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Services Women, Infants and

Children Clinic, 1201 N.

Hobart, will host a Nutrition

Fair from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.,

will join WIC nutritionists

and other WIC staff to pro-

vide nutrition information,

recipes and food samples

along with games and prizes. "We wanted to do some-

thing new and different for our clients," said Melissa Roberson, WIC nutritionist. "This will be a fun way to learn about some important health and nutrition topics." The event is free and open

to the public. For more infor-

DEATHS

T.C. Berryman, 75, long-

Pedro 'Pete' Rojas, 83,

mation, call 665-1182.

time Pampa resident.

retired railroad worker.

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Tuesday, June 17.

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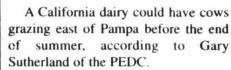
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Tuesday, June 10, 2003

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PEDC looks at possible dairy sale

STAFF WRITER



Sutherland reported at Monday night's meeting of the PEDC that he had spoken with Rick Roden about his dairy operation east of Pampa and was told that DuVuyst Farms of Nuevo, Calif., had expressed an interest in buying Roden's Pampa dairy operation if the PEDC was willing to transfer what remained of a \$250,000 forgivable loan to the new operation.

About \$150,000 remains of the loan. Some \$100,000 of the original loan has been forgiven based on employment at the dairy.

Sutherland said the sale to DuVuyst could close within the next 30 days.

between 2,500 and 3,000 cows.

The PEDC board Monday night agreed to extend the loan to DuVuyst, Buzzard, their attorney, concerning ant review the company's finances. stretching the maturity date to three Crall Products, Inc. years from when operations begin.



(Pampa News photo by David Bowser)

Rhoden indicated, Sutherland said, PEDC Board Member Gary Sutherland, left, tells Board President Buzzard said. that the DuVuyst operation would have Doug Locke, right, about the possibility of a new dairy moving to Pampa.

Buzzard, who said she got the accoun- with Heard to give him a chance to Curtis Heard, head of Crall, had tant's report Monday, told the board The board also heard from Vanessa agreed to let an independent account that the company could not afford the

\$1,500 real estate payments and \$500 equipment payments on a PEDC loan.

The board agreed to hold a special meeting next Tuesday in the main floor conference room of City Hall and invite Heard to see if something could be worked out.

Board President Doug Locke said that if no agreement could be reached, the PEDC would have to initiate foreclosure proceedings.

While Crall is paid up to May 22 on the equipment loan, board member Dalton Lewis noted that the company was \$15,000 delinquent on the real estate loan.

Board member Bill Allison opposed foreclosing, saying it would effectively put Crall out of business and the 28 people employed there out of a iob.

'We're between a rock and a hard place," Sutherland admitted.

"We've been trying to collect,"

Locke indicated he would favor taking ownership of the real estate back

and leasing it to Crall. Lewis proposed the special meeting

(See DAIRY, Page 3)

BY DAVID BOWSER

STAFF WRITER

A Pampa police officer was arrest. nursing a skinned knee today jail Monday afternoon.

Ashley Dawn Ragan, 25, County jail today on bonds for Ragan's arrest on burglary Monday afternoon and ques- Gray County Sheriff's \$1,000 each.

after a wrestling match that fered minor injuries Monday block of North Dwight earlier a warrant for Ragan's arrest. Peace Kurt Curfman set bond sent one man to Gray County afternoon in a wrestling match Monday. as he arrested Ragan.

500 1/2 N. Ward, was in Gray tors were able to get a warrant up in front of Ragan's home him as deputies from the resisting arrest charge at

charged with burglary, evad- break-in on North Dwight, the curb. One of the men idening capture and resisting Several DVDs and Playstation tified himself as Ragan. games were taken in the bur-Officer Bryan Denham suf- glary of a home in the 800 Denham told Ragan he had

Authorities said investigaties said, pulled his patrol car ran. Denham chased after on the evading charge and the

totaling \$7,000 after being charges in connection with a tioned two men standing by office arrived.

Officials said that when was subdued.

A chase and wrestling match ensued before Ragan

Gray County Justice of the and got out of the patrol car for Ragan on the burglary Officer Denham, authorito handcuff Ragan, the man charge at \$5,000. He set bond

Water quality tests Rodeo queens entry

WHITE DEER - The Panhandle annual water quality program.

sulfates, iron, fluoride, ammonia, chloride, alkalinity, hardness, specific conductivity, dissolved solids manager.

The Panhandle Ground Water Williams said. Conservation District covers all or including Gray County.

BY ROBERT IMRIE

ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER

Williams said that wells in the Ground Water Conservation program with odd state well num-District will begin collecting water bers and any well that exceeded a samples this week in the district's state secondary drinking water standard in the past will be sam-Some 275 sample gathered pled. Depending upon whether a between now and the end of well has ever exceeded the state August will be tested for nitrates, standard, a well may be tested every year. Otherwise, wells will be tested every other year.

"Knowing the water came from and acidity, according to C.E. the same well and water source Williams, the district's general enables the district to compare past results to newly gathered data,"

He said anyone wanting well parts of eight panhandle counties, water tested can contact the district office at 883-2501.

forms must be received by 5 p.m., Wood Friday, June 13 at the Top O' Texas Rodeo office in Pampa. Rodeo offi- awarded a scholarship courtesy of cials urge participants to enter now Amanda Jacobs Memorial, Celanese, as this deadline will not be extended.

Young women between the ages of prizes including saddles, buckles, tiaras, hand-tooled appointment book Will Daniel of Custom Leatherworks and a scholarship for Miss Rodeo TOT, and, of course, dia-TOT and Miss TOT teen queen.

Both queens will receive prepaid cellular phones courtesy of Dobson

Rodeo and Teen Queen Top O' Texas stands courtesy of William Pageants is fast approaching. Entry Schroeder of Williams Works of

> Miss Rodeo Top O' Texas will be Ben Watson and others.

Saddles are being donated by JLB 13 and 23 are eligible for the compe- Ranch and The Cattle Exchange of tition and may qualify for a variety of Canadian; belt buckles by The Clark Carr & Sons Memorial, Carla and Randy Norris, Pampa Chamber of Commerce Tourism Committee and Brenda and Mike Guess; tiaras by Bob Clements, Inc., and Kellermond horseshoe rings for Miss Rodeo Williams Realty; appointment book by Brandy Kemph-Adamson (former

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daughter, quarantined after coming down with a suspected

WAUSAU, Wis. (AP) — until the scabs fall off the been confirmed in three Phil's Pocket Pets. Federal and employee of Moberley's was When a young family of three sores," said Kautzer, 28, of Midwest states. In Wisconsin, state health officials were try- Illinois' confirmed monkeypox brought home two \$95 prairie nearby Dorchester in central four human cases have been ing to track down 115 cus- case. dogs from a Mother's Day Wisconsin. "I only have a few confirmed and 16 others are tomers that bought animals event, they never guessed the more scabs to fall off. My suspected, Dr. Mark Wegner, since April 15 from the busi- accounted for two-thirds of the

ing to contain the spread of the Tuesday. Thirteen cases are Disease Control That's just where Tammy monkeypox virus, which is suspected in Indiana and Prevention could not say how Kautzer is biding her time with related to smallpox and appar- Illinois has four suspected and many people or animals may help stem the spread. Health her husband and 3-year-old ently never before found in the one confirmed case. Western Hemisphere.

case of monkeypox, a virus not usually fatal but causes infected with the virus by a Moberley, said Monday that he

linked to the burrowing rashes, fevers, chills and sores. giant Gambian rat, which is voluntarily quarantined his

Family quarantined with possible monkeypox

"They said we can't leave keypox are suspected or have Chicago-area pet distributor, destroyed 70 prairie dogs. An chief of the state's communi- ness. Health officials were work- cable disease section, said

Investigators say a ship- virus. The disease in humans is ment of prairie dogs likely was

At least 38 cases of mon- indigenous to Africa, at a home-based business and has

have come in contact with the officials also issued an emer-

The distributor, Phillip

Wisconsin officials had 30 prairie dogs shipped to the The U.S. Centers for state and issued quarantines barring people from moving mammals on their property to gency order banning the sale,

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T.C. BERRYMAN 1927-2003

T.C. Berryman, 75, of Pampa, died Sunday, Berryman, both June 8, 2003. The body was cremated and consequently not available for viewing. No services are scheduled at this time.

Mr. Berryman was born June 10, 1927, at Sidon, Ark. He had been a Pampa resident for 45 years, moving here from Brinkman, Okla.

He was a U.S. Army veteran, serving during the Korean Conflict.

He was a Baptist.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a son, Travis F. Berryman.

Survivors include a grandson, T.J. "Travis" Berryman of Skellytown; four brothers, M.J. Berryman of Canadian, Pat Berryman and Leslie

Amada. Ariz., and Louie Berryman of Marana, Ariz.; and four sisters, Renetta Kidd. Blondine Young and Barbara Howe, all of Pampa, Isabel

Greene of Tucson, Ariz.

-Sign the on-line register book at www.carmichael-whatley.com.

SERVICES TOMORROW

ROJAS, Pedro "Pete" — Funeral mass, 10:30 a.m., St. Anthony's Catholic Church, Dalhart.

DALHART - Pedro "Pete" Rojas, 83, Church and joined Christ the King Catholic father of a Pampa resident, died Sunday, June 8, 2003, at Sunray. Prayer vigil services will be at 7:30 p.m., today in St. Anthony's Catholic Church. Funeral mass will be at 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, in St. Anthony's Catholic Church. Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Horizon Funeral Home of Dalhart.

Mr. Rojas was born Jan. 10, 1920, at Divine, Texas, to Marcos and Maria Rodriguez Rojas. He grew up in Corpus Christi. He married Rosa Ramirez on April 13, 1965.

He was a U.S. Army veteran, serving in World War II from 1943 to 1945. He participated in the European theater of the war and was injured in the Battle of the Bulge.

After the war, he moved to the Panhandle and ranched for a time before going to work for Rock Island Railroad. He retired in 1982.

He was a member of St. Anthony's Catholic

STOCKS

Church of Sunray after moving to Sunray in He was preceded in death by his parents; his

first wife, Trinidad Molina Rojas; two brothers; four sisters; and two daughters.

Survivors include his wife, Rosa, of Dalhart; six sons, Pete Rojas Jr. of Fritch, Benito Rojas of Amarillo, Larry Rojas and Joe Mireles, both of Sunray, Ross Rojas of Panhandle and Richard Mireles of Kansas City, Kan.; seven daughters, Carmela Montoya of Pampa, Christine Watkins, Janie Garcia and Dora Griego, all of Dalhart, Anita Felker of Amarillo, Petra Luera and Susan Kline, both of San Bernadino, Calif.; two sisters, Mary Rojas of Dalhart and Lucy Romero of New York; two brothers, Santos Rojas and Pancho Rojas, both of Dalhart; 51 grandchildren; 75 great-grandchildren; and 10 great-great-grandchildren.

The family will be at 801 Cherry in Dalhart.

AMBULANCE

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Monday, June 9

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8:04 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the

10:45 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to

4:26 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the

7:21 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to PRMC emergency room and transferred one

1000 block of South Faulkner and transport-

the 300 block of North Christy and transport-

ed one to Pampa Regional Medical Center.

period ending at 7 a.m. today.

to Pampa Regional Medical Center.

Rural/Metro Ambulance Service respond-

ON RECORD

POLICE

Pampa Police Department today reported the following incidents and arrests. Monday, June 9

A juvenile suffered minor injures after being hit with a beer bottle in the 1100 block

of Cinderella. Mark Anthony Klepper, 46, 1200 N. Wells #29, was arrested on charges of shoplifting at

arrested on charges of burglary and resisting arrest. Steven Lee Stamps, 22, 627 N. Zimmers, of an inhalant.

A lawnmower was reported stolen from a storage building in the 600 block of North

DVDs and electronic games were reported stolen from a home in the 800 block of North Dwight.

Harassment was reported in the 1400 block of West Somerville.

Steven Mark Bell, 45, 821 Craven, sexual intercourse of a 16-year-old female in Pennsylvania, registered with

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SHERIFF following arrests during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

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Monday, June 9

was arrested by Texas Department of Public Safety troopers on Childress County charges of enticing a child.

Ashley Dawn Ragan, 25, 500 1/2 N. Ward, was arrested by Pampa police officers on charges of burglary of a habitation and resisting arrest.

Everett D. Shockley, 21, 1031 N. Sumner lation of probation.

Gray County Sheriff's office reported the #201, was arrested by Gray County deputies on charges of possession of drug parapher-

Joe Franklin, 42, Lefors, was arrested by

Travis Calvin Selby, 28, 1245 Wilcox, Gray County deputies for parole violation. Steven Lee Stamps, 22, 627 N. Zimmers, was arrested by Gray County deputies on charges of possession and use of an inhalant.

> Danny Tucker, 44, Sweetwater, Okla., was arrested by Gray County deputies on charges of possession of marijuana and vio-

FIRE

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

Monday, June 9

3:13 p.m. – One unit and three firefighters responded to a report of smoke in the 100 block of North Houston. No problem

4:32 p.m. - Two units and four firefighters responded to an extrication request in the 1000 block of South Faulkner. The patient had gotten a leg caught in a rototiller, but had been freed by the time firefighters arrived. The patient was taken to the Pampa hospital for treatment of

WEATHER FOCUS

Today's forecast is calling for partly cloudy skies, scattered showers and thunderstorms, some possibly severe, highs in the lower 90s, south winds 10 to 20 mph and a 30 percent chance of rain. Tonight should be partly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms in the evening, diminishing slightly after midnight, lows in the mid 60s, south winds 10 to 20 mph, and a 30 percent chance of rain. Wednesday should be partly cloudy. Slight chance of showers and thunderstorms. Highs in the lower 90s. South winds 10 to 20 mph. Chance of rain 20 percent. Wednesday night, partly cloudy. Breezy. Slight chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the mid 60s. Southwest winds 15 to 25

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City Briefs

Miss 2002 Rodeo Top O' Texas Mandy Poole and

Miss Rodeo TOT Teen Queen Jamie Schroeder with

a poster and tiara for the upcoming rodeo pageant

competition. Entry forms are due at the TOT Rodeo

Entry forms, pictures and fees Building. Space is limited, so

are all due by the 13th. The those planning to attend are

annual Luncheon and Style urged to contact the rodeo

Show will be staged July 10 office for reservations.

at

Pampa

One protects consumers from

unlicensed mold remediators,

and the other gives the state

Department of Insurance the

authority to require more prompt

response to water damage

claims, Perry said.

office by 5 p.m., Friday, June 13th.

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Hobart, Pampa.

Hot temperatures will continue over the state this week, with highs in the low to mid 90s. Partly cloudy skies are forecast. Chances of afternoon, evening and nighttime rain will continue, mostly isolated showers and storms.

Overnight in South Texas, a slow-moving front dumped up to 4 inches of rain in some areas as it moved east across the Edwards Plateau and Hill Country. These storms will diminish as they track southeast through the morning.

Highs Monday ranged from 100 at Cotulla, Laredo. McAllen and Wink to an overnight low of 55 at Marfa. Fort Stockton and Hondo officially led the state in rainfall, with just over an inch apiece.

West Texas will be partly

cloudy this week. Today, chances of rain are less than 50 percent in any given area, and similar chances are forecast each day this week. Isolated severe storms are possible today, especially later today in the northeast, with possible tornadic conditions there. Highs this week will be the upper 80s to low 90s in the Panhandle, low 90s in the South Plains, rolling plains and further south, and mid 90s in the west.

STATEWIDE

South Texas will be mostly cloudy today and tomorrow in the Edwards Plateau, Hill Country and Coastal Bend. partly cloudy elsewhere. A 20-40 percent chance of rain is forecast in any given area each day this week. Severe storms are unlikely. Temperatures

will be in the 90s this week, cooler on the coast, and breaking 100 degrees in the west. Partly cloudy skies will predominate this week.

In North Texas it will be partly cloudy this week. Today, a 20-40 percent chance of rain is forecast in areas east of I-35; some storms may be severe with heavy rainfall. It will be quite windy in the north, with 20-30 mph winds, diminishing later this after-

Western North Texas may see some severe storms later today. Late-day and nighttime storms may crop up this week over all of North Texas. Highs will be in the upper 80s and low 90s today and Wednesday, slightly warmer later this week.

Ashley Dawn Ragan, 25, 500 1/2 N. Ward, was convicted of rape and involuntary deviant was arrested on charges of possession and use the Pampa Police Department as a sex offender.

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QUEENS

queen) and her husband Ray; horseshoe rings by Ken and Stephane Rheams of Rheams Diamond Shop; spurs by Doug and Cindy Kemph in memory of Amanda Jacobs and Bill and Geneva Tidwell. The spurs have been personalized with the Miss Rodeo Top O' Texas logo by Will Daniel

The Miss Rodeo TOT scholarship is being funded by Amanda Jacobs Memorial, Celanese, Ben Watson and others

Addition prizes, totaling more than \$4,000, will be presented to winners in Appearance, Personality and Horsemanship. The Ticket Sale winner will receive an embroidered jacket from Top O' Texas Rodeo Association Board of Directors.

Past winners of the pageants have went on to participate, and even win, at the state and national level.

Entry forms, rules and general information can be obtained by contacting the Top O' Texas Rodeo office,

Perry signs homeowners insurance bill

an insurer can consider a person's

credit history when setting rates.

built home in a Temple neighbor-

hood. Perry also signed two other

pieces of homeowners insurance

legislation.

Perry signed the bill in newly

TEMPLE, Texas (AP) -Gov. Rick Perry on Tuesday signed into law legislation that gives the state more control over homeowners insurance premi-

"This legislation will give Texans the most fair and reasonable prices that they can have," Perry said. "We expect to see a substantial number of Texans get some rate relief because of this legislation. The bill had been one of the

top issues of the spring legislative session after lawmakers and candidates for statewide office promised voters last fall that they would work to lower homeowners' premiums. Insurance Commissioner Jose

Montemayor has said homeowninsurance premiums increased on average 45 percent since 2000 even as coverage was scaled back. Before the new law was

cent of homeowners insurance policies written in Texas were not regulated. The bill aims to give regulators more oversight of rates. It also sets new restrictions on how

could do because about 95 per-

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EXCHANGE will be in front of Wayne's Western Wear, Thurs.-June 12th, delivering briskets, ribs, sausage & tamales. Call 323-6755 to confirm your order.

ther's Day Special Gift Certiavail. Cathy Potter, 669-0013.

MOBILE HEALTH Fair.

(Courtesy photo)

Community

NOW'S THE time to green up your lawn with South-West Green Maker, book your sprinkler system now and vegetables are 50% off at West Texas Landscape, 120 S.

man presses White House for response on Te

ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER

WASHINGTON (AP) — Democratic presidential candi-Democrats last month.

writing, saying "where ques- in the search was inappropriate. of the letter was the following Saturday afternoon. tions have been raised about

Derby Winners

rity resources were misused for neither President Bush nor any- questions private reassurances."

date Joe Lieberman is pressur- Texas Democratic state repre- Connecticut's Lieberman, the adviser Karl Rove nor any did nothing inappropriate. The said. ing the Bush administration on sentatives, who left for ranking Democrat on the other White House staffer had FBI also has said one of its whether any White House offi- Oklahoma to prevent action on Senate Governmental Affairs contacted federal agencies Texas agents helped in the become involved only if the cial contacted federal agencies a controversial congressional Committee, for Card to put the about the missing lawmakers, search on his own. to track down missing Texas redistricting bill pushed by U.S. denial in writing. House Majority Leader Tom Dissatisfied with the verbal DeLay, R-Texas. The depart- that was selectively given to Leslie Phillips said the letter fast about the redistricting bill response from White House ments of Homeland Security certain media outlets before it was sent to the White House that favored Republicans, and redistricting. The Texas Chief of Staff Andrew Card, and Transportation are investi- was given to the White House last Saturday morning before Bush told him he'd "like to see Lieberman sent a letter June 8 gating whether their agencies' ... It was sent to the White 10 a.m. and was not made that happen." But that converto Card asking for answers in assistance to Texas law officers House on one day and the date available to the press until sation occurred before the May

whether scarce homeland secu- Ari Fleischer said Monday that seeking, not serious. And the the exact same thing regarding

public purposes, the public one on his staff authorized answered," Fleischer said. should not be forced to rely on using federal agencies to track

"This is the second letter White House press secretary day. I mean, this is publicity

have

according to Lieberman.

"This is Ari's M-O. He said our May 27th letter. He focuses on process as a way to divert attention from substance. In both cases he's got his facts wrong on the process," Phillips said.

Democrats are questioning changing the redistricting bilities," the league said.

In response to a May 27 let- said he contacted the Justice small, bipartisan commission down the legislators. He dis- ter, Card called Lieberman and Department and the Federal with an odd number of mem-At issue is May's flight of missed the request by said neither Bush, political Aviation Administration but bers to do the work, the league

> Lieberman's spokeswoman he told Bush at an April break- lines should be drawn in a spe-12 Democratic walkout in

> > In related news in Austin, sional redistricting.

Legislature should focus on have more pressing responsi-

been whether the agencies acted at process for the 2010 census. It the request of DeLay, who has should create an appointed,

The Legislature should commission fails to come up DeLay said last month that with a plan. Then the district cial session designated only for Supreme Court would have automatic review of any plans, the league said.

"The next actual redistricting should be done after the 2010 census. It should be done the Texas League of Women in a way that precludes repeat-Voters said in a statement that it ed court challenges that take opposes reopening congres- years and untold costs in taxpayer funds, not to mention the The organization said the distraction to legislators who

Hearings indicate redistricting issue to return

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — firmed if he intends to bring up use a procedure that would The setting of public hearings redistricting. next week point to the possibilsional redistricting fight.

Monday, Rep. Garnet Coleman, D-Houston, said a redistricting hearing will be conducted at the Texas Southern University campus in Houston on June 21.

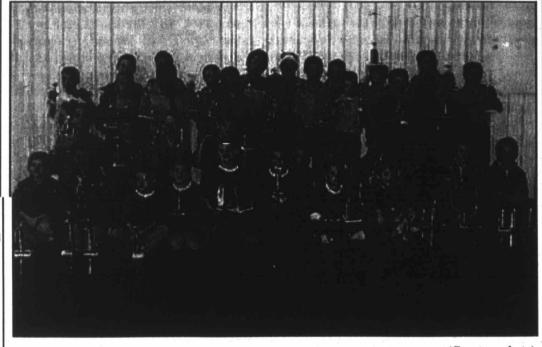
The office of House Speaker Tom Craddick has sought and secured hearing rooms at University of Texas System campuses in San Antonio, Brownsville and Dallas next week, sources told the San Antonio Express-News in a report for Tuesday editions.

The hearings could be a prelude to a special session this summer. By law, a special session can last no longer than 30 days. The agenda topics are set by the governor.

Gov. Rick Perry has not con-

mean two-thirds of the state's Meanwhile, Lt. Gov. David 31 senators would have to agree ity that Republican legislative Dewhurst told the Houston to consider the redistricting leaders intend to follow through Chronicle editorial board on issue before there could be on plans to renew the congres- Monday that he is inclined to debate on the topic.





Santa Fe District Cub Scouts participated in their annual Pinewood Derby recently at First Christian Church in Pampa. Scouts from Packs 404, 414, 444, 416 of Pampa, and Packs 017 of Claude, 425 of McLean, 437 of Clarendon and 501 of Panhandle used their creativity to construct cars out of blocks of wood and raced against each other on a state of the art track with an electronic scoring system. Results were immediately posted on a big screen TV. More than 50 boys received trophies donated by Culberson-Stowers Inc. Pictured are some of the Cub Scouts who participated with their trophies.

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DAIRY

work the problem out.

"If he doesn't come up with anything," Lewis said, "we can start foreclosure and pro- \$2,162.16 in attorney fees. ceed from there."

we could come up with something."

Building and Industrial Park. The ad will run

in The Pampa News and The Amarillo Globe-News from June 15 through June 30.

The board approved payment of \$1,200 to the City of Pampa for their monthly rent and

The PEDC will hold a special meeting at 5 "My hope," Sutherland said, "would be that p.m., Tuesday, June 17, in the main floor conference room of City Hall. Their next regular-In other business, the board agreed on an ly scheduled meeting will be 5 p.m., July 14, advertisement to sell the American Energy in the main floor conference room of City

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VIRUS

importation and display of prairie dogs.

Eileen Whitmarsh, who fell ill after handling an infected prairie dog at her suburban Milwaukee pet store, said at first one of the animals just seemed fatigued. Then the symptoms spread to another

prairie dog in the store. "Nobody knew. Everybody thought 'Oh, just a prairie dog not feeling well," Whitmarsh said.

Kautzer said she bought her two 6- to 8-week-old prairie dogs at a Mother's Day event in Wausau for \$95 apiece. Two days later, the eyes of one crusted over and swelled up.

"I figured it had a cold," she said Monday in a telephone interview. By then, she said, the animal had bitten her daughter on the finger.

Her daughter developed a 103-degree fever — and the

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garbage. I didn't think nothing of it," Kautzer said.

That day, she took her daughter to a doctor and mentioned the bite. "That started a scare, especially since they found it had died," she said.

Health professionals had her retrieve the animal's body for testing.

By May 22, her daughter

home and five-acre hobby "I just threw it in the farm were quarantined Friday.

The second prairie dog named Chuckles - also got sick but is recovering, she said. Health officials will decide his fate.

"Why get rid of it because it caught something like we caught something? It is not its fault that it caught it from a rat," Kautzer said.





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The medical-malpractice crisis, which seems to occur about every 10 years, is back again and essentially unchanged. The causes of it are the same. The proposals to correct it are the same. The selfinterests of two organized groups that profit from the health care system - doctors and lawyers - are the same. And, indeed, the high degree of self-righteousness in both groups is the same.

Lawyers blame doctors; doctors blame lawyers. Neither group seems to give a hoot about the one group that doesn't make any money out of the system - the patients. They, in fact, are the source of income for the lawyers and doctors.

Doctors want legislatures to set caps on punitive damages. That's the solution most often proposed. Sometimes they want the legislatures to set up what would amount to a doctor-dominated screening committee to prevent a lot of people from ever getting to court. In other words, doctors want to be protected from the consequences if they, by gross incompetence or carelessness, kill or permanently disable one of your children.

Doctors, in fact, are the only people who can commit manslaughter and never face criminal prosecution. Get drunk or doped up and kill somebody with your car and you face criminal charges. Get drunk or doped up and kill somebody in a surgery and maybe - if somebody in the

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room rats you out - you might get sued in civil court. High-toned scholars at Harvard have estimated that doctors knock off about 90,000 to 100,000 people a year with innocent mistakes or plain malpractice. That compares, by the way, with about 1,400 accidental deaths from

Lawyers blame high insurance rates not on outrageous jury verdicts but on the bad stock market. They essentially want the legislatures to do nothing. After all, for them, it is a profitable system as is.

Here's what should be done:

1. Regulation of the conduct and competence of lawyers should be taken away from lawyers. Lawyers are as reluctant to dump an incompetent or even criminal lawyer as they are to volunteer to clean toilets in a leper colony. A good bit of housecleaning needs doing, and lawyers will never do it.

2. Regulation of the conduct and competence of doctors should be taken away from doctors. They are as bad as the lawyers about protecting their own tribe.

Their code of silence is as strict as the Sicilian Mafia's They don't murder doctors who testify against other doctors, but they sure try to drive them out of business if they can figure out a way to do it.

3. Cap lawyers' fees at no more than 10 percent of the amount recovered. Some lawyers take one-third to one-half of settlements from dying patients for cases that involved no more than a few phone calls and a letter or two.

4. Stop electing lawyers and doctors to legislative positions, and get rid of every judge who thinks the tort system should be a no-fault tort system.

5. More strictly regulate insurance companies. Some states do, and some states don't. An insurance company ought to be forced to show some rational justification for rate increases.

That should be a start. In fairness, both doctors and lawyers are right about some points. Medicine is still more art than science, and the only doctors who should be sued are those where it can be proven they committed acts of gross negligence or incompetence. But the right of the people to seek redress for injuries in court should not be curtailed.

We have evolved a health care system nobody can afford but the government and even it is now having second thoughts - and a court system that has become a national lottery.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

necessarily reflect the views of The Pampa News.

Area fire statistics indicate use of volunteers effective

To the editor:

I developed a great respect for volunteer firefighters when I did some research on the subject.

Did you know that volunteer firefighters have to be certified the same as paid firefighters? Before they can help at a fire scene they have to have the basic firefighting certificate. They continue their training through intermediate, advanced and master firefighting certification at the same schools our paid firefighters attend. Many of the instructors at the schools are volunteer firefighters. The only difference between the volunteer and the paid firefighter is the volunteer has a paying jobs and fights fires because he is dedicated to fighting fires and wants to contribute to the community, and the paid firefighters works at the job for a living.

Most of the towns in the Texas panhandle the size of Pampa have all-volunteer fire departments, and one or two have a combination paid and volunteer department.

Canyon has a population of 13,000 plus approximately 9,000 university students. Their fire department consists of three paid firefighters and 36 volunteers to protect 23 square miles of city and 350 square miles of county. Their current ISO rating is 3 (one being the best possible rating) and they expect the next inspection to give them a rating of 2. They respond to an average of 194 EMS calls, 46 rescue calls and 27 structure calls per year. They are responsible for responding to wrecks and spills on I-27 in their county.

Dumas fire department services a population of 14,000 in the city and about 6,000 in the county. Their service area is about 920 square miles. They have 12 paid firefighters and 20 volunteers. They respond to an average of 590 EMS calls, 136 rescue calls and 18 structure calls per year. The towns in their surrounding area have all-volunteer fire departments and Dumas responds to their calls also. The Dumas ISO rating is 2. They are responsible to wrecks and spills on Hwy. 87 and Hwy.

I wonder if anyone has thought of using a few volunteer firefighters in Pampa. As one commissioner pointed out, we will have to make some budget cuts or, as our city manager suggested, raise water and sewer rates and increase property taxes about three percent. Pampa has 26 paid firefighters and, the last I heard, our ISO rating is 5. The ISO rating helps determine the insurance rate for the area.

Shirley Nicholson Pampa

Today in History

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Tuesday, June 10, the 161st day of 2003. There are 204 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On June 10, 1935, Alcoholics Anonymous was founded in Akron, Ohio.

On this date:

In 1801, the north African state of Tripoli declared war on the United States in a dispute over safe passage of merchant vessels through the Mediterranean.

In 1865, the Richard Wagner opera "Tristan und Isolde" premiered in Munich, Germany.

In 1922, singer-actress Judy Garland was born in Grand Rapids, Minn.

In 1940, Italy declared war on France and Britain; Canada declared war on Italy.

In 1942, the Gestapo massacred 173 male residents of Lidice, Czechoslovakia, in retaliation for the killing of a Nazi official. In 1946, Italy replaced its abolished monarchy with a republic.

In 1964, the Senate voted to limit further debate on a proposed civil rights bill, shutting off a filibuster by Southern

In 1967, the Middle East War ended as Israel and Syria agreed to observe a United Nations-mediated cease-fire.

In 1977, James Earl Ray, the convicted assassin of civil rights leader Martin Luther King Jr., escaped from Brushy Mountain State Prison in Tennessee with six others; he was recaptured June 13th.

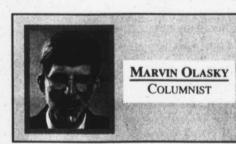
Putting Christianity on trial

The sole sound in the hushed Asheville, N.C., courtroom on June 2 was Eric Rudolph's leg shackles dragging on the floor as he shuffled in. The navy blue bullet-resistant vest against his orange jumpsuit displayed the official desire to protect his life even though, in his misapplied ardor to protect unborn children, he allegedly took the life of a police officer in Alabama and harmed others, as well.

At the arraignment, Rudolph responded with a polite, "Yes, Your Honor," to the judge's question about whether he needed a lawyer. He'll need several lawyers, because he will stand trial in Alabama and Georgia for bombings there. But Christianity, according to The Washington Post, might also need legal representation, or at least public relations help. "Is Terrorism Tied to Christian Sect?" a Post June 2 headline asked, and a prominently displayed photo depicted a metal cross at the entrance to a possible Rudolph hangout in the North Carolina mountains.

The lead paragraph of the story asked, "Is he a Christian terrorist?" Following paragraphs quoted a political science professor at Syracuse University saying the answer is yes and Idaho State University sociology professor James Aho offering an aha, gotcha: Christians who protest the juxtaposition of "Christian" and "terrorist" may understand "how Muslims feel" when they hear the term "Islamic terror-

It's fine to understand feelings, but



facts are also important. The Post did not point out that leading American pastors have universally condemned bombing of abortion businesses, but many leading Islamic clerics in the Middle East have refused to condemn the murder by Muslims of innocent civilians. Nor did it note that the Quran (in contrast to a document of similar length, the New Testament) has only a few statements promoting peace but over 100 advocating warfare. (Example: "Believers, make war on the infidels who dwell around you The New York Times also needs some

theological education. That newspaper began its five-article coverage during the first four days of June by quoting one North Carolina woman as saying, "Rudolph's a Christian and I'm a Christian, and he dedicated his life to fighting abortion. Those are our values." Why, of all the possible quotations to be used, did the Times choose that one, and why did a later article report on "extremist Christian" groups?

(Earth to New York Times editor: No one is a Christian because of ethnicity or location or opposition to abortion.

Christianity is a matter of belief in the Christ shown in the New Testament, and nothing in the New Testament justifies the killing of innocent people by individuals. Besides, would you write about "liberal extremists" and highlight a quotation from an ignorant person who supported the alleged killer of a pro-life leader by saying, "He's a liberal, and I'm a liber-

Many other newspapers, such as USA Today, did not display such ignorance. The Los Angeles Times, on its toes after editor John Carroll's wake-up call (WORLD, June 7), ran six Rudolph-related articles during the first three days of June. None of them suggested a Christian/terrorism connection. Carroll had complained in a May 22 memo to Times section editors that he was "concerned about the perception -- and the occasional reality -- that the Times is a liberal, 'politically correct' newspaper."

Carroll also wrote, "We may happen to live in a political atmosphere that is suffused with liberal values (and is unreflective of the nation as a whole), but we are not going to push a liberal agenda in the news pages of the Times." That's a great declaration of intent, and one its East Coast brethren should agree to as well.

As it is, The Washington Post will occasionally offer corrections of misspellings -- my recent favorite is, "The last name of National Spelling Bee winner Sai R. Gunturi was misspelled ..." -but not misthinkings.

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International mediators head to Liberian capital

MONROVIA, Liberia (AP) - Civilians took advantage of a lull in explosions around Liberia's besieged capital to stock up on food Tuesday, as a West African team headed to the country to try to broker a truce in fighting threatening the government of President Charles Taylor.

As the bread, milk and sugar disappeared from shelves, Liberians continued to line up outside tiny, ramshackle stores in Monrovia's diplomatic quar-

"It's no time to be choosy," said Sarah Menoh, 41, as she waited patiently for her chance at one store's dwindling stocks. "Whatever can enter the stomach is good to have."

Others, with no money to buy supplies, could only stand and watch.

"If we go on like this for more than two weeks, the suffering will become untold," said James Kollie, 35. "Our actual plight seems to be

unheard of outside of Liberia."

Fighting between Taylor's forces and rebels has raged for days on the outskirts of the Monrovia, forcing civilians to barricade themselves in their

Sounds of battle continued until late Monday, sending thousands of people fleeing for the eastern side of the city. Fighting appeared to subside overnight and the city was quiet Tuesday morning.

Liberian troops patrolled downtown Monrovia in a show of force.

Outside the E.U. compound, about 300 Ivory Coast nationals clamored for sanctuary. Bit by bit, some were allowed

Foreigners and residents fear a bloody battle for the city of 1 million, which was overrun repeatedly during the country's 1989-1996 civil war.

Peace negotiations in Ghana have been postponed, but top international mediators were expected in Liberia on Tuesday to meet with Taylor, said his press secretary, Varney-Tasawe.

Mohamed Ibn Chambas, executive secretary of the regional bloc mediating the talks; Ghana Foreign Minister Nana Akuffo Addo; and former Nigerian junta leader Gen. Abdulsalami Abubakar, the talks' chief negotiator, flew to neighboring Guinea on Monday to meet with members of Liberia's main rebel movement.

The rebel offensive is the most intense yet in a three-year campaign to drive out Taylor, who emerged as the strongest warlord after the last civil war

and won presidential elections in 1997.

The rebels' drive gained momentum last week, when a joint U.N.-Sierra Leone court charged Taylor with war crimes for allegedly aiding Sierra Leone's notorious rebels over a decade. Taylor now controls little territory outside the capital.

Insurgents pushed several miles inside Monrovia's western outskirts Monday.

Gunfire and explosions sounded in the distance as French helicopters swooped in rescue Europeans, Americans and other foreigners who gathered overnight at the European Union and U.S. Embassy compounds. They were taken to a French warship, which was headed Tuesday to neighboring Ivory Coast.

It is the second time in a year France has orchestrated the hasty departure of foreigners from a West African nation in crisis. French troops evacuated hundreds of foreigners.

France has a heavy presence in West Africa, where many nations were once French colonies. It took a lead role in Liberia in part because a French warship was offshore, American officials said.

Frightened Liberians streamed to the U.S. Embassy, pleading to be rescued by America.

Museum donation



(Courtesy photo)

The White Deer Land Museum Advisory Board recently donated the book "M.K. Brown and His Legacy to the People of the Texas Panhandle" to Lefors High School Library. Making and accepting the presentation are (left to right) Allen Law, Lefors ISD superintendent; Iris Ragsdale, museum board member; Karen Reeves, Lefors school librarian; and Donna Burger, museum board member; and Nancy Coffee, museum board chairman.

Israel targets Hamas leader in missile strike

GAZA CITY, Gaza Strip (AP) — Israeli helicopters fired missiles at a car carrying a senior Hamas leader Tuesday, wounding him, killing his bodyguard and a bystander and jeopardizing the U.S.-backed road map to Mideast peace. The Palestinian prime minister called it a "terrorist" attack.

Abdel Aziz Rantisi said he jumped out of his car when he heard the choppers overhead. Rantisi underwent surgery for injuries to his leg.

Palestinian Prime Minister Abbas Mahmoud told Palestinian Satellite TV the helicopter strike was a "terrorist attack in the full meaning of the word because it targeted innocent people." The incident came four days after Hamas broke off talks with him on halting violence and refused to agree to a cease-fire.

Hamas then participated Sunday in a rare joint operation with Islamic Jihad and the Al Aqsa Martyrs' Brigades to kill four Israeli soldiers at an army outpost in Gaza. Hamas has killed hundreds of Israelis in bombings and shootings in the fighting.

Some Hamas leaders said before Tuesday's strike they were considering resuming truce talks. After the strike, however, Hamas threatened to target Israeli politicians in revenge.

"We will continue with our holy war and resistance until every last criminal Zionist is evicted from this land," Rantisi told the Arab TV satellite station Al-Jazeera from his hospital bed.

Abbas accused Israel of trying to destroy the "road map" plan to get out of its commitments. The prescription for Mideast peace and Palestinian statehood by 2005 was launched last week by President Bush, Abbas and Israeli Prime Minister Ariel Sharon at a summit in Jordan.

Israeli security officials confirmed that Rantisi was the target of the strike, but political leaders declined to comment publicly.

Israel sent mixed messages with its actions Tuesday. On the one hand, Israeli troops dismantled 10 tiny, uninhabited settlement outposts in the West Bank overnight, in line with the first

requirements of the peace plan.

The missile strike threatened to unleash more attacks on Israelis, just as Egypt was trying to persuade Hamas to resume truce talks with Abbas.

Israel has accused Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat of trying to undercut Abbas in trying to negotiate a truce. Israel Radio on Tuesday

Class of 1953

Minister åShaul Mofaz as saying Israel may soon expel Arafat, a step that, according to Israeli reports, has been blocked by the United States. Mofaz spoke at a closed-door session of a parlia-

ment committee. The attack on Rantisi further weakened Abbas, who has been criticized at home for pledging quoted Defense to end the "armed intefadeh"

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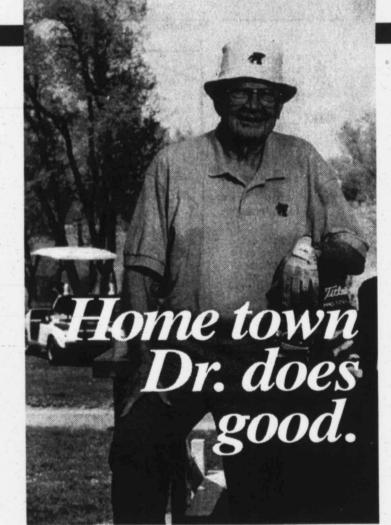
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while getting little in return from Israel. Abbas said Tuesday he asked the United States to intervene and he would continue trying to resume talks with Hamas.

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DEAR ABBY

written by Pauline Phillips and daughter Jeanne Phillips

Blast From The Past Makes Effective Case Against Tattoos

DEAR ABBY: You have printed letters about tattoos, so I thought you might get a kick out of my experience. Two summers ago, my sister

"Julie" confided that her daughter, "Whitney," had decided to get a tattoo before returning to college in the fall. Julie was upset about it, but could not change her daughter's mind because Whitney is on a full scholarship and didn't need anyone's approval. Julie asked if I could talk Whitney out of it, and I racked my brain trying to think of something to say that would sway her.

A few weeks later, our families got together to celebrate Julie's 50th birthday. Whitney was there with her boyfriend. After we all had enjoyed ice cream and cake, I took Whitney and her boyfriend into the living room and popped in a video-tape of a party my husband and I had thrown during the disco craze of the '70s. There we were in our leisure suits, gold chains, permed hair, plat-

form shoes and having a great time. Whitney and her boyfriend were rolling on the floor with laughter. They couldn't believe that "look" was actually the craze at the time. "Yes," I said, "that was the style. But as times changed, styles changed, and what was once 'in' was soon 'out.'

At that moment, Julie and her husband walked into the living room dressed in retro clothes and wigs. It was like we were in a time warp. They were followed by Grandma and Grandpa, who had applied fake tattoos to their arms and shoulders. Whitney was stunned to see her normally conservative grandparents so out of character.

It was then that we reminded Whitney we had been able to buy different clothes and change our hairstyles when the fad was over, but tattoos are forever.

Disco clothes and wigs: \$85. Fake tattoos: \$30.

The look on Whitney's face:

(To date, no tattoos for Whitney.) CREATIVE IN LAS VEGAS

DEAR CREATIVE: Your letter:

that was far more effective than any lecture would have been. Thanks for the chuckle!

Sometimes a picture is worth

a thousand words. You made

your point with an object lesson

DEAR ABBY: I'm a 17-year-old guy with a big problem. Almost a year ago I got together with a girl I'll call Sara. I was told she had feelings for me. Little did I know what I was getting myself into.

Sara and I have been together ever since. She has always had problems with depression. I want to break up with her because she tries to control my life, but when I tell her we can't be together, she gets

sad and cuts herself later. It has gotten so bad that I'm afraid if I do break up with her, she might do something drastic - like commit suicide. I'm scared. What

NO NAME, CITY OR STATE

DEAR NO NAME, CITY OR STATE: This is too big a problem for you to handle on your own. Talk to your parents, or a trusted teacher, coach or counselor and tell him or her what you have written to me. Sara needs professional help. Whether or not she is doing it intentionally, she is making you a prisoner of emotional blackmail.

Sara may be upset and angry when you divulge her problem, but in the long run, it's the biggest favor you could do her.

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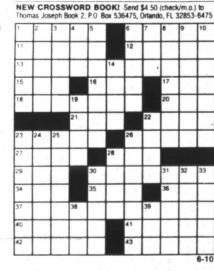
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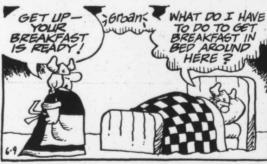
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ABILENE — Pampa's Zack Cobb is the leader in two categories at the end of Monday's first go-round at the state high school rodeo finals.

Cobb leads in tiedown roping with a 9.71 time. Madisonville's John Bankhead is second at 10.04.

Cobb and Joe Ed Word of Vernon are the team roping leaders with a 7.980 time.

FOOTBALL

DAVIE, Fla. (AP) — Brian Griese followed in his father's footsteps and the Miami joined Dolphins, signing a twoyear contract with the team after passing a physical.

The former Denver Broncos starter, who agreed to the deal Friday, will earn \$530,000 in base salary this season, plus a \$1 million signing bonus. The second year of the deal will cost Miami more than \$6 million in salary cap space, meaning the team would either have to release Griese, restructure his deal or make him the starting quarterback.

Griese will be listed second on the team's depth chart, behind starter Jay Fiedler and ahead of Sage Rosenfels, the team's No. 3 quarterback a year ago.

SOFTBALL

OKLAHOMA . CITY (AP) — Pitcher Lisa Fernandez is one of six members of the United States' gold medal-winning softball team from the 2000 Olympics returning for this year's Pan American Games.

Jennie Finch, the two-time national player of the year in college and a correspondent for "This Week in Baseball," also made the roster, announced by the Amateur Softball Association, the sport's national governing body.

Other Olympians on the roster are: outfielders Leah O'Brien-Amico and Laura Berg; infielder Crystl Bustos; pitcher Lori Harrigan and catcher Stacey Nuveman. Rounding out the squad are infielders Jamie Clark, Lovie Jung, Nina Lindenberg, Tairia Mims and Natash Watley; outfielders Nicole Giordano and Jessica Mendoza; pitchers Cat Osterman and Keira Goerl; catcher Jenny Topping, and utility player

Amanda Freed.

Flashback 1967: End Tim Davis caught a 9-yard TD pass from quarterback Dwight Rogers in the fourth quarter to break a scoreless string of 24 straight quarters by Pampa. The Harvesters lost to Borger 34-7.

Glo-Valve opens with win in City Tournament

Service, like the month of March, came in like a lion and went out like a lamb, in its 7-3 win over Rotary Club to open the Optimist 11-12 Cal Ripken City Tournament Monday night. The regularseason champions roared to a 5-0 lead in the first inning and then went hitless the rest of the game in holding on for the victory.

Lane Douglass was credited with his sixth win of the season against no losses. He allowed no runs and no hits in pitching the first three innings. He walked one and struck out eight. Heath Skinner and Jose Ramirez also pitched for Glo-Valve. Ramirez was touched for one unearned run on one hit and walked a batter. Heath Skinner earned his second safe of the year, permitting two unearned runs and no hits. He walked two and struck out five.

Wilson got things going for Glo-Valve in the bottom of the first inning by drawing walks. Hayden Skinner singled to center to score Heath Skinner. Douglass singled to load the bases. After a in Wilson with a fielder's

UNADILLA, N.Y. (AP) -

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Douglass at second. A walk to Nick Riley loaded the bases again. The runners moved up on a passed ball with Hayden Skinner scoring. Anthony Allen powered a single to center to bring in Ruth and Riley for a 5-0

In Glo-Valve's fourth inning, Hayden Skinner hit a smash to the third baseman who made a phenomenal stop, but threw the ball away. Hayden Skinner continued to second and went to third when an attempt to nail him at second went into left field. He tallied on a wild pitch.

The winners returned the gift two-fold in the top of the fifth. Wesleigh Hannah led off for Rotary with a walk. Casey Trimble followed with a grounder to third. Nobody covered second, so all hands were safe. Heath Skinner and Kade A wild pitch moved the runners up a base. A passed ball scored Hannah, and an error on the attempt to get Hannah Valve's lead to 6-2.

Glo-Valve got one of the runs back in the bottom of strikeout, Mark Ruth drove the fifth. Ruth walked and took second on a wild pitch

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Rotary's sixth with their Agency outlasted Celanese only hit of the game. He went to second when Jonathan Anguiano walked. A passed ball handed the runners another base. The next batter fouled out to Hayden Skinner. Hayden Skinner hustled to the backstop after an errant pitch and snapped a quick throw to get Binge trying to steal home for the second out. Anguiano moved to third and scored on a wild pitch. After a walk, Hayden Skinner gunned down the runner trying to steal second for the final out.

Alex Torrens and Hannah pitched for Rotary. Torrens gave up all three of Glo-Valve's hits and five runs. He struck out three while walking seven. Hannah relieved in the fourth and allowed two unearned runs and no hits. He walked two and struck out one.

Trimble caught two flyplated Trimble, cutting Glo- balls in deep left field for the outstanding defensive plays of the game for Rotary. Hayden Skinner's caught stealing and a difficult pickup at first by Douglass on a

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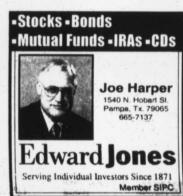
Glo-Valve's Nick Riley moves into third base on a wild pitch in last night's City Tournament action.

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Devils win Cup

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) - Martin Brodeur was the No. 2 goalie again.

Seven shutouts in the playoffs, including three in the finals, weren't enough for Brodeur to win the Conn Smythe Award.

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HOUSTON (AP) — An event expect-

ed to draw tens of thousands of fans daily

during the run-up to next year's Super

Bowl here will be at the George R.

Brown Convention Center, a National

The league chose the downtown site

for the NFL Experience over Reliant

Park, partly because of the success

enjoyed when the attraction was held

near the Gas Lamp District in San Diego,

Jim Steeg, NFL senior vice president

a popular tourist mecca, in January.

Football League official says.

NFL fan gathering scheduled in Houston convention center in charge of the Super Bowl, made the idea of having the pavilion near announcement Monday at a Houston Super Bowl XXXVIII Host Committee luncheon.

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The Fel. 1 game at Reliant Stadium will mark the Super Bowl's return to Texas for the first time since 1974, when roofless Rice Stadium played host.

The pavilion housing the NFL Experience has typically been set up near the stadium where the game has been is played. But Steeg has said he likes the

Houston's downtown, where people can

walk to restaurants and other attractions. Fans at NFL Experience can run pass patterns, compete in football-throwing games, obtain autographs, hear live music and buy souvenirs.

Among other preparations, Don Henderson, chairman of the Host Committee's hotel oversight committee, said most local hotels have agreed not to engage in price-gouging during the weeks before the Super Bowl.

Phillies beat Angels in first-ever meeti

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — Given a choice, Larry Bowa would rather get a successful sacrifice bunt out of leadoff hitter Jimmy Rollins than a home run.

So the Philadelphia Phillies manager was visibly frustrated in the dugout Monday night after Rollins tried to bunt two runners over with no outs in the sixth inning and popped out to first

But Jim Thome picked up Rollins later in the sixth with an RBI single, triggering a 3-0 victory over the Anaheim Angels in the first-ever meeting between the teams, and the only game on the major league schedule.

"You've got to lay bunts down, and I know Jimmy understands that," Bowa said after his 200th win as Phillies manager. "That's very important for us to be successful. I know he didn't do it on purpose, but those are little things that you have to do to win games — and we didn't get it done."

Rollins and Thome hit solo homers in the eighth, giving Jose Mesa some breathing room for his 16th save and 103rd with the Phillies, which tied Steve Bedrosian's club

"Jimmy redeemed himself a little bit with a home run, but we're not hitting the ball that good to not execute in that situation," Bowa said.

The only Philadelphia baserunner through the first five innings was Mike Lieberthal, who singled leading off the second and fifth innings against Jarrod Washburn (6-6). The Angels' ace left-hander was charged with three runs and eight hits over 7 2-3 innings.

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some hard-hit balls that were right at guys. And late in the game, there were a couple of mistakes that I didn't get away with. It could have been a lot uglier than it was."

Padilla (5-7) allowed five hits, struck out two and walked none. The right-hander, who joined the Phillies in July 2000 as part of the fiveplayer deal that sent Curt Schilling to Arizona, had faced the Angels only one other time in his career -pitching an inning of scorerelief for Diamondbacks.

"Usually you don't win with three runs against American League teams, but we were lucky tonight. Vicente pitched a good enough game where it stood up," .Bowa said. "That's a good offense over there. I know a lot of those guys, and they're scary. You never feel safe."

Scott Spiezio led off the third and fifth innings with singles for the Angels' only hits to that point — although Padilla hit two other batters.

Spiezio singled again in the seventh, but Brad Fullmer overslid third base and David Bell tagged him for the second out after taking a one-hop throw from right fielder Bobby Abreu. Padilla then retired Benji Gil on a comebacker.

"Bobby made a great throw, and then David kept the ball on the runner," Bowa said. "A lot of guys don't do that, but David stayed with him. That was a big turning point for me."

Spiezio was stranded at third base in the third when Adam Kennedy struck out and Darin Erstad grounded "I actually don't think I out. Erstad, sidelined since threw very well," Washburn April 20 because of tendinitis said."I made a lot of mistakes in his right hamstring, was early in the game that I got activated from the DL before

Townsend pitches Rice to victory over Cougars

with the College World Series by now. They'd just like to improve on past performances.

They'll return to Omaha, Neb., for the fourth time in seven years this weekend after Wade Townsend struck out nine and allowed four hits over eight innings Monday, leading the Owls to a 5-2 victory over the Houston Cougars in their Super Regional.

They'll take a 1-6 CWS record into their weekend game against Southwest Missouri State. Back-toback losses to Texas and Notre Dame sent Rice home from last year's tournament.

"Most of us were there last year and we really didn't like how we did so that gives us drive and motivation to do better this year," center fielder Austin Davis said. "We have the experience of being there and how the crowds can be and what to expect. That's an advantage going back."

Townsend (10-1) retired 11 in a row at one stretch. He allowed only one hit after the third inning. He had two walks and allowed one earned run.

"I think this is our most solid team," Rice coach Wayne Graham said. "We have more pitching depth than in the past. I feel we've got a shot."

HOUSTON (AP) — The Dame game last year, I think Rice Owls should be familiar it was kind of a team decision that we were going back no matter what," Davis said. "Our guys battled the whole time. Now we've reached our goals and now we've got one more goal, to win it."

The Owls certainly convinced Houston coach Rayner Noble, who served as an assistant under Graham at Rice before taking over the Cougars.

"I think the team that we played three games here is one of the best teams I've seen in college baseball," Noble said. "If they just do what they did to us this weekend, there's no reason they shouldn't win the whole thing."

After a triple by Michael Bourn in the third inning, Townsend retired 11 batters in order before walking Tully with two out in the sixth inning.

"Bourn hit a 2-1 pitch and after that I started getting ahead of the hitters and we were playing great defense," Townsend said.

Houston got a run in the first on an RBI single by Tully. Matt Farrington's sacrifice fly in the third tied it at 2-2, scoring Bourn, who had tripled to the right-centerfield wall.

Henderson hit Paul Janish with a pitch and Davis singled in the fourth inning and with two out, Bubela singled scoring both baserunners for a 4-2 lead. Justin Ruchti had "Right after the Notre an RBI single in the sixth.





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You might often wonder why you said Work late, but screen your calls. something. Learn to stop yourself before CANCER (June 21-July 22) ing. You might take courses this year that what it is you want and where you are night's sleep. will enable you to learn more. heading. Tonight: Take a midweek break. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Communication stars as a major preoc- You need some fun. cupation. If you are single, a relationship LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) will appear in your life before fall. This ** Family, real estate and invest- halfway. You find that a financial request

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Have: 5-Dynamic; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

ARIES (March 21-April 19) * * * * Words said might be difficult to take back. Refuse to give in to sarcasm this simple technique. Others appreciate *** Keep asking questions, and and other such behavior. You might not a discreet approach. Tonight: As you like you'll come up with noteworthy solube realistic, and you might not care, either. Extremes mark a relationship. A LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

it all hang out. Relax.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) *** * * Others come toward you. offer? You might be delighted by what comes down your path if you remain open. Your imagination could add that special touch to a relationship. Tonight:

Say "yes" to a loved one.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) * * Dig into work, though use care back, and feelings might never be the you probably will go out.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Wednesday, same. Use your natural charm, and SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) everything will fall into place. Tonight:

er, scheduling trips and just going out Opportunities come from a positive atti- action is. and about. SCORPIO helps you with a tude. Your creativity flourishes. Tonight: AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Follow a loved one's suggestion. Let it ** Take charge at the workplace. all hang out. 4-Positive; *** You speak your mind, but seeing the whole situation. Feedback

flirtation could heat up, as well as a rela- ** Handle finances as directly as you person chip in. He or she really wants to tionship with a child. Tonight: Home. Let can. What seems destined for success help. Allow others to feel part of a projcould be heading you toward a major ect. Tonight: Start thinking about a weekupheaval. You might not be looking at end getaway. the complete story. Talk to the experts. Why not listen to what they have to Take off your rose-colored glasses. BORN TODAY Tonight: Your treat. Follow your pals.

actress Shia Le Beouf (1986), actress SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) *** Your personality melts away Adrienne Barbeau (1945) another's strong reaction. Use your assets, especially if you want to move a project that could be locked or jammed. Jacqueline Bigar is on the Internet at One sees a situation one way, and some- http://www.jacquelinebigar.com. with the words you choose. Sarcasm one else sees this same situation differreigns. Words said are difficult to take ently. Tonight: It is your decision, though

* * Stepping into another's shoes might

keep you from sticking your foot in your mouth. Understanding opens up relationyou utter the wrong statement. Focus on *** * Your imagination leads oth-ships, especially one that is key to you. work, health and greater success. You'll ers toward a new idea. But keep your eye You might want to be more realistic love what happens if you look at the long on the words you choose as well as about what this person offers. Tonight: term. Step back and do some deep think- extravagance. Set boundaries, knowing Curl up with a good book and get a good

* * * * Pull your weight. Make what you want happen and do nothing

person might be very significant. If ments are a major focus. You might like might be worth obliging. Others help you you're attached, your relationship could what comes down your path if you stop with suggestions and could delight you easily be enhanced by more time togeth- struggling with a partner or associate. with their news. Tonight: Where the You'll get a lot done if you place your

high energy properly. You might not be your word choice might not be the best. from those around you illuminates a Others could be shocked! Instead, just set crack in your thinking. Face facts. an example, and others will naturally fol- Tonight: Work as late as you need to. low. Success heads your way if you use PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

tions. Understand what might be occur-

ring with a co-worker. In fact, let this

Football player Joe Montana (1956),

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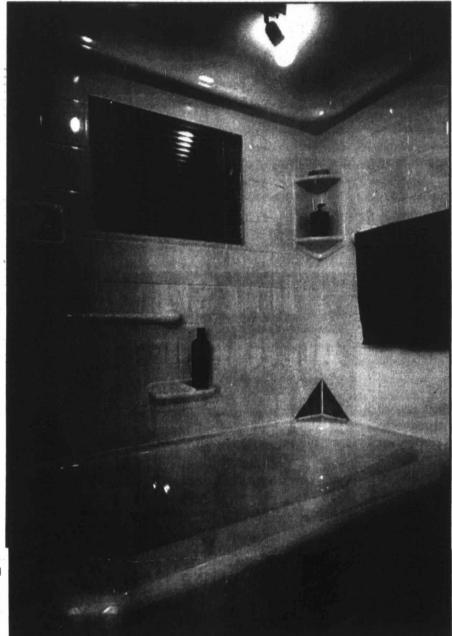
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BUSINESS REVIEW



Bath Fitter offers facelifts for wornout tubs, showers

If your bathtub is worn, chipped or discolored, it's probably the last thing you want to look at first thing in the morning.

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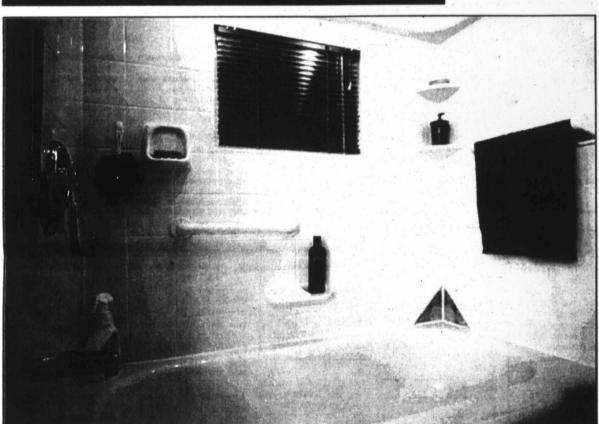
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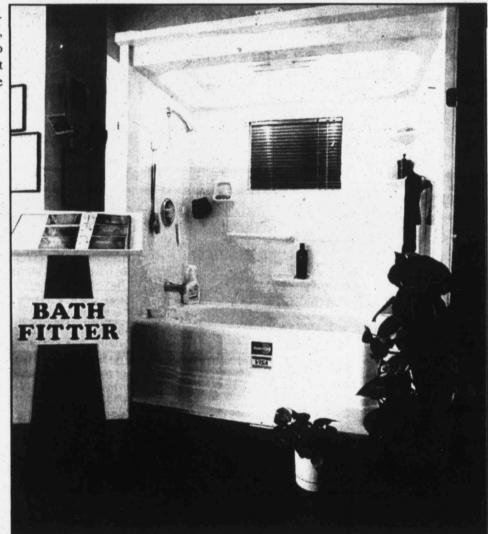
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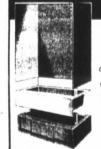
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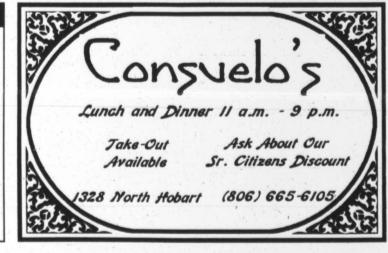
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