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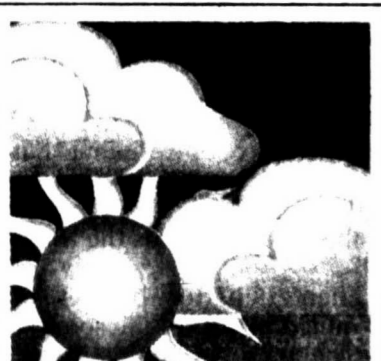
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**HOUSTON (AP)** — A Texas farmer is making contacts in Cuba — even visiting the island — in hopes of cultivating a market for his rice, soybeans and corn.

But despite the interest of Cubans he met there, Curt Mowery is unlikely to sell even one grain of rice from his farm to Cuba for a while — that because of a nearly 40-year U.S. trade embargo with the communist country.

So Mowery, along with several dozen other Texans, is pushing Congress to open trade with Cuba.

"It's going to open up sooner or later, and we might be in a position to take advantage of the contacts we made there," Mowery said.

To Mowery, Cuba's market of 112 million residents and a booming tourist sector is worth courting because it could mean the difference between profits and losses for rice farmers. Cubans consume 600,000 tons of rice annually, but the island can produce only 200,000 tons, he said.

**SAN ANGELO (AP)** — A federal jury convicted a 56-year-old Santa Anna man on four counts of child pornography on Friday.

Prosecutors said Robert B. Runyan hired girls for odd jobs and eventually manipulated them with drugs and alcohol to pose for pornographic photos.

Law officers who searched his home last year found over 13,000 images of child pornography and other evidence.

- Rosa Marie Bradley, 92, former beauty operator.
- Harold J. Frost, 73, retired truck driver.
- Thelma 'Jean' Johnson, 72, co-owner Bill's Custom Campers.
- Fannie L. Whitten, 92, homemaker, retired farmer.

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## New well plug rules proposed for oil industry

Area oil industry officials expect a compromise within the next couple of months on an environmentally friendly proposal by Texas Railroad Commissioner Tony Garza and the oil industry concerning abandoned wells.

Earlier this month, Garza proposed new rules to force oil and gas companies to plug most of their open, unused wells after a year. Garza, at the commission's meeting, called for an immediate scaling back of unlimited well plugging extensions. Michael Williams, chairman of the Railroad Commission which regulates the oil and gas industry in the state, referred the proposal to a committee for further study.

Rules now allow companies to keep their wells open indefinitely if they pay a \$100 fee. Garza's proposal would give companies one year to plug abandoned wells.

**In reality, according to Pampa area oilmen, a well that is inactive for more than three years, probably isn't going to go back into production anyway.**

Near the end of the life of a well (when it gets to the point it produces 1.8 barrels or less per month), a producer usually files a cessation of production report. That is normally followed within 90 days, under Railroad Commission rules, by a plug and abandonment report.

However, if the producer has reason to think that at some point in the future the well may again be profitable, he can pay a \$100 fee and file what is essentially an indefinite extension.  
(See WELLS, Page 2)

## Jobless rate holds

The latest employment picture for Pampa and Gray County show little change during March as compared to the numbers issued by the Texas Workforce Commission in February.

Pampa's rate remained at a 5.5 percent jobless count while in the county the jobless number dropped from 5.7 percent to 5.6 percent.

Those counts are higher than the statewide seasonally adjusted average which showed 4.6 percent of the job-seeking workforce without work during March. The number was 4.5 percent in February.

Despite the increase in the unemployment rate, the raw figures showed the number of employed Texans grew by 33,300, from 9.83 million in February to 9.86 million in March.

Statewide, the service industry led all sectors in job creations, adding 13,300 jobs in March and more than 71,000 during the past year.

Construction added 2,300 jobs in March, although down from the 6,100 new construction jobs in February. More than 80 percent of the jobs were in the home-building industry, the commission reported.

Employment by the federal government increased by 4,300 in March, the largest monthly increase since May 1990. Hiring by the U.S. Census accounted for most of the gain.

The state's highest jobless rate, 14.4 percent, was recorded in McAllen-Edinburg-Mission. The lowest reported rate was in Bryan-College Station with 1.6 percent.

Other rates include Dallas, 3.1; El Paso, 8.4; Fort Worth-Arlington, 3.1; Lubbock, 3.0; Wichita Falls, 4.6; and Odessa-Midland, 6.4.

## Energy experts to speak

**AMARILLO** — Two experts in the energy field are scheduled to speak at the Panhandle Producers and Royalty Owners Association's annual convention next month.

Ned Leonard, assistant general manager of the Western Fuels Association, will talk about global warming myths and how they affect national policy, and John Cochener, principal analyst for resource evaluation of the Gas Research Institute will speak about the future of natural gas as the preferred fuel of electrical generators and large industrial operations.

Leonard is scheduled to speak during the morning session Wednesday, May 3. Cochener will be the speaker at PPROA's luncheon Wednesday.

## Tint meter check



(Pampa News photo by David Bowser)

Pampa Police Officers Tony Wooley and Cory Powell try out tint meter on a pickup outside the police station. The new device measures the density of tinted windows, indicating whether or not they are within the legal standards set by state law.

## Tinted windows Are yours shaded too dark?

Police will soon be testing tinted windows on vehicles in Pampa.

Each shift of the Pampa Police Department now has a tint meter, a small, hand-held device that can read the density of tinted windows.

Under Texas law, only 35 percent of the light can be blocked on the driver's and passenger windows.

"The back windows can be as dark as they want," said Officer Cory Powell.

Powell said that some people are getting limousine tinting on all their windows.

"People will get a dark tint so we can't see them," Powell said.

Police said they have noticed an increase in darkness of the windows on cars involved in recent drug cases.

The new device, provided by funding through District Attorney John Mann's office, will allow police to test the light transmission capabilities of vehicles to see if they meet state standards. The tint meter gives a digital read out of the percent of light that is passing through the window.

Tinted windows must also carry a Department of Public Safety certification sticker noting that the tinting meets state standards.

## Lawsuit filed in dog attack

By KATE B. DICKSON  
Associate Publisher

A damage suit has been filed in JP Court by the owner of a miniature horse that was attacked earlier this week by two pit bull dogs.

Filed Thursday in Precinct 2, Place 1, Sheryl Lester's suit against Nicholas Brookshire seeks an unspecified amount of damages in connection with the April 16 incident that resulted in numerous stitches having to be taken in the stallion's face.

Lester is represented by attorney John Mann. The suit describes the dogs as "wild and vicious" animals that attacked the horse without provocation causing bites and lacerations that resulted in a \$125 vet bill.

The suit says Brookshire "was negligent in failing to keep his dogs contained or confined in an appropriate enclosure ..."

No date has been set for the hearing of the suit.

Shortly after the incident, Lester told The Pampa News she wants to see the dogs destroyed and plans to spearhead a drive for stricter laws regarding "vicious" animals.

"I told the boy that his dogs were dead, legally or whatever, but his dogs were dead," said the owner of the 38-inch-tall horse known as H.E.

According to Municipal Court records, Brookshire, 533 Doyle, received four citations in connection with the attack. Two were for animals at large and two were for failure to display rabies tags.

## Sunday snapshot

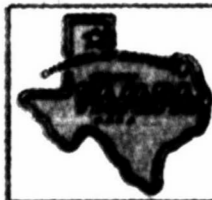


**Name:** Ruby Caviness.  
**Occupation/activities:** Housewife.  
**Birth date and place:** April 18, 1934, Paris, Texas.

**Family:** Britton.  
**If I had a different job, I'd be a:** Interior decorator.  
**My personal hero:** My husband, Al.  
**The best advice I ever got was:** Don't start something and leave it for someone else to finish.  
**People who knew me in high school:** Popular.  
**The best word or words to describe me:** Strong-willed and determined.  
**People will remember me as being:** Unpredictable.  
**The four guests at my fantasy dinner party would be:** Barbara Bush, Peter Jennings, Rush Limbaugh and Arnold.  
**My hobbies are:** Gardening, cooking, music, poetry.  
**My favorite sports team is:**

Miami Dolphins.  
**My favorite author is:** Bronte.  
**The last book I read was:** "Wuthering Heights."  
**My favorite possession is:** A set of reindeer and sleigh made by my granddaughter and my heart collection by both granddaughters.  
**The biggest honor I've ever received is:** One of my songs being recorded.  
**My favorite performer is:** Charles Bronson.  
**I wish I knew how to:** Knit and roller-skate.  
**My trademark cliché or expression is:** "Go ahead and fall — then you can get up."  
**My worst habit is:** Expecting too much of others.  
**I would never:** Pretend to like bad behavior.  
**The last good movie I saw was:** "Field of Dreams."  
**I stay home to watch:** I haven't done that yet.  
**Nobody knows:** I have parallel parked.  
**Someday I want to drive a:** A small sports car.  
**My favorite junk food is:** Potato chips.  
**My favorite beverage:** Raspberry iced tea.  
**My favorite restaurant is:** Lone Star in Borger.  
**My favorite pet:** Rami, Crush and Tisha, my dog and two cats.  
**My favorite meal is:** Mexican food.  
**I wish I could sing like:** I'm happy with my own singing.  
**I'm happiest when I'm:** With my family.  
**I regret:** Not being closer to

people I love.  
**I'm tired of:** Politicians.  
**My biggest fear is:** Not doing all I can for others.  
**The electrical device I couldn't live without is:** My coffee pot.  
**My most embarrassing moment:** Eating excessively.  
**The biggest waste of time is:** Worrying.  
**If I won the lottery, the most extravagant thing I would do is:** Pay all the kids' bills and go to a place in Utah for a vacation.  
**If I had three wishes they would be:** Be responsible; take charge of my life; be happy about all my blessings.  
**If I could change one thing about Pampa, it would be:** The water.



From The Board And Staff Of The Pampa Chamber Of Commerce  
Have A Safe And Happy Easter!!



# Daily Record

## Obituaries

### ROSA MARIE BRADLEY

SHAMROCK — Rosa Marie Bradley, 92, died Thursday, April 20, 2000. Services were Saturday in the Assembly of God Church with the Rev. Jerad Middaugh of Shamrock officiating. Burial was in Shamrock Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Directors of Shamrock.

Mrs. Bradley married Rubert Miles Bradley on March 7, 1925, at Shamrock; he died in 1984. The couple moved to Tulia in 1954 and later to Farwell. In 1973, following retirement, they returned to Shamrock. She was a beauty operator and belonged to First Assembly of God Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Alcidine Bradley of Shamrock; a son, Dale Bradley of Lubbock; two sisters, Olga Neagle and Pauline Waits, both of Lubbock; four brothers, Henry Weiss of Portland, Lewis Weiss of Paris and Otto Weiss and George Weiss, both of Amarillo; two grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

### HAROLD J. FROST

SPEARMAN — Harold J. Frost, 73, a former Pampa resident, died Thursday, April 20, 2000. Graveside services were Saturday in Hansford Cemetery with the Rev. Ken Cole officiating. Burial was under the direction of Boxwell Brothers Funeral Directors of Spearman.

Mr. Frost was born at Yale, Okla. He married Joyce Keetch in 1972 at Spearman. He had been a Spearman area resident for 41 years, moving from Pampa. He was a truck driver with Baker and Taylor Drilling Company from 1959 until retiring in 1986.

Survivors include his wife, Joyce; two daughters, Stacia and Justice; a stepdaughter, Tracie Burcham of Sublette, Kan.; a stepson, Robin Keetch of Perryton; two sisters, Betty Kindle of Fritch and Norma Jean Ellis of Pampa; four brothers, Bill Frost of Roswell, N.M., Larry Frost and H.E. Ward, both of San Marcos, and Norman Frost of El Dorado, Kan.; a stepmother, Nora Duncan of Fritch; and six grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Spearman Church of Christ Children's Home in care of Church of Christ, 121 S. Haney, Spearman, TX 79081.

### THELMA 'JEAN' JOHNSON

Thelma "Jean" Johnson, 72, of Pampa, died Thursday, April 20, 2000, at Amarillo. Services will be at 2 p.m. Monday in Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of Christ with Tim Walker, minister, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mrs. Johnson was born July 23, 1927, at Borger. She had been a Pampa resident since 1945. She married Billy Joe Johnson on Jan. 4, 1947, at Pampa. She co-owned Bill's Custom Campers and belonged to the Church of Christ.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Kenneth Dewayne Casity, in 1942.

Survivors include her husband, Billy Joe, of the home; a daughter and son-in-law, Brenda and Fred Founteno of San Angelo; three sons and daughters-in-law, Jimmy and Elizabeth Johnson and Jody and Vicki Johnson, all of Pampa, and Gale and Alice Martin of Midland; two brothers and sisters-in-law, Roy and Kate Casity of Stockton, Calif., and Alvin and Florene Casity of Smartsville, Calif.; 12 grandchildren, Bret Martin, Dawnya Tomlinson, Alicia Jeter, Jimmy Craig Johnson, Misti Dawn Johnson, Angela Porter, Amy Sutherland, Sabrina Johnson, Stacey Johnson, Bradley Johnson, Tiffany Martin and Ethan Founteno; and seven great-grandchildren, Tyler Tomlinson, Julie Jeter, Kayla Jeter, Allyson Jeter, Austin Johnson, Jordyn Johnson and Bradey Porter.

The family requests memorials to a favorite charity.

### FANNIE L. WHITTEN

AMARILLO — Fannie L. Whitten, 92, a former Mobeetie resident, died Wednesday, April 19, 2000. Graveside services were Saturday in Carey Cemetery at Carey with the Rev. Randy Wilson, pastor of First Baptist Church of Carey, officiating. Burial was under the direction of Rector Funeral Home of Amarillo.

Mrs. Whitten was born at Quitman. She married Earl H. Whitten in 1932 at Carey; he died in 1982. The couple farmed at Carey prior to moving to Mobeetie in 1958. She had been an Amarillo resident since 1982. She was a homemaker and formerly belonged to First Baptist Church of Carey and to First Baptist Church of Mobeetie.

Survivors include three sons, Earl F. Whitten of Bovina, Joe T. Whitten of Amarillo and Billy G. Whitten of San Antonio; four grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

## Services tomorrow

JOHNSON, Thelma "Jean" — 2 p.m., Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of Christ, Pampa.

## Police report

The Pampa Police Department made the following arrest and calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Saturday.

### Friday, April 21

James Daniel Ketchum, 41, 212 W. McCullough, robbery, expired registration, no motor vehicle insurance.

A (strong arm) robbery was reported at Wal-Mart when a shoplifter pushed an employee during the theft of two spark plugs, an air-conditioner compressor coupler and an air-conditioner air filter. The total value of the items is \$21.85.

A simple assault/domestic was reported in the 1000 block of Mary Ellen where a woman said she was pushed into a glass window.

## Sheriff's Office

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

### Friday, April 21

Teresa Hope Haddock, 46, 1916 S. Barnes, public intoxication.

## Fires

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

### Friday, April 21

7:51 a.m. - Two units and five personnel responded to a motor vehicle accident on Highway 152 east of Pampa.

9:53 a.m. - One unit and three personnel responded to Brown and Huff on a motor vehicle accident.

1:19 p.m. - One unit and two personnel washed down a hazardous material spill in the 700 block of North Frost.

5:41 p.m. - One unit and three personnel responded to a motor vehicle accident at Hobart and Kentucky.

## Emergency numbers

Ambulance.....	911
Crime Stoppers.....	669-2222
Energas.....	1-888-Energas
Fire.....	911
Police (emergency).....	911
Police (non-emergency).....	669-5700
SPS.....	1-800-750-2520
Water.....	669-5830

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## WELLS

leaving the well open. Under the present rules, the operator has to assure the Railroad Commission that the mechanical integrity is remaining intact; that is, there is nothing in the well bore that can leak into an underground aquifer or into another producing zone of oil or gas.

Ranchers and environmentalists say open wells pose a threat to the state's ground water.

In reality, according to Pampa area oilmen, a well that is inactive for more than three years, probably isn't going to go back into production anyway.

Railroad Commissioner Charles Matthews complained that Garza's proposed changes to the rules governing the abandonment of wells was made through the news media rather than to the commission.

Matthews called for further study, saying the oil and gas industry hasn't had time to study the proposals. Matthews said Garza's recommendation would hurt the industry's ability to hold a well open until it was economically feasible to produce from it.

In other parts of the state, when a well gets to the point it should be abandoned and plugged, rogue producers have walked away from the situation, claiming they couldn't afford to plug the well. This

leaves the Railroad Commission to plug abandoned wells.

Garza has expressed concern that unlimited permitting would create a drain on the commission's Oil Field Cleanup Fund.

While Garza has in the past said such a situation puts tax money at risk, local producers said the money used by the commission to plug abandoned wells comes, not from tax money, but from industry generated fees.

"We end up picking up the tab for bad actors," Wayne Hughes, head of the Panhandle Producers and Royalty Owners Association, said. "Bad actors cause our fees to go up."

The program in which well can be kept open indefinitely covers some 15,600 wells across the state. Almost 6,500 of them are unplugged after five years.

"Commission inaction has resulted in close scrutiny of the program and calls for real substantive changes," Garza said. "That's why I asked my colleagues to take immediate action and encouraged them to have the courage to show real leadership by joining me in moving toward a responsible solution of this program."

Local producers said this week that they expect some sort of compromise proposal on the issue to come out of William's office in late May.

# In Little Havana, a surprise raid and tears in the crowd

(See related story on Page 5)

MIAMI (AP) — Some threw rocks and shouted in anger. Others waved signs and flags — Cuban and upside-down American ones. One man stalked through the crowd with a baby doll pinned to a cross, fake blood streaming from its hands.

Across Elian Gonzalez's Little Havana neighborhood today, hundreds of Cuban Americans poured into the streets, denouncing the government for snatching the 6-year-old from his great-uncle's house on the day before Easter.

"This is like crucifying the Messiah all over again. This is a slap in the face to the Cuban-American community and the Christian community," said Ralph Anrrich, a social worker helping the family at the house, where more than 500 people had massed by midmorning.

On one street, a debris fire burned. Some protesters marched onto Route 836, a main highway, slowing traffic. Others threw rocks, one smashing the rear window of a police car. Still others stood around in small groups and talked quietly.

Within hours of the pre-dawn raid, police in riot gear faced off with the crowd. They blocked off 35 square blocks of the neighborhood around the house, even barring residents from their homes.

"They broke through my window and put a gun to Elian's head. This is not freedom, putting a gun to a 6-year-old's head," Marisleyis Gonzalez, Elian's cousin, screamed to the crowd gathered outside her home.

The government appeared to catch the family completely off guard. Vans screeched to a halt outside the modest stucco house just after 5 a.m., and agents battered down the door and poured inside.

The boy covered in a bedroom closet as an agent in riot gear pointed a huge automatic rifle and barked demands. A crowd of supporters waited outside, anxious to find out what was happening.

"They took this kid like a hostage in the nighttime," said Donato Dalrymple, the fisherman who rescued Elian on Thanksgiving Day and held the child in his arms inside Lazaro Gonzalez's house during the raid.

## Report: Federal agents didn't fire at Branch Davidians

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Federal agents did not fire at Branch Davidians in the 1993 siege that ended in a deadly blaze at the group's compound in Waco, Texas, according to a preliminary report from last month's simulation of the confrontation.

Vector Data Systems, the firm that conducted the simulation, provided the written report to U.S. District Judge Walter S. Smith Jr. earlier this month. The test was performed March 19 in Fort Hood,

Texas.

Vector found that flashes produced by sunlight reflecting off debris were considerably longer in duration than flashes produced by gunfire, the St. Louis Post-Dispatch reported Saturday.

That finding would support the government's claim that similar flashes seen on a 1993 infrared tape were the result of sunlight reflecting off debris from the crumbling complex, not gunfire.

# Sheriff: Definitive evidence links man to nine slayings

SPOKANE, Wash. (AP) — An alleged serial killer has been definitively linked by DNA and other physical evidence to the slayings of nine women and authorities say that total is expected to climb to 12.

Further lab tests are expected to tie Robert Lee Yates Jr. to the slayings of three other women shot to death from 1996 to 1998, Sheriff Mark Sterk said Friday.

"The evidence here is growing stronger and stronger," Sterk said.

Additional charges are expected to be filed after more precise DNA tests are completed in a few days and police reports are available, authorities said.

"We don't have to rush through it," county prosecutor Steve Tucker said.

Investigators today planned to continue searching the home of Yates, a 47-year-old father of five, located in an upper middle-class neighborhood in this eastern Washington city.

Sheriff's spokesman Dave Reagan described the house as "not neat" — the disruption perhaps caused by the family's abrupt eviction Tuesday morning by deputies.

Family members are staying in a motel while their home is searched, and have refused to talk with reporters. They aren't likely to be allowed back in for months, Reagan said.

On Friday, Yates had a jailhouse visit from his wife, Linda, their first contact since his arrest Tuesday, Sterk said.

Yates, an aluminum smelter and Army National Guard helicopter pilot, so far has been charged with first-degree murder in just one death, that of 16-year-old Jennifer Joseph in 1997.

Investigators also are looking for possible links to Yates in six other killings in Washington dating to 1990, Sterk said. In all cases, the victims were involved in prostitution, drugs, or both.

All victims had been shot, with most of the bodies dumped in remote areas on the edge of this city of 189,000 people.

Investigators have not offered a motive in the killings.

Yates' lawyer, Richard Fasy, said Friday he could not yet comment on the allegations and had spoken to his client just once in jail, and only briefly.

Yates is being held in lieu of \$1.5 million cash-only bond at the Spokane County Jail.

## Forecaster sees coming decades of severe hurricanes

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — An analysis of weather patterns over the past century indicates that increased storm activity over the last five years should continue for the next 20, a top hurricane forecaster says.

Such storms are expected to cause damage five to 10 times worse than ever before in the Gulf and Atlantic Coast states, said Bill Gray, who spoke Friday on the final day of the National Hurricane Conference.

The next 15 to 20 years should resemble a stretch of hurricane bombardment from the late 1920s through the 1940s, when relatively high salt

content in the Atlantic altered the circulation of ocean currents in a way that pushed up the average water temperature. Hurricanes draw their strength from warm water.

The trend is cyclical, and has nothing to do with pollution blamed for global warming, Gray said.

"There's tremendous ignorance about how these storms go," he said. "We need to learn about this, expect it to happen and adapt our infrastructure."

One of the main differences between now and the first half of the 20th century is that more people now live in harm's way, Gray said.

## City Briefs

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Weather focus  
Variable clouds today with a

chance of showers early. A high of 75 and winds from the north at 25 mph and gusting. Tonight's low 46. Tomorrow, a chance of storms late and a high of 74. The Saturday morning low was 52.





A seriously injured Texas Panhandle woman represented by Amarillo Attorney Jack Hazlewood and his Dallas Co-Counsel awarded \$8.2 million Jury Verdict in Products Liability lawsuit against major automobile manufacturer (Case No. 93-10141, 116th District Court, Dallas County). Results obtained depend on the facts of each case.

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## Museum Mementos

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# History of Pampa High school song

For 70 years, Pampa High School students have been singing the school song, "Dear Old Pampa High School," but many do not know its history. The words were written about 1930 by R.B. Fisher, superintendent of Pampa schools at that time.

The school song is sung to the melody of the chorus of "Let Me Call You Sweetheart," words by Beth Slater Whitson and music by Leo Friedman. Published in 1910, the song became an all-time hit and was the sure-fire opening for almost any community singing group for many years.

Ruth Greene remembered that the pep squad approved the selection of "Dear Old Pampa High School" as the school song. Several Pampans remember an assembly in the new gymnasium (corner North Cuyler and West Browning) when copies of the song were distributed and Superintendent Fisher sang it for the student body. The words appeared in the Harvester

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(high school annual) for the first time in 1931. Roy B. Fisher received the A.B. degree from Northwestern Teachers' College in Alva, Okla., in 1924 and was superintendent of schools in Cherokee, Okla., for two years before he came to Pampa in August of 1927. For two years, he was principal of the high school, taught algebra classes and did his own secretarial work. He was promoted to superintendent of schools for the year 1929-30 and continued in that capacity until January 1938 when he resigned to become superintendent of schools in Corpus Christi, Texas, on Feb. 1, 1938.

Fisher received the master of arts degree from Columbia University in 1933 and made an educational tour of Europe in the summer of 1935. In 1937, Pampa teachers presented him with a life membership in the National Education Association. He was a member of Phi Delta Kappa and Phi Beta Sigma, educational fraternities, and he was a Mason, president of the Lions Club and a member of the Methodist Church where he directed the choir for several years. Fisher and his wife Gertrude lived at 806 N. Somerville for several years before they built the house at 900 N. Somerville.

At the beginning of Fisher's first year in Pampa, there were 40 teachers and 1,629 students in the whole system. When he left in 1938, there were 125 teachers and 3,500 students.

He came before the east and west wings were added to the high school building at 126 W. Francis. Woodrow



(Special photo)

This picture of R.B. Fisher is in the 1930 Harvester that honored him "because of his efficiency, first as High School Principal and then as Superintendent and because of his enthusiasm, interest in the students, and his cooperation in the publication of the 1930 Harvester."

Wilson had not been built, but B.M. Baker and Horace Mann were under construction. High school athletes were playing basketball on the grounds of the future courthouse and football on the old airport grounds (LeFors Street at the northeast corner of Twiford). Fisher had a great deal to do with the planning of the

auditorium of the beautiful new high school building at 111 E. Harvester.

The entire curriculum of the Pampa schools was completely revised several times while Fisher was superintendent and the 12-year grade system was installed. His primary consideration in planning the curriculum was finding better ways with which to improve the personalities of the students.

He inaugurated physical education, art and socialized recitations into the Pampa school system. L.L. Sone, high school principal who succeeded Fisher as superintendent, said, "Mr. Fisher has welded together the efforts of the entire faculty and has gained loyal support from every individual. His motto has always been, 'Be happy in your work.' One among many outstanding things that he has done is that of promoting music in the system through the bands and glee clubs. He has pioneered the field of band work in the elementary schools."

Underneath his picture in the 1937 Harvester, this caption appears: "R. B. Fisher, our superintendent, who gives to his administration of the Pampa Public Schools the viewpoint of a scholar, a man of practical experience, and an idealist."

(The research of John Mead at Lovett Memorial Library is greatly appreciated).

The first appearance of "Dear Old Pampa High School" in the Harvester was in 1931.

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8:00-11:50 AM	M/W	Cosc	1301	01	Computer Apps I	3	Buckhaults
	TBA	Dev	M00	02	Developmental Math		Buckhaults
	TBA	Dev	N00	01	Need TASP Scores SEE		Reeve
	TBA	Dev	R00	02	Self-Paced Reading		Wesson-Martin
	TBA	Engl	0308	01	Preparatory English	3	Thompson
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8:00-11:50 AM	T/TH	Engl	1301	02	Eng Comp/Rhetoric I	3	Haynes
8:00-11:50 AM	M/W	Engl	1302	01	Eng Comp/Rhetoric II	3	Thompson
6:00-9:50 PM	T/TH	Engl	2333	01	World Literature II	3	Scoggin
1:00-4:50 PM	T/TH	Govt	2301	01	US & TX Constitution	3	Jeffrey
6:00-9:50 PM	T/TH	Govt	2302	01	US & TX Government	3	Jeffrey
8:00-11:50 AM	M/W	Hist	1301	01	U.S. History To 1865	3	Williams
6:00-9:50 PM	M/W	Hist	1301	02	U.S. History To 1865	3	Williams
6:00-9:50 PM	T/TH	Hist	1302	01	U.S. Hist To Present	3	Rapstine
1:00-4:50 PM	M/W	Math	0308	01	Intermediate Algebra	3	Buckhaults
6:00-9:50 PM	M/W	Math	1314	01	College Algebra	3	Buckhaults
1:00-4:50 PM	T/TH	Math	2313	01	Calculus I	3	Buckhaults
9:30-11:00 AM	M/W	Mchn	1413	01	Basic Milling Oper.	4	Grant
8:00-9:30 AM	M/W	Mchn	1435	01	Grinders Surface	4	Grant
1:00-4:50 PM	W	PHED	1110	01	Golf	1	Teichmann
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Paying taxes isn't my idea of fun

Once, a friend of mine who is more conservative than I am got mad at me and said he knew that I like to pay taxes.

Well, not exactly. He's the same one who bellowed about folks not working and pointed to some particular types of people. He said they needed to get a job. Since he was in a management/hiring position, I asked him how many of them he was willing to hire.

You can figure out the answer. I digressed.

Like most of you, I pay my taxes faithfully and honestly every year or every quarter ... and it's not the most fun thing I do. Though, I must say, not having to pay state income tax has been an ok deal since living in Texas. That's pretty cool.

And while tax paying isn't my favorite thing, I am not looking for some big tax cut, either. Besides, who do you know, except the very rich or very poor, who ever got a break when there has been a tax cut? And realistically, when tax cuts are made at the federal level, states, counties and local governments get hurt and they have to go up on taxes and/or fees. So what's really accomplished anyway?

Even if the middle class does by chance get a break, what's \$30, or \$50 or even \$150 less in the whole scheme of things?

Right now there's this projected budget sur-



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plus hopefully in our future and the Republicans, including presidential nominee-in-waiting George W. Bush, are anxious to squander it on election-year tax cuts. Tax cuts that are too high to be prudent given the fact the surplus is a projection and given the Social Security and Medicare needs that should be taken care of first.

In reality, Treasury Secretary Lawrence Summers pointed last week to statistics showing that millions of middle-class Americans pay a lower percentage of their earnings in federal income and payroll taxes than at any time since at least the mid-1970s. Although tax collections as a percentage of U.S. gross domestic product are at a post-World War II high, Summers said that is driven by higher overall incomes, including money made in the stock market.

After watching part of a Frontline show last week on global warming and screwed up weather,

frankly I'm a lot more worried about our environment than I am getting a tax cut.

The show made me think about a recent conversation I had with one of my other mothers. Miss Carolyn and Mr. Larry Joe have four sons with whom I grew up, went to school and church with, rode horses with and baby sat the two youngest.

Two of the boys are going to farm land this year that my mother has an interest in. And for any of you farmers, you know how frightening it is these bad days to be a family farmer. Low prices, high costs. In 30 years of receiving income from that land, last year my mother got less money than she ever has ... and we aren't talking about adjusted for inflation dollars, either.

One of the 'boys,' Larry, told me a few years ago that when he was a child he always got excited in the spring when he heard the tractors crank. Now, he says, hearing them makes his stomach hurt.

It used to be, Miss Carolyn said, that her husband readied the ground, planted the crops, plowed and chopped, sprayed, etc., got rain about when it was needed, harvested the crops then did it all again the next year. And did it all while raising a family and without having to borrow money on which to farm.

"... But that was before all this crazy weather," she said.

Opinion

Animal control laws need teeth

In the wake of the latest dog attack — this time two pit bulls maimed a 300-pound miniature horse — city and county officials need to take a look at putting more teeth into animal control laws.

It may be that additional laws, addressing breeds of dogs that have a propensity for being vicious, are needed to keep not only our pets safe, but ourselves and our children, too.

The dog attack on the little horse follows an attack not too long ago in which coyote-killing greyhounds were set free on private property — an act that resulted in the killing of a 12-year-old pet dog. The little dog was only steps away from his owner's door when the greyhounds pounced on him, ripping him to shreds.

Just why people want dogs like these is another question all together but if they are going to have them, they must be responsible.

The owner of the pit bulls was quoted as saying his dogs escaped when someone left the gate open. With dogs like these, one gate simply isn't adequate to protect the public and pets from being maimed or killed.

And once these animals commit such an act, they should be euthanized ... not put back into the same yards and pens from which they just escaped.

That's where our local governments can come in — put some new rules in place and enforce them.

Rocky relations between U.S., Russia predicted

The election of Vladimir Putin as Russian president might cause trouble for the United States.

If there was any surprise in the election of acting president Vladimir Putin to the position of Russian president, it was in the small margin of victory — 52 percent, barely enough to avoid a run-off.

Then there is the potentially ominous fact that Communist Party leader Gennady Zyuganov came in second, with almost 30 percent.

Putin faces a difficult job in trying to bring order and some measure of prosperity to Russia. In part because he probably will choose the wrong methods to achieve this, his presidency is likely to feature tense relations with the West, and especially with the United States.

The hopes that flourished briefly after the collapse of the Soviet Union — that Russia would become a functional democracy with a thriving market economy — lie in ruins.

Without a working system of private property rights and a legal system willing and able to enforce legitimate property claims and contracts, Russia quickly deteriorated into a kleptocracy. It has a mostly criminal "family" surrounding President Boris Yeltsin and ruthless business people able to function well in chaos, gaining economic and political power.

As a KGB agent Putin was involved in efforts to bring foreign investment into the Soviet Union during the "perestroika" era, and he may see foreign investment as the path to future prosperity. But to keep public opinion behind him — here is where the Communist showing is ominous — and create the impression that he is restoring national greatness after years of humiliation from NATO and the West, he may have to pick fights with the United States.

So we can expect new criticisms of a U.S. missile defense system, resistance to further NATO expansion, veiled threats directed at the Baltic countries and criticism of Western activities in the Caspian region. What appears to be a burgeoning strategic-military alliance with mainland China is likely to be buttressed.

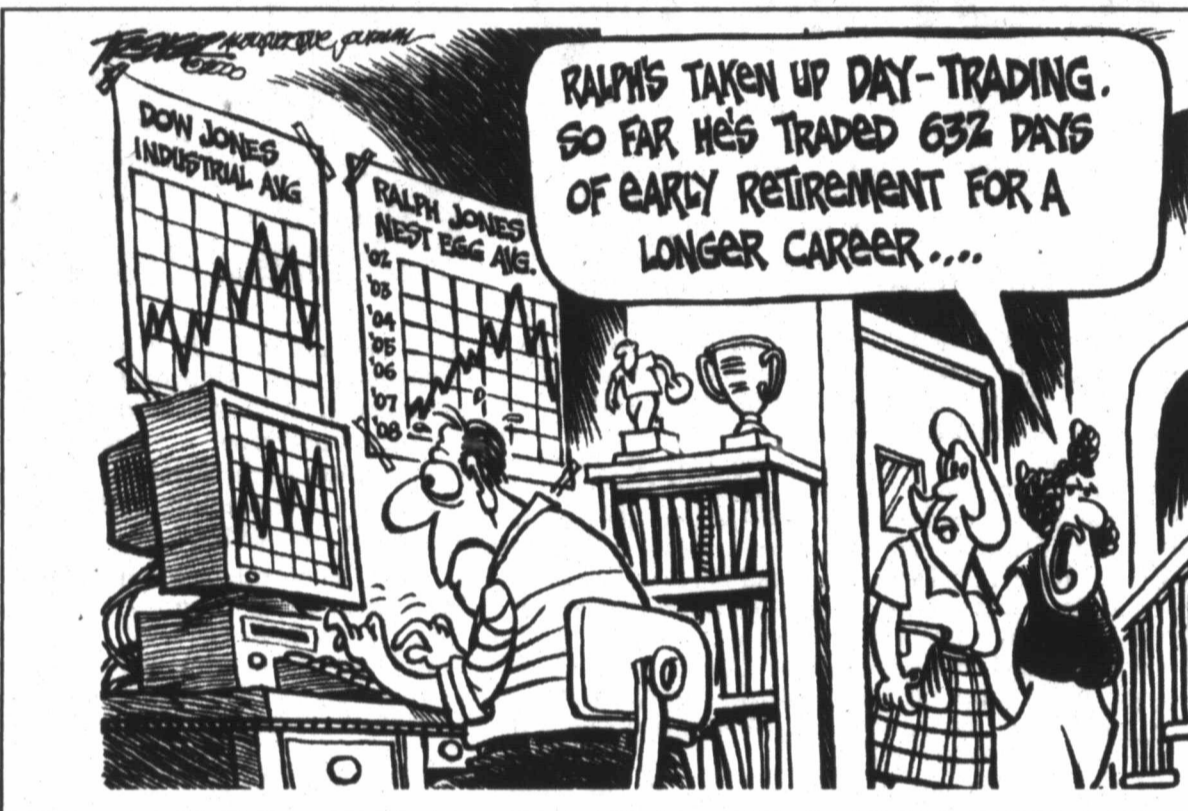
The emergence of what Cato Institute foreign policy analyst Ted Carpenter calls "a new breed of Russian politician — a noncommunist housebroken nationalist who will govern more like Boss Tweed than like Stalin" might not be a surprise. "The West blew its chances for a pro-Western Russia by hooking Russia on IMF money and rubbing its nose in its weakness, by expanding NATO and by the disastrous war in Kosovo," Carpenter said.

We don't look for Putin to find a miracle for the Russian economy, largely because he believes the key is a strong government rather than private property rights.

Russia's international ambitions likely will be effective only close to home — bringing Belarus closer to Russian control, asserting control in central Asia and the Caspian area.

It all suggests the United States watch carefully, and broadly rethink its Russia policies.

—Odessa American



Today in history

By The Associated Press  
Today is Easter Sunday, April 23, the 114th day of 2000. There are 252 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:  
April 23, 1564, is believed to be the birth date of English poet and dramatist William Shakespeare; he died 52 years later, also on April 23.

On this date:  
In 1348, King Edward III of England established the Order of the Garter.

In 1789, President-elect Washington and his wife moved into the first executive mansion, the Franklin House, in New York.

In 1791, the 15th president of the United States, James Buchanan, was born in Franklin County, Pa.

In 1896, the "Vitascope" system for projecting movies onto a screen was demonstrated in New York City.

Government monopolies allowed full-rein

U.S. District Judge Thomas Jackson ruled that Microsoft violated federal antitrust laws and harmed consumers. Jackson found that the company: (a) used its position to "monopolize the Web browser market" to the detriment of competitors (b) "unlawfully tied its Web browser to its operating system" and (c) could be sued under state anti-competition laws.

U.S. Assistant Attorney General Joe Klein said the decision against Microsoft will benefit consumers by opening the door to competition. The Clinton administration's attack on Microsoft, along with the court's acquiescence, should worry all of us. Let's look at it.

The government's chief economic expert witness, MIT's Professor Franklin Fisher, accused Microsoft of predatory pricing, a practice where low prices are charged in order to drive one's competitors out of business and then later raised to high prices. Fisher's testimony is a disgrace to the economics profession. If one surveys modern economic literature, or polls academic economists, he'd find very little evidence, if any, for the use of predatory pricing as a means to monopoly wealth. There are far more effective means to monopoly wealth that don't entail the costs and risks of a predatory pricing strategy.

Let's look at competition in general. The point of competition is to attract, to the detriment of your competitors, customers. There should be laws preventing people from bombing their competitors' production facilities or



Walter Williams

Syndicated columnist

spreading lies about the attributes and quality of their competitors' product as a means to attract customers. Also, companies shouldn't be able to go to lawmakers to get laws passed to the detriment of their competitors. However, legislators encourage that practice in return for campaign contributions. There's no evidence that Microsoft has committed any of these despicable acts to capture their competitors' customers.

Microsoft's competitors, in the high-tech industry, are the people who've gone whining to Washington — it wasn't customers. After all, Microsoft is as profitable as it is because customers like you and me voluntarily chose its product. Computer manufacturers voluntarily installed its operating system, bundled as it is, rather than use some other operating system they were free to use if they desired. Microsoft, unlike Congress, has no power to coerce.

Many people think monopoly is evil by definition. Monopoly practices are not inherently

evil. For example, I hold a monopoly on the affections of Mrs. Williams. She holds a monopoly on mine. Read the Ten Commandments. The first says, "Thou shalt have no other Gods before me." The second says, "Thou shalt not make any graven image ..." A third says, "... for I the Lord thy God am a jealous God." That sounds like a monopoly to me. If you assume monopoly is evil, then marriage and Christianity are evil.

There are monopolistic practices that are evil that we need to address. There's the U.S. Postal Service monopoly that threatens violence against anyone who competes against it in the delivery of first-class mail. There's the government education monopoly, a.k.a. public education, that's destroying our children whilst charging us higher and higher prices for doing so. Then there's the American sugar industry monopoly that gets Congress to enact tariffs and quotas on foreign sugar so they can charge us higher sugar prices.

The list of these government-backed and sponsored harmful-to-the-customer monopolies is virtually without end. Unlike Microsoft, who has been providing customers with higher and higher quality products at lower and lower prices, the government-backed and sponsored monopolies have been giving us at least higher prices if not lower quality at the same time.

I say leave Microsoft alone and go after these evil monopolies.

Don't be too quick to judge police officers

Lots of people are yapping about police brutality. Many of them have hidden agendas (like discrediting Hillary Clinton's opponent in the Senate race in New York). But let's look at the subject anyway.

The first point one must realize is that the police officer is given the most terrible burden of any public official, high or low, state or federal. The police officer is given a firearm and authorized to make a life-and-death decision in a matter of seconds under stress, usually in the dark and with the information only his own eyes can supply.

Now compare that with a judge in a capital case. The judge is calm and not under stress. He or she has the benefit of all the information developed during the trial. The judge gets a pre-sentence investigation report and in most states hears testimony from people — pro and con — during the sentencing phase. Only after all of that does the judge have to make that terrible decision: Does this person live or die? And if the judge makes a mistake, the defendant doesn't get to kill the judge.

In the dark on the street, if a cop makes the wrong decision, he or she can get killed or be permanently disabled. Well, if you are going to put that terrible burden on the shoulders of police officers, you're going to have to cut them some slack. They're human, and, given enough confrontations, mistakes will be made.

It is grossly unfair of people, politicians and



Charley Reese

Syndicated columnist

news-media types, with all the benefit of hindsight, to rush to judgment on an officer. To arrive at a fair evaluation of an officer's actions, you have to be where the officer was and know only what the officer knew at the moment. Because that's what drives the decision to shoot: the officer's perception at the moment of the threat against him or her and others, based on the only information the officer has — what he or she can see and hear.

Unfortunately, in a gunfight, you can't call time-out and go confer with a coach. It is really, really unhealthy to be the person who hesitates. And, unlike movie gunfights, real gunfights usually start and are over in a matter of seconds.

So, now that we are clear on the police officer's burden, let's clear up something else. Real cops hurt when they have to kill somebody. They are not like the actors in the movies who

mow people down and make wisecracks. In real life, taking a human life is traumatic and an emotional experience, unless you are a sociopath or in war, where killing becomes routine. Some cops have a hard time getting over it, even when the person they shot deserved it.

But lots of people don't know that. They've never seen a real killing. They've just seen thousands of simulated killings on television and in the movies. The motion-picture and television industries continuously distort reality. It's probably not an exaggeration to say that too much exposure to visual fiction over many years can induce a mild case of insanity.

So, don't be so quick to judge when a police officer is accused of acting wrongly. Look for the hidden agendas. It could be political. It could be people angling to hit the lawsuit jackpot. It could be a leftist trying to inflame racial and ethnic hatred as part of his long-term campaign to bring down the system.

There are some bad cops, but they are far fewer than chronic critics of police work say. And one more thing: If a cop with a drawn gun ever confronts you, do what the officer says and don't make any sudden or unannounced moves with your hands.

Remember that you're a sixteenth of an inch of a trigger pull and one second from death. You don't want to make the officer with the gun nervous. Staying calm will ensure that a confrontation will end peacefully.



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## Armed agents raid home; seize Elian

By ALAN CLENDENNING  
 Associated Press Writer

MIAMI (AP) — Federal agents seized Elian Gonzalez from the home of his Miami relatives before dawn Saturday, firing pepper spray into an angry crowd as they took away the crying and screaming 6-year-old boy for a reunion in Washington with his Cuban father.

More than 20 agents in several white vans arrived at the home shortly after 5 a.m., using rams on the home's chain-link fence and front door to get inside and look for the boy, who was being hidden in a bedroom closet by his great-aunt and Donato Dalrymple, one of the fishermen who rescued him on Thanksgiving Day.

In the bedroom, an agent in green riot gear and goggles pointed an automatic rifle at Dalrymple holding the frightened child, an image captured by an Associated Press photographer and broadcast around the world. Agents then took Elian out of Dalrymple's arms.

A short time later, a woman and man brought Elian out of the home and put him in one of the vans, which sped off. Maria Elena Quesada, who was at the home, said Elian was screaming "Help me! Help me! Don't take me away!" in Spanish.

By 6 a.m., Elian was on a government plane headed for an airport near Washington and a reunion with his father. Juan Miguel Gonzalez was told about the raid as soon as Elian was safe and will meet his son at the airport, officials said.

"Juan Gonzalez wants to be with his son, and that will happen now," Attorney General Janet Reno said. She said she "did until the final moments try to reach a voluntary solution" with the boy's Miami relatives, but a deal was not reached and she felt

she had no choice but order the raid. She said the boy would stay in the United States pending further court action, as the federal appeals court ruled.

"Elián is safe and no one was seriously hurt," she said.

Elián was unhurt and was given a physical by a government doctor before he got on the plane, a government official said earlier, speaking on condition of anonymity. On the plane were the female immigration agent who carried Elian from the house, a psychiatrist, a flight surgeon and the immigration agent who commanded the operation.

They were explaining carefully what is happening to him, the official said. Elian was described as subdued and calm on the plane.

He has been given a play kit including toys, Play-Doh, an airplane, a map and a watch, the official said.

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"They broke the rear window and put a gun to Elian's head," she said. "Whatever happens after this, let them pay the consequence."

In Washington, a Justice Department official, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said the government had hoped for a reunion and had "gone to extraordinary lengths to reach such a solution."

"We again negotiated throughout last night in good faith to try to reach a cooperative resolution," the Justice official said.

Kendall Coffey, an attorney for the Miami relatives, said "we were in the middle of negotia-

tions when they battered the door."

"We're angry and disgusted," he said. "We were in communication with the mediator handling negotiations and discussion with the government when they knocked the door down."

It was a swift and violent step in the international custody dispute over the little boy rescued off the Florida coast nearly five months ago. His Miami relatives have sought to retain the temporary custody they were granted in November, while the U.S. government has sought to reunite the boy with his father.

"Assassins!" yelled some of the approximately 100 protesters, some of whom climbed over the barricades in an attempt to stop the agents. The agents, wearing Immigration and Naturalization Service shirts, were armed with automatic weapons.

"The world is watching!" yelled Delfin Gonzalez, the brother of the little boy's caretaker and great-uncle, Lazaro Gonzalez.

Ramon Saul Sanchez, leader of the anti-Castro Democracy Movement, was bleeding from one ear after the raid. He said he was knocked out by an agent using a rifle as a club.

"They were animals," said Jess Garcia, a bystander. "They gassed women and children to take a defenseless child out of here. We were assaulted with no provocation."

Within an hour of the raid, the crowd in Little Havana quickly swelled to about 300. Several tried to rip apart and burn an American flag. No serious injuries were immediately reported.

The raid came amid reports of progress to immediately transfer custody of the boy from his Miami relatives to his father. Reno was at her office early this morning engaged in an extraordinary, long-distance negotiation that began Friday afternoon.

All of that ended early today. Carlos Gonzalez said he and several others tried to form a human chain in front of the door but were forced back at gunpoint.

Inside, Dalrymple held Elian in his arms as the agents arrived. He said agents told him "give me the boy or I'll shoot you."

"They took this kid like a hostage in the nighttime," he said.

The settlement was first proposed by civic leaders in Miami serving as intermediaries. Proposals and counterproposals flew through the night by telephone and facsimile machine between the Miami house, the Justice Department and the Washington office of the father's lawyer.

The government and the boy's father, Juan Miguel Gonzalez, insisted that any deal contain an immediate transfer of custody of Elian to him, but the Miami relatives have defied Reno's order switching custody.

The relatives have cared for him since he was found clinging to an inner tube in the Atlantic after a boat carrying his mother and other Cubans capsized, killing her and 10 others. They and the hundreds of Cubans who gathered for days outside their home do not want the boy returned to a Cuba ruled by Fidel Castro.

The deal under discussion called for Juan Miguel Gonzalez

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"To have a 6-year-old crying, 'Don't take me, don't take me.' ... This is not America."

"They broke the rear window and put a gun to Elian's head," she said. "Whatever happens after this, let them pay the consequence."

and Elian, Lazaro and his daughter, Marisleysis, to move to one of two foundation-owned conference centers near Washington — either Wye Plantation, a center on Maryland's Eastern shore that has been used for Mideast peace conferences, or Airlie House near Warrenton, Va., according to a government official, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

The plan called for formal custody to transfer immediately from the Miami relatives to the boy's Cuban father, the official said.

Another sticking point was the length of the joint occupation of the compound. The intermediaries proposed that all family members stay until a court appeal is completed, in late May at the earliest. But Juan Miguel Gonzalez called for a much shorter joint stay, the official said.

Reno, Immigration Commissioner Doris Meissner and other officials waited in Reno's Justice Department office past midnight for the relatives' reply to the counterproposal. The Miami relatives lost a U.S.

District Court battle to get a political asylum hearing for Elian. An appeals court has ordered Elian to stay in this country until it hears that case, but did not bar Reno from switching custody.

Reno met for 15 minutes Friday at the Justice Department with Juan Miguel Gonzalez. During the emotional session, the father said he had a very good 25-minute telephone conversation with his son on Thursday, the government official said. He also asked Reno to give him a date certain when he would get his son back.

But afterward, Reno said she told him "that I could not commit to a particular course of action or timetable."

EDITOR'S NOTE — AP Writer Michael J. Sniffen in Washington contributed to this report.

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# Letters to the editor

## Environmental laws, regulations need updating to reality

To the editor,  
 Fuel prices have not increased at average inflation rates, so we really can't complain about current prices. Think, what the price of fuel would be if it had increased the same percentage as motor vehicles in the past 25 years.  
 Liberal Democratic presidents have a hard time keeping our fuel supply in balance, they support a "radical far left-wing environmental faction," which is a major wing of their party, and a weak foreign policy. In 1995, a Republican congress passed a measure to allow the petroleum industry to increase our production and supply more of our requirements. President Clinton vetoed the measure, saying it would harm the environment and was unnecessary.  
 The current Republican congress is making another effort with a similar measure. It has little chance of becoming law without support of Congressional Democratic leadership and a presidential veto threat. Under President Clinton, production declined 17 percent, usage increased 14 percent and imports increased to 55 percent of our requirements.  
 Environmental restrictions cost the oil industry \$600 million in 1970, \$7.8 billion in 1990, and an all-time high of \$10 billion in 1995 — a 29 percent increase in five years with decreasing activity. Environmental restrictions on exploration, production and refining have resulted in 50 percent fewer refineries than we had 20 years ago. With technological advances, we are refining most of our requirements.

It has been 25 years since a new refinery was constructed in the U.S. primarily because of federal and state environmental policies excessive costs. If we continue the current policy of over-regulation of our petroleum industry by these federal and state agencies with bureaucratic interpretation of laws to suit their personal agendas, then imports will create shortages and unstable prices that control our nation's economic well-being and the continuous loss of millions of good paying jobs in the oil and allied industries.

We have states where their environmental laws prohibit exploration, production or refining of petroleum products. We do not need to drill in Alaska for oil, we need to drill more off-shore wells on the West Coast and along the Gulf of Mexico. If there are oil reserves along areas of the East Coast, open them up. The New England states and New York need a refinery to take care of their requirements. Every state should carry their fair share of risk.

Questions for our environmentalists: Which would be the worst disaster scenario, an off-shore oil well or an oil tanker breaking up? How many and how often do either occur? If Al Gore achieves his electric autos, where will the electricity come from? We already have frequent shortages in high population areas. Most of our electric generating plants use fossil fuels and create as much or more pollution than all of our autos, trucks, trains, etc.

Want to decrease pollution from fossil fuels 40-50 percent in the next 20 years from our current levels? Phase out current fossil fuel electric generating plants over the next 20 years, replacing them with nuclear powered plants with all new construction being nuclear powered plants. This will necessitate a major overhaul of our environmental laws which are sorely in need of updating to reality anyway.

We export technology to the world to construct and operate them in other countries. We have the fuel to operate nuclear power plants. How often and how many cause environmental problems? Spend the money we are putting into wind and solar power experiments, add in the cost of Al's electric car — these turkeys have taken enough of our money — and develop a nuclear-powered engine for travel on street, highway, rail and space.

This is the 21st century. If the youth of today see 50 percent of the changes we have seen in the last 50 years of the 20th century, this technology is not only possible, it will happen. Advancement depends on when they stop letting a few "radical left-wing nuts" (with stripped threads) run their country.

James Braxton  
 Pampa

## Production shouldn't out-weigh human lives ...

To the editor,  
 Pampa's Jordan Unit is home to Texas Correctional Industries which manufactures boots and canvas shoes for inmates throughout the system.

TCI has come under scrutiny from various labor groups due to the amount of jobs being taken from law-abiding citizens (over 5,000).

The local TCI in Pampa is sacrificing safety in lieu of production. The factory is dangerously overcrowded and is in direct violation of the Uniform Building Codes for manufacturing facilities. Using the occupancy load ratios provided therein, the capacity is double the required rate. In the event of an emergency — i.e., fire, tornado, prison riot, etc. — evacuation could reach chaotic proportions.

This matter is being investigated by unit safety and grievance per-

sonnel. Will production out-weigh human lives?  
 Ronald Groning  
 TDCJ Jordan Unit

## Help LifeGift save lives, be an organ donor

To the editor,  
 As the managing director of LifeGift, I work with families of organ and tissue donors every day. I see them in hospital emergency rooms when they have just lost a loved one, and I see them grapple with their pain during what is surely one of the darkest moments in their lives.

I also see them say "Yes" to donating the organs and tissues of a son or daughter, a spouse or a parent. My job is heart-wrenching work, but it is a most rewarding vocation.

More than 20,000 people received organ transplants in 1999, and thousands of them took place right here in Texas. During the third week of April every year, LifeGift celebrates National Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness Week to honor and remember the people in our area who have given the gift of life. We hope Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness Week (April 16-22) raised public awareness about the importance of signing a donor card and informing your next of kin about your wish to be an organ donor. It is very simple, but it can make such a difference.

You see, I have such respect for people who, during such a difficult time, are somehow able to see beyond their own despair and make a decision that literally saves the lives of others. To me, the miracle of transplantation occurs in that moment when a grieving family allows life to spring from death. I see this miracle happen again and again, and I am always moved by their courage and generosity.

Organ donors and the families who carry out their wishes are truly extraordinary. With their final act of generosity, they teach the rest of us great lessons — that out of death can come life, out of sorrow can come hope and out of crushing loss can come a gift.

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Today, more than 68,000 patients are registered for organ transplants, but the current supply of donor organs does not meet this critical demand. Last year, an average of 13 people died each day because the organ they desperately needed did not come in time to save them.

We at LifeGift work every day to change those statistics with a powerful team of volunteers (many of whom are donor family members) in 109 counties and more than 187 hospitals throughout Texas.

In the West Texas region, we are constantly amazed, but not surprised, by the altruistic nature of the community as well as the support shown by area hospitals. This past year, organs were recovered from 36 donors, resulting in 110 people being offered a second chance at life.

You can help us, too. Make the decision to share your life and then share your decision with your family. You, too, can make miracles happen.

For more information about becoming an organ and tissue donor, call LifeGift at (806) 353-4334 in Amarillo or (806) 798-5568 in Lubbock.

Rob Gruenfelder, managing director  
 LifeGift

## Doesn't pay to ignore the risk of colon cancer

To the editor,  
 Katie Couric of NBC's "The Today Show" has been on a public awareness campaign about colon cancer. Her husband died two years ago when the disease was discovered too late.

I am 59-years-old and had never had a colonoscopy and didn't want one, but my wife suggested on several occasions that I have one. She said from start to finish you won't even know, and it is an easy process.

I found an occasion to be at my primary physician's office, and he sent me to Dr. Sam Marupudi in Amarillo, Texas. I'm sure there are many physicians in Amarillo who can do this procedure, but my physician, who has practiced medicine for 50 years, recommended Dr. Marupudi.

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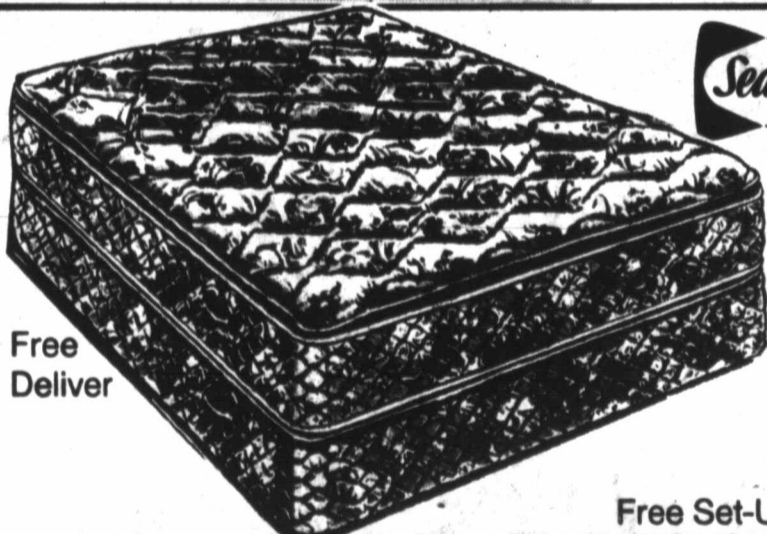
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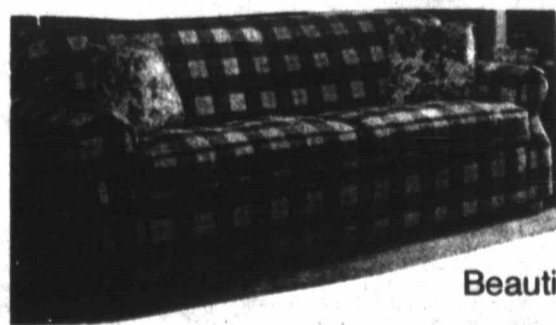
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During my colonoscopy, he found two groups of polyps. Later, when they were removed, one group was benign and one group was pre-cancerous. If left unchecked, it would have developed into colon cancer.

It is my understanding that the polyps are a slow growth process, 10 to 12 years in some cases, and you don't know it's there. But when they become cancerous its growth and spread is fast and many times it is found too late.

I was fortunate the polyps were found at the pre-cancerous stage.

I want to echo Katie Couric and my wife: Talk to your doctor, talk to your doctor ...

The colonoscopy, done with a fiber-optic tube, is the best way a doctor can examine the colon. Your life and health may be at stake.

Talk to your doctor.  
D.R. Hutchinson  
Pampa

**Pampa Post Office is of local historic significance**

To the editor,  
One of the most historic buildings in Pampa was not included in those selected to receive the National Register of Historic Places and I submit the following information.

About 1930-31, the Pampa Board of City Development distributed "Pictorial Pampa," a brochure showing businesses and homes in Pampa. The brochure, done in sepia, consists of 24 pages each measuring 10x14-inches.

One photo shows Pampa's "Million Dollar Row" civic center, the new Schneider Hotel, city hall, courthouse, high school (razed in the 1970s) and the new Combs-Worley office building.

The foreword of "Pictorial Pampa" included this statement: "It (Pampa) has beautiful homes, fine churches, an up-to-date school system and paved streets. Moreover, its 'million dollar row' of public buildings is indicative of a much larger city and the Government has authorized the construction of a \$180,000.00 Federal Building."

The Pampa Post Office building, the only federal building in Pampa, was dedicated on Aug. 8, 1934. The "History of Post Office" (published in 1982) begins:

"The Pampa Post Office was conceived in Washington through the efforts and influence of Congressman Marvin Jones, when times were good and before the full brunt of the depression was felt by the American people. It was felt that there would be no other post office building even approaching the beauty and magnificence of the local building, constructed in the near future in any town the size of Pampa, on account of the economy. However, the structure seemed to fit in with the progressive spirit of Pampa, the intense business activity and the quality of other new buildings erected in the city at that time.

"The opening of the Federal Building to the public was an event of the moment. Its dedication constituted the greatest and most concrete gift that Uncle Sam could bestow upon an average community in a material way. Completion of the Pampa Post Office building climaxed an era of construction which was one of the most inspiring epics in the history of municipalities of the plains."

Since the Pampa Post Office building was completed, the structure of any United States post office building is restricted to a box-like shape, made of undecorated concrete blocks. The Pampa Post Office building is one of the last two post office buildings in the entire United States that was completed — or ever will be — using the beautiful architecture of that period.

Eloise Lane  
Pampa

**We need laws to protect us, livestock from dog attacks**

To the editor,  
I am the owner of a 38" miniature pony named H.E. who was attacked by the two pit bulls.

The story was lost in all the excitement. The following is what really happened as I saw it, Sheryl Lester, the owner of H.E.

A neighbor saw my pony H.E. being attacked, not just by one dog, but two pit bulls. She called the city police who stated they could not respond to the call since it was out of the city limits and for her to call Gray County Sheriff's Department. While this was going on, the attack was in full-swing.

Then the neighbor called another neighbor and asked who owned the pony and told her what was going on. Then this neighbor raced over to my home and told me what was happening. I ran over to my pens and saw the first neighbor trying to distract the pit bulls. They stated "the pit bulls have had the pony down three times." At that time, the Sheriff's deputy arrived.

The deputy went into the pen to see what he could do and I went in behind him. While the deputy was trying to separate the pit bulls from my pony, in a panic, I seized H.E. around the neck, who was bloody all over and near exhaustion from trying to defend himself. When I turned to lead H.E. away from the dogs, one of them lunged for my leg and the deputy (who I didn't realize was next to me) maced the dog.

After leading the pony away from the dogs, a city officer fired a weapon, causing the dogs to go home, which was in the city limits, to their owner, Nicholas Brookshire, 533 W. Doyle.

Nancy Poole is just another victim of dog attacks to her horses in the same area.

The next day after my vet had sewed up H.E., he stated he had treated the pit bulls also and their wounds were probably dog-inflicted.

The owner of the dogs stated to me the dogs had been put in a kennel. The next day my husband, Homer, drove down Doyle Street and saw one of the dogs on a chain.

My concern is that someone's beloved child will be the next victim of this pair of repeat offending dogs.

There is a state law to protect us. Why doesn't Gray County protect us all? Law #882.033. Dogs that attack domestic animals need to be enforced.

We need county laws to enforce state law 822.033.

Sheryl Lester  
Pampa

**Dogs may pose threat to human beings**

To the editor,  
It is fortunate ladies provided quick action to save a little 300-pound pony from further injury from being attacked by two pit bull dogs. I am concerned that these dogs may pose a further danger to the surrounding areas — livestock, pets and most of all the children in the area.

These two dogs were capable of getting a 300-pound stallion pony down to the ground, what chance does a child have? It is unfortunate that no one has the power to remove these dangerous dogs until a human is attacked. These dogs have already tasted blood and are working as a pack. They will attack again if they escape their yard and that fence is not that secure.

Caroline Bichsel  
Pampa

(See, LETTERS, Page 16)



## Funding for JASON Project in place for another year

CANYON — A trio of newly acquired grants, coupled with a little more than \$70,000 that remains in the Amarillo National Resource Center's education budget, means the JASON Project's run at West Texas A&M University will continue for at least another year.

WT has been selected to receive a \$20,000 grant through the New Century Energies Foundation on behalf of Southwestern Public Service Co., a \$7,400 grant from the state of New Mexico's Regional Alliance for Mathematics, Engineering and Science for Disabled Students, and a \$6,500 grant from the Texas Rural Systemic Initiative headquartered at WT. All three grants are intended to help fund the 2001 JASON Project, which carries a price tag of approximately \$100,000 each year.

"We are so very appreciative of these grants," Treasurer Brasher, WTAMU JASON project coordinator and physics instructor, said. "Even with the money we are getting from ANRC, we would not have been able to participate in

this year's JASON Project without these three grants."

Each year, the JASON Project takes millions of elementary and middle school students worldwide on scientific "expeditions" without taking them from the regions in which they live. The expedition annually culminates at approximately 40 Primary Interactive Network Sites throughout the United States, Bermuda, Mexico and the United Kingdom, where students watch the expedition live and even control live-feed video cameras and communicate with on-site scientists.

Through funding from the ANRC, which twice has paid WTAMU's \$68,000 annual PINS registration fees, the university has become established as one of only three PINS in Texas. Since 1999, more than 16,000 fourth-through ninth-graders have visited the campus to participate in the JASON Project.

However, WTAMU's participation in the project was jeopardized last year when the U.S. Department of Energy cut funding from the ANRC budget, a portion of which had been used to underwrite the project on campus. Aside from PINS registration fees, about \$30,000 is needed each year

to conduct teacher training.

"These three grants, along with residual money the ANRC has given us, assures us that we can go forward with the JASON Project for at least one more year," Frannie Nuttall, WT grant writer, said. "Meanwhile, we will continue to work at obtaining funding for future JASON Projects."

Advanced you-are-there telecommunications technologies are the key to the JASON Project, which Dr. Robert Ballard, the discoverer of the Titanic, founded in 1989.

"The JASON Project is truly the best science program I've ever seen, and it would be a shame to see it end here," Brasher said. "This is a really exciting program, the kind of thing that can have an impact on kids."

WT will receive its \$20,000 grant on Tuesday, April 25 when representatives of the NCE Foundation board and SPS visit the campus to honor several groups at a 3 p.m. reception in the Hazel Kelley Wilson Room at the Jack B. Kelley Student Center. Others receiving NCE grants at the event include the Canyon Public Library building fund, the Amarillo Independent School District, the Boy Scouts of America, and others.



(Special photo)

Mary Jane Johnson, West Texas A&M University artist in residence and international opera soprano, will give students and community members an inside look at the opera world. She will present a seminar on "Elektra" beginning at 1 p.m. Friday, April 28 in the Fine Arts Building, Room 201, WTAMU.

## Mary Jane Johnson to present 'Elektra' seminar at WTAMU

CANYON — Mary Jane Johnson, West Texas A&M University artist in residence and international opera soprano, will give students and community members an inside look at the opera world. She will present a seminar on "Elektra" beginning at 1 p.m. Friday, April 28 in the Fine Arts Building, Room 201, WTAMU.

Johnson will perform Elektra June 14 and 17 at Ceasarria by the Sea, an amphitheater overlooking the Mediterranean Sea in Tel Aviv, Israel, and for the Santa Fe Opera beginning July 22.

"This is a unique opportunity for our students and community to hear an informal performance at this level," Dr. Joe Ella Cansler, assistant professor of music, said. "I expect it to be almost like a rehearsal with stops and starts, according to the way it sounds. She will also give details about the differences in performing this opera to others."

Librettist Hugo von Hofmannsthal and composer Richard Strauss, giants of German literature and music, chose as their first collaboration an opera based on Sophocles' powerful tragedy, "Electra." The legend of the Greek princess, obsessive about her murdered father Agamemnon, also lends her name to a psychological complex. Dr. Bob Krause, WTAMU professor of music, will provide a brief history of the opera along with highlights and explanations.

"I am excited about the opportunity to share this opera with the local community," Johnson said. "This would be a nice preview for those interested in attending the Santa Fe Opera this summer."

Johnson, who received her master's degree from WTAMU, was discovered during the finals of the Luciano Pavarotti international Voice Competition in 1981. The prize, a performance with Pavarotti, led her to a career that has taken her to stages and opera houses across the world.

Her career highlights include the role of Emilia Marty in Janacek's "The Makropoulos Case" which she sang at the Metropolitan Opera in New York, Lady Macbeth in Verdi's "Macbeth" as well as Katarina Ismailova in Shostakovich's "Lady Macbeth of Mtsensk," which she performed at the Opera Bastille of Paris as well as five separate leading roles performed at La Sala in Milan, Italy.

Another opportunity to catch the "Elektra" preview will be at a dinner sponsored by the WTAMU Foundation May 7 at the home of Bill and Sandra Gilliland. This more formal preview will include highlights from the opera.

For more information or to make reservations for the dinner preview, contact the WTAMU Foundation at (806) 651-2070.

## Canadian Ex-Student reunion in offing

CANADIAN — The Canadian Ex-Student Association All-Student Reunion, which is held every five years, will kick-off at 9 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 5 at Canadian High School. Registration, visitation and a general assembly will start at 10:30 a.m. The honored classes will be 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949 and 1950. Those who have taught in the Canadian schools will also be recognized.

Following the assembly, lunch will be served at noon in the Canadian Elementary School Cafeterium. Individual class gatherings will be held throughout the weekend and a dance is scheduled from 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Saturday with live music by Northfork. Anyone who has ever attended Canadian schools is welcome. Attendees do not have to be a CHS graduate to be at the reunion.

For additional information, contact the Canadian Ex-Students Association, Box 444, Canadian, TX 79014, or call Laura Norris Walser at (806) 659-5316 or e-mail Cindy Morey Bowen at [bvb@yft.net](mailto:bvb@yft.net) — if anyone has a change of address, phone number or e-mail, contact the Canadian Ex-Students Association as they are planning to publish an all-school directory and need updated information.

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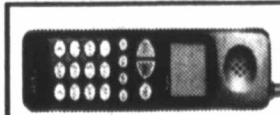
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# SPORTS

## Notebook FISHING

**CHILDRESS** — The High Plains Bass Anglers, an affiliate of the Honey Hole BCA, held its second tournament of 2000 at Baylor-Childress Lakes.

Benny Baker placed first and had Big Bass with a nice 8.17 pounder. Trent Watson was second (7.72) and Randy Hinds was third (3.09).

A total of 12 members and three guests fished in the tournament.

For more information on the club, contact Benny Baker at 665-6111 or Keith Woods at 665-3379.

The club meets the first Tuesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. at Topographic Land Surveyors, 2225 Perryton Parkway.

## BASEBALL

**LAWRENCE, Kan. (AP)** — Marco Cunningham had three hits and three RBI, including his sixth-inning single that drove in the winning run, as Texas Tech beat host Kansas 9-4 on Friday.

Cunningham also had a double and another single as the Red Raiders (26-18, 14-8 Big 12) banged out 13 hits.

The Jayhawks (21-22, 7-15) tied the game at 4-4 in the bottom of the fifth on back-to-back doubles by John Nelson and Doug Dreher. Nelson went 4-for-5 on the night.

But Cunningham erased that tie, then Kansas reliever Jeff Davis balked in Shaun Larkin from third.

Tech wasn't through. Chaz Eiguren blasted a two-run homer to left to score Cunningham in the eighth, and Eric McLamore scored on a sacrifice fly by Scott Holzhauser.

Tech reliever Blake McGinley (4-0) pitched 4 1-3 scoreless innings in relief of starter J.J. Newman.

KU starter Pete Smart (6-8) was saddled with the loss, having left the game in the sixth after putting Cunningham on.

## GOLF

**GREENSBORO, N.C. (AP)** — Hal Sutton's golf game looks invincible these days. He claims otherwise.

One month after holding off Tiger Woods to win the Players Championship by one shot, Sutton will take a commanding five-shot lead into today's third round of the \$3 million Greater Greensboro Chrysler Classic.

Sutton's 8-under-par 64 Friday included 11 birdies, but the PGA Tour's second-leading money winner insisted he can be caught.

"I have a great deal of respect for the game itself and all the guys that play the game," said Sutton, who finished at 13-under 131 through 36 holes. "There are many, many capable players on this tour."

However, Sutton's closest competition is Barry Cheesman, who has missed 111 of 178 cuts in his career and never won on tour. He moved into contention with a 66 and is at 8-under 136.

Seven other players are tied for third at 138, seven shots behind Sutton. That group included defending champion Jesper Parnevik, who shot a second straight 69, and Brian Henninger, who shared the first-round lead with Scott Verplank.

"In no way would I ever, ever allow myself to have that feeling that I don't think I can be beat," Sutton said following his best round of the season. "That is possible, by many, folks. A lot of people can beat me."

But there is no mistaking Sutton likes his position and chances over the weekend at Forest Oaks Country Club.

"We all aspire to have the lead," he said. "That's what we want. That's what we come here for. I just hope I'll be up for the challenge."

Sutton needed only 24 putts on the speedy greens, including birdie putts of 35 and 50 feet in carding a 5-under 31 over his final nine holes.

## Allison captures regional honors at Tyler College

**TYLER** — Collegiate golfer Shelbie Allison, 1998 Pampa High graduate, captured first-place medalist honors in Region 14 for the Tyler Junior College Lady Apaches this spring.

Participating in the Regional Qualifier Tournament in Midland last weekend, the Tyler JUCO sophomore shot back-to-back rounds of 73, leading her team to second place. Allison was second-place medalist for the tournament, but won overall medalist honors for the region.

Midland College sophomore Linzi Morton, a native of Scotland, was the qualifying tournament medalist with a two-round total of 142. Midland won the team title with a 620 while Tyler beat McLennan in a playoff for second. Both teams had shot 628. Allison had tied Morton going into the final round, but couldn't match Morton's 69. Allison still had an outstanding round of 73 for a total of 146.

Midland coach Joe Williams said both Tyler and McLennan made the tournament very competitive.

"Tyler has started to come on," McKay told the *Midland Reporter-Telegram*. "McLennan has always played well, but if Tyler plays the way they did this week at nationals, it should be a very good tournament."

Tyler is entered in the 2000

## Golf

NJCAA National Championship, which will be played May 15-18 at Shawnee, Okla.

Allison has placed in the top four in all the tournaments she's played in this spring. She was 10th-place medalist and Tyler was third at the 1999 NJCAA National Championships.

At last report, Allison is undecided about the four-year college she will play for next year.

Allison was a member of Pampa's two-time state qualifying team in high school. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Allison of Pampa.

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**PAMPA** — Hidden Hills held a four-man senior scramble last week.

Results are as follows:

First place: Jerry Dorman, Ray Covalt, Pat Montoya and Dale Butler, 63.

Second place: Earl Tarbet, Glen Downs, Jerry South and George Gamblin, 63.

Third place: Buzz Tarpley, Bob Brandon, Richard Abbott and Dale Hawkins, 64.

Fourth place: Darrell Phillips, Howard Musgrave, Ken Reeves and Nathan Lancaster, 64.



Former Pampa High golfer Shelbie Allison tees off at the Regional Qualifier Tournament in Midland.

## Stars take first round

**DALLAS (AP)** — It's hard to tell which the Dallas Stars are more excited about, advancing to the second round or avoiding a return trip to Edmonton.

The Stars accomplished both Friday night by beating the Oilers 3-2 to close out their first-round Western Conference series in five games. A sixth game would have been Sunday in the raucous Skyreach Centre.

"I really did not want to jump on a plane tomorrow," Dallas captain Derian Hatcher said. "We wanted to spend Easter at home."

There's still some ringing in the Stars' ears from the shouting that began in warmups and ended long after the final horn during the third and fourth games in Edmonton. The fans might not have been also cheering between games, but it sure seemed that way to Dallas players.

"Edmonton is the last place we wanted to go," said Dallas center Mike Modano, whose two assists made him the franchise's post-season scoring leader. "They have one of the loudest buildings I've ever been in or played in."

The Stars managed to split the games there, then took care of business at home. They've beaten the Oilers in 12 straight games at Reunion Arena and have bounced them from the playoffs three years in a row.

But it wasn't as easy as it sounds. Edmonton punished Dallas and kept things close until Brett Hull scored the series-winning goal with 5:03 left

## Padres are double-trouble for Astros at Enron Field

**HOUSTON (AP)** — The San Diego Padres didn't hit any home runs in Houston's home-run friendly Enron Field. Their seven doubles were more than enough.

Bret Boone, Damian Jackson and Ryan Klesko hit two doubles apiece as San Diego defeated the Houston Astros 7-2 Friday night.

"I'll take those doubles. The home runs will come," Boone said. "The dimensions are weird here. I like it a lot better than the Astrodome."

Klesko agreed. "This is my first game here, but compared to the Dome the ball carries a lot better. It's a smaller park so there are going to be a lot of home runs," Klesko said.

Houston manager Larry Dierker was critical of his pitchers. "It just goes to show you it doesn't have to be a home run," Dierker

said. "It's possible to pitch well here because their guy did. We only got two runs. So it's not the ballpark. Our staff just isn't pitching well right now."

Woody Williams beat Houston for the second time in six days, with both wins coming against Jose Lima.

"I don't worry about who I'm pitching against or what I've done against a team in the past," Williams said. "I just try to concentrate on the hitters I'm pitching against."

Manager Bruce Bochy liked the way Williams (3-1) concentrated.

"He did a good job," Bochy said. "He had all of his pitches working and had good command. He's a competitor. He's been throwing well except for one start."

The Astros were impressed with Williams.

"He pitched a good game against us in San Diego and did a good job again," Dierker said. "He kept the ball out of the strike zone a lot. It's not like he was overpowering us."

"I figured if we faced him twice, he'd pitch well once and we'd hit him once. But it didn't work out that way."

Williams said he got away with a lot of bad pitches. "All of the guys on the team told me how drastic it is when the ball gets in the air here," he said. "It's definitely a hitter-friendly park. I was fortunate not to give up any more home runs."

Williams scattered four hits in seven innings, striking out seven. Lima fell to 1-3 as he allowed five runs on eight hits, including five doubles, in five innings.

"Obviously, Jose has done a lot

the last couple of years. He's a top pitcher. This year we just have his number so far," Boone said.

Lima is concerned about his slow start.

"I'm not doing anything different than I was last year," said Lima, who won 21 games last season. "I have to look at the tape to see what's wrong. I can't wait to get out of this month."

San Diego took a 2-0 lead in the second on Boone's RBI double and Wiki Gonzalez's run-scoring grounder. Klesko hit an RBI double in the fourth and scored on Eric Owens' single, and Williams' sacrifice fly made it 5-0.

Jeff Bagwell hit his fifth home run leading off the sixth, a 365-footer to left that was the 25th homer in seven games at Enron.

Gonzalez hit a two-run single in the eighth off Jose Cabrera to make

it 7-1. Tony Eusebio had a sacrifice fly in the bottom half off Carlos Almanzar, and Trevor Hoffman pitched the ninth to complete the six-hitter.

The game drew 42,092, the largest crowd thus far at Enron Field.

Notes: Scott Elarton will make his season debut Sunday, pitching against San Diego's Brian Meadows. Elarton has been rehabbing from offseason rotator cuff surgery. ... The Astros announced that 40,950 is the revised seating capacity for Enron Field, a decrease of 1,050 because of obstructed views. However, standing room tickets may be sold. ... Tony Gwynn, who went 0-for-3 and is hitting .130, needs one single for 2,331, which would move him into 10th place on the career list.

## Minus 4 starters, Mariners still defeat Royals, 10-2

By The Associated Press

First, Mike Cameron left the game with an injury, then Freddy Garcia. Then John Mabry. And then Edgar Martinez.

"It was like a war zone out there," team medical director Dr. Larry Pedegana said after the Seattle Mariners routed the Kansas City Royals 10-2 Friday night. "I don't think I've ever seen so many injuries in this short a time. Even in a football game."

Jay Buhner hit a three-run homer for Seattle, which sent Kansas City its seventh straight loss.

Jamie Moyer, Seattle's No. 1 starter, went on the 15-day disabled list before the game because of a strained muscle in the back of his left shoulder.

Cameron, Seattle's center fielder, bruised his left knee in the second when he was hit by a foul ball off the bat of teammate Dan Wilson.

Garcia, the Mariners' No. 2 starter, left in the top of the third with a twisted right knee while attempting to cover first base and might go on the DL, too.

Mabry, a third baseman, pulled his right groin while trying to field Jermaine Dye's hit in the third and probably will be out 4-to-6 weeks. Martinez, Seattle's designated hitter, had a sore left quadriceps in the third after an RBI groundout.

"I've never seen anything like that before," said Frankie Rodriguez (2-0), who replaced Garcia in the third inning. "I was trying to hide. I didn't want to catch whatever it was."

In other games, Toronto beat New York 8-3, Anaheim beat Tampa Bay 9-6, Chicago beat Detroit 7-2, Minnesota beat Texas 10-5 and Baltimore beat Oakland 11-9. Cleveland's game at Boston was rained out.

At Seattle, John Olerud doubled twice as the Mariners scored 10 or more runs for the fifth time in six games.

Rodriguez allowed four hits in four shutout innings. Chad Durbin (1-1) gave up five runs and six hits in four-plus innings.

**Blue Jays 8, Yankees 3**  
Chris Carpenter (1-3) pitched a five-hitter at SkyDome for his seventh career complete game, stopping New York's eight-game winning streak.

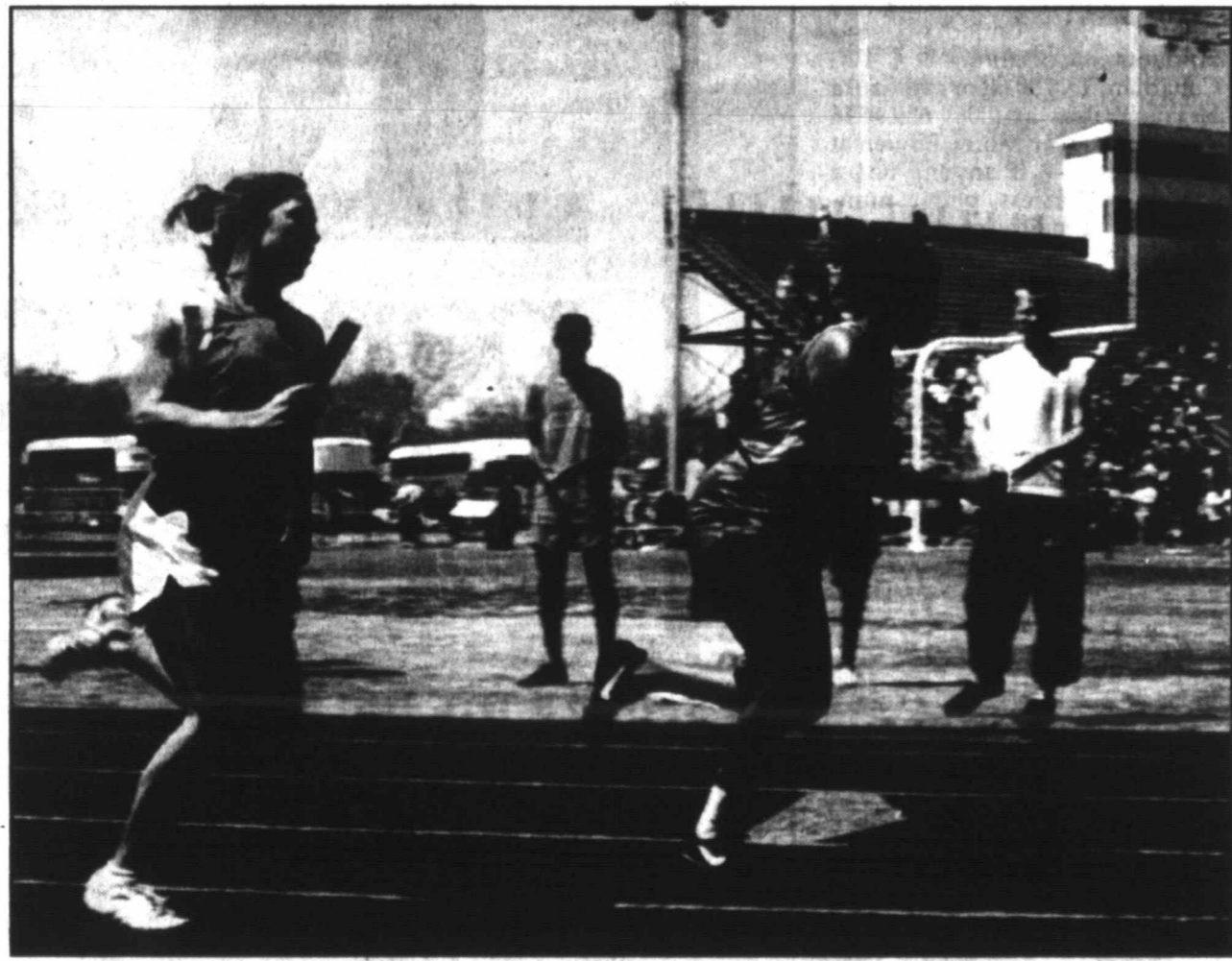
Ramiro Mendoza (1-1) allowed six runs and seven hits in four innings as the Yankees dropped to 11-4, still baseball's best record.

**Angels 9, Devil Rays 6**  
Mo Vaughn and Tim Salmon hit consecutive home runs in the fourth inning off Dwight Gooden, then repeated the feat in the ninth off Roberto Hernandez (1-2).

Troy Glaus also homered twice at Tampa Bay, connecting off Gooden and Hernandez in the same innings as Vaughn and Salmon. The six home runs tied an Angels record, set July 14, 1990, against Toronto.

Mark Petkovsek (1-1) pitched 2 1-3 perfect innings, and Troy Percival pitched the ninth for his fifth save.

Gooden, making his debut for his hometown Devil Rays, allowed six runs, five hits and four walks in four-plus innings.



Pampa senior Joy Young (right) participates in the 400-meter relay at last week's District 3-4A track meet in Hereford. Pampa's 400-meter relay team placed first and the Lady Harvesters claimed the team championship. Pampa enters the Region 1-4A meet April 28-29 in San Angelo. Other relay team members were Kristen Stowers, Cali Covalt and LeVonne Evans.

## Pampa JV teams compete in district meet

**PAMPA** — Pampa won three events in the girls' junior varsity district track meet last week in Hereford.

Sara Blankenship took first in the shot put with a 32-7 3/4 throw and Beth Platt won the 400 in 1:06.75.

Platt also took second in the

800 (:2:36.69). The other winner was Andrea Lee in the 1600 with a time of 6:05.21.

Others placing for Pampa were Apryl DeLeon, third, shot put (28-8 3/4); Shelly Sims, third, 100 hurdles (17.65); Gema Venegas, third, 100 (14.13);

Mary Alice Warner, third, 300 hurdles, 54.00.

Pampa had 95 points to finish fourth in the team standings.

In the boys junior varsity division, Pampa's Ty Elledge won the 100 hurdles with a time of 16.74.



# Scoreboard

## BASEBALL

### American League

#### AT A GLANCE

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#### East Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	11	4	.733	—
Baltimore	10	5	.667	1
Boston	9	6	.600	2
Tampa Bay	8	10	.444	4 1/2
Tampa Bay	5	11	.313	6 1/2

#### Central Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	10	6	.625	—
Cleveland	9	6	.600	1/2
Kansas City	8	10	.444	3
Minnesota	8	10	.444	3
Detroit	4	11	.267	6 1/2

#### West Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Seattle	9	6	.600	—
Anaheim	9	8	.529	1
Oakland	7	10	.412	3
Oakland	6	10	.375	3 1/2

#### Thursday's Games

Boston at Detroit, ppd., rain  
Minnesota 9, Kansas City 7  
Baltimore 8, Tampa Bay 4  
Toronto 12, Anaheim 11  
Cleveland 9, Oakland 5

#### Friday's Games

Only games scheduled  
Cleveland at Boston, ppd., rain  
Toronto 8, N.Y. Yankees 3  
Anaheim 9, Tampa Bay 6  
Minnesota 10, Texas 5  
Chicago White Sox 7, Detroit 2  
Seattle 10, Kansas City 2  
Baltimore 11, Oakland 9

#### Saturday's Games

N.Y. Yankees (Cone 0-1) at Toronto (Escobar 1-2), 1:05 p.m.  
Detroit (Weaver 0-1) at Chicago White Sox (Parque 1-1), 2:05 p.m.  
Cleveland (Finley 1-0) at Boston (P.Martinez 3-0), 3:05 p.m.  
Kansas City (Witasick 0-3) at Seattle (Tomko 0-0), 4:05 p.m.  
Baltimore (Mercades 1-0) at Oakland (Hercdia 1-1), 4:05 p.m.  
Anaheim (Ortiz 1-1) at Tampa Bay (Van 0-1), 4:15 p.m.  
Minnesota (Santana 0-1) at Texas (Loaiza 0-1), 8:05 p.m.

#### Sunday's Games

N.Y. Yankees at Toronto, 1:05 p.m.  
Cleveland at Boston, 1:05 p.m.  
Anaheim at Tampa Bay, 1:15 p.m.  
Detroit at Chicago White Sox, 2:05 p.m.  
Minnesota at Texas, 3:05 p.m.  
Kansas City at Seattle, 4:35 p.m.  
Baltimore at Oakland, 8:05 p.m.

#### National League

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#### East Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlanta	10	6	.625	—
Montreal	9	7	.563	1
New York	9	7	.563	1
Florida	10	8	.556	1
Philadelphia	6	9	.400	3 1/2

#### Central Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	11	6	.647	—
Cincinnati	8	8	.500	2 1/2
Houston	6	9	.400	4
Chicago	7	11	.389	4 1/2
Milwaukee	6	10	.375	4 1/2
Pittsburgh	6	10	.375	4 1/2

#### West Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Arizona	12	5	.706	—
Los Angeles	9	6	.600	2
Colorado	9	9	.500	3 1/2
San Diego	8	9	.471	4
San Francisco	5	11	.313	6 1/2

#### Thursday's Games

Cincinnati 11, San Francisco 1  
Chicago Cubs 10, Montreal 6  
Florida 3, Pittsburgh 2, 14 innings  
N.Y. Mets 5, Milwaukee 4, 10 innings  
Atlanta 6, Philadelphia 4  
St. Louis 14, San Diego 1  
Arizona 3, Colorado 0

#### Friday's Games

Only games scheduled  
Chicago Cubs at N.Y. Mets, ppd., rain  
Montreal 5, Milwaukee 1  
Philadelphia 4, Florida 3  
Los Angeles 9, Cincinnati 2  
Atlanta 6, Pittsburgh 2  
San Diego 7, Houston 2  
Colorado 5, St. Louis 4  
San Francisco 11, Arizona 5

#### Saturday's Games

Chicago Cubs (Lieber 1-1 and Farnsworth 1-2) at N.Y. Mets (Rusch 0-1 and Springer 0-0) 2, 1:10 p.m.  
Los Angeles (Park 2-1) at Cincinnati (Hamisch 0-1), 1:15 p.m.  
San Diego (Clement 2-0) at Houston (Holt 0-3), 3:05 p.m.  
San Francisco (Rueter 1-1) at Arizona (Daal 0-1), 4:35 p.m.  
Milwaukee (Stull 0-1) at Montreal (Inch 1-1), 7:35 p.m.  
Philadelphia (Byrd 0-1) at Florida (Saracho 2-0), 7:05 p.m.  
Pittsburgh (Benson 0-2) at Atlanta (Burkett 0-2), 7:10 p.m.  
Colorado (Yoshii 1-1) at St. Louis (Stephenson 2-0), 8:10 p.m.

#### Sunday's Games

Philadelphia (Person 1-0) at Florida (Penny 2-1), 1:05 p.m.  
Chicago Cubs (Tapani 0-2) at N.Y. Mets (Hampton 1-3), 1:10 p.m.  
Pittsburgh (Cordova 1-1) at Atlanta (Maddux 2-0), 1:10 p.m.  
Los Angeles (Dreifort 1-1) at Cincinnati (Villone 2-0), 1:15 p.m.  
Milwaukee (Navarro 0-3) at Montreal (Vazquez 1-0), 1:35 p.m.  
San Diego (Meadows 2-1) at Houston (Elarton 0-0), 3:05 p.m.  
Colorado (Karl 0-1) at St. Louis (Benes 1-1), 4:10 p.m.  
San Francisco (Nathan 0-0)

#### TODAY'S MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS

By The Associated Press

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING—Estrada, Anaheim, .464; Thomas, Chicago, .426; Olerud, Seattle, .400; W.Clarke, Baltimore, .389; O'Neill, New York, .386; I.Rodriguez, Texas, .381; Chavez, Oakland, .378.

RUNS—A.Rodriguez, Seattle, 18; Morales, Toronto, 18; T.Batista, Toronto, 17; CGuzman, Minnesota, 16; Durham, Chicago, 15; Thomas, Cleveland, 15; Olerud, Seattle, 15; W.Clarke, Baltimore, 15.

RBIs—Bordick, Baltimore, 22; J.Giambi, Oakland, 21; Coomer, Minnesota, 21; A.Rodriguez, Seattle, 19; I.Rodriguez, Texas, 19; E.Martinez, Seattle, 19; Fullmer, Toronto, 18; T.Batista, Toronto, 18.

HITS—Estrada, Anaheim, 32; Mondesi, Toronto, 27; Thomas, Chicago, 26; A.Kennedy, Anaheim, 25; Lawton, Minnesota, 25; Febles, Kansas City, 24; T.Batista, Toronto, 24; I.Rodriguez, Texas, 24.

DOUBLES—Glaus, Anaheim, 8; T.Batista, Toronto, 8; Mondesi, Toronto, 6; Estrada, Anaheim, 7; Dye, Kansas City, 7; C.DeGado,

## Scoreboard

### BASEBALL

#### American League

#### AT A GLANCE

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#### East Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	11	4	.733	—
Baltimore	10	5	.667	1
Boston	9	6	.600	2
Tampa Bay	8	10	.444	4 1/2
Tampa Bay	5	11	.313	6 1/2

#### Central Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	10	6	.625	—
Cleveland	9	6	.600	1/2
Kansas City	8	10	.444	3
Minnesota	8	10	.444	3
Detroit	4	11	.267	6 1/2

#### West Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Seattle	9	6	.600	—
Anaheim	9	8	.529	1
Oakland	7	10	.412	3
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#### Thursday's Games

Boston at Detroit, ppd., rain  
Minnesota 9, Kansas City 7  
Baltimore 8, Tampa Bay 4  
Toronto 12, Anaheim 11  
Cleveland 9, Oakland 5

#### Friday's Games

Only games scheduled  
Cleveland at Boston, ppd., rain  
Toronto 8, N.Y. Yankees 3  
Anaheim 9, Tampa Bay 6  
Minnesota 10, Texas 5  
Chicago White Sox 7, Detroit 2  
Seattle 10, Kansas City 2  
Baltimore 11, Oakland 9

#### Saturday's Games

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St. Louis	11	6	.647	—
Cincinnati	8	8	.500	2 1/2
Houston	6	9	.400	4
Chicago	7	11	.389	4 1/2
Milwaukee	6	10	.375	4 1/2
Pittsburgh	6	10	.375	4 1/2

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Arizona	12	5	.706	—
Los Angeles	9	6	.600	2
Colorado	9	9	.500	3 1/2
San Diego	8	9	.471	4
San Francisco	5	11	.313	6 1/2

#### Thursday's Games

Cincinnati 11, San Francisco 1  
Chicago Cubs 10, Montreal 6  
Florida 3, Pittsburgh 2, 14 innings  
N.Y. Mets 5, Milwaukee 4, 10 innings  
Atlanta 6, Philadelphia 4  
St. Louis 14, San Diego 1  
Arizona 3, Colorado 0

#### Friday's Games

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Chicago Cubs at N.Y. Mets, ppd., rain  
Montreal 5, Milwaukee 1  
Philadelphia 4, Florida 3  
Los Angeles 9, Cincinnati 2  
Atlanta 6, Pittsburgh 2  
San Diego 7, Houston 2  
Colorado 5, St. Louis 4  
San Francisco 11, Arizona 5

#### Saturday's Games

Chicago Cubs (Lieber 1-1 and Farnsworth 1-2) at N.Y. Mets (Rusch 0-1 and Springer 0-0) 2, 1:10 p.m.  
Los Angeles (Park 2-1) at Cincinnati (Hamisch 0-1), 1:15 p.m.  
San Diego (Clement 2-0) at Houston (Holt 0-3), 3:05 p.m.  
San Francisco (Rueter 1-1) at Arizona (Daal 0-1), 4:35 p.m.  
Milwaukee (Stull 0-1) at Montreal (Inch 1-1), 7:35 p.m.  
Philadelphia (Byrd 0-1) at Florida (Saracho 2-0), 7:05 p.m.  
Pittsburgh (Benson 0-2) at Atlanta (Burkett 0-2), 7:10 p.m.  
Colorado (Yoshii 1-1) at St. Louis (Stephenson 2-0), 8:10 p.m.

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Chicago Cubs (Tapani 0-2) at N.Y. Mets (Hampton 1-3), 1:10 p.m.  
Pittsburgh (Cordova 1-1) at Atlanta (Maddux 2-0), 1:10 p.m.  
Los Angeles (Dreifort 1-1) at Cincinnati (Villone 2-0), 1:15 p.m.  
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#### TODAY'S MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS

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#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING—Estrada, Anaheim, .464; Thomas, Chicago, .426; Olerud, Seattle, .400; W.Clarke, Baltimore, .389; O'Neill, New York, .386; I.Rodriguez, Texas, .381; Chavez, Oakland, .378.

RUNS—A.Rodriguez, Seattle, 18; Morales, Toronto, 18; T.Batista, Toronto, 17; CGuzman, Minnesota, 16; Durham, Chicago, 15; Thomas, Cleveland, 15; Olerud, Seattle, 15; W.Clarke, Baltimore, 15.

RBIs—Bordick, Baltimore, 22; J.Giambi, Oakland, 21; Coomer, Minnesota, 21; A.Rodriguez, Seattle, 19; I.Rodriguez, Texas, 19; E.Martinez, Seattle, 19; Fullmer, Toronto, 18; T.Batista, Toronto, 18.

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# PHS choirs sweep regional UIL meet

By DEE DEE LARAMORE  
Staff Writer

Pampa High School choirs swept the 2000 Region 1 UIL Concert and Sightreading contest at West Texas A&M University in Canyon, bringing home four "Sweepstakes" trophies.

The PHS choirs, directed by Fred Mays and Jennifer Scoggin, were among 41 choirs performing in the two-day event. Twelve "Sweepstakes" were awarded this year. PHS was the only school to bring home four of the prestigious awards, Mays said.

"The PHS Concert Choir, Concert Men's Choir, Concert Women's Choir, and Mixed Choir all won Sweepstakes," he said.

The Concert Men's Choir was one of two men's choirs to receive a Sweepstakes and the Concert Women was one of only two 4-A varsity women's choirs to receive a Sweepstakes. Only one other 4-A concert choir earned a Sweepstakes.

In addition, the PHS Women's Choir won a first division in sightreading and a second division in

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Mays said Dr. Steven Weber, head of Amarillo College's choral department, said Pampa High School had the finest UIL performance he has seen in the eight years since coming to this area.

In UIL competition, each choir performs three selections from a UIL performance list and then

participates in sightreading a piece of music the choir has never seen. A panel of three choral professionals judges each category, either concert or sightreading. The judges then rate each choir on a scale from I to V with a 1, or first division, considered a "superior" rating. To earn a "Sweepstakes" award, the choir must receive a first division in both concert and sightreading.

Judges for this contest rated all of the PHS choirs highly for musicality and high level of vocal performance. Comments made in the judging included "extremely talented," and that "it was a great pleasure to hear each of the Pampa choirs."

Judges for the concert portion were Sharon King

of Garland, Michael Matlock of Lamesa and Walter Wright of Plainview. Sightreading judges were Carl Brown of Frenship High School, Jo Scurluck-Dillard of San Antonio and Michael O'Hern of Garland.

Pampa's Concert Choir sang "Kyrie" from the *Mass in C Major* by Beethoven with solos by Tiffany Bruce, Traci Shelton, Josh Gibson and Dillon Hill; "Simple Gifts" arranged by Clausen; and "Zion's Walls" by Copland.

The Concert Women performed "Laudamus Te" from *Gloria* by Vivaldi, "The Death of Tenebris" by Brahms, and "Ave Maria" by Keating.

Songs presented by the Concert Men included "All Ye Saints Be Joyful" by Davis, "Mary Ann" by Franklin and "Herbslied" by Mendelssohn.

The Women's Choir sang "Velvet Shoes" by Evans, "O Clap Your Hands" by Knowles, and "Lachen Und Weinen" by Schubert.

Mixed Choir concert selections included "Let Joyful Anthems Rise" by Handel, "Confitemini Domino" by Constantini, and "O Waly, Waly" by Melver with a flute solo by Holly Myers.



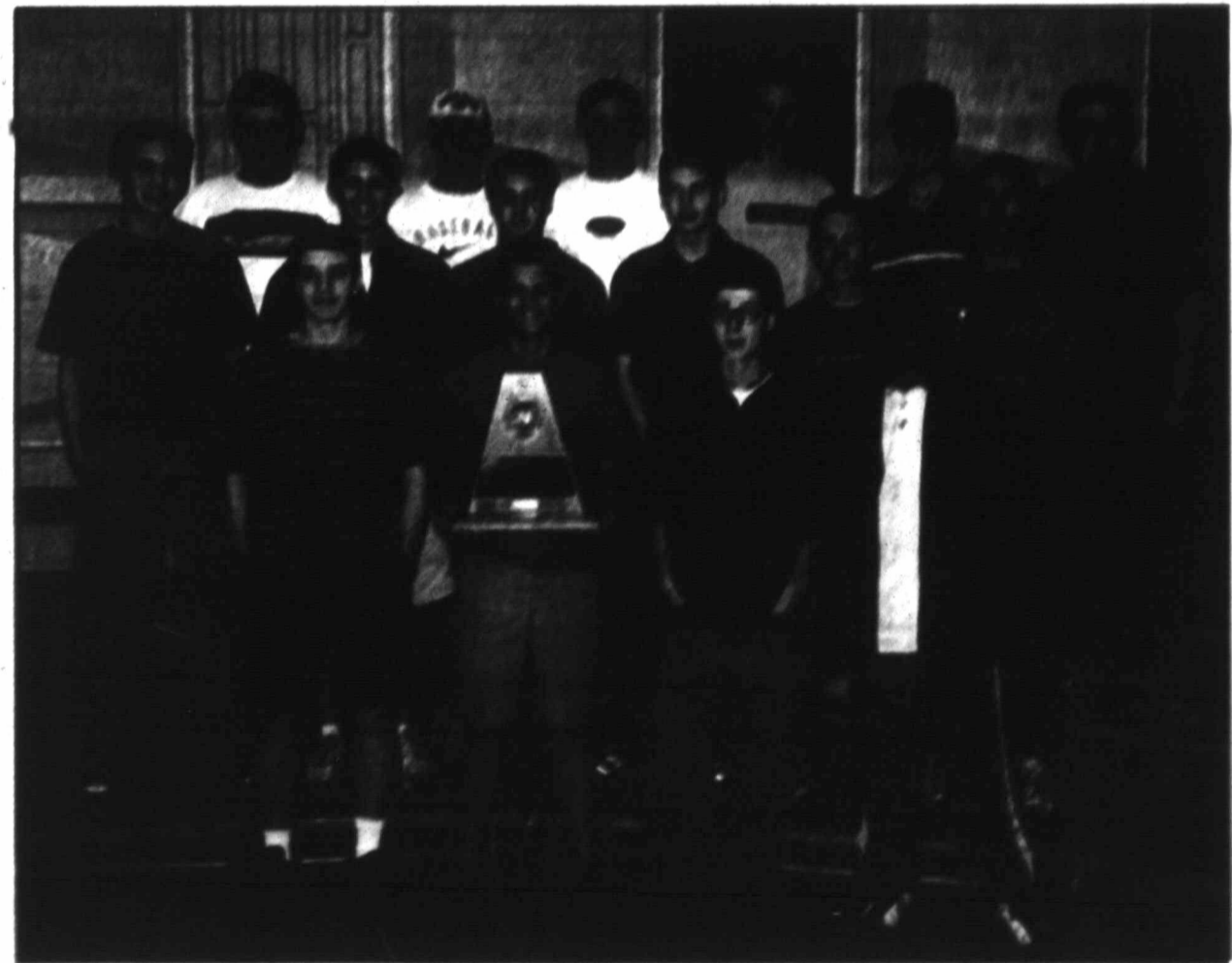
(Community Camera photo)

**PHS Mixed Choir:** (top row, from left-right) Sammie Parsley, Kayla Conner, James Gaddis, Justin Moler, Michael Eskridge; (fourth row, l-r) Helen Brooks, Julian George, John Hahn, Luke Burton; (third row, l-r) Megan Davis, Samantha Jasso, Derek Williams, Mark Bailey; (second row, l-r) Britteny Brazil, Michelle Haley, Megan Shannon, Jeannie Palmateer, Bonnie Holmes, Allison Earl; (first row, l-r) Kelly Tripplehorn, Ashley Kiper, Denise Mackie, Lauren Acker, Jessica Burns.



(Community Camera photo)

**PHS Mixed Concert Choir:** Tiffany Bruce, Lee Carmichael, Kimberly Cory, Mary Grace Fields, Hayle Garrison, Greg Hartman, Stefanie Harwood, Dillon Hill, Melea Jouett, Danny Kirkpatrick, Courtney Lang, Rachel Ledford, Jacob Lewis, Lindsey Mitchell, Danette Navarrete, Helen Orr, Patrick Parsons, Matt Rains, Kris Ann Rogers, Traci Shelton, Felix Staehli, Kristen Stephens, Britteny Street, Windy Wagner, Rebekah Warner.



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**PHS Men's Concert Choir:** Cory Bigham, Greg Easley, Nathanael Hill, Tyler Hudson, Ben Ledbetter, Justin Lemons, Chris Lewis, Wes Martin, Adam Parks, Jared Spearman, Heath Bentley, Ryan Black, Clay Britton, Lance Burton, Chris Crow, Aaron Fernuk, Josh Gibson, Kyle Keith, Tristan Perry, Ryan Sells.



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**PHS Women's Concert Choir:** Sarah Fraser, Charity Godwin, Ashlee Hunt, Britteny Kindle, Shelby McGahan, Nicole Bruton, Angie Cloud, Maegan Dyer, Meredith Hendricks, Ashley Knipp, Lindsay Langford, Melissa Lawrence, Jessica Morrison, Catherine Morse, Angela Murray, Lizette Navarrete, Tara Perkins, Celeste Stowers, Mandi West, Joanna Wheeley, Jessica Williams, Katherine Zemansk.



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**PHS Women's Upperclassmen Choir:** Leslie Ammons, Tosha Anderson, April Angel, Crystal Angel, Rhianna Anglin, Raynee Canaday, Anita Carter, Stacie Carter, Stacy Dunn, Sarah Durrett, Karlie Green, Kelli Lambert, Misti Northcutt, Abbey Parker, Janelle Powers, Amy Robbins, Krista Roby, Sara Scott, Andi Shank, Shellie Snapp, Tina Vance, Shirlynn West, Collin Lewis, Danielle Martinez, Kristen Stowers, Morgan White.



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**PHS Women's Freshmen Choir:** Ashley Abbe, Abby Bradley, Betsy Crossman, Taryn Fallon, Stephanie Fisher, Anna Hays, Emily Johnson, Leah Lawrence, Tiffani Neer, Stephanie Price, Tammy Silva, Lindsay Smith, Ashley Swindle, Jenny Tollison, Liz West, Codi Wisdom, Abby Cavalier, Casey Fisher, Cassie Gibson, Karissa Intemann, Sarah Porter, Teryn Stowers, Valerie Vetez, Mary Alice Warner.



# The King and I



Anna and the King will be portrayed by Morgan Ketchersid and Craig Crowell.



Seven Royal princes are front, Landon McNeely, Ben Gibson, Joshua Mulkey, and middle, Garnett Schafer, Zac Ammons, Gregory Warner, Joseph Johnson, Morgan Ketchersid and Craig Crowell are shown as Anna and the King, back.

April 28 and 29  
7:30 p.m.  
M.K. Brown Auditorium  
Adults \$5.00 Students \$4.00  
Children under 5 free

Design by Bree Rohrbacher



Anna de Louis are Morgan Ketchersid and Ryan Carnagy



Jesse Dixon, Monica Schepp, Erica Schepp and Bailey Dixon are the Royal Twins.



Priests are, front, Austin Fritchett, Garnett Schafer, Jesse Parks, Phillips Rodriguez. Back, Micheal Kane, Adam Hagerman, Craig Crowell (The King), Kyle McKee and Kevin Schepp.



King and Queen Crowell in front is shown with the Royal... Lane Holmes, Breanna Sealey, Logan... Middle, Alexander Long... Courtney Brown, Brittany Brown, Britany... Michelle, Lane Sealey, Jack... Foster... Danny... and Bailey...







**Karen Lynne Babcock and the Rev. Mark Alan Metzger  
Babcock-Metzger**

Karen Lynne Babcock of Amarillo and the Rev. Mark Alan Metzger of Stratford were wed April 29 in St. Stephen United Methodist Church of Amarillo with Dr. Jim Smith, of the church, officiating. The bridesmaids were Katie Culwell of Amarillo, Sara Joyce of Vega, Kim Babcock of Groom and Marci Nix of Farmington, N.M. The flower girls were Morgan Culwell of Amarillo and Ashley Nix of Farmington. The best man was the Rev. Billy DeMersseman of Dexter, Ga. The groomsmen were the Rev. Jerry Moore of Gruver, Robert Nix of Farmington and Clint Babcock of Groom. The ushers were Walt Berry, Doak Crabtree and Eddie Metcalf, all of Stratford, Barry Harp of Dalhart and Lee Riffe of Dallas. The candlelighters were Lori Davis of Amarillo and Kenda Gilbreath of Sunray. Registering the guests were Tai Ann and Kara Brownlee of Stratford and Mary and Sarah Hutsell of Groom. Music was provided by organist the Rev. Terry Lowe of Amarillo, pianist Jim Taliaferro and vocalist Shannon Taliaferro of Stratford, vocalist the Rev. Rusty Sieck of Amarillo and vocalists Steve and Pam Hutsell of Groom. A reception was held following the service in Fletcher Fellowship Hall of the church with Melinda Burgin of Midland, Lisa Crabtree and Barbara Dettle, both of Stratford, and Amy Williams of Amarillo serving the guests. The bride is the daughter of Kenneth and Linda Babcock of Groom. She graduated from Groom High School and holds a bachelor of business administration degree in management from West Texas A&M University. She is currently employed by Panhandle Regional Planning Commission. The groom is the son of the Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth T. Metzger of Abilene. He graduated from Memphis High School and holds a bachelor of arts degree in government from Angelo State University and a master of divinity from Asbury Theological Seminary. He is currently pastor at First United Methodist Church of Stratford. The couple planned a honeymoon trip to Hawaii and intend to make their home in Stratford.

**Menus**

April 24-28

<p><b>Pampa Schools</b> <b>MONDAY</b> Breakfast: French toast sticks, syrup. Lunch: Ravioli or pizza, green beans, pears, hot rolls. <b>TUESDAY</b> Breakfast: Breakfast pizza. Lunch: Breaded cutlets or steak fingers, whipped potatoes, English peas, fresh fruit, hot rolls. <b>WEDNESDAY</b> Breakfast: Toast, peanut butter and jelly. Lunch: Tamales and enchiladas or Taco Bell burritos, corn, Spanish rice, spiced apples. <b>THURSDAY</b> Breakfast: Donuts, sausage patty. Lunch: Popcorn chicken or peanut butter sandwiches with cheese portion, tater tots, broccoli florets, mixed fruit, hot rolls. <b>FRIDAY</b> Breakfast: Cereal, toast, sausage patty. Lunch: Submarine sandwiches or hamburgers,</p>	<p>French fries, lettuce and tomatoes, pineapples. <b>Lefors Schools</b> <b>MONDAY</b> Breakfast: Muffins, cereal, toast, juice, milk. Lunch: Chicken patties, spinach, whipped potatoes, rolls, fruit, milk. <b>TUESDAY</b> Breakfast: Toast, cereal, juice, milk. Lunch: Beef and cheese nachos, beans, salad, fruit, milk. <b>WEDNESDAY</b> Breakfast: French toast sticks, cereal, toast, juice, milk. Lunch: Turkey and dressing, green beans, whipped potatoes, rolls, fruit, milk. <b>THURSDAY</b> Breakfast: Ham and eggs, cereal, toast, juice, milk. Lunch: Ham, Salisbury steak, scalloped potatoes, broccoli and cheese, rolls, fruit, milk. <b>FRIDAY</b> Breakfast: Breakfast burritos, toast, cereal, juice, milk.</p>	<p>Lunch: Hot dogs, chili, cheese, crispy fries, salad, fruit, milk. <b>Senior Citizens</b> <b>MONDAY</b> Chicken fried steak or chicken/ham tetrazini, mashed potatoes, beets, spinach, beans, German chocolate cake or blueberry pie, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread. <b>TUESDAY</b> Stir fry chicken or Salisbury steak, onion potatoes, green beans, squash, beans, Boston creme pie or chocolate icebox pie, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread. <b>WEDNESDAY</b> Roast beef brisket with brown gravy or cook's choice, mashed potatoes, creme corn, broccoli, beans, black forest cake or bread pudding, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread. <b>THURSDAY</b> Chicken strips or meatloaf,</p>	<p>mashed potatoes, baked cabbage, breaded tomatoes, beans, banana nut cake or butterscotch pudding cups, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread. <b>FRIDAY</b> Fried cod fish or spaghetti and meatsauce, potato wedges, brussell sprouts, beans, brownies or tapioca, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls, garlic toast or cornbread. <b>Meals On Wheels</b> <b>MONDAY</b> Chopped sirloin, vegetable blend, mashed potatoes, pumpkin bars. <b>TUESDAY</b> Sausage and rice, cauliflower, English peas, cookies. <b>WEDNESDAY</b> Stew, cornbread, vanilla wafers. <b>THURSDAY</b> Ravioli, chuckwagon corn, green beans, cake. <b>FRIDAY</b> Chicken spaghetti, pickled beets, broccoli, jello.</p>
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**Tonya Gay Edwards and David Rodney Robertson  
Edwards-Robertson**

Tonya Gay Edwards of Friendswood and David Rodney Robertson of Pampa were married March 18 at the home of the groom's parents with Rick Parnell of Central Baptist Church of Pampa officiating. The mother of the bride served as matron of honor and the groom's father was best man. A reception was held following the service at the residence. The bride is the daughter of Donnie and Kazuko Edwards of Friendswood. She graduated from Friendswood High School in 1990 and is currently employed at Robertson Insurance Agency. The groom is the son of David and Debbie Robertson of Pampa. He graduated from Pampa High School in 1990 and from the University of Texas at Arlington in 1996. He is currently employed with Guardsmark. The couple plan to make their home in Pampa.



**Krista Michelle Carpenter and James Kirk McDonald  
Carpenter-McDonald**

Krista Michelle Carpenter and James Kirk McDonald plan to wed July 8 in First Baptist Church of Lubbock. The bride-elect is the daughter of Lewis and Janice Carpenter of Lubbock and is the granddaughter of Cecil Curry of Iowa Park. She graduated from Lubbock Coronado High School in 1994 and from Texas Tech University in 1998, receiving a degree in family and consumer sciences. She is currently employed as the accounting adviser with Vinson & Elkins Law Firm in Austin. The prospective groom is the son of Lee and Katie McDonald of Pampa and is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Blackstone of Enochs and Mr. and Mrs. Horace McDonald of Quitaque. He graduated from Pampa High School in 1993 and from Texas Tech University in 1998, receiving a degree in landscape architecture. He is currently employed as a landscape architect/planner with Richardson Verdoorn in Austin.

**Good Luck in Dallas!**  
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**Women turning to diet, herbs to keep healthy**

By EMILY SPICER  
San Antonio Express-News

SAN ANTONIO — Englishwoman Linda Kearns was 52 when she found the dark spot on her breast, which she was convinced was cancer. After several tests, doctors told her not to worry. But Kearns was taking no chances. She stopped hormone replacement therapy cold turkey, even after 13 years of taking the hormones since surgery to remove her ovaries. The side effects were devastating. "I had horrible symptoms: hot flashes, night sweats, palpitations, it was awful. I had to go back on (HRT) because I felt so dreadful," says Kearns, now 54. She then weaned herself off HRT over four weeks. Her symptoms, while not as intense, were still bad. As a self-described lifetime whole-foods eater, with a background in nutrition, she decided to find a way to ease her symptoms naturally. So she joined the thousands of women who have begun to question the standards of conventional, Western medicine, and who are seeking a different way to treat their menopause symptoms: through diet, herbal supplements or even plant-derived prescriptions. Menopause, when women stop menstruating, usually happens in women 50-52, but as local gynecologist Deborah McNabb points out, there is a wide range of normal. The problem with current HRTs, which use synthetic hormones and hormones from other animals, is that while some studies show it helps reduce the risk of heart disease and osteoporosis in post-menopausal women, other studies link it to an increased risk for breast cancer. For that reason, McNabb says that women with a family history of breast cancer are not good candidates for conventional HRT. Things can also get tricky when women start to experience menopausal symptoms during peri-menopause, the stage before menopause when periods become infrequent and irregular before stopping altogether. Often, women in this phase suffer the same symptoms of hot flashes, palpitations, fatigue, etc. Relief for these women is hard to find, McNabb says, because estrogen levels are fluctuating tremendously. One day, the body could have almost none, resulting in menopausal symptoms, and another day there could be a lot, perhaps resulting in menstruation. Giving the right amount of hormones at any given time is nearly impossible. And with hormones, there can be too much of a good thing. "If a woman comes in with a great family history and she eats right and exercises, then she's probably a good candidate for getting HRT," McNabb says. (See, HERBS, Page 16)

**The Pregnancy Support Center of Pampa**  
will hold their  
**"Walk For Life" at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 6, at the Pampa High School Track.**  
The Walk will feature door prizes, face painting, a coloring contest and a hot dog lunch for all walk participants.  
Thanks to the following sponsors:  
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# Newsmakers



**Leslee Ann Ammons**

The United States Achievement Academy recently announced Pampa High School students Leslee Ann Ammons and Sarah Fraser were named All-American Scholars.

USAA established the All-American Scholar program to offer deserved recognition to superior students who excel in the academic disciplines. To be eligible for the honor, students must earn a 3.3 or higher grade point average. Only scholars selected by a school instructor, counselor or other qualified sponsor are accepted.

Ammons and Fraser were nominated for the award by Starla Kindle, counselor at Pampa High, and will appear in the All-American Scholar Yearbook, published nationally.

Ammons is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ammons of Pampa and is the grand-



**Sarah Fraser**

daughter of Tom and Ernestine Ammons and Jim and Joyce Cantrell, all of Pampa.

Fraser is the daughter of Mike and Dottie Fraser of Pampa and is the granddaughter of Lee and Gaye Nell Fraser of Pampa and Dorothy Johnston of Canadian.

The National Merit Scholarship Program recently announced Christopher Stellman of Stillwater, Okla., formerly of Pampa, has been named a National Merit Scholar.

Fewer than 1 percent of all U.S. high school graduating seniors receive this distinction. To be eligible for the honor, a student must achieve an outstanding high school academic record; must receive the endorsement of their school's principal; must earn SAT scores which confirm



**Christopher Stellman**

their qualifying PSAT test performance; and must show leadership/participation in school and community activities.

Stellman's activities, honors and accomplishments include: Who's Who Among American High School Students; Varsity Scholar; Oklahoma Academic Scholar; National Honor Society; BETA Club; and Youth and Government Association. He attends First United Methodist Church and is active in FUMC's youth program. His future plans include pursuing a degree in architecture at Oklahoma State University.

Stellman is the son of Vernon T. and Fran Stellman.

The United States Achievement Academy recently announced Justin Barnes, Janelle Powers and Cassi Scott, all Pampa High School students, were recently named United States National Award Winners in Honor Roll — Barnes and Powers; in Student Council — Barnes and Scott; and in Leadership — Barnes.

The Academy recognizes fewer than 10 percent of all American high school students. Barnes, Powers and Scott were all nominated for the award by Starla Kindle, a counselor at PHS, and will appear in the USAA Official Yearbook, published nationally.

The Academy selects USAA winners based upon the exclusive recommendation of teachers, coaches, counselors and other qualified sponsors and upon academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit and dependability.

Barnes is the son of Terry and Dede Barnes of Pampa and is the grandson of W.E. and Barbara Jones of Lubbock and Agnes Barnes of Pampa.

Powers is the daughter of Tim and Janice Powers of Pampa and is the granddaughter of Nell Warren of Pampa and Sue Powers of Dothan, Ala.

Scott is the daughter of Melinda and Marty Scott of Pampa and is the granddaughter of Betty and Bobby Helm and Carole Scott, all of Pampa.

FORT WORTH — Stacy



**Justin Barnes**

Raelene Sandlin, daughter of Jim and Becky Downey of Pampa and Danny Sandlin of Denver, Colo., was recently inducted into Sigma Theta Tau, Inc., International Honor Society of Nursing's Beta Alpha Chapter, Harris College of Nursing, Texas Christian University.

STT honor society, founded at Indiana University in 1922, is a prestigious organization of nursing leaders, scholars and researchers with chapters in more than 400 colleges and universities worldwide.



**Cassi Scott**

Membership is awarded to bachelor's, master's and doctoral nursing candidates who achieve high scholastic averages and to graduates of nursing programs who have made significant contributions to nursing.

STT promotes nursing scholarship, leadership, creativity and commitment to nursing among its members and sponsors nursing research, produces various publications and hosts scholarly programs on the international, national, regional and local levels.



**Stacy Raelene Sandlin**

Philip J. Reed Jr. of Pampa was recently named for publication in Who's Who Among American High School Students. Who's Who is dedicated to recognizing students who excel academically and is published nationwide.

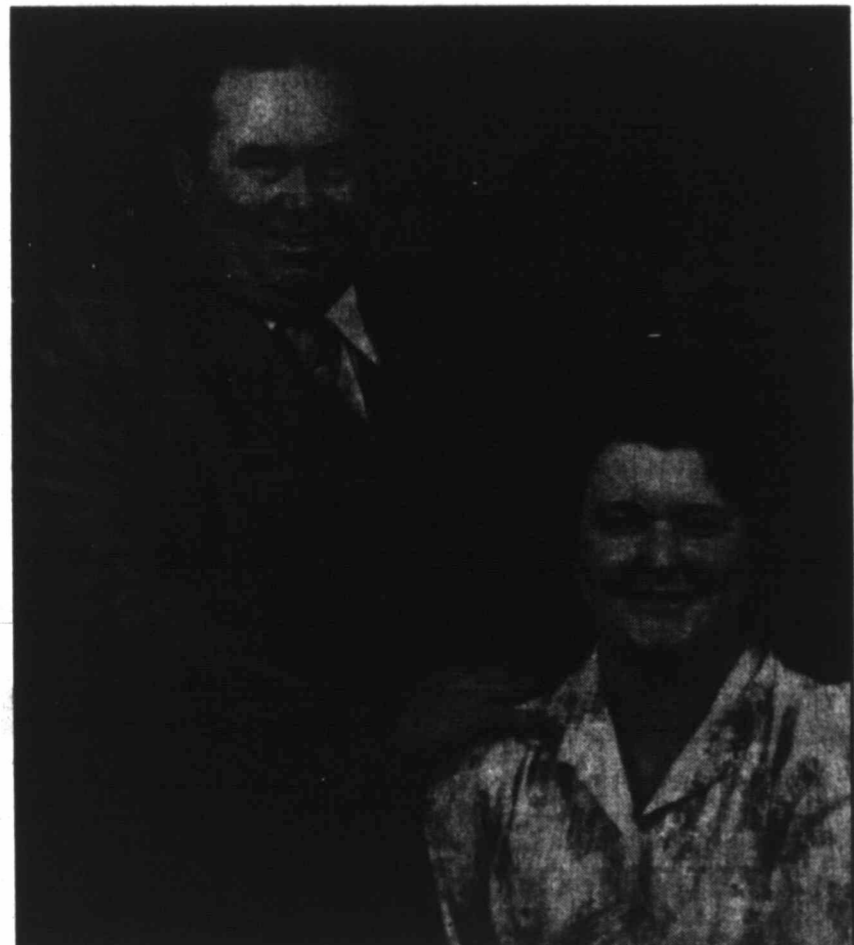
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**Mr. and Mrs. Eudell Gifford**

## Gifford anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Eudell Gifford of Lefors celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary April 20, 2000, at The Pickin Shack in Lefors. Children and family of the couple hosted the barbecue dinner.

Eudell Gifford and Mary Ann Meeks were married April 20, 1965, at Panhandle and have made their home in Lefors since that time.

Mr. Gifford, a longtime heavy equipment operator, retired from Gray County Road and Bridge in 1994.

Mrs. Gifford is a homemaker.

Children of the couple are Aaron Gifford, Donna Gifford, Arthur Gifford, Nita Wallace, Vann Wallace, Dustin and Dyllan Wallace, all of Lefors.

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**Michal Brooke Moore and Jamisen Edward Hancock**

## Moore-Hancock

Michal Brooke Moore and Jamisen Edward Hancock, both of Canyon, plan to wed June 24 at Priarwood Church in Pampa.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Skip and Jamie Moore of Canyon. She graduated from Canyon High School in 1998 and is currently a sophomore nursing major at West Texas A&M University.

The prospective groom is the son of Lynn and Janet Hancock of Pampa. He graduated from Pampa High School in 1997 and is currently a junior business management major at West Texas A&M University. He plans to enter law school in 2001.

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**Business Professionals of America**



Eleven Business Professionals of American members recently attended BPA State Leadership Conference in Plano. Above are: Daniel Dreher, Christi Lee, Milissa Session, Jessica Conner, Lisa Estrada, Sean Stowers and Caryn Lowrey. Other attending included Daisy Leal, Kellen Ebel, Jimmy Story and Chris Hearron.

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**HERBS**

"But that's not the average woman. The average woman is like me, a little overweight, with a history of heart problems or high blood pressure."

In these cases, or when women haven't actually reached menopause yet, McNabb says alternative HRTs could be a reasonable option. In fact, she has several patients who are experimenting with alternative therapies. Some are reporting great successes, and others have had problems like irregular bleeding.

"I don't discourage people from trying new therapies, but I can't recommend them," she says, explaining that if a patient is interested in finding out more about them, she refers them to someone else with more experience in supplements.

One of the people she commonly refers patients to is Kiersten Alton, a local pharmacist who specializes in compounding (taking commercially available medicine ingredients and making new combinations or forms of medication) and supplements.

Alton recommends starting with a diet rich in phytoestrogens (plant-derived estrogen hormones).

Phytoestrogens have a mild estrogenic effect on the body and can help ease some of the menopausal symptoms, she says. For many women, like Kearns, that's enough.

After weaning herself off hormone replacement therapy, Kearns started experimenting with making a cake that could in one serving give her all the nutrients she needed a day for relief.

But making a cake out of soy flour, oats, various seeds, raisins and soy milk isn't easy. It took three weeks of experimenting (and eating unsatisfactory results) before a decent cake emerged.

Her symptoms also started to disappear.

"I wasn't feeling the same palpitations and night sweats. And I got better and better, and now the cake's better, too," Kearns said with a laugh.

The cake is so much better, in fact, that it is being sold in various English bakeries. Kearns has even moved on and derived dozens of other "menopause-beating recipes" and put them in a book called "Eat to Beat

Menopause" (Thorsons, \$16.95).

Today she is symptom-free. Alton says that even one or two servings of phytoestrogen-rich foods can have an effect. Because the food is whole, not extracted, it's hard to overdo it.

For women who don't have time to cook, or don't like soy-based diets, Alton recommends diet supplements, such as soy extract, black cohosh and red clover, which are said to help relieve menopausal symptoms.

But she warns that supplements should not be viewed as harmless and should not be taken in conjunction with standard HRT.

"When you eat a whole plant, that's fine, because there are other things in the plant that help keep everything in balance. But taking an extract, when you isolate one thing, it's like a drug. We have some pretty strong technology and supplements, and they don't require (FDA drug) studies because they fall under food, not drugs," Alton explains.

She discourages women with, or at a high risk for, breast cancer from taking supplements without supervision.

For women who are already good candidates for HRT and want prescription-strength relief, there is a natural alternative. Compounding pharmacists like Alton can make a plant-derived HRT (with a doctor's prescription) of the same strength as standard HRT. The plant-derived version is generally called Tri-est.

Alton says Tri-est more closely mimics the body's own estrogen and has fewer side effects than standard HRT.

Both Alton and McNabb agree that few doctors know about menopause treatment alternatives, as many are new and don't require FDA testing. So, patients should take the initiative to ask their doctors about other treatments.

"I want women to know that if you have a family history of breast cancer and the doctor wants to put you on synthetic hormone replacement therapy, there are other options out there. It's OK to question a therapy. And if you don't feel good about it, find someone else to talk to," Alton says.

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**LETTERS**

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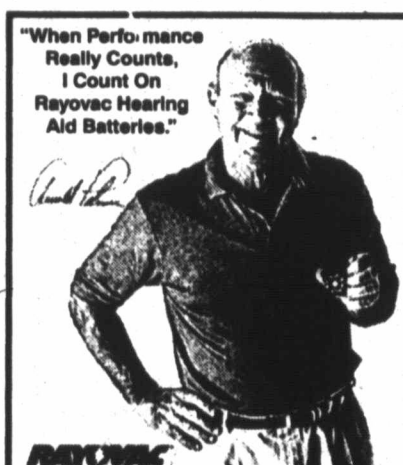
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#### Neck and Low Back Pain

##### What can cause neck or low back pain?

- Radiculopathy
- Myofascial pain
- Spinal Instability
- Spinal Stenosis
- Tendon/Ligament pain
- Repetitive Strain Injury

##### Physical Therapy treatment of neck low back pain

Physical Therapy department at the Pampa Regional Medical Center recommends treatment for any neck or low back injury as soon as possible to minimize any further aggravation. Treatment for neck and low back injuries occurs in three phases.

During the first phase, called the **acute phase**, a physical therapist will treat pain and inflammation. A specific treatment plan is developed for each patient and may include ultrasound stimulation, massage, myofascial release, and heat application.

In the second phase, called the **recovery phase**, treatment focuses on returning the patient to his/her daily activities. This goal is achieved through a individualized program for cervical (neck or lumbar (back) stabilization, flexibility and strength training, a home exercise program and patient education.

The third phase, the **maintenance phase**, focuses on preventing further injury or a recurrence of symptoms. This consists of total body fitness including: aerobic exercise, body mechanics training, and further patient education.

#### Carpal Tunnel Syndrome

##### What is Carpal Tunnel Syndrome?

Carpal Tunnel Syndrome (CTS) is a painful, potentially debilitating condition caused by repetitive motion, trauma, lifestyle or genetic disposition. CTS affects over 2 million people in the US today and women are three times more likely to have CTS than men.

Symptoms may include: pain and numbness of the fingers and hand with activities, weakness or clumsiness holding objects, decreased grip strength with everyday activities, and night pain. Excessive use of the hand and wrist usually increases the severity of symptoms.

##### Physical Therapy Treatment of CTS at the Pampa Regional Medical Center

The Physical Therapy Department at the Pampa Regional Medical Center offers a comprehensive treatment program for Carpal Tunnel Syndrome. Treatment includes fabrication of custom splints (braces), pain management, evaluation of work stations and work activities, prevention education, and individualized exercise programs.

Through early diagnosis, patient education and prevention, the Physical Therapy department at Pampa Regional Medical Center can help you successfully manage Carpal Tunnel Syndrome.







THURSDAY AFTERNOON / EVENING APRIL 27, 2000. Table with columns for time slots (12pm, 12:30, 1pm, 1:30, 2pm, 2:30, 3pm, 3:30, 4pm, 4:30, 5pm, 5:30, 6pm, 6:30, 7pm, 7:30, 8pm, 8:30, 9pm, 9:30, 10pm, 10:30, 11pm, 11:30) and rows for various TV channels (KACV, KAMR, KVII, KFDA, KCFD, A&E, AMC, BET, COM, DISH, EI, ESPN, ESPN2, FAM, FSNW, HST, LIFE, NICK, SCIFI, TBS, TCM, TLC, TNT, TOON, TYLAND, UNI, USA, WGN, HBO, MAX, SHOW, TMC) listing programs and movies.

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# Community Calendar

FREEDOM MUSEUM, 600 N. Hobart is open from 12-4 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday. Revolutionary War to Kocovo. All branches of service are represented. For more information, call 669-6066.

LOVETT MEMORIAL LIBRARY announces a children's program at 10 a.m. each Tuesday from Jan. 11-May 16. Open to all children ages 18-months to five years. Programs include crafts and stories.

FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN COWBOYS meet the fourth Saturday of each month at the Clyde Carruth Livestock Pavilion, 6:30 p.m. Pot luck supper. For more information contact Kevin Romines, 665-8547 or Jim Greene, 665-8067.

RETIRED TEACHERS ASSOCIATION meets at 2 p.m. the third Monday of every month at the Senior Citizens Center. For more information, contact Carolyn Smith, 665-5158.

FIRST PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH hosts "Second Sunday Singing" from 2-4 p.m. the second Sunday of each month. Singers and musicians from all over perform congregational singing. The public is cordially invited to attend. For more information, call Mina Towey, 665-8529.

WHITE DEER LAND MUSEUM will celebrate its 30th anniversary in the Year 2000. A new exhibit, "A Season of Change, 1900-2000," will go up in January to celebrate the anniversary and the millennium. The exhibit will run from January-September.

WHITE DEER LAND MUSEUM will be selling leaves and rocks to go on the new bronze Heritage which is in the Holland Wing. The items may be purchased all year as memorials and tributes to families,

family members and friends.

TRALEE CRISIS CENTER support groups for victims of family violence — both women and children — meet every Thursday evening. For more information, call Diane about the adult support groups, 669-1788, and Nita about the children's support groups, 669-1131.

TRALEE CRISIS CENTER Coordinating Council meets once a month. For more information, call Ann, 669-1131.

MEALS ON WHEELS Garage Sale, 900 N. Frost, will be every Monday throughout February and April. For more information, call Cindy Gindorf, 669-1007.

PAMPA YOUTH AND COMMUNITY CENTER Water Aerobics class will be from 6-7 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. For more information, call Frankie Hildenbrand, 669-3713, or Lee, Betty or Liz at Pampa Youth Center, 665-0748.

PAMPA AREA LITERACY COUNCIL office will be open from 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Monday-Friday. PALC volunteers work with people who need basic reading/writing skills as well as English as a second language. For more information, call 665-2331.

GRAY COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY HEAD-QUARTERS located in the Combs-Worley Building, 120 W. Kingsmill, Suite 202. Open Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. For more information, call 669-1276.

OUTREACH HEALTH SERVICES/WIC Nutrition education classes. Open to the public. For more information, call 665-1182.

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ILL will meet the second Thursday of the month at 7 p.m. at 218 N. Russell. For more information call Sharon King, 665-2818.

AL-ANON will hold weekly meetings on Mondays and Wednesdays at 8 p.m. at 910 W. Kentucky. For more information, call 669-7501.

CLEAN AIR AL-ANON will hold weekly meetings on Tuesdays and Thursdays at noon at 810 W. 23rd. For more information, call 669-7501.

CLEAN AIR AL-ATEEN will hold weekly meetings on Mondays at 7 p.m. at 810 W. 23rd. For more information, call 669-3988.

VFW POST #1657, 105 S. Cuyler. Charity Bingo every Wednesday at 7 p.m. and Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Doors open one hour early. No one under 18 allowed. Public is welcome. License No. 1-75-6037422-9. For more information contact Edgar D. Carson, 669-0853 or 669-1264.

WOMEN OF THE MOOSE Charity Bingo every Monday at 7 p.m. at the Moose Lodge, 403 W. Brown. Doors open at 6 p.m. Public welcome. License #1-751616469-0.

THE ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP will have regularly scheduled meetings the first Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. at Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency, Inc. For more information contact Chrys Smith at 665-0356.

MEALS ON WHEELS Garage Sale will be every Monday through April at 900 N. Frost. For more information, call Cindy Gindorf at 669-1007.

MISS TOP O' TEXAS RODEO 2000 pageant entries are currently being accepted. The pageant will be held

July 13-15. The deadline for entries is May 30. For more information, call the Rodeo office at 669-0434.

HIDDEN HILLS Women's Golf Association will hold its "Play Day" at 6 p.m. each Monday from May-September. For more information, call 669-0434.

GRAY COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY regular meetings will be at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Monday of each month at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church Parish Hall, 727 W. Browning. For more information, call Harley Madison at 669-6294.

APRIL

TRALEE CRISIS CENTER National Sexual Assault Awareness Month. Tralee will coordinate a project to help with community awareness. For more information, call 669-1131.

25 - FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Women's Fellowship Ministry will present "Shower of Blessings" at 6:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. The menu will be chicken salad on a croissant, mixed fruit, salad, chips, pickles, baby carrots and dessert. The cost will be \$4. The speaker will be Diana Lane of City Church in Amarillo. For reservations, call the church office at 669-1155 by Thursday, April 20. An optional child gift may be brought. Call the church office for suggestions.

26 - TOP O' TEXAS REPUBLICAN WOMEN'S CLUB monthly luncheon will be from 11:45 a.m.-1 p.m. at Furr's Cafeteria.

27 - PANHANDLE PIECEMAKERS QUILT GUILD will meet at 6:30 p.m. at Pampa Senior Citizens Center, 500 W. Francis. The program will be a demonstration on making chenille. For more information, call (806) 779-2115. Visitors are welcome.



# ENTERTAINMENT

## Billboard music charts

### By The Associated Press

Weekly charts for the nation's best-selling recorded music as they appear in next week's issue of Billboard magazine. Reprinted with permission. (Platinum signifies more than 1 million copies sold; Gold signifies more than 500,000 copies sold.)

#### Billboard Hot 100: Top 10

(Compiled from a national sample of sales reports collected, compiled and provided by SoundScan; radio playlists; and monitored radio by Broadcast Data Systems)

1. "Maria Maria," Santana (feat. The Product G&B). Arista. (Platinum)
2. "Breathe," Faith Hill. Warner Bros. (Nashville)
3. "He Wasn't Man Enough," Toni Braxton. LaFace.
4. "Thong Song," Sisqo. Dragon/Def Soul.
5. "Say My Name," Destiny's Child. Columbia. (Gold)
6. "Bye Bye Bye," 'N Sync. Jive.
7. "I Try," Macy Gray. Epic. (Gold)
8. "Amazed," Lonestar. BNA. (Gold)
9. "Everything You Want," Vertical Horizon. RCA.
10. "It Feels So Good," Sonique. Farm Club/Republic. Copyright 2000, BPI Communications Inc. and SoundScan Inc.

#### The Billboard 200 Top Albums: Top 10

(Compiled from a national

sample of sales reports collected, compiled and provided by SoundScan)

1. "No Strings Attached," 'N Sync. Jive. (Platinum)
2. "Return Of Saturn," No Doubt. Trauma.
3. "Supernatural," Santana. Arista. (Platinum)
4. "Unleash The Dragon," Sisqo. Dragon. (Platinum)
5. "Unrestricted," Da Brat. So So Def/Columbia.
6. Soundtrack: "Romeo Must Die." Blackground.
7. "The Writing's On The Wall," Destiny's Child. (Platinum)
8. "Yeeeah Baby," Big Punisher. Loud/Columbia.
9. "Dr. Dre — 2001," Dr. Dre. Aftermath. (Platinum)
10. "On How Life Is," Macy Gray. Epic. (Platinum) Copyright 2000, BPI Communications Inc. and SoundScan Inc.

#### Hot Adult Contemporary

(Compiled from a national sample of airplay supplied by Broadcast Data Systems)

1. "Breathe," Faith Hill. Warner Bros.
2. "I Knew I Loved You," Savage Garden. Columbia. (Gold)
3. "Amazed," Lonestar. BNA. (Gold)
4. "That's The Way It Is," Celine Dion. 550 Music.
5. "Show Me The Meaning Of Being Lonely," Backstreet Boys. Jive.
6. "Back At One," Brian

- McKnight. Motown.
7. "Someday Out Of The Blue," Elton John. DreamWorks.
  8. "You Sang To Me," Marc Anthony. Columbia.
  9. "You'll Be In My Heart," Phil Collins. Walt Disney.
  10. "I Do (Cherish You)," 98 Degrees. Universal.

#### Mainstream Rock Tracks

(Compiled from a national sample of airplay supplied by Broadcast Data Systems)

1. "Kryptonite," 3 Doors Down. Republic.
2. "Otherside," Red Hot Chili Peppers. Warner Bros.
3. "Stiff Upper Lip," AC/DC. EastWest.
4. "No Leaf Clover," Metallica. Elektra.
5. "Nothing As It Seems," Pearl Jam. Epic.
6. "What If," Creed. Wind-up.
7. "Voodoo," Godsmack. Republic.
8. "Pardon Me," Incubus. Immortal.
9. "Higher," Creed. Wind-up.
10. "Leader Of Men," Nickelback. Roadrunner.

#### Modern Rock Tracks

(Compiled from a national sample of airplay supplied by Broadcast Data Systems)

1. "Otherside," Red Hot Chili Peppers. Warner Bros.
2. "Adam's Song," Blink-182. MCA.
3. "Pardon Me," Incubus. Immortal.
4. "Kryptonite," 3 Doors Down. Republic.

5. "Stand Inside Your Love," The Smashing Pumpkins. Virgin.
6. "Miserable," Lit. RCA.
7. "The Bad Touch," Bloodhound Gang. Republic/Geffen.
8. "Make Me Bad," Korn. Immortal.
9. "Voodoo," Godsmack. Republic.
10. "Sleep Now In The Fire," Rage Against The Machine. Epic.

#### Hot Country Singles and Tracks

(Compiled from a national sample of monitored country radio by Broadcast Data Systems)

1. "The Best Day," George Strait. MCA Nashville.
2. "How Do You Like Me Now?," Toby Keith. DreamWorks.
3. "Love's The Only House," Martina McBride. RCA.
4. "Buy Me A Rose," Kenny Rogers (w/Alison Krauss & Billy Dean). Dreamcatcher.
5. "Carlene," Phil Vassar. Arista Nashville.
6. "The Way You Love Me," Faith Hill. Warner Bros.
7. "Been There," Clint Black (w/Steve Wariner). RCA.
8. "She's More," Andy Griggs. RCA.
9. "The Chain Of Love," Clay Walker. Giant.
10. "Lessons Learned," Tracy Lawrence. Atlantic. Copyright 2000, BPI Communications Inc. and SoundScan Inc.

#### Top Country Albums

(Compiled from a national sample of sales reports collected, compiled and provided by SoundScan)

1. "Fly," Dixie Chicks. Monument. (Platinum)
2. "Breathe," Faith Hill. Warner Bros. (Platinum)
3. "Latest Greatest Straitest Hits," George Strait. MCA Nashville.
4. "Come On Over," Shania Twain. Mercury. (Platinum)
5. "Real Live Woman," Trisha Yearwood. MCA Nashville. BNA. (Platinum)
6. "Lonely Grill," Lonestar. (Platinum)
7. "Wide Open Spaces," Dixie Chicks. Monument. (Platinum)
8. "A Place In The Sun," Tim McGraw. Curb. (Platinum)
9. "How Do You Like Me Now?," Toby Keith. DreamWorks.
10. "She Rides Wild Horses," Kenny Rogers. Dreamcatcher. (Gold) Copyright 2000, BPI Communications Inc. and SoundScan Inc.

#### Hot R&B/Hip-Hop Singles and Tracks

(Compiled from a national sample of sales reports and radio playlists)

1. "He Wasn't Man Enough," Toni Braxton. LaFace.
2. "I Wish," Carl Thomas. Bad Boy.
3. "Wobble Wobble," 504 Boyz. No Limit.
4. "Maria Maria," Santana (feat. The Product G&B). Arista. (Platinum)
5. "I Wanna Know," Joe. Jive.
6. "Thong Song," Sisqo. Dragon/Def Soul.
7. "Try Again," Aaliyah. Blackground.
8. "Pary Up (Up In Here)," DMX. Ruff Ryders/Def Jam.
9. "Separated," Avant. Magic Johnson.
10. "I Don't Wanna," Aaliyah. Blackground. Copyright 2000, BPI Communications Inc. and SoundScan Inc.

#### Top R&B/Hip-Hop Albums

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1. "Unrestricted," Da Brat. So So Def/Columbia.
2. Soundtrack: "Romeo Must Die." Blackground.
3. "Yeeeah Baby," Big Punisher. Loud/Columbia.
4. "Unleash The Dragon," Sisqo. Dragon. (Platinum)
5. "...And Then There Was X," DMX. Ruff Ryders. (Platinum)
6. "Vol. 3... The Life And Times Of S. Carter," Jay-Z. Roc-A-Fella/Def Jam. (Platinum)
7. "G," Gerald Levert. EastWest.
8. "War & Peace Vol. 2 (The Peace Disc)," Ice Cube. Lench Mob/Best Side.
9. "Dr. Dre — 2001," Dr. Dre. Aftermath. (Platinum)
10. "Opposite Of H2O," Drag-On. Ruff Ryders. Copyright 2000, BPI Communications Inc. and SoundScan Inc.

#### Hot Rap Singles

(Compiled from a national sample of sales reports collected, compiled and provided by SoundScan)

1. "Wobble Wobble," 504 Boyz. No Limit.
2. "Whistle While You Twurk," Ying Yang Twins. ColliPark.
3. "(Hot St) Country Grammar," Nelly. Fo' Real.
4. "Hot Boyz," Missy "Misdemeanor" Elliot (feat. NAS, Eve & Q-Tip) The Gold Mind. (Platinum)
5. "Bounce," Miracle. Sound Of Atlanta.
6. "I Like Dem," Lil Jon & The East Side Boyz. Short.
7. "How We Roll," 69 Boyz (feat. D.T. The Incredible Hulk). Home Bass.
8. "Got Your Money," Ol' Dirty Bastard (feat. Kelis). Elektra.
9. "How We Roll," 69 Boyz (feat. D.T. The Incredible Hulk). Jake/Dov Hollywood.
10. "Fabulous," Da Fat Cat Clique (feat. May B). DFCC/447. Copyright 2000, BPI Communications Inc. and SoundScan Inc.

#### Hot Dance Music — Club Play

(Compiled from a national sample of dance club playlists)

1. "It Feels So Good," Sonique. Farm Club/Republic.
2. "Be With You," Enrique Iglesias. Interscope.
3. "Missing You," Kim English. Nervous.
4. "If It Don't Fit," Abigail. Groovilicious.
5. "Give Me Tonight 2000," Shannon. Contagious.
6. "Better Of Alone," Alice DeeJay. Republic.
7. "King Of My Castle," Wamdue Project. Strictly Rhythm.
8. "Desert Rose," Sting (feat. Cheb Mami). A&M.
9. "Why Can't You Be Real," Byron Stingily. Nervous.
10. "I'm In Love," Veronica. Jellybean.

#### Hot Latin Tracks

(Compiled from national Latin radio airplay reports)

1. "A Puro Dolor," Son By Four. Sony Discos.
2. "Te Hice Mal," Los Temerarios. Fonovisa.
3. "Quiereme," Alejandro Fernandez. Sony Discos.
4. "Solo Me Importas Tu (Be With You)," Enrique Iglesias. Interscope.
5. "Que Alguien Me Diga," Gilberto Santa Rosa. Sony Discos.
6. "Volver A Amar," Christian Castro. Ariola.
7. "Que Voy A Hacer Sin Ti," Pablo Montero. RCA.
8. "Amarte Es Un Placer," Luis Miguel. WEA Latina.
9. "El Liston De Tu Pelo," Los Angeles Azules. Disa.
10. "Morir De Amor," Conjunto Primavera. Fonovisa. Copyright 2000, BPI Communications Inc. and SoundScan Inc.

#### Top Contemporary Jazz Albums

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1. "Tomorrow Today," Al Jarreau. GRP.
2. "The Dance," Dave Koz. Capitol.
3. "Classics In The Key Of G," Kenny G. Arista. (Platinum)
4. "My Book Of Love," Phil Perry. Peak/Private Music.
5. "Urban Knights III," Urban Knights. Narada.
6. "Fingerprints," Larry Carlton. Warner Bros.
7. "Body Language," Boney James. Warner Bros. (Gold)
8. "Brighter Day," Ronny Jordan. Blue Note.
9. "Late For The Future," Galactic. Capricorn.
10. "Somethin' Bout Love," Brian Culbertson. Atlantic. Copyright 2000, BPI Communications Inc. and SoundScan Inc.

#### Top Classical Albums

(Compiled from a national sample of sales reports collected, compiled and provided by SoundScan)

1. "Sacred Arias," Andrea Bocelli. Philips. (Platinum)
2. "Appalachian Journey," Ma/Meyer/O'Connor. Sony Classical.
3. "Fantasia 2000," Chicago Symphony Orchestra. Walt Disney.
4. "100 Years of Strauss," Andre Rieu. Philips.
5. "The Most Relaxing Classical Album in the World...Ever!," Various Artists. Circa/Virgin.
6. "Harmony," Various Artists. Virgin.
7. "The Best Opera Album In The World... Ever!," Various Artists. Circa/Virgin.
8. "Caruso 2000," Enrico Caruso. RCA Victor.
9. "Barber And Meyer Violin Concertos," Hilary Hahn. Sony Classical.
10. "Simply Baroque," Yo-Yo Ma. Sony Classical. Copyright 2000, BPI Communications Inc. and SoundScan Inc.

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#### Celebrity Flashbacks

By The Associated Press Entertainment highlights during the week of April 23-29:

70 years ago: Lew Ayres starred in the film "All Quiet on the Western Front," directed by Lewis Milestone.

35 years ago: "Ticket to Ride" by the Beatles topped the British singles chart.

25 years ago: Elvis Presley embarked on a major series of one-night dates. The three-month tour started at the Coliseum in Macon, Ga.

15 years ago: In the cliffhanger battle of the nighttime soaps, ABC's "Dynasty" edged CBS' "Dallas" by three-tenths of a point to become the top-rated series of the 30-week prime-time season. The "Dynasty" victory, its first in four seasons on the air, was more for prestige, power and glory than advertising dollars since the 1984-85 ratings of the two series were essentially the same.

10 years ago: George Strait was named entertainer of the year at the 25th annual Academy of Country Music Awards in Los Angeles. Newcomer Clint Black won the male vocalist award.

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# Where There's a Will, There's A Way to Secure Pets' Future

**DEAR ABBY:** Please remind your readers, young or old, to make provisions for their beloved pets in the event of major illness or death. I have rescued more than 10 cats from the local shelters this week alone.

These were all brought in individually by families of people who have passed away and made no specific provisions for their pets. The families are always happy to take the personal property, house, furniture, cars, etc., but the pets are up for grabs and end up in a cold, sterile animal shelter, not knowing what happened to them and why their home and their human companions are gone.

This is a real tragedy, and in most cases these animals are euthanized. The lucky ones are adopted by people like me who hear about their plight. Even if people cannot afford to have an attorney draw up a will, they should have handwritten instructions (holographic will) and leave it with a responsible person. There is no one to speak for these animals when their owners are gone. Please, Abby, get the word out to the public.

CAROLE ELLIS, LOS ANGELES

**DEAR CAROLE:** I'm pleased to help. As important as putting the instructions in writing is to make sure in advance that the animal would be a welcome member of the family in the event of the owner's death or disability. Some pets, specifically some species of birds, can live to 75 years or so. And they deserve to live to a ripe old age if they are able to.



**Abigail Van Buren**

SYNDICATED COLUMNIST

**DEAR ABBY:** After reading about Oscar Ortiz, the veteran who was appreciated after 55 years, I'm moved to write about the few seconds of appreciation I, a retired teacher, received while stopped at a busy intersection waiting for the traffic light to turn green.

A car filled with large, handsome, very noisy males drove alongside me and stopped. I glanced over at them and smiled. One of the young men said, "Don't worry — we're listening to Michael Jackson's 'Scream.'" I replied, "Sounds normal to me after teaching high school for 30 years."

The driver did a double take and said, "Where did you teach?" "Westminster High School," I answered. He then said, "Mrs. P. — is that you?" When I nodded affirmatively, he said, "I never told you before, but I loved you. You were the best

teacher I ever had in all my years in school."

Then I recognized him. I said, "Sean, I remember when you brought your 18-month-old son to my class, and I gave him toys to play with while you studied." Sean said, "Look in the back seat, because there he is. He's almost 16 now."

The traffic light changed and our cars started moving into the intersection. The last I saw of my former student, he was waving at me and shouting, "Always remember, Mrs. P., I love you!"

I've been on cloud nine since those few seconds at the intersection. I hope this story might prompt students everywhere to communicate with those teachers who somehow influenced their lives. Dedicated teachers need appreciation. A few seconds will do — but more is always appreciated.

ULA PENDLETON, LOS ANGELES

**DEAR ULA:** I, too, hope your letter generates some response. I'm willing to bet that almost everyone can remember a special teacher who made a difference because of his or her caring heart.

Readers, if you do, sit down and write that teacher — or former teacher — a letter of acknowledgment and thanks. It won't take long, and the result will last longer than a few seconds at a stoplight. Your letter can be enjoyed repeatedly.

hesitate to pursue happiness. Tonight: Out with friends.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22)

\*\*\*\*\* Get into work. You can easily clear out a lot. The quality of your efforts brings appropriate laurels. If you've wanted a pay raise or promotion, the timing is right. Ask for what you want. Don't stand on ceremony. Tonight: Off to the gym — summer is coming!

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

\*\*\*\*\* You work with imagination, adding that extra zip to your product and to the atmosphere. Others seek your perspective. Share ideas. Reach out for others; make calls. Your ability to encompass and incorporate many ideas separates you from others. Tonight: Fun!

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

\*\*\*\*\* Coming from a basic sense of well-being, you make the right decisions for you and your family. Build security. A partner wants to chip in and help you out; he comes through for you in a big way. Seek advice from an expert. Tonight: Togetherness counts.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

\*\*\*\*\* You breeze through work, clear your desk and get the responses you want. Another's sense of humor is similar to yours. You laugh through the day. It might be hard to determine whether you are at play or at work. Lighten up. Tonight: At a favorite spot.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

\*\*\*\*\* Scrutinize your expenses, realizing that you might need to spend money in order to make money. A winning idea develops into a project. Partners let their confidence in you show. Mobilize others' energies. Work as a team. Tonight: Treat yourself well.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

\*\*\*\*\* Your personality makes others more willing to work with you and perhaps bend their natural barriers. Brainstorming allows new ideas to come out. A flirtation or love relationship sizzles. Let your feelings be known. Tonight: Decide what you want — it's a go.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

\*\*\*\*\* You don't need to say much, but take a stand with a family member who is strong-willed and effusive. You might want to agree, just to make it easy for you. Allow more fun into your personal life. Tonight: Take a walk or get some exercise.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20)

\*\*\*\*\* Remain goal-directed; success lies ahead. You might be flattered by another's attention. Question what you want and expect from a close associate. Conversations lean toward humor and fun. Allow more joviality into your life. Tonight: Make a must meeting.

**BORN TODAY**

Singer Barbra Streisand (1942), actor Eric Balfour (1977), actor Eric Bogosian (1953)

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## Horoscope

MONDAY, APRIL 24, 2000

BY JACQUELINE BIGAR

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19)

\*\*\*\*\* Your way with others brings success beyond your wildest imagination. Take charge. Listen to another's feedback. You make money because of your swift ability to choose. Lady Luck connects with your checking account. Tonight: Work late.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20)

\*\*\*\*\* Right now, you can do no wrong. Be your effervescent self. Make strong decisions. You might not see eye to eye with another, but you can certainly understand where he is coming from. Respond quickly. Don't worry unnecessarily. Tonight: Follow a dream.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20)

\*\*\*\*\* Togetherness grows when you work as a team. Your intuition is off. You understand a lot more if you keep dialogues open. The world isn't quite as you see it, but others help you stay in the ballpark. You'll land on your feet, no matter which way you turn. Tonight: Make time for a special friend.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22)

\*\*\*\*\* Others approach you — you simply need to respond. Popularity soars. Worry less about the politically correct thing to do or say. Meetings and get-togethers prove to be fortunate. Don't

## Crossword Puzzle

By THOMAS JOSEPH

**ACROSS**

1 Blocked

7 Go

11 yachting

12 Large lizard

13 English type designer

14 Lines of symmetry

15 Long stories

16 Path to ruin

17 '30s style

18 Aware of

19 Cooking fat

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22 Creole treat

25 Candy counter buy

26 Pinnacle

27 Skilled ones

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34 Like good sentries

35 Writer

36 Baby footwear

37 Long story

38 Pipe of a sort

39 Noah count

40 Bank worker

**DOWN**

1 Chopped into cubes

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# At \$2 a minute, the doctor is in ...

By LISA RATHKE  
Associated Press Writer

WALLINGFORD, Vt. (AP) — The board in the waiting room tells patients what they'll be charged: \$2 a minute for labor, \$5 for an ear wash, \$30 for a knee splint, \$10 for a suture, \$2 for a large bandage, \$1 for a small one.

If it sounds like a mechanic's shop, that's what Dr. Lisa Grigg had in mind. While waiting at the garage for her car one day last year, she noticed a board listing charges and wondered why medicine couldn't be that simple.

Now she runs Simply Medicine, an acute care walk-in clinic where patients know what services they'll get and how much they'll pay. Grigg takes only cash as payment and doesn't accept insurance. The 36-year-old osteopath treats ear infections for as little as \$8 and wraps simple sprains for \$20. For a \$40 flat rate, she'll make house calls.

"You put a board up and tell people what you're going to charge them and skip all the middle people. Just make it reasonable," Grigg says. She says she doesn't need to make a lot of money and hopes to turn a profit next year.

About two-thirds of her patients have health insurance, and Grigg's services are no cheaper than the insurance copayment they would make to see their regular doctor, she says. But for simple problems like a cold, most of her insured patients would rather walk in to Grigg's clinic than drive the often-congested seven miles into Rutland to see their doctor.

For more serious ailments, Grigg urges patients to see their own primary care physician.

Patients seldom have to wait long before getting to see Grigg.

"This is just walk right in, look down your throat, \$7. You're in and you're out," says Carol Martin, who works next door at the post office. She has health insurance and a regular doctor up the road, but she prefers the quick service Grigg offers.

"I went with a sore throat and she gave me antibiotic. I would have waited until it got worse," she says, before seeing her regular doctor. Martin brought her daughter in, and it turned out the 16-year-old had mononucleosis. Grigg hand-delivered the lab results to the post office the next day, Martin says.

In the age of managed care, when patients don't always choose their doctors, this type of encounter is rare. The one-to-one doctor-patient relationship is an ideal that Grigg wants to return to.

"The other reward about doing this is helping to repair the doctor-patient relationship," the soft-spoken doctor says in her office, an old house converted into a clinic.

"I wanted a way to return some control to the patient, especially about time," she says. "A lot of people come in quite troubled, and you're supposed to be able to see them in between 5 and 10 minutes and you're always pushing people. I have a real distaste for doing that."

Now patients can talk to Grigg for as long as they're willing to pay. She keeps track with a stop clock in her office, which she punches only after she has introduced herself and had a minute to chat.

Grigg spent three years in family practice in Rutland before leaving the practice last July. Many of the patients were on Medicaid. She grew tired of writing and phoning insurance companies to fight for coverage.

"I was very frustrated by insurance," she says. "The demands don't stop." Now her involvement with insurance is limited to giving patients receipts they can send to insurance companies.

Grigg is not the first to shun insurance. A group of doctors in Seattle set up a program called SimpleCare made up of 200 physicians around the country. The doctors offer patients who pay in cash their "best prices" on office visits. A husband and wife in Denver have set up a practice called HMO. Drs. Heather Sowell and Jonathan Sheldon say they want to treat patients based on medicine and not on insurance coverage.

Patients pay in cash. Sowell and Sheldon charge \$80 for a 20-minute interview and \$240 for a full hour. If a patient knows he or she has an ear infection, the appointment will be quick. The doctors even do house calls and take phone calls at home.

They opened the practice in Colorado two years ago after working for Community Health Plan in Montpelier. Sheldon says he wanted to perform a bone density test on a woman for \$150 to see how to proceed, but the HMO wanted him to prescribe drugs that would cost more than \$300 a year.

They say their method of getting to know the patient cuts down on the amount of tests and prescriptions they would have otherwise prescribed.

"It's odd that it becomes news when doctors simply rediscover our role as healers and passionate patient advocates," Sheldon says.

Skeptics say that, though they appreciate the concept of doing away with insurance, it can only go so far.

"In concept, I think it's nice. Those of us that deal with the nightmare of insurance, government and regulation would love to be free of it," says Dr. Stephen Brittain, a neurologist at Rutland Regional Medical Center.

"I think it's very nice when patients are paying," he says. "They really will think about what they're paying for. Presumably the physician will also think about that. The problem is with all the higher-tech diagnostics."

Grigg concedes her approach would not work for more complicated cases, but for acute care — sinus infections, earaches, and sprains — the concept appears to be working.

Another doctor works at the clinic one day a week, and a registered nurse works part-time, at half her emergency-room salary. "Just because I believe in it so much, I'm willing to hang in there," nurse Jeanne Raiche says.

Patients cross the border from New York and drive from Rutland to see Grigg. She figures she'll have to see nine to 11 patients an hour to make a profit; she hopes to reach that point next year.

"My biggest fear is that she'll be a tremendous success," Martin says. "That you won't be able to get in there and sign your name because there will be 40 people ahead of you all the time. And then the whole purpose will be defeated."



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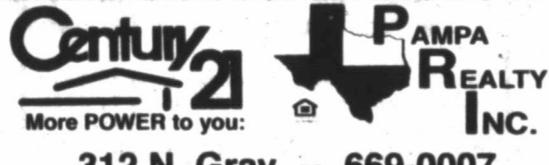
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