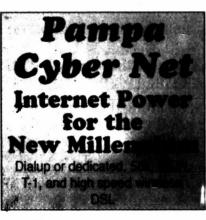


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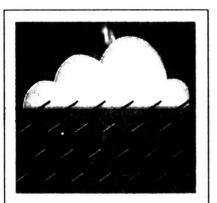
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Early voting starts Monday

PAMPA — Early voting for the Nov. 7 General Election begins Monday, Oct. 23, at the Gray County Courthouse.

Balloting will continue through Nov. 3, from 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., in the Gray County Courtroom on the second floor of the county courthouse

Applications for balloting by mail are being accepted through Oct. 31 for the Nov. 7 General Election.

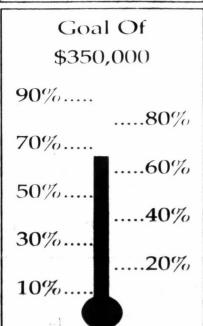
The presidential election is highlighting the ballot with Republican George W. Bush and Democrat Al Gore both vying for the presidency.

Other contested races are the 31st District Attorney's race between Republican Richard J. Roach and Democrat Charles Kessie, and the U.S. Congressional race in which Cong. Mac Thornberry-R is being challenged by Curtis Clinesmith, a Denton attorney.

· Max G. Beaver, 72, retired English teacher.

· Kimberly Ann Ballard Hines, 39, phlebotomist.

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16 years later ...

Convicted killer to be back in Pampa courtroom

By DAVID BOWSER Staff Writer

An El Paso man serving a sentence for voluntary manslaughter will be back in a Gray County courtroom Tuesday, almost 16 years after pleading guilty in the stabbing death of a 32-year-old

Pampa man. Antonio Borjas Moriel, 33, pleaded guilty to voluntary manslaughter Nov. 8, 1984, in the stabbing of Earl Love, 32, 417 Crest, in September of that year. Moriel was charged with mur-

state penitentiary for 20 years. He was paroled in 1996.

Born in Juarez, Mexico, Moriel was living in El Paso in 1998 when his parole was revoked, and he was returned to prison.

Moriel's parole was revoked in 1998 after he was arrested on charges of public intoxication, five counts of capital murder, two counts of aggravated robbery, two counts of attempted murder, association with known criminals and possession of a firearm

In a motion for a new hearing, Moriel maintains that all the Moriel was sentenced to the charges except the public intoxi-

cation charge were dismissed.

Moriel's attorney, Harold Comer, who represented him in the 1984 slabbing case, said even the public intoxication charge was not verified.

According to law enforcement officers, on Oct. 19, 1996, three men came into an El Paso bar and robbed it. Officers said the trio killed five men in the bar and shot two more. One of the victims was shot six times but survived.

Although Moriel was initially accused of being one of the three men who robbed the bar, charges were eventually dropped. He

was never convicted in connection with the robbery and shootings at the El Paso bar.

Judge Lee Waters of Pampa's 223rd District Court initially denied Moriel's motion for a new hearing based on a violation of his civil rights, but the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals overturned Judge Waters' decision, saying Moriel should be granted a hearing because he had not been allowed to confront adverse witnesses during his

parole revocation hearing. establish the facts in the parole revocation. Those facts will be

forwarded to the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals.

Moriel was a 17-year-old Pampa High School student at

the time of the stabbing. Pampa News reporter Jeff Langley described Moriel as a baby-faced suspect the day he was charged with Love's mur-

Authorities said Love and his girlfriend, Anne Wright, then 18years-old, had driven to a Pampa convenience store about 1 a.m., Wednesday, Sept. 19, Tuesday's hearing will be to 1984, to buy a soft drink. As

Love and Wright were leaving (See 16 YEARS, Page 2)



imagine that his father would be murdered. "My whole life changed when I became a victim of crime," he

In 1980, Schlewitz had just begun working as pastor of a small Assembly of God Church in Malone, Wash., when a telephone call shattered his life.

"I had just been to a conference and I was real excited," Schlewitz remembered. "My mom called and her voice



Chaplain David Schlewitz

sounded so flat. She said, The pastor is here and he has something to tell you.' The minister told him his (See MINISTER, Page 2)

9-1-1 addresses go out in rural Roberts County

MIAMI - The Regional 9-1-1 Network and Roberts County with the help of the U. S. Postal Service have notified rural residents of their new 9-1-1 addresses, officials announced.

According to a press release from the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission in Amarillo, the new address for rural **Roberts** County residents is a physical address consisting of a house number and a road name. The primary purpose for the new address was to serve the enhanced 9-1-1 system by giving emergency personnel an exact physical address for rural residents.

The new address also serves as a mailing address for residents who currently have a route and box address. Individuals receiving mail at a post office box will use the 9-1-1 address as a physical address only, according to the release.

Anyone living in a rural area of Roberts County who has not received an address notification or who may have questions about the notification should call the Regional 9-1-1 Network at (806) 372-3381 or 1-800-687-7911.

Sunday snapshot



Managing Editor

2CARF for Babies is one year old

in several Texas communities.

The innovative program came to Pampa last

The occasion is being marked with a program

expansion and the news of its successful service

A program of the Coalition of Health Services,

year, and has been very successful, according to

Camille Stanley, director of 2CARE for Babies.

Name: Lupe Landin.

Minister-evangelist. Birth date and place: March

31, 1953. Family: One brother, three sis-If I had a different job, I'd be

Occupation/activities:

a: Account clerk or CPA My personal hero: Jesus

Joan Aalbers, RN, pediatric nurse practitioner, Pampa Regional Medical Center Chief

Executive Mike Munnerlyn, presents a toy to Blake Jones, 13 months old, and his parents,

Jeff and Jodie Jones. The Jones family was the first Pampa family to earn the points that

lead to a free gift in the 2Care for Babies program by completing checkups and immuniza-

making a difference for babies

tions during the child's first year. Audra Rios, CNA, right, is program assistant.

Innovative year-old program

The best advice I ever got was: Don't ever start something you can't finish.

People who knew me in high **school thought:** Thought of me as "a funny fellow."

The best word or words to **describe me:** Very talkative.

People will remember me as being: Easy to get along with.

My hobbies are: Music, art,

crossword puzzles, reading, singing. My favorite sports team is:

Dallas Cowboys. My favorite author is: Danielle Steele.

The last book I read was: "Message from Nam." My favorite possession is: My

2CARE for Babies was established to give par-

ents of newborn children in Pampa, Borger,

Childress, Hereford and Perryton extra incentive

to complete their child's well-child checkups and

immunizations. The program is now spreading

"We are so excited by the support 2CARE for

Babies has received," said Stanley. "By working

hand-in-hand with physicians, nurse practition-

ers and clinic staff, 2Care for Babies is helping to

(See BABIES, Page 2)

The biggest honor I've ever received is: A plaque for being founder of Ministers Hispanic Alliance.

My favorite performer is: Carman and Point of Grace. I wish I knew how to: Speak

German and Italian. My trademark cliche or expression is: "Hurt me!"

My worst habit is: Biting my nails. I would never: Hurt anyone

intentionally. The last good movie I saw was: "Random Hearts" and 'Space Cowboys.

I stay home to watch: Cowboys football game.

Nobody knows: How it hurts me to see the elderly in nursing homes forgotten by their fami-

Someday I want to drive a:

Patty melts.

menudo.

My favorite junk food is:

My favorite beverage: Diet Dr.

My favorite restaurant is: Mi

Familia Restaurant in Amarillo. My favorite pet: Beagle. My favorite meal is: Fajitas or

I wish I could sing like: Walt Mills or Carman. I'm happiest when I'm: With

friends or family. I regret: Not re-enlisting in the

Air Force. I'm tired of: All turmoils and crimes among young people. I have a phobia about: Closed

The electrical device I could-

n't live without is: My stereo and TV.

My most embarrassing moment: When I fell off my drum throne. The biggest waste of time is:

Choosing leaders who aren't If I won the lottery, the most

extravagant thing I would do is: Buy a church building, take a trip to Cancun, Mexico, and divide my winnings with family. If I had three wishes they

would be: 1) Lose weight quickly; 2) preach on the radio; 3) have enough money to cater barbecue to nursing homes.

If I could change one thing about Pampa, it would be: Start a taxi service and get prayer warriors to stop violence in



The Chamber Reminds You October Is Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Services

Services today

HINES, Kimberly Ann Ballard — 2 p.m., First Christian Church, Canadian. Services tomorrow

RICHARD, Lawrence Gordon — Graveside services, 11 a.m., Bethlehem Cemetery, Henry

Obituaries

MAX G. BEAVER

SACRAMENTO, CALIF. — Max Gwyn Beaver, 72, died Oct. 11, 2000, at his home. Graveside services were Wednesday in Bassett (Ark.) Cemetery with the Rev. Glenn Pettus officiating. Roller-Citizens Funeral Home of West Memphis, Ark., was in charge of services.

Mr. Beaver, a native of Arkansas, was born Nov. 22, 1927, to John Hamilton Beaver and Mary Elizabeth Beaver. He was a retired English teacher with the Sacramento Public Schools. After retirement, he taught English as a second language for several years.

He was a graduate of the University of Mississippi where he was a member of Sigma Chi fraternity, was an arts patron, an avid traveler and a longtime supporter of Cal Farley's Boys and Girls Ranch. He was an Episcopalian and a U.S. Army veteran.

Survivors include a brother, John Beaver of Eagle Point, Ore.; a sister, Margaret "Sugah". Dickson of West Memphis, Ark.; two nephews, Joe Gough of Sonoma, Calif., and Dick Dickson of Camden, Ark.; and a niece, Kate B. Dickson of Pampa.

KIMBERLY ANN BALLARD HINES

CANADIAN — Kimberly Ann Ballard Hines, 39, formerly of Canadian, died Oct. 19, 2000, in Lubbock. Services will be at 2 p.m. today in First Christian Church with Everett Stevens of Amarillo and Roger Smelser, senior minister, officiating. Burial will be in Higgins Cemetery under the direction of Stickley-Hill Funeral Directors of Canadian.

Mrs. Hines was born at Amarillo and attended school there as well as Washington, D.C., Alexandria, La., Cleburne and Canadian where she graduated from high school in 1980. She later attended Ozark Bible College and was a member of First Christian Church of Canadian. She was a phlebotomist.

Survivors include her husband, Marvin; her parents, Kenneth and Aliene Ballard of Lipscomb; and two sisters, Theresa Fincher and Sharon Ellison, both of Lipscomb.

The family requests memorials be to Hemphill County Hospice, 1020 S. 4th, Canadian, TX 79014.

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Police report

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

Wednesday, Oct. 19 A two-wheel scooter was reported stolen in the

1000 block of Sierra. Thursday, Oct. 20

Carlos Baudell Hernandez, 21, 1197 Prairie Drive, charged with failure to appear, speeding failure to ID.

Ronnie B. Campbell, 54, Pampa, charged with making a silent abuse call to 911.

Benjamin Gilbert, 53, 411 Texas, charged with violation of a protective order.

A Genesis House employee reported a run-

A report was taken stating a PMS student was an assault victim due to being struck in the face

Criminal mischief was reported in the 1000 block of West Bond in which \$600 in damages resulted when windows were broken out of a vehicle and shed.

Burglary of a residence was reported in the 100 block of South Wynne were 11 rings were reported stolen. No value was listed and the method/point of entry is unknown.

Violation of a protective order was reported in the 600 block of North Frost.

Friday, Oct. 21

Debra Rawls, 28, 400 N. Ash, possession of drug paraphernalia.

Sheriff's Office

The Gray County Sheriff's Department reported the following arrests during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Saturday. Thursday, Oct. 20

Arturo Garcia, 29, 232 Miami, was charged with theft over \$50 and under \$500. Friday, Oct. 21

Beverly Mitchell, 52, Fritch, was arrested by the DPS on charges of public intoxication and disorderly conduct.

Bruce Mitchell, 36, Fritch, was arrested by the DPS and charged with driving while intoxicated/second offense and driving on an expired

Ambulance

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

Friday, Oct. 20

2:24 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 300 block of West Brown and transported one to Pampa Regional Medical Center.

5:59 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to PRMC and transported one to Veteran's Administration Hospital in Amarillo.

11:36 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 2200 block of Beech and transported one to

Saturday, Oct. 21

12:47 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded west on Highway 152 and transported one to PRMC.

3:15 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to PRMC and transported one to Baptist St. Anthony West in Amarillo.

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BABIES

improve infant health, increase breast-feeding rates and ensure greater completion of well-child checkups and immunizations. Together, we are making a difference in our communities.'

According to Stanley, preventative health care and immunizations play an important role in learning and lifelong health. 2CARE for Babies is designed to reward parents for making their infant's health care a priority.

Through a grant from the Texas Department of Health, 2CARE for Babies works in cooperation with participating clinics to award points for wellchild checkups and immunizations completed during the baby's first year. Completing an infant's first well-child checkup within two weeks after birth is worth two extra points.

Additional points are awarded to mothers who breast-feed their infants and to mothers and fathers who attend educational classes related to raising children, such as car seat safety, parenting and CPR. Upon the baby's first birthday, his or her points can be exchanged for a free gift from 2Care for Babies presented by the participating clinic and the local hospital.

Pampa Regional Medical Center is proud to support the 2CARE program in the community. The hospital is an affiliate of the Coalition of Health Services. It is a nonprofit organization of 20 area hospitals which work to enhance community

Additional information may be obtained about the program or inquiries about making a donation to the program may be directed to a toll free number, 1-888-89-2CARE.

Two counties set to oppose state's smog reduction plans

for Houston's dubious reputation as the nation's effort, which could include a lawsuit. reigning smog capital, officials in two adjacent counties say they are marshaling their forces to oppose the state's sweeping smog reduction plans for the area,

Officials in Brazoria and Montgomery counties, respectively south and north of the city, Friday said the sweeping smog reduction plan proposed by the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission unfairly lumps their suburban communities in with Houston.

"We don't contribute to the ozone issue to the extent the regulations would address," Brazoria County District Attorney Jeri Yenne told the Houston Chronicle in Saturday's editions. "We have great concern about the proposed regulations.'

Houston replaced Los Angeles last year as the city reporting the most days in violation of federal smog standards, a notoriety that became campaign fodder used against Gov. George W. Bush, the Republican presidential nominee. And after returning the ozone, file a lawsuit. title earlier this year to Los Angeles, Houston in September reclaimed it by exceeding national smog. standards for a 37th day.

Yenne and Montgomery County Judge Allan B. Sadler say they plan to invite officials from the five now, and we want to see who else is interested."

HOUSTON (AP) — Claiming they aren't to blame other counties that ring Harris County to join their

About 9,000 resident in mostly rural Brazoria County have signed petition opposing the proposed smog reduction measures

The state's plan is designed to comply with the federal Clean Air Act and bring levels of ground-level ozone, a respiratory irritant, below the national health standard by 2007 in Harris, Brazoria, Galveston, Fort Bend, Montgomery, Chambers, Liberty and Waller counties.

State officials in December must present a plan to the Environmental Protection Agency or risk sanctions like loss of federal highway money, limits on industrial growth or takeover of the state plan by the federal agency. The panel has set Dec. 6 as the day they will vote on accepting a plan for Houston.

The county officials say they have data disputing the EPA's statistics and would rather negotiate with the state and national environmental agencies that

"I think if we could just negotiate some of the pollution control measures we'd probably be satisfied with that," Sadler said. "We want to first see who all's interested in joining our group. It's a group of two

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16 YEARS

the store, Love, whose left leg was in a cast because of an earlier accident, recognized a neighbor, Martin Rodriguez, then 19-years-old, who lived at 421 Crest, and stopped to talk.

Rodriquez was with four other men, several who lived near Love. Officers said the five had been drinking at a birthday celebration that night.

Several of the men reportedly jumped on the hood of Love's car in the convenience store parking lot. When they refused to get off, Love backed up quickly, hitting a power pole with the rear of the automobile. The car stalled, officers said, and at least one of the men pulled a knife and began stab-

Langley reported that Love screamed for Wright

to go for help. She ran inside the store and called police.

The first officer to arrive at the scene, Susan Ortega, reported she found Love sitting in the car, conscious but soaked in blood.

Doctors at what was then Coronado Community Hospital worked on Love for three hours to stabilize his condition from eight stab wounds before transferring him to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo by ambulance.

Love bled to death on the way to Amarillo, authorities said.

Earl Love was the brother of Pampa Police Lt. Charles Love. Charles Love was a patrolmen working the midnight shift at the time of his brother's death. Then Police Chief J.J. Ryzman said Charles Love would have normally answered the stabbing call, but it was his day off.

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MINISTER

father had been shot and he had died - no frills, no euphemisms, just simple truth. "I remember I said, 'My dad? My dad?' and I

hung up on him." After a moment, Schlewitz recovered enough to

call his mother back and find out what had happened. His father, one of the highest paid food service

managers in the country, had had the unfortunate luck of being in the right place at the wrong time. Mr. Schlewitz managed Saga Food Service for Billingham University. Michael Redmond, a transient with long hair

girls who worked at Saga. One day he decided to kill a manager of the company. Schlewitz's father was the only person working

and a history of mental illness, knew some of the

at the time Redmond came in to the office. "He had Dad lay down on the floor, shot him, strangled him with a cord from a radio, and took some money he had in a little container on his

desk." Investigators had no evidence other than a few strands of long hair that had fallen when Redmond leaned over to shoot the fatal bullets into the back of Mr. Schlewitz's head.

Schlewitz and his family moved in a fog of horror for days after the murder, their pain intensified by the photographs in the newspaper and film on television of his father's body being removed from the crime scene.

At night, the family slept together on sleeping bags in the living room, seeking comfort in close-

One night about two weeks after the murder, a sleepless Schlewitz stared out the front window while his family slept around him. "I had not prayed. I had not picked up my

Bible," he remembered. "I said, 'Okay God, I'll give you a chance.

He opened his Bible and the pages parted at Psalm 51:10, "Be still and know I am God." He felt God was telling him, "Dave, that's the

only thing you need to do right now. You can't be a person of faith. You can't be a mighty person of God. Just be still and know..." As time went by, the police amassed mountains

of evidence - great notebooks filled with information. But they couldn't find the murderer. "I prayed really hard that justice be done,"

Two undercover detectives had been assigned to the task. "They were the same ones who investigated the

Schlewitz said.

Tate-LaBianca, the Charles Manson murders. One day, the detectives were eating lunch in a park in Billingham when a wild-eyed man came

up to them and described a vision he had had

about a crime scene. "They were electrified when they realized what he was telling them. He drew a map of the room where it happened, where the body was and all.

They had him sign and date it.'

A routine check revealed the man, Michael Redmond, was wanted on a warrant. So they took him to jail.

Schlewitz couldn't return to the pulpit for several weeks after his father died. When he did, he had no "victory report" to give to his congregation. His grief was too great.

Five psychiatrists testified that Redmond was mentally incompetent and unsafe to society. He was sentenced to a state mental hospital, never to be released. Within a decade, Schlewitz said his father's killer was back on the streets without supervision.

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I said, 'Lord, there's no justice'."

Schlewitz said he has only a few moments when he felt God spoke to him. This was one of

'So when did you expect justice in this world?" the young pastor was told. "The police missed things. There were some things they did not see. Things they do not know about. But I saw it all at the Great Bar of Justice."

Until that phone call in 1980, Schlewitz said he had lived a happy, fairly uneventful life. Born in San Francisco, he grew up in the green forests of Oregon. He married his wife Sarah in 1977.

His father had been a kind, steady influence on his formative years, a strong Lutheran and leader in the church. He served as a sailor in the U.S. Navy during World War II.

"I never heard my father cuss or swear. He always provided for his family. He taught me a lot. He taught me that if a job was worth doing, it was worth doing well," Schlewitz remembered. "His example was wonderful."

He shakes his head. "He never got to hear me Schlewitz said his mother never recovered from

her husband's tragic death. "It just about destroyed her," he said. After such a horrible tragedy, Schlewitz felt this

should be the last of his mother's problems. "I thought after all she had been through, she should live 'happily ever after,'" he said. "It didn't happen. She never got over my dad's death.

My mom died in 1993 of cancer." After Redmond was sentenced, people would

tell Schlewitz, "Now it's over with."
"I have to laugh – it's never over with," he said. "I developed some problems – fear of the dark. I was nervous in public. I experienced shame. I didn't do anything wrong, but I was so ashamed."

A visit to a psychologist helped Schlewitz deal with his problems. "He said what I was experiencing is common to a secondary victim and it usually is helped by talking it out. He was right. He said my hyper-awareness - I could feel when people walked up behind me - was probably healthy, actually."

Tomorrow: How his past helped lead Schlewitz to prison ministry.

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AL-ANON Al-Anon will hold weekly meeton Mondays Wednesdays at 8 p.m. at 910 W.

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The Pampa Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #1657, 105 S. Cuyler, will be having Charity Bingo every Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Doors open at 12 noon. The public is welcome. License No. 1-75-6037422-9.

CELEBRATION OF LIGHTS The Celebration of Lights project will hold regular workshop meetings at 6:30 p.m. on Monday nights at 822 E. Foster. Anyone wishing to help with the project is invited to attend any work ses-

> PAMPA DUPLICATE **BRIDGE CLUB**

The Pampa Duplicate Bridge Club plays Monday at 1 p.m. and Thursdays at 10 a.m. at The Senior Citizens. For a partner, or more information, please call Marie Jamieson at 669-2945.

PANHANDLE ALLIANCE FOR THE MENTALLY ILL

A support group for the mentally ill and family members meet the second Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. at 218 N. Russell. This week we are discussing the negative symptoms of paranoid schizophrenia. There is no charge. For more information or if you need a ride call Sharon King, 665-2818. MONTHLY GOSPEL SINGING First Pentecostal Holiness Church, 1700 Alcock, hosts a Gospel Singing from 2-4 p.m. every second Sunday of the month. Pastor Albert Maggard and the congregation of First Pentecostal cordially invites the public to attend. Singers and musicians from area churches participate in this informal congregational singing and enjoy various special vocal and instrumental presentations.

ACT I COMMUNITY THEATER

ACT I Community Theater's annual membership drive is currently under way and will conclude at the end of the month. Season tickets are available and

include three shows: "The Musical Comedy Murders of 1940" (November); "Natalie Needs a Nightie" (February); and "Grace and Glory" (April). For more information, contact Membership Director Michele Andorfer at (806) 669-0356. All shows will be staged at the ACT I theater located in the Pampa Mall.

SKELLY-GETTY-TEXACO RETIREES CLUB

Skelly-Getty-Texaco Retirees Club will meet at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, one and \$7 per couple. Oct. 26 at Pampa Senior Citizens

LIFEGIFT MEETING Jodie Patterson, LifeGift Organ Donation Center hospital liaison, Amarillo office, will facilitate a community meeting on organ and tissue donation at 2 p.m., Sunday, Oct. 22 in Zion Lutheran Church, 1200 Duncan. For more information, call Jean Snell at (806) 848-2943.

REPUBLICAN **WOMEN'S CLUB**

Top O' Texas Republican Women's Club will meet from 11:45 a.m.-1 p.m., Wednesday, Oct. 25 at Furr's

HAUNTED HOUSE

Frank Phillips College Student Government will hold its annual Haunted House from 8 p.m.-12 midnight, Oct. 28 and 29 in the "old" Plainsmen Gym on campus in Borger. Admission will be \$4 for

MUSEUM OF THE PLAINS An exhibit by Lone Star Pastel Society is currently on display at Museum of the Plains, 1200 N. Main, Perryton. The exhibit, which includes contributions from 24 artists, will run through Oct. 31. A reception for the artists is scheduled from 2-4 p.m., Sunday, Oct. 22. . MIP CLASSES

Clarendon College will offer

Minor in Possession classes from information, call (806) 358-2765. 7:30-10:30 p.m., Oct. 9-10, Nov. 13-14 and Dec. 11-12 in Clarendon, Waka's Church of the Brethren will and Oct. 16-17 and Nov. 20-21 in Pampa. For more information, call Eddie Hankins, (806) 874-5074.

PPQG Panhandle Piecemakers Quilt Guild will meet at 6:30 p.m. Oct. 26 at Pampa Senior Citizens Center, 500 W. Francis. The program will be a garage sale of sewing-related items. For more information, call (806) 779-2115. Visitors are wel-

FPC LYCEUM

Frank Phillips College Lyceum will host Meisenbach and Golden Harp/Flute Duo on Tuesday, Oct. 24 in the Fine Arts Building on Life Center, will sponsor a campus in Borger. The concert is Children's Hope International free and open to the public.

PRPC CONTRACT PROCUREMENT CENTER

Panhandle Regional Planning Commission Procurement Center will sponsor Doing Business with the Texas Department of Criminal Justice" with James W. David, HUB coordinator with Texas Department of Criminal Justice, from 6-8 p.m., Tuesday, Oct. 24 at Panhandle Regional Planning Commission Board Room, 415 W. 8th Ave., Amarillo. RSVP by Oct. 20 to Edmond Esparza, phone (806) 372-3381 or fax (806) 373-3268.

PALO DURO HANDWEAVER'S GUILD

Palo Duro Handweaver's Guild will meet at 7:30 p.m. Oct. 26 in ning, dyeing or fiber arts. For more obtained by writing: Ellen Collins, Internet.

MINI BAZAAR

sponsor the 11th Annual Mini Bazaar from 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 28 in Ochiltree County Exposition Building in Perryton. Booth space is still available. The off Sept. 7 with Dr. Bruce Harrow event will include: crafts, candles, candy, ceramics, cookbooks, cosmetics, home decorations, jewelry, leaded crystal items, Nativity sets, woodcrafts, yard decorations and much more. For more information, call (806) 435-4515, 435-2104, 435-3893 or

CHILDREN'S HOPE INTERNATIONAL

Trinity Fellowship Church, Family meeting from 7-9 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 26 at the church, 5000 Hollywood Rd., Amarillo. The meeting will provide information on adoption programs in China, Russia, India, Vietnam and Brenda Guatemala. Southeastern Regional director for Children's Hope International and mother of seven internationally adopted children, will be the presenter. For more information, call (615) 309-8109, (615) 399-0032 or email brendabarker@earchlink.net.

> ARTS AND CRAFTS **FESTIVAL**

Wesley United Methodist Church will host its 20th Annual Festival of Arts and Crafts from 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Dec. 2 in the Community Center in Hereford. A limited number of Amarillo. The meeting is open to booths are currently available for a about HPI, call 1-800-422-0474 or anyone interested in weaving, spin- \$10 rental fee. Applications may be visit http://www.heifer.org. on the

801 Miles St., Hereford, TX 79045 or by calling (806) 364-0774.

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP

The local Alzheimer's Support Group will conduct a four-part series this fall. The series will kickpresenting an overview of the disease. Topics will include: Communication and Activities of Daily Living, Oct. 5; and Community Resources and Caregiving Planning, Nov. 2. The series will conclude Dec. 7 with a panel discussion. The group meets regularly at 7 p.m. the first Thursday of each month at Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency, 916 N. Crest. For more information,

> HEIFER PROJECT INTERNATIONAL

call Dauna Wilkinson, 665-0356.

First Presbyterian Church, 525 N. Gray, is currently accepting aluminum cans for recycling. Proceeds will benefit Heifer Project International, an Arkansas-based service organization which provides livestock (chickens, pigs, sheep, cattle) along with training and support services to families and communities worldwide. For a limited time, donations will be matched 3-1 by a private foundation. HPI is a non-denominational not-for-profit agency. For more information, call the church office at 665-1031. Office hours are 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Monday-Thursday, 9 a.m.-12 noon, Friday and before 10:45 a.m. Sunday. For more information

Keeping an Eye on Texas

Defense downsize shuffles jobs

Since 1988, Congress has recommended closing or reorganizing more than 500 military bases in the United States — seven of them in Texas. Jobs were lost, but local economic development



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TO THE VOTERS OF THE 31ST DISTRICT

In 1996, I ran for the position of 31" District Attorney because I believe the citizens of the 31" District deserve a full-time, dedicated felony prosecutor instead of a parttime DA. After a hard-fought

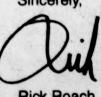
victory, we won the 2000 Republican nomination and now face a Democrat challenger from Canadian in the general election. Through all of this, I am more convinced than ever that we need a full-time, dedicated prosecutor who will apply the law equally to all criminal defendants.

Cindy and I are from this area. I grew up in Pampa and attended Wilson and Austin elementary schools, Pampa Middle School and Pampa High. My parents are Weldon (Bird dog) and Evelyn Trice. Cindy is from Miami. We have close ties to this area and love the people here. We support many area programs and the youth of this area. We want to see the communities of this area prosper. A major step toward the goal must be dedicated, meaningful and swift prosecution of those who violate our laws.

I will work hard for you to do the good job you deserve. I am the most qualified candidate. I have been the most dedicated in achieving our vision of full-time felony prosecution. In addition, I have recently attended conferences on "Prosecutor's Trial Skills" and on "Gang Prosecution" to better prepare for this important office.

Finally, I believe you deserve a District Attorney who possesses the same beliefs and values as you do. In this election, we must stand fast behind our values. It is critical that each of you who believes as I do stand up and vote for your beliefs in this election.

Cindy, the boys and I sincerely thank you for the encouragement and support you have given us through this difficult campaign, I am ready to accept this challenge and ask for your vote, prayers and support. With kindest regards, I remain



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Inside the **Beltway**

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Rep. Mac Thornberry

Rural areas stranded on 'super highway'

Advancements in technology have made huge changes in the way we live. Specifically, the Internet has affected many lives from the way we communicate with each other to the way we do business. But some people are facing a roadblock as they try to catch the on-ramp to the Internet super highway. Bigger cities may be coasting down the freeway of high-speed Internet access, but many rural communities are feeling a little left behind.

High-speed Internet access, known more commonly as "broadband," benefits a variety of people. Businesses can use it to sell their goods to a global marketplace. Many people can run their businesses just as effectively out of their home in Dimmitt, for example, as someone in a corporate office in Dallas.

Schools and universities can use it for research and for offering classes on-line. And rural hospitals can use broadband Internet technology to better serve their patients, such as in the area of telemedicine. Getting broadband access to rural areas has become increasingly costly. But it remains important.

That's why I'm pushing a bill that would help make sure rural communities aren't left on the side of the road when it comes to the information super highway. This bill, called the Broadband Internet Access Act of 2000, would offer tax deductions to communications companies that provide broadband access to rural communities. Under this bill, at least 10 percent of the area has to be receiving access before the company would get a tax

break. Rural communities deserve the same speed and quality of Internet service that other areas get. We need to build a bridge over the digital divide, so that broadband technology is available to all communities. Expanding Internet access to all communities will cross this divide and ensure that the opportunities that modern technology provides may be enjoyed by all.

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VIEWPOINTS



Strengthening the OPEC cartel

We Americans are going to pay through our noses to stay warm this winter, and we can thank our elected and unelected officials in Washington.

Let's analyze the economics of it by starting with an example. Pretend you own a supermarket. What would you want the government to do that would enable you to price-gouge your customers? The answer's easy: government should do anything that would restrict the market supply of grocery products. Government might shut down your competitors or enact regulations that make it more costly for them to operate. But, if your prices got too high, your customers might choose substitutes: such as eating at restaurants. You would also want government to do something that would make restaurants more costly.

The supermarket example explains the nuts and power is to have governments write laws and reg- enhanced by the government doing things to fumes sick. ulations that reduce competition with competitor restrict your direct competitors but also by placing products. The Clinton/Gore administration has restrictions on your indirect competitors - restauaided OPEC by restricting drilling and exploration in Alaska's Arctic National Wildlife Refuge

There are also Clinton-Gore administration

Walter Williams Syndicated columnist

restrictions on untold billions of barrels of oil under the ocean floor oil waiting to be drilled. By putting all this oil off-limits to drilling, the Clinton/Gore administration has empowered the OPEC monopoly and has made us vulnerable to its price-gouging.

the Western U.S. to be national monuments.

politicians try to sell us? Sen. Dick Durbin, D-Ill., accuses the oil companies of "gouging" the public, stating, "It's an increase directly attributable to profit-taking by the oil companies." EPA Secretary Carol Browner declared, "The oil companies ... owe us an answer." Al Gore chimes that the Republican presidential ticket of Bush and Cheney is "in the pocket of big oil." That's typical Washington. Counting on an uninformed public, politicians blame everybody except themselves.

Stifling oil production is a major part of high gasoline prices, but not the only one. According to a Congressional Research Service report "Midwest Gasoline Prices," the new EPA requirements for reformulated gasoline (RFG), requiring the use of ethanol, add 25 to 34 cents per gallon. That's not the only cost. MTBE, which is used in reformulatbolts of the high oil and gasoline prices that we're paying. Let's look at it, OPEC is a monopoly cartel. But Washington has done even more to strengthed gasoline in other parts of the country, has en OPEC's hand. In our supermarket example, become a major source of ground water pollution, The best way to secure and maintain a monopoly your ability to jack up prices was not only not to mention making people who smell the

The bottom line is that America's environmentalists have massive clout with the Clinton/Gore rants. Just as restaurants are partial substitutes for administration. They've used that clout to impose supermarkets, coal is a partial substitute for oil, par-monumental costs on the American people. We, (ANWR), where the Department of Energy conticularly for heating and electricity generation. The like suckers, listen to Washington's hacks blaming servatively estimates that there are more than 16. Clinton/Gore administration has restricted our U.S. oil companies. As to high energy prices, we billion barrels. At fairly modest drilling rates, that supplies of clean, low-sulfur coal by using its exec- haven't seen anything yet, particularly if Gore translates into about 800 million barrels of oil per utive order authority to declare millions of acres in becomes our next president and puts his extremist environmental ideas, outlined in his book "Earth In the wake of rising oil prices, what do our in the Balance," into practice.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Sunday, Oct. 22, the 296th day of 2000. There are 70 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On Oct. 22, 1968, Apollo 7 returned safely, splashing down in York's Madison Square Garden. the Atlantic Ocean.

On this date:

In 1746, Princeton University in New Jersey received its charter. In 1797, French balloonist Andre-

from a height of about 3,000 feet.

In 1836, Sam Houston was inau-

Texas.

In 1928, Republican presidential itated the Iran hostage crisis. nominee Herbert Hoover spoke of the "American system of rugged individualism" in a speech at New

In 1954, West Germany joined August. the North Atlantic Treaty

Organization. In 1962, President Kennedy announced an air and naval block-Jacques Garnerin made the first ade of Cuba, following the discovparachute descent, landing safely ery of Soviet missile bases on the

island. In 1973, Spanish cellist, conducgurated as the first constitutionally tor and composer Pablo Casals elected president of the Republic of died in Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, at

York held its grand opening with a to travel to New York for medical writer Sir Kingsley Amis died in performance of Gounod's "Faust." treatment - a decision that precip-

> was decertified by the federal government for its strike the previous

Ten years ago: President Bush vetoed major civil rights legislation, arguing that the measure would force employers to adopt hiring quotas. (The veto was upheld.)

Five years ago: The largest gathering of world leaders in history In 1883, the original In 1979, the U.S. government Indians, 4-3, to win the first two Chairman Haley Barbour is 53. Metropolitan Opera House in New allowed the deposed Shah of Iran games of the World Series. British Actor Jeff Goldblum is 48.

London at age 73

One year ago: Five of the seven In 1981, the Professional Air Republican presidential hopefuls Traffic Controllers Organization met in New Hampshire for their first debate of the 2000 nomination race, with front-runner George W. Bush notably absent. Former Vichy official Maurice Papon was expelled from Switzerland back to

Today's Birthdays: Actress Joan Fontaine is 83. Actor Christopher Lloyd is 62. Actor Derek Jacobi is 62. Actor Tony Roberts is 61. Actress Annette Funicello is 58. marked the 50th anniversary of the Movie director Jan de Bont is 57. United Nations. The Atlanta Actress Catherine Deneuve is 57. Braves defeated the Cleveland Former Republican National

Joys of the South and a Three-B night

One of my favorite Southern things is what we call a Three-B night: bullets, beer and barbe-

Of course, the beer and the barbecue follow the shooting of the bullets at the gun range. Alcohol and gunpowder are a dangerous mix. But Three-B is a social activity I highly recommend. Good friends, a little target shooting and then a repast of spicy barbecue and cold beer is a fine, fine way to spend an evening. God, I love the South so much I can't stand it.

I've been thinking that it wouldn't be a bad idea to get one of those recreational vehicles and then just travel from one bluegrass festival to the next. Traveling around the South is like a never-ending feast. It's jammed full of beauty and interesting folks. And down South there's always a gun range not too far away - or, for that matter, a gun.

I've no doubt that God created the South for the sole purpose of the good life, and it's too bad that the devil came along and made us all have to waste so much time working. You do remember, I hope, that when that foolish Eve listened to the snake and the even more foolish Adam listened to Eve, the punishment was that they would have to go to work. And us, too.

In the morning, when you're hauling yourself out of bed to go to work, just remember that it is Eve's fault. She had paradise, but, being the mother of all women, she was, of course, not quite satisfied. It's one of those traits that is both



annoying and charming at the same time.

I knew a fellow once whose wife was like that. He would buy a house and live there for no more than two years before his wife would be on him to move. Fortunately, he ran some waterfront bars and a bail-bond business and made a good bit of money. But I swear, I think the poor man must have bought six houses and moved seven times in the same city. A divorce would have been cheaper.

At any rate, true Southerners resist the curse of work as much as they can. I had some kin who just quit whatever job they had when the hunting season opened. I guess they figured they could always find another job, but a day missed hunting is a day missed forever.

A friend of mine in Louisiana who works on the offshore oil rigs said that the foreman, a fel-normal people on earth, and as Hodding Carter low from Ohio, came up one morning and said: once said, we will be polite right up to the point "You guys could be earning all the overtime we get mad enough to kill you.

you want. We'll let you work 60 or 70 hours. How come you guys only work 32 hours a week?"

"Cause," my friend replied, "we can't get by

If you've ever been to Cajun Country in Louisiana, you'll understand. Those are people who know how to enjoy life. They are famous

One of my favorite lines of history is the remark of a Virginia lady about the 10th Louisiana Regiment, which fought for Marse Robert in the War of Northern Aggression.

"The 10th Louisiana," she said, "eats everything in its path."

A more contemporary story some folks say is true is one in which two Cajuns, Mr. Hebert (pronounced Abear) and Mr. Quibideaux, spied a flying saucer land in a swamp. The ramp came down, and a little green man walked out.

"What's that?" inquired Hebert.
"I don't know," said Quibideaux, "but get the

rice started." Well, actually that isn't a true story, but it is a

good example of Cajun humor. I have to remind myself that folks up North have some fantastical ideas about the South due to those Hollywood writers who snort Coke and love stereotypes. We are really the most

People in the news

NEW YORK (AP) — Here's a "It's not the type of thing that tidbit for all the Harry Potter should be in storage somewhere fans waiting for the fifth book in or being protected, it should be American Dietetic Association winner "The West Wing," will J.K. Rowling's series. The title, seen by people," Michael told straight from the author, is London's Capital Radio on "Harry Potter and the Order of Friday. the Phoenix.

winning essays about her books. London's Hard Rock Cafe.

"I kept saying I wouldn't tell about 8, asked me, and I knew it

Rowling has no deadline for rightly belongs," he said. the book and said it would prob-

"Although book five is under- set by Lennon's "Imagine." way, I really haven't got that far "It'll probably be 'Cho with it yet," she said. "I'd like to in comparison," he said. ensure that I really like the writing ... I would like to take my

related books to be released March 16. Proceeds from the sale 'Quidditch Through the Ages" - will benefit Comic Relief.

"Fantastic Beasts" is a title on list in a previous book. The sec-ond new volume will be an anthology of Harry's favorite Marsha DeFilippo said Friday. The Sun Valley Film Festival sport, quidditch.

Michael promised that as soon Monday. It will cost \$2 instead major resort without a film festi- and become self-sufficient, she most of them," the retired Air as he records a song on the of \$1, but at 54 pages, will be val," said Wanda Petitclere, an said. piano John Lennon used to com- twice as long as the previous organizer of the event. "Most of Nicole Houses are set to open after climbing out of a F-15 pose "Imagine," he'll return the installments, DeFilippo said. instrument to Liverpool's

The pop singer paid \$2.1 mil-That was all Rowling would lion on Tuesday to buy the let slip Friday morning on the Steinway Model Z upright, the "Today" show and at a breakfast centerpiece of an auction of with children who had written Beatles memorabilia held at

"I think I'll hold on to it for a anyone, but then this cute boy, couple of months and see if I can get it on to my new record and would make him so happy," she then it's going back to the museum in Liverpool where I think it

Michael downplayed suggesably not be ready by July, as had tions that his composition been rumored. would live up to the standard

"It'll probably be 'Chopsticks'

PORTLAND, Maine (AP) -Thanks to the honor system, All is not lost, however. horror writer Stephen King will Rowling is penning two other continue to offer installments of "The Plant" online.

King had threatened to stop of the books — "Fantastic Beasts after three installory, about a And Where to Find Them" and vampire vine that takes over a publishing company, is still on

The fourth part of this serial novel will be posted on King's LONDON (AP) - George Web site, stephenking.com, on

convention.

ing loads of protein and minimal carbohydrates, sparred with Dr. Dean Ornish, who advocates eating more fruits and vegetables and less fat, more in line with what most nutritionists recommend.

"I'm very happy to be here," Atkins quipped Thursday. "Not as happy as Daniel in the lion's

Atkins said his popular diet, which allows dieters to eat all the eggs, beef, chicken and fish they want, produces results. The crowd was polite but skeptical, with no overt heckling but many narrowed eyes and a bit of muttering from the aisles.

Ornish said Atkins' theories have no science behind them. Showing a poster from the movie "The Sixth Sense," about a boy who sees the dead, Ornish said, "I see dead people, too. They are on a high-protein diet."

SUN VALLEY, Idaho (AP) — The world's newest film festival Thursday. "It can happen to "I think he'd like to see that a debuts next week, complete anyone." the boy wizard's school supply little bit higher, but still is happy with screenings, workshops and

> begins Thursday and runs through Oct. 29.

'Sun Valley was the only DENVER (AP) — It was a skir- festivals seem to focus on the community-financed.

be given a career achievement Dr. Robert Atkins, author of award. Producer Roger Gimbel two popular diet books advocat- and set designer Herman ance on the NBC comedy next over the coast of France. Zimmerman will also receive month.

shops and talks, including a director's seminar with Jon Turteltaub. The festival has also given 52 scholarships to stu-

ARCADIA, Wis. (AP) — Nicole Brown Simpson's sister said she is working to establish "Nicole Houses" throughout the country to provide temporary housing for abused women and children.

Denise Brown founded a charitable trust in her sister's name after the 1994 slayings of football star O.J. Simpson, and her friend Ronald Goldman. Simpson was acquitted of the murders in a criminal trial but running for president. was found liable in a subsequent civil trial.

We thought this could never

Nicole Houses will take in abused women for 18 to 24 months while they try to rebuild their lives, Brown said. Most shelters can't accommodate ly nothing to it. women long enough for them to get jobs, further their education you can fly one, you can fly

us go to the movies because of in Minnesota, Michigan and fighter jet as part of a preview to the actors, but none of the other California. The homes will be this weekend's air show.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Cher, who is sometimes a topic of conversation on television's "Will & Nev. His first taste of combat Grace," will make an appear-

The festival will feature work- meet one of her biggest, most obsessed fans: Jack McFarland (Sean Hayes). The actress-singer filmed her cameo in the episode, said. "But I sure like that called "Gypsies, Tramps and Weeds," on Tuesday.
"Will & Grace," which airs

Thursday nights, received the best comedy series Emmy in September. The episode with Cher is scheduled for Nov. 16.

BOULDER, Colo. (AP) -President Fonda? Unlikely, says the actress.

Jane Fonda, campaigning against a proposed amendment Nicole, the ex-wife of former to the Colorado constitution that would require a 24-hour delay in abortions, was asked Thursday if she would consider sale.

Her initial response — laugh-

"It's important we all remain happen to us," Brown said realistic. I couldn't be elected dog catcher," Fonda, 62, said.

> BASE, Calif. (AP) — Aviation since 1960, when he bought out legend Chuck Yeager, still flying high at 77, says there's real-

'Airplanes are just like cars. If Force general said Wednesday

After joining the Air Force in said.

1941 as a mechanic, Yeager found himself in the cockpit of a P-39 in the skies over Tonopah, came in 1944 in a P-51 Mustang

nonth. The famed pilot flies a Playing herself, Cher will restored model Mustang regularly to events such as the

Edwards Air Show. "I don't live in the past," he

plane." Yeager made history in 1947 by becoming the first to break the sound barrier, flying the experimental X-1 rocket plane.

MOUNT AIRY, N.C. (AP) -The Snappy Lunch restaurant, famous for its pork chop sandwiches and as the boyhood haunt of Andy Griffith, may be forced to move.

The building housing the town's oldest restaurant mentioned frequently on "The Andy Griffith Show" - is for

Jack Snow, 72, a retired veterinarian, bought the building in 1976 for \$12,500. He's asking \$159,000 for it.

Charles Dowell, 71, has worked the grill at Snappy Lunch since the 1940s, and has EDWARDS AIR FORCE rented space in the building his partner.

Snow offered to sell it to Dowell, but the two couldn't reach an agreement.

Tourists and locals often stand in line to eat at Snappy Lunch, housed in the building since

"I think that somebody will buy this on emotion," Snow

School gunman figures in election debate over sentence reform proposal

By BRAD CAIN **Associated Press Writer**

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SALEM, Ore. (AP) — Kip would reduce the sentences of official voter guide.

thousands of inmates. reject the measure, which theoret- lier guidelines. ically could reduce Kinkel's 112-

year prison sentence to one that killed his parents at home, then the ballot Nov. 7.

"If Kip Kinkel is resentenced, I Kinkel, the teen-ager who killed will be living in fear every day, his parents and two schoolmates along with my family and fellow sands of other inmates, Kinkel in 1998, has emerged as a central victims, that if he is released he was sentenced under guidelines Republican Kevin Mannix is runfigure in the debate over an will hunt us all down," Jennifer passed by voters in 1994 that ning TV ads showing a photo-Oregon ballot measure that Alldredge wrote in the state's

The Republican candidate for One student wounded in the attorney general is also featuring attack and the father of one of Kinkel in TV ads that accuse the those killed are asking voters to incumbent of supporting the ear-

frees him at 21. The measure is on went to Thurston High School and opened fire on students, killing two and wounding 25.

He pleaded guilty. Like thoufixed prison terms with no possibility of perole.

Kinkel was 15 in 1998 when he Kinkel and everyone else sentenced under the 1994 law. Kinkel, now 18, could in theory be resentenced as a juvenile and be released when he is 21.

State Rep. Jo Ann Bowman, a leading repeal supporter, argued that opponents are using Kinkel as a scare tactic. Even if the ballot measure passes, she said, no judge would resentence Kinkel as a juvenile.

"There's no way that anyone could kill four people and wound 25 without spending an extremely long time in prison," the Portland Democrat said.

In the attorney general's race, require judges to sentence anyone graph of Kinkel while a narrator convicted of violent crimes, says Democrat Hardy Myers supincluding young offenders, to ported the earlier sentencing guidelines.

Repeal opponent Steve Doell The repeal would require said there were times before 1994 resentencing proceedings for when youths convicted of murder were released at 21, and it could happen again.

There are judges who just don't believe in long sentences for juveniles," he said.

On the Net:

Campaign for Measure 94: http://www.voteyeson94.com Crime Victims United: http://www.crimevictimsunited.org

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GM to recall Cadillac DeVilles because of faulty air bags WASHINGTON (AP) - last month telling them not to

can deploy without a collision.

impact sensing module on the assistance. 1998 and 1999 model year cars once parts are available, which another investigation of 1.2 mil-GM spokesman Greg Martin said lion GM trucks that may have would be sometime between faulty headlights, according to a January and March.

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that the side air bag on the dri- suddenly fail. ver's or passenger's side

General Motors Corp. plans to lean on the doors while driving. recall 224,000 Cadillac DeVilles It also warned that if the air bag because the side-impact air bags light stays on when the vehicle is started, the driver should imme-GM said it will replace the side- diately park and call for roadside

The agency is upgrading report issued Friday. The investi-"Because these are past model gation covers 1995 and 1996 years and the DeVille has been model years of the Sierra,

According to NHTSA, there may be an electrical problem that GM received 306 complaints could cause the headlights to

GM has received nearly 70,000 deployed without cause, includ- warranty claims on the problem. ing reports of one accident and 61 Three accidents have been three minor injuries. The company accidents reported, but no sent a letter to DeVille owners injuries or fatalities.



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Letters to the editor

Checks and balances system lost to executive branch

To the editor,

Most of the issues discussed by Gore and Bush have questionable Constitutional authority. They make politically correct lures to attract

There are important issues ignored by both candidates which are vital to the futures of all of us. Chances that they will be discussed in depth and explained are remote at best.

One major issue has to do with the many Executive Orders and Presidential Directives which President Clinton has inflicted on the body politic, mostly without citizens' knowledge or approval. Congress has allowed President Clinton to make "law" and has not protested. The overall result of this wave of lawmaking without Congress can only be tyranny if applied at some future date.

If the Executive Orders which implement United Nations' policies are put into effect, the sovereignty of the United States will be lost and international bureaucrats will become our masters.

Even though Congress will end its session soon, you can help restore American sovereignty by asking your Representative to support H.R. 2655, The Separation of Powers Restoration Act. This will come up again in January, but now is a good time for your action to stop the possibility of a future dictator destroying our liberties.

Paul D. Anderson Amarillo

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A bill to repeal the estate tax passed the House of Representatives with an overwhelming 279-136 vote. That initial vote included all Republicans, along with 65 Democrats, who broke with their own leadership over this issue. But in the end that was not enough to block President Clinton's veto of the measure.

So for those who want to end the estate tax and that includes farmers, ranchers, service companies, drilling contractors and all other family businesses, the issue will pass to the next Congress and the next administration. Should the Republicans retain control of Congress and George W. Bush be elected president, elimination of the estate tax will be assured.

If Democrats win back control of either the House or the Senate or if Al Gore takes the White House, then look for no Democratic death

Generations of work can be wiped out overnight when estate taxes are due. Most people agree that death is a horrible event to tax, and that estate taxes are essentially confiscatory taxes on property that has all ready been taxed once.

So, I strongly urge you to vote, and when you do, please keep these thoughts in mind.

William L. Arrington

Fourth Estate should pose questions better ...

To the editor,

What do amble, canter, dander, glide, lope and saunter have in common? Give up? Well, for all practical purposes, they're just different ways of saying "walk." Do we really need that many ways to say the same thing? Probably not. Nevertheless, there they are - and there are many others. So here we sit, in our English-speaking nation, wondering why we have such a plethora of ways to describe such a trivial act. But when it comes to the union between two people who want to spend their lives together, we have but one term to describe such a union — marriage.

There seems to be a media conspiracy geared at tricking the Republican presidential candidate into divulging his opinion regarding homosexuality. Apparently, though, the only way of asking the question is to imbed it in an inquiry into his views on gay and lesbian

Quite naturally, he is able to easily dodge the question by saying marriage is meant to be between a man and a woman. It's truly amazing how media representatives pose questions to politicians using words that can be easily side-stepped, and then the same correspondents cry about having had their questions evaded. Meanwhile, the ignorant masses — who aren't supposed to know any better — are supposed to sit back and watch complacently.

Here's a thought. Why not ask both candidates how they would feel about simply calling gay and lesbian unions something other than marriage? After all, ours is not a tongue, which shuns synonyms. The unions could retain all the privileges of marriage, they'd just be

called something else. In other words, ask a question that must be answered without falling back on archaic definitions. Not long ago, a politician had the country on the brink of a constitutional crisis over his definition of some pretty easily defined terms, and the media had a field day. But that same media machine allows candidates to evade questions by

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posing them in ways that make them easily evaded.

Perhaps the problem runs even deeper than simple semantics. Perhaps the nation's correspondents have already chosen a president, and now they are stuck with the unenviable task of making their choice seem presidential. And maybe the public is not supposed to ask any questions but are simply expected to sit back and watch the show — brought to them by the Fourth Estate, whose job it is to choose who will be the next President of the United States. Naturally, they perceive this as their duty because the general public isn't bright enough to select a person to fill such an important position.

So, who really won the last presidential debate? It was whomever

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the public was told to believe won it. Who will win the election? It will be whomever those "undecided voters" are persuaded to vote for. And whose will be the voice of persuasion? You can hear it every evening by tuning in to most of these ABC, CBS or NBC stations.

William Chaplar Jordan Unit

Many citizens irate as food network gets the ax

To the editor,

I have lived in the city of Pampa for a lot of years and, as the old saying goes, "I am much like Rover, I am all over," which means I get around a lot and I meet a lot of people.

Here of late I have come across many irate citizens who are angry with the local television cable service. Cable One has eliminated the Food Show on channel 62. The people who I have talked to are threatening to petition the city commissioners to procure another cable

I personally think I go along with the idea. Any help you can provide in this manner will be very much appreciated.

Lee Miles

The real winner in the coming election is not clear

To the editor,

There is much speculation and many polls about who will be elected our next president. In order to help the uninformed, it is obvious that the Council on Foreign Relations (CFR) will win whichever candidate gets the most votes.

President Clinton is a CFR member as are the leading members of his cabinet and policy makers in his administration. Vice President Gore is not a CFR member, but he may keep most of the CFR folks and probably add some more. Both candidates for vice president, Lieberman and Cheney, are CFR members.

There are 15 CFR advisors to Gov. Bush on his election team. Although he is not a CFR member, he will could very well follow his father who had about 300 CFR members in his administration.

So what? The "what" is that the Council on Foreign Relations is publicly dedicated to undermining the sovereignty of the United States and supporting the agenda of the International Socialists in the move to merge the nations of ttic World into the New World Order that President George Bush worked so hard to implement.

Whether Gore or Bush win the election, the big winner is the Council on Foreign Relations guaranteed!

Mark E. Pedersen

Watch out for 'walking or riding school children'

Please watch out for school children.

Some of these children drive cars, and they have found the 'Go Pedal,' but seem to have difficulty remembering how to slow down and have not yet found the "Stop Pedal."

Never assume that stop signs are protecting you. Some students ignore good driving skills when trying to be first in line to eat. They may think they are good drivers; however, they are not yet mature enough to know that good drivers do not endanger other people.

The daily lunch race is most evident at 11:35 a.m. each school day. You are in the danger zone if you happen to be walking or driving anywhere between high school and the fast food drive-ins in Pampa. Remember to watch out for walking or riding school children.

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TWC TOT program to help train child care workers

Workforce Commission (TWC) is again giving eligible child care workers awards as part of the Train Our Teachers (TOT)

Awards, not to exceed \$1,000 each, will be given to approximately 400 child care workers statewide who will be enrolled in eligible courses during

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www.texasworkforce.org/svcs childcare/cctrain.html on the World Wide Web. Applications also are available at Texas Workforce Centers and community colleges with approved programs.
TOT awards are targeted to

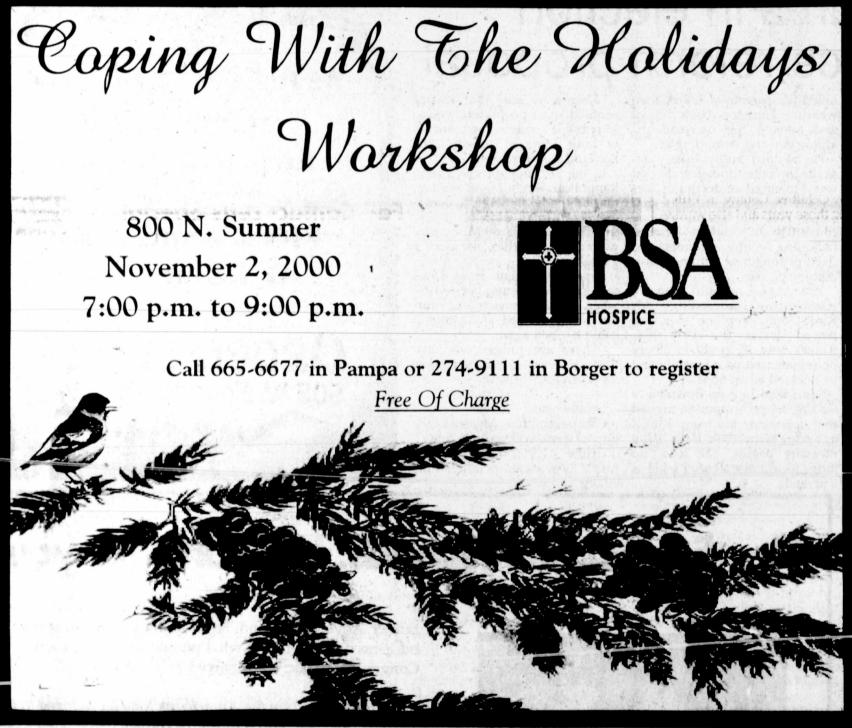
current child care workers seeking to earn national certification as a Child Development Associate (CDA) or as a Certified Child Care Professional (CCP); or who are seeking a level one certificate or an associate degree in child development or early childhood education from an institution of higher educa-

To be eligible to receive a TOT award, child care workers must have a high school diploma or GED; must be currently employed in a child care facility that is licensed or registered by the Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services (TDPRS); must obtain one of the aforementioned credentials; and immediately after completion of the award-subsidized course work, must continue employment for at least 18 consecutive months in a facility that is licensed or registered by TDPRS. TOT awards are granted to an individual only one time. Previous recipirate and not apply

ents need not apply.

TWC has previously granted more than 1,800 TOT awards to child care workers across the

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Education opportunities abound at upcoming Fort Worth Stock Show

FORT WORTH - Premium Lists for the 2001 Southwestern **Exposition and Livestock Show** have been mailed to some 7,000 potential exhibitors, reports W.R. Watt, Jr., president-manager. The books ouiline the show classifications and give schedules for the more than 22,000 head of livestock expected to be in competition.

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Scheduled dates of the 105th annual event are Jan. 19-Feb. 4. Horse will begin Jan. 13.

Competition for the Llama Show also begins a day early, Jan. 18.

teacher by Dec. 1, while Open livestock industry showcase. Division entries for cattle, Dec. 10. Pigeon Show entry include the Invitational Ranch

The "hands-on" exhibit will be open daily as a free learning opportunity, and compliment the Barn Tours program, presented by Barnmaster, the Kroger Petting Zoo, the FFA Children's Barnyard and the Milking Parlor.

and rabbits must be entered by

Jan. 10. Watt also said that many show read their Premium List carefulthe horse breeds in general has money for the 2001 event will necessitated the expanded exceed \$750,000 for the livestock schedule as a means of being divisions and the accompanying rows and wether goats. more accommodating to 30 performances of the World's year almost 800,000 visitors from across the United States and Junior Division exhibitors some 70 foreign nations attend-

sheep, swine, horses, donkeys, and polled Herefords are on the involvement with life through mules and llamas have until schedule. Auction sales on tap

deadline is Jan. 5, and poultry Horse Show/Sale, and top quality offerings of Quarter Horses and miniature horses. In other divisions, auctions are set for llaexhibitors are urged to note that rules and regulations have mas and registered shorthorn, Cutting and Paint Horse events changed and urged exhibitors to polled Hereford, Maine-Anjou and Chianina cattle, plus two Record-setting entries among ly. He said that overall prize commercial heifer sales and the big Sale of Champions for Junior Department steers, lambs, bar-

Educational opportunities for Watt noted. Original Indoor Rodeo. Last all ages will abound at the stock show. The well-attended debut of the Planet Agriculture exhibit, presented by TXU Electric and must enter through their county ed the stock show, considered a Gas and coordinated by Texas agent or agricultural science premier exhibition and major Farm Bureau, will return as an interactive display that links all National events for horned consumers to agriculture's daily sight, sound and touch.

The "hands-on" exhibit will

the Barn Tours program, presented by Barnmaster, the Kroger Petting Zoo, the FFA Children's Barnyard and the Milking Parlor. Another highlight will be the nightly presen-tation of the TexasBank Western of trick and fancy riding experts. Additional Premi Roundup Show, a pageant-style reflection of western heritage.

Rodeo fans will enjoy Jerry performances. Tickets to Friday by writing P.O. Box 150, Fort Diaz, a fourth-generation "charnight and all weekend perfor-Worth, TX 76101-0150. ing and riding skills that have day matinees and Monday- the won him international acclaim. Thursday nights are priced at website, www.fwssr.com.

be open daily as a free learning Also, Staci Anderson-Diaz will \$16. The ticket office at the north opportunity, and compliment add a native-American tribute entrance to Will Rogers with her dancing horse, Dakota Memorial Center will open Dec. Warrior. Both will be joined by a 4 for over-the-counter sales. special appearance of Fort Early orders by mail should Worth-based Folklorico include \$4 extra per order for Dancers. The special talent also return postage and sent to the

of trick and fancy riding experts. Additional Premium Lists are Rodeo fans are urged to plan available at the stock show early for tickets to any of the 30 office by calling 817-877-2400, or ro" who exhibits amazing rop- mances are \$18 each, and week- Information also is available on Stock

'Apples for Students Plus!'



Ramon Jimenez, a second-grader at Lamar Elementary, puts a cash register receipt into the school's "Apple Plus" box. Lamar is currently participating in Homeland's "Apples for the Students Plus!" program. This school-community partnership awards educational equipment to schools that accumulate store register tapes. During the past several years, "Apples for the Students Plus!" has awarded more than \$250 million in needed classroom learning tools free to participating schools. For more information about Apples for the Students Plus!, or to donate register tapes to Lamar Elementary, contact Misty Jimenez at 669-4880.

West Texas A&M professor explores history of women in the panhandle

CANYON — Dr. Sandra Gail Nellie M. Perry."

Roger D. David, the Edward

ones investment representative in Pampa, has accepted a

limited partnership offering in

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Roger said, "I am honored to

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John Bachmann, the firm's

managing partner, added, "Edward Jones is owned entire-

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offer them an opportunity to

share in the ownership of the

company they help build. I'm

pleased to say that Roger has

most definitely earned this lim-

ited partnership offering."

Commerce and Rotary Club.

vices industry."

Local Edward Jones representative

accepts limited partnership

"I was drawn to a few pages Teichmann, West Texas A&M copied from the 1888 journal of Miss University assistant professor of Nellie M. Perry," Teichmann said. English, began a journey in 1996 to After listening to several oral histolearn more about women in the ries and looking at photographs and Texas Panhandle. Her journey led a few journals stored in the archives her to a glimpse of early at the Panhandle-Plains Historical Panhandle life in "Woman of the Museum, Teichmann asked how Plains: The Journals and Stories of she could get to the original, the whole of the journal.

Teichmann's questions led her to the Perry Memorial Library in Perryton and to Jeanne Gramstorff, the grandniece of

Teichmann spent the summer in Gramstorff's home reading journals and letters and looking at photographs from a time when Ochiltree County had fewer than 50 residents.

Teichmann carefully compiled Perry's never-before-published journals spanning from 1888 to her last in 1925 and compiled them in "Woman of the Plains: The Journals and Stories of Nellie M. Perry," which was published in June as part of the WTAMU Series by the Texas A&M University

Perry began the first journal on the way to visit her brother George M. Perry, a pioneer rancher and later judge and founder of Perryton. Eventually, she came to live in Ochiltree County in 1916. During those years and afterward, she kept journals of her life in the panhandle. During that time she also wrote stories and essays about the people and things she encountered in that new, wild

Women were needed on the frontier," Teichmann said. "Living was an ordeal, and many women did not have the time or strength to keep journals because of the difficult life."

After a book-signing and reading in Perryton, Teichmann enjoyed comments from those who have read the book.



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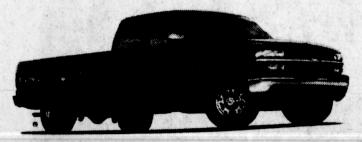
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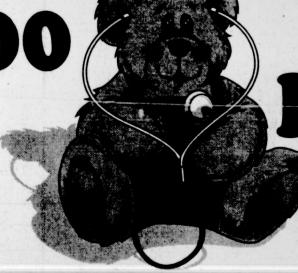
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Austin honor roll

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A Honor Roll

Payton Alvey, Hudson Bentley, Olin Boyd, Karina Cabrales, Trent Carter, Brandon Chairez, Rejoice Duggan, Katie Dunham, Lane Dyer, Dylan Ellis, Garrett Ericson, Chase Ferguson, Holly Gage, Callan Garner, Lynsie Guyer, Paige Hargus, Emily Hart, Lara Heersema, Paige Holt.

Tyler Howard, Huddleston, Gavin Jimenez, Matt Kelley, Ashley Kettenring, Dillon Kyle, Evan McElwain, Kaitlyn O'Brien, Jonathan Rhoads, Polasek, Canaan Brenden Rice, Shanda Roberts, Hannah Smith, Kaysha Spence, Koby Starnes, Cameron Wall, Ty Youree, Danielle Zuniga.

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Teichmann said.

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a frequent visiting place for Miss Trains," using journals women www.tamu.edu/upress

Thousands of soldiers battle mysterious illness; Texas researchers seek answers

By TROY GOODMAN **Associated Press Writer**

ABILENE (AP) - Despite a firm grip on his ever-present walking cane, Chris Yarger has trouble just getting around the rooms and hallways of his home.

He's too unsteady for the outdoor patio Accomplishing household chores can take ly and mentally exhausted. The 43-year-old former ranchfive years.

Doctors have yet to explain why the Gulf War veteran and father of two can't control his muscles better. Now classified as 100 percent disabled by the Pentagon, Yarger said the most troubling aspect of his and federal officials have been "We don't draw a conclusion unexplained illness is that his skeptical. Scores of other union Dr. Haley's research. We are mind has lost its agility.

A former enlisted man, Yarger once learned three foreign languages to join a topsecret Army unit that practiced what he called "psychological operations" to help Kuwaiti civilians cope with a military presence.

"I forget where I put things within two minutes and my concentration is only good for about 10 minutes," Yarger said. "I'm not as sharp as I once was."

Diminished mental skill is a common refrain among more than 100,000 U.S. soldiers who returned from deployments to the Middle East in the early 1990s. Veterans say they suffer Jesse Finney, Kyle Hargus, from a strange assortment of woes characterized as Gulf War Syndrome: memory loss, anxiety, severe nausea, bal-Ashely ic muscle and joint pain.

Nearly a decade later, a

Teichmann said the book has 1900s about riding trains.

also helped a lot of people value Teichmann hopes "Women on

the stories their parents and Trains" might be published next

have written since the early www.amazon.com.

the government should do the Pentagon claimed would matic and inexplicable sympabout it. North Texas not harm those exposed to it. toms. The result was a 1997 about it. North Texas not harm those exposed to it. researchers, meanwhile, have Perot said the failure to pinbeen gathering evidence that point a cause and treatment of the American Medical some troops may have suf- was due to Pentagon officials' fered brain stem damage in a unwillingness to retreat from

nected symptoms as we once thought since we are finding understanding of why this has hours and leave him physical- more and more evidence of real brain damage," said happened," Perot told the sen-Robert Haley, chief epidemiol- ators. er hasn't held a job in some ogist for the University of Bernard Rostker, head of the Texas Southwestern Medical Defense Department's Gulf Center at Dallas. "We've raised a strong theory and denied that government supported it ... and nobody's research is focused on stress. refuted that."

UT Southwestern's findings haven't been ruled conclusive a larger group of veterans.

Some point to chemicals in the battlefield air, anti-nerve research team has published 21 reservists who, in contrast to gas pills, vaccinations or rare articles in peer-reviewed med- combat units,

The Pentagon and the Department of Veterans region is a harsh, stark envi- variety of desert camps. Affairs, after a slow start, have ronment even for trained solproblem exists but insist no military records, many say it's single illness is behind Gulf nearly impossible to pinpoint War Syndrome.

Meanwhile, the political cur- have been exposed. rency on the issue has dwin-Clinton administration is not Fienberg doing enough about America's Assessment Service, dependence on foreign oil.

sent to the Middle East again for another oil crisis," said huge number of people and Chris Kornkven, president of not just because they went to the National Gulf War the Gulf War." Resource Center and a former Initially, Haley was among they've made a strong link served in the Gulf.

grandparents have written.

"I hope this will inspire them The 224-page book, "Woman Perot, who has funded Haley's Haley became convinced more that plays a key role in degenfelt connected to these women," to go back and investigate their of the Plains: The Journals and research, said the controversy research needed to be done. own family's stories," she said. Stories of Nellie M. Perry," is about Gulf War illness "is So using funding from the ing Parkinson's. Teichmann has compiled available at the University Agent Orange revisited," Perot Foundation, Haley's

region called the basal ganglia. early theories that the sick-It's not a bunch of discon- nesses were stress-related.

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War illness investigations, He suggested that Haley's findings need to be replicated with

versity- and government- perfectly willing to support \$2,5 million to expand its sponsored studies along with it," Rostker said. "But we research. congressional hearings have don't again want to see Dr. failed to establish why some Haley lobbying in place of the was gathered from the ranks of Gulf War veterans came home peer review, competitive a Naval Mobile Construction research process."

In response, Haley said his dubbed

"We can talk about possible dled, taking its place far exposure all day, but that's not behind concerns that the the point," said Howard of Statistical

"What I'm distraught over is san group that studies scientif-the thought of troops being ic and statistical data. "Disease is happening to a

Army staff sergeant who the skeptics. But after poring between brain cell loss near over the medical histories of At a Senate hearing last more than 2,000 sick veterans

debate still rages over whether alluding to the defoliant used team six years ago focused on the syndrome exists and what during the Vietnam War that veterans with the most drastudy published in the Journal Association that concluded that some soldiers suffer from distinct symptom clusters caused by chemical poisoning "I think you have a clear and that some may have suffered neurological damage from nerve gas or pesticides.

"Once you're confronted with that kind of scientific evidence, you can't help but aim for the truth," said Haley.

Texas Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison has secured \$5 million for Gulf War illness research in next year's defense spending bill. The money is expected to go to UT Southwestern.

The center is seeking another

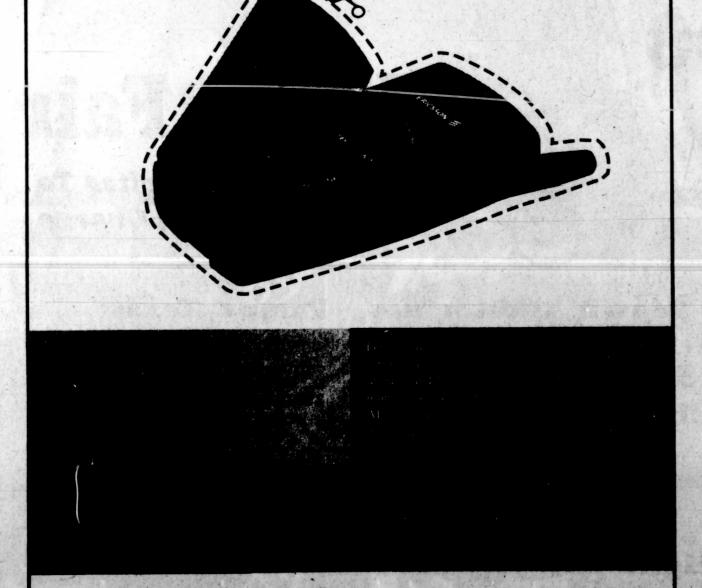
The data for Haley's work Battalion. The unit's soldiers, Seabees, traveled ical journals based on its work. throughout the Gulf War the-The sand-filled Persian Gulf ater and were exposed to a

Yarger, whose Army Special acknowledged a serious health diers. Based on the available Operations squad actually lent support to units like the Seabees, was included in exactly to what troops might Haley's study as one of six soldiers designed to replicate the findings of a larger group.

Then in at least two studies published this year, UT Southwestern researchers used an imaging tool for measuring Washington-based nonparti- chemicals in the brain - magnetic resonance spectroscopy - to examine 22 of the sickest Seabees and compare the results to 18 healthy veterans.

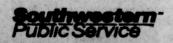
Not only did they find subtle brain damage, but they say the brain stem and abnormal overproduction of dopamine. erative brain diseases, includ-

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Businesses, services expanding to meet needs of an aging population

By STEPHANIE ALLMON Waco Tribune-Herald

WACO, Texas - With a generation of aging baby boomers and seniors who are living long, active lives, new businesses are being created to respond to the special needs of the older population.

From large responsibilities, such as selling home and medical care, to smaller ones like running errands, many individuals and businesses are marketing themselves to provide services that seniors need or

Bill Woodland, local managing ombudsman for the Heart of Texas Area Agency on Aging, said in his 10 years at the agency, the most noticeable trend in business response to seniors has been in living facilities for older people. Just a few years ago in Waco, for example, a senior without a medical emergency didn't have much choice if he or she wanted to move out of the family home. Now, with the emergence of retirement communities and assisted living facilities, they can remain independent and don't have to think about nursing homes

as soon, he said. "There are more old people than there's ever been, and the numbers are going up, up, up with the baby boomers," Woodland said. "Years ago, a man worked until he got old and died. Now he can be active with those ailments. Everybody wants to remain individual as long as they

Waco resident Nell Olszewski, who said she is "70-plus," wanted to remain independent but needed to

needed to scale down her living arrangements. Her niece and nephew in Elm Mott, the only family she has in the area, helped a lot. But she needed to sell her house and many of the items she had collected

over the years. She called her friend Iris Clark, vice president of First National Bank of Central Texas. Clark's family owns and operates Clark Auction Co., a full-service auction and liquidation company and moving service. Not only did the company collect the items, which will be auctioned off, but it also helped move her belongings into her new residence at Lake Shore Estates.

Robbie Clark, part-owner of the company, said about 80 percent of its business comes from seniors who want to scale down their estates.

People in situations similar to Olszewski's are the reason Iris Clark has teamed up with her friend Evelyn Love, a Realtor with Kelly Realtors, to market their services as "Two Companies, One Vision." If Love sells a house owned by a senior who needs help moving, she'll call the Clarks. And Iris Clark may refer a family client to Love to sell the client's house.

Both Love and Clark had experienced moving their mothers into smaller homes or nursing homes, so they knew firsthand the challenges that go with making that transition.

"We thought it would be great for us to team together because there adults. are so many people — even in Waco -like that," Love said. "I thought, if we teamed up, this would be almost take a few major steps to get there. like a ministry. Not only are we remember special days like birth- Press

The maintenance around her house doing our jobs — and, of course, it's days or anniversaries. The company became too difficult, she said, so she a profit-making job — but we're also decorates people's homes for helping people, and I think that was the holidays and helps them sign the whole idea because we could

> Robby Clark said one of the most important aspects of working with seniors is making them feel comfortable. Sorting through a lifetime of personal belongings can be difficult, especially with complete strangers, he said. So he takes a few days to sit down and get to know his clients while he helps move their posses-

When Cindy Lawless and Brenda Mosier assist their clients, they often become so close to them they become like part of the family. Almost a year ago, Lawless and Mosier founded Heart and Hands Personal Assistants, a service that helps seniors with everyday needs, such as grocery shopping, bill paying, gift shopping and insurance

"We're really marketing peace of mind," said Lawless, who handles the business' marketing and sales, while Mosier handles most of the client services. "We're not trying to take control and take things away from them."

Lawless said Heart and Hands does not market itself exclusively to seniors, but seniors make up about 80 percent of the company's clientele. Both Lawless and Mosier had worked in businesses that had senior clients, so they knew about the growing population of older

Besides errand-running and billpaying, Heart and Hands offers a reminder service to help clients

cards if they can't write. Depending on the service, Heart and Hands

charge by a monthly or hourly fee. Lawless, who also teaches in the Baylor marketing department, said that when seniors are choosing to work with a business that calls itself "senior friendly," they should make sure the business is offering services it can legally provide. For example, because of certain Medicaid laws, Heart and Hands cannot offer any medical services that require a nurse's aid. To check out a business, she suggested calling the Medicaid or Medicare office, or the Department of Human Services. The Better Business Bureau may also be able to help determine if the business is legitimate.

Once seniors do choose a company to work with, they should feel a high degree of comfort and trust, Lawless said. And that trust should be felt by all members of the family, not just the seniors themselves. She said sometimes it's the senior's loved ones who appreciate their services the most.

'We have ... a husband and wife in their 90s, and we work with their son extensively," she said. "Every time we're there, there's continual appreciation of what we're doing, there are hugs, and the son is constantly giving us a call. (The couple) has become like our grandparents. It's a business where you become very, very emotionally attached to your clients."

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Employee of the Month



Artie Moore, an employee with the Jordan Unit at Pampa, is presented a certificate for October Employee of the Month by Mary Ann Munsell, assistant warden at the unit. Moore has been employed by the state since 1992 and has been commissary manager since 1994.

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"The Train Our Teachers program benefits both child care workers and those whom they serve," said TWC Chair Diane Rath. 2000. Applications postmarked career skills. Plus, when children ered. Prospective applicants may are guided by those trained child call (512) 463-3137 for more inforcare workers, the children develop mation.

a strong foundation for the future." Completed applications and supporting documents must be mailed to the TWC address specified on the application and must be postmarked no later than Nov. 15, These educational grants enhance after that date will no be consid-

The family of Earnestine Ammons would like to express our gratitude for the numerous acts of kindness extended to us during the loss of our beloved wife and mother. Whether it was a visit, a phone call, food or flowers, your thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated. Your many prayers have brought comfort to each of us in this difficult time.

> May God Bless You All Tom Ammons & Family

Randel Chamber Orchestra to open 2000-01 season

Randel Chamber Orchestra will open its Alvarez performs not only Beethoven's pas-2000-01 season with a performance at St. sionate concert aria 'Ah! Perfido,' but also Paul United Methodist Church at 9 p.m., Copland's very lovely songs on eight poems Friday, Nov. 3. Music Director and of Emily Dickinson. The program also Conductor James Setapen will lead the includes Beethoven's First Symphony. At 7 Chamber Orchestra and will be joined by p.m., I will give a talk on what Beethoven soprano Heather Alvarez. The concert means to me. includes works by Beethoven and Aaron Copland.

nutshell — music by Beethoven and includes performances of many of line at www.amarillosymphony.org.

AMARILLO — The Amarillo Symphony's Copland," said Setapen. "Soprano Heather Beethoven's greatest works and a series of

The 7 p.m. pre-concert lecture by Setapen that precedes the performance is free to all The opening concert of the Randel ticket holders. This lecture is part of the sym-Chamber Orchestra series is our season in a phony's yearlong Beethoven Festival that

special talks. The concert begins at 8 p.m. and tickets are available at the door.

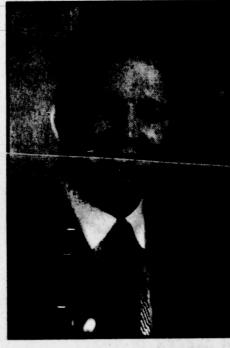
Soprano Heather Alvarez has been the featured soloist by the Amarillo Opera and currently lives in New Mexico. Subscription tickets for all three Randel Chamber Orchestra concerts are \$25. Single tickets for this concert are \$10 for adults and \$5 for senior citizen and students.

For more information call the symphony office at (806) 376-8782 or order tickets on-

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SPORTS

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BASKETBALL

HOUSTON (AP) Hakeem Olajuwon will miss the rest of the Houston Rockets' preseason schedule with a sprained tendon in his left foot but will be ready for the regular season, team physician Dr. Walter Lowe said Friday.

Olajuwon, trying to over-come an asthma-like breathing disorder and play his final NBA season with the Houston Rockets, suffered the injury Thursday night in an exhibition game against the Portland Trail Blazers in North Little Rock, Ark.

Lowe ordered an MRI that was performed Friday and the results were negative.

Olajuwon, 37, who has announced he is retiring at the end of this season, needs every bit of practice time he can get because of the breathing condition that forced him to miss the final 14 games last season. Olajuwon also underwent hernia surgery last season.

BASEBALL

TORONTO (AP) Carlos Delgado soared past Roger Clemens and became baseball's highest-paid player, agreeing to a record \$68 million, four-year contract with the Toronto Blue Jays.

Delgado's average salary of \$17 million breaks the previous mark of \$15.45 million set by Clemens and the New York Yankees earlier this year when they agreed to what amounts to a two-year extension worth \$30.9 million.

Harvesters cruise past Caprock 49-28 PAMPA — Pampa scored on its High School

first four possessions, breaking a two-game losing streak on the way to a 49-28 win over Caprock in District 3-4A action Friday night in Harvester Stadium.

With the win, Pampa stayed in the playoff hunt as the Harvesters evened their district record to 2-2 and improved to 5-2 overall. Caprock is 1-3 in district and 3-4 for the season.

Senior fullback Thomas Long was the driving force in the Harvesters' victory. Long scored four touchdowns and rushed for 332 yards on 22 carries. Long's TDs came on runs of 24, 62, 6 and Lefors 46-0 in a six-man football 27 yards.

Jason Burklow contributed a first game at tight end, the 190pound senior caught a 48-yard TD pass from quarterback J.J. Roark that opened the scoring in the first quarter. From his starting middle linebacker position, and 1. Burklow picked up a fumble by Caprock quarterback Geoffrey Ornelas on the Longhorns' 9end zone for a fourth-quarter TD.

scored Pampa's other TD on a 3yard run in the second quarter.

lead at halftime. in total offense, compared to 297

for Caprock.

Football

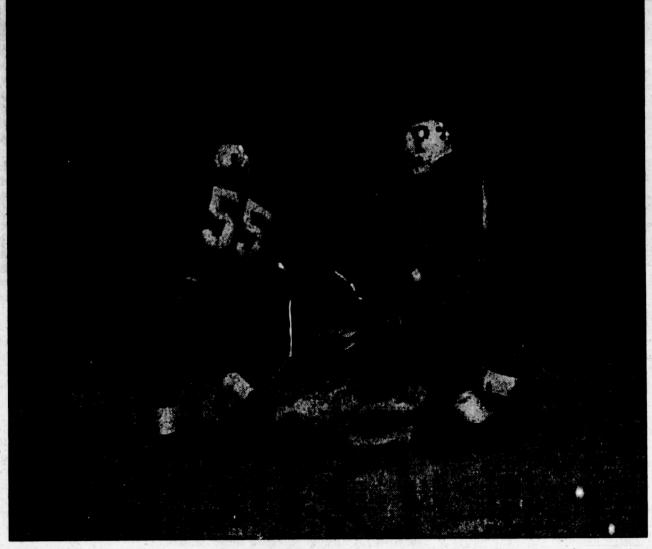
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C-Chris Wright 2 pass from Geoffrey Ornelas (Velasco kick).
P-Long 6 run (Kettenring kick).
P-Burklow 9 fumble return (Kettenring kick).
C-Shane O'Dell 38 pass from Ornelas (Wright pass from Ornelas).
P-Long 27 run (Kettenring kick).
C- J Fields 45 run (kick failed).

MIAMI — Miami blanked game Friday night. Miami's improved its record to

pair of touchdowns. Starting his 2-0 in District 1-1A and 5-2 for the season. Lefors is 0-2 and 2-5. Lucio Moreno led the Miami offense with 194 yards on 15 carries and four touchdowns. He had touchdown runs of 3, 14, 2,

Quarterback Jimmy James completed 9 of 15 pass attempts for 204 yards. Ryan Manley and yard line and scrambled into the Justin Holman each had TD nd zone for a fourth-quarter TD. runs. Manley also kicked four Tailback Terrance Lemons extra points. Hal Rogers had

Miami held a 24-0 halftime The Harvesters held a 28-14 lead. The Warriors finished with 409 yards total offense and 14 Pampa finished with 530 yards first downs. Their defense held Lefors to 81 yards and 4 first downs.



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Pampa 8th grade shuts out Hereford

football action last week.

Two Pampa touchdowns yard run. were scored by the defense. loose ball in the end zone and interception on defense. Janssen Eilenberger scored on a 28-yard fumble recovery

Seth Foster scored on a 78kicked two extra points.

PAMPA — Pampa shut out Tyler Doughty threw a 13-Hereford 34-0 in 8th grade yard TD pass to Brittin East. extra points. Mateo Campos scored on a 2-

Campos also had a 2-point Dustin Langley recovered a conversion run and a pass

Pampa won the B team game by a score of 14-0.

Cameron Seger scored both yard punt return and he also touchdowns on runs of 3 and team and and 6:30 p.m. for the 1 yard. ou them sale tam and

Adam Brown kicked the 2

Defensively, Winegeart had an intercep-

Pampa's next games are against Dumas Oct. 24 at Harvester Stadium.

Games are at 5 p.m. for the B A team.

Bucks shut out Booker

WHITE DEER — White Deer shut out Booker 41-0 in District 1-1A play Friday night.

Aaron McKean rushed for 97 yards and scored four touchdowns to lead the Bucks' attack. He scored on runs of 7, 9, 2 and 1

Matt Henderson ran for a score and threw a 20-vard touchdown pass to Jerry Evans.

Nick Ball didn't score, but he led White Deer rushers with 137 yards on 22 caries. White Deer's defense held

Booker to only 119 yards of total The Bucks move to 2-0 in dis-

trict and 5-2 overall. Booker falls

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Turco helps lead Stars to 5-1 win

CHICAGO (AP) - Marty Blackhawks' in four years at Michigan, and trickled in. the most by any goalie in Brenden Morrow then NCAA history. From there, took a crossing pass from he added 52 more in two Mike Keane and beat strong minor league sea- Thibault to make it 4-1 with

win and it's one he'll never Nieuwendyk added his to him.

able to give my wife a kiss,' Turco said after helping the Nieuwendyk said. "We're Friday night.

Turco got to play because

Ed Belfour got the night off.

And the Stars made it

The same cannot of the Blackhawks.

"They scored two in a three-minute span of

the second period. "It made me feel real good sitting in the other end watching that spurt. We always expect tight games," Turco said after the Stars'

fourth straight win. Turco, who gave up five playoffs will start getting goals in a 5-2 loss to difficult." Carolina in his only other start, stopped 17 shots Friday night.

Joe Nieuwendyk had two goals for the Stars, who overwhelmed Chicago goalie Jocelyn Thibault with the quick scoring outburst.

"This is the not the way you want to play if you want to win," Thibault said. "I'm not going to get down at all. If I said I played a solid game tonight, I'd be selfish."

fed Nieuwendyk in front for hard shot rebounded off the go-ahead goal at 16:09. Thibault's chest right to Jere Just 71 seconds later, the Lehtinen for the score.

line went right through the continuing.

Turco recorded 127 victories bounced off Thibault's pad

just over a minute remain-Now, Turco has one more ing in the period.

forget - his first in the second goal, his fourth of NHL. It came in front of the season, with just over people who are important six minutes left in the game. "The offense will take

"I relished seeing my par- care of itself if we clean up entstand friends and being some other areas of our game,"

Dallas Stars beat the playing better in our own Chicago Blackhawks 5-1 end and we're making better decisions,"

The same cannot be said

"They scored two goals easy for their rookie goal- right in front of the net on tender, scoring three times exactly the same play," said Chicago coach Alpo Suhonen. "The puck was behind the net and they just flipp d it in front because we were late.

"We can't keep doing like that for three or four more weeks or the race for the

Blackhawks, outscored 10-2 in the opening period of their first six games, took a 1-0 lead at 3:41 when Tony Amonte centered a pass in front to Alex Zhamnov, who beat Turco.

"The good advice I got from Eddie was never play the clock," Turco said. 'That came true tonight with them getting an early goal. My confidence wasn't shaken by that."

Sergei Zubov moved the ing up Thibault in the puck behind the net to process. Mike Modano skat-Jamie Langenbrunner, who ed up the left side, and his Stars made it 3-1 when Thibault was woozy on the Darryl Sydor's slap shot ice and received a couple of from just inside the blue minutes attention before

Softball star claims promises were broken

HOUSTON (AP) — U.S. Williams claims she was told Women's Softball Team member by Amateur Softball Association mer games.

Christa Williams should be basking in the glory of winning her second Olympic gold medal in Australia last month. But for the Olympic team and also Williams said she instead feels play her senior season at the University of Texas, Houston the last on the University of Texas, Houston the last on the last o

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Kelli Wilson (left) and Diana Mechelay compete at Level for Gymnastics of

Pampa gymnasts dominate Level 5 competition at Wild West meet

members recently participated in Texas State meet this year. the Wild West gymnastics meet, a District One qualifier, and dominated the Level 5 team competi-

teammates to the Level 5 first- sonal bests on uneven bars 9.0, Brandi Holden won bronze place trophy at the Amarillo where she won silver on floor medals on uneven bars 8.0, a meet by posting her best scores exercise 8.7, for the silver, and on ever on all four events and in the vault 8.8, for fourth place. She All-Around.

Brittany had an outstanding competition enroute to five gold Around was a 34.4. medals in the 11 year old age scores on each event are used. her best score ever.

Gymnastics of Pampa team and hopes to make a trip to the improved her All-Around score

the team total and finished with fifth on balance beam 7.65. the silver medal in the 11-year-Brittany Warminski led her old All-Around. Lacie had per- the 12 and under division, also finished fourth on balance floor exercise 7.95, sixth on vault beam with a 7.9. Lacie's All-

In the 9-year-olds, Kelby group. She scored a 9.05 on vault, Doughty won the gold medal on a 9.15 on uneven bars, 9.225 on vault 8.65. She had personal best balance beam and a 9.35 on floor scores on uneven bars 8.7, where exercise, all for gold medals. Her she won the bronze medal, and best ever All-Around was a on floor exercise 8.55, for 7th 36.775. All of Brittany's event place. Kelby placed 11th on bal-

Brittany's All-Around was one Keisha Crowell competed in Diana won blue ribbons for of the highest scores posted this the 10-year-old age group and bars 9.0, beam 8.3, floor 8.2, and season. She is the 1999 Level 5 won the gold medal on uneven All-Around 32.9, and received a 10-year-old District Champion bars 8.4, a personal best. Keisha red ribbon for vault 7.4.

to a 31.85 for the silver medal. Lacie Thompson also con- She finished fourth on floor exertributed all four event scores to cise 8.1, fourth on vault 7.7 and

Competing for Team Pampa in personal best, and on balance beam 7.35. She finished fifth on 6.8, and fifth in the All-Around

In Level 4 competition, Kelli Willson had personal bests on bars, floor exercise and All-Around, and Diana Mechelay had her best scores ever on bars and All-Around.

Kelli received blue ribbons for scores counted toward her ance beam 7.05, and 5th in the bars 9.0, floor 9.05, beam 8.1, and team's total, where the top three All-Around 32.95, where she tied All-Around 33.45, and earned a red ribbon on vault 7.3.

United States takes overall lead

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

GAINESVILLE, Va. (AP) Peter Thomson doesn't like the game. He didn't much like the score, either.

BASEBALL

Sunday, Oct. 22
N.Y. Mets (Hampton 15-10) at N.Y. Yankees (Clemens 13-8), 8 p.m.
Tuesday, Oct. 24
N.Y. Yankees (Hernandez 12-13) at N.Y.
Mets (Reed 11-5), 8:18 p.m.
Wednesday, Oct. 25
N.Y. Yankees (Cone 4-14 or Neagle 7-7) at
N.Y. Mets (B.J. Jones 11-6), 8:18 p.m.
Thursday, Oct. 26
N.Y. Yankees at N.Y. Mets, 8:18 p.m., if necessary

FOOTBALL

Seturday, Oct. 21 N.Y. Mets (Leiter 16-8) (Pettitte 19-9), 8 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 22

At A Glance By The Asso

After watching a morning rally that made the score close, the International team captain's mood sank when alternate-shot matches returned Friday after-

noon in the Presidents Cup. He had good reason to be dismayed as the U.S. team won four of the five alternate-shot matches to make their record 9-1 in the format and give them a 10-5 overall lead after two days.

"It's a bloody English invention," Thomson said. "It's for old ladies in golf clubs. Husbands and wives don't like it, though. I said before we started that I'm not a fan of foursomes."

The concept of hitting every other ball isn't exactly a thrill for the American players either.

"I never see anybody going out and playing alternate shots, U.S. captain Ken Venturi said. "It was just amazing to me. I thought we'd have a better a jump-start with Nick Price and chance at the fourballs than we did the alternate shots, and it just turned upside down."

foursomes are done. Five four- course, the International team ball matches make up Saturday's trailed 9 1/2-5 1/2 after 15 schedule, and Thomson said his matches and nearly rallied to team must get at least 3 1/2 win Sunday before losing 16 1/2 points from those five to have a to 15 1/2. chance going into Sunday's 12

singles.
"We felt like the onus was on us the opening day, and we if you wipe out that first day. played well," Tiger Woods said. From here on, anything could "Then they felt like the onus was happen." on them, they played well. And then we felt it was back on us, and we played well again. Hopefully we can keep it on our side this time."

No one epitomized the seesaw events of the first two days better the leader just fine. than Woods. Woods was his authoritative self when he and Notah Begay beat Ernie Els and Vijay Singh as part of the U.S. team's 5-0 clean sweep in alternate shot Thursday.

Golf gone Friday morning in a 3 and 2 fourball loss to Carlos Franco and Shigeki Maruyama that ended with Woods missing an 8-

foot par putt at the 16th hole. In the afternoon, however, the Woods snarl was back as he followed his 18-foot putt into the hole at the second. He and Begay won the first six holes in their alternate shot match on the way to a 6 and 5 rout of Els and Singh.

'We got rolling early, and we got Big Mo on our side," Woods

Woods and Begay were to play together again Saturday for a U.S. team whose depth is shown by the fact that all 12 players have at least one victory. Only David Duval, 1-2, has a losing record after two days.

Meanwhile, Thomson is searching for answers. He's breaking up the Singh-Els team that went 0-3, hoping Els will get teaming Singh with Retief Goosen.

The deficit isn't insurmount-Fortunately for Thomson, the able. Four years ago at this same

> "Today was even, five points each," Thomson said. "That shows the balance of the match,

> KAANAPALI, Hawaii (AP) -It's a family affair for the Summerhays clan, and it suits

With daughter Shelly guiding him, and a flock of family members trailing around the Kaanapali North Course on Maui, Bruce Summerhays held ate shot Thursday. the lead Saturday heading into But the pair's rhythm was the second round of the

Kaanapali Senior Classic. Summerhays, who found

himself in the same position after the first round at the Gold Rush Classic last week, turned in a bogey-free, 5-under-par 66 Friday to take a 1-stroke lead over five other players.

"It's a caddy conference" Summerhays said of the rotating family caddy system he uses. "We've got 21 people here, so it's a family thing."

And he isn't planning to just concentrate on golf.

"There isn't going to be much practice," Summerhays said. There's going to be snorkling and seeing the sights. It's a great place to rejuvenate."

Despite winds gusting up to 30 mph over the 6,590-yard oceanside course, Summerhays flourished.

'I had a 7 o'clock tee time and the wind was howling," he said. As a result, only 38 players completed the round under par with another 12 at 71.

The closest challengers were Dale Douglass, Chuck Moran, Joe Inman, Dave Eichelberger and Japan PGA Tour regular Stewart Ginn.

At 3-under were Bill Brask and Jose Maria Canizares. Jim Thorpe, winner of the last two senior tournaments, defending champion Bruce Fleisher among nine players tied another shot behind.

Summerhays, among the early starters at the oceanside course, started slowly. He had only one birdie on the front 9. But after making the turn, he birdied the 10th and 11th, then the 15th and 16th to complete a bogey-free

On the course, Summerhays said he was helped by good for-

"I got a great break on 15," he said of the 480-yard hole. "I pull-hooked it and the ball landed between the curb and road on a small strip of grass about a foot inbounds.

Golota quits after two rounds

AUBURN HILLS, Mich. (AP) - Mike Tyson was angry and had to be restrained.

He had just won a fight, but any satisfaction.

Across the ring from the frustrated Tyson stood Andrew ner.' Golota, who after two rounds told referee Frank Garza, "I quit." quit."

showered by soft drinks and beer not over. Go back to your corproblems. and serenaded by boos as he left ner.' the arena early Saturday morning. He then went to a hospital to I quit." have a cut over his left eye repaired.

the arena.

'I think he was a little unfuladviser.

seen that," Tommy Brooks, Tyson's trainer, said of Golota's action. "He is not a coward. He suffers from anxiety attacks. I think he suffered one at the was being butted and Garza wasbeginning of the third round."

after the first round.

With 12 seconds left in the opening round, many in the crowd of 16,228 in the Palace of Auburn Hills came to their feet when the 222-pound Tyson knocked down the 240-pound Golota with a right to the head. Golota got up quickly, took a mandatory eight-count. Then the bell rang.

corner he said he wanted to quit.

"I said, 'No, you're going to win this fight.' But he wanted to

Golota went out for the second round, got shook early, but land-

there was no glory in it, not even third round, Golota left his cor- holds true. ner and referee Frank Garza said: - It wouldn't be surprising, how-"You must go back to your cor- ever, if Tyson fights again. He

Garza said Golota replied, "I

Garza said Golota said, "Why? lion.

Certo then led Golota back to his corner, saying, "What are you Tyson quickly left the ring and doing? What are you doing? You've got to get back out there."

But when Certo tried to insert filled, he wanted to knock him Golota's mouthpiece, the fighter out," said Shelly Finkel, a Tyson refused to open his mouth and the fight was over. It goes in the "That's the first time I've every record book as a third-round technical knockout.

"Listen, boxing is a difficult sport," said the 32-year-old Golota, who complained that he n't doing anything about it. "I am Actually, Golota wanted to quit sorry to all my fans who counted on me, but it wasn't my day."

There were a couple of butts, but none of the dirty tactics both fighters have used in some past

As for whether he will continue boxing, the native of Poland who lives in Chicago said, "I will have to give heavy thought about it. I don't know."

His decision to quit, however, Al Certo, Golota's trainer, said. almost certainly finishes him as when the fighter returned to his an attraction, coming just three fights after he quit after being knocked down by Michael Grant in the 10th round of a fight he was winning last Nov. 20.

future, he said Thursday that this ed some shots and held his own. would be his last fight, and Then, before the bell for the Finkel said, "At this moment that

probably wouldn't want his career to have such a sorry ending as Friday's night fight would The referee then told Golota, be. Also, although he made \$10 Golota was pelted by popcorn, "Your one-minute rest period is million, he still has financial

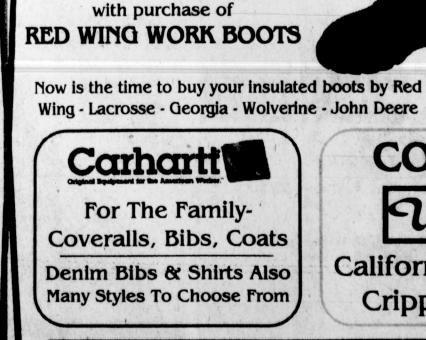
Golota's purse was \$2.2 mil-

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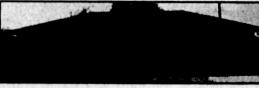
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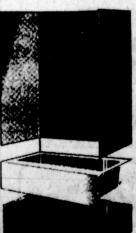


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By NANCY YOUNG Managing Editor

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The tours will lead the guests through a dramatiza-tion of the most vicious supernatural battle of all time: Jesus vs. Satan. Each tour will last about 25 minutes. The tours will run between 7 and 9 p.m., but because of the large crowds,

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contacted the local church St. in Pampa, which is one following an article in a mile east of Wal-Mart. national magazine.

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Brooks anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Reid Brooks will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary from 2-4 p.m. today at Hughey House Bed and Breakfast in Pampa. Children of the couple will host the reception.

Reid Brooks and June Lucille Lantz were married Oct. 21, 1950, in St. Paul Methodist Church in Abilene. The couple has lived in Pampa for the past 42 years.

Mr. Brooks worked at Dirkson Electric Supply in Pampa from 1958 until entering into a partnership with Ted Eads in 1965, acquiring The Electric Service. He purchased the business in 1968 and operated it until May of 1985, when he retired and sold the venture to his son, Neil. He is a 32nd degree Mason.

Mrs. Brooks has been an Avon representative since 1971 and is a member of Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

Children of the couple are Neil and Jerilyn Brooks of Pampa, Martin and Shan Brooks of Brenham, Angela and Perry Colton of Borger and Paul and Pam Brooks of Sandy, Utah. They have 15 grandchildren.



Menus

Pampa Schools MONDAY

Breakfast: Biscuits and

sausage patty. Lunch: Turkey French fryzs or pizza, whipped potatoes, English peas, mixed fruit, hot rolls.

TUESDAY Breakfast: Waffle sticks.

Lunch: Chicken fajitas or chicken nuggets, bell peppers/onions, flour tortilla, pinto beans, Spanish rice, spiced

WEDNESDAY

Breakfast: Scrambled eggs, sausage patty,

Lunch: Ribecue on a bun or burritos, potato rounds, tossed salad, peanut butter cookies, fresh fruit.

THURSDAY

Breakfast: Oatmeal, toast. Lunch: Egg rolls or chef salad, broccoli milk. florets, rice pilaf, pineapple, crackers. FRIDAY

Breakfast: Cereal, toast, sausage patty. Lunch: Corndogs or hamburgers, French fries, vegetarian beans, applesauce.

> **Lefors Schools** MONDAY

Breakfast: Muffins, toast, cereal, juice, milk.

fajitas, Spanish rice, salad, fruit, milk.

TUESDAY

Breakfast: Pancakes on a stick, toast, bread. gravy, cereal, juice, milk.

Lunch: Chicken nuggets or Salisbury steak, whipped potatoes, green beans, rolls, fruit, milk.

WEDNESDAY

Lunch: Pizza or mini burritos, corn,

salad, fruit, milk. **THURSDAY**

Breakfast: Waffles, toast, cereal, juice, Lunch: Frito pie or hot dogs with chili, cheese, beans, salad, fruit, milk.

FRIDAY Breakfast: Breakfast burritos, cereal, toast,

juice, milk. Lunch: Hamburgers or chicken patties,

whipped potatoes, spinach, rolls, fruit,

Senior Citizens MONDAY

Chicken fried steak or chicken pot pie, mashed potatoes, winter blend, beets, beans, German chocolate cake or vanilla pudding cups, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread.

TUESDAY

Pork chops and stuffing or taco salad, Lunch: Soft tacos, taco salad or chicken tater tots, hominy, spinach, pinto beans, cherry chip cake or chocolate icebox pie, jello.

slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or corn-

Oct. 23-27

WEDNESDAY

Roast beef brisket with brown gravy or cook's choice, mashed potatoes, green beans, creme corn, butter beans, Boston creme pie or bread pudding, slaw, tossed Breakfast: Yogurt, toast, cereal, juice, or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread.

THURSDAY

Chicken strips or kraut and sausage, sour cream potatoes, macaroni and tomatoes, blackeyed peas/snaps, butter peean cake or cherry cobbler, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread.

Fried cod fish or beef stew, potato wedges, broccoli casserole, beans, brownies or tapioca, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls, garlic toast or cornbread.

Meals On Wheels MONDAY

Hamburgers, tater tots, pineapple. TUESDAY

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WEDNESDAY

Eggs. bacon, biscuits, gravy, peaches. THURSDAY

Corndogs, macaroni and cheese, peas and carrots, vanilla wafers. FRIDAY

Roast, mashed potatoes, green beans,

Club news

Club news is published strictly on a first come, first serve basis due to space limitations. The deadline each week for Sunday's paper is Wednesday at 5 p.m. (Tuesday at 12 noon on holidays such as Thanksgiving and Christmas.) The deadline does not guarantee publication. Thank you.

Highland Hobby Club

Highland Hobby Club met recently at the home of Mairlyn Kirkwood. Six members were

Minutes from the previous meeting were read and

The following officers were installed for the new club year: Ferline Calvert, president; Jewel Holmes, vice president; and Kirkwood, secretary-treasurer.

The next meeting will be at the home of Gloria Norris.

Timeless Treasures Quilt Guild Timeless Treasures Quilt Guild will meet at 10 a.m., Oct. 28 in the Methodist Family Enrichment Center in Guymon. Registration will begin at 9:30 a.m. and the meeting will get under way at 10 a.m. Participants should bring salad or sandwiches to share for luncheon.

Janie Van Zandt of Pampa will be the speaker. She will lecture and give a demonstration on the care and restoration of textiles.

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were present. The following business was conducted and announcements -Minutes from the previous

meeting and the treasurer's report were approved.

-Jan Allen delivered the program on Barbara Miller, president of Miller Paper Co. in Amarillo. Miller was named Woman of the Year for 2000 and competed against 51 other small business owners at a convention in Washington.

-Margaret Hall reported on the pecan sale. The pecans have been ordered and should arrive the first week of November. Prices will be the same as last

-Several new fund-raising ideas were presented.

Hostesses for the meeting were Frances Guthrie and Brunetta Stewart. Door prizes were won by Glenda Malone, Codi Guthrie, Margaret Hall, LaNella Hensley, Linda Winkleblack and Evelyn

The next meeting will be Monday, Nov. 13 at Furr's.

Kappa Alpha ESA

Kappa Alpha Chapter #3001 of Epsilon Sigma Alpha met Oct. 5 at the Sheriff's Office in Pampa.

The following business was conducted and announcements

-Judy West and Ann Turner were to represent the chapter at the district meeting held recently

in Amarillo. -Colby Brown gave the program on teenage crime prevention and focused on the teenage Crime Stoppers program which operates on donations and serves as a liaison between schools and

communities. Lucille Merilatt served as hostess.

Progressive FCE Club Progressive

Community and Education Extension Club met Oct. 12 at the home of Leny Howard in Pampa with President June Rowan presiding. Nine members and one guest, Madeline Gawthrop, were (See, CLUB, Page 22)







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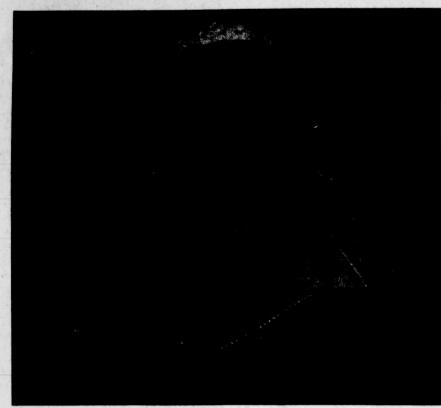
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Solano-Wolff

Soña Solano and Lance Edward Wolff, both of Amarillo, were wed Oct. 7 in St. Paul United Methodist Church of Amarillo with the Rev. Paul Nachtigall officiating.

The matron of honor was Nickki Cluck of Canyon. The bridesmaids were Misty Havnes of Houston, Torri Bailey, Tammy Newsom and Lori Provence, all of Amarillo, and Mandy Phillips of Mesquite. The flower girl was Savannah Butcher of Glenwood Springs, Colo.

The best man was Dr. Kelly Clenney of Amarillo. The groomsmen were Chris Wolff of Portland, Ore., and Carey Wolff of Dallas, both brothers of the groom, Gil Solano, brother of the bride of Lubbock, Mike McKinley of Oklahoma City, Okla., and Britt Stubblefield of Amarillo. The ring bearer was Jimmy Don Butcher of Glenwood

The ushers were Sean Butcher of Denver, Colo., and Colby Brazile and Jeremy Farmer, both of Pampa.

Registering the guests was Vicki Brooks of Amarillo.

Music was provided by Wyley Chaney of Amarillo as well as the

A reception was held following the service at Mesquite Ranch. The bride is the daughter of Jan and Gil Solano of Pampa. She holds a bachelor's degree from West Texas A&M University and is currently director of marketing for the March of Dimes.

The groom is the son of Pam Wolff of Perryton and Kelly Wolff of Bella Vista, Ark. He holds a bachelor's degree from Texas Tech University and is a professional representative for Astrazeneca **Pharmaceuticals**

The couple planned a honeymoon trip to Martha's Vineyard, Mass., and intend to make their home in Amarillo.

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CLUB

ducted and announcements made: Helene Baumgardner.

-Mary Ann Bailey gave the treasury report, and Howard, Council which included by-law changes.

-A Tupperware bingo party is slated at 10 a.m., Oct. 28.

—A "Celebrate 3" meeting is being sponsored by the Extension Service Oct. 26 at Texas A&M Research and Extension Center in Amarillo. The program will be pre-I, Texas Extension Association.

-Gawthrop presented the program, "Beauty is Skin Deep." Hand-outs were given on skin care. ribbons.

-A gift was bestowed upon outgoing president, Eva Dennis who won the hostess door prize, provided by Howard.

The next meeting will be at 2 p.m. Nov. 9. The location will be announced at a later time.

Pampa Garden Club

Pampa Garden Club meet recently with President — and hostess — Clara Quary presiding.

ducted and announcements made: Small Fry Garden Club which is Howard.

planning a butterfly garden at the corner of Harvester and Duncan. Holt said the children are enthusi-The following business was con-ucted and announcements made: astic about the project. Going along with the Butterfly theme, the Small -Minutes from the previous Fry have plans to enter a decorated meeting were approved as read by Christmas tree in the Festival of

-The Festival of Trees, sponsored this year by Pampa Garden representative, reviewed the slate Club, will be Dec. 9-10 at the from the last Council meeting north end of Lovett Memorial Library. For more information or to enter a tree, contact Cynthia Mann at 665-6144 or via mail. Mann's mailing address is 515 N. Frost. Be sure and include your name and address, phone number and type of tree. Entry fee is \$5 for a small tree and \$10 for a sented by Carol Ritchie and District large tree. Cash prizes will be awarded to first and second place winners and third place winners and honorable mentions will earn

> The program, "The Texas Panhandle from Above," was pre-sented by Bonnie Wood. Several areas of interest about the panhandle were presented, namely the Ogallala Aquifer. Members were encouraged to do on an individual basis what they can to keep our water pure and to conserve water. A photo of a Pampa sunset, taken

Newsmakers



Helen Roberts

County employee and former Borger resident Helen Akins Roberts was recently honored with a retirement reception at the Radisson Hotel in Dallas.

from Texas Woman's University. After graduation, she moved to Dallas and in September 1972 was among the first minorities leadership of Bill Shaw.

made history in Dallas Co. by becoming the first minority to first minority to be promoted as an assistant clerk, she was assigned to the 194th Judicial District Court under Judge John

After a year, Roberts was or The National Dean's List. again promoted, this time as the created and presided by Judge Warren Smith.

Ovard who subsequently named Roberts as the court coordinator for those courts.

In 1982, the grants for those courts were terminated and the 291st and 292nd Judicial District Courts were created. Gerry Meir and Mike Keasler were appointed as judges by the governor to preside over those courts.

She applied for the position of court coordinator and was hired, working for Judge Moss from 1982 until 1986 when Moss was appointed to the 305th Juvenile District Court, thereby leaving County Criminal Court 10 vacant. The County Commissioners appointed Randall Isenberg to that bench and Judge Isenberg asked Roberts to remain.

For the past 11 years, she DALLAS - Longtime Dallas served under Faith Johnson in the 363rd Judicial District Court.

Roberts and husband, Roger, are the parents of Dewayne and Angela Akins. Dewayne, 26, is a graduate of Texas A&M at In May 1972, Roberts received Commerce with a BS degree in a bachelor of science degree math and computers. Angela is a senior at the Texas Southern University School of Pharmacy.

Pampa recently to be hired in the Dallas County announced nine teachers from District Clerk's Office under the Pampa High have been selected for publication in Who's Who In only two months, Roberts Among America's Teachers

To be eligible for inclusion in work in the criminal courts. The the annual publication, teachers must be nominated by one or more of their former students who themselves have been included in Who's Who Among American High School Students

The following high school chief clerk in Criminal District educators were named to the Court No. 2, the Hon. Don list: Dale Ammons, Lee Ann Mettalf presiding, where she Ammons, Donna Crow, Tanya remained for three years. In Elms, Tonya Lewis, Rod Porter, 1980, the Annex Courts were Steve Porter, Beth Shannon and

Extension Service to sponsor Celebrate 3' with Carol Ritchie

Family Extension Carol Ritchie, host of the cable program "Cookin' with Carol," in two identical sessions Thursday, Oct. 26, at Texas A&M Extension and Research Center, 6500 Amarillo Blvd. The morning program is scheduled to begin at 1:30 p.m. and the evening program will get under way at 6:30.

Ideas for decorating, entertaining and gift-giving will be the focus of "Celebrate 3." Ritchie will presently a lively and educational demonstration of holiday ideas with an Australian flair. She will also explore holiday table decorating, cooking trends and other tips inspired from her trip down under."

Through her weekly TV shows, Ritchie teaches basic office, 669-8033. cooking techniques - from food preparation to quickcooking recipes to heart-healthy fundamentals. An

AMARILLO - Panhandle "Saturday Morning Show," District, Texas Association of PAX cable network and a variand ety of local talk shows.

Consumer Sciences, Texas In addition to Ritchie's pre-Agricultural Extension Service, sentation, 21 Extension agents will host "Celebrate 3" with from the Panhandle District including Gray Co. agent Joan Gray — will prepare a table display with a variety of prepared foods, decorating motifs and entertaining notions. During the program, ideas for the following holidays/occasions will be discussed: Election Celebrations, Autumn Harvest, Christmas and New Year's, Beach Parties, Mother's Day, Outdoorsman's Birthday, Easter, St. Patrick's and more.

A packet of instructions, illustrations and recipes will be distributed to each guest.

Proceeds from "Celebrate 3" will help fund scholarships and educational programs offered by the Extension Service.

For more information, contact Gray at the local Extension



Christa Mouhot and Jonathon Taylor Mason

Mouhot-Mason

Christa Mouhot of Flower Mound, formerly of Pampa, and Jonathon Taylor Mason were married Aug. 16 in Dallas Arboretum in Dallas with Donnie Forson of Lewisville officiat-

A reception was held following the service in Dallas-Fort Worth Lakes Hilton.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mouhot of Flower Mound and is the granddaughter of Mrs. Carl Sexton of Pampa. She is a senior business major at the University of North

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Mason of Flower Mound. He is currently employed at Aerotex International. The couple planned a honeymoon trip to Playa del Carmen in

Mexico and intend to make their home in Flower Mound.



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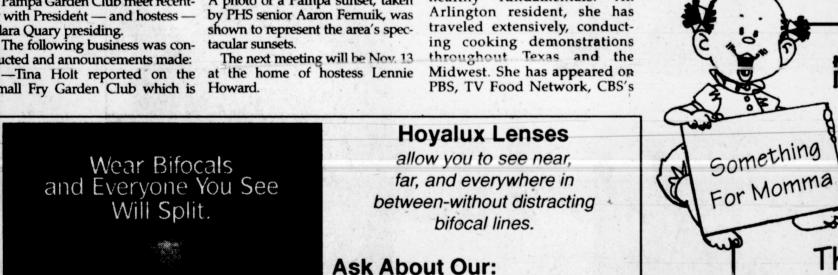


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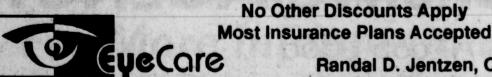
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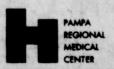
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For More Information Contact Pampa Regional Medical Center at 806-653-5566

MAGIC PLAINS CHAPTER of the American Business Women's Association will meet at 6:30 p.m. the second Monday of each month at Furr's Cafeteria. Working business women are invited to attend. For more information, call Pat Winkleblack at 669-7828 or Estelle

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

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.

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

WHITE DEER LAND MUSEUM will celebrate its 30th anniversary in the Year 2000. A new exhibit, "A Season of Change, 1900-200," 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 about adult support groups, call 669-1788, and

to inquire about children's support groups, 669-1131.

TRALEE CRISIS CENTER Coordinating Council meets once a month. For more information, call 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 26 - PANHANDLE PIECEMAKERS QUILT GUILD will meet at who need basic reading/writing skills as well as English as a second language. For more information, call 665-2331

GRAY COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY HEADQUARTERS, 500 W. Kingsmill, is open from 12-4 p.m., Monday-Friday and from 10 a.m.-2 p.m., Saturday through Nov. 7. For more information or to volunteer, call 669-3545.

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

VFW POST #1657, 105 S. Cuyler. Charity Bingo every Wednesday at RETIRED TEACHERS ASSOCIATION meets at 2 p.m. the third 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. 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.

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 the Sheriff's office classroom at the Francis Street entrance. For more information, call Harley Madison at 669-6294.

TEXCARE PARTNERSHIP is the New Children's Health Insurance campaign developed especially for Texas families with uninsured children, birth through age 18. The following health insurance programs are available: Children's Health Insurance Program, Medicaid and Texas Healthy Kids Corp. For more information, call 1-800-647-6558 or 1-888-892-2273

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH, 441 Elm, will hold daily prayer services at 7:30 a.m., 12 noon and 6 p.m. for the citizens of Pampa churches, schools, etc. The prayer services are open to everyone. For more information, call 665-4926.

PAMPA MOOSE LODGE #1385 charity bingo is at 7 p.m. every Friday at the lodge, 401 E. Brown.

PAMPA SHRINE-CLUB will meet every third Friday at the Sportsman's Club. For more information, call James Washington,

6:30 p.m. at Pampa Senior Citizens Center, 500 W. Francis. The program will be a garage sale of sewing-related items. For more information, call (806) 79-2115. Visitors are welcome.

28 - PET PATCH Second Annual Pet Kostume Kontest will be at 4 p.m. at 866 W. Foster. The entry fee is \$3 and the deadline is 6 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 26. For more information, call Mona Kennedy, 665-

NOVEMBER

SHRINE CIRCUS BARBECUE will be from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. at the portsman Club. For more information, call 665-1488.

Attention

Kmart Shoppers

The Kmart October 22, 2000 weekly ad circular, page 6 of the pullout features the "Batman Beyond video. This item will not be available at this time d to the manufacturers' delay in shipping. This move will be available December 12, 2000.



Oil Painting Classes Award-Wining Artist, Grant Johnson Is Offering Classes For Beginner Or Expert. Call 669-9887

4 - FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Bazaar will begin at 8 a.m. and will be held at 1633 N. Nelson. Cinnamon rolls and coffee will be served in the morning along with stew and chili at lunch. The bazaar will also include arts and crafts. For more information, call 669-3225. 12 - PAMPA FINE ARTS ASSOCIATION will hold a tea in honor of Artist of the Year Kay Crouch from 2-4 p.m. at White Deer Land Museum. For more information, call 665-0343.

21 - GREATER PAMPA AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE Luncheon will be held in the M.K. Brown Room of Pampa Community Building, 200 N. Ballard.

30 - GREATER PAMPA AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE Parade will start at 6:30 p.m. at M.K. Brown Auditorium and end downtown. For more information, call the Chamber, 669-3241.

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ILLNESS

Spectroscopy brain scans are so new, though, that critics claim researchers are bound to find abnormalities when they analyze deep-seated brain cells and that such findings are hardly the answer to Gulf War illness claims.

Seabees are representative of do." the thousands of veterans who say they're afflicted.

"Haley's is a notoriously small sample," Fienberg said.

Much larger studies, including one of more than 18,000 male and female veterans conducted by Indiana University School of Medicine, have found no apparent link between socalled Gulf War Syndrome and

Jerry Jones is not convinced. The retired North Carolina ern coast of Saudi Arabia, to find some answers." remembers many nights when chemical alarms went off. He speculates that his unit may have been exposed.

gas and it would blow out of site: www.swmed.edu/homethe area in just a matter of min- pages/epidemi/gws/ utes" in the desert wind, said Jones, 58. "But that doesn't War mean it didn't get on your skin www.gulflink.osd.mil or enter your system in some

acknowledged that troops may have been exposed to chemical weapons, including nerve gas. Jones said he fears the government will never assume full responsibility.

They are going to ignore it as long as they can," he said this week. "It's not in our head. We have stress and depression, but it's due to our sickness and Others aren't so sure the inability to do what we used to

> Meanwhile, Jones hopes for something to ease his pain. Unable to work, he spends most of his days shut up in his Asheville, N.C., home where his wife helps him handle more than a half dozen medications to battle severe nausea, diarrhea, anxiety and muscle aches.

For Yarger, the issue is that the government has a responsipossible toxic exposure during bility to allocate the resources to find the source of the illness

 no matter the cost. "The bottom line is there are Department of Transportation too many people that are sick mechanic, who served for and this has been going on for months as a Seabee on the east- 10 years," he said. "We've got

On the Net: University Southwestern Medical Center "You could be hit with toxic at Dallas' Gulf War illnesses

> Department of Defense's Gulf illnesses

Staff writer Susan Parrott The Pentagon in 1996 contributed to this report.

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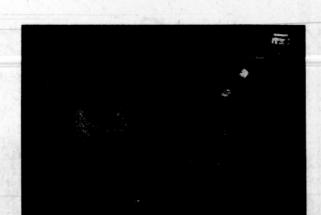
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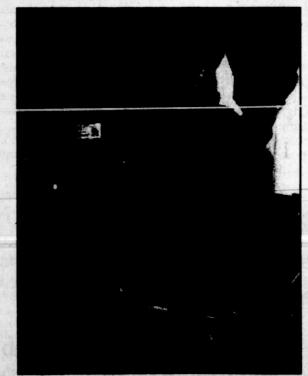


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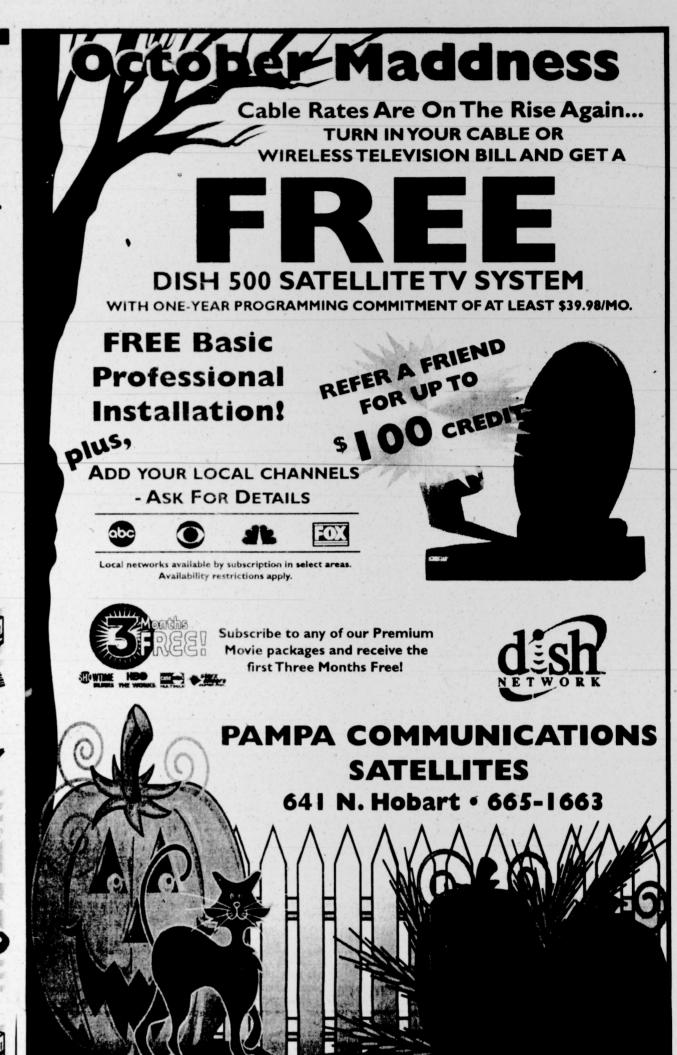
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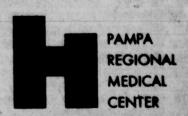


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PARACHO, Mexico - This is a sleeping beauty story, but in this case the beauty is guitar music and its heroes the children of Paracho, a small town in the highlands of Michoacan, world famous for its guitar mak-

For hundreds of years, the people of Paracho have been making guitars, but only recently has there been guitar music. There were lots of guitarrenos (makers), but no guitarristas (play-

Then, a short three years ago, the Monroy family, owners of the guitar factory Guitarras y Artesanias, agreed to fund a center for the study and development of the guitar.

The focus of the center — known by its acronym, CIDEG — was going to be the guitar itself, until children from the town started asking for lessons. The center hired teachers and founded La Orquesta de Los Nios del CIDBG.
The orchestra is slated to perform Saturday at
Travis Park United Methodist Church as part of

the Southwest Guitar Festival, an event expected to bring an estimated 400 guitar teachers, students and virtuosos to San Antonio.

Matthew Dunne, director of the festivill and a music professor at the University of Texas at San Antonio, said he first heard of Paracho five or six years ago when someone from San Antonio

showed him a couple of guitars from the town. "I was stunned by how good they were," Dunne said. "It was amazing quality for the money. As I got to know more people in Mexico, I started to hear more and more about this town and especially the kids.

"I got an offer to do a concert at CIDEG and was very impressed. I heard the kids play, and I was floored. Right then, I knew I was going to invite them to the U.S."

In Paracho, CIDEG is in a corner building a block off the main thoroughfare, la calle princi-pal. The surrounding mountains are green and wooded, a bit like Colorado, but the town itself has a dark, bleak feel, as do many mount in towns. There's a central plaza and a cathedral, but no hotels, no movie theater.

brief tour of the CIDEG: a room with guitars Spain, Cuba and the United States and has displayed in glass cases, one classroom and an auditorium for performances.

The tradition of guitar making in Paracho is attributed to Don Vasco de Quiroga, a Spanish bishop said to have taught European crafts in Michoacan in the 16th century.

But when asked about Vasco de Quiroga, Garcia smiles and says in Spanish that the tradition had much more to do with the people's extraordinary ability to replicate what they

"Before the Spaniards, there were no

stringed instruments in Mexico," he said.
"Craftsman here didn't pay much attention to how guitars sounded until the mid-1970s. Guitars were elaborately decorated, but the sound was bad. Then, 26 years ago, we started having the guitar festival and guitar competition here, and the visiting guitarrists told us how bad our guitars were. The first competition changed the concept of the guitar in Paracho. But everywhere, there are guitars. People carrying guitars, guitars hanging from the rafters in front of shops, a disars sitting in front of their doorways making guitars. In this town of 10,000 residents, there are 10 guitar factories, 60 guitar stores and about 3,000 guitar makers producing about 80,000 guitars a year.

Cuitars were elaborately decorated, but the sound was bad. Then, 26 years ago, we started having the guitar festival and guitar competition here, and the visiting guitarnistas told us how bad our guitars were. The first competition changed the concept of the guitar in Paracho. Guitars range in putice from \$20 for a child's toy guitar to \$3,000 for a concert-quality instrument. Professional musicians, guitar retailers and some tourists from the United States make the task to Paracho to buy guitars. But most are sold in Misdoo, Central and South America.

Abal Garcia Lopez is a inaster guitarzero and the moving spirit behind CDBG. He gives a

written two books about the guitar.

"I don't remember," he says when asked how old he was when he started learning his craft. "I grew up in the workshop surrounded by guitars. Everything was guitars." Pointing out the sights along the way —

mostly guitar shops or workshops — Garcia Daniel Caro Leonardo's workshop, a small leads the way from CIDEG to his parents' room that looks out on the street. house several blocks away.

Behind the living quarters, there is an open patio, then a warren of small rooms where Carcia, his brother and father have their workshops. Garcia's is upstairs at the top of a flight of iron spiral steps.

It is a small, orderly room with a workbench and a small glass-fronted cabinet where woods are dried. He says it takes two years to cure the

Much of the wood comes from Mexico cedar and a Mexican rosewood called palo escrito. Guitarreros also import spruce from the Rocky Mountains and Indian and Brazilian rosewood. Garcia uses only hand tools, most of

"That way you don't have to depend on

anyone, and they're better anyway," he explained.

He picked up a guitar in progress and explained how the decorations around the soundhole and the edges of the soundboard

Working entirely alone, he makes 12 to 14 guitars a year. They sell for about \$3,000 each and, according to Dunne, they'd bring twice as much in the United States.

It is quiet in the workshop, no music. Garcia doesn't want any distractions. Several blocks away, it is equally quiet in

A large middle-aged man with gray hair, Caro talks about how everyone has his or her

own place and how everyone has to be happy in that place. He says he began to work in 1954 but didn't start making quality guitars until the 1970s, when he went to California and worked in a shop that repaired guitars.
"There were a lot of good guitars there, and I could see inside," he said. "But the idea of making something better is in the blood. No

one teaches you that. I always want to make a perfect guitar, but there's always something I don't like, something I want to improve. But each guitar is an accomplishment."

Like Garcia, he doesn't use electric tools and

he works alone.

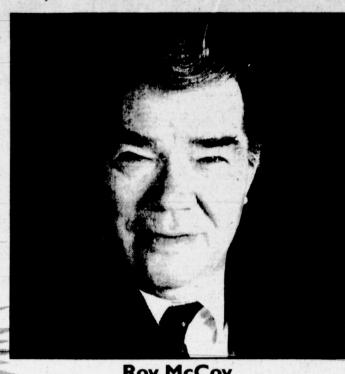
ly, then starts to smile as the guitar comes to life.

Aldo Monroy Barriga, one of the young stu-dents from CIDBG comes in, takes a guitar, sits down and starts to tune the instrument. Caro push his baseball cap back and listens intent-

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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. "Come On Over Baby (All I Want Is You)," Christina Aguilera. RCA. Madonna. "Music,"

Maverick. 3. "With Arms Wide Open," Creed. Wind-up.

4. "Kryptonite," 3 Doors Down. Republic.

5. "Most Girls," Pink. LaFace. 6. "Jumpin, Jumpin," Destiny's Child. Columbia.

7. "Give Me Just One Night (Una Noche)," 98 Degrees. Universal.

8. "Bag Lady," Erykah Badu. Down, Republic. (Platinum)

"Incomplete," 10. "Gotta Tell You," Samantha

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The Billboard 200 Top Albums: Top 10

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

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Fo' Reel. (Platinum) 3. "Let's Get Ready," Mystikal.

4. "Human Clay," Creed. Windup. (Platinum) 5. "Revelation," 98 Degrees.

Universal. "Music," Madonna. Maverick.

7. "Who Let The Dogs Out," Baha Men. S-Curve/Sheridan Square. (Platinum) 8. "The Better Life," 3 Doors

9. "The Marshall Mathers LP," Eminem. Web/Aftermath. (Platinum) 10. "Kid A," Radiohead.

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

1. "Taking You Home," Don Henley. Warner Bros.

"Back Here," BBMak. 1. "Rule 3:36," Ja Rule. Murder Hollywood.

3. "You Sang To Me," Marc Anthony. Columbia. 4. "I Need You," LeAnn Rimes.

Sparrow/Capitol/Curb. 5. "Breathe," Faith Hill. Warner

Bros. (Gold) 6. "Amazed," Lonestar. BNA. (Gold)

7. "I Knew I Loved You," Savage Garden. Columbia. (Gold) 8. "Cruisin'," Huey Lewis & Gwyneth

Hollywood. 9. "I Turn To You," Christina Aguilera. RCA.

10. "That's The Way It Is," Celine Dion. 550 Music.

Mainstream Rock Tracks (Compiled from a national sam-

ple of airplay supplied by Broadcast Data Systems) 1. "Loser," 3 Doors Down. Republic.

2. "Why Pt. 2," Collective Soul. Atlantic. 3. "Hemorrhage (In My

Hands)," Fuel. 550 Music. 4. "N.I.B." Primus (w/Ozzy). Divine.

5. "Are You Ready?" Creed. Wind-up. 6. "Kryptonite," 3 Doors

Down.llica. Hollywood. 10. "Breathe," Nickleback. Roadrunner.

Modern Rock Tracks

(Compiled from a national sample of airplay supplied by **Broadcast Data Systems**) 1. "Minority," Green Day. Reprise.

2. "Hemorrhage (In My Hands)," Fuel. 550 Music.

3. "Stellar," Incubus. Immortal. Republic. 5. "Man Overboard," Blink-182.

MCA. 6. "Beautiful Day," U2. Island. 7. "Last Resort," Papa Roach.

DreamWorks. 8. "Original Prankster," The

Offspring. Columbia. 9. "Fiction (Dreams In Digital)," Orgy. Elementree.

10. "Stupify," Disturbed. Giant.

Hot Country Singles and Tracks

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

1. "The Little Girl," John Michael Montgommery. Atlantic. 2. "Go On," George Strait. MCA Nashville. 3. "Kiss This," Aaron Tippin.

Lyric Street. 4. "Best Of Intentions," Travis Tritt. Columbia.

5. "Just Another Day In Paradise," Phil Vassar. Arista Nashville.

6. "We Danced," Brad Paisley. Arista Nashville. 7. "Feels Like Love," Vince Gill. MCA Nashville.

8. "I Need You," LeAnn Rimes. Sparrow. 9. "Let's Make Love," Faith Hill

(w/Tim McGraw). Warner Bros. 10. "That's The Way," Jo Dee Messina. Curb.

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1. "Breathe," Faith Hill. Warner Bros. (Platinum)

"Greatest Hits," Kenny Chesney. BNA.

3. "Brand New Me," John Michael Montgomery. Atlantic. "Fly," Dixie Chicks.

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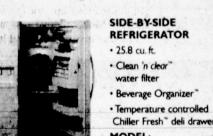
7. "One Voice," Billy Gilman. Epic. (Platinum) 8. "Born To Fly," Sara Evans.

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Now the problem: She left her entire estate to me! This includes property, two cars, her home and a handsome sum of money. The family was shocked to learn of this, and so was I. Now I'm afraid Edward's family resents me.

Should I hand everything over to her only remaining son, Edward's father, or keep it? I am not sure if I should honor her wishes or make the family happy. I really love Edward and hope to have a serious future with him. I don't want any ill will with his family. Please help.
UNEXPECTED HEIRESS

DEAR HEIRESS: Before you make any hasty decisions. speak with the attorney who helped Edward's grandmother make her will. It might give you some insight into her motivation for naming you and exclud-ing the family. It is possible she felt she had already provided enough financially over the years for her only remaining son and his family. Even if you now feel like the object of resentment, there is no guarantee that handing over your inheritance will make those feelings go away.

It goes without saying that

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll

*** Someone wants to be heard.

Don't cause a conflict. Readjust - not

that you're thrilled about it!

Communication will flourish as long as

you remain open to others. Be a good lis-

tener. Your work speaks for itself.

Concentrate on your end of a project.

** * * When another says no, you

might feel as if you have been let down.

Perhaps you need to tighten up an idea.

Go back to the drawing board. You come up with better solutions and ideas.

Handle a high-strung partner. Tonight:

*** * Back off when you hit a

major obstacle. Don't get into a problem,

especially first thing on Monday. Your

coolness and ability to detach make this a

profitable day. Dig in and seek feedback.

Concentrate on making another's wishes

real. Tonight: You love relaxing at home.

* * * * If you're off kilter, say so and

restructure your plans. Try to be less

stubborn and more fluid. You could balk

at the last minute. A child or loved one

might not choose the best time to chat

and reveal what is on his mind. Suggest a

Put away work, and start enjoying.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

Tonight: Do something for you.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

5-Dynamic; 4-Positive;

Horoscope

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

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

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this is a decision that only you can make. So think carefully about the implications and take plenty of time. Continue to work on your relationship with Edward - and "que sera sera."

DEAR ABBY: I have a suggestion, based on my experience, for "Colorado Lady in Waiting," who is in love with "Bob" after dating him for seven months. He wanted her to be his girlfriend, but didn't want her to go with him when he moved out of state, saying he "wasn't sure he wanted to commit."

Twenty years ago, I maintained a four-year long-distance relationship with a boyfriend. Everything seemed fine. Then suddenly he advised me that he had met someone else. I was devastated and unable to form a lasting relationship for years, as I trusted no one.

grow fonder; absence makes the My boyfriend left me for a woman he felt would make him a

Absence does not make the heart

better financial partner. The joke long lunch or a dinner chat. Tonight: Chitchat.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) *** Use your sixth sense with a moneymaking venture. You don't have to

agree with others, but you also don't have to take a risk. Knowing when to say no proves to be critical. Give a family member or close associate the power to make decisions. Tonight: Pay bills first. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) **** Use your high vitality to

clear out not only work but also key errands. Establishing limits proves to be primary to a project. Use your keen sense of humor with a difficult family member. Help move him past his position. Your communication convinces others that you're right. Tonight: Whatever puts a smile on your face.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ** Establish stronger limits withinyourself. Use your self-discipline, and you can profit. Stay ahead of problems. Don't create problems by deferring or not dealing with an issue. Your intuition might be right on about a money matter. Still, test the waters. Work on facts, not wishful thinking. Tonight: Get a good night's sleep.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) *** What you say has meaning. Your words carry your message, and others respond. Your Achilles' heel could be financial. Though you know where you are heading, a last-minute snafu could send you in the wrong direction. Ask questions so you can understand where another is coming from. Tonight: Where

Marmaduke

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) * * You might feel like you are turn-

Yesterday's answer

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28 Prime

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was on him. I made my first million when I was 40. I found him recently via the Internet and discovered that his marriage is an unhappy one, and he regretted the decision he made so many years ago. Today

SADDER, OLDER AND WISER

DEAR SADDER, OLDER AND WISER: Sadder? Please reconsider and settle for older and wiser. Be grateful that this man showed his true colors and made another woman miserable for 20 years. There but for the grace of God go you!

DEAR ABBY: I've been dating a sweet guy for a while. We really like each other and have a lot of fun together. The problem is, he's shorter than me. All I think about is the difference in our height. Please advise me what to do.

NOT SEEING EYE-TO-EYE

DEAR NOT: With pleasure. Recognize your priorities. If he has an ear you can confide in, a mind that's open and a heart that's generous, he has all the equipment you need for a beautiful relationship. The measure of a man should be from eyebrows up. To disqualify someone because of a height requirement would be shortsighted and the "height" of stupidity.

ing yourself inside-out by assuming new responsibilities and in your dealings with others. Examine your professional needs. Explore the appropriateness of your job. Say no to a problematic situation and study your options. Tonight: In the lime-

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) *** Curb a tendency to make mountains out of molehills. Making good decisions is instrumental to your wellbeing. Separate what actually needs to be done as opposed to what you think needs to be done. Friends surround you. Don't miss a key meeting. Tonight: Catch up on e-mail.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

** One-on-one relating brings interesting reactions from a friend. Listen! Understand that this person has good intentions but doesn't walk in your shoes. Make decisions accordingly. Think about your work and its impact on your personal life. Tonight: A quiet din-

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

* * * Tension mounts at work. Stand back and allow others to take the lead. Knowing when not to get involved could be instrumental to your success. You don't want to make a mistake with a boss. If you have second thoughts, evaluate them carefully. Act on them later. Tonight: Go with another's suggestions.

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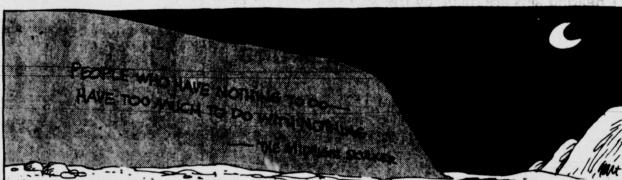


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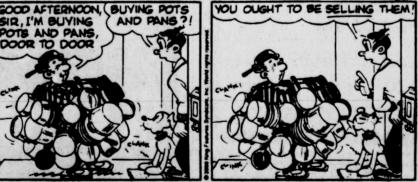




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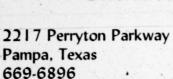
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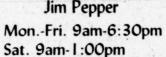
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## AGRICULTURE

## Farmers, ranchers need help with stress

PIERRE, S.D. (AP) — Farmers and ranchers need able to farmers and ranchers, who frequently do expanded to all states.

He also said U.S. farm policy must be changed to trously low prices, an lowa farmer and psycholo-

Farmers in financial trouble often develop anxiety, depression or even feelings of worthlessness because of conditions that are beyond their control, said Michael Rosmann, director of Sharing Help United Awareness Network in Harlan, Iowa.

"When we're out there on the tractor, men and women, what we're thinking about is 'I don't know how much more of this I can take," Rosmann said at a workshop for mental health

other mental health services should be made avail- mental health services with medical care, must be

help not only in improving national farm policy, not tell anyone they are suffering from anxiety, but also in coping with the stress caused by disas- depression and other problems caused by financial trouble and the uncertainty of agriculture.

> national average, and authorities often cannot tell whether some farm accidents are actually suicides,

That means clergy, doctors, veterinarians, Farm Service agents, Cooperative Extension staff and others must be aware of the signs of stress and be willing to help farmers get assistance, Rosmann

Efforts are underway in South Dakota, Iowa and he said. workers and others who work with farmers and other Midwestern states to improve mental health services to farmers and ranchers, Rosmann said. Rosmann said counseling, support groups and The effort, he said, which includes integrating

Farmers have a suicide rate that is six times the farms and small hobby operations, about 600,000 gist family farms have gross incomes from \$40,000 to \$1 million a year, and those must be saved, he said.

> The U.S. Agricultural Department estimates that farmers in 1999 got just 9 percent of their income from selling grain and livestock, Rosmann said. They got 48 percent of their income from off-farm jobs, 36 percent from government payments and another 7 percent from interest earnings and rent, normal.

incomes for food than do people in other nations, agricultural problems. "As much as anything, he Rosmann said. If family farmers continue to go made me feel like I was somebody, that I amountbroke, corporations will take over and be able to ed to something."

control food prices, he said.
"I'd rather buy my food from people I know love help family farmers survive. The nation now has the land and take care of it," said Rosmann, who only about 2 million farmers. Excluding huge raises cattle in addition to working as a psycholo-

Meanwhile, farm debt continues to rise as income falls, Rosmann said. About 18 percent of farm debt this year is through credit cards, he said.

Larry and Linda Barber of Anita, Iowa, sought help from Rosmann. A bank refused to continue financing their farm after hail, strong winds and low prices cut their income to \$75,000 less than

He said Rosmann was able to help because the Americans spend a much smaller share of their psychologist also was a farmer and understood

## Bumper crop has farmers looking for storage space

corn until it can be milled.

Ray Burton, an inspector with the Delaware the ground. Department of Agriculture, said the situation is nearing a crisis.

before the corn harvest has been completed," Burton said.

Delaware corn farmers are expected to harvest 24.6 million bushels of corn this year - an 80 percent increase over last year and a new high over the previous record set in 1996 of 22 million bushels of corn. Farmers on Maryland's Eastern

Shore are expected to see similar record yields. The "bin buster" crop has pushed grain elevators and grain mills to their limits.

Despite the booming corn crop, the state of Delaware and the Eastern Shore of Maryland may still have to import approximately 20 million bushels of corn to feed the region's poultry.

Last year, poultry growers on the Delmarva Peninsula raised 606 million broilers and fed them about 71 million bushels of corn. Delmarva corn farmers provided about 50 million bushels tive director of Delmarva Poultry Industry, Inc.

are running nearly around the clock processing Every Day. the corn into poultry feed. The more corn that is

sula can store about 90 million bushels of grain, where their food comes from," said Enid but according to some estimates as much as 4 Wonnacott, executive director of the Richmondmillion bushels of corn will be stored on the based association. ground by the end of the harvest.

DOVER, Del. (AP) - A record corn crop on Ground storage is more common in the the Delmarva Peninsula has posed a problem for Midwest, which has longer and colder winters farmers looking for storage space to keep their than the temperate Mid-Atlantic. Moisture can destroy as much as 5 percent of corn stored on

Perdue Farms Inc. has begun storing corn on the ground at both its Salisbury, Md., headquar-"There will be a critical storage problem ters and its mill in Hurlock, Md., said John Cassidy, grain operations manager for the poultry processing company.

> The company, which has the capacity to hold from 21 to 22 million bushels of grain, expects to buy almost all its corn feed from area farmers, Cassidy said. In previous years, it has had to buy as much as 20 percent of its corn off railcars from the Midwest.

HUNTINGTON, Vt. (AP) - An organic farming association is working in schools across Vermont to let children know more about the food they eat.

The Northeast Organic Farming Association is using a 15-year-old food program used at the Huntington Elementary School as a guide for the statewide project.

The association hired five farmers from to poultry growers, said Bill Satterfield, execu- around the state to act as mentors to help establish contacts between schools and local farmers Meanwhile, mills in Maryland and Delaware for the project called Vermont Food Education

The project also will help teachers incorporate milled, the more space is available for storage, food into their curriculum and helping schools buy food from local farmers.

Between Maryland and Delaware, the penin- "The bottom line is to get kids to understand

## Farmers with winter wheat hoping for additional rain

their winter wheat crop alive.

"What we need is a good 2-inch University Nebraska area to get some rain." Cooperative Extension educator

hurt this year's wheat crop in cal, he said. Nebraska. So far this fall, timely rains have helped, but Corr said plants will suffer," he said. growing conditions have not approaches.

to last year," he said.

planted in September or October the east. and harvested in June or July. It mant, and then revivify in a Service, said an estimated 81 perprocess called "vernalization."

tle the process, either by keeping 1. In south central Nebraska, an plants, making them more susceptible to dying in the winter

Richard Smith of Upland said he planted his wheat in northern Franklin County around Sept. 20

HASTINGS, Neb. (AP) — He said he was pleased with the average is 81 percent. Farmers need more rain to keep way the wheat had emerged after

a recent 1.4 inches of rain.

With a few more showers, he crops. for Kearney and Franklin coun- said, his wheat on 2000 summer Drought last fall and winter winter. But more rainfall is criti-

"If it doesn't rain, the young

Nebraska's extended forecast been favorable as winter on Monday called for dry condi- cent "very short," and just 12 pertions until Thursday, when some The wheat situation is similar rain could fall in the west. More Winter wheat generally is with possible thunderstorms in the region, and nowhere was it

Scott Keller, crop leader for the must sprout, emerge, go dor- Nebraska Agricultural Statistics cent of Nebraska's 2001 wheat Lack of rain in the fall can scut- crop had been planted as of Oct. the wheat from emerging before estimated 78 percent had been winter or by stressing the young planted. The Oct. 1 statewide

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Keller said last week's rains had provided incentive for pro-"So far it looks great," Smith ducers to go ahead and plant soaker," said Alan Corr, said. "We were fortunate in this wheat rather than stay aboard their combines harvesting fall

> Emergence of wheat planted fallow ground should survive the thus far was rated at 42 percent, compared with 55 percent as of Oct. 1, 1999. The Oct. 1 average is 52 percent.

> In south central Nebraska, topsoil moisture was rated 57 percent was rated adequate for the winter wheat crop. Subsoil was rain could fall statewide Friday, rated 80 percent "very short" in rated as adequate.



## Milk production up one percent

totaled 412 million pounds.

The number of milk cows during September averaged 346 head, unchanged from last year but down from August 2000. Production per cow averaged 1,130 pounds during September, up 1 percent from last year but down 5 percent from the 1,185 pounds during August 2000.

Milk production in the 20 states participating in the monthly survey totaled 11.5 bil-

AUSTIN — Texas milk pro- lion pounds, up 2.8 percent from September averaged 1,467 duction totaled 391 million production in these same states pounds, 22 pounds above a year pounds during September, up 1 in September 1999. August ago. The average number of percent from last year. revised production, at 12.0 bil- milk cows in the 20 states was Production for August 2000 lion pounds, was up 3.7 percent 7.85 million head, 98,000 head from August 1999.

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#### 21 Help Wanted

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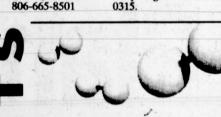
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tub, deck, putting green, 3-car garage and much, nuch, more. MLS 4782. CHARLES - Unique home on corner lot. Marble entry, wet bar, sauna, 2 living areas, 3 bedrooms, 4 baths, 2 fireplaces, indoor bar-b-q grill, pool, basement & double garage. Quest house with living room, kitchen, bath, bedroom. MLS 4468. CHRISTINE - Corner lot with lovely contemporary 3 bedroom home. Large open living room that opens up to deck. Fireplace, 2 baths, sprinkler in front and garden area. Storage building, tiled

kitchen, double garage. MLS 5224. DOGWOOD - Nice home with front kitchen and covered patio. Plantation shutters on this three bedroom home. 2 baths, sprinkler system. Woodburning fireplace, large living room, double

garage. MLS 5248. DUNCAN - Large corner lot. Three bedrooms and finished basement. Covered patio, large cedar closet in den. Kitchen has breakfast bar. 2 living areas. Storage building, 2 1/2 baths, oversized

touble garage. MLS 5279.

DOGWOOD - Lovely four bedroom home with ormal dining area. 2 full baths, nicely landscaped. Breakfast bar in kitchen, large utility room, fireplace, double garage. MLS 5259. DWIGHT - Brick, corner lot, RV garage, basement three bedroom kitchen has breakfast bar, skylites, sprinkler system, double garage. MLS 5045.

EVERGREEN - Corner lot with RV parking behind fence. Three bedrooms, large living room with Indirect lighting, kitchen has breakfast bar & Island. Storage building, double garage. MLS 5147. EVEROREEN - Nice three bedroom home with a new addition. 2 3/4 baths, 2 living areas,

basement, fireplace, new dishwasher, sunroom or plant room off master. Double garage. MLS 5216. EVERGREEN - Lovely four bedroom home with step down living area. Fireplace, office or den. screened in porch, master has jacuzzi tub and separate shower, tiled kitchen and dining areas. Many cabinets in kitchen. Sprinkler system, security system, RV parking, storage building. All on corner lot. Double garage. MLS 5197.
PRICE REDUCED - PAULKNER - Nice three bedroom nome with free standing fireplace, central heat

single garage. MLS OE.
KELLER ESTATES - Country living with 10 acres of land. 24 x 53 barn with 2 horse stalls & gates New tile floor in kitchen, breakfast area and utility 14 x 18 room could be used as office or game much more. MLS 5239. RUBBELL - Lots of room to entertain. All rooms are

and air, large living area, 1 3/4 baths, dining area,

and storage cabinets. Cellar, automatic sprinkler Murphy bed in living room closet. Green house, deck, double garage. MLS 5228.
WILLISTON - Three bedroom home with 2-living areas. Some remodeling has been done. Central heat, two storage buildings. Storm cellar, 3 air conditioners, double drive with carport. MLS

large, two bedrooms, sunroom with wet bar, grill

WELLS - nice clean three bedroom home. Large living and kitchen. Storage building, central heat and air, new vinyl in kitchen and bath, single garage. MLS 5166.

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bart. Update each Friday. 2 bd. duplex, 1311 N. Coffee. \$225 mo. + \$150 dep. 662-3040, 883-2461. 2 bedroom unfurnished for

rent. HUD welcome. Aus tin School district. 669-3319 or 883-4991 3 bdr., \$275 mo., 2 bdr. \$225 mo., 1 bdr. \$175 mo. 665-8781, 665-1193.

1.2.3 bedroom houses for rent on HUD. 665-4842. 3 bd, 1 bt, c h/a (heat

ing, living, kitchen and pump), att. gar., new paint \$335 mo. \$250 dep. 665-0524. 704 Magnolia. Brick floored patio. Situate LEASE extra nice brick 3 on an acre. call for ar bdr., 1 3/4 ba., dbl. gar., fpl., 2125 Lynn, \$700 + dep.. 669-6467. 5137

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NICE 2 bedroom home

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room. Den-kitchen comb

Double woodburning fire

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Wonderful family home

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Quiet and lovely neighbo

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Nice brick home

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By MEGAN K. STACK **Associated Press Writer** 

SARITA, Texas (AP) — The sheriff knows them all. Not by name but by their tattered clothes, their thirst, the way their eyes roll back when the heat sets in.

He's watched them shred shirts off their chests. He's seen the skin slither off the feet of a woman who walked all the way from Mexico in sneakers that did-

He's seen them dying and dead and buried. He's even seen a few blink back to life after their Mexican and American governhearts stopped beating.

"It makes you pray when you don't know how," says Rafael Cuellar Jr., squinting into the desert sun.

Cuellar was born on this dirt. He's been sheriff for eight years, a lawman more than 30. His rolling

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a cane, battles diabetes and

The 61-year-old sheriff retires the desert tragedies. at the end of the calendar year. He Somewhere out of leaves behind a scarred desk, a legacy of homespun humanitarian work and an immigrant cemetery blessed with the coo of doves.

"Maybe now we'll get to spend a little time with him," says Cuellar's son, Rafael III. "My dad gets up when it's dark and works until it's still dark.

Under Cuellar's watch, the ments declared his territory one of the three deadliest immigrant passages along the border. In the last down and died in Kenedy souls. County. And those were just the bodies someone found.

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used his weekends, his imagination, his pocket money to battle

Somewhere out on the desolate coastal plains, he'll keep fighting. He'll fight until his bones are buried beside his grandfather's, his father's and those of the immigrants he couldn't save. Truth is, retirement or not, he doesn't know how to quit trying.

Everyone in South Texas knows, if you're out in Kenedy County, you'd best have a full

tank of gas and an empty bladder.
The county is bigger than
Rhode Island — 1,700 square four years, 62 migrants have lain miles — but home to just 460

In Sarita, the county seat, a sin-le stoplight blinks bleakly over But Cuellar wasn't about to let the highway. There's a court-

but a postage stamp or a can of Coke, old-timers cackle.

"It's a nice little town — everybody's related, all cousins, Cuellar says. "You go out and bar-becue at night, get into a fight and then go to church together the next day."

Yet Kenedy County is remarkable not for what it is but for where it is. One hundred miles north of Mexico, 270 miles south of Houston. One lone federal highway, U.S. 77, quivers in the heat. In the middle, 100 miles north of the border, the Border Patrol roadblock awaits north-bound travelers. The guards sit behind their sunglasses, stretch out their hands for paperwork.

Most immigrants don't take the chance.

It's easier, they believe, to get

hiking 20 and 30 miles through the desert.

Footprint upon footprint, they trudge through wild olive, purple sage and mesquite, past the cattle, over the scattered white sand dunes that fool the eye and gulp the foot up to the ankle.

If they make it back to the road, a smuggler's car awaits. They can motor on, hair streaming, and let the desert slip off behind them. They can step into the anonymous sprawl of Houston, into crumbling apartment complexes and factories where bosses and land- County. lords know better than to ask for

There will be a chance - if they make it.

"They're sick, weak, hungry, thirsty," Cuellar says. A Santa Fe freight screams by, the only motion in a stifling afternoon. "They don't know where they

Cuellar scans the skies for buzzards. It's noon, and the cows are and they don't know what they're nosing around for shade. On the getting into and ...' dashboard of his pickup, keys to every gate in the county jangle on

countless sacks of chewing tobac- asked no one's permission. Just co and foil packs of Swisher Sweet cigars. Wedges of melon, if the bought a grave marker for a dead immigrants are hungry. Blankets, if they're cold. Rubber gloves and a camera, if it's too late.

"I never forget the body or the spot we find it," Cuellar says,

when the big rigs pass, hauling oranges and blue jeans and cam-

era parts from Mexico to Houston. A 21-year-old woman died of dehydration here, her face turned toward the whistle and shush of passing cars.

'She was right there." Cuellar limps from the driver's seat and squats. He studies the

"She almost made it." old boy died. Stumbled down that desert dune, curled beneath a

clump of wild grape vines, tried to escape the sun. Crazed. Lost. All around the sheriff, all the time, the United States is struggling to pull shut its back door but Cuellar doesn't waste much

it on politics.

A drunken driver here, a petty drug bust there. Kenedy County

never had much crime. "There wasn't any pressure to actually do any work," recalls
James Scarborough, a tormer deputy who lost the sheriff's seat

It was Cuellar who did this. to Cuellar by five votes. Hard feelings melt fast in the Texas sun -

the two men remain close friends. But Cuellar doesn't rest. Pulls himself from bed on black mornings, makes his first rounds as the sun spills over the brown earth.

He drives two hours to visit Brownsville migrant shelters. He begs them not to risk it. It takes hours to die of dehydration, he warns them. In the end, you will think you've caught on fire. You will rip your clothes from your body, knowing death has caught you at last. He speaks of the bones he finds, of the back hoe that digs

the graves.
"The main job Junior has is to stop those poor people from killing themselves," Jack Turquotte says.
"That's how he perceives his job and he's right.

The county's 70-year-old trea-surer has known the sheriff for decades, ever since "Junior" took Turquotte's Roman Catholic catechism class. Back then, Cuellar couldn't speak English.

His grandfather drifted north from a little town just north of the border when he was 16. He ended up at Kenedy Ranch, where he worked as a ranch hand until he was 80. Cuellar's dad was a foreman at the ranch for half a centu-

belly laugh startles quail from the death rule his county — not with-brush. He's half-deaf, walks with out a fight. He came back fierce, Cuellar's office. Nothing to buy point, to skirt the Border Patrol by horseback beside his old man on the long drives inland from the Gulf of Mexico. They nudged the herds across the harsh land, slowly, so the cattle wouldn't lose

weight.
"He was accustomed to doing it the rough way," Cuellar recalls with a laugh. "The horse way. But he didn't want us to have a rough

life like that." Cuellar's own son, Rafael III, will soon be a Border Patrol agent. Cowboys, lawman, federal agent: Their family line sketches the slow drag of time on Kenedy

The decades have aged these lands. Even the illegals were different 20, 30, 40 years ago, long-time resident Scarborough believes — harder, and somehow

"They were campesinos, they were tough people coming up to work. They knew their way and they'd prepare for the trip," he says. "These illegals now, they come up desperate from the cities,

He thinks for a minute.

"And they die." an old ring.

The sheriff stocks pills and lincorpse and knew he couldn't dig imports and ice packs. He stashes another unmarked graves. He summoned a funeral director and

> pilgrim. Since that day 11 years ago, the county has paid at least \$100,000 for immigrant autopsies and buri-als — and nobody complains.

shaking his head.

This particular dappled grove of live oak is a stone's throw from the highway. The earth vibrates works for 'em go through a tough time," Scarborough says. "People here understand how it is."

Besides, as Kenedy residents sometimes boast, the county has a lot of money and nothing to buy. Crisp corporate checks flow into the coffers regular as spring. Most of the taxes - 98 percent - come from oil companies with mineral rights to the deep pools of black

"We don't have taxpayers," Back over this way, a 12-year- Turquotte says, laughing. "Not the way you mean it."

> This nation never wanted them here. Didn't want their coffee eyes or their hardened hands. If the migrants had been caught alive, they would have been kicked out.

But they died mean deaths in their ill-fated journeys north even know right or wrong any-more," he says. "All I can see is to save lives." so these immigrants can stay. They have earned a scrap of U.S. soil. As if life were a venom, as though "I'm so deep into this I don't so these immigrants can stay. They if life were a venom, as though death sucked them harmless.

Their names are etched in pounded tin, sunk in mounds of earth cracked by drought. Jefry Guardado, 14. Espiridion Rosales,

When there's no way to identify the bones, when the family can't be found or doesn't want the body or can't afford to come, the sheriff calls a priest. He stands silent at the funerals, hammy hands slack at his sides.

Cuellar's father is buried here, beneath perfumed lilies, shouting distance from the immigrant

Cuellar likes the graveyard, goes there to think. Some afternoons, doves light on the cemetery's wire fence. They sing while

the sun seeps away.

Cuellar is fascinated by the doves' call. He often thinks he should record the song.

Maybe once he's retired, he'll

have time.

'I'm tired. I'm tired in my bones," he says. "It takes some-thing away from you, feeling sorry for all these people, all the

He trails off. Looks at the graves, the sky, the endless fields and the dirt road stretching back

Out in the desert, the ragged procession is trudging north, press-ing on, weak and weary. Cuellar knows they're there. He knows some will live, some will die.

He's seen them before.





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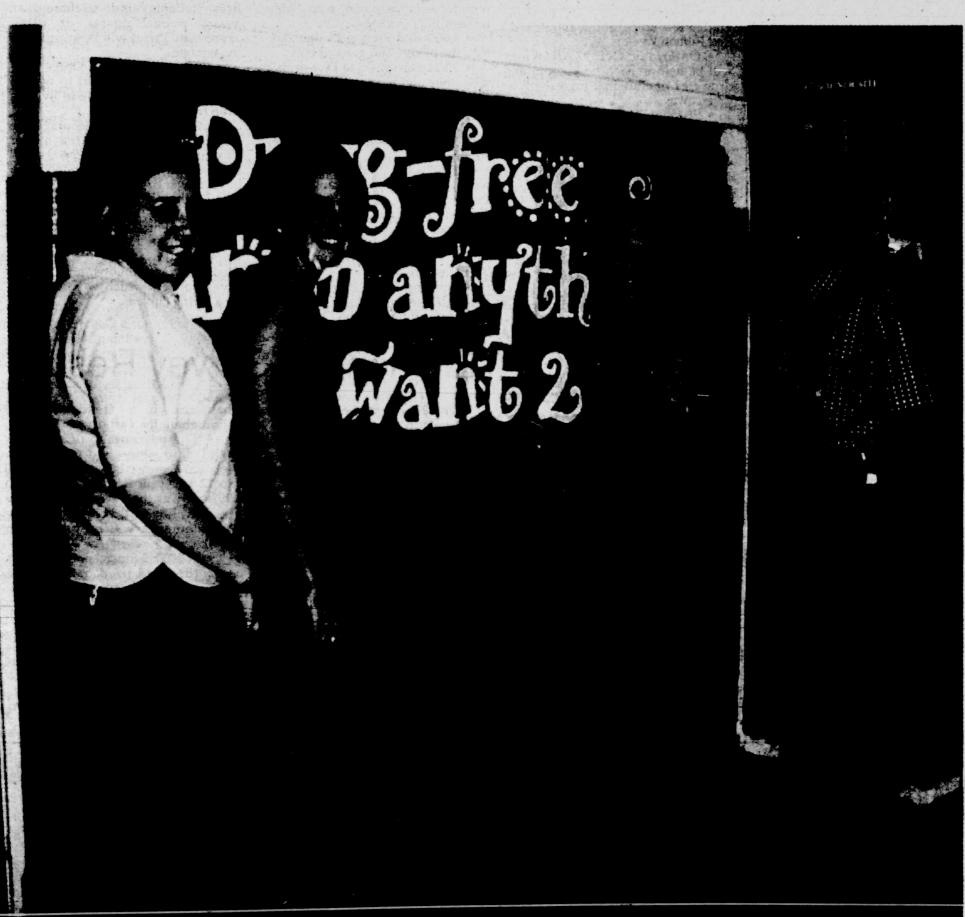
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## PAMPA CELEBRATES RED RIBBON WEEK



## Pampa school students to observe Red Ribbon Week

The following activities will be held at local schools in connection with Pampa Independent School District Red Ribbon activities Oct. 23-27, 2000.

#### Austin Elementary

- Grades K, 1 and 2 will color drug free coloring pages
- Grades, 3, 4, and 5 will circle around the school to show a united stand against drugs
- School will be decorated with red ribbons

#### **Lamar Elementary**

- Grades K, 1, and 2 will color drug free coloring sheets
  ug free coloring pages
   Grades 3, 4, and 5 will paint drug free coloring pages
- Grades 3, 4, and 5 will paint fingernails red as a reminder of their commitment to be drug free
- School will be decorated with red ribbons

#### **Travis Elementary**

 Fifth graders will decorate the fences with red ribbons and will then grades K-4 homerooms about what posters, etc... Friday, Oct. 20 Red Ribbon Week is

- On Friday, Oct. 27, drawings will be held in each homeroom and drug free promotional prizes will be given away
- Students will also color drug free coloring sheets

#### Wilson Elementary

- · All students will be informed about the importance of the red ribbon and what Red Ribbon Week is
- Grades K, 1, and 2 will color
- their fingernails red as a reminder of their commitment to be drug free
- The school will be decorated with red ribbons
- Fourth grade will be learning Refusal Skills during that week

#### Pampa Middle School

CAST (PMS's drug free group)

divide into teams and speak to will decorate the school with ribbon,

- 10/23-Red Ribbon Pledge Day -
- sign the pledge and get a ribbon
   10/24-Patriot Pride Day-dress in red, white and blue and get a sticker
- 10/25-Too Cool for Drugs Daywear shades and get a bookmark
- 10/26-Sock it to Drugs Day-wear wild and crazy socks and get a
- · 10/27 Put a lid on drugs day wear a hat, get a pledge, and watch a video
- Mr. Ledesma's classes made all of the posters to decorate the school

#### Pampa High School

Some classes will be participating in a contest in which students are encouraged to express how drugs can harm their bodies and

lives. Students can do so through an essay, poem, poster or other expression. Prizes will be awarded to

• 10/25-Put a Lid on Drugs Daystudents are encouraged to wear a hat to express their pride in living a drug free life

· Students will be encouraged to turn in their personal reason for choosing to be drug free-prizes will be awarded to the winners and will be read over the PA

 Myths vs. facts about drugs and alcohol will be read over the

announcements during the week
Students will be given the opportunity to sign drug free pledges, wear ribbons, and will be given suckers which were donated by a caring citizen.

## **Elementary Survey Results**

the nation's largest survey of its kind. The survey examines alcohol and drug usage among students, as well as student attitudes, extracurricular involvement and other behaviors. The survey is conducted every two years by Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse in conjunction with the Public Policy Research Institute of Texas A&M University.

Elementary Survey
In the spring of 2000, TCADA surveyed 81,875 students in grades 4-6 from 70 Texas school districts. Among the findings:

 In 2000, 27.5 percent students reported they had tried alcohol, a seven percent decrease from 1998. Alcohol use among this age group

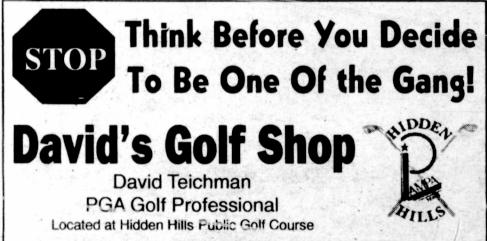
The 2000 Texas School Survey is has shown a steady decline throughout the past decade.

> The percentage of students who said they had ever used tobacco decreased 23 percent in 2000 to 12.5 percent from 16.3 percent in 1998. It was the most dramatic twoyear decline in this category since the elementary survey began in

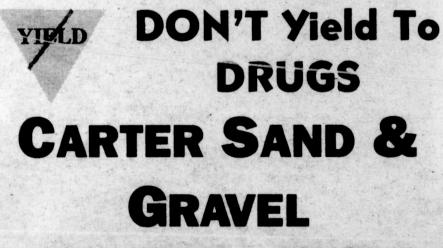
• In 2000, 2.8 percent of students said they had tried marijuana, a drop of 22 percent from 1998. Marijuana use among this age group peaked in 1994, but has fallen 50 percent since that time.

 The percentage of students who said they have used inhalants fell 13 percent from 1998 to 10.7 percent in 2000.





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## Congress adopts national standard on drunk driving

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress, joining forces with President Clinton, is adopting a tough national standard for drunken driving that proponents say should reduce the 15,000-plus annual highway fatalities linked to alcohol.

Ending a three-year legislative struggle, House and Senate negotiators have agreed to require states to implement a 0.08 percent blood alcohol content standard as the legal level for drunken driving by 2004. States that fail to impose that standard would begin losing millions of dollars a year in federal highway funds.

The House may vote on the measure, part of a transportation spending bill, as early as Wednesday, and the Senate is expected to quickly follow suit, sending the legislation to the president for his signature.

Clinton said the 0.08 standard was a "common-sense nationwide limit" that will save an estimated 500 lives a year and prevent thousands of injuries.

This is a tremendous win not only for those who have lost loved ones to drunk drivers, but for those whose families will remain safe because more drunk drivers will be off the road," said Sen. Frank Lautenberg, D-N.J., a chief sponsor of the legislation.

The restaurant and beverage industries, which have lobbied hard to defeat the 0.08 standard, said the majority of drinking-related fatalities involve people with far higher blood alcohol concentrations and the legislation does not address the real problem: hard-core and repeat

drinking offenders. In 1998, 15,935 traffic deaths were attributed to drunken driving, or 38.4 percent of the 41,471 deaths

overall. Both numbers were down slightly from the year before.

Mothers Against Drunk Driving cites studies showing that a driver with 0.08 blood alcohol content is 11 times more likely to be involved in a fatal collision than a sober driver.

There's no single solution to drunk driving," said MADD President Millie Webb, who lost a nephew and a daughter and who, with her husband and unborn baby, was severely injured in a crash with a driver with 0.08 percent content. But 0.08 laws "are among the most important measures proven to save lives on our roadways."

Currently, 18 states and the District of Columbia have 0.08 laws, and in Massachusetts evidence of a level of 0.08 is considered evidence but not proof of drunkenness. Thirty-one states define drunken driving as 0.10 percent blood alcohol content

Rep. Nita Lowey, D-N.Y., a leader on the issue in the House with Rep. Frank Wolf, R-Va., said 0.08 has been proven to save lives. Illinois, she said, has seen a 13.7 percent decline in fatal crashes involving drunken driving since it adopted 0.08 in 1997.

But John Doyle, spokesman for the American Beverage Institute, said alcohol-related fatalities were up 8 percent last year in Virginia, which has a 0.08 standard, but down 12 percent in neighboring Maryland, which does not.

Doyle's group says the 0.08 standard would mean that a 120pound woman who drinks two 6ounce glasses of wine over a twohour period could face arrest and mandatory jail or loss of her license.

But MADD, also citing National **Highway Traffic Safety** Administration studies, says a 170pound man would have to have four drinks in an hour on an empty stomach, or a 137-pound woman three drinks in an hour, to reach 0.08.

Under the final compromise, states that don't implement the 0.08 standard by 2004 would lose 2 percent of their highway money, with the penalty increasing to 8 percent by 2007. States that adopt the standard by 2007 would be reimbursed for any lost money.

Several lawmakers made lastditch efforts to sidetrack the 0.08 measure but were defeated by the House-Senate conference.

Rep. David Obey, D-Wis., contended it was wrong to take money away from states that, while they might not have a 0.08 standard, impose other strong anti-drinking measures such as bans on driving with open containers of alcohol or mandatory blood testing after accidents.

'It's a gross injustice to many states that have far tougher drunk driving laws," he said.

The transportation spending bill

On the Net: MADD: http://www.madd.org/ American Beverage Institute:

http://www.abionline.org/ State drunken driving laws:

#### **Texas Drug Fact**

In the spring of 2000, TCADA surveyed 127,380 students in grades 7-12 from 71 school districts. Among the findings was that more than nine percent of students said they had attended class while drunk at least once during the past school year.



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## Strategies used to fight drug and alcohol abuse

In addition to approaches applied tb society as a whole, prevention approaches are also aimed at individual citizens to provide them with the knowledge and skills to avoid alcohol and other drug problems. These prevention approaches are appropriate for individuals and groups who have never used tobacco, alcohol, or other drugs or whose use is at a very early stage - before serious problems have occurred.

Rather than addressing alcohol and other drugs directly, some prevention efforts attempt to alter factors that place individuals and groups "at risk." Individuals may be influenced by "risk factors" such as academic failure. Or the risk factor may be something in their personal relationships (for example, another family member may use tobacco, alcohol, or other drugs). Society as a whole also has risk factors (for example, the lack of economic opportunity or the easy availability of alcohol and other

The 1986 Anti-Drug Abuse Act identified groups of individuals who are at high risk because of social or environmental conditions. These groups are children of alcoholics and drug abusers; victims of sexual, physical, or psychological abuse; school dropouts; pregnant teens; economically disadvantaged youths; youths with mental health problems; youths who have attempted suicide; and disabled youths.

Programs specifically designed for these groups have become a major

focus of recent state and federal programs.

Intervention (sometimes referred to as early intervention) refers to program strategies that are aimed at persons who have begun to use alcohol and other drugs or have begun to experience some problems as a result. The goal of intervention programs is to reduce the level of such use and to prevent alcohol and other drug problems from progressing further.

Treatment is usually provided to those individuals who have many serious problems caused by their use of alcohol or other drugs or who are addicted to or dependent on drugs. Because most individuals whose use of alcohol and other drugs is habitual or addictive cannot stop on their own, treatment programs are often highly structured and involve intensive therapy.

Enforcement refers to strategies used to eliminate the supply of drugs and curb underage drinking. The role of law enforcement personnel has also within the past ten years expanded to include "demand reduction." Recognizing that enforcement efforts alone will not totally eliminate drug use, law enforcement has realized that preventing the demand for drugs is the most cost effective solution. It is increasingly common to find law enforcement personnel in positive direct contact with young people through school-based programs such as Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.).

**Texas Drug Fact** 

Survey result of the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse revealed the numbers remained steady from 1998, cocaine and crack use remains a problem among Texas students. In 2000, nine percent of secondary students reported they had tried cocaine or crack, and 3.1 percent reported using these substances in the month before the survey.

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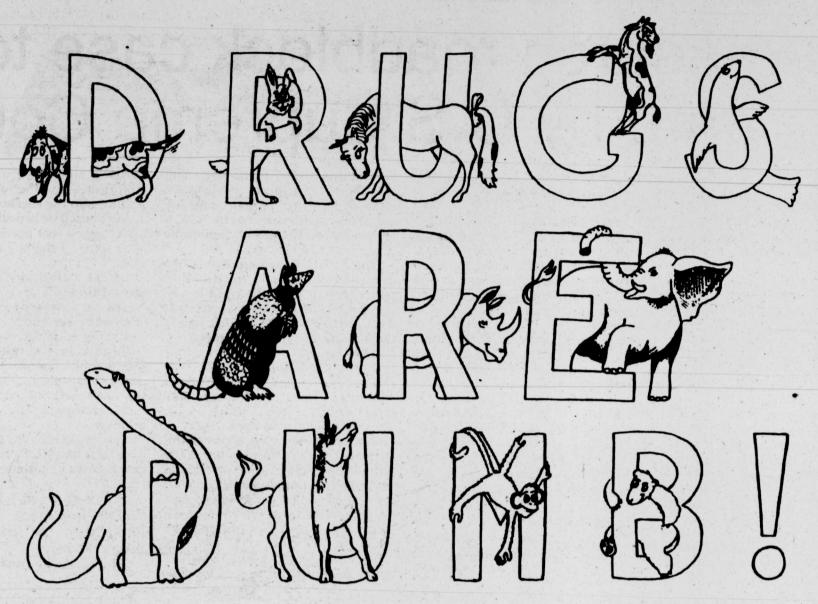


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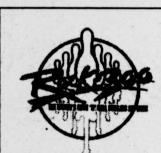
The Red Ribbon Campaign originated in 1986 when citizens of a small community donned red ribbons in tribute and memory of Enrique Camarena, the Drug Enforcement Agent who was slain by drug traffickers.

Since that time, the red ribbon has not only been a badge of Agent Camarena's sacrifice, but that of countless other law enforcement officers who have committed themselves to demand and supply reduction of illegal drugs. The campaign itself has spread across the nation from individual to individual, community to community, and state to state.

Texans' War on Drugs promoted the Red Ribbon Campaign in the State of Texas from 1988 to 1996. Seeing the positive impact that the Red Ribbon Campaign can have on the organization and implementation of drug prevention efforts, other states have brought the campaign to the public eye, usually through the leadership of statewide drug prevention organizations.

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# Drug-search roadblock case to be heard by U.S.Supreme Court

WASHINGTON (AP) — Supreme Court justices questioned whether roadblocks to catch drug dealers are one step on the path toward the sort of random questioning by police that the Constitution is supposed to forbid.

The court took a new look last week at privacy rights versus the interests of law enforcement with the case of drug-search roadblocks that detain far more innocent motorists than criminals.

The court must decide whether the roadblocks set up by Indianapolis in 1998 are consistent with the accepted practices of border roadblocks to find illegal immigrants or random traffic stops to get drunks off the road.

The city admits that its primary aim was to catch drug criminals. Civil liberties advocates called the practice heavy-handed and risky, and asked the Supreme Court to ban it

Justice Antonin Scalia pounced on a lawyer for the city, who argued that

WASHINGTON (AP) — Supreme the practice is no more intrusive than the traffic stops that previously passed court muster.

"So you think the government could stop a car anywhere in the United States and look for illegal immigrants?" Scalia asked in mock surprise. "Simply stop the car and say, 'Can I see your papers, please?" As the crowd stirred, Scalia added: "Sorta scary."

The city's lawyer, A. Scott Chinn, replied that authorities would have to show a reason to suspect illegal immigrants were using a particular road, but he did not back off his argument that the drug checkpoints are a simple and effective way to find large amounts of drugs.

Several other cities have used similar checkpoints and the practice could become fairly common if the Supreme Court gives its blessing.

"The risk here is if we break down this barrier ... we will be faced with ever-increasing incursions that will be balanced away," by the argument that the benefit to the public good outweighs individual privacy concerns, replied Kenneth Falk, a lawyer for the Indiana chapter of the American Civil Liberties Union.

The ACLU, which represents two detained motorists, argues that police do not have the right to use roadblocks to investigate criminal drug activity without good reason to suspect one motorist or another.

The Fourth Amendment that forbids unreasonable searches or seizures generally protects Americans from random sidewalk questioning by police, or indiscriminate traffic stops.

The court is reviewing a federal appeals court ruling that said the Indianapolis checkpoints probably amounted to unreasonable seizures. A Supreme Court decision, expected by June, will provide the court's latest word on the amendment's scope.

Several justices seemed troubled by the notion that motorists could be stopped simply because they are motorists — in other words, that by driving into the checkpoint a person opens himself or herself to a criminal investigation that presumably would not happen if the he or she were on foot

"I can't find anything special about being in a car ... and I haven't heard you present one," Justice Stephen Breyer said.

Cars were pulled over at random in high-crime neighborhoods in Indianapolis, motorists questioned, and a drug-sniffing dog led around the car's exterior. Most motorists were detained for about three minutes.

The city conducted six roadblocks over four months in 1998 before the practice was challenged in federal court.

Police stopped 1,161 cars and trucks and made 104 arrests. Fifty-five of the arrests were on drug charges.

The case is Indianapolis v.



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DEFINITION

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Delta-9-tetra-hydrocannabinol (THC) is the mind altering cannabinoid that causes the state of intoxication associated with marijuana. The higher the amount of THC, the more harmful marijuana becomes. The marajjuana illegally grown today is 1 0 times more potent than that used phor to 1970. Not only is marijuana stronger, but it is becoming more common for "joints" to be laced with cocaine or PCP.

Marijuana is considered a "gateway drug" -- one which often leads to other drug use.

#### **EFFECTS**

Cannabinoid molecules do not dissolve in water; they settle and collect in the fatty tissue of cell walls. The cells of all the major organs become saturated with fat-soluble cannabinoids, depending on the length of time the cannabinoids have been there. Even when a single marijuana cigarette is smoked, THC and other cannabinoids have an average "half-life" (the time it takes the body to break down and/ or get hp;d of one-half of the drug taken into the body) of approximately 72 hours in the human body. It may take several months for tissue which is highly saturated with cannabinoids to rid itself of THC. During this time, THC is being slowly released into the body.

THE BRAIN is made up of 1/3 fat. When the cell walls in brain tissue become completely saturated with THC, the brain cells die. They cannot be replaced. The brain cells most impaired with marijuana use are those most responsible for the highest and most complex brain functions: thought, memory, learning, speech, and controlled emotions. Additionally, THC impairs the performance of tasks which require coordination and attention. Marijuana weakens the motivation center of the brain and, in time, permanently damages this area.

THE REPRODUCTIVE SYSTEM, a network of glands and hormones, is also adversely affected by marijuana. Its use may impair sexual development, fertility, and sexual functioning. In men, marijuana reduces sperm production and can damage sperm cells. In women, marijuana can cause irregular menstrual cycles and can damage egg cells. In pregnancy, marijuana chemicals pass across the placenta to the developing fetus.

THE IMMUNE SYSTEM of a marijuana smoker is weakened by 40%, resulting in more susceptibility to infections and illness (including Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome -- AIDS,.

THE LUNGS are damaged 5 times more from the smoking of one marijuana cigarette than from the smoking of one tobacco cigarette. In addition, the lungs of marijuana smokers are weakened in their ability to fight bacterial infections.

#### **PREVALENCE**

Increases in lifetime, annual, current (use within the past 30 days) and daily use of marajuana by eighth and tenth graders continue a trend that began in the early 1990s. Among twelfth graders, rates of marajuana use remained high and increased for lifetime use. In Texas, current marijuana use among eighth graders has tripled in the past five years. In 1996, marijuana was the most commonly used illicit drug and the third most prevalent substance other than alcohol and tobacco. (1996 Monitoring the Future: Univers@ of Michigan; and the 1996 Texas School Survey of Substance Abuse: The Texas Commission on AJcohol and Drug Abuse)

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#### **GATEWAY DRUGS**

Young people who experiment with drugs begin with specific drugs which "lead" or "open the gate" to increased use of these specific drugs or use of a wider range of drugs. Virtually all experimentation with illegal mind altering drugs begins between the ages of 12 and 20. By preventing the use of gateway drugs, it is likely that young people will grow to adulthood drug

Tobacco, alcohol, marijuana, andinhalants are identified as gateway drugs."
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The middle school child who experiments with tobacco is faced with approximately one to three odds of developing nicotine dependence. Of youth who experiment with only cigarettes, nearly 85% can become habitual smokers.

For every four adolescents who try tobacco, 20 years later, one will still be trying to kick the habit. 12 to 17 year olds who are current smokers of cigarettes when compared to youths of the same age who do not smoke, are twice as likely to be current users of alcohol, 9 times as likely to illegally use pills such as tranquilizers, 10 times more likely to smoke marijuana, and 14 times more likely to use cocaine, heroin, or hallucinogens. Thus, current smoking of cigarettes is a strong predictor of other drug use among teenagers. 81 % of teenage smokers also try marijuana, versus only 21 % of nonsmokers. ALCOHOL

Youth may become alcoholic (dependent upon alcohol) in 6 months to 3 years versus the 1 015 year pattern for adults. Lack of completely organized brain systems and fully developed bodies make the still-growing adolescent more vulnerable to alcoholic toxicity. The earlier and more intensively a young person uses alcohol the more likely that person is to use other drugs. On the other hand, the teen who does not drink alcohol is virtually immune from use of any other illegal drug, from marijuana to heroin. MARIJUANA

One in three Americans who try only one marijuana cigarette go on to daily marijuana use. Excluding cigarettes or alcohol (which are illegalforyouth), thefirstuniversally illegal drug most often used is marijuana. Marijuana is considered a gateway drug for two reasons: 1) its use almost always occurs before the tenth grade; 2) it is rare for young people ever to progress to other drug use without first having used marijuana.

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### Rohypnol and its effects

**DEFINITIONS** 

Rohypnol (flunitrazepam) in usually prescribed doses is an effective sleeping medication. It is not available for prescription in the U.S., but is available in Mexico, Central and South America, Europe and Asia. Rohypnol is a benzodiazepine, in the same family of medications as Valium Librium (diazepam), (chlordiazepoxide), Xanax (Alprazolam) and Halcion (triazolam).

Street names of Rohypnol include Roachies, R-2, Roaches, or Roches, Rocha, Rophies, Roofies, Ruffles, Ropes or Rib. Being under the influence of the drug is referred to as

being "roached out."

Rohypnol abuse has been reported in middle schools and high schools, as well as by college students and adults. Heroin addicts use itasan enhancerfor low-quality heroin, or toself-medicate withdrawal symptoms from heroin or methadone. Cocaine abusers use Rohypnolto reduce anxiety and agitation from cocaine use.

The tablets are usually taken by mouth. Some people crush the tablets and snort or smoke the powder, or dissolve it for injection. The most common pattern is episodic use by teenagers and young adults, most often in combination with beer or marijuana. There have been reports that Rohypnol has been put in soft drinks or alcoholic

everages.

Along the Mexico-Texas border from Brownsville to Laredo, a somewhat different pattern of benzodiazepine abuse developed. Many users are not specifically seeking or familiar with the name Rohypnol; instead, they are seeking tablets with the name Roche on them. From users' desc@ptions of the tablets, it is clear that instead of or in addition to Rohypnol, many are taking Rivotril (Clonazepam, which is sold in the U.S. under the trade Klonopin), Lexotan (Bromazepam, another sleeping pill marketed in Mexico) or Valium manufactured in Mexico (which is different in appearance from U.S. Valium). Use of other benzodiazepines, such as Ativan and Xanax, was also reported.

#### **EFFECTS**

Flunitrazepam effects begin within 30 minutes, pebk within 2 hours, and may persist for up to 8 hours or more, depending upon the dosage. Adverse effects include: decreased blood pressure; memory impairment, drowsiness, visual disturbances, dizziness, confusion, gastrointestinal disturbances, and urinary retention. Paradoxically, although the drug is classified as a depressant, flunitrazepam can induce excitability or aggressive behavior in some users.

Flunitrazepam use causes dependence in humans. Once dependence has developed, abstention induces withdrawal symptoms, including headache, muscle pain, extreme anxiety, tension, restlessness, confusion, and

irritability.

Numbness, tingling of the extremities, loss of identity, hallucinations, delirium, convulsions, shock, and cardiovascular collapse also may occur. Withdrawal seizures can occur a week or more after cessation of use. As with other benzodiazepines, treatment for flunitrazepam dependence must be gradual, with use tapering off.

#### PREVALENCE

The distribution and abuse of flunitrazepam, in all likelihood, will continue to increase within certain segments of society in the United States, particularly among abusers of other illicit drugs and high school students who mistakenly believe that the drug is harmless.

Two recent surveys of persons making customs declarations along the Texas border found that 42 to 46% of the persons were deciahng Rohypnol as one of the drugs they were briging into the U.S.

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Fiction: Smoking marijuana is not more harmful than smoking cigarettes.

Fact: Smoking marijuana is more than 4 times as likely to cause cancer than smoking cigarettes.

Marijuana smoke contains toxins like carbon monoxide.

Bonus Fact: Marijuana today is stronger than it was 10, 20, and 30 years ago.

Fiction: Marijuana doesn't affect your body or your mind.

Fact: Tasks that require concentration and coordination, like driving, are more difficult for a marijuana smoker to do than a non-smoker. One study found that teenagers who smoked marijuana were twice as likely to be in traffic accidents as non-smokers.

Bonus Fact: Smoking pot releases chemicals in the body which head straight to fat cells in the organs of the body such as the brain, ovaries, and testes. Long after marijuana has been smoked, these chemicals remain in the cells, damaging the way the brain and other vital organs work.

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# Strong family ties, success in school help prevent drug abuse in students

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affecting children's lives, the more likely they are to develop resiliency. Protective factors include:



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## Quiz Cards For Kids: Alcohol

Fiction: Alcohol is not a drug

Fact: Alcohol is an addictive drug. The active ingredient in all alcoholic drinks is ethyl alcohol, which works like ether. It acts like an anesthetic to put the brain to sleep.

Bonus Fact: Even a low level of alcohol in the blood has a tranquilizing effect, slowing you down. The more alcohol you drink, the more your brain is affected. You're unable to move normally. You can't see or hear as well, and you can't think clearly. That means you may do things you normally wouldn't do.

Fiction: It's OK to let teens drink, as long as they do it responsibly and don't drive.

Fact: Bodies are still growing until they reach the early 20's. Alcohol may permanently stop the development of the hypothalamus - part of the brain - in adolescents. Addiction often occurs more quickly in bodies that are still growing (it can happen in months).

Bonus Fact: Because of the difference in their body's makeup, women have a lower tolerance for alcohol than men.

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- \* strong bonds with the family;
- \* experience of parental monitoring with clear rules of conduct within the family unit and involvement of parents in the lives of their children;
- \* success in school performance,
- \* strong bonds with prosocial institutions such as the family, school, and religious organizations- and adoption of conventional norms about drug use. (source-. PreventingDrug Use

Among Children and Adolescents: A Research-Based Guide-. Natonal Insttute on Drug Abuse)

Resiliency is the process of coping with disruptive, stressful, or challenging life events in a way that provides the individual with more protective and coping skills than prior to the disruption that resulted from the event.

The resilient child:

- \* Is effective in work, play and relationships: establishes healthy friendships; is goal-oriented and enjoys making satisfactory progress.
- \* Has healthy expectancies and a positive outlook: \* believes that effort and initiative will pay;
- \* is oriented to success rather than to failure;
- \* sets goals realistically.
- \* Has self-esteem and internal locus of control: feels competent and has a sense of personal power-believes that s/he can influence events in his or her environment rather than being controlled by what occurrs.
- \* Is self-disciplined:
- has the ability to delay gratification and control impulsive drive;
- · maintains a future-orientation.
- \* Has critical thinking and problem-solving skills:
- is able to think abstractly, to reflect and learn from experience, and to
- considers alternative solutions both to cognitive and social problems.
- \* Enjoys a sense of humor:
  has the ability to generate comic relief and alternative ways of looking at things; n laugh at self and ridiculous situations.

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## Community works together in promoting Red Ribbon Week

District and The Pampa News are joining with the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse to promote the 2000 Red Ribbon

The Red Ribbon Campaign is an opportunity to bring together parents, schools and businesses to help create drug-free communities, say leaders at the Commission, which is sponsoring the celebration

from Oct. 23-31.

"The Red Ribbon Campaign is an excellent community opportunity for a statewide effort to protect children from the dangers of alcohol, tobacco and other drugs," says TCADA Chairman James C. Oberwetter.

A 1998 survey by the Commission was organized in 1986 by a

Pampa Independent School reported a dramatic decrease in the number of fourth, fifth and sixth graders who have tried alcohol, down from 41.8 percent in 1990. The number of elementary students who had tried tobacco dropped to 16.3 percent in 1998 from 21.1 percent in

> "Red Ribbon Week should serve as a kickoff and catalyst for a year long prevention effort," says Joe Wiese, director of TCADA's Office of Prevention. "Successful prevention efforts include parents, schools, law enforcement, the faith community and all other community resources working in a unified way with a consistent message.

The first Red Ribbon Campaign

dedicated to protecting communities from the destruction caused by alcohol and drug abuse.

The red ribbon was adopted as a symbol of the movement in honor of Enrique Camarena, an agent with the U. S. Drug Enforcement Administration kidnapped and killed while investigating drug traffickers. The campaign has reached millions of U.S. children and has been recognized by the U.S.

Red Ribbon Week is a chance to be visible and vocal in our desire for a drug-free community," says Lesley Gershmel of Pampa Safe and Drug Free schools and communities. "We know that children are less likely to

grassroots organization of parents use alcohol and other drugs when parents and other role models are clear and consistent in their opposition to alcohol and drug abuse. That's why we are proud to support Red Ribbon Week.

In 1997, the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse began committing resources to ensure the continuation of the Red Ribbon

Campaign in Texas.

For more information about Red Ribbon Week or prevention resources, contact the Commission's Prevention Resource Centers at (888) PRC-TEXX.

If you are interested in receiving red ribbons or information on substance abuse prevention, contact Lesley Gershmel at 669-1012.

## New study suggests smoking can cause depression in teens

suggests smoking may be a cause of depression in teen-agers, contradicting the current thinking that says depressed people may smoke to feel better.

The study found that teens who smoked were about four times more likely to develop highly depressed symptoms during a year's time.

The researchers speculated that nicotine or other smoking byproducts may have a depressive effect on the central nervous system.

"The thing that bolsters the idea is that there is evidence that antidepressant drugs are helpful in treating nicotine addiction," said Dr. Elizabeth Goodman, an adolescentmedicine specialist at Children's

Cincinnati who led the study.

The study appears in the October issue of Pediatrics. Other researchers have linked teen smoking with suicide, and smoking with depression in adults, but they disagree over whether tobacco use is a cause or merely a result of a depressed state.

Most think people "who have tendency to have depressed mood self-medicate by smoking. This is probably not the case," said Naomi Breslau, director of research at Henry Ford Health Systems in Detroit.

Breslau's own research also has suggested tobacco may somehow contribute to depression. She said that while the new findings do not

CHICAGO (AP) — A new study Hospital Medical Center of prove smoking is a cause, they strongly support that theory.

They find absolutely no evidence that depressive symptoms per se increase the risk for smoking," she said. "They do find very clear evidence in the other direction."

The study relied not on doctors' diagnoses but on teen-agers' reports of having symptoms suggestive of depression.

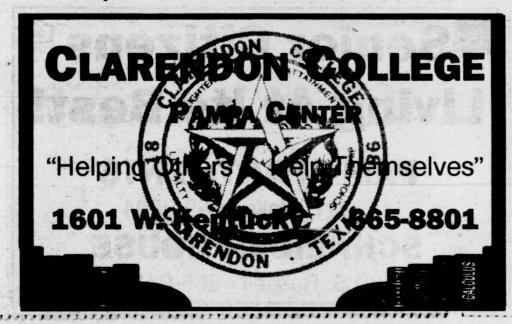
The study analyzed data from teens questioned in 1995 and 1996 in a national study on adolescent health. It included 8,704 teens who were not initially depressed and 6,947 teens who were not initially

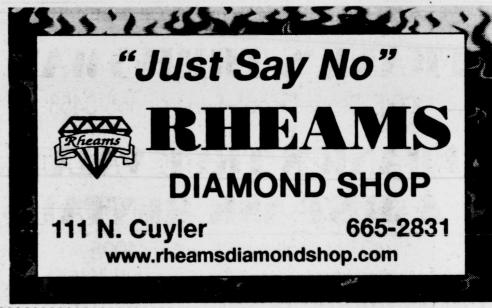
Evidence suggesting depression was a cause rather than a result of smoked at least a pack a day.

smoking evaporated when the researchers took into account other factors that may have prompted the teens to start smoking, such as friends' use of tobacco and poor

Current smokers included those who smoked as little as one cigarette in the previous month and those who smoked a pack a day or more. The researchers did not examine whether teens who smoked the most were the most likely to develop depression, but some of their other findings suggest that may have been the case.

After a year's time, 4.8 percent of the nonsmokers had developed depressed symptoms compared with 12 percent of those who initially







(Pampa News photo by Nancy Young)
Collin Lewis, Leslee Am, mons, Rhianna Anglin and Aaron Fernuik will be among the D-Fy-It students who will be participating in the Red Ribbon Week
celebration activities at Pampa High School during Red Ribbon Week Oct. 23-31, 2000. The students will join students from across the country who will be
working to bring attention to drug and alcohol abuse among young people. The local students will be distributing red ribbons at the high school to all
students who would like to participate in the event.

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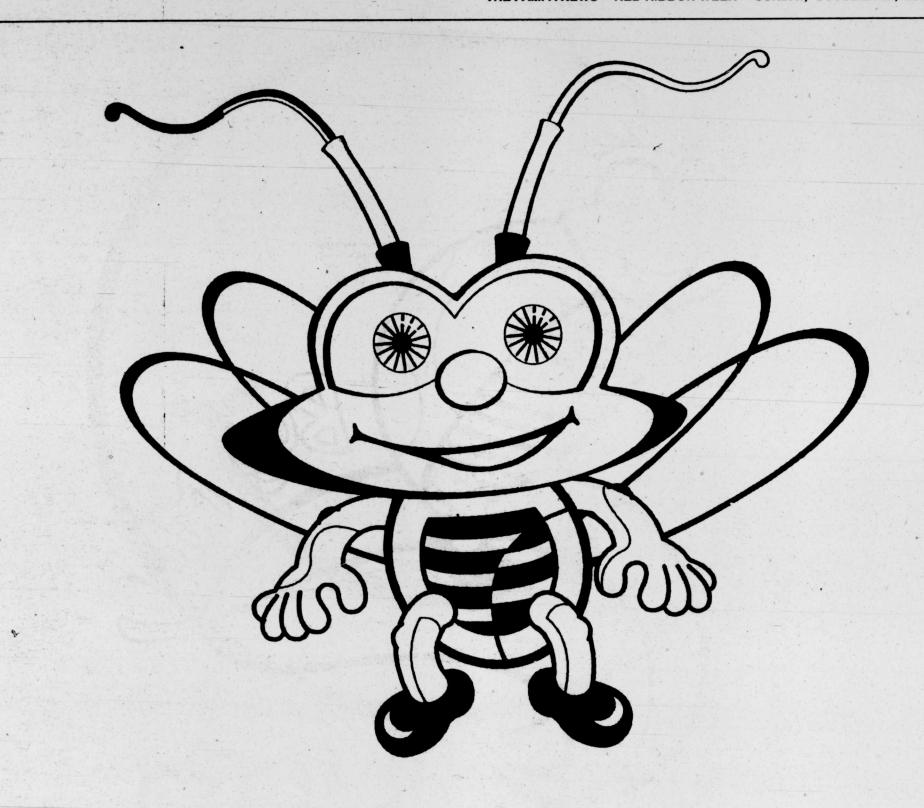
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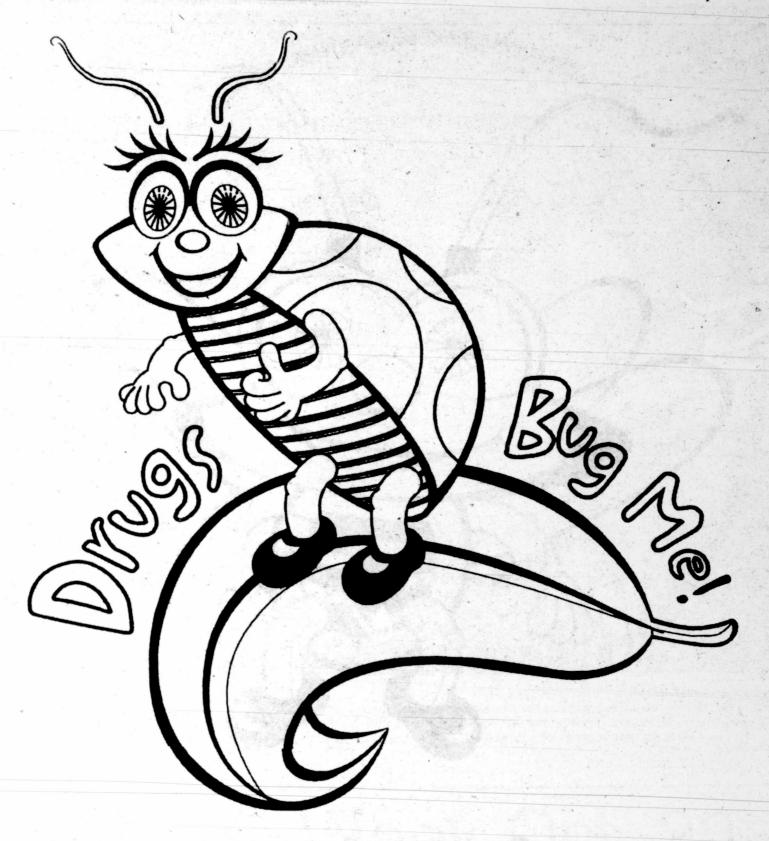


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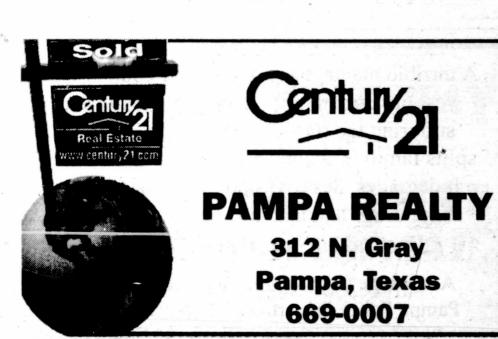
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# HOW TO TALK TO YOUR KIDS ABOUT DRUGS.

The best thing about this subject is that you don't have to do it well. You simply have to try.

If you try, your kids will get the message.

That you care about them.

That you understand something about the conflicts they face.

That you're there when they need you.

The alternative is to ignore the subject. Which means your kids are going to be listening to others who have strong opinions about the subject. Including those who use drugs. And those who sell them.

#### ACCEPT REBELLION.

At the heart of it, drugs, alcohol, wild hairstyles, trendy clothes, ear-splitting music, outrageous language are different ways of expressing teenage rebellion.

That's not all bad. Part of growing up is to create a separate identity, apart from parents — a process which ultimately leads to feelings of self worth. A step along that path is rebellion of one kind or another — which is to say rejecting parental values, and staking out new ones.

You did it. They're doing it. And that's the way it is.

The problem comes when kids choose a path of rebellion that hurts them, destroys their self worth, and can ultimately kill them.

That's the reality of drugs.

#### DON'T GET DISCOURAGED.

When you talk to your kids about drugs, it may seem as though nothing is getting through.

Don't you believe it.

The very fact you say it gives special weight to whatever you say.

But whether or not your kids let on they've heard you, whether or not they play back your words weeks or months later, keep trying.

#### START ANYWHERE.

"Have you heard about any kids using drugs?"

"What kind of drugs?"

"How do you feel about that?"



It's never too early to start.

"Why do you think kids get involved with drugs?"

"How do other kids deal with peer pressure to use drugs? Which approaches make sense to you?"

"Have you talked about any of this in school?"

However you get into the subject, it's important to state exactly how strongly you feel about it.

Not in threatening tones. But in matter-of-fact, unmistakably clear language:

"Drugs are a way of hurting yourself."

"Drugs take all the promise of being young and destroy it."

"I love you too much to see you throw your life down the drain."

SOME DO'S AND DON'TS.

The do's are as simple as speaking from the heart.

The biggest don't is don't do all the talking. If you listen to your kids – really listen and read between the lines – you'll learn a lot about what they think. About drugs. About themselves. About the world. And about you. They'll also feel heard and that, too, is a step along the path towards self esteem.

There are other do's and don'ts: Don't threaten. Don't badger them. Don't put your kid on the spot by asking directly if he or she has ever tried drugs. They'll probably lie, which undermines your whole conversation.

If you suspect your child is on drugs – there are all sorts of symptoms – that's a different matter. Then you've got to confront the subject directly.

In the meantime, just talk to them.

It's okay if you don't know much about drugs.

Your kids do.

But they need to know how you feel about the subject.

And whether you care.

For more information on how to talk with your kids about drugs, ask for a free copy of "Keeping Youth Drug-Free." Call 1-800-729-6686.