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Slick highways claim nine lives

Nine people died in a pair of accidents on rain-slickened Texas highways on Tuesday.

Five people were killed and two others were hospitalized Tuesday after a four-vehicle accident on rain-slickened U.S. 175 near Athens in East Texas, the Texas Department of Public Safety said.

Four people, including a 2-year-old and a 4-year-old, were killed in a two-vehicle collision near Coldsprings in San Jacinto County.

Carolyn Bishop, 51, and her 18-year-old daughter, Patricia Bishop, both of Bullard, died when their eastbound car crossed the center lane of U.S. 175 near Athens about 2 p.m., said DPS spokesman Tom Vinger.

Their car hit a sport utility vehicle, careened into oncoming traffic and collided with a third car, he said.

Farris Williams, 79, of Nacogdoches died at the scene. Patrick Flanagan and Frederick Williams, both of Nacogdoches, died at East Texas Medical Center in Athens. Jennifer Spencer, 19, and Flora Spencer, both of Nacogdoches, were listed in serious condition at the hospital Tuesday.

The cause of the accident remained under investigation, but Vinger said heavy rainfall across the area may have been a factor.

"It does appear that the weather was a factor in this wreck, it was raining at the time," Vinger said.

- Fred Cable, services pending.
- Doris Aylene Drake, 84, genealogist, clubwoman.
- J.P. Franks, 68, retired RV park owner.
- Jewel Lawson, 85, retired Roberts County employee.
- Eula Mae Morrow, services pending.
- James R. Schuneman, 65, services pending.

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Dig out from 15-inch snowfall begins

Pampa man dies using snowblower

By KATE B. DICKSON
 Associate Publisher

An autopsy has been requested to determine the cause of death of James R. Schuneman, 65, who died Tuesday while using a snowblower.

Schuneman, of 1816 N. Russell, had cleared his driveway with the self-propelled machine and had started on a neighbor's drive when he collapsed, his stepdaughter, Barbara Hughes, said today.

"He had done his driveway and came in for about 30 min-

Asked if the calls are from people who need to get back to their homes after spending the holiday here, Sheriff's dispatcher/jailer Shelly McCarn laughed and said, "There are some relatives at my house who need to get home."

utes to get warm and to drink a cup of hot chocolate," she said. "He was fine."

But when Schuneman started on the second driveway, he collapsed, apparently dying

instantly, she said.

Meanwhile, Pampa remained a relatively quiet town today as many residents stayed put in the wake of a two-day winter storm that left the city covered in 15

inches of snow.

But far from quiet were the telephones at the Gray County Sheriff's Department where dispatcher/jailer Shelly McCarn was juggling calls this morning

— most of them about road conditions.

"So far there haven't been many people out on the roads but I think a lot of the callers are

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(Pampa News photo by Dee Dee Laramore)

Tom Auwen blazes a trail through 15 inches of snow surrounding First United Methodist Church at Foster and Ballard streets early this morning. Volunteers from the church used snow blowers, small tractors with blades, and shovels to clear around the church this morning in preparation for a funeral service to be conducted there later today.

More well water in mix reduces byproduct level

By KATE B. DICKSON
 Associate Publisher

There's good news in the latest results from state testing of Pampa's city water supply — the level of trihalomethanes has dropped below the prohibited mark.

That's the word from City Manager Bob Eskridge who received the report last week from Public Works Director Richard Morris.

The primary reason for the drop in THMs is because the city is using much more well water than it did previously and less water from Lake Meredith.

THMs are a byproduct of the disinfectant process — a process used to treat Lake Meredith water but not needed with well water. THMs occur most often when chlorine comes in contact with carbon-based material (leaves, dirt, etc.) in surface water.

But even though the chemical, which has caused cancer in laboratory animals after long-term exposure, is now below the 100 parts per billion threshold, the City of Pampa still faces a \$ 9,775 fine from the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission.

The city must also find an alternative to using chlorine to treat the

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Livestock Show Jan. 26-27

The Gray County Junior Livestock show will be held at the Clyde Carruth Pavilion at Recreation Park the weekend of Jan. 26-27. Steers will be shown on Friday at 6 p.m. and the swine will show at 8 a.m. on Saturday. The barbecue will be held again and serving will start at 5 p.m. on Saturday followed by the auction at 6 p.m.

In order for all exhibitors to receive a fair price for their animal, contributions are being sought. Contributions may be sent to the Gray County Junior Livestock Show at P.O. Box 853, Pampa, TX 79065.



(Pampa News photo by Dee Dee Laramore)

Centenarian George Keeton joyfully accepts kisses and hugs from members of the Pampa Middle School 7th Grade Girls Choir. The choir serenaded him with a chorus of "Happy Birthday" in honor of Keeton's 101st birthday when the group performed at the Bank of America recently.

He's 101 today! Keeton remains sharp, spry as he celebrates

By DEE DEE LARAMORE
 Staff Writer

While most of the area digs out from a heavy snowfall, a Pampa man says he'll stay inside his warm apartment and celebrate his 101st birthday.

"Ain't this wonderful?" exclaimed George Keeton in a telephone interview this morning. "I'm staying on the inside looking out."

Keeton, who is 101 today, said he'll celebrate this special day with dinner a family friend plans to bring him.

"The Lord's so good. He knows what we need," he said of the snow. "I've just been sitting inside listening to the radio all day. When I get tired of that, I go to singing."

Keeton loves to sing. Start any hymn and he'll join in with enthusiasm. One of his favorite activities, he said, is to go to Second Sunday Singing at the Pentecostal Church on Alcock Street.

"I love gospel singing," he confided.

With more than a century of good living behind him, Keeton remains sharp and spry. He's well known as the greeter at Bank of America, where a special table with his own name plate is set up. Recently he greeted school choirs from local schools as they came to carol for the bank's customers. He'd join in the singing and afterwards handed out candy canes to the young choristers.

At 101, Keeton lives alone at the Pam Apartments, his home for the past six or seven years.

"I love it here. It's a great place," he said.

And Keeton still drives his late model car around the community. "I just got my driver's license renewed," he said. "I had to go down and take a test."

Fumbling in his pocket, he pulled out a pair of glasses.

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Daily Record

Services tomorrow

DRAKE, Doris Aylene — Graveside services, 1 p.m., Memorial Park Cemetery East Mausoleum, Amarillo.
FRANKS, J.P. — 2 p.m., Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors Colonial Chapel, Pampa.

Obituaries

FRED CABLE
 McLEAN — Services are pending for Fred Cable of McLean. Arrangements are being handled by Lamb Funeral Home of McLean.
DORIS AYLENE DRAKE
 AMARILLO — Doris Aylene Ballard Drake, 84, a former Pampa resident, died Sunday, Dec. 24, 2000. Graveside services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday in Memorial Park Cemetery East Mausoleum with Brent Ashby officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Memorial Park Funeral Home of Amarillo.
 Mrs. Drake was born at Guthrie. She graduated from Pampa High School and had lived in various places in the panhandle with her family. She married Dwight Newell Drake in 1940 at Lubbock; he died in 1997. The couple settled in Perryton and established their own business.
 She was a genealogist and belonged to Daughters of the American Revolution, United Daughters of the Confederacy, Daughters of the Republic of Texas and Descendants of Austin's Old Three Hundred.
 She had been an Amarillo resident since 1997. Survivors include a daughter, Karen Slagle of Amarillo; a son, Dan Drake of Amarillo; a sister, Earlene Hergert of Orlando, Fla.; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.
 The family requests memorials be to Alzheimer's Association, 2200 W. 7th Ave., Amarillo, TX 79106; or to BSA Hospice, 200 N.W. 7th Ave., Amarillo, TX 79107.

J.P. FRANKS
 J.P. Franks, 68, of Pampa, died Sunday, Dec. 24, 2000, at Amarillo. Services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Fines Marchman, pastor of First Baptist Church of Skellytown, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors of Pampa.
 Mr. Franks was born Jan. 14, 1932, at Lela, Texas. He came to Pampa in 1968 and owned-operated Catalina Club from 1972 until selling the business in 1986. He moved to Port Aransas, purchasing the Mustang R.V. Park, and retired and returned to Pampa in 1998.
 Survivors include two sons, Charles Ray Franks of Lexington, Okla., and Phineas Dean Franks of Shamrock, a stepdaughter, Kathy Murphy of Pampa; a stepson, Leroy Thacker of Pampa; his mother, Lucille Franks of Shamrock; three brothers, Jimmy Franks of Shamrock, Paul Franks of Amarillo and Larry Franks of Canadian; 10 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

JEWEL LAWSON
 MIAMI — Jewel Lawson, 85, died Tuesday, Dec. 26, 2000, at Amarillo. Services are pending under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors of Pampa.
 Mrs. Lawson was born Oct. 4, 1915.
 A Miami resident for 65 years, she was a member of First Baptist Church of Miami and was a longtime Roberts County employee.
 She was preceded in death by her husband, Jesse Lawson, in 1973.
 Survivors include three daughters, Patsy Minick of Canadian, Rita Wilson of Canton, Okla., and Belya Greenhouse of Earth; and three sisters, Faye Nix and Helen Allison, both of Denton, and Ophelia Sons of Aubrey.

EULA MAE MORROW
 McLEAN — Services are pending for Eula Mae Morrow of McLean. Arrangements are under the direction of Lamb Funeral Home of McLean.
JAMES R. SCHUNEMAN
 James R. Schuneman, 65, of Pampa, died Tuesday, Dec. 26, 2000. Services are pending under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Accidents
 Pampa Police Department reported the following accidents during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.
Friday, Dec. 22
 4:43 p.m. — A 2000 Ford Taurus driven by Wayne Albert McKean, 74, 904 Terry Rd., collided with a 1985 Ford Ranger pickup driven by Ella Stillwell Cross, 80, 1948 1/2 N. Nelson, at the intersection of West 21st and Banks streets. McKean was cited for failure to yield right of way at a stop sign. No injuries were reported at the scene.
Monday, Dec. 25
 8:47 a.m. — A 1999 Honda Accord driven by Dr. Mustafa Hussain, 44, of Amarillo, slid on the ice and collided with a curb and road sign at the intersection of West Wilks and South Wells streets. Damage to the sign, owned by the State of Texas, was valued at \$100. No injuries were reported at the scene.

Stocks
 The following grain quotations are provided by Atcheyne Grain of Pampa.

Wheat	2.58
Milo	3.42
Corn	3.73
Soybeans	4.30

The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation:

Occidental	24 7/8	dn 1/16
Fidelity Magell	118.73	
Paritron	18.70	

The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock Market quotations are furnished by Edward Jones & Co. of Pampa.

BP Amoco	48 13/16	up 7/16
Cabot	25 7/16	up 1/16
Cabot O&G	28 15/16	dn 3/4
Chevron	83	up 3/16
Coza-Cyta	61	up 1/16

Police report

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

Friday, Dec. 22
 Forgery of a government instrument was reported in the 1000 block of South Hobart. A photocopy of a resident alien card was found in the wallet of Sergio Cameros, 38, 400 E. Louisiana, when he was arrested for driving without a license.
 Unauthorized use of a motor vehicle was reported in the 200 block of North Faulkner.
 Domestic disturbance was reported in the 200 block of South Nelson.
 Theft was reported at Allsup's 309 N. Hobart.
 Vandalism was reported in the 2300 block of Mary Ellen.
 Public intoxication and possession of drug paraphernalia was reported in the 400 block of North Ballard.
 Phone harassment was reported in the 400 block of South Houston.
Saturday, Dec. 23
 Simple assault was reported in the 1600 block of West Somerville.
 Possession of drug paraphernalia was reported in the 1000 block of Wilkes.
 Minor in possession was reported in the 700 block of North Dwight.
 Allsup's, 140 S. Starkweather, reported a gas drive-off.
 Violation of a protective order was reported in the 400 block of North Russell.
 Criminal mischief was reported in the 1100 block of North Frost.
Sunday, Dec. 24
 An assault was reported at Wal-Mart, 2200 N. Hobart. According to police reports, a man tried to buy a video camcorder using a check on another person's account. When the clerk telephoned the person whose name was on the check, the clerk was told that the checks had been stolen a few days earlier. The man tried to run out of the store, but was stopped by store employees. In the process, Justin Matthew Sperry, 24, a store employee, was knocked down and suffered a knee injury. Travis Lawton Marcum, 38, of Borger was arrested on a charge of simple assault. Further charges are pending after consultation with authorities in Borger, police said.
 Taylor Mart, 2101 N. Hobart, reported a gas drive-off.
 Allsup's, 1900 N. Hobart, reported a gas drive-off.

Monday, Dec. 25
 A domestic disturbance was reported in the 1100 block of East Kingsmill.
Tuesday, Dec. 26
 Theft was reported at Allsup's, 1025 W. Wilks. A Hispanic male in a black vehicle, possibly an Accura Legend, reportedly stole two 30-pack cases of Budweiser beer valued at \$35.98.
Wednesday, Dec. 27
 2:23 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 1100 block of North Hobart and transported one to PRMC.
 3:12 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 1400 block of East Browning and transported one to PRMC.

Sheriff's Office
 No arrests or incidents were reported by the Gray County Sheriff's Office during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Ambulance
 Rural/Metro made the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.
Tuesday, Dec. 26
 8:40 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 1300 block of West Kentucky for lifting assistance.
 8:59 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 800 block of W. 25th and transported one to PRMC.
 12:54 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 500 block of North Frost and transported one to PRMC.
 1:01 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to PRMC and transported one to the 800 block of West 25th.
 2 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 300 block of North Wynne and transported one to PRMC.
 2:56 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 1800 block of North Russell and transported one to PRMC.
 4:48 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 1000 block of South Dwight and transported one to PRMC.

Fires
 Pampa Fire Department responded to the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.
Tuesday, Dec. 26
 9:55 a.m. — One unit and three firefighters responded to the 800 block of West 25th on a medical assist.
 12:01 p.m. — One unit and three firefighters responded to the 400 block of Purviance to help a man who had fallen and needed help getting back to his house.
 12:18 p.m. — One unit and three firefighters responded to the 500 block of Frost on a medical assist.
 2:57 p.m. — One unit and three firefighters responded to the 1800 block of Russell on a medical assist.
 5:01 p.m. — One unit and three firefighters responded to a request for lifting assistance in the 1000 block of South Dwight.
 7:34 p.m. — One unit and two firefighters responded to a car fire in the 900 block of Vernon Drive. A 1982 Oldsmobile Toronado parked on the street was completely on fire by the time firefighters arrived. The vehicle was a total loss. No cause was listed on the fire report.



George Keeton shows Suzanne Wood how to direct Pampa Middle School's 7th grade girls choir in a rendition of "Happy Birthday" in honor of his 101st birthday.

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 "But I've got to wear these. My license's restricted now. I've got to wear these," he said.
 Keeton said he should be getting his new license in the mail any day now.
 He said the heavy snow fall reminds him of a camp meeting he went to in Oklahoma back in the 1930s.

"They got together - must have been 60 of them or so - and prayed for rain. They prayed and prayed for rain," he remembered. He said it rained so hard the camp meeting was flooded out and the people had to be rescued from the flooding.
 He doesn't have a secret for his longevity, but Keeton's love of people and joy in life shows in all he says and does.
 "Tell everybody I love 'em," he exclaims.

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SNOW
 getting cabin fever and want to get out," McCarn said.
 Asked if the calls are from people who need to get back to their homes after spending the holiday here, McCarn laughed and said, "There are some relatives at my house who need to go home."
 McCarn said her sister, a police officer in Ardmore, Okla., and her family are visiting bringing the total number of people in the house at 13.
 "They were supposed to have gone home Monday night," McCarn said. "At least the children are spending a lot of time outside playing in the snow."
 McCarn reported that Highway 152 east from Pampa to the Oklahoma line is closed. Highway 60 had one lane that was passable and crews are working on other roads to clear the snow.
 Area residents are being cautioned not to drive unless absolutely necessary.
 In Pampa, Public Service Supt. Kimberly Lincycumb said the city's main streets were being gone over for about the fourth time this morning. Residential streets are also getting attention today as snow-moving machines make "one pass down the middle" of those streets.
 Employees working in the snow removal crew quit at mid-

night last night and were back on the streets at 4 a.m. today, she said. Piles of snow left behind from the removal effort will be hauled away later.
 Even the venerable U.S. Postal Service has been disrupted by the storm as a spokesman at the Pampa branch said there will be no mail delivery again today. None was delivered Tuesday.
 "The truck didn't even run," said Richard Decker, delivery services supervisor. "I've worked for the post office for 16 years and this is the first time I've ever seen mail service suspended for two days in a row."
 "I've been in contact with people in Amarillo and my boss in Lubbock," he said. "With this amount of snow the trucks can't move."
 "We hope to be able to make some deliveries tomorrow," Decker said, "but it all depends upon how well we can get around. We will do what we can when we can but it will take time to work through this."
 A rarity also occurred at *The Pampa News* where newspapers weren't delivered Tuesday and won't be today. Circulation Director Dean Lynch said today's papers will be delivered to newspaper racks and to counter dealers. When home delivery returns, subscribers will get the papers they missed.
 Officially, Pampa received 15 inches of snow but Becky Lentz at Lentz Chevron said it seemed to her the snow was deeper than that.
 Lentz and others at the station were busy clearing snow the old-fashioned way - with shovels. It's a job, she said, that will take them "quite a while" to finish.
 Like many other Pampa businesses, Lentz said things were slow at her station.
 "No one has even bought gas this morning," she said about 9:30 a.m.
 Darrell Sehorn, KGRO/KOMX meteorologist said the 15-inch snowfall produced 1.05 inches of moisture.
 "The areas of Amarillo, Panhandle, and Pampa were right in the bull's eye of the storm," he said, noting that Panhandle received 20 inches of snow.
 While some old-time records are not available here, Sehorn said there was a snow in 1957 that exceeded two feet. Another in the early 70s was almost that deep. In 1987 there was a snowfall of over 15 inches that was accompanied by lots of wind.
 "The absence of wind this time is what really saved things from being worse," he said.
 Because the snow on the ground acts like "a refrigerator," Sehorn expects the snow to stay around for a while. There's also another "little system" coming our way that will bring a chance of snow Monday and Tuesday.
 "But it won't be anything compared to this," Sehorn said.

water and plans have been made to test a miniature version of a system in February. It's a system the city is considering purchasing.
 The TNRCC has given the city the option of an alternative to the fine, Eskridge said previously. Most likely the City Commission will vote next month in favor of making a like amount of improvements. These could include cleaning out ditches, removing old tires, reducing infiltration into sewer lines, etc.

It's something the city will receive a benefit from instead of paying \$19,775 to the state, the city manager said when the fine was set in November.
 The latest test samples pulled on Nov. 28, who the highest reading to be 80.8 parts per billion and that sample was pulled at the Fred Thompson Plant on West Kentucky, according to the report compiled by Morris. The average THMs is slightly less than 21.0 per billion.

WATER

Other locations and amounts were in parts per billion: pump station on South Barnes, 16.7; 1134 Finley, 3.0; 1600 Evergreen, 9.5; 1119 Kiowa, 17.7; pump station No. 3 on South Hobart, less than 2.0; Gray County Annex on Highway 60 east, 9.8; and Clifton Supply at 734 S. Cuyler, 28.6.
 Earlier this year when the THM levels were high, TNRCC spokesman Ruben Ochoa told

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The Pampa News that recent scientific studies indicate that high levels of THMs in drinking water may be linked to increased incidences of "spontaneous miscarriages during the first trimester of pregnancy."
 As a precautionary measure, he said "The TNRCC recommends that anyone in the first trimester of pregnancy consume bottled water ..."

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City Briefs

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Weather focus
 blanketing West Texas and patchy cold rain falling over South Texas. Biting northwest winds as fast as 20 mph blew over most of the state, and the Texas Coast and Deep South Texas had gusts as fast as 25 mph.
 Temperatures statewide ranged from the teens to the mid 40s, with Dalhart reporting 15 degrees and Port Isabel, Harlingen and Brownsville reporting 44 degrees before sunup.
 Parts of West Texas continued under snow advisories and the region had cloudy skies and temperatures from the teens to just above freezing. Temperatures should warm slightly to the 20s in the north and the 50s along the Rio Grande and skies should begin to clear from west to east.
 After dipping to as cold as single digits overnight, West Texas should be slightly warmer Thursday with temperatures in the 30s to 60s.
 Weather remained clammy in North Texas Wednesday morning as moisture hung in the sky as fog, rather than falling as rain, and temperatures were in the 20s to 30s. Light rain and freezing rain continued to fall over the southwest portions of North Texas.

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Texas round-up ...

Forecasters say wintry weather should pull out of Texas soon

UNDATED (AP) — It's not over yet. A winter storm that dumped more than a foot of snow on parts of the Panhandle, glazed parts of North Texas with a tree-toppling coat of ice and brought flooding rains to parts of East Texas could linger until Thursday afternoon, weather officials said.

The culprit? A storm system centered over New Mexico that has been slow to move out of the region.

"It's been some time since we've seen a prolonged weather event," said Chris Buonanno, a meteorologist with the National Weather Service in Fort Worth.

On Tuesday, the storm knocked out power to about 108,000 residents and caused numerous traffic accidents and flight delays.

Brother of prosecutor gets two-year sentence in case-fixing scheme

LAREDO, Texas (AP) — The brother of a Webb County prosecutor was sentenced Tuesday to more than two years in prison for fixing dozens of drug and drunken driving cases.

Carlos Manuel Rubio, 41, is the second of six men, including two of his relatives, to be sentenced after pleading guilty over a year ago to federal conspiracy charges for his role in a six-year scheme that tapped five other men convicted for fixing dozens of criminal cases for bribes.

U.S. District Judge George Kazen in Lubbock gave Carlos Rubio, brother of Webb and Zapata counties' district attorney Joe Rubio, a two-year, eight-month sentence and a \$2,000 fine. Carlos Rubio will also concurrently serve a separate, 18-month sentence on an unrelated marijuana smuggling charge.

In September, Jose Juan Rubio, 34, cousin of Carlos and Joe Rubio, was sentenced to 18 months in federal prison for his role in the scheme.

Still awaiting sentencing in the case are chief assistant criminal investigator Alfonso Rodriguez, investigator Agustin Mendoza and bail bondsman Jesse Castaneda. Jose Rubio Sr., father of Carlos and Joe and Jose Juan Rubio's uncle, has not been charged, nor has the district attorney.

The five men were charged with soliciting \$200,000 in bribes for pledges to drop or reduce charges in 40 drug, weapon and drunken driving cases between 1992 and 1998.

All were found guilty of conspiracy to commit violations of the Hobbs Act, which prohibits interfering with commerce by robbery, extortion or threats of physical violence. They face up to 20 years and a \$250,000 fine per count.

Port of Houston faces having no cruise ships since 1997

HOUSTON (AP) — The cruise business in the Port of Houston has hit rough waters.

A combination of businesses jumping ship for other ports and others sunk in red ink could scuttle the city's fledgling cruise business three years after it started.

The last cruise out of the port appears to be Sunday when Norwegian Cruise Line makes its last departure out of Houston before heading to Miami in January.

Norwegian is the last operator at the port's cruise ship terminal at the Barbours Cut Container Terminal, which was built in 1997 for \$3 million.

In September, the port lost the Big Red Boats of Florida-based Premier Cruise Lines. The company had five ships seized by creditors after a four-month foray into Gulf cruises.

And rather than holding cruise ships, the terminal ocean liners called on will be filled with cars. The Port of Houston plans turn it into parking lot and distribution point for imported cars.

Despite the port's problems keeping a cruise line afloat, officials remain hopeful plans the nation's second largest port is fit for passenger business.

"I think we'll get some cruise ships back in Houston," Port Chairman James Edmonds was quoted by the Houston Chronicle Wednesday. "I really think that we've proven to that industry that there is a good market here."

Lawsuit to have public votes for Perry's replacement pending, Senators vow to vote in private

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Some of the largest newspapers in Texas plan to head to court Wednesday to block the state senate from choosing the next presiding officer of the body with non-record votes.

Attorney Jennifer Riggs said she plans to file a petition asking a state district judge in Austin for an injunction to prevent the the Texas Senate from selecting former Lt. Gov. Rick Perry's replacement without a a voice vote.

Perry left his post as lieutenant governor to

become governor last week, replacing President-elect Bush. The Senate plans to convene Thursday and choose a new presiding officer from within its ranks. That person will have the duties but not the title of lieutenant governor, and will continue to be a senator.

In a private caucus Dec. 23, the senators agreed informally that a non-record, or secret, vote would be used to elect Perry's replacement. When the senators meet Thursday, they must approve the rule formally before casting ballots.

"The public has a substantial interest in knowing how its elected representatives vote on who shall perform the duties of lieutenant governor until the next general election. The secret ballot violates the fundamental tenet of an elected official's accountability to the electorate," the petition states, the San Antonio Express-News reported Wednesday.

The petition will be filed on behalf of the Express-News as well as the Bryan-College Station Eagle, Houston Chronicle, Waco Tribune-Herald and Austin-American Statesman and Texas Monthly magazine.

The publications Friday wrote letters to the 31 state senators warning them that a non-record vote, behind closed doors could violate the Texas Open Meetings Act, which requires government bodies to act in public.

Toddler killed in Montgomery fire

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — A one-year-old child whose family was visiting relatives in Montgomery for Christmas died early Tuesday in a fire authorities believe may have been caused by a space heater.

Demetrius Davis of Fort Hood, Texas died of smoke inhalation in the blaze at a Montgomery home. Demetrius' 9-year-old cousin, Rodrico Davis, and a 52-year-old neighbor, Joe Pickett, were injured.

Six children and two adults were in the house when the fire started about 3:30 a.m., fire officials said. Everybody in the house made it out, but Demetrius and Rodrico.

Sarah Davis, an aunt who lives next door, said Pickett tried to get the boys out of the burning house.

"When he went in there, he kept calling their names but they never answered, and he couldn't find them," Davis said.

Pickett then tried to remove burglar bars from a back window.

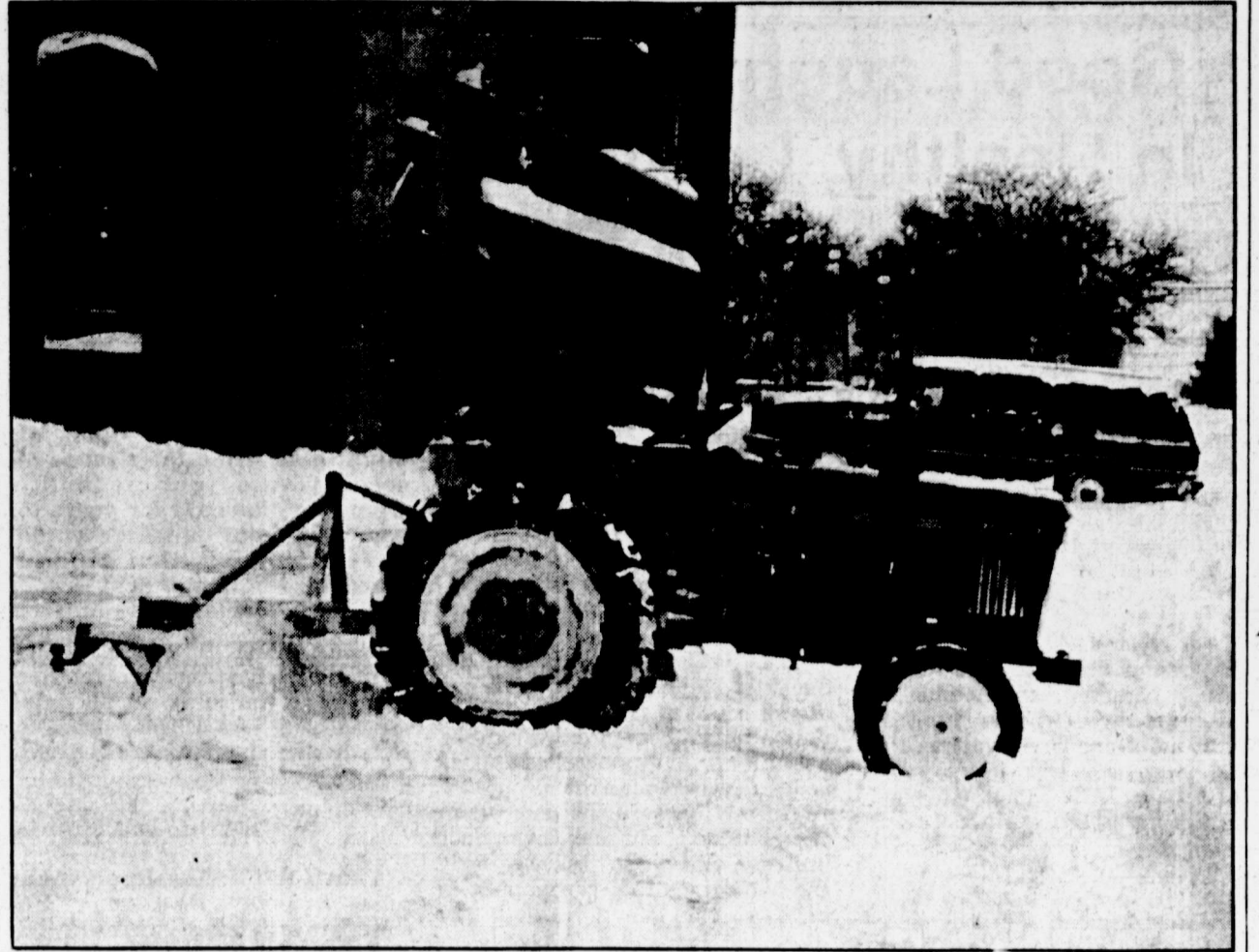
Firefighters found both boys inside a bedroom shortly after arriving on the scene, District Chief Keith Raybon said.

Demetrius died after being taken to a Montgomery hospital. Pickett was in serious condition and Rodrico in guarded condition at the hospital Tuesday night.

ELSEWHERE:

BUYING BINGE: Shoppers braved freezing rain to be first in line Tuesday as stores opened for one of the busiest shopping days of the year — the day after Christmas. Evelyn Lockett, 61, was upset when she arrived with her two grown daughters at one store 10 minutes before the scheduled opening, only to find the store already full of shoppers. "You have to be here early," said another shopper, Pam Wilson, 44, already well into what she called a daylong "shop 'til you drop" binge on buying for next Christmas. ... **BUSH LAID BACK:** President-elect Bush began a brief Florida vacation, leaving behind his daughter recovering from an appendectomy. Aides had called the trip a vacation, but Bush planned to work on assembling his Cabinet. ... **HISTORIC HOTEL:** The 88-year-old Camino Real Hotel, where spectators once gathered on the roof to watch the Mexican revolution just across the border, is expected to become a Hilton. The Mexican owners of the Camino Real Hotel in El Paso have signed a marketing and franchise agreement with Hilton Corp. that will allow the hotel to use the Hilton name and participate in corporate marketing and the worldwide Hilton reservation database. ... **RECOVERY:** With her mother by her side, one of President-elect Bush's twin daughters was released from the hospital Tuesday after an emergency Christmas Night appendectomy. Jenna Bush, 19, was released from St. David's Medical Center late Tuesday, said Bush spokesman Gordon Johndroe. Jenna spoke to her father by telephone before going home with Mrs. Bush, who had not planned to join her husband and other family members on a quick vacation trip to Florida.

Big snow job ...



(Pampa News photo by Dee Dee Laramore)

Dudley Parker uses a small tractor and blade to scrape 15 inches of snow drifted into the parking places in front of First United Methodist Church, Foster and Ballard streets. Parker and a number of volunteers from the church worked hard shoveling snow in preparation for a funeral scheduled for later today.

Meredith House



(Special photo)

During the holidays, Santa visited with Meredith House residents Tippy Deer, Bud Hodges and Evelyn Phillips. Cathy Land, RN, looks on in the background.

Firefighters don't think prank's funny

ELKHART, Ind. (AP) — Just because there's no smoke doesn't mean there isn't trouble at the firehouse.

Someone delivered marijuana-laced baked goods this weekend to the Elkhart Fire Department's central station, intoxicating 11 firefighters.

"The firefighters are extremely upset that someone would even do this to them," said Fire Chief Jerry Vaughn. "It just blows my mind. I guess that's why firefighters and policemen have a job. You really can't understand criminal minds."

Two of the firefighters got so sick after eating the drugged desserts they had to be treated at a hospital. With almost half of its firefighters incapacitated, the department scrambled to call in firefighters on holiday vacation to work overtime.

The firefighters were tested for multiple contaminants. The one identified was marijuana.

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Good Laugh Goes a Long Way In Healthy, Loving Relationship

DEAR ABBY: In the continuing saga of how men are different from women, let me share this with you.

Peter, my significant other, was involved in a men's counseling group. One of the topics about which they were to report back during their next meeting was "What Women Want From Men in Their Relationships." Members of the group discussed reading the "Women Seeking Men" personal ads to get a better understanding of what women want. (Pretty ingenious if you think about it!)

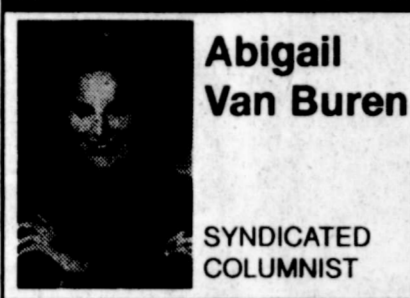
I told Peter he should do some home study and ask me. I explained that women need to feel loved, wanted, beautiful and needed by their partner. I was in the only bathroom of our home putting the finishing touches on my face, and I asked Peter if he thought he had recently met these qualities in our relationship.

His clever reply was: "I loved you last night. I wanted you to make coffee this morning. You look beautiful today — and I need you to get out of the bathroom right now!"

May I add that one important quality women need from men in a relationship is *humor*. Humor makes anything possible — and I thank the Lord that my darling has it in abundance.

SUSAN IN SANTA FE, N.M.

DEAR SUSAN: Peter got his message across, so he is a skilled communicator. And because he's in a counseling



Abigail Van Buren

SYNDICATED COLUMNIST

group, it's apparent he's interested in personal growth. I think you've found a "keeper."

DEAR ABBY: My 10-year-old daughter, "Amber," stays home one or two hours by herself after school until I return home from work. She has rules to go by; however, she has been known to break them.

Amber answers the door when she shouldn't and leaves the door unlocked. She doesn't take seriously the bad things that can happen to her.

I have an idea that may put her in touch with reality. I'm thinking of asking a male friend to go to my house and knock on the door — which I know Amber will answer. At that time, my friend would pretend to be a pushy salesman. He would insist on coming into the house and waiting for her mother. That's as far as I've gotten.

Is this a bad idea? I don't want to scare her into having nightmares, but I want her to know how important it is to be wary of strangers

and to follow the rules. CONCERNED KNOXVILLE MOM

DEAR CONCERNED: Yes, it's a bad idea. I know it's tempting, but such a ruse would be dishonest and potentially traumatizing. When your daughter discovers you play "tricks," it might give her a false sense of security. Also, your credibility would be damaged for years to come, and your daughter would always wonder what kind of trick you would pull next — and I wouldn't blame her.

DEAR ABBY: If you think your husband is cheating with another woman, do you think it's all right for the wife to ask the woman if she's having an affair with her husband?

WIFE OF A WANDERING HUSBAND

DEAR WIFE: Absolutely. And who knows? She may be delighted to give you chapter and verse.

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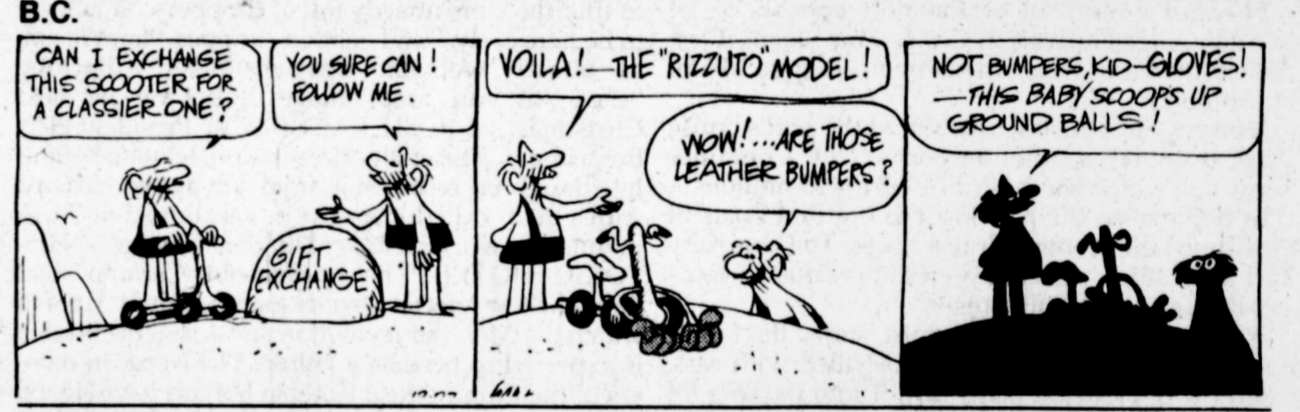
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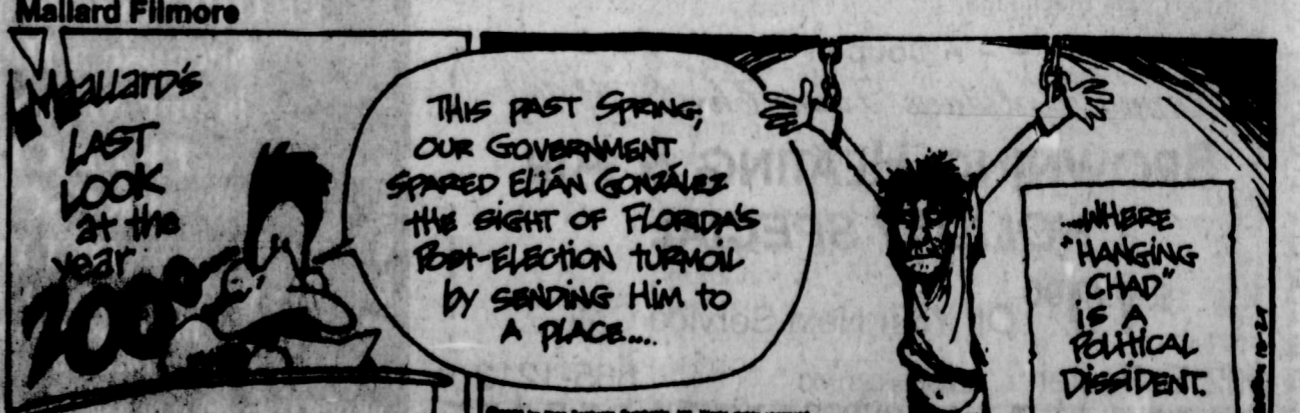
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Horoscope

THURSDAY, DEC. 28, 2000

BY JACQUELINE BIGAR

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

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

***** Use your daydreams for feedback and direction. Remember, this is the key to your unconscious mind. Not everyone agrees with your perspective. Absorb other views. Live them and feel them before you come to a conclusion. You are on a winning path. Tonight: Join a friend for dinner.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

*** Pressure builds as you look at another holiday weekend. You might feel as if you must accomplish something for work or for an older relative before you can really let go. Make time for an associate and go over financial plans with care. Listen to a dear friend. Tonight: You're the lead actor.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

***** Reach out for another. What this person says and what you hear could be two different things. Carefully review a situation that involves a partner who can be testy. Use your imagination and creativity when making plans. You find a solution for all. Tonight: Relax to good music or surf the Net.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

***** Emphasize your special someone, who needs to know how much

you care. Cruise through work. Be willing to reorganize or look at a problem from a different angle. Answers come forward when dealing with others.

Leo (July 23-Aug. 22)

***** Others seek you out to test ideas and perhaps to partake in a little healthy fun. Openly indulge others. You might put someone on a pedestal, whether he belongs there or not. Let it all hang out. Tonight: Follow another's lead.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

***** Your energy helps you and others clear out work. You might need to reorganize. Stop thinking about a home office and start acting on it. Be honest with yourself about what isn't making you happy. Now or in the near future, start making changes. Tonight: Don't push. Take it easy.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

***** Creativity separates you from many. Your vision often inspires you, but remember, it can also get you in a lot of trouble. A little realism goes a long way. Test your ideas on someone who plays devil's advocate. Dance to someone else's tune. Tonight: Let your caring be known.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

***** Family remains your highest priority. You might put a family member on a pedestal and see this person unrealistically. Perhaps this is where disappointment sets in between you two. Work on realism. Revise a financial commitment. Tonight: Happy at home.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

***** You reverse gears and stun not only others but yourself as well. You have a strong sense of what to do, but

your logic doesn't necessarily follow. Stay upbeat and make strong decisions. Your intuition serves you well. Tonight: Where the music is.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

***** Take charge of your financial life. You know what you would like it to look like. Do not negate what is happening with excuses or avoidance. You need to be realistic about your funds. See how money drips out of your wallet. Only you can put a stop to this. Tonight: Play it low-key.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

***** Your imagination amuses many and helps you find solutions when others can't. "No" simply doesn't work for you. Revise your goals and take a hard look at facts. You might find a different course to the same end. Tonight: It is your call.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

***** Sometimes you are your own harshest critic. Know what is workable, and don't step back from a problem. A boss does reverse himself, but don't you dare try to tell him this. Remain upbeat and creative. An intuitive reaction is right on. Tonight: Get a good night's sleep.

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Actor Denzel Washington (1954), singer Edgar Winter (1946), former president Woodrow Wilson (1856)

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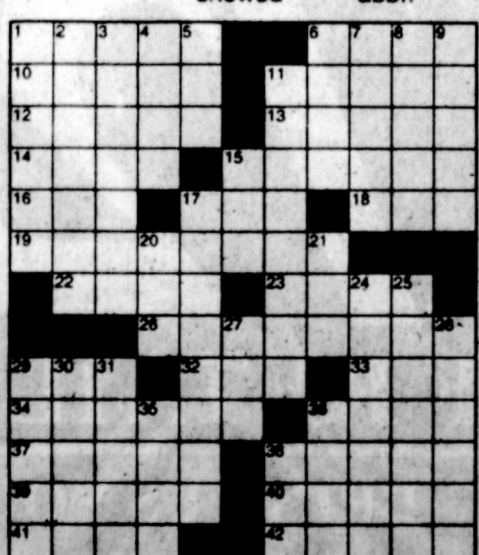
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By THOMAS JOSEPH

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SPORTS

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BASKETBALL

DALLAS (AP) — Michael Finley scored 38 points, 27 in the first half when Dallas went ahead to stay, as the Mavericks beat the Seattle SuperSonics 114-93 Tuesday night to make coach Don Nelson the third winningest coach in NBA history.

With his 945th victory, Nelson moved into third place for coaching wins behind Toronto's Lenny Wilkens (1,192) and Miami's Pat Riley (1,012).

After Finley started and ended an 11-0 run to wrap up the first quarter, the Mavericks trailed just one possession the rest of the game.

Finley's layup with 1:44 left in the first quarter started the pivotal run. Hubert Davis' steal led to Steve Nash's 3-pointer six seconds later, and Finley later ended the quarter with a rebound and a pass to Dirk Nowitzki for a breakaway dunk that made it 26-19.

Finley then made all seven of his shots in the second quarter.

FOOTBALL

SAN DIEGO (AP) — About the only thing small about Texas' Leonard Davis is his hometown.

At 6-foot-6, 365 pounds, the Longhorns' All-American from Wortham, Texas (pop. about 1,000), is a big man from a big family (22 brothers and sisters), who has a reputation as one of college football's biggest talents on the offensive line.

He's so big, he has multiple nicknames — Big Monsta, Lenny-Pooh, Big Len-Len. One just isn't enough.

"We get so we're not sure just how big he is," coach Mack Brown said of his standout senior offensive tackle. "We've tried to get (his weight) down, but you just can't. He's not fat, he's just big."

Davis is a big reason why the 12th-ranked Longhorns (9-2) will play Friday in the Holiday Bowl against No. 8 Oregon (9-2).

With his team struggling at midseason after a 63-14 loss to Oklahoma, Brown simplified his offense. The Longhorns took the mystery out of a complex passing game and plowed ahead on the ground behind an offensive line that averages more than 300 pounds.

With Davis opening the holes, tailback Hodges Mitchell went over 1,000 yards for the second consecutive season, and the Longhorns won six straight while averaging 196 yards on the ground.

"People were really dogging us about the way we played against Oklahoma," Davis said. "We really needed to come back and redeem ourselves. I'm really proud of that."

So about those nicknames. Who dares to call a man who can bench press 515 pounds "Lenny-Pooh?" or "Dancin' Bear?"

"That's one I think (quarterback) Major Applewhite and (offensive coordinator) Greg Davis came up with," Leonard Davis said. "I guess it's cause I'm strong like a bear. They were watching me on film and said I looked like a big dancing bear."

The nicknames started long before Davis got to the University of Texas.

Davis is the youngest of 22 siblings (his father had 11 children from a previous marriage, his mother 10).

"I'm the biggest in the family, probably by a long shot," he said. By seventh grade, Davis was 6-4, 300 pounds.

In high school, Davis earned All-America honors playing offense and defense for a school that had fewer than 150 students.

As a freshman at Texas, Davis started three games as a defensive tackle in 1997. After Brown took over the program before the 1998 season, Davis switched to offense and helped block for Heisman Trophy winner Ricky Williams.

New bowl hoping for big first year turnout

HOUSTON (AP) — Promoters of the galleryfurniture.com Bowl have done their best to make a success of the first bowl game played in the Astrodome since 1987.

Now it's up to Texas Tech and East Carolina to put on a good show and the fans to show up to see Wednesday night's game.

"If we do a good job marketing this, we should have between 30,000 and 40,000 people at the game," sponsor Jim McIngvale said. "I think 40,000 would exceed my wildest expectations."

That might be a stretch since icy weather threatened to sock in Tech fans from West Texas and East Carolina fans purchased only about 3,000 tickets, well below expectations.

Early on, there were mis-

understandings over the progress of ticket sales. Promoter Jerry Ippolito said in early December that 28,000 tickets had been sold. In reality, only 4,200 tickets had been sold at that point.

Despite the early overstating, McIngvale expects a good first year after giving away 250,000 memorabilia items and heavy advertising to promote the game.

"Houston is a football town," McIngvale said. "We have been without the NFL for several years now, and it's coming back. The college bowl game is coming back."

Texas Tech (7-5), the No. 7 from the Big 12, and East Carolina (7-4), Conference-USA's No. 3 team, have their energies focused on the field.

Both teams offer potentially

high-scoring offenses with Tech led by quarterback Kliff Kingsbury and East Carolina's more balanced offense, led by junior quarterback David Garrard.

"We have to step up and play like it's our last game," Garrard said. "It is the last game of the season but we've got to play like it's the last game you'll play in your life."

"We are kind of known as a slow-starting offense but we can't do that in this game. Once you put yourself in a hole it's hard to come out of it. We've had that happen to us this year."

Garrard completed 164 of 312 passes for 2,332 yards and 19 touchdowns this season and ranked 32nd nationally in passing efficiency. He was East

Carolina's second leading rusher with 358 yards.

"The main thing we have to do is swarm to the ball and gang tackle him, don't let him get loose," Tech defensive tackler Kris Kocurek said. "We can't give him time in the pocket to set up and throw the ball. We have to get heat on him and make him throw the ball quick."

East Carolina's defense will also have a big problems with Tech's pass-oriented offense and Kingsbury was quick to grasp the offense Leach brought from Oklahoma that helped propel the Sooners into the national spotlight.

"We may come in with a different notion but the ball always ends up in the air about 50 times," Kingsbury said. "My

arm's been tired since about the eighth game but you can't complain. Growing up, you dream of throwing that much."

Kingsbury, a sophomore, ranked eighth nationally in total offense at 286 yards per game and he led the Big 12 with 21 touchdown passes.

"We've seen Louisville and Tulane already, so we are ready for that type of game," Pirate safety Anthony Adams said. "We've gone against a bunch of good quarterbacks and we have seen (Kingsbury) on tape. But you cannot tell what is going to happen in a game off of tape. You have to just get out there and see."

Tech has a 5-17-1 record in bowl games and has lost four of its last five post-season games. East Carolina is 6-2.



(Special photo)

Adam Rainey (left) and Joe Rodriguez are black belt holders from Pampa.

Pampa athletes compete in martial arts tournament

It was something out of an old Kung Fu movie. Saturday, Dec. 16, 2000 the best of the best arrived to prove once again why they are just that. Men who at one time called themselves friends became bitter foes, at least until the fight was over.

Joe "The Wolverine" Rodriguez and Adam "Thinman" Rainey were among the 300 competitors who participated in the United Martial Arts Texas Title Championships.

"This tournament is not about bringing home huge trophies," says Grand Master Odie Molina of the tournament promoters from San Antonio. "It's about fellowship and friendly competition."

Both black belt athletes participated in the "specialty" kata event. Performing a series of movements based on real lift applications set to music, Rodriguez and Rainey sought to dethrone the current state champion Michael Hornsby, a 4th degree black belt in Tae Kwon Do from San Antonio. The scores were close and in the end Rainey came through with a 1st contender seat and Rodriguez was

awarded a 2nd contender seat. Hornsby retained his state title.

"It was difficult competing against people that I share a friendship with," says Rodriguez.

Tensions built as the clock ticked down to the kumite. The duo passed the time helping to judge the other events until it was finally time to strap on the combat gear and prepare for battle. Rainey competed in the middleweight division and took a 1st contender victory. Rodriguez competed in the heavyweight division and came out with a split decision for a 3rd contender.

"Experience has a lot to do with the outcome. Many of the competitors have been competing longer than Rainey and I have," Rodriguez said.

While there, Rodriguez was invited to a full contact tournament to be held Jan 27, 2001 and he was also invited to join a national kickboxing federation.

Both black belt athletes were also given invitations to compete at future events, beginning next year as well as guest instructor opportunities by several schools.

Spurs have Rockets' number

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Point guard Antonio Daniels is looking more like the future floor leader of the San Antonio Spurs.

Making the most of his eighth start in place of the injured Avery Johnson, Daniels scored a career-high 26 points and had 10 assists as the Spurs defeated the Rockets for the ninth straight time, 103-95 Tuesday night.

"This is definitely the best I've felt offensively all season," said Daniels, who was 8-of-13 from the field. "We got in a groove offensively and didn't let up. When we get into the open

court, we're tough to stop."

Daniels, in his third season in San Antonio, has led the Spurs to a 5-3 record in Johnson's absence. Johnson, a 12-year NBA veteran, is on the injured list with a sore left thigh and hamstring.

San Antonio's win was its fifth in six games. Houston has lost five straight.

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Groom's Weinheimer named G-N's Player of the Year

Six-Man

AMARILLO — Groom quarterback Grant Weinheimer has been named the Super Team Player of the Year in six-man football by the Amarillo Globe-News.

Weinheimer, a 6-3, 190-pound senior, helped lead the Tigers to the state quarterfinals this season. He threw for 2,002 yards and 37 touchdowns.

Groom was represented on defense by end Dewayne Gray, a 170-pound senior and linebacker Clay Ritter, a 195-pound junior.

Miami junior Jimmy James was named to the Super Team at linebacker.

Silverton's Dewayne Lee was named Coach of the Year.

Others named to the offense were running back Landon Parham of Lazbuddie, running back Justin Davis of Valley, center Wes Henson of Valley, end Reece Hartman of Happy, end

Isaiah Ivory of Silverton and kicker Vance Chandler of Valley.

Others on defense were end Waylon Pressley of Follett,

linebacker Hunter Schilling of Follett, safety Red Ivory of Silverton and punter Jake Wiederstein of Higgins.

A landslide win for Tiger

By DOUG FERGUSON
AP Golf Writer

Three straight majors. Nine PGA Tour victories, the most by anyone in 50 years. The career Grand Slam, thanks to record performances at Pebble Beach and St. Andrews.

Even Tiger Woods was a little impressed by his phenomenal year.

But he wasn't surprised. When asked at what point in the season he thought he was capable of such a season, Woods replied, "On the first day of the year."

"My goal is to go out there and win every time," he said. "Obviously, it's not going to happen, but my goal is to compete and win everything. I did think

this was possible. And I think it's possible in the future."

Woods was a repeat winner Tuesday as The Associated Press Male Athlete of the Year. And like so many of his amazing victories, it was no contest.

He received 47 first-place votes and 160 points from sportswriters and broadcasters, more than double that of back-to-back Tour de France winner Lance Armstrong.

Woods joined Michael Jordan as the only three-time winner of the AP award since it began in 1931.

He also became the sixth player to win the award in consecutive years. The others were tennis great Don Budge, golfer Byron Nelson, track star Carl Lewis, quarterback Joe Montana and Jordan, who won it three years in a row.

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