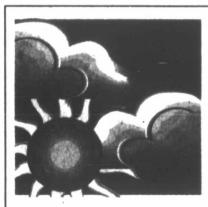
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PAMPA — Jerry Foote, president of National Bank of Commerce, announced the completion of the merger between First Bank & Trust of Shamrock and National Bank of Commerce. The two banks were merged as of March 31.

The combined banks, with \$85 million in assets, will serve Pampa and Shamrock and the surrounding area.

Foote indicated that Shamrock should benefit from the increased lending ability and an aggressive approach to serve the borrowing needs of both communities.

National Bank Commerce will not make any personnel changes — all employees will be retained.

Chairman of the board, Archie Overby, congratulated both Jerry Foote and Sonny Hilburn of the Shamrock Bank for their hard work.

**LEFORS** — The Lefors P.T.O. meeting is Monday, April 6 at 7 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Please plan to attend.

PAMPA — Pampa Middle School eighth grade party decorating workshop will be Tuesday, April 7 at 7 p.m. at the Optimist Club Gym. All P.M.S. eighth grade parents welcomed.

- Ruben Price, 76, farmer. • Dale E. Burch, 75, former
- McLean and White Deer resi-
- Chaz DeWayne Niblett, 14, former Pampa resident.
- Earl Kinnear Scott, 50, PHS
- graduate. • Lula Taylor, 90, Central
- Baptist Church member. • Opha Stringer Williamson,
- 87, former Pampa resident.

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Sat. 8:30-1:00 "Don't Forget ... We Deliver Free"

## **Juvenile Board** considers new local juvenile drug rehab center

By JEFF WEST Staff Writer

The possibility of starting a juvenile drug rehab center in Pampa was discussed at a meeting of the Juvenile Probation Board yesterday.

Gray County Judge Richard Peet told the board that a building just south of the National Bank of Commerce, that has been used to house nurses since the 1960s, belongs to the county and not the hospital as some had assumed.

That building could be converted to use as a lock down type juvenile drug rehab center. according to Albert Nichols, chief juvenile probation officer. The building would require extensive remodeling for security and safety, but Nichols believes that the facility could be

self-sustaining by taking in young offenders from other counties because of the rates that the state pays for drug treat-

The state pays \$83 a day for a level one treatment and \$118 a day for level two treatment. He envisions having only court ordered drug offenders at the center. He said the facility would need a fence built around it, a sprinkler system installed for fire prevention, and all the glass replaced with plexi-glass.

The building, which Peet said many Pampa residents didn't know existed because it is partially hid by trees, was built on land donated to the county in the 1950s, when the county owned the hospital which was

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Celanese recently donated computers and computer equipment to the Freedom Museum. John Tripplehorn (left), Barry Fox, Mike Porter and Martin Ford.

# Man to go on trial for teen death in traffic accident last summer

uled to go to trial in August in Aug.

Ronald Dean Sanders, 46, will stand trial in August on charges of intoxication-manslaughter in connection with the death of «Kami Minick, 17.

During a pre-trial hearing Wednesday afternoon in 223rd District Court, the district attorney's office stipulated to various requests of the defendant with regard to the discovery phase of

Minick died from injuries suf-

Special honor ...

A 46-year-old man is sched- fered in an automobile wreck 9 p.m. when he was in collision fered multiple injuries, including

connection with the traffic death of a Canadian teenager last sumnear stand trial in August on charges on U.S. 60 by the of intoxication-manslaughter in Karen connection with the death of Minick, the Kami Minick, 17.

> 2391, known as the Hoover Highway.

> Department of Public Safety records indicate Sanders was southbound on FM 2391 in a 1994 Ford pickup shortly before

mother of the girl killed in the crash. intersection of U.S. 60 and FM records indicate Sanders ran a stop sign and pulled in front of the

> time of the collision. Kami Minick died of head injuries. Her mother, Karen, suf-

Minick vehicle. Authorities claim

Sanders was intoxicated at the

with a 1997 severe leg injuries. Karen Minick ment. Emergency workers said it took an hour to cut Karen Minick out of the mangled vehicle.

Sanders was released from Columbia Medical Center following treatment of injuries he suffered in the crash. James Devoll, 21, a passenger in the pickup suffered minor scrapes and bruises, officers said, but refused treat-

The mother and daughter were returning home from a shopping trip in Amarillo.

# Twin girls, once separated by judge, awarded to mother

PLYMOUTH, Mass. (AP) — Tara and Sheena Raymond, the 13-year-old twins who were split between their parents for two years and then taken away altogether, have finally returned

homè. This week, Plymouth County Probate Judge James V. Menno awarded sole custody of the twins to their mother, Jeanne M. Vento of Plymouth.

The girls, who moved in on Thursday, will be permitted only limited, supervised visits with their father, Dana Raymond of Wareham.

"There aren't words to describe how wonderful it is to have your children home," Vento said Thursday.

The court decision resolves a bitter custody dispute that made national headlines when a judge ordered the twins split between their parents on Valentine's Day

Tara and Sheena lived apart for

more than two years until March 1997, when another judge ruled neither parent was fit to care for

In a widely televised scene, the kicking and screaming girls were taken away from the courthouse by social workers. They were then placed in a school for troubled girls.

Since then, Raymond and Vento, who divorced in 1993, have been in and out of court seeking access to the girls.

Vento has admitted a past addiction to alcohol and prescription drugs and Raymond has a history of domestic abuse, according to court testimony.

In the order, Menno credited Vento's cooperation with social service officials in creating a stable home for the girls.

Vento, who has since remarried and has a 4-year-old daughter, said she plans to enroll the twins in the seventh grade at a local school on Monday.

### mere access to telecom devices for disabled

WASHINGTON (AP) Disabled people would have greater access to telephones, pagers and other telecommunications devices suited to their needs under a proposal federal regulators approved Thursday. .

Some 54 million Americans who are disabled could potentially benefit from the Federal Communications Commission's proposal which may be refined before the commission votes on a final plan, probably later this year.

The FCC's proposal would make it easier for disabled people to file complaints to the agency when they have trouble getting telecommunications equipment they can use.

A 1996 law required the FCC to help give disabled people better access to telecommunications services and devices that suit their needs. As the law and the FCC

define telecommunications services and devices, they do not include voice mail, e-mail, Internet services and computers, FCC officials said. So the proposal would not make it easier for disabled people to get access to them. The proposed rules would

create a clear procedure for the FCC to handle complaints. Under the plan, the FCC would contact a company upon receiving a complaint. The company would have five days to respond. If the service or device being requested is readily available, the company must provide it. If not, the company must find a substitute so the disabled person's problem is addressed. "There is no one answer to

what solves the problem," said Dan Phythyon, chief of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau.

## Junior Rodeo Cowboys Association schedule

The Junior Rodeo Cowboys Association, a newly formed youth rodeo organization has scheduled its 1998 slate of events. The association was formed with the intent of promoting the sport of rodeo among youth participants in central and

western Oklahoma and the eastern Texas Panhandle.

Fred Courtney (left) receiving a promotion to corporal

from Pampa Police Chief Charlie Morris. Courtney has

been with the Pampa PD for nearly 5 years and is cur-

rently serving as School Resource Officer. He will

assume his new duties after training his replacement.

The scheduled rodeos for the 1998 inaugural season are as fol-

May 16 - Clinton, OK; May 23 -Leedey, OK; June 20 - Altus, OK; June 27 - Weatherford, OK; July 4

- Cordell, OK; July 11 - Sayre, OK; July 25 - Hinton, OK; August 1 - Shamrock, TX; August 15 -Wheeler, TX; August 22 -Cheyenne, OK; and the JRCA Finals will be September 12 and

13 in Elk City, OK. Age groups for the new associ-

ation are as follows: 3 and under boys and girls; 5 and under boys and girls; 6-8 boys and girls; 9-11 boys and girls; 12-14 boys and girls; and 15-19 boys and girls.

Year-end prizes include 10 trophy saddles, 134 trophy buckles and many more prizes.

For a full listing of individual rodeo events and membership information call: Andy Taylor, (580) 928-3464 or Joe Merrick, (580) 928-3118, or write JRCA at P.O. Box 1144, Elk City, OK

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# Daily Record

#### Services tomorrow

BURCH, Dale E. — Memorial services, 2 p.m., Blackburn-Shaw Memorial Chapel, Amarillo. McMULLAN, Norma Lee — Memorial services, 10:30 a.m., Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors Colonial Chapel, Pampa.

NIBLETT, Chaz Dewayne — 2 p.m., St. Mark C.M.E. Church, Pampa. PRICE, Ruben — 2 p.m., Ellis Funeral Home

Chapel, Muleshoe.

**SCOTT**, Earl Kinnear — Graveside services, 10 a.m., Fairview Cemetery, Pampa.

TAYLOR, Lula — 4 p.m., Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors Colonial Chapel, Pampa. WALKER, Cynthia Davis — 2 p.m., Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors Colonial

Chapel, Pampa. WILLIAMSON, Opha Stringer — 11 a.m., Carroll-Lehr Funeral Home Chapel, Athens.

**Obituaries** 

**RUBEN PRICE** 

MULESHOE - Ruben Price, 76, brother of a McLean resident, died Thursday, April 2, 1998. Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Kev. Stacy Conner officiating. Burial will be in Muleshoe Cemetery.

Mr. Price was born at Roswell, N.M. He married Gladys Head in 1939 at Roswell. He later married Glenda Frazier in 1980 at Perryton. He had been a Muleshoe resident since 1984, moving from Roswell. He was a farmer in Roswell and delivered milk for Clardys Milk Company for 30

Survivors include his wife, Glenda; two daughters, Barbara Jean Moore of Roswell and Carol Darlene Hill of Las Vegas, Nev.; two sons, Robert Price of Grangerville, Idaho, and Kenneth Price of Clovis, N.M.; three sisters, Ester Mae Jasper of McLean, June Bolin of Roswell and Grace Jasper of Ontario, Calif.; 14 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

DALE E. BURCH

AMARILLO - Dale E. Burch, 75, a former McLean and White Deer resident, died Thursday, April 2, 1998. Memorial services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Blackburn-Shaw Memorial Chapel with Pastor Dan Powers, of Northside Assembly of God Church, officiating. Cremation is under the direction of Memory Gardens Crematory

Mr. Burch was born May 11, 1922, on a farm two miles south of McLean, to Tom and Vivie Burch. He attended Skillet and McLean schools. He married Jean C. Boothe in May of 1971. He had been an Amarillo resident since 1981, moving from White Deer. He worked for Cabot Corporation for 33 years, retiring in 1980.

He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving in the Americal Division of the 132nd Infantry in the South Pacific and in the occupation of Japan during World War II. He was a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars #961757 in Pampa.

Survivors include his wife, Jean, of the home; four daughters, Jan Kuhr of Bremerton, Wash., Bonnie Boothe of McLean, Barbara Pettlinger of Tacoma, Wash., and Kimbery Jones of Fritch; two sons, David Boothe of Claude and Brian Boothe of Stratford; 10 grandchildren; and two greatgrandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to favorite charity.

**CHAZ DEWAYNE NIBLETT** 

AMARILLO - Chaz Dewayne Niblett, 14, a former Pampa resident, died Wednesday, April 1, 1998. Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in St. Mark C.M.E. Church in Pampa with the Rev. Amy Lakey and the Rev. Leslie Lakey officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery at Pampa under the direction of Warford-Walker Mortuary of Amarillo.

Mr. Niblett was born Jan. 3, 1984, at Pampa to Loretta Niblett and Kevin Grimes. He was a member of St. Mark C.M.E. Church and had attended Lamar Elementary School. He had been an Amarillo resident for several years and attended Sam Houston Middle School

Survivors include his parents, Loretta Grimes of Amarillo and Kevin Grimes of Pampa; two sisters, Kisha Grimes of Amarillo, Kamisha Grimes of Macon, Ga.; his grandparents, Selma Hutchens of Amarillo, Frances Dorsey of Pampa, Joe L. Niblett of Monahans and Bobby Joe Dorsey of Pampa; and his greatgrandparents, Bill Hutchens and Charlie Niblett, both of Pampa. The family will be at 406 N. Virginia.

ÉARL KINNEAR SCÖTT

SAN ANTONIO – Earl Kinnear Scott, 50, a former Pampa resident, died Thursday, April 2, 1998. Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Monday at Fairview Cemetery at Pampa with the Rev. Todd Dyess, pastor of First United Methodist Church of Pampa, officiating. Local arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors

Mr. Scott was born April 29, 1947, at Pampa. He graduated from Pampa High School and from West Texas State University. He was a member of Lamna Kia Alpha Fraternity. He had been a San Antonio resident since 1978 where he owned Gray Electric Company. He was an Eagle Scout and was secretary of Oxbo Neighborhood Association.

Survivors include his father, Royal Scott of

Pampa. **LULA TAYLOR** 

Lula Taylor, 90, of Pampa, died Friday, April 2, 1998. Services will be at 4 p.m. Saturday in Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Rick Parnell, associate pastor of Central Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mrs. Taylor was born May 17, 1907, at Valliant, Okla. She married Albert Taylor; he preceded her in death in 1964. She had been a Pampa resident since 1930. She had been a member of Central Baptist Church for 64 years.

Survivors include three daughters, Doris Johnston of Pampa, Wanda Barbee of Borger and Vickie Willis of Greensboro, N.C.; a son, Travis Ray Taylor of Pampa; two sisters, Mildred Darnell of Grove, Okla., and Ressie Holder of Milton, Fla.; two brothers, Herman Renfro of Grants Pass, Ore., and Robert Renfro of Dallas, six grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren. OPHA STRINGER WILLIAMSON

ATHENS - Opha Stringer Williamson, 87, a for mer Pampa resident, died Wednesday, April 1 1998, at East Texas Medical Center. Services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday in Carroll-Lehr Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. H. Robert Tucker officiating. Burial will be in Athens City Cemetery under the direction of Carroll-Lehr Funeral Home.

Mrs. Williamson was born April 10, 1910, in Van Zandt County, Texas, to George and Hattie Stringer. She had been an Athens resident for the past 36 years. She taught for Athens and Borger school districts and was a licensed nutritionist at Highland General Hospital in Pampa.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Marion F. Williamson, in 1977; and by an infant daughter, Gwendolyn Williamson, in 1940.

Survivors include five daughters, Jo An Earl of Houston, Janis Bryant of Fort Worth, Marilyn Roders of Edom, Sarah Howard of Athens and Cheryl Williamson of Houston; two sons, James Williamson of Brownsboro and Jack Williamson of Austin; three sisters, Ava Nell Neil of Athens and Faris Emerson and Christine Norris, both of Tyler; ten grandchildren; and ten great-grandchildren. The family will recieve friends today from 5 p.m. at the funeral home.

#### Sheriff's Office

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

Thursday, April 2 Jana Teeter Wendt, 32, Lefors, was arrested on charges of attempted burglary of a vehicle. Brent Dyer, 35, 2629 Evergreen, was arrested on charges of possession of marijuana under 2

Frederico Jose Hernandez, 24, 417 E. 17th, was arrested on charges of criminal trespass and vio-

lation of probation. Renee Marie Hill, 21, 313 Roberta, was arrested on charges of assault.

#### Police Report

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

Thursday, April 2 LaJeanna Lynn Downs, 18, 1608 N. Sumner, was arrested on charges of expired drivers license and no drivers license on person.

A theft of a Nike Back Pack, calculators and school books valued at \$200 was reported in the 100 block of Randy Mätson. A theft of a bicycle valued at \$200 was reported

in the 1600 block of N. Russell.

A report of domestic violence was reported in the 1100 block of Neel Road.

### **Fires**

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

Thursday, April 2

7:11 a.m. —Three units and six personnel responded to a motor vehicle accident at the 1101 2:35 p.m. —Two units and four personnel went

to Skellytown for mutual aid. 2:58 p.m. —One unit and two personnel went

to Fritch for mutual aid.

Friday, April 3 1:52 a.m. —One unit and three personnel went

to Columbia Medical Center on a medi-vac

#### **Accidents**

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

Thursday, April 2 Jason Todd Vance, 17, 1815 Lynn, was cited for failure to yield right of way when his 1992 Dodge Dakota pickup went through a yield sign at Lynn and W. 19th and struck the 1991 Ford pickup dri-

ven by Jennifer Lynn Bliss, 17, 516 N. Zimmers.

#### Stocks

No injuries were reported.

The following grain quotations are	Cabot O&G22 15/16	up 3/16
provided by Attebury Grain of		dn 7/16
Pampa.	Coca-Cola80 13/16	dn 5/16
	Columbia/HCA32 1/8	dn 1/16
Wheat 2.91	Enron47 1/16	up 1/4
Milo	Halliburton52 7/16	up 9/16
Corn	IRI11 11/16	up 1/8
Soybeans 5.77	KNE60	, 1 4
	Kerr McGee70 1/16	<b>up</b> 1/0
The following show the prices for	Limited30	up 3/16
which these securities could have	Mapco	NA
traded at the time of compilation:	McDonald's62 7/8	NC
	Mobil79 3/8	dn 1 1/2
Occidental29 NC	New Atmos 30 1/4	NC
The following show the prices for	NCE50 1/4	up 1/16
which these mutual funds were bid at	Penney's77 3/8	dn 3/8
the time of compilation:	Phillips51 1/8	dn 1/8
Magellan	Pioneer Nat. Res. 25 7/16	up 3/16
Puritan	SLB77 5/8	up 3/8
runtan	Tenneco42 3/4	dn 1/4
The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock	Texaco62 3/16	up 5/16
Market quotations are furnished by	Ultramar35 5/16	up 1/16
Edward Jones & Co. of Pampa.	Wal-Mart51 7/16	up 5/8
Amoco86 up 1/8	New York Gold	306.40
Arco78 up 1/8	Silver	6.55
Cabot38 9/16 up 1/16	West Texas Crude	15.68

## Buckle up. It's the law.

where NBC bank currently stands. The county used it as housing for nurses.

When the county sold the hospital and disbanded the hospital district, the private companies that owned the facility continued to use the apartments for nurses, but Peet said the title to that property and building was never included in any sale.

Peet said the hospital currently only has three to four nurses in the facility and only for short periods of time. The question of ownership had gotten so murky that no one had kept insurance on the building for some time.

The building has 18 bedrooms in two wings and a large open air patio in the middle of complex; it also has a centralized kitchen, dining room, and a laundry room. Nichols thinks that by converting the patio to office space and converting some of the bedrooms for two people, he can house up to 30 juveniles at a time.

He said Gray County juveniles that are court mandated to go to a lock down facility. drug rehabilitation are often sent to Corpus Christi or other areas down state. Peet said the nearest facility is in Plainview and they often have a three month waiting period. He later said that he was referring to lock down facilities. center, Genesis House, which its administrator, Sharon Braddock, and Randall Counties.

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10:00 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to

Columbia Medical Center and transported one to

**Ambulance** 

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Baptist St. Anthony's in Amarillo.

10:41 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to Columbia Medical Center and transported one to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

6:47 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to a local nursing facility and transported one to Columbia Medical Center.

9:28 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to Columbia Medical Center and transported one to a local nursing facility.

Friday, April 3 3:57 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 200 block of N. Russell. No one was transported.

#### Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

Mostly sunny today with a high in the mid-60s, and a northeast wind 10 to 20 mph. Tonight, partly cloudy with a low in the mid-40s. Tomorrow, partly cloudy again with a high in the mid-60s.

**REGIONAL FORECAST WEST TEXAS** — Panhandle

Tonight, partly cloudy with a low near 35. East to southeast wind 5-15 mph. Saturday, partly cloudy with a high in the upper 60s. South wind 15-20 mph and gusty. Low Rolling Plains Tonight, fair. Lows 35-40. Saturday, mostly sunny. Highs 70-75. Saturday night, fair. Lows in the 40s. Permian Basin/Upper Trans Pecos — Tonight, clear. Lows 40-50. Saturday, mostly sunny. Highs 75-82. Saturday night, fair. Lows in the 40s. Concho Valley/Edwards Plateau — Tonight, fair. Lows 38-47. Saturday, mostly sunny. Highs 75-82. Saturday night, fair. Lows

45-50. Far West Texas -

Tonight, fair. Lows 40-45.

Saturday, mostly sunny. Highs

mid 70s. Saturday night, fair. Lows in the 40s. Guadalupe Mountains/Big Bend Area — Tonight, fair. Lows 30s and 40s. Saturday, mostly sunny. Highs 70s and 80s. Saturday night, fair. Lows 40-55.

**NORTH TEXAS** — Wind advisory in effect through midday northwestern third. Tonight, mostly clear. Lows 43 to 47. Saturday, sunny. Highs 68 to 74. Extended forecast, Saturday night, partly cloudy. Lows mid 40s east to lower 50s **SOUTH TEXAS** — Hill

Country and South Central Texas — Tonight, clear. Lows in the 40s to near 40 Hill Country. Saturday, mostly sunny. Highs in the 70s to near 80. Saturday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the 50s to near 50 Hill Country. Southeast Texas and Upper Texas Coast — Tonight, clear. Lows in the 40s to near 50 inland to near 60 coast. Saturday, sunny. Highs in the 70s. Saturday night, mostly clear. Lows the 50s inland, near 60 coast. Coastal Bend and the Rio Grande Plains — Tonight, clear. Lows near 60 coast to the

50s to near 50 inland. Saturday, sunny. Highs in the 70s east to 80s west. Saturday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the 60s. Deep South Texas — Tonight, mostly clear. Lows in the 60s coast to the 50s inland. Saturday, partly cloudy. Highs in the 70s coast to 80 west. Saturday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the 60s. **BORDER STATES** 

**NEW MEXICO** — Tonight and Saturday, mostly cloudy northwest with widely scattered showers or snow showers, fair to partly cloudy central and southeast. Lows tonight mid teens and 20s mountains with 30s lower elevations. Breezy Saturday afternoon across the north and west, highs 50s to mid 60s mountains and north with mid 60s and 70s lower elevations central and south. Saturday night, partly cloudy north and fair south. Lows 20s to mid 30s mountains. mid 30s to mid 40s elsewhere.

OKLAHOMA — Tonight, clear to partly cloudy. Lows mid 30s to lower 40s. Saturday, mostly sunny. Highs from the lower 60s to lower 70s. Saturday night, mostly clear. Lows in the

## City briefs

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

**EMERGENCY JAIL Release.** 24 hrs. Jack Ward, 669-9911. Adv. "ALL YOU Can Eat" - K of C

Fish Fry - Friday, April 3 - 5:30 to 8 pm at Ward and Buckler Sts. Hall. Includes cat fish, hush puppies, red beans, cole slaw, dessert and bev. Adults \$7, children (6-11) \$3. Adv.

LADIES NIGHT - Friday night, Julian's Bar, 323 W. Foster 8-12 p.m. Adv.

Skellytown because of retirement. Can take over the 4th of May. Call 848-2935 or 2981. Adv. **OPEN 8** Ball Tourn. Thurs. 8 p.m. at Holly's. Adv.

2 BEDRÓOM. 457 Hughes. Good condition, also commercial zoned. \$15,000. 669-2157. Adv. **ROLANDA'S SILK Flowers** 

& Gifts has moved to 301 W. Foster. Adv. **EXPERIENCED** ALTER-

ATIONS, call Bobbie 669-1600. PEACE TY Bear to be given away June 1st. at My Favorite

7799. Adv.

Things, 2143 N. Hobart, 665-

THE OTHER Corner Bar, 2302 Alcock, 665-0165. Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-12 a.m., Sat. 9 a.m.-1 a.m., Sun. 12 p.m.-12 a.m. Daily specials. Pool Tournament Tues. 8 p.m. Border Line Band April 17-18. Ya'll come. Adv.

TAX SERVICE: Glenda Brownlee, 625 Whittenburg, Stroke 20K x-cab 669-2804. Adv. Borger, 806-274-2142. Adv. MY FAVORITE Things, 2143

N. Hobart is now open. Mon.-BEAUTY SHOP For Sale in Sat., 10 a.m.-6 p.m., 665-7799. BEAUTY 2000 has hair products. 329 N. Hobart. Adv.

GIANT GARAGE Central Baptist Youth. Corner of Somerville & Kingsmill. Fri. 8 a.m.-6 p.m. & Sat. 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Hours: 11 a.m.-9 p.m. Adv.

Egg Hunt April 4th-11th. Come in & check out our clearance onions. 716 W. Foster. Adv. sale. Find an egg win a prize.

JUST IN Time for Easter - 50+ Nice, 1541 N. Hobart. Adv.

2 FAMILY Sale - Clothes, round table & more. 429 S. Graham, Sat. 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Adv. N. Hobart. Adv.

**UPGRADEABLE PACKARD** Bell, color monitor, Epson printer, WordPerfect 5.1, Print Shop, Banner, games, etc. \$300 obo Call 669-3014. Adv. 1990 HITCHHIKER II 27 ft.

5th Wheel. Rear kitchen excellent condition. 1997 Power OUR GREENHOUSE is

loaded with blooming geraniums, pansies, petunias, perennial flowers, hanging baskets, groundcovers, shrubs & vines at Watson's Feed & Garden, Hwy. 60 East, 665-4189. Adv. SAT. SPECIAL: 5 burgers, 5

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## Only 60 percent of Texans register for draft at 18

officials say.

Dallas-Fort Worth area to inform ter for the draft when they turn a generation that hadn't been 18. born the last time the draft was

said Col. Justo Gonzalez Jr., the don't register. agency's director of operations in suburban Virginia and a tom third of states, along with native Texan. "We're trying to California, Arizona, New of awareness on the part of change that."

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FORT WORTH (AP) - Just Gonzalez and eight others three of every five young men in from the agency are visiting Texas register for the draft when schools in Fort Worth, Dallas, they turn 18, as required by law, Garland, Mesquite, Denton, consuming and costly. Lewisville and other cities, Draft officials are so con- reminding students and governcerned about the numbers in ment teachers that men are Texas that they are flooding the required by federal law to regis-

Gonzalez said that of the 12,000 men who turn 18 every 'Awareness has just waned," month in Texas, about 5,000

Mexico, Florida and New York. immigrants, who are more likely

CC to offer Minor In Possession classes in April

The agency gets more men to to live in border states or urban register between ages 19 and 26,

Although it's a felony for a man to fail to register by the time he turns 26, the agency hasn't been prosecuting anyone.

but they say the process is time-

Officials hope to encourage voluntary compliance by withholding federal and state jobs, job training programs, government loans and U.S. citizenship.

One of the primary reason for That puts the state in the bot- the low registration rate, officials believe, is suspicion or lack

Clarendon College's MIP class-

tary. This is merely registering."

They also said dropouts and others "not in the mainstream" don't get the word.

"Many of the young men in the immigrant population think that if they sign up, they're going to be drafted," Gonzalez said. "They're afraid of these kinds of government programs and processes. This has nothing to do with serving in the mili-

It's been a quarter-century, in 1973 near the end of the Vietnam War, since anyone was drafted. But Selective Service registration has stayed in effect to maintain a manpower pool in case of a national emergency.

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## Republicans say want Independent Counsel Kenneth Starr's opinion regarding possible impeachment

WASHINGTON (AP) - Any impeachment proceedings against President Clinton would hinge on evidence uncovered by Independent Counsel Kenneth Starr, according to House Republicans who say dismissal of Paula Jones' sexual harassment lawsuit will not affect their plans.

"I think none," House Speaker Newt Gingrich said in an interview Thursday. "Everything depends on what Judge Starr decides."

The third-ranking House Republican, Rep. Tom DeLay of Texas, offered a similar sentiment in more pungent terms "We act on principle. We will not be intimidated by White House

attack dogs," the GOP whip said in a written statement. It accused Clinton supporters of using the lawsuit's dismissal as a club to attack Starr and "possible hearings the Congress may hold."

Several Democrats said the dismissal in Little Rock, Ark., on Wednesday of Jones' sensational lawsuit had altered the political landscape - and that even Starr was not immune from public senti-

"Clearly Ken Starr is going to have to enter into an exit strategy," said Sen. Robert Torricelli, D-N.J. "He may try to salvage himself by writing a scathing report, but that doesn't change the conclusion. It's

Senate Democratic leader Tom Daschle of South Dakota told reporters he hopes "Mr. Starr would see fit now to bring his investigation to a close. He has indicated that he's nearing closure and I would hope that as a result of this decision that would indeed be

One Republican senator also said he thought the dismissal of the Jones lawsuit might make a difference on planning under way by GOP officials in the House.

"The political atmospherics have changed in the president's favor," said Sen. Arlen Specter, R-Pa.

In comments to reporters in the Capitol, Specter said preparations in the House "may put it into reverse. They may put it into neutral. You don't have to have it in overdrive. Maybe they'll be affected by some of the facts."

Starr has grand juries at work in Little Rock and in Washington. The one sitting in the nation's capital is investigating allegations of a presidential affair and cover-up stemming from the Jones case.

Torricelli said it would be unusual for a prosecutor to file charges when the underlying case - Jones' lawsuit - had been dismissed.

"After a few days cooler heads will prevail" at Starr's office, he Under Gingrich's guidance, House Republicans have been making

rudimentary preparations for a possible impeachment review, pending receipt of a report from Starr that cites evidence of impeachable

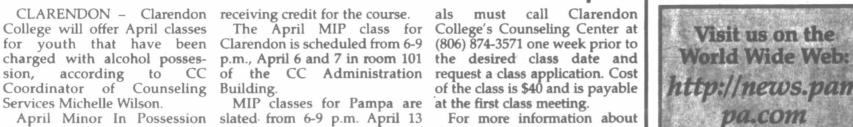
In the interview, a part of a 14-city tour to mark the publication of his new book, "Lessons Learned the Hard Way, a Personal History," Gingrich said he doubted Starr's own timetable would be affected by dismissal of Mrs. Jones' lawsuit.

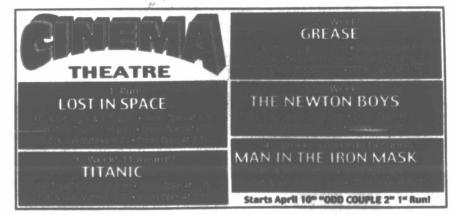
He also said he doubted there was political risk involved for Republicans, whom Democrats accuse of being impatient to launch impeachment proceedings.

'All we need to do is be calm and wait for Judge Starr," he said. We have no risk."

Gingrich has worked closely with Rep. Henry Hyde, R-Ill., chairman of the House Judiciary Committee, in preparing for receipt of

any material that Starr submits. Hyde declined comment on the dismissal of the lawsuit.







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A sampling of editorial opinion from Texas newspapers: Fort Worth Star-Telegram on U.S. policy in Africa:

Africa matters. The significance of President Clinton's historic journey to sub-Saharan Africa can be summed up in those two words.

The 12-day trip amounts to a declaration that the United States of America, the world's richest and most powerful nation, the exemplar of democratic government, intends no longer to treat that continent and its 700 million inhabitants as comparatively insignificant in the global scheme of

It signifies that this country has awakened to its need to play a stronger role in African affairs, both for Africa's sake and for America's. Moreover, it signals an overdue acknowledgement of the progress that has been made by some sub-Saharan countries toward democratization and improving

the lives of their citizens. That progress provides a basis for forging stronger economic and political links between the United States and those countries. Such linkages can go far toward showing the nations that are still stagnating under despotic rule or still caught up in the futility of internecine strife that there is

For much too long, Africa has not appeared to matter very much to this country. During the Cold War, what passed for an Africa policy boiled down to no more than backing African leaders who would side with the West instead of the

Soviet bloc countries. It didn't matter that some of those leaders were brutal dictators who ruthlessly oppressed and exploited their people as long as they were anti-communist. And after the Cold War, we tried to wash our hands of the mess we helped create in Africa through our self-interested concern with ideo-

logical allegiance. Our policy toward South Africa, also tainted with the overemphasis on anti-communism, helped perpetuate the evil of apartheid. The weight of overwhelming international opinion and domestic protest finally brought us around to supporting the international economic sanctions that

brought minority white rule to an end in that country. In the aftermath of the Cold War, this country has projected no coherent policy toward Africa. The Balkans, the Middle East and other regions of the world have been given a higher priority. Sub-Saharan Africa, with its poverty and turmoil, was viewed by most of the American public as beyond help

and beyond the perimeters of America's vital interests. The debacle in Somalia persuaded us against involvements in other places on the African continent — places whose political and ethnic complexities we could not completely comprehend. That's why we stood aside and allowed genocide to occur in Rwanda, when we had intelligence that we might have acted upon to prevent it.

During his trek through Africa, Clinton gave assurances that this country would not commit such a sin of omission again. And in the summit meeting with several African leaders, he laid the groundwork for an initiative to eliminate the scourge of genocide from that continent

Most significant of all was the commitment Clinton made to fostering increased U.S. trade with and investment in African nations. That is the brightest hope for lifting the pall of poverty from a part of the world that is rich in natural

At the same time, US private investment in Africa and development assistance for infrastructure are keys that will help open a huge new market for this country's goods and services. Africa has the potential to equal or exceed the "Asian Miracle" It would be in this country's best interests that when the African giant awakes, it calls us "Friend."

San Antonio Express-News on extradition of death penalty suspects:

Mexico finally appears ready to return Jose Luis Del Toro to the United States as it should.

Del Toro is accused of killing Sheila Bellush, who had become the mother of quadruplets when she lived in San

She was killed last November in her home in Florida A U.S. citizen, Del Toro was arrested in Monterrey, Mexico,

two weeks after the murder and has been fighting extradition to the United States since that time. Unfortunately, Mexico has chosen to impose, as a condi-

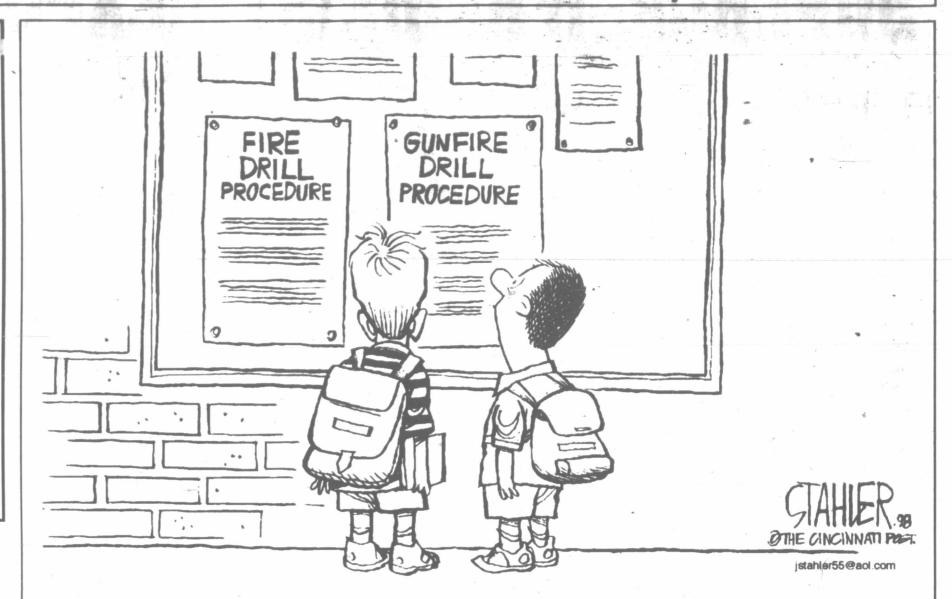
tion of extradition, adherence to its criminal justice system. It agreed to return Del Toro to Florida only after prosecutors in that state agreed not to seek the death penalty.

Mexico does not impose a death penalty and has refused in the past to extradite anyone who might face capital punishment. The issue is not the death penalty but rather the right of

the United States to determine punishment of a U.S. citizen for a crime committed in this nation. This case shows the lack of wisdom in a treaty provision

that allows Mexico to refuse to extradite people who might face the death penalty in the United States

That should be revisited. Nonetheless, having Del Toro to stand trial in Florida, with the possibility of life imprisonment without parole if he is convicted, is better than having him avoid accountability in



# The rush to judge Linda Tripp

Becoming a public figure involves the risk that all sorts of people - including journalists and now the American Civil Liberties Union may try to diminish you. An instructive case in point is Jane Mayer's "Portrait of a Whistleblower" in a recent issue of New Yorker magazine: a dissection of Linda Tripp.

Mayer reports that in 1969, when Tripp was 19, she was arrested on a charge of grand larceny. Two men had accused her of "stealing \$263 in cash and a watch valued at \$600 from their rooms at the Long Pond Inn," in New York.

The stolen goods were found in Tripp's possession, and she was arrested. Tripp, Mayer wrote, "posted bond and entered a plea of not guilty." Mayer added, "As of March 13, the outcome of the case could not be determined."

can be correct up to a point, but if you miss key lying on that form. ly misleading.

On March 17, Jeff Leen reported in the New York Post that the money and the watch had been stuffed into Tripp's purse as a spoof by teenagers who had been with her. The pranksters then called the police and reported a theft. In court, the charge against Tripp was reduced to loitering, which under New York Penal Code, is Huff, co-director of the Justice Department's a violation. As Jeff Leen noted, a violation is "less serious than a misdemeanor and does not appear on an individual's permanent record."

I know of similar cases in which people with a violation were told by their lawyers that if they were ever asked if they had been arrested, they could rightly answer "No." Tripp may have been told the same thing.

In the New Yorker, Jane Mayer who had the 19-year-old Linda Tripp's mug shot. She over by a truck."



Nat Hentoff

Hentoff is an authority on the Bill of Rights

learned about Linda Tripp's 1987 securityclearance form by calling the Defense Department – reported that Tripp answered that she had never been arrested. "Such a statement," Mayer ominously wrote, "would be a felony under federal law." Tripp is now being An axiom of reporting is that all your facts investigated by the Pentagon for allegedly

subsequent facts, your story can be damaging- Asked by Republican congressmen Gerald Solomon, N.Y., and John Mica, Fla., how this particular personnel information – protected by the 1974 Privacy Act - was given to the New Yorker, a Pentagon spokesman, Lt. Col. Dick Bridges, told the New York Post that it won't happen again: "We've learned our lesson."

> In the March 30 Weekly Standard, Richard Office of Information and Privacy, says: "We would not do that. It would be a violation of the Privacy Act."

> On Court TV, former prosecutor Marcia Clark said: "The equivalent of loitering? Is this what they bring out 30 years later?"

> Meanwhile, that same Court TV program along with a number of newspapers - showed

looks like a terrorist. Was it necessary to circulate that old, prejudicial mug shot of someone who is actually innocent? There is no law against it; it's a question of fairness, if an editor chooses to raise that question.

Linda Tripp has also become the target of the American Civil Liberties Union. In a paid ad that has been running frequently on some radio stations, the ACLU asks: "How would you feel if all your phone conversations last night were made public today?"

The ACLU commercial does not include such other current violations of privacy as leaking a secret Pentagon personnel file to help a "gotcha" journalist. Instead, the focus is on Linda Tripp, who is portrayed as the very symbol of sinister eavesdropping. The ACLU's indictment:

"That's what Linda Tripp did to Monica Lewinsky, and what's more, she gave those tapes to prosecutor Kenneth Starr and he had Tripp record Monica Lewinsky so she could incriminate herself. It's legal, but is it right?"

I agree with Justice Louis Brandeis' strong opinion that all wiretapping, including by the government, should be considered an unconstitutional search under the Fourth Amendment. But the doomsday tone of this ACLU attack on Tripp – along with the targeting of her as the most dangerous privacy-violator the ACLU could find – diminishes the ACLU itself.

Civil liberties are too important to be sold like detergent.

Years ago, I saw an interview with a woman who, for the first time in her life, had become a public figure. Asked what it was like to be in the public eye, she said, "I felt that I'd been run

#### **Today in history**

By The Associated Press

day of 1998. There are 272 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On April 3, 1968, less than 24 leader Martin Luther King Jr. told a Calif.

rally of striking sanitation workme now, because I've been to the Richmond, Va. mountain top, and I don't mind."

On this date:

In 1860, the legendary Pony hours before he was assassinated Express began service between St. in Memphis, Tenn., civil rights Joseph, Mo., and Sacramento,

In 1865, Union forces occupied the kidnap-murder of the Today is Friday, April 3, the 93rd ers, "It really doesn't matter with the Confederate capital of Lindbergh infant.

Robert Ford, a member of his own aid for 16 European countries.

In 1948, President Truman In 1882, outlaw Jesse James was signed the Marshall Plan, "'uch shot to death in St. Joseph, Mo., by allocated more than \$5 billion in

In 1968, North Vietnam agreed to In 1936, Bruno Hauptmann was meet with U.S. representatives to electrocuted in Trenton, N.J., for set up preliminary peace talks.

# Dismissal advances political threshold

Boorishness is not an impeachable offense. So while President Clinton's legal troubles

haven't gone away with the dismissal of the Paula Jones sexual harassment case, the political threshold for action against him is far higher than before.

U.S. District Judge Susan Webber Wright ruled that Jones didn't have a case worth the trial that was to have begun late next month, and would have been a theater of embarrassment for the president whatever the outcome.

Jones sued over an alleged proposition by then-Gov. Clinton in a Little Rock, Ark., hotel room seven years ago. "Although the governor's alleged conduct, if true, may certainly be characterized as boorish and offensive," the judge ruled, the record showed no basis for a sexual assault claim.

The White House rejoiced at what Press Secretary Mike McCurry called the vindication Clinton had long awaited.

But vindication means clearing criticism, blame, guilt or suspicion, and it isn't quite that. The seamy allegations aren't gone. And Clinton has been scarred by the scandalous disclosures and assertions of the Jones proceeding.

One case is closed unless overturned on

appeal, but it has spawned more. The Jones ruling has no direct legal impact on the investigation by Independent Counsel Kenneth Starr into allegations that Clinton had a sexual liaison with a White House intern and tried to get her to lie about it, which the president has denied.

But the Monica Lewinsky case is a direct descendent of the Paula Jones case, and that does have a political impact, if not on Starr then certainly in Congress, where House

#### **Walter Mears AP Special Correspondent**

Republicans have been gearing up for the possibility the independent counsel might send them evidence for impeachment proceedings.

Starr doesn't have to answer to the beyondwhether the whole messy business was worth pursuing in the first place, and who continue to rate Clinton's performance high even while judging his personal conduct questionable or

Congressional Republicans do, with a campaign and off-year elections just ahead. They've provided the House Judiciary Committee with an extra \$1.3 million that could go into impeachment preparations.

Democrats resisted that, arguing it was at least premature. Now they are crowing. Rep. John Conyers of Michigan, senior Democrat on the committee, said the Jones dismissal should be "the final word on what has become an unprecedented partisan witch hunt."

It won't be, of course.

Clinton knows there's more to come. "This has been a fact of life and no doubt other matters will remain a fact of life for him," McCurry said Wednesday with Clinton in Senegal.

appeal. The conservative foundation bankrolling them said they'd pay.

Starr said he was proceeding without delay.

delays that fit the Clinton political strategy.

'Judge Wright's ruling today has no effect on our authority and we will continue working to complete the investigation as expeditiously as possible," Starr said.

Not on his authority, but surely on the circumstances should he deliver indictments of Clinton associates or send the House evidence that Clinton committed perjury, suborned perjury or tried to obstruct justice.

That would be no less culpable legally the-beltway Americans who have questioned because it occurred in a case later dismissed as unwarranted. But that lawyerly argument would be a hard sell politically, doubly so given the rarity of perjury prosecutions in civil cases like the Jones suit.

'There never really was a Paula Jones case," said William Ginsburg, attorney for Ms. Lewinsky. His client swore in that case that she did not have a sexual relationship with Clinton, but said there was in talking with a presumed friend who taped the conversation

It's still a mess. There's still the underlying Whitewater land deal case, for which Starr was appointed independent counsel in the first place, and an assortment of other offshoots under his expanded authority.

But for Clinton, stopping the Jones case is a major win legally and an even bigger one polit-

And another frustration for his opponents, who have watched as his presidential job The attorneys for Jones said they expected to approval ratings soared while the sordid allegations unfolded.

"I assume that since this appears to be good But that would take months, perhaps years, news for Clinton, his poll numbers will go down," said Sen. Trent Lott, the Republican imas fusi Univ stud New Regi day dent learı Th sessi June

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# Public housing tenants in California sue to fight evictions under drug

his cramped living room 13 floors authorities. above the midday growl of downtown traffic, 75-year-old Herman Walker wonders what he'll do if tenants under the policy last year. he's thrown out of his public hous-

Walker is one of munous of the authority believes ... we are to move to itors or relatives.

cocaine or crack pipes on three visits to Walker's apartment. His caretaker and a friend were arrest- authority. ed on drug charges.

Walker and three other elderly residents of Oakland public housquietly. They are suing the city and their civil rights.

Rucker, both 63, and Willie Lee, 71, claim it's unfair to punish them for alleged drug activity they knew prevented.

and all the elderly people that are treated like garbage," said Donna ter is outside. Teshima, one of the group's attor-

The one-strike-and-you're-out policy under which tenants can be evicted if they or their guests are arrested - no conviction required was announced by President Clinton in 1996.

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ing tenants were ousted in the pol-ment, got his eviction notice after icy's first six months. That was an the caretaker and friend were 84 percent increase over the num- arrested. ber evicted for drugs and other crimes in the previous six months, he got his notice, but he said it's according to a 1997 survey of unreasonable to expect him to

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) - From about half the nation's housing quiz guests about drug use.

Oakland, which owns about 3,300 housing units, evicted 18

Oakland Housing Authority ing apartment.

Walker is one of millions of ten
officials deny they ve picked the wrong targets in the fight against

eviction for the wrongdoing of vis- have probable cause to move to evict the people, notwithstanding Officials say they found crack the fact of their age," said Randolph Hall, the assistant city attorney defending the housing

Ms. Rucker supports efforts to sweep drugs out of public housing, but she doesn't think throwing who face eviction aren't going ing her out along with them is going to help.

federal housing officials in federal court to stop the evictions, claim-She received an eviction notice ing such a move would violate abled daughter for possession of cocaine, about three blocks from Walker, Barbara Hill and Pearlie their home. Housing officials have dropped the eviction threat, but Ms. Rucker is pursuing her suit.

Ms. Rucker, who also takes care nothing about and couldn't have of two grandchildren and one great-grandchild, said she search-"They're standing up for all of es the apartment regularly and the seniors and all the disabled hasn't found drugs. But she said hasn't found drugs. But she said she can't control what may hapjust getting thrown out and ... pen when her 42-year-old daugh-

She and Walker also are seeking protection under the Americans with Disabilities Act – Ms. Rucker because of her daughter's condition and Walker because he is partially paralyzed from a stroke.

Walker, an ex-serviceman and retired warehouse worker who Nationwide, 3,847 public houspays \$125 a month for the apart-

Walker fired his caretaker after

In the other two cases, Ms. Lee's grandson was cited for possession of a marijuana cigarette in a nearby parking lot. Ms. Hill also is in trouble because of a grandson getting caught smoking marijuana in the parking lot of her complex.

Hall, the housing authority attorney, said tougher policies are crucial for residents who don't have the means to move away from drug problems.

"If you look at the total impact on a captive, non-criminal population – that's the driving impetus to trying to get this type of activity out of these people's lives," he

Ira Jacobowitz, one of the attorneys representing the Oakland tenants, disagreed.

"Anybody who says that throwing out an 85-year-old grandmother is going to do anything meaningful about the drug problem is fooling themselves,

Singles 2-day seminar with national guest speaker set for next week at First Baptist

What is important in our lives? What are we and director of "Single Parent Family eally living for? To be married? To find a better Resources." She is the author of the award-winjob? For our children to grow up? How can I develop healthy relationships? These are some of the key questions that both married and single adults

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The guest speaker is Barbara Schiller, founder ning book, "Just Me & The Kids: Building Healthy Single Parent Families."

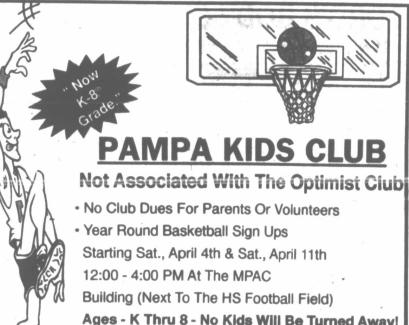
Speaking nationally and internationally, Schiller is dedicated to addressing the key issues and needs related to being a single adult. National magazines have published numerous articles regarding her work with single adults. She has also made frequent appearances on television and had been the host of an open forum radio program both nationally and internationally. She is the single parent columnist for "Christian Parenting Today" magazine and is a single parent, herself, with three children and she seeks to provide a balanced and realistic

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sessions: Friday, May 8; Friday, June 19; Friday, July 10; Saturday, and \$3 for children less than 12-July 11; and Monday, July 27. Each session will begin at 8 am. in the Virgil Henson Activities new students are required to take Center on campus and conclude the at 5 p.m.

tation to college life. Students according to Barnes. To help will also discuss how to select accommodate this requirement, classes, and they will be given WTAMU will offer two New the opportunity to meet their STAR sessions in conjunction academic faculty members. with TASP exams. The May 8 and Special sessions are planned for June 19 sessions will coordinate parents to discuss common con- with Saturday test dates.

students to get a jump start on register for an upcoming New their college experience," Cindy STAR session, contact the Office Barnes, associate director of of Admissions at (806) 651-2020 admissions, said. "Attending a or 1-800-99-WTAMU.

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Students attending New STAR can also order their textbooks, receive their Buff Gold Card (student photo ID card), gain insight into scholarships and financial Cost of the New STAR program The University will offer five includes lunch and is \$10 for students, \$6 for parents or guests vears-old.

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IN THE TUMULTUOUS LIFE OF JEREMIAH THE PROPHET, MANY PEOPLE HAD TOUCHED

UPON IT, HAD THEIR EFFECT, THEN DISAPPEARED! JEHUDI WAS ONE OF THEM! HE WAS A COURT ATTENDANT OF KING JEHOIAKIM -- NOT A PRINCE NOR ONE OF THE NOBLES ATTENDING THE KING'S COURT, BUT ONE OF THE MANY PERSONS WHO SERVED -- YET HIS BRIEF APPEARANCE IN JEREMIAH'S LIFE WAS NOT WITHOUT IMPORTANCE! WHEN MICHAIAH, A YOUNG NOBLE, HEARD JEREMIAH'S PROPHECIES, READ BY BARUCH (JER. 36:8-10) TO ALL THE PEOPLE OF JUDAH AND JERUSALEM, WHO HAD COME FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTRY FOR AN IMPORTANT FAST DAY AT THE TEMPLE, A PROPHECY WHICH SPELLED DOOM FOR ALL THE PEOPLE AND THE DESTRUCTION OF JERUSALEM AND THE DEATH OF THE KING, HE IMMEDIATELY WENT TO THE MOST IMPORTANT PRINCES IN THE COURT TO REPORT THIS FACT! THIS WAS JEHUDI'S MOMENT--THE PRINCES SENT HIM TO GET BARUCH SO THEY COULD HEAR THESE WORDS OF DOOM. THEY WERE SO UPSET THAT THEY KNEW THEY HAD TO REPORT IT TO THE KING -- THEY EVEN ADVISED BARUCH TO HIDE HIMSELF, WITH JEREMIAH, AND LET NOBODY KNOW WHERE THEY WERE! WHEN KING

JEHOIAKIM HEARD THE REPORT, ONCE MORE, JEHUDI HAD HIS HISTORICAL MOMENT -- HE WAS SENT TO FETCH STOP! THE ROLL, ITSELF, WHICH HAD BEEN LET ME HAVE LEFT FOR SAFEKEEPING IN THE THE SCROLL SCRIBE'S CHAMBER, AND THEN--FROM WHICH MOMENT OF MOMENTS -- THE KING DIRECTLY REQUESTED JEHUDI TO READ THE PROPHECY IN WHICH THOU READEST THESE TIDINGS! JEREMIAH HAD DOOMED THE KING AND ALL JERUSALEM! AND AL-THOUGH JEHUDI STARTED TO READ THE WHOLE ROLL... BEFORE THE ENTIRE PROPHECY CAN BE READ TO KING JEHOJAKIM - THE KING UTTERS AN ANGRY SHOUT! .50 ENRAGED WAS THE KING THAT HE TOOK A PENKNIFE AND CUT THE ROLL--CASTING IT INTO A FIRE THAT HE HAD TO WARM HIM--IT BEING

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"You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled by men" (Matt. 5:13).

How important is the salt? I personally can not imagine a world without salt. In ancient times salt was used as an important medium of exchange in the commercial ventures across the Mediterranean, Aegean, and Adriatic seas. The English term salary, which formerly represented a soldier's money allowance for salt, was derived from salarium, the Latin term referring to the salt allotment that was issued to soldiers serving the Roman army.

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Salt is necessary to human life. The sodium chloride is a vital constituent in the human body. The most familiar use of salt is as a seasoning. Salt it used to enhance the flavor of food and to preserve foods.

I like the "Message" translation which renders this verse: "Let me tell you why you are here. You are here to be salt-seasoning that brings out the God-flavors of this earth. If you lose your saltiness, how will people taste godliness? You've lost your usefulness and will end up in the garbage." What a great responsibility for each Christian! The words of Christ reveal that the purpose for the believer's existence is to be the seasonof humanity lives in darkness.

mirror God's character of love and compas-

REFLECTIONS ON RELIGION

By Lucio Moreno Associate Director of Missions Top O' Texas Area Baptist

sion so that others around him may see Jesus through him. Through his example the believer spices the world with the Godliness it needs. Such a life witnesses effectively to the saving and transforming grace of the Lord Jesus and attracts others to trust Him for salvation. Has anybody seen Jesus in you lately? In His words the Lord acknowledges that such a flavoring season might be exhausted for He adds, "But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again?" This is disobedience or unfaithfulness to Him and His teachings. When we do not want to live by His precepts the inevitable happens. His face does not shine through us. The salt that is supposed ing, the spice that gives the flavor of to be the God-flavor for the world through Godliness to life on this earth where the rest us is no longer effective. The outcome is that Jesus is blamed before the world. The Christian, through his life, should Mahatma Ghandi said rather upset, "I like

The German philosopher Nitschki said, "The redeemed are going to have to live their redemption before I believe in their Redeemer."

The way the believer lives all the phases of his life is so important because we may be the only Christ that people will see. The evangelist Tipsy Smith once said, "There are five gospels. Matthew, Mark, Luke, John and the Christians. You need to know that many people hardly read the first four, but certainly will read the fifth more often."

Losing our saltiness has damaged the witness of Christianity everywhere. The figure spoken by Jesus is of judgement which begins now. "Its no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled by man." There is something contemptuous in the worthless stuff thrown outside to constantly be trodden down by the men who walk the street. We can think of the fulfillment of these words in the case of the dead churches of the orient which have been trodden under the foot of Muslims; think of the judgements that have come upon European Christian nations (Pank). The fact that saltless life keeps a church from growing is well substantiated. The lost world will no attend a church where believers behave so much like unbelievers. There is bitter truth also in the fact that a saltless and powerless Christianity makes more unbelievers than all the books of infidels that were ever written. This is something that as Christians we need to think about. Don't you think? "Have salt

PAMPA — Calvary Assembly of God Church invites the public to in Unction in welcoming San Jacinto Assembly of God Church's Youth Group at 8 p.m. April 3 at Calvary Assembly of God on the corner of Crawford and Love. The group will be presenting human videos, testimonies, praise and worship. For more information, call 667-7207 or 669-0455.:

PAMPA - St. Mark CME Church will host a monthly breakfast th this Saturday from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. Donations will be accepted.

PAMPA — Mr. Tim Ramsey will lead the music at the upcoming Festival of Faith" to be held at First United Methodist Church at

Pampa on April 5, 6, and 7.

Mr. Ramsey began his musical career at the early age of 2, when he would sing old gospel hymns for family and friends. His interest in piano playing blossomed at the young age of 5, when he would sit at the piano and play by ear. Through the years, his talents were enhanced with the help of a great voice and piano teacher. Tim says that he never takes for granted his musical talents, because he knows they were a gift from God. they were a gift from God.

The community is invited to join us for the services, which will be held at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. on Sunday, April 5. Services on Monday and Tuesday, April 6 and 7, will be at 7 p.m. All services will be held in the sanctuary at 201 E. Foster.

PAMPA — Zion Lutheran Church is celebrating Holy Week with four services focusing upon the events of the last week of Christ's ministry. These events will be explained in detail in Sunday's paper.

## 'Festival of Faith' conference

**PAMPA** — The First United Methodist Church of Pampa will welcome Rev. Barbara Brokhoff, from Largo, Florida, to conduct the upcoming "Festival of Faith" on April 5, 6, and 7.

Rev. Brokhoff is a native of Mexico, Missouri. She attended North Central College in Minneapolis, where she fulfilled all educational requirements for ordination as an elder in the United Methodist Church. The Reverend has continued her education at seminary, pastors school, etc. She served as pastor and evangelist in the Missouri East Conference for fifteen years. Her last two pastorates numbered 750 and 1100 members, respectively. In Missouri she served on the Conference Board of Evangelism and the Conference Board of Social

Concerns. Rev. Brokhoff is the wife of Dr. John R. Brokhoff, minister in the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, and Professor **Emeritus** Preaching at Candler School of Theology, Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia. After her

marriage to Dr. Brokhoff, she moved from Missouri to Georgia where she was appointed General Evangelist in North Georgia. She served at this position for five years. She served on the Commission

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in 1980, they moved to Florida. Annual Conference, 1992, led She then became a member of the Bible Study for the Florida the Florida Conference and has Annual Conference 1993, The served as General Evangelist Western North Carolina Annual for fourteen years. Reverend is primarily engaged in revivals, preaching missions, pastors' schools, and teaching team.

York. She was the first woman Digest", and to preach at: The Missouri East Ministers' Manual Annual Conference, The North Everyone is invited to attend Georgia Annual Conference, and experience the "Festival of The Lenton Series at the Faith" services at the First Chicago Temple, The Florida United Methodist Church, 201 Annual Conference, The E. Foster, Pampa. The services Ministers Week at Mississippi will begin on Sunday, April 5, Conference, The Louisville- at 10:30 a.m. and continue each Kentucky Pastors' School, The evening at 7 p.m. on Sunday, New Mexico Annual Monday, and Tuesday (April 5, Conference, The Northwest 6 and 7). A nursery will be pro-Texas Annual Conference, The vided.

North Georgia. Smokey Mountain Camp After Rev. Brokhoff's hus-band's retirement from Emory 1991, The South Georgia Conference - Lake Junaluska 1995, Denman Lectures - the Congress on Evangelism 1996.

Rev. Brokhoff is the author of Annual Conferences. eight books, all published by Sometimes she and her husband work as a preaching-Ohio. Her latest book, "Grapes of Wrath or Grace?" was pub-Rev. Brokhoff and her hus- lished in August of 1994. Her band were the first team chap- sermons are published in lains at Chatauqua in New "Insights, Kerygma, The Pulpit "Doran's

First Christian Church offers holiday services

PAMPA — First Christian Church, 1633 N. Nelson, under the pastorship of Rev. Darrell E. Evans, senior minister, will begin the Easter season with Palm Sunday worship at 10:50 a.m. The youth of the church will process in with the choir ministers and elders and deacons, waving palm branches at the regular 10:50 a.m. worship service.

On April 9, a special Maundy Thursday Worship Service will be conducted by the Rev. Evans and the Rev. Barry Loving beginning at 7 p.m. Following the worship hour, a 24-hour-prayer vigil will go through Good Friday.

Easter morning will begin with an Easter Sunrise Service at 7 a.m. with special music presented by Mr. Fred Mayes, choir director through the Quintet of the church. Trumpet music will be provided by ames Carter. The public is invited and there will be a breakfast prepared by the Biscuit Ministry of is Risen.



the church and served by the middle and high school youth.

Easter morning worship at 10:50 a.m. will be a very meaningful worship hour with Christian Baptism, the presentation of the beautiful Easter Lillies sent by the members of the church. Special music will be presented by the Chancel Choir under the direction of Fred Mayes and accompanied by Mrs. Loralee Cooley, organist. The special, chosen by the choir for Easter Sunday, will be,



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April 8 ~ Wednesday Evening 7:30 p.m. "Praying Like Jesus Prayed" April 9 ~ Thursday Evening 7:30 p.m. "Such Were Some Of You" April 10 ~ Friday Evening 7:30 p.m. "The Cost Of Prodigal Living"



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she (or he) must do it again.

of times, but I need some answers.

every man who has asked, "How

come a pretty girl like you isn't married?"

ups that I'm aware of, but I just

can't seem to meet the right man. I refuse to go out with married men

(some have asked). I would like to

**DEAR CLEMENTINE: Your** 

quently. (Too bad I'm not run-

ning a dating service; there are

**CLEMENTINE** 

(NOT MY REAL NAME)

I am friendly and have no hang-

DEAR ABBY: As the mother of a teen-age girl who has chosen to have sex, I urge other parents to look at the reasons their teen is going outside the family for affection and attention. Perhaps instead of feeling devastated by the fact that their daughter is no longer a virgin, parents should explore the other things going on in her life.

The girl should be made aware that because she has said "yes" once doesn't mean she has to say it again and again. There is a growing movement for "secondary virgins."

wrge parents to have meaningful discussions with their sons about their responsibility in the matter. Teen-age girls should not have to accept the entire responsibility. Not only are 13- and 14-yearold girls having sex, 13- and 14year-old boys are also having sex. They, too, need information and responsible advice.

**DISAPPOINTED BUT** SEEKING HELP

**DEAR DISAPPOINTED: Your** daughter did not become sexually active because she was date more, but I have no idea how looking for the kind of affection to find single, decent men. Any and attention she could receive suggestions? from her family. The reasons that teen-age girls start having sex can range from wanting to be popular, to thinking it will "hold" a boyfriend, to loneliness or curiosity.

However, I wholeheartedly agree that because a teen-ager just as many men asking where



**Abigail Yan Buren** 

Popular: You're Never Too Young or Too Old." The message is as applicable today as it was 20 years ago. In a nutshell: Decent people are found where decent people gather.

Get out of the house and become involved. Enroll in an adult education class, learn to has sex once does not mean that paint or sew, or take a class in auto mechanics or computer training.

they can find a decent woman.)

One of the first booklets I

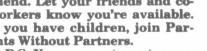
published is titled, "How to Be

Volunteer your services. DEAR ABBY: I know you have There are plenty of underprivibeen asked this question hundreds leged, disabled, elderly and teen-agers who could use a I am a 29-year-old woman. I am friend. Get involved with your constantly told that I am good-lookpolitical party, your church or a ing, and I wish I had a dollar for professional organization.

> Take dancing lessons square dancing, line dancing, ballroom or salsa. Take up fishing or hiking, or join a gym or health club.

Do some entertaining and ask your friends to bring a friend. Let your friends and coworkers know you're available. If you have children, join Parents Without Partners.

P.S. You may not meet someone eligible right away, but you will make new friends - and they may have a friend who's perfect for you.



question is one I receive fre-

## Horoscope

ARIES (March 21-April 19) If you find yourself in an unpleasant situation today, trip it can probably be traced back to your LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Decisions made own actions. To be on the safe side, treat out of spite today could cause you addiothers exactly as you would like to be tional frustration instead of giving you the treated. Aries, treat yourself to a birthday satisfaction of getting even. Have malice gift Send for your Astro-Graph predic-towards none tions for the year ahead by mailing \$2 VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Patience and SASE to Astro-Graph, c/0 this news-might not be your long suit today, espepaper. P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill cially if attending to an unpleasant state your zodiac sign

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Do not do right the first time. attempt to bluff your way through critical LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) There is a poscareer matters today. If you don't have sublity you might encounter someone. Unfortunately, the other guy won't yield if something of substance to back you up, today in a social setting who will arouse it's best not to call attention to yourself. your animosity. Do not do or say anything GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You might be

more sensitive and defensive than usual later. ions If you make statements without speaking you are looked up to and properly thinking, you might say something unre-respected by your peers; but today you

CANCER (June 21-July 22) A companion's carelessness and extravagance could turn out to be expensive for you today. Don't be duped into an arrangement in which you pay for another's free

Station, New York, NY 10156. Be sure to assignment. A poor performance might require you to do later what you failed to

for which you may have to apologize

might pull something off in public that could dull your image and cost you

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Persons who aren't in complete agreement with you today might experience your wrath. If you inadvertently come down too hard on the wrong guy, it might teach you a lesson not easily forgotten. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Busi-

ness conditions might be a bit more complicated for you today than they appear at first glance. Move cautiously, taking noth-

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Even though it's probably your best course of action, making compromises or concessions will be difficult for you to do today.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Try not to delegate tasks today to anyone with dubi ous capabilities. For success, it's imperatoday regarding your positions and opin-SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Generally tive the person and assignment mesh

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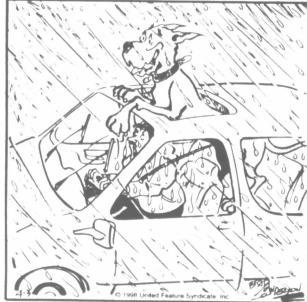
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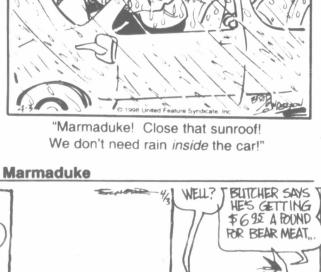
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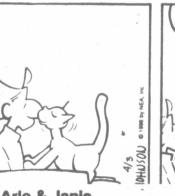








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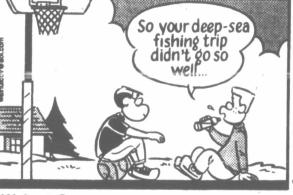








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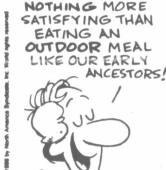






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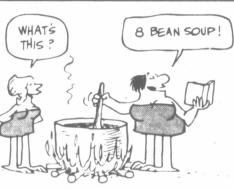


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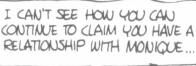




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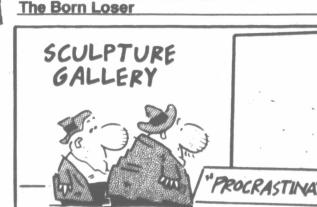


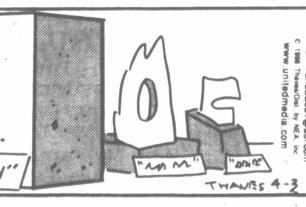


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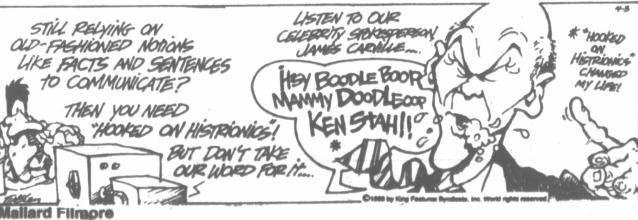








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SE XXX EX TISSER!

PAMPA — The Pampa boys' team placed three players on the first-team All-District 6 soccer team for

Pampa first-teamers were striker Lucas Jaramillo, midfielder Brian Sprinkle and fullback Bryan Johnson.

Named boys' honorable mention were Kyle Weller and Vincent Simoneau.

P.J. Watts of Caprock was named the district's most valuable player.

Pampa had two players who were first-team, all-district selections in the girls' division. They were Jessica Maddox and Annette Botello. Named to the second team were Lucy Silva and Candace Cathey.

Alina Apodaca of Caprock was the district MVP.

#### **COLLEGE BASEBALL**

CANYON — West Texas A&M split a baseball doubleheader with Lubbock Christian last weekend.

Lubbock Christian won the opener, 7-3, as Reagan Key pitched a six-hitter in going the distance for the winners.

Stan Whittle, **Brock** Rumfield and Brandon Toro had two hits each for Lubbock. Third baseman Steve Luda

hit his sixth home run of the year for the Buffs

WT won a 16-9 slugfest in the second game.

Center fielder Mike Olm and right fielder Jake Rutledge had four hits each

Whittle knocked in three runs with a pair of hits for Lubbock.

Cory Hamilton (2-2) was the winning pitcher.

#### BASKETBALL

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) Paul Pierce, an All America forward at Kansas, apparently has made a decision on whether to stay in school or turn pro.

Pierce, who has a year of eligibility remaining, scheduled a news conference at his high school alma mater in Inglewood, Calif., the Kansas' sports information office said.

Jayhawks coach Roy Williams will join Pierce at the conference scheduled for 7 p.m. EST.

#### **GOLF**

AUGUSTA, Ga. (AP) — In 4 1/2 years at White House Cleaners, Brenda Slater usually has found only pills and candy left in pants pockets.

"I've never found anything good — not like today," Slater said Thursday after she pulled two Masters badges and two practice-round tickets out of a pair of khaki pants.

The Masters is next week, with practice rounds beginning Monday and the fourday tournament starting Thursday.

The face value of each badge is \$100, but on the black market they're selling for about \$5,000 each. The practice-round tickets, which cost \$16 to \$21, could have been resold for as much as \$300 each.

Slater called the customer and told him. He was there in 10 minutes and gave her a \$100 reward, she-said. The

customer was not identified. "I didn't think anything, but to call him and tell him to come get them," Slater said. "I knew he'd want them."

#### **PRO BASEBALL**

HOUSTON (AP) — Stan Javier kept driving in runs and bailing out Kirk Rueter.

Javier went 4-for-5 and drove in a career-high five runs Thursday night, and Rueter won despite walking the bases loaded twice as the San Francisco Giants beat the Houston Astros 9-2.

"The team was scoring runs and gave me a cushion, but I still tried to walk them back into the game," Rueter said. "I

# Lady Harvesters take district lead

BORGER — Playing without junior standout Alison Piersall, the Pampa girls' golf team still the Phillips Course.

grabbed a six-stroke lead over Hereford JV 454. Borger with a 352.

the Lady Harvesters with an 81. 3. Lindsay Ward, Hereford, 84. Shelbie Allison followed with an

Piersall, who tore her ACL in at Harwood 104. accident at home, is expected to be able to play next week.

players, but we were able to hang Hereford JV 369; 5. Caprock 371; in there and get a six-shot lead," said Pampa coach Frank 8. (tie) Canyon 378; Dumas 378; McCullough. "I thought they 10. Pampa JV 388; 11. Canyon JV played well considering the 4911 12. Randall JV 404; 13. wind. It was horrible." In the boys' division, Pampa

Course yesterday.

"I was real proud of the kids and the way they played. They did pretty good in that wind," McCullough said.

**District 1-4A Tournament** Girls

Team totals: 1. Pampa 352; 2. jumped into the lead in the first Hereford 358; 3. Borger 367; 4. District 1-4A round Thursday at Randall 382; 5. Canyon 383; 6. Borger JV 395; 7. Dumas 404; 8. Battling winds around 40 miles Canyon JV 420; 9. Caprock JV per hour, the Lady Harvesters 447; 10. Caprock 450; 11.

Medalists: 1. Melissa Gindorf, Melissa Gindorf, a senior, led Pampa, 81; 2. Shelbie Allison 84;

Pampa individual scores: 84, Maggie Cowan 93, Cortnie Melissa Gindorf 81; 2. Shelbie Allison 94 and Stefanie Harwood Allison 84; Maggie Cowan 93; Cortnie Allison 94; Stefanie

Team totals: 1. Borger 320; 2. "Alison is one of our top three Pampa 334; 3. Randall 338; 4. 6. Borger JV 372; 7. Hereford 375; Caprock 425; 14. Dumas JV 444.

Medalists: 1. Daniel Edwards, claimed second place behind Randall, 76; 2. Evan Hays, Borger in district action at Huber Borger, 77; 3. Aaron Smith, Borger, 80.

Pampa individual scores: Nathan Banner 81; Grady Locknane 82; Matt Heasley 83; Barry Brauchi 88; Jordan Fruge 95.

## Pampa softball squad takes pair from Randall

By MATT HUTCHISON **Sports Writer** 

softball team hosted the Lady Raiders from Randall in a doubleheader here Thursday at the run margins, 18-1.

scare that netted Randall's only run-rule regulations. run. Pampa ace pitcher Kimberly Raiders' single run.

ing out four enroute to h'r com- Pampa squad. plete game-winning performance. Lady Harvesters early, and contin- of the team's 18 runs, but in a difued on pace throughout the game. ferent manner than the long inning RBI for the Pampa ladies, connect- walked almost the entire Pampa ing for a single that drove in catch- batting order around once and in

Lady Raiders. In the third inning, the Randall's reach. only once, but twice, and effective-shortstop Cassi Scott. ly pulled away from the Lady Raiders. Some of the more produc- district standings, only one loss tive players in the inning included behind first-place Dumas. The Kelsey Yowell, who hit a double Pampa girls next face the Hereford

Lisa Dwight, who connected for a single and double and produced three runs; Lisa Kirkpatrick, who PAMPA — The Lady Harvesters hit a double that manufactured one run; and Keili Earl, who smacked a single that drove in a run.

The rest of the runs crossed the Optimist Softball Field and won plate due to a multitude of Randall both contests convincingly by 17- errors. The 15-run inning effectively put an end to any hopes of vic-The Lady Harvesters began the tory the Lady Harvesters had, and first contest surviving a first-inning the contest was stopped due to

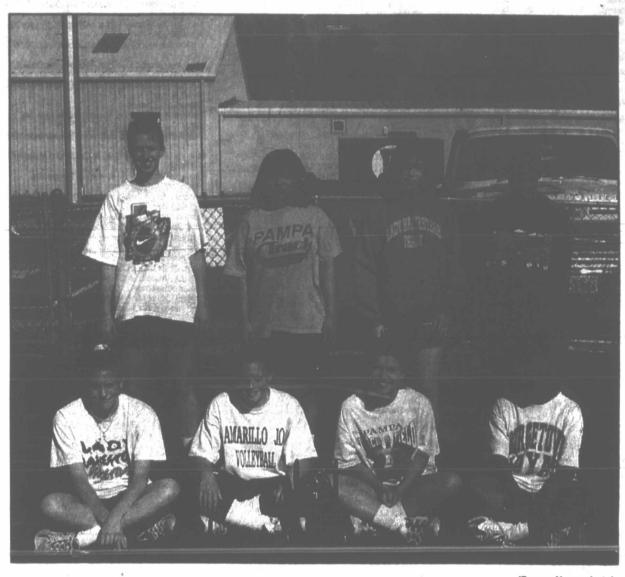
The second game of the double-Clark had to adjust to some blus- header was somewhat eerily like tery wind conditions and in the the the first contest, ending with the process walked three runners and exact same score and moving allowed a hit that produced the along almost exactly like the first game. Heather Petty took to the In all the following innings, mound for the Lady Harvesters Clark was almost unhittable, strik- and pitched a solid contest for the

Another huge inning for the The offense took over for the Harvesters produced the majority Jennifer Quintana nailed the first in the first contest did. Randall er Lisa Dwight. In the second the process went through three inning, both Heather Petty and pitchers before ending a nightmare Jamie Reed crossed the plate due inning that lasted almost 45 minto errors in the outfield by the utes and effectively took the Pampa lead and put it out of

Harvesters went into an offensive . Highlights of the contest includstand that netted a total of 15 runs. ed a sensational inside-the-park Pampa batted around the order not home run by Lady Harvester

Pampa occupies second place in the and and triple and had three RBI; squad at 5 today at Optimist Park.

### JV track champions



The Pampa junior varsity girls' track team won the JV division of the Deaf Smith Chamber of Commerce Relays last weekend in Hereford. Team members are (front row, I-r) Chasity Nachtigall, Chelsea McCullough, Beth Buzzard and Eureka Brown; (back row, I-r) Jessica Patton, Toni Alva, Jessica Cortez and Crystal Sheppard. Not pictured is Marti Hansen. It was the first time this season that the Pampa junior varsity and varsity had won championships at the same meet this season. "I was real pleased with the our JV team," said Pampa coach Mike Lopez. "They're all competitive, they all want to win."

## Cowboys have soft '98 schedule

Dallas Cowboys' soft 1997 record Dalrymple said the team is trying 1998 schedule.

its schedule. Aside from an early-season match

schedule than in years past. The Cowboys' 1998 opponents

include only five playoff teams from last season and have a combined record of 91-98. Last year's opponents were 102-87. And NFL schedulers gave the

Cowbovs a break with back-to- the first nine weeks of the season oack division games at home to are Sept. 27 against Oakland and end the year. Head coach Chan Gailey said

the Cowboys will try to capitalize on their schedule, which he says keeps them in Texas during the harsh December months.

"Having coached in both Denver and Pittsburgh, I know the type of advantage a cold-weather team can have by playing at home late in the year," Gailey told the Dallas Morning News.

IRVING, Texas (AP) — The Cowboys spokesman Rich Washington.

The Cowboys, coming off a 6-10 posite opponents record is not as interesting aspect about the schedseason, had no complaints high as last year's because we did-Thursday when the NFL released n't finish in first place in our division," Dalrymple said Thursday.

"But today, coach Gailey said with the Super Bowl champion that there is not a whole lot you Denver Broncos and a late-season can say about a schedule in (the game at Kansas City, Dallas drew a spring) — some teams that you considerably easier non-division expect to be very strong, midway through the season may experience injuries or other difficulties."

The Cowboys' schedule, released Thursday, opens at home against Arizona. It's the first time they're starting at home since 1992.

The only other home games in Oct. 11 against Carolina.

Also during the stretch are road games at the New York Giants, Washington, Chicago and Philadelphia. Dallas' bye week is Oct. 25.

The Cowboys drew two Monday night games — Sept. 21 at New York and Nov. 2 at Philadelphia — and one Sunday night game — the Dec. 27 season at home against

"We are very happy to be openhas been rewarded with a soft not over-analyze the schedule. ing and closing at home this sea-"I would imagine that our com- son," Dalrymple said. "Another ule is that we are playing the last two games at home for only the fourth time in club history," he said. Other non-divisional games are

at home against Seattle, and Minnesota and at New Orleans and Kansas City.

Here is the Dallas Cowboys 1998 schedule:

**PRESEASON All times Central** Aug. 1 — Seattle, 8 p.m. Aug. 8 — Oakland, 8 p.m. Aug. 17 - New England at Mexico City, 7

Aug. 22 — at St. Louis, 7 p.m. Aug. 27 — at Jacksonville, 7 p.m. REGU-LAR SEASON

Sept. 6 — Arizona, 3:05 p.m. Sept. 13 — at Denver, 3:15 p.m. Sept. 21 — at NY Giants, 7:20 p.m. Sept. 27 — Oakland, 12:01 p.m.

Oct. 4 — at Washington, 12:01 p.m. Oct. 11 — Carolina, 12:01 p.m. Oct. 18 — at Chicago, 3:15 p.m. Oct. 25 — Bt Officiago, 3.15 p.m.
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Nov. 8 — NY Giants, 12:01 p.m.
Nov. 25 — at Arizona, 3:15 p.m.

Nov. 22 - Seattle, 12:01 p.m. Nov. 26 - Minnesota, 3:05 p.m Dec. 6 — at New Orleans, 12:01 p.m. Dec. 13 — at Kansas City, 3:15 p.m. Dec. 20 — Philadelphia, 3:15 p.m. Dec. 27 — Washington, 7:20 p.m.



Pampa's Keili Earl scampers to first after an infielder grounder in softball action Thursday against Randall. The Lady Harvesters host Hereford at 5 today at **Optimist Park.** 

## PHS lifters place at state championships

KILLEEN — The state high ily squatted 600 pounds, school Championships in both boys' and girls' divisions were held recently at Abrams Fieldhouse on the Fort Hood Military Base.

Andrea Rodriguez of Pampa placed fifth in the 4A division with a total of 700 pounds. The 700-pound mark was a personal best for Rodriguez. It was achieved by squating 260 pounds, bench pressing 165 pounds and dead-lifting 275 pounds, all of which were personal bests for Rodriguez.

In the boys' division, John Resendiz of Pampa placed 10th with a 785-pound total in the 114-pound division.

"John had to lose a couple of pounds in order to make the 114-pound weight class and L felt he was fatigued by the end of the meet," said coach Wade Wesley. "If he had just a little more energy he might have broke the 800-pound mark."

a career day of 1,475 pounds to that our kids have put in, even obtain the fifth place medal during spring break, really given at the state meet. He eas-

Powerlifting bench-pressed 370 pounds and deadlifted 505 pounds.

Dee Thompson of Pampa had an outstanding career day to break the 1,400-pound mark at 1,410 pounds to place seventh in the Super Heavyweight Division.

Thompson had a career squat of 525 pounds, benched 385 pounds and deadlifted 500 pounds. Thompson benched 400 pounds, but was called for head movement by two of the three judges.

"He really looked great on the lift," Wesley said. "I can not say enough about the effort our kids demonstrated when they knew they were a long shot to place at the meet. There were two athletes that attempted 830 pounds on the squat; there were three athletes that lifted over 450 pounds in the bench. It was such an intimidating meet and I thought our kids performed well under this Aaron Hayden of Pampa had immense pressure. The work

Los Angeles (Valdes 10-11) at Cincinnati (Tomko 11-Pillsburgh (Lieber 11-14) at N.Y. Mets (Mick 8-12), San Diego (P.Smith 7-6) at St. Louis (Mercker 8-11), Montreal (Valdes 4-4) at Chicago Cubs (Mulholland San Francisco (D.Darwin 5-11) at Artzona (Adamson Philadelphia (Greene 4-4) at Atlanta (Millwood 5-3), 7:10 p.m. Milwaukee (Juden 0-1) at Florida (Meadews 0-0), 7:06 p.m. Colorado (Thompson 3-3) at Houston (Bergman 2-4), 8:05 p.m. All Times EDT Milwaukse at Florida, 1:05 p.m. Philadelphia at Atlanta, 1:10 p.m. Los Angeles at Cincinnati, 1:15 p.m. Pittsburgh at N.Y. Mets, 1:40 p.m. San Diego at St. Louis, 2:10 p.m. Montreal at Chicago Cubs, 2:20 p.m. Colorado at Houston, 2:35 p.m. San Francisco at Arizona, 8:06 p.m. American League At A Glance **By The Associated Press East Division** Boston 1.000 Baltimore .667 Tampa Bay .667 .500 Toronto New York .000 Central Division Pct. GB Cleveland 1.000 Chicago .500 Minnesota .500 Kansas City .333 Pct. GB Anaheim 1.000 Texas Oakland .500 .000 Wedneeday's Games Baltimore 10, Kansas City 1 Toronto 3. Minnesota 2 Tampa Bay 11, Detroit 8 Cleveland 9, Seattle 7 Anaheim 4, N.Y. Yankees 1 Only games scheduled San Francisco (Gardner 12-9) at Arizona (Suppan 0-

Tampa Bay 7, Detroit 1 Texas 20, Chicago While Sox 4 Only games scheduled Texas (Helling 5-9) at Toronto (Ju. Guzman 3-6), 7:05 Chicago White Sox (Baldwin 12-15) at Tampa Bay Detroit (Sanders 6-14) at Baltimore (Drabek 12-11), Kansas Olty (Haney 1-2) at Minnesota (Radke 20-10), 8:05 p.m. Boston (Lowe 2-6) at Seattle (Cloude 4-2), 10:05 Cleveland (Burba 11-10) at Anaheim (McDowell 3-3), 10:05 p.m. N.Y. Yankees (Mendoza 8-6) at Oakland (Haynes 3-6), 10:35 p.m. Texas (Oliver 13-12) at Toronto (Williams 9-14), 1:05 Detroit (Keagle 3-5) at Baltimore (Kamieniecki 10-6), N.Y. Yankees (Cone 12-6) at Oakland (Oquist 4-6), Chicago White Sox (Eyre 4-4) at Tampa Bay (Springer 9-9), 6:35 p.m. Kansas City (Pichardo 3-5) at Minnesota (Morgan 9-Boston (Rose 0-0) at Seattle (Swift 4-6), 9:05 p.m. Cleveland (Colon 4-7) at Anaheim (Watson 12-12), 10:05 p.m. Sunday's Games All Times EDT Texas at Toronto, 1:05 p.m. Chicago White Sox at Tampa Bay, 1:35 p.m. Detroit at Baltimore, 1:35 p.m. Kansas City at Minnesota, 2:05 p.m. Cleveland at Anaheim, 4:05 p.m.

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Anderson 540; High handicap game: Toni Connelly 252; High handicap series: Toni Connelly 651. TRANSACTIONS BASEBALL American League
TAMPA BAY DEVIL RAYS—Claimed RHP Eddle

Gaillard off waivers and assigned him to Durham of the International League. National League
CINCINNATI REDS—Placed 1B Sean Casey on
the 15-day disabled list. Called up RHP Todd Williams from Indianapolis of the International

NBA-Fined Detroit Pistons G Jerry Stackhouse \$5,000 and suspended Cleveland Cavaliers F Shawn Kemp, F Vitaly Potapenko and F Shawnelle Scott one game without pay and fined them \$2,500 for their roles in a fight during an April 1 game.

National Hockey League NHL—Suspended Philadelphia Flyers F Dainius Zubrus two games and fined him \$1,000 for slashin Chicago Blackhawks D Chris Chelios in a March 3 game. ANAHEIM MIGHTY DUCKS—Signed RW Teemu

Selanne to a two-year contract extension. BUFFALO SABRIES—Agreed to terms with D Richard Smehlik on a multiyear contract.

NEW JERSEY DEVILS—Recalled C Brandan Morrison from Alberry of the AHL. PHILADELPHIA FLYERS—Recalled G Neil Little from Philadelphia of the AHL. PHOENIX COYOTES—Assigned RW Jocelyn Lemieux to Springleid of the AHL.
TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS—Receiled F Lonny Bohonos from St. John's of the AHL HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL BRYAN, Texas (AP) - State high school baseball polls for the week ending April 6, as selected by the Texas High School Baseball Chaches Association: CLASS 5A 1. Lubbook Monterey (16-2) 2. CC Moody (16-2-1) 3. Klein (15-1) 4. Round Rock (14-2) Bellaire (18-2) 6. Spring (11-3-1) San Antonio Madison (12-0) 8. Duncanville (11-3) 9. Marshall (18-2) 10. Fort Bend Austin (15-2) CLASS 4A 1. Calallen (16-1) 2. Little Cyprese-Mauriceville (16-2) 3. Brownwood (15-1) 4. Nederland (13-3) 5. Highland Park (12-4) 7. Waxahachie (10-2) 9. Waco Connally (12-3) 10. Athens (12-3) CLASS 3A 1. Hallettsville (13-1) 2 Lake Dallas (13-2) 3. Liberty (13-1) 4. Aledo (12-2) 5. Wimberley (15-2) 7. Waco Robinson (12-1) 9. Kemp (13-0) 10. Fallurias (13-3) CLASS 2A 1. Gunter (12-0) 3. Riviera (14-1) 5. Alto (11-3)

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Houde to Fredericton of the AHL.

# Middleton, Lewis capture top honors at Childress Tri-State High School Rodeo

CHILDRESS — Middleton of Lazbuddie won two events and was named allaround cowgirl at the Tri-State around cowgirl at the Tri-State Barrel racing: 1. Randus London, High School Rodeo held in Freedom, 17.738 seconds; 2. Andrea Childress last weekend.

Pittsburgh (Loaiza 11-11) at N.Y. Mets (Reed 13-9),

Philadelphia (Grace 3-2) at Atlanta (Neagle 20-5),

Colorado (Wright 8-12) at Houston (Lima 1-6), 8:05

San Diego (Langston 2-4) at St. Louis (Aybar 2-4),

"0), 9:05 p.m.

Saturday's Games

Lauren all-around cowboy. Tri-State High School Rodeo (top 3 places) at Childress

Boston 6, Oaldand 3

Whaley, Wheeler, 17.895; 3. Julie Dawson, Canadian, 18,078. Monty Lewis of Hereford was Breakaway roping: 1. Lauren Middleton,

Lazbuddie, 3.180 seconds; 2. Brandi Brown, Dumas, 3.250; 3. Kori Merrick, Wheeler, 5.340. Pole bending: 1. Jera Harris, Lubbock,

21.711; 2. Katrenia Kelling, Dumas, 22.860; 3. Heidi Ward, Childress, 22.935. Goat tying: 1. Lauren Middleton, Lazbuddie, 9.430 seconds; 2. Leann Keathley, Wheeler, 10.300; 3. Julie

Dawson, Canadian, 10.920. Calf roping: 1. Josh Morris, Lazbuddie, 10.540; 2. T.J. Good, Hereford, 10.950; 3. Jeffery Seaton, Lazbuddie, 7.190. Ribbon roping: 1. Rodey Wilson, Hereford, 6.430l; 2. Monty Lewis, Hereford, 6.520; Jeffery Lazbuddie, 7.190. Team roping: 1. Andy Jones-Leland

Justin Koch-Pake Maynes, Canadian, 6.500; 3. Jace Crabb-Garrison Nippert, McLean, 6.580. Bareback: 1. Luke Pitts, Swisher, 64

points; 2. (tie) Wes Tow, River Road, 60; and Shawn Patrick, Boys Ranch 63; 4. Thomas Wieger, Randall, 53. Saddle bronc: 1. Neal Daniel, Childress.

Wood, Childress, 6.220 seconds; 2. 79 points; 2. Leland Wood, Childress, 66; 3. Shawn Patrick, Boys Ranch, 63. Bull riding: 1. Dan Henricks, Canadian, 75 points; 2. Layne McCasland, Wheeler, 74; 3. Mike Johnson, Wheeler, 71. All-around cowgirl: Lauren Middleton, Lazbuddie, 20 points All-around cowboy: Monty Lewis, Hereford, 22 points

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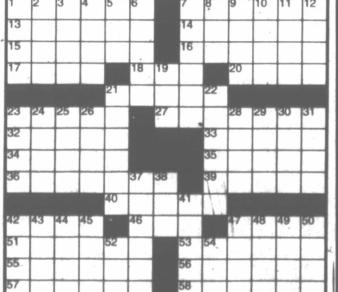
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## Orchestra prepares to wrap up 1997-98 season

AMARILLO - The Randel Chamber Orchestra will present its third and final performance of the 1997-98 season at 8 p.m. Friday, April 17 at First Baptist Church, 11th and Tyler. Tickets are not available at the door for this performance. They must be purchased in advance from the Symphony office. General admission tickets are \$10 and senior citizen/student tickets are available for \$5.

Guest conductor Kirk Edward Smith will lead the Chamber Orchestra. Smith is a native of Baltimore and is currently associate professor of Music and director of Orchestra Activities at Iowa State University. He has served two successful seasons as music director of the Central Iowa Symphony and is also currently co-conductor of the Black Music Repertory Ensemble in Chicago.

Smith earned a bachelor's of music degree and a Performance Certificate in clarinet from Shenandoah University, a master's of art degree in conducting from the University of Denver and was a doctoral fellow in conducting at Ball State University. Recent guest conducting appearances include concerts with the Des Moines Symphony, the Dayton Philharmonic and performances in Taipei. His principal conducting teachers were Bruck, Harold Charles Farberman and James Setapen. He has participated in master classes with many major conducting teachers including Samuel Jones.

Randel Orchestra will be also joined by the Grand Prize winner of the Amarillo Symphony Guild's Young Performers' Competition, pianist Caleb Harris of Gruver.

The orchestra will open the concert with Rossini's Overture to "Cinderella." The second selection is Ginastera's virtuoso showpiece for orchestra, "Variaciones Concertantes." The second half will begin with the first movement of Saint-Saens Piano Concerto No. 2 featuring Caleb Harris. After the concerto, the Chamber Orchestra will be joined by the Amarillo Symphony Youth Orchestra in excerpts from Tchaikovsky's Swan Lake Suite and Finlandia by Sibelius.

This concert is the final concert for the Randel Chamber Orchestra this season. The Amarillo Symphony Youth Orchestra will give their final free performance at 4 p.m., Sunday, April 26 at Tascosa High School under the direction of Dr. Gary Garner. He is currently in his 35th year at West Texas A&M University, where he is professor of Music and director of Bands and Orchestra. Dr. Garner also prepared the Youth Orchestra for this joint appearance with the Randel Chamber Orchestra.

#### Teen-ager accused of killing baby not given death penalty

WILMINGTON, Del. (AP) -Prosecutors have reduced the charge against a teen-ager accused of killing her newborn son, sparing her the possibility of a death sentence.

Amy Grossberg, 19, is accused of ordering her boyfriend to throw their baby in a trash bin after she gave birth in a Newark, N.J., motel in 1996.

Prosecutors sent Superior Court Judge Henry duPont Ridgely a letter Wednesday saying they would drop the first-degree murder charge in favor of second-degree mur-

No explanation was included in the letter and lawyers, under a gag order, did not return calls for comment. Ridgely signed the order Thursday.

Second-degree murder is defined by Delaware law as recklessly causing a person's death "under circumstances which manifest a cruel, wicked and depraved indifference to human life."

The charge carries a prison sentence of two to 20 years. Ms. Grossberg also remains charged with murder by abuse or neglect, punishable by 15 years to life in prison.

## Third annual Storytelling Festival to be held this month at Clarendon College

al storytelling festival at 7 p.m. Thursday, April 23 in the Bairfield Activity Center. The theme of the evening is "Tumbleweed Tales." Admission is \$2 per person, with proceeds going to Fine Arts scholarships at Clarendon College.

Headlining the evening performance will be professional storyteller Gayle Ross. She is a direct descendant of Chief John Ross, principal chief of the Cherokee Nation during the infamous Trail of Tears. Since 1979, Ross has traveled the country telling is an ancient art form, which has slowly been replaced by television, and the country telling is an ancient art form, which has slowly been replaced by television, and the country telling is an ancient art form, which has slowly been replaced by television, and the country telling is an ancient art form, which has slowly been replaced by television, and the country telling is an ancient art form, which has slowly been replaced by television, and the country telling is an ancient art form, which has slowly been replaced by television, and the country telling is an ancient art form, which has slowly been replaced by television, and the country telling is an ancient art form, which has slowly been replaced by television, and the country telling is an ancient art form, which has slowly been replaced by television, and the country telling is an ancient art form, which has slowly been replaced by television. Native American stories at schools, libraries, colleges and festivals. She has recorded two audiotapes of Cherokee stories, and her stories have appeared on two educational videotapes. Ross' collection of Cherokee rabbit stories, "How Rabbit Tricked Otter," the door, or by calling Charla Crump, CC speech instructor at (806) 874-3571.

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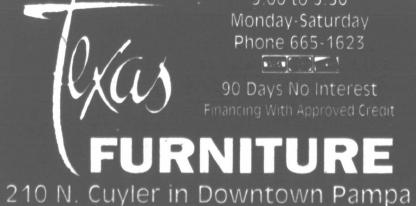
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