

High today 77 Low tonight low 50s For weather details see Page 2.

No ticket correctly matched all six numbers drawn Saturday night for the twiceweekly Lotto Texas game, state lottery officials said.

The ticket would have been worth an estimated \$29 mil-

The numbers drawn Saturday night from a field of 50 were: 3-5-15-39-44-45

Wednesday night's drawing will be worth an estimated \$37 million.

ARLINGTON (AP) — A registered sex offender has been jailed on a charge of violating his parole for allegedly videotaping pre-teen cheerleaders at a football game.

Municipal Judge Stewart Milner ordered David James Machen held at the Arlington City Jail on a charge that he violated his 10-year probation for indecency with a child, police spokesman James Hawthorne said. A hearing on the allegation has not been set

Machen, 38, was arrested at a residence in southeast Arlington Saturday night. On Tuesday, parents caught Machen using a hand-held camcorder to videotape cheerleaders ages 8, to 12 years old at a football game at the Harold Patterson Sports Complex in South Arlington.

- Jean Davis, 59, homemaker. • Melba L. Montgomery, 75, former librarian for Wheeler Schools
- Curtis Franklin Spinks, 74, retired employee of Phillips Petroleum's Plains Plant.
- Julia August Brown Stephenson, 103, homemak-
- Kailyn Brienne Wills, infant daughter of Floyd and Lori Wills.

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Busted...



(Pampa News photo by Jeff West)

Deputies Gary Noblett (with cuffs), J.R. Walker and Lt. Jim Scott arrest Dennis Hayes

Officers make theft arrest; search warrant executed

A Pampa man has been arrested for a theft—the railroad. that happened late last month involving nearly \$10,000 in oil field equipment.

theft at Schiffman Machine Company that was his car and look for the suspect. discovered Sept. 30. During the theft the thief left behind part of the chrome from a vehicle and also scraped some paint off the vehicle.

After some investigation and a suggestion from an officer, sheriff's deputies began to investigate Haves, who had been arrested in he stole and tried to sell property belonging to on \$5,000 bond over the weekend.

Friday afternoon Judge M. Kent Sims signed a search warrant and deputies from the Gray Dennis Haves, 50, 1104 S. Sumner was arrest- County Sheriff's office and representatives of ed Friday afternoon on charges he committed a the D.A's office went to Hayes' home to seize

> People in the neighborhood informed deputies that he was working for Billy Schribner Welding. Deputies converged on that location but the suspect was out driving a truck.

Minutes later the suspect returned to work and was taken into custody. He was booked Borger about the first of this month on charges into Gray County Jail Friday night but released

Teens charged in sex assault freed on bond

Two Pampa teenaged boys were free on bond today after being charged with sexual assault in connection with an attack on a Pampa woman early Saturday morning.

Logan Peter Stinnett, 19, of 1600 Holly Lane, was free today on \$8,000 bond. Jared Wayne Kirkwood, 17, of 2121 N. Dwight, was free

Both were charged with sexual assault in connection with an attack on a young Pampa woman shortly after midnight Friday, offi-

Authorities said the woman came to the Pampa Police Station early Saturday morning saying she had been taken behind a pool hall in the 400 block of West Foster and raped.

The two teenagers were arrested after being questioned by Pampa police early Saturday morning. The arresting officers, Ron Provence and Anthony Wooley, took the two boys to the Gray County Sheriff's office about 8 a.m. Saturday where the teenagers were booked into jail on sexual assault charges.

Gray County Justice of the Peace Bob Muns set bond for the two young men. Sheriff department records show that Stinnet was released after posting bond about 3:30 p.m. Saturday and Kirkwood was released on bond about 4:30 p.m. Saturday.

"The case is still under investigation," Pampa detective Beverly Officers said witnesses in the case were still being questioned.

The weekend investigation also involved the Texas Rangers and Gray County Sheriff's Office.

Gypsy couple's divorce decision creates anger

HOUSTON (AP) — A Gypsy couple's decision to seek a divorce from a civil court, instead of letting the ethnic group's elders decide their fate, has angered their countrymen in Houston, the Houston Chronicle reported Sunday.

When Mack and Michelle George decided to elope, they appeared before a council of their Gypsy elders, known as the Kris Romani. The young couple-spoke traditional vows, and no marriage certificate was ever filed.

Three years later, the Georges wanted a divorce. So they pleaded their case 1.1/2 months ago before the same Kris Romani, a council of 20 or so elders, during a private meeting at Houston's Sheraton Astrodome Hotel.

Not satisfied with the Kris Romani's decision (which differs depending on whom is asked) the couple did the unthinkable. They (See GYPSY, Page 10)

Drug unit: What grant does, doesn't cover

Staff Writer

(Part of a series)

Anyone who has ever started a business or tried to stock a house from scratch knows there are a multitude of items large and small that must be acquired.

The same is true of the proposed juvenile drug treatment facility. So, the question is, what costs have been provided for in current plans and what costs may not have been.

Because the county already owns the building and land at Hobart and Pennsylvania that has served as a nurses' housing unit there is no cost in acquiring the basic facility.

facility housing up to 30 youths will cost the juvenile facility operating two and a half

\$80,687, according to a grant application. While the state approved the grant application, it did not approve paying for the renovation and retrofitting of the actual facility. The \$60,515 that was to be the state's threequarters share would have to come from elsewhere.

County Judge Richard Peet said that making up the cost of converting the actual structure was the reason he and Nichols went back to the Pampa Economic Development Corporation to ask for financial assistance.

Because of estimates that the juvenile facility could create between 17-20 jobs the PEDC agreed to help fund the project. A figure of \$55,000 as an outright grant had been discussed at earlier meetings and the PEDC But to convert it to a secure lock-down made a grant of that amount, contingent on

years after it first opens its doors. If not, the county must pay the PEDC back.

The facility is to provide work space for 18-20 employees as well as office space for the County Juvenile Probation

Chief Juvenile Probation Officer Albert Nichols included such items as \$27,757 for fencing the rear and sides of the grounds. While the fence has caused some concern among opponents, Nichols said it would be a chain link fence that would cover about 750 feet on the back part of the land. He had previously the tence would have slats incorporated to block view into and

out of the facility. The grant application also included

(See DRUG UNIT, Page 2)

Courthouse in calendar

The landmark Gray county courthouse is featured in the fifth edition of the Old Friends: Great Texas Courthouses wall calendar series that ends with this edition. The Potter County Courthouse is also in the 1999 calendar.

The county histories included show a similarity in Gray and Potter Counties: Both had bitter battles over the county seat. Lefors held off challenges before Pampa won out for good.

The catendar is available at bookstores, museums and through historial groups.

West Texas — It's a world unto itself

By MIKE COCHRAN **JOHN LUMPKIN Associated Press Writers**

(Second of a series)

The pioneer spirit and relentless solitude of West Texas frequently are reflected in Wext Texans, such as Judge Roy Bean of Langtry, the "Law West of the

The judge, with his beer-drinking bear at his side, once fined a dead man all the money he had on him. Got him for loiter-

It could have been a similar instinct that motivated Billie Soft.

Once a Pecos entrepreneur and Democratic confidant of Lyndon Johnson, Estes, 73, now resides in Brady. The bestknown fertilizer salesman in Texas history still is wheeling and dealing despite two federal prison stints and several

The laughter has faded somewhat for Stanley Marsh, best known for burying a fleet of 10 Cadillacs nose down, fins up along old Route 66 outside Amarillo.

More recently, his mock street signs ("Steal This Sign," "Big Deal," "Blood,") brought his on-again, off-again feuding with Amarillo's equally rich and prominent Whittenburg family to a

other brushes with the law.

Then there was "The Wizard of the West," the late Tom "Pinkie" Roden, who cast a long and sometimes dark shadow over the lives of many Texans.

As crafty and cunning as a covote, Pinkie was a shy, gentle, stuttering, freckle-taced, enigmatic hulk who grew up dirt poor, made a fortune on illegal whiskey and then founded the most far flung, Byzantine legal liquor store chain in all of Texas.

During his earlier days, investigators quietly bought his souped-up used cars

of catching one of his drivers.

In his prime, Pinkie could be found socializing with governors or shooting dice with legendary gamblers such as Duck Mallard.

"He drove us crazy," said the late Coke Stevenson Ir., once the state liquor board administrator and an improbable admirer. "But I couldn't help but like him.

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More recently, his mock street signs so they might occasionally have a chance ("Steal This Sign," "Big Deal," "Blood,")

brought his on-again, off-again feuding with Amarillo's equally rich and prominent Whittenburg family to a boil.

"He uses his signs as an attractive nuisance to lure and then compromise and threaten — teenage boys into doing his bidding," alleged a lawsuit filed by the Whittenburgs. A special prosecutor alse brough, five felony counts.

Marsh denied the charges, but he pleaded no contest to two related misdemeanors

Pinpointing West Texas can be a blood

Brownwood seems the quintessential West Texas city, which is a bit odd, since its lineage is suspect and it's not overrun with oil rigs. It was tounded on land donated by a tarmer named Greenleat Fisk, and its first mayor was named Q.C.

It once was Apache territory, but the Comanches displaced the Apaches, who (See WEST TEXAS, Page 3)



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Services tomorrow

STEPHENSON, Julia Augusta Brown — 2 p.m. First Baptist Church, Skellytown, burial will be in Memory Gardens, Pampa by Brown Funeral Directors of Borger.

Obituaries

JEAN DAVIS

HEREFORD - Jean Davis, 59, died Friday, Oct.

Services will be at 2 p.m today in Rose Chapel, Gilland-Watson Funeral Home, with Joe James of Joe James Ministries officiating. Burial will be in West Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Davis was born at Llano. She was a homemaker. In 1959 she moved from Morton to Deaf

She married Elvis Davis in 1975 at Amarillo. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Heather Davis, in 1978.

Survivors include her husband; three sons, Tony Gilliam of Dawn, Travis Gilliam of Hereford and Monty Gilliam of Salina, Kan.; a daughter, Shelly Fellers of Hereford; two brothers, Bud Newman of Borger and Fred Newman of Temple, Okla.; two sisters, Faye Thomas of Manson and June Bridges of Cisco; and seven grandchildren.

The family will be at 917 S. Ave. K in Hereford. They request memorials be to Don and Sybil Harrington Center, Amarillo.

MELBA L. MONTGOMERY

WHEELER - Melba L. Montgomery, 75, died Friday, Oct. 9, 1998.

Services will be at 10:30 a.m. today in First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Robert Lindley, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Wheeler Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home.

Mrs. Montgomery was born in Wheeler. A lifelong resident, she graduated from Wheeler High School. She was a graduate of Texas State College for Women in Denton.

For 11 years, Mrs. Montgomery was a librarian for Wheeler schools. She was a member of the 54 Study Club, a past president of United Methodist Women, a former Cub Scout den mother and a former Band Booster.

Mrs. Montgomery was a member of First United Methodist Church, where she taught Sunday School for 16 years. For 10 years, she was a member of the Golden Spread Emmaus Community. For the past two years she had been active in the Kairos Prison Ministry.

She married Jim Montgomery in 1947 at

Survivors include her husband, two sons, Gary Montgomery of Stephenville; a daughter, Lou Hubbard of Norman, Okla.; two brothers, Paul Wiley of Austin and Bill Wiley of Miami, Texas; three sisters, Marylin Saddy of Jamaica, New York, Marthalys Hutchison of Dallas and Celeste Wilay of Wheeler; seven grandchildren; and one great-grandson.

The family requests memorials be to Kairos

CURTIS FRANKLIN SPINKS STINNETT - Curtis Franklin Spinks, 74, died

Friday, Oct. 9, 1998. Services will be at 2 p.m. today in First Baptist

Church with Rev. Orville Rogers, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Dumas Cemetery by Brown Funeral Directors of Borger.

Mr. Spinks was born in Tell. He was an Army veteran of World War II, serving as private first class. In 1962 he moved to the Stinnett area. He retired as a catalyst operator with Phillips Petroleum's Plains Plant. He was a member of First Baptist Church. He married Eleanor Foster in 1958 at Dumas.

Survivors include his wife, two sons, Jerry Bolander of Borger and Davis C. Spinks of Waxahachie; two daughters, Dianne Hart of Mont Belvieu and Linda Herbers of Midvale, Utah; a brother, Weldon Spinks of Childress; two sisters, Syble Bannett of Fritch and Betty Black of Groom; 10 grandchildren; and 14 great grand-

Visitation will be at the funeral home until service time. Memorials may be made to Hospice of the Panhandle, 300 S. McGee St. Borger, TX

JULIA AUGUSTA BROWN STEPHENSON SKELLYTOWN - Julia Augusta Brown

Stephenson, 103, died Saturday, Oct. 10, 1998. Services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Fines Marchman, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery in Pampa, by Brown Funeral

Directors of Borger. Mrs. Stephenson was born in Anthony, Kan. In 1927, she moved to the Borger area from Sharon Springs, Kan. She was a Stellytown resident for 28 years. She was a homemaker and a member of

First Baptist Church. Her husband, George Stephenson, died in 1953. She also was preceded in death by three sons, Calvin Stephenson, Ben Stephenson and George "Steve" Stephenson, and by two daughters, Annabel Brown of Borger and Francis Richardson of Amarillo; and 23 grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Crown of Texas Hospice or to First Baptist Church in

KAILYN BRIENNE WILLS

GROOM - Kailyn Brienne Wills, infant, died Friday, Oct. 9, 1998

Services will be at 10 a.m. today at St. Mary's Cemetery, with the Rev. Ray Crosier of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Amarillo, officiating. Kailyn Wills was born in Amarillo.

Survivors include, her parents Floyd and Lori Wills of Groom; Grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wills and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Poarch. Great grandparents, Hester Williams, Theresa Wills, and Pauline Brown.

Emergency numbers

Ambulance	 911
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Police report

The Pampa Police Department reported the following arrests and reports during the 48-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Saturday, October 10 Jared Wayne Kirkwood, 17, 2121 N. Dwight,

was arrested on charges of sexual assault. Logan Peter Stinnett, 19, 1600 Holly Lane, was arrested on charges of sexual assault.

Connie Denise Ballard, 30, 1210 E. Francis, was arrested on charges of theft and warrants.

Burglary of a vehicle was reported at Wal-Mart. Criminal mischief was reported in the 500 block of Frost.

Burglary of a vehicle was reported in the 900 block of S. Faulkner.

Theft was reported at Wal-Mart.

Sunday, October 11 Jason Shane Thomas, 24, 912 E. Denver, was arrested on charges of theft by check.

Thomas Ray Carver, 18, 900 E. Brunow, was arrested on a warrant.

Domestic assault was reported in the 1100 block of Seneca.

Sheriff's Office

The Gray County Sheriff's Department reported the following arrests during the 48-hour peri od ending at 7 a.m. today.

Saturday, October 10 Harold Gene Watson, 62, 2118 N. Banks, was

arrested on charges of criminal mischief. Allen Lee Baumgardner, 36, 620 Red Deer, was arrested on charges of violating promise to

appear and speeding. Sunday, October 11 Kenneth Ray Black, 43, 408 N. Sumner, was

arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated

Accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported the following accidents during the 48-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Friday, October 9

Alicia Lumpkin, 53, 1224 Darby, was cited for an unsafe turn when her 1985 GMC pickup attempted a right turn from the street center and struck the 1988 Fleetwood driven by Margie H. Walken, 74, 1610 Williston, at the corner of Randy Matson and Williston. No injuries were reported.

Duane Waldrop, 34, 1125 S. Sumner, was cited for disregarding a traffic light when his 1988 Chevrolet Cheyenne failed to stop and struck the 1969 LTD driven by Vera Hall, 76, 411 Maple at Hobart and Somerville. Hall reported possible

Shawna G. Snapp, 17, 2205 Sumner, was cited for passing on the right without safety when her 1998 Escort pulled beside the 1997 Monte Carlo driven by Cari D. Walker, 16, 1225 Finley, who then moved right to turn in the 100 block of W. Harvester. No injuries were reported.

Saturday, October 10 Jimmy Don Baggett, 44, was cited for following too close when his 1995 Ford pickup struck the 1997 Ford pickup driven by Mary C. Winton, 62, 301 Tignor, who was cited for failing to signal when she turned in the 400 block of S. Cuyler. No injuries were reported.

David Albert Hunter, 63, was cited for failure to yield right of way when his 1994 Chevrolet Silvarado failed to stop at Hobart and 23rd and struck the 1993 GMC Van driven b Roxanne R Jennings, 41, 945 Cinderella. Possible injuries were reported by a passenger in the van Nick Jennings, 15.

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Cabot 23 15/16	up 13/16	West Texas Crude	
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Calendar of events

CHILDREN'S THEATER CLASSES The Gem Theater will be holding Fall acting

classes for children ages 6-12 at 4:30 p.m. at the Gem Theat r. The cost of the course is \$45 and will be limited to 15 children. For more information or any questions call Dr. Carale Manning Hill at 944-5383.

TRALEE CRISIS CENTER FOR WOMEN

Tralee Crisis Center for Women is offering an in-house support group for victims of family violence. Meetings will be Tuesday's from 11 a.m.-12 noon and on Thursday's from 7-8 p.m. For more information call (806) 669-1131. All calls are kept

PRE-SCHOOL STORY HOUR

The Lovett Memorial Library is presenting a Pre-School Story Hour every Tuesday at 10 a.m. This story hour is for children aged 3 to 5 years old. The story takes place at the Lovett Memorial Library which is now located at Baker Elementary School at 300 E. Tuke. Schedules are available at the library and if parents have any questions, they can call Shanala Brookshire at

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

Order of the Eastern Star Gavel Club will meet for their regular meeting on Oct. 13 at 11:30 a.m. at the Pampa Senior Citizens Center.

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DRUG UNIT

\$31,868 for office renovation which included building offices for the probation department that would move from the courthouse. Also to be built are offices for staff to run the facility.

Just under \$14,000 is budgeted to expand heating and air conditioning and to upgrade the electrical system. A detoxification room and making the building handicapped accessible are listed at \$3,000 each and wall dividers for the offices would cost

The grant application includes an estimate of \$36,463 for equipment for the facility. The grant application has the cost of those items split on a 50-50 basis with the county rather than the 75-25 split on most of the items. The most expensive item in this category is a new telephone system that is listed at \$14,000 but there is also \$2,753 for the lease of a copy machine and \$2,040 for office desks. There is also a listing for 10 filing cabinets totaling \$1,400 as

well as various kinds of chairs and office machines. The equipment to house 30 youths include just over \$4,300 for beds and mattresses, \$2,200 for an ice machine and two refrigerators and a freezer that

is estimated to cost \$2,300. Other items such as couches, chairs, and washing and drying machines are also included under the same category. Supplies mentioned in the grant application run the range of necessities from postage for a year at

\$640 to utilities which were estimated at \$22,000. The supplies part of the application was approved by the state with a quarter match from the county with the exception of one item. A \$6,000 estimate for shoes and uniforms for the juveniles was eliminated by the state.

'We may have to start without the uniforms," Nichols said. "I think when you take these kind of kids in, you take away the identity of a gang member or anything else when you put uniforms on them. If I can't do that right at first until I get some money coming in [from state payments for drug treatment] then I'll just put Levis on them."

Alleged sex offender seen with murder victim on her last day

year-old Ryan Harris on the day she was killed, an

The witness, a 15-yea. old girl from Ryan's neighborhood, picked out Floyd Durr's photo from a lineup Friday, according to attorney R. Eugene

Pincham represents one of the two boys, ages 7 and 8, originally charged with killing Ryan, whose body was found July 28 in a weedy, vacant lot in the Englewood neighborhood, on Chicago's South Side.

Durr, 29, is accused of raping a 14-year-old at gunpoint in a stairwell Jan. 8, raping a 10-year-old girl on her way to a store Jan. 14 and sexually assaulting an 11-year-old girl in an abandoned building May 20. All of the attacks were in Englewood.

Pincham said he learned of Durr's identification from family members of the teen-age witness. Chicago police spokesman Pat Camden declined to

Durr, who has not been charged in Ryan's death, awas denied bond in the three assault cases and is being held at the Cook County Jail.

The Chicago Tribune, quoting unnamed police, sources, reported Sunday that DNA testing of material on Ryan's underwear links Durr to the killing. According to the sources, Durr admitted he performed a sex act over the girl's body after she had been killed but denies killing her.

Ryan's killing drew national attention when the

CHICAGO (AP) — A man charged with assault- two young boys were charged. The charges were ing three young girls was spotted walking with 11- dismissed Sept. 4 after semen was found in the girl's underwear and medical experts said it was highly unlikely that boys so young could produce semen.

Fires

The Pampa Fire Department reported the following calls during the 48-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Saturday, October 10

8:03 a.m. - Three units and five personnel responded to Highway 152 and Gray 2 on an

12:04 p.m. — Two units and five personnel responded to 23rd and Hobart on an automobile

7:31, p.m. — Three units and five personnel responded to 400 S. Perry on a damaged gas meter leaking gas. Sunday, October 11

9:10 a.m. — Three units and seven personnel responded to a false alarm at Columbia Medical

7:33 p.m. — One unit and three personnel responded to Columbia Medical Center on a Lifestar standby.

Monday, October 12 4:59 a.m. — Three units and seven personnel respond to an alarm at 1504 W. Kentucky.

Ambulance

The Rural/Metro reported the following calls during the 48-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today. Saturday, October 10

10:06 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to a local Medical Center. nursing facility and transported one to Columbia Medical Center. 12:04 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to 23rd Columbia Medical Center.

and Hobart. No one was transported. 12:31 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the the block of E. Francis. No one was transported. 600 block of Bradley. No one was transported.

12:53 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to Columbia Medical Center and transferred one to a Columbia Medical Center. local nursing facility

Jordan Unit and transported one to Columbia

Jordan Unit and and transported one to Columbia Medical Center. Medical Center. Sunday, October 11

12:44 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to Barnes the VA Medical Center in Amarillo. and McCullough and transported one to Columbia

Medical Center.

8:20 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 800 block of Montagu and transported one to Columbia 12:37 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 2500

block of Perryton Parkway and transported one to 4:59 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 900

5:16 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 2300 block of Rosewood and transported one to

7:09 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to 1:43 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the Columbia Medical Center and transported one to Baptist St. Anthony's in Amarillo.

7:25 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 1100 2:39 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the block of Seneca and transported one to Columbia

> 10:17 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to Columbia Medical Center and transported one to

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

Mostly sunny today with a high of 77 and winds from the northeast at 5-10 before shifting to the southeast. Tonight, mostly clear with some areas of fog, a low in the low 50s and southeast winds from 5-10 mph. Tomorrow, morning clouds and fog before clearing to mostly sunny skies with a high in the mid 80s and winds from the south at 10 mph. Sunday's high

was 78; the overnight low 50.

REGIONAL FORECAST WEST TEXAS — Panhandle - Tonight, mostly clear, patchy fog developing. Low near 50. Southeast wind around 10 mph. Tuesday, morning low clouds and fog, otherwise mostly sunny. High 80 to 85. South wind 10 to 15 mph. Tonight, mostly clear, northeast to 85 south. patchy fog developing. Low near 50. Southeast wind around 10 mph. Tuesday, morning low clouds and fog, otherwise mostly sunny. High 80 to 85. South

Basin/Upper Trans Pecos — Valley/Edwards Plateau — 50s. Tuesday, mostly sunny. Highs in the mid 80s. Far West Texas — Tonight, clear. Lows in the 50s. Tuesday, sunny. Highs Guadalupe Mountains/Big Bend Area 40s to near 60. Tuesday, mostly plains.

Rio Grande. then becoming partly cloudy. Partly cloudy east. Highs 79

mountains to mid 90s along the

SOUTH TEXAS Texas — Tonight and Tuesday, where. late night and early morning 55. Tuesday, mostly sunny. in the 80s. Southeast Texas and

Highs in the mid 80s. Permian Upper Texas Coast — Tonight, a slight chance of mainly evening Tonight, fair. Lows in the mid showers. Low near 60 inland to 50s. Tuesday, mostly sunny. near 70 coast. Tuesday, some Highs in the upper 80s. Concho early morning fog near the coast. Otherwise mostly sunny. High in Tonight, fair. Lows in the upper the 80s. Coastal Bend and the Rio Grande Plains - Tonight, late night clouds and fog. Low in the 60s inland, 70s coast. Tuesday, early morning clouds and fog becoming partly cloudy with isolated showers coastal bend. Tonight, fair. Lows from the mid High in the 80s, 90s Rio Grande sunny. Highs from lower 80s

BORDER STATES

NEW MEXICO - Tonight, fair skies. Lows upper 20s to mid NORTH TEXAS - Tonight, 40s mountains and north with partly cloudy. Lows 54 north to 40s to mid 50s southern lownear 60 south. Tuesday, morning lands. Tuesday, fair to partly cloudiness west and central, cloudy skies. Warm Tuesday afternoon. Highs upper 60s to near 80 mountains and northwest, with 80s to lower 90s south and east. Lows upper 20s to 30s Country and South Central mountains with 40s and 50s else-

OKLAHOMA - Tonight, clouds and fog. Otherwise partly mostly clear. Low upper 40s to wind 10 to 15 mph. Low Rolling cloudy. Low in the 50s Hill upper 50s. Tuesday, mostly Plains - Tonight, fair. Lows 50- Country, 60s south central. High sunny. High upper 70s to mid

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in turn were removed by the U.S. Army in 1874-75.

Brownwood is a showcase for West Texas illogic: You must be a "member" of a private club to buy a mixed drink, but anyone can purchase a truckload of booze at the town's liquor stores.

A creek runs through town, which sounds idyllic. But it's usually dry until the first heavy rainfall. Then it floods, not unlike sister cities all across the region.

Brownwood's got a splendidly daft undertaker named Groner Pitts and a motel that once claimed to be "The Best Little Snorehouse in Texas." But it is best known for coach Gordon Wood's schoolboy football

at Stamford, added seven state titles at Brownwood and retired as the winningest high school

"There is nothing that will pull a whole town together like a good football team," says Wood, whose buddies in Brownwood and across West Texas are quick

"There's just something about a winning football team, especially in a little town," says Brownwood builder Herman Bennett. "When Gordon Wood

everyone got behind the team Netscape? and the town.

"Even the town started grow-

gone now but not forgotten.

most notorious stripper, Candy was a headliner at Abe Weinstein's Colony Club and the toast of Big D's darker side in the freewheeling Fifties. "I named her, started her in business, managed her," Weinstein bragged.
"She packed the house every night."

After a nasty little drug bust, drifted out Candy Brownwood and eventually into self-imposed anonymity.

but its residents heartily pro- Kentucky Derby. claim their West Texas heritage while living right smack in the geographical center of the state. So says a historical marker housed the cast of "Giant." tucked away on a nearby ranch populated in large part by moun-

Memphis. For that matter, they need not cross an ocean to locate

tain lions and rattlesnakes.

There's also an Eden and a Nazareth out here, but the latter's known less for its Biblical ties than its girls' basketball

Levelland is in fact level and the view from Plainview is

Jim Clark's his name. Trees do grow in Notrees and while there is no real lake in Big And then there's Candy Barr, Lake, there once was a giant pool of oil. The University of Texas Perhaps the Lone Star state's owned much of the arid grazing land around Big Lake when the Allen's in Abilene, a peppered ress made it clear the only items Santa Rita No. 1 blew in on May sirloin at the 50-Yard-Line in on the menu were beef, adding

> The discovery made the university zillions of dollars and one of the richest schools in America, of prosperity for much of West

Not to pick on Brownwood, Marfa that raced in the 1983 northeast of San Angelo.

worry. Movie buffs will long remember Marfa as the town that

Larry McMurtry, our semireclusive literary treasure, put in natural juices and enhanced Claude on the cinematic map by mounds of freshly cut french with "Hud" ("Horseman, Pass fries. For West Texans, there is no By") and his hometown of

He also won a Pulitzer for vides many fond memories. "Lonesome Dove," creating two Woodrow Call.

it as the Cholesterol Trail.

There's no escaping Monkey's 90 seconds. indeed plain. But did you know brisket in Borger, Bar-L's ribs in

ly-style fried chicken in ple. weetwater.

prince, but steak's still king whether it's a chicken-fried platter at Possum Hollow on Possum Kingdom Lake, a ribeye at Joe Lubbock or a KC Strip at Perini's Steak Ranch in Buffalo Gap.

Figure this: The owner of Perini's, and his cookware, were at the same time triggering an era escorted to Japan to demonstrate his West Texas grilling expertise.

The taste in West Texas beef Marfa's got a multiple claim to emporiums is in fact often fame, with its enchanting and exquisite and the price is usually a Texas thoroughbred named than yesteryear's Lowake Inn

Folks from hundreds of miles The horse lost, but not to around would drive or even fly into the private airstrip near the barn-like inn to guzzle frosty mugs of beer and consume platters of grilled steaks swimming

Steak House up the road pro-

memorable characters in Texas there's the Big Texan Steak Rangers Gus McRae and Ranch, which ballyhoos a free 72-Meanwhile, the historic Heiple of Pampa showed up Hawkins, but was known as colleagues, Marge served as Chisholm Trail lives on...much of recently with Taboo the tiger, Buffalo Bill when he sang with a moderator of the entire

"For dessert, they gave him a Plainview's most famous high Wichita Falls, Sarah's enchiladas second one," says Heiple, grin-says an Abilene reporter.

got here and we started winning, school dropout is the founder of in Fort Stockton or Allen's famining. "They were really nice peo- In the Seventies, the Children

And while Oprah Winfrey won Fried catfish may be the crown her beef defamation court battle in the Texas Panhandle, no one seemed too intimidated by all that talk of mad cow disease. At the Lone Star Bar & Grill, a waitwith a flourish: "We serve only mad cows - REALLY mad

cows." They also peddled caps and shirts with inscriptions proclaiming that "The only mad cow in Texas is Oprah."

West Texas has always been in their laps if girls intended to mysterious mountain lights and right, and few are more famous fertile grounds for religious fer-

> In fact, there's even a barbecue joint with a spiritual twist in Abilene, which, with three church colleges, is pretty much unchallenged as the buckle on the regional Bible Belt.

> At Harold's, Harold himself is known to serenade customers with lunchtime hymns.

The airstrip and the Inn are deserve the House of Yahweh. demand. need to travel to Florida to find Archer City with "The Last closed now, but the Lowake According to Texas Monthly, the Miami or to Tennessee to visit Picture Show."

Steak House up the road pro-religious sect believes Satan is a religious sect believes Satan is a woman, the Pope is her puppet salty, Scotch-sipping ex-newspa-On Interstate 40 in Amarillo, and the world will end in a cou-

> ounce chunk of beef for anyone seer" is a former Abilene cop Christian. who can eat it in an hour. Ben who calls himself Yisrayl who wolfed down the monster in rockabilly band called the Presbyterian Church U.S.A. for a Whippoorwills.

"Weird don't describe them," a missionary's zeal.

of God settled near Thurber for a spell, and the followers of David Terrell overran the area near Bangs and Coleman until allegations of tax evasion eroded Brother Terrell's appeal.

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teams.

Wood started his champienship string

coach in America.

year, at age 91. The women in town have been all over him since the news came Texas. out," said fellow golfer Jeep Spurgin, referring to an Abilene Reporter-News story.

West Texais are sports crazy, which was demonstrated most recently by the rousing, red carpet At Harold's, Harold himself is welcome of the Dallas Cowboys a West Texas county so dry "rainto their new summer camp at Wichita Falls.

deserve the House of Yahweh. has no Cowboys — or any other ing the Dust Bowl days by eating how he worked with a backhoe to According to Texas Monthly, the major professional sports team — under white sheets.

Texas dust storm, the Amarillo Sandies.

Improbably, minor league hockey has gained a West Texas and finally an ice storm. foothold. And with exotic names: Odessa Jackalopes, El Paso Buzzards, San Angelo Outlaws, Amarillo Rattlers.

And then there's the Flying Queens of Wayland Baptist College, who put Plainview on cripple the crops. the sports map in the mid-1950s with the nation's winningest sighed one cotton official. women's basketball program. Long before gender equity in col-Claude Hutcherson flew the team to road games, hence the name.

Claude's son Mike continues the traveling tradition today.

Stamford's Charles Coody was one of Gordon Wood's star quar-Christian on a basketball scholargolf. A smart move. A Masters champ, he now is a millionaire fixture on the PGA senior circuit.

And who can forget the incredible Bobby Morrow, age 20, representing the U.S.A. and Abilene Christian College in the 1956 Olympics? His haul: gold medals So far, the campaign has trigin the 100-meter dash, the 200meter dash and the 400-meter

They called Donnie Anderson the "Golden Palomino" when he galloped out of tiny Stinnett in the Sixties to shatter rushing records at Texas Tech and break a whole Scotch-sipping ex-newspaper slew of Texans' hearts on New Year's Eve 1967. That's when Anderson spearheaded the final Killer tornadoes in Lubbock Lombardi's Packers to a 21-17 victory over the Dallas Cowboys in the infamous "Ice Bowl."

grew up today," eled the globe with a missionary's Lombardi told Anderson with a 1987.

municipal course. Did it again last hug

Strange things happen in West

Foremost, perhaps, is the weather: droughts, floods, tornadoes, dust storms, hail storms, searing heat, blue northers.

water was wet only on one side."

It's a fact that West Texans Maybe it's because West Texas shielded their dinner tables dur-

But it does have the Winters rock concert outside Lubbock. It up a piece of the wall, somebody and pulled the trigger. and the world will end in a couple Blizzards, Hereford Whitefaces attracted as many state troopers would scream." and the only high school team and reporters as paying customers and was memorable only because of the hot weather fol-tice sometimes is iffy. In a forelowed by blowing dirt, rain, cold runner to the O.J. Simpson and obsessed with death, horror to precocious little girls. Whereas All within hours.

The region's No. 1 cash crop, cotton, invariably suffers from too much or too little rain. And when Cullen Davis of killing his young everything is just about right, hail, boll weevils or other pests

"It's kind of a mixed bag,"

Just this past June 1, decadesold high-temperature records fell lege sports, aviator and alumnus in Lubbock, where it was 105; Amarillo 103; Midland, 106; and San Angelo, 105.

Temperatures soared to 109 in Wichita Falls and 110 in Childress. By July, a relentless heat wave rivaled the nightmarish summer terbacks but attended Texas of 1980 and the drought was killing people, fish, wildlife, vegebrought only scant relief; Fort

Worth had a 108-degree day. President Clinton made it official: West Texas, along with the rest of the state, was a disaster.

A freak hail storm near Dalhart once dumped waist-deep volumes of pellets, closing farm

On May 11, 1953, a storm system developed over San Angelo, spawning a tornado. It zigzagged in, out and around several West Texas hamlets as it proceeded eastward.

It then ripped the heart out of Waco, killing 114 and injuring

Green Bay drive that lifted Vince and Wichita Falls and even Hale Center rank among the most devastating in West Texas, but there really was nothing like what 48 counties. occurred at Saragosa on May 22,

Davis and Pecos and crushed a community center where residents were attending a preschool graduation. Thirty people died and more than 100 were injured.

The community center and Our Blackie Sherrod, the Dallas Lady of Guadalupe Catholic 13th Murder," the stuff of horror what amounts to the Grand Slam sports scribe, says there once was Church were reduced to strewn piles of debris.

I started to remove some of the walls that collapsed," Herman Tarin said 10 years later, recalling free victims trapped in the wreck-Years ago, someone staged a age. "Every time you tried to pick

Amarillo jury spurned the testi-1977 and acquitted millionaire stepdaughter during a bloody shooting spree at his Fort Worth mansion.

attorney, Richard Davis' 'Racehorse" Haynes, also figured in a West Texas case in which police brutality was rivaled only by police stupidity. Several of Borger's finest chased a fugitive onto the famous Four Sixes Ranch, and in the darkness and confusion gunned down not the fugitive but the ranch foreman.

They even handcuffed the mortally wounded rancher and jerked him around before he died. ship and somehow majored in tation and cash crops. September Thanks to Racehorse, that cost the city of Borger a bundle.

In another strange case, a Rotan medical aide named Bobby Templin was accused of killing his young wife in 1976, then covering up the crime by tossing a radio into a bathtub containing her nude body.

After a medical examiner ruled the death accidental, the victim's parents spent five years and thou- minor scars from skin grafts but sands of dollars conducting an investigation on their own. They eventually succeeded in arousing official suspicion, and Templin, still proclaiming his innocence, landed in prison for murder. He's still there.

Almost as bizarre was the case of Ralph Erdmann, who was West Texas' main forensic pathologist in the 1980s, handling bodies for

Make that mishandling bodies. Among his more gruesome

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The twister descended on the errors were a misplaced head and with teddy bears, gifts, cards and death was accidental, but it was

smothered by her former lover.

year-old Frankie Garcia of showed the grand champion steer Panhandle was lured to a dilapidated barn near a deserted shack known as the "Haunted House." The killer forced him to his knees,

Although West Texans rarely Milner, 19, a handsome, self-barrel races.

Johnnie Cochran Show, an movies and creating special effects like those used in slasher mony of three eyewitnesses in movies. After Milner pled guilty, Judge John Forbis declared:

What you have done is the most heinous, heartless event that

In October 1987, the nation's attention was riveted on West Texas for 58 incredible hours. That's how long it took to rescue special, and as Texas Monthly Baby Jessica from a well in reported, there's probably none Midland.

mother answered the phone, little teacher and justice of the peace, when she plunged 22 feet into an the border threat of Pancho Villa. abandoned well surrounded by a layer of super-hard rock.

sion as a rescue crew and citizen volunteers frantically dug a shaft parallel to the one that entrapped

gled into the passageway, slathered the frightened child in petroleum jelly and slid her out into the bright television lights. She lost a toe and bears some

thetic strangers showered her

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that the Heaven's Gate guru, Marshall Herff Applewhite, was from Spur.

This year, a Baptist minister in Wichita Falls denounced a pair of public library books, "Heather Has Two Mommies" and "Daddy's Roommate," that depict homosexual parents.

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West Texas — Fertile grounds for fervor...

(Last in a series)

ABILENE, Texas (AP) — West Texas has always been fertile grounds for religious fervor.

In fact, there's even a barbecue joint with a spiritual twist in Abilene, which, with three church colleges, is pretty much unchallenged as the buckle on the regional Bible Belt.

known to serenade customers with lunchtime hymns.

But even Abilenians don't religious sect believes Satan is a of its own. woman, the Pope is her puppet

of years. seer" is a former Abilene cop who calls himself Yisrayl Hawkins, but was known as Buffalo Bill when he sang with a rockabilly band

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says an Abilene reporter. In the Seventies, the Children of God settled near Thurber for a spell, and the followers of David Terrell overran the area near Bangs and Coleman until allegations of tax evasion eroded

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reporter from Big Spring and, again illogically, the region's most famous contemporary Christian. Unlikely as it seemed to former colleagues, Marge served as moderator of the entire Presbyterian Church U.S.A. for a year and trav-

zeal. Everyone loved her.

Fifty or 60 years ago, golfer Hoolie White made a hole-in-one at the No. 6 hole on the Anson

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tiny farming center between Fort parts from two different corpses an estimated \$1 million in cash packed in the same container. that sits in a trust fund awaiting Erdmann once ruled a woman's her 25th birthday. determined later she had been "Jessica: Everybody's Baby."

the 100th Judicial District."

Alone in the yard while her Jessica McClure was a year old Mrs. Stillwell once lived under

The world watched via televi-

Finally, two paramedics wig-

was described last year on the 10th anniversary of the ordeal as a child who plays the piano and French horn and zips through her Midland neighborhood on skates. After the near tragedy, sympa-

There was even a TV movie: Another spunky youngster, Then there was the "Friday the Kody Newman of Stanton, won of the stock show set in one spec-On that July night in 1990, 17- tacular year, 1984. Then 14, Kody

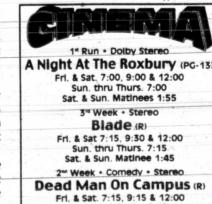
Worth, Houston, San Antonio and Denver. Her mom reports that Kody, a stuck a rifle barrel in his mouth Texas Tech marketing major, is married, back in Martin County The gunman: Kenneth Glenn and training futurity horses for

in livestock competition at Fort

And New York City has noth-Friends said Milner was ing on West Texas when it comes Eloise roamed the halls of Manhattan's Plaza Hotel in the children's literary classic, there's now a book called "Maggie at the

Maggie is the real-life daughter has ever occurred in the history of of Laurie Stevens, who until recently managed the historic Gage Hotel in Marathon with her husband Bill. Maggie's Aunt Pat illustrated the delightful tale.

Indeed, West Texas women are better to define their homeland than Hallie Stillwell. A rancher, (See WEST TEXAS, Page 10)



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The Pampa Chamber of Commerce



di Beth and Chris Roden, owners of Pampa Physical Therapy, 2111 N. Hobart, joined by Larry Coffman and son, Ryan, as they are welcomed as new chammembers by Top O' Texans Gladys Vanderpool, Warren Dahn, Mary McDaniel

lew members

It Beth and Chris Roden have opened their deals in truck accessories. "We appreciate your vote. usiness Campa Physical Therapy at 2111 membership!" the Hobert "We welcome your membership!"

SULLUC (Spin City) and is operated by Ronnie Michael G. Trimble, Centramedia, Inc., 112 East othe! hamber!".

les and-managed by Jenny Standerfer. They are Francis is also one of the newest members. The at 854 West Foster. "It's good to have you company is an Internet Service Provider. "We're President Andrew Johnson from impeachment. happy to have you as a member!"

E.A. Myatt joins us as an individual member. "Thank you for your membership!"

September CofC activities

Baker were on hand to enjoy a piece of Hermanski of Cakes By Carol located at 319 sponsored Foster Joining Carol was husband Roy and Association.

Len Rheams, Kayla Persley, Jerry Foote and their daughter Kathy, Mint and Cookie maker. Warren Dahn, Bob Marx, Kerrick Horton, Larry of scake, a mint and a cookie or two by Kathy Baker, Mary McDaniel and Susan Winborne greetthe ribbon cutting of new Chamber member ed Chamber guests at the September luncheon by the Downtown

hanks, DBA!

Everyone had a great time with Ronnie Holmes co-owner of Sweet Repeats moderated a style show ing and sing-a-long. Having a very talented musi-featuring styles and accessories from members of I trio trom l'ampa High School keeping everyone, the Downtown Business Association: Rheams time added to the fun also. There were lots of Diamond Shop; VJ's Imports & Gifts; Images; and "door prizes" for an extra treat. Linda West, Cuyler Clothing; and, Sweet Repeats.

Committees...

replayee would like to become a member of the to-date chamber information on the 2nd Friday of Membership or Tourism Committee. We each month at 8 a.m. on KGRO/KOMX. ment of participation!

RETAIL sine the 3rd Friday of each month at 8 a.m. on

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t annuattee members meet for a dutch-treat that he i Monday of the month to discuss retacts on past-due and prospective chamber

the Chamber office, 669-3241, if you or your members. This important committee keeps us up-

TOURISM

Interested in what's going on in the Pampa area? Further member retailers meet at 8:30 a.m. the Come join this committee chaired by Chamber God Vieldiesday of each month to plan seasonal Board Chairman Richard Stowers. They meet at 2 comotions and activities. All chamber member p.m., the last Tuesday of the month. Tune in to Williams are welcome to participate on the commit-KGRO/KOMX the 4th Friday at 8 a.m. to hear the Chartenan Bob Marx reports the Chamber busi- tourism news as can only be told by Loralee Cooley.

REMINDER

Columbia Medical Center of Pampa will sponsor the Nov. 17 Chamber luncheon. Hoagie's Deli will begin catering at 11:45 a.m.

Chairman's message

The time is upon us once again. I hope everyone drawing. We, as citizens and business people has their calendar marked for Oct. 17 for the 14th must be able to adapt to the situations, whether annual "Country Fair." Eats, drinks, and enter- it's \$10 oil, or as we have recently experienced, a tainment for all will be at M.K. Brown from 5 p.m. rather lengthy strike by General Motors. What we to closing.

tickets, contact any of your chamber directors (or the title from Don Taylor's seminar, it's time to me at 665-1665) and we will get the tickets in your "Shut Up, Stop Whining, and Get A Life." Always hands. And don't forget about the drawing tickets remember, it's not my Chamber, but our Chamber, for a new pickup or \$15,000 cash!!!

The word for the day is DISINTERMEDIA- do together. I look forward to seeing everyone at TION. Simply put, at least as I understand it, it the Country Fair. just means change, and our ability to cope with that change. One form of change within the Richard W. Stowers, Jr. Chamber is the difference in format on the cash Chairman of the Board

have to remember is that what's done is done. If by chance you have not been contacted about Let's build for a brighter tomorrow. And to use and it's not what you or I can do, but what we can

Your vote counts! Don't forget to cast ballot Nov. 3

The television commercials have started airing at dinnertime and the political pundits have started theorizing about which candidates will get the nod by a majority of one vote. in this fall's general election. There is one sad byproduct: the apathy of a large percentage of American voters, who often cite the excuse that "my one little vote just doesn't matter that much."

In fact, the history our state, our nation, and, indeed our world has often been changed drastical- 'tional one vote per precinct in Illinois, Missouri, ly by the awesome power of just one ballot. For

1. In 1649, one vote literally cost King Charles I of England his head. The vote to behead him was 67 against and 68 for — the ax fell based on that one

2. In 1776, one vote gave America the English language, instead of German. -3. In 1845, Texas was admitted to the union as a

state by just one vote. 4. In 1868, one vote in the U.S. Senate saved

5. In 1923, a German political party elected an exsoldier named Adolph Hitler to lead the Nazi Party

6. In 1948, A Texas convention voted Lyndon B. Johnson over ex-gov Coke Stevens in a contested senatorial election. Johnson became Senator by a one vote margin. 7. And, in the 1960 presidential election, an addi-

New Jersey and Texas could have altered the course of America's modern history by denying John F. Kennedy the presidency and placing Richard Nixon in the White House eight years earlier. 8. In 1993, the largest tax increase in our nation's

history passed the Senate by one vote; a historic vote to pass a balanced budget amendment to the U.S. Constitution fell one vote short of passage.

Voting is so easy! History has proven that your one vote on Nov. 3 can and will make a difference. (Source: Non Commissioned Officers Association, the Disability Rights Activist.

Rheams gets Sam Walton Award

Kudos go to Ken Rheams!

Assistant Manager of the Pampa Wal-Mart Store, nity.

at the September luncheon.

Ken was recognized as the recipient of the Sam This is an award given each year to an out-Walton Business Leader Award by David Brown, standing business leader in the Pampa commu-



Construction of an indoor PlayPlace is under way at McDonald's of Pampa, 1201 N. Hobart, owned by Bill and Marietta Benda. The new structure will add 40-60 seats as well as room for birthday parties. Completion is due in late November. Joining in on the celebration are Top O' Texans Joe Kyle Reeve, Randy Watson, The Bendas, Pampa manager Dawn Belaire, Mayor Bob Neslage and Scott Hahn.



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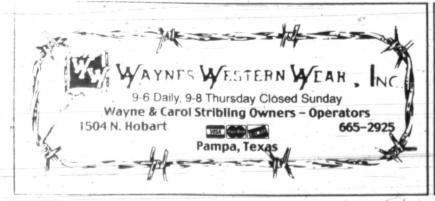
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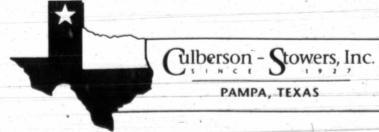
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Medical briefs

In case of an emergency...

HOUSTON-When packing for a trip, think about the information that might be needed if you or your family experience a medical the classroom," she said. emergency-especially if you're going overseas.

wallet and a spare copy in your suitcase," said Dr. Wayne J. Riley, director of the Travel Medicine Service at Houston's Baylor College of Medicine.

The form should list:

-Your name, address, and home and office phone numbers

-Blood type

-Physician's name, address, and office and emergency phone -Name, address and phone number of health-insurance carrier,

including your policy number -Chronic health problems, such as heart disease, diabetes, and

-Current medications and pharmacy name and phone number -Allergies to medications, food, insects, and animals

Prescription for glasses or contact lenses

-Name, address and phone number of family member or rela-

"Having such important information readily available in one place can help health-care workers make appropriate decisions when time is critical," Riley said. "And you won't have to worry about forgetting to mention vital information at a time when you're likely to be upset ad not thinking clearly."

Get a flu shot before vacationing in Alaska

HOUSTON- Vacationers headed to Alaska or Canada's Yukon Territory should bet a flu shot at least two weeks before traveling. A approximately 2,000 people ill and killed at least two.

"If your trip if fewer than two weeks away, get a flu shot now and ask your physician to prescribe a 14-day supply of the medication physician before giving a child iron supplements. rimantidine for protection while antibodies to the vaccine are developing," said Dr. Paul Glezen, an epidemiologist at the Influenza Research Center at Houston's Baylor College of Medicine.

The vaccine is especially important for anyone at a higher risk for possibly fatal complications of influenza, including pregnant women, people 65 years or older, and those with chronic diseases.

Young athletes: Eat right to win

HOUSTON — Packing good nutrition into their busy schedule can help young athletes improve their performance.

"A high-carbohydrate, high-calorie diet will provide the energy young athletes need," said Dr. Debby Demory-Luce, nutritionist with the Children's Nutrition Research Center at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. Carbohydrates stored in the body provide the energy muscles need to get off to a quick start.

Iron and calcium are of particular importance for young female "You may not be able to change your weight, but you can change athletes to prevent anemia and to build strong bones. Also, don't your behavior," Goodrick said. "If you become less obsessed wit forget the water. Four ounces of water every 15 to 20 minutes of your weight and focus on a lifetime of healthy eating habits and practice will head off dehydration that can hamper performance.

"A good diet is critical for young athletes," said Demory-Luce. "It may decrease." ects the strength and endurance of young athletes, as well as their growth and development."

Students with injuries find school a challenge

HOUSTON — Its not easy for children with serious injuries to return to the school environment.

Simple things like going to the bathroom, carrying books, or participating in sports can be a challenge for children with injuries.

"Due to missed school days, mental or emotional trauma, or discomfort from the physical injury, their performance may drop. Students that normally may earn A's suddenly are getting D's," said Anne Gill, an instructor of pediatrics at Baylor College of Medicine, who sees patients at Baylor's Pediatric Injury Center. The Pediatric ly will eat each day," says Demory-Luce. A variety of fruits and veg-Injury Center brings specialists from many fields together for assessment, treatment and follow up care.

Gill suggests that percents and their family physicians work with school nurses to ensure their children do not "fall between the old before starting solids.

Researchers are looking to make it ately attack.

possible to transplant animal

rejected quickly by the human

In one possible solution, scientists at Massachusetts General

Hospital are genetically re-engi-

neering the transplant recipient's

bone marrow so the animal organ

will not seem so foreign.

So far, it has worked in mice,

immunologist John Iacomini reports in a recent edition of the

Mammals except humans and apes have a carbohydrate called alpha-Gal on their cells. Humans

and apes have strong immune system antibodies that attack alpha-

Pig organs are the most likely to be used if "xenotransplantation,"

organ transplants between species,

ever occurs because their major organs are similar in size and struc-

ture to people's. But put a pig

organ inside a person and the pig's alpha-Gal acts as a red flag signal-

immune system.

journal Science.

cracks" when they return to school.

"School nurses can help provide a smoother transition back into

"Create your own medical history form and keep a copy in your TV can be a reward for completing homework

HOUSTON — TV or not TV? That is the question. The answer, says Dr. Julie Jones at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, can influence whether your child starts the school year with appropriate study habits.

"Parents can increase their child's potential study time by limiting the amount of TV ho or she watches," said Jones, assistant professor of family and community medicine. "Make a rule that your child must finish homework before watching television." If a favorite program is on before the work can be done, videotape the show for later viewing as a reward.

Jones recommends limiting TV time to one hour a night. "More than this interferes with study, reading and thinking time." she said. "If your kids stay up too late watching TV, they won't be alert enough to learn well the next day."

Juice pumps up iron absorption

HOUSTON — Iron from supplements is better absorbed by older infants and toddlers when taken with a juice rich in vitamin C, says Dr. Steve Abrams at the USDA/ARS Children's Nutrition Research Center at Baylor College of Medicine.

"It's not unusual for parents to serve iron supplements with a glass of milk to disguise the unpleasant taste. But the vitamin C found in citrus juices appears to complement iron absorption much better," says Abrams, an associate professor of pediatrics at Baylor.

According to Abrams, infants who are exclusively breast-fed or fed iron-fortified formula do not require supplementation. But once recent outbreak of the A-Sydney flu virus in that region made once cow's milk and other foods are introduced, iron supplements may be needed to prevent anemia, an iron deficiency that can affect growth and development. Abrams advises parents to consult their

Fad diets not effective in maintaining weight loss

HOUSTON — People who keep extra weight off know that fad diets are no longer in style. Proper nutrition and exercise are

"Fad diets are not effective," says Dr. Ken Goodrick, an assistant professor of medicine at the DeBakey Heart Center at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. He cations that very restrictive diets can also cause dieters to miss out on nutrients essential for good health.

"People who successfully lose weight and keep it off are careful about what they eat without depriving themselves," says Goodrick. He recommends gradually incorporating healthier habits into your lifestyle, such as avoiding foods that are high in fat or fried, and starting a modest exercise program. If you need help, use the USDA Food Guide Pyramid for meal planning.

exercise you'll feel good about yourself and, as a bonus, your weight

Children' portion size increases with age

HOUSTON — Confuses by the recommendation that everyone, from infants to grandparents, eat five serving of fruits and vegetables every day? Don't be. The key is portion size.

"The serving size for fruits and vegetables is one tablespoon per year of life until the age of 6. After age 6 it is increased to one-half cup, the same portion size for adults," says Dr. Debby Demory-Luce, registered dietitian and nutritionist with the USDA/ARS Children's Nutrition Research Center at Baylor College of Medicine.

"It's wise to keep variety in mind when selecting the three or more servings of vegetables and two or more servings of fruit your famietables are needed to provide many of the vitamins and minerals essential for good health.

She also says parents should wait until a child is at least 4 months

Study: Ultra-low fat diets may not make much of a difference

DALLAS (AP) - Cutting back would be experienced by the genon fatty foods like cheeseburgers eral population. and fries reduces the risk of heart disease. So cutting way back is even better, right?

Circulation, a journal of the etables and exercising. American Heart Association jour-

not have enough data to say whether ultra-low-fat 'diets are generally better at fighting heart

from fat to a much more aggres- ently." sive stance of 10 or 15 percent?" she said. "The data simply doesn't warrant that."

The average American diet conmended 30-percent target translates to 67 grams of fat for a person who consumes about 2,000 calories genetic factors. per day. By way of reference, a Big Mac contains 31 grams of fat and a Whooper has 39 grams of fat.

most 15 percent of calories from 10 percent of calories from fat in a

Van Horn, a professor at and whole grains. Northwestern University Medical of the available studies on ultralow-fat diets.

She said that even though some sage to Americans. showed impressive results in reducing heart disease risk, questions remain because some had it is not clear whether the benefits tions has no value."

In addition, she wrote, some

benefits might have been caused by weight loss or other lifestyle Not necessarily, according to a factors of people who eat low-fat report published recently in diets, such as eating fruits and veg-

Dr. Montaz Wassef, who works at the National Heart, Lung and Dr. Linda Van Horn, co-author Blood Institute in Maryland, said it of the report, said researchers do would be unwise for the AHA to recommend that everyone halve his or her fat intake.

"There isn't enough data to give disease than moderately low-fat a blanket recommendation for such a low-fat diet, and I don't "Should we, as the American think you can give a blanket rec-Heart Association, move from a ommendation," said Wassef, who long-term stance of recommend- was not associated with Van ing less than 30 percent of calories Horn's work. "People react differ-

Previous research has found that about one-third of the U.S. population may benefit from reducing fat intake below 30 percent. Another tains 34 percent of calories from fat. one-third will neither be helped The heart association's recom- nor harmed by this. And the final third may actually increase their risk of heart disease depending on

But anti-fat diet guru Dr. Dean Ornish stood by his longtime belief that less dietary fat is better. He An ultra low-fat diet contains at " recommends a maximum intake of diet based on fruits, vegetables

Ornish, president of the School, said her team reviewed all Preventive Medicine Research Institute in California, said the AHA report sends the wrong mes-

"By changing lifestyle and diet, most people can avoid heart disease," he said. "It's most unfortufew participants, follow-up was nate that Americans may get the limited, concerns persist about idea that further reducing dietary. long-term nutrient adequacy and fat beyond the AHA recommenda-

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attempting. "Both directions are

important to pursue," Galili said.

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Scientists seeking way use animal organs for human transplants

Drugs that suppress the alpha-Gal antibodies.

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recipient's bone marrow, where

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help. If the alpha-Gal was already said microbiologist Uri Galili of

there, newly forming antibodies Allegheny University, who helped

wouldn't know to attack it else- uncover alpha-Gal's role in trans-

First, he bred mice that didn't An alternative solution is geneti-

naturally produce alpha-Gal. Then cally engineering pigs to produce lacomini genetically altered their more human-like organs, some-

plant rejection.

ry, they didn't produce detectable

transplanted pig organ to survive.

"It's a very interesting study,"

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Grandfather's Quiet Words Are Child's Best Birthday Present

DEAR ABBY: This is for "Hot and Tired in Texas," whose father-in-law was upset because her baby was due on his birthday and he didn't want the "competition."

I was born on Dec. 21, my grandfather's birthday. No matter how much love my parents showered on me, I didn't feel "special" because I couldn't have birthday parties that were separate from the Christmas rush. Few parents wanted to take the time to haul their children to a kid's birthday party, many families were out of town, etc.

My grandfather, Alvin Johnson, was a simple, hard-working man who never said much. He wasn't a big talker. But he stood bravely and lovingly by his wife for eight years as she battled, and finally succumbed, to breast cancer.

When I was 15, my father and I went on our weekly visit to see my grandfather. That afternoon, he wasn't up to our usual visit to his favorite restaurant. Dad was worried about him, but he went on to the restaurant to pick up Grandpa's favorite pie. After Dad left, Grandpa walked to the window and stared out. I joined him, and we stood in silence together.

Finally, he turned and really looked at me. Very slowly, he said, You were the best birthday present I ever got." I was stunned. He had never said anything so sweet to me. When Father returned, we had pie and ice cream with my grandfather for the last time. He died four days

Horoscope

TUESDAY, OCT. 13, 1998

BY JACQUELINE BIGAR

Abby, his words were the most

Abigail Van Buren

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meaningful birthday present I ever received. I have since learned to love and cherish my birthday. I hope "Hot and Tired's" father-in-law will learn that sharing a birthday with a family member is special, and that a healthy grandchild born on any day is a blessing.

MINDY JOHNSON,

SANTA MONICA, CALIF.

DEAR MINDY: Your letter touched my heart. Your grandfather's special words to you ere, indeed, a priceless gift.

"Hot and Tired's" father-inlaw has a lot of growing up to do. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: "Hot and Tired's" father-in-law should be ashamed. If you print my letter, I hope everyone e knows sends him a copy.

I'd be thrilled to share any day of the year with my granddaughter, but that's not possible. On Easter of this year, my beautiful granddaughter was stillborn due to a rare and undetected umbilical cord problem. My daughter had no complications during her pregnancy, so our loss

was sudden and unexpected.

Maybe "Tired's" father-in-law

would like to trade places with us: We'll go to the party next year, and he can visit the cemetery.

RAVEN'S GRANNIE IN TENNESSEE

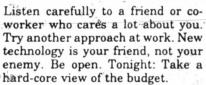
DEAR GRANNIE: My heartfelt sympathy for the tragic stillbirth of your granddaughter. I, too, hope "Hot and Tired's" father-in-law sees your letter. Perhaps it will help him reorganize his priorities. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: I have two daughters from a biracial marriage. My older daughter, Sakura, was born the same day as her Japanese grandfather. My younger daughter, Mari, shares a birthday with her American grandfather. Both grandfathers were not only delighted, but amazed because they are both mathematicians, and they say the odds of this happening were astronomical and heaven-sent.

If these two men, who fought on opposing sides during World War II, can see eye-to-eye on the joys of life and God's good graces, why can't the guy in Texas do likewise?

GERRY CHRISTMAS (MY REAL NAME), CARRBORO, N.C.

DEAR GERRY: Right on! What a perceptive observation!



The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive: 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult. ARIES (March 21-April 19) *** Confusion marks the beginning of the day. But once you pull

back, you'll understand how to clear up the situation. Unexpected developments occur with a close friend. Be willing to walk an unconventional path. Be flexible rather than complaining. Tonight: Let go, and

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

have a good time.

to get uptight. Don't take no for an answer. A partner gives you feedbackthat allows greater insight; put LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) it to good use. Pressure builds between work and home. Learn to relax and redirect this energy. Tonight: Vanish into your ivory tower. GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★★ Balancing the budget is the ultimate juggling act. Realize your limits with others. Partners finally chip in and help you see another in communications. News from a Tonight: Talk up a storm.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) *** Use extra caution with fi-

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LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

*** A smile goes a long way in relieving tension. Listen carefully to others; they are full of good ideas. Review a partner's unexpected actions. What do you think is behind them? Deploy your social skills where they count. Network, make time for a key meeting. Tonight: Whatever makes you grin.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ** Take a back seat now, and let

others display their colors. You will make better choices as a result. Listen to a co-worker; he surprises you with his views of a professional dering what has gotten into others. *** Reach out for others, and refuse matter. Pace yourself. Take time off Be realistic about your limits and if you need to. Tonight: Talk to a trusted adviser

** Excitement surrounds a posi-

tive change that affects a loved one. A close relationship speedily becomes more challenging and exciting. Aim for what you want. You are surprised at where a path takes you. Tonight: With your friends. SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

*** Accept the limelight. Take perspective. The unexpected occurs unusual risks at home. Maybe it is time for you to tell it as it is, rather distance changes your perspective. than playing games or trying to be a good sport. Clear the air, so you can set the stage for a new beginning. u have felt enough stress. Tonances, as you pull the wild card. night: Work late if you have to.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) worker who cares a lot about you. *** Allow your imagination to take the lead. If you want to make technology is your friend, not your calls and explore options, do so. enemy. Be open. Tonight: Take a Worry less about what else is happening. Stay secure, and let go of rigid ideas that cause you problems. Transformation counts. Tonight: Get out of work ASAP.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) *** Pressure builds. You need to revamp a partnership on a financial level. What you thought would work actually will not. Be realistic, take responsibility and rethink bottom lines. Wildness marks personal interactions. Maintain a sense of humor with others. Tonight: A long-

overdue talk. AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) *** You shake your head, won-

desires. Awareness takes you to a new level; you find your goals and immediate circle of friends radically changing. Tonight: Go along with someone's plans.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

*** Pace yourself. You are subject to fits and starts of energy. View a situation differently; what is happening nudges you along. Concentrate on getting the job done. Don't let others distract you. A boss observes you closely! Tonight: Do things for yourself.

BORN TODAY

Singer Sammy Hagar (1947), actress Kelly Preston (1962), former British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher (1925)

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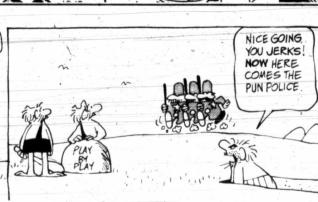
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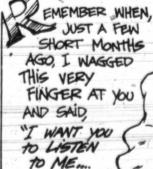
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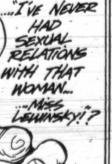






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by THOMAS JOSEPH

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The Family Circus

"I hope Mommy stops us before we get hurt!"

SPORTS

Notebook **GOLF**

PAMPA — Ralph Ridgway, who turned 81 on Oct. 9, celebrated his birthday by shooting his age at the Hidden Hills course.

FOOTBALL

PAMPA — Zach Thomas and the Miami Dolphins the unbeaten Jacksonville Jaguars on

Monday night football. The Dolphins and Jaguars can be seen on KVII-TV

Thomas, from Pampa, is in his third season as a starting middle linebacker for the Dolphins. After four games, Thomas has 26 solo and 14 assisted tackles, one sack, forced a fumble and an interception, with a return of 17 vards for a touchdown.

Miami (3-1) suffered its' first loss, 20-9, to the New York Jets last weekend.

Steve Thomas, Zach's father, was at the game and he said there was no truth to the rumor that Zach had suffered a broken finger in the game.

"Actually, his finger was dislocated," Steve said. They pulled it back in place on the sideline and he was able to get back in there."

Jacksonville (4-0) is coming off a 27-22 win over the Tennessee Oilers two weeks ago. The Jaguars had an open date last week.

Thomas is a 1991 PHS

He attended Texas Tech University where he earned All-America honors.

BASKETBALL

PAMPA — Optimist Club girls' basketball signups and tryouts will be held Tuesday through Thursday from 6:30 p. to 8:30 p.m. at the Pampa

Optimist Gym. The basketball program is for girls in the third through

sixth grades. Cost is \$35 and scholar-

Coaches and referees are also needed. In interested, call 669-3615.

ships will be available.

BASEBALL

CLEVELAND (AP) David Wells doffed his cap and waved it in the air at Indians fans in a sarcastic salute. He then stepped down into the New York dugout to exchange highfives with his teammates.

An inning later, all the Yankees would gather near the pitching mound to congratulate Mariano Rivera and celebrate their most important victory in this magical season.

New York's 5-3 victory over Cleveland on Sunday in Game 5 of the AL championship series gave the Yankees a 3-2 lead in the bestof-7 series. It moved the Yankees a win away from getting back to the World Series for the second time in three years, and it gave New York a chance to say goodbye to the ballpark where its 1997 season came to a sudden fin-

Goodbye, Jacobs Field, see ya next year.

Wells, motivated by vulgar chants about his mother while warming up before the game, pitched into the eighth, and Rivera exorcised the eighth-inning demons of his failure here last year as the Yankees made sure they were going home ahead in the ALCS.

Pampa girls win **Buffalo Stampede**

CANYON — Pampa's Lady was 51st (23:27). Harvesters won another cross last weekend:

Pampa finished with 28 points while Hereford was second with 46, and Canyon third with 62.

The Lady Harvesters ruled the meet with six runners finishing among the top 14. Jenny Lee, third (12:12) and Samantha Hurst, fourth (12:13).

Other Lady, Harvesters who placed were Amanda White, eight (12:27), Rebecca Fatheree, 11th (12:35), Anna Resendiz, 14th (12:44), Daisy Leal, 17th (12:47) and Marci Hansen, 28th

Salazar of Pampa finished fifth with a time of 18:06. Kelby McClellan was 16th at 18:43. Others placing were Colby Hale, 28th (19:21), Matthew Crow, 35th (19:41), Juan Silva, 36th (19:42), Russell Robben, (20:55) and Crosswhite, 56th (21:04).

The Harvesters placed fourth as a team. In the junior varsity boys'

(22:02) and Stephen Vanderpool girls' division.

In the junior varsity girls' country championship, captur- division, T'Andra Holmes was ing the Buffalo Stampede meet third (12:56), Vanessa Orr, fourth (13:05), Andrea Lee, 10th (13:32) and Jamie Clay, 98th (16:20).

"We very pleased with our performances," said Pampa head coach Mark Elms.
"We're running at Lake
Meredith Saturday the 17th. Fatheree was second at 12:03, Our district meet is in two followed by teammates Beth weeks. We're hoping for first place for the girls and a second place for the boys." The previous weekend, the Pampa girls competed in the Cowboy Jamboree in Stillwater, Okla. and came away with a firstplace trophy.

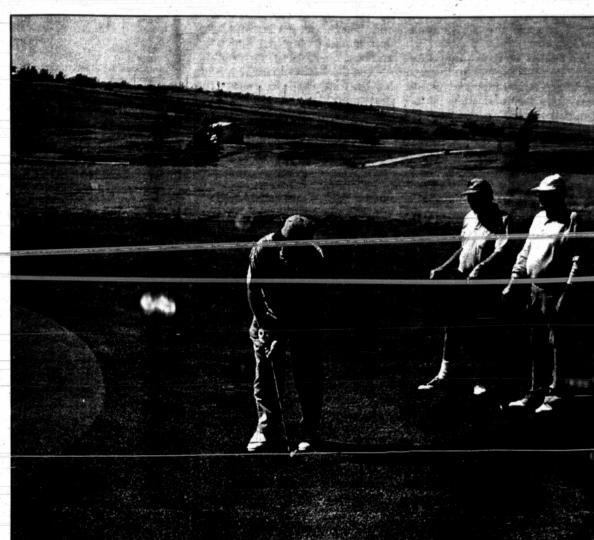
Beth Lee was fourth, followed by Samantha Hurst 9th, Amanda White 17th, Rebecca In the boys' division, Gonzalo Fatheree 18th, Daisy Leal 20th, Anna Resendiz 25th and Marci Hansen 47th.

> Coach Mark Elms took all underclassmen to the Stillwater meet. Jenny Fatheree, who finished second at the Buffalo Stampede, did not compete.

In the boys' division, Gonzalo Salazar was 10th and McLellan 16th.

T'Andra Holmes of Pampa division, Jay Gerber was 36th was fifth in the junior high

Chip shot



Harley Knutson chips to the green during the Pampa Harvester Basketball Golf Scramble over the weekend at Hidden Hills public golf course. Proceeds from the four-person scramble went to the high school boys' basketball program.

Cowboys hold off Panthers

IRVING, Texas (AP) — Chan board and correct our mistakes." Gailey's plan to rebuild the Dallas Cowboys is much more third victory in four starts since 14. intricate than winning a lot of Troy Aikman broke his collar-

pleased his team overcame yards and a touchdown.

nearly a year.

"I was proud of the way we came back to find a way to win," Gailey said. "Two in a row is hadn't done since 1995. good, but it wasn't dominating in some work to do."

Gailey probably would have they're supposed to beat, someweeks before against Oakland.

"We're on the right track," run- ond quarter. ning back Emmitt Smith said. very positive. We have a lot of Panthers coach Dom Capers. got to go back to the drawing at halftime, scored two more ning streak," Mills said.

games. To Gailey, the way his bone by completing 14 of 22 pass-

team wins, and loses, is just as es for 287 yards and two touch-So when Dallas beat the catches for 146 yards and Ernie to the Dallas 43. Helped by a pass Carolina Panthers 27-20 Sunday, Mills burned the team that interference penalty on Darren Gailey had more to celebrate than waived him after last season for Woodson, Carolina scored three just a victory. He also was five receptions, a career-high 110 plays later to get within seven.

self-imposed, and it won consec-ning 21 times for 112 yards and a blocked. utive games for the first time in touchdown. It was his third 100yard game of the year, surpassing his second in a row, something he

But before the Cowboys were any way, shape or form. We have rolling on offense, it was the through the end zone. Panthers who were on fire.

Steve Beuerlein, taking over atliked Dallas (4-2) to have a more quarterback because Kerry lineman Jason Peter. "But sooner lopsided win against a team like Collins decided he could no Carolina (0-5). He'll have to settle longer handle the job, completed for the Cowboys beating a team his first 12 passes, including touchdowns of 35 and 16 yards to thing they didn't do at home two Raghib Ismail that put Carolina

"We had a good feeling as we "We've done some things very were going into the locker room that as their next four foes are positive and some things not at the end of the first half," said

room for improvement. We've Dallas had gotten within 14-10

touchdowns in the third quarter Jason Garrett led Dallas to his and used a field goal to go up 27-

Then, with 6:34 left, Garrett fumbled a quarterback sneak at the Panthers' 16-yard line and downs. Michael Irvin had six Carolina's Rod Davis returned it The Panthers could've made it adversity, even if much of it was Smith had a big day, too, run-six, but the extra point was

Carolina had two more possessions, but an interception by last year's total of two, and it was Deion Sanders ended the first drive. The game ended on the second series with a desperation pass from Beuerlein that went

> "I thought we had a chance to win," said Panthers defensive or later you run out of excuses. It's about wins and losses in this league and we're struggling for our first win."

Dallas put together wins for up 14-3 midway through the sec- the first time since Weeks 10 and 11 of last season. The Cowboys have a great chance to build on Chicago, Philadelphia, New York and Arizona.

"We needed to get on a win-

Pampa Middle School squads meet Canyon

PAMPA — Hereford won over caught a 46-yard TD pass from Pampa, 26-15, in an 8th grade Andrew Smith. football game last week.

Devin Sessions scored both run. Pampa touchdowns, one on a 3yard run and the other on a 22yard pass from Tristan Brown. point conversion pass from yards. Brown. Louis Gonzalez kicked an extra point.

Pampa won the B team game, 28-12.

Lionel Nash scored two touchdowns on runs of 14 and 45 yards. Others scoring for Pampa Medina, Meraz and Billy were Ryan Zemanek (1-yard run) Stowers. and Joel Botello (2-yard run). Zemanek threw two conversion passes to Alex Slaybaugh.

Hereford defeated Pampa, 32-14, in the 7th grade game.

Mac Smith scored two touchdowns for Pampa Smith scored on a 3-yard run and he Harvester Stadium.

Curtis scored a conversion

Pampa won the B team game, Chance Henley scored twice

Tim Kettenring caught a two- for Pampa on runs of 10 and 42 Also scoring TDs for Pampa

were Joe Meraz (40-yard run), Carlos Medina (5-yard run, and Derek Lewis (54-yard run). Two-point conversion runs were made by Max Vinson,

Pampa 7th grade teams host Canyon on Tuesday while the

8th graders play at Canyon. Starting times are 5 p.m. for the B games and 6:30 p.m. for the A games.

All home games are played at

Bucks win district opener

each scored three touchdowns as kickoff return for a TD. White Deer ripped Clarendon, J.J. White scored on an 18-yard 49-14, in a District 6-2A game run for the Bucks. Friday night.

improved their overall record to and 13 first downs. 4-2. Clarendon falls to 1-5 over-

 Craig Larkin scored on runs of 9 and 84 Urbanczyk and Keith Larkin yards and also had a 78-yard

White Deer had 451 yards

It was the district opener for rushing and 15 first downs. both teams as the Bucks Clarendon had 338 yards rushing Colt Floyd tossed two touch-

down passes for Clarendon. Cary Urbanczyk rushed for 225 Thornberry caught a 30-yard yards on 15 carries and scored on scoring pass and Sam, Holton runs of 21, 16 and 16 yards. had a 40-yard TD catch.

- Pampa 8, 12-15, 15-5 win Saturday over Caprock.

The Lady Harvesters are 4-2 in district and 17-6 for the season. Caprock falls to 1-5 and 8-

Kimberly Clark, Morton, Lisa Dwight and Lisa Kirkpatrick combined for 21 kills and 35 digs.

remained in sole possession of effort on our part." said Pampa third place in the District 3-4A head coach Carmen Pennick. "I volleyball standings with a 15- felt like we played really well." Pampa hosts, Dumas on

Tuesday night in McNeely Fieldhouse. Matches begin at 6 with the junior varsity.

for first place in the district standings, both with 5-1 records. Hereford defeated Dumas, 15-8, 15-9, Saturday,

Borger, 5-15, 15-6, 15-13. Palo Duro is in fourth place with a 4-2 record while Borger



Lady Harvesters stay in third place in 3-4A volleyball standings

Lori Lindsey had 20 assists and 13 digs for the Lady Harvesters. Anne Gaddis had 5

solo blocks and 4 assist blocks.

"It was a pretty balanced

Dumas and Hereford are tied

In one other match played Saturday, Borger defeated

is tied with Caprock fifth place. Lori Lindsey

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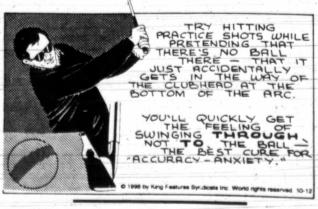
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mighty grand slam from Andres said. "He's like everybody else. He Galarraga, the Atlanta Braves can get cold for four or five days, stayed alive in the NL championship series.

The Braves weren't going anywhere because they hadn't solved San Diego's pitching, and would have gone home if they hadn't turned it around so dramatically with Sunday night's 8-3 victory over the Padres.

San Diego still has a 3-1 series edge going into tonight's Game 5, but the Braves have their Big Three pitchers coming around again, starting with John Smoltz tonight. He'll face Andy Ashby in a rematch of Game 1, won by the Padres 3-2 in 10 innings.

And they can thank the Big Cat for the momentum swing. He was the only Atlanta batter to rediscover his swing, but his performance was by far the most dramatic.

Facing elimination and trailing in the seventh inning, the Braves rallied for six runs, capped by Galarraga's 459-foot grand slam to left-center off Dan Miceli.

Galarraga has hit 332 homers in 13-plus big league seasons, but none bigger than this one.

"It's probably the best, keeping the team alive, to give more emotion for tomorrow, too," he said.

The Braves will need it. No team has ever come back from a 3-0 deficit in the playoffs.

Then again, this is the Team of the 90s, which led the league with 106 victories and reached the postseason for the seventh straight time.

'We didn't feel like a team that was down 3-0," said left-hander Denny Neagle, who gave the Braves a good effort. "Everybody feels confident right now. I don't think we feel like a team that is

Manager Bobby Cox practically predicted before the game that Galarraga — who had zero RBIs in the series until his slam — would rediscover his power.

"I just thought the odds were Sunday.

SAN DIEGO (AP) - With a with us tonight on his bat," Cox and then he can get hot and carry you. It had to happen sometime,

and boy, it was a big one tonight." Even the Padres knew it wouldn't be that easy to sweep the Braves, and they've got one more chance to do it before the loud

"We thought we had it," Padres postseason hero Jim Leyritz said. But we still feel good. It would have been nice to sweep, but we're talking the Atlanta Braves and it's not easy to sweep them."

After Leyritz hit a solo homer off Neagle in the sixth that put the Padres ahead 3-2, Javy Lopez tied it with a leadoff home run in the seventh off loser Joey Hamilton, who was chased by Andruw Jones' single.

The Braves went on to load the bases against Randy Myers before Galarraga, who had just one single in his 12 previous at-bats in the series, unloaded against Miceli.

The Big Cat stood at home plate and watched the ball sail into the seats in left-center, hushing the crowd of 65,042 that had come to

You go 0-for-2, θ-for-3, you start swinging at bad pitches. I decided to be more patient and I think it worked today," Galarraga said.

Ozzie Guillen, who started because Cox thought he could provide an offensive spark, was on third base after his go-ahead single. He turned to watch Galarraga's shot and threw his hands in the air as he headed for home.

"I think I was more happy for the team," Guillen said. "Finally we scored more runs. We're going to face a lot of tough pitchers."

Atlanta, batting just .200 in the first three games, finished with 12 hits off five pitchers.

Galarraga hit 44 homers this year, but only two in September and none in October until

Scoreboard

BASEBALL By The Associa (NBC) Tuesday, Oct. 6 New York 7, Cleveland 2 Wednesday, Oct. 7 Cleveland 4, New York 1, 12 innings Friday, Oct. 9 Cleveland 6. New York 1 Saturday, Oct. 10 New York 4, Cleveland 0

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National League San Diego 3, Atlanta 2, 10 innings Thursday, Oct. 8 San Diego 3, Atlanta 0 Saturday, Oct. 10 Sunday, Oct. 11 Atlanta 8: San Diego 3, San Diego leads

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Sunday's LCS Linescores By The Associated Press American League At Cleveland Game 5 New York310 100 000 — 5 6 New York310 100 000 — 3 8

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Neagle, De.Martinez (6), Rocker (7), Perez (8), Seanez (8), Ligtenberg (9) and J.Lopez; J.Hamilton, Ra.Myers (7), Miceli (7), Boehringer (8), Langston (9) and C.Hernandez, W.—De.Martinez, 1-0. L.— J.Hamilton, 0-1. HRs-Atlanta, Galarraga (1), J.Lopez (1). San Diego, Leyritz (1).

COLLEGE FOOTBALL The Top 25

By The Associated Press
The Top Twenty Five teams in The Associated

votes in parentheses, records through Oct 10, total points based on 25 points for a first place vote through one point for a 25th place

vote and ranking	in previous	s poll:		
	Record	Pts	Pv	
1. OhioSt.(64)	5-0	1,744	1	
2. UCLA(1)	4-0	1,647	3	
3. Tennessee(3)	5-0	1,622	4	
4. KansasSt.(2)	5-0	1,554	- 5	
5. Florida	5-1	1,449	. 6	
6. FloridaSt.	5-1	1,369	8	
7. Virginia	5-0	1,314	9	
8. Nebraska	5-1	1,201	2	
9. Wisconsin	6-0	1,100	12	
TexasA&M	5-1	1,099	18	
11. Oregon	5-0	1,021	15	
12. PennSt.	4-1	1,011	13	
13. Georgia	4-1	889	7	
14. VirginiaTech	5-0	833	17	-
15. WestVirginia	4-1	806	16	
16. Arizona	5-1	673	10	
17. Arkansas	5-0	578	20	
NotreDame	4-1	477	22	
19. Colorado	5-1	462	14	
20. Missouri	4-1	457	21	
21: LSU	3-2	441	11	
22. TexasTech	6-0	228	_	
23. Syracuse	3-2	187	24	
24. Tulane	4-0	171	25	
GeorgiaTech	4-1	117	-	

Others receiving votes: Michigan 65, California 62, Mississippi St. 53, Washington 50, Marshall 23, Air Force 19, Southern Cal 19, Texas 4, Wyoming 4, N. Carolina St. 1.

The AP poll and coverage of college football

TRANSACTIONS Weekend Sports Transactions By The Associated Press

BASEBALL CLEVELAND INDIANS—Purchased the contract of INF Jolbert Cabrera from Buffalo of the International League.

National League MONTREAL EXPOS—Signed Felipe Alou, manager, to a three-year contract extension

National Hockey League
ANAHEIM MIGHTY DUCKS—Recalled D Mike Crowley from Cincinnati of the AHL

HORSE RACING

Retama Park Results Sunday By The Associated Press -\$4,000, alc, 3YO up F&M, 6f, clear 5 (5)AfDuchess(A.Barron)69.2021.408.40 1 (1)MandysJule(R.Chapa)4.204.60 6 (6) MvaOrzelovely (A. Dupuy) 5.40

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Off 5:31. Time 1:05.89. Fast. Also Ran-Beendownthatroad, Delightful Dancer, Texas Hope, Well Sprung. Daily Double (5-1) paid \$364.80. Exacta (1-6) paid \$62.20. Trifecta (1-6-4) paid \$486.40. 1/16ml, tf., clear. 9 (9)Hornet'sNest(J.Beasley)3.602.602.40 11 (11)Touchocratic(K.Cogburn)3.402.80 10 (10)Intheblack(K.Sides)7.60

Off 5:57. Time 1:45.57. Firm. Also Ran-Off 5:57. Time 1:45.57. Firm. Also Ran—Kaycee Star, Forli'l Rock, Poder, Shawlament Dancer, Foxie Oso, Majestic Cor, Hi-Leafy, Gold Revenue. Exacta (9-11) paid \$16.80. Trifecta (9-11-10) paid \$183.20. Superfecta (9-11-10-6) paid \$501.00. 4th—\$5,500, cl, 2YO, 5 1/2f, clear. 6 (7)BadSoySlew(J.Lantz)8.204.003.20 5 (6)WhyGrampy(A.Barron)7.004.40 (3)a-SpiderD(R.Frazier)4.40 post

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a-couped. 5th—\$4,770, mdn cl, 2YO F, 6f, clear. 14 (12)LaRide(J.Wright)212.0083.4016.20 7 (7)SequinAffair(R.Frazier)7.404.40 11 (10)Peg'sPorsche(M.Anderson)7.80

Off 6:48. Time 1:15.61. Fast. Scratched-Tops First, Entertaining Woman. Also Ran— Miss Texanna, Dee Dee's Babe, Starlock, Squeeze Me In, Miss April Snow, C. C. Johnson, Easter Shoes, Miss Over Do. Sweet Sue Naevus. Twin Trifecta (14-7-ALL) paid \$1,682.20. Exacta (14-7) paid paid \$1,682.20. Exacta (14-7) paid \$1,693.20. Superfecta (14-ALL-ALL-ALL)

6th—\$7,000, cl, 3YO up F&M, 5f, tf., clear 1 (1)UpperClassGirl(R.Chape)33.0012.80 3 (3)MissSaltyDawg(W.Cloninger,Jr.)6.80

4 (4)PeekaBooStreek(J.Lantz)3.00

Off 7:15. Time 0:58.55. Firm. Also Ran-Allykaloma, My Bedroom Girl, Kellie's Lady. Exacta (1-3) paid \$175.60. 7th—\$4,500, cl, 3YO up, 1ml, clear. (1)Barfran(R.Chapa)5.204.203.20 (5)Capt.Kombat(M.Anderson)13.205.40

Off 7:40. Time 1:39.48. Fast. Scratched-Verb's List. Also Ran-Purzotti, Turnpike Slew, Rey Feo, Predetermined, True Redoy, Cherokee Forest. Exacta (1-5) paid \$88.00. Trifecta (1-5-4) paid \$485.80. Superfecta (1-8th-\$4,800, cl, 3 & 4YO F, 5 1/2f, clear. 5 (5)TableExpence(J.Lantz)7.404.403.80 3 (3)KingsPotofGold(K.Cogburn)3.003.00 7 (7)Genoma(D.Lewis, Jr.) 5.00

Off 8:05. Time 1:06.15. Fast. Also Ran-Mikesmissmeaness, Princess Pocahonas, Muhammad's Joy. dq—Mikesmissmeaness (3-6). Exacta (5-3) paid \$20.40. Trifecta (5-3-7) paid \$128.00. Superfecta (5-3-7-4) paid

9th—\$13,000, alc, 3YO up, 6f, clear. 2 (2)Case(R.Frazier)4.402.802.40 4 (4)BigWhistle(J.Lantz) 3.20 2.60 3 (3) Capitol's Doll (M. Anderson) 4.20

Off 8:35. Time 1:10.19. Fast. Scratched-All. Play the Jazz, Cash the Kid. Exacta (2-4)

Four WAC teams still unbeaten in league play

By JOHN MOSSMAN **AP Sports Writer**

four teams remain unbeaten in through it. It's about time we got a Western Athletic Conference play. win.' It's a surprising group, however, since none of the four finished above .500 in WAC play a year ago.

Texas Christian and Wyoming sit atop the Mountain Division standings with 2-0 league logs, and San Jose State and San Diego State are tied for first in the Pacific Division at 2-0.

Some shuffling took place over the weekend after seven conference games, including Texas-El Paso's 22-19 win over New Mexico in Albuquerque that snapped the Miners' five-game losing streak and dropped the Lobos, the defending Pacific Division champions, to 0-3 in WAC play.

TCU, 1-10 a year ago, went to 4-1 with a 21-10 win over Fresno State in Fort Worth, Wyoming edged Southern Methodist 12-7 in Laramie, and San Jose State trimmed Rice 20-17 in San Jose all on Saturday. San Diego State whipped Hawaii 35-13 Friday night in San Diego.

Colorado State flattened Tulsa 34-7 in Fort Collins, and Brigham Young beat UNLV 38-14 in Provo. Air Force bombed service-acade-

my rival Navy 49-7 at the academy in the weekend's lone non-conference game. Utah was idle.

Backup quarterback Rocky Perez, who had thrown just four passes in UTEP's first four games, led the Miners on an 80-yard scoring drive in barely more than a minute, completing 7-of-7 passes and scrambling for another 26 yards. Perez capped the drive with a 3-yard TD pass to Keonta Golson with 19 seconds left.

UNM's Mike Ross then missed back-to-back field goals from 35 and 29 yards in the final two sec-

went underneath. Every play we

ran was perfect for their defense. "It seems like we were cursed for Midway through the season, a while, but the guys stuck

> Of the Miners' winning march, Lobos coach Rocky Long said, "We made them inch it down the field, but we just never made a play to stop the drive."

> TCU overcame a 10-7 deficit with a pair of fourth-quarter touchdowns. Quarterback Patrick Batteaux directed a 10-play, 74yard scoring drive capped by LaDainian Tomlinson's 33-yard scoring run with 12:09 left to put the Horned Frogs ahead 14-10. Cornerback Kendrick Patterson then picked up a Fresno fumble and returned it 29 yards for a clinching TD with 6:36 left.

> "I don't talk to them about winning; I don't want to put any pressure on them," first-year coach Dennis Franchione said of his team's turnaround. "I do pressure them to play hard every down."

> Wyoming (4-1) was trailing 7-6 in the third quarter when Trent Gamble intercepted a pass and returned it 28 yards, setting up Marques Brigham's 1-yard TD run. The Cowboys limited SMU (1-5, 1-2) to 35 of its 196 yards in the sec-

> "I'll buy dinner for the defense tonight," Wyoming quarterback Jay Stoner said. "They won us the game."

> David Silberstein kicked a 24yard field goal with 51 seconds left to lift San Jose (3-3) past Rice (1-4, 1-1), which rushed for 375 yards.

> Chris (quarterback Chris Kasteler) came up to me and said, 'Do you know how big this is?" Silberstein said. "And I said, 'Hey, just put the ball down. It's going through the uprights.' It's neat when it comes down to that."

Larry Ned and Jonas Lewis each rushed for 118 yards and "We knew that we could move combined for three touchdowns the ball," Perez said. "They (Lobo as SD\$U (2-3) handed Hawaii its defenders) dropped back, and we 11th consecutive loss.

By RICHARD ROSENBLATT

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Thursday, Oct. 15

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New England 40, Kansas City 10 Cincinnati 25, Pittsburgh 20 San Francisco 31, New Orleans 0 Tennessee 12, Baltimore 8

Philadelphia 17, Washington 12 Arizona 20, Chicago 7

St. Louis 30, New York Jets 10
Oakland 7, San Diego 6
Atlanta 34, New York Giants 20

Miami at Jacksonville, 8:20 p.m.

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AP Football Writer

This week, it's UCLA's turn at With Nebraska's 28-21 loss to Texas A&M, the Bruins became the fourth team in six weeks to Sept. 5, 1993. move a notch below Ohio State in

lege football poll. UCLA (4-0), with a 52-28 victory at Arizona on Saturday night, 1,744 points Sunday from the 70 edged Tennessee for the No. 2 spot, collecting 1,647 points (one first-place vote) to the Vols' 1,622 points (three first-place votes). It ed Georgia 22-3 at Athens, Ga., Virginia Tech, West Virginia, marks the Bruins' highest rank-

The Associated Press Top 25 col-

spot for three weeks.

The Cornhuskers (5-1), who ended by the Aggies, fell six and Texas A&M. places to No. 8 — their lowest ranking since they were No. 9 on over Purdue, has its highest Ohio State (5-0), a 41-0 winner Rose Bowl to finish that season

two less than last week — and since 1995. AP panel.

Tennessee (5-0), which defeat- lowed by Penn State, Georgia, ing since they were No. 1 on Oct. State and Florida.

The Wildcats (5-0), with a 16-9 Florida State opened the sea- win at Colorado 16-9, had two after its second straight loss, folson at No. 2, followed by Florida first-place votes and 1,554 points, lowed by Texas Tech, Syracuse, and Nebraska, which held the while the Gators (5-1) moved up Tulane and Georgia Tech.

after a 22-10 win over LSU.

Florida State, which defeated had their 19-game winning and Miami 26-14, was No. 6, followed 40-game conference streaks by Virginia, Nebraska, Wisconsin Wisconsin (6-0), a 31-24 winner

over Illinois, remained No. 1, No. 6. The Aggies (5-1) returned receiving 64 first-place votes — to the Top 10 for the first time Oregon, which beat writers and broadcasters on the Washington State 51-29, moved up four notches to No. 11, fol-

was No. 3, followed by Kansas Arizona, Arkansas, Notre Dame, Colorado and Missouri. LSU (3-2) fell 10 spots to No. 21

coaches' poll, the top five were Ohio State, UCLA, Kansas State, Tennessee and Florida. Nebraska was No. 8. Like Nebraska, Arizona (5-1)

In the USA Today/ESPN

and Georgia (4-1) each dropped ranking since winning the 1994 six places in this week's rankings after losing for the first time, while Colorado (5-1) fell five places Texas Tech (6-0)

Oklahoma State 24-17 and moved into the poll for the first time since 1995. Georgia Tech, a 47-24 winner over North Carolina State, was also a newcomer to the Top 25.

Southern California, a 32-31 loser to California, and N.C. State fell out of the Top 25.

Jarrett wins, Gordon gets closer 3rd title

Nebraska drops, UCLA rises in Top 25 poll

TALLADEGA, Ala. (AP) — As catching Jeff Gordon in the points four races to win the title. race, it was over, lost in one of the many wrecks Talladega

Superspeedway is known for. Martin entered Sunday's Winston 500 trailing Gordon by 174 points and seemed to have a shot at closing the gap. But while running sixth and watching Gordon struggle to stay on the lead lap, Martin got tangled up in an 11-car melee on lap 136.

And just like that his chance was gone. Martin wound up 22 laps off the pace and finished 34th.

Gordon, who fell as far back as 24th, worked his way back to contention and challenged race-winner Dale Jarrett at the end. His second-place finish virtually wrapped up his third title in four years.

We were looking to maybe make a few points up, but this is what happens," Martin said. "The points race could be over, but it might not be. The same thing could happen to Jeff in a couple of

That's about the only way Martin can catch Gordon, who takes a 288-point lead into the make them pass me." Pepsi 400 on Saturday night in Daytona Beach, Fla.

Gordon, who 16 straight top-5 quickly as it looked like Mark finishes, needs only to finish 16th Martin had a legitimate chance of or better in each of the remaining Jimmy Spencer and Mike Skinner Lost in the points race was

Jarrett's win, his third victory of the season. He held off a pack of challengers over the last 13 laps to get the win and pick up a \$1 million bonus. As an eight-car pack battled behind him, Jarrett kept his Ford

Taurus out front on the 2.66-mile tri-oval. His Robert Yates Racing short. entry averaged 159.317 mph in the race slowed by just four cautions for 20 laps. He beat Gordon to the finish line by 0.14-seconds about three car-lengths. He won a total of \$1,110,125,

thanks to the No Bull 5 bonus from one of five drivers — the top finishers in the Southern 500 — eligible for the bonus. Gordon won the bonus at both Indianapolis in July and Darlington, S.C., in September. "I've been in the front trying to

chase some of these guys and tried all different scenarios to win and hadn't accomplished that," Jarrett said. "But I figured my best chance of winning was to go out front and Jarrett took the lead on the 176th nearly a lap down.

of 188 laps.

followed Bobby Labonte past to take third, then pushed past Bobby Labonte with the help of Hendrick Motorsports teammate Terry Labonte, who finished third.

lowed by Jeremy Mayfield, Bobby Labonte, Skinner and Chad Little. Jarrett said the Labonte brothers got the best shots at him in the last five laps, but both came up just

Spencer wound up fourth, fol-

"Bobby came at me real good with four or five laps to go and I was able to cut him off, then Terry really had a good run. But, once I held him back, I knew I had a pret-

ty good chance," Jarrett said. Then I looked in my mirror and series sponsor Winston. Jarrett was saw 24 (Gordon) behind me. I knew he came from pretty far back, so I didn't know what he had or who he was working with. Then, with about a lap and a half to go, I saw them side-by-side and I knew my chances were pretty good."

Gordon appeared to be on the way to a much different finish just past halfway when the second caution flag of the race came out just minutes after he made a greenflag pit stop. That put Gordon

When the green waved for the car.

Two laps from the end, Gordon restart on lap 119, Gordon, running 18th, desperately tried to stay ahead of the leaders. He momentarily fell a lap down when leader Spencer got past, but regained the rear of the lead lap when Spencer and Skinner got into a duel for the

> 'Fuel mileage became an issue for us and got us behind the eight ball," Gordon said. "Me and my teammate Terry Labonte worked together and got me back on the lead lap. Once I got into second, I didn't have anybody to go with me after Jarrett.

> He got a big break on lap 136 when Sterling Marlin and Ernie Irvan, battling for position just behind the lead cars, made contact in turn one on the highbanked oval

Irvan-slid up the banking and caromed off the concrete wall. He was then hit broadside by Dick Trickle, starting a melee that caught up, among others, Martin, Earnhardt, Dale Wally Dallenbach, Johnny Benson, Ward Burton and Michael Waltrip.

Irvan, who survived a near-fatal crash in August 1994 at Michigan Speedway, was awake and talking when taken from his battered



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Gay University of Wyoming student dies after attack

post in an attack denounced nationwide as a hate gestion that we might bring to our Legislature."

said the head of Poudre Valley Hospital, Rulon Stacey. Shepard had been in a coma since bicyclists found him tethered to the post in near-freezing temperatures outside Laramie, Wyo., on Wednesday.

"The family was grateful they did not have to make a decision regarding whether or not to concame into the world premature and left the world premature and they are most grateful for the time

Police have said robbery was the primary motive fact. for the attack. But gay rights groups and others

"We are calling on all the people to have a

of Wyoming student died today, five days after he next month, hasn't pushed hate crime legislation in back at Shepard for making passes at McKinney in Gillham, 21, said the couple generally kept to themwas found pistol-whipped and lashed to a fence the past, but he said today, "I'm open to any sug-

In Washington, White House press secretary Joe Matthew Shepard, 21, died while on life support, Lockhart said today that President Clinton was horrified by the attack and spoke with Shepard's family Saturday. He renewed the president's call for he told him he was gay just to rob him, because he some kind of a national standard, law, on hate

Henderson, 21, and Aaron James McKinney, 22, had tinue life support for their son," Stacey said. "He been charged with attempted murder, kidnapping and aggravated robbery. Their girlfric is Price, Chastity Vera Pasley, 20, and Kristen Lea 18 — were charged with being accessories after the

> Sgt. Rob DeBree of the Albany County sheriff's office, a lead investigator in the case, confirmed today the charges would be upgraded to first-

renewed discussion to find out what we might do Bill McKinney, told The Denver Post that the two

front of his friends Tuesday night in a campus bar.

"I guess they (the people in the bar) knew that Matt Shepard was gay and maybe it got around that Aaron was gay or something," Ms. Price said in a story published Sunday. "Later on, Aaron did say

The elder McKinney said there was no excuse for

"Had this been a heterosexual these two boys decided to take out and rob, this never would have made the national news," he told the Post. "Now

Friends of Henderson and McKinney said they were surprised by the allegations.

windswept trailer park amid weeds, engine parts,

FORT COLLINS, Colo. (AP) - A gay University today. The first-term Republican, up for re-election Shepard. Instead, they said the two wanted to get fishing tackle and barking dogs. A neighbor, John

About a thousand people attended a candlelight vigil Sunday night near the University of Wyoming campus to show their support for Shepard, who was a political science major.

"We are saddened, heartsick," said the university's president, Philip Dubois. "All of us I would imagine are haunted by the thought of a terribly battered young man with his future erased.

"It is almost as sad to see individuals and groups around this country react to this event by stereotyping an entire community, if not an entire state."

Shepard's parents said in a statement released before his death that he would "emphasize he does not want the horrible actions of a few very disturbed individuals to mar the fine reputations of Laramie or the university."

Shepard left Wyoming as a teen to finish high school in Switzerland. A friend said he had to overcome concerns about how his sexual orientation would be accepted before he returned to Wyoming.

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assailed the beating and called on Wyoming legislators to adopt laws to deter crimes against homo-

to strengthen our laws," Gov. Jim Geringer said men never set out to kill the 5-foot-2, 105-pound

Before Shepard's death, Russell Arthur

degree murder. He gave no details. McKinney's girlfriend, Ms. Price, and his father,

wanted to take his money for embarrassing him." the crime but the story had been blown out of pro-

my son is guilty before he's even had a trial."

"They were quiet," said Heather Dunmire, 20, of nearby Rock River. "I wouldn't have expected them to do that. I never would expect another human to

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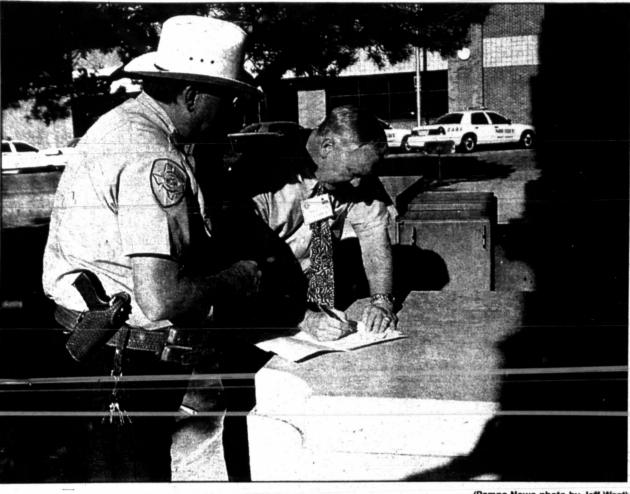
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Judge M. Kent Sims signs a search warrant to authorize deputies to seize the car and search the home of suspect Dennis Hayes. Hayes' vehicle had pieces of the car missing that allegedly matched those found at the scene of the crime.

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Deputies arrested the suspect when he returned to work at Billy Scribner Welding Inc. late Friday afternoon. Dennis Hayes is also suspected in stealing property from the railroad here and in Hutchinson County, officers said. (Story on Page 1)

GYPSY

went to a real divorce court, upsetting Gypsy locals who say the matter now offers a glimpse into the customs, taboos and interfamily feuds in one of the world's most insular cultures.

"They don't like their secrets being told or their court being bypassed," said Tom Will, a Harris County constable's deputy who has Gypsy ancestors and is familiar with the George case.

According to Mack George and his supporters, the Gypsy court said he must pay \$100,000 for custody of both his daughters. Michelle George's side says he offered \$50,000 to buy them and was refused.

Last month, state District Judge Georgia Dempster decided the wife would temporarily keep the infant while the husband kept custody of the 2-year-old. But the parents said they do not want the children separated and each is still trying to get custody of both.

The controversy over an outsider deciding the case appears every bit as bitter as the actual custody battle among the estimated 5,500 Gypsies in the Houston area.

Gypsies are believed to have originated in India, but their name stems from the fact that when they entered Europe, they were thought to be Egyptians. Highly secretive, the culture has endured centuries of discrimination. In the United States, they number 2.3 million.

Michelle George left her ' wound in June, according to court testimony, claiming he had been having an affair. She took their two daughters; one was 2, the other 7 months.

Mack George denies committing adultery, and he is angry that he was not allowed to see the children until the recent court order.

"I hadn't seen my babies in four months because my wife and her family wouldn't let me," he said outside Dempster's courtroom, where they will

Fire in St. Louis high-rise apartment; at least four hurt

ST. LOUIS (AP) - Fire broke out today on the was listed in serious condition at the hospital. whooping cranes. 21st floor of a high-rise apartment building for Two other firefighters were treated for smoke the elderly and disabled, filling upper floors with inhalation. smoke and injuring a resident and three firefight-

Scores of people were forced to evacuate the evaluated for treatment at the scene, officials said. Council Tower Apartments high-rise, which houses 250 people. The building is about 28 sto-

"It was our worst nightmare — a major fire 200 feet in the air," said fire Chief Neil Svetanics. "It

was very advanced when the first units arrived." Among the injured was a fire captain who was in critical but stable condition at Saint Louis quickly to several upper floors, Svetanics said. University Medical Center. An elderly woman

"We heard the fire alarm and then smoke started coming in under the door," she said. Authorities said the blaze, reported at 9:30 a.m., the rare birds in the world. This

A few other residents also were being treated or

Carol Cavanaugh, 65, who lives on the 27th

floor, said her entire hall was filled with smoke.

Their names weren't released.

may have begun as a mattress fire. A loud explosion was heard soon after, and the blaze spread By late morning, the fire was under control.

Texas roundup

MANOR, Texas (AP) — A south. prominent Austin photographer 100 feet and crashed in this Central Texas town.

Reagan Bradshaw, 55, had taken off from Bird's Nest Airport when the accident occurred Sunday. He had been at the airport with fellow members of the year, perhaps as many as 195 Ultralight Capital Area Organization.

Investigators have not determined the cause of the crash.

"I don't suspect structural fail- migrate to Texas. ure, but that can't be ruled out," said group president Duncan

Charlton. Nobody saw the aircraft crash.

Whooping crane season brings big birds, big bucks

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP) enjoying a happy marriage in allegation has not been set.

The whooping cranes' annual migration to South Texas helped create a wildlife refuge in Coastal Bend.

Whooping crane season is sparked annually by the 2,500mile flight from Canada by the only naturally occurring flock of year's first wild whooper sighting in the United States occurred bers — in the midst of the public

On average, North America's was killed when the ultralight tallest birds begin to arrive at the aircraft he was flying plunged Aransas National Wildlife Refuge near Austwell around Oct. 16, said Tom Stehn, whooping crane coordinator for the National Park

Stehn said he is expecting a record number of whoopers this birds. That would be 13 more than last year's 182 birds, when bird watchers predicted that 175 of the 5-foot-tall birds would

Municipal Judge Stewart Milner ordered David James Machen held at the Arlington lawssuit against the district. City Jail on a charge that he violated his 10-year probation for indecency with a child, Arlington spokesman police Commerce and ecology are Hawthorne said. A hearing on the

holdups draw FBI concern

HOUSTON (AP) Increasingly violent holdups, Aransas County and continues to including one in which a bank provide profits and jobs in the teller and a guard were shot, are drawing FBI concern in spite of a declining number of robberies.

In another bank robbery, the fleeing bandit fired 30 rounds at pursuing police cars.

"In these two events, there were clearly attempts by the rob-Oct. 2 in North Dakota, which — to harm anyone in their way," means the bird are on their way said Don K. Clark, special agent 1997.

in charge of the FBI's Houston division

The FBI's top agent in Houston says there's a possibility of increasingly violent holdups.

the local FBI office reported 87 bank robberies within its greater Houston jurisdiction for the fiscal year that ended last month.

Elsewhere

UNIFORM PROBLEMS: A judge has ruled that the Eagle Pass school district cannot punish students who violate the district's policy requiring students to wear uniforms. The order from District Judge Rey Perez was issued after the parents of 13 students filed a WOMEN-TEXAS: Corpus Christi may be the "Sparking City By The Sea," but Ladies Home James Journal doesn't think it's a good place for women to live. The magazine listed the Texas coastal Serial bank robbers, violent Cities for Women." SPICE-VICE: Beaumont city officials are looking for a way to spice up the city's downtown area. The downtown area has been virtually deserted since the state ordered the closing of saloons and houses of prostitution. HARLEY HEISTS: Police at San Antonio say that Harley-Davidson motorcycles are in such demand and short supply that they are becoming popular with thieves. Police in the Alamo City say that almost 0 of them been stolen in the city since January

WEST TEXAS — From Page 3

Following her marriage in 1918, she moved to a male-only ranch house and bore a 12-pound son anesthesia

said, "that I was to live like a like a man...'

Death came last year at the age middle-aged Helen Fisher behind

At age 82, she was still whip-tion. ping up sizzling T-bones, onion "On Saturday night she that's ... that's a West Texas rings and cream gravy. A San straightens the Picasso on her live woman."

compared it to a symphony.

West Texas schoolchildren Country Club. know by heart the story of

"I found out quickly," she once chief, Quanah Parker. Recaptured by Texas settlers man, work like a man, and act near Crowell at age 34, she languished and died four years later.

Finally, there's the West Texas of 99 in an Alpine nursing home. woman described by Fort Worth It was similar resolve that put a writer Jerry Flemmons. He claims it was a non-Texan the stove at the Lowake Steak briefly but memorably married to House after a hail storm flattened a rancher's daughter — who again, take out a kitchen match, her family's Rowena farm in 1960. came up with the perfect defini- and run the match across her

Angelo columnist named Rick ing room wall, pats her silver Smith watched her lunchtime blonde hair, takes a final look in performance in amazement and the mirror and then drives in her Mercedes to the Lubbock

"She is dressed in a \$4,000 sil-Cynthia Ann Parker, who was ver lame Neiman Marcus dress kidnapped by Comanches as a and an \$800 pair of alligator child and taken to the western shoes made exclusively for her frontier. Adopted by an Indian by a guy in Rome. At the club, after 48 hours of labor with no family, she married in the tribe she perches herself on a bar stool, and bore the last great Comanche crosses her legs and orders a drink — bourbon with a splash of water... Nothing touches her for even point, 7,908.25. poise and beauty. Class, wealth and breeding, that's her.

"Then she takes out a solid gold cigarette case from her \$500 hand-beaded clutch purse, puts the cigarette to her lips and ...

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Stocks higher at noon

NEW YORK (AP) — Stocks shot the battered Asian economy. higher today, boosting the Dow back above 8,000 just days after rose 5.2 percent from Friday's 12the blue-chip index was flirting year low as the Parliament with its summer low of 7,400.

At noon on Wall Street, the Dow Jones industrial average was up 175.33 at 8,074.85, jumping back above this year's break-

Broader indicators also rallied, extending a rebound that began Thursday as the Dow and other key measures sank toward levels that have proven appealing to bargain hunters several times since the market selloff on Aug. 31 and Sept. 1.

Helping fuel today's advance were more signs of progress toward ending a severe Japanese recession that weighs heavily on

Tokyo's Nikkei stock average passed legislation to clean up the

bad loans crippling the Japanese banking system. Traders also were encouraged by newspaper reports saying a government council will soon propose tax cuts on mortgages.

The Standard & Poor's 500

index was up 24.76 at 1,009.15, and the technology-heavy Nasdaq composite index was up 66.87 at 1,559.36.

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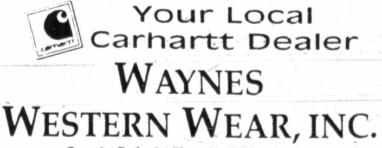
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