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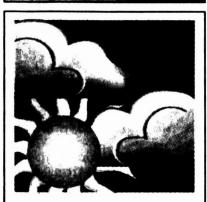
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**PAMPA** — The location of Tuesday's City Commission meeting and public hearing on the proposed parking restriction ordinance will be the Heritage Room in M.K. Brown Auditorium, said City Manager Bob Eskridge. The commission's work session. which is open to the public, begins at 4 p.m. followed by the public hearing and regular meeting at 6 p.m. The meeting was moved from its regular City Hall location because seating there is limit-

**PAMPA** — The Pampa High School and Pampa Middle School Choral Departments will present their annual Fall Concert Monday, Oct. 11, at 8 p.m. at M.K. Brown Auditorium. All choirs from seventh grade through high school will perform at this free concert.

ARLINGTON (AP) — Police arrested a suspect Thursday in the killing of a young mother.

Nathaniel Arthur Doss, 25, is suspected of threatening to kill Summer Little a few weeks before her body was found in the bathtub of her home, police said.

Investigators say the 21year-old mother of two may have been slain over a \$50

On Aug. 27, Ms. Little told police Doss had threatened to kill her after giving her a wristwatch and demanding payment for it.

• Eunice Virgie Edwards, 94, homemaker.

• Joe Ben Hathoot, 64, owner McLean Feedyards, other cattle businesses.

· Kade Hefner, 26, owneroperator Hefner Enterprises Trucking Company.

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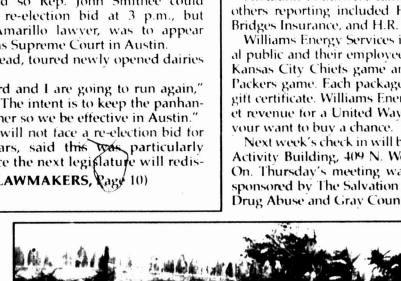
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Armed with a search warrant, Pampa police officers swept down on the couple's home at

Officers said about 26 pounds

The police investigation began when clerk Treva Lackey received an anonymous call Wednesday morning reporting the plants in the Helms' backyard. Wednesday afternoon,

(See **DOPE**, Page 2)



## Pampa Landowners win Canadian River case "It think the Supreme Court has done an injustice to the

A spokesman for the General Land office said today that it is doubtful a Texas Supreme Court ruling on a Canadian River land dispute would be appealed to the federal level. Mary Jane Wardlow said attorneys at

the General Land Office were poring over a state Supreme Court ruling issued Thursday giving landowners along a 37mile stretch of the Canadian River more than 14,000 acres.

She said early indications are there is no federal issue involved, and therefore, the case could not be appealed to the U.S. Supreme Court.

Federal law, she said, leaves property disputes mostly to the states.

In a unanimous decision, the Texas Supreme Court ruled for landowners in the Texas Panhandle who sued to estabpeople of the panhandle and to the people of the State of Texas," Sportsman Jimmy Jones of Borger said today. "It's a real travesty. That land's gone now, and we're not ever going to get it back."

lish boundaries between their land and the state's ownership of the Canadian River bed.

The dispute arose after Sanford Dam was built in 1965 to form Lake Meredith. Because of the dam, the downstream riverbed was narrowed.

Land grants in the 1800s gave owners rights to the land bordered by the river.

Osler McCarthy, a spokesman for the Supreme Court of Texas, said the court's decision relied in part on U.S. Supreme Court decisions.

Those decisions, he said, hold that water flow determines new property borders along a river when the river changes because of an artificial structure so long as the property owners did not contribute to the change.

The decision was immediately attacked

by local sportsmen groups. "It think the Supreme Court has done

an injustice to the people of the panhandle and to the people of the State of Texas," Jimmy Jones of Borger said today. "It's a real travesty. That land's gone now, and we're not ever going to get it back."

Jones is one of several area sportsmen who have watched the case closely. As state-owned property, the river bed was a popular hunting and recreation area for area residence.

The ruling cut the state's ownership of land around the river from 14,000-plus acres to 138 acres.

The court said the landowners' survey of the land, which reflects the present bed of the river, was valid, while the state's survey which relied on the natural bed of the river was not. The decision ends a 13year tug-of-war over the land.

(See RIVER, Page 2)

## Stumping for votes



(Pampa News photo by David Bowser) Gray County Republican Chairman Tom Mechler greets State Rep. David Swinford, State Rep. Warren Chisum and State Sen. Teel Bivins as they arrived in Pampa during a whirl-

## wind tour of the panhandle to announce re-election bids by the two House members. Lawmakers hold fly-in to reveal re-election bid

By DAVID BOWSER **Staff Writer** 

Warren Chisum's hat is in the ring today. Pampa's State Representative flew into Perry Lefors Air Field with the panhandle's political delegation to announce his intentions to run for

the Texas House of Representatives next year.

Chisum, joined by Rep. David Swinford of Dumas and State Sen. Teel Bivins of Amarillo, made his re-election bid known at a stop over at Pampa's airport shortly before 2 p.m. Thursday.

The travel show started in Dumas at noon with Swinford announcing his re-election bid at a

Lion's Club meeting. It was supposed to continue to Hereford so Rep. John Smithee could announce his re-election bid at 3 p.m., but Smithee, an Amarillo lawyer, was to appear before the Texas Supreme Court in Austin.

The trio, instead, toured newly opened dairies

near Pampa. "Mr. Swinford and I are going to run again," Chisum said. "The intent is to keep the panhan-

dle team together so we be effective in Austin." Bivins, who will not face a re-election bid for two more years, said this was particularly important since the next legislature will redis-

(See LAWMAKERS, Rage 10)

## White Deer man dies in collision

**Managing Editor** 

(See obituary on Page 2)

Services are Sunday for a 25-year-old White Deer man who died instantly Thursday morning when his 1987 Chevrolet pickup was struck in the back left corner by a 1995 Dodge pickup.

Brandon Kade Hefner, a trucking company owner, was pronounced dead at the scene by Carson County Justice of the Peace Phyllis Tyler. A passenger in his pickup, Lynn Stark, 45, also of White Deer was airlifted by LifeStar to Amarillo's Northwest Texas Hospital. Stark, a White Deer area farmer, remained in fair condition

The Dodge was westbound on County Road 13 as Hefner was southbound on FM 294 three and one-half miles south of White Deer. Neither man in the Chevrolet pickup was wearing a seat belt, said Amarillo DPS Safety Officer L. B. Snider. He said the trooper's report indicated Stark's injuries would have probably not been as severe if he had been wearing his seat belt.

Driver of the westbound Dodge pickup was Danny Lynn Franklin (no age available) of Panhandle. Franklin apparently failed to yield at a stop sign, striking the Chevrolet causing it to overturn and land on its top, according to Snider. He said the Dodge struck a telephone pole located nearby.

Franklin was taken to Pampa Regional Medical Center where he' was treated and released.

Hefner's body was taken to Lubbock for an autopsy.

The DPS Trooper investigating the collision is Bobby Tyler of Groom. Ambulances from White Deer and Skellytown responded to the accident scene.

## United Way hits 64 percent of goal

Pampa United Way had it's third check-in meeting Thursday where it was reported \$220,158, or 64 percent of the \$343,000 goal, has been

United Way's Katrina Bigham said the total includes \$116,000 in pledges and matching funds from Celanese and their employees. The schools' gifts total \$18,055 which is up \$1,400 from last year.

FirstBank Southwest came in with 100 percent participation and others reporting included First American Bank, Duncan, Fraser & Bridges Insurance, and H.R. Thompson.

Williams Energy Services is offering \$2 tickets for sale to the general public and their employees for two tickets to the Denver Broncos-Kansas City Chiefs game and also for two tickets to the Cowboys-Packers game. Each package includes one night's lodging and a \$50 gift certificate. Williams Energy is matching dollar for dollar the ticket revenue for a United Way gift. Call Brenda Amador at 848-2602 if

Next week's check in will be at noon Thursday in the Genesis House Activity Building, 409 N. West Street. They will serve Mexican Pile-On. Thursday's meeting was at the Community Building and was sponsored by The Salvation Army, Amarillo Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse and Gray County Child Protective Services.

## Dope growing charge leveled Week's second HEAT raid

County jail today in lieu of bond in connection with their garden.

Terry Allan Helm, 38, and Leslie Edna Helm, 38, were arrested shortly before noon Thursday after officers found marijuana growing in their gar-

A Pampa couple was in Gray 733 N. Nelson, where they found marijuana plants growing in the couple's backyard.

of marijuana was confiscated.



Mature plants were growing along a backyard fence.

## Lights group wants 'muscle'

Kathleen Chaney is looking for a few good men.

"We need some muscle," said Chaney, a volunteer member of the Celebration of Lights.

Volunteers are moving the annual Christmas decorations to Recreation Park tonight, and Chaney is rounding up help.

"We're going out to the park and set up displays," she said. "It takes from now to Nov. 19, to set them up."

Chaney said there will be 10 new displays this year.

Friday, Nov. 19, will be opening night of the annual Christmas light display. It is the (See LIGHTS, Page 2)

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## Daily Record

### Services tomorrow

EDWARDS, Eunice Virgie — 2 p.m., Wheeler Church of Christ, Wheeler.

**HATHOOT**, Joe Ben — Memorial services, 1 p.m., St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, Pampa.

#### **Obituaries**

#### **EUNICE VIRGIE EDWARDS**

WHEELER - Eunice Virgie Edwards, 94, died Thursday, Oct. 7, 1999, at Parkview Hospital in Wheeler. Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in Wheeler Church of Christ with Bill Morrison, minister, officiating. Burial will be in Wheeler Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Home of Wheeler.

Mrs. Edwards was born Oct. 28, 1904, at Miller County, Mo., to Winfield Scott and Ida Helton. Except for living in Maryland for a few years, she had been a Wheeler area resident since 1914, moving with her family. She married Gwyn Edwards on Dec. 25, 1921, at Zybach; he died in 1982. She was a homemaker and belonged to the Church of Christ.

She was preceded in death by two sons, Arthur, in 1957, and Ray, in 1937.

Survivors include a daughter, Marie Gergeni of Amarillo; four sons, Kenneth Edwards of Pasadena, Wayne Edwards of Wheeler, Cecil Edwards of Bowie and David Edwards of Rising Sun, Md.; a brother, Tom Helton of Wheeler; 15 grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren; and 10 great-great-grandchildren.

**JOE BEN HATHOOT** 

CANADIAN - Joe Ben Hathoot, 64, died Wednesday, Oct. 6, 1999. The body was cremated and consequently will not be available for viewing. Memorial services will be at 1 p.m. Saturday in St. Matthew's Episcopal Church in Pampa with Father Jake Clements officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Stickley-Hill Funeral Directors of Canadian.

Mr. Hathoot was born Sept. 10, 1935, at Enid, Okla., to Edward and Viola Hathoot. He grew up in Enid, graduating from Enid High School. He earned a degree in animal husbandry from Oklahoma State University in 1957

He purchased a feed yard in Morton in the early 1960s and moved to Canadian in 1982 to manage the Canadian Feed Yard. He had been in the cattle business for 40 years and co-owned the Livestock Auction in Hope, Ark., the McLean Feedyard in McLean and B&H Cattle Company in Canadian at the time of his death. He married Janie Matthews in 1983.

He belonged to the vestry at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church and was president of Texas Cattle Feeders Association in 1991

Survivors include his wife, Janie, of Canadian; two daughters, Ginny Bailey of Midland and Merilee Dougherty of Grapevine; a son, Joe Edward Hathoot of Texarkana; two stepsons, Patrick Matthews of Little Rock, Ark., and Michael Matthews of Texarkana; his mother, Viola, of Canadian; a brother, Dale Hathoot of Mission; three grandchildren; and two stepgrandchildren.

The family requests memorials be in lieu of flowers to St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, 727 W. Browning, Pampa, TX 79065.

FRED RANDALL, IR.

AMARILLO — Fred Randall, Jr., 64, died Wednesday, Oct. 6, 1999. Graveside services will be at 3 p.m. today in Memory Gardens Cemetery at Pampa. Burial will be under the direction of Schooler Funeral Home, Inc., of Amarillo.

Mr. Randall was born June 14, 1935, at Hobart, Okla. He worked for Cabot and IRI for 37 years. After retiring, he worked for Globe Security at Amarillo International Airport.

He belonged to Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of Christ of Pampa and was a U.S. Army veteran.

He was preceded in death by his father, Fred Randall, Sr.; and by a brother, Ray Randall.

Survivors include his wife, Peggy Randall, of the home; a daughter, Rhonda Darnell of Amarillo; a son, Randy Randall of Pampa; his mother, Bertha Mayo of Amarillo; and a brother, Alvin Randall of Amarillo.

The family requests memorials be to Make-A-Wish Foundation of Amarillo, 2324 Lakeview, Amarillo, TX 79109.

**KADE HEFNER** 

WHITE DEER - Kade Hefner, 26, died Thursday, Oct. 7, 1999. Services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday in First Baptist Church with Don Stone, minister of White Deer Church of Christ, officiating. Burial will be in White Deer Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Hefner was born May 24, 1973, at Pampa. He was a 1991 White Deer High School graduate and was active in 4-H and FFA at high school. He attended South Plains Community College at Levelland for a year and enlisted in the U.S. Army in 1992, serving as a meat and food inspector in the Meddac Unit. While in the military, he attended Northwestern Louisiana University.

He married Kimberly Davis on Jan. 13, 1996, at Hudson. The couple had made their home in White Deer since 1996, moving from San Saba.

He owned-operated Hefner Enterprises-Trucking Company and was an auctioneer.

He belonged to White Deer Church of Christ. Survivors include his wife, Kimberly, of the home; his parents, Bobby and Lynis Hefner of White Deer, and two brothers, Keven Hefner of Pampa and Kyle Hefner of White Deer.

The family will be at 503 S. Popham in White Deer and requests memorials be to Kade Hefner Scholarship Fund in care of First Bank and Trust of White Deer or to White Deer EMS.

## Police report

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

Thursday, Oct. 7 Terry Allan Helm, 38, and Leslie Edna Helm, 38, 733 N. Nelson, were arrested on charges of

possession of marijuana. Amanda Leigh Dominez, 20, reported a theft

Oct. 1, of a class ring valued at \$450. Robert Alex Chavarria reported an assault in the 800 block of North Hobart.

### Sheriff's Office

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

Thursday, Oct. 7 Terry Allan Helm, 38, and Leslie Edna Helm, 38, both of 733 N. Nelson, were arrested by

Pampa police for possession of marijuana. Samuel Terrell Cummings, 55, of Borger, was arrested by the Department of Public Safety on charges of driving while intoxicated.

James Ray Jennings, 44, of 212 McCullough, was arrested by Gray County Sheriff's deputies on charges of public intoxication and possession of a controlled substance.

#### **Ambulance**

Rural/Metro made the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today. Thursday, Oct. 7

<sup>t</sup>7:16 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to a local nursing home and transported one to Baptist St. Anthony West in Amarillo.

9:38 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 800 block of 25th and transported one to Pampa Regional Medical Center.

10:27 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to PRMC and transported one to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

2:25 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 500 block of Short and transported one to PRMC. 3:41 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 300

block of Davis and transported one to PRMC. 6:57 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 900 block of Browning; no transport.

9:11 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to Randy Matson and Hobart and transported one to

#### **Accidents**

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

Thursday, Oct. 7

A Pontiac van driven by Drama Lindsey, 76, of 1105 Cinderella, and a 1986 Honda Accord driven by David Witt, 16, of 1708 Hamilton, were in collision at the intersection of North Hobart and Randy Matson. Lindsey was cited for running a red light. There were no injuries.

### **Fires**

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

Thursday, Oct. 7 8 a.m. — Four units and six people were sent to Lamar school for a fire prevention program.

4:36 p.m. — Two units and six people responded to a wreck at Hobart and Randy Matson.

6:51 p.m. — One unit and three people responded to a medical assistance call at 910 E.

9:07 p.m. — Two units and seven people responded to a wreck at Hobart and Randy Matson.

#### **Stocks**

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### River

"Because the doctrines of riparian ownership may apply to changes in a river's course due to artificial as well as natural causes," according to Justice Deborah Hankinson, who wrote the unanimous decision, "we hold that changes brought about or influenced by an artificial structure, such as a dam, must be considered in marking the gradient boundary of a river, so long as the riparian does not cause or contribute to the artificial influence."

Michael Powell, an attorney for the landowners group that includes E.H. Brainard II, the Morrison Cattle Company, oilman Boone Pickens and Amarillo's powerful Whittenburg family, said the ruling was a landmark decision because it kills the state's artificial change theory.

The theory holds that the boundary between state and private land does not change with man-made changes to waterways so surveyors do not need to take damming into account when determining public lands. State law dictates that waterways, such as rivers and creeks, and the land underneath them are state-owned public property.

The outcome could affect other drainage systems in the state where the natural flow of a stream has been dammed, he said.

"The thirty land owners have carried on this litigation against the state since the early 1980s and the Texas Supreme Court has unanimously confirmed today that they have always been right," said Jody Sheets, an

attorney for the landowners.

The General Land Office has not determined the effect the ruling will have on other state-owned land on riverbanks, Wardlow

We don't know where the decision goes," she said, "but we haven't found another place in the state that meets these facts.

Land Commissioner David Dewhurst said he supported the court's decision because it resolves the discord among property owners in the panhandle.

The state's survey of the land was based on the gradient bank of the river, not the actual flow of the water. The state's survey described the river, wider than the Mississippi River at some points with an average width between its banks of about 3,400 feet, and with the narrowest point of 1,608 feet.

Using the natural banks of the river as a basis, the state said it owned more than 14,000 acres.

The landowners survey, which the court approved Thursday, says that the riverbed ranges from 17 feet to 30 feet wide.

In 1990, then-Land Commissioner Garry Mauro warned that a ruling in favor of the land owners would cut into the state's Permanent School Fund, which earns \$4 million to \$5 million annually from riverbeds around the state. The \$19 billion Permanent School Fund, which provides money for public schools in Texas, makes money from leasing mineral, oil and gas rights on state lands and the lands themselves.

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## Lights

last Friday before Thanksgiving. 'We catch a lot of Thanksgiving holiday traf-

The display will run through Dec. 31, when

a fireworks display will mark the end of the

"We will have a fire works display New Year's Eve beginning at 11:35 p.m.," she

The grand finale will be at midnight. Volunteers for the donation booth, Chaney said, can call Colleen Eskridge. Volunteers to help put up the displays can call Chaney at 669-1093.

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## Dope

Shana Clark, another clerk in the police department's records section received a second call about the plants.

Officers investigated, got a search warrant and, shortly before noon, eight of them converged on the home. Lt. Terry Young, who led the raid, said

seven to eight marijuana plants were found in the couple's backyard. The plants ranged from four-to-five-feet

tall," Young said, "and evidence indicated that they had been tended to while growing." The marijuana was growing in a row along the privacy fence. The backyard was filled with careless weeds almost as tall as the mar-

Young said several marijuana buds that bedsprings in their garage. He said no dollar cated crack cocaine and \$200 cash.

amount has been established on the marijuana. It will have to be dried, weighed and ana-

Officers said today the marijuana had been sent to the Department of Public Safety lab in Amarillo. Gray County Justice of the Peace Kurt

Curfman set bond on each of the Helms at \$5,000 on charges of possession of marijuana over five pounds and under 50 pounds. In addition to Young, the police depart-

ment's Hazardous Entry and Arrest Team includes Corey Powell, Fawnswa Burrows, Connie Lockridge, Beverly Chace, David Conner, Bo Lake and David Wilk.

This was the second drug raid this week by

Cornel Evans, 21, and Tashia Wilson, 20, were arrested Tuesday night after officers were drying were found intertwined in green raided their home at 1164 Varnon and confis-

## City Briefs

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9 p.m., Moose Lodge. Members & guests.

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their 3rd Anniversary at The Black Gold Restruant. Fri. Oct. 8th. Free coffee & cake all day. Pick a balloon for discounts on food tickets.

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#### Weather focus

PAMPA — Variable cloudiness today with spotty showers ending. A high of 68 and north winds at 25 mph. Tonight, clear with a low 42 and light and variable winds. Tomorrow, sunny with a high of 78 and southeast winds at 5-15 mph. The overnight low was 53 and .33 inches of rain fell overnight.

PANHANDLE - Tonight, mostly cloudy with fog possible late. Low around 45. North wind 5-10 mph. Saturday, mostly cloudy with fog possible early becoming mostly sunny by late morning. High in the mid 70s. Northeast to east wind 5-15 mph.

STATEWIDE — A rainy start to Texans' weekend is forecast by the National Weather Service.

Forecasters say the Gulf Stream, dipping southward, will combine with a frontal system to make conditions favorable for Plains. showers and thunderstorms. From a low-pressure system

located in the Permian Basin, an associated frontal system extended southwest into the Trans Pecos and northward into the Panhandle.

Fog developed across the east-ern third of the state, spreading into North Texas. Light rain from the 60s in the north and showers fell from Abilene to near Possum Kingdom Lake, Big Bend of the Rio Grande. with a few thunderstorms in the Concho Valley.

Winds statewide were variable at or below 10 mph.

Early-morning temperatures ranged from the mid-40s in the Panhandle to mid-60s here in North Texas and southward into the Hill Country to near 70 in East Texas and across the Coastal

669-7101

It was 48 degrees at Dalhart, 70 at Dryden, 46 at Conroe and 72 at Rockport near Corpus Christi. More showers and thunderstorms were possible from the West Texas mountains eastward and along the coast through

Daytime highs should range mountains to near 100 along the Lows overnight were expected from the 40s in the north and mountains to 60s in the far south.

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## Tralee Crisis Center helps women rebuild their lives

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received services from Tralee Crisis Center:

What do I think about Tralee Crisis Center? I think you're safe from your mom's abuser and from the harm he put you through. Also, it's fun there because you are safe from harm and the bad people who you know well and you have more

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This article is one in a series of profiles on the agen-found it to be really helpful. I'd already been away cies and organizations supported by Pampa United from my abuser for a year and the support group really helped me. They have been helping me to define the simple signs of an abuser which will help me if I decide to date again.

We're so busy taking care of everyone around us The following are letters from victims who have that we don't take very good care of ourselves. We need to find out who we are and what makes us happy. If we're happy with ourselves, it shows and everyone around us will be happier so I really do

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and my children without violence or abuse. My children are a lot happier and so am I.

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abuser. They even went to court with me for moral support. I really am thankful to them for that.

They gave us a roof over our heads. They fed me and my children, helped me get on food stamps and Medicaid for my children and myself and get on what used to be AFDC.

There is a program called Texas Crime Victims that will help you relocate and help you with doctors if that is your need. Tralee provided transportation for me and my children. I don't even know all the resources available. These are a few that have helped me. We all have different situations but yet we're all in the same boat when it comes to the abuse. A dear friend of mine said it's like a movie; it's the same movie just different

I am moving into my new house that HUD helped me to get and am short for time because I could go on forever about how wonderful Tralee

The Lord showed me how to live in peace with myself and others and I think if we don't have peace from within we don't have anything. God bless you all.

## Calendar of events

PAMPA AREA LITERACY COUNCIL

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

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

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ST. MARK CME CHURCH St. Mark will host a monthly

breakfast the first Saturday of every month from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. Donations will be accepted. MACEDONIA CHURCH

Macedonia Church will host a monthly breakfast the third Saturday of every month from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. at 441 Elm Street with the Rev. I.L. Patrick. Donations will be accepted and the public is

THE FELLOWSHIP OF CHRIST-IAN COWBOYS

The Fellowship of Christian Cowboys potluck will meet on the fourth Saturday of each month at 6 p.m. in the Clyde Carruth Pavillion. For more information, contact Keven Romines at 665-8547 or Jim Greene at 665-8067.

**CLARENDON COLLEGE** College-Pampa Center will offer a GED testing and a CNA course. The GED testing will be conducted on the fourth Monday and Tuesday of each month beginning Oct. 25 and 26. Registration will be at 9 a.m. each day. Cost will be \$45 including a \$20 deposit. The CNA course will begin Oct. 25 and will meet from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday for two weeks. Cost will be \$41 for tuition and fees. Class size is limited. The final day for registration is Oct. 25. For more information on either of these courses, call 665-8801.

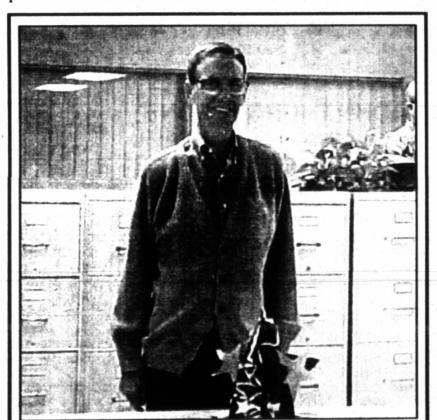
**ACT EXAMS** 

The ACT Assessment exam will be administered nationwide Oct. 23. The registration deadline is Sept. 17. Late registration postmark deadline is Oct. 1 (an additional fee is required for late registration.) The test fee is \$22. For more information, including registration forms and test locations, contact your high school or register on-line at ACT's website — www.act.org.

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## **Chamber of Commerce 'Stars Over Pampa' Top 10**

Name: J. David Fatheree. Place, date of birth: Oct. 31, 1936, Pampa.

Schools: Pampa High School 1954, University of Oklahoma,

Occupation: Insurance agent, Fatheree Insurance Agency, Inc.

Married: Mary Fatheree, June 11, 1958. Children: David M. Fatheree and wife Kristi.

Grandchildren: Taylor, 11, Garrett, 7, Madison, 5. How long have you been a resident of Pampa? 60 years.

Hobbies: PHS athletics, PHS class reunions, golf, promoting Organizations: United Way, Chamber of Commerce, Pampa

Country Club, White Deer Land Museum Foundation, Pampa Industrial Foundation. Church: First Presbyterian Church since 1948.

What is your outlook for Pampa in the new millennium? Positive! We will continue to progress with the PEDC, Clarendon College, Chamber of Commerce, and the positive attitude of all of us in pursuing new industry. Pampa is a wonderful place to live! We have to let everybody we meet know that we feel that way about Pampa. When we communicate this attitude, we'll create a climate that will draw new business and industry to Pampa.

-Bio for Country Fair



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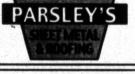


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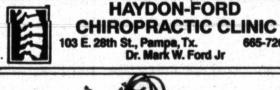
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Blinded! Knocked from his horse by a bright light. On his knees in the dust of the road with the hot Syrian sun beating down on him, a man named Saul of Tarsus heard Jesus speak from Heaven.

Like a ravening wolf, Saul had imprisoned and killed followers of Jesus - mistakenly believing he was doing God a service. Now, when the wolf comes to savage the flock at Damascus, the Shepherd stands athwart the Damascus road. He will challenge the wolf. The encounter will change the wolf himself into a shepherd.

The conversion of the man who became the apostle Paul is one of the greatest events of history. He'd spent his life, up to that point, doing what he thought was right. He'd spend the rest of it doing what he knew was right.

In his conversion experience, Paul learned that Jesus, whom he'd persecuted, was the Son of God and savior of the world. He surrendered his entire life to the lordship of Christ and asked, "Lord, what will you have me to do?"

There were three matters about which Paul needed to know what he should do:

ABOUT JESUS: Paul hadn't believed that God had a son. To him, the concept bordered



By Rev. Albert Maggard

First Pentecostal Holiness Church

on idolatry or blasphemy. He hated the name of Jesus and vowed to erase it from the earth. He had held the coats of those who stoned the first Christian martyr to death. "Breathing out threatening," and "persecut-ing the saints unto distant cities," characterized his activities. He who had blasphemed the name of Jesus and slaughtered his saints, now came to know what he should do about lesus. Now he would seek His will and accept His guidance. To love, obey and serve Him would forever be what Paul did about

ABOUT HIMSELF: We view ourselves in a new light when Christ convicts us. He comes into our lives, not to decorate our sinfulness, but to deliver us from sin and sinning. He changed Paul from persecutor to preacher. Even so, he seeks to make a radical change in

The term "sinning Christian" is an oxy-

moron. There's no such creature. When the blood of Jesus is applied to our hearts, sin dies. The life is changed. The things we once loved, we now hate. We become a "new creation" in Jesus. Old things pass away and our lives become brand new. We see ourselves differently — because we are different.

ABOUT OTHERS: Paul needed to know what the Lord would have him do about others. When it becomes clear what Jesus wants us to do about Him, and about ourselves, He then gives an awareness of what we should do about others.

The poet said, "No man is an island unto himself." All of us live our lives in relation to other people. What does God want us to do about others? As a child of God, what should be my attitude toward those living around

The complete answer to those questions came over a lifetime. "It shall be told you what you must do," the Lord told Paul. Step by step he was led and God's plan for his life was revealed. Always it involved sharing Christ with others. Leading lost men to the Savior became his mission in life. It's ours as

When we come into relationship with Jesus, all life's other relations are clarified. To know and do God's will puts us right with Him, with ourselves and with others.

## **First Baptist Church** has new minister

First Baptist Church has a new minister — Randy White was called last Sunday to lead the congregation at 203 N.

White is coming to Pampa from Kaufman, Texas where he has been the pastor at First Baptist Church.

He is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University and has earned a Master of Divinity degree from Southwestern **Baptist Theological Seminary** in Fort Worth.

White is continuing his education and is working on his Doctor of Divinity Degree from Golden **Baptist** Gate Theological Seminary.

The new minister and his wife, Shelley, and children will move to Pampa within the next few weeks.

First Baptist Sunday activities begin with Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. followed by worship at 11 a.m.



**Rev. Randy White** 

Sunday evening discipleship courses are offered at 5 p.m. along with a full program for children and youth.

Evening worship is at 6:30

Further information about the church programs can be obtained by calling the church office at 669-1155.

## Reward in the willingness

To discuss God in abstract philosophical terms, to beat your arms against His chest when you don't understand Him, is a dangerous pursuit. One might end up saying aloud what his gut believes when his head forbids the same. In other words, Sunday school answers might take a beating.

To wrestle with God requires the wrestler to be a demanding, foot-stomping creature not paralytically frightened by the spectre of challenging the God of the universe. It requires a questioner whose need to know or his anger or his crisis of faith drives him harder than his desire for docile compliance. It requires an honesty which can be frightening.

Look at Jacob in the 32nd chapter of Genesis. He sent his family away and for a night wrestled with the Angel of the Lord seeking both blessings and answers. Whether his reward, Jacob became Israel - "he who

From the Back

Pew... By Cheryl Berzanskis

lacob received his answers is not clear, but that he was abundantly blessed is definitive. According to the text, the Angel acknowl-

edges Jacob prevailed in the contest and as

#### it the land of Abraham and Isaac. Bake Sale beginning at 9 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 9 at the Like New Jacob paid a physical price for his wrestling

match. The Angel of the Lord, touched Jacob's thigh, moving it out of joint, marking him with a lifelong limp. Whether Jacob was punished or simply marked is not explained. We only know the what not why of the occur-

strives with God" - reflecting the valor of the

match. God further promised him abundant

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That Jacob saw God through the angel and that he was rewarded for his willingness to wrestle for answers encourages the striver in me. When I feel compelled to demand answers, turn the questions in my mind or debate the what ifs, I will not be afraid because of Jacob's example. I will remember that for his efforts he became Israel.

#### Beauty Corner, 121 S. Cuyler across from White Deer Land Museum. Rev. I.L. Patrick and the congregation invites you to come by and cater to your sweet tooth. Donations will be accept-

ed. For more information, call 669-0300. Gospel Singing Sunday at 1700 Alcock Jerry Smith, well known promoter of Southern Gospel music concerts and host of a weekly music program on Borger's radio

station KQTY, and his family will sing and play music during the

Gospel Singing from 2-4 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 10 at the First

The Brotherhood of the Macedonia Baptist Church will hold a

Church briefs...

Brotherhood to hold bake sale Saturday

Pentecostal Holiness Church, 1700 Alcock. This informal two hours of inspirational singing and music takes place on the second Sunday of each month and is an areawide event. It includes special numbers by singers and musicians from numerous churches in the region as well as congregational

Pastor Albert Maggard and the congregation welcome every-

## Eggerts New Life Assembly of God pastors

The Rev. Harold P. Eggert and his wife Wendy assumed the pastorate at New Life Assembly of God Sunday, July 4.

The Eggerts moved to Pampa from Ruston, La., where they were on the staff at New Life Assembly of God. The Rev. Eggert served as associate pastor and Mrs. Eggert was minister of music.

Rev. Eggert taught full time at Northeast Louisiana University and Mrs. Eggert was an office administrator for an air conditioning/heating business.

The Reverend received a bachelor of arts degree in religion from Southwestern Assemblies of God University and a master of arts from Louisiana Tech University in Ruston. Mrs. Eggert received a bachelor of science in music from SAGU.

The Reverend has lived in 11 states. Mrs. Eggert was reared in Albuquerque, N.M.

Rev. Eggert worked for Motorola, Inc., from 1992-95 as a technical writer. He has served in various part-time and full-time ministries from 1990-98.

Mrs. Eggert has taught advanced flute



Rev. Harold and Wendy Eggert

technique, private lessons in fundamentals of voice and theory, and has been the pianist for the Methodist Children's Home in Ruston. According to Pastor Eggert, there are three

catalysts that will ensure that the church is structured on a biblical foundation. These are a well-rounded Sunday school, a powerful worship service and a strong pulpit ministry from a caring pastor.

Mrs. Eggert's philosophy of music ministry is reflected in these statements. A church's music department will touch more people when it aspires to minister rather than perform. Three different factors can help a music department function to its fullest potential. First, education informs and teaches the people of the importance of worship. Secondly, the worship experience allows the congregation to fully encounter communing with God through music. Finally, when the music department works together to incorporate many different ideas, the music can minister to many different people and their needs.

The congregation at New Life Assembly of God, located at the corner of Randy Matson and Sumner, extends an invitation to all those interested in hearing the full gospel

## **FBC Skellytown** will host revival

First Baptist Church of Phil, for Skellytown is hosting a revival next week starting with the 11 a.m. service Sunday, Oct. 10. The revival runs through Thursday with nightly services at 7 p.m.

Also set are noon Bible Study classes Oct. 11-14 with the public invited

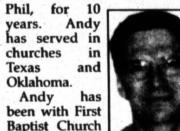
to attend and urged to bring a sack lunch. Drinks will be

provided. Norman

Rushing, pastor of First Baptist Rushing Church

Jacksboro, Texas, will be the speaker. He has pastored several churches in the panhandle including Central Baptist Church in Pampa.

Special music will be by singer Andy Dietz who was in musical evangelism with his twin brother,



in Borger for 12 years and is Dietz presently pas-

tor of missions and evangelism. Pastor Fines Marchman invites everyone to the services. A nursery will be provided.

## Franklin Graham coming to Amarillo

Pastor, author to speak at Trinity

James Ryle, pastor, author and a founding member of Promise

Ryle, will speak at services on Oct. 10 at 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m., on

He has served in pastoral ministry since 1974 and is the author of

two best-selling books, Hippo in the Garden and A Dream Come

Keepers board of directors, will speak is coming to Trinity

Fellowship, 1200 S. Sumner, for three nights this month.

Monday, Oct. 11 at 7 p.m. and again Oct. 12 at 7 p.m.

AMARILLO — The Billy Graham Evangelistic Association recently announced that Franklin Graham, along with hundreds of local church and civic leaders, will hold "Texas Panhandle Festival 2000" Aug. 18-20, 2000, at the Dick Bivins Stadium.

"It is my prayer that God will use the time leading up to the Festival to draw the churches of the Texas Panhandle together," said Franklin Graham, "so that we can have an impact for Christ like never before." Graham recently accepted local church leaders' invitation to preach the Texas Panhandle Festival.

More than 150 clergy and lay leaders from the Texas Panhandle area attended the Festival 2000 announcement meeting, Tuesday, September 28, at the Ambassador Hotel. Local attorney Bob Sanders, of Sanders and Baker, was named chairman of the General Festival Committee and will oversee the 11-month Festival preparation process.



positive and definite impact on teers from the Panhandle area, the spiritual health of the com- will assist in the planning and munities in our area," said operation of Festival 2000. "We Sanders. "This will be true not are very excited that Franklin Franklin Graham to conduct a only in our churches but in our Graham is coming to Amarillo," government and other vital insti- said Monsignor Joe Tash of St. tutions because as the lives of Thomas the Apostle Catholic people change so will they."

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## **Accountant Locks Partners** Out of His Office and Books

DEAR ABBY: I hope you can help me, although it's my husband who needs help. "John" is a wonder-ful husband and father. I love him dearly. When he was in high school, he was always picked on by the jocks. (We all know that story.) Well, John carried this on into his adult life and his business.

My husband has two partners. "Gene" is a "nerd" like John. The other one, "Don," is the "jock." The company is 10 years old. They made about \$5 million last year. All three have equal shares of this company.

Don handles all of the accounting. He keeps his door locked at all times when he's not there, as he should because of all the checks, etc. But does he leave an extra key for Gene or John? No! He leaves it with the secretary, and she takes it home with her. Don gets very upset if John or Gene goes into his office without his permission.

The way Don has his accounting program set up, John and Gene cannot access any financial information on the company. They have to go through him first. I strongly

suspect Don is embezzling.
They have never had an audit done. John and Gene wouldn't dare insist on one, because Don would get furious if they did. Don gets upset over the most minor things. Gene and my husband are afraid of Don. They've caught him in several lies. He treats everybody like dirt. They fight and argue on a daily basis. It's a terrible atmosphere. Yet they won't do anything about it.



**Abigail** Van Buren

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Any suggestions?
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DEAR DEPRESSED: The three partners should get together and agree to have an independent C.P.A. (selected by all three) set up their account-ing system so that all three partners can understand what's happening financially, and the necessary security is preserved. If Don refuses to agree to it, then Gene and John should consult a lawyer.

short of his 56th birthday, we buried my beloved younger brother. He died by his own hand two days before his first scheduled appointment with a psychiatrist. He had been referred by the general practitioners who had been treating him for the past two months.

Bipolar or manic depressive disorder has ravaged my family for many generations. It is, indeed, an inherited genetic disorder. But there is a wonderful treatment for it

I can attest to this. I am a diagnosed manic depressive and, thanks to lithium, I have led a normal, productive life for the past 12 years.
If only I had realized how ill my

brother was, perhaps I could have gotten him to treatment in time. If only the GPs had realized this was beyond their expertise, perhaps they could have referred him to a psychiatrist earlier and this tragedy could have been averted. If only, if

Nothing will bring back my younger brother, but maybe our experience can help someone else. Thank you for letting me vent,

GRIEVING BROTHER.

TAYLORS, S.C. **DEAR GRIEVING: Please** accept my deepest sympathy for the tragic loss of your beloved brother, but take heart in the thought that your letter may save the lives of countless others. People who know there is a history of bipolar disorder DEAR ABBY: Today, 14 days in the family should alert their doctors to it. Also, those who are experiencing mood swings should seek a referral to a psychiatrist who can help them restore the balance in their brain chemistry.

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sense of humor. Tonight: Do whatever pleases you! SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

\* \* A lot goes on behind the scenes. Make sound choices, remaining sure of yourself. A project needs extra time. Put some extra effort into it, and it will bloom. You'll like what you accomplish. A respected friend or boss admires what you have done. Tonight: Take some personal time.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

\*\*\*\* You know what you want, which inspires others. Friends seem to descend upon you. Together, you accomplish much more than you thought possible. Consider scheduling a group weekend away to see the turning leaves, or perhaps get into some early winter activities. Tonight: Where your friends are. QUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

\*\* \* Sometimes, all that is happening overwhelms you. In some ways, you could be running in all directions simultaneously. Opportunity strikes on the homefront; check out one particular real estate investment. Someone you put on a pedestal could use some of your time. Tonight: Be extra gentle with a partner. PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

\*\*\* \* Take off spontaneously to explore a favorite flea market or take in an art show. You could be overwhelmed how many options are presented. Keep them open, if possible. Consider new ways to relate to a partner or friend more effectively. Tonight: Dinner in a new spot.

**BORN TODAY** Singer David Lee Roth (1955), singer Tanya Tucker (1958), actor Ben Vereen

# KNOW WHAT THE TROUBLE WITH YOU IS, LIZ? YOU'RE TOO INTENSE. YOU GOTTA GO EASY, OK?

For Better or For Worse







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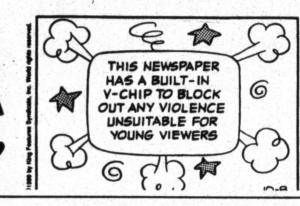






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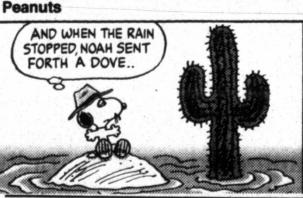


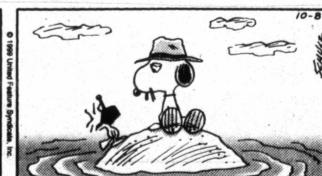


#### **Haggar The Horrible**









#### **Blondie**





### **Mallard Filmore**





#### along with others. Let go of your cares; Horoscope SUNDAY, OCT. 10, 1999

BY JACQUELINE BIGAR

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll 3-Averages 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

\*\*\* Getting together with others promotes excesses of all types. There is no holding back. Another is full of surprises. You're sure to go overboard, VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) whether by living the good life, spending you now

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) \*\*\* Another swings into high

gear and seeks you for company. You socialize and enjoy yourself all too easily. Friends remark about this tendency to go hog-wild. You feel good, and your attitude encourages others to let loose, too. Tonight: Say yes to a partner's idea

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

\*\* Pace yourself. Think carefully when you receive news from a distance. Express your caring; don't let confusion get to you. You might reveal much more than you intend. Lie low. Talk to friends; share with those in your day-to-day life. Good will surrounds you. Tonight: Get a head start on tomorrow.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) \*\*\*\* Allow more joy into your

By THOMAS JOSEPH

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Crossword Puzzle

join friends and communicate what is going on with you. If you choose gentler tones, others will respond. A good time is had by all. Tonight: Add more naughtiness to your life.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

\* \* \* Partners seek you out, though you might not be completely clear about 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; what their agendas are. Enjoy the day; get into festivities; bring others together. Think about new ways to beautify your home or perhaps spruce up an outdoor garden. A partner lets you know how much you mean to him. Tonight: Why

or eating more than usual. You'll love It is no longer necessary to take a back what goes on. Tonight: There is no stop- seat or pick and choose your words. Clearly, you are cared for Listen to feed back from a loved one or friend at a distance. You could be vague about plans. Be clearer about your communication and listen more carefully to another's request. Tonight: Talking up a storm.

sense and then regret it at a later date.

your instincts.

\* \* \* \* Your actions energize others. A partner could be challenged, but he clearly adores you. A family member might be confused by a recent discussion; attempting to clarify the talk might

\*\* \* \* \* What you hear delights you.

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LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) \*\* You might let go of common

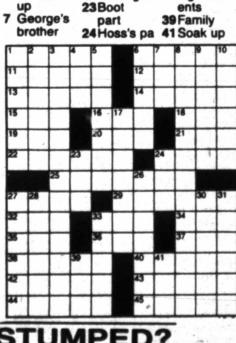
Finances get way out of control. Establish limits, with an eye to potential repercussions. A partner encourages you to take a risk, but be careful. Remember, there could be problems. Tonight: Use

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)



"...And one vote against a meatless dinner."

#### The Family Circus



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## **S**PORTS

## Notebook

**GENERAL** 

PAMPA — Local merchants are urged to beware of out-oftown organizations selling posters or calendars relating to school sports activities.

PHS Athletic Director Dennis Cavalier said these organizations are not sponsored by the Pampa Independent School District. A school representative would first contact the local retailer by letter or in person if the sales organization is connected with the PISD.

If further information is needed, Cavalier can be contacted at 669-4830.

#### **FLAG FOOTBALL**

PAMPA - Kids Club Six-Man Flag Football League action is in full swing at Hobart Street Park.

On Tuesday, the Wal-Mart Wolverines came out on top against the J.E. Carlson Broncos by a score of 20-13.

Bernardo Casanova led the Wolverines with two touchdowns, followed by Craig Crowell with one touchdown. Jarron Clark added a twopoint conversion.

The Bronchos' leading scorer was Andrew VanHouten with two touchdowns.

In the second senior league game, Lentz Chevron defeated Topographic 18-0.

Games are played at Hobart Street Park on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays, beginning at 6 p.m. Kindergarten through second graders compete in the junior league. Third through fifth graders make up the teams in the senior league.

Everyone is invited to bring a lawn chair and watch the games.

#### BASKETBALL

Optimist girls' basketball signups are set for Oct. 11-13 at the Optimist Club. Signups times are from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. each night.

\$35. fee is Signup Scholarships are available.

The league is for girls in the third through sixth grades. Each team is limited to a certain number of players and interested girls are urged to

sign up as soon as possible.

More coaches are also needed and interested persons should contact Monty Covalt at 669-3615.

#### HOCKEY

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas Stars center Mike Modano, who suffered strained neck ligaments after being sent head first into the boards last week, said Thursday the NHL is growing increasingly violent and if it doesn't change, he'll leave the game.

Modano, who also broke his nose and had a mild concussion after Anaheim defenseman Ruslan Salei cross-checked him from behind in Saturday's game, admits he's nervous about playing again and taking another hit.

"It was a scary incident," said Modano, who was knocked unconscious and remembers waking to find doctors and trainers hovering over and yelling at him to try to move his arms and

"To see it on replay ... and to see how close (the hit) could've been to hampering me or from keeping me from playing ever again ... it makes you wonder whether it's worth it to play in this game and in sports in general." said Modano, the bridge of his nose bruised and scraped.

Meeting with reporters after a light workout, the team's best offensive player said he still feels like he's "in a bit of a fog." Recent neurological tests showed he was recovering well, but Modano said he's not sure when he'll play again.

If the career-ending or life-threatening violence doesn't stop, Modano said he will get off the ice for

## Harvesters seek third consecutive victory

season, but quarterback Tanner teams. The Longhorns' main Craven and receiver Jay Fields are putting up some impressive numbers.

Craven leads District 3-4A in completions (72), passing yards (1,055) and TD passes (9) going sion over River Road. into the Pampa-Caprock game at 1 p.m. Saturday at Dick Caprock has been known main-Bivins Stadium in Amarillo.

"Craven is very adept at getting the pass off. He's extremely quick and hard to trap in the backfield," said PHS head coach Dennis Cavalier.

Fields is second in the district ing (559 yards) and scoring (30 points). He's tied with Pampa's returns (1-12.0 yards).

"Fields is one of the top receivers in the district and he's just a junior," Cavalier said. Justin Barnes leads the receivers

Caprock is averaging 212

PAMPA - Caprock is finding passing yards per game, which Pampa a boost in the backfield Sophomore safety Orlando Roark is second in interceptions problem is defense - where they rank last in the district allowing almost 400 yards per game. Caprock has a 1-4 record with its only win a 28-20 deci-

> "For the last couple of years tough. ly for its passing game," Cavalier said. "We don't want to just concentrate on stopping their passing game and disregard their ground game. Caprock does run a lot of quarterback draws."

Pampa's offense, which is in three categories: receiving (31 averaging 17.2 points per game, for 511 yards), rushing-receiv- is starting to get into a rhythm. Junior fullback Thomas Long has rushed for 360 yards and Ryan Nash for first in punt two touchdowns while senior quarterback Kaleb Snelgrooes has passed for 524 yards and a touchdown. Senior tight end "He's big (6-3, 170) and very with 11 catches and two touchdowns.

Senior Ramon Martinez gave

yards and a touchdown in the 27-14 win over Randall.

Pampa's defense, which has tough when the going gets

allowed 21.0 points per game, is Burklow has 53 stops and Arnn the last five meetings with

victories hard to come by this is tops among the six district last weekend. Filling in for the Madrid is the district leader in with three. Up front, end Andy injured Terrance Lemons at tail- assisted tackles (43) and is third back, Martinez rushed for 118 in total tackles (54). Linebackers Jason Burklow and Nathan Arnn are right up there among for its third consecutive win the district leaders in tackles. 47 to rank fourth and fifth, Caprock. Pampa won 17-0 a respectively. Cornerback J.J. year ago.

Schroeder has 24 tackles and noseguard Tyson Curtis has 20.

Pampa (3-2) will be looking Saturday and its fourth win in

## OSU hopes to use Texas Tech as springboard

STILLWATER, Okla. (AP) - loss to Nebraska. Last year's Texas Tech game consaw them lose five out of six.

the Red Raiders as a springboard, not a high dive.

The Cowboys (2-2, 0-1 Big 12) have lost two straight and looked Mississippi State, then got steam-

A season that began with high tinued a downward spiral for hopes appears to be teetering. The Oklahoma State. Leading 10-0 offensive line hasn't jelled as well early, the Cowboys lost 24-17 in as coach Bob Simmons would that his team properly execute the the second game of a stretch that have hoped. His two young quarplays that are called. terbacks, B.J. Tiger and Ben Oklahoma State would like to Bowling, have struggled since ize is that we have to do the correct use Saturday night's game against being pressed into action after an things to win. Those are things injury to Tony Lindsay. And the that you talk about a coach," he defense and special teams were said. suspect against Nebraska.

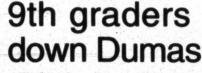
bad doing it. They committed and Bowling, Simmons used a psyche. We just flat out have to eight turnovers in a loss to conservative game plan against execute better and get things done Nebraska, particularly in the first the way we want to as a football rolled in the first half of a 38-14 half when they repeatedly ran the team."

ball between the tackles.

While Cowboy fans and even the players might prefer more variety, Simmons would prefer

"What this team has got to real-

"Does it play into their psyche? I Because of concerns about Tiger think that it plays into any team's



DUMAS — Pampa's freshmen football team stretched its unbeaten streak to 6-0 with a 25-15 win over Dumas Thursday

Derrick Williams scored two touchdowns for Pampa on runs of 55 and 4 yards.

Curtis Pritchett and Jered Snelgrooes each scored on 1-yard TD runs. Tim Kettering kicked a conversion point.

Brian Watts had an outstanding game on defense for the Pampa 9th graders. Jordan Klaus had a pass interception and also played well at running back.

Pampa plays at Palo Duro next Thursday with the game starting at 4:30 p.m. Pampa's next home game is Oct. 28 against Tascosa

## Yankees trim Rangers, 3-1

NEW YORK (AP) — The Texas Rangers needed just one key hit to put themselves in position to tie their AL playoff series.

But they were not going to get it on this night, either. Not against the New York Yankees. Not against Andy Pettitte.

Pettitte, pitching every bit up to manager Joe Torre's expectations, stopped Texas at every tight spot Thursday night in a 3-1 victory that gave the Yankees a 2-0 edge.

"I've seen Andy do it before. When you need to count on him, he doesn't disappoint," Torre said. "He makes big plays, he makes big pitches."

The Yankees won their ninth straight postseason game and sent Texas to its eighth playoff loss in a row. New York can complete a three-game sweep Saturday night at Texas when Roger Clemens starts against Esteban Loaiza.

It was Torre who helped conowner Steinbrenner not to send the shaky Pettitte to Philadelphia at the July 31 trading deadline. Pettitte was sharp down the stretch and rewarded his manager's confidence with another top effort in October.

"It seems like every year I struggle and they talk about trading me, and then somebody stands up for me, like Joe," Pettitte said. "I had a tough year, a lot of people doubting me."

Against Texas, he looked every bit as focused as the pitcher who won the clinching Game 4 of last year's World Series and the crucial Game 5 of the 1996 Series against Atlanta.

After the game, Steinbrenner complimented Pettitte for a "courageous perfor-

Juan Gonzalez homered in the fourth, ending the Rangers' postseason scoreless streak at 25 innings. But that was all they managed in 71-3 innings against

"I really put a lot of weight on the games that count the most," Torre said. "He has not backed

And this is the task Texas faces: In 56 best-of-5 postseason series, only four times has a team overcome an 0-2 deficit.



(Pampa News photo by Lacy Plunk)

Pampa High senior Emily Waters has a 12-5 record from her No. 1 singles spot on the girls' tennis squad this fall. Waters and her teammates will compete in a district playoff match against Dumas on Oct. 23 in

## McLean opens district with Vernon Northside

McLean - McLean is expected the other starters to win its District 2 six-man Burch isn't about to let his Tigers overlook Vernon Northside.

"Vernon is having a down year, but you never take a district opponent for granted. They can sure sneak up and bite you if you let them," Burch said.

McLean has a 4-1 record and Northside has a 2-3 record.

McLean boasts an experienced lineup with six seniors who have been starting since they were football game," Burch said. freshmen.

Ends Brian Fuller and Brett Montgomery, quarterback Chris Hauck, fullback Frankie Sparling seniors. Center Terrell Hembree halftime.

Jared Rice and Chris Sparling are No. 7 to No. 11 after that loss.

Running back Ike Hanes, the opener tonight, but coach James other senior starter, is out for the remainder of the year after suffering a leg injury in the second game of the season.

"Since losing Ike, the guys have really picked up the intensity and have really been playing well," Burch said. The McLean-Groom clash was

suffered its only loss to Groom a tossup until there was just, 44-30 last weekend. Vernon under three minutes to go. That's when Groom scored a touchdown to go up by 14 points.

"Both teams had the lead several times.

At one point, McLean was ahead 16-6. Groom jumped and tailback Aaron Rice are all ahead and took a 20-16 lead into The win boosted Groom from

Sparling, Fuller and Hauck No. 10 to No. 5 in the Huntress start on defense. Brad Sawyer, Report. McLean dropped from

## Bush, Keating wager on Texas-OU football game

AUSTIN (AP) — It's Tex-Mex University of Texas Longhorns' pancake mix. It's a Longhorn T-

shirt vs. a Bob Stoops golf visor.

and a shirt commemorating the peanuts.

chips and dips vs. Shawnee 1969 national championship season.

Oklahoma Gov. Frank Keating It's Texas vs. OU, and it's time has placed on the table the golf for the governors of their visor — the signature headgear respective states to place their of the Sooners coach - and a basket full of Oklahoma goodies Texas Gov. George W. Bush on including the pancake mix, bar-Thursday put up the chips, dips becue sauce and homegrown

## Rams haven't beaten 49ers since 1990

**By DAVE GOLDBERG** AP Football Writer

Sunday can be payback 24-22 last week. time a decade removed for But the line might be less only 49ers who remember what the payback is for.

The Niners, with Young a maybe because of his latest concussion, arrive in St. Louis with a 17-game winning streak over the Rams, who last beat them 28-17 on Nov. 25, 1990.

That was the first loss after 10 wins for San Francisco that season.

So this year the Niners can not only run their winning streak over the Rams to 18, but end St. Louis' unbeaten run, albeit a modest 3-0 against three of the NFL's lesser teams: the Ravens,

Falcons and Bengals. There is no line on this game because of Young's injury.

He was cleared to practice by his neurologist earlier this although Steve week, Mariucci may not decide until gametime whether Young or Jeff Garcia starts. Garcia, a former Canadian Leaguer making his first start, was the quarterback as San Francisco beat Tennessee

## **Pro Picks**

San Francisco, even if Steve important than three video-Young and Jerry Rice are the tapes of the games in which former Arena Leaguer Kurt Warner has thrown nine touchdown passes and run up an outlandish 125 rating. Most defensive coaches believe that once they have three tapes on a young quarterback, they can find his weaknesses.

> There's another "three" that comes into play: average teams that start 3-0 rarely win the fourth.

49ERS 24-20

Miami (minus Indianapolis

Jimmy Johnson's angry with Dan Marino. Jim Mora is not angry with Peyton Manning. COLTS, 17-12

Tampa Bay (plus 6) at Green More Brett Favre heroics?

PACKERS, 24-23 Chicago (plus 13)

Minnesota Time for both teams to revert to form.

**VIKINGS, 34-10** 

Pittsburgh (plus 6 1/2) at Buffalo

Kordell already had problems. Now he faces that Buffalo defense. BILLS, 17-3

Cincinnati (minus 3) at Detroit Cleveland Tim Couch. Akili Smith.

The Browns' first win since Chargers. The Chargers know **BROWNS**, 11-6

Denver (plus 7) at Oakland

The Broncos haven't been this big an underdog since ... But that's what happens when you lose John Elway and Terrell Davis.

RAIDERS, 24-6

New England (plus 2 1/2) at Kansas City

The Patriots aren't good enough to win five straight and the Chiefs win at home. CHIEFS, 20-17

Dallas (minus 9 1/2) at Philadelphia

The Eagles have gone 15 quarters without an offensive touchdown. Make it 19. COWBOYS, 32-5

New York Jets (Monday 20(Straight up)

Mark Brunell isn't Mark Brunell yet. Upset special.

JETS, 20-17

San Diego (plus 3 1/2) at

Bobby Ross knows the

**LIONS 20-19** New York Giants (plus 3) at

The Giant's always beat the Cardinals and their defense already had its bad game.

**GIANTS, 12-10** 

Baltimore (plus Tennessee

NFL's return to Houston.

**TITANS, 20-10** New Orleans (off) at Atlanta

The Titans celebrate the

This is off because of questions about both teams' quar-

terbacks. **SAINTS, 16-13** 

Last Week: 6-7-1 (Spread); 10-4 (Straight up)

Jacksonville (minus 3) at Season 27-29-2 (Spread); 38-

### BASEBALL At A Glance At A Glance By The Associated Press All Times EDT DIVISION SERIES (Best-of-5) American League New York vs. Texas Tuesday, Oct. 5 New York 8, Texas 0 Thursday, Oct. 7 New York 3, Texas 1, New York leads series 2-0 Saturday, Oct. 9 New York (Clemens 14-10) at Texas (Loaiza 9-5), 7:40 p.m. (NBC) Sunday, Oct. 10 New York at Texas, 4:09 p.m. (ESPN) or 7:50 p.m. (FOX), if necessary nday, Oct. 11

Cleveland vs. Boston Wednesday, Oct. 6 Cleveland 3, Boston 2 Thursday, Oct. 7 Cleveland 11, Boston 1, Cleveland leads

Texas at New York, 8:17 p.m. (FOX), if neces-

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**LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES** (Best-of-7) American League

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HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

AL at NL, 8:05 p.m. EST, if necessar

Thursday's Scores Austin Westlake 51, Austin 0 Borger 28, Amarillo Palo Duro 0 Converse Judson 20, SA Lee 12 Dallas Skyline 55, North Dallas 0 Conroe 42, Huntsville 0 Houston Kinkaid 39, FW Country Day 3 Houston Milby 49, Houston Austin 0
Houston Sam Houston 21, Houston HOCKEY

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Detroit 7, Atlanta 1
San Jose 3, Edmonton 2, OT San Jose 3, Edmonton 2, OT Friday's Games Washington at Buffalo, 7 p.m. Carolina at N.Y. Rangers, 7:30 p.m. Colorado at Pittsburgh, 7:30 p.m. Phoenix at Chicago, 8:30 p.m. Montreal at Calgary, 9 p.m. Dallas at Anaheim, 9:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 9 Philadelphia at Boston, 7 p.m. Toronto at Ottawa, 7 p.m.
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St. Louis at Edmonton, 8 p.m. Dallas at San Jose, 9:30 p.m. Montreal at Vancouver, 10 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 10 Colorado at N.Y. Islanders, 1 p.m. Phoenix at N.Y. Rangers, 1:30 p.m. Nashville at Chicago, 8 p.m.

**TRANSACTIONS** Thursday's Sports Transac By The Associated Press BASEBALL

American Leag ANAHEIM ANGELS—Exercised options on OF Garret Anderson and OF Jim Edmonds. BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Fired Ray Miller, manager and Frank Wren, general manager.

National League

CINCINNATI REDS—Promoted Jeff Barton to

er.
SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS—Released RHP
Steve Connolly, RHP Robbie Crabtree and
RHP Steve Soderstrom.
BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association CLEVELAND CAVALIERS—Named Don Donoher scout. PHILADELPHIA 76ERS—Signed G Rodrick TORONTO RAPTORS—Signed Glen

FOOTBALL National Football League
NFL—Fined Atlanta Falcons CB Ray
Buchanan \$7,500 for losing his temper and
slamming Baltimore receiver Patrick Johnson slamming Baltimore receiver resident slamming Baltimore receiver receiver receiver to the turf in an Oct. 3 game.

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To the turf in an Oct. 3 game. NFL ENTERPRISES—Named Douglas Quinn senior vice president and managing director of NFL International.

CINCINNATI BENGALS—Activated S

Tremain Mack. Waived OL Tony Coats. WASHINGTON REDSKINS—Added Bill Arnsparger to the defensive coaching staff. Named Stephen Baldacci president of Washington Redskins Entertainment, Inc. HOCKEY

National Hockey League
NASHVILLE PREDATORS—Re-assigned G
Mike Dunham and D Jan Vopat to Milwauke NEW JERSEY DEVILS—Acquired C Steve New JEHSEY DEVILS—Acquired C Steve Kelly from the Tampa Bay for a seventh-round pick in the 2000 entry draft. Assigned Kelly to Albany of the AHL. Assigned F Bryan Duce, F Wes Mason, F Chris Thompson and G Jean-Francois Damphousse from Albany to Augusta of the ECHL. Announced D Vlastimil Kroupa

has left Albany. WASHINGTON CAPITALS—Signed D Joe Reekie to a three-year contract.

American Hockey League
SYRACUSE CRUNCH—Acquired D Zenith Komarniski on loan from the Vancouver

National Professional Soccer League HARRISBURG HEAT—Traded D Dewan Bader to Detroit for future consid-ALBRIGHT-Named Dan Handerhan men's basketball intern assistant.
BETHEL. TENN.—Named Cal Luther interim

men's basketball coach and athletic director. CAZENOVIA-Named Fran Satalin Jr. men's basketball coach. FLORIDA STATE—Suspended WR Peter Warrick and WR Laveranues Coles from the football team for the Oct. 9 game against Miami for being charged with grand theft. GREENSBORO COLLEGE—Promoted Jean

Lojko to assistant director of athletics and

## Indians rout Red Sox

Cleveland Indians don't need any help scoring runs, thank you very much. They scored 1,009 during the regular season, the highest total in 49 years.

p.m. (FOX), if necessary

But if a team wants to give the Indians more than 27 outs and put them on base without making them swing their bats, that team could find itself in big trouble.

And that's where the Boston Red Sox are.

"If the pitcher is not having a good day and makes mistakes, chances are he's going to pay for it," Indians third baseman Travis Fryman said.

The Red Sox paid dearly for their generosity as Cleveland's 11-1 rout and a 2-0 lead over Series. Boston in the AL playoffs.

slam, Harold Baines added a three-run shot and Charles Nagy pitched seven solid innings Thursday as Cleveland moved Herman (Babe Ruth)," Williams within a win of sweeping Boston said. and advancing to the ALCS for the third straight year.

the part in Game 2.

and Thome's second career post- year, starts for Cleveland.

CLEVELAND (AP) — The season slam iced a five-run fourth off John Wasdin as Cleveland's high-octane offense shifted into

demolition mode. And the Indians did all their damage without much help from Manny Ramirez, who drove in 165 runs this season, but none so far in this series.

"We're in a groove now," shortstop Omar Vizquel said. "We got everybody swinging the bats, and we're feeding off one another."

The Red Sox need help - quick-Boston, which beat the Cleveland eight times during the regular season, has now lost five straight in the playoffs to the Indians the past two years.

Moreover, Boston dropped to 1offense unleashed a two-inning 18 since Bill Buckner's infamous attack that sent the Indians to an error in Game 6 of the 1986 World

Boston manager Jimy Williams Jim Thome hit an historic grand kidded that it might be time for desperate measures. Maybe even a seance.

"Maybe I'll get a hold of George

The Red Sox, who lost Pedro Martinez to a back injury in Game The Indians, the first team since 1 and maybe for the series, will 1950 to score more than 1,000 runs turn to another Martinez, Pedro's during the regular season, looked brother, Ramon, to save their season in Game 3 Saturday at Baines' homer capped a six-run Fenway Park. Dave Burba, a third inning against an uncharac- postseason hero for the Indians teristically wild Bret Saberhagen, pitching out of the bullpen last



Annie Sims, a member of the Pampa High School girls golf team, tees off at the driving range during a recent practice session at Hidden Hills. The Pampa girls are entered in the Hereford Invitational this weekend.

## Pampa girls entered in tournament at Hereford

PAMPA - The Pampa High girls golf team is entered in the Hereford Tournament this weekend. The Pampa boys team has an open date.

Both teams competed in fall tournaments at Plainview and Hereford last weekend.

"We had some bad weather. The girls at Plainview played okay, shooting a 367. We could have played a little better, but we did okay considering the weather," said Pampa coach Frank McCullough.

with an 82, followed by Maggie Cowan 86, Annie Sims 99. Stefanie Harwood 100 and Cortney Locknane 104.

Cortnie Allison led the way

"The boys also had a bad day for golf," McCullough added.

The Harvesters shot a 332 at Hereford. Pampa scores were Daniel Heuston 80, Matt Heasley 81, Cory Fowler 84, Ryan Black 87 and Anthony Tiedt.

. . . . . WILLIAMSBURG, Va. (AP) -Notah Begay made a name for himself the last time he played as a professional in Virginia, shooting a record-tying 59 in the second round of a Nike Tour event

in Richmond. Now that Begay is playing on the PGA Tour and back in Virginia for the first time, he's GOLF

trying to show that he belongs on the course with golf's best.

A victory six weeks ago in the Reno-Tahoe Open went a long way toward making the point, and Thursday's first round of the Michelob Championship didn't

Playing in whipping wind and 50-degree temperatures, Begay shot a 4-under-par 67 that earned him a share of the lead with Corey Pavin and Robin Freeman on a day when only 33 others managed to match par.

"I only made one bogey, which was on the 18th hole, and looking back, that's a great day when conditions are as unpredictable as they were today," Begay said.

Begay played with 1996 PGA Championship winner Mark Brooks and Michael Bradley, and said winning in late August has helped him improve.

You start getting paired with other winners, and major winners," the 32-year-old American Indian said. "The last few weeks I played with guys that have won like Steve Elkington and Nick Faldo and Curtis Strange. That elevates your game because you know you've earned the

## Michigan and Michigan State play for the state's bragging rights

By The Associated Press

Michigan Michigan State must decide who's No. 1 in the state.

meet the No. 11 Spartans in a teams are 5-0 overall and 2-0 in the league.

"Back home, this is all everybody is talking about," said Shawn Thompson, the Michigan tight end from and Michigan State fans, so I to tell my children or grand- on the University of Miami,' get an earful both ways when children.' I'm home."

Michigan leads the series 60-

in this state," Michigan State No. 6 Tennessee; North national championship. coach Nick Saban said. "They Carolina at No. 7 Georgia do it in Florida with Florida Tech, No. 8 Florida at LSU; and Florida State. I don't think Kansas at No. 9 Kansas State; for both of us to be powers. It No. 14 Mississippi State at we could have won it. would just mean one great Auburn; Southern Mississippi game every season."

State have met every year No. 20 Wisconsin at No. 25 Hurricanes. But Bowden playoff slump. since 1910 except 1943 and Minnesota; No. 22 Southern thinks Miami coach Butch 1944, when the game was sus- California pended because of World War Oklahoma at No. 23 Texas; Hurricanes to their old form. II. The Wolverines have a 16- and California at No. 24 BYU.

this year," Michigan State overtime.

receiver Gari Scott said. "We about a national champi- We can't let them come into attractions. and our house and beat us again."

That issue will be settled when both were ranked in the play when the Seminoles try passes in the first half, includ-Saturday in East Lansing, AP poll. The higher ranked to extend their 44-game home ing a desperation heave on a ninth straight time under when the No. 3 Wolverines team has won nine of the 11 unbeaten streak. Warrick was botched field-goal attempt, as coach Paul Pasqualoni. Big Ten showdown. Both upset came in 1950 when receiver Laveranues Coles the first game of the season.

this time.

"I plan on living here the

In other Top 25 games, it's No. 19 Miami at No. 1 Florida Iowa; Iowa State at No. 4 at No. 16 East Carolina; No. 17 Michigan and Michigan Purdue at No. 21 Ohio State; ning four straight over the at

9-2 record at East Lansing and On Thursday night, No. 18 said. "To me, Miami is a 4-0 have beaten the Spartans the Syracuse beat Pittsburgh 24- club. They are so close to 17, and Army defeated being undefeated." 'We have to beat Michigan Louisville 59-52 in double

Florida State receiver Peter No. This is just the 12th time the Warrick, a top contender for Pittsburgh 17 intrastate rivals have met the Heisman Trophy, won't games, going 9-1-1. The only indefinitely suspended and Syracuse (5-1, 2-0 Big East) Michigan State won 14-7 in was kicked off the team after they were arrested Thursday Michigan nose tackle Rob on charges they were allowed Renes hopes there is no upset to underpay for clothes at a department store.

I told the kids no matter Saginaw. "In my town, it's rest of my life," Renes said. what distractions are out there, about split between Michigan "That's not something I want we want our full concentration

coach Bobby Bowden said. The Seminoles (5-0) have not lost at home since Miami's 17-26-5, including 6-3 in the State; No. 2 Penn State at 16 victory in 1991. That was the third time in five years "I've always believed that Nebraska; No. 5 Virginia Tech that the Hurricanes ruined we can have two top programs at Rutgers; No. 10° Georgia at Florida State's bid for a

"Miami has beaten us when everything was riding on it,' Bowden said. "They won the it would hurt either program Baylor at No. 13 Texas A&M; national championship when

Florida State has dominated the series in recent years, win-Arizona; Davis has returned the

"They're back," Bowden

Miami (2-2) opened the season with victories over Ohio

At Tallahassee, Fla., the State and Florida A&M before increased their lead to 24-0 on Louisville in the first OT game haven't done it since I got Miami-Florida State game will losing to No. 2 Penn State and Nate Trout's 28-yard field goal for either school. Before either team can think here, so we need this one bad. be missing one of its featured No. 16 East Carolina, both by scores of 27-23.

> 18 Syracuse Troy Nunes threw three TD

won at Pittsburgh (3-2, 1-1).

before Pittsburgh (3-2, 1-1) ralin the final 15 1/2 minutes. Syracuse beat Pitt for the second extra period.

Army 59, Louisville 52, 2OT

Quarterback Joe Gerena Nunes didn't start, but came scored on a 7-yard run in the in and threw his scoring pass- second overtime, and Michael es in less than a quarter to Wallace rushed for a school-The Orangemen touchdowns as Army beat the end zone.

right to be there."

Louisville lied behind backup quarter- Conference USA) overcame a back David Priestley for two 45-17 halftime deficit at West touchdowns and a field goal Point, but came up short against Army (2-3, 1-2) in the

After Gerena scored in the second OT, Louisville started from the Army 25 and gained a first down at the 12. But the drive stalled and, on a fourthand-7 from the 8, Chris Redman's pass was dropped by give Syracuse a 21-0 halftime record 269 yards and four Lavell Boyd near the back of

## After Millwood's gem, Braves are very much alive

The good: Mike Hampton (22-4) pitches in Game 3 of their Kevin Millwood won't be on the mound for the Braves.

The bad: Houston must face Tom Glavine, who was only 14-11 during the regular season, but hasn't lost to the Astros in more than eight years.

The ugly: The Killer B's -Jeff Bagwell and Craig Biggio are mired in a perpetual

With the best-of-5 series tied at a game apiece, Houston manager Larry Dierker can't think of anyone he'd rather have pitching such a critical game than Hampton, one of -the favorites for the Cy Young

"Well, maybe Bob Gibson in

Houston Astros, it comes down "(Hampton) is the most likely to the good, the bad and the guy to be on the mound when we've won."

After winning the Cy Young a vear ago, Glavine has struggled opening-round series against through an up-and-down sea-Atlanta, while one-hit maestro son, with his highest ERA (4.12) since 1990. While it's highly unlikely he'll match Millwood's performance in Game 2 — "I'm not even going to try," Glavine said - the Braves have the right pitcher on the mound under the circumstances.

> After losing his first eight career decisions to the Astros, Glavine has gone 8-0 with a 1.30 ERA in his last 10 regularseason trips to the mound against them. His most recent loss against Houston came on June 25, 1991, by a score of 1-0.

"I have a comfort zone here," Glavine said, gazing around the spacious Astrodome after a light workout Thursday, an off day. "Also, their lineup hasn't

HOUSTON (AP) - For the his prime," Dierker said. changed a whole lot over the course of the last few years. I know these guys and I know what I'm trying to do."

Then again, career records are much like mutual funds: past performance is no guarantee of future success. The Astros proved that in Game 1 by beating Greg Maddux, who had a

19-9 mark against Houston. "All of that is in the past and out the window," Carl Everett said. "Those things don't mean a thing now."

For Game 3, the Killer B's will be reunited with another of their original members, Derek Bell, making his first appearance of the series in right field. Also, Matt Mieske will start in left, providing two more righthanded bats against the lefthanded Glavine.

"It's a good feeling to be back in there," said Bell, who struggled through an injury-plagued

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Cristal Silva, Zackery Cheater, Diamong Cordova, Terry Davis, Bryan Ponder, Nathan Smith, Aleah Noble, Canyon Canalas, Sam Newman, Macaela Anguiano, Cody Brown, Crystal Collis, Bethaney Mosteller, Israel

Woodrow Wilson Elementary School recently

announced its honor roll for the first six weeks

Second Grade

grading period of the 1999-00 school year.

Casanova, Kylee Reel, Michelle Longoria, Erik Hernandez, Anna Hilman, Demetrius Johnson, Ramirez, Justin Carlton, Caylon Edwards, Stephanie Saxour.

Third Grade

Jered Chamberlin, Teddi Cowan, Senecia Cruz, Joshua Fick, Iran Gaytan, Calee Henley, Belinda Saldierna, Scottie Dabbs, Bernardo Casanova, Cassi Denton, Amanda Harkins, Raeghan Jenkins, Cody Newton, Keah Reel, Natalie Santacruz, Tatiana Soto, Jonathan Valdez, Chance Almanza, Stephanie Castellanos, Chelsie Douglas, David Guiterrez, Norman Rodgers. Fourth Grade

Walter Everson, Edgar Hernandez, Matt Arin Dallas, Erica Delgado, Andy Dunn, Edwardo Ulloa, Amber Williams.

Theresa Lamabert, Chelsea Ma, Kaci Maddox, Brenda Marrufo, Trevor Phillips, Cody Ponder, Isela Resendiz, Ryan Rivera, Lidia Salazar, Amy Silva, Kasey Wells.

Krissa Whittley, Carrie Angel, Ashley Bowers, Evelin Castillo, James Cooper, Ashlie Cox, Oscar Cruz, Solomon Cruz, Nick Dudley, Dakota Gowin, Jacob Jenkins, Whitney Jenkins, Nikki Jones, Chris McKenzie, Jerid Oxley, Krystal Ramirez, Bradley Ray, Michael Renteria, Michael Schiffman, Samantha Sutterfield.

Manuel Villagrana, Jamie Welch, J.C. White, Brittany Balay, Kristopher Boyd, Nicholas Day, Heather Addington, Crystal Blanco, Lilly Calixto,

Friday..... Thursday, 4 p.m.

Sunday.....Friday, 12 noon

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Madrid, Jeremy Martinez, Jackie Medley, Kayla Middleton, Sage Neffendorf, Angelica Pena, Josh Pryor, Oscar Recendiz, Carla Romero, Adriana Saldierna, Carizma Soto, Megan Waldrop. Fifth Grade

Megan Addington, Randall Brown, Victor Contreras, Bobby Fowler, Alicia Laycock, Kaley Maddox, Ashley Martinez, Ashton Ray, Donna Solis, Alex Torres, Abby Weaver, Geneva Wildcat, Jonathon Edwards, Shaunna Gray, Krista Hendrickson, Nikki Marcum, Justin Oxley, Justin Sealman, Cassy Tice, Matthew Trusty, Ruth Avida, Johnny Carver, Francisco Conde, Alba Jimenez, Kenzi Nickell, Colby Stevens, Tasha Tripplett, John



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A) Louis W. Tarpley Es-

tate: Request for the ap-proval of a variance of the

landscaping requirements of Ordinance 1329.

viding for the minimum

landscaping requirements. The Public is encouraged

Public comments on the

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WITHIN AND OUTSIDE

BE IT ORDAINED BY

THE CITY OF PAMPA,

Section 1.

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"(a) The sewer rates per

month to be charged and

rate limits of the city from

all customers obtaining

service from such system

(1) Residential and Com-

mercial (minimum bill)-

(\$0.10 of said minimum

(2) Volume charge per

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two, or single family

three, as provided under

Ordinance No. 690 (Ap-

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(b) The sewer rates per

ers outside the corporate

limits of the city obtaining

service from such system

(1) Residential and Com-

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shall be allocated to fund

(2) Volume charge per

000 gallons or part

thereof over and above the

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Section 2

The rates provided for un-der this Ordinance shall

become effective on the

first billing date after the

Nothing in this Ordinance.

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CITY OF PAMPA, TEXAS By: Robert L. Neslage, Construction, 665-0447. Oct. 1, 8, 1999

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Betty Gordon, left, greets State Rep. Warren Chisum as Gaye Guillani lookss on. Chisum was in Pampa Thursday to announce his re-election bid for the Texas House of Representatives.

## Countdown clocks pulled

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) -Time flies, and that can be a bad

Watching digital clocks at post offices ticking off the days, hours, minutes and seconds to Jan. 1, 2000 in big red numbers has been a source of complaints to cus-

'We had a few people saying that it bothers them - that they see their life going before them," Colleyville, told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. "They were in a hurry anyway. They didn't need

ing the order to remove the clocks after they were linked to a decline in customer satisfaction as measured in surveys, said Stephen Seewoester, a Fort Worth district spokesman.

three weeks ago at about 100 post offices in North Texas.

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tomer service counters.

Jackie Beall, postmaster at the U.S. Postal Service station in the reminder.' So officials wasted no time giv-

The removals began about



"Teel gets us focused," Swinford said. "We have to give him credit." LAWMAKERS Our delegation is unique," Bivins said. "Not trict the state. West Texas will begin the next session with 16 members but will end it with only 14

only do we work well together, we like each other." The trio was to end their tour of the panhandle because of population shifts from rural parts of the with a press conference at 5:30 p.m. Thursday at the Big Texan Steak Ranch in Amarillo. "I am traveling with these guys," Bivins said, because I want the team to stay together."

The Republican team is something this area should be proud of," said Tom Mechler, chairman of the Gray County Republican Party, at the re-elec-

## Bivens talks about interest in Lt. Governor's position

Pampa's state senator is interested in moving up the political ladder.

Swinford said Bivins had established the prece-

dent of hosting a weekly meeting with the panhan-

Texas Sen. Teel Bivins said Thursday during a campaign stop over for State Rep. Warren Chisum that he would be interested in being the next lieutenant governor for the Lone Star State.

With Gov. George W. Bush running for President, Lt. Gov. Rick Perry would become governor if Bush wins the national election for the White House. The Texas Senate would then select one of their number to replace Perry as the presiding officer of the sen-

"You can't serve in the Texas Senate," Bivins said, without wanting to be lieutenant governor."

The lieutenant governor's position as the president of the senate is arguably the most powerful elected office in state government. It will be particularly important during the next legislative session, scheduled for 2001, because the state's electoral boundaries will be redrawn.

Recent polls, Bivins admitted, indicated that his name was one of those most often mentioned by his fellow senators for the position.

"I think there is a chance that could happen," Bivins said.

While he said he is not actively pursuing the lieutenant governor's job, he said that he may be in the right place at the right time.

Which ever senator that is selected by his peers to be the presiding officer of the upper chamber would serve until the next general election.

Bivins indicated that if he were named to head the senate, he would consider running for lieutenant governor in 2002.

While he did not rule out running for governor, Bivins did say that it was likely that if Bush were elected president and Rick Perry moved into the governor's mansion, Perry would most likely run for governor in 2002.

"I would not run against Rick Perry," Bivins said.



David Fatheree visits with State Sen. Teel Bivins Thursday afternoon at Pampa's air terminal. Bivins, who was in town for Warren Chisum's re-election bid announcement, said he would like to be lieutenant governor.

#### Parents thought arrests they are cautiously optimistic the girls killed. would never come

AUSTIN (AP) - Relieved of arrests after an eight-year murder investigation, parents of the four girls slain in the city's noto-rious yogurt shop killings say.

that the case is drawing to a

'We don't want to have the wrong people. We don't want anybody railroaded," said Barbara Ayres, mother of two of

The victims' parents told reporters Thursday that in the years after the Dec. 6, 1991 killings, they started to believe the crimes would never be solved.

"One day, whoever did it would probably have to answer for it but we wouldn't know about it," said Pam Ayers, whose 13-year-old daughter, Amy, was among the victims.

"I don't think it will be real to me until we actually see the men and have an indictment in the

After chasing thousands of leads for years, police arrested four suspects Wednesday.

All have been charged with capital murder in the deaths of Miss Ayers; Eliza Hope Thomas, 17; and sisters Jennifer Harbison, 17, and Sarah Harbison, 15.

Each girl was shot in the head at the I Can't Believe It's Yogurt! store where Miss Thomas and Jennifer Harbison worked. Afterward, the store was set on

#### Threats prompt tight security at singer's trial

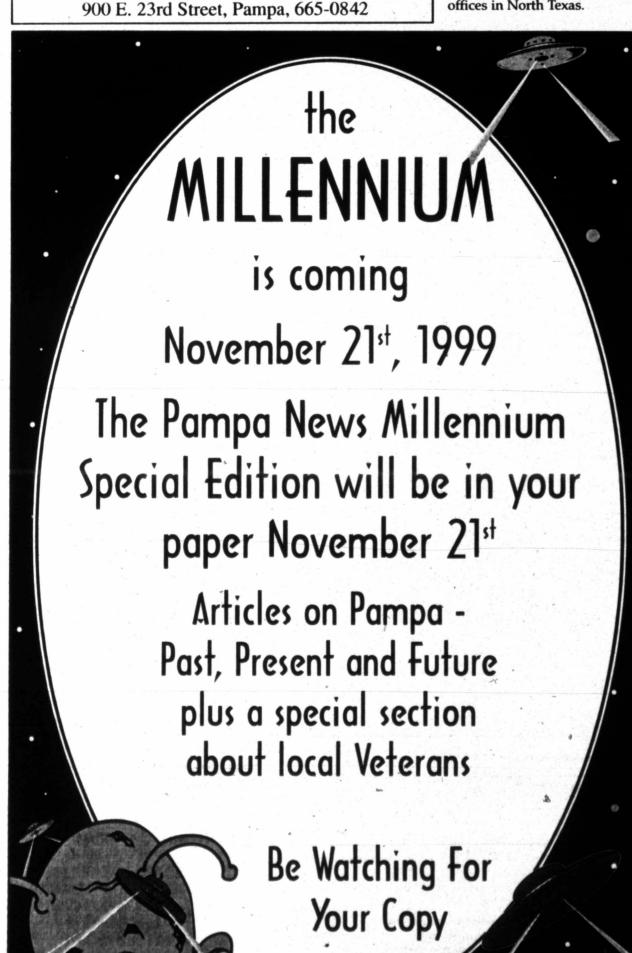
UVALDE, Texas (AP) — Texas Rangers and Uvalde County sheriff's deputies are, keeping security tight at the courthouse where country singer Johnny Rodriguez is on trial for murder.

Extra safety measures were planned anyway. But officers have been especially careful after an alleged death threat to Rodriguez by a man connected to the case, Uvalde County Sheriff Watkins Beaumont Thursday.

"He said he felt like Johnny was probably going to walk on this deal, that he would take Johnny's life," Watkins said.

The man is an uncle of Israel Bosco" Borrego, the man shot to death Aug. 29, 1998, at the home of Rodriguez's mother in nearby Sabinal, the sheriff said.

Rodriguez, 47, is on trial for Borrego's murder and could face life in prison if convicted.





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