

## Arrests may solve sniper mystery



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Amarillo library sets 100th birthday party
brate Amarillo Library;
lout
 the Library will host a birth-
day party from 4.8 p.m. Saurday. Oct. 26 in the Civ Amarillo. Refreshments will
be served and door prizes given away. Activities will include games. balloon ani StarLab, silent auction and

Blood drive planned for Tuesday, Oct. 29 Center of Amarillo will conduct a" "Vein Drain Bloo Tuescay. Oct. 29 in the foyer
of Clarendon Conlege-Pampa Center, 1601 W. Kentucky
All donors will receive a T.

| DEATHS |
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| Ronald M. Griffith. 57 <br> rpenter. |
| William A. McPherson. |
| 68, oil sales and marketing. Florence Hope Oates, 90 |
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FREDERICK, Md. (AP) - Two have killed 10 people and critically case had been solved, a senior admin- important to the investigation. They men, one of them described as an and
Army veteran who recently converted $\quad \begin{aligned} & \text { wounded three others since Oct. } 2 \text {. } \\ & \text { The men taken into custody were }\end{aligned} \begin{aligned} & \text { istration official told ase Associated } \\ & \text { Press on condition of anonymity. }\end{aligned} \quad \begin{aligned} & \text { then issued a nationwide aler for the } \\ & \text { car, spotted by a motorist and an atten- }\end{aligned}$ to Islam, were arrested at a roadside not immediately charged in the sniper "There"s a strong feeling these peo-- dant at the rest stop,
rest stop Thursday for questioning in
attacks, but authorities made it clear ple are related to the sniper shoot-
Charles Moose, rest stop Thursday for questioning in attacks, but authorities made it clear ple are related to the sniper shoot- Charles Moose. the Montgomery
the three-week wave of deadly sniper the arrests were considered pivotal. A the three-week wave of deadly sniper the arrests were considered plvotal. A ings, sald Douglas Gansler, states County police chief who is leading the
attacks that have terrorized the newspaper report said the men were attorney in Maryland's Montgomery investigation, had said John Allen Washington, D.C. area. motivated by anti-American bias; County, where the sniper task force is Muhammad, 42, was being sought for The arrests - linked to a tele- police in Washington state, where the based. Asked if he believed the sniper questioning in the slayings and called phoned boast about a deadly Alabama men recently lived, said they were not was still at large, he said "no." him "armed and dangerous."
robbery -raised hopes of a conclu robbery - raised hopes of a conclu- part of any organized group. The arrests occurred hours after Muhammad was said to be traveling
sion


## Just waiting ...

Many Pampans on state's list of unclaimed property


Sock it to drugs


Students at Lamar Elementary School celebrate "Sock It To Drugs" Day by wearing their wackiest socks. Pampa students are observing "Red Ribbon Week" -
national drug abuse awareness campaign - in a number of creative ways like this.
Horst earns excellence award For the 4 the consecutive form of recognition inthe area
yeare, John Horst. Pampa's of governmental accounting
director of finance, and the and financial reporting, director of finance, and the and financial reporting,
City of Pampa and been according to the GFOA, and awarded a Certificate of its attainment represents a sig-
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nificant accomplishment by a Achievement for Excellence inficant accomplishment by a
in Financial Reporting by the government and its manageAssociation of the United The city's comprehensive
States and Canada for the annual financial report, said city's comprehensive annual the association, has beell $\begin{array}{lll}\text { financial report. } \\ \text { "John's been here for } 14 & \text { judged by an impartial panel } \\ \text { to meet the high standards of }\end{array}$ "John's been here for 14 to meet the high standards of
years," said Interim City the program, including years," said Interim City the program, including
Manager John Hatchel, in announcing the award to the spirit of full disclosure to Pampa City Commission clearly communicate its
Tuesday night, "and this is the financial story and motivate Director of Finance we've received the award." groups to read the CAFR. nonprofit professional associ-

## ACT I auditions continue tonight

 (Pampa News photo by Nancy Young Moments before this photograph was taken this morning, the temperature was listed as 32 degrees. evidence that Pampa had received its first freeze of the season. Freezing rain contributed to several minor accidents in the area early today. Pampa Fire Department officials were also kept busy this mornbecoming entangled in tree branches also covered with ice, causing a fire hazard.
climbers - these are the women who populate to be playing two and three characters." The Women," a 1936 comedy by Clare The play revolves around women and the
Boothe Luce being presented by ACT I as their people they meet in course of their daily eason Fourteen women and one young man audi- gym. fioned for roles Friday and Saturday, still not Anyone interested in auditioning for the enough to cast 20 actors needed to do the show will get another opportunity on "I still need about five Thursday. Oct. 24, beginning at 7 p.m. at the mix of roles." said Kayla Pursley, the show's
director. "The turn out was super. Everyone $\begin{gathered}\text { For infley at } 665-8848 \text {. }\end{gathered}$

## Did You Know...

## Who Laid The Bricks On Guyler in 1926?

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On Record

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| Police Department reported | Gray County Sherif's Departunent repor |
| owing arrests and reports during the 2 - | the following arrests during the 24 -hour peri |
| hour period ending at 7 a.m. Loday. |  |
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| Daniell Ray Duree, 28, 1128 Crane, | Tabatha Jane |
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| Angela Lee Anguiano, 19, Borger, w |  |
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|  | Ricky Joe Pettit, 57, 1240 S. Farley, was |
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| failure to maintain financial responsi | display drivers license. |

## Ambulance Rural/Metro Ambulance Service reported

 the following calls duringod ending at 7 a.m. today. od ending at Wedmesday, Oct. 23 9:25 a.m - A mobile ICU responded to the 700 block of North Lefors. One patien
was transported to Pampa Regional Medical was transported
Center (RRMC)
6:37 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 800 block of Craven. No patient was transported.
$11: 01$ p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to
the 1100 block of Sier the 1100 block of Sierra. No patient was
transported.

FIRE
Pampa Fire Department responded to the presented a fire prevention program at Austin Pampa Fire Department responded to the presented a fire prevention
following calls during the 24 -hour period end- Elemenarary, 1900 Duncan.
ing at 7 a.m. today.
Wednesday, Oct .23
presented a fire prevention program at Wilson 9:50 a.m. - Six firefighters in three units $\begin{aligned} & \text { presented a fire prevention progen } \\ & \text { Elementary, } 801 \text { E. Browning. }\end{aligned}$

## Obituaries

WILLIAM A. McPHERSON

and husband H
Holcomb Holcomb of
Amarillo, Texas;
brother brother Bob McPherson of
Walla Walla Walla,
Wash., and sister Wash., and sister
Selma Heard of Pampa; grand-
sons Will and sons Will and
Eric McCrory D ouglas
McPherson; and a spectrum of
friends spread across the world. Bill was preceded in death by
his beloved wife of 37 years, Ardith his beloved wife of 37 years, Ardith
McPherson; parents Arthur McPherson and McPherson; parents Arthur McPherson and
Sally Laney McPherson; and brothers Ted and Arhur McPherson.
A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m., on
Saturday, Oct. 26, 2002, in Houston. Texas, Geo. H. Lewis \& Sons, 1010 Bering Drive, donations in Bill's name may be made to the gene therapy research program at M.D.
Anderson Hospital in care of Dr. Stephen Swisher, 1515 Holcombe, Blvd,, Box 445 ,
Houston, TX 77030 . Special thanks to Bill's close friend, Mrs. Betty Everett of Weatherford,
Texas, who remained wifh Bilf throughout his Texas, who remaitined with Bilt throughout his

## FLORENCE HOPE OATES

VIDALIA, Ga. - Florence Hope Oates, 90, Survivors include three sons, Michae died Monday, Oct. 21, 2002. Services are pending Oates of Vidalia, Tony Oates of Aliso Viejo, Funer the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.
Mrs. Oates was Mrs. Oates was born in Clay Center, Kan. She spent the majority of her life in Texas prior to gra
relocating to Vidalia in June relocating to Vidalia in June 2001. While in dren. Pampa, she worked as a medical receptionist and favorite charity

RONALD N. GRIFFITH
1945-2002
Ronald N. Griffith, 57, of Pampa, died He was a veteran of the U.S. Marine Wednesday, Oct. 23, 2002. The body was cre-- Corps.
mated. No services are presently scheduled.
He was preceded in death by his parents mated. No services are presently scheduled. He was preceded in death by his parents
Arrangements are under the direction of Ira Neel and Betty Clark Griffith; and Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of brother, Pat Griffith.
Pampa.
Pampa.
Mr. Griffith was born Sept. 25, 1945, at of Pampa; and a sister, Donna Nure Cushing, Okla. A carpenter by occupation, he Bristow, Okla.
moved from Sulphur, Okla., to Pamp years ago and was a member of Mary Ellen favorite charity.

## Weather Focus <br> PAMPA

Today's forecast is calling for rain show- cloudy. Lows in the lower 40s. Sunday ers with thunderstorms possible. The rain mostly cloudy. Slight chance of showers and
may change to freezing rain or sleet and be thunderstorms. accompanied by areas of fog. Highs should Chance of rain Highs in the upper 50s.
 mph . Tonight should be cloudy with a chance
of rain. Rain may change to to freezing rain or Mond. Chance of rain 30 percent. of rain. Rain may change to freezing rain or
sleet. Areas of fog. Lows in the lower 30s sleet. Areas of fog. Lows in the lower 30s.
North winds up to 10 mph . Friday, mostly cloudy. Areas of freezing drizzle and fog in the morning. Highs in the mid 50s.
Northwest winds up to 10 mph becoming Northwest winds up to 10 mph becoming
light. Friday night, partly cloudy. Lows in light. Friday night, partly cloudy. Lows in
the lower 40s. Southeast winds 5 to 15 mph .
Saturday, mostly cloudy. Highs in the lower 50 sourday, mostheast cloudy. Highs in the lower 50 s . Southeast winds 10 to 20 mph increas-
ing to 15 to 25 mph . Saturday night, mostly rain showers. Highs in the lower 50s. Chance of rain 20 percent. Monday night, mostly cloudy. Slight chance of rain showers. Lows in the upper 30s. Chance of rain 20 percent. Tuesday, partly cloudy. Slight chance of rain.
Highs in the upper 40s. Chance of rain 20 Highs in the upper 40 s. Chance of rain 20
percent. Tuesday night, partly cloudy. Slight percent. Tuesday night, partly cloudy. Slight
chance of rain. Lows in the mid-30s. Chance of rain 20 percent. Wednesday, partly cloudy.

STATEWIDE
Stormy weather was expected across most
of Texas on Thursday.
In the panhandle, treezing rain and sleet
$\qquad$ showers or thunderstorms were likely with showers or thunderstorms were likely with
some thunderstorms possibly severe with
heavy rainfall and highs in the low to mid-70s. heavy rainfall and highs in the low to mid-70s.
By nighttime, lows were expected in the upper By nighttime, lo
50 s to mid-60s.
were expected in the northwest with rain else where. Rain was expected to change to freezing rain and sleet at times. A thunderstorm was possible in the south with highs in the mid-30s
to lower 40s. By nighttime, lows were expected in the 30s.
In the Guadalupe Mountains and Big Bend area, mostly cloudy skies were expected with
showers and thunderstorms likely showers and thunderstorms likely. Some aging winds. Highs were expected from 55 in the mountains to the mid-80s along the Rio Grande. By nighttime, lows were expected
from the 40 in the moun from the 40 s in the mountains to the mid-60s along the Rio Grande.
In the Hill Country a In deep South Texas, mostly cloudy skies
were expected with a chance of showers and were expected with a chance of showers and
thunderstorms and highs from 84 to 88 . By nighttime, lows were expected near 70 in the west to 76 at the coast.
In North Texas
In North Texas, rain chances were expected to increase during the day as an upper level Thunderstorms were expected to move into the westerri part of the region from the south-
west after daybreak west after daybreak. The cold front was expected to move slowly southeast into cen-
tral portions by night with temperatures tral portions by night
falling behind the front.

## City Briefs

BEAUTY SHOP equip.: MEREDITH HOUSE is QUEEN CHIMNEY hydraulic chairs, shampoo now offering short term care
bowls \& chairs, dryer chairs. 24 hr Licensed Assisted Livbowls \& chairs, dryer chairs. 24 hr Licensed Assisted Liv
See at 2316 Cherokee, Fri. \& ing. Call for details $665-5668$.
Sat. 8 a.m.?

SALE, ROLANDA'S Silk wers \& Gifts. Select items SEASON PINION and

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real prescription drug benefit program
Medicare for our seniors," Kirk said. Cornyn, who has embraced the Republican plan for drugs and for stabilizing Social "Mr. Kirk talks about ending the blame game and finding common ground but it's hard to do that if you don't have a plan,"
Cornyn said. "Mr. Kirk is really just trying to scare our senior citizens and I think that's not leadership. That's shameful actually." shortfall in Social Security, Cornyn said workers should be allowed to invest their benefits in a private fund
Individual Retirement Account.
"We should never, ever cut benefits for current retirees. And younger workers should be given the opportunity to invest a portion of their benefits in something like an IRA to get a better rate of return," Cornyn said. "Unless we're going to get a train wreck,"
Kirk, who sharply disagrees with letting Americans invest part of Social Security trust fund in the stock market, said lawmakers
could help preserve the fund by leaving it could help preserve the fund by leaving

Security by 20 years is to stop borrowing from it," Kirk said. "The greatest threat right now is that Congress keeps borrowing. The second thing we need to do is to pay down the
Asked what he would do as president of courses that allowed women, Kirk said he ha a policy as mayor to not attend places tha discriminated against certain groups.
Afterward, Kirk admitted attencing pollicy gut he said he didn't know about the
policy at the time, and never went back. Kirk policy at the time, and never went back. Kirk
said as head of the PGA, he would do "everything in my power" to get the Augus
National Golf Club where the Masters National Golf Club whe
played to allow women. played to allow women.
"I I was head of the PGA, or if I w
king., Coryn responded, "I would not have
any clubs or have any tournaments at plac any y clubs or have any tournaments a
where they discriminated on the basis of sex
ethnicity or race. But by the same token, ethnicity or race. But by the same token,
don't believe "we need federal intrusion int don't believe we nee
such local matters."


Texas Ranger Gary Henderson displays the engraved Colt 45 semi-automatic pistol he has donated to help raise funds for Pampa Downtown Kiwanis Club's community projects.

Final cheir campaigns.
meeting is set for 11:45 a.m., Tuesday,
Oct. 29, at the Pampa Oct. 29, at the Pampa
Community Building, 200 N . ntinued from Page On

| LIST <br> could be listed from previous years. <br> Texas Comptroller's office urges people to look for their name or business name on the list under the city in which they currently reside, under any othe Texas cities where you have lived in the past, or under the addres unknown section. Also, Texan are urged to look under all names they may have used. <br> The following people from Pampa are newly listed as having unclaimed property: <br> Alvin Ray Adamson, Ginger Alexander, James H. Anderson, Harold G. Armstrong, Jan Borden, Thomas E. Bors, Bob J. Brazil, Dell Brown, Dorothy Brown, James Ray Brown Jessica Bruce, Cletis Butcher Ross N. Buzzard, Harry D. Cain, J.W. Campbell, Darrel. I. Cathey Jt., <br> Jay W. Cowper, Cox Family |
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Danner, Dan M. Daugherty, Ellen M. Moore, Allie P. Danner, Dan M. Daugherty, Ellen M. Moore, Allie P.
Larry Dodd, Ralph Donald
Dorger
Morgan, Mark Moris, Phillip R. Dozier, Dray Y Cattle Co., David
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Murrack, Oilwell, Inc., James W. } \\ & \text { M. Fatheree, Charles Glen }\end{aligned}$ Orand, Ruth Osbome, Shelley C. M. Fatheree, Charles Glen Orand, Ruth Osbome, Shelley C.
Franks, Leonel C. Garcia, Zena
Owens, Parker \& Parker, Inc. B. Ginn, C. Garcia, Zena Owens, Parker \& Pathy S. Passini, Ronald Patton, Krista/Stanley Gray, Mathew Colleen C. Penner, Robert J. Vincent Haesle, Eric Thomas Philips, Harold W. Price, Robert Hamilton, Stacy Hamilton, L. Price, Phynelpha L. Rhoades, Eugene C. Hapeman, Frances Arcadio Rivera, Francis L.
Hart, Mollie E. Hawkins, Loma
Robinson,
Winton Edd Hart, Mollie E. Hawkins, Loma Robinson, Winton Edd
Heare, Michelle D. Helfer, De
Rowntree, John Ryan, Frank J. Heare, Michelle D. Helfer, De Rowntree, John Ryan, Frank J.
Anna Helton, A.B. Hoggatt, Skidmore, Corey Smith, Perle L. Corrina Jane Hoover, E.LRuth Smith, Wayne E. Smith, D.D. P Hudson, Cecil V. Jameson, Stokely, Aaron A. Sturgeon,
Bobbie F. Johnson, Tasha Garlin Tivis, Top of Texas Bobbie F. Johnson, Tasha Garlin Tivis, Top of Texas
Johnson, Harrell D. Jordan, Johnson, Harrell D. Jordan,
Russell R. Jordan, Don E. Kaddatz,
Jo Forsha Keim, Gregory $\begin{gathered}\text { Donald G. Troutman, } \\ \text { J.H. Tumer, Joy Tumer, Linda }\end{gathered}$ $\begin{array}{ccc}\text { Jo Forsha Keim, Gregory } & \text { J.H. Tumer, Joy Tumer, Linda } \\ \text { Kelly, Alvin W. King, Jerald A. }\end{array}$ Larson, Roy G. Lidy, Virginia Wagner, James Waldrop, John H. Martin, Perfecto C. Martinez, Warner, Bertha I. Warren, $\begin{array}{lll}\text { Nicy Mathis, Earl L. Mayer, } & \text { Watkins Operators Account, } \\ \text { Randall McAllister, C. R. }\end{array}$ McConnell, Killister, Kennith Whaley, John Whitmarsh,
 $\begin{array}{lll}\text { Marguerite McIntyre, Jack W. Williams, Bill L. Willingham, } \\ \text { McNeal, Mitidete Inc., Darla } & \text { James T. Winbome, Lloyd J }\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{ll}\text { McNeal, Mitidete Inc., Darla } & \begin{array}{l}\text { James T. Winborme, Lloyd } \\ \text { Moore, }\end{array} \\ \text { Wolfe, and David E. Wyant. }\end{array}$

Texas Ranger's pistol to help raise funds for club's projects
An authentic Texas Ranger A typical Kiwanis club is a designed and built by Kiwanis
Colt 45 semi-automatic pistol $\begin{gathered}\text { snapshot of its community }\end{gathered}$ member and lontime $\begin{array}{clll}\text { Colt } 45 \text { semi-automatic pistol } & \text { snapshot of its community, } & \text { member and longtim } \\ \text { (fully engraved and nickel } & \text { with members from all walks } & \text { Pampan Daniel Edwards - }\end{array}$ plated) will be raffled to sup- of life and at every step of the highly sought-after engrave port special projects of the career ladder, said EEgert. who has decorated many gun
Downtown Kiwanis Club of They are unificd in their belief for Texas Rangers - has deco ${ }^{\text {Pampa. }}$ The local civic organiza tion's projects which will benefit from the fundraiser include the Children's Shopping Tour, college schol-
arships, Optimists Club, for arships, Optimists Club, for-
eign exchange students Gray eign exchange students, Gray
County Livestock Show Scouting events, Celebration of Lights, and building a chapel at the Jordan Unit. Pampa Downtown Kiwanis Club adopted all of these pro-
jects and many others because ects and many others because
they fit the overall purpose and mission of Kiwanis International, said Pampa Kiwanis President Harold Eggert. Globally, Kiwanis
clubs like the one in exist "to improve the quality of life for children and families worldwide," he said.

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## SNIPER

enforcement as John Lee Malvo, 17.
The key
The key break, authorities sniper task force tip line suggesting investigators check out a liquor store robbery in "Montgomery." The caller claimed credit for both the rob-
bery and the sniper shootings, officials said.
Investigators checking the tip matched it with the Sept. 21 liquor store robbery in Montgomery, Ala., in which two employees were shot, one
fatally. Montgomery Mayor fatally. Montgomery Mayor
Bobby Bright said Malvo's fingerprint was found at the scene on a magazine about weapons. Police then traced Malvo to a home in Tacoma, Wash., that was searched Wednesday by
authorities looking into the sniper shootings. Malvo had been living in the home with
Muhammad, a source told the been living in the home with
Muhammad, a source told the
AP.

They are unificd in their belief, for Texas Rangers
that children and their com- rated this Colt 45 that children and their com- rated this Colt 45 . munities benefit from the Because of the nature of
efforts of a proficient group of the fundraiser, Edwards cam caring and involved volun the fundraiser, Edwards cam $\begin{array}{ll}\text { teers, he added. } & \text { Eut of retirement to help }\end{array}$
Edwards said that this pisto In a typical year, Kiwanis might be his last engraving clubs invest more than 6.2 project. million hours and US\$170 For a $\$ 1$ ticket, Eggert said
million in communities one is first million in communities one is first investing in
worldwide. $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Kiwanis Club in Pampa } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Pampa, and secondly, in a } \\ \text { chance to have an authentic }\end{array}\end{array}$ periodically conducts Texas Ranger Colt 45 semi fundraisers to improve the examatic per Colt 45 semiquality of life for children and day may be a museum piece quality of life for children and day may be a museum piece.
families in the community, The winner, who must pass Eggert said. a firearms registration backTexas Ranger Gary ground check, will be Henderson who is helping the announced by Dec. 27 on Kiwanis in this project has KGRO and in The Pampa carried this pistol in the line of News.
duty. Call 665-8606 for rules or $\begin{aligned} & \text { Along with a letter of ticket information. Tickets } \\ & \text { authenticity from Ranger are available at Pampa Pawn }\end{aligned}$ $\begin{array}{llll}\text { authenticity from } & \text { Ranger } & \text { are available at Pampa Pawn, } \\ \text { Henderson and a display case } & \text { Kevin } & \text { Hucks } & \text { Farmers }\end{array}$


HURRY IN: SALE ENÖS SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27

## BEALLS The Big Fall Sale




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## Letters to the Editor

PHS has double standard Every school
Like you can't wear baggy pants, shirts with profanity, udity or contraban on it, tube tops, short skirts or shorts, hal ter tops and yes, I have found out, you have to wear shoes. Al
students have to follow these rules are you have to change. But few select students are given leeway on the dres ode. Cheerleaders are allowed to wear their uniforms on tame day. That's not my point. The point is that these uni forms break the dress code. The top is a halter top that reveals lot and the skirt is short enough to see their underwear. My question is - why do the cheerleaders get to wear these
revealing garments when others get in trouble for it? For reveaing garments when others get in trouble for it? For
whatever reason, the school should treat the students equally. Lacy Schroeder Pampa
U.S. gets a kick-in-the-pants

Please let me try yoreason once more witha media that just hasrit in the past goten the message coming if we fail not only to toal with Saddamis straq. but with the ress of the $A$ arab world.
First it was our failure to control immigration. The media in the past was quick to destroy anyone that disagreed with them on how important this issue was. PPat Buchanan comes
 govermment over thisi issue
Then came the first atack upon the World Trade Center. Now, I thousht, we will put our howse in order: But, was to be the kick-in-the-pants smerica deserved for such $a$ failure to understand - and act.
 "nuke" " he whole known Arab world. I view it as an act of
self-preservaion. I hate to confess $I$ I can think of no other self.ppeservation. I I hate to confess 1 ran think of no other
solution. Failure to do so will surely invie another kick-in-the-pants. Ithink we may very well get what we deserve if we This time I doubt I will live long enough to say, "Too bad! Too bad! Oh, too bad! Why didn't you listen?

John D. Seaman
Letters to the Editor Polic
The Pampa News welcomes and encourages readers express their opinions on issues of public interest and concern. However, we also reserve the right to accept or rejec ny letter for publication
ublication must be neat and ler less. Letters submitted for least handwritten in a clear manner. All letters will be edited or length, clarity, spelling, grammar, and taste. We will no publish anonymous letters, letters that are potentially libelous, or personal attacks. Submission of a letter does not guarantee its publication nor can we guarantee a date of publication. ber and signature for verification. Addresses and telephone numbers will not be printed, unless requested for a specific reason.
Due to volume and repetition, we will limit submissions from the same person to two letters per month. Poetry, candidate or political endorsements, letters to third
parties and "thank you" letters will parties and "thank you" letters will not be published excep Letters may be dropped off at the office, 403 W . Atchis or mailed to The Pampa News, Letters to the Editor, P.O. Box 2198, Pampa, TX 79066.

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## YIE' WPOINTS

## A child's faith is magnificent

stop by Borger and see my grandchildre I knew they wouldn't be spending the weekend with me because Paige and I'd just stop by to see them
As I drove up I saw Christian playing in the yard with several neighborhoo children. He ran to the car to meet me, and said, "NaNa, I want you to meet my new friend." Quickly scanning the situation,
knew he was experiencing his first "love. knew he was experiencing his sirst
With admiring eyes toward the little girl he introduced me to her. His six-year-old eyes wouldn't leave her
After talking with them a few minutes I went into the house to see his sisters, Paige wasn happy, she could oper an ent
side ast infection and Peyton was lying on the couch.
1 visited with my daughter for a few minutes, and Christian came into the
house. I asked him where his friends had house. I asked Jane had to go home, buy gone. He said Jane had to go home, bh
he didn't seem to know where the othe children had gone. And 1 don't really think he cared that much. Love was blossoming.
Yesterday evening I stopped by their home on my way home. Christian was
busily doing his homewo busily doing his homework - writing his
"I" words and drawing him how Jane was, and he said "Who?" repeated her name, and he just shrugged his shoulders and continued his hom work. That love didn't last long. Peyton asked if she could go home and
spend the night. As I had been needing

some help in getting the Halloween deco rations out of the attic, I agreed and her mother approved. Paige wanted to go, too er told her she couldn't. Explaining that Peyton was older and was going to help me as I retrieved some boxes from the attic. Those little four-year-old eyes caa
certainly give looks just like her mother when she doesn't get her way.
Arriving at my home, we quickly got the items from the attic. Then Peyton looked around and said, "Nana, your liv ing room is messed up." I explained to her I had been going through countless boxes
of papers belonging to my parents and of papers belonging to my parents and
grandparents, and was deciding what to keep and what to throw away.
After surveying the situation, she
asked if her mother would have to asked if her mother would have to do that with my things someday. I told Peyton she
probably would, but I didn't keep nearly probably would, but I didn't keep nearly
as much as my parents. When I got supper on to cook, I began
showing her some of the items I had showing her some of the items I had
found. One of the biggest treasures were the handwritten recipes of my grandmother in an old cigar box. I explained that many of those recipes were what I used as
does her mother. She thought it really neat

## scrap of paper and, in some instances, a

 recipe card.I showed her the countless newspapers
from the ' 40 s , 50 s, 60 s , and ' 70 s shat I from the ' $40 \mathrm{~s},{ }^{5} 50 \mathrm{~s},{ }^{\prime} 60 \mathrm{~s}$, and ${ }^{\prime} 70 \mathrm{~s}$ that I stil had to sort through. Occasionally, she would explain. She noticed one stack of papers and inquired about them. explained they were chattel mortgages, deeds of trust, warranty deeds, etc. on property no longer owned. "Why did G-G
keep them?" she asked. Searching for an answer I told her "Your G-G just kept EVERYTHING.
We found all their electric bills from the ' 50 s as well as a 1949 letter from the manager of the Borger Southwestern
Public Service office in response to my mother's complaint of a large bill. How many managers would do that today? As we sorted through papers, Peyton asked me many questions about the previous generations. Realizing this was the
way the younger generation learns of their ancestry, I imparted several anecdotes bout her great-grandmother and great-reat-grandparents, and she was enthralled.
She asked if I would still be alive when
he got grown. I wanted to say you dont she got grown. I wanted to say you don't
know about life from minute to but decided she didn't need that at the paricular moment. So I just told her I would ways be in her heart, and I certainly "You to be here when she is grown.
ncer."
Oh, the faith of a child is magnificent


Wanting blacks to think alike

State Colin Powell's position on the possible use of military force
against against raq, singer/activist Harry
Belafonte said: "There were those slaves who lived on the plantation, and there were those slaves that lived in the house You got the privilege of living in the house the master intended to have you serve him. Colin Powell's committed to come into the house of the master.
Powell's master
Powell's master, according to
Belafonte is President Belafonte, is President Bush. In a state
ment later issued through his publicis, ment later issued through his publicis,
Belafonte said, "This was not a personal attack on Colin Powell; however, speaking on behalf of so many African-American citizens, I have found Colin Powell to be tragic failure."
such a vicious but wonder what prompted such a vicious attack on a man who served
as chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staf during the Reagan administration and now serves as secretary of state in the Bush administration. These are the two most important government positions ever hel
by blacks, and it by blacks, and it was conservative
Republican presidents who made these appointments. Plus, Condeleezza Rice, a
black woman - but more importantly a black woman - but more importantly
person of impeccable credentials - i President Bush's national security advise his go-to person in matters of foreig affairs.
Previous presidents bought and paid for

he black vote by appointing blacks to hig positions like secretaries of: housing and human services, and education. Wealth and less than 8 percent of the black vote not to mention political attack black vote, not to menion political attack ads funded by racist, Bush didn't have to buy or pay off the black vote, yet he appointed blacks to secretary of state is the first politica secretary of state is the first political appointee
cession.
Bush's appointments demonstrate respect conservatives have for blacks hat's often absent among liberals. Powell and Rice have their jobs in the administration not as tokens, but because Bush sees
them as among the best Americans for the joms. Regardless of whether black people agree or disagree with President Bush's policies (a New York Times/CBS News poll reports a 68 percent job approval rating by blacks), we should take pride in his pointments of Powell and Rice.
Belafonte-type liberals always accuse
thers of what they've made an art of

## TODAY IN HISTORY

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## doing. Take their "serving the master"

 accusation. There's little question that theeducation delivered to blacks by the public education establishment is a disgraceful fraud. Many black students graduate with diplomas that attest they've achieved 12th-grade proficiency, when in fact they might not have ach
ninth-grade levels.
According to the Joint Center for
Political and Economic Studies, a black Political and Economic Studies, a black
think tank, more than 60 percent of black parents support school vouchers so that their children can attend better and safer
schools. Civil rights organizations and 69 schools. Civil rights organizations and 69
percent of black elected officials oppose vouchers. In the "service to their masters," namely the National Education Association, civil rights groups and black politicians fight tooth and nail against vouchers. Their payment for helping to
protect the monopolistic stranglehold on education is political and charitable contributions.
Belafonte's criticism has all the marks
of a racist claim that blacks should of a racist claim that blacks should think alike..There's uniqueness to that vision in
today's America. Bush has Jews and Irish today's America. Bush has Jews and Irish
in his administration, yet we haven't heard Jewish and Irish people labeling them as sellouts and servers of the master. For liberals like Belafonte, black people think alike and any deviation makes one a sellout. ${ }^{\text {That' }}$ That's stupid, despicable and some
thing black people ought to condemin

Sample Ballot

Unclaimed property auction planned
 Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander will publish the names of more than 142,000 unclaimed property owners in newspapers throughout
the state Sunday, Oct. 20 . he state Sunday, Oct. 20 Rylon in unclaimed money for each person on the list more than $\$ 71.2$ million in orgotten wealth
Rylander urges all Texans o check the Unclaimed Property List every year.
It's a completely new list each year," she said. "Unclaimed property can be anything from a forgotten rent or utility deposit, to an mant bank account or an abandoned safe deposit box," Rylander said. "Banks and businesses turn this money over to the state after
three to five years, if the three to five years, if the
owners cannot be found, but the money continues to belong to its rightful owners. The annual Unclaimed Property List published in Texas newspapers is one
method the state uses to method the state uses to
ocate unclaimed property owners."
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allows users to search a more total amount of unclaimed extensive unclaimed property property held by the state to database than the newspaper list and to begin the claim process online. In addition to the $\$ 71.2$ mil- in 1999 , more than $\$ 211$ million included on this year's has been returned to its ownUnclaimed Property List, er
Boy Scout popcorn sale under way Golden Spread Boy Scouts Scouting activities will con Council is currently holding tinue to come from communiits annual popcorn sale
th support through area
through Nov. 11. This marks the 19th year the Scouts have Council's annual Friends of held the sale. Scouting campaign. "Escalating program costs, "Local scouts," Riney said, the need for camp equipment "contribute a great deal to our and maintenance, as well as area and by helping to supcontinued growth in youth port them, you are actually participation, have prompted helping every community in
the Council to sell a great the Texas and Oklahoma product like Trail's End Panhandle. And what better Popcorn," said Barry Oxley, way to help them than Scout executive for the coun- through the purchase of pop-
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BASKETBALL
PAMPA - "We are
going to have to get more coaches," said an excited Commissioner_Buffie
Schaeffer on Tuesday after the first day of sign-ups and tryouts for the Pampa
Opotimist Youth Club Girls Optimst Youth Club Giriss'
Basketball. Basketball.
Enthusias
Enthusiasm abounded as
a record 112 girls enrolled a record 112 giris enrolied
the first day. Registration
contines the first day. Registration
continues today and Friday from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Optimist gym. "We had 75 fifth and sixth grade girls register",
Schaeffer said. "We had 47 Schaeffer said.
third and fourth graders. Last year we had a total of 120 girls in the program. We are expecting a large
increase this year." increase this year:"
Teams will be selected
by the coaches on Saturday by the coaches on Saturday
for the Pampa United Way Agency. Practice begins
Monday with games following early next month.
SAN ANTONIO

$(\mathbf{A P})$ | - Yao Ming's NBA debut |
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but the 7 -foot-5 center's but he -foo-- center's
welcome to the league was a memorable one.
Seconds after entering
the game, Yao took a pass in the low post and made a
dec decisive move to the bas-
ket. But as his oustretched right arm rose above the
reter
rim Tim Duncan, the league's MVP last season, slid over
and later and launched the newest
Rocket with a hard body Rocket with a hard body
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left
sprawled on the floor AUTO RACING
daytona beach, Fla. (AP) - Ward Burton

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| Chip Ganassi's Indy | - Chip Ganassi's Indy expand to to cars next

season with Scort Dixon and Tomas Scheckter as its
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divers. GOLF
pine mountain, Ga. (AP) - It's a good
thing Chris DiMarco doesthing Chris DiMarco does-
n't hold a gudge. He might
not have a trophy from the not have a rophy
Buick Challenge.
DiMarco's fies DiMarco's first trip to
Callaway Gardens in 1999 Callaway Gardens in 1999
was memorable for all the was memorable for all the
wrong reasons. He was hit-
 in his cotage and got
Rocky Mountain spoted fever. ${ }_{\text {II }}$ was really never II was really never
going to go back there," he he
said said. He changed his mind last year and came away
with another important with another important
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that slowly is on the rise that slowly is on the rise.
DiMarco made a birdie on DiMarco made a birine on
the 18 hot hole to force a
playoff with Did Did playoff with David Duval,
then won on the first extra Pay
then won on the first extra
hole

when Duval's | $\begin{array}{l}\text { hole when Duval's } \\ \text { approach went over the }\end{array}$ |
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green.
It wasn't the first time It wasn't the first time
DiMarco had won on the PGA Tour, but it was his
first victory against a field first Victory against a field
of top players. Duval was of top players. Duval was
the reigning British
Open the reigning
champion.

Harvesters have the momentum going their way
PAMPA - After back-to-
back wins over Palo Duro and $\begin{gathered}\text { has allowed } \\ \text { Pampa's }\end{gathered} 19 \begin{gathered}\text { points a contest. } \\ \text { pass-oriented }\end{gathered}$ PAMPA - After back-to- has allowed 19 points a contest.
pack wins over Palo Duro and
Pereford by the combined $\begin{gathered}\text { Pampa's } \\ \text { offense }\end{gathered}$ led by seniented Hereford by the combined offense - led by senior quar-
score of 62-13, the Pampa
terback John Braddock - is score of 62-13, the Pampa
Harvesters are in that momentum mode going into Friday
night's District $3-4 \mathrm{~A}$ contest night's District 3-4A contest at
Dumas.
Pampa head coach Dennis
Cavalier is just Campa head coach Dennis
Canalier is just hoping his team
we looking past the won't be looking past the
Demons, who have only one win to their credit. one tough. They played
Plainview one tough. They played
Plainview tough, they played
Palo Duro tough. We Palo Duro tough. We can't
underestimate them," coach underestimate
Cavalier said.

## Cavalier said. Middle li

Ollinger (205-pound senior)
may be may be the most consistent player for a Dumas squad that
has been hit hard by injuries "Ollinger is a very good linebacker. He was one of the
better linebackers in better linebackers in our district
last year," Cavalier said last year," Cavalier said.
Ollinger, who also start tight end, played a key role when Dumas almost upset favored Palo Duro two weeks ago. Ollinger had 11 unassisted
tackles, one solo tackle, and tackles, one solo tackle, and
recovered a fumble in Dumas recovered a
close $13-10$ loss.
Anot
Another linebacker, Cody
Ames (182-pound junior) Ames (182-pound junior), has
also been playing well for also been playing well for
Dumas, Cavalier added. "The key for us is pass pro tection and completing our
passes,", Cavalier noted. passes,", Cavalier noted.
"Dumas' defense has always Dumen us problems, as much as
any team given us problems, as
any team we've played." Offensively,
Michael Gaddis (240-pound senior), Anthony Kiskaden McKay 195-pound senior), Jorge Lucio (195-pound senior) and Jared Cook (213-pound junior) are proficient at run-
blocking, says Cavalier. "They're not real big, bu
most of them are seniors and they do a nice job. We're not for
sure who's gong to fill in sure who's going to fill in all o
their positions because they've their positions because they've
had a lot of injuries," Cavalier said. "However, their offensive
line has been stable line has been stable all year
long."
long."
One of the Dumas running
backs is backs is 180-pound sophomore
Kyle Cambern, a transfer from Kyle Ca
Pampa.
"He in "He left Pampa when he was in the 7th or eighth grade,
Cavalier said. "He's also
defensi Cavaier said. "He's also a
defensive starter and an excel-
lent athlete." lent athlete."
Dumas is Dumas is averaging 14
points a game while its defense

## Schmidt will conduct

 basketball clinic atPampa Optimist gym
Pampa Lady Harvester head basketball coach
Steve Schmidt will present a clinic at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Optimist Club gym for girls, coaches and parents, Optimist Basketball
Buffie Schaeffer announced Wednesday
Schmidt, a Southwestern Oklahoma State graduate, has been coaching 13 years. He was an assistan coach in Tulia for five years and spent six years in
Clarendon as head coach before moving to Clarendon as head coach before moving to Pampa. "We plan to have a quick-hitting review and dling, passing and defense," said Schmidt, who is in his second year as coach of the Lady Harvesters. "I we want to get Pampa girls' basketball on track for the playoffs in high school, we have to begin teach ing the fundamentals to the younger age kids."
Schmidt and his wife, Michelle ried for 12 years. They have a two-year-old son, Joseph.
Kids Club having signups
PAMPA - Pampa Kids and Youth Club is continuing basketball signups for boys and girls in
grades K-12th. Signups will be at the Baker grades K-12th. Signups will be at the Baker
Elementary Gym from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. tonight through Friday and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Wednesday (Oct. 28-30).
Any parents who would be interested in coaching or helping in any way may contact Pampa
Kids and Youth Club during the day at 669-8236. After 6 p.m., call Terry Harris (669-1838),
Dean Crockett
( $663-1917$ ) Dean Crockett (663-1917), Danny Martin (835-
2906) or Robert Cottrell (665-0335).

Volleyball seniors


Senior volleyball players Angie Williams (left) and Teryn Stowers were recognized during the Pampa-Amarillo High match Tuesday night. Angie is the nized during the Pampa-Amarilo
daughter of Victor and Patti Williams and Teryn is the daughter of Dennis and Tonja Stowers. It was the final home match for the Lady Harvesters.
Giants even World Series at 2-2

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) Wednesday night, leaving the | After Francisco | $\begin{array}{l}\text { Wednesday night, leaving the } \\ \text { Series tied at two games }\end{array}$ |
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| Rodriguez breezed through | each. | Rodriguez breezed through

Barry Bonds and the middle Barry Bonds and the middle "I was just trying to get a
of the San Francisco lineup. a buzz swept through Pac hard," Bell said. "He's had a Bell Park. Forget about a run. Would the Giants ever get a hit against the Kid?
Quickly, it all changed Quickly, it all changed -
the rookie's aura of perfecthe rookie's aura of perfec-
tion, and the momentum in this World Series. David Bell lined a go-
ahead single off Rodriguez in the eighth inning and the Giants came back to beat the
Anaheim Angels

lot of success so far. He's
done a great job for these done
guys.
"So "So to get a win tonight was big. I think to get a run
off him is important, too."

Jason Schmidt will start Thursday Giants in Game 5 Thursday night against
Jarrod Washburn. It'll be a rematch of the opener in remich Schmidt outpitched
which or the Anaheim ace.
Down 3-0 early and in
danger of being blown out danger of being blown out
again, the Giants somehow again, the Giants somehow
slowed down Anaheim's persistent hitters.


Edward Jones

## Horoscope by jacqueline bigar



$\underset{\sim}{A} 2$ DAY!
Pampa 8th grade beats Valleyview
Pampa defeated Valleyview 34 -6
grade football action Tuesday night.
James Coffee scored three touchdowns each for Pampa. Stabel scored on Pampa, including two on interception returns a from Tyler Hall, Burns had a 70 -yard kickoff 22 and 52 yards. He also caught a 68 -yard. retirn and a 2 -yand run for scores Mass from Ryan Hansen.
Brett Ferrell Craig Crowell for Pampa's other TDs pass to Coffee caught a conversion pass from extra points. Pampa's record is 1-4. 28-14.

Hall passed to Burns and Trent Young for The B. team has
The B team has a 4-1 record
In the 7th grade division, Pampa A lost to


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Armstrong will have easier route for next year's Tour de France PARIS (AP) - Lance Armstrong's bid for a Next year's Tour, which starts in Paris on record-tying fifth Tour de France title just got July 5 and ends in the French capital July 27,
easier. The route for next year's 100th anniversary to be the 130.82 -mile eighth stage from race features more stages in the mountains - Sallanches to L'Alpe d'Huez. where Armstrong has taken control and domi- At $2,109.55$ miles, the 20-stage race will nated since 1999.
thing to worry about in this itingerary" has an director Jean-Marie Leblanc said Thursday as he unveiled the 2003 race. "There is scope for him to impose his superiority, if there is a supe-
riority (next year)." riority (next year)."
Four riders have won the world's toughest
cycling cycling race five times. Only Spain's Miguel
Indurain captured five back-to-back Armstrong is the only American to have won
more than three Tours. The three-week Tour is usually decided in the peaks, and Armstrong sealed his fourth straight victory in July by crushing rivals in six mountain stages. A year earlier, there were-five
legs in the Alps and the Pyrenees. be the seventh shortest in Tour history. Although 2003 marks the Tour's 100th anniversary, it will be the 90 th edition of the race, which was canceled during each of the
World War the stages starts or finishes outside France, although the 14th leg in the Pyrenees crosses briefly into Spain. There are
two rest days, three individual time trials including the prologue, and one team time trial.
There will be 22 teams in next year's race, compared to 21 this year, with nine riders in International Cycling Union's end-of-year rankings qualify automatically, and Tour

## Reports: Howe agrees to manage Mets

NEW YORK (AP) - Art Howe will be the spokesman Jay Horwitz said when reached on next manager of the New York Mets, two his cell phone by The Associated Press on newspapers reported on their Web sites
Wednesday night. One of the papers also said Lou Piniella had agreed in principle to manage the Tampa Bay Devil Rays.
Howe, who guided the Oakland Athletics to three straight playoff appearances, agreed to a four-year contract worth $\$ 9.4$ million, according to the New York Daily News.
Newsday said Howe and his agent, Ala Nero, met with the Mets in New York on Wednesday and agreed in principle to the deal "It's done," the Daily News quoted an unidentified source as saying. "The Mets' peo-
ple were really impressed with Howe and they obviously proved that by giving him a fouryear deal." The Daily News said the Athletics permitted
Howe to make this deal even though he had a Howe to make this deal even though he had a year remaining on his contract, which would
have paid him $\$ 1.5$ million. have paid him $\$ 1.5$ million.
Newsday also reported that Piniella, who had been pursued by the Mets, has agreed in principle to a $\$ 13$ million, four-year deal to manage Tampa Bay. The newspaper said highly regarded Oakland bench coach Ken Macha also has agreed in principle to a multiyear contract for almost $\$ 1$ million a year. The Mets, who fired manager Bobby Valentine on Oct. 1, would not confirm that a
deal with Howe has been finalized. Wednesday niight.
Athletics spokesman Jim Young said last Saturday that Howe would return to the team next season. Young declined comment when contacted by The AP on Wednesday night. Teams are not permitted to make manageriIn addition to Howe, Nero also represents Piniella and Macha.
Last April, Oakland exercised its option on Last April, Oakland exercised its option on
Howe for the upcoming season. Since becoming the Athletics' manager for the 1996 season, Howe has never had more than one year of job security, even though he's the third-winningest manager in franchise history.
Under Howe, the A's have made three straight playoff appearances, losing in the diviion series each time. Oakland won the AL West with 103 victories this year, but lost a five-game series to Minnesota.
league has 12 years of experience as a big league manager, including five
Houston Astros before joining the A's. Macha has interviewed with several teams about their managerial openings - including The Mets.
The Mets had hoped to talk to Piniella but were unable to reach an agreement with the The Devil Rays, based in Piniella's homehim their managing job Tuesday.
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Jordan Unit Employee of the Month


Albert Stevens, lieutenant of Field Operations, is Jordan/Baten Units' October Employee of the Month. Pictured with Lt. Stevens is Assistant Warden Joe Nunn. Lt. Stevens has worked for Texas'Department of Criminal Justice Institutional Division for approximately 11 years. He started at the Bill Clements Unit before transferring to the Jordan Unit He enjoys working out doors and all the daily challenges. He and his family - wife, Lisa, and boys, doors and all the daily challenges. He and his family - wife, Lisa, and boys,
Colby, Keith, and Layne - enjoy camping, fishing, and just spending time



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    Today is Thursday, Oct. 24,
    the 297th day of 2002. There are 68 days left in the year.
    Today's Highlight in History: Fifty years ago, on Oct. 24, 1952, Republican presidential candidate Dwight go to Korea," as he promised to
    of California transmitted a were sold publicly for the first telegram to President Lincoln. In 1901, Anna Edson Taylor,
    a 43 -year-old widow, became a over Niagaran Falls in a barrel. In 1931, the George Washington Bridge, connecting New York and
    opened to traffic. In 1939, nylon stockings
    were sold publicly for the fist
    time, in Wilimington, Del. time, in Wilmington, Del.
    In 1939, Benny Goodman In his orchestra recorded their signature theme, "Let's
    Dance," for Columbia Records Dance, for
    in New York.
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    Fair Labor Standards Act of Fair
    1938.

