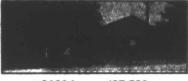
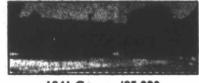


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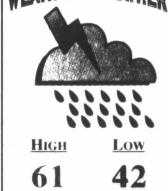
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STATE

Arlington neighbors devastated by wreck

FORT WORTH (AP) -Police are investigating a traffic accident that killed four neighbors who were all members of an Arlington amateur soccer team.

The four — Arlington residents Jose Garcia, 30; Martin Medina, 32; Jose Luis Narez, 33; and Alberto Moreno, 37 — were killed Saturday night when a van crossed into oncoming traffic and struck the car they were in at about 10 p.m.

The accident involved eight vehicles. One of the vehicles left the scene, police said. No charges have been filed

DEATHS

Marion 'Merl' Estes, 66. oilfield worker.

'Sarge' Bobby Joe Fulcher, 75, U.S. Army veter-

Marcella **Josephine** Shields Helbert, 92, registered

Alma Stillwell, 92, homeaker.

Robert Kenneth Swanson, 80, research engineer.

Herbert 'Herb' Tanner, 84, U.S. Army veteran.

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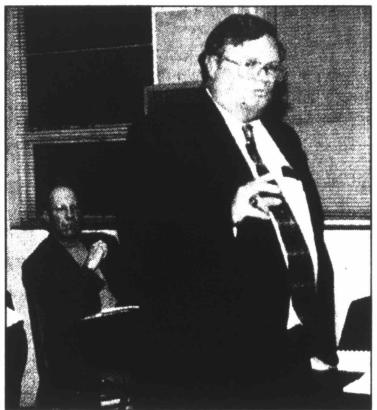
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Cracks in schools cause concern



(Pampa News photo by Dee Dee Laramore)

Jim Melton of BGR Architects discusses drainage problems at Pampa Middle School at a recent board meeting. Seated behind him is Mike Briggs, BGR senior partner.

By DEE DEE LARAMORE

EDITOR

Architects, reporting to Pampa Independent School District's Board of Education last week, cited improper drainage as the culprit of major structural problems at Pampa Middle School.

A large crack runs through the east end of the building near the auditorium gaps as much as four inches in some places, said Jim Melton, architect with BGR Architects, a firm hired by the school district to investigate and offer solutions to problems at Pampa Middle School and Pampa High School.

Melton, Harold Harris, structural engineer, and Mike Briggs, senior partner of the firm, presented their report to the school board at the Oct. 24 meeting.

Melton said a collapse of the foundation slab due to water not draining and pooling under the floor caused the huge crack. He said the roof drain line had degenerated.

He offered several solutions. One, fix the existing drain or abandon the old drain and install new drains. He recommended that new drains be installed.

After the drainage problem is addressed, Melton said the floor needs to be leveled and the damage to the finishes repaired.

Deteriorating brick on the outside of the middle school is creating more than an aesthet-

ic problem for the school district. Falling bricks pose a safety problem.

Melton said the brick deterioration has been aggravated by improper detailing - in other words, poor drainage - open joints, flashing not installed properly, water pooling around the base of the building.

The bricks can be repaired, he said, an expensive process involving demolition and replacing many of the bricks.

"The repair work is feasible, but I don't believe it will be total fix," Melton said.

"The other option is double the cost but will be the most beneficial," he said. "I can guarantee it will fix the problem."

He said he feels the best option is to remove the existing veneer and replace the brick or another acceptable surface. The east addition would not have to be replaced, he said.

Enclosing the breezeway at the west end of the structure can be easily accomplished, the architect said, but creates some difficulty with access and maintenance of the adjoining court-

The cost to enclose the breezeway "varies" he said according to what finishes are chosen and whether air conditioning and lighting is

Grading the land away from the building and installing a concrete strip around the structure would help end the pooling or "ponding" (See **CRACKS**, Page 3)

Police seek McRobber

Managing Editor

investigate a reported early morning. Police reports indicate the manager robbery of McDonald's restaurant was unable to describe the ethnicity According to police reports.

McDonald's store manager Manny Ortiz said a lone robber armed with a small handgun entered the Coronado Center restaurant as he was making his last security check of the premises shortly after 1 a.m. All other employees had left the fast-food restaurant as Ortiz was checking the doors, officials said.

Police received the call at 1:18

Ortiz described the intruder as tall Pampa police today continue to and slender with his face covered. of the robber or estimate his/her age.

Ortiz said the robber had him remove the money from the safe Amount of money taken was undeter-

Ortiz told police the robber ran northwest of the restaurant on foot. Police officers Tom Pickering and Toby Bias responded to the call and searched the area. No one was located. No injuries were reported.

World of technology



(Pampa News photo by Dee Dee Laramore)

Students of Janet Abbe's history class at Pampa Middle School, from left, Andrew Roy, Veronica Sorazano and Crystal Shults, show school board members, including Nancy Coffee, far right, the brochures they created using computer technology available at the schools. Students looked up information on the Internet about a city they choose and then designed and created a travel brochure about the community as a project in their study of Texas regions and subregions.

Workshop to help students

bound for college, parents

More power to them

Putin: Military will get more power to strike against suspected terrorists

Vladimir Putin said Monday he will give the military broader power to strike against suspected terrorists "wherever they may be" after a hostage siege at a Moscow theater ended with 118 captives dead, most from a knockout gas used by Russian authorities.

Doctors said all but two of the hostages who died succumbed to the fumes pumped into the theater by Russian special forces before they stormed it, 2 1/2 days after heavily armed Chechen rebels staged an auda-

Russian officials kept the substance a secret even as doctors treated the hundreds of survivors. U.S. officials identified it Monday as an opiate related to morphine,

In televised comments, Putin said he would step up measures against terrorists because of what he called growing threats that they could use powerful weapons, and he suggested Russia would not refrain from launching strikes

"Russia will not ... give in to any blackmail. International terrorism is becoming more impudent, acting more cruelly. Here and there around the world threats from terrorists of the use of means comparable to weapons of mass. destruction are heard," Putin said at a meeting with government ministers.

"If anyone even tries to use such

MOSCOW (AP) — President means in relation to our country, Russia will answer with measures adequate to the threat to the Russian Federation. In all places where the terrorists, the organizers of these crimes or their ideological or financial sponsors are located," he said. "I emphasize: wherever they

may be. Putin has sought to portray the Chechen conflict as a battle with international terrorists, partly to get broader

support abroad. The Bush administration refused to criticize Russian special forces for using the gas, laying all of the blame for the

deaths squarely on the captors. We are working to ascertain all the facts and circumstances." Bush spokesman Ari Fleischer said. "But as that information is developed the president feels very strongly that the people who caused this are the terrorists.

Putin has said the theater raid was planned abroad, and the Russian at the PHS library. Foreign Ministry alleged Monday that al-Qaida was involved.

Chechen conference that opened Monday in Denmark was organized "by Chechen terrorists, their accomplices and their patrons from al-Qaida, who, as is now absolutely obvious, stand behind the monstrous terrorist act in Moscow." It did not provide evidence.

The statement came amid increasing (See **POWER**, Page 3)

pate in a workshop, "The Road to College," at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 29, The program, which will be in both English and Spanish, is designed to help

their parents are encouraged to partici-

In a statement, the ministry said a both parents and students get informed about college if college is being considered for the future.

"It is never too early to learn about the procedure," said Ramona Hite of the Pampa Independent School District.

By attending this workshop, she said, parents and students will receive guidance through the college admissions testing calendar, college admission

Pampa High School students and forms, financial aid forms and see what is available on the internet

> Those who attend will see what is available for those who prepare ahead of time, make good grades and take the time to explore all opportunities available to them.

> Senior parents may also attend a session on what to expect from your child the first year of college.

"The road in this century requires more than a high school education," said Hite. "Parents and students must both be determined they are prepared. The time to begin preparation is now.'

Parents or students may receive additional information by calling 669-4700

Did You Know...

When Was The Prisoner Of War Camp Completed And Where Was It Located? Information Was Obtained From "Gray County Heritage" 1985 - Pampa Chamber Of Commerce 669-3241 January 1943 in McLean. The First German Prisoners Arrived in Mid-Summer Of 1943 Janet Biechlin and husband, Rusty, Dr. Keith Swanson and wife, Laurie of Lake Tahoe, Roger Swanson and wife, Lena of San Francisco, and Richard Swanson and wife, Cheryl of Austin, and step-daughter, Jane Scarborough of Boston. He was also blessed with 14 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren, all of whom will miss him

Bob was born in Kansas City, Mo., on Aug. 7, 1922, the first of two sons raised by Fred and Ruth Swanson, an attorney and English teacher. Descended from Swedish immigrants on his father's side and on his mother's side, from the Perry family which included veteran's of the Revolutionary War, the War of 1812, the Civil War and World War I. The family moved from Oklahoma City to McAllen, Texas, when he was 10. Bob graduated from McAllen High School second in his class in 1939.

Early studies in engineering at UT in Austin were interrupted in 1943 when he enlisted as an Aviation Cadet in the U.S. Navy. As a 20-year-old cadet, he married Carole Williams of Houston, a move entirely against Navy regulations, but the beginning of a 60-year-long love affair. After graduation from Naval Flight School Pensacola, he continued as a flight instructor before being assigned as a pilot with VBF-13, a fighter squadron of F6F Hellcats, based on the USS Saratoga in the South Pacific.

At the end of World War II, he returned to civilian life and finished his studies at the University of Houston, obtaining a BS in Electrical Engineering in 1947. The first 16 years of his professional career were spent in the field of petroleum engineering in Houston and Pampa, Texas. During this time, he developed and patented several ground-breaking electron exploration and perforating devices used in petroleum explo-

In 1963, he accepted a position as Senior Research Engineer with Southwest Research Institute (SwRI) in San Antonio. He had an illustrious 23-year career at SwRI culminating in his retirement in 1990 as Director of Electronic Physics, in one of the world's foremost private scientific research entities. He also spent four years in two Silicone Valley computer start-up

MARION 'MERL' ESTES

WILBURTON, Okla. — Marion "Merl" Estes, 66, died Tuesday, Oct. 22, 2002, at Plano, Texas. Memorial services were Sunday in Waldrop Funeral Home Chapel in Wilburton. Waldrop Funeral Home of Wilburton was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Estes was born Nov. 30, 1935. He lived n Wilburton since the 1970s and was an oilfield worker.

firms in the 1970s. early but he was persuaded return to his Texas roots and to SwRI as Assistant Director head up a project that led to new ultrasound bridge safety detection



instrumentation. This technology helped stem a raft of failures of older American bridges, which had become a national bridge emergency. He also worked on projects for NASA space missions, top secret government projects including the forensics and destruction of the infamous bugged U.S. Embassy Building in Moscow, early experimentation in the 1960s with lasers and holography. Above all else, he was proud of his involvement in developing alternative energy sources. He directed the design and installation of the first commercial wind energy application to the mid-1970s in Clovis, N.M. Bob remained throughout his life interested in energy matters, and was a nationally recognized expert in many related fields, including geophysical and geothermal energy production.

His faith was always important to him as evidenced by his longtime membership in the Alamo Heights Methodist Men's Bib Study. He was also a volunteer at the Southwest Texas Methodist Hospital for many years.

His proudest accomplishment in life was his family. He always found time to spend time with his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. He taught two generations of Swansons how to crawl, walk, run, swim, fish, fly, write, speak in public, tune up a car, play tennis, cook, photograph, fix things, think, and be a parent. Above all else, his lessons of fatherhood and the memories of his humor and wit will be forever remembered and treasured by all who grew up influenced and loved by him.

A memorial service to celebrate his life will be held at 3 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 2 at Alamo Heights Methodist Church, 825 E. Basse St., in San

The family requests donations be made to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation or to Methodist Children's Home.

1935-2002

He was preceded in death by a sister, Juanita Winborne; and his step-father, Ed Herlacher,

Survivors include two daughters, Michelle Jackson of McKinney and Holly Miranda of Lakeside; his mother, Ruth Herlacher of Wilburton; a brother, Donald Estes of Cameron; a sister, Jerry Coffman of Granbury: and three grandchildren.

SERVICES TOMORROW

HELBERT, Marcella Josephine Shields — Funeral mass, 10 a.m., St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, Pampa. Burial, 2 p.m., Fairview Cemetery, Wellington.

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December when the Texas Court of Criminal

Appeals agreed that a statement taken by a

Dallas police detective violated her constitu-

Lancaster woman's capital murder retrial set to start

DALLAS (AP) — A Dallas County woman whose death penalty conviction was overturned by the state's highest criminal court is set to begin her second fight in four years to avoid the death penalty.

Kimberly McCarthy, a former nursing home therapist, is accused in the 1997 stabbing and robbing Dorothy Booth, her 71-year-old Lancaster neighbor.

Testimony in McCarthy's trial was scheduled to begin Monday morning.

An appeals court overturned her 1998 conviction and granted her a new trial.

In her first trial, McCarthy denied playing a

direct role in the crime, in which Booth was stabbed five times with a knife and bludgeoned with a candelabra before her finger was cut off to remove her wedding ring. She blamed the grisly killing on two drug dealers.

ALMA STILLWELL 1910-2002

Alma Stillwell, 92, of Pampa, died Sunday, Oct. 27, 2002. Services are pending under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mrs. Stillwell was born April 20, 1910, at Cushing, Okla. She married C.T. Stillwell in 1927 at Cushing; he died in 1973.

She had been a Pampa area resident since 1948 and was a member of Fellowship Baptist Church.

She was a homemaker.

Survivors include five sons, John Stillwell of Oklahoma City, Okla., Jim Stillwell of Moses Lake, Wash., Vernon Stillwell and Tom Stillwell, both of Pampa, and Mike Stillwell of Coyle, Okla.; a daughter, Pat Hulsey of Amarillo; a sister, Cecil Potter of San Bernardino, Calif.; 20 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

www.carmichael-whatlev.com

HERBERT W. 'HERB' TANNER

1918-2002

Herbert W. "Herb" Tanner, 84, of Pampa, died Friday, Oct. 25, 2002. Graveside services were to be at 10 a.m., today in Fairview Cemetery with the Rev. Scott Penrod, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of

Mr. Tanner, a Pampa resident since 1981, was born April 19, 1918, at Orange, N.M. He married Lucille Devers on July 16, 1956, at Clovis, N.M.; she died in 1985.

He had been an employee of North Texas

State University in Denton for more than 16 years and was an U.S. Army veteran, serving during World War II.

He was also a member of First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Vickie Lynn Beaumont of Carthage, Mo., and Sharon Gale Schwartz of Buckner, Mo.; a son, Jerry L. Tanner of Carthage; two step-sons, James Devers and Paul Devers, both of Greenville; a sister, Anna Lee Grant of Seattle, Wash.; 16-plus grandchildren; and 20-plus great-grandchildren.

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BOBBY JOE 'SARGE' FULCHER 1927-2002

Bobby Joe "Sarge" Fulcher, 75, of Pampa, died Sunday, Oct. 27, 2002, at Pampa, Texas. The body was cremated, and at the request of Mr. Fulcher there are no memorial services planned. The arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Fulcher was born Feb. 10, 1927, in Wellington. He served in the U.S. Army from 1961 until August of 1973, seeing service in Korea, Germany, and Vietnam.

He lived in Eureka Springs, Ark., and Holiday Island from 1973 until moving to Pampa in 1997.

Survivors include a sister and brother-inlaw, Mary and Willard Russell of Livingston; a brother and sister-in-law, Billy J. and Carol Fulcher of Pampa; a nephew; five nieces; and several great-nephews and great-nieces.

The family requests memorials be to a favorite charity.

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MARCELLA JOSEPHINE SHIELDS HELBERT 1909-2002

Marcella Josephine Shields Helbert, age 92, of Pampa, died Saturday, Oct. 26th, in Amarillo. A vigil service will be held at 5:30 p.m., in Pampa at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church today, Monday, Oct. 28th, with Father Lupe Mayoragh as celebrant.

Funeral Mass will be held at 10 a.m., in Pampa at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church on Tuesday, Oct. 29. The celebrant will be Monsignor Joseph Tash of St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church in Amarillo.

Burial will be held at 2 p.m., in Wellington at Fairview Cemetery on Tuesday, Oct. 29th with Father Lupe Mayoragh as celebrant.

Mrs. Helbert was born Dec. 8, 1909, in Sayre, Okla., to Pat and Theresa Shields. She graduated from Wellington High School in 1928 and from St. Anthony's School of Nursing in 1931 as a Registered Nurse. She married Luie L. Helbert in Childress in 1954.

Hospital, Northwest Texas Hospital, and the Veteran's Hospital in Amarillo. In Childress, she worked at Childress Hospital where she taught LVNs coursework to complete their certification. She was also employed by St. Joseph's Hospital in Wellington, Abraham Nursing Home in Canadian, Highland General Hospital in Pampa, and Casa Del Nursing Home in Pampa.

She was a member of the Texas Nursing Association, Women of the Moose, St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church in Pampa, and an honorary member of St. Anthony's Alumni Association.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Luie Helbert in 1987; two brothers, Joe Shields and Earl Shields, both of Amarillo; and two sisters, Cecelia Craven of Amarillo and Margaret Bearden of Wellington.

Survivors include a son, Patrick Frost and his wife Peggy of Amarillo; a daughter, Gail Perkins and husband L.V. of Amarillo; two sisters, Yvonne Brewer of Wellington and Mary Anna Walters of Claude; two grandsons, Craig Frost of Houston and Jeff Perkins She was employed at St. Anthony's of Amarillo; two granddaughters, Cindy Frost of Houston and Belinda Richey of Austin; three great-grandchildren; 12 nieces and nephews; and many caring friends.

The family suggests that memorials be sent to Cal Farley's Boys Ranch, 600 West 11th St., Amarillo, TX 79101.

On Record

POLICE

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

Wednesday, Oct. 23

Four windows were reported shot out in a criminal mischief in the 1400 block of North Banks. Estimate of damage was \$1,200.

Thursday, Oct. 24 Forgery in the amount of \$24.64 was

reported in the 1400 block of North Hobart. Friday, Oct. 25 A theft of vehicle was reported in the 800

block of West Wilks. Two forgeries were reported in the 1400 block of North Hobart. One was in the

amount of \$300 and the other \$15. An assault by threat was reported in the 800 block of East Browning. An unattended death was reported in the

1800 block of North Banks. Two cases of baby formula was reported

stolen in the 1200 block of North Hobart. Saturday, Oct. 26 An assault by threat was reported in the 1000 block of South Wells.

Sunday, Oct. 27

James Norton, 26, 1001 S. Wells, was arrested for assault causing bodily injury and assault by threat.

Al Kemp, III, 46, Borger, was arrested for ficticious motor vehicle inspection sticker

and five municipal traffic warrants.

Camela Cates, 37, 316 N. Wells, was arrested on several capias pro fine warrants: driving with license suspended, no insurance, and displaying expired registration.

Jimmy Lee Prime, 31, 1124 N Starkweather, was arrested for violation of a protective order, violation of protective order and evading, and violation of probation by engaging in criminal activity.

Wesley Lucas, 930 S. Finley, 41, aggravated assault with a deadly weapon.

Mary Stanfield, 31, 1124 Starkweather, was arrested on two capias pro fine warrants for an animal at large out of municipal court. She also was arrested on Department of Safety warrants out of Lubbock County for speeding, no insurance and expired registration. A burglary was reported in the 1700

block of Coffee. Several bottles of medications and \$30 in cash was reported stolen. According to the police report, there was no forced entry. An armed robbery was reported at

McDonald's. Amount of cash taken was undetermined.

A domestic assault was reported in the 900 block of South Finley. Two persons were arrested. There were no injuries.

A runaway was reported in the 500 block of West Montagu.

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SHERIFF

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

Sunday, Oct. 27 Jarrod Rickles, 25, 737 Dean Drive, was arrested for Pampa Police Department

for criminal trespass. Jose Luis Anaya, 30, 500 N. Wells, was arrested on a Precinct 2 Justice of the

Peace warrant for public intoxication. Monday, Oct. 28 Johnathon Paul Munn, 21, 961

Cinderella, was arrested on a bond surrender for possession of marijuana as well as a minor in possession and failure to

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

Saturday, Oct. 26

5:39 p.m. - One unit and two firefighters responded to a gas leak in the 1300 block of Garland. A vehicle had struck a gas meter. Sunday, Oct. 27

5:20 p.m. - One unit and three firefighters responded to a medical assist in the 700 block of East Craven.

8:48 p.m. - One unit and two firefighters responded to a medical assist at Price Road and Texas Highway 152. The call was cancelled en route.

AMBULANCE

Rural/Metro Ambulance Service reported the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Sunday, Oct. 27

11:30 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 1300 block of Mary Ellen Drive; one patient was transported to Pampa Regional Medical Center (PRMC).

5:47 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 700 block of East Craven; one patient was transported to PRMC.

Monday, Oct. 28

7:56 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 500 block of Doucette and transported one patient to PRMC.

WEATHER FOCUS

PAMPA

Today's forecast is calling for mostly cloudy skies with scattered showers and thunderstorms possible, highs in the lower 60s, east winds 5 to 15 mph, and a 50 percent chance of rain. Tonight should be mostly cloudy with lows in the lower 40s, and southeast winds 5 to 15 mph. Tuesday should be partly cloudy. Highs in the upper 60s. Southwest winds 10 to 20 mph. Tuesday night, partly cloudy. Breezy. Lows in the lower 30s. North winds 15 to 25 mph. Wednesday, mostly cloudy. Highs in the mid-40s. Northeast winds 10 to 20 mph. Wednesday night, mostly cloudy. Slight chance of snow. Lows in the upper 20s. Chance of snow 20 percent. Thursday, mostly cloudy. Slight chance of snow. Highs in the lower 40s. Chance of snow 20 percent. Thursday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 20s. Friday, partly cloudy. Highs in the mid-40s. Friday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 20s. Saturday, partly cloudy. Highs in the lower 50s. Saturday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the lower 30s. Sunday, partly cloudy. Highs in the upper 50s.

STATEWIDE

Showers and thunderstorms were expected across Texas on Monday.

Overnight, strong to severe thunderstorms moved northeast across parts of West Texas,

bringing hail and heavy rain, said Pat Vesper, a warning coordination meteorologist with National Weather Service in Midland.

In the panhandle, scattered showers and thunderstorms were expected Monday with highs near 60. By nighttime, mostly cloudy skies were expected with lows in the lower

In the Guadalupe Mountains and Big Bend area, mostly cloudy skies were expected with a chance of showers and thunderstorms mainly in the morning.

Highs were expected from 50 near the Guadalupes to 80 along the Rio Grande. By nighttime, clear skies were expected with lows from the mid-30s in the Guadalupes to the mid-50s in the Big Bend region.

In the Hill Country and south central Texas, partly cloudy skies were expected with a chance of showers and thunderstorms. Highs were expected in the 70s and in the lower 80s

By nighttime, mostly cloudy skies were expected with showers and thunderstorms likely. Lows were expected in the 50s in the Hill Country to mid-60s in the south central

In the Dallas area, cloudy skies were expected with a chance of showers and thunderstorms and highs in the upper 60s. By nighttime, cloudy skies were expected with a chance of showers and thunderstorms and 1 lows in the mid-50s.

POWER

criticism about the number of hostages killed at the theater and the way they died.

Three top Moscow doctors revealed Sunday that many of the people found dead inside the theater were killed by the sleeping gas, and they were not sure how to treat the survivors.

Russian authorities did not tell medical officials what type of gas they pumped into the theater shortly before special forces troops raided it early Saturday, chief Moscow doctor Andrei Seltsovsky said.

A U.S. Embassy spokesman said Monday that Western doctors had examined some of the former hostages and concluded "the agent they were exposed to appears consistent with an opiate rather than a nerve agent."

Russian officials have refused to tell the U.S. Embassy what exactly the gas was "despite repeated formal requests," the spokesman said on condition of anonymity.

The gas can paralyze breathing, blood circulation, and cardiac and liver functions, doctors said. The effects were worsened by the extreme conditions endured by the hostages during their 58-hour ordeal and by the chronic medical problems some suffered.*

"In standard situations, the compound that was used ... does not act as aggressively as it turned out to do," Seltsovsky

There were about 800 people in the theater when it was seized by Chechen gunmen during Wednesday night's performance of the popular Russian musical "Nord-Ost," or "North-East."

The Moscow Health Department said 405 former hostages, including nine children, remained hospitalized Monday after 239 were released. At least 45 remained in grave condition Monday, Minister Deputy Prime Valentina Matviyenko said Monday.

Two foreign women, one Dutch and one Austrian, were among the dead, and officials in Kazakhstan said a 13-year-old girl from their country died one of three children who per-

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Anguished relatives crowded the gates of Moscow hospitals, begging for news of their kin, while others scoured the city morgues.

Tatiana Lukashova's 26year-old daughter, Masha Panova, was a hostage and now is missing.

Lukashova saw a broadcast on the ORT television station Saturday that showed her daughter lying on a mattress in a hospital corridor with an oxygen mask on.

"But we didn't hear what hospital it was, and our search through all the hospitals was in vain," Lukashova said in a telephone interview.

"It's unbelievable," she said, tears choking her voice. "Even the head of the district where we live went to meet officials of ORT to find out in which hospital they filmed the girl, but they told him they can't tell without permission from prosecutors.'

Even diplomats had trouble finding information about the estimated 70 foreign citizens among the hostages. U.S. consular officials searched the city's hospitals for one of two American citizens known to have been inside.

day of national mourning.

Schools in Moscow started the day with a moment of silence. Hundreds of mourners streamed to the theater to lay flowers, candles and teddybears along a driveway leading to the building.

Pensioner Lyudmila Yemelyanova lamented the deaths but said, "There was no other way."

"If the explosives inside had gone off, not only the theater but all the neighboring buildings would have been destroyed," she said, echoing the explanation offered by offi-

The death toll among the hostages stood at 118 on Sunday, including the 116 who died from the gas, a woman who was shot in the early hours of the crisis and a hostage who was shot in the head early Saturday.

Moscow officials said Monday that relatives of the dead would receive about \$3,150 in compensation, while hostages who survived would get half that, Interfax reported. The city will pay for funerals, it said.

The Federal Security Service said 50 assailants were killed at the theater; several were shot in the head apparently as they lay incapacitated from the gas. Three gunmen were captured, and authorities searched the city for accom-Putin declared Monday a plices who might have escaped.

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at the base of the school, Melton said. He also recommended placing a new catch basin in one of the courtyards.

"There are catch basins in each of the courtyards according to the original plans," he said, adding that he only found evidence of one. "The other could be hidden or covered up," he added.

Melton did not give cost estimates in his presentation, but indicated the written report included estimates. Dr. Tim Powers, assistant superintendent for administrative services, had not returned a call to his office by press time today.

Harold Harris, structural engineer, also reported on cracks in the south face and east wing of Pampa High School.

Powers explained to the board that Harris had been asked to look at the cracks after Principal John Kendall said he was concerned about the structural safety of the building in this area.

RICHMOND, Va. (AP)

— Virginia officials filed the

state's first murder charges

against the sniper suspects

Monday and a prosecutor

said the teenager in custody

may have killed an FBI ana-

Fairfax County prosecutor

Robert Horan Jr. said there is "an equal possibility" that

John Lee Malvo, 17, or John Allen Muhammad, 41,

gunned down analyst Linda

Franklin outside a Home

Depot on Oct. 14 in Fairfax. The pair was charged in Spotsylvania County with

the murder of Kenneth

Bridges on Oct. 11 and the

wounding of an unidentified

woman Oct. 4. Both shoot-

ings were part of the three-

week string of attacks that left 10 dead and three others

wounded in Virginia,

Maryland and the District of

on charges of capital murder,

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Muhammad was indicted

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lyst during the spree.

Virginia files charges in sniper case

"I asked him to see if it is safe, and in doing that, he found this problem with the wall," Powers said.

The cracks, Harris said are due to a wing wall built with an addition to the east side of the building in 1959. The original building had a round corner, but the addition was to be rectangular, as a result the wall was built as a screen to make the addition more architecturally pleasing, he

explained. Harris said he believes a diagonal steel beam travels from the roof line to about the middle of the wing wall, but added that he has not yet seen how it is actually done.

The expansion joint has "stretched greatly" he said.

"It's been done by movement - a lot of movement," he said, adding, "Something is causing a lot of movement there."

He said he believes the wing wall is leaning out a foot or two beyond the original building, causing the cracking both inside and outside.

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the same offenses in juvenile

court but authorities will seek

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Malvo was charged with

firearm in a felony.

Friday.

ing the wing wall, a process that may be as simple as tightening nuts and bolts on tie rods, depending on how the wall is connected to the other building, and then repairing the cracks inside and outside.

He said he could not give a estimat, explaining,"There's too many

unknowns at this point." But he said the wall should be stabilized as soon as possi-

"It could be very dangerous if we get high winds from the north," the engineer said.

Board members took no action on the architects' report. School superintendent Dr. Dawson Orr recommended that the facilities committee study the report in depth and bring a recommendation back to the board.

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 Don't leave your pet out in the yard on Halloween: There are plenty of stories of vicious pranksters who have teased, injured, stolen, even killed pets on this night.

 Keep your outdoor cats inside several days before and several days after Halloween; black cats in particular may be at risk from children's pranks or other cruelty-related incidents. Many shelters, do not adopt out black cats on Halloween as a safety precaution.

 Trick-or-treat candies are not for pets: Chocolate is poisonous to a lot of animals, and tin foil and cellophane candy wrappers can be hazardous if swallowed.

Be careful of pets around a lit pumpkin: Pets may knock it over and cause a fire. Curious kittens especially run the risk of getting burned.

 Don't dress the dog or cat in costume unless you know he or she loves it. Otherwise, it puts to much stress on the animal.

· If you do dress up your pet, make sure the costume isn't annoying or unsafe; it should not constrict her movement, hearing or ability to breathe or bark. Also, there should not be small, dangling, or easily chewed-off pieces on the costume that your pet could choke on.

· Be careful not to obstruct your pet's vision; even the sweetest animal can get snappy when he or she can't see.

When opening the door for trick-ortreaters, be very careful your cat or dog doesn't dart outside.

 All but the most social dogs and cats should be kept in a separate room during trick-or-treat visiting hours; too many strangers in strange garb can be scary for a dog or cat.

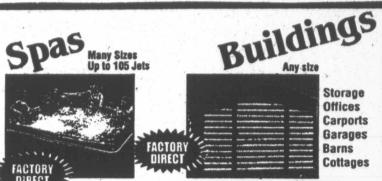
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DEAR ABBY

written by Pauline Phillips and daughter Jeanne Phillips

Mom's Ever-Present Boyfriend Is Unwelcome Guest To Daughter

DEAR ABBY: My parents are divorced. I'm glad, because all they ever did was fight and put my brother and me in the middle. I am now away at college. Dad has found a terrific girlfriend who I love. The problem is Mom.

Mom has also found someone. His name is Tom, and I can't stand him. She never drank or gambled before she met him. Now they frequent casinos, and she has multiple beers with dinner - even when she is on medication that specifically warns not to mix with alcohol. The other problem is that Tom is always there when I come home to visit. I want some private time with Mom, but he refuses to respect that. In the 12 days that I was there, Tom ate every meal at our house. He even came along when Mom drove me back to school.

I have tried talking to her. She keeps pushing us together and has invited him to come for the weekend when she visits me at school next month. She has invited Tom to my graduation, even though tickets are limited, and has made plans to invite him to my wedding, which is almost two years away.

Abby, I don't want Tom at any of

these special occasions. How can I get her to stop inviting him to things I'd prefer only my family attend?

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DEAR HAD IT: You may not be able to, particularly if your mother thinks this new man in her life "completes" her in some way. She appears to be an addictive personality – she's addicted to alcohol, gambling

Since your mother refuses to visit you without her boyfriend, face it: Your mother has decided the price you must pay for her company is to tolerate Tom's presence. If that price is too high, limit your time with both of them. But accept the fact that having your mother at your graduation and/or your wedding means you will have to tolerate the person who has become the new center of her life.

DEAR ABBY: Please add this to your "acts of kindness" file.

I moved into a courtyard apartment three years ago. After settling in. I planted two containers of spring flowers and placed them outside my front door. They were colorful, and my neighbors commented how much they enjoyed them. Imagine my surprise and disappointment upon returning home one day to find one of the containers missing

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Abby, we should all be grateful to people who make our world a kinder place.
V. IONE MOODY MURCHISON,

SACRAMENTO, CALIF. DEAR V: Indeed we should. I

see the flowers as a metaphor for optimism, and I'm pleased that yours was restored.

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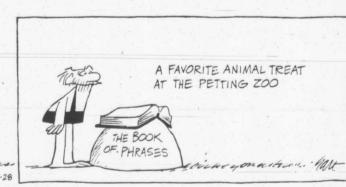




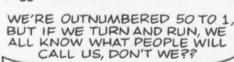


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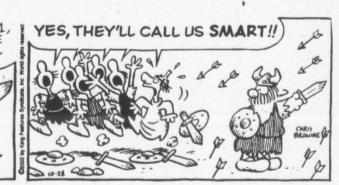




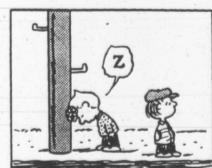
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IRVING, Texas (AP) -Emmitt Smith had a season-high 109 yards on 24 carries to set the NFL career rushing record with 16,743 yards, passing the late Walter Payton.

He extended his NFL record for rushing touchdowns to 150 in Dallas' 17-14 loss to Seattle.

IRVING, Texas (AP) -Seattle quarterback Trent Dilfer will miss the rest of the season after tearing his right Achilles' tendon during the 17-14 win over Dallas. He will have surgery Monday.

Meanwhile, Tampa Bay defensive end Anthony McFarland broke his right wrist in an on-field collision, and Tennessee cornerback Dainon Sidney broke his left forearm.

GOLF

PINE MOUNTAIN, Ga. (AP) — Jonathan Byrd had a 9-under 63 to win the Buick Challenge and become the 17th first-time winner on the PGA Tour this year. He finished at 27under 261.

David Toms missed an 18-foot birdie putt on the final hole to force a playoff, shot a 65 and ended a shot behind. Phil Mickelson closed with a 63 to finish third at 265

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) - Tom Watson shot a 5-under 67 and beat Gil Morgan by two strokes to win the Senior Tour Championship, his first victory of the year on the Senior PGA Tour.

Hale Irwin had a 71 and was fourth, seven strokes behind Watson, but he became the first senior golfer to win \$3 million in one season.

JEJU ISLAND, South Korea (AP) — Se Ri Pak shot an even-par 72 to win the wind-swept Nine Bridges Classic by six strokes over Carin Koch.

The South Korean finished at 3-under 213 Annika Sorenstam's 76 left her nine shots back, ending her bid to set a record for tournament wins in a year.

MADRID, Spain (AP) Denmark's Steen Tinning offset four bogeys with eight birdies in a 4under 67 that gave him a one-stoke victory at the Madrid Open.

Tinning finished at 19under 265, one stroke ahead of Adam Scott, Brian Davis and Andrew Coltart.

PRATTVILLE, (AP) — Third-round leader Patrick Moore was declared the winner of the rain-shortened Buy.com Tour Championship, leading 15 players in promotions to the PGA Tour.

Moore, who won for the third time this year, completed a 6-under 66 that left him at 10-under 206 after 54 holes.

AUTO RACING

HAMPTON, Ga. (AP) - Kurt Busch outran the competition and the weather, grabbing his second straight Winston Cup victory in the rain-shortened NAPA 500.

The race scheduled for 325 laps at Atlanta Motor Speedway ended under a yellow flag on lap 248.

Tony Stewart was fourth, and increased his lead in the championship battle to 146 points over Mark Martin with only three races remaining.

Angels win World Series, beat Giants 4-1 **By BEN WALKER** waiting a long, long time for a 5-0 lead in the seventh walk, that's a good day. Am I team that long overshadowed

AP Baseball Writer

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — Tim Salmon hoisted the World Series trophy and took a victory lap around Edison Field. He'd always imagined what the trip would be like, and it was harder than he thought.

'It was pretty heavy," he

And well worth it, for the Anaheim Angels and all their fans who wondered whether this day would ever come.

Behind rookie starter John Lackey and a big hit by Garret Anderson, the Angels became one of the more improbable champions in baseball history, beating Barry Bonds and the San Francisco Giants 4-1 Sunday night in Game 7.

"These fans have been

this," MVP Troy Glaus said. "And I know we're all happy to be part of the team to bring it to them."

The Angels took 42 years to win their first title, and didn't even need their Rally Monkey to clinch it.

Bonds, meanwhile, is still hoping.

As Anaheim players celebrated all over the field, the best hitter in the world watched from a dark corner of the Giants' dugout. Bonds knew this moment could have been his — a day earlier, it almost was.

'You want the results to be different," Bonds said. "They outplayed us, they deserve it. They beat us. They're world champions.'

In Game 6, the Giants blew

inning. In Game 7, San Francisco never got close to winning its first title.

"The turning point was basically they came back last night," Giants manager Dusty Baker said.

His 3-year-old bat boy son, Darren, took it hard. He wailed as his dad carried him from the dugout.

Bonds closed out one of the most dominant overall Series performances ever, yet it wasn't enough. He went 8-for-17 (.471) with four homers and a .700 on-base percentage.

After watching the Angels party. Bonds walked down the dugout and picked up his glove. He walked back, tapped his son on the back and walked down the runway.

"I went 1-for-3 with a

(Courtesy photo)

supposed to go 3-for-3 with three home runs?" Bonds said. "What do you want from

The highest-scoring Series in history came down to pitching, as it always seems to do in October. And Lackey and the bullpen gave Anaheim enough

to win baseball's first all wildcard matchup.

The Angels became the eighth straight home team to win Game 7 of the World Series. History was on their side from the start and so was an omen — a skywriting plane put a gigantic halo over Edison Field before the first

The Rally Monkey was ready, but the mascot only showed up a couple of times on the video scoreboard.

"We love the monkey because of what it does for us. It's a good-luck charm," Lackey said. "But it's good not to see him because that means we're winning."

Lackey, pitching on three days' rest, became only the second rookie to win Game 7 of the Series. He joined Babe Adams, who pitched Pittsburgh past Ty Cobb and Detroit in 1909.

Lackey wasn't even with the Angels, stuck in Triple-A, when they went 6-14 for the worst start in team history. But with both staffs worn down, the 24-year-old righty gave Anaheim exactly what it needed with five innings of one-run

"It's not bad. This is where you want to be," Lackey said. "It's a long way from Salt Lake." Anderson, now due to get

the recognition he's always deserved, hit a three-run double off Livan Hernandez in the third for a 4-1 lead.

into a situation where I'd be able to hit my pitch, not do too much," Anderson said.

Brendan Donnelly, Francisco Rodriguez and Troy Percival closed it for manager Mike Scioscia's bunch. Percival escaped a two-on, one-out jam for his third save of the Series.

"Unbelievable for us, for our fans," Percival said. "This team has worked as hard as any team ever. We deserve it."

And when it was over, Southern California, the land of celluloid stars, had just added a whole teamful of them while Hollywood luminaries Pierce Brosnan and John Travolta watched from the stands.

It was particularly sweet for Scioscia, who won a title with Baker as players in 1981 for the Los Angeles Dodgers, the Sanders.

its neighbors to the south.

"I'm enjoying it, but what these guys have done they're going to enjoy it for a long time," Scioscia said.

After the game, Scioscia and Baker spoke on the phone.

"We had everything fall into place," Scioscia said. "If we didn't win it, you know I wanted you to. You guys are champions, hold your heads high. You're awesome."

The game might have been the last for Baker with the Giants. There are growing indications he'll soon leave, possibly to take over the Chicago Cubs or Seattle.

Before this year, the Angels were known mostly for heartbreak, epitomized by the blown save by Donnie Moore that cost them a chance to reach the 1986 Series.

Beloved owner Gene Autry never saw his team get this far before passing away, and it didn't look like these guys would do it, either, especially after finishing 41 games out of first place in 2001.

Somehow, the Angels pulled it together. They led the majors in hitting, overwhelmed the New York Yankees and Minnesota in the AL playoffs and then knocked out Bonds and Co.

"Wherever he is, my husband is smiling down at these ballplayers and he's having a wonderful time watching me get drowned in champagne," Jackie Autry said.

Owned by The Walt Disney Co., the Angels are still for sale. Before then, though, they can certainly travel the 3 miles or so to Disneyland to enjoy this most improbable championship. That's where the victory parade will be Tuesday.

"This has taken over as the happiest place on earth "Well, I just wanted to get tonight,". Disney chairman Michael Eisner said.

Anaheim and the Giants combined for a record 85 runs and 21 homers. Hernandez had been 6-0 lifetime in the postseason before losing twice to the Angels.

Hernandez walked Scott Spiezio with two outs in the second and Bengie Molina followed with a double that tied it

Molina added another double, and the hits were his way of honoring his father who was faraway. Earlier Sunday, former outfielder amateur Benjamin Molina Santana was in Puerto Rico, where he was inducted into the island's hall of fame.

The Giants took a 1-0 lead in the second on singles by Benito Santiago and J.T. Snow and a sacrifice fly by Reggie

Scioscia leads Angels to victory **By STEVE WILSTEIN**

RUN LIKE THE WIND! Brian Yates, left, and Nathan Furgason,

right, with the Sidekicks soccer team, sponsored by Top O' Texas Ice,

race like the wind down the sidelines toward the goal during a recent

game at the soccer complex on South Naida. The players are members

of team with the Under 6 Boys division of the Pampa Soccer

AP Sports Writer

ager Dusty Baker.

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ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — In his moment of triumph. Mike Scioscia didn't forget his old

teammate and mentor. Amid the Anaheim Angels' wild celebration of their World Series championship Sunday night, Scioscia paused to write a note and asked an aide to take it to San Francisco man-

Moments later, the phone rang in Scioscia's

"We had everything fall into place," Scioscia told Baker after the Angels' 4-1 victory in Game 7. "If we didn't win it, you know I wanted you to. You guys are champions. Hold your heads high. You're awesome."

Scioscia was the kind of player who was always thoughtful, a catcher who asked questions and listened.

He turned into the kind of manager who listened to veterans not much younger than himself on the Angels, won their respect and led them to a championship in only his third sea-

Scioscia learned from Tommy Lasorda. He asked a million questions of Roy Campanella. He found a friend and teacher in Baker, who was 10 years older and had the locker next to him in the Los Angeles Dodgers' clubhouse. Scioscia learned from all of them, and oth-

ers in the Dodgers' organization, that champions are built on the fundamentals of the game, playing baseball the right way. Roxie Campanella, the great catcher's

widow, was in the dugout after the game Sunday night.

"I feel so happy for Mike," she said. "Roy loved him from his first game and stuck with him. Roy taught him everything that he knew, and he wanted to know everything."

Don't throw this one Troy — it's the Series MVP trophy

By RONALD BLUM **AP Sports Writer**

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — Troy Glaus can stop throwing

his equipment now. He's tossed his helmet, tossed his bat.

He's not going to throw around the World Series MVP trophy.

Glaus, who won the honor after Anaheim's 4-1 victory over San Francisco on Sunday night, is the Angels' fire.

And when the championship was securely in their hands, what made him happiest was coming through for those halo-wearing, monkeywaving fans, some coming to games for four decades, hoping for this moment.

"These fans have been waiting a long, long time for this," Glaus said. "And I know we're all happy to be part of the team to bring it to

them." Glaus, the AL home run champion two years ago when he hit 47, symbolized a team that came back to win the World Series following a 6-14 start, bringing the trophy to

Anaheim for the first time in the Angels' 42 seasons.

He was knocked down by Jason Schmidt in Game 5. He was knocked down by

Russ Ortiz in Game 6. He bounced back up both times, just the way the Angels did in the Series.

"Actually, we've had that way of thinking all year," Glaus said. "No matter what we came up against, we were going to play hard and leave it all out there, and that's what we did here."

On a team where many players stood out, Glaus had the most consistent Series, batting .385 (10-for-26) with three doubles, three home runs and eight RBIs.

He homered twice in Anaheim's opening 4-3 loss and hit a two-run drive in Game 4, another 4-3 defeat.

His biggest hit didn't go over the wall, but instead swung the momentum of the Series.

When he came up in the eighth inning of Game 6 Saturday night, with the Angels having clawed back to 5-4 after trailing by five runs,

his two-run double off Robb Nen sent the Angels on to a 6-5 win and gave them life when they could have been going home.

'Baseball is a funny game. Anything can happen," he said then. "Our goal today was to get to Game 7. Now we're giving ourselves that chance."

Perhaps because the 26year-old third baseman from Tarzana has 20-12 1/2 vision (with contacts), he can see the future better than most.

Before Wednesday, his first six homers of the postseason had been solo shots, including a go-ahead drive in the eighth inning of Game 3 against Minnesota, another hit that pivoted the postseason for the Angels.

He didn't do much in Game 7, going 0-for-2 with a pair of walks, but on Saturday he turned the Series around.

"I don't really know if there's anybody on our club that has gotten attention that's probably in line with their accomplishments," Angels manager Mike Scioscia said before the game. "I think Troy, in the baseball community, gets all the respect he deserves. I don't think there's

any team that doesn't know Troy's talent.

"As far as the fans getting a chance to see Troy play, forming their own ides on him, I think it's great. They're going to see an incredibly talented young player."

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Seahawks down Cowboys, 17-14, in record setting game

By JAIME ARON **AP Sports Writer**

IRVING, Texas (AP) - On Trent Dilfer's final pass of the season, he hopped on his left foot and threw a 6-yard completion to Shaun Alexander.

Dilfer had to hop. The Achilles' tendon in his right foot had torn, ending his season in the second quarter of the Seattle Seahawks' 17-14 victory over the Dallas Cowboys and new rushing record-holder Emmitt Smith on Sunday.

"I feel so bad for him," Seattle coach Mike Holmgren said. "It's been an unlucky year for him."

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Jacksonville Jaguars.

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JACKSONVILLE,

(AP) — Seth Payne and Gary

Walker enjoyed a feeling that

came far too infrequently in

their final years with the

With a team full of former

Jacksonville players and

coaches, the expansion

Houston Texans won for the

first time on the road Sunday,

21-19 over the downtrodden

return set up Kris Brown's 45-

yard game-winning field goal

with 2:11 remaining. Kailee

Wong sacked Mark Brunell

twice to thwart Jacksonville's

Jaguars coach Tom Coughlin

as he left the field, and with

that, any question over

whether it was better to be in

Jacksonville on this day were

pathetic, and that's where we

are right now," Coughlin said

after losing his third straight

and dropping to 3-4. "It was

joyous for the Texans (2-5),

who snapped a five-game los-

ing streak and looked right at

zone said it all: "All our Ex's

play in Texas," and on this

day, the Jaguars probably

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AP Sports Writer

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Valter Payton's Statistics by The Associated Press

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Matt Hasselbeck started the opener when Dilfer was out with a sprained knee, and now the job is his again. He played well in relief Sunday, going 12-of-19 for 131 yards with an interception that bounced off a receiver's hands.

Hasselbeck completed his first five passes and his second drive ended in Seattle's first touchdown. His other two scoring drives both came on the series following Dallas touchdowns, which is especially impressive for a team that was winless on the road.

"We needed him to be playing well and he did. He'll be our quarterback for the rest

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Houston wins on the road in Jacksonville

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Fred Taylor to 84 yards, and

the Jaguars gained only 290

yards. Payne was lining up

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Jacksonville's plays in the first

they started changing things a

little," Payne said. "Then, we

got to just playing football,

and things worked out pretty

maybe former defensive coor-

dinator Dom Capers deserves

the most credit for the victory.

the Houston coach called for

punt returner Jabar Gaffney to

throw back across the field to

Aaron Glenn. Glenn took the

lateral and ran 42 yards

through open field to give

Houston the ball at the

Jacksonville 33. Four plays

later, Brown's field goal put

and make a play, catch the ball

"It was just go out there

the Texans ahead.

With 3 minutes remaining,

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Boselli, the All-Pro left

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said. "He was excited to get into the game. I though he did a good job of playing within himself."

The victory party was a bit muted for the Seahawks (2-5) after receiver Darrell Jackson had a seizure in the locker room. Jackson, taken to a hospital in stable condition, sustained a concussion when hit by safety Darren Woodson in the fourth quarter.

"He kept breathing the whole time and recovered from the seizure and was a bit confused afterwards," team physician Ed Khalfayan said. 'He was not receptive to any information and had moveof the season," Holmgren ments in his extremities."

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Jacksonville. "It feels real

expansion team with nothing

buoyant optimism from their

earlier three-game winning

"This is a low point for

Two weeks removed from a

concussion, Jacksonville's

Mark Brunell still doesn't look

the same. He went 16-for-34

for 202 yards. He was sacked

five times and took a vicious

helmet-to-helmet hit from

Walker, although the quarter-

got our butts kicked,"

Coughlin said. "There is no

explanation. No other words

explosive. David Carr went

11-for-18 for 184 yards, and

Houston had only 242 total

first time since opening week,

when they beat Dallas in a

game most people called their

The Texans won for the

The Texans were far from

"Offensively, up front, we

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Emmitt Smith Career Stats

By The Associated Press

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The drama in the visiting locker room played out while the Cowboys (3-5) were celebrating Smith's feat.

Walter Smith broke Payton's record with 9:10 left on an 11-yard run through the left side. He finished with 109 yards on 24 carries, both season highs, to give him 16,743 yards over his 13-year career. Payton had 16,726 yards over 13 seasons.

"I'm still moving on and don't plan on stopping any time soon," Smith said.

Another milestone for the Cowboys was Woodson setting the franchise record for tackles. With his second of eight on the day, he broke the that he needed to make."

mark set by linebacker Lee Roy Jordan.

While Smith and Woodson reaped the rewards of long careers, Dallas quarterback Chad Hutchinson was just starting his.

Playing his first game since he was a sophomore at Stanford in 1997, Hutchinson went 12-of-24 for 145 yards with a 39-yard touchdown to Joey Galloway. He was sacked twice and had no intercep-

"Chad did some good things," Cowboys coach Dave Campo said. "He made no mistakes from my point of view and did make the plays

Smith breaks Payton's career rushing record

By STEPHEN HAWKINS **AP Sports Writer**

IRVING, Texas (AP) — Emmitt Smith never considered leaving Texas Stadium without the NFL's career rushing record. He even dressed for the occasion.

Smith went through four No. 22 jerseys during his historic game Sunday. But under them all he kept on the same white T-shirt, one with his image on the Dallas Cowboys star logo, the phrase "All Time" and the number 16,727 — a yard more than the late Walter Payton had.

With an 11-yard run in the fourth quarter against the Seattle Seahawks that was classic Emmitt, he became No. 1.

Smith cut left, saw a hole and plunged through it. He got tripped up, but put his right hand down to keep his balance and surged forward. And past Payton.

"Trust me, I knew what I needed," Smith said. "Once I broke the line of scrimmage I knew that would have to be

The 33-year-old Smith wanted to get the record at home, and he knew this was his last chance because the Cowboys play their next two games on the road. So he went out and had his best game of the season.

Smith ran for 109 yards on 24 carries, both season highs, and scored a touchdown, giving the Dallas fans something to remember even though their team lost 17-14. Many of them even stayed around for a postgame celebration.

"To do it in front of the home crowd makes history of this magnitude such a special thing," Smith said. "I've learned how special it is when I saw Cal Ripken go through what he went saw the fan reaction."

fans before making his way to a star-shaped stage in the middle of the field.

Smith gave an eloquent speech filled with thankyous and memories, and then was presented a silver football from Cowboys owner Jerry Jones before the team unfurled a banner that reads: "All-Time Leading Rusher ... 22 ... Emmitt Smith."

With the song "Simply the Best" blaring, Smith looked at the banner and squeezed his eyes shut trying to gather himself. But the tears flowed as he embraced Jones.

Among the others there to share the moment were Payton's mother and brother, Pat Summerall, Marcus Allen, Daryl Johnston and Michael Irvin, who said: "We all want to thank Emmitt for allowing us to enjoy every yard."

Midway through his 13th season, Smith has 16,743

year career in 1987 with 16.726. Smith broke Payton's record for career carries earlier this season and topped his yardage record in his 193rd game; Payton played 190.

Payton, who played his entire career for the Chicago Bears and earned the nickname "Sweetness" for his beautiful playing style, died in November 1999 from cancer. He was 45.

Payton once said he wanted "to set the record so high that the next person who tries for it, it's going to bust their heart." Smith has displayed so much heart that Payton's widow, Connie, said he would've been happy to see No. 22 take the title.

"So, I didn't bust my heart, but I sure worked hard and tried to get here," Smith said. "I don't know how long it's going to last. I don't know if you are going to find anybody to do it with one team like Walter did it and like I did it."

The rushing record had been a goal for Smith since he scribbled it on a piece of paper before going to his first Cowboys training camp in

Now the running back whose denigrators have said he was too small and too slow has proved them wrong and reached his goal.

Smith got the record on his 20th carry Sunday, getting just enough yards to pass Payton and sustain the 1-yard loss he had on his first carry after play resumed.

After the play, Smith ran to midfield and was lifted by fullback Robert Thomas. He took the ball to the sideline and shared long hugs with former and current teammates. He and Johnston had an extended embrace.

"The reason I wanted to continue to play when I got hurt was to be on the field career."

the same drive. After the 1yard loss, he exploded for 14 yards - his sixth carry of at least 10 yards - and had consecutive 1-yard runs, the second his 150th career rushing TD, extending his own NFL record and tying the game at

Seattle then drove for Rian Lindell's 20-yard field goal with 25 seconds left, but it was still Smith's

for me, my family and the Payton family," Smith said. "Because without Payton doing what he did in the National Football League and representing all he represented, he wouldn't have given a young man like myself a dream, something to shoot after and a person to look up to and try to emulate in every way possible."

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Your personality melts others' natural thoughts and ideas. Someone praises

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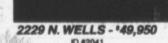
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U.S. diplomat shot dead outside his home in Jordan

By JAMAL HALABY ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER

AMMAN, Jordan (AP) An assassin pumped eight shots into an American diplomat outside his home Monday in the first known killing of a Western envoy in the Jordanian capital.

The U.S. Embassy identified the victim as Laurence Foley, an employee of the U.S. Agency for International Development mission in Jordan, which handles foreign Bush deeply regretted the

aid and humanitarian programs.

While Jordan is officially allied with the United States, anti-American sentiment has been rising with public opposition to a threatened U.S. attack on Iraq, Jordan's eastern neighbor and primary trading partner. The kingdom's 1994 peace treaty with Israel also has made it a target for Muslim militants and terrorist groups.

White House spokesman Ari Fleischer said President shooting. However, Fleischer, speaking to reporters aboard Air Force One en route to New Mexico, said it was too early to say whether the attack was terror-related.

"The investigation is just getting under way," Fleischer said. "We don't rule that out but we won't go beyond that for the moment.'

Jordanian Information Minister Mohammed Affash Adwan would not speculate on whether terrorists were involved, but called the attack "an aggression on Jordan and its national security."

Foreign Minister Marwan Muasher went to the U.S. Embassy to express condolences and pro.nised swift action to catch the shooter.

"The Jordanian government is going to deal seriously with this horrible crime," the Jordanian news agency Petra quoted him as saying.

The gunman escaped and there was no immediate claim of responsibility.

The U.S. Embassy said in a statement that U.S. authorities "are working closely with Jordanian officials to investigate this horrible crime." The embassy warned Americans to "remain vigilant."

The estimated 3,000-strong American community in Jordan generally consider Amman safe, despite occasional warnings of security

The American Embassy in Amman, one of the largest in the Mideast, is known as "the fortress" for its high walls and sprawling structure. Anti-American demonstrations are less common and smaller than in other Arab capitals, and usually tied to protests against Israel.

Security was immediately increased at other embassies and diplomatic missions. In an unusual scene for Amman,

red beret-clad special forces riding jeeps mounted with machine-guns escorted diplomatic vehicles through the

Foley, 62, was shot as he walked to his car at 7:30 a.m., according to a senior Jordanian security official, speaking on condition of

from a 7 mm pistol, he said. Foley died instantly, Adwan said.

anonymity. The bullets came

While initial reports spoke of "gunmen," the official said the preliminary investigation indicated that one gunman, working with accomplices, killed Foley. Doctors who performed the autopsy recovered eight bullets from the head, chest and abdomen.

Jordanian security officials said Foley's wife called police after the attack outside his house in a middle-class district of Amman.

Neighbors said they did not hear any gunshots, raising questions about whether a silencer was used. The Jordanian security official said only that the attack was apparently "well-organized and well-planned."

Large numbers of police searched the shooting scene for fingerprints and other evi-

"We are all sad for his

killing because he and his wife were a nice couple and everybody liked them in the neighborhood," said one veiled woman, who gave her name only as Um-Ayman.

Another Jordanian neighbor, Um-Saeed Sbeih, said Foley and his wife would walk their dog every day and always wave and greet them in Arabic.

"It is a hideous crime, who ever did it should be punished," she said. "Why should ordinary people get killed and punished for the crimes of their leaders? We like the American people and we were happy to have this man as a neighbor.'

On Sept. 27, the U.S. government said had received uncorroborated information indicating that, as of this summer, a member of Osama bin Laden's al-Qaida terror network was considering a plan to kidnap U.S. citizens in Jordan.

State Department Spokesman Richard Boucher said then that the government could not determine whether the threat was credible or when it would be implement-

The U.S. Embassy in Jordan notified Americans to be vigilant, and renewed that warning Monday.

West Texas A&M to host Mystery Dinner Theatre

CANYON - West Texas A&M University students will have the opportunity to put their problem-solving skills to work at the Mystery Dinner mystery will be acted out by Theatre set for 7 p.m. Saturday, students from the theatre Nov. 2 in the Mary Moody Northen Hall Atrium.

The event, sponsored by the WTAMU Theatre Department, tery and pinpoint the villain of Student Activities Council, the

Multicultural Center and the Residence Hall Association, will begin with a catered dinner, during which scenes of a department. Those in attendance will be given the opportunity to try to solve the mysthe story.

This year's Mystery Dinner Theatre marks the first time theatre students have taken part in the annual event. In the future, organizers hope to use proceeds from the event to support the WTAMU theatre department through scholar-

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