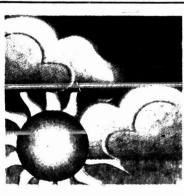
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PAMPA — Candidates Steve Emmert, Susan Winborne and Kurt Curfman are speaking tomorrow at a noon candidate luncheon at Furr's, a spokesperson for the Republican Women of Gray County said today.

The public is invited to attend and hear from Emmert, who is running for District Judge. Winborne, is also running on the republican ticket for Gray County Clerk and Kurt Curfman is running for precinct chair #2.

FORT WORTH, (AP) - Agroup of four women and their families have sued the founder and leader of Harvest Baptist Church, accusing him of engaging in predatory sexual conduct."

Ollin Collin, 47, was named in five lawsuits filed Tuesday in Tarrant County.

The lawsuits, filed by three vomen, their families and the husband of a fourth woman, also claim officials of the church in the Fort Worth suburb of Watauga knew of the sexual acts, ignored them and tried to cover them up. They seek unspecified monetary damages for pain, suffering and mental anguish.

"Collins has projected a compassion e and shepherdlike demeanor in public, while in private actually preying on the flock — a wolf in sheep's clothing," the lawsuits state.

· Jessie Russell Abbott, 76. retired Celanese employee. • Earnestine Freeman, 69,

assistant at Collectors Corner. · Curtis Williams Squiers, 63, retired Church of Christ

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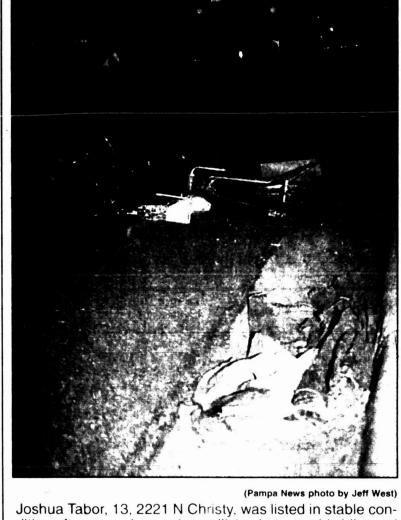


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dition after an early morning collision between his bike and a Ford pickup driven by Sam F. Wyant, 33, 315 1/2

Student injured as bike, pickup collide at corner

Staff Writer

Kingsmill.

A 13-year-old boy was in stable condition this morning after he was airlifted from Pampa following an accident in which his bicycle collided with a pickup.

Joshua L. Tabor was hurt at 7:01 this morning at the intersection of 23rd and Perryton Parkway in front of Pampa

Middle School. Police report that a 1994 Ford Ranger pickup driven by Sam Frederich Wyant, 33, 315 1/2 E. Kingsmill, was traveling north on Perryton Parkway and had a green light when the wreck happened. Officers said Joshua

light and Don't Walk signal and rode in front of the pickup. No charges had been filled this

Skid marks indicate Wyant tried to stop but didn't see the bike in time, according to Pampa Police Officer Corey Powell. The officer said it was still dark when the accident happened and said the boy's clothes were fairly dark.

Powell said it appears the bike caught the corner of the pickup and the injuries occurred from the impact when the bike and rider hit the street. The boy was not wearing a helmet.

Tabor was flown to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

apparently disregarded a red Athletic, renovation bids agenda topics

Consideration will be given toward district athletic equipment bids and a renovation bid proposal for the middle school's special education classrooms at Pampa ISD's Thursday night regular meeting.

Other bids for consideration include a proposal regarding two of the elementary schools' heating and air conditioning systems, and district band instruments.

A request to the board concerning new high school computer course offerings is scheduled to be addressed as well. And the board will also take action on a request to construct the Super Playground on a portion of school district property.

During the administrative report portion of the meeting, Pampa Middle School administration will present the board with a middle school inclusion report regarding the integration of some special needs students into regular classrooms.

The board will also hear updates regarding the implementation of seat belts for district buses.

Finally, a representative regarding the high school tennis team's building renovations will review the progress of the team's fund-raising efforts in addition to matters concerning the portable building being transferred from the former Horace Mann Elementary campus to the high school for use by the team.

The board will meet at Carver Center at 6 p.m. at \$21 W. Albert.

Super Playground materials arriving

By DEE DEE LARAMORE For The News

Truckloads of materials are being unloaded at 900 N. Frost, the site of Pampa's Super Playground, in preparation for the "build date,"

Volunteers of all ages throughout the community are signing up to help build the 20,000-square- the rock. foot playground over the five-day period, regardless of the weather, orga-

nizers say. City of Pampa and Southwestern Public Service Co. employees prepared the site with special lighting for the build last week, according to Reed Kirkpatrick, director of City Parks and Recreation.

Trucks filled with wood fiber mulch from St. Paul, Kan., are arriving almost every day, said Jack Reeve, a Pampa Rotarian who is co-chairing the playground steering committee. A total of 640vards of the wood fiber will be used to make the handicapped-accessible playing surface, he said.

People don't realize the

be compacted to a depth of 12-inches. This will make it so that kids in wheelchairs can propel themselves around on it."

Eight 20-ton truck loads of river rock are to be brought in from Borger for the 4-inch thick drainage bed underneath the wood fiber, he said, adding that 30,000 square feet of Geotextile Fabric is to be sandwiched between the wood fiber and

(See PLAYGROUND, Page 2)



scope of this thing," Reeve City employees Billy Jones and Peter Rodriguez dig for a water said. "The wood fiber will tap in preparation for Super Playground build days Oct. 21-25.

CofC tourism budget questioned, then passed

By KATE B. DICKSON Associate Publisher

Despite complaints about how some of the money is spent, Pampa City Commissioners approved next year's \$10,000 tourism budget for the chamber of commerce by a vote of 3-to-1.

The money comes from the city's seven percent hotel/motel tax that generates about \$105,000 yearly, according to Finance Director John Horst. The balance is used to support M.K. Brown Auditorium.

Commissioner Jeff Andrews voted against the measure Tuesday while voting for it were Commissioners Faustina Curry and Jeff McCormick and Mayor Bob Neslage. Commissioner Bob Dixon was absent.

"This budget thing is really a concern for me the \$2,500 that goes back into administration," Curry said during the work session prior to the regular meeting. These (administrative costs) are things the chamber should be doing itself. Saving

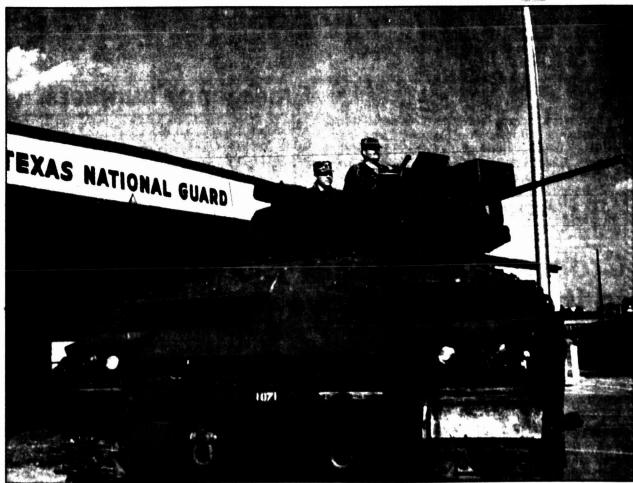
The city contracts with the chamber to provide tourism services and Commissioner Jeff Andrews wondered aloud if the city can contract with a different agency.

that, there's nothing more to say with the status and the way things are at the chamber. With that

said, let's vote." In addition to the administrative costs, the tourism budget includes \$375 for organizational dues, \$1,134 for advertising/promotions, and \$5,991 for market/promotional.

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City Attorney Don Lane said the city may con-(See TOURISM, Page 2)



(Pampa News photo by Jeff West)

A new Bradley Fighting Vehicle has been delivered to the Pampa National Guard Unit. Administrative NCO SSG John Worthington and SSG Mike Smith show off the newest addition to Detachment 1, Company D. It has a 25 mm cannon, machine gun, and can fire guided rockets. It can also carry seven infantryman and their gear along with three crew.



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Services tomorrow

FITZGERALD, Ida Mae "Bit" — Graveside services, 10 a.m., Fairview Cemetery, Pampa. FREEMAN, Earnestine — 2:30 p.m., New

Hope Baptist Church, Pampa. **SQUIERS**, Curtis Williams — 2 p.m., Sunset Ridge Church of Christ, Brady.

Obituaries

JESSIE RUSSELL ABBOTT

Iessie Russell Abbott, 76, of Pampa, died Wednesday, Oct. 14, 1998. Services are pending under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Abbott was born April 25, 1922, at Bradshaw, Texas. He married Hazel Lavena Cook on July 4, 1942, at Morton. He had been a Pampa resident since 1943, moving from Morton. He worked for Celanese Corporation, retiring in 1985 after 32 years of service. He helped found Celanese Retirees Club, Pampa Army Airfield Reunion and Freedom Museum, serving on the museum board of directors.

He was a member of Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of Christ and was a 20-year member of Pampa Optimist Club, teaching girls softball for several years. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army Air Corps, serving during World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Hazel Lavena Abbott, of the home; a son and daughter-inlaw, Glynn and Karen Abbott of Pampa; two daughters and a son-in-law, Lanora and Bill Ripple of Pampa and Jean Hicks of Houston; four sisters, Loredith Lafferty of Greenbelt Lake, Peggy Abbott of Bryan, Ioma Danisch of Houston and Doris Baha of Longmont, Colo.; two brothers and a sister-in-law, Richard and Ruth Abbott of Arlington and John Abbott of Mississippi; seven grandchildren, Bradley Glynn Abbott of Arlington, Lance Ripple of Pampa, Gina Beck and Jeff Abbott, both of Houston, Sharon Collier of Woodward, Okla., Holly Brant and husband Arthur of Abilene; and Stephanie Love and husband Paul of Katy; six grandchildren; and a number of nieces and nephews.

The family requests memorials be to Hospice of the Panhandle, Box 2795, Pampa, TX 79066-

EARNESTINE FREEMAN

Earnestine Freeman, 69, of Pampa, died Saturday, Oct. 10, 1998. Closed casket services will be at 2:30 p.m. Thursday in New Hope Baptist Church with the Rev. T.J. Patterson officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Warford-Walker Mortuary of Amarillo.

Mrs. Freeman was born May 11, 1929, at Pampa, to Herbert and Alberta Woods. She attended Pampa schools, graduating from Carver High School. She married Van Freeman. She was employed with Dean and Carolyn Copeland for 32 years and had worked as an assistant at Collectors Corner. She was a longstanding member of New Hope Baptist Church

where she was active in several organizations. She was preceded in death by her father and by her husband.

Survivors include her mother; three sisters, Iris Lottie of Panhandle, Henry Lois McKinney of Wellington and Warnza Demerson of Amarillo; and three brothers, Jack Woods of Crawford, William Kyle Woods of Denver, Colo., and Ronald Timothy Woods of Pampa. The body will be available for viewing from

12 noon until 2 p.m. today. **CURTIS WILLIAMS SQUIERS**

BRADY - Curtis Williams Squiers, 63, died

Saturday, Oct. 10, 1998. Services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in Sunset Ridge Church of Christ with Kenneth Beard, Ron Beard, Curtis Lacy and Richard Horne officiating. Burial will be in Voca Cemetery under the direction of Heritage Funeral Home.

Mr. Williams was born Feb. 23, 1935, in McCulloch County, to John and Una Squiers. He married Coleta Elliott on March 27, 1954, at Sweetwater. He was a member of Church of Christ in Longon and had served congregations in Sweetwater, Hamlin, Fort Stockton, Sand Springs, Lefors, Gordonville and London, Texas, serving a total of 39 years including 20 years as an elder.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Clinton Squiers and Steve Squiers; and three sisters, Lorene, Leotta and Billie Jo. Survivors include his wife of over 44 years,

Coleta; his children, Sue Lacy of Cisco, Faye Millsoof Bangs, Chodya Squiers of Snyder; five sisters, Olegha (Nig), Cathrine, Ruth, Nancy and Brenda; three brothers, O'Neal, Carol and Winfred; and numerous grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be in lieu of flowers to Church of Christ of London.

Police report

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

Tuesday, October 13 Dory Lee Shorter, 35, 1313 E. Francis, was

arrested on warrants. Kevin W. Jacoby, 30, 628 N Dwight, was arrest-

ed on municipal warrants. Stephen Don Blanset, 20, 619 West, was arrested on warrants.

Theft was reported in the 300 block of N.

Burglary was reported in the 600 block of N.

Sheriff's Office

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

Tuesday, October 13 Dennis Ray Hayes, 50, 1004 S. Sumner, was arrested on charges of theft.

Michael E. Marsh, 41, 619 N. Sumner, was arrested on charges of theft.

James Dennis Conner, 41, was arrested on charges of violation of probation.

Accidents*

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

Tuesday, October 13 Misty Dawn Menfee, 19, 1001 E. Campbell, was cited for failure to control speed when her 1993 Mustang came out of a driveway in the 500 block of S. Talley and struck the curb. It then struck a parked 1989 Camero which was pushed into a 1977 Trans Am both owned by Randy Wagner,

1000 E. Frederick. No injuries were reported.

Ambulance

The Rural/Metro reported the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today. Tuesday, October 13 9:52 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to

Northwest Texas Hospital and transported one to a local nursing facility. 9:53 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 800

block of Jordan and transported one to Columbia Medical Center.

10:28 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 600 block of Bradley. No patient was transported. 11:04 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to Baptist St. Anthony's in Amarillo and transported one to Columbia Medical Center.

1:20 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to Columbia Medical Center and transported one to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. 4:29 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to

Columbia Medical Center and transported one to Baptist St. Anthony's in Amarillo. 6:00 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the

1900 Hilton Road and transported one to Columbia Medical Center.

Wednesday, October 14

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12:25 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to a local nursing facility and transported one to Columbia Medical Center.

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Cronkite: CNN beat CBS to the punch on coverage NEW YORK (AP) — When it comes to landing the most trusted

man in America, the early bird gets the worm.

Walter Cronkite will lead CNN's coverage of John Glenn's return to space later this month. The anchorman said the cable news network's coup caught his former employers at CBS by surprise.

"Their reaction was 'Gosh, we wish we'd thought of it," he said "This is all giving me the chance to play the game again the way we

used to play it at the networks," he said. But he said he couldn't criticize CBS for not spending as much time on the flight. Cronkite said he prefers to cover Glenn's launch for CNN because

it had more time to cover space flights more like the major television networks did in the 1960s

The former "CBS Evening News" anchor comes out of retirement on Oct. 26 to anchor, with Miles O'Brien, CNN's coverage of Glenn's liftoff in the space shuttle. He'll participate in CNN's coverage off and on until the shuttle's planned landing on Nov. 7.

He won't be completely absent from CBS. Cronkite, who anchored most of CBS's coverage of space flights in the 1960s, will be interviewed by Dan Rather for a special CBS report and participated, along with Ed Bradley, in an interview with Glenn to be broadcast on "60 Minutes."

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PLAYGROUND In addition to the surface materials, 869 2x6-inch

by 14-foot and 819 2x4-inch by 14-foot pieces of treated yellow pine are to be used in building the playground, he said. More than 1,800 lineal feet of utility pools, 6x8-inches in diameter are also included in the structure, he said.

Add to that 710 3/8-inch by 5-inch lag screws, and 200 pounds each of 10-penny and 20-penny deck nails, just to put all the wood together, Reeve

The number of volunteers to build the playground is steadily growing, said Chuck White, Reeve's co-chair. Several businesses including Curtis Well Service and Wal-Mart are dedicating employees to help with the project, he said.

Local school children are doing their part to raise funds for the Super Playground, too, White said. Super Playground boxes to save change were

sent home with approximately 2,000 elementary students throughout the Pampa area. The boxes,

filled with pennies, nickels, dimes and quarters, are to be returned to their homerooms this week. The homeroom that raises the most change for each

school will win a pizza party, White said Reeve said a number of tools are still needed for volunteers to use during the build. He said the borrowed tools will be kept in a locked storage container when not in use. The tools will be checked out to volunteers and checked back in when volunteers finish for the day. Any damaged or lost tools will be replaced, he said.

Tools needed, he said, include slide compound miter saws, power miter boxes, orbital jigsaws, half-inch drills, 100-foot electric cords, hardhats, levels, 150-foot light strings with at least 15 100-watt bulbs spaced 10-feet apart, sawhorses, combination squares, framing squares and tarps.

Anyone having any of these tools to loan can con-

tact Stuart Stoffle at 669-0568.

Individuals wanting to help build the playground may contact Kathy White at 669-0568. Times are flexible and child care is available.

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TOURISM

tract with another entity as long as it is an agency involved with tourism.

Andrews said it is his understanding the tourism budget presented to commissioners "is not the same budget that came out of the (chamber's) tourism committee ... it was changed after that."

Lane said the tourism committee "serves under the chamber board," which has power to change the

committee's proposed budget. "I assume they approved it," he said of the board.

If we reject it, (the tourism budget) what happens?" Andrews asked.

City Manager Bob Eskridge said, "We would want to tell they why and they could resubmit the budget."

"We have been through this before and it always comes back to the same thing," Curry said right before the vote was taken.

cumbents favored in new figures

ARLINGTON, Va. (AP) - A new poll suggests were being held today, to 46 percent for a House incumbents are in good shape to win reelection next month, USA Today reported today.

The USA Today/CNN/Gallup Poll found that 68 percent of those surveyed believe their House Clinton is handling his job. member deserves to be re-elected, compared to 16 percent who do not believe that. It also found that proceed as planned. 47 percent approve of the way Congress is handling its job to 46 percent who disapprove.

vote for a Democratic candidate if the election points:

Republican candidate.

On other topics, the survey found:

-65 percent approve of the way President

--54 percent say impeachment hearings should

—58 percent say Clinton should not be removed from office.

The survey of 1,004 adults was conducted Friday And it found that 47 percent said they would to Monday. It has a margin of error of 3 percentage

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

Partly sunny and 90 today with south winds from 15-20 mph. Tonight, partly cloudy with a low in the low 60s and winds from the south at 10-20 mph. Tomorrow, partly cloudy with a high in the mid 80s and windy with winds from the south at 20-30 and gusting higher. Tuesday's high was 81; the overnight low 58.

REGIONAL FORECAST Thursday, morning cloudiness and patchy fog becoming mostly sunny. Highs in the mid 80s. Lows in the mid 60s. Southeast Texas and Upper Texas Coast — Tonight, clear. Lows near 60 inland to near 70 coast. Thursday, mostly sunny day and clear night. Highs in the mid 80s inland, lower 80s coast. Lows in the upper 60s inland, the Rio Grande Plains -

near 70 coast to the mid 60s

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with a southwest wind 15 to 25, along the Rio Grande. mph. Partly cloudy with a low around 60. Thursday, windy with a southwest wind 20-30 then increasing clouds. Lows 58 mph with higher gusts. Partly east to 65 west. Thursday, morncloudy with a high 80 to 85. chance of showers and thunder- Highs 83 to 86. storms. Low in the lower 50s. SOUTH TEXAS — Hill Low Rolling Plains — Tonight, windy. High in the lower 80s. Far east. West Texas — Tonight, fair. Low

inland. Thursday, sunny day and Tonight, fair. Lows from near 50 clear night. Highs in the mid 80s. to the lower 60s. Thursday, part-Lows in the mid 70s coast to near ly cloudy. A slight chance of afternoon showers or thunder-WEST TEXAS — Panhandle storms. Highs from lower 70s Tonight, continued breezy northern mountains to lower 90s NORTH TEXAS — Tonight,

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NEW MEXICO — Tonight, Country and South Central fair. Low near 60. Thursday, increasing clouds towards morn-Texas - Tonight, fair. Lows in partly cloudy and windy. High ing far northwest, Otherwise fair the lower 60s, upper 50s Hill in the lower 80s. Permian to partly cloudy. Lows 30s and Basin/Upper Trans Pecos — 40s mountains and northwest, 50 Tonight, fair. Low around 60. to 60 south and east: Thursday, Thursday, mostly cloudy morn- becoming breezy to windy ing. Partly cloudy and windy by Variable cloudiness and turning afternoon. High in the upper 80s. cooler far northwest with a slight Concho Valley/Edwards Plateau chance of a shower. Partly - Tonight, fair. Low in the lower cloudy elsewhere with a slight 60s. Thursday, mostly cloudy chance for showers or thunder-early, then partly cloudy and storms east central and south-

OKLAHOMA - Tonight, mid 70s coast. Coastal Bend and near 60. Thursday, partly cloudy partly cloudy and windy. Low in and breezy with isolated after- the lower and middle 60s. Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows noon thunderstorms. High in the Thursday, partly cloudy and Guadalupe windy. High in the 80s.

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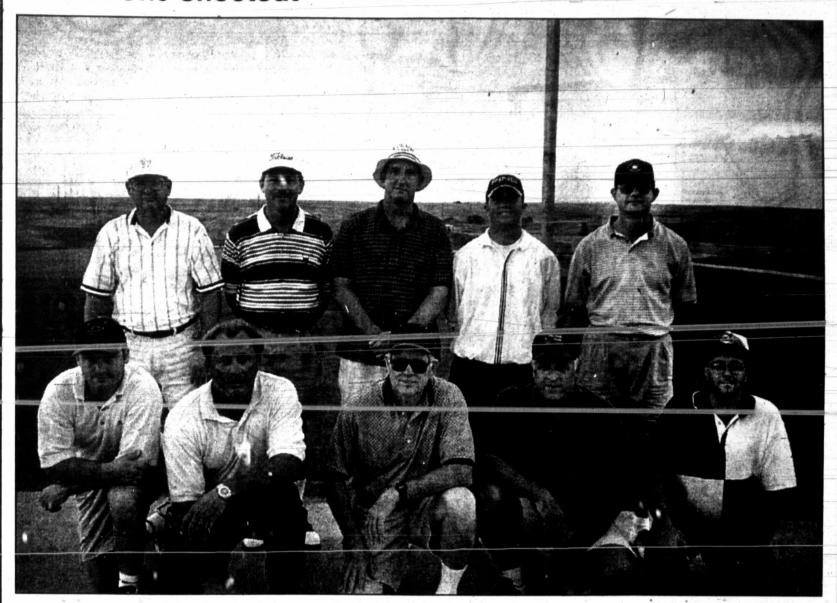
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Center Hotline, talked with staff

members and, after careful con-

sideration, decided to take her children and leave the home. She

him she did not wish to end the

See TRALEE, Page 6

Shawna called the Tralee Crisis

The top 10 winners of the recent Pampa High School Choir Hole-In-One Shootout were (front, from left) Heath Babcock, Lonny Fowler, Jerry South, Mike Hargus and Jeff Gage; (back, from left) Richard Mackie, Frank McCullough, John Allen, Jeff Henderson and Dwight Keith. The Shootout was held on the No. 12 hole at Hidden Hills.

Tralee helps women in crisis

profiles on the agencies and organizations supported by Pampa United Way. This information is being provided by Pampa United Way as part of its 1998 "The Power of You" fund-raising campaign



Tralee Crisis Center proservices at no cost to victims of familv violence.

assault and other crimes. Those services include safe shelter when the home isn't safe, crisis counseling, legal and personal advocacy, a 24-hour hotline [669-1788], transportation, support groups for women and children, and transitional living arrange-

In the past fiscal year, Tralee provided such help to 1,202 individual clients.

The greatest accomplishment Women Inc. in the past year has been the establishment of a plan of action with which to empower ther their education and become self-sufficient.

The agency, through its services to victims of spousal and family abuse, helps improve the quality of life in the community. Through a concentrated effort on inter-agency communication and collaboration, the quality and consistency of coordinated sup-riage. portive services for family vio- But then Paul (not his real lence and sexual assault victims name) began to direct his verbal

Stephanie Raymond, left, Lesa Hall and Whitney Daves wrap presents for the Angel Tree, sponsored by Tralee Crisis Center each Christmas.

of crime have been improved.

As with other agencies for Tralee Crisis Center for receiving United Way funding assistance, the story lies not just in the number of clients served by the agency, but in victims of family violence to fur- the way in which those ser-

vices can help the individual. For example, for 18 years, Shawna (not her real name) had been living in an abusive relationship with her husband. The emotional and physical abuse she had endured was, in her own words, "something she had learned to accept as part of mar-

venom at their children and Shawna was able to see changes

in their personalities, tension

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brought into focus how serious Hallowed House '98

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Pampa High Class of 1943 celebrates 55th class reunion

registered and picked up their name tags, which were specialgold spur and a red kerchief out of the top of the boot. Time was spent renewing acquaintances over a cup of coffee or a glass of orange juice.

The school bell rang and school began. The students were asked to take their seats as it was time to start class. The day began with pledge of allegiance to the flag followed by the singing of the Pampa High School song. As the roll was called everyone was ask to stand with their spouse as their name was called, that everyone could recognize who

In 1943, the superintendent was L.L. Sone; principal, Doyle Osborne; assistant principal, Aubrey Steel Mrs. Lou Roberts, registrar.

Leslie Burge, class president, a box lunch and cold drinks joined the Navy and was along replaced by Vice President other. Imogene Sperry Miller. Then Kenneth Lard was vice president and Dorace Jean Caldwell Guin was secretary.

There were 13 teachers that left Pampa High School to join the services of our country. We collected over 105,000 pounds of scrap metal and rubber for the war. We bought and sold \$7,500 worth of War Bonds and stamps. Flint Berlin was the school's funny man and the co-captain of the 1942 Harvester Football Team. The Football Queen for 1943 was Mary Gurley Watts. Dorace Guin and Billy Waters couldn't stand the hurt they felt were the two seniors chosen or their painful bewilderment "Most Likely to Succeed."

Dorace Guin was valedictorian and Dorothy Stone Porter was the salutatorian. Margaret Burton Carlisle and Leonard Brummett were Best Citizens. Flint Berlin and Margaret Carlisle were Senior Favorites.

talked to Paul many times, telling Sponsors for the Class of 1943 were B.G. Gordon, Mrs. J.R. marriage but only wanted them Holloway, Miss Margaret Jones to seek counseling. But Paul and Mrs. O.H. Alexander. There would not accept that he needed were 99 students on graduation

Members of the class of 1943 night and another 17 finished in summer school. The class was the first class of Pampa High made like a cowboy boot with a School to go a full 12 years of school as before this the grades only went through the 11th grade. Also there was no annual that year because of the war and no class trip because of the gas

The lesson for the day was presented by a fellow class member, Harold Cobb who talked on "What the Class of 1943 Has Stood For." We have a great class and we are all very proud of it and all that they have accomplished through the 55 years since our graduation.

The class was brought up to date on the Clarendon College Pampa Center Building Fund and the High School's Spirit Bell that is now back home at Pampa High School.

The school bell rang and it was Do You Remember?" that time for lunch. Everyone enjoyed along with time to visit with each

The afternoon was spent with a game of bingo, which was enjoyed by everyone and especially the bingo prizes.

Everyone enjoyed the evening at the Stokes Country Barn and the music of The North Fork Band. The food and the music was great and if that was not enough there was the Surrey rides to top off the great time for all of those who attended the 55th Class Reunion of the Class

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Opinion

California gives Wilson just a 'C'

■ California Gov. Pete Wilson is too busy looking to the

With less than four months remaining in his tenure as governor of California, Pete Wilson appears to be looking to the snows of New Hampshire and a potential promotion to the

The last two years he apparently has been putting his campaign slogans in order: a state tax cut this year, education reform, welfare reform, a \$4.2 billion budget surplus and a \$1 billion reserve that's expected to improve the state's bond rating. But a new Cato Institute study indicates that voters from the Granite, State to the Golden State should be aware that Gov. Wilson gave only a middling financial performance when compared with other governors, earning a "C" grade. "A Fiscal Report Card on America's Governors: 1998" focuses on taxes and spending, using statistical measures of the percentages that each were cut or raised during a governor's

Gov. Wilson scored better than the "F" earned by tax-addicted Govs. Mel Carnahan of Missouri, Lawton Chiles of Florida and John Kitzhaber of Oregon. But he landed behind the "A" grades earned by tax-cutting Govs. William Janklow, South Dakota and John Rowland, Connecticut.

Governors of other high-population states fared better than Wilson. Govs. George Pataki of New York, Tom Ridge of Pennsylvania, Christine Whitman of New Jersey, John Engler of Michigan and George Bush of Texas all earned "B" grades, mostly for commendable tax-cut records.

"Gov. Wilson has had a Jekyll-and-Hyde relationship with the taxpavers of California," the study said. "His first term was a fiscal and economic disaster for the state. He muscled through the Legislature a \$7.5 billion tax increase, the largest in the history of the 50 states. California's already high income tax rates were raised to the third highest in the nation. The

economy sank further into recession. "The tax hikes failed to raise the anticipated revenues, and the state's budget crisis intensified. The second term has been better. Wilson not only has allowed the ill-fated income tax hikes to expire but has recommended further cuts in the business and individual tax rates - proposals that have been mostly thwarted by the Legislature ..." And he has signed a 25 percent reduction in the car tax. "Although Wilson now advertises himself as a fiscal conservative, his record fails to match his rhetoric," the study said.

This is important because, as the cases of Ronald Reagan and Bill Clinton show, governors who become presidents tend to repeat in the White House what they did in the state house. "If Wilson's record as governor is any indication," Report Card co-author Dean Stansel told us, "a Wilson administration would took more like the tax-and-spend administration of Michael Dukakis (a former governor of Massachusetts) than the administration of a tax-cutter like Ronald Reagan."

Gov. Wilson has had eight years to show Californians, and the rest of the nation, his true colors — a track record well worth remembering as voters size up presidential hopefuls.

Cure not give a chance

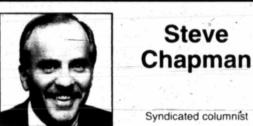
Anyone with a broken ankle is grateful for the invention of crutches, and anyone who loathes mice is likely to look favorably upon mousetraps. Those suffering from a problem normally welcome a solution. But heroin addiction is different. In this country, government bodies that claim to want to stamp out this scourge actually seem more determined to get rid of the cure.

Physicians know how to treat heroin addiction: with a medicine called methadone, which, when administered once a day, satisfies the users cravings while allowing him to function normally. A 1990 report by the Institute of Medicine at the National Academy of Sciences found that of all the drug treatments known to man, "methadone mainteand has yielded the most incontrovertibly positive results."

What sort of positive results? Just stuff like reducing drug use, crime and disease among get it if they could. addicts, while boosting their ability to hold

ly used for decades. But the only people treated with more suspicion than people who use heroin are people who want to help them stop using heroin. But plenty of people take medications every

any other pharmaceutical drug. they have to go to special clinics, which are to abandon the ones who can't. burdened with an array of regulations on



Syndicated columnist

the business of dispensing methadone, insist-

ing that users should be able to abstain from

heroin without relying on another drug. Given the resistance, methadone clinics are scarce, and they tend to be in seedy urban nance has been the most rigorously studied middle-class users. The main achievement of that for every addict it weans off heroin.

jobs and stay off welfare. Methadone, says use for methadone. They complain that it Mark Kleiman, a professor of public policy at merely substitutes one opiate for another nicotine patches are as bad as cigarettes. Yes, ably with the best means available. methadone is a drug that many patients have Rudy Giuliani. Some heroin users can kick the them. Addicts can't get it from their doctors — habit without methadone. But that's no reason

of marijuana use, and I was suggesting that he wouldn't know how to pour water out of a boot if the instructions were written on the heel. But McCaffrey is not always imperviousto evidence. He recently journeyed to Mayor Giuliani's fiefdom to argue that what we need is not less methadone treatment but more.

He made an incontestable case, noting studies which find that among heroin addicts receiving this medicine, good things happen. Heroin use typically drops 69 percent, cocaine use by 48 percent and crime by 52 percent while full-time work rises by 24 percent. People who stop using heroin are also less likely to get AIDS, hepatitis and other nasty diseases. Treatment costs just \$13 a day, and areas far away from, and uninviting to, many the government is likely to save far more than

these policies is to prevent addicts from getting help. For each one in treatment, experts methadone is like a thirsty man rejecting say, there are another two or three who would water — irrational, self-destructive and indicative that the brain has shut down under Hard-line drug warriors generally have no stress. McCaffrey is trying to bring them to their senses by arguing that heroin addiction should be viewed less as a sin to be punished UCLA, "is a real magic bullet." It can be safe- which is true and which is like saying that and more as a disease to be treated — prefer-

Giuliani rejects such advice, contending that to take for the rest of their lives to stay clean. when it comes to drug abuse, McCaffrey has "surrendered." The mayor, of course, is right. Methadone is supervised like the gold in Fort day to alleviate ailments, from insulin to The drug czar has surrendered to facts and Knox, subject to rules stricter than those for Prozac, without being verbally abused by reason — unlike Giuliani, who is still fighting

What is clearly needed, as McCaffrey suggested, is for laws to stop getting in the way of Even drug czar Barry McCaffrey, whose patients who need a safe and effective drug staffing, security and so on. And since these views do not always converge with my own, and doctors who want to prescribe it for them. special clinics attract - surprise!' - heroin sees the wisdom of expanding methadone If addicts could get their medication from addicts, not many neighborhoods greet them -treatment. Not long ago, the White House ordinary physicians and ordinary pharmacies, with brass bands. New York Mayor Rudy drug czar was making disparaging claims they would be more likely to go into treatment Giuliani wants to get the city entirely out of about the effects of the Netherlands' tolerance and more likely to succeed at it.

Today in history

By The Associated Press Today is Wednesday, Oct. 14, California.

the 287th day of 1998. There are 78 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: pilot Charles E. Yeager became the Hastings. first person to break the sound

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campaigning for the presidency, rather than face execution for was shot in the chest in allegedly conspiring against

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Our Father's Fields' is a must read

Southerners are indeed different from other Americans, and if you wish to understand that difference, a new and beautifully written book will tell you. It's "Our Father's Fields: A Southern Story" by James Everett Kibler. This is a most unusual book. It is published

by the University of South Carolina Press. Kibler is a scholar, teacher and poet. He bought a dilapidated old plantation house in Newbury County, S.C., and set out to restore it and its old gardens. The book is about that place and all the people who lived on it, all the plants and the animals that lived on it. Kibler's research turned up a treasure store

lived on the plantation, called Tyger after the the new planted furrough. river that runs through the valley.

"Gone With the Wind" was fiction; this is non-fiction, but it is a beautiful revelation of deeper spirit of things tells me that overmuch how slave and planter alike lived in an Eden and excess of wealth can bear no proper fruit. that would be destroyed.

can be tasted in a letter the senior Hardy wrote ancestral land has once again sustained us. We to one of his sons who was away studying medicine in 1854:

"Today finds me thoughtful because it is the half a century of such joys and pains, rememus, the losses of your dear little brothers and which our good Creator has blessed us."



Charley Reese

Syndicated columnist

sisters, of my own father who never lived long er, dead before I knew to appreciate her propof old letters, recollections, ledgers and other erly well. For all this last my life has been so sources of information, so that he paints a blessed with joy in your own dear mother beautiful portrait of the Hardy family who whose smile is to me like the spring rain on

Then Hardy tells his son of his philosophy toward wealth and toward the land: "The There are bounds to all things and especially The flavor of that remarkable Hardy family of man's earthly desires. The soil of your must also cherish and protect it, for from its furroughs we all grow and bear our modest fruit. We owe it our all. Neither must it be 50th anniversary of my birth. I reflect back on pushed to its limits and must itself have its own freedoms to lie-fallow and rest. All our ber when your mother and I first held you to fortunes lie with the generous fields with

'Never forget what you owe the Soil of Tyger, and I pray you never foreswear family and all those many who have toiled to give you the privilege that places you there in your

Not bad writing for a man who spent his hours in the fields and in the saddle, but that is the core of Southern Celtic heritage: a special love of the land, of place, of family and of

And there's one more characteristic of Southern culture that came from the war and enough for me to know him and of my moth- defeat and Reconstruction, all of which are also vividly portrayed in this book. Hardy would know even more grief. Most of his sons would die, his fortune lost, his liberty lost, his land desecrated by conquerors hardly worthy

of the name of vandals. Yankee soldiers would ride their horses into the Hardy home, abuse the women both black and white, fire off their guns, rob them of everything portable, destroy and defile what food they couldn't haul away.

Kibler follows the fortune of the plantation

and its family right on into the modern age. Kibler says, "Southerners accept grief, death and loss as integral parts of existence better than most Americans and face them more realistically, at the same time retaining both a love of the tangible and a sense of awe at the inscrutable design and destiny. Maybe it is a Celtic thing with us."

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Around the country, world

Negotiators try to build budget bridge

WASHINGTON (AP) - White House and congressional negotiators promised to try again today after failing to bridge differences over

education funding in their quest for a 1999 budget.

Completion of the giant \$500 billion bill hinged on a few relatively narrow but politically sensitive issues, including how to run a \$1.1 billion program to improve the nation's schools, family planning and the

There are big philosophical differences on how this budget should be spent," said White House Chief of Staff Erskine Bowles, the chief administration negotiator.

But as Bowles left House Speaker Newt Gingrich's office Tuesday after nearly seven hours of talks, he said progress had been made. "I think we have a good chance to be done tomorrow.

The Senate was essentially in recess, waiting for the budget talks to end, while the House ran through dozens of noncontroversial bills. Without a budget deal, lawmakers can't leave for their districts and begin campaigning for the Nov. 3 election.

If no agreement is reached by midnight tonight, Congress and the White House must enact a fourth temporary spending bill to keep the government open. The 1999 fiscal year began Oct. 1.

Negotiators, worn down by a week of non-stop bargaining, went into Tuesday predicting a deal, but as the day progressed hopes faded. I am much less optimistic than I was this morning," Gingrich, R-Ga., said late in the afternoon.

Milosevic takes steps to avert airstrikes

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia (AP) - President Slobodan Milosevic's government has outlined a plan for a separate parliament in autono- No more bulky carry-on baggage my-minded Kosovo, taking the first steps to comply with a deal to avert airstrikes by NATO.

The plan, which calls for local elections in the separatist province for 1999, was announced late Tuesday, a day after U.S. envoy Richard Holbrooke reached a breakthrough in efforts to end the Kosovo crisis.

The government statement, carried by the state-run Tanjug news agency, appeared to recognize the likelihood of NATO airstrikes unless Milosevic's violent crackdown in the southern province ends.

According to the statement, Kosovo Albanians would have their own parliament, judiciary and police. The government also said elections in Kosovo would be held within

nine months and invited foreign monitors to observe them. It also offered amnesty for ethnic Albanian fighters except suspected war

In Brussels, Belgium, NATO officials made clear Tuesday that the threat of airstrikes remained in place to pressure Milosevic to honor his agreement with Holbrooke. They said the strikes could be conducted any time after Friday, the deadline for Milosevic's compliance.

Milosevic agreed Monday to withdraw his forces from Kosovo, begin peace negotiations with separatist ethnic Albanians and allow some 2,000 international inspectors into the troubled Serb province to verify compliance.

Weekend summit on middle Eastern peace try

JERUSALEM (AP) — For the first time in a generation, an American president is poised to usher Israeli and Palestinian leaders to a secluded setting, sit them down, and tell them in the plainest possible terms that it's time to work out their differences.

Although few believe a landmark Camp David-style accord is likely to emerge from this week's summit at the Maryland resort of Wye Plantation, the two sides could be pushed into some successful outcome — largely because neither can afford any more diplomatic false

Not to mention the fact that their host, President Clinton, could sorely use a feat of statesmanship to assuage his impeachment woes.

In recent months, one high-level, high-profile Mideast gathering after another — in London, in Washington, in the Gaza Strip — have

yielded little more than agreements to meet again. Painting that as progress might have worked for a time, but this time, it would be read as clear failure.

Nabil Abourdeineh, an adviser to Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat,

likened the situation to "standing on top of a volcano." "Either we reach a breakthrough or a dangerous deadlock," he told

reporters Tuesday, on the eve of both leaders' departures for Washington.



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Rudolph to be charged with Olympics bombing

WASHINGTON (AP) - The suspect in an Alabama abortion clinic bombing, Eric Robert Rudolph, one of the FBI's 10 most wanted fugitives, is to be charged with the 1996 bombing at the Olympics and two other attacks in Atlanta, federal officials say.

A criminal complaint charging Rudolph with the Olympic blast and the 1997 bombings of a gay bar and an abortion clinic, also in Atlanta, was ready to be filed with a federal court, two federal law enforcement officials said Tuesday evening.

The complaint was to be filed as soon as Justice Department officials were able to schedule a news conference to announce it, perhaps as early as today, according to these officials, who requested anonymity.

The decision to bring charges came now because "we have the evidence to support it, and it might be helpful for the public to understand the full spectrum of what he's sought for - so people watch out for him and do not help him," a senior federal law enforcement offi-

Last May, Rudolph was placed on the FBI's most wanted list with a \$1 million reward based on earlier charges he bombed a Birmingham, Ala., abortion clinic Jan. 29. Rudolph was last seen Jan. 30 near his home in North Carolina, where his truck was abandoned.

For months, hundreds of FBI and state and local agents have futilely searched the rugged, mountainous wilderness of western North Carolina, where the 31-year-old carpenter and experienced woodsman grew up and is at home. Buried garbage from canned food he may have consumed has been found and he is thought to have taken food from one elderly resident this summer, but he has eluded capture.

CHICAGO (AP) — The airlines have a holiday message for passengers: No more bulky carry-on baggage.

In an attempt to solve one of the industry's thorniest problems, United Airlines executives said they will start putting Plexiglas cutouts in front of X-ray machines next month to make sure carry-on bags are small enough to fit under plane seats or in overhead bins.

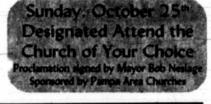
If those baby strollers, packages for the in-laws or bulky computer equipment don't make the cut, below they must go. And that may mean a trip back to the check-in line to check the bag.

United and other carriers, concerned about improving on-time departure records and safety, said Tuesday they intend to rigorously enforce the restrictions.

"We're not backing off," said Chris Bowers, senior vice president of North American operations for UAL Corp., United's parent company. That's the direction we're going because it's consistent with what the

United, in partnership with Delta and Continental airlines, has been testing the template system at New York City's LaGuardia Airport over the past four months and received few complaints, said

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Victim of six-person train accident identified

SARITA, Texas (AP) — One of six men run over by a train while apparently sleeping on the tracks has been identified.

The man was identified as Amador Pasfillas Sosa, 28, of Tepechitlan, Zacatecas in Mexico, Kenedy County Sheriff Rafael Cuellar Jr. said Wednesday.

Sosa's identification card had been found among the remains and debris at the site of the accident.

Cuellar said no details were available about Sosa's journey from Zacatecas to Norias, Texas, where he and five others were

run over by a Union Pacific train Monday morning. Officials have said Sosa and his traveling companions were probably sleeping on the tracks because they believed a myth that the rails would keep snakes at bay.

Fort Hood soldier shot dead in training accident

WACO, Texas (AP) — A soldier has died after he was apparently shot during a live-fire training accident Tuesday night.

The Fort Hood soldier was taking part in an infantry exercise when he received an apparent gunshot wound, according to a faxed statement from the Central Texas army post. The soldier was flown to Darnall Army Community Hospital and pronounced dead around 10 p.m., the statement said. The soldier is not being identified publicly until his family is

notified. The shooting is being investigated.

It's the third death of a Fort Hood soldier in training exercises in the past month. On Oct. 7, a soldier died while training in a gym on post. On Sept. 25, one soldier died during a training hike.

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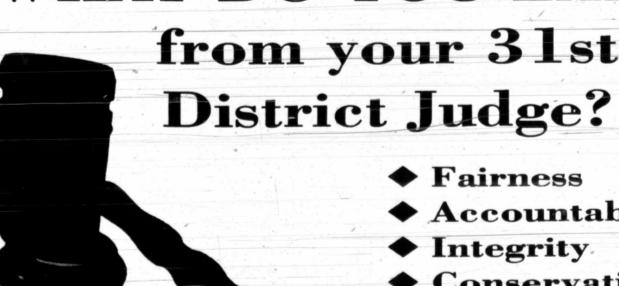
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ograph in memory of Lawrence R. ter, Henriette, Hurd returned to Hagy for the Panhandle-Plains New Mexico, and bought a Historical Museum. Hurd's ranch at San Patricio which he 'Dona Nestorita" (1942) joins two maintained for the rest of his Hurd watercolors and a litho- life. He painted New Deal graph already in the museum's murals at Big Spring and Dallas, collection.

began his studies at the New University. In addition to Mexico Military Institute at numerous group exhibitions, Roswell followed by the United Hurd received solo-exhibitions States Military Academy at West in major museums at Fort Point. In 1924, he entered the Worth, San Francisco, Oklahoma Pennsylvania Academy of the City, Denver and Phoenix as

CANYON — J.B. Lane of Fine Arts and began an appren-Amarillo has funded the acquisi-tion of a Peter Hurd (1904-84) lith-After marrying Wyeth's daughand Alamogordo, N.M., and Born at Roswell, N.M., Hurd later murals at Texas Tech

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well as a joint exhibition (with Millard Sheets) at the Amarillo Art Center in 1974.

Hurd began making lithographs in the 1930s as part of a lithographic renaissance sweeping the United States at the time. Eventually, he became one of the most prominent lithographers in the Southwest. The Associated American Artists, a cooperative formed to make art more affordable to the general public, commissioned "Dona Nestorita."

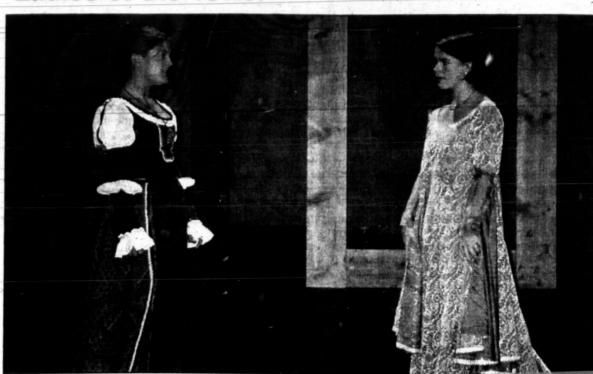
"Peter Hurd: The Lithographs" published in Lubbock in 1969, Hurd recalled Dona Nestorita: "The subject of this portrait was a charming and intelligent old lady, S[eno]ra Nestorita Aragon Vda. de Lara who lived to be over a hundred. in Saint Rosalia, Chihuahua, she came to San Patricio [New Mexico] in the early [eighteen] nineties.

exhibit in the Kecent Acquisitions area in the secondfloor art galleries at the muse-

Dona Nestorita is currently on

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his job and moved away. After their stay at the Tralee Shelter had expired, Shawna and her six children lived in a house on their own for four months while she and Paul tried to work things out over the phone. One day Paul announced that he was receiving counseling and the future began to look brighter for them. By the time school was out, Shawna believed they could resume their marriage in a more loving atmosphere. They are still together as a family and things are much better. Shawna is grateful to Tralee for caring for her family and making a new beginning possible.

The continuing assistance of Pampa United Way enables the caring staff and volunteers of Tralee Crisis Center to help victims during their crises and educate the community about victims' needs and the resources available. Without United Way, it would be difficult to continue this vital agency's programs.

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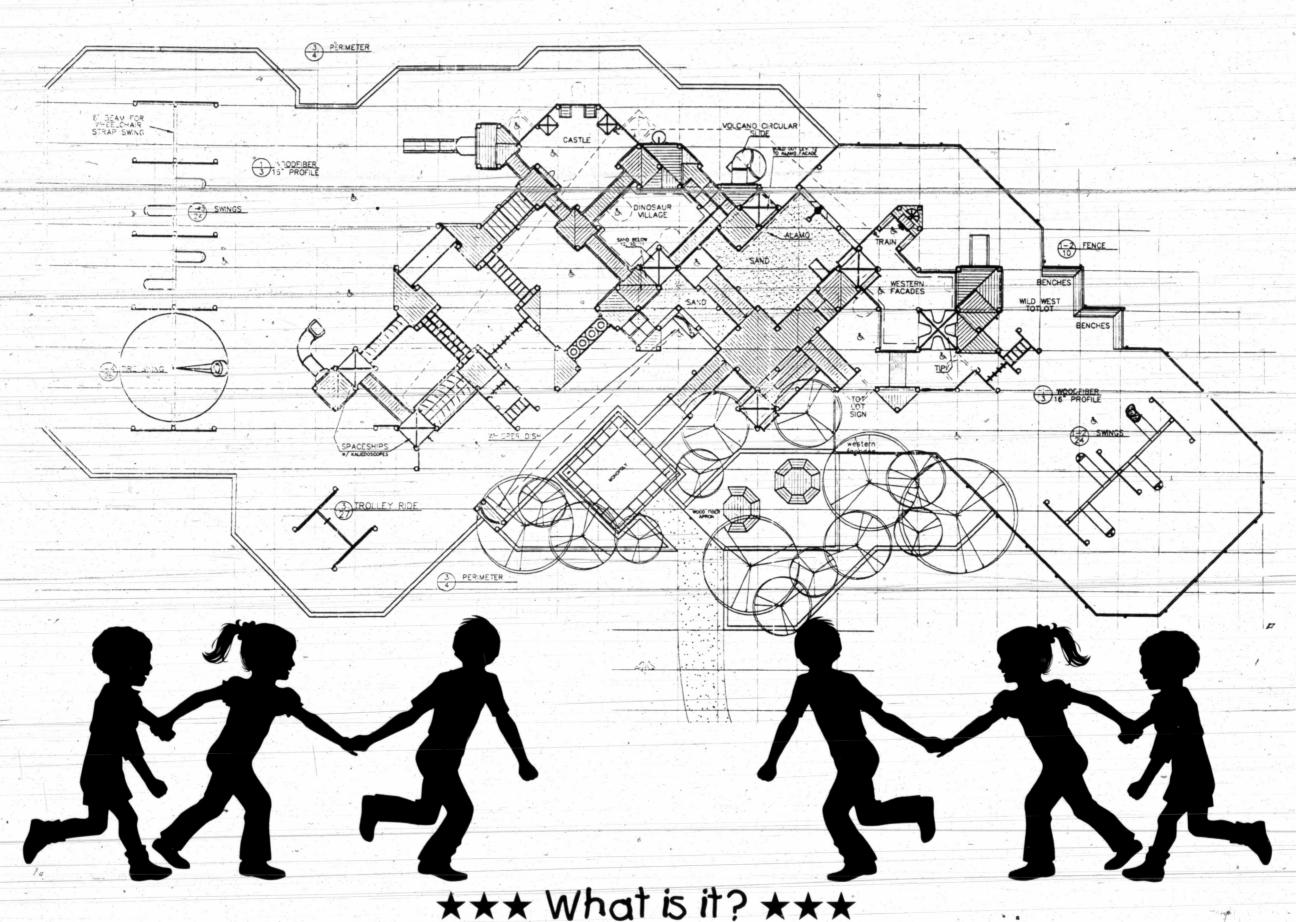
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*** When do we start? ***

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We still need a few supplies and special machinery: Chainsaws (2), Slide Compound Miter Saw (1), Power Miter Boxes (3), Electric Impact Wrench (1), Orbital Jigsaws (5), Bobcat (1), #10 3W 50ft. and 100ft. Extension Cords (10), Light Strings - at least 15 100 Watt bulbs per strand (4), Saw Horses (25 pair), Large Tarps (5), Wheel Barrows (12). Some funding is still needed plus, volunteers, volunteers, volunteers. If you would like to volunteer call Kathy White at 669-0568; to provide materials call Stewart Stoffle at 669-0568 or Jeff Boyd at 665-0633; for funding call Misty Alvey at 665-9645 or Chuck White at 665-8688.

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Wednesday, October 14

Bossy Brother-in-Law Makes Man Want to Raise the Roof

DEAR ABBY: My wife and I live with three friends in order to save money. One of our housemates is my wife's brother. I can't stand him. He's bossy and always wants things his way. The other housemates ignore him and let him do what he wants. I am the only one who seems to have a problem with him.

Abby, last night he held a "family meeting" and asked my wife and me not to fight on the front porch. We don't fight very often, but there are two things we fight about: money and her evil brother. I have considered telling him what to do with his thoughts on many occasions, but I have kept my mouth shut because my wife gets upset when I criticize her brother. She's very protective of him and feels he can do no wrong. She thinks I'm vindictive if I disagree with him.

Should I keep my mouth shut for the sake of peace, or do I have a right to say what I think of him? FED UP IN WEST VIRGINIA

DEAR FED UP: As long as you're living under the same roof, you'd be wise to keep your mouth shut.

DEAR ABBY: Regarding your response to "Irritated in Minneapolis," the woman who was distressed because a minister's widow was chasing after her husband at church: You said the widow probably needed "verification that she's still attractive to men.

Abby, you excused this woman's

Horoscope

THURSDAY, OCT. 15, 1998

The Stars Show the Kind of Day

You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive;

*** Get into work, and pace your-

self. There is a lot that you need to

accomplish quickly. You have more

energy than you think, once you

start rolling. Schedule a dental

checkup. Take advantage of

someone's sound financial offer. To-

might hold a lot of surprises. An

you quite strongly. Tonight: Let more

★★★★ Direct your high energy ap-

propriately. You operate from a solid

footing as you make various neces-

sary changes. A family member ques-

tions your decisions. Listen care-

fully to the feedback; it allows you to

choices. Tonight: Homeward bound.

*** Communications are en-

hanced by your ability to tell it as it

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

night: Don't work too hard!

naughtiness into your life.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

BY JACQUELINE BIGAR

Abigail Van Buren

> SYNDICATED COLUMNIST

behavior and minimized the wife's distress. The minister's widow should know better. She does know better if she is trained in the holy Scriptures, which are guidelines for what is appropriate and what is not between the sexes.

The widow has already had a husband of her own, and though it's unfortunate he's deceased, pursuing someone else's husband (in her own church, yet) is not only inappropriate, but disloyal to the man's wife.

People like the widow invade others' boundaries and count on "compassion" in order to continue their game. The husband is not always "not attracted," and it's not the wife's job to find the widow a new man so that she won't steal

I have been in similar situations and have a solution: I take the woman aside and say, "I may be wrong, but I get the feeling you're attracted to my husband, and it makes me uncomfortable." They always deny it at first, but I treat them with dignity and honesty, and it earns me their respect. I have no more problems with them. In fact, I

responsibilities, no matter how un-

a good relationship. Seriously weigh

in any way. Don't feel pressured by others. Take your time. Tonight: Do

*** A partner might not mean to

corner you, but ultimately that is

what he does. Act on ideas, and

to someone. Make strong decisions

agree with you eventually. Tonight:

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

Tonight: Indulge.

your own thing.

Be with the crowds.

helps you, but don't deny your cre- important. Tonight: Beam.

be even more grounded in your remaining focused. Listen carefully

ativity. Follow through on an idea; it LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

get the sense they're relieved to have been stopped in such a loving way. It works. A WIFE WHO CARES

DEAR WIFE: Your experience gives wise voice to the other side of the story. In a perfect world, no one would desire or deliberately entice another's spouse. Unfortunately, however, we're not living in a perfect world.

DEAR ABBY: I gave up my child for adoption when she was 7 days old. It was one of the hardest things I have ever had to do. Please do not get me wrong; the choice I made was a loving choice. I did what I felt was right for my child. You see, I love her more than the very air I breathe, as I do all my children.

This happened approximately 18 years ago, and I have since had two more children. The child I gave up has met her sister and knows that she is her sister. Now, as she approaches her 18th birthday, she has made it clear that she wants to meet me face-to-face.

Abby, I am terrified to meet her. I don't know what to say to her. Could you please advise me about what to do?

SCARED IN VISTA, CALIF.

DEAR SCARED: Tell your

daughter exactly what you have told me, and do not be afraid. The most important message you can give her is that you never stopped loving her, and you did what you thought was best for her at the time.

difference where it counts. You are ** Stay on top of work, as chalplaces. Tonight: At a favorite spot. to get what he wants from you. Stay *** Yes, expenses can get out of focused on the ultimate goals. To-

comfortable you are. Someone is **** Allow more creativity and much agreement as it does now. Ask gossip, especially in the office. To-

Read between the lines with some- **** Stay focused on what you one who is at a distance. It isn't what want. Listen carefully to a partner **** Your serious approach he says but what he doesn't that's who means well. Together, you create a new understanding. A business venture succeeds beyond your

before you leap. Others respond to relating is instrumental to building Happy with your favorite person. financial matters before you commit

*** Evaluate what others are saying. You might not like the style of communications, but you will find that they are worthwhile. You need to keep discussions open, even if you want to walk away. Your ability to handle high tension helps you. To-

BORN TODAY

strong-willed and know what you lenging or perhaps burdensome as it want. Expand friendships, and be can be. You might not feel up to willing to meet new people in new snuff, but you can handle whatever situation arises. A boss pushes hard

whack, and easily. Stay centered, night: In the limelight. knowing what you need to do. Honor CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

demanding, but you aren't going to caring in your life. Inadvertently, change him; consider negotiating. you could be cutting off someone. Stay centered as news comes from a distance. A lot of activity surrounds **** Your smile rarely wins as communications. Don't listen to any for more of what you want, while the night: Let your mind wander. universe gives you the high sign. AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

*** Take a deep breath before tak- wildest imagination. Be willing to attraction could be building. Think ing any strong action. One-to-one put yourself on the line. Tonight:

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

night: Visit a friend.

about what you want. Someone will Duchess of York Sarah Ferguson (1959), director Penny Marshall (1942), author Mario Puzo (1920)

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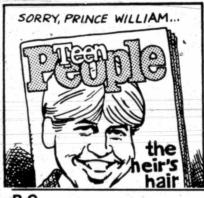


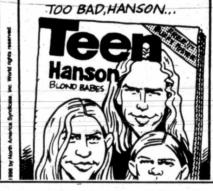
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by THOMAS JOSEPH **ACROSS** 45 Catch 1 Plush sight of 5 Got a goal DOWN

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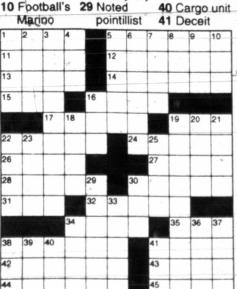


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For answers to today's crossword, call 1-900-454-7377!



"Don't look at him. contact to be an invitation."

The Family Circus



"I'm just bathtizing him.

SPORTS

Notebook

VOLLEYBALL

PAMPA — Dumas downed Pampa, 15-1, 15-6, in a District 3-4A volleyball match Tuesday night in McNeely Fieldhouse.

Pampa still holds down third place in the district standings with a 4-3 record. For the season, the Lady Harvesters are 17-7.

Pampa's next match is Saturday afternoon at Dumas and Hereford are tied for the lead

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NEW YORK (AP) - An 11th-hour luxury tax proposal from the players' union wasn't enough to prevent the NBA from canceling regular season games for the first time in its history.

Players made their latest offer Tuesday in a 3 1/2hour collective bargaining meeting with commissioner David Stern and the owners, but it was far from the breakthrough compromise the league demanded in order to

save a full, 82-game season. "It's evident we're not going to reach an agreement any time soon, so we are reluctantly canceling the first two weeks," a dourfaced deputy commissioner Russ Granik said at a midtown Manhattan hotel.

With those words, the NBA's perfect record of never having lost a game to a work stoppage came to an end. The streak encompassed 35,001 games over 52

Asked to describe his feelings, Stern's first two words were; "Lousy, disappoint-

"My job is to put on games for the fans, not to cancel them. It's terribly disappointing," he said.

A total of 99 games from Nov. 3 through Nov. 16 will not be played or made up, and the vast majority of players will miss their first paychecks Nov. 15.

The next move is up to the owners, and it will come in a response that is scheduled to be sent to the players on

In the meantime, the sides may receive a ruling from arbitrator John Feerick on the players' grievance that some 220 players with guaranteed contracts should be paid during the lockout.

Feerick's decision is due by Sunday.

"We players feel we're taking steps to bridge the gap," union president Patrick Ewing said. "Now the ball is in their court to take steps to

get closer to us. The union's luxury tax would force owners to pay a premium for signing players to lucrative contracts under the so-called Larry Bird exception that allows teams to exceed the salary cap to

retain their own free agents. One such contract that has been repeatedly pointed to as symptomatic of reckless salary escalation was the \$126 million, six-year extension signed by Kevin Garnett of the Minnesota

Timberwolves. A source close to the talks, speaking on condition of anonymity, said the tax would kick in on any contract worth more than \$18 million, with a tax rate of 50 percent for the amount over that threshold. If Michael Jordan signed another \$33 million contract, the tax on Chicago owner Jerry Reinsdorf would be \$7.5 million (50 percent of the \$15 million more than \$18 mil-

Pampa favored over 1-5 Dumas

PAMPA —Harris Ratings Kick Scoring has Pampa favored by 19 points over Dumas in a District 3-4A game Friday night.

Borger is favored by 22 points Dumas, 3. over Amarillo Caprock and Hereford is favored by 25 over Palo Duro.

Pampa stumbled in the ratings, from No. 58 to No. 74, while Hereford moves ahead of the Harvesters at No. 56. Borger is at No. 59 while Dumas is No. 134, Caprock No. 172 and Palo Duro No. 867; Greg Ewing, Hereford,

still No. 1 in the Class 4A rat- Caprock, 94-484; Montray ings, followed by second- Williams, Palo Duro, 87-374. place LaMarque and thirdplace Orange Stark.

District 3-4A

Individual Leaders

Greg Ewing, Hereford, 54; Zane Willard, Borger, 42;

Cody Hodges, Hereford, 38;

Eron Haynes, Borger, 30; Nick

Scoring

(total points)

Limonges, Borger, 30.

(total points)

Nick Limoges, Borger, 30; Justin Barnes, Pampa, 20; Jose Martinez, Hereford, 20; Justin In other district clashes, Willis, Dumas, 7; Tyler Martin, Tackles

Jared White, Pampa, 88; Monty Eakin, Caprock, 79; Seth Pletsek, Hereford, Montray Williams, Palo Duro, 58; Todd Venhaus, Dumas, 57.

Rushing (att-yds)

Eron Haynes, Borger, 143-Curtis Johnson, 98-632; Corpus Christi Calallen is Pampa, 102-553; Nick Fields,

District 3-4A Standings

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Team	Dist.	All
Pampa	1-0	5-1
Borger	1-0	5-1
Hereford	1-0	.5-1
Dumas	0-1	1-5
Caprock	0-1	0-6
Palo Duro	0-1	0-6
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Pampa quarterback Justin Roark (14) finds a hole in the middle of the Caprock line as teammate Ollie Lowe throws a block. The Harvesters, who beat Caprock, 17-0, travels to Dumas on Friday night for a District 3-4A contest.

Yankees win their 35th American League pennant

NEW YORK (AP) — As far back as May, this night seemed Steinbrenner said as the chaminevitable.

The New York Yankees weren't just good, they were great.

less than the World Series would have been unacceptable. Well, they're there.

"We expected it," shortstop beating Cleveland 9-5 to win the three seasons. AL championship series 4-2.

celebrate when they clinched the opener. AL East. A first-round sweep of Texas was just another step.

Finally, with this one, they let loose a little.

"Somebody's dry over there!" Jeter shouted in the clubhouse, spotting owner George

Steinbrenner.

pagne dripped down his face.

After winning 114 games dur-night against Atlanta or San Cleveland in 1954. ing the regular season, anything Diego, hadn't won the AL title at Guidry team in 1978.

Derek Jeter said Tuesday night there was a feeling that there's Tuesday night, they failed to after New York won its record work to be done: winning the force a seventh game because 35th American League pennant, Series for the second time in they made three errors — lead-

They almost ignored clinching said ALCS MVP David Wells, them this year. a playoff spot, didn't bother to who likely will start the Series

baseball's most storied team.

From June 28 to Aug. 20, New York set a major league record by A few seconds later, the Boss Also in August, the Yanks up on the scoreboard behind the his feet. became the first team ever to right-field bleachers.

me a towel," clinch a playoff spot in that Yankees outfielder underwent out, but I thought it was going to month. On Sept. 4, the Yankees cancer surgery Oct. 3 and the wall," Ramirez said. "I won their 100th game - the ear- watched the game at a hospital. turned and saw it hit. I was sur-New York, which opens the liest date ever — and later broke With Strawberry on the line, prised where it landed."
World Series at home Saturday the AL record for wins set by players passed a phone around. By the eighth inning, f

No such magic for the Indians, Yankee Stadium since the Reggie who beat the Yankees in the first Jackson-Thurman Munson-Ron round last year and came within two outs of winning their first Still, amidst the celebration, World Series since 1948. On ing to five unearned runs for gave it all back, allowing a grand who fanned eight. "There's another step to go," only the second time against slam to Jim Thome that pulled

"Absolutely disappointed that On May 17, Wells pitched a ager Mike Hargrove said, "but up, and that's been our tradeperfect game against Minnesota. we have to recognize the mark all year." Right then, it seemed like this Yankees have a very good ballwould be a special season for club and they played better than margin with a two-run triple in

As soon as the game ended, thoughts turned to Darryl leading in 48 consecutive games. Strawberry, and his picture went. But the ball landed on a hop at

the clubhouse after the game.

pushed us," manager Joe Torre remark by Cleveland's David said. "I know you're going to be all right.

Scott Brosius seemed to finish Cleveland off with a three-run homer for a 6-0 lead in the third inning. But David Cone nearly the Indians within a run.

"I let them back in the game," we didn't go on," Indians man-. Cone said. "But they picked me way."

> Jeter then restored the safety the sixth, a drive to right that Manny Ramirez tried to snag with a leap at the top of the wall.

"I didn't think it was going worry about that now."

By the eighth inning, fans were taunting the Indians with chants "Darryl, this is yours. You of "1948." Responding to a Justice that the only way Yankees fans could get tougher would be if they brought Uzis to the ballpark, one fan hung pictures of a machine gun from the upper deck for each strikeout by Cone,

"I try to get the guys fired up any way I can," Wells said. Sometimes, it's not the right

Forgotten with the win was Chuck Knoblauch's blunder in Game 2, which allowed Cleveland to tie the series and blunt New York's momentum.

What a great team we've got," Knoblauch said. "They gave me a lot of support when I was down. We don't have to

PHS freshmen win 33-21 against Dumas

By JONATHAN LADD **Sports Writer**

freshmen team faced Dumas at mark. home for their sixth game of the season. The Harvesters were able to pull out a 33-21 victory over the Demons.

Pampa started off well from the first of the game with two touchdowns from Orlando Madrid in the first quarter of play.

Dumas fought back in the second quarter with a touchdown and a two-point conversion at 9:07 left in the half. However, Pampa came back by deflecting a Dumas punt with Ryan Nash running the recovery for a touchdown. The score at the end of the first half

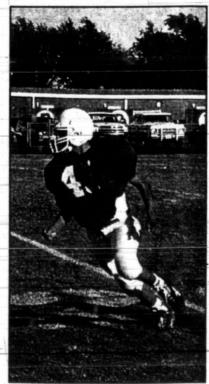
was 20-8, Pampa's favor.

The third quarter began with an onside kick recovered by Dumas. Pampa then stopped a fake punt attempt. Toward the end of the quarter, Dumas threw an interception which Madrid returned for his third touchdown of the game. Dumas in turn scored a touchdown from a pass, but Ty Elledge bocked the Dumas extra-point attempt, then recovered the ball and ran about 40 yards. However, the clock prevented Pampa from gaining any more than a 13-point lead by the close o. the quarter.

The Harvesters took up right Gonzalo Salazar

where they left off by making two interceptions, one of which resulted in a short touchdown run by PAMPA — The Pampa Harvester Gonzalo Salazar around the 2:30

Dumas fought back with a touchdown and the extra point, but was too little, too late with only 44 seconds left in the game.



Braves have reason to believe

add one more amazing feat.

to become the first team to with an 8.41 ERA. overcome a three-game deficit Game 6 of the NL champi- Bruce Bochy said. onship series.

Rvan Klesko said.

so far: Mark McGwire hit 70 home runs, Cal Ripken asked for a day off and rookie Kerry its first trip to the World Series ninth. Wood struck out 20, among since 1984 other things.

Maddux and Kevin Brown both pitched in relief.

kind of year, so why not?" Atlanta starter Denny Neagle

The Braves moved into posiimprobable, rallying two theme of wild and wacky. straight days to cut the Padres' lead to 3-2.

Tom Glavine was the sched-Hitchcock, moved up because two strong innings.

ATLANTA (AP) — In an of Brown's relief appearance.

Atlanta Braves are aiming to three days' rest for the first time three-run homer in the eighth The Braves resume their bid times in his career, going 0-2 Atlanta ahead for good. Brown

in the postseason, meeting the sometimes you have to move 7, if necessary, against Maddux. San Diego Padres today in up a day, Padres manager

"With all the stuff that's hap- good news during Tuesday's Brown said. pening in baseball, don't count workout. Greg Vaughn, the 50out the Braves," left fielder homer man who has not started made his own unusual move Consider all that's occurred of a strained left quadriceps, is gave up a two-run homer to expected to return to the lineup pinch-hitter Greg Myers that as San Diego tries to wrap up made it 7-6 with no outs in the

And remember what took tion we wanted to be in," 1987. The four-time Cy Young place in Game 5 on Monday Glavine said. "But we felt we winner got two quick outs; then night at San Diego - aces Greg had a chance and we still do issued a rare walk before retirbecause of our pitching and ing Tony Gwynn on a game-"It seems like it's been that the bats. We feel if anyone can save of his pro career. come back from 3-0, we can."

Looking to avoid a trip back brought in Brown for just his Turner Field against Sterling hoping his ace could give him

already incredible season, the Hitchcock was pitching on to start Game 6, gave up a this season. He has done it four to Michael Tucker that put wound up throwing 41 pitches, "It's the time of year when meaning he'll now pitch Game

"I feel bad about that second inning because it opens up The Padres got one piece of Bruce to second-guessing,

Braves manager Bobby Cox since leaving Game 1 because after closer Kerry Ligtenberg

Cox summoned Maddux, 'Obviously, it is not the posi- who had not relieved since how we are starting to swing ending grounder for the first

"I think it's the first time I've Down to their final five outs, ever pitched in relief where it Monday night at San Diego, the actually counted," Maddux Braves came back for a 7-6 win said. "I was like a fish out of tion to pull off the wildly that fit right into this year's water. I didn't know what to do, how to act. It was weird."

The narrow victory buoved to Atlanta, Bochy gambled and the Braves, who became the first team to win twice after uled starter for Atlanta at third relief appearance ever, falling behind 3-0 in a postseason series. Of the previous 21 clubs facing such deficits, 18

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Successful Judson coach preaches winning attitude

CONVERSE, Texas (AP) — If requires going to school and to probably be a preacher.

pretty similar.

"I think coaching is a ministry," Rutledge said. "We've got a platform to be around hundreds of young people on a daily basis. ... You can change lives through this

Rutledge, 47, speaks from expe-

Converse Judson, Rutledge has through the physical rigors of football and the "intangibles" they must conquer off the field.

"Do your best. Don't sweat the rest. Winning will take care of itself," is Rutledge's motto, posted prominently for his varsity players

Through the years, victories have been plentiful for Rutledge and his Rockets.

The Rockets have been a perennial playoff team since 1982. They won state championships in 1983, 1988, 1992, 1993 and 1995.

Judson suffered an off-year last season, going 7-4 and losing to Austin Crockett in the first round streak of nine consecutive regional championships.

This season Judson is back with a surprising 6-0 start. The Rockets are ranked No. 2 in Class 5A.

"We're not playing good right now, but we're playing hard," said Rutledge, in his characteristic hoarse voice. "They're just good, hard-working kids.

Hard work and the right attitude are what Rutledge preaches to his players beginning in a classroom in January, when the team sets its goal for the year: winning a state cham- coaches in Texas according to an pionship the following December. extensive survey conducted in

D.W. Rutledge weren't a high football practice and making good school football coach, he would grades. It's all about self-discipline.

'Athletics is such a great labora-The way he views it, the jobs are tory for teaching that," Rutledge

> With his friend Dennis Parker, football coach at Cleburne High School, Rutledge has written 'Coaching To Change Lives," a binder book of short lessons on such topics as leadership, selfimage and character.

The book, published by Zig Ziglar In his 15th year as head coach at Corp., is now in about 200 schools.

D.W. is the best coach that I've guided thousands of young men ever worked with, and I've been fortunate enough to work with some good ones," said Parker, who was offensive coordinator at Judson while Rutledge was defensive coordinator in the early 1980s.

The two lived near each other in Seguin — where Rutledge still resides — and often rode to work together. During summer breaks, the two assistant coaches painted houses together to earn extra money.

"One thing he exemplifies is responsibility," said Parker, recalling a time Judson lost a game 7-6. Parker was feeling down about the team's offensive performance. Rutledge took the blame for the loss himself, saying, "I apologize. I of the 5A playoffs. That ended a should have never let them score."

The two friends coached against each other in the state 5A title game in 1990 when Parker coached Marshall High School.

"I told our kids, 'You better be better than they are, because they are coached better than y'all are,' Parker said. "It was bittersweet for me, because I wanted so badly to win the thing but I didn't want to beat him.

Marshall won 21-19.

Rutledge was among the top 10 best paid high school football The journey to a state title 1996 by The Associated Press.

Scoreboard

Boys' Singles
David Phillips (P) def. Matt Austin, 6-1, 6-1.
Ändrew Ward (D) def. Kerry Turner, 7-5, 6-4.
Sovan Scalse (D) def. Matt Cook, 7-6, 1-6, 7-Jerod Spearman (P) def. Ryan Hooper, 6-0,

series 4-2

A.J. Smith (P) def. Brandon Green, 6-1, 6-2. Greg Easley (P) def. Reagan Bonner, 6-1, 6-Turner-Smith (P) def. Fewell-Mitchell, 7-6 (9-

7), 1-6, 6-4. Phillips-Spearman (P) def. Wies-Martin, 6-3, Cook-Stone (P) def. Gonzales-Ramos, 4-6, 6-

Celeste Stowers (P) def. Ashley Wetzel, 6-0,

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Kerry Turner (P) def. Keva Nichols, 6-7 (7-5),

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Stars off to 2-0 start after beating 'Hawks

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goalie Ed Belfour never gets tired ond period. of beating his former team, the Chicago Blackhawks.

In four games for Dallas against Chicago, Belfour has a goalsagainst average of 0.50 following Tuesday night's 3-1 victory.

Belfour played for the Blackhawks from 1989-97, and signed a free-agent contract with the Stars prior to the 1997-98 sea-

"I was there for a lot of years," said Belfour, who needed only 13 saves to help the Stars to their second victory in as many, games. So I definitely enjoy competing and winning against them. There are a lot of memories there."

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas Stars 1-1 tie with a goal early in the sec-

Modano scored on the rebound of linemate Brett Hull's shot 44 seconds into the period to give the Stars the lead for good.

"You expect a physical game every time you play them," said Modano, who has two goals in as many games. "It's either hit or be. hit. You know it's coming."

The Blackhawks did a much better defensive job against the Stars under new coach Dirk Graham than they did last season, when Chicago was outscored 17-4 and went 0-4-1 in five meetings with Dallas.

"From the standpoint of energy and physical play, it had a lot of re a lot of memories there." both especially for the second Belfour got offensive support game of the season," Stars coach

playoff 60 minutes. They're right in your

for Chicago (1-1), which got its only goal from Chad Kilger in the first period. Stars defenseman Richard

Matvichuk scored an empty-net goal with one second left. Chicago did a good job killing

penalties, as Dallas was able to score only once in nine powerplay opportunities. But by taking all the penalties — six straight during one stretch in the first and second periods Blackhawks were never able to get into any offensive rhythm.

game. They (the thing wrong and they're going to Blackhawks) play with energy for call it. We've got to calm down and keep our flow going. It seemed like we were killing Jeff Hackett stopped 29 shots penalties all night."

The Blackhawks didn't get their first shot on goal until 7:49 was left in the opening period, and they took a 1-0 lead 42 seconds later when Kilger beat Belfour from the slot.

Pat Verbeek tied it with 1:43 left in the first period, notching his second power-play goal in as many games by converting Jamie Langenbrunner's pass from the side of the net.

Hull is without a goal after his first two games in a Stars uni-"We've got to be careful with form, but he hasn't lacked for the penalties," Chicago center chances. Hull has 10 shots in the from Mike Modano, who broke a Ken Hitchcock said. "It felt like a Doug Gilmour said. "You do any- two games, and has two assists.

Tyson deemed 'fit to fight'

LAS VEGAS (AP) — Now that the doctors have had their say, for five days last month found Mike Tyson's return to the ring him to lack self-esteem and to is only three votes away.

Declared mentally fit by a team of doctors to return to the ring despite being diagnosed with a host of emotional problems, Tyson goes before the Nevada Athletic Commission once again Monday in search of his boxing license.

He'll need to convince at least three of the five commissioners that the positive psychological report outweighs other concerns most of them surrounding Tyson's alleged attack on two men following a Maryland traffic accident a month and a half

"I've demanded that Mike tell us about Maryland," commissioner Luther Mack said. "If he can handle the questions and heavy statements at the hearing, it will really be a test of his char-

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Doctors who examined Tyson often be depressed. But they said they believed he would not snap again, as he did when he bit Evander Holyfield's ears 15 months ago and was banned from boxing.

Tyson's advisers were led to believe that a positive psychological report was all the former heavyweight champion needed to get the commission to allow him to return to the ring. But in the days following a marathon hearing last month, commissioners grew increasingly edgy over Tyson's refusal to answer questions_about what happened in Maryland on Aug. 31.

'Maryland is still an open issue," Tyson lawyer Jim Jimmerson said. "There will be a proper response to it. But what Mike has to say about it is still being discussed."

Tyson faces misdemeanor charges in Montgomery County, Md., on the same day as the commission hearing. Two men contend Tyson kicked and punched them after a car driven by his wife, Monica, was rearended. Tyson's lawyers have tried unsuccessfully to settle.

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Groom emphasizes defense in six-man

Most six-man football teams which are ranked in the state's top 10 this time of year have those runaway offenses that seem to pour out points like an oil well gusher. Defense is sort of an after-

The unbeaten Groom Tigers may be cut from a different uniform. Sure, the Tigers have been scoring 45 or 50 points every game, but their defense may be the key to Groom's success this season.

Last weekend, Groom held Föllett to a measly 190 yards total offense while rolling to a 57-8 win.

One of those TDs came from the Groom defense when Wyatt Weinheimer intercepted a pass and raced 40 yards for the score to open the first-quarter scoring. All Weinheimer did on offense was to catch a couple of touchdown passes from quarterback Josh

Dean Fields rushed for 214 yards and scored on runs of 61 and 52 yards.

There's no doubt the sixth-ranked Tigers can score points in a big way, but head coach Jim Reid seems to be more impressed with his

"The key to the game was how we played defense. We let them break one early and get close. But I thought, overall, our defense really contained," Reid told Amarillo Daily News staffer Drew Butler after the Follett outing.

The Tigers are 6-0 and ranked No. 6 in last week's Texas six-man

Groom has never won a state football championship, but this may be the year. The Tigers came close in 1975 in the 11-man ranks. Groom lost to Big Sandy, 28-2 in the state finals.

If they can avoid injury, I'm picking the Pampa girls' cross coun-

try team to have another state championship season. Going into the Lake Meredith Invitational on Saturday, the Lady Harvesters are coming off two solid wins at the Cowboy Jamboree and the Buffalo Stampede. Both those meets drew a large number of teams because there's both a high school and college division.



Strate

Sports Editor

To top it off, school record-holder Jenny Fatheree didn't make the trip to Stillwater, Okla. for the Cowboy Jamboree.

Pampa head coach Mark Elms decided to use only underclassmen in the meet. It didn't matter. Six runners finished in the top 25

and Pampa came away with the first-place trophy. Fatheree was a vital member of the the school's first state champion cross country team in 1996.

Pampa girls just flat dominated the Buffalo Stampede at West Texas A&M. Second-place Hereford finished a distant 28 points behind at the WT Horse Center.

The latest cross country state rankings by Texas Track & Field News has Pampa ranked second behind Highland Park in Class

Highland Park is the defending champion and Pampa finished third a year ago. Canyon was second.

Flashback: 1976 — Joe Jeffers pitched Pampa to a 13-4 win over Borger in the Babe Ruth District Tournament at Optimist Park. Jeffers gave up eight hits while striking out nine and walking

Outfielder Greg Koch was the only Pampa player to have more than one hit. Koch had two of Pampa's 10 hits and knocked in a

QUESTIONS

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Carolina cuts Kerry Collins

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stone of the Panthers, was pro seasons. waived Tuesday, six days after into being the club's quarter-

Less than an hour after he was cut, two other teams had called to inquire about his services, said Leigh Steinberg, the quarterback's agent. Steinberg called it an indication of the high level of interest he expects for a 25year-old player who less than two years ago appeared in the NFC championship game and the Pro Bowl.

"Someone is going to get an outstanding quarterback whose best years are ahead of him," Steinberg said.

The Panthers' decision to took over as the starter.

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) - waive their first-ever draft Kerry Collins apparently will choice leaves them without land on his feet after being cut much proven depth at Collins' by the Carolina Panthers, position. The only two quarter-Whether the same thing can be backs on Carolina's active roster said for his former team remains are Steve Beuerlein, a 33-yearold playing with his fifth NFL Collins, drafted in the first team, and Shane Matthews, who round in 1995 to be the corner- has played in two games in five

Further clouding the picture is he said his heart was no longer the fact that Carolina, which has lost a franchise-worst seven consecutive games, including five this season, is not scheduled to get a first-round pick in next year's draft.

We'll have to take it step by step," coach Dom Capers said. "This is something that came unexpectedly. We hadn't anticipated this. So we'll explore various options."

Capers said the Panthers felt like they had few options after Collins walked into the coach's office last Wednesday and told him he thought it would be best for the team if someone else

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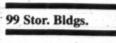
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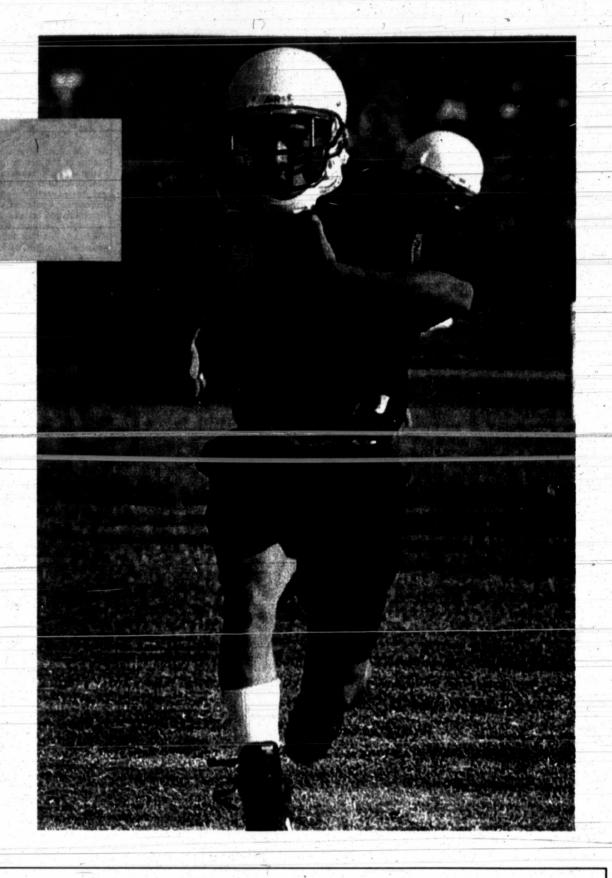
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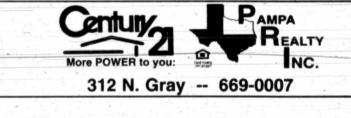


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