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Man says he was 'just cruising' in ambulance

"Just cruising." That was

the answer Gray County

Deputy Sheriff Brad Benge

said he was given when he

stopped a man who jumped

into an ambulance at Pampa

Regional Medical Center and

Michael Dan Boyd, 36.

1421 Williston, has been

charged with unauthorized use of a motor vehicle and

driving while intoxicated.

first offense, according to jail

records. He was also wanted

the hospital when he took the

ambulance, deputies said. He

offered no resistance to being

stopped in the 1800 block of

Trooper scores another

In what's getting to be a

familiar story, 200 pounds of

marijuana was seized from a

truck driver Saturday during

a traffic stop on Interstate 40

this morning on a possession

of marijuana (over 50 pounds

and under 2,000 pounds)

charge was Amri Quentano

Dinnis, 23, Brandon, Fla.

Bond was set at \$100,000 by

Justice of the Peace Kurt

8:42 a.m. by Trooper Jason

Henderson on a traffic viola-

tion as he headed eastbound,

according to a Department of

After getting consent to

search, the marijuana was found inside the sleeper com-

partment of the 1994

Kenworth truck/tractor, the

It is believed the marijua-

na was headed from Los

Angeles to Bronx, N.Y., the

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Public Safety report.

The trucker was stopped at

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Monolingual students double here

Changing demographics

affect Pampa schools

By DEE DEE LARAMORE EDHOR

While English as a Second Language (ESL) student enrollment in Pampa public schools dropped this year, the number of students who speak no English has almost doubled.

reported these facts to Pampa Independent School District board last

Carter said the number of ESL students dropped from 217 for 2000-2001 gual students go to public schools here. to 163 this year.

"But we've almost doubled our cannot read or write their native lanmonolingual students," she said, guage explaining that monolingual students

spoken at home – primarily Spanish no English at all.

students enrolled. Now 50 monolin-And Carter said that 34 of that 50

Kathy Carter, ESL coordinator, are those who speak only the language—when (monolingual 'students) do not even have a working knowledge of their language," she said. "Without Last year Pampa ISD had 26 such that we're starting at Ground Zero."

> Almost ESL students in Pampa speak Spanish at home. The other ESL student's family speaks Chinese, Carter said.

Lamar Elementary School has the "It's very difficult for the teachers most ESL students enrolled, a total of

62. Wilson Elementary follows closely with 54 ESL students, according to figures Carter provided to the board. Twenty-five 'ESL students attend Pampa Middle School (PMS). Pampa High School (PHS) has 11 ESL students and Travis/Austin elementaries have a combined enrollment of 10 stu-

"We had one student move here from Los Angeles who had always' lived in this country, but never learned English," said Cay Warner, Lamar

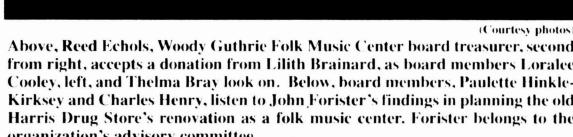
principal. "And is a fourth grader." "Why did the number drop?" asked John Curry, board member.

Carter said some students had

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Above, Reed Echols, Woody Guthrie Folk Music Center board treasurer, second from right, accepts a donation from Lilith Brainard, as board members Loralee Cooley, left, and Thelma Bray look on. Below, board members, Paulette Hinkle-Kirksey and Charles Henry, listen to John Forister's findings in planning the old





Harris Drug Store's renovation as a folk music center. Forister belongs to the organization's advisory committee.

Irsik, working with John Forister, advisory committee member, will prepare a proposal outlining the needs of the building to develop it into an intimate performing arts facility and museum. The building was purchased several months ago with a grant from the McCarley Foundation and proceeds from the concert in 1997 at M.K. Brown Memorial Auditorium in

Architect, board

discuss plans for

Guthrie museum

Board members of the "Woody Guthrie Folk Music

Center" the continuation of the old "Pampa Tribute to

Woody Guthrie" - recently met with Larry Irsik, a represen-

tative of the ArchiTexas firm which is working on the Gray

County Courthouse renovation, to do a walk-through of their

Guthrie worked as a teenager in the late 1920s and early

This is the site of the old Harris Drug Store where Woody

newly-acquired property at 320 S. Cuyler.

Pampa by Arlo Guthrie, Woody Guthrie's son. Much work is needed to prepare the facility for public use,

organizers said. In April, a reader's theatre production by ACT I (the local community theatre), directed by Loralee Cooley, is scheduled. This production, still being prepared, will use material on farming, ranching, the panhandle weather, dust storms and Woody Guthrie.

During the walk-through meeting, a generous donation was accepted by Reed Echols, board treasurer, from Lilith Brainard, board secretary, in honor of Thelma Bray, who cofounded the "Pampa Tribute to Woody Guthrie" in 1992, and who recently published her first book, "Reflections: The Life and Times of Woody Guthrie.'

Individuals who have stories about Woody Guthrie, who would like to contribute to the development project of the old Harris Drug Store, or who would be interested in working on its renovation are encouraged to contact any of the Board or Advisory Committee members listed below, or the Pampa Chamber of Commerce at 669-3241.

Board officers are Paulette Hinkle-Kirksey, president; Loralee Cooley, vice president; Lilith Brainard, secretary; and Reed Echols, treasurer. Board members-at-large are Thelma Bray, Charles Henry, Bill Hildebrandt, Glenna Lea Miller and Clay Rice. The Advisory Committee to deal with specific needs includes John Forister, Lloyd Harvey and Shane Wallace. Ken Fields has provided legal assistance for the nonprofit organization

City considers funding prison guards' training

consider funding a \$9,500 corrections officers' class by Commission Reserve category for that use now that the Pampa Economic

A resolution to pay up to that amount, at \$380 per class member, is on the agenda for Tuesday's 6 p.m. meeting at work session, which is also open to the public, starts at 5

ers, City Manager Bob Eskridge said the Jordan Unit is still working to bring its staffing level up to full levels. In the past the PEDC has helped to fund students' tuition in the training class if

The resolution notes the

Other agenda items

· Consider a resolution des Department

Consider declaring as sur-

welder and welding inspector. Darby is the mother of three children: two sons. Mark Fondren and Jeremy Fondren of Pampa High School Rodeo Club.

She has also assisted her husband Greg as

a welder's helper. He is an independent



Debbie Darby

Pampa; and one daughter Crystal and her husband Phil Gorham of Wichita Falls who are the parents of Riley.

She also has served as a sponsor for the

City commissioners will they committed to working at

can no longer fund new pro-

p.m. in the second-floor conference room.

In a memo to commission-

the local facility.

March 12.

knit community.

office," she said.

"The warden feels that with appropriating money from the one more class he can get back close to full employment," Eskridge wrote.

Development Commission Jordan Unit has provided inmate labor for "innumerable projects" within the city which have been of significant financial benefit to the city. Having inmates for those projects dependson whether there are Pampa City Hall. The meeting enough guards available to be present at all times.

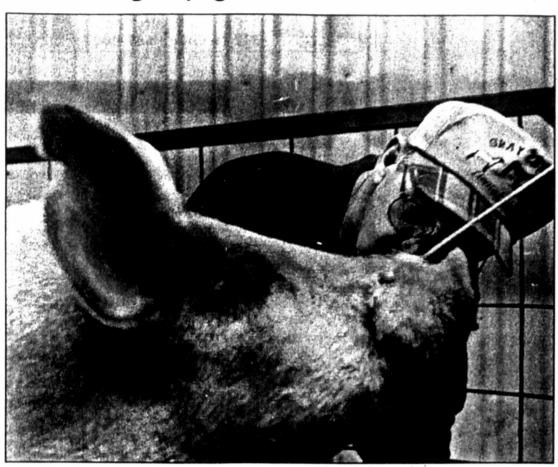
include:

ignating grant funds to the Juvenile Probation

plus and authorizing the sale of NCR computer equipment. Consider approval of bid

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Trimming a pig ...



(Pampa News photo by David Bowser)

Junior Tucker of Lefors trims a pig in preparation for the Gray County Livestock Show. Danny Nusser, Gray County extension agent, said local livestock shows would not be possible without volunteers like Tucker and dozens of others.

Enron: Congress wants answers in Anderson versus Duncan case

fired auditor has told congressional investigators that Enron and its accounting firm share the blame for the partnership arrangements that helped drive the energy giant into bankrupt-

Former Arthur Andersen auditor David Duncan "did not point the finger at Enron; it was more of ... 'we made mistakes," Rep. Jim Greenwood, chairman of the House Subcommittée on Oversight Investigations, said and Monday.

Duncan "did not sit there and say Enron hid all this tors he was simply following information from us and there- the advice of Andersen's legal fore we couldn't count right, said Greenwood, R-Pa.

Fired over the destruction of thousands of Enron-related documents, Duncan underwent questioning by congressional investigators Wednesday about Enron's partnerships which for several years kept hundreds of millions of dollars of debt off the company's books.

Greenwood will lead a hearing Thursday where the tentative witness list includes Duncan, Arthur Andersen chief executive Joseph Berardino or a high-level company substitute and Andersen lawyer Nancy Temple

WASHINGTON (AP) — A "up in the air. We are in consultations with him and his lawyer.

> "Berardino is saying that the company found fault with Duncan's destruction of documents. He (Duncan) needs to himself," defend Greenwood.

Appearing Sunday on NBC's "Meet the Press," Berardino criticized Duncan, saying he displayed "at the least ... extremely poor judgment" for his part in discarding documents in October and November. Enron filed for bankruptcy Dec. 2.

Duncan has told investigadepartment when he directed the shredding.

A variety of federal law enforcement agencies and congressional investigators are looking into Enron's sudden collapse, the largest bankruptcy in U.S. history and one that cost many employees their retirement savings.

Temple, a lawyer at Andersen headquarters in Chicago, e-mailed a copy of the firm's document destruction policy to the Houston office where Duncan and other accountants worked on the Enron account.

Temple sent the e-mail just Greenwood said Duncan's four days before Enron appearance at the hearing is announced more than \$600 mil-

lion in third-quarter losses. At the same time, the energy company took the first step to fully disclose details of the partner-

According to congressional investigators, Duncan said last week that general discussions began at Andersen in September about what Enronrelated documents to discard.

"It was unusual" to emphasize the document-destruction policy, Duncan told the investigators, according to congressional sources familiar with what he said. The sources spoke on condition of anonymity.

Asked why Temple reminded the Houston office of the policy to do away with some documents, Berardino replied, "Because accountants are pack rats ... We save lots of stuff that's not relevant."

Asked about the timing of Temple's e-mail, Berardino said "we were in the process of putting our files together to make sure that all of the thirdquarter events were properly documented in our work

A lawyer for Kenneth L Lay, Enron's chairman and chief executive, said Lay disposed of millions of dollars in Enron stock because he needed to raise cash to repay loans, not because of concerns about the health of his company.

Marches among MLK Day events across state

By The Associated Press

Civil rights and community groups planned marches and rallies across Texas today, with special church services also scheduled on the 73rd anniversary of the birth of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

For some, terrorist attacks on America and the war against such threats have broadened the scope of events remembering the leader in the 34th year after his assassination. The theme of at least-one King service this year is "let freedom ring.' The tragic events of Sept.

11 were an attack on freedom as well as our nation," said the Rev. Dr. Michael Dent,

president of the Tyler Ministerial Alliance and senior minister of Marvin United Methodist Church. "We will honor Dr. King, who championed freedom for Tyler events include a

morning rally at the T.B. Butler Fountain Plaza, followed by a freedom march from the plaza to the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception. For Julia Jordan, who

remembers all four of her grandparents were once slaves, there's a special definition of terror. "Everybody now is talking

about terror like it's something new," says Jordan of Memorial Observance.

Dallas. "But America has known terror. Black people have known terror. I remember my auntie saying this prayer: 'And bless the men and boys and send them home safe.' When your husband and son or any of your men folk left, you didn't know if they were coming home or not."

Parades were scheduled in Dallas and Fort Worth. Glenn Heights second-grader Christopher Clark will recites King's "I Have a Dream' speech in Albany, N.Y. Christopher, 8, was invited through New York Gov. George Pataki's office to perform at the 2002 Martin King Luther Holiday

WEATHER FOCUS

PAMPA

Today, sunny. Highs in the lower 60s. Southwest winds 10 to 20 mph.

Tonight, mostly clear. Lows near 30.

Southwest winds 10 to 20 mph. Tuesday, mostly sunny and breezy. Highs in the upper 60s. Southwest winds 15 to 25

mph. Tuesday night, partly cloudy. Lows near

STATEWIDE

Low clouds lingered early Monday across deep South Texas and the Coastal Plains where a warming trend was expected to spread northward.

Early-morning temperatures ranged from the 20s in the north and west to 60s in the east and

Extremes ranged from 17 degrees at Dalhart to 64 degrees at Brownsville.

Other readings were 28 degrees at McKinney and Terrell, 42 in Dryden and 52 degrees at Nacogdoches.

Winds were generally northerly at 5 to 10 mph in West Texas and westerly to southwesterly at 5 to 15 mph elsewhere.

Some high level clouds drifted across extreme

southern sections of North Texas. Mostly fair skies were expected through Tuesday, when a warming trend should develop with breezy to windy conditions across most of

POLICE

The Pampa Police Department reported he following incidents and arrests during he 72-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Friday, Jan. 18

Disorderly conduct/obscene gestures was eported in the 800 block of East Browning. Criminal mischief was reported in the 00 block of North Zimmers where damages to a door, bed, wall and carpet were eported. Damage was estimated at \$775.

Domestic disturbance with no injuries was reported in the 2300 block of North Rosewood where a picture was broken.

Injury to a child was reported in the 3800 plock of East 35th. Assault with no injury was reported in

the 1100 block of North Nelson. Assault with minor injury was reported in the 300 block of North Buckler.

Assault with minor injury was reported

in the 500 block of North Ward. A burglary was reported in the 1100 block of Huff Road where a pork tenderloin

Saturday, Jan. 19

was stolen. Entry was through a window

hat had been broken.

Assault with minor injuries was reported n the 500 block of North Ward.

Criminal mischief was reported in the sion of drug paraphernalia.

ON RECORD

1200 block of East Francis where a car window was broken out. The damage estimate

A theft was reported at the Gift Box, 117 W. Kingsmill, where an unknown amount

of merchandise was taken. Lindsay Michelle Terrell, 17, 1117 Crane Road, arrested on warrants for driving while license suspended, failure to appear, no seat belt/passenger and truancy.

Sunday, Jan. 20

A theft of a dog house was reported in the 1000 block of South Neel Road.

Nothing was taken in a burglary of motor vehicle in the 1900 block of North Beech.

William James Shipp, 22, 1138 Wilcox,

vehicle, failure to maintain financial responsibility and failure to appear. Lauren James Holtman, 22, 400 N.

arrested on warrants for expired motor

Christy, arrested on warrant for driving while license suspended.

Monday, Jan. 21

Possession of marijuana under two ounces was reported in the 2100 block of North Williston.

Lucinda Dehls, 24, Skellytown, posses-

Pampa Fire Department responded to the following calls during the 48-hour period endng at 7 a.m. today.

FIRE

Saturday, Jan. 19

8:15 a.m. - One unit and three firefighters eplaced smoke detector batteries for a resi dence in the 2000 block of North Duncan.

9:33 a.m. - One unit and three firefighters replaced a smoke detector for a residence in he 2000 block of North Duncan.

2:51 p.m. - One unit and three firefighters responded to medical assist in the 1200 block of North Wells.

9:54 p.m. - One unit and three firefight ers checked for carbon monoxide in the 1500 block of North Faulkner. None was found; the detector apparently had a low bat-

11:34 p.m. – One unit and three firefighters responded to a LifeStar helicopter standby a One Medical Plaza.

Sunday, Jan. 20

8:52 p.m. - Two units and six firefighters responded to a structure fire in the 1200 block of Charles. The occupants of the residence portedly hung a pair of pants over a stove to dry and the pants fell onto the stove. The fire was out on arrival.

Monday, Jan. 21

12:16 a.m. – One unit and three firefighters responded to a medical assist in the 1500 block of West Kentucky.

SHERIFF

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

Saturday, Jan. 19

Amri Quentano Dinnis, 23, Florida, possesion of marijuana over 50 pounds and under 2,000 pounds.

Jeffery Len Harris, 34, 2135 N. Nelson, engaging in organized criminal activity, theft over \$50, under \$500/Potter County/Blue Warrant.

Jeremy Len Evans, 28, 312 Miami, engaging in organized criminal activity. Sunday, Jan. 20

Rebecca Brookshire, 29, 1120 E. Kingsmill, simple assault.

Gene Brookshire, 31, 1120 E. Kingsmill, simple assault. Melvin Dale Haynes, 44, 737 Perry, assault

causing bodily injury/family enhanced. Holly Haynes, 31, 737 Perry, assault caus-

ng bodily injury. Michael Dan Boyd, 36, 1421 Williston, unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, driving while intoxicated/first offense, parole viola-

Monday, Jan. 21

Bobby Dorsey, 39, 1041 Prairie Drive, evading, possession of marijuana under two ounces, and warrants for driving with license suspended, possession of drug paraphernalia, no license plate light, running a stop sign. Also involved in the arrest were members of the Pampa Police Department.

ported one to Baptist St. Anthony West in

Sunday, Jan. 20

12:21 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to

9:59 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to

the 1000 block of Varnon and transported

AMBULANCE

Amarillo.

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Rural/Metro made the following calls during the 48-hour period ending at 7 a.m.

Saturday, Jan. 19 11:29 a.m. – A mobile ICU responded to he 1000 block of Neel Road and trans-

oorted one to PRMC. 2:05 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to PRMC for a patient transport to Northwest Texas Hospital.

2:45 p.m. – A mobile ICU responded to he 1200 block of North Wells and transorted one to PRMC. 4:35 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to

ported one patient to PRMC. 6:55 p.m. – A mobile ICU responded to

PRMC for a transport to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

the 1300 block of North Coffee and trans- to PRMC.

he 400 block of North Roberta and trans-

10:28 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 700 block of North Dwight and transported one to PRMC.

PRMC for a transport to NWTH.

2:44 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to a local nursing center and transported one

9:39 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 1400 block of Williston and transported one to PRMC.

Monday, Jan. 21

1:12 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to 9:43 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to a local nursing center and transported one

Texas boy loses control on slopes

ORANGE (AP) — A Southeast Texas boy who died on a Colorado ski slope had lost control while on a church-sponsored trip, witnesses say.

Dustin Brack of Orange died Saturday morning of head injuries at the Breckenridge ski

The accidental death of Brack, 11, was the second reported at Colorado ski areas this season

Dave Joslin said Brack was not wearing a helmet Arrangements were pending

Summit County Coroner

through Claybar Funeral Home in Orange. Dustin was the son of Dan

Brack, a children's pastor with Community Church The elder Brack and wife Darla, who were also on the trip, returned to Orange after

their son's death, said Associate

Pastor Randy Ayres.

8813, 665-0404. SIGN UP at Sands Fabrics to make a memory quilt of your child's school days. Can be customized for your school. Other classes available for beginners-advanced.

Call 669-7909 for more info.

CLYDE W. NEAL

Clyde W. Neal, 82, of ing under the direction of Pampa, died Monday, Jan. Carmichael-Whatley Funeral 21, 2002. Services are pend- Directors of Pampa.

City Briefs

OBITUARIES

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> WHITE DEER Land Museum: Weather permitting, the signers of the M.K. Brown Legacy book will sign books at the museum, Jan. 26 & 27, beginning at 1:00 P.M. You may bring yours in or pur-

chase one at \$19.95.

HOCKEY

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SOFTBALL

PAMPA a Lady Harv Booster Club tonight in the School librar Parents of

ers are urged

HOCKEY

CHICAGO (AP)- Steve Sullivan scored the gamewinner early in the third period and also had an assist as the Chicago Blackhawks defeated the Dallas Stars 3-2 on Sunday night.

Sullivan whipped Michael Nylander's centering feed past Stars goalie Ed Belfour 1:19 of the third, just moments after Belfour had stopped Nylander on a closein chance.

Kyle Calder and Tony Amonte also scored for the Blackhawks, who extended their unbeaten streak to four games (3-0-1).

Joe Nieuwendyk, playing his 1,000th NHL game, and Brenden Morrow scored for Dallas, which lost its second straight.

Jocelyn Thibault stopped 24 shots to win his 100th game as a Blackhawk.

Dallas' Ed Belfour blocked 21.

FOOTBALL

FOXBORO, Mass. (AP) Upon further review, the NFL will review its rule governing what separates a fumble from an incomplete pass.

What the league won't do is reconsider instant replay.

The league's competition committee will take a look, possibly as soon as its meeting next month, at Rule 3, Section 21, Article 2, which played a key role in the outcome of the AFC playoff game between the Oakland Raiders and New England Patriots.

Referee Walt Coleman called a fumble, then reversed to an incompletion play late in the fourth quarter Saturday night, a change that helped the Patriots beat the Raiders 16-13 in overtime and advance to the AFC championship game.

BASKETBALL

ALLISON — Miami split a pair of District 2-1A games with Allison last weekend.

Zach McDonald had 17 points and Lance Patterson had 10 points to lead Miami to a 61-36 win in the boys'

Helton had 13 points for Allison.

Miami is 2-2 in district play and 16-4 for the season. Allison took a 56-26 victory in the girls' contest.

Donaldson tossed in 23 points for Allison. Jennifer Hutchison had 10 points to lead Miami.

SOCCER

DALLAS - Going against 5A schools, the Pampa boys' team won one of three matches at last weekend's Carrollton Tournament.

The Harvesters defeated Carrollton Junior Varsity 2-0, and lost to Midland Lee 2-0 and R.L. Turner High

"Half our team is injured, so we had to play a lot of subs," said Pampa coach John True. "They got some good work in."

SOFTBALL

PAMPA - There will be a Lady Harvester Softball Booster Club meeting at 7 tonight in the Pampa High

School library. Parents of softball players are urged to attend.

Rams roll to lopsided win over Packers

By BARRY WILNER AP Football Writer

ST. LOUIS (AP) -Members of the St. Louis Rams kept running into the end zone with the football, just as they always do. There was one significant difference: These were Rams defenders scoring all those points.

Marshall Faulk and Torry Holt got touchdowns, too, as did seldom-used fullback James Hodgins. They, and league MVP Kurt Warner, were overshadowed, however, by Aeneas Williams, Tommy Polley and the rest of the vastly improved St. Louis defense.

All-Pro cornerback Williams led the way by returning two interceptions for touchdowns. an NFL playoff record, in a 45-17 rout of the Green Bay Packers on Sunday. The overwhelming ball-hawking display against Brett Favre, along with the Rams' usual offensive theatrics, lifted St. Louis into its second NFC championship game in three years.

Next Sunday, Philadelphia Eagles come to the Dome at America's Center, and they'd better be more careful with the ball than the Packers

"I think people that know are giving us our due," said Rams defensive coordinator Lovie Smith, as responsible as anyone for the defense's turnaround from sieve to thirdstingiest in the league. "If we keep playing well, more and more people will recognize us."

Williams, long recognized as one of the NFL's premier coverage men, finally is with a team worthy of his skills. He spent 10 years with the Cardinals, playing in just two postseason games. But he now has five interceptions in the playoffs, including Sunday's TD runbacks of 29 and 32 yards plus a fumble recovery when he stripped Antonio Freeman of

so confident he could get the ball in there, we would get some chances," Williams said. "A lot of defenders miss those torpedoes he has thrown. We knew the key was to catch them

"During the regular season, teams aren't taking as many risks. In the playoffs, teams are more prone to try to win games.

when we had chances.

And the Rams won with a rebuilt unit that forced Favre into the most interceptions of his career — and the most in a playoff game since 1955. The three interception return TDs tied an NFL postseason record set in 1940 in Chicago's 73-0 victory over Washington.

"It's not one of my better days," Favre said. "People on the plane will say if we would have done this or we wouldn't have done that. Like I always say, if a chicken had lips, he could whistle."

Polley, a second-round pick from Florida State, went 34

added another interception. Kim Herring and Dexter McCleon also picked off passes, while Adam Archuleta, another rookie, recovered a fumble in Green Bay's worst playoff loss.

"Hey, I got used to this in college," Polley said of lopsided wins in critical games. "We didn't lose a lot there and I came here, where we win a lot,

Usually, they win with a prolific offense that scored 503 points this year. Led by Warner and Offensive Player of the Year Faulk, that offense has been the Rams' calling card.

And it certainly provided some highlights in the divisional playoff game. Warner had TD passes of 4 yards to Holt and Hodgins, who had all of six touches this season. Faulk had a 7-yard scoring run and accounted for 129 total yards. Warner threw for 216 yards, including a gorgeous 50-yarder to Holt.

But Warner was quick to rec-

"We knew because Brett is yards for his touchdown and ognize the defense's role Sunday.

"It was awesome," Warner said. "It's a great luxury to know you don't have to force plays. We could get off the field and let our defense play."

Even when the Packers did something special, they hurt themselves. Torrance Marshall was called for holding, negating Allen Rossum's 95-yard kickoff return TD. Freeman caught 22yard and 8-yard TD passes from Favre, but he also had the costly fumble. Ahman Green ran for 94 yards, but also lost a fumble and tipped two of the passes that were intercepted.

The Rams simply had too many weapons on both sides of the ball.

"In all my years of coaching," the Rams' Mike Martz said, "I don't know if I've ever seen a defensive performance like that. It is truly remarkable. It's hard not to get choked up about it."

Usually, that's how Martz feels about his offense.

Pampa visits Dumas to open second round of District 3-4A play

PAMPA — The Pampa Harvesters will be hoping for a different outcome when the second round of District 3-4A action starts Tuesday night against the Dumas Demons in Dumas.

Dumas surprised Pampa with a 72-71 overtime win in the first round in McNeely Fieldhouse. Pampa and Dumas finished the first round with identical 3-4 records.

The Harvesters had four players in double figures -(Adam Rodgers 17 points, Max Simon 14. James Silva 13, and Dustin Johnson 11) — in that first game with the Demons, but a foul shot by Josh Payne in the extra period helped Dumas slip out with a win.

The Pampa girls fared much better than the boys in their opening clash with Dumas. Led by Lindsey Narron's 16 points and a strong fourth quarter, the Lady Harvesters notched a 60-51 win. .

Lindsey French led Dumas with 11 points and Jennifer Lindsey had 11 for Pampa.

Both Pampa and Dumas are

High School Basketball

2-7 in district. Tipoff is at 6.

WHEELER - Lyndi Finsterwald poured in 30 points to lead Wheeler past Vega 67-55 in a District 2-1A girls' game last weekend.

Kelly Cleavinger was high scorer for Vega with 18 points. Keely Meyer scored 10 points.

The Mustangettes had a big edge 34-16 by halftime. Amy OSborne chipped in 15

points for Wheeler. Wheeler girls are 3-1 in district and 15-6 for the season.

Vega slipped by Wheeler 42-41 in overtime of the boys' con-

Leading Vega scoring was Ehi Okogbo with 18 points. Tate Bennett followed with 14. Dagen Moore had 13 points

and Lance Chapman 12 for Wheeler held a 12-point lead

(17-5) at halftime, but Vega rallied to knot the score at 40-all after four quarters.

Butterfly



(Pampa News photo by Tess Kingcade)

Pampa swimmer Kandice Maddox competes in the butterfly in a dual with Altus, Okla. Saturday at the Pampa Youth and Community Center.

Ravens won't be defending their Super Bowl championship

PITTSBURGH (AP) -For all the chattering and name-calling, all the posturing and preening that took place for weeks among the Baltimore Ravens and Pittsburgh Steelers, nothing changed - except one thing.

The Ravens are no longer defending their NFL championship.

Just as in their two regularseason games, the Steelers' top-ranked defense was much

better than Baltimore's No. 2ranked defense. The Steelers' offense was vastly superior. Kordell Stewart was calm and confident, Elvis Grbac was tentative and confused.

So, after arguing on nearly every issue all season, the Steelers and Ravens quickly came to a consensus following Pittsburgh's 27-10 playoff victory Sunday, its second convincing win over Baltimore in just over a month.

championship game against noisy, towel-twirling fans at

Heinz Field. The Steelers listened all week to the chest-thumping from the Ravens, who seemed to greatly overestimate their ability to keep winning playoff games on the road. They were 5-0 in the postseason,

For the Steelers, it was emi- with only one game at home.

nently satisfying, and it sent. The Steelers learned minthem on to Sunday's AFC utes before kickoff that Pro Bowl running back Jerome New England in front of their Bettis, out for seven weeks with a groin injury, wouldn't play because of a bad reaction to a painkilling shot. But it had no visible affect on their demeanor or confidence, with center Jeff Hartings saying, "No disrespect at all, but it's not Jerome Bettis' team and he

As they quickly fell behind 20-0 before they getting their initial first down, the Ravens must have wondered if they were Grbac's team - or if they should have kept last year's starter, Trent Dilfer.

"Grbac doesn't like to get hit, so when we got close to him, we just tried to brush him if nothing else, just to let him know we were close by," Steelers linebacker Joey Porter said.

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Five generations



(Courtesy photo)

The family of Hallie Bullard recently held a get-together. Out of 31 family members, five generations were present. Above: Hallie Bullard, 91, with Martha Maple, Connie Rippetoe, Mandy Perez and 13-month-old Morgan Perez.

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STUDENTS

passed the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS) and no longer qualified to be

"Some have moved and some I just can't find," she said.

Presently, PISD has an ESL teacher and aide at Lamar, an aide only at Wilson, and 1 certified ESL teacher each at Travis/Austin, PMS, and PHS.

In addition, seven regular classroom teachers at Lamar and Wilson, respectively, are cer- would handle that," he said. tified ESL teachers. Two certified ESL teachers teach at Travis/Austin. PMS has one certified teacher and PHS has two, records show.

Carter explained that Wilson does not have a designated ESL teacher because it is considered an "inclusion" school where students are not taken away from regular classes for special

Research indicates that one-fifth of American school-age children speak another language than English at home, Carter said. And of those, 70 percent speak Spanish, she

These figures also show that the Hispanic population has increased 62 percent in recent years to 35 million recorded and another 8.5 million estimated to be living here illegally,

"Our demographics here are changing," Carter said.

Carter said PISD is addressing these population changes through the ESL program which includes the Latin pilot program at Travis and an eight-week summer school pro-

Board President Lee Porter wondered if the illiterate students included the 34 enrolled in pre-Kindergarten.

"No, this crosses the full range - all ages," Carter replied. "The pre-K students are not even in there because I do not expect them to be able to read and write anyway.'

"One of the things I've seen is that these kids are not proficient in either language," said Joe Martinez, board member. "They go home and they speak Spanish and they're not sup-

"It's a tough job. I don't know how you

"If life were like the Texas legislature thinks it is, it would be easy," Carter said, explaining that the legislature exempted ESL students from taking the TAAS for three years, ostensibly to give the students time to become English proficient.

"If they stay here three years that would work," she said. "But it's not like that. They stay here awhile and then they move and then they come back and we have to start over.

There are a lot of problems. "I'm on the phone almost daily with other schools asking them how they're handling a certain problem."

"When I was growing up I wasn't allowed to speak Spanish by my parents," Martinez said. "We had to speak English because they wanted to learn English."

Carter praised the board for sending letters to parents in both Spanish and English.

"Letters in both languages are wonderful, but the truth is, a large percentage of adults don't read or write English or Spanish," she

"Those letters are not being read."

Grieving San Diego base loses two more Marines

BY SETH HETTENA ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER

Jeanne Cohee felt a knot of dread develop as soon as the contingent of Marine Corps representatives pulled up to her Maryland house.

"My kitchen window faces the driveway and when I looked out and there were three Marines ... I knew they were not coming to give me good news," she said.

The representatives had come Sunday to inform her that her son, Staff Sgt. Walter F. "Trae" Cohee III, was one of two Marines killed in a helicopter crash in Afghanistan

Walter Cohee and Sgt. Dwight J. Morgan died shortly after their CH-53E Super Stallion took off from a former Soviet base outside the capital, Kabul. Five others aboard were injured.

Both men were based at Marine Corps Air Station Miramar, which on Thursday held a tearful memorial for seven others killed Jan. 9 in a Pakistan plane crash.

"It's like someone stepping on your heart," Major T.V. Johnson, a base spokesman, said Sunday. "The Marine Corps is like a big family but what we feel is just a fraction of what the families are feeling now."

Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld said the cause of the latest crash appeared to be mechan-

Cohee, 26, of Mardela Springs, Md., was a communication and navigation system technician who joined the Marines in 1993. He had been scheduled to come home in early January, said Jeanne Cohee.

But they needed him to stay and work on the helicopters, and her son wasn't the kind to complain, she said.

"He said, 'Mom, I didn't join the Marines to sit still. I joined the Marines to help," Cohee

Morgan, a 24-year-old helicopter mechanic who joined the Marines in 1998, lived in Mendocino County, about 125 miles north of San Francisco. He had been selected for a pro-

motion to staff sergeant, which will now be awarded posthumously, Johnson said.

Classmates and friends remembered Morgan as shy and kind.

"I know his family was real proud of his accomplishments," said Keller McDonald, Morgan's former high school principal.

The helicopter went down 10 p.m. EST Saturday about 40 miles south of Bagram air base. The Super Stallions are designed for the transport of troops, supplies and equipment.

Since the 30-passenger, long-range Super Stallion came into service in 1981, there have been seven major crashes and 20 deaths.

The Marines halted flights for all 165 of their CH-53E Super Stallions for three weeks in 2000 based on findings of a helicopter crash off the eoast of Texas, in which four people were killed. CH-53E flights also were halted in 1996 when a Super Stallion crashed, killing four.

Johnson said Sunday he knew of no orders to ground the helicopters. The previous crash that claimed the lives of seven Marines involved a KC-130 that exploded after slamming into a mountain in southwestern Pakistan.

Miramar is the former home of the Navy flight school popularized in the movie "Top

The San Diego-based Marines were part of a squadron known as the Flying Tigers, which had been deployed to the region before Christmas, Johnson said.

The squadron has a 50-year history. In their first mission, the Flying Tigers provided support in the largest helicopter exercise ever — an atomic test exercise at Desert Rock, Nev. They also deployed during the Cuban Missile Crisis and the Vietnam War.

The injured were: Cpl. David. J. Lynne, 23, from Mecklenburg County, N.C.; Cpl. Ivan A. Montanez, 22, from Royse City, Texas; Cpl. Stephen A. Sullivan, 24, from Pickens, S.C.; Capt. William J. Cody, 30, from Middlesex, N.J., and Capt. Douglas V. Glasgow, 33, from Wooster, Ohio.

4-H donation



(Pampa News photo by Nancy Young)

Melissa Hampton, left, of the Wheeler 4-H, recently received a \$500 donation from Nell Bailey, right, of Pampa's Wal-Mart. The donation will be used by the local 4-H members to help fund their projects.

Bike giveaway



(Courtesy photo)

Russ Allen of Iowa was the lucky winner of one of two Mongoose bicycles given-away recently during a holiday promotion by All Washed Up in Pampa. Congratulating Allen was Royce Jordan, owner of the local business: Allen was in the area working on the giant windmills outside of White Deer when he won the bike.

British PM tries to ease tensions over U.S. treatment of prisoners

GUANTANAMO BAY NAVAL BASE, Cuba (AP) -The British Prime Minister sought Monday to ease tensions that blew up over the weekend about U.S. treatment of prisoners at Guantanamo prison, saying three Britons held captive there "had no complaints."

A British team visited the prison camp at Guantanamo Bay over the weekend, at the same time that newspapers at home were playing up pictures of Taliban and al-Qaida prisoners shackled and kneeling. The news coverage prompted the government in London to ask the United States to explain itself.

The British team confirmed that the three British prisoners "had no complaints about their treatment," Blair's official spokesman said Monday.

"They are in good physical health and there was no sign of any mistreatment. They have also had contact with the Red Cross," said the spokesman,

who briefed reporters on condition of anonymity.

"The three asked for a number of messages to be passed to their families and we are in the process of doing that.

"There were no gags, no goggles, no ear muffs, no shackles while the detainees are in their cells. They only wear shackles — and only shackles - when they are outside their cells," Blair's spokesman said.

After publication and broadcast of Defense Department photographs of the captives, a group of British legislators and human rights groups pressed for the detainees to be given prisoner-of-war status under the Geneva Convention. Such status would mean they would be tried under the same procedures as U.S. soldiers — through court-martial or civilian courts,

not military tribunals. Thirty-four more detainees arrived at the base from Afghanistan Sunday, pushing

the total number to 144. In Los Angeles on Sunday,

U.S. District Court Judge A. Howard Matz decided to consider a petition backed by former Attorney General Ramsey Clark and other civil rights advocates that challenges the Guantanamo detentions. Matz scheduled a Tuesday morning

The petition alleges that the detainees are being held in violation of the Geneva Convention and the U.S. Constitution. It seeks dueprocess guarantees and to block any transfer of the detainees from the base.

The judge will first have to decide on his jurisdiction, which is typically based on geographical relevance, and on whether California plaintiffs have legal standing to pursue a case involving prisoners held at a U.S. facility in Cuba.

U.S. treatment of the suspects has posed a serious foreign policy challenge for Blair since he put Britain solidly behind Washington in the war against terrorism.

After one Sunday tabloid accused the United States of torturing prisoners, Foreign Secretary Jack Straw said he told British representatives at Guantanamo Bay to ask American officials for an explanation.

In Washington, Defense Secretary Donald H. Rumsfeld said accusations of mistreatment came from people who were not knowledgeable about the detention conditions, and he had "no doubt" the detainees were being treated humanely.

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GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

CANCER (June 21-July 22).

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll

*** Keep smiling despite present

snafus. Communication becomes chaotic

at best. Others might not be as sure about

the facts as they would like you to think.

Keep asking questions until the respons-

es no longer sound like gibberish. Stay

on top of work, if possible. Tonight: Pay

*** * Others need your smile and

positive attitude, as chaos seems to erupt

in the workplace or when dealing with

someone who is in charge. Your positive

attitude carries you far in your dealings.

Sort out the facts with care. Verify all

information, no matter how good the

source is. Tonight: Laugh and let go of

of the present confusion. Listen, as some

facts contain nuggets of truth, but as a

total they don't work. You need to verify

all information. You could be out of

sorts. Answer e-mail. Surf the Internet

during a break. Tonight: Relax to music.

*** Follow your friends and cer-

tainly don't avoid groups. A partner

might be confused about financial infor-

mation. Rather than get uptight, don't

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better, postpone agreements until tomor-

*** Aim for a long-term vision, if

possible. Disengage if you can. The key

to this particular maze comes through

detachment. Gain a perspective by seek-

ing out experts. If tired or out of sorts,

acknowledge that, as negative energy

impacts your decisions. Tonight: Enjoy a

** Laugh all you want. In fact, you

might as well joke about what is going

on, because someone might have diffi-

culty seeing the situation clearly. You

could talk until you're blue in the face.

Expressing a vision could be difficult.

Carefully review a situation that involves

a partner. Tonight: Make light of a diffi-

* * You can't win for losing! Defer to

someone and step back as much as possi-

ble. Your ability to gain a perspective

changes considerably. Review a matter

that is close to your heart. You might opt

not to discuss it with someone just yet.

Wait until you feel better. Tonight: Just

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about what is going on around you. Your

wiry humor helps you make light of the

** Laughter goes far in taking

away the immediate pressure. Obviously

someone doesn't see a situation the same

way as you do. Lighten up about a fami-

ly member who sometimes causes a lot

of problems. You're not changing this

person. Stay clear. Tonight: Relax at

** * You muddle up even the most

basic concepts, as your mind really isn't

present. Be smart. Head out the door and

discuss a problem that weighs on your

mind. Once you clear the air, you'll be

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Penny Left Behind Helps Mom Move Ahead After Son's Death

DEAR ABBY: My son, Tommy, loved orange and grapefruit juice. A serious baseball player and avid outdoorsman, he was a health-conscious 17-year-old. Early in January 1999, a good friend gave me two cans of grapefruit juice for Tommy. Two weeks later, there was still one

In May of 2001, I read my first "pennies from heaven" story in your column. I wasn't having a good day, but decided to do some cleaning anyway. I started with our refrigerator. There, sitting on a shelf, was the last can of Tommy's juice. For two years, friends and family members had urged me to throw it out. Nobody understood why I kept it. "Just don't touch it," I'd say.

You see, my only son, my precious Tommy, was killed Jan. 20, 1999, in a tragic car accident on his way to school. I couldn't throw out his last can of juice - it was part of his life. The pain I suffered when he died seemed to strengthen the bond he and I had shared. But I needed a message from him to let me know he was OK. I knew someday the message would come, because I believe in my children. I knew he would find a way to reach me from the grave. My fear was how long I could hang on without knowing he was OK.

As these thoughts raced through my mind, I went back to cleaning. I picked up the rusty can of juice, and to my surprise, underneath was a green, moldy penny on the saucer.

It took me months to speak of that day. When I finally told my husband and daughter, I feared they would not believe me. It took them a while, but there were more signs to

In July 2001, determined to have some fun, we went away for our 22nd anniversary. We took our daughter and new grandbaby with us. Walking through the doorway of our hotel, my husband looked down. There were two pennies - one facing him and one facing me.

This past summer, I went with my daughter and the children of some friends to the beach. On our way home, we stopped to ride the go-carts — a family tradition. My

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daughter and I both found pennies inside our go-carts.

Abby, the denial is gone. The pain and struggle are not, but it's a little easier now. Tommy and I have built a different kind of relationship, still unique and strong. Wanting to feel your son again cannot be put into words. Only a mother knows that need.

The penny stories need to continue for people like me. I now accept all the strange coincidences in my life knowing Tommy is letting me know he's close.

The penny in the fridge broke the ice for me. It started a new beginning. Thank you.

ROCKY FRAZIER, DOVER, DEL.

DEAR ROCKY: I used to think a penny was a denomination of money. I now know it's also an article of faith.

DEAR ABBY: My dear friend, "Jean," is having trouble with her old lover, "Toby." She broke up with him a month ago. Ever since, Toby has been following her — and last night threatened to kill her.

Abby, Jean comes to me for help, but I don't know what to do. She is afraid to go to the police because she thinks it will make Toby even angrier. What should I do?

> A FRIEND OF A FRIEND IN NEED

DEAR FRIEND: The police should be notified ASAP. It is against the law to stalk people and threaten to kill them. Your friend needs your emotional support. Take her to the police station and help her to file a complaint. You may be saving her life.

Pauline Phillips and her daughter Jeanne Phillips share the pseudonym Abigail Van Buren. Write Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069.

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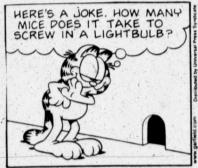


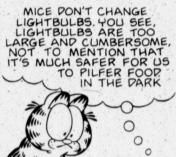
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