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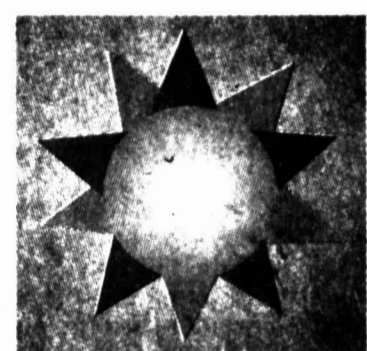
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PAMPA — The WIC office in Pampa will host a participant appreciation picnic from 10 a.m.-1 p.m., June 13 at Central Park. The event, open to all WIC participants, recognizes commitment to WIC nutrition education programs. The picnic will include hot dogs, drinks, door prizes and a variety of games and other activities.

PAMPA — Courthouse restoration items will be considered during a special meeting of Gray County Commissioners Court at 1 p.m. Tuesday, June 12.

Selective demolition pre-bids and hazardous material abatement pre-bids will be considered during the meeting. The bids are for work to be done during the restoration project.

Also on the agenda for the special meeting is to approve a letter of endorsement for Freedom Museum USA grant application from TxDOT.

The meeting will be in the Gray County Courtroom of the Gray County Courthouse.

William Thomas 'Bill' Blackwell, 59, a 40-year Pampa resident.

L.G. Clay Jr., 82, a Shamrock resident.

Kay Ann Saulsbury, 52, a Claude resident.

Ray William Thrasher, 85, a Stratford resident.

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McVeigh executed for bombing

By REX W. HUPPKE
Associated Press Writer

TERRE HAUTE, Ind. (AP) — The government executed Timothy McVeigh so despised Monday, taking his life in exchange for the 168 lives lost when he blew up the Oklahoma City federal building six years ago. He died silently, with his eyes open.

Instead of making an oral

statement, McVeigh, 33, issued a copy of the 1875 poem "Invictus," which concludes with the lines: "I am the master of my fate; I am the captain of my soul."

He was pronounced dead at 7:14 a.m. CDT by Warden Harley Lappin, becoming the first federal prisoner executed in 38 years.

In Oklahoma City, 232 survivors and victims' relatives watched a closed-circuit TV broadcast of the execution, sent

from Terre Haute in a feed encrypted to guard against interception. Others embraced each other at the memorial marking the bombing site.

The lethal injection was administered to McVeigh's right leg. McVeigh made eye contact with his four witnesses, then with the 10 media witnesses, then squinted toward the tinted window shielding the 10 victims' witnesses from his view.

McVeigh, wearing a white T-

shirt, khaki pants and slip-on sneakers, looked pale as he awaited death. His hair was cropped short. A white sheet was pulled up tightly to his chest as he lay on the gurney.

When the first drug was administered, he let out a couple of deep breaths, then a fluttery breath. His head moved back, his gaze fixed on the ceiling, and his eyes were glassy.

In a recent letter to the Buffalo News, McVeigh said his body

would be released to one his attorneys and cremated, and his ashes would be scattered in an undisclosed location.

In Oklahoma City, Kathleen Treanor, whose 4-year-old daughter, Ashley, and her husband's parents died in the bombing, watched the execution on closed-circuit TV. Afterward, she held up a picture of her daughter and said: "I thought of her every step of the way." She said there

(See EXECUTION, Page 2)



COWBOYING UP AT THE COORS RANCH RODEO — Gray County cowboy Ken Collins, riding for the Johnson Ranch, battles a bucking bronc at the 14th annual Coors Ranch Rodeo in Amarillo. The Johnson Ranch, which won the last two years, failed to finish in the money this year. The winning ranch was the Tule Ranch owned by Billy Cogdell. The Tule Ranch placed second in last year's Coors Ranch Rodeo. The Bell Ranch of New Mexico was second this year, followed by the JA Ranch in third place.

Pampa man injured in one vehicle roll-over

A Pampa man was injured Sunday morning when his 1997 Blue Ford pickup rolled twice and came to rest on its left side. The rollover occurred approximately 13 miles south of Pampa on Hwy. 70.

George Barker Murphy, 73, Pampa, was driver of the pickup which was pulling a trailer. He was injured in the rollover and

transported to Pampa Regional Medical Center by Rural/Metro EMS.

He was traveling south on Hwy. 70 when he became distracted by a water bottle falling to the floor board of the vehicle, according to the Department of Public Safety report.

The report stated he reached down to retrieve the water bottle while he was driving and lost control of the vehicle.

The vehicle went to the ditch area, rolling two times before coming to rest on its left side, facing the northwest.

Passengers in the pickup were James Pero, 21, and Monica Ann Stanton, also 21, both of Pampa.

A condition report on Murphy was not available Monday morning.

Four Pampa artists win honor for their work in annual Amarillo Fine Arts Spring Show

By NANCY YOUNG
Managing Editor

Four Pampa artists, were recently honored by being invited to show their talents in the Amarillo Fine Arts Spring Show.

John Darby, Sue Abbott, Lois Minnick and Darlene Holmes were all selected to be a part of the once-a-year event. One hundred and thirty eight artists were selected to show in the Amarillo Show.

Darby received third place in the drawing category. He was recognized for his strong rhythmic charcoal talents. Abbott was awarded third place for her oils. Exquisite realism is revealed in her artistry.

Minnick received third place in the pastels category which featured dark and light contrast. Holmes took honorable mention in photography. She leans toward impressionism in her work.

Four Pampa artists recognized for work in Amarillo art show

All four local artists are associated with the same gallery, Art Emporium, in Pampa. The 2001 edition of Spring

Show consisted of 160 works of original art created by both professional and amateur artists for Amarillo and the surrounding area. Many months of planning and hard work went into this production which was a quality exhibit of art in a variety of styles and media.

Categories were oil, watercolor, pastel, acrylic, drawing, photograph, sculpture, and stained glass.

The Amarillo Fine Arts Association is celebrating its 38th year in Amarillo. Artists from throughout the Panhandle and Amarillo were featured.

Show director was Linda Podzemny while Jim Jacobs was judge.



Andrea Cotter, 3, and Shelby Miller, 3, look over another kid being held by Ashlie Lee during Saturday's Downtown Street Party sponsored by the Downtown Merchant's Association.

Deputies named at Sheriff's Office

Gray County will have a new chief deputy in the sheriff's department come July.

Sheriff Don Copeland announced a new addition to the sheriff's office and a promotion Friday.

Kelly Rushing, a field inspector for the Texas and Southwest Cattle Raisers Association, has been named Chief Deputy.

Randy Langwell, who recently joined the department, was promoted to lieutenant.

Rushing, who retires this month from the Texas and Southwest Cattle Raisers Association, is a Shamrock native. He started his law enforcement career on the Elk City Police Department. He went to Amarillo and served on their police department before moving to Pampa and joining the Gray County Sheriff's office under Rute Jordan. Rushing joined the Texas and Southwest Cattle Raisers Association as a field inspector 20 years ago as of Friday.

Field inspectors in the Texas and Southwest Cattle Raisers Association carrying a special peace officer's commission in Texas and Oklahoma.

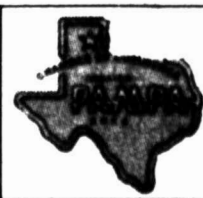
"I'm just thrilled to have them," Sheriff Copeland said.

Randy Langwell, born in Pensacola, Fla., while his father was in the Navy, grew up in Pampa.

"We moved here in the 1960s," Langwell said, explaining that his father was from Pampa and his grandparents lived here.

Following his father's footsteps, Langwell enlisted in the Navy and recently retired as a Chief Topdownman. He spent most of the Navy career in submarines.

"Both these guys are good folks," Sheriff Copeland said. "They're hard workers and want to do the right thing."



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Services tomorrow

GRAY, Zella Mae Prescott — Graveside services, 10:30 a.m., Memory Gardens Cemetery, Pampa.

Obituaries

WILLIAM THOMAS 'BILL' BLACKWELL — William Thomas "Bill" Blackwell, 59, of Pampa, died Friday, June 8, 2001. No services are planned. Cremation and arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whitely Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Blackwell was born March 11, 1942, at Heavener, Okla., and had been a Pampa resident approximately 40 years. He was self-employed. Survivors include his wife, Helen, of the home; a stepdaughter, Teresa Lyles of Pampa; three sisters, Lottie Lance of Pampa, Linda Myers of Borger and Lillie Lawson of Albany, Okla.; and a brother, Curtis Ellis of Fort Gibson, Okla.

L.G. CLAY JR.

SHAMROCK — L.G. Clay Jr., 82, died Wednesday, June 6, 2001, in Amarillo. Graveside services were Saturday in Shamrock Cemetery with Bill Morrison, minister of Wheeler Church of Christ, officiating. Burial was under the direction of Wright Funeral Directors of Shamrock.

Born March 23, 1919, in Wheeler County, Mr. Clay had worked in Texas and Louisiana in the gas industry.

Survivors include two daughters, Delynn Archer and Karla Archer, both of Houston; and two sisters, Tomie Revious of Amarillo and Marjorie Payne of Hurst.

The family requests memorials be to the American Heart Association.

KAY ANN SAULSBURY

CLAUDE — Kay Ann Saulsbury, 52, died Thursday, June 7, 2001, in Amarillo. Services were to be at 10 a.m. today in First Baptist Church with Dr. Gerald Aalbers officiating. Burial will be in Claude Cemetery under the direction of Schooler Funeral Home of Claude.

Ms. Saulsbury, a 1967 Perryton High School graduate, worked for GTE/Verizon at Perryton and San Angelo for 29 years.

Survivors include two sons, Brent Douglas Saulsbury of Oklahoma City and Steven Ray Saulsbury of Perryton; her parents, Crawford and Geneva Hall of Claude; a sister, Linda Joyce Shipman of Wichita, Kan.; and a brother, Crawford Earl Hall of Pampa.

The family requests memorials be to BSA Hospice, P.O. Box 950, Amarillo, TX 79176; or to Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center, 1500 Wallace Blvd., Amarillo, TX 79106.

RAY WILLIAM THRASHER

STRAFORD — Ray William Thrasher, 85, died Friday, June 8, 2001, in Amarillo. Services will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday in Church of Christ with Mike Talley, minister, officiating. Burial will be in Stratford Cemetery under the direction of Morrison Funeral Directors.

Mr. Thrasher, a Sherman County resident since 1978, was born Jan. 11, 1916, at San Jon, N.M. He married Grace Scheffel on Jan 22, 1944, at Sharon, Wis.; she died May 8, 1992.

He was a mechanic, a member of Stratford Church of Christ and a U.S. Army veteran, serving during World War II.

Survivors include three daughters, Roberta Sampson of Batesville, Ark., Ann Dreetske of Stratford and Donna Stumpner of Weyauwega, Wis.; a son, Fred Thrasher of Mobetie; a brother, Robert Thrasher of San Jon; five sisters, Edna Flint of San Jon, Ione Woolman of Farmington, N.M., Onita Irving and Nellie Brown, both of Logan, N.M., and Laura Brittain of Woodward, Okla.; 21 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

The family will be at 701 S. 5th in Stratford and requests memorials be to BSA Hospice, P.O. Box 950, Amarillo, TX 79176.

Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Anthony Gram of Pampa		Columbia HCA	41.41	dn 0.24
Wheat	2.88	Unro	40.00	dn 0.23
Milo	2.90	Halliburton	45.00	up 0.20
Corn	3.31	KMI	55.25	up 0.01
Soybeans	3.87	Kerr McGee	70.95	up 0.54
The following show the prices for which these annual funds were bid at the time of completion		Enmet	18.85	dn 0.15
Occidental	29.91	McDonald's	29.46	up 0.01
Fidelity Magell	114.39	Equi	60.16	up 0.77
Puritan	18.96	New Atmos	23.15	up 0.15
The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock Market quotations are furnished by Edward Jones & Co. of Pampa		OCF	29.15	up 0.34
BP Amoco	51.21	NOI	32.12	dn 0.14
Clancey	22.46	OKI	41.95	up 0.52
Cabot	38.04	Penney's	24.28	dn 0.41
Cabot O&G	30.15	Phillips	62.89	up 0.30
Chevron	97.70	Pioneer Nat	21.00	up 0.15
Coal O&G	45.87	SLB	60.71	up 0.41
		Tenneco	3.85	dn 0.01
		Tesco	72.11	up 0.10
		Ultranar	51.40	up 0.40
		Wal-Mart	50.60	dn 0.42
		Williams	37.88	up 0.22
		New York Gold	273.75	
		Silver	4.38	
		West Texas Crude	28.83	

Sheriff's Office

The Gray County Sheriff's office reported the following arrests during the 48-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Saturday, June 9

Susan Kay Galloway, 20, Miami, Okla., was arrested on charges of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle.

Sunday, June 10

Johnny D. Bridges, 19, 109 Dwight, was arrested on charges of theft.

Jamie Estrada, 30, 1101 Juniper, was arrested on charges of possession of inhalant paraphernalia.

Donald D. Johnson, 51, 321 E. Brown #115, was arrested on charges of public intoxication.

Accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported the following accidents during the 48-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Friday, June 8

A 1994 Ford van belonging to Richard D. Sprace, 418 Wynn, was parked in the 100 block of West Kingsmill when it was struck by another car. The other driver fled the scene.

Police report

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents during the 48-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Friday, June 8

A false report to a police officer was reported in the 1000 block of East Frederic.

A gas drive-off was reported at Allsup's, 140 Starkweather.

A broken window was reported in the 1000 block of East Varmon.

A theft and assault was reported in the 1800 block of Beech.

A gas drive-off was reported at Taylor Mart, 1342 Hobart.

A runaway reported in the 400 block of East returned home.

A burglary involving about \$500 worth of entertainment equipment was reported in the 200 block of North Houston.

An unattended death was reported in the 1200 block of Wilcox.

An alien card was reported lost in the 1100 block of North Crane.

A building in the 100 block of North Frazer was reported spray painted by vandals.

Saturday, June 9

An aggravated assault was reported in the 700 block of North Frost.

An assault by threat was reported in the 900 block of Murphy.

A bicycle was found in the 100 block of South Frost.

A coin machine was reported broken into in the 300 block of South Starkweather.

About \$1,100 worth of electronic and associated gear was reported stolen in the 600 block of North Carr.

A back door was kicked in in the 200 block of North Nelson.

A tractor-trailer rig that had been left for repair in Pampa was reported parked in an alley in the 1200 block of South Dwight.

Telephone harassment was reported in the 1900 block of North Hobart.

Sunday, June 10

A handgun was reported stolen in the 800 block of Reid.

A bicycle was reported stolen in the 700 block of East Kentucky, and another bicycle was reported stolen in the 700 block of East Browning.

A purse containing articles valued over \$250 was stolen in the 300 block of Miami.

Possession of inhalant paraphernalia was reported in the 1900 block of North Hobart.

Electronic equipment was reported stolen in the 300 block of North Dwight.

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EXECUTION

Before that, McVeigh had four minutes to make a statement.

McVeigh received a mixture of sodium thiopental, to sedate him, pancuronium bromide, a muscle relaxant that collapses the diaphragm and lungs; and potassium chloride, which stops the heart.

Among those allowed to witness were 10 victims' representatives, 10 news media members, including one from The Associated Press, and McVeigh's personal witnesses — Nigh, defense attorney Nathan Chambers, former defense team member Cate McCauley and Buffalo News reporter Lou Michel, who co-wrote a recent book on the bomber.

No members of McVeigh's family traveled to Terre Haute, at his request.

Defiant to the end, McVeigh had told those close to him in his final days that he still considered himself the victor in his one-man war against a government he labeled a bully for its disastrous raids at Waco, Texas, and Ruby Ridge in Idaho.

Prison officials said the decorated Gulf War veteran spent Sunday writing letters, sleeping, watching television and meeting with Nigh and Chambers.

McVeigh was served his final requested meal at 1 p.m. EDT Sunday, eating two pints of mint-chocolate chip ice cream.

Less than 24 hours before his death, McVeigh's mood had been upbeat, his attorneys said.

"He continues to be affable," Chambers said. "He continues to be rational in his discourse. He maintains his sense of humor."

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First two bodies exhumed in inquiry of Nocona hospital deaths

By ANGELA K. BROWN
Associated Press Writer

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Authorities have exhumed two of 10 bodies of former patients who may have been fatally drugged at a North Texas hospital.

The body of J.T. Nichols, who died Jan. 11 at Nocona General Hospital, was exhumed shortly after 7 a.m. at Fort Worth's Shannon Rose Hill Cemetery. The body of Orvel Moore, who died Jan. 30, also was exhumed Monday morning at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery in Dallas.

Investigators want to know whether about two dozen hospital patients were given lethal doses of Mivacron, or mivacurium chloride, which is used to temporarily stop the natural breathing process in order to insert a breathing tube.

Near relatives were allowed near the grave sites. Nichols' son and daughter-in-law were at the grave in Fort Worth but declined

to give their names or comment, said DPS Trooper Gary Rözzell.

Montague County's District Attorney Tim Cole said 10 bodies — the best candidates for autopsies — will be exhumed initially.

"Great care has been and will be taken by the investigating agencies to conduct these exhumations and reinternments with as much respect for the feelings of the families as is possible under the circumstances," Cole said Monday.

Besides Fort Worth, other exhumations scheduled for this week are in Follett, Spanish Fort, Saint Jo and Nocona cemeteries — and in Terral, Okla.

The Southwest Institute of Forensic Sciences in Dallas will perform autopsies to determine the cause of death and whether there are any traces of Mivacron.

Several vials of the drug were reported missing from the 38-bed hospital in late January. Nocona General officials then realized the number of deaths in December and January was twice the normal amount, and traced the

deaths to the same shift.

The Texas Rangers, Nocona police and FBI have been investigating since early February.

No one has been arrested, but authorities have said the investigation is pointing to one suspect who likely acted alone. A former nurse has been named in two civil lawsuits filed by the families of two patients who died.

It's unclear when the nurse resigned or was fired. Charles E. Norris, the hospital's administrator, said he could not comment on personnel matters.

But in a March news release, hospital officials said the police probe into the deaths included "possible illegal activities" by a former hospital employee.

Nocona is about 75 miles north of Fort Worth.

Kerr-McGee announces successful drilling in Gulf of Mexico

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — Kerr-McGee Corp. has found natural gas in exploratory drilling in the Gulf of Mexico, the company announced Monday.

Kerr-McGee said workers had found a 200-foot layer of gas in the Gunnison oil field. The company said there could be 120 billion cubic feet of gas there.

Three successful appraisal wells and two sidetracks have been drilled at the Gunnison field.

Calendar of events

PAMPA AREA LITERACY COUNCIL

Pampa Area Literacy Council office is open from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Friday. For more information, call 665-2331.

VFW CHARITY BINGO

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

CLEAN AIR AL-ANON

Clean Air Al-Anon will hold weekly meetings on Tuesdays and Thursdays at noon at 810 W. 23rd. For more information, call 669-3988.

TRALEE CRISIS CENTER

Tralee Crisis Center will offer Volunteer Training for people interested in working with victims of domestic violence, sexual assault and other crime victims. For more information, call 669-1131 or 1-800-658-2796.

GRAY COUNTY EXTENSION EDUCATION

Gray County Extension Education meets at 1:30 p.m. the first Monday of each month at Gray County Courthouse Annex.

PLANNED PARENTHOOD

Planned Parenthood of Amarillo and the Texas Panhandle is changing its hours. It is now open from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 408 W. Kingsmill Ave., #175-A, in Pampa. For more information or for an appointment, call 665-2291. Planned Parenthood is a not-for-profit health care organization serving women and men in 17 offices covering 26 counties in the panhandle.

PRE-SCHOOL STORY HOUR

Lovett Memorial Library will sponsor a pre-school story hour at 10 a.m. every Tuesday this spring beginning Jan. 9. The free program is open to children 18 months to 5 years of age and will include stories, crafts and other activities. No registration is required. For more information, call the library at 669-5780.

GRAY COUNTY ASSOCIATION FOR RETARDED CITIZENS

Gray County Association for Retarded Citizens meets at 7 p.m. the first Monday of every month at Pampa Sheltered Workshop.

PAMPA FINE ARTS ASSOCIATION

Pampa Fine Arts Association Board of Directors will meet at 6 p.m. the third Thursday of each month at Pampa Community Building.

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP

The Alzheimer's Support Group meets the first Thursday of each month at Shepard's Crook Nursing. For more information, call Dauna Wilkinson at 665-0356.

PPHM STORY TIME

Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum in Canyon will present "Story Time" at 2:30 p.m. every second Saturday of each month except December and January on the second floor of the museum. For more information, contact PPHM at (806) 651-2244.

GRAY COUNTY ARC

Gray County chapter of the American Red Cross is in need of wheelchairs, walkers, shower chairs, potty chairs (with pot) and hospital beds for its Loan Closet. For more information or to make a donation, contact the local Red Cross office at 669-7121.

SKY TEENS

Crown of Texas Hospice is offering SKY Teens, a monthly bereavement series for teens grades 9-12 who are grieving the death of a loved one, from 5:30-7 p.m. the second Monday of each month at its office at 1000 S. Jefferson in Amarillo. There is no charge for the series. For more information, call 1-800-572-6365.

CLASS OF 1961

Pampa High School Class of 1961 will hold its 40th class reunion this year. Anyone interested in helping plan and organize the event should contact Zip Swaney at 665-5532.

BEEF AMBASSADOR CONTEST

Top O' Texas CattleWomen is seeking youth between the ages of 15-19 to compete for the Beef Ambassador Award. For more information, contact Amy Brainard at (806) 323-6397.

SUMMER READING GAME

Lovett Memorial Library's Summer Reading Game challenges youngsters to "read around the world and beyond." Every minute is a mile. Every child who reads three hours will receive a free book. Register and receive a book bag and bookmark. Children may read or be read to by a parent or older child. The program concludes July 31.

ARC SWIM LESSONS

Gray County Chapter of the American Red Cross will sponsor swim lessons June 4 through Aug. 3 at M.K. Brown Outdoor Pool. The classes will include Levels I, II, III, IV and V and will be offered in four sessions: June 4-15, June 18-29, July 9-20 and July 23-Aug. 3. Cost is \$35 and all fees are due prior to the session. Participants are encouraged to register now. For more information or to enroll, contact the local ARC office, 108 N. Russell, at 669-7121.

PFAC

Pampa Fine Arts Council will host a Summer Arts Program June 18-22. Both youth and adult art classes will be offered. For more information, call Lee Crow at 665-0343.

RSVP ADVISORY COUNCIL

An exciting opportunity is on the horizon for a Pampa-area resident who: 1) Would like to volunteer his/her services for the betterment of their community; and 2) can travel to Amarillo once a month to attend scheduled meetings after 5 p.m. Retired and Senior Volunteer

Program, or RSVP, a national organization with an office in Amarillo, has an opening for an Advisory Council position to represent the Pampa community. Pampa has been represented since 1992, and a lot of positive things have been done, including increased volunteer participation and the addition of more volunteer stations (locations where the volunteers work). Gray Co. is but one of 11 counties served by RSVP's Amarillo office, and representation from our own area is important. The Advisory Council term would be for two years, starting at the end of March, and is not limited to someone who is 55-years-old or older. Interested in senior volunteerism? Interested in improving Pampa's social services? For more information or to receive an application, call Amarillo RSVP Director Nova Neuhaus toll-free at 1-877-373-8389.

LOVETT MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Lovett Memorial Library will offer four introductory hands-on computer workshops: "Computer Comfort I" for beginners; "Computer Comfort II" for individuals who can open and close files and use the mouse; "What is the Internet?"; and "Introduction to E-Mail," for individuals who wish to learn how to establish a free web-based e-mail account. All classes are free but registration is required. Class size is limited to 10, so space is limited. For information, contact the library at 669-5780. The workshops will continue monthly through the spring.

YMCA DIABETICS CLASS

Amarillo YMCA is offering new water exercise classes specially designed for diabetics. Schedule of classes are as follows: 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m. and 6 p.m. Mondays; 6 p.m. Tuesdays; 2 p.m. and 6 p.m., Wednesdays; 6 p.m. Thursdays; and 9 a.m., 10 a.m., and 2 p.m. Fridays. Cost is \$4 per class for non-members and \$3 per class with a 10-class punch pass. Y members get in free. For more information, call Cindy Gibson, fitness director, or Junior Garcia, aquatics director, at (806) 374-4651.

FRESHSTART

The Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center will hold FreshStart, a free two-week smoking cessation support series sponsored by the cancer center and the American Cancer Society, from 6-7 p.m., Mondays and Tuesdays, Nov. 6-14. For more information, call Gerry Kelly at (806) 359-4673, ext. 235.

PATHWAYS

The Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center will offer "Pathways," a four-part support series for those who have lost a loved one, from 1:30-3 p.m. Tuesdays throughout the month. For more information, call Gerry Kelly at (806) 359-4673, ext. 235 or Stan McKeever at (806) 359-4673, ext. 141 or toll-free at 1-800-274-4673.

HARRINGTON CANCER CENTER

The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center has announced the following upcoming breast cancer screening clinics: June 11, First United Methodist Church Educational Building, 201 E. Foster, and June 26, Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency, 916 N. Crest, Pampa; June 6, 20 and 21, Hemphill County Hospital, Canadian; June 6, Family Care Center, Shamrock; June 11, Parkview Hospital, Wheeler; and June 13, First Baptist Church, White Deer. Participants will receive a low-cost self-exam mammogram and a breast health appraisal along with individual instruction by a registered nurse in breast self-examination. Funding is available through the Texas Department of Health for

Texas residents who qualify for assistance. All exams are by appointment only. For more information, call (806) 356-1905 or 1-800-377-4673.

NATIONAL ALLIANCE FOR EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIPS

National Alliance for Excellence scholarship applications are available for the 2000-01 Lucent Global Science Scholars Program, an international competition to identify and assist future leaders in the field of communications technologies. NAE administers the national portion of the competition which is open to high school seniors who are planning careers in information technologies. Students must plan to enroll in college in the fall of 2001. For more information or to request an application, contact NAE at (732) 747-0028 or visit www.excellence.org on the Internet.

TG WEBSITE

Texas Guaranteed Student Loan Corp. (TG) has revamped its "Adventures in Education" website located at <http://www.adventuresineducation.org> or <http://www.aie.org> on the Internet. Although the site is targeted to middle school, high school and college students as well as high school counselors, each section can assist parents in helping their children prepare for college. TG is a public non-profit corporation that helps create access to higher education for millions of families and students through its role as an administrator of the Federal Family Education Loan Program. Its mission is to provide information to help families and students realize their educational and career dreams.

USS MADDOX REUNION

USS Maddox Destroyer Association will hold a reunion Aug. 22-26, 2001, at San Antonio. For more information contact: Cliff Gillespie, 205 Wichita Ave., #605 Huntington Beach, CA 92648; (714) 960-5283; CWGILLES45@AOL.COM.

SCHOOL TO CAREER PROGRAM

Texas AFL-CIO has announced the "School to Careers" project for high school students interested in union apprenticeship programs. To learn more about the benefits of union-sponsored apprenticeship training programs, contact the local Texas Workforce Commission or call (512) 470-0918.

NATIONAL INSTITUTE ON AGING

National Institute on Aging and National Institutes of Health recently published a 36-page booklet "Who? What? When? Resources for Women's Health and Aging" to help women as they age. To order a free copy, contact the National Institute on Aging Information Center at 1-800-222-2225.

FAN BOOKLET

Financial Assistance Network in Washington, D.C., is offering a free booklet, "How to Get Government Help to Pay Your Energy Bills." The booklet provides information on how and where to get government help to pay heating bills. To obtain a copy, send \$5 to cover the cost of printing, postage and handling to: Financial Assistance Network, Government Help for Energy Bills Booklet Offer, P.O. Box 60848, Washington, DC 20039-0848, call (202) 595-1027 or visit www.FinancialAssistanceNetwork.org on the Internet.

Brighton Award



(Special photo)

Beth Johnston, manager, and Sue Keller, sales associate, at Images in downtown Pampa show off the Brighton Award, honoring dealers with outstanding sales and exceptional credit ratings. Only 15 of these awards were presented throughout the State of Texas. Images was the only business to receive one in the Texas Panhandle. Not pictured: Sales associates Pat Garrett and Edna Hickman.

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GOLF

PAMPA — The Pampa News City Championship will be held June 23-24 at Hidden Hills.

The tournament is open to all local residents with a handicap card. Entry fee is \$45.

There will be flights for men, women and seniors. There will be a separate flight for seniors over 60.

Stop by Hidden Hills or call 669-5866 to enter.

AUTO RACING

BROOKLYN, Mich. (AP) — Jeff Gordon survived two restarts and a tense battle with Ricky Rudd over the final two laps to give Hendrick Motorsports its 100th victory.

It was another dominating performance for Gordon, who led 143 of 200 laps in the Kmart 400 to win his second race in a row. He led all but 19 off 400 laps a week earlier while taking the MBNA Platinum 400 in Dover, Del.

Shawna Robinson, the first woman in a Winston Cup race in 12 years, in a Ford Taurus splashed with pink paint, finished 34th.

OBITUARY

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Win or lose, John McKay always was good for a one-liner.

The football coach, remembered for his quick wit as well as the success he had at Southern California and in the NFL, died Sunday. He was 77.

McKay won four national titles and popularized the "I" formation before leaving USC to become the first coach of the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, who he nearly guided to the Super Bowl in his fourth season.

"He had absolute charisma," said USC athletic director Mike Garrett, a Heisman Trophy-winning tailback for the Trojans under McKay in 1965. "His personality dominated a room."

McKay, who had been at St. Joseph's Hospital since last month, died of kidney failure due to complications from diabetes.

In addition to a reputation for being an innovative coach and having an eye for talent, McKay was known for a sharp sense of humor.

Once asked about the pressure of coaching at Southern California, he responded: "I'll never be hung in effigy. Before every season I send my men out to buy up all the rope in Los Angeles."

Following one of his many losses during Tampa Bay's formative years, McKay delivered one of his most memorable lines when a reporter inquired about his team's execution.

"I think it's a good idea," he said.

Tampa Bay lost its first 26 games under McKay, an NFL record, before rebounding to become the first expansion team to make it to a conference title game within its first four seasons in 1979.

Scoreboard

1967: Pampa lost to Amarillo Tascosa 58-52 in a high school basketball game.

Steve Williams was Pampa's high scorer with 16 points. George Bailey and Bo Lang added 11 each. Shelby Brogan led Tascosa with 18 points.

The Harvesters have a 20-7 record.

Bryant scores 32 as Lakers take 2-1 lead

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Shaquille O'Neal fouled out, Kobe Bryant lost his outside touch and Allen Iverson was standing at the free-throw line with a chance to tie Game 3.

The momentum in the NBA Finals was turning Philadelphia's way with just over two minutes remaining Sunday, and a raucous and rude crowd was all set to erupt. Surely, this would be the moment when the series turned the 76ers' way.

One clang later, that opportunity was lost.

Iverson's foul shot hit the back of the rim and bounced harmlessly away, and the 76ers squandered what turned out to be their only chance to tie the game.

Robert Horry scored seven points the rest of the way, and the Los Angeles Lakers pulled out a

96-91 victory Sunday night for a 2-1 lead in the finals.

"We have players that make critical plays. We're very pleased with the way we respond to pressure and the way we respond to difficult things. There's no playoffs that doesn't have critical moments," Lakers coach Phil Jackson said.

Iverson's missed foul shot was one critical moment, and the next one came with 47 seconds left when Horry was left open and swished a 3-pointer for a 92-88 lead.

Iverson missed a 3-pointer with 38 seconds left, and Raja Bell missed one six seconds later, but Tyrone Lue fouled Iverson on a 3-point attempt, and he made all three free throws to cut the Lakers' lead to 92-91 with 27.6 seconds left.

Horry made two from the line with 21.3 left for a 94-91 lead, and

Iverson then drove to the basket and had to attempt a high-arching shot over the outstretched arm of Bryant. It missed, Horry was fouled on the rebound and made both shots to wrap up the victory.

"I knew that guys were going to come in here, play well, hit shots. We wanted to win this, and we had to get it," O'Neal said. "Now the next game is Wednesday, and we're going to try to do the same thing."

Bryant scored 32 points, half of them in the second quarter when he gave the Lakers the lead for good, O'Neal had 30, and Horry scored 12 of his 15 in the fourth quarter.

Iverson had 35 points for Philadelphia, including 14 in the fourth quarter, while Mutombo added 23 points and 12 rebounds and Eric Snow scored 14.

O'Neal, who also had 12 rebounds and four blocks, drew his sixth foul with 2:21 left for backing over Mutombo. It came with the Lakers leading by just two points.

"I didn't think the best defensive player in the game would be flopping like that. It's a shame that the referees buy into that," O'Neal said. "I wish he'd stand up and play me like a man instead of flopping and crying every time I back him down. It's just a shame, and you can quote me on that. And underline it three times."

Just 15 seconds after O'Neal sat down for good, Iverson went to the foul line and missed the first of two. Many in the crowd groaned, undoubtedly having flashbacks to Game 2 when Philadelphia missed 10 free throws in the fourth quarter.

"I don't want to say we let it slip away," Iverson said. "We were right there, kept fighting and just weren't able to pull it off."

Bryant shot just 3-for-14 in the second half, but the damage he did in the second quarter proved to be more important. He hit eight straight shots — all but two of them from the perimeter — to give the Lakers a lead that slowly dwindled the rest of the way, but never got lower than one.

Bryant grew up in nearby Lower Merion, Pa., but has not been a fan favorite in Philly.

The crowd booed him louder than any of the other Lakers during pregame introductions, and he was the object of a derisive chant just 17 seconds into the game.

He quieted them with a steady string of jump shots during the second quarter.

Close games, rallies highlight City Tournament

PAMPA — Close games and late-inning rallies highlighted the opening day of the Optimist Cal Ripken City Tournament Saturday at Optimist Park.

Duncan, Fraser & Bridges Insurance Agency carried a 1-0 lead in the top of the sixth inning, only to Rotary Club score three times with the big blow a two-run triple by Brandon Ball.

DFB came back in the bottom of the sixth after two were out with a run-scoring double by winning pitcher Colby Greenhouse and a

game winning two-run double by Luke Raber for a 4-3 triumph.

Greenhouse relieved starter Matthew Trusty in the fourth inning. Mark Stone pitched a complete game for Rotary.

Triangle Well Servicing Co. had a comfortable 5-2 lead after five innings only to see Pampa Cyber Net score nine times in the top of the sixth enroute to an 11-6 win. Sameer Kelley blasted a grand slam home run to cap the rally. The winning pitcher was Ryan Adams, who relieved Kelley in the fourth

inning. Blake Nusser, Jake Diggs and Colden Fortenberry pitched for Triangle.

Pampa Cyber Net had a double play from shortstop Shavius Kelley to second baseman Shane Davis to the stretching first baseman Kyle Wheat for the defensive play of the game.

Celanese Corporation defeated Bill Allison Auto Sales 13-3 in a game called after the fourth inning because of the 10-run rule.

The round-robin tournament continues with four games each day each week. DFB plays Celanese at 5:45

today and Cabot tangles with Cyber Net at 7:45.

In Miami, Rotary takes on Bill Allison in the early game while Glo-Valve and Triange square off in the late game.

Pampa Cyber Net opened the Optimist Cal Ripken City Tournament with an 11-5 win Saturday over Triangle.

Sameer Kelley sparked Cyber Net with a bases-loaded home run that gave his team a 10-5 lead in the sixth inning.

Jacob Davis hit a triple to

score Kevin Kirkham for the game's final run.

Cyber Net started slow with Triangle scoring two runs in the first inning.

After no runs in the second inning, Jacob Davis had single in the third inning.

In the fourth inning, Dean Brown was walked to first and was forced out at second base.

However, Kyle Wheat delivered a single, Chase Wheat walked and Sameer Kelley followed with a base hit. Chase Wheat was out on a force at second and Kevin Kirkham walked to leave the bases loaded. Jacob Davis doubled to drive in both Sameer Kelley and Kyle Wheat.

Triangle came out swinging in the bottom of the fourth as Colden Fortenberry and Blake Nusser had consecutive singles.

Jake Diggs walked and Cameron Swarb hit a double and Matt Ferguson had a single.

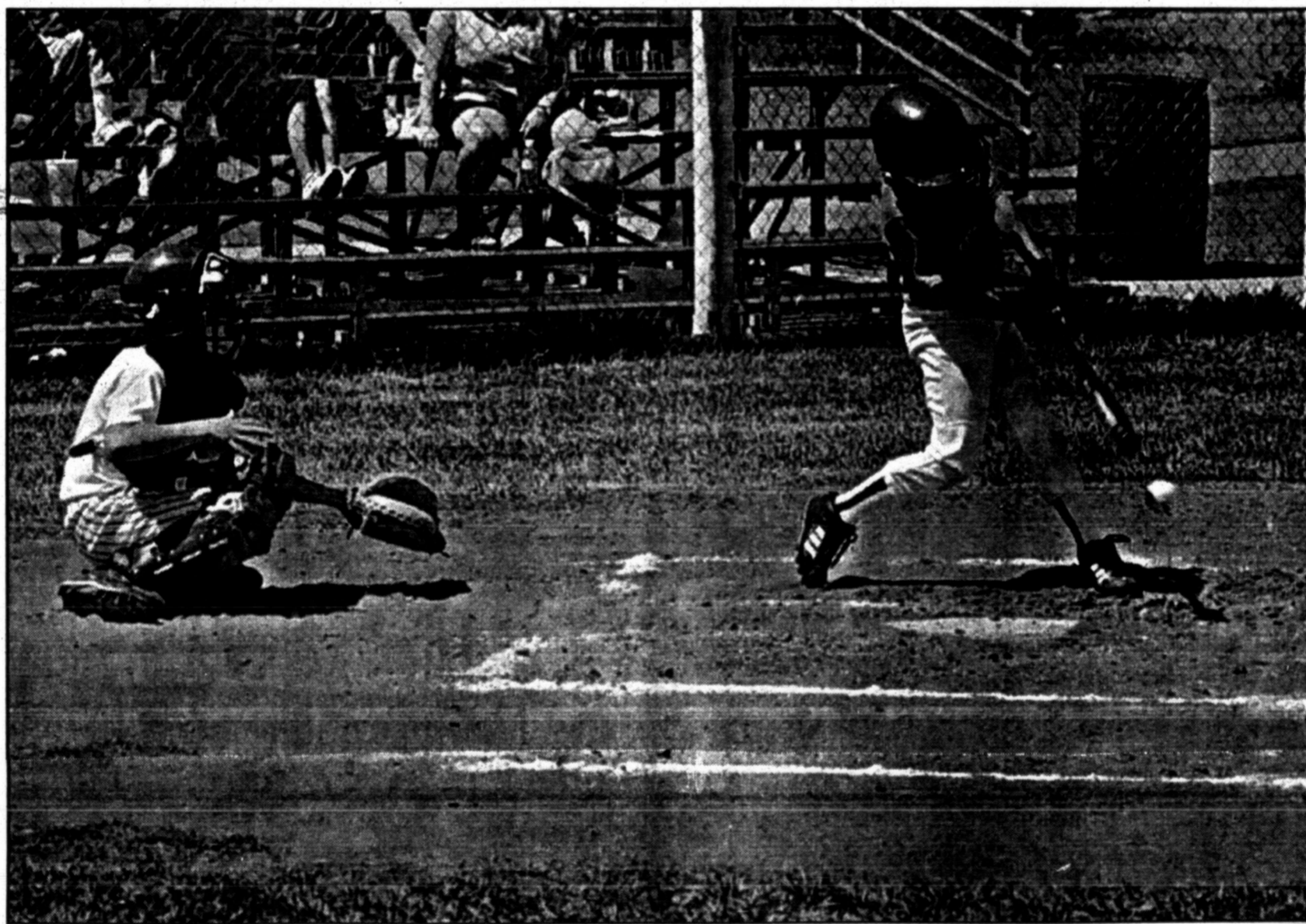
Starting off the fifth, Matt Hathcoat singled, but that all the damage Cyber Net could do.

In the sixth, Matt Hathcoat walked, Ryan Adams doubled and Jacob Jenkins drew a walk with one out. Chase Wheat walked to score a run. That brought up Sameer Kelley, who connected with his grand slam.

Sameer Kelley started on the mound for Cyber Net and went four innings, giving up nine hits and five runs. Adams relieved in the fourth and was the winning pitcher.

He struck out three batters and had three assisted outs. He gave up a double to Jake Diggs.

Triangle pitcher Blake Nusser had seven strikeouts.



(Pampa News photo by David Bowser)

Tanner Dyson of Celanese connects for a hit during city tournament action Saturday at Optimist Park. Cameron Klein is the catcher.

Point Given dominates at Belmont

NEW YORK (AP) — As he boarded the van that would transport him to the plane that would take him back to Kentucky, Point Given was on his best behavior.

Trainer Bob Baffert watched as the strapping chestnut colt headed out of town Sunday morning, the day after a smashing Belmont Stakes victory stirred up talk of greatness.

"This big dude, he's got all the ingredients," Baffert said. "He's big, he's bad and he's good. He's easy on himself and his races

aren't hard on him because his style of running is not going to kill him."

With a daunting combination of strength, speed and stamina, Point Given simply carried jockey Gary Stevens along for 1 1/2 miles and a 12 1/4-length victory over A P Valentine.

"Coming down the stretch, I was thinking, 'I was right,'" Stevens said. "He should have a Triple Crown."

But he doesn't. Point Given finished fifth in the Kentucky Derby on May 5 before reeling off wins

in the Preakness and Belmont, giving Baffert two-thirds of a Triple Crown for the third time since 1997. Silver Charm won the Derby and Preakness in '97, and Real Quiet repeated that performance in '98.

While Baffert's first Belmont win after four losses was bitter-sweet, the white-haired trainer was satisfied.

"What a great horse," Baffert said of his colt who was favored in all three races. "That was his day, his coming-out party. He's finally getting it all together."

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Mariners win for 16th time in 17 contests

By The Associated Press

A day after the end of their 15-game winning streak, the Seattle Mariners started a new spurt.

John Olerud, Ichiro Suzuki and Al Martin homered as Seattle won for the 16th time in 17 games, routing the San Diego Padres 8-1 Sunday.

John Halama (5-4) scattered seven hits in seven shutout innings to complete an 11-1 homestand.

"Team-wise, it's great," Halama said. "Eleven of 12 games at home. It's unbelievable. We lost yesterday, but our mood hasn't changed."

At 48-13, the Mariners matched the 1939 New York Yankees for the second-best 61-game record since 1900 behind the 1912 New York Giants (50-11).

Suzuki got his 100th hit with his home run, and the seventh-time batting champion from Japan is on pace to finish with 266 hits, which would be a major league record.

In other interleague games, it Atlanta 4, New York Yankees 1; Arizona 12, Kansas City 5; Houston 6, Texas 5; Pittsburgh 11, Minnesota 8; Chicago White Sox 3, Chicago Cubs 1; Boston 5, Philadelphia 4; Cincinnati 9, Cleveland 3; Florida 7, Toronto 2; Detroit 3; Baltimore 3, Montreal 2; New York Mets 10, Tampa Bay 0; Oakland 6, San Francisco 2; Anaheim 6, Los Angeles 5;

and Milwaukee 8, Detroit 3.

In the one National League game, Colorado routed St. Louis 12-3.

At Seattle, Carlton Loewer (0-1) made his first major league appearance since Sept. 20, 1999, and allowed six runs and six hits in 2 1-3 innings.

Braves 4, Yankees 1

At New York, Greg Maddux (6-5) allowed one run and seven hits in 6 2-3 innings to defeat Mike Mussina (5-7), who gave up four runs — three earned — and six hits in eight innings in losing his third straight start. Atlanta closed within three games of NL East-leading Philadelphia — its closest margin since May 2.

Diamondbacks 12, Royals 5

At Kansas City, Luis Gonzalez and Erubiel Durazo hit three-run homers, and the Diamondbacks tied a team record for runs in an inning with an eight-run fourth that put it ahead 12-1.

Astros 6, Rangers 5

At Arlington, pinch-hitter Orlando Merced brought Texas back from a 4-3 deficit with a three-run homer off Jeff Zimmerman (2-4) with two outs in the ninth, making a winner of Jay Powell (2-1). Houston took two of three in the first Astros-Rangers matchup.

Pirates 11, Twins 8

At Minneapolis, Brian Giles singled to open a seven-run eighth inning and capped the rally with a two-run triple.

Minnesota took an 8-1 lead after the second inning and was ahead 8-4 in the eighth. Jason Kendall had a go-ahead infield single, making a winner off Scott Sauerbeck (1-2).

White Sox 3, Cubs 1

At Comiskey Park, Chris Singleton hit a solo homer as the White Sox won for the 13th time in 16 games, taking two of three in the Crosstown Series.

Kip Wells (3-2) outpitched Jon Lieber (6-4).

Red Sox 5, Phillies 4

At Boston, Dante Bichette, taking over as cleanup hitter because Manny Ramirez was sick, went 3-for-4 with a home run.

Philadelphia led 3-1 in the eighth before Carl Everett homered off Robert Person, Troy O'Leary hit a tying double off Rheal Cormier (3-1), and Troy O'Leary added another RBI double to make a winner of Hideo Nomo (6-3).

Reds 9, Indians 3

At Cleveland, rookie Chris Reitsma (3-5), backed by a 9-0 lead, allowed three runs and nine hits in 7 2-3 innings to beat Jaret Wright (2-1) and get his first win since April 14.

Marlins 7, Blue Jays 2

At Toronto, Alex Gonzalez hit a three-run double and Derek Lee had a two-run triple as Brad Penny (5-1) defeated Esteban Loaiza (5-6).

Orioles 3, Expos 2

At Baltimore, Jason Johnson (6-3) came within an out of his first complete game in the

major, taking a four-hitter into the ninth before fading. Javier Vazquez (5-7) pitched a six-hitter for Montreal.

Mets 10, Devil Rays 0

At Tampa Bay, Kevin Appier (4-5) allowed four hits in seven innings and struck out nine, and Mark Johnson and Joe McEwing hit two-run homers. Albie Lopez (3-8) lost

his seventh straight decision.

Athletics 6, Giants 2

At Oakland, Eric Chavez and Jeremy Giambi hit consecutive homers against Livan Hernandez (4-9) in a three-run eighth. Mark Mulder (8-3) allowed two runs and five hits in 7 2-3 innings.

Angels 6, Dodgers 5

At Los Angeles, Garret

Anderson hit a one-out, solo homer off Eric Gagne (1-4) in the 10th after Jorge Fabregas singled home the tying run against Jeff Shaw with one out in the ninth.

Brewers 8, Tigers 3

At Detroit, Jeremy Burnitz drove in five runs with two homers, and Jamey Wright (5-4) defeated Chris Holt (4-5).

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Estes claims St. Jude Classic

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — The St. Jude Classic was a weekend for renewal for Bob Estes and John Daly.

Estes won only his second PGA Tour event Sunday, and his first in 162 tournaments. Daly didn't win, but he might have come even farther than Estes after years of personal problems.

Estes nearly let his victory slip away. He led by a stroke as the final round began and watched Daly tie him at 18 under through five holes. But at 18, who shot a 73, bogeyed four of the next six holes to fall back and tie for fifth.

Daly, who missed qualifying for the U.S. Open earlier this week, wasn't too disappointed with his finish.

"I hit the ball solid," said Daly, who won the 1995 British Open. "It's been a long time since I've been in the last group with a chance to win."

Daly had his highest finish on tour since a tie for fourth in the 1998 Honda Classic. His check for \$127,750 was his biggest since his British Open victory.

Despite the victory, history doesn't bode well for Estes' chances at the U.S. Open.

No one has won a PGA Tour event and then gone on to victory in the Open the next week, a streak that covers decades. Estes, who led after every round and won the St. Jude by a stroke, isn't

the favorite to become the first.

"There's somebody that will be there next week that wasn't here this week, and I think he's done a lot of good preparation. He's probably there, getting ready," Estes said of the player who has won the past four majors, Tiger Woods.

"It's just satisfying to me to be able to go out to the driving range and just hit the ball solid and hit the ball relatively straight and putting better also. For a long time, golf was just not fun."

Estes held off some top names like Bernhard Langer, Tom Lehman, Curtis Strange and Daly.

Like his victory at the 1994 Texas Open, Estes started fast in tying the course record and led after every round, which hadn't been done on tour since Woods won the World Golf Championships - NEC Invitational last year.

For someone who has struggled to find the right driver and hit it straight for nearly seven years, Estes couldn't be happier with how he played at the TPC at Southwind. He thanked technicians who have worked with him to design a driver that was delivered less than two weeks ago.

"You just can't imagine how much time they've given to me individually to get me to this point. I owe them a lot," Estes said.

Cowboys widen search for new stadium

IRVING, Texas (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys are looking for a new home and owner Jerry Jones wants that search to be on a fast track.

Although officials in the Dallas suburb of Irving say they want to retain the Cowboys' current home at Texas Stadium, Jones has widened the search to include other parts of the Dallas-Fort Worth area. His goal is a completion of a 100,000-seat stadium, costing up to \$500 million, within three to five years of hiring an architectural firm.

Other economically viable locations for the stadium are Arlington, Dallas, Grand Prairie and an undisclosed Denton County jurisdiction. Jones said multiple locations within each area would suit the club's needs.

"We'd sit down and look at each city's situation and see if we can realistically get there with each of those places," Jones told The

Dallas Morning News in Monday's editions. "It would be all very open and very visible for all of our fan base and for the decision-makers to look at."

Cowboys' presentations planned by February 2002 would include stadium models and costs, giving interested cities an indication of their financial commitment, Jones said.

"We've retained designers and general contractors who have built stadiums and have given us estimates," said Jones. "We've also continued to work on feasibility studies and estimates on the economic projects around the stadium."

"It's time to put our teeth into the building of a new stadium because of where we are with our lease," he said. "Because of potential interest in several areas in the metroplex, it's time for us to make a decision on what we're going to do."

said.

Langer (66) finished second, while Lehman (66) and Scott McCarron (72) were tied for third at 269. Two-time U.S. Open champion Strange (69), Paul Goydos (68) and Daly (73) were all at 270.

Estes led by 4 when he bogeyed his second and third holes of the tournament on Nos. 14 and 15. With Langer sinking a birdie putt on No. 16, Estes found himself suddenly leading by only a stroke.

"I made it a little tougher than I meant to. I wanted a 4- to 5-stroke cushion coming down the stretch," Estes said. "You only got to win by one, don't you?"

Estes refused to let his victory slip away, and he parred out his final three holes, including a tough one on the par-5 16th. He hit his second shot into a green-side bunker, came out through the green, then chipped back onto the green for a short par putt.

He also rebounded after a poor tee shot on 17 by hitting his driver right down the fairway on the 461-yard, par-4 18th, leaving himself 175 yards to the hole.

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TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 2001
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)

*** High energy can sink easily into frustration if you hit an obstacle. Chill out and avoid butting heads with others. Assume that everyone is doing his best. That attitude gets you far. Trust your ability to delegate or direct if need be. Tonight: Be all ears.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

***** Get together with others and make the most out of an opportunity that drops in your lap. You might justify spending with the thought that you need to spend so you can make more. Don't try to impress others, though you naturally awe them anyway. Tonight: Where your friends are.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

***** Others seek you out for answers. Though you might not always be sure about what is workable, you can express your ideas. Others challenge you. Accept their testing as helping you to create a more-solid plan. Encourage teamwork. Others will respond. Tonight: Work as late as necessary.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

***** Reach out for someone at a distance. As you seek out expert opin-

Middle School Subject Awards



(Special photo)

Pampa Middle School recently held its Eighth Grade Awards Assembly. Above: Students receiving subject academic awards included (front row) Jaime Resendiz and Austin Morgan, both Science; Mateo Campos and Cameron Seger, both Art; Mitchell Crow, Chemistry; (second row) Gina Guerra, ESL; Cody Dyer and Eric Brown, both Boys' PE; Isabel Chavez and Darby Snow, both Girls' PE; (third row) Tosha Powell, April Laycock and Dusty Langley, all Teen Leadership; and Drew Morrison, Yearbook. Not pictured: Dirk Swope, Teen Leadership.

Pampa Classroom Teachers



(Community Camera by Janet Abbe)

Pampa Classroom Teachers recently announced the following new officers for 2000-01: Cathy Hord, state president, of Georgetown; Anita Grice, president; Janet Abbe, secretary; Carrie Johnson, president-elect; and Sue Cree, treasurer.

BRIEFS

Inquiry of hospital deaths leads authorities to cemeteries

FORT WORTH (AP) — Authorities investigating some suspicious deaths at a North Texas hospital plan to visit 10 graves this week, exhuming the first body Monday at Fort Worth's Rosehill Cemetery. Authorities want to know whether about two dozen Nocona General Hospital patients were given lethal doses of Mivacron, or mivacurium chlo-

ride, which is used to temporarily stop the natural breathing process in order to insert a breathing tube. Montague County District Attorney Tim Cole said only 10 bodies — the best candidates for autopsies — will be exhumed initially. Besides Fort Worth, other exhumations scheduled for this week are in Dallas, Follett,

Spanish Fort, Saint Jo and Nocona cemeteries — and in Terral, Okla. The Southwest Institute of Forensic Sciences in Dallas will perform autopsies to determine the cause of death and whether there are any traces of Mivacron. Several vials of the drug were reported missing from the 38-bed hospital in late January. Nocona General officials then realized the number of deaths in December and January was twice the normal amount, and traced the deaths to the same shift. The Texas Rangers, Nocona police and FBI have been investigating since early February. No one has been arrested, but authorities have said the investigation is pointing to one suspect who likely acted alone. A former nurse has been named in two civil lawsuits filed by the families of two patients who died.

McVeigh indulges in television, ice cream before execution

TERRE HAUTE, Ind. (AP) — As Timothy McVeigh's final hours slipped by, he occupied himself with simple indulgences: television, sleep and pints of ice cream. While the intricate and well-practiced plans for his 8 a.m. EDT execution unfolded Monday, those close to the Oklahoma City bomber said he continued to believe the 1995 blast that killed 168 people was a military action brought on by an overreaching federal government. His attorneys said he is sorry for those who suffered, but doesn't regret blowing up the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building — the worst act of terrorism on U.S. soil. McVeigh, 33, would be the first federal prisoner killed in 38 years. Prison officials said the decorated Gulf War veteran spent Sunday writing letters, sleeping, watching TV and meeting with his attorneys.

its Europe this week to meet America's closest friends. What he'll find is more doubt, skepticism and disagreement about the United States than at any time in years. Whether Washington is pressing for a ballistic missile defense system, or abandoning plans for emissions controls, or pushing genetically modified foods, there's plenty of sharp opposition. Many Europeans see the United States today as a nation totally absorbed with its own interests and ready to go it alone in the world if its allies don't bend to its will. Bush begins his first trip to Europe as president on Tuesday in Madrid, Spain, then flies to Brussels, Belgium, on Wednesday to meet NATO leaders. He heads to Goteborg, Sweden, on Thursday for talks with European Union members. He will speak on U.S.-European ties Friday in Warsaw, Poland, and hold his first summit with Russian President Vladimir Putin on Saturday in Ljubljana, Slovenia.

Demonstrators gather at prison for McVeigh execution

TERRE HAUTE, Ind. (AP) — Death penalty supporters gathered for Timothy McVeigh's execution huddled quietly on bleachers outside the federal prison early Monday, holding homemade signs in the glare of television spotlights. Their signs said "Remember the Victims," "Thou shalt not kill and live," some with the simple footnote, "168" — the number of victims in Oklahoma. On the other side of orange snow fencing, about 400 yards away, a larger contingent of 120 death penalty opponents sat on straw bales, some holding flickering candles in milk carton holders. Only about 20 death penalty supporters took the early buses from a city park to the makeshift protest grounds. Opponents were bused in from another city park. Uniformed prison guards patrolled the grassy space between the two groups.

U.S. continues mediation, regrets death of three Palestinian women

JERUSALEM (AP) — Diplomatic efforts pressed ahead Monday to bridge wide gaps between Israelis and Palestinians on how to follow through with a plan both sides say they essentially support as the basis for getting peace talks back on track. Differences were wide enough to force the postponement Sunday of a three-way security meetings that was to be convened by CIA chief George Tenet. Instead, Tenet met separately with Israeli and Palestinian officials. It wasn't clear whether Tenet would get the sides together later Monday, a move not expected until the CIA chief deemed it likely the Bush administration's deepest intervention in the Mideast crisis would yield results. A shaky cease-fire is in place. But Israel insists on securing an end to all forms of Palestinian violence — from stones to mortars to suicide bombs — before following through on further steps in the report of a commission led by former U.S. Sen. George Mitchell.

Rebels delay execution after government agrees to Malaysian negotiator

ZAMBOANGA, Philippines (AP) — A Muslim extremist group delayed the beheading of an American captive among a group held hostage for two weeks, and confirmed that his band attacked a plantation and abducted more people Monday. The Abu Sayyaf had set a noon deadline to kill at least one of its three U.S. hostages. Minutes before the deadline, the Philippine government agreed to bring in a Malaysian negotiator who had helped broker a similar hostage crisis a year ago. Abu Sayyaf leader Abu Sabaya then called a local radio station by satellite telephone, saying he was awaiting for the Malaysian government to confirm it will allow Sen. Sairin Karno to join negotiations. He also issued a veiled threat and confirmed that his band attacked a plantation hours earlier. The military said the rebels abducted 15 people, including the plantation security chief and two 12-year-old children.

Government attacks rebel-held villages in Macedonia

LOPATE, Macedonia (AP) — Ignoring an ultimatum to stop fighting or face a guerrilla war in Macedonia's cities, the government launched a fierce attack Monday on northern villages held by ethnic Albanian insurgents. Artillery fire shortly after daybreak was followed by mortar rounds and heavy machine-gun fire in an area where the insurgents hold several hillside villages. The army's fire appeared directed at the villages of Slupcane and Matejce. The assault came a day after the rebels threatened to strike the airport in the capital, Skopje, and other targets in or near cities unless government forces stopped their assaults. The airport was operating on Monday, but at least two airlines, British Airways and Yugoslavia's JAT, suspended flights as a precautionary measure.

A skeptical Europe awaits Bush visit

BRUSSELS, Belgium (AP) — President Bush vis-

Wisconsin tribe growing healthier foods to combat diabetes

ODANAH, Wis. (AP) — The yard at Bill Roundwind's home has newly planted fruit trees and freshly tilled gardens. They are evidence of a Chippewa tribe's efforts to get members like Roundwind to eat more fruits and vegetables to combat a diabetes crisis. "This is a program with life-and-death implications," said Mary Bigboy, the tribe's health department director. The reservation of 1,400 people has 200 confirmed cases of diabetes, she said. At least five new cases are diagnosed every month. There is so much need for insulin that public bathrooms at a tribal restaurant have boxes for people to dispose of needles.

With a \$30,000 U.S. Department of Agriculture grant, the Bad River band of Lake Superior Chippewa has tribal members working the soils, planting squash and beans and recapturing part of their gardening heritage. Roundwind, 42, knows about diabetes. His parents and grandparents suffered from it and he calls the tribe's healthy eating initiative wonderful. "You are more apt to eat things that you grow yourself," he said. The planting projects on the Bad River Reservation grew from a diabetes prevention effort started three years ago to respond to statistics that show about one in eight Native American adults have diabetes,

twice the rate of non-Indians, said Luis Salas of the Northern Native American Health Alliance. The health alliance and other groups on the reservation have been promoting youth exercise programs as one way to prevent diabetes, Salas said. The other key is promoting good nutrition, which means eating more fruits and vegetables. Diabetes is caused by too much glucose, a kind of sugar, in the blood. A diet low in fat, with moderate amounts of protein and high in carbohydrates, such as beans and other vegetables, is recommended. "It won't necessarily solve the problem, but we think we can prevent and delay diabetes with healthy lifestyles. I would promote anyone growing their own stuff," said Anne Daily, a registered dietitian and president-elect of health care and education for the American Diabetes Association. Jack Bricker, national tribal liaison for USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service in Washington, D.C., said other tribes have established community gardens and other initiatives to return to more traditional ways, including growing plants with spiritual significance.

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