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Saddam's 'Shiite Thug' captured

BY ELLEN KNICKMEYER ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER

Saddam Hussein's most-feared lieutenants was in U.S. hands Tuesday,

banned for decades under Saddam. discovered more than \$600 million in wanted list to be caught so far. \$100 U.S. bills behind a false wall in have been found in various places, he sands of people died in the revolt. Iraqi Congress, the leading exile group.

ingredients and equipment that Iraq a top Shiite cleric.

may have been using to make chemical BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — One of rebuilding of Iraq, visited the northern most-wanted regime figures. Kurdish region.

Al-Zubaydi was known as opposition groups have also accused

weapons. And Jay Garner, the retired was No. 18 — the queen of spades — now in custody. A ninth figure, Ali American general overseeing the in the U.S. military's 55-card deck of Hassan al-Majid - known as

Al-Zubaydi was considered one of Muhammad Hamza al-Zubaydi, the most brutal figures in the regime to have been killed in an airstrike. while hundreds of thousands of Shiite who was captured Monday by the Iraqi and was listed in a U.S. State Muslims crowded two holy cities in a opposition and turned over to Department report titled "Iraq: Crimes burial shrine of Imam Ali, son-in-law fervent pilgrimage that had been American authorities for trial on war- Against Humanity, Leaders as of the Prophet Muhammad - and crimes charges, is the highest-ranking Executioners." A Shiite himself, he U.S. soldiers trying to stop looting figure on the U.S. military's most- was once featured in an Iraqi videotape grandson, was martyred in the 7th cenbrutalizing Shiite dissidents.

Iraq. Central Command spokesman Saddam's "Shiite Thug" for his role in of the most hated men in the former age, which culminates on Thursday. Brig. Gen. Vincent Brooks said. A total Iraq's bloody suppression of the Shiite regime," said Haider Ahmad, a more than 800 explosive suicide vests. Muslim uprising of 1991. Tens of thou-spokesman, for the Iraqi, National, were forbidden to march. This year,

The INC said it arrested al-Zubaydi ners of mourning. The U.S. military said it has found al-Zubaydi of the 1999 assassination of hiding out in Hillah, a town about 60 miles south of Baghdad.

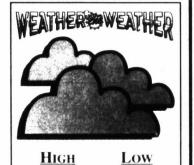
A former prime minister, al-Zubaydi Eight of the 55 most-wanted are

"Chemical Ali" for his use of poison gas against Iraq's Kurds — is believed

Shiites streamed toward Najaf — Karbala, where Hussein, Muhammad's tury. Up to 2 million Shiites are expect-"This is very significant — he is one ed to take part in the annual pilgrim-

> During Saddam's rule, the Shiites they marched openly under black ban-

> > (See IRAQ, Page 2)



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LOCAL

Dance to benefit Miami Volunteer EMS

MIAMI - Miami Volunteer EMS plans a country/western dance featuring "Shiela" and Texas Lawmen Saturday, April 26, to help raise funds for the volunteer ambulance service. The dance is 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., Saturday, in the Miami -Roberts County Volunteer Fire Barn. Tickets are \$6 in advance or \$7.50 at the door. For more information or tickets, call 806-664-3128.

STATE

Supreme Court to hear Texas death row appeal

WASHINGTON (AP) Supreme Court justices could use an appeal from one of Texas' longest-serving death row inmates to re-examine rules for evaluating whether a lawyer's poor performance affects the outcome of a trial.

DEATHS

Tommy R. Dane. 76, homemaker.

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\$4.3 mil. find DPS discovers cocaine stash in RV Texas Department of Public Michael Wayne Crosby, 48, Safety troopers near McLean and Tamara Stanford, 31, both

this weekend discovered of Goodyear, Ariz., were cocaine valued at \$4.3 million charged Saturday with possesin a motorhome they had sion of a controlled substance. stopped on Interstate 40 on a They remain in the Wheeler traffic violation.

Two persons in the vehicle—bail each. were arrested on felony possession of a controlled substance charge of possessing a con-

Saturday, April 19, on east- \$10,000 on that charge. bound I-40 near McLean.

ers located 43,130 grams of release cocaine. Estimated street value according to the DPS.

By NANCY YOUNG

Managing Editor

\$100,000 in drugs out of cir-

culation Monday when 174

pounds of marijuana was dis-

covered during a routine traf-

Caravan at 12:39 p.m.

Esqueda said the driver did

driver and passenger, Esqueda

approximately 15 to 20 bun

more bundles in a false com-

sion to search the vehicle.

not have a seat belt on.

County Jail.

County Jail in lieu of \$125,000

Crosby faces a second trolled substance in a correc-Trooper Jason Henderson tional facility for allegedly havstopped a 1990 Chevrolet ing smuggled drugs into the motorhome about 6:30 p.m., county facility. Bail was set at

Investigators believe the The two occupants of the cocaine originated in Pheonix, motorhome gave verbal consent. Ariz., and was destined for to search the vehicle and troop- Boston, Mass., according to the

Henderson said of the cocaine is \$4,313,000, motorhome and a pistol were seized, also.

Another I-40 stop nets

\$100,000 in marijuana partment in the floorboard of the vehicle.

DeJuan Anthony Jordan, Department of Public 27, of Indianapolis, Ind., driv-Safety troopers took another er of the vehicle, was arrested for possession of marijuana over 50 pounds and under 2,000 pounds.

Jordan was also arrested for fic stop on I-40 between failure to identify as a fugitive Groom and McLean. Two from justice. Upon checking, Indiana residents are in Gray Esqueda discovered he was wanted for sexual misconduct Trooper Oscar Esqueda with a minor out of Johnson stopped a 1997 purple Dodge County in Indiana.

Larry Steven Shute, 21, of Monday at Mile Marker 115 Indianapolis, Ind., was a paseast on I-40 for driving 80 senger in the vehicle. He also miles an hour in an area where is owner of the vehicle which the speed limit is 70. Also, is registered in California.

Esqueda said District Attorney Rick Roach may Upon talking with with the seize the vehicle.

Jordan and Shute were asked for and received permisenroute from Los Angeles to Indiana when they were He said he discovered stopped.

Jordan is being held on a dles of marijuana in a false \$25,000 bond for possession compartment in the dash and of marijuana, \$2,000 bond for

(See BUST, Page 2)



WASHINGTON (AP) The Bush administration plans to call for an international donors conference to raise money for Iraq's rebuilding. but it has no current estimate of the final bill, the Pentagon's budget chief said Tuesday.

Dov Zakheim, the Pentagon comptroller, said a number of countries already are providing or pledging assistance. even before U.S.-led combat operations in Iraq are declared

water purification system for Baghdad, he said.

there will be more international interest in investing in Iraq's reconstruction than in the case of Afghanistan, which has less appealing prospects for economic revitalization. The initial donors conference on Afghanistan produced pledges of about \$2 billion, but the

est in getting the Iraqis going because, let's face it; the

'There should be a country that is organized and arranged in a way that the various ethnic groups and religious groups are able to have a voice in their government in some form.'

> - Donald Rumsfeld **Defense Secretary**

subsistence economy," he said in an Associated Press interview, "whereas Iraq is one of The United Arab Emirates, the few Middle Eastern counfor example, is contributing a tries that is blessed with both oil and water — in great amounts — which means that Zakheim said he believed it has a naturally balanced economy.

Zakheim said an international donors conference guaranteed. Some demonstrawould be held after the World Bank gets a team of experts into Iraq to assess its needs. He said that assessment would Islamic republic similar to take about six weeks.

A spokesman for Zakheim. Bush administration com- Lt. Col. Gary Keck, said later plained for months that donors that it was not yet clear were slow in giving the whether the donors conference would be held under United "There's tremendous inter- Nations auspices or through that is organized and arranged some other organization.

Zakheim said France, groups and religious groups Afghan economy has been a Germany and Russia - coun-

tries that strongly opposed President Bush's decision to invade Iraq - have not yet offered assistance. He would not say whether they would be welcomed as investors in Iraq's future.

In addition to the estimated \$25 billion it has spent on fighting the war so far, the United States has pledged \$550 million for reconstruction, and Britain has pledged \$330 million, Zakheim said. Australia and Japan have pledged \$100 million, Spain \$56 million and Norway and the Netherlands \$21 million

On Monday, Defense Secretary Donald H. Rumsfeld said the United States expects an eventual government of Iraq to be a democracy where the rights of minorities are tors in Iraq, particularly from the Shiite Muslim majority. have called recently for an Iran, where top Shiite clerics known as ayatollahs have the final say. Rumsfeld said such a government would not be truly democratic.

"There should be a country in a way that the various ethnic

(See REBUILD, Page 2)

MS2 Scotty L. Wells Branch of service: U.S. Navy Length of service: 5 1/2 years Stationed: NAS JAX, Jacksonville, Graduated: Pampa High School Family: Wife, Beth, Jacksonville, Fla.: children, Marissa and Tommy, Wellington: parents, Billie Hupp, Pampa, and the late Fred Hupp; Tommy and Johnnie Wells, Dallas. **Bush administration expects**

Golfers... be sure to sign up early for the Pampa Partnership Golf Tournament to be held on May 17th & 18th. Maximum of 72 teams. Two players per team. \$65.00 fee per golfer. \$30.00 cart fee. The tournament will be played May 17th at Hidden Hills Golf Course and on May 18th at Pampa Country Club Golf Course.

POLICE

Pampa Police Department today reported the following arrests and incidents.

Monday, April 22

Jeffrey Goldsmith, 42, 922 Oklahoma, was arrested by Pampa Police Dement on a Gray County warrant for theft by check.

Earnest Lamar Huff, 68, 1045 S. Barnes, was arrested on a capias pro fine warrant for public intoxication out of Precinct 1 Justice of the Peace office.

Cloteal McGee, 37, 1209 Duncan, was arrested for possession of drug paraphernalia and a municipal warrant for no valid drivers license

Eunice M. Lymburger, 27, of Skellytown. was arrested on a Justice of the Peace warrant for issuance of a bad check.

Lucinda D. Tollison, 25, 1136 Terry Road. was arrested on a warrant for driving with license suspended.

Gary E. Robinson, 216 S. Tignor, was arrested on warrants for no drivers license and no insurance

An offense against family was reported in the 1100 block of West Gwendolyn.

Theft was reported in the 100 block of North Sumner. According to the police report, no charges are sought due to a civil agreement.

A firearm was reported stolen in the 200 block of Tignor.

Two arrests were made in the 900 block of Huff

A cell phone was reported lost in the 1700 block of North Dogwood.

Burglary of a motor vehicle was reported in the 1800 block of North Banks. Two stereo amplifiers were reported stolen. Estimated loss was \$450. According to the police report, there was no forced entry.

Criminal mischief was reported in the 1300 block of Garland when the front glass was broken out by a BB gun. Estimate of damages is \$150.

A window of a residence in the 2100 block of North Duncan was reported to be shot out by a BB gun. Estimate of damages was \$55.

Theft in the 700 block of North Banks was reported. Items reported stolen were two swamp coolers and miscellaneous fishing equipment. According to the police report, the items were stolen from a shed. Estimate of loss is \$900.

ON RECORD

Pampa Fire Department responded to the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

FIRE

Monday, April 21

9:28 a.m. - One unit and three firefighters responded to an arcing power line in the 1200 block of South Barnes.

SHERIFF

Gray County Sheriff's Department today reported the following arrests.

Monday, April 21

Cheryl Chelle, 28, of Amarillo, was arrested for violation of probation. Original charges were obtaining controlled substance and fraud.

Tommy Roy Carver, 46, 900 E. Brown, was arrested for assault, evading and resisting

Larry Steven Shute, 21, of Indianapolis, Ind, was arrested by Department of Public Safety troopers for possession of marijuana over 50 pounds and under 2,000 pounds.

DeJuan Jordan, 27, of Indianapolis, Ind. was arrested by DPS troopers for possession of marijuana over 50 pounds and under 2,000 pounds and for failure to identify as a fugitive

Donna Lynn Boyd, 49, 445 Graham, was arrested by DPS troopers for driving while intoxicated and a Precinct 1 Justice of the Peace warrant for no drivers license.

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Today's forecast is calling for mostly to 25 mph with gusts to around 35 mph. cloudy skies, breezy, chance of showers and thunderstorms (30 percent chance of rain), highs in the mid 60s and southeast winds 15 to 25 mph. Caution is advised on area lakes. Tonight should see mostly cloudy skies, chance of showers and thunderstorms (50 per cent change of rain), lows in the lower 50s and southeast winds 15 to 25 mph. Wednesday should be partly cloudy. Breezy. Chance of showers and thunderstorms. Highs in the mid 70s. South winds 15 to 25 mph with gusts to around 35 mph. Chance of rain 40 percent. Wednesday night, partly cloudy. Breezy. Slight chance of showers and thunderstorms in the evening. Lows in the mid 40s. West winds 15

Chance of rain 20 percent. Thursday, partly cloudy. Breezy. Highs in the mid 70s. Northwest winds 15 to 25 mph with gusts to around 35 mph. Thursday night, partly cloudy. Breezy. Lows in the mid 40s. Friday, partly cloudy. Breezy. Highs in the mid 70s. Friday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the mid 40s. Saturday, partly cloudy. Highs in the mid 70s. Saturday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 40s. Sunday, partly cloudy. Slight chance of showers and thunderstorms. Highs in the mid 70s. Chance of rain 20 percent. Sunday night, mostly clear. Lows in the upper 40s. Monday, mostly sunny. Highs in the mid

STATEWIDE

clouds for the next few days and chances of rain.

Any severe weather should be isolated today. On Wednesday, West Texas may see some isolated storms, but stormy conditions will be likely in central and north Texas. On Thursday, the eastern part of the state may continue to see rain.

Clouds should break beginning Thursday and fair weather is forecast over the state this weekend.

In West Texas, it will be mostly cloudy and breezy today, partly cloudy on Wednesday and sunny the rest of the week. The region will see scattered rain today. In the Panhandle, some severe storms may develop this afternoon near the New Mexico border and move through the Panhandle and South Plains this evening.

Most of Texas will see The Permian Basin also may see some severe storms this afternoon and evening.

> On Wednesday, any severe weather should be limited to the eastern Panhandle, and clouds should decrease over the region. The cool temperatures today in the north should warm to the mid 70s tomorrow. Otherwise highs will be in the 70s and 80s this

> South Texas will be mostly cloudy through Thursday, and warming as the week progresses. A slight chance of showers and storms is forecast over the region today, with better chances in the Hill Country and south Central Texas. Chances of severe weather are slight. Rain chances continue Wednesday. with some severe storms possible in south Central Texas.

Skies should decrease Thursday in the north and Friday in the south. The weekend should be mostly clear and free of rain. Highs should be in the 70s and low 80s for the next few days, warming some by the week-

North Texas will be cloudy today and Wednesday, with evening and nighttime showers and storms possible both days. On Wednesday, it will be windy except for the east, and severe weather will be possible in the afternoon andevening, with hail and some

tornadic conditions. Rain chances will continue Thursday in the east, but skies should begin to clear elsewhere then. Friday and Saturday should be partly cloudy, with no rain in the forecast. Highs will be in the 70s today, slightly cooler Wednesday. The rest of the week will bring highs in the 70s and 80s

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REBUILD

are able to have a voice in their government in some form." Rumsteld said at a Pentagon news conference. "And we hope (for) a system that will be democratic and have free speech and free press and freedom of religion."

States will not keep its military forces in Iraq longer than necessary to stabilize the country. He denied a news

report that the United States was planning a long-term military relationship with Iraq that would grant American access to air bases in Baghdad

and elsewhere in the country.

"It's flat false," Rumsfeld said, adding that the subject had not even been raised with

options and opportunities in that part of the world to locate forces," he said. It's not like we need a new place."

CARSON CO. SHERIFF

Carson County Sheriff's Department arrested on warrant out of Abilene Police reported the following arrests during the week of April 14-20. Eight persons were arrested by Carson County officers during the week.

Eleven persons are currently incarcerated in the jail and an additional 18 prisoners are being held in other jurisdictions.

ARRESTS April 14-20

Julio Rodriguez, 29, of Rogers, Ark., was arrested on Department of Public Safety traffic warrants.

Adam Ramsower, 22, of Flagstaff, Ariz., was arrested for possession of marijuana over 50 pounds but less than 2,000 pounds.

Department. Loyd Morris, 34, of Pampa, was arrested

for violation of a protective order. Rudy Pena, 28, of Fritch, was arrested for evading arrest or detention, and attempting to

take a weapon from a law enforcement offi-Brandon Lorenz, 25, of Fritch, was arrested for possession of drug paraphernalia, driving while license suspended and possession

of chemical substance. Danny Pearson, 26, of Santa Fe, N.M., was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

Alberto Villavisencio, 33, of Albuquerque, Walter Kessler, 40, of Roswell, N.M., was N.M., was arrested for public intoxication.

AMBULANCE

Rural/Metro Ambulance reported the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Monday, April 21

8:32 a.m. – A mobile ICU responded to the 2100 block of Mary Ellen; one patient was transported to Pampa Regional Medical Center.

10:38 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 1200 block of North Wells; one patient was transported to PRMC.

12:46 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to PRMC; one patient was transported to BSAW in Amarillo.

2:44 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 1200 block of North Wells; one patient was transported to PRMC.

8:11 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 1100 block of East Frederic; one patient was transported to PRMC.

9:56 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded in the 2200 block of North Nelson; one patient was transported to PRMC.

10:31 p.m. – A mobile ICU responded to PRMC; one patient was transported to

OBITUARIES

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BRANDON, Betty Dillman — Funeral mass, 10 a.m., St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, Pampa.

TOMMY R. DANE

1926-2003

TOMBALL, Texas - Tommy Ruth Dane, 76, passed away, April 13, 2003, in Tomball, Texas, at the home of her daughter, Kathy Lee, with whom she lived for the past nine years. Tommy Ruth was born in Corpus Christi, Texas, on December 16, 1926, to Thomas and Alberta North.

Preceding her in death were her parents and her husband, B.W. Dane.

Tommy Ruth and B.W. married in 1945 and made their home in the Rio Grande Valley. They lived there and farmed for almost fifty years together. Tommy Ruth was a charter member of B.P.O. Does drove #90. She served as president during the year 1965. She recently received her fifty year pin.

In 1995 at the age of 68, she surrendered her life to Christ and was baptized at First Baptist Church of Tomball. She had attended Southwinds Baptist Church of Tomball when possible for the last several years. Though not able to attend church services regularly due to health problems, she spent time every day with the Lord in prayer and reading her daily devo-

Her favorite pastimes included feeding and watching the birds and squirrels at her home, reading, sewing, and most especially playing

with and watching her two great-grandsons. Ethan, 2 years, and Gabriel, 4 months whom she loved dearly.

She is survived by her three children, Thomas Dane and wife, Joan of Harlingen, Karin Sutherland and husband, Gary of Pampa, Texas, and Kathy Lee and husband, Michael of Tomball, Texas. She is also survived by grandchildren, James Thomas Dane of Salt Lake City, Utah, Scott W., Shawn M., and Joseph P. Dane of Austin, Texas, Courtney Resendiz of Harlingen, Jason and Noah Sutherland of Pampa, Texas, Anita Staton and Caleb Lee of Tomball and Lisa Minchew of Conroe. Also by seven beloved great grandchildren, Lauren Resendiz, Kenadie, Lauren and Colin Sutherland, Zane Sutherland, Ethan Staton and Gabriel Minchew.

Visitation hours were held Wednesday, April 16, 2003, from 12 p.m. to 9 p.m. with the family present from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. to receive friends at the funeral home.

Funeral services were held Thursday, April 17, 2003, at 2 p.m. at Buck Ashcraft Funeral Home with Reverend David Mann officiating. Burial followed to Mont Meta Memorial Park.

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Buck Ashcraft Funeral Home.

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IRAQ

"We were prohibited from visiting these shrines for a long time by the Baath Party and their agents," Abed Ali Ghilan said in Karbala. "This year we thank God for ridding us of the dictator Saddam Hussein and for letting us visit these

Karbala was packed shoulder-to-shoulder with hundreds of thousands, if not millions, of pilgrims, waving black and green flags, chanting and beating their chests. Others carried photos of famous Shiite clerics.

Men wore mostly white robes; women were cloaked head to toe in traditional black dress.

Two groups of 100 men in white robes slashed open their own heads with swords, splattering blood on those nearby. Waving the bloody blades toward the shrine and screaming with joy, some were taken away in cars for medical attention. Others washed up at a traditional Iraqi bathhouse.

Water trucks were brought in to help the crowds endure the 90-degree heat and blazing sun. Roving watermen sprayed the masses to keep them cool.

The portrait of Saddam that used to hang on the main Imam Hussein shrine was gone,

City Briefs

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The U.S. military has con-

underlining the new sense of

freedom enjoyed by Iraqi

tinued to encounter pockets of resistance. Near Mosul, coalition forces took fire from a small, disorganized force and repelled it, Brooks said. "This reminds us that there will still be firefights like this," he said.

The Army's V Corps took responsibility for security over all of Baghdad, expanding into the eastern part of the city previously overseen by the Marines, Brooks said.

The United States also increased its troop presence in the ethnically tense northern city of Mosul, sending in an Army brigade to reinforce Special Forces and Marine units that had been struggling to restore order after the collapse of Saddam's regime touched off looting, arson and gunfire. Mosul, Iraq's thirdlargest city with a population of 1.7 million, is divided between Arabs and Kurds.

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Bust

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Medical clearance expected soon for former POWs

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — Former prisoners of war from Fort Bliss who surtivity in Iraq are on track for release from an Army medical center.

The commander of William Beaumont Army Medical Center said Monday that the five soldiers who returned in a jubilant homecoming over the weekend could be released to their unit Wednesday or Thursday before going on convalescent leave.

"I met with all five of them (Monday) morning to get them started on their medical workups," Col. Glenn Mitchell, the hospital commander and a doctor specializing in emergency care, told the El Paso Times in Tuesday's online edition.

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) —

When Marines from a nearby

base were called to war, Terri

Morgan's home, along the

North Carolina coast, became a

sanctuary for three snakes, a

frog that makes strange noises,

Her hospitality is part of

"Operation Semper Fide," an

effort she started on behalf of

military men and women who

have no one else to care for their

beloved pets while they serve

Using the Internet, she has

found foster families as far

away as Wisconsin and New

York for nearly 600 dogs, cats,

spiders, frogs — even a 30-foot

everybody," said Morgan, a

police animal control officer in

it, I'll take care of it," she said

Trina Sage, who served 24

years in the Air Force and lives

near Havelock, offered her

patience and fenced-in yard to a

6-month-old mutt left behind by a Marine corporal from nearby

Cherry Point Marine Corps Air.

Station.

Morgan is not alone.

"I'm taking anybody and

fish, a cockatiel and tarantulas.

"Over the next few days, they will undergo a process to make sure they didn't vived three weeks of cappick up any infections from the food and water they had in Iraq."

> The five, rescued on April 13 after spending 22 days in captivity, returned to Biggs Army Airfield on Saturday evening to cheers of thousands of onlookers waving American flags. On Monday, some of the soldiers' families received congratulations from U.S. senators touring the West Texas Army post.

The members of the Maintenance Company were taken prisoner on March 23 near Nasiriyah, Iraq. Spc. Shoshana Johnson, 30, from El Paso, had gunshot wounds to both ankles during the ambush. Although

Lupey, a part-border collie still

in need of housebreaking, "is

just my way to do my part in the

war effort to help the local

Marines," Sage said. She

already owns a dog, two cats

Lupey back when the Marine

returns for him, she knows it

said. "He's a really cute puppy.

It's going to be really hard to

will be emotionally difficult.

Although she's ready to give

"It's going to be tough," she

Those who monitor animal

welfare say a number of factors

have combined to make the

problem of pets left behind by

deployed soldiers considerably

less severe during the current

conflict than it was in the 1991

short conflict, meaning more spouses and children have

stayed near military installations

instead of heading back to

spur the creation of networks of

civilians willing to act as foster

parents to pets in need of refuge.

crisis," said Betsy McFarland,

"It does not seem to be a big

Also, the Internet helped

soldiers

and two goldfish.

give him up."

Persian Gulf War.

Fewer

hometowns.

Havelock, 130 miles east of deployed for this war, they say, Raleigh. "If they (Marines) love and many families expect a others also were wounded, they have been able to walk on their own. Johnson has around.

Nine members of the 507th were killed during the ambush and six taken prisoner, including Pfc. Jessica Lynch, who was rescued from an Iraqi hospital on April 1. She is still recovering from her injuries at the Walter Reed Army Medical Center Washington, D.C.

The 507th soldiers taken prisoner were: Johnson; Spc. Joseph Hudson, 23, Alamogordo, N.M.; Spc. Edgar Hernandez, 21, Mission; Pfc. Patrick Miller, 23, Park City, Kan.; and Sgt. James J. Riley, 31, Pennsauken, N.J.

Mitchell said the soldiers had lunch with their fami-

Military pets comforted, cared for by foster families during war

sheltering at the Humane

Society of the United States in

During the 1990-91 build up

to the Gulf War, when 500,000

soldiers were sent overseas,

shelters saw a surge in aban-

doned pets — and euthanasia,

McFarland said. This time,

about 300,000 soldiers have

been deployed, and similar

Animal Response Team, a nonprofit, state-private partnership,

expected maybe 30 volunteers

when it spread the word in

October that it needed foster

homes for pets. Instead, about

500 calls came in, said Jodi

Jackson, the team's executive

North Carolina's State

problems have been avoided.

lies Monday and spent time with them.

Some of the soldiers' required wheelchairs to get medical tests will establish a baseline for future treatment, Mitchell said. He said they were also advised about the availability of continuous treatment or support through the U.S. Navy's national Robert E. Mitchell Repatriated Prisoners of War Center in Pensacola, Fla.

"We want to be 100 percent sure they have the absolute best medical and mental health care," Mitchell said.

Following their release from the hospital, the soldiers will go on 30 days of convalescent leave before returning to duty at the

Military officials said four other members of the

'We were overwhelmed,"

Many soldiers are single and

live on-post, where command-

ers rarely allow pets. For those

who do keep animals, the mili-

tary takes no responsibility for

what happens to them during a

. deployment.

507th were wounded in the March 23 attack, including Sgt. Curtis P. Campbell, 27, of Brooklyn, N.Y., and Spc. James Grubb, '21, of Manchester, Ky., who are on leave with their families in El Paso. Cpl. Damien Luten, 24, of Indianapolis, and Sgt. Tarik Jackson, 28, of Miami, were also injured

were treated at Walter Reed. Other returnees included two First Cavalry Division Apache helicopter pilots from Fort Hood, Chief Warrant Officer Ronald D. Young Jr., 26, of Lithia Springs, Ga., and Chief Warrant Officer David S. Williams, 30, of Orlando, Fla.

in the March 23 ambush and

A Fort Bliss spokeswoman, Jean Offutt, said the post has not received any information on when other members of the 507th will return from Iraq.

bility," Pentagon spokeswoman

At the county animal shelter

in Columbus. Ga., near Fort

Benning, manager Francis

Steed said officials have been

able to keep up with the several

hundred pets left for adoption

since deployments began last

Maj. Sandra Troeber said.

Teen who shot five goes back with parents

MUSKOGEE, Okla. (AP) The middle school student who shot five Fort Gibson Middle School classmates left state custody Monday to begin his final year of psychiatric treatment before his release.

Seth Trickey was released into his parents' custody after a Muskogee County judge agreed to their request to receive a year's worth of psychiatric treatment at the Oaks Residential Treatment Center in Austin, Texas.

Associate District Judge Tom Alford also said Trickey could be set free if he success fully completes the program.

Trickey, a former honor student, was 13 when he pulled a 9 mm handgun from his backpack and fired a full clip of bullets at his classmates on Dec. 6, 1999.

A 12-year-old girl was shot in the face, three seventhgrade boys were wounded in their arms or legs and a fourth boy was grazed by a bullet that had passed through another victim.

Trickey has been held at the Oklahoma Office of Juvenile Affairs' Rader Diagnostic Treatment. Center since August 2000.

He recently completed his treatment program at Rader and graduated from high

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Serving as a foster mother to program manager for animal Senior forensic scientist fired

FORT WORTH (AP) --- A senior forensic scientist was fired from the Fort Worth police crime lab for not following procedures and for expressing concerns about her forensic knowledge, officials said.

Karla Carmichael received notice of her termination in a certified letter Saturday, said her attorney, John Hunter Smith of the Combined Law Enforcement Association of Texas. An appeal will be filed with the city's human said.

DNA testing at the lab has been suspended since October, when the results of secondopinion DNA tests done by the Tarrant County Medical Examiner's Office conflicted with results of tests done by Carmichael. That prompted prosecutors in a capital murder trial to forego seeking the death penalty.

Prosecutors said they would no longer accept the lab's work unless it was verified by the medical examiner's office or University of North Texas Health Science Center.

Carmichael was named a "senior forensic scientist" based on the number of years she had worked at the lab, not on any special qualifications, her attorney said.

"We still fall back on the position that the city of Fort Worth did not properly train Ms. Carmichael," Smith said. "However, she still stands by all of the work she's done while employed by the city."

had recently been placed on col during a proficiency test.

resources director this week, he experts with UNT, which is adviser, review the test results.

> In memos obtained by the Fort Worth Star-Telegram last week, the experts agreed that Carmichael failed the test and expressed "serious concerns" about her training and laboratory practices.

whether a criminal investigation is warranted.

from Fort Worth police crime lab

Carmichael, who has worked at the lab since 1999, paid leave after a colleague alerted lab director Phil Aviles that she failed to follow proto-

Aviles requested that DNA acting as the lab's technical

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In their review of the crime lab, the experts said they observed inconsistent dating of reports, documents missing from case folders and questions about peer reviews.

Aviles then began reviewing almost 100 DNA cases processed in the crime lab, including Carmichael's work. That prompted the department's major case unit to start an inquiry to determine

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR It's good to see participation

It's good to see a lot of participation in the upcoming election. It's nice to see some businessmen take part in our ongoing debate about the death of our PEDC.

During the election to vote out the PEDC, the business community was deathly silent about it and they are and will be the first to feel the effects of a dying economy. I didn't understand their silence then and I still don't.

If they don't take an active part in this election and help vote in progressive people to guide our community in our effort to keep our city alive, we will all suffer the consequences. Our votes should pay particular attention to how individual candidates would handle the property Celanese gave to all of us. This property could be valuable in our city acquiring much-needed industry. We should all fight tooth and nail to keep this valuable

I don't think anyone that is part of the so-called "Concerned Citizens" group should ever be elected to anything, as all they have done is try to sabotage our local government and our econ-

Calvin Lacy Pampa

Today in History

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Tuesday, April 22, the 112th day of 2003. There are 253 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On April 22, 1970, millions of Americans concerned about the environment observed the first Earth Day.

On this date:

In 1451, Queen Isabella I, who sponsored the voyages of Christopher Columbus, was born in Madrigal, Spain.

In 1509, Henry VIII ascended the throne of England followjing the death of his father, Henry VII.

In 1864, Congress authorized the use of the phrase "In God

We Trust" on U.S. coins. In 1889, the Oklahoma Land Rush began at noon as thou-

sands of homesteaders staked claims.

In 1944, during World War II, U.S. forces began invading Japanese-held New Guinea with amphibious landings near

In 1952, an atomic test conducted in Nevada became the first nuclear explosion shown on live network television. In 1954, the televised Senate Army-McCarthy hearings

In 1964, President Lyndon Johnson opened the New York

In 1983, the West German news magazine Stern announced the discovery of 60 volumes of personal diaries purportedly written by Adolf Hitler. However, the diaries turned out to be a

In 1994, Richard M. Nixon, the 37th president of the United States, died at a New York hospital four days after suffering a

Ten years ago: The U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum was dedicated in Washington D.C. to honor the victims of Nazi

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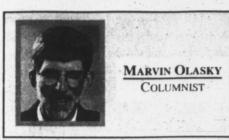
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It is possible to refine war

"War is cruelty. You cannot refine it." That's what Union Gen. William Tecumseh Sherman told Atlanta officials in 1864. But the U.S. armed forces during the past month routed both Irag's army and nearly 140 years of military doctrine.

Sherman was a military innovator, consciously going against the tradition of not waging war on civilians. During 1863, his forces in Mississippi pillaged and burned towns. In 1864 in Georgia, he ordered his men to "burn 10 or 12 houses of known secessionists, kill a few at random, and let them know it will be repeated every time a train is fired upon." In 1865, even one of Sherman's majors complained to his wife of "the frightful devastation our army was spreading" in South Carolina: "Women, children and old men turned out into the mud and rain, and their houses and furniture first plundered and then burned."

Sherman's doctrine produced victory in the short run. Had his army not taken Atlanta, a war-weary, disunited Union might well have elected Democratic candidate George McClellan rather than reelecting Abraham Lincoln. McClellan probably would have agreed to negotiations concerning Southern independence. Had Sherman not shown a willingness to wage war on civilians, the surrender of Robert E. Lee might have been followed by years of guerrilla warfare. But Sherman's success came at a price that went beyond individual suffering: for decades afterward, resentment and sometimes hatred of Yankees prevailed in parts



The American Civil War was a precursor in many ways to the wars of the 20th century. The machine guns that first emerged during the Civil War became central to the trench slaughter of World War I. Not until World War II, though, was the Sherman Doctrine taken to its extreme. Hitler's Germans tried to break British will by bombing the civilian populations of London and other cities. Children were just part of the body count. German troops in other countries replied to snipers by lining up civilians and shooting them.

Then came the counterattack. Allies dropped dumb bombs on German cities, pointing to military targets and factories but bringing huge "collateral damage." Later, American and British forces tried to break the German (and then the Japanese) will by going after civilian populations, as well. Regrettable, they acknowledged, but what was the alternative? "War is cruelty. You cannot refine it."

At the height of the Cold War, the United States planned to respond to a Soviet nuclear attack with "mutual assured destruction": They wipe out our

civilian population, we wipe out theirs. It's no surprise that the left bought into this concept, lock, stock and gun barrel, assuming during the Vietnam War years that American involvement in Southeast Asia represented cruelty, and there was no way to refine it.

This past month was refinement time, and the place was Iraq. Yes, civilian deaths sadly occurred, but destroyed military targets often sat next to undamaged civilian structures. "Smart bombs" and very smart missiles provided the opportunity for a refined war, yet human decisions were still key, with military planners selecting ordnance and time and direction of delivery to ensure the least possible chance of civilian damage. An emphasis on speed, mobility and flexibility allowed soldiers to go around potential dangers rather than roll over them.

The Sherman Doctrine died during the past month in part because of a political strategy to influence the world's opinion of the war. It died in part because of technological progress. It died in part because we recognized that Iraq's regime, and not most of its people, was to blame. But it also died because, as often as the Bible may be ignored in the United States and the United Kingdom, many American and British leaders had grown up within an ethos powerfully influenced by a biblical understanding of compassion.

"War is cruelty. You cannot refine it."

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TIM ROBBINS SAYS HE'S BEING SILENCED BY THE BUSH ADMINISTRATION...

I KNOW - I HEARD HIM ON CNN, ABC, CBS, NBC, MSNBC, MTV...





Listening to Tim Robbins whine

Poor Tim Robbins. He thinks his rights are being stripped away - that he can no longer speak out, that he's being gagged by a president he despises - yet he managed to cry about this assault on his rights to free speech in front of the nation's media, which gleefully broadcast his

He's talking about his first amendment rights being violated, but where does he make this complaint that he's being prevented from stating his views publicly? Why before the National Press Club in Washington, about the most public forum around. Moreover, that speech last Tuesday has been rebroadcast and rebroadcast all across the nation. Some

He keeps whining about Clear Channel and talk radio spewing out hatred and the dangers of limiting free speech at the very time he's threatening a correspondent from the Washington Post for having reported accurately that his live-in girlfriend's mother had said that he and her daughter, Susan Sarandon, were brainwashing her grandchild.

Free speech it seems does not apply to Washington Post reporters who write stories he doesn't like.

Robbins rails against the Iraq war - a war that was waged against a socialist regime. Could it be that he objected to an attack on fellow socialists?

Robbins' main complaint is not that



MICHAEL REAGAN COLUMNIST-

he's being gagged - he can't claim that when just about every word he speaks gets reported by the liberal media - but that the American people can't be forced to pay attention to his ranting.

He's angered because the Baseball Hall of Fame had cancelled a joint appearance with Sarandon to celebrate the anniversary of the movie "Bull Durham." He can't understand that it is the right of any group to decide to whom they want to provide a forum - he is so blinded by his unique conviction that everybody everywhere must be forced to listen to his socialist drivel, that he denies that right to the Hall of Fame and other venues which have shown the good sense to shun him.

You can stand on my doorstep and spew hatred about my father, but I'm not going to invite you into my house to attack my dad. It's my house. He's complaining because baseball said he can't come back to Cooperstown because he's so political that they are fully aware that he will use the occasion for more of his vicious anti-American ranting.

He insists that America is bitterly divid-

ed on the Iraq war. implying that more than half the nation is opposed to it - but his arithmetic is somewhat faulty - fully 73 percent of Americans support President Bush and his decision to oust Saddam Hussein and his brutal socialist regime from power.

To listen to him you would think that Americans are cringing in fear, desperately afraid to speak out. It doesn't occur to him that they are speaking out, and what they are saying is not what he wants to hear - that in overwhelming numbers they approve of the war and applaud the President's deft handling of it.

He also rants about talk radio. He simmers with hatred for the one channel that gives the American people views opposed to those espoused by the dominant mainstream media awash in liberalism.

The American people listen to talk radio, to Rush and Sean Hannity and me because we discuss the values that unite most Americans. The reason why liberals can't succeed in talk radio is that their twisted values are not only not shared by the majority of Americans, but are anathema to them.

If Tim Robbins can't get his demented views across, it's not because he's being gagged, but because his fellow Americans don't want to listen to him spewing out his hatred for George Bush and all the values they hold dear.

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Hong Kong progressing in struggle with SARS

HONG KONG (AP) -Quarantine measures appear to be paying off in Hong Kong's fight against SARS and the government leader expressed optimism about beating the disease, but experts say a sustained drop in new cases is still needed to claim victory.

Hong Kong took a step toward normalcy Tuesday as 200,000 secondary students returned to class after a three-week precautionary closure, but the teens and teachers were told to wear surgical masks and have their temperatures taken daily. Younger students were still staying home, and a few schools refused to open.

Chief Executive Tung Chee-hwa said Monday that Hong Kong was "slowly, but surely getting the figures stabilized" and added he was growing increasingly optimistic about containing SARS. The disease has now sickened more than 1,400 people in Hong Kong and killed 99, with five new deaths reported Tuesday, mostly in octogenarians with other chronic illness-

Hong Kong reported 32 new SARS cases on Tuesday, following backto-back reports of just 22 each on Sunday and Monday, which had been the lowest totals this month.

Experts call a decline in new cases encouraging, but some say Hong Kong needs to see a sharp and sustained drop, and they warn the territory's proximity to mainland China, where the disease originated and is still spreading, could complicate matters.

"You really have to look at trends — the daily figure or two days or three days doesn't really mean anything," said Malik Peiris, a microbiologist at the University of Hong Kong. "Really what you need to look at is maybe on a week, two-week basis, is there a consistent trend downward? Then, one canfeel more confident."

Hong Kong would appear heading in the right direction if new cases dropped into the single digits and stayed there, said Henry Niman, a Harvard University instructor who teaches surgery at Massachusetts General Hospital.

"It wouldn't mean Hong Kong was out of the woods, but it would be an indication things are contracting in Hong Kong rather than expanding,' Niman told The Associated Press by telephone on Tuesday. "It needs to continue going down and getting into single digits on an ongoing basis would be a good indication things are getting better."

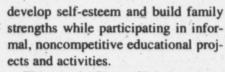
Hong Kong recently began quarantining anyone from the households of recent SARS victims, while stepping up efforts to find potential contacts, which Tung said Monday the efforts had led to 150 suspected cases being detected and getting early treatment.

4-H Clover Kids program offers up fun and learning

By JUDY ELLIOTT FOR THE NEWS

"I like showing lambs, pigs and all that stuff" is how 8-year-old Renee Baggerman describes what she likes best about 4-H Clover Kids program, offered by Texas Cooperative Extension Service in Gray County.

4-H Clover Kids is offered to youngsters in kindergarten through second grades and gives students the opportunity to learn social skills,



This year's Clover Kids have participated in a variety of activities.

"We try to do activities that teach them about projects they'll get to do in regular 4-H," said program coordinator, Heidi Baggerman.

For example, while the 4-H program was conducting its foods and nutrition project, Clover Kids learned

> to make fun and nutritious, snacks. They even made their own food dishes and served them at a tasting party held during this year's Gray Co. 4-H Food Show.

Clover Kids showed animals in the county stock show's Pee Wee Showmanship division, and, to go along with the clothing and textiles project, created their own T-shirt designs to model (Community Camera photo by Emily Elliott) during the county fashion-Clover Kid Macy Cochran irons fabric show recently.

> Roper Sweeney, a first-grader at Grandview



(Community Camera photo by Emily Elliott)

4-H Clover Kids created their own T-shirt designs and modeled them at the county fashion show recently. Above: (back row, leftright) 4-Her Jasmine Rose with Clover Kids Renee Baggerman, Roper Sweeney; (seated, I-r) Jelsie Rose and Marlee Youree. Not pictured: Macy Cochran.

Hopkins, said his favorite Clover Kids eggs" with white chocolate, pretzels activity was making "candy clowns" and M&M's, also for the food show. which he later served at the county Macy attends Lamar Elementary. food show. Six-and-a-half-year-old Macy Cochran, another first grader,

For more information about this or other 4-H programs, call the local said she enjoyed making "bacon and Extension office at 669-8033.

Kashmir separatists reject talks with Indian; five die in blast

BY MUJTABA ALI AHMAD

clover shapes onto a T-shirt under the

watchful eye of her father, Robbie.

ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER

SRINAGAR, India (AP) — A bomb exploded beside a rural road in Kashmir on Tuesday, killing five people and injuring 12 others as an Indian government negotiator visited the area to try to resolve the dispute over the divided Himalayan region.

The explosion 40 miles south of Srinagar, the summer capital of Jammu-Kashmir state, occurred along a road frequently used by army patrols — the presumed target of the attack.

The explosives were apparently placed by the road near a community pasture where the victims had gathered to milk and graze their cows.

No group claimed responsibility for planting the explosives, but authorities suspected separatist milIndia's portion of Kashmir with Pakistan, said Ghulam Hassan, a local police officer.

The attack took place as former Indian Home Secretary N.N. Vohra made a weeklong visit to the state to explore the possibility of talks with separatist groups.

But separatist leaders said Vohra did not have the mandate to discuss the issues they want to raise.

"If he can declare that he is prepared to discuss the future dispensation of Jammu-Kashmir, only then a dialogue offer from him would merit our consideration," said Abdul Ghani Bhat, chairman of the separatist 23-party All Parties Hurriyat Conference.

The largest Islamic militant group in Kashmir said Indian Prime Minister Atal Bihari Vajpayee's

itants who have fought for 13 years to merge offer to hold talks with Pakistan was not made in good faith. Spokesman Salim Hashmi of Hezb-ul Mujahedeen called the offer "a deception to gain time to crush the freedom movement in Indianoccupied Kashmir."

> Islamic militants have been fighting since 1989 for mainly Muslim Kashmir's independence from India or its merger with Pakistan in an insurgency that has claimed 61,000 lives.

> Vajpayee said on Saturday that India would send a top foreign ministry official to Islamabad to draw up a schedule for negotiations if Pakistan announces an end to its support for cross-border attacks and closes training camps for Islamic guerrillas in its territory.

> Pakistan says it is ready for talks, but denies there is any infiltration launched from its territory.

Hundreds drowned, many more missing after ferries capsize in Bangladesh

DHAKA, Bangladesh (AP) ital Dhaka, the Sh'ping "No one really knows how - Rescuer workers have recov- Ministry said. dreds more people are missing, authorities said Tuesday.

The MV Mitali, with an estimated 400 passengers crowded onto its two decks, overturned Monday in the Buriganga River near the cap-

capsized on Bangladeshi rivers bodies, including women and survived." returning to her home in as strong winds and rain during a tropical storm and hun- children. Some passengers 200 people were still missing, authorities said.

The death toll is certain to rise," said Selim Newaz Chowdhury, spokesman for the Bangladesh Fire Brigade.

many people were on board daughter. I've no right to determine the exact number. ered 100 bodies after two ferries Authorities recovered 95 the ferry or how many of them live," said Begum, who was The capsizings took place

> Rescue workers used swam to shore, but more than cranes to lift the sunken boat, where many bodies were believed to be trapped.

Hasina Begum, a school teacher, wept in front of the body of her 2-year-old daugh-

southern Bangladesh after lashed the South Asian counattending a conference in try. Dhaka. Earlier Monday, the ML Majlishpur ferry, carrying an

estimated 90 people in a wedding party, capsized in the Meghna River, 50 miles northeast of Dhaka. Authorities said about 30 passengers swam ashore, but

the others, including the bride, were missing and feared dead. Five bodies had been recovered by Tuesday, said Priyatosh Shah, a government administrator in the area.

Ferries in Bangladesh don't always keep a list of passen-

"I could not save my gers, making it difficult to

Separately, United News of Bangladesh reported that 12 people died when their house collapsed in the north. Hundreds of flimsy homes were damaged by falling trees and electricity poles.

Tropical storms are common this time of year in Bangladesh, a delta nation of 130 million people, as are boating accidents. On Sunday, storms killed at least seven people and injured 50 others, officials and news reports

U.S. Special Forces kill enemy fighter in gun battle

(AP) — U.S. Special Forces killed a suspected enemy fighter in a gun battle during a night raid in southern Afghanistan, an army spokesman said Tuesday.

Thirty-six special force soldiers raided two compounds Monday night after intelligence reports said people in the area were planning attacks on U.S.-led coalition forces in Afghanistan, Col. Roger King

school dollars.

BAGRAM, Afghanistan told a news briefing at Bagram Air Base.

Seven people were taken into custody during the raid, King said.

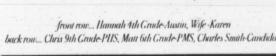
King said he could not say where the raid took place because the operation was con-

About 11,500 troops from a 23-country coalition are in Afghanistan pursuing remnants of the Taliban regime - which was expelled from power in

late 2001 — and hunting down fighters of the al-Qaida terrorist network who lived under Taliban protection.

It was not immediately clear if the dead man had belonged to either group, King said.

"The reason we knew he was an enemy fighter was because he picked up an AK and started popping caps that normally is the defining moment," King said, referring to an AK-47 assault rifle.



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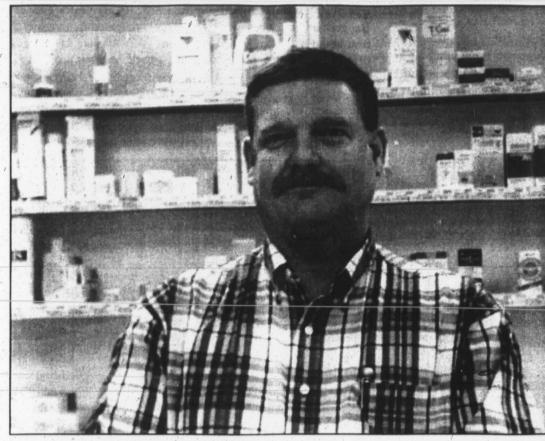
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B & B Pharmacy is located at 300 N. tions that can cause serious medical prob- Ballard, and their phone number is 665-



Pharmacist Dennis Roark provides friendly service to customers at the local B&B Pharmacy at 300 N. Ballard. Business phone for the pharmacy is 665-5788.



Located at 300 N. Ballard, B&B Pharmacy has been owned by Roark and his wife Donna since 1988. Customers at B&B Pharmacy receive personal service from the couple and their staff that a large company cannot provide.



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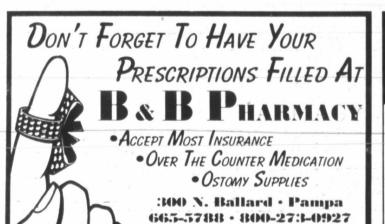
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Furor continues over management perks at airline

BY DAVID KOENIG AP BUSINESS WRITER

FORT WORTH (AP) -American Airlines chairman and chief executive Donald J. Carty says he thought employees would admire his plan to retain key executives, but instead the furor over management perks has left American dangerously close to filing for bankruptcy.

On Monday, the second of American's three main unions said it would hold a new election on the company's plan for cutting labor costs by \$1.8 billion a year.

The Transport Workers Union joined the Association

of Professional Flight Attendants in calling for another vote, increasing the possibility that the deal will be rejected. The third big representing American's pilots, said its board would meet in emergency session Tuesday.

All three unions voted last week to approve the concessions but say they were outraged to learn of executive perks while their own members were approving big pay and benefit cuts. American has vowed to file for bankruptcy protection if any of the unions fail to approve the cuts. Carty repeated that threat Monday.

flouts church's ruling BLUE ASH, Ohio (AP) -ishment, but admitted more

Presbyterian minister

A Presbyterian minister whose denomination convicted him of violating church law by marrying same-sex couples says he will continue performing the ceremonies.

The Rev. Stephen Van Kuiken, 44, said he feels obligated to press the issue in hopes the Presbyterian Church (USA) will stop what he calls its discrimination against homosexuals.

"The status quo in the Presbyterian Church is inflicting pain. So we need to ensure that that pain is addressed and the issue is not ignored," the minister of 19 years said after a court of church officials announced its decision Monday.

In the church's first trial on the issue, Van Kuiken received the mildest form of punishment - a public rebuke that directs him to only marry a man to a woman. He could have been temporarily suspended or removed from the

Kuiken of the charge that he 12, four days after his trial, and ordained as deacons and elders he plans to perform another in gays who do not adhere to a church rule of chastity for unmarried lay ministers.

The court said local congregations and their ruling boards select the lay people for ordination and it would not convict Van Kuiken of something not under his authority.

Van Kuiken said he appreciated being spared stiffer puncharges and trials could follow because he will continue to perform same-sex marriages as pastor of Mount Auburn Presbyterian Church in nearby Cincinnati.

"I intend to appeal the guilty verdict because I believe that this decision is theologically wrong and contrary to the Scriptures," he said.

His appeal would go within 45 days to the denomination's next highest level of courts, the permanent judicial commission of the synod that oversees Presbyterian churches in Ohio and Michigan.

The highest Presbyterian court ruled in 2000 that ministers may bless same-sex unions, but cannot marry such couples.

Van Kuiken, a married heterosexual originally from Grand Rapids, Mich., joined Mount Auburn about three years ago from the Church of the Apostles in suburban Minneapolis.

He said he performed a The court acquitted Van same-sex marriage on April

> Van Kuiken was the first minister to be tried on accusations of marrying homosexuals as a result of complaints filed by Presbyterian activists in about 20 locations around the country. Some complaints were investigated and dismissed for lack of evidence, and others are pending.

Audrey Hepburn auction nets ¬\$177,000 for needy children

NEW YORK (AP) - She favored Givenchy ball gowns, traveled with Louis Vuitton luggage and wore Lacoste polo shirts during visits to some of the world's poorest villages.

On Monday evening, admirers of the late Audrey Hepburn had the chance to take home some of the Oscarwinning actress' personal effects and other donated items at a Sotheby's charity, which raised \$177,000.

Hepburn's son, Sean Hepburn Ferrer, said the money would be used to support the Audrey Hepburn Children's Fund, which was founded in 1994, a year after she died, and works with the U.S. fund for UNICEF.

Before Hepburn's death from colon cancer at the age of 63, she served as an ambassador for UNICEF, raising awareness of children's issues around the world.

Among the items on auction were a Givenchy ball gown worn by the doe-eyed actress in the 1957 film "Funny Face," which sold for \$17,000, and a new collection of 25 multicolor Lacoste shirts, which sold for \$2,000. The sculpture "Spirit of Audrey," by the artist John Kennedy, sold for \$6,000.

Hepburn won an Oscar in the 1953 film "Roman Holiday" and achieved icon status as Holly Golightly in the 1961 movie "Breakfast at Tiffany's."

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workers' announcement, investors showed their concern by bidding down shares of American Airlines' parent, AMR Corp. In trading Monday on the New York Stock Exchange, the shares - which rose 52 percent last week on optimism that

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23 percent, to close at \$3.85.

In meetings with union leaders and reporters Monday, Carty took personal blame for not disclosing the executive perks sooner.

Last year, the AMR board approved large bonuses for seven executives, including Carty, if they stayed at the

Even before the transport bankruptcy - fell \$1.15, or company through January 2005. It also approved \$41 million in payments to a pension trust for 45 executives, including Carty, that would have been protected in bankruptcy, just like other employees' pensions.

The company has dropped the bonuses but not the pension funding.

Carty defended the payments as necessary to keep senior executives and said he thought the retention plan would win praise as more modest than plans at other airlines.

Although he didn't name them, Continental and Delta airlines have been criticized by workers for approving similar plans during a severe downturn in the airline industry.

"I really believed that we were going to look very good by comparison," he said. "I should have been a lot smarter."

The benefits approved last year but only publicly disclosed last week, on the same day that employees were scheduled to finish voting on the concession deals.

Carty said the late disclosure in a mandatory securities filing was a mistake. He said he didn't release details sooner because he feared the public would think there was a mass exodus of senior officials from the company. Then there was another delay this month while the company's outside auditors reviewed tax treatment of the provisions, he said.

"All of our employees, union and nonunion alike, did what was necessary to help avoid bankruptcy, and then I stumbled," Carty

Union leaders said it was unclear whether Carty's apology would prevent the unions from reversing their earlier approval of concessions to head off bankruptcy.

"He was very sincere and apologetic," said James C. Little, leader of the transport workers' group, as he left the meeting with Carty. "I don't know if that's enough to satisfy the employees."

High court to hear Texas death row inmate's appeal

WASHINGTON (AP) — Supreme Court justices could use an appeal from one of Texas' longest-serving death row inmates to re-examine rules for evaluating whether a lawyer's poor performance affects the outcome of a

Delma Banks claims his original lawyer failed to do all he could to save him from a death sentence, and that prosecutors sat on evidence that undermined the state's case.

The court stepped in to temporarily spare. Delma Banks' life minutes before his scheduled execution in March, and will now hear his full appeal. The court will hear Banks' case next fall.

The court is already looking at a separate case that could restate similar rules that measure a lawyer's competence.

Both cases address an issue that has troubled at least two Supreme Court members. Justices Sandra Day O'Connor and Ruth Bader Ginsburg have questioned the quality of some lawyers assigned to represent poor defendants like Banks.

Death penalty opponents say such lawyers are often ill-prepared and may have little experience with complex capital cases. Under the Constitution's Sixth Amendment and previous Supreme Court rulings, every defendant is high court to hear the case. entitled to an effective lawyer.

"These very important cases are being tried by some prosecutors who are cheating and some defense lawyers who are not living up to the Sixth Amendment," said one of Banks' new lawyers, George Kendall of the NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund. "You have both those elements in this case."

Banks claims his original lawyer never told the jury about Banks' family and background

He also claims prosecutors improperly withheld evidence that calls into question testimony of a key witness for the state. The witness later recanted parts of his testimony and hid the fact that another trial witness was a paid informant.

sentence of life in prison.

"In this capital proceeding, some court should review the lawfulness of the state's suppression of a transcript revealing that the state's key witness was unworthy of belief," Banks' new lawyers wrote.

Banks was convicted in 1980 of killing Richard Whitehead, a 16-year-old former coworker at a fast-food restaurant. Banks had no previous convictions and maintains his inno-

Witnesses reported seeing Banks with the victim the night he was shot, and driving the victim's car afterward. Prosecutors say the case against Banks is solid, and that time already has run out for Banks to make any more appeals.

The case has attracted national media attention and a group of prominent supporters. Former FBI Director William Sessions, also a one-time federal judge in Texas, joined other former judges and a prosecutor in asking the

"The paramount importance of adequate defense counsel in capital cases cannot be overstated," the Sessions filing said. "When a criminal defendant is forced to pay with his life for his lawyer's errors, the effectiveness of the criminal justice system as a whole is under-

The Supreme Court declined Monday to review Banks' claim that prosecutors wrongly kept blacks off the jury. Banks is black; his victhat might have persuaded a jury to choose a tim was white and the jury was all white

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Greenspan to undergo prostate surgery

WASHINGTON (AP) Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan is undergoing surgery for an enlarged prostate — a common problem for men his age — and is expected to be back at work later this week.

of as the second-most-powerful man in Washington because of the impact his words and the Federal Michelle Reserve's actions can have on interest rates and the economy in general.

The surgery was scheduled for Tuesday at a local hospital that Federal Reserve officials declined to identify.

Tuesday will spend a short time in a local hospital to be treated surgically" for an enlarged prostate, the Fed said

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in a three-sentence statement. "He plans to be back in his office later this week."

The statement and Fed officials offered few details.

The enlarged prostate was detected during a regular examination, and follow-up Greenspan is often spoken tests conducted last week showed no cancer, Fed officials said.

Fed spokeswoman Smith said Greenspan would be treated as an inpatient and would not be under general anesthesia. She also said Greenspan underwent similar surgery in June 1994.

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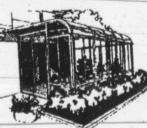
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DEAR ABBY

written by Pauline Phillips and daughter Jeanne Phillips

Earth Day Reminds Us To Clean Up Our Act

your adult readers to be more "deal with it respectful of our planet. At 13, I Soon after the Earth starts breaking down, we mother your response.

younger generations may be.
- All my life I've heard adults say stuff like, "We love you and will act, something will harm us. And it will be because of them.

Because today marks the 33rd, person with character. anniversary of Earth Day, your

to become complacent.

DEAR ABBY My son, "Roger, was recently divorced from his wife. His two sons, 10 and 12 are with cousin, "Jenny," tell our 16-yearhim every weekend. Roger told me old daughter that it was OK to that after the boys stay at his home, consume alcohol, and that she was things come up missing — CDs, tapes, loose change, etc

DEAR ABBY: Please remind his ex-wife, but she told him to and a half away!)

MICHIGAN GRANDMOTHER

never let anything harm you." But When couples separate, they have made such an offer is a if grown-ups don't clean up their still have a joint responsibility blatant attempt to circumvent

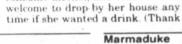
IN GEORGIA of lessons that responsible paris against the law, and let her ents should teach by example is know that if it happens you'll DEAR WORRIED TEEN: how to be a good citizen and a inform the police. As a parent, Big crimes usually start with your child.

letter is especially timely. When petty ones. Your grandsons are Earth Day began, there were no crying out for attention in a pollution controls on cars, people and entire cities dumped untreated sewage into rivers their sons together, but if their and landfills, industrial communities were often shrouded with the problem, then their father some way. Ideally, the mother chooses not to deal with the problem, then their father their father some must do it alone. The boys must pollution controls on cars, peo- negative way. Ideally, the mothsmoke and smog, and some must do it alone. The boys must rivers were so polluted with be confronted and the items chemicals that they actually returned. Your son should also consider spending more time We have made advances with the boys, until they have since 1970, but we cannot afford adjusted to the new situation. If that fails, family counseling is

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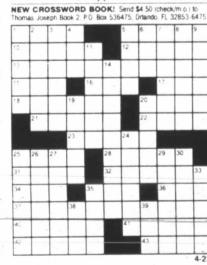
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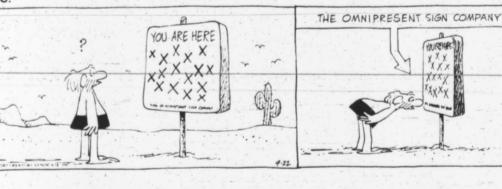


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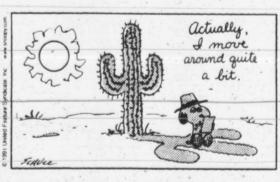






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PAMPA — The Pampa Elementary School Track Meet will be held May 16 at Randy Matson Field. The meet will start out at 9 a.m. with field events, followed by running events.

Relay races will begin after the lunch break.

FOOTBALL

HOUSTON (AP) -The Houston Bowl is getting Christmastime off.

The game, which for its first three years has fallen on the Friday after Christmas, has agreed with ESPN to play the afternoon of Dec. 30 this year.

"Playing on December 30th will greatly enhance ticket sales," bowl president Jerry Ippoliti said. "And now their families will be able to spend Christmas together and then travel to Houston for the game."

Dave Brown, director of programming and acquisitions for ESPN, said the network plans for a bowl doubleheader featuring the Houston Bowl, then the Holiday Bowl. Both will feature Big 12 teams.

BASEBALL

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — The Texas Rangers are in better shape in the AL West under new manager Buck Showalter, even though they are still in last place.

Texas completed its opening 19-game stretch against AL West teams with an 8-11 record. That's just three games behind division-leading Seattle.

"It's the strongest division in baseball. We've faced three of the best teams in the first 19 games," said first baseman Rafael Palmeiro. "I'd like it if we'd won a couple more and be closer to .500. But we've shown we're a capable team."

At this point last season, the Rangers were 5-13 and already 9 1/2 games back, effectively eliminated from the division race the first month of the season. They finished 72-90, 31 games behind Oakland, after losing 13 of their last 16 against AL West teams.

Two years ago, Texas was 10-10 after the first go-round against the West and 5 1/2 games back of fast-starting Seattle. It just kept getting worse after that.

"If you get too far behind at the beginning, that's what you're going to face at the end," said outfielder Ruben Sierra. "It's going OK. We can be better. I think we're going to be better.'

The Rangers took three of four last week from defending World Series champion Anaheim. They followed that by losing 9-0 (a six-hit shutout by AL Cy Young winner Barry Zito) and 12-2 at Oakland before a 2-1 win on Sunday night to avoid the three-game sweep.

Davis not impressed with Dallas defense

DALLAS (AP) — Statistics 86. indicate the Dallas Mavericks have drastically improved on defense.

Portland center Dale Davis says otherwise.

"Some of the things they do are a little different, but they're pretty much the same Dallas team," Davis said. "It shouldn't be a problem."

But the Mavericks' D was a problem for the Trail Blazers in Game 1 of their first-round

After scoring 31 points in the second quarter, Portland had just 34 in the second half, turning a 10-point lead into a 10-point loss. Dallas won 96-

To Davis, that only proves that the Blazers have some

kinks in their offense to work out. Game 2 in the best-ofseven series is Wednesday

"We just have to move the ball and keep cutting on them," he said. "When we do that, we're usually pretty good. When we stand around, we're not that good of a team. We have to move the ball and play

Defense used to be what the .Mavericks did until they got the ball back. Not any more.

Ever since being outscored by Sacramento in the second

round last season, Dallas has been committed to stopping teams from scoring. There's even a banner looming over their practice court that serves as a reminder. It notes that the Kings made "207 field goals with 115 layups and dunks!"

Then coach Don Nelson and assistant Del Harris devoted most of training camp to defense. They implemented a variety of zones and worked on their man-to-man coverage.

A 14-0 start proved the strategy was working. The Mavs kept it up to win a franchiserecord 60 games. They also were still able to lead the league in scoring for a second straight

More proof:

- Although Dallas allowed 95.2 points per game to stand 16th in the NBA, it was 5.8 points lower than the previous season and the biggest improvement in the league.

- Opponents made only 43.8 percent of their shots, the lowest in franchise history and 12th-best in the NBA.

Points allowed also were a better indicator of wins or losses than points scored. When Dallas broke 100, it went 43-9; when opponents hit 100, the Mayericks went 14-17.

"With our offense, we're always going to be in games,"

point guard Steve Nash said. "But we're going to win games consistently with our defense."

The Blazers know that breaking down Dallas' defense is the key to victory. They scored 73 and 88 in two regular-season losses to the Mavs and had 100 and 112 in two vic-

Game 1 followed that same pattern.

"I think they kind of buckled down a little more," Portland coach Maurice Cheeks said. "They made a concerted effort to try to defend and rebound the ball. When they stepped up their level, we didn't step up ours.'

exans secretive about draft

HOUSTON (AP) Houston Texans general manager Charley Casserly dispelled any mystery about the expansion team's first draft pick. Quarterback David Carr already was house-hunting by the time Houston formally chose him at No. 1 in 2002.

This time around, the Texans own the No. 3 overall pick and have everyone guessing. What they decide to do could be the key to how things unfold next weekend.

'It's a different draft. There's no question about that," Casserly said.

If Houston keeps its pick, the most likely possibilities are Miami receiver Andre Johnson and Arizona State defensive end Terrell Suggs. Suggs acknowledges his stock dropped after a poor predraft workout he attributes to simply having a bad day.

The team also has hosted Kansas State cornerback Terence Newman and Utah still be available if the Texans trade down a bit.

the Detroit Lions are a virtual age."

lock to take the home-state product at No. 2.

"To make it simple, if we stay at 3, we're going to get a starter," Casserly said. "If we trade back we're going to get a player who will start for us and something else.

"We're looking at a lot of options, and we have for a long time. We're still debating a lot of issues."

Despite the horror show put on by the Texans' offense last season — Carr's record 76 sacks at the forefront --Johnson and Rogers say they're eager to come aboard and improve things.

"David Carr is a great player and great quarterback," Johnson said. "I've talked to him a few times. He said if I had any questions at all to give him a call. He's hoping I can be here with him. I'd like to be here a long time, and maybe we could start something great."

Rogers made it clear he'd offensive lineman Jordan be just as happy to come to ter. Houston surprisingly Gross, both of whom-could Houston as he would be to boasted the NFL's 16thstay close to home.

"People who know foot-Or perhaps Houston will ball know I'm the best player trade for Cincinnati's top in the draft," Rogers said. "I overall pick and snare make good plays. I make Michigan State receiver great catches. I run fast. I can Charles Rogers, who also vis-stretch the field. I can get ited the team this month. But open. I'm all of the above. I if the Texans don't move up, feel like I'm the total pack-

There are other intriguing names. Suggs could step in and fill a pass-rushing void left by Jeff Posey, who signed with Buffalo after leading Houston with eight sacks. Newman could make cornerback Marcus Coleman expendable, opening up salary-cap space.

Or the Texans could take Gross so he could help keep Carr upright a little more

"If the Texans decide to trade (down), it's still- an option. And if they don't, it's still an option," said the 6foot-5, 306-pound Gross, who sees himself drafted anywhere from No. 3 to the low teens. "On draft day, I'll definitely be sitting on the edge of my seat for about two hours waiting to see what will hap-

Lost in the first-round speculation is the Texans' opportunity to add muchneeded depth across the rosranked defense last year, but had precious little depth, a weakness masked by the unit's lack of injuries.

Of course, after fielding one of the weakest offenses in recent memory, there's plenty of room for improvement and depth at every position except quarterback.

McLean medalist



McLean High senior Shaley Steel displays the medal she received after winning medalist honors in the District 3-1A Girls' Golf Tournament. Steel is entered in regionals this week at Levelland. Steel shot 97 at the district meet in Hereford to win by 12 strokes.

Pampa Bowling Roundup

Harvester Lanes League Standings

Wednesday Night Mixed League (Week 17)

Team	Won	Lost
Harvester Lanes	4	0
State Farm Ins.	3	1
The Spark	3	1
Bob's Bandits	2	2
Team Five	2	2
Cooper Energy Service	- 1	3
Team One Negotiators	1	3
	Week's Top scores	

Men High scratch game: Andy Anderson 247; High scratch series: Dan Anderson 615; High handicap game: Andy Anderson 250; High handicap series: Dan Anderson 621.

Women High scratch game: Becky Hall 225; High scratch series:

Becky Hall 571; High handicap game: Becky Hall 267; High handicap series: Becky Hall 697.

Harvester Combo (Week 13)

(week 13)		
Won	Lost	
34 1/2	13 1/2	
30 1/2	17 1/2	
30	18	
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Week's Top Scores Men

High scratch series: Randy Skovbo 620; High scratch game: Jesse Cannon 215; High handicap series: Rick Bullard 656; High handicap game: Bill Gilmer 229.

Women

High scratch series: Peggy Chase 506; High scratch game: Viekie Long 208; High handicap series: Wanda Adams 650; High handicap game: Cindy Hinds 238.

Amarillo's Fry wins Tri-State honors CANADIAN - Rocky Breakaway roping: 1. Amarillo, 8.225; 2. Tori Bilberry,

Fry of Amarillo won All-Around Cowboy honors at a Tri-State High School Rodeo Association Rodeo last weekend in Canadian.

and Dana Lewis of Amarillo tied for the All-Around Cowgirl award.

Tri-State Rodeo Association at Canadian

Pole bending: 1. Cheyenne White, Vernon, 21.765; 2. Rachelle Holt, Gruver, 21.777; 3. Hope Clark, Canyon, 21.778. Bareback: 1. Chad Mask,

Amarillo, 75.

Rachelle Holt, Gruver, 3.481; 2. Christic Henley, Amarillo, 3.817; Hendley, Amarillo, 9.178. 3. Michelle Blount, Vernon,

Garrison, Channing, 11.641; 2. Rachelle Holt of Gruver Monty Wood, Amarillo, 11.944; 13.033.

Barrel racing: 1. Colby Noah, Vernon, 18.219; 2. Dana Lewis, 7.336. Amarillo, 18.363; 3. Dani Irlbeck, Canyon, 18,465.

Amarillo, 7.236; 2. Zack Cobb, TPRA-Pampa, 7.957; 3. Jared Fry, 20 points. Eshelman, Amarillo, 9.166.

Amarillo, 8,891; 3. Christic

Bull -riding: 1 -. Rocky Fry. Amarillo, 74; 2. Hawk Tucker, Calf roping: 1. Kelsey Pampa, 69; 3. Dathan Garcia, Channing, 64. Team roping: 1. Mark Miller-

3. Q.B. Cobb, TPRA-Pampa, Chance Johnston, 6.522; 2. Stetson Vest-Monty Wood, 7.208; 3. Chad Mask-Dustin Pool,

Steer wrestling: 1.Kelly Cates, Channing, 5.733; 2. Zack Ribbon roping: 1. Serling Via, Cobb, TPRA-Pampa, 17,789. All-Around Cowboy: Rocky

All-Around Cowgirl: Rachelle

Goat tying: 1. Casey Jo Light, Holt, Dana Lewis, 22 points (tie).

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Tuesday's Games Arizona (Good 0-0) at Montreal (Ohka 1-2), 7:05 p.m. Milwaukee (Franklin 1-2) at Florida (Penny 2-1), 7:05 p.m. Colorado (Oliver 0-1) at Philadelphia (Myers 0-2), 7:05 p.m. San Francisco (Foppert 0.0) at Pittsburgh (Suppan 3.0), 7.05.

No games scheduled

Houston (Redding 0-2) at N.Y. Mets (Cone 1-2), 7:10 p.m. Los Angeles (Ishii 1-1) at Cincinnati (Wilson 0-1), 7-10 p.m. St. Louis (Stephenson 1-1) at Atlanta (Ortiz 1-2), 7-35 p.m. San Diego (Lawrence 2 1) at Chicago Cubs (Zambrano 2 1).

Wednesday's Games

San Diego (Eatón 0-1) at Chicago Cubs (Wood 3-0), 2-20 p.m. St. Louis (Morris 1-1) at Atlanta (Maddux 1-3), 7:05 p.m. Milwaukee (Rusch 1-3) at Florida (Pavano 2-2), 7 05 p.m. Arizona (Dessens 1-2) at Montreal (L.Hernandez 1-0), 7-05 San Francisco (Rueter 2-0) at Pittsburgh (D'Annico 1-2), 7-05

Colorado (Jennings 1-2) at Philadelphia (Millwood 2-1), 7-05

Houston (Oswalt 2-1) at N.Y. Mets (Letter 2-0), 7-10 p.m. Los Angeles (Dreifort 1:0) at Cinca nati (Reitsma 0:0), 7:10

American League At A Glance

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> Sunday's Games Baltimore 4, Tampa Bay 1 Boston 6, Toronto 5 Kansas City 4. Detroit 3 Cleveland 7: Chicago White Sox 4 Seattle 7, Anaheim 6 N.Y. Yankees 8, Minnesota 2 Texas 2, Oakland 1 Monday's Games

Toronto 11, Boston 6 N.Y. Yankees 15, Minnesota 1 Cleveland 9, Chicago White Sox 2

Baltimore 4, Tampa Bay 0 Tuesday's Games

Chicago White Sox (Loaiza 3-0) at Baltimore (Ponson 1-1), Toronto (Walker 1-1) at Tampa Bay (Kennedy 0-1), 7-15 p.m. Boston (P.Martinez 1-1) at Texas (Park 1-2), 8,05 p.m.

N.Y. Yankees (Weaver 1-0) at Anaheim (Lackey 1-1), 10.05

Cleveland (Sabathia 0-2) at Seattle (Garçıa 1-3), 10-05 p.m. Detroit (Bernero 0-3) at Oakland (Hudson 2-1) 10.05 p.m. Wednesday's Games Chicago White Sox (Colon 2-0) at Baltimore (Johnson 2-0);

Toronto (Hendrickson 1-2) at Tampa Bay (Zambrano 0-3), 7-15.

Boston (Wakefield 2-0) at Texas (Thomson 1/2), 8/05 p.m. Minnesota (Radke 1-2) at Kansas City (George 2-1), 8 05 p.m. N.Y. Yankees (Clemens 3-0) at Anaheim (Callaway: 1-1), 40.05

Cleveland (Ric.Rodriguez 2-0) at Scattle (Meche-1-1), 10.05

Detroit (Bonderman 0-3) at Oakland (Zito 3-1) 10.05 p.m.

RODEO

Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association Men's Professional Rodeo Association

By The Associated Press Through April 20

(Rodeos competed in parentheses) ALL-AROUND COWBOY

Trevor Brazile, Anson, Texas, \$44,986 Cash Myers, Athens, Texas, \$32,034

Scott Johnston, Gustine, Texas, \$31,908

4. Curtis Cassidy, Donalda, Alberta, \$30,435

. Chad Klein, Clinton, La., \$29,582 Tee Woolman, Llano, Texas, \$29.357

Jesse Bail, Camp Crook, S.D., \$22,797

Joe Beaver, Huntsville, Texas, \$19,862

9. J.D. Crouse, Canon City, Colo., \$19,412 10. Rich Skelton, Llano, Texas, \$19,157

11. Scott Snedecor, Uvalde, Texas, \$17,708 12. Casey Branquinho, Los Alamos, Calif., \$12,964

13. Jeff Miller, Blue Mound, Kan., \$12,221 14. Justin Nulisch, Huntsville, Texas, \$11,000

15. B.J. Campbell, Benton City, Wash., \$9,176 6. Brad Culpepper, Ashburn, Ga., \$9,038

7. Robert Bowers, Brooks, Alberta, \$8,711

BAREBACK RIDING Tom McFarland, Morristown, Ariz. (12), \$26,826 2. Will Lowe, Canyon, Texas (14) \$25,902 3. James Boudreaux, Cuero, Texas (15) \$25,397 4. Trey Fisher, Madisonville, Texas (16) \$24,662

5. Mark Gomes, Nickerson, Kan. (8) \$22,789 6. Chad Klein, Clinton, La. (16) \$22,235 7. Kelly Timberman, Mills, Wyo. (15) \$22,168

8. Lan LaJeunesse, Morgan, Utah (12) \$21,847 9. Forest Bramwell, Pagosa Springs, Colo. (13) \$21,532 10. Larry Sandvick, Belle Fourche, S.D. (12) \$16,751 11. Darren Clarke, Lewisville, Texas (13) \$15,919 12. Scott Johnston, Gustine, Texas (12) \$15,211

13. Chuck Logue, New Braunfels, Texas (13) \$14,531 14. Scott Drennan, Buffalo, Texas (20) \$14,116 15. Jason Jeter, Mansfield, Texas (12) \$12,967 16. Jason Havens, Redmond, Ore. (15) \$12,015 17. Bobby Mote, Redmond, Ore. (5) \$11,980

18. Cleve Schmidt, Belle Fourche, S.D. (9) \$10,769 19. Davey Shields Jr., Bashaw, Alberta (14) \$9,777 20. Marvin Garrett, Belle Fourche, S.D. (12) \$9,659 STEER WRESTLING

1. Bryan Fields, Conroe, Texas (10), \$26,315 2. Joey Bell Jr., Salem, N.J. (13) \$25,544 3. Curtis Cassidy, Donalda, Alberta (12) \$25,341 4. K.C. Jones, Las Animas, Colo. (11) \$20,982 5. Jason Lahr, Emporia, Kan. (11) \$17,659 6. John Diedrichs, Rapid City, S.D. (8) \$17,121

8. Todd Suhn, Brighton, Colo. (10) \$16,135 9. J.B. Fudickar, Ferriday, La. (10) \$15,214 10, Joe Butterfield, Red Deer, Alberta (10) \$15,032 11. Jeff Corbello, Iowa, La. (11) \$14,732

7. Cash Myers, Athens, Texas (13) \$16,223

12. Lee Graves, Calgary, Alberta (11) \$14,352 13. Chuck Jankowski, Simonton, Texas (11) \$14,325 14. Rope Myers, Van, Texas (10) \$13,858 15. Mike Garthwaite, Merritt, British Columbia (11) \$13,305

16. Kyle Hughes, Model, Colo. (11) \$12,822 17. Rod Lyman, Victor, Mont. (9).\$12,108 18. Chad Biesemeyer, Stephenville, Texas (10) \$11,984

19. Luke Branquinho, Los Alamos, Calif. (11) \$11,819 20. Justin Smith, Castle, Okla. (11) \$11,130 TEAM ROPING (HEADING) 1. Tee Woolman, Llano, Texas (12), \$24,379

2. Travis Tryan, Billings, Mont. (11) \$23,370 3. Matt Tyler, Weatherford Texas (12) \$18 573 4. Daniel Green, Oakdale, Calif. (11) \$17,210 5. David Key, Caldwell, Texas (11) \$14,195 6. Billy Holland Jr., Oroville, Calif. (10) \$12,669

7. Speed Williams, Amarillo, Texas (11) \$12,558 8. Chad Masters, Adams, Tenn. (12) \$12,542 9. Brady Wren, Kerrville, Texas (12) \$12,275 10. Camish Jennings, Houston, Texas (10) \$11,716 11. Charles Pogue, Ringling, Okla. (11) \$10,333

12. Trevor Brazile, Anson, Texas (12) \$10,242 13. Jason Stewart, Royal City, Wash. (8) \$10,000 14. Nick Sartain, Alva, Okla. (7) \$9,960 15. Kevin Stewart, Glen Rose, Texas (12) \$8,821

16. Mikey Fletcher Jr., Okeechobee, Fla. (10) \$8,818 17. Steve Purcella, Hereford, Texas (12) \$8,624 18: Scott Snedecor, Uvalde, Texas (8) \$7,820 19. Joe Beaver, Huntsville, Texas (10) \$7,740 20. Joe Verastegui, Tilden, Texas (9) \$7,702

TEAM ROPING (HEELING) 1. Patrick Smith, Midland, Texas (12), \$24,379 Matt Zancanella, Aurora, S.D. (11) \$23,370 3. Britt Bockius, Claremore, Okla. (12) \$18,573 4. Kory Koontz, Sudan, Texas (11) \$17,210.

Allen Bach, Weatherford, Texas (12) \$13,300 6. Mike George, Oakdale, Calif. (10) \$12,669 7. Rich Skelton, Llano, Texas (11) \$12,558 8. Michael Jones, Stephenville, Texas (12) \$12,542 9. Zane Bruce, Eldorado, Texas (12) \$12,275 10. Clay O'Brien Cooper, Glen Rose, Texas (11) \$12,120

11. Kirt Jones, Piedmont, Okla. (10) \$10,549 12. Cory Petska, Lexington, Okla. (11) \$10,333 13. Mike Beers, Powell Butte, Ore. (8) \$10,000 14. Shannon Frascht, Alva, Okla. (7) \$9,960 15. Martin Lucero, Stephenville, Texas (12) \$8,821

16. Travis Woodard, Stockton, Calif. (10) \$8,818 17. Chris Green, Lytle, Texas (8) \$7,820 18. Wayne Folmer, El Paso, Texas (12) \$7,740 9. Jacky Stephenson, Tilden, Texas (9) \$7,70 20. Cuatro Hindes IV, Charlotte, Texas (4) \$7,511

SADDLE BRONC RIDING L. Glen O'Neill, Didsbury, Alberta (13), \$33,604 Rod Hay, Wildwood, Alberta (12) \$27,138 Jeffery Willert, Belvidere, S.D. (15) \$26,131 4. Charles Soileau Stephenville, Texas (21) \$25,809 5. Scott Miller, Waco, Texas (15) \$25,642

6. Dan Mortensen, Billings, Mont. (16) \$25,100 7. Steve Dollarhide, Wikieup, Ariz. (13) \$20,620 8. Mike Outhier, Utopia, Texas (16) \$20,599 9. Cody Demoss, Crowville, La. (9) \$18,814

10. Ira Slagowski, Carlin, Nev. (14) \$17,775 11. Scott Johnston, Gustine, Texas (12) \$16,697 12. Jesse Bail, Camp Crook, S.D. (17) \$15,971 13. Bret Franks, Goodwell, Okla. (11) \$13,787

14. Cody Martin, Hatfield, Ark. (21) \$13,509 15. Sam Spreadborough, Snyder, Texas (17) \$13,466 16. Matt Marvel, Battle Mountair Nev. (12) \$13,225 17. Branden West, Philip, S.D. (13) \$13,086

18. Mo Forbes, Kaycee, Wyo. (14) \$12,972 19. Shane Moran, Dillon, Mont. (14) \$12,676 20. Rod Warren, Big Valley, Alberta (12) \$12,419 TIE DOWN ROPING

1. Cody Ohl, Stephenville, Texas (12), \$39,947 Johnny Emmons, Grandview, Texas (10) \$29,288 3. Fred Whitfield, Hockley, Texas (11) \$21,705

4. Houston Hutto, Del Rio, Texas (13) \$20,941 5. Blair Burk, Durant, Okla. (12) \$20,927 Minnesota (Rogers 2-0) at Kansas City (Hernandez 3-0), 8-05 6. Jade Conner, Iowa, La. (11) \$20,055

7. Jerome Schneeberger, Ponca City, Okla. (10) \$18,694 8. Trevor Brazile, Anson, Texas (12) \$18,037 9 Ricky Canton, Cleveland, Texas (11) \$17,979

10. Cash Myers, Athens, Texas (12) \$15,812 11. Clint Robinson, Farmington, Utah (6) \$15,264 12. Brady Brock, Springtown, Texas (9) \$14,740

13. Trent Creager, Pawnee, Okla. (10) \$13,939

14. Trent Walls, Stephenville, Texas (10) \$13,900 5. Mike Johnson, Henryetta, Okla. (9) \$13,765 16. Brent Lewis, Pinon, N.M. (11) \$13,421

17. Justin Maass, Giddings, Texas (12) \$13,153 18. Coy Kummer, Carr, Colo. (7) \$12,908:

19. Stran Smith, Tell; Texas (8) \$12,811 20. Joe Beaver, Huntsville, Texas (11) \$12,122 BARREL RACING

1. Janet Stover, Rusk, Texas, \$32,515

2. Melanie Southard, Cushing, Okla., \$20,054 3. Jackie Dube, Giddings, Texas, \$17,693 4. Sherry Cervi, Marana, Ariz., \$15,419

5. Kelly Kaminski, Bellville, Texas, \$14,792 6. Tammy Key, Ledbetter, Texas, \$13,085 7. Kristie Peterson, Chilton, Texas, \$13,007 8. Kappy Allen, Austin, Texas, \$12,403 9. Tami Fontenot, Ethel, La., \$12,261

10. Carisa Shearer, Wall, S.D., \$12,129 11. McKenzie Miller, St. Anthony, Idaho, \$11,997 12. Kelly Yates, Pueblo, Colo., \$11,640

13. June Holeman, Arcadia, Neb., \$10,942 14. Charmayne James, Grand Prairie, Texas, \$10,460 15. Maria Gee, Stanford, Mont., \$10,173 16. Marlene McRae, Ramah, Colo., \$10,055

17. Paula Seay, Lake Butler, Fla., \$9,950 18. Dallas Dewees, Westville, Fla., \$9,488 19. Janac Ward, Addington, Okla., \$8,983 20. Jane Melby, Backus, Minn., \$8,747 BULL RIDING

1. Terry Don West, Henryetta, Okla. (12), \$77,001 2. B.J. Schumacher, Hillsboro, Wis. (13) \$35,832 3. Cory Melton, Keithville, La. (19) \$34,335 4. Robey Condra, Dayton, Texas (17) \$33,189

5. Colby Yates, Fort Worth, Texas (18) \$30,932 6. Jason Legler, Eaton, Colo. (12) \$30,302 7. Logan Knibbe, Rockdale, Texas (15) \$26,844 8. Robert Bowers, Brooks, Alberta (13) \$24,065 9. Tyler Fowler, Theodore, Ala. (15) \$22,370

10. Philip Elkins, Lipan, Texas (13) \$22,158 11. Ryan Brown, Temecula, Calif. (17) \$21,994 12. Howdy Cloud, Kountez, Texas (17) \$20,996 13. Blue Stone, Ogden, Utah (12) \$20,585 14. Joe Smith, Banner, Wyo. (18) \$20,482

15. Billy Burt, Missoula, Mont. (13) \$20,231 16. Colt Munden, Springtown, Texas (12) \$18,570 17. Clint Craig, Mena, Ark. (14) \$16,030 18. Jesse Bail, Camp Crook, S.D. (17) \$15,956 19. Josh O'Byrne, Glen Rose, Texas (12) \$15,279

20. Rusty Patrick, Bassett, Neb. (15) \$14,677 STEER ROPING 1. Trevor Brazile, Anson, Texas (3), \$16,708 2. Scott Snedecor, Uvalde, Texas (3) \$9,889 3. Rich Skelton, Llano, Texas (3) \$6,598

4. Buster Record Jr., Buffalo, Okla. (3) \$6,396 5. Tee Woolman, Llano, Texas (3) \$4,978 6. Guy Allen, Santa Anna, Texas (4) \$4,832 7. Cody Lee, Gatesville, Texas (3) \$4,083

8. Jim Folk, Lenapah, Okla. (2) \$3,279 9. Rocky Patterson, Pratt, Kan. (3) \$2,900 10. Mike Chase, Beloit, Kan. (3) \$2,699 11. Roy Cooper, Childress, Texas (2) \$2,576 12. Kenyon Burns, Lovington, N.M. (3) \$2,349

13. Rod Hartness, Pawhuska, Okla. (3) \$1,931 14. Jason Evans, Huntsville, Texas (2) \$1,833 15. Lawson Plemons, Chilton, Texas (3) \$1,828 16. Scott Wilson, Mead, Wash, (4) \$1,601 17. Joe Beaver, Huntsville, Texas (2) \$1,563

18. J.R. Olson, Sheridan, Wyo. (1) \$1,280 19. Leo Campbell, Amarillo, Texas (3) \$1,198 20. Marty Jones, Hobbs, N.M. (3) \$1,180 **ProRodeo Tour Standings**

BAREBACK RIDING 1. Tom McFarland, Morristown, Ariz. 95.3 Trey Fisher, Madisonville, Texas 72.5 3. Mark Comes, Nickerson, Kan. 71.5 4. Will Lowe, Canyon, Texas 67.5 5. Forest Bramwell, Pagosa Springs, Colo. 60.0

(8 of 10 winter events complete)

6. Kelly Timberman, Mills, Wyo. 56.2 7. Lan LaJeunesse, Morgan, Utah 54.5 8. Chad Klein, Clinton, La. 51.5

9. Jason Havens, Redmond, Ore. 50.0 10. Larry Sandvick, Belle Fourche, S.D. 49.8 11. Cleve Schmidt, Belle Fourche, S.D. 48.3 12. Darren Clarke, Lewisville, Texas 47:1 13. Scott Drennan, Buffalo, Texas 44.0

14. Bobby Mote, Redmond, Ore. 42.1 15. Davey Shields Jr., Bashaw, Alberta 39.0 STEER WRESTLING 1. Bryan Fields, Conroe, Texas 78.5 Curtis Cassidy, Donalda, Alberta 68.0 3. Todd Suhn, Brighton, Colo. 58.2

4. Joey Bell Jr., Salem, N.J. 56.0 5. Bill Pace, Stephenville, Texas 46.5 6. Lee Graves, Calgary, Alberta 45.5 7. K.C. Jones, Las Animas, Colo. 43.5 7. Jeff Corbello, Iowa, La. 43.5 7. J.B. Fudickar, Ferriday, La. 43.5

10. Rod Lyman, Victor, Mont. 41.5 10. Mike Garthwaite, Merritt, British Columbia 41.5 12. Shawn Greenfield, Lakeview, Ore. 39.5 13, Jason Lahr, Emporia, Kan. 39.0

14. Cash Myers, Athens, Texas 36.9 15. Rope Myers, Van, Texas 36.5 TEAM ROPING (HEADING) 1. Tee Woolman, Llano, Texas 69.0

Travis Tryan, Billings, Mont. 63.0 3. Matt Tyler, Weatherford, Texas 62.5 4. Daniel Green, Oakdale, Calif. 53.5 5. Lance Brooks, Shandon, Calif. 42.0 6. Joe Beaver, Huntsville, Texas 40.8.

Rowdy Rieken, Arp, Texas 39.5 8. Brady Wren, Kerrville, Texas 38.5 9. Tommy Edens, Cedar Hill, Texas 38.0 10. Mikey Fletcher Jr., Okeechobee, Fla. 36.0 11, Billy Holland Jr., Oroville, Calif. 35.0

12. Turtle Powell, Alpine, Texas 34.0 12. Chad Masters, Adams, Tenn. 34.0 14. Jason Stewart, Royal City, Wash. 33.5 15. Jason Handy, Scobey, Mont. 31.8. TEAM ROPING (HEELING).

1. Patrick Smith, Midland, Texas 69.0 2. Matt Zancanella, Aurora, S.D. 63.0 3. Britt Bockius, Claremore, Okla. 62.5 4. Kory Koontz, Sudan, Texas 53.5 5. Clayton Grant, San Miguel, Calif. 42.0 6. Wayne Folmer, El Paso, Texas 40.8

7. Zane Bruce, Eldorado, Texas 38.5 8. Tom Bourne, Canton, Ga. 38.0 9. Travis Woodard, Stockton, Calif. 36.0. 10. Mike George, Oakdale, Calif. 35.0 11. Kirt Jones, Piedmont, Okla. 34:0 11. Michael Jones, Stephenville, Texas 34.0

13. Mike Beers, Powell Butte, Ore. 33.5 14. Cory Petska, Lexington, Okla. 30.5 15. Coby Jones, Gatesville, Texas 28.0 SADDLE BRONC RIDING 1. Steve Dollarhide, Wikieup, Ariz. 78.0

2. Glen O'Neill, Didsbury, Alberta 67.1 3. Scott Johnston, Gustine, Texas 67.0 4. Mike Outhier, Utopia, Texas 64.0 5. Rod Hay, Wildwood, Alberta 63.6 6. Jeffery Willert, Belvidere, S.D. 58.5

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Trotters win at Panhandle

PANHANDLE - THE J&J Globetrotters won the Panhandle 6th Grade Basketball Tournament last weekend, going undefeated with a 5-0 record.

In the first game, the Trotters whipped White Deer 49-10. Mathew Smith and Heath Skinner led J&J in scoring with 12 points apiece. Thomas Fraser, Blake Sieck and Hayden Skinner followed with 7 points each.

J&J struggled in the second game, but managed to come out with a 30-25 win over Perryton. Mathew Smith led the Trotters with 14 points, followed by Hayden Skinner 5.

In the third game, the Trotters came out smoking against Spearman and cruised to a 39-16 win. Smith once again led the team in scoring with 13 points. Blake Sieck and Heath Skinner were next with 8 points apiece.

J&J struggled in the first half of the fourth game, but pulled away in the closing minutes to come away with a 33-22 win over Gruver. Smith led the Trotters once again with 19 points. Heath Skinner was next with 7 points.

That victory led to to the championship finals with unbeaten Tulia. The Globetrotters played one of their best games of the year and defeated a tough Tulia team 39-28. Smith once again led all scorers with 13 points and Heath Skinner was next with 10.

The Globetrotters, a Pampa team, has played in five tournaments - winning three and placing fourth and fifth in the other two this

Team members are John Luke Covalt, Madison Wilson, Mathew Smith, Thomas Fraser, Blake Sieck Hayden Skinner, Casey Trimble and Heath Skinner. Coaches are Monte Covalt and Jeff Skinner.

J&J has a 17-5 record this year and is 42-6 the last three vears.

Spurs 84, Suns 76

SAN ANTONIO (AP) -The Phoenix Suns came to San Antonio hoping to win one playoff game. For a while, it looked as if they might take

The Suns led by seven points with 7:36 left in Game 2 Monday night, but then Tim Duncan took over: layup, 10footer off the glass, 15-foot bank shot, a block of Amare Stoudemire's layup.

Duncan's nine points down the stretch, capped by two free throws with 33.5 seconds remaining, lifted San Antonio to an 84-76 victory that evened the best-of-seven series.

"We weren't hitting any shots, so I guess I was as good as anyone," said Duncan, who scored half his 22 points in the final period. "I was trying to hurt the double-team a bit." The win came despite 32

points from Suns point guard Stephon Marbury, who banked in a running 3-pointer at the overtime buzzer to win Game 1 on Saturday. Game 3 is Friday night in

Phoenix, with Game 4 on Sunday. Marbury, who also had 10

rebounds, said the Suns were happy with one victory. "We wanted the split and we got it," he said. "We have

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April 23, 2003: Your playful ways draw others. Think in CANCER (June 21-July 22) terms of what would be possible if you *** A partner gives you interesting reaction. Is this what you really want? ing this person on, instead, learn to work a partner might be tested over a money with those in your immediate world. with this associate. Extremes mark your matter. Could you possibly be over-Tonight: Catch up on a friend's news. life. Your home life might have a very indulging? Listen to someone's feed- CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) will be in a relationship by the new year friend or loved one attention. if you remain open to the possibilities. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) summer. If you are attached, add more whether you like it or not. Be smart and how you handle a child or loved one. caring to your relationship through nur- allow them to play their cards. You will Think about what you want from a loved turing and other gestures. AQUARIUS be in a better position to make an adjust- one. Tonight: Buy flowers on the way

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3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

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* * Make it your job to stay optimistic. Review a question that might have been new friend? Tonight: Where your pals **** Dig into your well of creativ- lingering on your mind. Push comes to ity to find answers. You might not be shove with a co-worker who might not sure about what someone thinks or be doing his or her job, but instead run-** Listen to a boss, but think about wants. Creativity helps resolve a touchy ning around happily. Help this person

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UC latest to look at professor-student dating

ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP) University of California professors are contemplating a new question this spring: Does dating your student flunk the ethics test?

Faculty are scheduled to vote on new rules this spring, completing a process that began well before the dean of UC's top law school left amid a sex scandal last fall.

The policy would make UC the latest school to ban the classroom courtships, joining such schools as the University of Michigan, the University of Iowa and

"It seems that more and more institutions are developing such policies in the hopes of avoiding having to deal with the issue when there's no policy in place," says Donna Euben of the American Association of University Professors.

Although UC doesn't have a no-dating decree - faculty recommended drafting a policy in 1983 but it was not made formal - there has always been an unwritten rule that getting involved with students is a bad idea, says Gayle Binion; political science professor at UC Santa Barbara.

Still, Binion says it's a good idea to get it in writing. Faculty have been working on a dating policy since late 2001, she

"Even though the vast majority already live by an ethical norm, you still need to ... show that the institution has a position and then to deal with the rare case of someone who violates it," said

The proposed policy would make it a breach of the code of conduct for a faculty member to engage in a "romantic or sexual relationship" with a student for whom he or she has, or should expect to have, academic responsibility.

Nationally, universities have taken different approaches to the question of professor-student relationships.

At Ohio Northern University, the faculty handbook dictates that "faculty and staff members should not have sexual relations with students to whom they are not married."

At the University of Michigan, romantic relationships are not forbidden but are considered to be a violation of ethics if

chair of UC's Academic Senate and a the faculty member supervises the student. Faculty members are required to tell a supervisor if they are having a relationship with a student.

At the College of William and Mary in Virginia, all dating between professors and undergraduates was banned after a former instructor wrote an embarrassing article about his affair with a student.

At UC, some campuses, including Berkeley, already have guidelines on dating students, but the proposed systemwide policy, to be voted on by faculty in May, is more strongly worded.

Some outside the system think the new policy is a mistake.

"I think it's unethical. It's an intrusion into personal and private relationships," says Barry Dank, a sociology professor at California State University-Long Beach. "It's the bureaucratization of sexuality."

Dank married one of his students in 2000, although he notes the marriage raised no eyebrows, perhaps because his wife is his contemporary in age.

Dank argues there are laws forbidding illegal behavior such as sexual harassment and says dating policies confuse consensual relationships with harass-

Laci Peterson's parents not mentioning her spouse

MODESTO, Calif. (AP) — Laci Peterson's parents spoke longingly of their daughter but would not publicly speak the name of her husband, the man accused of killing her and their unborn son.

Scott Peterson pleaded innocent to murder charges Monday. Hours later, Laci Peterson's anguished mother broke the public silence she has maintained since the two bodies were found last week on a San Francisco Bay shoreline.

"I can only hope that the sound of Laci's voice, begging for her life, begging for the life of her unborn child, is heard over and over and over again in the mind of that person every day for the rest of his life," Sharon Rocha said.

Scott Peterson, 30, is being held without bail on charges he acted "intentionally, deliberately and with premeditation" in killing Laci Peterson, 27. She was nearly eight months pregnant when she disappeared.

Hours before, Peterson's name was read in a Stanislaus County courtroom during a brief but emotional appearance where he was charged with two counts of murder. The charges against Peterson include the special circumstance that he allegedly committed multiple homicides, which lets prosecutors seek the death penalty.

Documents filed Monday by prosecutors said the killings happened at the Petersons' Modesto home between Dec. 23 and Dec.

The two corpses washed ashore last week about three miles from where Peterson said he was fishing in San Francisco Bay on Christmas Eve when his wife vanished.

Hours before the remains were identified Friday using DNA, Peterson, a fertilizer salesman, was arrested in San Diego County because police feared he might flee to Mexico. He was carrying nearly \$10,000 in cash, his naturally brown hair was blond and he had grown a beard.

Peterson was clean-shaven as he entered court with his hands cuffed and ankles shackled.

Rocha wept as the charges were read. Jackie Peterson, Scott Peterson's mother, hugged Rocha before the arraignment but the two sat on opposite sides of the courtroom.

Public defender Tim Bazar was assigned to the case after Peterson said he could not afford to hire a lawyer. The case was continued until a May 6 bail hearing.

District Attorney James Brazelton said his office would probably decide by a May 19 hearing whether to seek the death penalty, but he told ABC News it was likely.

lawyer Kirk Defense McAllister, who had represented Peterson before the arraignment and met with him in jail Saturday night, said there was a good explanation for the cash his client had during his arrest, but declined to discuss that or other elements of the case.

"The press wants instant truth. The police want self-serving truth. Hopefully, there will be a process to get to the whole truth what happened," McAllister said. "The police had to make an arrest in this case or they would have looked like Mayberry RFD."

Investigators had long declined to name Scott Peterson as a suspect, even as they seized his truck, fishing boat and-more than 100 items from the couple's home. Peterson maintained he had nothing to do with his wife's disappearance, saying he last saw her when he left to go fishing the day before Christmas.

New machinists can get strike benefits in Lockheed Martin walkout

The union striking for better wages and relief from high medical insurance and prescription drug costs at Lockheed Martin Aeronautics Co. says new machinists at the plant which manufactures fighter jets will qualify for strike benefits.

About 450 employees newly hired at Lockheed Martin Corp.'s North Texas aircraft manufacturing plant were approved for benefits of the International Association of Machinists even though they haven't yet worked the three months required by association bylaws to become eligible for such pay, the union's president said Monday

Pat Lane, president of IAM Local 776, told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram in Tuesday's online edition that "this will help the solidarity of the union. There were quite a few new hires who could have fallen between the cracks but the union will take care of them."

The strike, the third since 1984; began on April 14 after about 4,000 IAM members voted against accepting a proposed contract with wage increases that some union members said would be sharply cut by higher health care costs.

One of the most objection-

workers, was a change requiring greater co-payments on prescription drugs by workers.

Union leaders and managers reported no negotiations or contacts on Monday. A federal mediator has been in contact with the opposite sides, but no sessions have been scheduled.

Striking employees at Lockheed Martin will miss their first paycheck this Friday. Workers under union rules can start receiving the \$125 weekly strike pay after a walkout has lasted three weeks, IAM President Tom Buffenbarger wrote union members.

Bethesda. Md.-based able provisions, according to Lockheed Martin's Fort Worth

plant, the second-largest employer in the Dallas-Fort Worth area, will build the Polish government 48.F-16 jet fighters for \$3.5 billion, the biggest defense contract by a former Soviet bloc country since the end of the Cold War, it was announced on Friday.

The plant which built hundreds of F-16s for the U.S. military in past decades has also been manufacturing the center section of the F/A-22, which will replace the F-16 but is not yet in use by the U.S. military. Lockheed also builds the F-2, another fighter jet, for Japan. The union's production workers will begin building the new, F-35 Joint Strike Fighter later this year.

CASA



(Courtesy photo)

CASA volunteers were recognized at a banquet held recently. Fourteen of the 37 CASA volunteers are pictured above. Back row: Judge Lee Waters, Angie Friend, Jim Lummus, Sandra Prater, Wynona Box, Judy Warner, Sara Carmichael, and Paul Sublett. Front row: Judge Phil Vanderpool, Joe Hall, Sue Hall, Lisa Blandford, Linda Daniels, Judy Forister, Chris Kirkpatrick and Beverly Alexander.

