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## LOCAL

### Ticket deadline set for lunch, style show

Tuesday, July 8, is the last day to buy tickets to the Miss Rodeo Top O' Texas Luncheon and Style Show set for Thursday, July 10.

Tickets, \$12 each, must be purchased by noon Tuesday at the rodeo office at 200 N. Ballard, said Jane Jacobs, rodeo secretary. Tickets will not be available at the door.

The luncheon in the M.K. Brown Room of the Pampa Community Building, 200 N. Ballard, will be catered by the Cattle Exchange from Canadian, and features contestants in the Miss Rodeo Top O' Texas Pageants modeling western dress and providing entertainment. Each contestant will also speak about the town or area they represent.

The reigning Miss Rodeo Top O' Texas Mandy Poole and Miss Rodeo Top O' Texas Teen Jamie Schroeder, will also be featured speakers.

## STATE

### Wrong-way SUV slams into car; 3 die

GRAPEVINE (AP) — Three people were killed and three were injured when a sport-utility vehicle slammed head-on into a car on a North Texas expressway, officials said.

The accident happened about 9 p.m. Sunday on Texas 360 in Grapevine. Witnesses told police the SUV was driving south in a northbound lane with its lights off when it slammed into an oncoming car.

The Tarrant County medical examiner's office identifies the dead as William Hemel, 27, of Keller, who was at the wheel of the SUV; his daughter, Brittany Hemel, 4; and the driver of the car, Amos Brown, 54, of Irving.

## DEATHS

- Tommie Jean Townsend**, 65, professional cook.
- Michael A. Atherton**, 51, rancher, oilfield worker.

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In the spirit of rodeo week, Jared Lake, and dad Bo, volunteer their horse for the toddlers to ride at First Baptist Church's daycare center Monday morning. Little Bethany Jo is escorted around the makeshift arena with the help of Justin, Brett and Tye.

## Kid Pony Show kicks off full week of events

Last night marked the first performance of the annual Top O' Texas Kid Pony Show at Top O' Texas Rodeo Arena in Pampa. Tonight's action will begin at 7 p.m. at the rodeo arena. Results from the Kid Pony Show are as follows:

**Stick Horse Race/Boys group I.** Gage Greenhouse, of Pampa, first place; Tanner Reynolds, Shamrock, second place; and Walker Kennedy, Pampa, third place.

**Stick Horse Race/Girls group I.** Rayell Rivale, Des Moines, N.M., first place; Kaitey Harris, Amarillo, second place; and Rilee Didway, Pampa, third place.

**Goat Ribbon Race/Boys group I.** Nathan Ferguson, Pampa, first place; Garrett Taylor, Pampa, second place; and Cade Ferguson, Pampa,

third place.  
**Goat Ribbon Race/Girls group I.** Jackie Phelan, Borger, first place; Kaitey Harris, Amarillo, second place; and Kyler Rammung, Pampa, third place.

**Flag Race/Boys group II.** Chuck Durham, Borger, first place; Kory McConnell, Hereford, second place; and Gathin Taylor, Pampa, third place.

**Flag Race/Girls group II.** Macy Cochran, Pampa, first place; Krysten Miller, Pampa, second place; and Caitlin Eakin, Canyon, third place.

**Golfette/Boys group I.** D. Kota Hammack, Borger, first place; Michael Ramirez, Amarillo, second place; and Gage Greenhouse, Pampa, third place.

**Golfette/Girls group I.**

Mackenzie Thompson, Sanford, first place; Jackie Phelan, Borger, second place; and Rayelle Rivale, Des Moines, third place.

**Golfette/Boys group II.** Chuck Durham, Borger, first place; Kory McConnell, Hereford, second place; and Lary Phelan, Borger, third place.

**Golfette/Girls group II.** Macy Cochran, Pampa, first place; Addie Jo Hokanson, Dumas, second place; and Kirstie Kasch, Skellytown, third place.

**Walk & Lead Barrel Race/Group I.** Rilee Didway, Pampa, first place; Garrett Taylor, Pampa, second place; and Quade Hiatt, Canyon, third place.

**Barrel Race/Boys group I.** (See RODEO, Page 3)

## Golden Horseshoe Clue

- Clue #2 for Sunday, July 6, was found at United Supermarket.**
- Clue #3 for Monday, July 7, was found at Rheam's Diamond Shop.**
- Clue #4 for Tuesday, July 8, can be found at a garden center.**



## Grant to help fund police officers' protection

By DAVID BOWSER  
STAFF WRITER

Pampa police officers may not be 10 feet tall, but they'll be more or less bulletproof thanks to a federal grant.

Sen. John Cornyn, R-Tex., said the U.S. Department of Justice will award a grant to the City of Pampa to help purchase seven new bulletproof vests.

"It's a good deal," Pampa Police Chief Trevlyn Pitner said this week.

The funds to cover half the costs of buying bulletproof vests for Pampa police officers is expected to be sent to the city this month. Chief Pitner said Pampa should receive about \$1,580.

The grant is part of the Bulletproof Vest Partnership Program, a Bureau of Justice Assistance program to help communities purchase body armor.

"These brave men and women risk their lives every day to defend our

homes and families," Cornyn said. "Providing these grants to help defend them is the right thing to do, and a small way of showing our appreciation for all they do."

The legislation authorizing the grants mandates that priority in awarding the funds be given to jurisdictions with populations under 100,000. The program expects to spend \$59 million this year on such grants.

Chief Pitner said the grants will reimburse the city for part of the costs of body armor the police department already bought. Under the program, grants can be made for up to 50 percent of the cost of the vests and associated costs such as shipping.

More than 6,500 applications for vest grants were submitted by smaller police departments nationwide this year, Cornyn said more than 5,700 will be funded.

## Two American soldiers killed in convoy attacks in Baghdad, third shot and killed

BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — Iraq's cascade of violence claimed more American lives, with a bomb attack on a military convoy killing one U.S. soldier Monday and gunning slaying another in an ambush on a patrol in the capital.

Three American soldiers have been killed in attacks in Baghdad in a 24-hour period. Four other U.S. soldiers were wounded in a grenade attack

on their convoy in the restive town of Ramadi west of Baghdad.

In Washington, CIA officials said a recording of Saddam Hussein aired Friday on the Arab al Jazeera television network "most likely" is authentic, but its poor quality prevents absolute certainty.

In the recording, the speaker, purporting to be Saddam, claims he is still in Iraq and directing attacks on American forces there. He also claims the recording was made June 14 but a CIA spokesman said the exact date cannot be determined.

Early Monday, insurgents threw a homemade bomb at a U.S. convoy in northern Baghdad, killing a soldier, said Sgt. Patrick Compton, a spokesman for the military. (See IRAQ, Page 3)

## Redistricting battle lines to be drawn

By KELLEY SHANNON  
ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER

AUSTIN (AP) — Only a week after the start of the special legislative session, Republicans are pushing ahead with a plan to redraw congressional boundaries and boost their party's numbers in Washington.

The measure was headed to the full House on Monday where the fight is almost certain to get nasty.

When Republicans tried to push congressional redistricting toward a House vote during the spring regular session, 51 Democrats fled to Ardmore, Okla., to block a quorum and halt debate, killing the bill.

"That tactic isn't expected this time."

"I don't have a problem with doing it, but I think that many of my colleagues have already put their careers at risk in the last walkout," said Rep. Jose Menendez, D-San Antonio.

The outnumbered Democrats have vowed to do their best to wage a fight, but they won't say exactly how.

The GOP is gunning for a grip on the 32-member Texas delegation in Congress. Democrats currently hold a 17-15 advantage, but Republicans urged on by U.S. House Majority Leader Tom DeLay of Sugar Land

say existing congressional boundaries don't allow for the election of Congress members who reflect the state's increasingly GOP voting patterns.

"We just want lines that are more fair than they are now," said state Rep. Mike Krusee, an Austin-area Republican on the House Redistricting Committee.

Democrats don't want to change the existing district lines.

In a mostly party line vote, the committee approved a congressional map Saturday proposed by Rep. Kent Grusendorf, R-Arlington. The

plan, which builds on one previously offered by Republican Rep. Phil King, of Weatherford, could send 21 Republicans from Texas to Congress.

Grusendorf said his plan is a fair one. He said it will allow for effective rural representation and improve on a previous Republican map by ensuring minority communities in Waco are not divided.

Most Democrats on the committee, though, criticized the plan, saying it will dilute rural and minority representation across Texas.

Rep. Richard Raymond, D-Laredo, has accused Republican lawmakers of trying to create "political ghettos" where minorities have no voice.

Any redistricting plan must get approval from the U.S. Department of Justice that it is fair to minorities under the federal Voting Rights Act. New congressional lines also would be challenged in court.

The House Calendars Committee on Sunday set House floor debate on the bill Monday. Calendars Chair Beverly Woolley, a Houston Republican, said she expects a tense atmosphere.

"Judging by the committee hearings, I'm sure there will be lots of objections," Woolley said. "But I believe we've got a map that does represent the population of the state."

Raymond continuously has argued with Republicans on the redistricting committee and repeatedly suggested Chairman Joe Crabb, R-Atascocita, has discriminated against Hispanics during the process.

Raymond questioned whether public hearings provided sufficient access for Spanish speakers. He criticized Crabb for asking a Hispanic Korean War veteran who was testifying to provide his Social Security number.

Raymond said that was inappropriate. (See LINES, Page 3)

## Police seek vehicle vandals

Police were looking for vandals today that slashed tires and broke out car windows over the holiday weekend.

Eight tires were slashed in the 900 block of South Hobart on Saturday, officers estimated the damage at \$1,020.

Four tires were reported slashed in the 1000 block of South Hobart.

Windows on a vehicle parked in the 1200 block of Christine and on a vehicle in the 2500 block of Duncan were reported broken out on Sunday.

Windows on a vehicle in the 700 block of North Wells were reported broken out on early today. Officer put the damage estimate at \$80.

Windows on a vehicle parked in the 500 block of North Christy were broken out early this morning. Officers estimated the damage to the car at \$80.

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## DEAR ABBY

written by Pauline Phillips and daughter Jeanne Phillips

### Sight Of Boy Alone In Car Weighs On Witness's Mind

DEAR ABBY: Yesterday I saw a little boy left alone in a parked car. The windows were rolled down about 2 inches. The child, probably 1 year old, was strapped in a child seat in the back of the vehicle. It was a hot day and the car was sitting in the sun.

I was going into the library, so I hoped that the parent would only be gone long enough to return a book. However, when I came out, the child was still there. I got into my car and was about to call the police, but before I did, the parent came out and drove away. I did jot down the license number.

I couldn't get the little boy out of my mind, so I phoned to report the incident to the police this afternoon. Perhaps it will keep that parent from doing it again. I know I should have taken action the moment I saw the child, and I feel guilty that I did not.

Abby, please remind your readers that children should never be left alone in a car. Anyone who sees a child in an unattended car should phone the police immediately. I'm glad the baby didn't die because of my inaction.

ILLINOIS PARENT

DEAR ILLINOIS PARENT: Thank you for a timely reminder. Health experts warn that on a breezy day with the temperature only in the low 70s, the interior of a closed automobile can heat up to 125 degrees in 15 minutes. Even with the window cracked, a child could dehydrate within minutes — with deadly results. And the same goes for pets.

DEAR ABBY: I am a 17-year-old boy with a big problem. There's this girl, "Ashley." I really care about her. But I don't know how to tell her. I took her to the junior prom and afterward we spent most of the night together — talking.

That night I realized how much Ashley and I have in common and how much I care for her. The trouble is, it's summer vacation, and it seems like she's always too busy to go out with me, or she already has plans.

We talk almost every day, but I need to see her and be with her.

Abby, I know no one is perfect, but Ashley is the closest thing to it.

Yesterday I broke down and cried because I realized how much I want her to be mine. Can you please tell me what to do — and how to tell her my feelings? I ache inside.

SMITTEN IN OHIO

DEAR SMITTEN: Look at the bright side:

(1) Ashley obviously likes you. The two of you talk on the phone nearly every day. Tell her you really like her. It's a compliment and it's the truth.

(2) You shared a wonderful night at the prom. It is something the two of you will never forget.

Perhaps this will have to do for now. Summers fly by quickly, and soon you will have more school events to share. In the meantime, make plans with other friends and stay active. It will keep you from dwelling on the fact that you're not with Ashley as much as you'd like to be.

DEAR ABBY: Your recent letter regarding tattoos reminded me of an incident I'd like to share. Last year I was in a nail salon in Hawaii, waiting for a manicure and a pedicure. Waiting with me were two ladies well into their 60s.

A girl of about 20 strolled in and sat down across the room from us. She was wearing a low-cut top, so we couldn't help but notice a prominent rose-tattoo high on her breast.

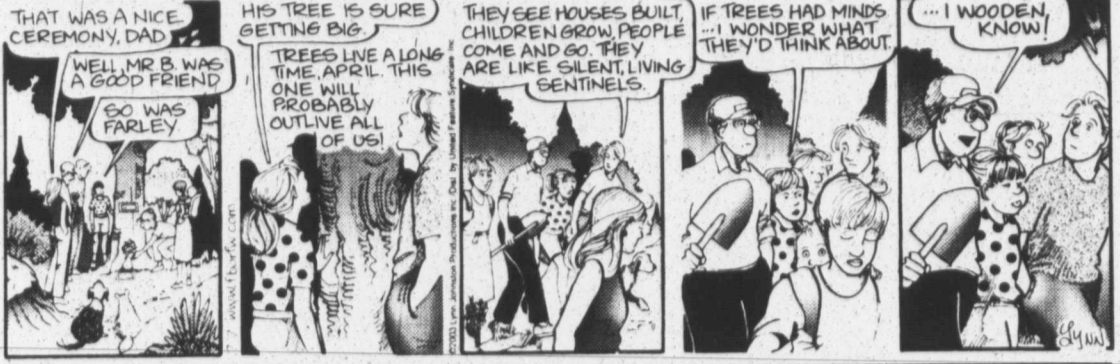
One of the women leaned over to the rest of us and whispered, "Little does she know that when she's in her 50s, she'll have a long-stemmed rose!"

KATHLEEN IN WASHINGTON STATE

DEAR KATHLEEN: If you didn't laugh out loud, you deserve a bouquet of roses.

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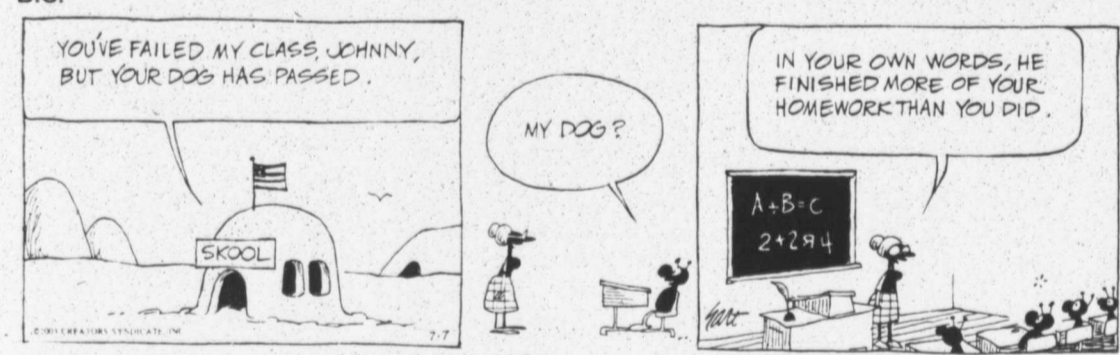
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By THOMAS JOSEPH

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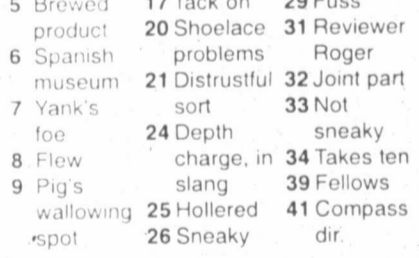
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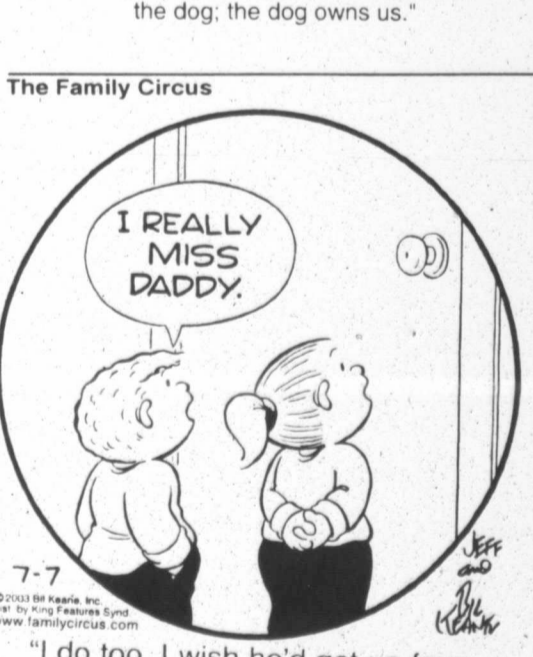


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## Russia's Putin refuses to give in to terrorism

By JIM HEINTZ  
ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER

MOSCOW (AP) — In the wake of twin suicide attacks at a Moscow rock festival, President Vladimir Putin vowed Monday that Russia would not give in to terrorism and asserted that Chechen rebels are supported by international groups.

The separatist rebels that have been fighting Russian forces for nearly four years in Chechnya are seen by officials as being behind the Saturday blasts that killed 15 people, including the two female bombers, and injured scores.

No group has claimed responsibility for the attack, but news reports have said a passport was found at the site showing that one of the bombers was a Chechen.

Putin, in a meeting with his Cabinet, said "today, after the latest series of terrorist acts, we can say that the bandits active in Chechnya are not simply connected with international terrorist organizations, they have become an integral, maybe the most dangerous part, of the international web."

"No country in the world bows to the dictates of terrorists and Russia will not do so either," Putin said, according to the news agency Interfax. "We must pluck them out from the basements and caves where they are hiding and destroy them."

The statement echoed the harsh language that Putin used as prime minister in 1999, shortly before Russian forces swept back into Chechnya at the start of the second war in the republic in a decade.

The conflict has deteriorated

into a bloody stalemate in which Russian forces pound rebel positions with artillery and air strikes while the rebels kill Russians in near-daily hit-and-run attacks.

The Kremlin has refused to negotiate with Chechnya's rebel president Aslan Maskhadov, and prominent human rights activist Lev Ponomarev said Monday that policy only encourages "ultraradicals."

"Save the lives of tens and hundreds of future victims of 'living bombs' — demand the start of peaceful negotiations with Maskhadov," Ponomarev, head of the For Human Rights group, said in a statement directed at Russian politicians.

The bombing of the rock festival was a grim reminder of how the sprawling Russian capital is vulnerable to terrorism. The bombing brought back painful memories of last October's raid on a Moscow theater by scores of Chechen rebels; 129 hostages died, almost all from effects of the narcotic gas that special forces pumped in to end the siege.

Moscow mayor Yuri Luzhkov declared Tuesday a day of mourning in the city, meaning that entertainment programs will not be shown on local television and comedies will not be performed in the city's theaters.

He also announced that relatives of those killed would receive \$3,300 in compensation and victims who needed hospitalization would get \$1,650.

City health officials said 38 people injured in the blasts remained hospitalized on Monday; initially 59 victims had been admitted to hospitals.

## Mexican voters deal Fox a setback

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Voters issued a severe judgment on President Vicente Fox's first three years in office, electing another divided Congress in which his party will have fewer seats and increasing the power of the former ruling party and the leftist opposition.

No party gained a majority in Sunday's midterm congressional elections. Voters, frustrated with Fox's inability to deliver on promises of reform, economic growth and a migration accord with the United States, set the stage for three more years of inaction.

Preliminary vote counts showed the Institutional Revolutionary Party, or PRI leading in Congress and winning at least two key governors' races.

In a televised address late Sunday, Fox acknowledged that Mexicans wanted him to work more with Congress.

"This is a mandate for dialogue, restraint and

building agreements," he said. "Now comes the time for working together."

"If the citizens didn't vote for a majority, we'll have to build one through cooperation with the political forces and the government. That is the mandate we have received today."

With two populist parties growing in strength, the president faces the prospect of little achievement over the rest of his term.

The PRI claimed the vote as a sort of resurrection for a party that many expected would disappear after losing its seven-decade grip on the presidency in 2000.

"Today it's been confirmed that we are the leading political force," said PRI party leader Roberto Madrazo. "It's also clear that no party can say it represents every Mexican. That fact encourages moderation as a political principle."

With more than half of the votes counted, federal electoral authorities projected the PRI would increase

its share of the 500-seat lower house of Congress from 207 seats to between 222 and 227. Fox's party, National Action, was likely to see its number of seats drop from 202 to between 148 and 158.

The biggest gainer appeared to be the leftist Democratic Revolution Party, whose standard-bearer, Mexico City Mayor Andres Manuel Lopez Obrador, has won popularity with handout programs and public works projects. Democratic Revolution tightened its grip on the capital and boosted its congressional seats from 56 to an estimated 93 to 100.

Three smaller parties divided the rest of the vote, and absenteeism was strong, with only 41 percent of the country's eligible voters casting a ballot.

The six gubernatorial races also provided some disappointments for National Action. The party conceded the loss of its stronghold, the wealthy bor-

der state of Nuevo Leon, to the PRI, and failed to capture the Pacific coast state of Colima from its rival.

The two parties were running close races in the western border state of Sonora and the Gulf coast state of Campeche, both PRI strongholds.

Among the few bright spots for National Action, state election officials said the party unseated the PRI in San Luis Potosi state and held the governorship in central Queretaro state.

"I think the government and President Fox have to listen to this message, this warning, this signal from the voters," said Jorge Castaneda, who resigned earlier this year from his post as Fox's foreign relations secretary.

Perhaps a better question is whether the opposition parties — long known for their populism and partisan quarreling, and already eager to field potential presidential candidates in 2006 — will listen to Fox.

## EU trade ministers urge U.S., others to make concessions

PALERMO, Sicily (AP) — European Union trade officials are urging the United States, Canada and Australia to match EU cuts in subsidies to farmers in an effort to revive world trade talks.

The call came Sunday during a conference of EU trade ministers, hosted by Italian Deputy Trade Minister Adolfo Urso, aimed at boosting efforts to secure a free trade deal between the 10 Mediterranean countries and the EU by 2010. The conference ends Monday.

On June 26, EU farm ministers agreed to radically overhaul the way it subsidizes

farmers, slashing incentives for them to produce more than Europe can consume or sell abroad.

The EU trade commissioner, Pascal Lamy, said Sunday it was now up to Washington and others to follow Europe's lead by cutting farm subsidies to enhance global agricultural trade.

"Up to now we were rather on the defensive, but now we can take an offensive stance," Lamy told reporters. "We will try and get from other big agricultural partners ... the same disciplines we are ready to commit to. First and

foremost from the United States."

Urso, the Italian deputy trade minister, said the EU now had a good hand to play during the September meeting of the World Trade Organization in Cancun, Mexico.

"The ... reform permits the EU to put all its cards in order to confront the next round of negotiations," Urso said.

Lamy said the reforms gave the EU "added credit" and "an appreciable margin of maneuver" going into the world trade meeting, and said the United States, Canada and Australia were now "under pressure" to cut their farm subsidy programs as well.

## National Bank of Commerce



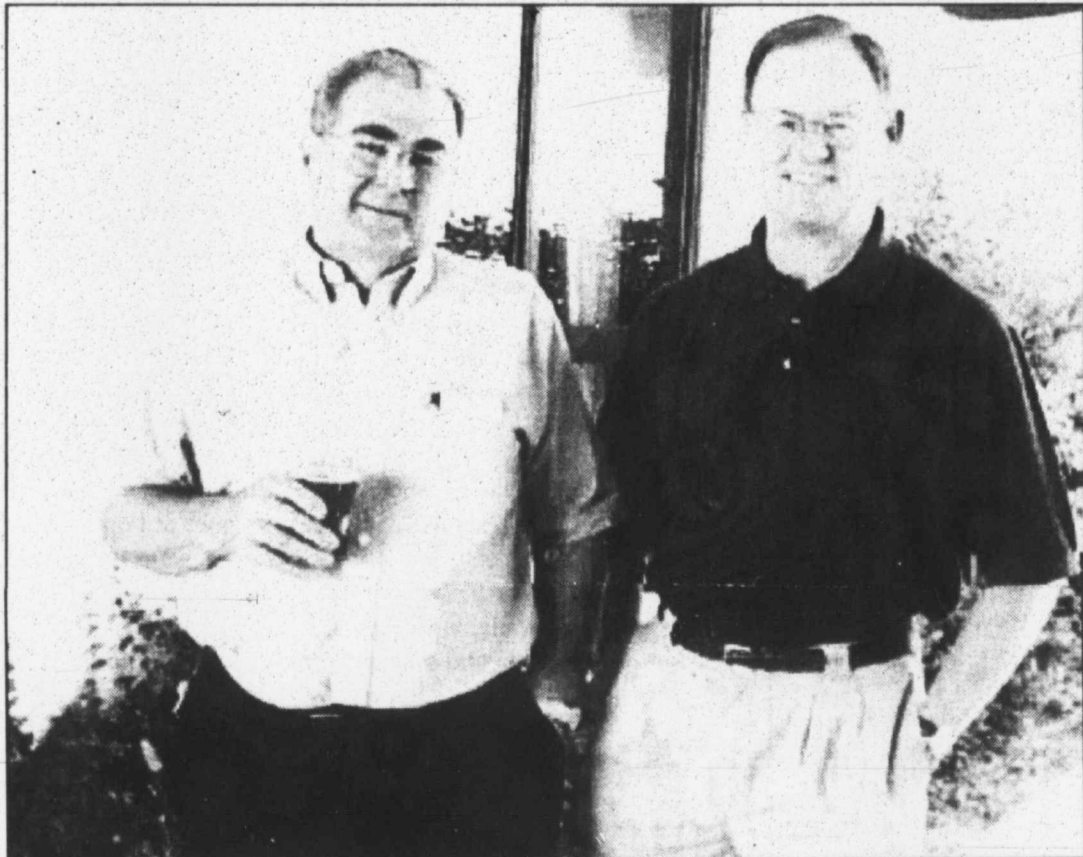
(Pampa News photo by ReDonn Woods)

National Bank of Commerce recently celebrated its 20th anniversary in style with food and fun.



(Pampa News photo by ReDonn Woods)

Caylee Steward and Maryoln Topper with mom, Lanisa Steward, bookkeeper at National Bank of Commerce, at a recent gala commemorating the bank's 20th anniversary.



(Pampa News photo by ReDonn Woods)

Jerry Foote, right, vice president of Pampa's National Bank of Commerce, visited with customer Jack McAndrews recently during an observance of the bank's 20th anniversary.



(Pampa News photo by ReDonn Woods)

Customers and friends gathered recently for the 20th anniversary of National Bank of Commerce in Pampa.



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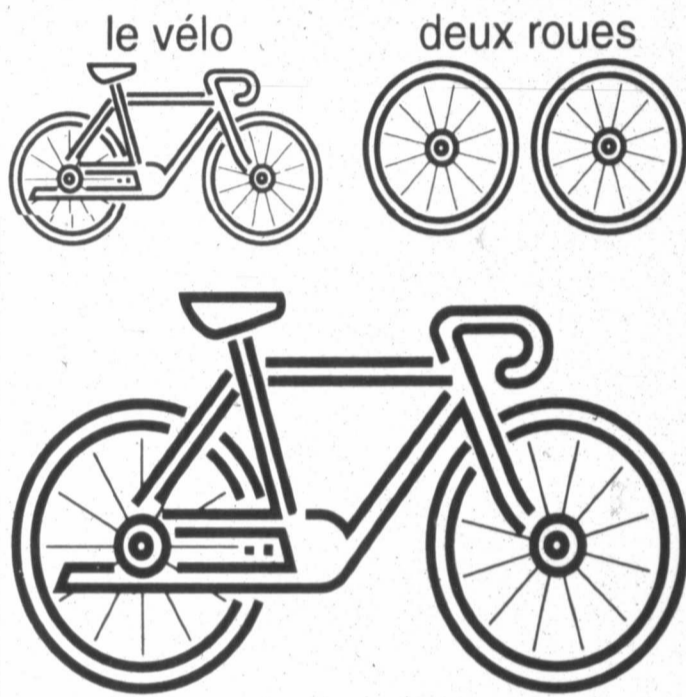
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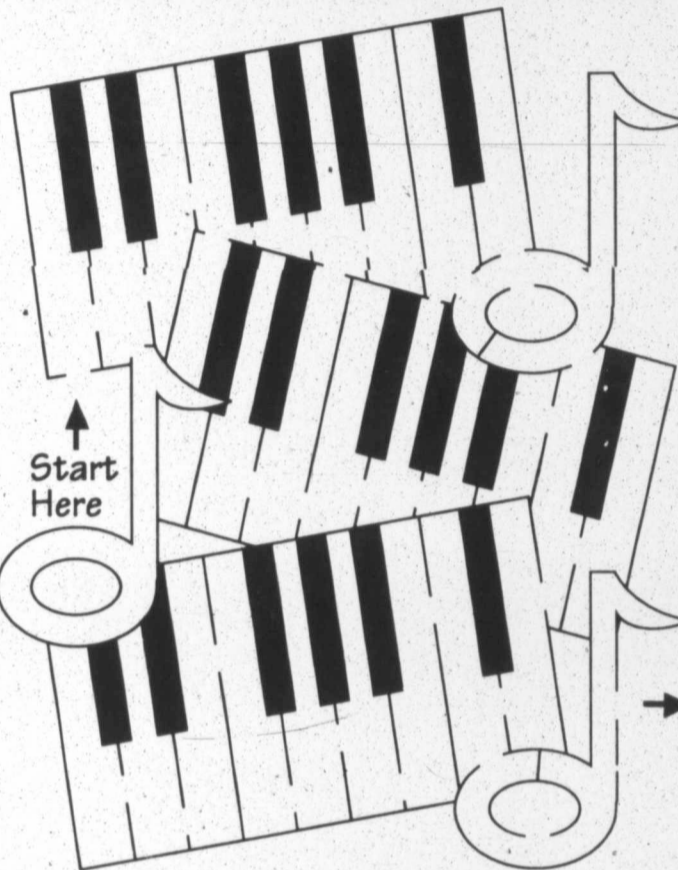
# Jazz Jiddling

## Learn Some French



The bike has two wheels.  
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## MAZE



## AN AFRICAN-AMERICAN AUTHOR



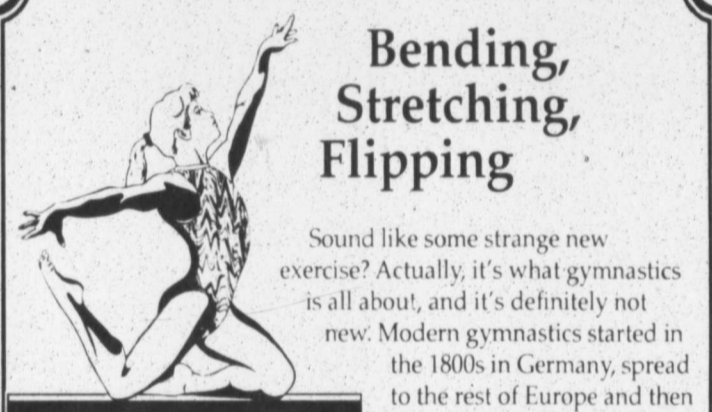
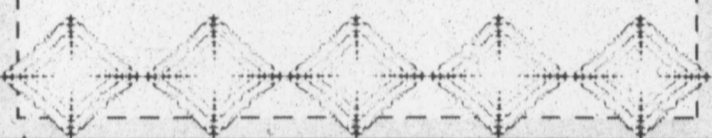
On August 2, 1924, James Baldwin was born in the Harlem section of New York City to a minister. He was the oldest of nine children. Baldwin attended Frederick Douglass Junior High School, where he learned that there was life beyond Harlem.

His first career was to follow in his father's footsteps when he became the minister of a small evangelical church in Harlem when he was 14. After graduating from high school, he worked at different jobs.

Then Baldwin tried his hand at writing. His first novel, *Go Tell It On The Mountain*, was published in 1953. It was based partly on his youth and helped established him as a writer.

The African-American author became an important literary voice during the civil rights era of the 1950s and 1960s. His plays, short stories and novels made him a leading literary figure in the American civil rights movement.

Baldwin dealt with American racism in his collection of short stories *Going To Meet The Man* (1965) and his novel *Tell Me How Long The Train's Been Gone* (1968). He lived much of his life in France, where he died in December 1987.



## Bending, Stretching, Flipping

Sound like some strange new exercise? Actually, it's what gymnastics is all about, and it's definitely not new. Modern gymnastics started in the 1800s in Germany, spread to the rest of Europe and then to the United States.

The first big competition between gymnasts was the 1896 Olympics, and Germany won most of the events. Gymnasts from five countries competed in men's events. The first women's gymnastic event came in the 1928 Olympics, and the U.S. women didn't compete until the 1936 Olympics.

Gymnastics competitions have changed quite a bit. Today, men's competition includes:

- Floor Exercise:** Tumbling, twisting and flipping routines from 50 to 70 seconds long on a 40-foot-square exercise mat.
- Pommel Horse:** The gymnast covers the middle and ends of the almost 4-foot horse with continuous circular movements.
- Parallel Bars:** The bars stand more than 6 feet tall and are about 1.5 feet apart. The routine consists of swinging from the bars with a combination of moves and hand positions.

The men's competition also includes the still rings, vault and horizontal bar.

In addition to the vault and floor exercise, women's competition includes:

- Balance Beam:** The routine lasts 70 to 90 seconds on the beam, which is about 4 feet high and 4 inches wide.
- Uneven Bars:** With the small bar about 5 feet high and the tall bar more than 7 feet high, the routine must flow between the bars with grip changes, flight elements, circle swings and handstands.

## HIDDEN PICTURE



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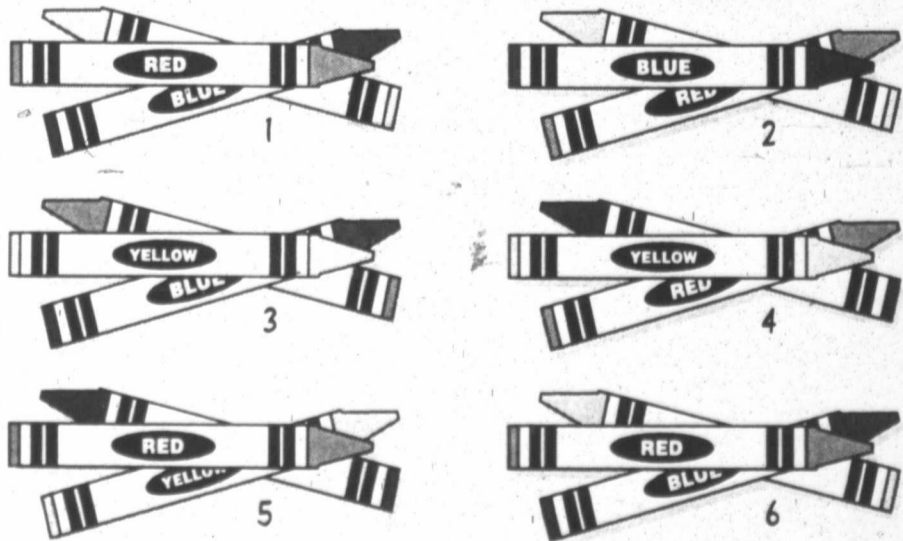
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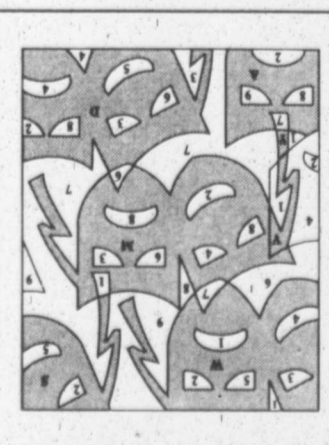
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## FIND THE TWINS

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