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LOCAL

Fund to aid Munsell family set up at bank

A fund to help the family of Paul Munsell with medical expenses has been established at Bank of America.

Madeline Graves, Munsell's mother-in-law, said the fund is to help defray costs for further treatment of a brain tumor and surgery in Dallas.

Munsell's insurance will pay only 60 percent of the expected bills, Graves said.

STATE

Mexicans mourning dead migrants

MEXICO CITY — United in life, father Juan Antonio Villaseñor and his 5-year-old son Marcos were separated in death. Both died — reportedly clinging to one another — in the back of trailer in Texas, but they will be buried Friday in separate Mexico City graveyards.

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City boards combine into one

By DAVID BOWSER
STAFF WRITER

M.K. Brown Auditorium and Parks and Rec. meet

Members of two city advisory boards got to know each other Thursday night as the newly formed Parks, Recreation and Auditorium Board held its first meeting.

The Pampa City Commission recently merged the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board and the M.K. Brown Auditorium Advisory Board into one.

Shane Stokes, the city's events coordinator, passed out minutes from previous meetings from each board and briefed the members and alternates on the newly formed advisory board on city projects concerning their interests.

The city is working with Chuck

White and the Pampa Chamber of Commerce to erect two flag poles at Sunset Park on the north side of U.S. Highway 60 at the west entrance to Pampa before June 5. Bill Hildebrandt, director of community services for Pampa, said that when a television crew is scheduled to be in Pampa to shoot part of an hour long tourist production expected to air on the Travel Channel next spring.

The new advisory board also discussed the Water Bill Donation program. Hildebrandt said that under the program, when a person applies for new water service from the city, the resident has the option of donating a

dollar for Pampa's parks program. Hildebrandt said the donation project raises about \$1,000 a month. Eighty-five percent of the money goes to park equipment and development, while 15 percent goes into the Holiday Decoration Fund.

The advisory board also discussed a new skate park.

Hildebrandt said the subject first came up several years ago, but it was not embraced by the board then because of liability issues. Now, he said, cities have a better grasp in dealing with such issues.

While there is no specific plan for a skate park, Hildebrandt said that inter-

est remains high. The Parks, Recreation and Auditorium Board also heard a report about the Trail Grant project.

"This is the last phase of four concerning the Hiking and Biking Trail," Hildebrandt said.

Kimberly Lancycomb, head of the city's streets and parks department, got a matching grant from the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, Hildebrandt said, to overlay Pampa's Hiking and Biking Trail with concrete. The concrete surface, he explained, is stronger than the original asphalt surface.

"It's worked out well," Hildebrandt said.

EMS employees being honored

By NANCY YOUNG
MANAGING EDITOR

medics, two basic and three intermediates provide emergency medical care when called upon.

Emergency medical care is often taken for granted. People have a tendency to not think about the availability of such care until it is needed.

While emergency medical responders are being recognized this week across the nation, Pampans have professionally trained personnel available 365

days a year, 24 hours a day whenever it is needed.

Whether treatment is needed for a traumatic injury, a sick call or lifting assistance, Pampa residents are assured that emergency personnel with Rural/Metro ambulances will rapidly respond to their calls.

The local emergency medical service responded to over 1,700 calls for medical assistance during 2002, said Paramedic Brandon Standefur.

Standefur said 17 para-

He said anyone needing an ambulance should always dial 9-1-1. "We don't want people to be pain any longer than necessary," he said. "And the 9-1-1 number is easy to remember."

He said the service often responds to lifting assistance calls, and there is no charge. "There is no reason to lay there if they can call and get help instead of staying in pain."

Standefur also urges callers to be prepared to give information to the person answering the 9-1-1 calls. "I know it seems like they are asking a billion questions and they are just wanting the ambulance to get there in a hurry," he said. "What many people don't realize is that while the dispatcher is asking these questions, another per-

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Veneman praised by Texas and Southwest Cattle Raisers

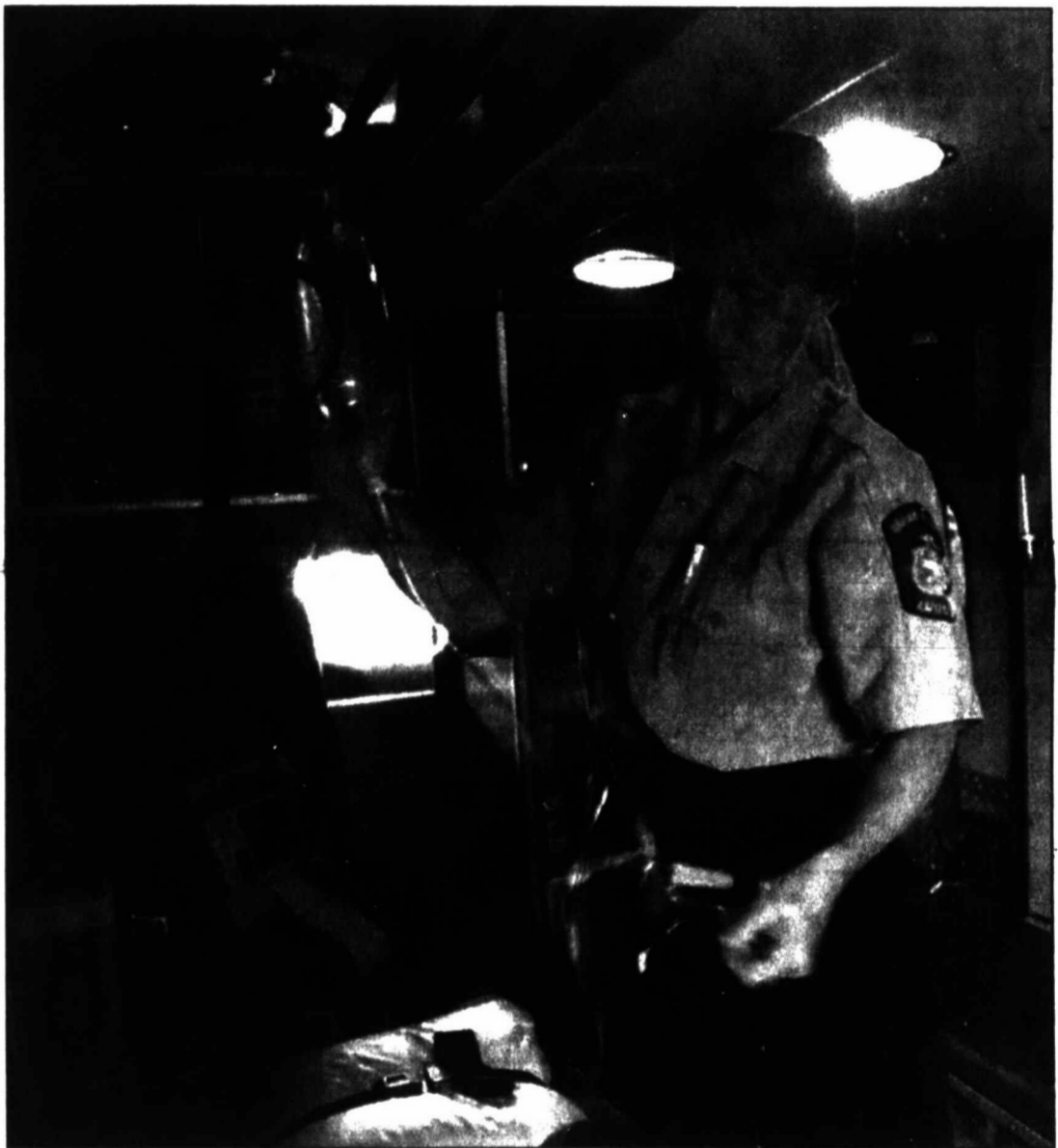
Two livestock organizations are thanking the Secretary of Agriculture for rapid moves in allaying fears over a case of mad cow disease in Canada.

Scott Keeling, chairman of the Texas Cattle Feeders, and Bob McCann, president of Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, co-signed a letter this week to Ann Veneman, U.S. Secretary of Agriculture, commending her and her federal agency for its swift and decisive action in closing the Canadian border to

cattle after a case of bovine spongiform encephalopathy, or mad cow disease, was reported in Alberta, Canada.

Veneman also sent USDA team of experts to help Canadian authorities in investigating the incident.

The leaders of the two livestock associations said the marketplace is the best barometer of how the beef industry perceives the USDA in times of crisis. The quick rebound in the futures market, they said, was an indication that USDA did well.



(Pampa News photos by David Bowser)

Kathy Tinney, paramedic with Rural Metro Ambulance Service, checks intravenous supplies on the local ambulance. Pampa's ambulance service has three ambulances for transporting patients to the appropriate medical facility for medical care. At left, the EMS Prayer is prominently displayed at the local ambulance facility.

DeLay breaks his silence

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. House Majority Leader Tom DeLay said he and his staff never contacted the Department of Homeland Security as Democrats have alleged and he contacted two other federal agencies only to ask for information during the search last week for state Democratic legislators who had fled to Oklahoma.

DeLay, weary of Democratic criticism, explained how he sought federal help Thursday. He had refused for days to com-

ment on whether his office was involved in the Department of Homeland Security assisting Texas law enforcement in tracking the Democrats.

"I tried my best not to answer all the untruths that the congressional Democrats have been putting out there, but it was obvious to me the real questions have not been answered," he said.

Fifty-one Democratic state House members stayed in Ardmore, Okla., for five days last week to kill a con-

gressional redistricting bill pushed by DeLay. The bill would have redrawn Texas' 32 congressional districts, which were redrawn just two years ago by federal judges.

The Department of Public Safety and Texas Rangers were ordered to find the state lawmakers.

DeLay, R-Sugar Land, said he tried to assist Texas House Speaker Tom Craddick in investigating whether the FBI and U.S. Marshals could be used to arrest the Democrats.

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New Mexico: EOTT finds documents while digging on state trust property

HOBBS, N.M. (AP) — Workers have unearthed burlap bags containing plastic-wrapped documents that a Houston-based oil shipping company had been searching for on state trust land.

The first discovery came Thursday afternoon, officials said. At that point the heavy equipment used to dig the 45-foot hole was pulled back and the ground was stabilized to allow searchers to go in on foot.

EOTT Energy LLC ordered the search for documents believed to have been buried in the area by another company.

The second bag was found more than five hours later. The search continued late Thursday night and numerous bags had been found, officials said.

Representatives from the company and the state will go through the records at an undisclosed location in

Hobbs Friday, said Kristin Haase, a spokeswoman for the State Land Office.

"We're not going to know for a while what we've got," said Gretchen Weis, spokeswoman for EOTT.

State Land Commissioner Patrick Lyons had initially halted the dig southwest of Hobbs when he learned of it last week, arguing that EOTT had not obtained permission from the state.

EOTT resumed the dig around midday Thursday after signing a right-of-entry permit agreement it reached with the Land Office, which included a \$500,000 letter of credit guaranteeing the reclamation effort if it was not done to the office's satisfaction.

The Hobbs News-Sun reported Friday that an early look at the documents showed what might be a pipeline map.

Weis said the company

had a reliable witness who saw the documents buried when the site was owned by Texas-New Mexico Pipeline Co. about two years ago.

"We're hoping to find environmental records that may have something to do with the pipeline," she said. Texas-New Mexico Pipeline Co. owned a pipeline near the excavation site until 1999 when it sold the pipeline to EOTT.

Lyons, who had visited the site, said he had never seen a dig like the 2-acre-wide, 45-foot-deep excavation area that involved heavy equipment, lighting for night work and about eight contracted workers.

EOTT officials presumed they had the right to retrieve the records because of the company's grazing and pipeline leases and their environmental cleanup efforts at the site in 2001, Albuquerque attorney Daniel Dolan said.

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EMS

son is dispatching the ambulance."

He said that the answers to those questions help prepare the medics in answering the call.

Never knowing when an emergency situation will arise, the young paramedic said it is very helpful to the paramedics, and ultimately the patient, to have a list of medications.

With this list, he said, it is very helpful to have the doctors name, any drug allergies or health problems. Standefur said it is important for people to keep this list in a place where it can be easily accessed.

"Some people keep this list on the refrigerator and/or their wallets," he said.

Standefur said whenever people are in doubt about whether to call the ambulance, to call. "If in doubt, go ahead and call. It is better to have us go out on a call and not be needed than not to call and be needed," he said.

With school to be out soon, there will be more injury calls, he said. "Most injuries are preventable by taking precautions. He said wearing helmets while riding bicycles and staying out of the street can often prevent traumatic injuries.

He said the ambulance service will gladly provide tours of ambulances for children. "Parents or teachers may schedule them or come by for the children to see the inside of the ambulance," he said. "It helps them to take the fear away if they ever have to be transported, or a member of their family is taken to the hospital by ambulance."

First aid and Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation classes are given by certified instructors with Rural Metro. Special programs are also available by calling 665-6551.

Local senior paramedic is Peggy Coleman. Operations Manager is Carla Adams who is over the Burger ambulance service as well as Pampa's office.

OBITUARIES

VIOLA BULLARD

Memorial services for Viola Bullard are scheduled at 10:30 a.m., Saturday, May 31, at Memory Gardens Mausoleum in Pampa. Ms. Bullard, a former Pampa resident, died April 9, 2003.

Survivors include a husband, J.W. Bullard; two sons; five daughters; a brother, Emmett Jenkins; a sister, Betty Jack; 23 grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

ON RECORD

ACCIDENTS

Pampa Police Department today reported the following accidents.

Wednesday, May 21

A 1989 Ford stationwagon driven by Jim Ray Maxwell, 46, 217 Tignor, was involved in a collision with a 1995 Ford mini-van driven by Elvonda Lewis Williams, 53, 2113 N. Zimmers, and a 1983 Buick sedan driven by Ira Don Colley, 24, 1001 S. Hobart. Williams was reported to have suffered minor injuries. Maxwell was cited for driving while intoxicated, having an open container in the car, not having a driver's license and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Thursday, May 22

A 1992 Jeep driven by April Lyn Laycock, 22, 312 S. Barnes, was in collision with a 2001 Dodge pickup driven by Adam Kelly Mulanax, 40, 908 S. Wells. Laycock was cited for failure to yield right of way while turning left.

FIRE

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

Wednesday, May 21

12:42 p.m. — One unit and three firefighters responded to the 1400 block of West Somerville on a medical assist.

1:20 p.m. — Two units and seven firefighters responded to the 2500 block of Perryton Parkway on a fire alarm. It was a false alarm.

8:15 p.m. — One unit and five firefighters responded to the 1000 block at North Hobart on a vehicle crash.

Thursday, May 22

12:05 a.m. — One unit and three firefighters responded to the 500 block of East Foster on a medical assist.

8:14 p.m. — One unit and two firefighters responded to the intersection of Cuyler and Tyng on a vehicle crash.

SHERIFF

Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following arrests during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Thursday, May 22

James L. Boyce, 50, Amarillo, was arrested by Texas Department of Public Safety troopers on charges of failure to appear and not wearing a seat belt.

Rick Villarreal, 35, 112 N. Faulkner, was arrested by Pampa police officers on traffic warrants out of Randall County.

James Price Butler, 22, 412 N. Cuyler, was arrested by Gray County deputies on Roberts County traffic warrants.

Friday, May 23

Paul Garcia Cantu, 36, 205 Miami, was arrested by Pampa police officers on charges of driving while intoxicated and running a stop sign.

Gary Eugene Robinson, 31, 216 S. Tignor, was arrested by Pampa police officers on traffic warrants.

Rodney Earl Young, 36, 725 Sumner, was arrested by Gray County deputies and Pampa police officers on charges of having a headlight out, driving while intoxicated, driving with an expired driver's license and resisting arrest.

POLICE

Pampa Police Department today reported the following incidents.

Thursday, May 22

More than a dozen self-storage units were broken into at Double T Storage, 2500 W. Kentucky.

A snow blower, edger and clothes box were found in the 1200 block of Perry.

Juveniles fighting was reported in the 500 block of Doucette.

A cell phone was lost in the 100 block of East Houston.

An attempted aggravated assault was reported in the 400 block of Red Deer.

STOCKS

The following grain quotations are provided by Anheuser Grain of Pampa.

Wheat	3.08
Milo	4.01
Corn	4.50
Soybeans	5.47

The following show prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation.

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The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock Market quotations are furnished by Edward Jones & Co. of Pampa.

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Celanese	22.00	NC
Cabot Corp.	28.51	-0.14
Cabot Oil Gas	25.75	+0.13
Coca Cola	44.45	-0.08
VLO	37.91	+0.05
Halliburton	23.57	-0.23
Irish Hospitals	25.30	+0.02
NOI	23.98	-0.28
KMI	48.50	+0.87
XCEL	14.95	+0.44
Kerr-McGee	46.54	+0.41
Limited	13.79	-0.01
Williams	7.67	-0.03
McDonalds	17.49	-0.01
Exxon Mobil	35.93	-0.02
Atmos	23.70	+0.20
Pioneer Nat	25.90	+0.32
Penney's	16.82	-0.12
COP	52.96	+0.06
Schlumberger	46.93	-0.20
Tenneco	3.58	-0.02
CVX	67.93	+0.48
Wal-Mart	52.37	-0.53
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NS Group	8.45	-0.07

New York Gold	367.05
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WEATHER FOCUS

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Today's forecast is calling for showers and thunderstorms in the afternoon, highs in the mid 80s, southeast winds 5 to 15 mph and a 40 percent chance of rain. Tonight, partly cloudy. Chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the lower 60s. Southeast winds 5 to 15 mph. Chance of rain 40 percent. Saturday should be mostly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms in the morning then showers and thunderstorms likely in the afternoon as well, highs in the mid 80s, southeast winds 5 to 15 mph and a 60 percent chance of rain. Saturday night should be mostly cloudy. Showers and thunderstorms likely in the evening then chance of showers and thunderstorms after midnight. Lows in the upper

50s. Northeast winds 5 to 15 mph. Chance of rain 60 percent. Sunday, mostly cloudy. Chance of showers and thunderstorms. Highs in the mid 70s. East winds 5 to 15 mph. Chance of rain 30 percent. Sunday night, mostly cloudy. Chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the lower 60s. Chance of rain 30 percent. Memorial Day, Partly cloudy. Slight chance of thunderstorms in the afternoon. Highs in the upper 70s. Chance of precipitation 20 percent. Monday night, partly cloudy. Slight chance of thunderstorms. Lows in the upper 50s. Chance of precipitation 20 percent. Tuesday, partly cloudy. Slight chance of thunderstorms in the afternoon. Highs in the lower 80s. Chance of precipitation 20 percent. Tuesday night, most-

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STATEWIDE

Cloudy skies were expected across much of Texas on Friday with highs in the 70s and 80s in many areas.

In the Panhandle, partly cloudy skies were expected with a chance of showers and thunderstorms in the afternoon and evening. Highs were expected from 83 to 88 during the day. By evening, lows from 58 to 65 were expected.

Partly cloudy skies with a slight chance of thunderstorms were expected in the Guadalupe Mountains and Big Bend area with highs in the upper 70s in the mountains to 101 along the Rio Grande. By evening, mostly cloudy skies were expected with a slight chance of thunderstorms and lows from 55 to 75.

In the Hill Country and south central Texas, some morning low clouds were expected to become partly cloudy with highs from the mid 80s in the hills to the low and mid 90s along the Rio Grande. By nighttime, partly cloudy skies were expected with lows in the mid-60s to lower 70s.

In the Dallas area, cloudy skies were expected with highs in the mid-80s. By evening, partly cloudy skies were expected with lows in the mid-60s.

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Zamora, Mora to wed behind bars

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Convicted murderer Diane Zamora can marry a man who is serving time at another Texas prison, a Bexar County official said.

The county clerk's office mailed 25-year-old Zamora and her prospective groom, 27-year-old Steven Mora, a marriage certificate application Thursday. If the application is accepted, both inmates would marry stand-ins in separate ceremonies, officials said.

The two prisoners wrote the county clerk office earlier this year asking for permission to get a marriage license.

County Clerk Gerry Rickhoff said he had never dealt with such a request before now.

"This is the first time this office has had a request like this from two people in prison, one serving a life sentence," Rickhoff said.

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Senate in tax c

BY ALAN F. ASSOCIATED PRE

WASHINGTON — Republicans pushed a bill for a new tax cut on Friday as the Senate vote on a sharply revised version of a package. Bush said would trim my from its knees. Bush was part of the package, which is \$20 billion in aid to the states. Though the size of the plan sought, approval was significant political victory for the president, who is losing his popularity.

House de overha insurance

AUSTIN (AP) — House, debating would overhaul regulates homeown insurance rates, an amendment that insurers from using tortury as a factor in insurance rates.

The House also rejected an amendment would have return their 2001 levels. of mold claims. Now, mold is covered under most amendment sponsors Wolens, D-Dallas.

Wolens said insurance rates increased on average \$793 in 2001 to a third quarter of 2002.

"The premiums are the highest in the hemisphere. They are the highest in the world galaxy," Wolens said.

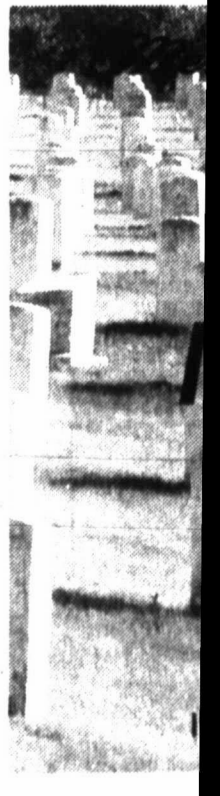
The rollback failed on a 73-64 sponsor John Smith that the rollback market because it would not want Texas.

Smith has said owners insurance drop under the bill requires homeownance companies begin using new after the bill is signed.

Under the bill Commissioner Montemayor could rates to be reduced. He did not feel the need. Except in conditions, the rate increase for one they could be low.

Debate on the bill on for most Thursday and it to resume Friday.

Wolens Democrats scored later in the day when the Senate amendment that insurance companies using credit scores insurance premium.



Senate ready to send Bush \$330 billion in tax cuts, \$20 billion in aid for states

BY ALAN FRAM
ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republicans pushed \$330 billion in new tax cuts to the brink of congressional approval on Friday as the Senate neared a vote on a sharply truncated version of a package that President Bush said would lift the economy from its knees.

Bush was poised to sign the package, which also included \$20 billion in aid for cash-hungry states. Though less than half the size of the plan he originally sought, approval would mark a significant political victory for the president, who was parlaying his popularity after the victo-

House debates overhauling insurance regs

AUSTIN (AP)—The Texas House, debating a bill that would overhaul how the state regulates homeowners and auto insurance rates, approved an amendment that would ban insurers from using credit history as a factor in setting insurance rates.

The House also on Thursday rejected an amendment that would have returned rates to their 2001 levels, before a rush of mold claims hit the state. Now, mold is no longer covered under most policies, said amendment sponsor Rep. Steve Wolens, D-Dallas.

Wolens said homeowners insurance rates in Texas have increased on average from \$793 in 2001 to \$1,135 in the third quarter of 2002.

"The premiums in Texas are the highest in the United States. They are the highest in this hemisphere. They are the highest in the world and in the galaxy," Wolens said.

The rollback amendment failed on a 73-64 vote after bill sponsor John Smithee argued that the rollback would hurt the market because new companies would not want to come to Texas.

Smithee has said that homeowners insurance rates would drop under the bill because it requires homeowners insurance companies to file and begin using new rates soon after the bill is signed into law.

Under the bill, Insurance Commissioner Jose Montemayor could then order rates to be reduced further if he did not feel the rates are justified. Except in extreme situations, the rates could not increase for one year, although they could be lowered.

Debate on the bill stretched on for most of the day Thursday and it was expected to resume Friday.

Wolens and other Democrats scored a victory later in the debate Thursday when the Senate approved an amendment that would ban insurance companies from using credit scoring in setting insurance premiums.

ry of Iraq into the third tax cut of his two-and-a-half-year-old administration.

It would also be a significant win for congressional Republicans, who control Congress by razor-thin majorities but have managed to prevail on a measure they made the cornerstone of their domestic agenda.

"The purpose of this bill is to stimulate the economy," said Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison, R-Texas. "The purpose of this is to put people back to work."

Democrats said the bill was tilted excessively toward the wealthy, and would make the government's already staggering deficit problem even worse. Even before the tax measure's passage, this year's federal shortfall was expected to rocket well beyond the unprecedented level of \$300 billion.

"This is a policy of debt, deficits and decline," said Sen. Kent Conrad, D-N.D., adding, "This is a scandal in the making. We're going to read there are perverse results as a result of this tax policy."

Two hours after midnight, the House approved the bill by 231-200 in a mostly party-line vote.

Enactment will deliver rebate checks of up to \$400 per child to many families as early as this summer. Other reductions would go to married couples, most workers, people who sell property, businesses, and corporate stockholders who receive

NYSE wants to fingerprint employees

NEW YORK (AP) — The New York Stock Exchange has proposed taking fingerprints of its employees and those who regularly do business with the exchange so they can be submitted to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

In a filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission last week, the NYSE said tighter monitoring is needed because of heightened security concerns following the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks. The proposal, which seeks "accelerated" approval by May 30, would cover employees, service providers, contractors and even journalists who report regularly from the NYSE.

Currently, the NYSE conducts checks only for some of its staff, as well as regular visitors

dividends. Underlining the muscle of moderate senators uncomfortable with the red ink, the bill's tax cuts were less than half the \$726 billion in tax reductions through 2013 that Bush proposed in January as a tonic for the swooning economy.

Instead of his trumpeted proposal to end taxes on corporate dividends paid by individuals, a less costly version was included that also reduced levies on capital gains.

The bill crammed most of the elements Bush proposed into a \$330 billion package.

Most of the bill's cuts in personal income taxes would end after 2004 and the dividend and capital gains reductions would end after 2008. Politicians of both parties consider that unlikely to occur because accusations would fly about a tax increase.

"I certainly intend to enhance these improvements in coming years," said Senate Finance Committee Chairman Charles Grassley, R-Iowa.

The liberal Center on Budget and Policy Priorities estimated that if the tax bill's elements were left intact for the entire decade, its price tag would be at least \$800 billion.

The measure would lower the top rates paid on dividends and capital gains to 15 percent. The lowest-earning people would pay 5 percent, and for one year would owe no tax on those forms of income.

who pose a clear risk, such as those carrying weapons, said NYSE spokesman Ray Pellicchia.

The NYSE argued the security measure is permissible under a recent change to state law, which requires "self-regulatory organizations in New York to fingerprint their employees and those non-employee service providers whose access to facilities or records places the self-regulatory organization at risk."

But some legal experts questioned whether the proposal might violate constitutional rights. They said requiring fingerprinting for submission to a federal agency could represent an unreasonable search by the government under the Fourth Amendment.

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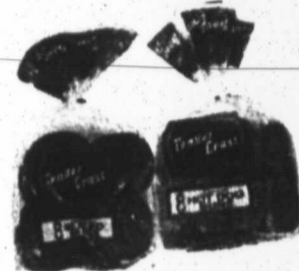
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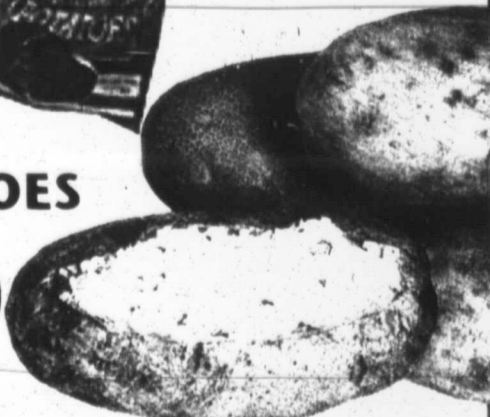
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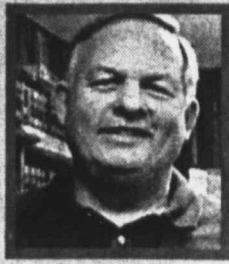
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A lifetime of lessons on racial prejudice

My very earliest memories are of my life right here in Pampa. Those years here in my hometown began my education on almost every aspect of life. Race relations was one of those subjects.

I can still remember playing baseball for C.R. Hoover and arriving early for almost every practice. Not so much because I loved baseball, but Nathaniel almost always brought a bag of hot French fries. He always offered me some, and we'd relish every bite. I can remember Nathaniel offering some of the other guys a bite, and they would look at us like we were nuts. At 9 years of age, I had no idea why they looked at us funny. I figured it out later.

In high school, I played basketball with Ed. What a cool guy he was. His vertical jump used to knock my socks off. Mine was about 18 inches. I don't remember what his was, but how he could jump. Most of all, I remember how nice he was. In my memories, I don't ever see him without his million dollar smile. I wonder why I never asked him over to spend the night like I did a lot of other friends? Looking back, I'm afraid that maybe I know the answer.

At 20, I moved to Louisiana and met Lyman. He was 12-years-old, and I was his baseball coach. One day our shortstop got mad at Lyman and called him the "N" word. I ran as hard as I could to stop Lyman from ringing Doug's neck. After a long team talk, Doug and Lyman were buds again, and we all agreed that no one on our team would ever use that word again at a practice or a game. And no one did.

At 21, I went for my Bible training in ministry and met Raymond and Rosa. They had 12 children, nine still living at home. He was a barber called into the ministry. I can't ever remember a negative word coming out of his mouth the entire time we were in school. And he almost always outscored me on the tests.

At 23, I met Kenneth when I shared the gospel of Jesus with him and baptized him. After his first morning at church, I was told that I had to tell him that he couldn't return. I can still see the look in his eyes as I tried to explain how Christians could be filled with so much hate.

At 24, Shan and I went to the first doctor's appointment after discovering that we were pregnant. We didn't know it at the time, but we entered the wrong waiting room. It was dark and hot and run down. Quickly we were escorted into another wait-

ing room; air conditioned, well lighted, nice furniture. And it wasn't until then that it hit us. When Christina was born we only had insurance for a semi-private room, but we got a private one.

Know why? You see, there was only one other woman in the hospital having a baby, and she was black. And they refused to put Shari and her in the same room. We couldn't believe it.

At 30, we lived in Wichita, Kan., and lived very close to some ugly race riots. I can remember getting home one day from work only to see on the news a riot breaking out at an intersection that I had just left 20 minutes before.

When we turned 37 and our daughter turned into a "teenager," we discovered that our trying to teach her that skin color was an irrelevant subject had taken root. When Christina used to comment on meeting a particularly cute boy, there was no way of telling what color he might be. Color really was an irrelevant subject at our house, and we were glad that it was.

Then at 44 we moved back to Pampa. We talked to both of our boys about how differently many people would view the subject of skin color. They thought we were crazy. The first kids to befriend Jeff at middle school were Gabe and Shannon and Lynn.

Before long, he was spending the night over at their home in Prairie Village, and then they were spending the night at our house on Banks. Then came high school. I noticed that he didn't go to Prairie Village anymore and they didn't come to Banks. I can remember going in to Jeff's room one day and asking him a question.

I told him that I wasn't trying to preach at him, but just trying to help him think through some things. I asked him, "Jeff, why don't I ever see Gabe or Shannon or Lynn over here at our house anymore?"

I wasn't really asking for an answer. Then he graduated. Now he lives in Los Angeles, in a section of the city where he is one of the only whites, and he gets along great with any and every color because color isn't the big deal that it was. Isn't it funny how things work out?

Now at 50-plus years, Shari and I try to spend our lives serving our Savior, Jesus Christ. Want to know what's interesting? Jesus wasn't black or white. I sure am glad that He chose to love and die for people who had a different color of skin than He did. Aren't you? God bless.

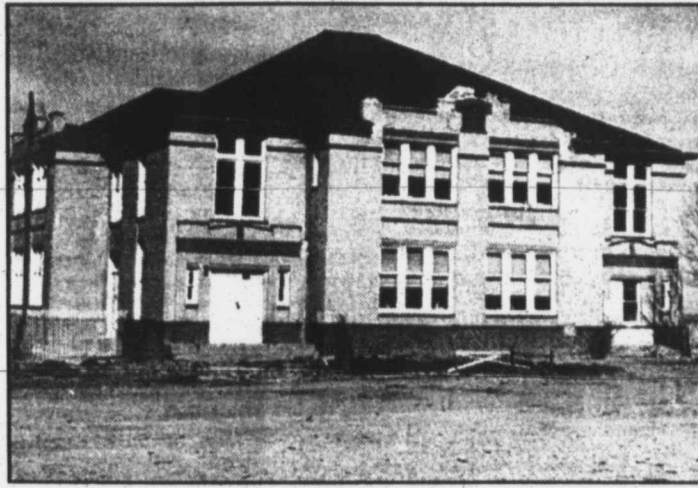
Alanreed: McCracken early church leader

Editor's Note: This is the fourth in a series of articles about the evolution of religion in Gray County by local historian Eloise Lane.

BY ELOISE LANE

SPECIAL TO THE PAMPA NEWS

Alanreed, once considered the metropolis of Gray County, was known by other names before the town was laid out in 1901 while the Rock Island Railroad was being constructed. The community was once called Springtank or Springtown because of a large tank of water fed by big springs. The tank, located north and east of the school building constructed in 1912, was used for baptismal services. As was customary on the plains, the first school, built



(Courtesy photo)

Former Alanreed school, built in 1912. Beginning in 1953, high school students attended school in McLean.

in 1901, also housed the first church. The first settler, F.R. McCracken, who came in 1886, was also the first Sunday school superintendent. The Rev. Dubbs from

Clarendon preached on certain Sundays in an ecumenical service.

In 1904, the Baptist Church, on the west side of town, was formally organ-

ized with seven members. S.T. Greenwood was a long-time Baptist minister. By 1907, there was a Methodist church on the east side of town.

In 1904, Myrtle (Byrd) Davidson (widow of Sid) with her husband's younger brother, Moore Davidson, and her children, Ethel, Ed and Claude, settled in two dugouts by a huge running spring of water in Section 64. The spring was an early day landmark in Gray Co.

Known as the Davidson Spring, it was used by the early churches for baptismal services.

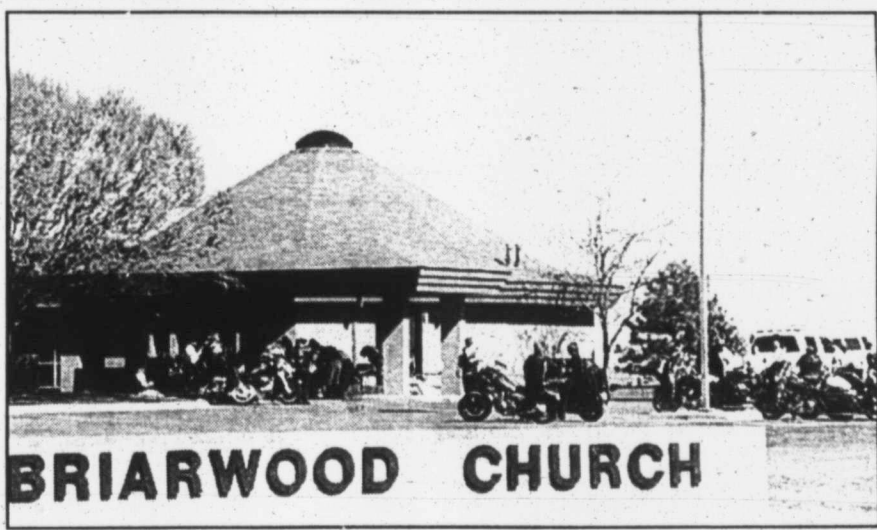
(Moore Davidson owned "Old Bob," the "unridable" black mustang that Bones Hooks rode.)

Briarwood bike run benefits youth group

Briarwood Full Gospel Church's Reborn Youth Ministries recently held its first Annual Bike Run fund-raiser and saw a total of 106 bikes register for the event which raised approximately \$1,300 for the youth. Randy Pryor won \$100 in cash for coming in first, and Chris Keller won \$50 for coming in second.

The route included Lefors, Alanreed and Lake McClelland. Participants were treated to free soft drinks and hot dogs afterwards. Tom Hoover won \$52 in a drawing, and biker Jack McDaniel observed his 79th birthday during the fund-raiser.

Organizers say the group is already planning next year's bike run. The first 100 people to sign up for the 2004 event will receive free T-shirts compliments of area sponsors.



(Courtesy photo)

Numerous bikers recently gathered at Briarwood Full Gospel Church, 1800 W. Harvester, for the church's Reborn Youth Ministries first Annual Bike Run fund-raiser which netted approximately \$1,300 for the youth group.

Study: Episcopal church thrives with small congregations

NEW YORK (AP) — Worship attendance in the Episcopal Church increased by nearly 17,000 from 1995 to 2000 and small congregations account for much of this, said a new study by the denomination's research director, C. Kirk Hadaway.

More Episcopal congregations are losing attendance than gaining, but increases in "a vital minority" resulted in overall growth, Hadaway said. That gain

contrasts with decreases in participation and membership in most "mainline" or liberal Protestant denominations.

Hadaway said the largest congregations aided Episcopal gains but not as much as those with average Sunday attendance of 100 or fewer. "Smaller congregations are the major source of growth," he said. On the other hand, smaller parishes are also more likely to decline or disband.

The typical Episcopal congregation has an average Sunday attendance of 80. Among the 7,364 Episcopal congregations, 33 reported attendance of more than 800.

Hadaway said "misinformation" had denigrated smaller congregations and over-emphasized the contribution of larger ones.

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DEAR ABBY

written by Pauline Phillips and daughter Jeanne Phillips

Pause To Reflect On Those Who Died To Keep Us Free

DEAR ABBY Memorial Day is again upon us. Many of our citizens will enjoy a day off from work. Some will join family and friends at the beach, a picnic, a ball game or perhaps the mall. Sadly, the true meaning of this holiday, which was designated to remember and honor America's fallen, will be forgotten by many Americans.

We owe these men and women a debt of remembrance. We must make a special effort to honor their legacy on this and every Memorial Day.

This year, the White House Commission on Remembrance is asking Americans to pause on Memorial Day at 3 p.m. local time, wherever they may be, and reflect on those who have died for our freedom. To mark this year's observance, I have asked Charles Strouse, the noted composer of "Annie" and "Bye-Bye Birdie," to write a song for the National Moment of Remembrance. The song is titled "On This Day."

Parents and kids can listen to "On This Day" online and download sheet music to learn the song. The National Association for Music Education (NAME) has posted this information on its Web site: www.name.org.

Abby, I again ask your help in encouraging your readers to join in this act of national unity in remembering our fallen on Monday, May 26. As John F. Kennedy said, "A nation reveals itself not only by the citizens it produces, but also by the citizens it honors, the citizens it remembers."

CARMELLA LaSPADA, DIRECTOR, WHITE HOUSE COMMISSION ON REMEMBRANCE

DEAR CARMELLA: Thank you for your timely letter — and for the reminder that Memorial Day is only a few days away.

The White House Commission on Remembrance promotes the values of Memorial Day by acts of remembrance throughout the year. Learn more about it by visiting www.remember.gov.

Readers, as the events of the last few months have reminded us all, freedom is not free; in every conflict there is a price paid in human life. I hope that on this Memorial Day, all of you will take a "moment of remembrance" out of your holiday celebration to respect the young people who gave their lives this year in the service of our country, and perhaps join me in offering up a prayer for their grieving families.

DEAR ABBY: I am an 11th-grade girl, and I need your advice on what to tell my parents when my report card comes in June. My GPA has dropped big-time since the last one, and they have both been nagging me to study harder.

My mom and dad don't understand what it's like for me at school. Keeping my grades up has become more difficult because I don't have the motivation to immerse myself in the mandatory curriculum. I have no need whatsoever for those boring academic requirements.

The one thing I'm good at is art drawing and painting — and I can do that on my own. Sometimes I wonder why I need high school at all. I'd love to have a break from it. How can I clue my parents in to what I'm all about, Abby?

FRUSTRATED TEEN IN VERMONT

DEAR FRUSTRATED TEEN: I suspect your parents are going to know what you are all about once they see your report card. Every student, at one time or another, has had the same feelings. But the smart ones accept the reality that in order to succeed and be independent, they must, at the very least, have a high school (or equivalent) diploma. The time to get it is now. So buckle down in your senior year and lift your grade point average. Art schools require well-rounded students.

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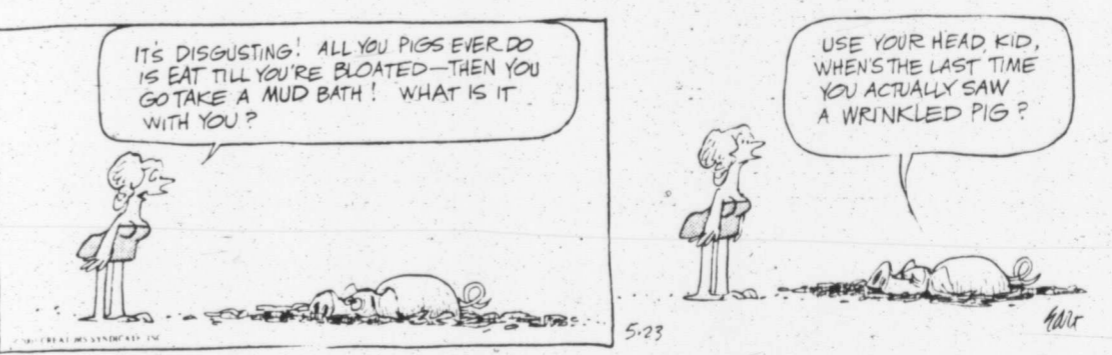
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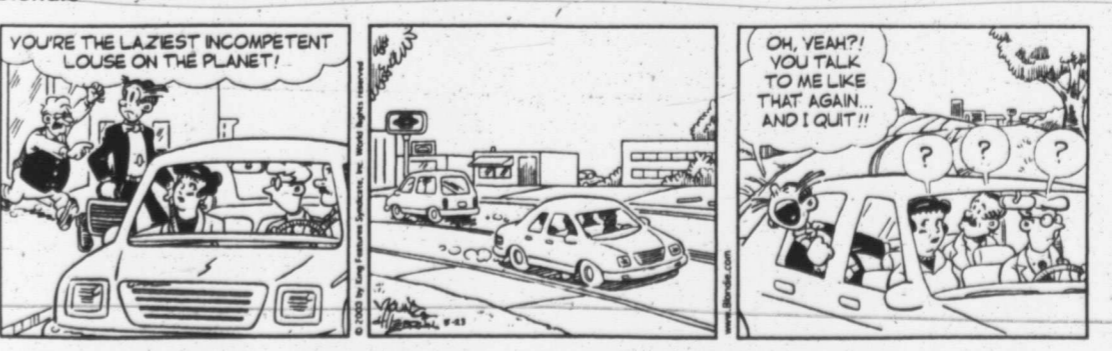
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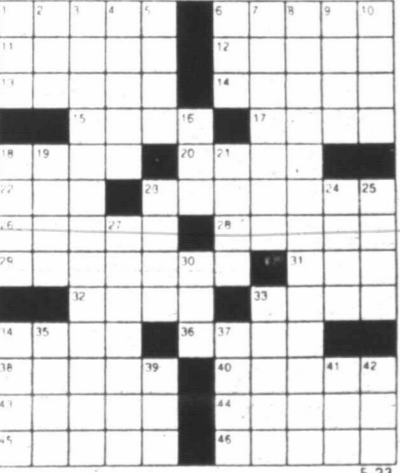
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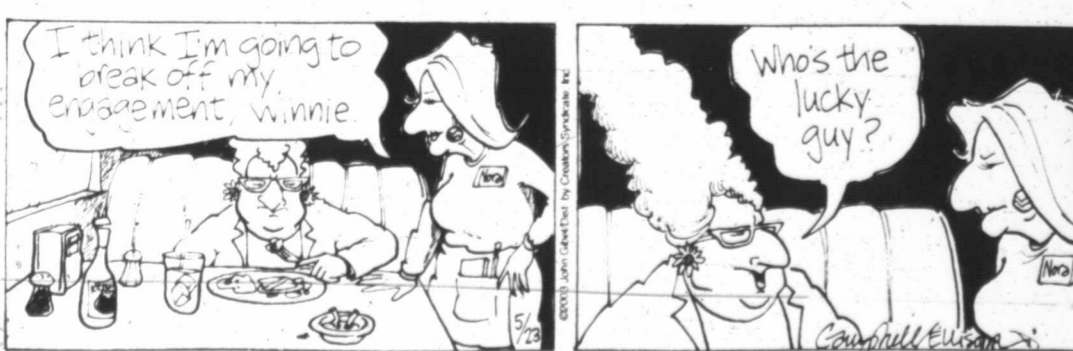
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SPORTS

Pampa's Velez named to Academic All-State Team

PAMPA — Pampa High senior Valerie Velez has been named to the Class 4A Academic All-State Girls' Basketball Team by the Texas High School Basketball Coaches Association.

Four Pampa area players made the Class 1A Academic All-State Girls Team. They

were Cassi Brown, Lyndi Finsterwald and Amy Osborne, all of Wheeler; and Amanda Conrad of Groom.

Velez was a second-team All-District 3-4A player this past season for the Lady Harvesters. She led Pampa in scoring (10.1 ppg), free throw percentage (73 percent) and steals (19) in dis-

trict play.

Velez was second on the team in rebounding (4.1 rpg) and averaged 1.5 assists per game.

She also competed in the annual Texas Golden Spread All-Star Basketball Games last month at the West Texas A&M Event Center in Canyon.

Valerie is the daughter of Rudy and Vickey Velez of Pampa. She plans to attend Oklahoma State University in Stillwater, Okla. and major in bio-chemistry or biology. She hopes to become an optometrist.

Velez graduates from the Distinguished Honors Program at PHS.



Valerie Velez

Sorenstam shoots opening 71 in first PGA Tour event

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Annika Sorenstam has already made history. Now she's trying to make the cut.

Still, no matter what happens Friday in the second round of the Colonial, the first woman to play in a PGA Tour event in 58 years has already accomplished most of what she set out to do.

"Personally, I came here to test myself. I'm very proud of the way I was focusing and the way I made decisions and stuck to them," Sorenstam said after her opening 71 Thursday.

"That's why I'm here. I wanted to see if I could do it. That's all that matters to me."

At 1-over par, Sorenstam proved — at least for a round — that her game stacked up against the players on the men's tour.

"It looked like the way she's playing, she could easily compete on this level," Phil Mickelson said after his 67.

Sorenstam's first-round score was in the middle of the pack, but better than Sergio Garcia (72), Tom Lehman (73) and two dozen others. Defending champion Nick Price, who said her appearance on a sponsor's exemption "reeks of publicity," shot a 70.

Sorenstam was tied for 73rd, with the top 70 and ties advancing to the final

two rounds. She played Friday afternoon, when tougher conditions were expected as the 7,080-yard layout dried out.

Rory Sabbatini took advantage of a soft course after two days of rain for an opening 64. He led by one stroke over Mark Calcavecchia and Patrick Sheehan.

With a gallery that stood a dozen deep and strained to see every shot, Sorenstam showed how she has become the most dominant female golfer in 40 years. She won 13 times in 25 tournaments around the world last year.

She missed only one fairway at Colonial. And on the four greens she missed, she was close enough to use her putter.

"She wanted to experience this Tiger mania, if you want to call it that, because she thinks that's going to help her in the future," said Jesper Parnevik, a fellow Swede.

"When she comes to the next major, it's going to be like playing a Wednesday pro-am for her. So she just wants to go through all of this and see how she handles it."

On Thursday, she handled everything like a champ.

Sorenstam might have been nervous all day — "My heart was beating, I felt a little sick in my stomach, my hands were sweaty," she said — but she never played like

it.

"She's a machine. She's awesome," said Aaron Barber, who played with Sorenstam and had a 72.

Dean Wilson, the other PGA Tour rookie in the group, had a 71.

"I'm not ashamed to lose to her," Barber said. "It's only 18 holes, too."

The loudest cheer of the day came at the par-3 13th, where Sorenstam made her only birdie with a 15-foot putt from just off the fringe on her fourth hole of the day.

She pumped her fist, kicked her leg and pointed to her caddie.

She stayed under par for 10 more holes, until three-putting from 60 feet at her 14th hole, the 470-yard fifth. That was the only fairway missed, but she then managed to get to the green from the right rough.

Sorenstam didn't go over par until missing an 8-foot putt on her finishing hole, the 402-yard ninth.

"I didn't miss really a shot. Yeah, I missed some putts, but most of it was speed," she said. "This probably would be, I would have to say in the 60s on my tour."

Sorenstam missed four birdie putts inside 15 feet.

The last woman to play on the PGA Tour was Babe Zaharias in 1945. The last time there was this much interest in one round was when Woods made his pro

debut in the 1996 Greater Milwaukee Open.

Fans began gathering around the 10th tee nearly an hour before Sorenstam started her round. They crammed into a clubhouse balcony, on a grassy hill to the right of the tee, and covered every inch of rope from tee to green.

Astros defeat Cardinals as Wagner reaches milestone

HOUSTON (AP) — Billy Wagner reached another milestone. Not that he noticed.

Wagner closed out Houston's 5-2 victory over St. Louis on Thursday night for his 193rd career save, passing Mitch Williams for fifth-best among left-handers.

"I had no idea," Wagner said. "It was a great game for us and that is all I was thinking about. I haven't got enough time to think about things like that when I'm out there."

John Franco is the career leader among lefties with 422. Sparky Lyle is fourth with 222.

"There aren't too many guys who throw 100 miles an hour and keep it in the strike zone," Houston manager Jimy Williams said. "I think a lot of people buy tickets here and on the road to see him pitch, since they register those speed numbers on most score boards. He hits 100 all the time and still has a good slider."

Jerome Robertson won for

Hundreds of fans wore "Go Annika" buttons and held up signs urging her on. There was even the odd cry of "You Da Woman!"

"I teed off 10 minutes behind her, and everybody out here is watching her," Sheehan said. "Everybody else is kind of under the radar."

the first time in more than a month. Jeff Kent had a pair of RBI doubles and Adam Everett hit his first major league home run for Houston.

The Astros have won five of eight games this season against the defending NL Central champions.

Robertson (2-3) went 5 2-3 innings and allowed one run on four hits, striking out four and walking none for his first win since beating Cincinnati on April 10.

Robertson had four no-decisions and two losses since his previous victory.

He went down to the minors May 2, but was recalled 10 days later.

Brett Tomko (2-3) went 4 1-3 innings and allowed five runs on eight hits.

"I have no excuses," Tomko said. "I just got too much of the plate and was high. There are some ball games that I've gotten by with that, but these guys are good high-ball hitters and you can't make mistakes or they will make you pay."

NOTEBOOK

BASKETBALL

BORGER — Frank Phillips College will have men's basketball tryouts at 6 Tuesday night (May 27) in Borger.

The tryout will take place at the Borger Community Activity Center on the FPC campus. Those interested must have junior college eligibility.

For more information, call FPC head coach Lou Gudino at 274-5311, Ext. 818.

SOFTBALL

PAMPA — City of Pampa Recreation Department will be offering the following leagues for Summer Softball: Men's Open and Mixed Open.

The entry fee or sponsor's fee for teams is \$200 per team (\$185 if team is currently sanctioned).

The player's fee is \$15 per player with a minimum of 11 persons for Men's Open and 12 persons for Mixed Open.

The entry deadline is Wednesday at 5 p.m. There will be no teams added after this date. Schedules will be available after 1 p.m. June 4 at the Recreation Office.

Play will begin the week of June 9.

Roster forms, fact sheets and by-laws are available at the Recreation Office at 816 S. Hobart between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

If you have any questions or would like more information on the Summer Softball Leagues, please call 669-5770 during business hours.

HOCKEY

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — The Ottawa Senators knew they would return home after Game 6 of the Eastern Conference finals.

Following a stirring victory, they're taking the skidding New Jersey Devils with them.

Defenseman Chris Phillips scored 15:51 into overtime to lift the Senators to a 2-1 victory Wednesday night and force a deciding seventh game Friday night in Ottawa.

New Jersey has seen it's commanding 3-1 lead disappear. Now the Devils must win on the road to avoid becoming just the third team to squander such an advantage in a series as late as the semifinals.

"We're not disappointed at all," Devils goalie Martin Brodeur said. "To be in a Game 7 to decide if we are going to go to the Stanley Cup or not, we'll take it any time against any team."

The Devils rallied from such a deficit in the 2000 Eastern Conference finals en route to the Cup, winning twice in Philadelphia to eliminate the Flyers.

"You draw from the good experiences. That can help you out," Brodeur said. "It's one game and these guys have a lot of momentum."

Despite rare leads, Mavs tied with Spurs

DALLAS (AP) — Two games into the Western Conference finals, the Dallas Mavericks have been ahead for less than three minutes.

Still, the Mavs returned home for Game 3 on Friday night tied with the San Antonio Spurs at one game apiece.

"I don't think we've played a good game yet," Dallas point guard Steve Nash said Thursday. "We haven't played really well yet and haven't found our rhythm. And since we're tied, in a way, the series really hasn't started yet."

With all the fouls and technicals called the first two games, neither had the pace or flow expected from two 60-win teams. The best basketball this series has to offer is likely still to come.

That's got to be a bit frustrating for the Spurs, considering they've led for more than 93 of 96 minutes this series and find themselves in essentially a best-of-five series without the homecourt advantage.

The whistles aren't the only things slowing the Mavericks. Dallas players and coaches were quick to credit San Antonio on Thursday for playing excellent defense, especially with Tim Duncan and David

Robinson providing low-post shotblocking the Mavs haven't seen this postseason.

"I think both teams are very focused, have very good game plans to stop one another and counter-moves," said Dallas' Nick Van Exel, who has gone cold after practically single-handedly lifting Dallas past Sacramento in the last round. "That's what it should be about — both teams battling and seeing who has the best moves and comes out with the win."

Van Exel was trying to redirect the focus away from officiating, which at this point isn't very easy.

Mavericks owner Mark Cuban said he received 750 e-mails concerning the officiating by the time he went to sleep after San Antonio's 119-106 victory in Game 2 Wednesday night, then had another 500 when he awoke. A common theme: Why does the NBA assign playoff games to referees whose personalities affect the way the game is called?

Joey Crawford was the most-talked about official.

Bolstering his reputation for having a short fuse, Crawford called four technical fouls in the first quarter, ejecting Dallas coach Don Nelson with two quick technicals during a timeout. Nelson walked to the center

of the scorer's table and stared at Crawford.

It happened so quickly and under such tame circumstances that most of the Mavericks didn't even see what happened. That confusion made them doubt it was a motivational ploy, even though Nelson has been known to try that stunt.

Spurs coach Gregg Popovich, who used to work for Nelson and remains his close friend, saw right through it.

"I know fully what Nellie was doing," he said Thursday, refusing to elaborate.



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Glo-Valve continues winning ways in Optimist 11-12 League

PAMPA — Glo-Valve Service continued its winning ways with a solid 6-3 errorless win over Rotary Club Wednesday to remain in first place in the Pampa Optimist 11-12 year-old Cal Ripken League.

Lane Douglass scattered four hits in winning his third game of the year. He struck out 13 and walked two while giving up two earned runs. Alex Torres started for Rotary and allowed six runs and three hits in three innings. Gerald Dominguez pitched the last three innings for Rotary. He permitted no runs, but gave up two hits. He struck out four and didn't walk a batter.

Glo-Valve scored all its runs in the first two innings and only Heath Skinner managed to get on base with two two singles in the last four innings.

Heath Skinner led off the top of the Glo-Valve first with a walk. Kade Wilson lined a ball into right field which got past the fielder. Heath Skinner came all the way home. Wilson stopped on second, but fled home on a single to center by Hayden Skinner. Hayden Skinner moved to second when Douglass was safe on an error. He came around to home plate on two wild pitches, giving Glo-Valve a 3-0 lead.

In the top of the second with one out, Glo-Valve's Evan McElwain worked his way on with a walk. Wilson belted a double over the left fielder's head to score McElwain and took third on the throw to the plate. Hayden Skinner walked and was permitted to take second without a throw. Both runners were able to score when two wild pitches followed.

For Rotary, Chris Bengé belted the first pitch in the bottom of the first inning over the left fielder's head for a triple. Two strikeouts followed. Torres was safe on a fielder's choice as Bengé held third. Zach Winborne walked to load the bases. Bengé scored on a wild pitch. Torres also appeared to score on an overthrow, but an alert Hayden Skinner realized Torres had missed the plate and chased him down to tag him out for the third out of the inning.

Rotary had only four more base runners in the game after the first inning. Torres hustled to first on an infield single in the fourth, but died on second. Dominguez doubled in the fifth and took third on a wild pitch. Gage Carruth walked and was cut down trying to steal second while Dominguez was scoring on the fielder's choice.

In the sixth inning, Jonathan Anguiano doubled and scored on two passed balls.

Wilson was the leading hitter for Glo-Valve with a single and double, two runs scored and one RBI. Heath Skinner had two hits, scored once and had one RBI. Hayden Skinner tallied twice on one hit and one RBI.

Eric Lewis made the defensive play of the game for Rotary when he fielded a hard smash by Mark Ruth at third base and made the long throw to a stretching Carruth at first for the out. Torres caught a runner between first and second and was able to throw him out at second a split second before the runner at third would have scored for another outstanding Rotary defensive play. Hayden Skinner with two caught stealings had the defensive plays of the game for Glo-Valve.

Glo-Valve improved its first-place record to 9-0-2 while Rotary slipped to 3-6-1.

McNair makes apology

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Tennessee Titans quarterback Steve McNair apologized Thursday for his arrest hours earlier on charges of drunken driving and illegal possession of a handgun.

"This is something I didn't think that would ever happen, but this is something that we've just got to deal with, and I will with the support ... of my teammates, coaches, family and friends," McNair said.

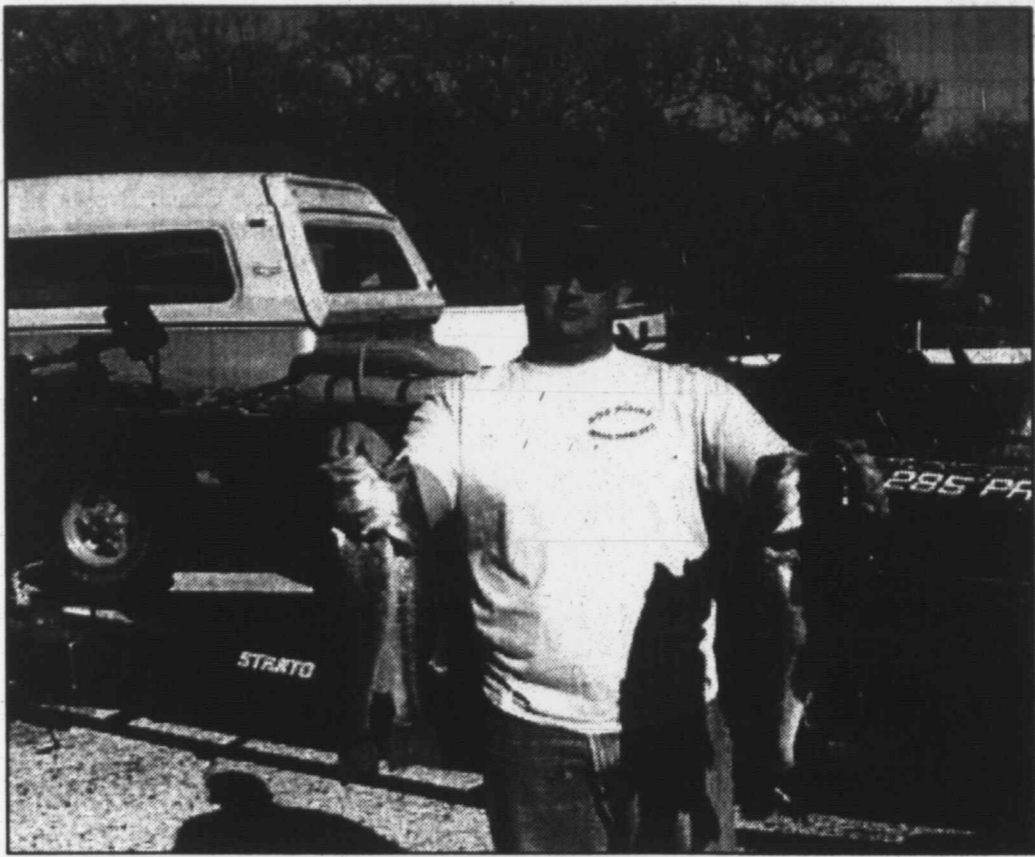
"I will get over it." McNair read his short statement while flanked by Titans coach Jeff Fisher, general manager Floyd Reese and president Jeff Diamond. He didn't take any questions and concluded by apologizing to his fans, particularly the children who look up to him.

"It's something that you don't usually see out of me. But I put myself in a situation. I've got to get out of it, and I will bounce back from it," McNair said.

McNair was stopped just after midnight by a police officer who saw his sports utility vehicle weaving on a downtown street. The quarterback's eyes were bloodshot, his breath smelled of alcohol and he acknowledged drinking, police said.

He failed a field-sobriety test and a blood-alcohol test produced a reading of 0.18 — well above Tennessee's level of presumed intoxication of 0.10.

First place catch



(Courtesy photo)

Recently, High Plains Bass Anglers held a tournament at Lake Amon G. Carter. Frankie Sparling (above) had the first-place catch with 16.28 pounds. Shane White came in second (9.24) and Don Hinton was third (7.57). Dicky McCarn had Big Bass with 6.97. Earlier, the club held a tournament at Miller's Creek. Matt Hinton won with a 13.86 catch. Mike Young was second (12.87) and Frankie Sparling was third (10.56).

Losses adding up for Yankees, on and off the baseball field

NEW YORK (AP) — All of a sudden, the losses are piling up for the New York Yankees, on and off the field.

Toronto beat New York 8-3 on a tough Thursday night for the AL East leaders. Along with dropping their fourth straight game at Yankee Stadium, they learned center fielder Bernie Williams will miss at least a month because of a bad knee and watched Jorge Posada limp off after being hit by a pitch.

"Right now, we're not firing on all cylinders," Yankees general manager Brian Cashman said. "Now the injuries are creeping in. But there's no question we have the personnel here to win."

There's still no definitive word on Roger Clemens, either. He has a bone bruise after being hit in the right hand by a line drive Wednesday, and had X-rays and an MRI exam.

Clemens is scheduled to throw in the bullpen Friday. If he's OK, he'll try for his 300th career win Monday at home against Boston.

"It hasn't changed unless they tell me something different," he said.

In other AL games, Baltimore rallied past Anaheim 7-4, Texas topped Tampa Bay 10-8, Minnesota defeated Oakland 6-5, Seattle downed Kansas City 5-1, and Detroit beat Cleveland 3-2.

Carlos Delgado homered and drove in five runs as the Blue Jays sent Andy Pettitte to his career-worst fourth straight loss.

Before the game, the Yankees found out that Williams would likely be sidelined four-to-six weeks because of torn cartilage in his left knee.

Last weekend, first baseman and designated hitter Nick Johnson was put on the disabled list because of a stress fracture in his right hand. He's also expected to miss four-to-six weeks.

Posada left after twice being hit by pitches, one in the right knee and then on the right foot. The catcher said he hopes to play Friday.

The Yankees have lost eight of their last nine at Yankee Stadium.

"We haven't pitched well, whether we're home or away," manager Joe Torre said. "My concern is we need to pitch more consistently. With all the injuries, our pitchers are still in order. We need to pitch."

Roy Halladay won his fifth straight start, backed by the Blue Jays' bats. Shannon Stewart homered and drove in three runs and Vernon Wells had three hits.

"Our club's been scoring a lot of runs," Toronto manager Carlos Tosea said. "The Yankees haven't been clicking lately like they were the first time we came in here. Of course, not having Bernie Williams in the lineup makes a difference."

Orioles 7, Angels 4
Newly promoted Brian Roberts hit a grand slam in the ninth inning off Troy Percival to lift Baltimore over Anaheim.

The Orioles became the first team this season to score an earned run off Angels reliever Brendan Donnelly, ending his streak at 24 1-3 innings.

Then Baltimore won it against Percival, who had been 7-for-7 on save chances. With the bases loaded and no outs, Roberts connected for the first grand slam of his career. Roberts was promoted from Triple-A on

Wednesday when Jerry Hairston was put on the 15-day disabled list because of a broken foot.

Rangers 10, Devil Rays 8
Alex Rodriguez hit a go-ahead home run in the seventh inning and Texas beat Tampa Bay for its season-high sixth straight win.

Rodriguez hit his 13th homer, and Hank Blalock and Einar Diaz each homered and drove in three runs as the Rangers finished off a three-game sweep at home.

Texas manager Buck Showalter strained his calf when he slipped on the dugout steps just before a trip to the mound.

Twins 6, Athletics 5
Bobby Kielty hit a two-run homer and drew a bases-loaded walk as Minnesota stopped Oakland.

The Athletics had won 15 straight home series before the Twins took two of three.

Luis Rivas hit an RBI single in the ninth inning that put Minnesota ahead 6-4. Manager Ron Gardenhire stood up to congratulate Rivas and grabbed a water cooler to give him a drink — and in the process, Gardenhire pulled his right hamstring.

Mariners 5, Royals 1
Ichiro Suzuki doubled and scored twice, leading Gil Meche and the Mariners over Kansas City at Safeco Field. Ben Davis homered as the AL West leaders won for the eighth time in 10 games.

Kansas City has gone 9-17 after its 16-3 start.

Tigers 3, Indians 2, 11 innings
Eric Munson hit a tiebreaking sacrifice fly in the 11th inning and Detroit stopped a seven-game losing streak.

The Tigers avoided a four-game sweep at Jacobs Field and ended the Indians' three-game winning streak.

The biggest cheer of the night came during a pitching change in the sixth inning — that's when the video board showed a replay of the Cleveland Cavaliers winning the No. 1 pick in the NBA draft lottery.

Nets down Pistons

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — Jason Kidd and Kenyon Martin got running in the first quarter, so the New Jersey Nets didn't have to wait until the fourth to win the game.

Dominant at both ends, Kidd scored a career playoff-high 34 points and Martin had 19 as the New Jersey Nets finally hit their uptempo stride and moved within one victory of an Eastern Conference finals sweep by beating the Detroit Pistons 97-85 Thursday night.

Martin scored 14 points in the first quarter, when New Jersey took the lead for good. Kidd scored 15 of New Jersey's 19 points and had two steals during a 9 1/2-minute stretch starting late in the second quarter, leading his team to a 32-4 advantage in fast-break points.

Kidd made 11 of 21 shots, 11 of 13 free throws and had 12 rebounds and six assists. He shot free throws to chants of "M-V-P! M-V-P!" in the fourth quarter.

The Nets sputtered before winning the first two games of the series by two points apiece with fourth-quarter rallies, with the scores in the 70s and 80s.

Regardless of the method, the defending conference champions have won nine straight playoff games and can close out their second straight sweep Saturday when they host Game 4.

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American League					National League								
By The Associated Press					East Division								
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East Division					Central Division								
W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB		
New York	29	18	.617	—	Atlanta	32	15	.681	—	Chicago	26	20	.565
Boston	28	18	.609	1/2	Montreal	30	17	.638	2	Houston	25	22	.532 1/2
Toronto	24	24	.500	5 1/2	Philadelphia	26	21	.553	6	Cincinnati	24	23	.511 2 1/2
Baltimore	21	25	.457	7 1/2	New York	21	26	.447	11	St. Louis	23	22	.511 2 1/2
Tampa Bay	18	28	.391	10 1/2	Florida	19	29	.396	13 1/2	Pittsburgh	19	27	.413
Central Division					West Division								
W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB		
Minnesota	27	19	.587	—	San Francisco	29	17	.630	—	San Francisco	29	17	.630
Kansas City	25	20	.556	1 1/2	Los Angeles	27	20	.574	1/2	Los Angeles	27	20	.574 1/2
Chicago	22	24	.478	5	Arizona	21	26	.448	1/2	Arizona	21	26	.448 1/2
Cleveland	17	29	.370	10	Colorado	21	26	.448	1/2	Colorado	21	26	.448 1/2
Detroit	10	35	.222	16 1/2	San Diego	21	34	.383	1/2	San Diego	21	34	.383 1/2
West Division					Central Division								
W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB		
Seattle	30	16	.652	—	St. Louis	19	27	.413	7	St. Louis	19	27	.413
Oakland	27	19	.587	3	Milwaukee	18	29	.383	1/2	Milwaukee	18	29	.383 1/2
Anaheim	22	23	.489	7 1/2									
Texas	22	24	.478	8									

Wednesday's Games

Minnesota 4, Oakland 3
N.Y. Yankees 4, Boston 2
Cleveland 4, Detroit 0
Texas 8, Tampa Bay 7

Chicago White Sox 6, Toronto 5
Baltimore 7, Anaheim 6
Kansas City 14, Seattle 5

Thursday's Games

Texas 10, Tampa Bay 8
Minnesota 6, Oakland 5
Seattle 5, Kansas City 1
Detroit 3, Cleveland 2, 11 innings

Toronto 8, N.Y. Yankees 3
Baltimore 7, Anaheim 4

Friday's Games

Cleveland (Ric Rodriguez 2-4) at Boston (Lowe 3-3), 7:05 p.m.
Toronto (Escobar 1-1) at N.Y. Yankees (Mussina 7-2), 7:05 p.m.

Baltimore (Hentgen 1-0) at Texas (Valdes 3-2), 8:05 p.m.
Detroit (Marth 0-9) at Chicago White Sox (Garland 2-4), 8:05 p.m.

Kansas City (Snyder 0-1) at Oakland (Mulder 6-2), 9:05 p.m.
Minnesota (Radke 5-3) at Seattle (Moyer 6-2), 10:05 p.m.

Tampa Bay (Gonzalez 0-1) at Anaheim (Washburn 4-4), 10:05 p.m.

Saturday's Games

Cleveland (B Anderson 2-4) at Boston (Burkett 2-2), 1:20 p.m.
Tampa Bay (Kennedy 3-3) at Anaheim (Lackey 2-4), 4:05 p.m.

Toronto (Lidle 7-2) at N.Y. Yankees (Wells 6-1), 4:05 p.m.
Kansas City (K Wilson 0-0) at Oakland (Lilly 3-2), 4:05 p.m.

Detroit (Knotts 1-3) at Chicago White Sox (Loaiza 7-1), 7:05 p.m.
Baltimore (Daal 2-5) at Texas (Thomson 3-4), 8:05 p.m.
Minnesota (Lohse 3-3) at Seattle (Pineiro 4-3), 10:05 p.m.

Sunday's Games

Toronto at N.Y. Yankees, 1:05 p.m.
Cleveland at Boston, 2:05 p.m.
Detroit at Chicago White Sox, 2:05 p.m.

Baltimore at Texas, 3:05 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Anaheim, 4:05 p.m.
Kansas City at Oakland, 4:05 p.m.
Minnesota at Seattle, 8:05 p.m.

Wednesday's Games

Milwaukee 10, San Diego 0
Montreal 7, Florida 2
Pittsburgh 5, Chicago Cubs 2
N.Y. Mets 5, Philadelphia 4
Cincinnati 9, Atlanta 3
St. Louis 7, Houston 4
San Francisco 6, Arizona 0
Los Angeles 3, Colorado 2

Thursday's Games
N.Y. Mets 6, Philadelphia 3
Los Angeles 4, Colorado 3
Montreal 8, Florida 2

Chicago Cubs 3, Pittsburgh 2
Atlanta 9, Cincinnati 4
Houston 5, St. Louis 2

Friday's Games
Philadelphia (Millwood 6-1) at Montreal (Day 4-1), 7:05 p.m.
St. Louis (Simontacchi 1-3) at Pittsburgh (S.Torres 3-1), 7:05 p.m.

Florida (Penny 2-3) at Cincinnati (Austin 2-1), 7:10 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Trachsel 2-2) at Atlanta (Ortiz 6-2), 7:35 p.m.

Chicago Cubs (Prior 5-1) at Houston (Linebrink 0-1), 8:05 p.m.
Los Angeles (Od.Perez 3-2) at Milwaukee (Rusch 1-7), 8:05 p.m.

San Francisco (Moss 5-2) at Colorado (J.Young 0-1), 9:05 p.m.
San Diego (Loewer 0-1) at Arizona (Webb 2-1), 10:05 p.m.

Saturday's Games
N.Y. Mets at Atlanta, 1:20 p.m.
San Francisco at Colorado, 4:05 p.m.
Chicago Cubs at Houston, 7:05 p.m.

Philadelphia at Montreal, 7:05 p.m.
St. Louis at Pittsburgh, 7:05 p.m.
Los Angeles at Milwaukee, 7:05 p.m.

Florida at Cincinnati, 7:10 p.m.
San Diego at Arizona, 10:05 p.m.

Sunday's Games
N.Y. Mets at Atlanta, 1:05 p.m.
Philadelphia at Montreal, 1:05 p.m.
Florida at Cincinnati, 1:15 p.m.

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Chicago Cubs at Houston, 2:05 p.m.
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Investigators believe Yale law school bomber trying to send 'message'

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (AP) — Bomb experts combed through debris-strewn rooms at Yale law school on their hands and knees, searching for shrapnel, fingerprints and other clues into a blast one investigator said was carried out to "send a message."

The explosive — which investigators believe was a pipe bomb — damaged two rooms Wednesday, and about 300 rare law books in a room below were soaked with water from the sprinkler system. No one was injured.

Acting Police Chief Francisco Ortiz said Thursday that authorities would be looking at whether the date, the room or anything else about the law school held any meaning for the bomber, who — according to Ortiz — was "trying to send a message."

Thursday was the birthday of Theodore Kaczynski, the Unabomber. He is serving a life sentence for attacks that killed three people and wounded 23 from 1978 to 1995. One of those bombs maimed Yale professor David J. Gelernter when it exploded in his campus office June 24, 1993.

Mayor John DeStefano said there was no indication the birthday and Wednesday's bombing were linked.

Several students reported seeing a fireball in the corridor outside the classroom, which was used by various professors all semester. A partition between the room and a faculty lounge collapsed, and some of the ceiling also fell down, littering the room with debris, police said.

The damaged books included volumes printed in 16th-

and 17th-century Europe, said Roberta Pilette, who oversees preservation for Yale's Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library. A freeze drying system at the library will be used to dry out the books, she said.

"The books will be useable. I don't think we lost anything at all," Pilette said.

FBI agents were showing students a sketch of a man seen leaving the blast site about two minutes before the explosion. Law student Carsten

Jungmann, who helped the FBI draw the sketch, said the man was clean-shaven and appeared to be in his 20s or 30s with black hair that hung just below the ears.

"He appeared to be not suspicious at the time, but he was moving more quickly than people normally appeared to move through the law school," Jungmann said.

New Haven police spokeswoman Bonnie Winchester said the FBI has identified the man in the sketch. She could

not say whether the man is a suspect, or whether authorities questioned him or knew his whereabouts.

Investigators said that because the bomb appeared to be small, and went off in an empty classroom, the blast was probably not the work of international terrorists. But they said they have not established whether the bomb went off too soon or late, or whether it was intended to be more powerful.

No threats were made

before the explosion, and no one claimed responsibility, police said.

A university source with firsthand knowledge of the investigation told The Associated Press that authorities strongly believe the device was a pipe bomb.

Commencement ceremonies still were scheduled for Monday, though a heavy police presence is planned. Police are also discussing whether to use metal detectors and search guests' bags.

Feds move in to close lucrative casino in Iowa tribe's leadership struggle

TAMA, Iowa (AP) — Federal officials moved in Friday to close a lucrative Indian casino in a months-old dispute over who should lead the tribe.

Barricades were set up at the casino's entrance, and security guards were diverting people away. The usually full parking lot had fewer than 100 cars.

The casino was ordered closed last week by federal tribal gaming regulators, who said the power struggle within the Meskwaki tribe violated gaming laws.

The dispute began last fall when tribe members raised questions about nepotism, misuse of funds, and council meetings held in secret. Recall petitions

were issued and approved by the tribal attorney, but the council rejected them.

On March 26, the council was overthrown by a new group of leaders appointed by the eastern Iowa tribe's hereditary chief, Charles Old Bear. The new council took over control of the tribe's government and casino business.

The tribe tried to resolve the dispute with a special election Thursday, and all seven members of the new council won seats. Federal officials had said, however, that it was unlikely the vote would satisfy the Bureau of Indian Affairs or the National Indian Gaming Commission.

A call to the U.S. Attorney's office

Friday morning wasn't immediately returned.

Alex Walker, chairman of the ousted council, said the closure and "is the result of what happens when people don't do what they're supposed to do legally."

He said the gaming commission used the closure to send "a very clear message to Indian country that illegal activities will not be tolerated."

A woman answering the phone at the casino said there was no gambling taking place, but the hotel was open. She declined further comment.

"It is closed," Homer Bear Jr., chairman of the appointed council, said

Friday morning. Bear confirmed that he had received notice from the U.S. Marshals Service that the casino would be closed.

The tribe's casino, which generates \$3 million a week and employs 1,300, is critical to the local economy and livelihood of tribal members. The tribe pays members about \$2,000 per month in casino royalties, and uses revenue to support schools, health care and housing projects.

Last week, the gaming commission ordered immediate closure of the casino in Tama, 45 miles west of Cedar Rapids, but a federal judge had initially hesitated to send in U.S. Marshals.

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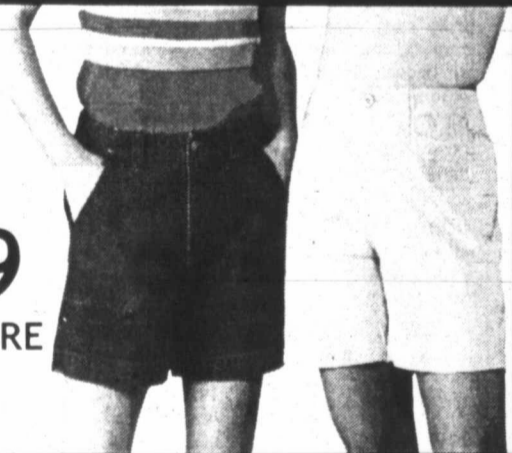
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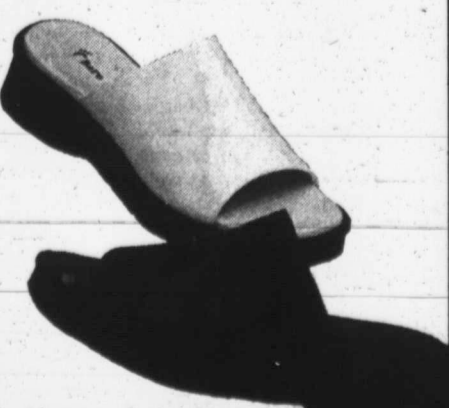
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