Tickets are \$7 for adults and \$3 for children ages 6-11 vr. old. They may be obtained at the door. Proceeds from this fund raiser are earmarked for local Knight Charities.

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Ambulance

The Rural Metro reported the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today. Wednesday, March 26

7:04 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the HOO block of E. Darby on a medical assist. 3:17 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to Grav "2" on a mutual aid with Skellytown and transported one to Columbia Medical Center.

4:30 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to Columbia Medical Center and transported one to University Medical Center in Lubbock.

1002 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to Columbia Medical Center and transported one to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

Emergency numbers

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

James Virgil Smith has been issued an alias

capias warrant for his arrest pending an NISI judgement regarding a \$1,500 bail bond.

Gilbert Gene Carl was found guilty of Driving at an Unsafe Speed and was issued a \$100 fine and \$115 in court costs.

Shannon Ray Nall pled no contest to charges of Driving at an Unsafe Speed and received 60 days probation, a \$165 fine, and \$109.25 in court costs.

Garland Tre Walls was dismissed on Driving While Intoxicated charges because "the case has been disposed on in an alternate manner.

Thomas Randell Townsend was dismissed on charges of Unlawfully Carrying a Weapon because the evidence was insufficient.

Carter Richard Young was dismissed on charges of Assult Causing Injury - Domestic because the evidence was insufficient.

David Robert Elder was issued an alias capias warrant for his arrest due to an NISI judgement concerning a \$500 bail bond.

Javier Perez was dismissed on Theft of Property by Check charges because court costs and restitution payments have been made.

William Guver pled no contest to Possession of Marijuana Under 20z. and received a \$250 fine, 5135 in court costs, 5140 in restitution pavments, six months probation and 24 hours of community service.

Christopher John Bybee pled guilty to Possession of Marijuana Under 2oz. and received a \$600 fine, 100 days of Grav County Jail time, 18 months of probation, 68 hours of community service, and \$199.25 in court costs.

Joel Hein was found guilty of Criminal Mischief 520-5500 and received a fine of \$200, 25 days in Gray County Jail and \$174.25 in court costs.

Kelli Lee House plead guilty to charges of Driving While Intoxicated and received a \$500 fine, 45 days of Gray County Jail, one year of probation; \$210 in court costs, and 45 hours of community service.

Curtis Andrew Camp plead guilty to Deadly Conduct and was issued a \$750 fine, \$135 in court costs, 70 hours of community service, and nine months of probation.

Richard Llovd Bowers plead guilty to Driving While Intoxicated charges and was issued a \$700 fine, 60 days of Grav County Jail, 50 hours of community service, \$199.25 in court costs, and two years of probation.

Thalamus Malone plead guilty to Evading Arrest/Detention w/auto and received a \$400 fine, \$135 in court costs, 50 hours of community service, \$135 in court costs, and six months of probation

Raul Portillo Gutierrez plead guilty to Driving While Intoxicated charges and was issued a \$600 fine, 45 days of Grav County Jail, two years of probation, \$199.25 in court costs, and 45 hours of community service.

Fidel Raul Mendoza pled guilty to Criminal Mischief 520-5500 and received a 5200 fine, 10 days of Grav County Jail, six months of probation, \$199.25 in court costs, and 24 hours of community service.

Taylor, 3, and Shawn, 5; and Samantha Rhodes, 12. The community is in the central part of the state, Samantha was a friend of the family who was about 20 miles south of Little Rock.

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Weather focus LOCAL FORECAST

Partly cloudy and windy today with a 20 percent chance of thunwinds for the south-southeast at 20-30 mph and gusting higher. Tonight, mostly cloudy and windy with thunderstorms likely. Low in the upper 40s and winds from the southeast at 20-30 mph and gusting higher. Tomorrow, 30 percent chance of early morning showers, partly cloudy later and a high of 73. The overnight low was 57; vesterdav's high was 87.

REGIONAL FORECAST

- Tonight, mostly cloudy and windy with a 40 percent chance of thunderstorms. Low in the along the Rio Grande. middle 40s. South wind 20 to 30 mph with higher gusts, shifting to the west by midnight. Friday, a thunderstorms early. Then partly cloudy and cooler with a high around 70. West wind 20-30 mph with higher gusts, diminishing in the afternoon. Low Rolling Plains — Tonight, a slight chance of thunderstorms western south west and central. Highs 71 to 77. plains, chance central south plains into the low rolling plains. Some may be severe, eastern south plains and low rolling 45-55. Friday, mostly sunny and breezy. Highs in the mid 70s. Permian Basin/Upper Trans Pecos — Tonight, a chance of

thunderstorms. Otherwise partly ers or thunderstorms, becoming cloudy with lows 45-50. Friday, partly cloudy during the aftermostly sunny and breezy. Highs noon. Highs near 80, mid 70s Hill the 70s. Concho Country. Southeast Texas and Valley/Edwards Plateau — Upper Texas Coast — Tonight, dershowers. High of 80 with Tonight, a chance of thunder- increasing clouds. Lows near 70 storms. Some may be severe inland to mid 60s coast. Friday, across the big country. Otherwise mostly cloudy and breezy with a mostly cloudy with lows 55-60. chance of showers or thunder-Friday, partly cloudy and breezy. storms. Highs near 80 inland to Highs in the mid 70s. Far West mid 70s coast. Coastal Bend and Texas - Tonight, partly cloudy the Rio Grande Plains - Wind with a slight chance of evening advisory in effect. Tonight, mostshowers or thunderstorms. Lows ly cloudy and breezy. Lows near in the upper 40s. Friday, partly 70. Friday, mostly cloudy and cloudy and breezy. Highs around breezy with a slight chance of showers or thunderstorms. 70. Guadalupe Mountains/Big Bend Area — Tonight, partly Warm with highs nea cloudy. A chance of thunder- the lower 80s inland. Warm with highs near 80 coast to WEST TEXAS - Panhandle storms. Lows, lower 40s to the **BORDER STATES** lower 50s. Friday, mostly sunny NEW MEXICO — Tonight, and breezy. Highs from the lower windy during the evening.

70s mountains to the upper 80s Variable clouds with scattered showers and isolated thunder-NORTH TEXAS - Wind storms, diminishing from west to advisory through tonight. east. Cooler with lows mid 20s to 20 percent chance of showers or Tonight, windy. Increasing near 40 mountains, 30s to mid cloudiness. A chance of thunder-40s lower elevations. Friday, storms west and central. Slight partly cloudy and breezy. A slight chance for morning showchance of thunderstorms in the northeast late. Mild with lows 58 ers east. Highs mid 40s to near 60 to 64. Friday, mostly cloudy and mountains, 60s to mid 70s lower windy with a chance of thunderelevations

storms. Becoming partly cloudy OKLAHOMA - Wind advisory today for entire area. SOUTH TEXAS - Hill Tonight, showers and thunder-Country and South Central Texas storms likely west, a chance of Tonight, mostly cloudy with a showers and thunderstorm east plains. Mostly cloudy with lows chance of showers or thunder- after midnight. Lows from the storms late, some possibly severe lower 50s to around 60. Friday, northern Hill Country. Lows in showers and thunderstorms likethe lower 60s, upper 50s Hill ly in the morning, mainly east Country. Friday, mostly cloudy half. Becoming mostly sunny. with a chance of morning show- Windy with highs in the 70s.

City briefs The Pampa News is not responsible for the content of paid advertisement

EMERGENCY JAIL Release. 24 hrs. Jack Ward, 669-9911. Adv. to Sew What! Embroidery and Fri. - more info. call Clarendon Needs. Caps, jackets, etc. or call more. Adv. College, Pampa. Adv.

COME AND check out Spring and Easter hair bows at Shortcuts, 1712 N. Hobart. Adv. for sale, 5 pieces. 669-6287. Adv. Harvester, Pampa, Tx. Adv.

AUNT NONIE'S has changed 665-5993. Adv.

ROLANDA'S JUST received floral arrangements and Spring Root votive candles & room spray, 301 W. Foster. Adv. WM. L. Arthur Income Tax KINGSIZE BEDROOM Suite Preparation. Call 669-3928, 1103 Adv.

NOW OPEN at 206 N. Russell - Sumthin' Old Sumthin' New, CNA CLASSES starting Mon. moved to 110 E. Francis. Come inside the Credit Bureau. Mar. 30th, 8-5 p.m. Mon. thru see us for your Embroidery Antiques, collectables, crafts &

> **DEL BRADLEY** invites you to House of Coffee & Gifts, corner of Grand & Main, Borger, Tx. Sat. 10-3 p.m. & Sun. 1-4 p.m.

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Gang graffiti?

(Community Camera photo)

Pampa students recently attended the Business Professionals of America Texas State Leadership Conference in Houston. Students participating included: (back row, left-right) Brandy Kemph, Kendra Rozier, Shelly Hopson and Deanna Dreher; (front, I-r) Daniel Dreher, Patty Dinges and Chris Hearron.

Pampa students attend Business Professionals of America Texas State Leadership Conference

Fifteen students recently attended the Dreher was elected Texas State placed second in Economic Awareness. Business Professionals of America Texas State Parliamentarian and will represent Texas as a Leadership Conference in Houston. Six of the voting delegate. Deanna Dreher will be rep- Leadership Conference include: Shari Albus, 15 Pampa members will be advancing to the resenting the Pampa chapter by submitting Richard Laycock, Heather Mitchell, Misty National Leadership Conference which will information for the chapter awards and Moreland, Jessica Morrison, Amy Newhouse, be in San Antonio April 28-May 3. National accepting all chapter honors an awards. qualifiers advancing to the National Two Pampa students are also alternates Chapter advisor, Sherrell Wheeler, was also Leadership Conference are Patty Dinges, to the national conference in their events named Region 3 Texas Business Technology

Others who competed at the Texas State Brandon Rogers and Dottie Youngblood.

office assistant; Chris Hearron, keyboarding; – Deanna Dreher in Document Educators Teacher of the Year. Wheeler will Brandy Kemph, entrepreneurship; and Formatting and Shelly Hopson in now advance to competition for state teacher Kendra Rozier, document formatting. Daniel Computer Aided Graphics. Hopson also of the year which will be announced in July.

(Pampa News photos by Danny Cowan)

Graffiti on Pampa's streets. The pictures show it exists. In an effort to confront this problem, "Street Gangs 247/365," a parent/adult conference, will be this Saturday, March 28 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church. A complementary lunch and day care for children four and under will be provided. For more information, call 665-0842.

e House Republicans vote for impeachment probe rities

WASHINGTON (AP) - Over The Judiciary Committee and chew gum at the same time," really don't want any more the protest of Democrats, House money sparked the loudest he said Wednesday. "Make a later-Republicans have a new \$1.3 mil- protests from Democrats, and al move if that is required." lion on deposit to help prepare for Republicans offered varying House Majority Leader Dick Clinton's approval ratings any impeachment evidence explanations for how the money Armey, R-Texas, also seemed remain high, despite a two-month against President Clinton that would be spent. Caught off-guard by questions battering over an alleged sexual independent counsel Kenneth Rep. Henry Hyde, R-III., who is about the money. Caught off-guard by questions battering over an alleged sexual relationship with Monica

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them to be playing with this last year to help conduct a review money," Rep. Barney Frank, D-Mass., charged Wednesday, shortly before Republicans forced approval of the additional funds by party-line vote.

In addition to the \$1.3 million Committee, the GOP voted \$1.8 conducting into Democratic cam- ment preparations if necessary. paign fund-raising abuses.

chairman of the Judiciary panel, tially told reporters, "We know "It simply is inappropriate for originally asked for the funds late that Judge Starr will be sending us of Justice Department investigaa report. tions, including Attorney General Janet Reno's refusal to turn over about his comment, he backher own campaign fund-raising probe to an independent counsel.

Since them, though, Hyde has earmarked for the Judiciary said he will recruit staff aides including a \$130,000-a-year senior million to extend a long-running counsel - who are capable of turninvestigation a separate panel is ing their attention to impeach-

tracked. "I have the expectation we will receive a report from him ... and we should be prepared to deal

with it in a professional manner." Asked again for clarification, he said of his original answer: "Scratch that. Let us say I was a "I would hope they could walk dutiful rat and I took the bait. I

Tickets for the show will be

relationship with Monica Lewinsky, and accusations that he groped former White House volunteer Kathleen Willey in the hallway just outside the Oval Office.

And fearful of repercussions, most Republicans have refrained from directly attacking the president.

That has begun to change recently, though, as Republican women challenged Democrats to defend Willey.

And one GOP pollster, Frank Luntz, stood outside a closeddoor meeting of the GOP rank and file during the day to hand departing lawmakers a memo suggesting a change in tactics.

State sues nursing home for resident's death

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) - jury found that workers' poor The attorney general's office is care led to another resident's suing a nursing home because a death. resident who was supposed to be

The nursing home is in White on a pureed diet choked to death Settlement, a Fort Worth suburb.

Texas Attorney General Dan Heritage Western Hills Morales filed the suit in Tarrant Nursing Home, named in the County against Horizon/CMS lawsuit filed Wednesday, lost a Healthcare. The company no record-setting \$92 million negli- longer owns Heritage Western gence case last November when a Hills.

Pampa Sheriff's Department to hold jubilee

Sheriff's County Gray Department will present "The Texas Music Jubilee" show at 7 p.m. May 9 in the M.K. Brown Auditorium.

The Texas Music Jubilee is a bluegrass variety show. It's good clean family entertainment.

The show will headline the talented, versatile star of television, stage and records – the dynamic singing and entertaining fans throughout the United States, Canada - even around the world, just returning from Europe. Jackson has had two Grammy Award nominations for Best Female Performer. She will be singing her hit songs "Silver Threads and Golden Needles" and "Right or Wrong" and many others. Jackson has appeared on the Grand Ole Opry, 'Hee-Haw," "Music City Tonight" and many other shows.

Also appearing at the Jubilee show will be "One Day At A Time" recording star Jeanette Lunsford, known as the Queen of Gospel Music. Lunsford traveled and sang on the Wally Fowler show for 16 years and performed with such greats as Kitty Wells, Mel Tillis, Lulu Roman, Vestal and Howard Goodman family, J.D. Sumner and the Stamps and many others.

Other performers will be nineyear old Lindsey Nickole Delk, "Little Miss known as Dynamite." Delk has performed at Branson, Silver Dollar City and Wild West Theatre, and she sang for Mickey Gilly and on Nationals for American Kids.

For the bluegrass fans, the show will feature Now and Again, a bluegrass gospel band known for its fast paced show of

Sheriff Don Copeland and the old-time gospel and bluegrass available at the sheriff's office music along with several original "home-grown" songs. and from participating mer-

Also appearing will be Connie Walker and "The Texas Drifters" with Karen, Jeannie and Elaine the Walker Sisters. The Walkers high-energy, country, gospel and have made numerous appearances throughout the Panhandle area for many years. They also own and operate "The Country Opry" in Hereford.

Included on the show will be the Wanda Jackson. She has been high-stepping, exciting national championship award winners, the Top of Texas Cloggers.



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Texas Editorial

By The Associated Press

A sampling of editorial opinion from Texas newspapers: Fort Worth Star-Telegram on Italian tragedy:

The four-man crew of a Marine jet that severed a cable car. wire in the Italian Alps recently has been blamed for the accident that sent 20 people plummeting to their deaths.

Having found that the crew was at fault for "aggressive maneuvering" by flying far lower than the authorized altitude of 2,000 feet, Department of Defense investigators recommended that the aviators be charged with involuntary manslaughter or negligent homicide and dereliction of duty.

They also found that administrative action should be taken against at least five supervisors, including the squadron commander, and that the United States should pay all proper claims for death and property damage

These recommendations are tough, but they are highly appropriate, given the apparent recklessness of the crew members and the severe consequences of their careless hot-shot actions.

It is a tragedy for all involved, and one that has caused tense diplomatic moments between our government and that of Italy. The Italian people have a right to be upset, but we would hope that the thoroughness with which the U.S. military investigated the case, the straightforward acceptance of blame and the recommended action would ease the tension brought on by this tragedy.

Your representatives

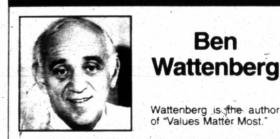
Lieberman has a chance

I chatted recently with former Vice President Dan Quavle. More mature, articulate and forceful than in his earlier incarnation, Quavle plans to run for president in 2000. He thinks he can win the GOP nomination. He believes he could beat Al Gore. He thinks Gore, in his current incarnation, is too liberal to win. It is not an unrealistic scenario.

I asked Quavle: Suppose Gore didn't get nominated? He responded: The other possible Democrats are even more liberal. I said: What about Joe Lieberman? Quavle paused. He said: Lieberman? Is Lieberman running? Lieberman's not running. He'd be the toughest Democrat to beat. Tell Lieberman not to run.

Later, Quavle sent a note: "Dear Ben, I enjoyed our visit. Please have our mutual friend Joe L. stay in the Senate.

But Joe L., Democrat of Connecticut, may well run for president. He should. Here's why: IT WOULD BE GOOD FOR AMERICA.



including about half of blacks, oppose preference and support a colorblind America?

Lieberman favors colorblindness, and has engaged in rhetorical combat about it with the Rev. Jesse Jackson. Lieberman, president of the Democratic Leadership Council, is no liberal by the current definition. He supports school-voucher pilot programs. He works closely with

IT WOULD BE GOOD FOR REPUBLICANS. The GOP needs a positive agenda. As long as Democrats are dragged leftward, Republicans think they can win by not being them. But Democrats un-dragged leftward would force Republicans to again become "the party of ideas." The sight of the gallows sharpens the mind: In 1994, a Republican year, Lieberman was reelected in bellwether Connecticut by a 67-to-31 percent vote.

IT WOULD BE GOOD FOR PLURALISM. Lieberman is a Modern Orthodox Jew. He does not work on the Sabbath (except in rare emergencies). He is respected for his strong religious beliefs by Jews and Christians.

Some still think that a Jew, or an African-American, or a Latino, or a woman, can't win the presidency. Until 1960, similar views were held about Catholics. Then John Kennedy was elected. Republican Bill Bennett and Democrat C. Delores Catholicism is now a nonissue. The sooner we get Tucker to put pressure on the cultural-industrial the various nonelectability issues behind us, the stronger this pluralist nation will be

IT WOULD BE GOOD FOR JOE LIEBERMAN.

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Lieberman is articulate, some say inspiring. He is complex, trying to get some obscenity out of telepolitical acrimony. In the "Almanac of American Politics," Michael Barone writes: "In a decade in the Senate (Lieberman) has exerted influence out of proportion to his seniority, committee position or political clout, an influence that came from respect for his independence of mind, civility of spirit and fidelity to causes in which he believes."

IT WOULD BE GOOD FOR DEMOCRATS. The Democratic primaries of 2000 will likely be, again, a "lefter than thou" bidding contest among candidates seeking support from liberal special interests: labor, feminists, blacks, environmentalists. Consider a sorry example. At a recent pro-racialpreference speech at Ebenezer Baptist Church, Vice President Gore attacked as hypocrites those who support a "colorblind" society: "We see wretch like me. Was colorblind but now I see.'

See what? That 80 percent of Americans, ter.

85th day of 1998. There are 280 Anwar Sadat at the White House.

On this date:

By The Associated Press

Today's Highlight in History:

days left in the year.

respected in both parties, unusual in this time of vision programming. As a member of the Thompson Committee, he filed an independent He'll be 58 in 2000. If he doesn't run and Gore is report condemning both parties for campaign finance abuse: "The truth is that the mad hatters from both parties did more than just beg credulity; they betrayed the public trust.

He favors the death penalty and vigorously supported George Bush on the Gulf War. He is an civil rights, consumerism and civil liberties. He supported Clinton's 1996 welfare reform and opposed Clinton's 1994 health care reform.

Democrats need a Tony Blair. The British prime minister ran as "New Labor," critical of ' abor's "loony left," and stuck to his guns when elected. Clinton and Gore ran as "New Democrats." They did some good things. But they caved in so often through your colorblind. Amazing grace saved a they are tarnished. A Lieberman campaign could

Today in history

Beethoven died in Vienna, Austria.

Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Louisiana.

elected for two terms, Lieberman would be 66 in 2008, perhaps too old. He will not likely be chosen to run as vice president in 2000. A Democratic nominee prepared to risk the religious issue can turn to Sen. Dianne Feinstein, female, and from vote-rich California. Lieberman could raise startenvironmentalist with a strong background in up money from a base of DLC and Jewish contributors (as Michael Dukakis got seed money from the Greek-American community). The Connecticut primary is held in September; Lieberman could run for re-election if he lost his presidential bid.

I watched Lieberman give rousing political speeches in public parks when he was a teenager in Stamford, Conn. He was a Wunderkind. The adults would murmur, "Someday, Joe Lieberman force Democrats to move toward the activist cen- is going to be president." Someday is now. Or never.

manufactured the first commercial Today is Thursday, March 26, the Begin and Egyptian President In 1827, composer Ludwig van motion picture film.

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Conservative Brock backs off

In 1804, the Louisiana Purchase born in San Francisco.

The man who lit the fire that heated the pot in which Bill Clinton is now boiling apologized to the president the other day. In so doing, he said a mouthful about the idiocy of ideology.

David Brock, the young conservative who made his name with a muckraking book about Anita Hill, was the first to give national exposure to the Arkansas state troopers who claimed they had abetted Clinton's womanizing when he was governor of Arkansas.

Brock's 1993 expose appeared in the American Spectator, a right-wing periodical that specializes in Clintonbashing. The story was, in the author's words, "perhaps the most humiliating portrait of a ology sitting president and his wife ever published."

The story mentioned a woman named "Paula" who had allegedly been escorted to Clinton's hotel room and afterward volunteered to be the governor's girlfriend. A few weeks later, Paula Corbin Jones declared that she was the Paula in question and announced that she would undertake to restore her name, as well as seek a modicum of remuneration. Clinton's testimony in that case led to the Monica Lewinsky revelations, which attracted the attention of the righteous Kenneth Starr and his Cotton Mather Brigade, which in turn led to the frenzy that currently consumes the nation.

Now, Brock says in an article for Esquire magazine, he has doubts about what he did. He was steered to the troopers by die-hard Clinton-haters, he says. The bodyguards "were greedy and had slimy motives," in that they were looking for a book contract and displayed a "palpable contempt for Hilary." He is still not sure of the accuracy of



what they told him. He laments his lack of skepticisin and now realizes that he was blinded by ide-

In his mea culpa to Clinton, Brock says he was caught up in a paroxysm of destruction and "conspired to damage you and your presidency." His rationale for writing the story was a "charade." His real purpose: "To pop you right between the eyes.

Lesson No. 1: Ideologues are charlatans. They concoct noble motives when in fact they are often driven by vile purposes.

Brock said similar things last July in another Esquire piece, in which he discussed a biography he wrote of Hillary Clinton. After the Republican takeover of Congress, he wrote, "I sold a proposal for a book on the most tempting target I could think of, Hillary Clinton ... My frank intention was to butcher my prey."

The biography turned out to be relatively flattering, and Brock's right-wing associates went berserk. He had sold out, they said. Brock was on an ego trip and his book was a whitewash. Wrote Brock: "Most conservatives have come to

so revile Hillary Clinton and everything she represents that they have lost their moorings, forgetting that they had opposed Hillary in the first place on political grounds, not out of personal loathing."

Lesson No. 2: Ideologues don't know when to quit. They start with reasonable objection and argument, then are devoured by their obsessions and quickly run things into the ground.

In vet another run-in with his erstwhile friends, Brock objected in 1996 when FBI agent cum scandalmonger Gary Aldrich penned a book called "Unlimited Access," in which he made many preposterous charges, amongthem the claim that Clinton stole out of the White House to meet paramours at a hotel. Brock said he was the sole source for that tale, and it was pure gossip. He added: "I was outraged when conservative outlets like the Washington Times (and) the Wall Street Journal editorial page ... let Aldrich brazen it out and perpetrated a hoax on the public by celebrating 'Unlimited Access' as legitimate and well-researched.

Lesson No. 3: Truth is irrelevant to ideologues. The paramount thing, the only thing that matters, is the cause.

Concluded Brock in his July 1997 article: "I've seen aspects of the conservative movement that makes me regret having ever been associated with it. And I participated in a scandal-fueled war against the Clintons that produced Gary Aldrich; if that is what our conservative cause boils down to, we're doomed." One can only pray.

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ABWA award program





(Community Camera photo)

Magic Plains Chapter of the American Business Women's Association held its annual Business Associate Banguet and Award Program recently. The event recognized Debbie Douglas, director of Nursing, Pampa Nursing Center, as Business Associate of the Year; Evelyn Boyd as Woman of the Year; and Donna Swindle as Rookie of the Year. The Golden Spread Mens Chorus of Amarillo, under the direction of John Zimmerman, provided the evening's entertainment. Boyd (top, right), member of the Magic Plains Chapter of ABWA, was recognized as 1998 Woman of the Year by Margaret Hall. Debbie Douglas (bottom, left) was recognized by Jan Allen as Business Associate, ABWA, for 1998.

Senate wants tally of costs of enforcing U.N. resolutions

United States has spent on its own enforcing national service program. Security Council resolutions since 1990.

The nonbinding measure, offered by Sen. Jesse Helms, R-N.C., and adopted 90-10 late Wednesday, also calls on the United Nations to "immediately reduce" the U.S. share of the cost of peacekeeping operations from about 30 percent to 25 percent.

Helms told the Senate that U.S. costs of confronting Saddam Hussein in Iraq and supporting peacekeeping operations in Bosnia far surpass the arrearages in U.N. dues, which he called "money which we do not owe and should never pay.

"Yet the U.N. crybabies continue to whine," said Helms, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

The move came as the Senate continued working through a multibillion-dollar mid-year spending bill that includes money to help the Pentagon replenish funds it is using to maintain the military buildup in the Persian Gulf and operations in Bosnia

The Senate bill, with a price tag of close to \$5 billion, also includes disaster aid, mostly associated with damage from this winter's El Nino-driven storms and floods.

The Senate was expected to finish it today after debating a move to combine it with a separate spending bill responding to the Clinton administration's request for \$18 billion for the International Monetary Fund.

sharp criticism from Democrats - and a veto threat Council resolution demanding a tabulation of U.S. from the White House - because it seeks to pay for costs of "implementing or supporting" U.N. some \$3 billion in disaster and military programs Security Council resolutions since Jan. 1, 1990.

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Senate, upset over a with cuts in domestic spending programs, includ-\$1.2 billion bill for back dues to the United Nations, ing low-income housing, airport projects, bilingual is calling for a U.N. tally of the billions of dollars the education and President Clinton's pet AmeriCorps

> That "threatens to elevate politics above the needs of our troops in the field and those who have been the victims of natural disasters at home," said Clinton's budget director, Franklin Raines. And Senate Democratic Leader Tom Daschle of South Dakota said a Clinton veto "would be likely" if such a strategy prevails.

The House votes on the bill next week.

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Republicans don't want to be forced into another situation where they get blamed for holding up disaster aid - as they did last spring on a relief bill for damage from Midwest floods - but they also expressed frustration that the first budget surplus in 30 years might be eaten up by such "emergency" spending.

'I don't understand, as the president goes through Africa giving away money, why the White House is opposed to a balanced budget," House Speaker Newt Gingrich, R-Ga., said.

And House Majority Leader Dick Armey, R-Texas, told reporters, "I can't believe the president of the United States, having made the case about the urgency (of the spending bill) is going to turn around and veto it. ... I just can't believe he will do that.'

The Senate version does not require paying for the military programs and disaster relief with such spending cuts.

The Senate U.N. resolution calls on U.N. A House version of the spending bill has drawn Ambassador Bill Richardson to introduce a Security



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AUSTIN (AP) - Gov. George W. Bush's office is singing the blues over a tongue-in-cheek "report" that the governor is revoking the pardon of famed musician Leadbelly, who died in 1949.

Leadbelly, whose real name was Huddie Ledbetter, was a blues-folk singer renowned for his skill with a 12-string guitar and composing such songs as "Rock Island Line," "The Special," Midnight and 'Goodnight Irene.'

But in his early life, Leadbelly also was a tough customer. He was convicted on murder charges in 1918 and sentenced to 30 years in the Texas penitentiary

In the pen, he penned a song – "If I had you, Gov. Neff, like you got me ... I'd wake up in the mornin' and I'd set you free." It helped persuade then-Gov. Pat Neff to pardon him.

The latest issue of The Texas Observer magazine, which coincides with April Fool's Day, includes a news report parody in which the current governor announces he's taking back Leadbelly's pardon.

Temple man indicted in slaying of TV reporter

BELTON (AP) — Central Texas prosecutors say they will prove that sexual assault was a motive in KWTX-TV reporter Kathryn Louise Dettman's slaying.

Gary Anthony Silvestri, 22, of Temple was indicted Wednesday for capital murder in Ms. Dettman's beating and stabbing death

Multiple stab wounds killed the 36-year-old Ms. Dettman, according to an autopsy report. The indictment accuses

Silvestri of killing the woman in the course of kidnapping her, committing or attempting to commit aggravated sexual assault and burglarizing her apartment.

Weapons used to kill Ms. Dettman, the indictment stated, were a screwdriver, scissors, a knife and a sharp object Carroll identified as a curved butter knife.

ernor's office singing after scattering black witchcraft. pepper

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) - A woman has been cited for contempt of court because she scat- ues tered black pepper in a courtroom where a friend was to be tried on charges of sexual assault 37-year-old bride in an answerof a child.

woman also possessed material changed his mind about divorcused in the practice of witchcraft, ing her, her lawyer says. visiting Judge Homer Salinas ordered the woman jailed for estate of Abasalom T. Webber Jr. seven days.

But he decided later Wednesday to release her from Christenberry of Metairie, La., custody with orders to stay away said that Webber merely asked from the courtroom and not to that his divorce from Donna speak to any jurors.

that he found Frances Brazell put on hold while he tried to walking in a circle Wednesday morning in the middle of the three months. empty courtroom where the trial of Paul Avalos was about to that Webber never actually begin.

Garcia said he noticed black divorce. pepper scattered around in a circle and confiscated a small bag of when Webber died and Ms. the power.

fied at Brazell's contempt hear- home in Metairie that she coning that she discovered a small tends her husband promised leather pouch in the woman's to give to her upon his death brassiere. Salinas said such pouches are riage.

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Battle over Houston millionaire's estate contin-

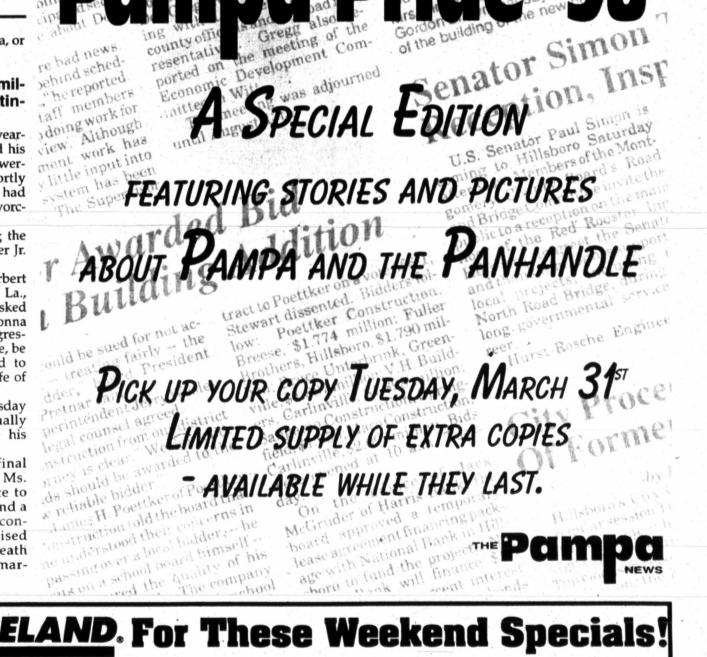
ORANGE (AP) — A 68-yearold Houston millionaire told his ing machine message shortly After discovering that the before his death that he had

But a lawyer representing the disputes that.

Herbert Attorney Peterson, a four-time congres-Bailiff Kenny Garcia testified sional candidate from Orange, be work things out with his wife of

Christenberry said Wednesday issued instructions to stop his

The divorce was not final Peterson is suing the estate to Bailiff Lilia Ann Gutierrez testi- collect at least \$4 million and a or dissolution of their mar-





Clinton arrives in Africa with little fanfare

CAPE TOWN, South Africa (AP) - President Clinton opened his historic visit to South Africa today with bricks and mortar - no pomp or pageantry to reflect the fact that he is the first American president ever to set foot in this former pariah nation.

He and first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton, making an unexpected stop at a dusty housing project near a shantytown, went to work laying brick alongside the women in charge of construction that put 104 houses where last year there were just 18.

Notable asteroids The 10 largest asteroids discovered in the 20th century (diameter in miles) Diameter Name (number) Year Discoverer 273 1907 A. Kopff **Hektor (624)** 203 1903 R.S. Dugan Davida (511) 197 • 1910 V. Cerulli Interamnia (704) 1904 M. Wolf 138 Herculina (532) 121 1910 J. Helffrich Alauda (702) Winchester (747) 1913 J.H. Metcalf 107 Pretoria (790) 106 1912 H.E. Wood 104 Stereoskopia (566) 1905 P. Gotz 104 Agamemnon (911) 1919 K. Reinmuth 102 Diomedes (1437) 1937 K. Reinmuth NEA Grap irce: Top 10 of Everything 1997

Asteroids only 100 yards in diameter can have calamitous effects if they impact Earth. Above are the 10 largest asteroids that have been discovered in this century, identified by name and number.

president joked as he worked. He lauded the project as "a model for the U.S. role during the apartheid era. people who don't have a lot of money all over Africa, all over the world."

If his first hours here were low-key, Clinton seemed to want it that way. When his plane landed at D.F. Malan International Airport, there was only a quiet exchange of greetings with South African

... history took a back seat to an emerging theme of Clinton's trip: official expression of regret for past U.S. policy toward Africa.

Foreign Minister Alfred Nzo before Clinton retired to his hotel. Aides said his mind was still very much on his brief visit to Rwanda on Wednesday, and the remorse he expressed over the 1994 genocide

"He's very much looking forward to South Africa, but he has not processed that information, for reasons that are pretty obvious," White House spokesman Mike McCurry said. "He cannot get the stories he heard in Rwanda out of his head."

So for a moment, history took a back seat to an emerging theme of Clinton's trip: official expression of regret for past U.S. policy toward Africa. He will have a chance to revisit that theme today in a speech before the South African Parliament - after history gets its due with an official welcome by President Nelson Mandela

McCurry said Clinton's speech to Parliament would be "an ode to the historic transformation in South Africa," but he was vague on specifics. When asked whether there were matters that Clinton could express regrets about, McCurry replied, "We haven't gotten around to apartheid yet.

"He will celebrate the fact that most of us did not think we would see the day when apartheid would not be a fact of life," McCurry said. "That's an extraordinary change. The president would be crazy not to remark on it."

Some South African factions also were anxious to hear from Clinton. The South African Communist Party said he should apologize for U.S. support of African dictators and apartheid, while the Campaign to Ban Land Mines said he should promise that no U.S. mines would be used in Africa. A pro-Cuban group wanted him to end the embargo on Fidel Castro's government.

The communists also said the United States should make a sub-

"I went into politics so I wouldn't have to work this hard," the mission to South Africa's Truth and Reconciliation Commission on

Indeed, American civil rights leader Jesse Jackson, traveling with Clinton, said the United States was "involved certainly indirectly with the apartheid regime because we saw the apartheid Afrikaners as our geopolitical partners. Within our own country we fought mightily to change that relationship. And at the end, our country was the most effective in helping them with their transition."

But Clinton was unlikely to respond to the various demands and requests by such groups.

Clinton was to spend four days in South Africa, the only state visit of his 12-day tour of Africa. He will spend Friday with Mandela - in meetings and touring the former island prison where Mandela was held for 18 years - before traveling to Johannesburg to dedicate a commercial center named for the late Commerce Secretary Ron Brown, an advocate for trade with Africa.

As he traversed Africa this week, Clinton repeatedly spoke in apologetic tones about past U.S. policy here. In his opening address in Ghana, he said America was wrong to turn a blind eye to Africa's neglect for so long.

In Uganda, Clinton nearly apologized for slavery, saying U.S. demand for labor wrongfully propped up the slave trade. And in Rwanda, he told genocide survivors that the United States should have been more vigilant in stopping the slaughter of 500,000 people in 1994, and owed it to the living and the dead to ensure that it never happens again.

McCurry said the rueful rhetoric was necessary if the United States was serious about changing its relationship with African nations.

"A large part of that is accounting for the mistakes we've made in the past about Africa, and they go a long way back in our history," he said. "They start with slavery and go from there."

As for South Africa, the United States recognized its apartheid regime for decades while the white minority government rigidly segregated its black majority, denied voting rights and banned political opposition - including Mandela's African National Congress.

Balkans: U.S. envoy back again Milosevic's wife assails foreigners

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PRISTINA, Yugoslavia (AP) - With the United States and five other powers urging Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic to talk with Kosovo's Albanians, American envoy Robert Gelbard is back in the Balkans to try and move negotiations forward.

But state-run media and an unusually strong attack on alleged foreign meddling in Yugoslav affairs from Milosevic's influential wife suggest any diplomatic efforts are in for a tough fight.

Gelbard held talks in the Yugoslav capital, Belgrade, early today but had no meeting scheduled with Milosevic. He was then heading to Pristina to see Kosovo Albanian leaders.

The American envoy came direct from a meeting of the six-nation Contact Group on Wednesday that gave Milosevic four weeks to get serious negotiations started with the Albanians, and urged the Albanians to condemn terrorism and violence.

State-run media controlled by Milosevic played the absence of any sanctions on Yugoslavia, which consists of Serbia and Montenegro, as a defeat for a tough U.S. approach.

Milosevic's wife, Mirjana Markovic, meanwhile launched a bitter attack against "evil enemies" of Yugoslavia inside and outside the country, demanding that a "real front" be formed by "patriotic forces" to combat them.

She identified independent media, young people, opposition parties and "corrupt or manipulated intellectuals" as the principal aomestic loes "Closing our eyes to such dangers, and postponing the fight against them, could dearly cost Yugoslavia," Markovic said in a speech reprinted at length in the main state daily, Politika Markovic's neo-communist party governs Serbia and Yugoslavia in coalition with Milosevic's Socialists. In Kosovo itself, 11 Albanian villagers were still missing and feared arrested after Serbian police and Albanians fought an 11-hour gunbattle Tuesday in Glodjane, a village 25 miles west of Pristina. Serb police reported only one ethnic Albanian - said to be with the main Albanian party - arrested. A Serbian policeman killed in the fighting was to be buried today. Three other policemen were wounded. Two Albanians died, and a third was said by the Albanians to be hospitalized in a coma. Villagers returned cautiously to Glodjane, a village of 1,500 residents, after a night spent in the fields following the battle. At least two houses were destroyed, smoldering still. Ilir Shacekrimaj was among the returnees Wednesday, after he and his mother fled the battle. They found the living room of their home littered with bullet shells. The windows were broken, there was a bloody scarf in one room and blood stains in the bath tub.

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The 18-year-old ethnic Albanian said he had no idea what happened, or where his brother was.

Confusion and fear were shared by families of other missing Albanians following Tuesday's clash - the latest violence in the independence-minded province of Kosovo.

More than 80 Albanians, who outnumber Serbs in Kosovo 9-to-1, were killed early this month when Serb police moved against alleged armed Albanian separatists hiding in four other villages

That crackdown fanned foreign outrage and fears of another Balkan war.

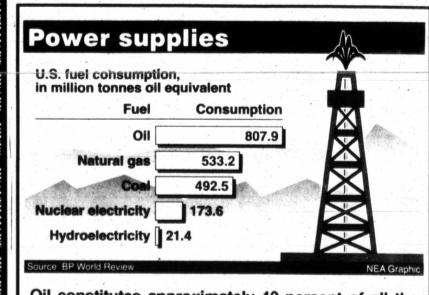
The six-nation Contact Group threatened new sanctions against Milosevic if he did not end police repression in Kosovo, which he stripped of broad autonomy in 1989.

But at a meeting of foreign ministers Wednesday, Russia, Italy, France and Germany refused to impose the sanctions yet, leaving the United States and Britain isolated in pressing for a tough stance.

Instead, they said they would reconsider meeting in four weeks, giving Milosevic and the Albanians time to get serious talks started.

The Albanians, who have no foreign backing for their quest for outright independence from Serbia, on Tuesday named a 15-man team to work out a platform for talks with the Serbs.

But they insist on outside mediation, which Milosevic has rejected.



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Texas young offender recidivism rates improve

impressive results in reducing recidivism for youth who participate in Texas Youth Commission specialized treatment programs.

Recidivism rates for all TYC vouth have declined across the board since 1993. In addition, the analysis shows that youth who receive specialized treatment are less likely to be rearrested or reincarcerated.

TYC offenders are generally the most serious or chronic offenders in Texas or have failed probation and/or treatment efforts in their communities. State district judges send youth to the Texas Youth Commission for mostly felony-level offenses committed from age 10 through age 16. TYC operates 14 secure institutions, nine halfway houses and a statewide parole system and can maintain authority over the youth until their 21st birthdays.

The study, conducted by the TYC Research Department, followed young offenders for a period after their release from secure facilities.

From 1993-97:

-The likelihood of a TYC youth being rearrested for any offense within one year of release declined from 59.6 percent to 48.9 percent.

-The likelihood of a TYC youth being rearrested for a violent offense within one year declined from 12.2 percent to 9.2 percent.

-The likelihood of a TYC youth being reincarcerated within a year declined from 35.6 percent to 28.9 percent.

-The likelihood of a TYC youth being reincarcerated within three years declined from 52.8 percent to 50.8 percent.

The Texas Youth Commission offers specialized treatment to capital offenders (those committed for murder or attempted murder); to sexual perpetrators, to chemically dependent youth and to youth who are emotionally disturbed. Currently, the agency has the resources to offer this specialized treatment to only 40 percent of the youth who need

The study compared youth who received specialized treatment to those who needed it, but didn't receive it. On several measures, youth who completed specialized treatment were rearrest-

AUSTIN - A new study shows said Dr. Linda Reyes, assistant crimes and on victim empathy. effective in reducing, violent within three years of release. deputy executive director of Release decisions are based not offenses. This program reduced Rehabilitative Services. "First, only on time served, but on by 65 percent the likelihood of we've made improvements in demonstrated mastery of rehabil-TYC's itation goals. competency-based Resocialization rehabilitation program, as well as in symptomspecific specialized treatment for constructive activity. That or more of specialized treatment that builds on the basic means youth on parole may be was rearrested for a violent Resocialization program," she returned to secure confinement offense within a year of release. said. Reyes explained youth go through highly structured 16- patient treatment, school or ment at secure institutions hour days in which they work on employment as well as for evi- reduced by 5.3 percent the likeeducation, discipline training, job skills and rehabilitation. The activities." rehabilitation focuses on their

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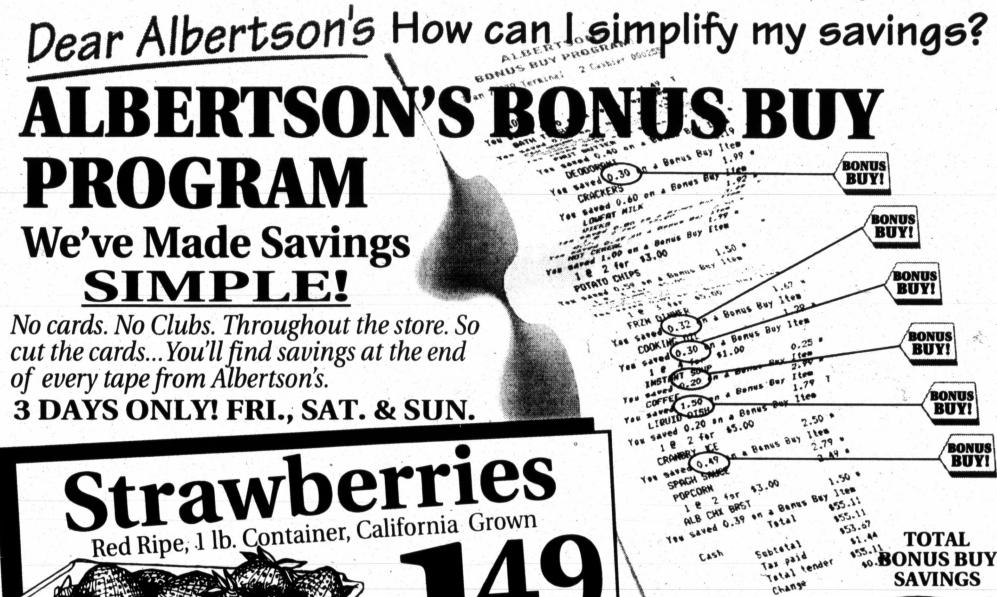
capital offenders being rearrested for a violent offense within a year Reyes said, "Secondly, we have of release. Not a single one of 113 increased youth accountability sex offenders who received a year Chemical dependency treat-

Specialized treatment for youth who are emotionally disturbed also showed effectiveness in reduced by 16.8 percent the likelihood of reincarceration within a year of release and by 15.8 percent within a three year period. It reduced the likelihood of rearrest within one year by 14.8 percent.

The results indicate that even dence of renewed delinquent lihood of being rearrested with- as TYC recidivism and rearrest in one year of release. It rates have improved overall, spetaking accountability for their offender program is particularly likelihood of reincarceration impact that builds on the basic thing to do for Texas.

Resocialization program all TYC offenders receive.

"The results are energizing to us," said TYC Executive Director reducing recidivism. Treatment Steve Robinson. "We have known offered in a secure institution for a long time that it is not enough just to build institutions and warehouse kids. This latest research is evidence that appropriate rehabilitation treatment can and does work. We have recommitted ourselves to continued improvements in the rehabilitation of Texas' young offenders," he said. "It's the right thing The study shows the capital reduced by 10.8 percent the cialized treatment has additional to do for our youth, and the right



ed or reincarcerated at a much lower rate than youth who didn't have access to the special programs.

TYC examined factors that predict failure, such as the length and severity of the delinquent history. Even after accounting for those factors, recidivism still was reduced through specialized treatment.

"We believe the improvements are due primarily to two factors,"

Fish contain PCB, lake tests come out negative

DONNA, Texas (AP) - Fish in Donna Lake are contaminated, but the water has been cleared for people to drink? Go figure.

Officials are puzzled that they continue to find dangerously high quantities of PCB in the fish at Donna Lake, while tests show the reservoir's water and sediment do not contain the toxin.

The lake is part of the water supply for this South Texas town, but a sign posted by the Department of Health says: "It is illegal to possess fish from this water."

PCBs are a former component of insulation installed in refrigerators, air conditioners and other manufactured products. Considered a probable cancer-causing agent, PCBs were banned in 1977

But than two decades later, health officials say they continue to find dangerously high quantities of PCB in the fish at Donna Lake.

Charles Webster, a regional biol-ogist at Harlingen said the cause of the contaminated fish is a mystery.

"We've conducted numerous surveys completely surrounding the area, including all landfills, whether they're permitted or not," he said.

He said that discarded refrigerators and air conditioners frequently end up in ditches and numerous other locations not designed to dispose of hazardous waste.

But scientists have not been able to make a connection between haphazardly dumped refrigerators and the fish at Donna Lake.





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Going Fishing With Wife Puts New Cast On Husband's Hobby

DEAR ABBY: In reference to the letter from "Waiting With Baited Hook," I am a 47-year-old, happily married fisherman. I have had the loveliest fishing partner in the world for the past 14 years and have enjoyed every minute of it. There's nothing like sharing the outdoors with your soul mate, teaching her and sharing her excitement in catching a fish. The excitement of fishing is doubled when the experience is shared by someone who is close to you instead of just a "good ole boy" fishing partner.

A turtle on a log, a full moon on a summer night or a gray heron lifting off the water shouldn't be wasted with just one of the guys. Eat your hearts out, guys - my fishing partner is prettier than yours! TERRY DRAUGHON,

FROM THE BIG BASS CAPITAL OF TEXAS, LAKE FORK

DEAR TERRY: You'll be pleased to know that my desk has been swamped by a tidal wave of letters carrying similar sentiments. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: The letter from "Waiting With Baited Hook" brought to mind my daughter and son-in-law. They met 10 years ago at a dance. After they'd been dating a few months, we invited him along on a deep-sea fishing trip. When he discovered that our daughter not only enjoyed fishing, but could bait her own hook with live anchovies. he was really impressed. They have



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been married for nine years and are expecting their first baby in a couple of months.

I'll bet that baby will be fishing as soon as he or she can hold a fishing pole.

FISHING GRANDMA, BURBANK, CALIF.

DEAR FISHING: It appears that he fell for your daughter hook, line and sinker. (I next day. couldn't resist.)

DEAR ABBY: In response to "Waiting With Baited Hook in Nevada," please let me assure you

that just because a woman knows how to fish is no guarantee that she'll be attractive to men.

I am a single middle-aged woman who is addicted to fishing. I own several kinds of boats and enough tackle to sink one.

Guess what? Not one fisherman has taken the bait in more than 20 years. I'm no mermaid, but I'm also

be an unusual and beneficial day for you in your joint endeavors. You will attract positive circumstances that can be combined with your focus.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) If you feel like you have been neglecting close friends recently, you're probably right. Try to make amends by personally arranging a get-together today

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Something momentous for which you've been hoping is getting closer to reality. Do not let negative individuals cause you to question developments.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Plans you LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Plans you formumake today should not be treated indiffer- late today will have better than average ently. If your foundations are properly chances for success. Start to develop plotted and engineered, what you do now your bright ideas now and don't let them

life by understanding the influences that VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) This is the will govern you in the year ahead. Send right time to discard or modify methods or for your Astro-Graph predictions by mail- techniques that haven't been successful ing \$2 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspa- thus far. Use your imagination and

not a carp. So much for fishing to catch a man. **'THE HAPPY HOOKER'** FROM NEW YORK

DEAR HAPPY HOOKER: Most of the readers I've heard from verified the experience of "Waiting With Baited Hook." Perhaps you should be casting your lure in other waters.

DEAR ABBY: My wife and I have been married for more than 30 years. Ours has been a very happy marriage. However, every night before going to bed, she puts her hair up in curlers. Now she keeps asking me why I don't kiss her goodnight when we go to bed.

Abby, how would you like to make love to a porcupine? She says she wants to look good for me the

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SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Conditions pertaining to your personal interests will be shifting favorably today. You are in a cycle that has a lot of promise. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) A pleasant surprise could be in store for you today where something you felt that has long been overdue you is infused with ne w energy

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) You will be motivated by unscheduled developments today that can arouse new expectations. Do not keep a tight schedule; you'll want to be free to operate.

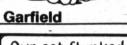
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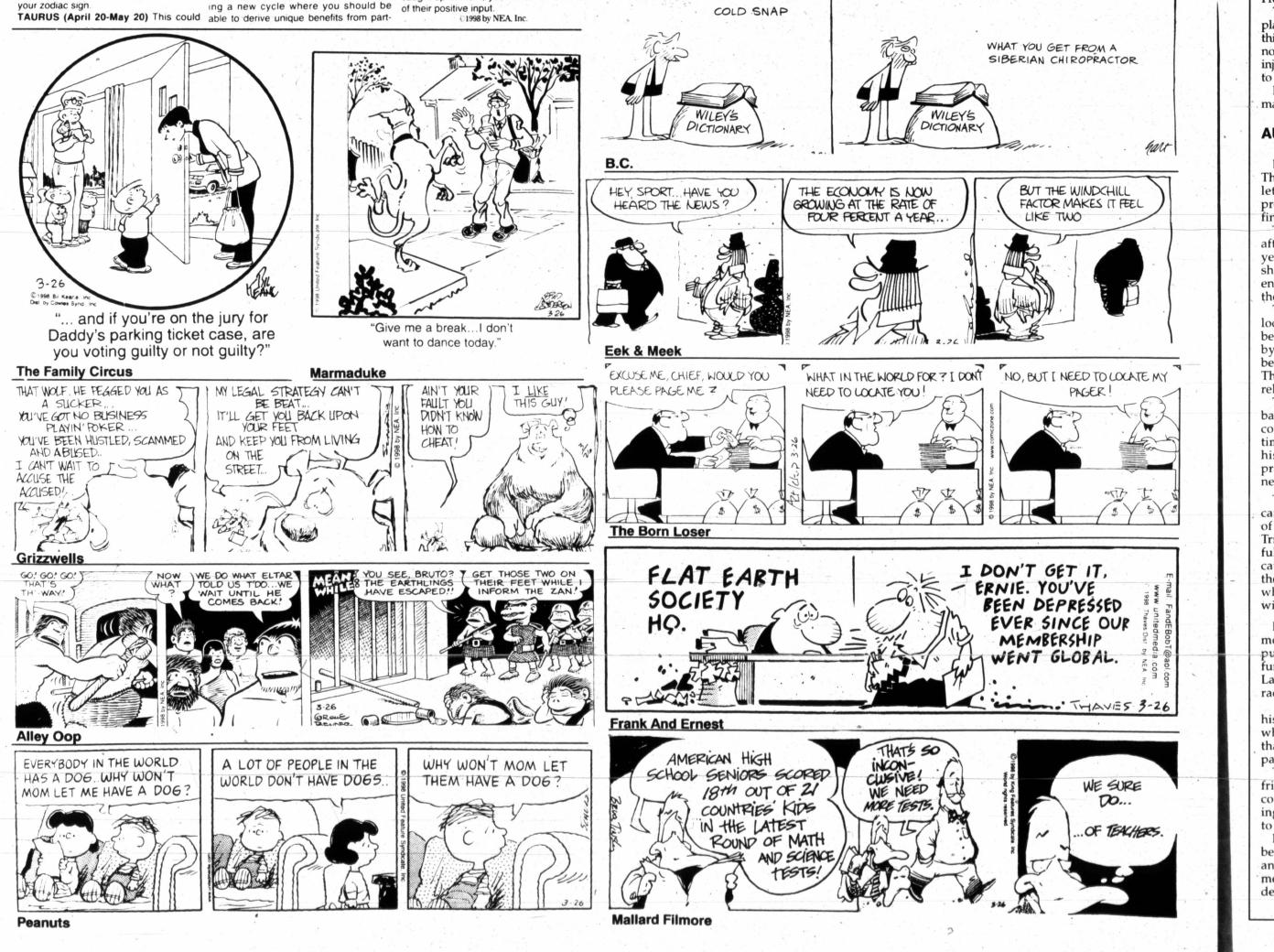
How would you suggest I solve this problem? FRANK B. IN CHICAGO **DEAR FRANK: Ask her to** please wear a shower cap when she retires, or use hot rollers in the morning.

beetle is a gazelle in the eyes of its mother." – Moorish proverb

nerships. You might be laying some groundwork today.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Commercial involvements should work out well for you today. Possibilities for profit look good, so ask the top fair price for anything you sell

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Some shifts



Sports

Head coaches are making Final Four debut

team, but there's no Rick Pitino

there to lead them," said Smith,

who took Tulsa (1994-95) and

Georgia (1996-97) to the NCAA

Smith has sought advice from

"I'm very close to Rick, and

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CANYON — West Texas A&M University slipped by Makato State University, 6-5, in college baseball action earlier this week.

Winning pitcher was Britt Cornwell, who improved his record to 3-1.

Josh Redd and Steve Luda each had two hits and two runs-batted-in for the Buffs.

GENERAL

PLANO, Texas (AP) — A fire at the new home of Dallas Cowboys quarterback Troy Aikman caused up to a quarter of a million dollars in damage, although firefighters took care to save his irreplaceable football memorabilia.

A three-alarm fire started in an attic over the garage around 7:30 a.m. Wednesday, said Monique Cardwell, a spokeswoman for the Plano fire department.

Aikman moved into the \$3.2 million home just a few weeks ago after it took more than two years to build. Aikman was not home at the time and there were no injuries.

"God, it was a mess of white smoke and fire just belching out of there," neighbor Bob Pert said.

GOLF

PONTE VEDRA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Greg Norman, who won The Players Championship in 1994 with a record 24-under-par effort, withdrew from the tournament today because of a shoulder injury. Norman has played only six

competitive rounds on the PGA Tour this year and must now be considered doubtful for the Masters in two weeks. He is not entered in the Freeport-McDermott Classic next week, the last stop before the Masters. He has until 5 p.m. Friday to enter the

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — other semifinal. The winners play Kentucky and North Carolina Monday night for the champiregularly reach the Final Four. onship. Stanford and Utah haven't been Tubby Smith, who took over as here for decades.

All four teams, however, have something in common: They have a head coach leading a team into the Final Four for the first time.

"For me, it's probably a oncein-a-lifetime opportunity," Utah coach Rick Majerus said. "I'm so thrilled for our players and our university, the city of Salt Lake and the state of Utah."

The Utes (29-3) defeated defending champion Arizona 76-51 to reach the Final Four for the first time since 1966. Utah faces North Carolina on Saturday in the Alamodome.

Kentucky meets Stanford in the a new coach.

Penders

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Wildcats coach this season after Rick Pitino left for the Boston Celtics, reached the Final Four when Kentucky overcame a 17point second-half deficit Sunday to beat Duke 86-84.

It's the third straight year Kentucky (33-4) has made the Final Four. Seven Wildcats were members of the team that lost to Arizona in the final last year. Five were on the 1996 championship team.

Despite following in Pitino's footsteps, Smith said he didn't feel pressure to reach the Final Four. If anything, he said, the pressure was off because he was

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"The expectations of fans and final 2:04. The victory sent that. It happens so fast, it's not people, I think, around the coun- Stanford to its first Final Four anything that you can plan in try were, 'They've got a good since 1942.

> Cardinal coach Mike Montgomery said other college coaches have given him advice this week on coping with distractions.

"They just mentioned that it's almost as if you don't have time to prepare your team like you normally do and that you have to be selfish, you have to say 'No," Montgomery said.

Though North Carolina coach cylinders in order to compete Bill Guthridge experienced the with what I consider a very out-Final Four as an assistant to longtime coach Dean Smith, entering standing and very deep Stanford the event as a head coach has tice and then I was scared our opened his eyes. Stanford (30-4) erased a 6-point

deficit in the final minute to beat Rhode Island 79-77 as Arthur Lee the woodwork wanting tickets he said. "But I think I have that scored 13 of his 26 points in the and needing this and needing all out of the way now."

advance for," Guthridge said.

North Carolina, propelled by All-American Antawn Jamison and guard Shammond Williams, beat Connecticut 75-64 to win the East Regional and reach the Final Four for the 14th time. It's the second consecutive Final Four appearance for North Carolina and the team's third trip in four vears.

Guthridge said he doubts nervousness will be a factor come game time Saturday.

"I was scared at our first pracfirst exhibition game, our first "Everybody's coming out of regular game, our first road trip,"

Pampa outduals visiting Spearman

PAMPA — Pampa High School played against Spearman in a tennis dual at PHS Tuesday afternoon and came away with some solid performances.

Freshman Bryce Jordan won his two singles matches, only losing one game total, to improve his singles mark on the year to 7-1.

Sophomores Jeremy Nicholas and Kerry Turner also added straight-set singles victories in the boys' division.

Freshman Celeste Stowers remained undefeated in girls' singles play on the year with a straight-set triumph. The sophomore duo of Jennifer Muns and Rebekah Warner won a close straight-set girls' doubles contest.

PHS will send squads to the Caprock Tournament Friday and Tournament on Saturday.

KEY BISCAYNE, Fla. (AP) ---

Tennis

Anna Kournikova extended her winning streak against top-10 players in the Lipton Championships, beating No. 2 Lindsay Davenport 6-4, 2-6, 6-2 in the quarterfinals.

Kournikova, 16, who eliminated No. 5 Monica Seles and No. 9 Conchita Martinez earlier in the tournament, advanced to a semifinal match against No. 8 Arantxa Sanchez Vicario, a 6-1, 6-1 winner over Jana Novotna:

In the men's quarterfinals, Marcelo Rios closed within two victories of the No. 1 ranking by beating Thomas Enqvist, who hurt his wrist and retired trailing 6-3, 2-0. If Rios wins the tournament, Saturday and to the Perryton he'll end Pete Sampras' 102-week reign at No. 1.

Tri-State opens high

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Despite averaging nearly 21 wins in 10 seasons and taking Texas to the NCAA tournament eight times, Tom Penders is on his way out as Longhorns coach, The Associated Press has learned.

Penders has been under fire since four top players threatened to transfer and an assistant last week released one of those player's grades to a local radio station.

Penders is considering a job outside of coaching or being reassigned at Texas, a university source said Wednesday night. The source spoke on condition of anonymity.

An Austin TV station, KEYE, also reported Wednesday that Penders would be fired or reassigned as early as Friday.

Penders, the winningest coach in Texas history with a 208-110 record, said that if he's out, he hasn't heard about it.

"I have not had one phone call from Mr. Dodds, who is my boss, Penders said, referring to Texas athletic director DeLoss Dodds. "I haven't heard anything about my job status changing."

Freeport event.

The Australian, who has played overseas three times this year, winning once, gave no further details about his injury other than to say it was to his left shoulder.

He was replaced in the 144man field by Scott Verplank.

AUTO RACING

LAS VEGAS (AP) -Thirteen months after a bullet ended Chris Trickle's promising racing career, it finally ended his life.

Trickle died Wednesday after spending more than a year in a coma after being shot in the head on a darkened freeway overpass near the Las Vegas Strip.

The 25-year-old died in a local hospital, where he had been taken earlier in the day by his parents, who had been caring for him at home, The cause of death was not released.

Trickle's death ended a battle against long odds to come out of a coma. All the time, his family stayed by his bedside, hoping and praying for the miracle that never ame.

Trickle, a promising stock car driver and the nephew of Winston Cup driver Dick Trickle, was never able to fully come out of the coma caused when he was shot in the head on Feb. 9, 1997, while driving to play tennis with a friend.

His death came less than a month after Trickle made a public appearance at a fundraiser held before the Las Vegas 400 Winston Cup race.

Though not conscious, his parents brought him in a wheelchair to the fundraiser that raised \$20,297 to help pay for his care.

Trickle's parents and girlfriend cared for him nearly constantly since the shooting, which police have yet to solve.

In October, he seemed to be coming out of the coma and was speaking to family members, but just as suddenly lapsed into silence.

Penders' attorney, Roy Minton of Austin, who has been in discussions with university officials, also was surprised.

"If a decision has been made, the president's office doesn't know about it because that's who I have been dealing with," Minton said. "Now, if the Board of Regents is sitting there waiting to make a decision, I guess that's another matter.

Penders has four years remaining on a five-year contract extension he received last year at roughly \$550,000 per year.

The source said Penders was considering an opportunity outside of coaching, but wouldn't elaborate.

"When you're charismatic and a respected coach like Tom is, you will always have attractive opportunities," the source said.

The source said that if Penders decided not to take that opportunity, he would likely be reassigned.



(Pampa News photo)

Pampa's Barbara Wine has the Amarillo area's best throw in the shot put at 42-4 so far this season. Wine is trying to return to the state meet where she placed third a year ago.

Burkett back in groove

- There is a good reason Texas Rangers right-hander John Burkett was so eager to get to spring training this year. He had a lot of atoning to do.

After being given a multiyear contract early in the season as a reward for his consistency and dependability, Burkett spent 26 days in the injured list with shoulder fatigue. He also had just nine victories, the second-lowest of his career, and he gave up the sixthmost hits (240) among AL pitch-

scare put into him," Rangers gen- two earned runs.

PORT CHARLOTTE, Fla. (AP) eral manager Doug Melvin said. "One of the things about signing him long term was that he had missed one game in seven years. Fortunately, he missed only a few starts and it brought to his attention that he needed to do some-

thing. "He's worked hard and it's paying off."

Is it ever. Bolstered by an off-season weight program, Burkett reported to spring training stronger and it's shown with a 4-0 record and 0.83 ERA. In 21 2/3 innings, he's allowed 15 hits with 13 "I think last year he had a little strikeouts and five walks and

school rodeo season

Rodeo Association held a rodeo last weekend at Sayre, Okla. Results are as follows:

(top 3 places) London, Freedom, 15.609 sec- seconds; 2. Bucky Williams, onds; 2. Shawna Mitchell, Swisher-Leland Gruver, 15.670; 3. Denise Sexton, Childress, 15.815.

Goat tying: 1. Jera Harris, Hereford, 7.760. Lubbock, 8.540 seconds; 2. Ashely Sultemeier, Lubbock, 8.750; 3. Julie Dawson, Canadian, 8.830.

Pole bending: 1. Randus London, Freedom, 20.370 seconds; 2. Leann Keathley, Wheeler, 20.726; 3. Lindsay Tidwell, Pampa, 21.014.

Breakaway roping: 1. Kasie Green, Wheeler, 3.460 seconds; 2. Randus London, Freedom, 3.590; 3. Jacey Richardson, Wheeler, 3.710.

Calf roping: 1. Monty Lewis, Hereford, 11.700 seconds; 2. Rodey Wilson, Hereford, 11.760; 3. Monty Eakin, McLean, 11.960. Ribbon roping: 1. Jeffery

The Tri-State High School Seaton, Lazbuddie, 7.390 seconds; 2. Jordan Satterfield, Hereford, 8.390; 3. Zeb Read, Canyon, 8.520.

Team roping: 1. Kip Kendrick-Barrel racing: 1. Randus Pecos Alford, Hereford, 7.360 Wood, Childress, 7.550; 3. Shandon Stalls, McLean-Rodey Wilson,

> Bull riding: 1. Chace Miller, Hereford, 78 points; 2. (tie) Mike Johnson, Wheeler, 77, and Casey York, Randall, 77; 4. (tie) Shawn Patrick, Boys Ranch, 74, and Scott Mayfield, Boys Ranch, 74. Steer wrestling: 1. Roper Slavin, Canadian, 10.100 seconds.

> Bareback: 1. Luke Pitts, Swisher, 65 points; 2. Brandon McNeill, Canadian, 57; 3. Wes Tow, River Road, 54.

Saddle bronc: 1. Neal Daniel, Childress, 65 points.

All-around cowgirl: Randus London, Freedom, 33 points. All-around cowboy: Rodey Wilson, Hereford, 17 points.

Anglers should carry checklist when looking for used boat

By BOB HOOD Fort Worth Star-Telegram

FORT WORTH, Texas the high costs of today's new a sad story. rigs, but be careful.

by buying a used boat, but you leaves that later were soaked by can wind up spending a lot of rain, trapping water inside the extra money on it if you aren't boat. careful," said Alan Dunn of AAA Fiberglass and Tackle in wood flooring was rotted, and Grand Prairie.

People looking for less-expen- lustrous shine. sive used boats should carry a Dunn checked the flooring by sound. When you hit a spot checklist of things to look for to stepping down hard at various where there is a weak spot, like make sure they don't buy a spots. The boat's flooring was rotted wood, it will have an lemon or one that has minor so rotten in one place that entirely different sound, sort of problems that could turn "into Dunn's foot went through it, a soft thud." major catastrophes.

while the boat is on its trailer, mined by the same procedure. ters might require professional and Dunn said shoppers should test drive the boat to make sure thing you want to check out shoppers should wear old the engine runs OK and that the when considering buying a clothes so they can crawl under boat handles properly. used boat," Dunn said. "You the boats.

mating what it would cost to pushing down hard with your pitting and distortion that can

boat, a large ski rig with an rest of the checklist: inboard engine, had been backed into the service area of transom, where the motor check is to hold a pocketknife or Buying a used boat can be a Dunn's shop one day last week mounts on the back. money-saving venture, given by a lady and her son who had

The boat had been left uncov-'You can save a lot of money ered under a tree, had collected

> At least one half of the boat's the boat's hull had lost its once-

but he said that even minor Many items can be checked floor damages can be deter- and holes in the hull. Large blis-"The floor definitely is one attention. Dunn says smart Dunn had just finished esti- can find weak spots by just 3. Check propellers for dings, repair a boat that probably will foot. If it is soft, it will give. If it cause them to vibrate. Make

be on the market soon." The is hard and firm, it's OK." The sure cotter pins are secure.

Dunn suggests using a small hammer to tap the outside walls and stepping onto the back of the motor and bounding your weight on the motor to check for give in the transom.

You can tell a lot by tapping around on the transom," Dunn said. "You can use a small hammer, a pocket knife or even a key. It should have a crisp

2. Check for blisters, cracks

4. Make sure the shaft isn't 1. Look for weaknesses in the bent. Dunn says one way to other small object at the center

of the shaft's end then spin the prop. If the shaft it bent, it will turn with a visible wobble. 5. Grip the prop and try mov- short:

ing the shaft. The shaft bearing may need to be replaced if it appears lose.

6. Inspect screen drain covers on the boat's floor to make sure they are free of debris.

7. Check steering wheel and cables to make sure there is no binding. Make sure there are no cracks or swelling on outer jackets of cables.

8. Inspect fuel lines, including fill and vent holes, for indications of softness, brittleness or cracking. Look for leaks in all other fuel-system components, including the tank and filters.

9. Check electrical connections, especially ends of battery cables, to make sure they are tight.

10. Inspect bilge hoses for Press

11. Check for fire extinguishers and other required safety devices.

leaks.

The boat's trailer also should be in good condition, but the checklist for it is relatively

1. Check the inside of each wheel for grease that might have collected. Grease on the inside of a wheel is an indication that a rear-wheel bearing is damaged and will need to be replaced.

2. Check the axle to make sure it isn't bent or hasn't shifted on the trailer. That can be done, Dunn said, by measuring the distance from the same point on each wheel or each end of the axle to the tip of the trailer tongue. The distances should be the same on each side.

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COLLEGE BASKETBALL National Invitation Tournam At A Glance By The Associated Press All Times EST First Round Wednesday, Wednesday, March 11 Georgia Tech 88, Seton Hall 78 Carolina State 59, Kansas State 39 Penn State 82, Rider 68 Auburn 77, Southern Miss 62 Dayton 95, Long Island University 92 Georgetown 71, Florida 69 Marquette 80, Creighton 68 Memphis 90, Ball State 67 Minnesota 77, Colorado State 65 Alabama-Birmingham 93, Missouri 86 Vanderbilt 73, St. Bonaventure 61 Gonzaga 69, Wyoming 55 Georgia 100, Iowa 93 Fresno State 73, Pacific 70 Hawaii 90, Arizona State 73 Thursday, March 12 Wake Forest 56, North Carolina-Wilmington Second Bound Monday, March 16 Georgia Tech 80, Georgetown 79, OT Penn State 77, Dayton 74 Minnesota 79, Alabama-Birmingham 66 Fresno State 83, Memphis 80 Marquette 75, Auburn 60, OT Hawaii 78, Gonzaga 70 Tuesday, March 17 Vanderbilt 72, Wake Forest 68 Georgia 61, North Carolina State 55 Third Round Wednesday, March 18 Penn State 75, Georgia Tech 70 Minnesota 73, Marquette 71 Thursday, March 19 Georgia 79, Vanderbilt 65 Fresno State 85, Hawaii 83 At Madison Square Garden New York Semifinals Tuesday, March 24 Minnesota 91, Fresno State 89, OT Penn State 66, Georgia 60 Thursday, March 26 Third Place Fresno State (21-12) vs. Georgia (19-15), 5 Championship Minnesota (19-15) vs. Penn State (19-12), 7:30 p.m. NCAA Basketball Tournament At A Glance By The Associated Press All Times EST EAST REGIONAL **First Round** Thursday, March 12 At The Hartford Civic Center Hartford, Conn. North Carolina 88, Navy 52 North Carolina Charlotte 77, Illinois-Chicago Princeton 69, UNLV 57 Michigan State 83, Eastern Michigan 71 At The MCI Center Washington Washington 69, Xavier 68 Richmond 62, South Carolina 61 Indiana 94, Oklahoma 87, OT Connecticut 93, Fairleigh Dickinson 85 Second Round Saturday, March 14 At The Hartford Civic Center North Carolina 93, North Carolina Charlotte 83, OT Hartford, Conn. Michigan State 63, Princeton 56 At The MCI Center Washington Washington 81, Richmond 66 Connecticut 78 Indiana 68 At Greensboro Coliseum Greensboro N.C. Regional Semifinals Thursday, March 19 North Carolina 73, Michigan State 58 Connecticut 75, Washington 74 Regional Championship Saturday, March 21 arolina 75, Connecticut 64 SOUTH REGIONAL First Round Friday, March 13

Regional Semifinals Friday, March 20 Duke 80, Syracuse 67 Kentucky 94, UCLA 68 Regional Championship Sunday, March 22 Kentucky 86, Duke 84 MIDWEST REGIONAL First Round Friday, March 13 At The Myriad Oklahoma City Valparaiso 70, Mississippi 69 Florida State 96, Texas Christian 87 Rhode Island 97, Murray State 74 Kansas 110, Prairie Vie At The United Center w 52 Chicago Western Michigan 75, Clemson 72 Stanford 67, College of Charleston 57 Purdue 95, Delaware 56 Detroit 66, St. John's 64 Second Round Sunday, March 15 At The Myriad Oklahoma City Valparaiso 83, Florida State 77 Rhode Island 80, Kansas 75 At The United Center Chicago Stanford 83, Western Michigan 65 Purdue 80, Detroit 65 At The Kiel Center St. Louis Regional Semifinals Friday, March 20 Stanford 67, Purdue 59 Rhode Island 74, Valparaiso 68 Regional Championship Sunday, March 22 Stanford 79, Rhode Island 77 WEST REGIONAL First Round Thursday, March 12 At Arco Arena Sacramento, Calif. Maryland 82, Utah State 68 Illinois 64, South Alabama 51 Illinois State 82, Tennessee 81, OT Arizona 99, Nicholls State 60 At BSU Pavilion Boise, Idaho West Virginia 82, Temple 52 Cincinnati 65, Northern Arizona 62 Utab 85 San Francisco 68 Arkansas 74, Nebraska 65 Second Round Saturday, March 14 At Arco Arena Sacramento, Calif. Maryland 67, Illinois 61 Arizona 82, Illinois State 49 At BSU Pavilion Boise, Idaho West Virginia 75, Cincinnati 74 Utah 75, Arkansas 69 At Arrowhead Pond Anaheim, Calif. **Regional Semifinals** Thursday, March 19 Utah 65, West Virginia 62 Arizona 87, Maryland 79 **Regional Championship** urday, March 21 Utah 76, Arizona 51 THE FINAL FOUR At The Alamodome San Antonio National Semifinals Saturday, March 28 Kentucky (33-4) vs. Stanford (30-4), 5:42 North Carolina (34-3) vs. Utah (29-3), 30 minutes after first game National Championship Monday, March 30 mifinal winners, 9:18 p.m. **NCAA Women's Tournament** At A Glance By The Associated Press All Times EST EAST REGIONAL Friday, March 13 At Norfolk, Va. Nebraska 76, New Mexico 59 Old Dominion 92, St. Francis, Pa. 39 At Raleigh, N.C. Youngstown St. 91, Memphis 80 North Carolina St. 89, Maine 64 At Tucson, Ariz. Virginia 77, Southern Methodist 68 Arizona 75, Santa Clara 63 At Storrs, Conn Connecticut 93, Fairfield 52 George Washington 74, Georgia 72 Second Round Sunday, March 15 At Norfolk, Va. Old Dominion 75, Nebraska 60 At Raleigh, N.C. North Carolina State 88, Youngstown State At Tucson, Ariz. Arizona 94, Virginia 77 At Storrs, Conn Connecticut 75, George Washington 67 **Regional Semifinals** At Dayton, Ohio Saturday, March 21 North Carolina State 55, Old Dominion 54

Scoreboard Semifinal winners, 8:30 p.m.

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WEST REGIONAL First Round Friday, March 13 At Iowa City, Iowa Kansas 72, Tulane 68 Iowa 77, Massachusetts 59 Saturday, March 14 At Stanford, Calif. Arkansas 76, Hawaii 70 Harvard 71, Stanford 67 At Gainesville, Fla. Virginia Tech 75, Wisconsin 64 Florida 85, Montana 64 At Durham, N.C. Louisville 69, Utah 61 Duke 92, Middle Tennessee State 67 Second Round Sunday, March 15 At Iowa City, Iowa Kansas 62, Iowa 58 Monday, March 16 At Stanford, Calif. Arkansas 82, Harvard 64 At Gair nesville, Fla Florida 89, Virginia Tech 57 At Durham, N.C. Duke 69 Louisville 53 Regional Semifinals At Oakland, Calif. Saturday, March 21 Duke 71, Florida 58 rkansas 79, Kansas 63 **Regional Championship** onday, March 23 Arkansas 77, Duke 72

TRANSACTIONS Wednesday's Sports Transactions By The Associated Press BASEBALL American League **CLEVELAND INDIANS-Placed 2B Carlos** Garcia on waivers for the purpose of giving him his unconditional release. DETROIT TIGERS—Purchased the contract of RHP Doug Bochtler from the Oakland Athletics. Assigned RHP Denny Harriger and RHP Eddie Gaillard to their minor-league camp. Placed C Marcus Jensen on waivers for the purpose of giving him his unconditional release. NEW YORK YANKEES—Optioned RHP Orlando Hernandez and RHP Mike Jerzembeck to Columbus of the International League. SEATTLE MARINERS—Placed INF Pat Listach on waivers for the purpose of giving him his unconditional release. Optioned INF Dan Rohrmeier to Tacoma of the PCL. Waived INF Aaron Holbert. TAMPA BAY DEVIL RAYS—Released OF Dwight Smith. Placed INF Herbert Perry on the 15-day disabled list. Assigned RHP Rick White, RHP Mark Eichhorn, C Tim Laker and INF Scott McClain to their minor-league camp. Assigned OF Luis Polonia to Mexico City of the Mexican League. TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Signed SS Juan Bell and OF Patrick Lennon to minor-league contracts with Syracuse of the International League. National League ATLANTA BRAVES—Waived RHP Brad Clontz. CINCINNATI REDS-Placed OF Melvin Nieves on the 15-day disabled list. Assigned C Guillermo Garcia to their minor-league camp. FLORIDA MARLINS—Sold the contract of INF-OF Eric Owens to the Milwaukee Brewers. Optioned OF Todd Dunwoody to Charlotte of the International League Reassigned INF Kevin Millar and Chris Clapinski to their minor-league camp. LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Sent OF Billy Ashley to Albuquerque of the PCL. Agreed to terms with OF Thomas Howard on a oneyear contract. MILWAUKEE BREWERS—Sent INF Eddy Diaz, INF Pablo Martinez, INF Eddie Zosky INF Antone Williamson and RHP Brad Woodall to their minor-league camp. NEW YORK METS—Assigned RHP Rick Trlicek and OF Rick Parker to their minorleague camp. Placed RHP Armando Reynoso and RHP Paul Wilson on the 15day disabled list. ST. LOUIS CARDINALS—Placed C Danny eaffer on waivers for the purpose of giving him his unconditional release. SAN DIEGO PADRES—Placed LHP Ed Vosberg on the 15-day disabled list. Optioned 3B George Arias and RHP Donne Wall to Las Vegas of the PCL. Assigned RHP Archie Corbin to their minor-league camp. National Basketball Association NBA-Fined Washington Wizards G Rod Strickland \$5,000 for verbally abusing offi-cials and failing to leave the court in a timely manner following his ejection from a March 24 game. BOSTON CELTICS—Signed F Reggie Hanson to a 10-day contract. Placed G Bruce Bowen on the injured list. DENVER NUGGETS—Named Dan Issel general manager. GOLDEN STATE WARRIORS—Signed G Gerald Madkins for the remainder of the sea son. PORTLAND TRAIL BLAZERS—Signed G Gary Grant for the remainder of the season. FOOTBALL National Football League CAROLINA PANTHERS—Declined to match Andre Royal. DETROIT LIONS—Acquired LB Rob Frederickson from the Oakland Raiders for a 1998 fourth-round draft pick. NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS—Declined to match the New York Jets' offer sheet for RB SEATTLE SEAHAWKS-Named Vernon director of publications HOCKEY National Hockey League BUFFALO SABRES—Loaned D Jason Holland to Bochester of the AHL CAROLINA HURRICANES—Recalled LW Bates Battaglia, D Nolan Pratt and G Mike Fountain from New Haven of the AHL and G Tripp Tracy from Richmond of the ECHL. FLORIDA PANTHERS—Recalled C Steve Team Washburn and LW Peter Worrell from New Haven of the AHL. Returned G Todd MacDonald to New Haven NEW YORK ISLANDERS-Recalled LW Sean Haggerty from Kentucky of the AHL. TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING—Assigned G Martin Bradette to Chesapeake of the ECHL.

By The Associated Press EASTERN CONFERENCE Atlantic Div Pct GB W L PGt 49 21 .700 39 31 .557 36 34 .514 36 34 .514 35 35 .500 30 39 .435 25 44 .362 x-Miami 10 13 13 14 New York New Jersey Washington Orlando Boston 18 1/2 Philadelphia 23 1/2 53 17 .757 48 21 .696 44 24 .647 **Central Divis** x-Chicago x-Indiana 4 1/2 44 24 .647 41 27 .603 Charlotte 8 Atlanta Cleveland 37 31 .544 15 19 22 37 34 36 .486 30 38 .441 15 53 .221 Detroit Milwaukee Toronto WESTERN CONFERENCE lidwest Division L Pet GB x-Utah 51 5 x-San Antonio 47 23 .671 x-Houston 37 32 .536 14 1/2 36 34 .514 18 52 .257 Minnesota 16 34 35 Dallas 16 52 .235 Vancouver 8 63 .113 1/2 Pacific Division x-L.A. Lakers 52 17 .754 50 19 .725 2 45 25 .643 37 31 .544 x-Phoenix Portland 7 1/2 14 1/2 26 45 .366 15 54 .217 14 55 .203 Sacramento 27 37 L.A. Clippers Golden State 38 x-clinched playoff berth. Tuesday's Games Charlotte 106, Toronto 89 Atlanta 85, Orlando 73 San Antonio 86, Cleveland 85 Utah 92, Phoenix 73 Milwaukee 118, Houston 108 Washington 99, Portland 87 New York 88, Golden State 75 Wednesday's Games Miami 105, Boston 91 Miami 105, Boston 91 Houston 86, Indiana 81 New Jersey 91, Philadelphia 86 Detroit 103, San Antonio 94 Chicago 85, Orlando 70 Dallas 105, Denver 94 Minnesota 99, Phoenix 97 Seattle 133, Washington 109 New York 77, L.A. Clippers 76 L.A. Lakers 114, Sacramento 91 Thursday's Games Cleveland at Toronto, 7 p.m. Milwaukee at Charlotte, 7:30 p.m. Vancouver at Portland, 10 p.m. Seattle at Golden State, 10:30 p.m. Friday's Games Charlotte at Indiana, 7 p.m. Boston at New Jersey, 7:30 p.m. San Antonio at Philadelphia, 7:30 p.m. Milwaukee at Miami, 7:30 p.m. Chicago at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m. Detroit at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m. Houston at Orlando, 8 p.m. Utah at Dallas, 8:30 p.m. Golden State at Denver, 9 p.m. Washington at Phoenix, 9 p.m. New York at Vancouver, 10 p.m.

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Mavericks-Nuggets Box DALLAS (105)

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San Jose Anaheim Calgary Vancouver x-clinched playoff berth

Philadelphia at Boston, 7:30 p.m. N.Y. Rangers at Carolina, 7:30 p.m.

Montreal at Florida, 7:30 p.m.

Tampa Bay at St. Louis, 8:30 p.m.

Anaheim at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.

Pittsburgh at N.Y. Islanders, 7:30 p.m.

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THE FINAL FOUR At Kemper Arena Kansas City, Mo. National S Friday, March 27 Louisiana Tech (30-3) vs. North Carolina State (25-6), 7 p.m. Arkansas (22-10) vs. Tennessee (37-0), 30 minutes after first game National Champ Sunday, March 29

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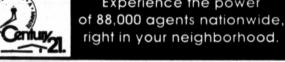
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the elegant marble statue of a woman greeted truckers haul-

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said James Cicalese, manager of 💈 the Con-Agg plant where the battered statue sits. "I just wish she had a face."

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