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### LOCAL

### Pampa Board of Realtors® to meet

Pampa Board of Realtors®, Inc., will begin its monthly luncheons in September at Pampa Country Club. The upcoming luncheon will get under way at 11:45 a.m., Tuesday, Sept. 9. Cost is \$10 per person.

The keynote speaker will be Gary Meador of Extraco Mortgage in Amarillo.

The monthly functions are scheduled the first Tuesday of each month September through May at Pampa Country Club. All reservations should be made through the board office by calling 669-1811; however, to RSVP for the September luncheon, call Quentin-Williams Realtors at 669-2522.

### DEATHS

Bobbie Rose Chavarria, 17, student.

Juanita D. Fisher, homemaker

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# **Uphill battle**

# U.S. faces challenges enlisting other countries' help with Iraq

ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER

Annan warned Friday that the ing in," he said. Security Council would be responsibility.

troops to forces in Iraq faces everybody. an uphill struggle in a Security Council still bitterly divided broadening the U.N. mandate over Washington's decision to in Iraq would be the focus of launch a war without U.N. upcoming, closed-door counapproval.

United Nations was not con-tial troop contributing counsidering sending a peacekeep- tries, Straw and Annan said. ing force to Iraq. But "the

By EDITH M. LEDERER council may decide to transform the operation into a U.N.-mandated multinational UNITED NATIONS (AP) force operating on the ground Secretary-General Kofi with other governments com-

That would "imply not just unlikely .. support a new res- burden-sharing but also sharolution for sending more ing decision and responsibilitroops to Iraq if the U.S.-led ty," Annan said after meeting coalition doesn't agree to with British Foreign Secretary share decision-making and Jack Straw. "If that doesn't happen, I think it's going to be The U.S. campaign to get very difficult to get a second more countries to contribute resolution that will satisfy

Building consensus on cil sessions, discussions in Annan reiterated that the capitals, and input from poten-

(See UPHILL, Page 3)

# Wood gatherers



(Courtesy photo)

Pampa High School students Jake Hopkins, left, and Zach Hucks, collect wood scraps for the Carpenter Ants booth at Chautauqua, Labor Day, Sept. 1, in Central Park. Children can create a wood design with the scraps, a make-and-take item. Art activities for children at the Pampa Fine Arts art tent include stamp art by Ruth Barrett, beaded items by the Salvation Army, 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., sculpting by Mimi Gross, 9-11 a.m. Story telling takes place under the tree by Lovett Library staff members and story telling at the Indian tent by Black Bear at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m.

# Meredith unlikely to get N.M. water soon

ever been, and no help will be coming if good rains don't come soon, he said. from New Mexico, which is under conadequate supply.

it's been dry there also, the Amarillo acre-feet of incidental water in some Mexico released water to Lake lake, CRMWA will reduce deliveries Globe-News reported in its Friday edi-smaller resengeirs. An acre foot is Meredith. At that time, water was by 10 percent to its member cities. In

Until the current dry spell, the deep. record low level for Lake Meredith

level in Lake Meredith on Thursday in terms on water inflow. A drought is about 10 feet below the spillway, rains in the watershed." dropped to 62.9 feet, the lowest it's contingency plan will be put into effect. Murray said.

tract to release water from Lake Ute between New Mexico, Oklahoma and near Logan, N.M., whenever it has Texas, the state of New Mexico must use, but is now being used for recre-northern edge, Satterwhite said. release water whenever it has 200,000 ation Kent Terry, Ute Dam caretaker, said acre-feet of water, minus about 6,500

Doug Murray, interstate Stream Canadian River Municipal Water 176,089 acre-feet of water. The man-levels at Meredith. Authority, said the past two years have—dated release level is approximately 5

AMARILLO (AP) — The water been the worst ever for Lake Meredith feet below spillway level and the lake right spots," he said. "We need intense

Under the Canadian River Compact for irrigation or drinking water, Terry Tucumcari, N.M., on the south and said. The lake was built for municipal Dalhart to south of Dumas on the

enough to flood an acre of land a foot released for about a month and a half at the second phase, less than a two-year a rate of 325 cubic feet per second.

Satterwhite said he doesn't think the third, 1-year supply, 20 percent. vas 63.36 feet, achieved in May 1981. Commission project manager in Santa lack of release from New Mexico has Kent Satterwhite, manager of the Fe, N.M., said Ute Lake has only been significant in the declining water years over and over again, we would

"There just hasn't been rain in the

The Lake Meredith watershed is No draws are made from Ute Lake basically outlined by Interstate 40 to

If projections indicates there is less Not since March 2000 has New than a three-year supply of water in the supply, the reduction is 15 percent, and

> go to zero supply in three years," (See MEREDITH, Page 3)

# Shady rest



(Pampa News photo by Skyla Bryant)

One of Pampa's historic landmarks, The Pioneer Cottage, formerly located at Somerville and Yeager streets, waits to be settled into its new home in the under the shade in the park beside the train station at Atchison and Cuyle streets.. The old homestead was moved to the new site to be more accessible to public's view.

# Reference to God common in U.S.A.

WASHINGTON (AP) — American traditions — a kind Americans pledge allegiance of cultural deity — like a presto "one nation under God." ident taking office with the U.S. currency says "In God oath, "So help me God." We Trust." Congress opens each day's work with a prayer. Christian icons in town including this recent exalta- squares, President Bush's turn tion: "Blessed is the nation to religious charities for social whose God is Lord."

in public lives starts off each church and state. session with, "God save the United States and this honor- engage in that debate do so able court," and displays a after a prayerful beginning to frieze that includes a depiction their day. A recent prayer in of Moses as the lawgiver, the Senate asked, "Fill our holding tablets with the Ten God-shaped void with Your Commandments.

Whatever the outcome of to cease." the battle over the Ten Commandments monument in House, members bowed their the Alabama state Judicial heads to the plea that "You, Building, religious symbols Lord, will lead, guide and and words will continue to be direct them in their affairs." embedded in the government, places.

widely accepted as part of

Others — school prayer,

services — bring on pitched Even the high court that legal battles or at least a feisty decides how much God can be debate over the separation of

Members of Congress who presence and bid our striving On the same day in the

Around the country, state the courts and other public courthouses are decorated with religious art — although God is in the details — nothing quite like the 5,300even the grand designs — of pound granite monument the republic. Some of the which made its debut in expressions of religion are Alabama about two years ago (See REFERENCE, Page 3)

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### **BOBBIE ROSE CHAVARRIA** 1986-2003

CEDAR CITY, Utah — Bobbie Rose Chavarria. Chavarria, 17, died Wednesday, Aug. 20, 2003, at Amarillo. Services are pending under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral

Directors of Pampa. Bobbie Rose was born Jan. 11, 1986, at Pampa where she attended Baker Elementary School prior to moving to Cedar City in 1991.A student at Canyon View High School, she was active member of the school band, photography club and yearbook committee.

She was preceded in death by two brothers, Joseph Robert Chavarria in 1989 and Alex Chavarria in 2000.

Survivors include her father, Robert Chavarria C Pampa; her mother, Rose Castillo of Cedar City; four sisters, Olivia Matthis of Lake Charles, La., Crystal Medina of Castroville, Amandaa Chavarria and Amber

three brothers, Robert Chavarria, Jr., Joe Chavarria Detroit, Mich., Ruben and Castillo Cedar City;

and her maternal grandmother, Hortensia Vasquez of Pampa.

The family requests memorials be to Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, 6931 Arlington Rd., Bethesda, MD 20814.

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

Pampa Police Department today reported the following arrests and incidents.

**POLICE** 

### Thursday, Aug. 21

Drug paraphernalia was found in the front yard of a residence in the 1800 block of North Nelson.

Burglary of a motor vehicle was reported in the 2000 block of Hamilton. Taken from the vehicle were the following: \$10 in change, a CD case and 20 CDs. The CD case and CDs were found across the street.

Toni Brown, 48, 1037 Varnon Dr., was arrested on two capias pro fines and 10 municipal warrants. She was released on personal recognizance bonds and releases to appear in court later.

Someone took a pocket knife, check book and change, unknown value, from an unlocked vehicle in the 1900 block of North Russell on Aug. 20.

Two vehicles, one locked and one unlocked, were burglarized in the 2000 block of North Russell. Taken were two electric screwdrivers, a recess tip, prescription sunglasses, check book, carton of cigarettes, \$30 cash, air compressor, two paint spray guns, jumper cables, and a glass cutting tool, total value of \$825.

A wallet containing two bottles of perfume and fingernail clippers was found in the 2100 block of Williston.

Forgery was reported at Albertson's, 1233 N. Hobart.

A brass stencil set, valued at \$385, was reported stolen in the 700 block of Malone.

Criminal trespass was reported at United, 1420 N. Hobart.

Unauthorized use of a motor vehicle was reported in the 700 block of Deane Drive.

### Friday, Aug. 22

Violation of a protective order was reported in the 1900 block of West Alcock. One person was arrested at the scene.

Zachary Cole Mitchell, 22, 932 S. Wells was arrested on capias pro fines for color lights on front or back of vehicle and failure to appear.

Jerad Jerome Matlock, 19, 709 N. Christy. was arrested for violating a protective order.

Michael Lee Dittberner, 21, 2600 N. Hobart D-2, was arrested on a violation of probation for evading arrest and possession of a controlled substance over one gram and under four grams.

### FIRE

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

### Thursday, Aug. 21

10:31 a.m. – Two units and six firefighters responded to a false alarm in the 1500 block of West Kentucky.

2:04 p.m. - One unit and three firefighters responded to a report of gas odor in the 300 block of South Starkweather. The odor was gone on arrival.

3:41 p.m. – One unit and two firefighters responded to a vehicle fire south of Loop 171 on Texas 273. The vehicle was fully involved when firefighters arrived. Firefighters extinguished the fire and a small grass fire. No further details were listed on the report.

3:59 p.m. – Two units and five firefighters responded to a false alarm in the 1300 block of West Kentucky.

5:02 p.m. - One unit and two firefighters cleaned up antifreeze that had spilled from a police department vehicle in the 200 block of West Kingsmill.

6:03 p.m. - Four units and eight firefighters responded to a structure fire in the 300 block of Sunset. A smoldering blown fuse had filled the attic with smoke, according to the report

### **AMBULANCE**

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

### ' Thursday, Aug. 21

12:28 p.m. – A mobile ICU responded to the 100 block of North Faulkner on a call for lifting assistance.

2:01 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 600 block of North Banks and transported a patient to Pampa Regional Medical Center.

### Friday, Aug. 22

12:12 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 800 block of North Nelson. No transport. 4:04 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 500 block of Red Deer and transported a patient to PRMC.

5:21 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 400 block of Yeager. No transport.

### SHERIFF

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

### Thursday, Aug. 21

Wayneta Britton, 45, 328 Canadian, was arrested for forgery of a financial instrument. Bonita Miller, 44, 1001 S. Farley, was arrested on a Kerr County warrant for driving while intoxicated - third offense.

Zachary Guthrie, 20, RR 1, Box 150-V. was arrested on a violation of probation for driving while intoxicated.

Dean Alderete, 41, McLean, was arrested for public intoxication.

### **STOCKS**

The following grain quota	ations are	KMI53	3.73	-0.27
provided by Attebury (		XCEL14	1.39	-0.05
Pampa.		Kerr McGee43	3.03	+0.11
Wheat	3 34	Limited16	6.80	+0.18
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Corn		MCD23	2.28	-0.22
Soybeans		XOM36	97	-0.08
Noyte and	3.10	Atmos 24	1.32	-0.35
		Pioneer Nat25	5.90	-0.05
The following 9:30 a.	m. N.Y.	JCP19	9.88	-0.24
Stock Market quotation		COP54	1.71	-0.12
furnished by Edward J	ones &	SLB49	0.07	-0.18
Co. of Pampa		Tenneco 5	.65	+0.02
OXY	-0.13	CVX	2.64	-0.14
BP	-0.32	Wal-Mart59	0.09	-0.10
Celanese31.45	+1.05	OKE20	).66	-0.11
Cabot Corp26.80	-0.04	NS Grp 7	.95	-0.10
Cabot Oil Gas 27.20	-0.27			
Coca Cola43.97	+0.36			
VLO39.48	-0.41			
HAL 23.56	-0.27	New York Gold	3	60.75
Triad31.21	-0.19	Silver		4.94
NOI 19.54	-0.40	West Texas Crude.		31.76

# Claudette losses total \$90 million

AUSTIN (AP) — Hurricane Claudette caused an estimated \$90 million in insured losses, the Insurance Council of Texas announced.

Claudette hit the middle Texas coast on July 15, causing two deaths and property and crop damage when it came ashore near Port Lavaca. Rain and wind associated with the hurricane also took a toll on counties more than 100 miles inland.

Claudette is just ahead of Hurricane Carla, which hit near Port O'Connor in 1961, in terms of dollar losses, according to a news released from the council.

Heavy rainfall on the northern edge of Claudette caused flooding and major erosion in portions of Galveston and Brazoria Counties. Heavy winds struck Matagorda, Port O'Connor and Port Lavaca inland to Victoria. Approximately half of the claims reported to insurance companies occurred in Victoria County.

The Insurance Council of Texas is the largest insurance trade association in the state, consisting of more than 400 property and casualty insurers writing business in Texas.

### JUANITA BLANCHE WRIGHT 1925-2003

PORTALES, N.M. — Juanita Blanche Wright, 77, died Tuesday, Aug. 19, 2003, at Roosevelt General Hospital in Portales. Memorial services were to be at 10 a.m., today in Wheeler Mortuary Chapel with the Rev. Dick Ross officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Wheeler Mortuary of Portales,

Mobeetie, to James Willard and Nona Belle Lea. She moved to Mexico with her family as a teen and attended school at the old Portales Junior High School. She married Johnny Martin Creed Wright in 1947 at Clovis, N.M.; he died in 1977. They made their home in

Mrs. Wright was born Nov. 13, 1925, at

House, N.M.

1941-2003

Juanita D. Fisher, 61, of Pampa, Texas, died Friday, Aug. 22, 2003, at Amarillo, Texas. Services are pending with Carmichael-Whatley

Mrs. Fisher was born Dec. 6, 1941, in Pampa, where she had been a resident most of her life. She was a 1960 graduate of Lefors High School. She married Charles G. Fisher on June 24, 1960, in Pampa. He preceded her in death on Nov. 15,

She was a member of the Calvary Assembly

Survivors include three sons, Andy Fisher and www.carmichael-whatley.com.

ing ripple-stitch afghans and made virtually hundreds in her lifetime. Mrs. Wright returned to Portales after her She was also preceded in death by her par-

She was a homemaker and a child care

provider for many years. She enjoyed crochet-

husband's death.

ents; three brothers, Vernon, Isaac and Kenneth Lea; and an infant son.

Survivors include a daughter, Caryol Wright of Portales; a brother, Emery Lea of Albuquerque, N.M.; a granddaughter, Lanona Kobernick of Pampa; and two great-grandchil-

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be to the Humane Society.

### **JUANITA D. FISHER**

Funeral Directors.

wife Jennifer of Enterprise, Ala., Tim Fisher and wife Heather and Bryan and wife Lisa, all of Pampa; seven grandchildren, Brandon Fisher, Alicia Fisher, Chloe Fisher, Micheal Fisher, Drake Fisher, Ryver Nunn and McKinley Nunn; a sister, Georgie-Jean Melson of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; and two brothers, R.J. Wooten of Lake Jackson and Wesley Wooten of Houston. She was preceded in death by a sister, Oma-Lee Laughlin.

The family requests memorials be to BSA Hospice, P.O. Box 950, Amarillo, TX 79176.

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# City Briefs

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PAMPA COUNTRY Club Buffet, Sun., Aug. 24th, open to public. Entrees are Prime Rib & Medallions of Beef.

Feed & Garden, 516 S. Russell

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WATERMELONS, RED RED BARN Sale, loveseat, or yellow, new crop sweet kitchenware, cantaloupes. Foster Str. Farm-

WELLNESS SEMINAR, Special speaker David Koontz, sharing new scientific technology. Free lunch to those attending. Lovett Library meeting room, Sat. Aug. 23rd, 10 a.m.-12 noon. SHERWIN WILLIAMS For questions call Debra at 669-3317 or 848-2183.

WE'RE HOT & tired of SUMMER SALE contin- watering. All plants 50% off. ues! Great bargains for Back Lazy S Feed & Garden, 516 S. Russell.

# WEATHER FOCUS

### **PAMPA**

The forecast today is calling for partly cloudy to clear skies in the afternoon, highs in the upper 90s and southeast winds 5 to 10 mph. Tonight should see mostly clear skies with a 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms, lows around 70 and south winds 5 to 15 mph. Saturday should be mostly sunny. Highs in the upper 90s. Southeast winds around 10 mph. Saturday night, mostly clear. Lows around 70. South winds 5 to 15 mph. Sunday, mostly sunny. Highs in the upper 90s. Southwest winds 5 to 10 mph shifting to the southeast 5 to 15 mph in the afternoon. Sunday night, mostly clear. Lows in the upper 60s. Monday, mostly sunny.

Highs in the upper 90s. Monday night, partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the upper 60s. Tuesday, partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Highs in the upper 80s. Tuesday night, partly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the lower 60s. Wednesday, partly cloudy. A 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms in the morning. Highs around 90. Wednesday night, mostly clear. Lows in the upper 50s. Thursday, mostly sunny in the morning then becoming partly cloudy. Highs around 90.

### **STATEWIDE**

the north, mid 90s in the South

Plains, and low to mid 90s else-

where. The north will remain hot

through early next week, but

western and southern West

Texas will see some relief this

and low 90s.

Hot temperatures will continue over the state this weekend, with chances of isolated rain.

Isolated and scattered afternoon storms are forecast in South Texas, with brief heavy downpours possible. In North Texas, isolated storms over the next few days may be accompanied by strong winds and large

On Thursday, Southeast Texas saw some heavy rain, with about two inches in Houston and College Station. Wichita Falls led the state with 102 degrees. will be partly cloudy. A cool In West Texas, the heat will front may bring some relief to continue today, with upper 90s in the Panhandle Tuesday.

In South Texas, the current heat levels will continue through early next week, with afternoon rain possible throughout the region. The seabreeze-generated showers and storms should end around sunset each day.

weekend: highs in the upper 80s These systems will be slow-Daily chances of isolated rain moving, with potential for brief will continue over the region, heavy rains. Inland highs will with less chances of rain in the continue in the low and mid 90s. Skies will be partly cloudy. north than in other areas. Skies

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Powell on no mention of mandate, inste that the Unite intention of re itary authority

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# Power company: Lines carried above-normal load

massive amounts of power "well above" emergency summer FirstEnergy lines. standards, a company that owns the lines said Friday.

lines with FirstEnergy Corp., the information with a timeline, but didn't offer any con-

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Satterwhite said.

Satterwhite said.

BATTLE

least 100.

Annan also said a U.N.

team was en route to Baghdad

to review security after the

truck bombing of U.N. head-

quarters Tuesday that killed at

least 23 people and injured at

ing positions may be different,

it is possible to reach a strong

consensus," the British for-

Key objections to a resolu-

have

been

tion for sending more troops

Washington's insistence on

retaining command of all mil-

itary activity in Iraq, and its apparent refusal so far to

broaden the U.N. mandate calling for the world body to

supply humanitarian aid and

help rebuild the war-ravaged

Annan said his discussions

Secretary of State Colin

focused on letting other coun-

tries participate in economic,

political and security areas in

Straw spoke of searching

for ways "in which the inter-

national community can come

together to strengthen the

mandate of the United

Nations and the role which the

international community is

no mention of a broader U.N.

mandate, instead making clear that the United States has no

intention of relinquishing mil-

Since the war to oust

Saddam Hussein, U.S. troops have come under constant

guerrilla attack. The massive

bomb at U.N. headquarters in

Baghdad added to the security

woes of the U.S.-British occu-

for a new U.N. resolution on

Thursday, calling on member

states "to do more" to help

Iraq. U.S. Ambassador John

Negroponte said later that

Washington wants the resolu-

tion to encourage countries to provide troops, money and

France, which led opposi-

tion to the war in Iraq, said

that if the United States

wants countries to share the military burden of restoring

peace to the country, it must

share "information and

increase in acts of terrorism

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U.N. ambassador Michel

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military leaders met Friday to

consider a U.S. request to

deploy thousands of Turkish

soldiers in Iraq — a move that

could make this predominant-

ly Muslim country the third-

largest foreign country in Iraq

after the United States and

Abdullah Gul told the news-

paper Milliyet that Turkey

could send peacekeepers to

Iraq, but he stressed that sol-

diers would go to help rebuild

the neighboring country and

"definitely will not be occu-

determination to succeed in

Iraq and insisted U.S. leadership provides "competent

control" of the coalition force. He stressed that the U.S.-led

force in Iraq is multinational

already, with 30 nations pro-

11,000 of them from close ally

language and a new resolution

might encourage others," he

Germany have ruled out send-

ing soldiers to Iraq unless a

multinational force is author-

ized by the United Nations.

Without U.S. agreement to

cede some control to the

world body, diplomats said

the possibility of a robust

international force appeared

unlikely to attract much new

France and many countries

say they've agreed that they

want a greater U.N. role in

Russia's

France, Russia, India and

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viding 22,000 troops

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support.

Powell reaffirmed the U.S.

Turkish Foreign Minister

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"In October, there's a chance we will go to drought mode.

We have a proposed plan in place. It's going to be close, and it

kind of just depends on how conservative the cities want to be,"

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COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) 14,000 of its customers lost Cleveland's water supply off American Electric Reliability much higher than its summer

Investigators have pointed al transmission lines in Ohio "abnormal operating condi- to three transmission lines carrying power flows well owned by FirstEnergy in connected — from linked northern Ohio that shut down sible cause of the blackout.

> co-owns with FirstEnergy that weekend by the North 2,000

Council.

"A number of the lines were above the summer emergency rating for the lines because of Thursday afternoon as the pos- the massive amounts of power AEP said its first failure system," AEP said in a news

Canton comes from a Canton substa- Cloverdale line, for example, by the U.S. and Canadian govtion. AEP said the line was had a summer emergency rat- ernments, which took over the "abnormal" for 58 seconds. ing of 197 megavolt-amperes, probe last week. That was more than two hours' but was carrying 332 'megaafter a FirstEnergy plant went volt-amperes when it tripped, blackout, federal regulators black in Eastlake, according to the company said. The East- were keeping close tabs on the another timeline released last Lima-Fostoria line tripped at way power in managed in the megavolt-amperes, Midwest.

emergency rating of 1,383, AEP said.

The blackout peaked across the Midwest and Northeast at 4:11 p.m.

The company said it was being drawn north from AEP's providing the data to the North American Electric Reliability Council (NERC), which is Center- helping in the investigation led

Even before last week's

### Computer virus fighters warn of **Internet threat**

NEW YORK (AP) - A fastspreading computer virus already blamed for slowing or shutting down e-mail systems worldwide was programmed to coordinate a new type of attack, antivirus experts said Friday.

Instructions written into the "Sobig" virus, which began appearing Tuesday, call for infected machines running Microsoft Windows to try to download a program of unknown function as early as 3 p.m. Friday.

Experts suggested users clean their computers with antivirus software or turn off machines if they can't run the disinfecting programs. Users with firewall programs could also block UDP port 8998, the Internet opening the virus uses to communicate.

The attack was expected to end at 6 p.m., though the virus is programmed to try again every Friday and Sunday between 3 p.m. and 6 p.m.

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and reignited the debate over when God is welcome in public places.

Alabama's associate Supreme justices Court ordered the Commandments monument removed from the rotunda of the state judicial building Thursday, despite Chief Justice Roy Moore's fiery defense of the granite marker. The U.S. Supreme Court has said it would not stay the removal, and Moore has promised he would appeal.

There has been some allowance for references to God in older symbols of the nation.

"Over the last 200 years, our conception of what's appropriate separation has changed," says David Campbell, who teaches political science at the University

of Notre Dame. These are just take the money." mere "vestiges" of a past when religion and government were more entangled.

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While God is in many places, in courtrooms it's a very delicate matter, says John Langan, professor of at Georgetown University.

"People feel very vulnerable there," he said. "They need reassurance they won't be discriminated against and that their values will be taken seriously."

don't consider religious words or signs on currency a real threat.

"You buy the same things with the money whether it has the same message or don't have to worry about it. No one is going to ask you if you're Protestant, Catholic, Jewish or Muslim. They'll

Even so, religious references on money are rare outside of fundamentalist Islamic states such as Saudi Arabia which says on one of its bills: "There is no God but God, and Muhammad is his prophet."

America's Declaration of Independence in 1776 presupposed that people believed in a divinity. "We hold these truths to be selfevident, that all men are created equal, that they are But Langan says, people endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights ..."

But the Constitution which followed says nothing about religion except to guarantee its free exercise and its not," Langan says. "You only reference to a higher power was a much used expression. "Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty seven.

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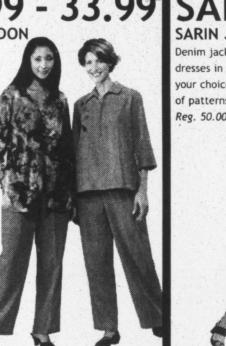
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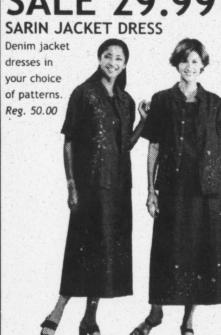
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Iraq. "That's the easy part," U.N. Ambassador Sergey Lavrov. "How is the more interesting U.N.

and difficult question." Pakistan's Ambassador Munir Akram said Thursday's briefing "started the ball rolling" on a new resolution.

"Everybody wants to help in stabilization," he said, "but it's a question of how we get that additional stabilization" - whether through the coalition force or additional forces."

Spain's U.N. Ambassador Inocencio Arias insisted the United States was interested in giving "a broader mandate" to the United Nations.

"The administration has the baton to conduct the orchestra, but they want to give the violins a bigger role than before," Arias said.

If Powell could win support from Annan and show flexibility on the concerns of key council members, he might be able to convince the White House and Pentagon that there are ways to maintain U.S. control while giving the international community a bigger role in Iraq.

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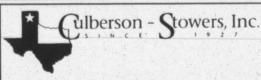




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# Hobart Baptist celebrates 50th

Anniversary Homecoming Celebration" members of the church. the week of Aug. 29-31.

Among the scheduled events and activities commemorating this anniversary celebration is an evening worship service at 7 p.m., Friday, with former pastor Harold Hook followed at 8 p.m., by an ice cream fellowship in the church courtyard.

At 6 p.m., Saturday, an evening worship service with Lewis Ellis is on tap followed at 7 p.m., by a "Sandwich, Chips and Dips Fellowship" in the courtyard. Sunday at 9:45 a.m., a joint youth and training union and worship services at church include the following: Curtiss adult Bible study will be held in the audi- Lamar Elementary School. torium of the church.

Jim Fox, former pastor, will preach during Sunday morning worship services and at 12 noon a catered lunch with Dyer's Bar-B-Que will be served at a cost of \$7 per adult and \$5 for children 3 through 9 years of age.

Hobart Baptist Church first began as a mission of First Baptist Church, Pampa, in August of 1946. A building and lots on Barrett. This site became known as always be true. Hobart Street Baptist Mission. The Rev. a seating capacity of 200, was built.

Hobart Baptist Church, 1100 W. who came for membership during the to worship Jesus. Crawford, is planning a "50th month of November 1953 became charter

Crawford was purchased. An educational building was built, and the sanctuary was moved from Hobart Street to the new

In 1956, a house at 1044 S. Sumner was purchased to become a church par- its contents have been made - its fellowsonage. Also in 1956, the educational was suffered. While repairs were under- along with steel siding. way, the church met for Sunday school,

In June of 1960, the present sanctuary was completed and dedicated. On Nov. 4, 1974, final payment on the church build-

After the completion of the new sanctuary, a church slogan was adopted,

A Spanish Baptist Mission was begun with the use of the old sanctuary. Later in On Nov. 8, 1953, with W.F. 1992, the old sanctuary building was sold Vanderburg as pastor, Hobart Street to the Spanish Mission, and they moved it tered throughout the world, the extent of Baptist Mission was organized into to Barnes Street, where it continues to the church's outreach and influence will Hobart Street Baptist Church. Everyone serve as a building for the Spanish people never be known.

During the years the church has purchased, used and sold an old church bus In 1954, a plot of land at 1100 W. and a 15-passenger church van. A 31-passenger people carrier was purchased and a garage was built to house it.

> In 2002, the parsonage was sold to Lewis and Tula Ellis.

Many updates both to the building and ship hall has been renovated and a statebuilding caught fire and heavy damage of-the-art sound system has been installed

Pastors of Hobart Baptist Mission and Brown, 1946-49; Vanderburg, 1949-54; L.E. Barrett, interim 1955, 1956-57; Claude Harris, 1955-56; John Dyer, 1957-64; A.G. Purvis, 1964-69; Ronald ing was made, making us debt free. Since Mooney, 1970-73; Dr. C. Gordon that time, there have been many additions Bayless, interim 1973-74; John Hansard, to both the church buildings and the par- 1974-77; William R. Lawrence, interim 1977-78; Lewis Ellis, 1978-79; Doug DuBose, interim 1979; Dennis Barton, 1979-81; Haskell Wilson, 1982-84; Jim "The end of your search for friendly Fox, 1984-94; J.C. Burt, interim 1994-96; Hobart Street were donated by Elmer church." The hope is that this will Harold Hook, 1996-99; and Jim Powell, 2000 to present.

During its 50 years of existence, many Curtiss Brown, a student minister, was the in 1990. Hobart Baptist Church helped people have been baptized at Hobart first pastor. In 1951, a new sanctuary, with support this mission both financially and Baptist, and many have joined by letter or

With former and current members scat-

# 'Holy Land' topic of special program

Glen Howard, missionary/teacher, will present "Jewish Roots of the Christian Faith and Israel Today" at 7 p.m., Tuesday, Aug. 26, in the Heritage Room of M.K. Brown

Pampa churches, including Lighthouse Covenant Fellowship and First Pentecostal Holiness, are combining their efforts in bringing this program here.

To help illustrate his presentation. Howard will bring with him a large map of the Holy Land to be spread on the floor of the Heritage Room. Seating arrangements will place participants around this 28' x 12' map. In an "interactive experience for people of all ages," participants will "walk the land of Israel," following the footsteps of Jesus, his disciples, Abraham, Isaac and Jacob.

Howard, a native of Oklahoma, has spent many years in the ministry. For the past 10 years, he served as founding pastor of International Church of Budapest, Hungary, and as president of Central European Bible Institute, a two-year Bible college.

He and wife Ellen arrived in Budapest just as the Communist "Iron Curtain" came down and witnessed the transition of Eastern Europe to a democratic government.

Prior to their ministry in Europe, Howard was director of Manila Bible Institute in the Philippines for six years. They experience the "people power" movement that saw the overthrow of dictator Ferdinand Marcos. During the couple's ministry in Manila, they were instrumental in establishing 17 new churches in the greater Manila area.

Howard has taken many trips to the Holy Land and has visited several Biblical sites in Turkey, Greece and the Middle East. He is church liaison for the International Christian Embassy Jerusaleum and has taught the Jewish Roots program in Europe and throughout the United States.

At present, Howard serves as associate pastor of First United Methodist Church in Oklahoma City and he continues to minister in Hungary and Eastern Europe.

The Howards have four children and 11 grandchildren.

# Has God's book been lost here?

Who lost God's book? Kind of a strange question to hear, huh? Well, once in Old Testament times, somebody lost God's book. Take a look with me at 2 Kings 22:8-13 and 2 Chronicles 34:14-21. These are two different accounts of the same story.

Here is the background. The nation of Israel split after Solomon died in about 930 BC. The 10 northern tribes began to be referred to as Israel and the 2 southern tribes we usually called Judah.

In about 640 BC, after 57 horribly wicked years under the rule of Mannasseh and old boy named Josiah on the throne. At age 16 he began to seek a deeper walk with the Lord. Then at age 20 he began to lead Judah back to Jehovah. cleaning" to rid Judah of the and shameful things/ways that had hidden God from His people. Then at age 26, he commanded that the temple of the Lord should be renovated and restored. During the work on the temple something incredible happened. Here is the Chronicles

"While they were bringing out the money that had been taken into the temple of the Lord, Hilkiah the priest found the Book of the Law of the Lord that had been given through Moses. 15 Hilkiah said to Shaphan the secretary, "I have found the Book of the Law in the temple of the Lord." He gave it to Shaphan. 16 Then Shaphan took the book to the king and reported to him:

"Your officials are doing everything that has been committed to them. 17 They have



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Micah, a Shaphan the secre- to them, it can happen to us er. God bless. He initiated a time of "house tary and Asaiah the king's too. Let me get nosy now. Where is God's book in your 21 "Go and inquire of the life? Oh, I don't mean in Lord for me and for the rem- which room you keep your nant in Israel and Judah about Bible. Where is God's book in what is written in this book your life? How often do you

read it? How often do you study it?

In this age of shallow discussion-oriented Sunday School classes that require no preparation of any kind, Bible study and scriptural knowledge are getting to be endangered species in many churches. If we are not careful, even though we have a Bible in every room, we can still be the one that loses God's book. And that will not only require What an incredible story. reading our Bible, but studyevery day to God's book.

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# CHURCH BRIEF

### Wednesday Youth Group begins Aug. 27

Hobart Baptist Church, 1100 W. Crawford, will sponsor a Wednesday Youth Group from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., starting Aug. 27. Entry will be through the west door entrance off the back parking lot. The group is open to youth in sixth through ninth grades. Food and different activities will be provided each week. For more information, contact Becky at 669-6186.

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# More than one in 10 adopted U.S. children born overseas

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WASHINGTON (AP) - Many American parents look abroad to adopt children because the process usually is faster to complete,

Nearly 13 percent, or 200,000, of the country's 1.6 million adopted children were born outside the United States, the Census Bureau found in its first report on adoptions. The largest number come from Korea.

By comparison, 4 percent of the 59.8 million children living with a biological parent, or roughly 2.3 million, were foreignborn, according to data from the 2000 census being released Friday. There also are 3.3 million stepchildren.

Some parents want to avoid the legal wrangling that may

arise if an adopted child's birth parents fight to reclaim custody, said Patricia A. Hill, executive director of ACTION Inc., an adoption agency in Dayton, Ohio, and mother of 20 adopted

"If they go international, they won't have that legal uncertainty," Hill said.

The number of immigrant visas issued by the State Department to orphans coming into the United States for adoption increased dramatically from 1990 to 2000 - from 7,000 to nearly 18,000.

More than one-fifth of all foreign-born children adopted came from Korea (47,555), followed by China (21,053), Russia (19,631), Mexico (18,021) and India (7,793).

Administrative delays and roadblocks in the U.S. foster care system also can make a prospective parent search overseas, said

Thomas Atwood, president of the National Council for Adoption in Alexandria, Va.

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Adopting from a foreign country through a well-organized program generally takes a year, Census Bureau analyst Rose Kreider wrote in the 24-page report. Adopting through the foster care system can take several years.

There are indications the domestic adoption process has improved since a 1997 federal law gave states more financial incentive to find quality homes faster for foster children, Atwood said.

Adopted children live in homes with higher median incomes than children living with a biological parent (\$56,000 versus \$48,000) and are more likely to live in homes that are owned (78 percent versus 67 percent). Only 12 percent of adopted children live in poverty compared with 16 percent of the other kids.

Experts say adopted parents generally must show they can adequately provide for a child. Private agencies charge on average \$10,000 for adoptions, though the cost can be as high as \$40,000, Hill said.

Among other findings in the report:

-Some 10 percent of adopted children have a mental disability, compared with 4 percent of the other kids.

-The average age of the parent of an adopted child is 43 compared with 38 for the biological parent of a child. Adopted parents who have trouble conceiving a child naturally often wait until later in life before turning to adoption.

—Girls were adopted more often than boys — 835,000 to 750,000. The report said one reason is that more single women adopt girls than boys.

The findings are from answers to a question that asked, "How is this person related to the head of household?" Besides son/daughter," other answers. "husband/wife," "natural-born son/daughter" "stepson/stepdaughter." The 1990 census did not separate "natural-born" and "adopted."

The new report examines only children living with an adoptive, biological or stepparent.

The Health and Human Services Department asked the bureau to add "adopted" as an option to keep better statistics of families.

On the Net:

Census Bureau: http://www.census.gov/

# New fed regs for local phone competition

WASHINGTON (AP) Consumer and industry groups promise to challenge just-issued rules for telephone and Internet competition that give states new powers over local markets and give the regional Bell companies new rights to protect their high-speed, broadband lines.

The rules issued Thursday in a 576-page report allowed states to continue requiring the Bells to lease parts of their phone networks to competitors at wholesale prices.

But it also allowed companies that install high-speed fiber optic lines to keep them off-limits to Internet rivals. Companies that run highspeed DSL service over existing copper wires must open them to other Internet service providers.

Companies providing telephone and Internet service gave the rules a mixed review.

"Together with regulators, we will work to remove the barriers that deter competition in the local phone market, and we will consider appropriate avenues to reverse the unfortunate decision restricting competition in the broadband marketplace," said Wayne Huyard, president of MCI Mass Markets.

The Consumer Federation of America, an advocacy group, said it would ask the FCC to reconsider its rules on high-speed Internet access.

"Why shouldn't consumers of 21st century communications get the same benefits from competition that millions of wireline consumers already enjoy?" Research Director Mark Cooper asked.

The local phone companies weren't happy with the FCC's decision to allow states to continue requiring them to lease part of their network at wholesale prices.

"It's unfair to Qwest customers that they continue to be forced to subsidize these giant corporations," Steve Davis, Communications's senior vice president of public policy.

The rules were the result of contentious 3-2 votes in February. Chairman Michael Powell was on the losing end in the vote on phone competition, the first time he has been in the minority since taking over the five-member panel in 2001.

"There are some important achievements in this order that have long been objectives of mine namely substantial broadband relief," Powell said. "Yet, regrettably, there are some fateful decisions as well that I believe represent poor policy and flout the law."

Commissioner Michael Copps, one of the two Democrats on the five-member FCC and part of the three-member majority on phone

competition, offered the opposite

"We preserve essential tools to foster voice competition," Copps said. "The bad news is this decision plays fast and loose with the country's broadband future. Consumers, innovation, entrepreneurs and the Internet itself are going to suffer."

The order gives states the right to continue requiring the former Bell companies to lease elements of their networks, such as lines and central office switching capabilities, to competitors at wholesale rates. To foster competition in residential service, companies such as AT&T and MCI enjoy low lease prices set by friendly state regulators.

In the face of evidence that competitors could provide their own switching, which routes calls from individual homes and businesses to the phone network, Powell would have phased out these low-cost leases in nine months.

But the final FCC order allows states to continue discounting switching leases, except when a market proves to be competitive by having either three competitors that provide their own equipment or two wholesalers that sell the service.

On the Net:

FCC: http://www.fcc.gov

# Arizona governor taking heat for gasoline shortage

PHOENIX (AP) — Long lines and higher prices at gas stations throughout the Phoenix area are shaping up as a major leadership test for Gov. Janet Napolitano.

The Democrat who took been in the spotlight since shortages emptied most Phoenix stations' tanks early in the week.

"This is an opportunity for the citizens to see how the governor operates in a crisis, and I think their judgment is in the results of how quickly we get this fixed," said state Treasurer David Petersen, a of questions."

While Napolitano said the pipeline company and distributors provided misleading information about the severity of the problem and failed to act on what they did know, critics pointed fingers at her.

enough to get enough gasoline to the pumps after a pipeline burst that normally carries a third of Phoenix's supply burst in Tucson. Some motorists voiced similar senti-

proactive," said George Harris, early in the week to get gas.

"They should have been working with the federal government expediting things," Harris said. "She should have used her political clout to make it happen,"

Even Napolitano's choice office eight months ago has of words - initially calling the shortage a "problem" but not a "crisis" while urging the public to refrain from hoarding - drew criticism.

"When lines are wrapped around the block, gas stations are closing and tempers are flaring, I call it a crisis," said state Sen. Dean Martin, a Republican. "'Don't worry, be happy' is Republican. "There are a lot not a good plan of action for an emergency."

The pipeline ruptured July 30 near Tucson due to what its operator called a defect. Houston-based Kinder Morgan Energy Partners shut down the line Aug. 8 because of safety concerns, and many GOP lawmakers said Phoenix area stations ran out Napolitano did not act soon of gas last weekend as worried motorists scurried to fill up their tanks.

Napolitano cut short an out-of-state trip to a national governors conference and; starting Monday, began holding daily news conferences. "I want to know why the She said industry officials had governor hasn't been more warned her office that some stations could lack gas but who waited nearly an hour said nothing about serious disruption of supply.

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# Airman's indictment garnering skepticism

MIAMI (AP) - Some Cuban-Americans questioned the timing of the murder indictment of a Cuban general and two pilots in the shooting down of two civilian planes in 1996, saying the charges smacked of political maneuvering by the Bush administration.

But U.S. Attorney Marcos Jimenez denied Thursday's indictment was politically motivated.

The indictment was filed seven years after four men were killed when their planes were shot down over the Florida straits by a Cuban MiG.

"That's not what we do. It's based solely on justice." Jimenez said.

He refused to say whether Washington played any role in the decision, saying he authorized presenting the case to a Miami grand jury.

"These charges should have come a long time ago," said Jose Preval Lafita, a Cuban journalist who came to Miami in the 1960s. "It's apparently time for President Bush to start his campaign."

A group of 13 Florida state legislators wrote Bush recently to say his steadfast support in the Cuban-American community could be in danger in the 2004 presidential elec-

The men — Gen. Ruben Martinez Puente and the MiG-29 crew, brothers Lorenzo Perez Perez and Francisco Perez Perez — are accused of attacking the unarmed planes operated by the Miami-based Brothers to the Rescue.

Charges include murder, destruction of aircraft and conspiracy and carry a possible death sentence. But the accused live in Cuba, and extradition is impossible since no diplomatic relations exist between Cuba and the United States.

Relatives of the four fliers killed in international airspace welcomed the indictment and said they hoped for an eventual prosecution, either by fluke arrests outside Cuba or the fall of Cuban President Fidel Castro.

# Calif. Congressional Dems favoring Cruz

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - California's congressional Democrats, seeking insurance against the odds of a Republican taking over the governor's office, are urging voters to oppose the recall - while asking them to vote Lt. Gov. Cruz Bustamante.

The unanimous move Thursday by the 33-member delegation was a formal acknowledgment they can't count on Gov. Gray Davis to survive the recall. Other core Davis supporters quickly followed suit — the California Teachers Association, for example, said it too would support the "no on recall, yes on Bustamante" campaign.

Bustamante welcomed the news about the delegation endorsement at a San Diego press conference.

"I think it's very significant. I think it shows institutional movement to make sure that we're going to be in a perfect position on either side and we're going to have a win-win situation," he said.

At a press conference in San Francisco, House Democratic leader Nancy Pelosi said she called the embattled Davis the night before to warn him of

their decision, which she called "an act of friendship."

"The lieutenant governor's name is on the ballot, and he is the legitimate successor in the case of a vacancy," Pelosi said. "So while we strongly and vocally oppose the recall, we urge a yes vote on Bustamante.'

Meanwhile, Davis continued to fight for his job, appearing in Los Angeles with Sen. Dianne Feinstein to press for a permanent federal ban on assault weapons and then holding a "town hall" style meeting in a San Francisco suburb, where he got standing ovations from a crowd of black business

Davis had sought to keep Democrats off the ballot. Once his lieutenant governor decided to run, Davis still hoped to keep Democrats united against the recall without throwing their support behind Bustamante. Aides sought to present the news in a positive light.

"We consider it a victory. We're all focused on the same goal, and that's defeating the recall. There's just different strategies out there about how to go about it," said Gabriel Sanchez, spokesman for Davis' campaign committee.

Even if they vote "no" on the recall Oct. 7, voters will still have the opportunity to choose a replacement candidate.

Pelosi said the delegation's should boost decision Democratic turnout, particularly among Hispanic voters "energized" by the prospect of electing a Hispanic governor.

Davis and Bustamante have a frosty relationship and rarely speak, but the governor appears to be coming around to their need to combine forces, even possibly campaigning together at some point. "It's entirely possible that we can find ways going forward to coordinate one another's activities," Davis said Wednesday.

A new poll showed 58 percent of likely voters would recall Davis if the vote were held today, while 36 percent would vote "no." If the Democratic governor is removed, 23 percent would replace him with actor Arnold Schwarzenegger and 18 percent with Bustamante. None of the other 133 candidates topped 5 percent in the Public Policy Institute of California poll, which had a margin of error of plus or minus 3 percentage

Sen. Barbara Boxer has

joined all the Democratic representatives in backing the Bustamante strategy.

Not Feinstein.

"I am not going to vote on the second part of the ballot. I am going to vote on the first part of the ballot and my vote is going to be to vote 'no' on the recall," the state's popular senior senator said.

The decision by the House members could increase pressure on Republicans to unite behind a single candidate. In addition to Schwarzenegger, former baseball commissioner Peter Ueberroth, businessman Bill Simon and state Sen. Tom McClintock are on the ballot on the GOP side.

Davis has focused on key issues for Democratic voters in press conferences and "town hall" meetings - the kind of forum popularized by former President Clinton. In Los Angeles, Davis even tried on a famous Clinton aphorism for

"The fact is the entire nation is going through a tough time, with a tough economy — 3 million jobs have been lost and people feel that here. I feel their pain, if you will," Davis said in describing the reasons for his sinking popularity.

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# **Historic** site still causing controversy

AVELLA, Pa. (AP) -Evidence that humans inhabited western Pennsylvania some 16,000 years ago - thousands of years earlier than most scholars believe - is still dividing archaeologists, 30 years after blade tools and materials to make beads were found in a rock shelter.

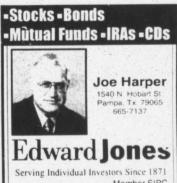
Archaeologist J.M Adovasio and his crew began to unearth the artifacts in the summer of 1973 at the Meadowcroft Rockshelter, about 25 miles southwest of Pittsburgh. Those findings challenged for the first time a belief cemented in the 1950s that humans had crossed the Bering Strait and first settled near Clovis, N.M., about 12,000 years ago.

Adovasio says skepticism over his findings has slowly dissipated over the last three decades, because of extensive study, dozens of radiocarbon tests and the discovery of other sites in North and South America.

"I believe that the site is truly pre-Clovis, but there are some questionable dates and questionable findings," said Robson Bonnichsen, the director of the Center for the Study of the First Americans and professor of anthropology at Texas A&M University.

Adovasio, who was then a new archaeologist at the University of Pittsburgh, was looking for a suitable site for a field school in 1972 when he heard about a rock shelter near a farm in Washington County. He is now the director of the anthropology/archaeology department at Mercyhurst College in Erie.

Even today, the cavern seems like the perfect place to camp for a week. It sits near a tributary of the Ohio River and permanent springs. The interior is dry, well-ventilated and suitable for up to eight people, and hunting and foraging would be easy nearby.



# Tests link all three sniper-style shootings; sketch released

CHARLESTON, W.Va. (AP) — Now that all three sniper-style slavings at area convenience stores have been linked to the same .22-caliber rifle, investigators say they have "a direction to go in."

Ballistics tests confirmed Thursday what authorities and many residents had suspected — that the shootings unnerving this city were linked. Whether they were random has yet to be determined.

"Now that we know it came from the same weapon," Charleston police Chief Jerry Pauley said, "we've got a direction to go in.

A composite sketch was also released Thursday of a man with dark hair - short in front, longer in back - long sideburns and a goatee.

Witnesses told police they saw a large white man in a dark-colored, two-tone Ford F-150 extended cab pickup the night two of the killings occurred. The first shooting happened four days earlier.

Gary Carrier Jr., 44, of South Charleston, was killed Aug. 10 while making a telephone call outside a Charleston convenience store.

Four days later, Jeanie

Jr., 26, both of Campbells Creek, were killed within 90 minutes of each other at rural convenience stores about 10 miles apart and less than 20 miles east of Charleston.

All three were shot in the head or neck, authorities said.

The Campbells Creek killings appeared to be drugrelated, according to Kanawha County sheriff's officials. Pauley said there is no evidence yet that drugs were involved in Carrier's slaying.

Carrier's death and the unrelated fatal shootings of two men in a parked Cadillac, also Patton, 31, and Okey Meadows the middle of this month, have

# 7-Eleven targets women with calorie-free Slurpee

DALLAS (AP) -Slurpees a month and believes Slurpees have been a steady seller in 7-Eleven stores since the 1960s, but many devotees who first tasted the slushy treat as kids are grown up and worried about their waistlines.

The convenience-store company is trying to win those customers back with its first calorie-free Slurpee.

The retailer hopes that the Diet Pepsi Slurpee will attract women, dieters and diabetics who avoid regular Slurpees, which pack about 330 calories into a 22-ounce serving.

The new flavor will be launched officially at most of 7-Eleven's 5,300 U.S. stores Friday, although it has been few weeks.

it can increase that total by 12 percent to 14 percent with Diet Pepsi and a lineup of other reduced-calorie flavors. Slurpees represent a small fraction of 7-Eleven's total sales - tobacco accounts for more than one-fourth - but about 60 percent of Slurpee

buyers make other purchases. 7-Eleven has tried healthier Slurpees before. A low-calorie cherry flavor bombed in the 1990s. "The problem was we didn't make it taste as good as a regular product," said John Ryckevic, who manages the Slurpee category for Dallas-

based 7-Eleven. In January, 7-Eleven added available in many stores for a flavors from Kraft Foods Inc.'s Crystal Light line of The retailer sells 13 million drinks that have about onethird the calories of a regular Slurpee. A raspberry ice version has sold well, and 7-Eleven plans to introduce strawberry-kiwi in October.

But the company is pinning most of its hopes in the diet category on Diet Pepsi, which it tested in Tampa, Fla., and Detroit earlier this year.

Dietitians said the caloriefree Slurpee would be a good alternative to sugary drinks.

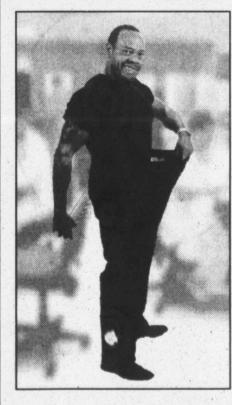
me," Bailey said. "If your ticket's going to get punched, it's going to get punched, so why worry about it?" Brooks fears a suspect isn't close to being caught.

> "He might go during the day, now that they're looking for him at night," Brooks said.

> > channel."

"They're talking about the car that he drives. He's probably switched up now. He's no dummy. He watches the news too. It's everywhere, on every

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# DEAR ABBY

written by Pauline Phillips and daughter Jeanne Phillips

# **Man's Income-Supplement Plan Could Land His Family In Jail**

DEAR ABBY: My common-law husband, "Rudy," my daughter and I are very happy and live an average life However, like all families, we experience financial pressures from time to time. To supplement our income, Rudy has decided to make and sell a "popular" drug. He says. this will be a "one-time thing." I'm afraid it won't be, and if he makes a huge profit, he'll want to continue.

Rudy is a good man. He wants badly to provide for his family. We

both work hard at our full-time jobs during the day — and we don't do drugs. This is like a new world to me and I'm scared. Rudy knows I don't approve. He thinks he did the right thing by telling me about this beforehand instead of doing it behind my back. We tell each other everything, but that doesn't make it OK. What should I do?

AFRAID IN CALGARY, CANADA

DEAR AFRAID: What Rudy plans to do is illegal, and because you know about it, you are an accessory. I don't know how old your daughter is or what kind of drug Rudy is manufacturing, but it cannot be physically or emotionally healthy for her to be around this.

If you think you are having financial pressures now, they'll seem like a walk in the park if you and Rudy are both doing time in prison. Draw the line and do it now!

DEAR ABBY: I am a 56-year-old grandmother who has been married to "Albert" — my high school sweetheart — for almost 35 years. Yesterday, Albert e-mailed me some information about a wifeswapping club that meets in our neighborhood. I am beside myself!

Albert is the only man I've ever been with in my entire life, and to learn that he wants to swap me for another woman is devastating.

I have since checked the "history" on my husband's computer, and I have learned that he has spent hours on the Internet researching

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- until I realized what inspired it. Prior to that, Albert and I have never had sex more than once a week in all

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DISILLUSIONED IN THE CAROLINAS

DEAR DISILLUSIONED: Under no circumstances should you allow yourself to be coerced into anything that you feel is immoral. (And spouse-swapping qualifies for that category.)

I don't blame you for being upset, but don't pack your bags yet and don't panic. You and Albert have some serious talking to do, and the sooner the better — preferably in the presence of a marriage counselor. Albert's craving for variety should be discussed in an environment that is emotionally supportive for both of you. Some couples achieve this through playing out their fantasies together. (Have you seen the yogurt commercial where the wife is dressed up like a French maid?) Good luck ... and please let me know how you resolve this.

DEAR ABBY: I am 8 years old and one of my best friends drowned last year. She was only 7. If she had worn a life vest, she wouldn't have died. Please tell parents that if their kids aren't good swimmers, they should wear a life vest.

MISSING MY FRIEND
IN MARYLAND

**DEAR MISSING MY FRIEND:** Please accept my sympathy for the loss of your friend. That's an excellent reminder. Now for one of my own: Children and adults should never swim alone.

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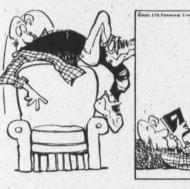
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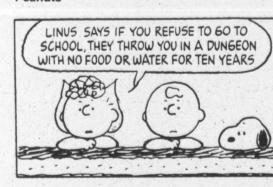






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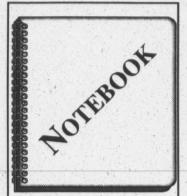
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BASKETBALL

WACO, Texas (AP) -Scott Drew is leaving Valparaiso to take over the challenge of repairing a Baylor basketball program torn apart by the death of a player, the shame-filled resignation of coach Dave Bliss, a string of transfers strong and potentially NCAA violations.

Mike Oppland, a sophomore-to-be at Valparaiso, told The Associated Press that Homer Drew called his family to tell them Scott Drew was going to Baylor and he was coming out of retirement to take his place.

Scott Drew is expected to be announced at a Baylor news conference Friday.

Baylor president Robert Sloan wouldn't comment on Drew.

### BASEBALL

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — Two-time AL MVP Juan Gonazlez has a torn muscle in his right calf and may not play another game for the Texas Rangers.

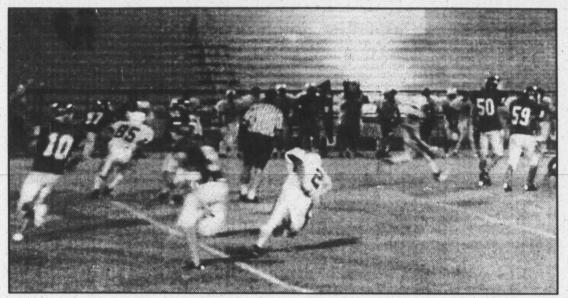
Gonzalez's agent, Alan Nero, said Thursday night that the player got a second opinion on the injury and an MRI this week revealed the tear. Nero said Gonzalez would have to wear a soft cast for at least two weeks.

Gonzalez has been on the disabled list since July 23, four days after injuring his leg while running bases in a game at Tampa Bay. He hasn't resumed baseball activities, and won't be able to until at least early September if he's wearing a

Rangers officials said last week after an MRI and an ultrasound that Gonazalez had a pocket of fluid near his injured calf and recommended that it be drained. The player instead got the second opinion that revealed the tear, Nero said.

General manager John Hart said the second opinion is not consistent with what the team found.

The Rangers have made it clear that they will not resign Gonzalez after his \$24 million, two-year contract runs out after this season.



(Photo by Billie Dixon)

Pampa's Jerren Long (2) and Breck Penrod (85) defend the corners in Thursday night's scrimmage against Frenship. The annual Meet The Harvesters night is tonight, starting at 7 in Harvester Stadium.

# Harvesters have productive scrimmage against Frenship

TULIA — It was a long impressive in stopping when coach Wilson came up scrimmage, but a productive one for the Pampa Harvesters, who went against a highlyranked Frenship team Thursday night in Tulia.

"Frenship suited up over 60 players and we suited up 30. The scrimmage went a lot longer than I wanted it to go, but they wanted to get all their kids into the game. We just ran out of gas near the end," said Pampa head coach Heath

Pampa, however, still held its own against the Tigers, who ranked among the top 20 Class 4A schools in the state. The Harvester jumped out to a 3-1 lead in touchdowns before Frenship tied the score at 4-all in the three-hour

Frenship's running game.

"Sergio Alva looked good inside. Derek Lewis and Mac Smith also played well," coach Parker said.

He also thought Pampa's offense was making good

"Marcus DeLeon played well in the line and Jerrod Carruth did some good things at center," Parker added. "Our backs and receivers made some big plays. To be good this year, we're going to have to make the big plays, and we had several of them last

Parker also liked what occurred after the scrimmage when Tulia head coach Eric Wilson approached him.

"The most positive thing Pampa's defense was that happened at Tulia was

and told me Pampa was the classiest team he's ever seen in all his years of coaching," Parker said.

Pampa's season opener is Aug. 29 against Perryton at Harvester Stadium.

### 2003 Pampa High **Football Schedule** Aug.

29 - Perryton, 7:30 home. Sept.

5- Lubbock Estacado, 7:30 away; 12-Amarillo High, 7:30 home; 19-Borger, 7:30 away; 26-Randall, 7:30 home.

Oct. 3-Plainview, away; 10-Hereford, homecoming; 16-Palo Duro, away (Thursday); 24-Dumas, home; 31-open

Nov. 7-Caprock, away.

# Astros launch 16 hits against Cubs' Wood

HOUSTON (AP) — There was nothing wrong with Kerry Wood or his pitches. He just ran into the Houston Astros at

Craig Biggio hit a two-run homer to lead a 16-hit attack and the Astros beat Wood for the third time this season, routing the Chicago Cubs 9-3 on Thursday night.

The NL Central-leading Astros took two of three in the key series against the Cubs, who dropped 1 1/2 games out of first place.

"He didn't have problems with his back," Cubs manager Dusty Baker said of Wood. "He threw the ball good. They were just whacking him. around,

"They came out with their hitting shoes on. Everything he threw up there they hit. Sometimes, when a team starts hitting, it's hard to turn them

Wood (11-10) lost for the fourth time in five decisions. He lasted only four innings and left trailing 5-0.

"I had as good stuff as I have all year," Wood said. "It was like they knew what was coming. I still went out and made the pitches and my velocity was pretty good."

Taking two out of three series meant a lot to the Astros, who have clung to first place despite hitting lapses.

"It's great to take two of three from these guys," Biggio said. "You know you're always in for a battle because they've got great pitching."

Ron Villone (5-2) threw five solid innings and benefited from Houston's early offense.

"It wasn't a huge series, there is so much baseball left," Astros catcher Brad Ausmus said. "It wasn't an overwhelming amount of pressure but it was the last chance, the last chance we have, to go against the Cubs. It's nice to beat a team you know is going to be there at the end.

Wood allowed six hits, walked two and struck out five — boosting his major league leading strikeout total to 208. He has reached 200 strikeouts four times in his five big league seasons.

"I just got beat," Wood said. "I felt pretty good with the stuff I had today but they

Even on the Biggio home run, it was a good pitch, a slider down and away. We should beat this team. I had a chance to get it done and didn't give the team that chance to win.

The Cubs, who had 12 hits in Wednesday night's 6-0 victory, managed seven in the final game of the season

"There is no logical reason for us hitting him well." Ausmus said. "He certainly has dominated us in the past."

The game quickly got out of hand for Wood. Geoff Blum singled and Richard Hidalgo doubled to open the second inning. A sacrifice fly by Ausmus and a wild pitch by Wood gave the Astros a 2-

Jeff Bagwell had an RBI single in the third inning, and Biggio's 12th homer in the fourth gave Houston a 5-0

# Texas team falls in LL World Series

SOUTH WILLIAMSPORT, Pa. (AP) — Tears in the dugout turned to a celebration on the field when Saugus, Mass., which blew an eight-run lead, scored four runs in the bottom of the seventh inning and beat Richmond, Texas, 14-13 Thursday night in the U.S. semifinals of the Little League World Series.

Matthew Muldoon's RBI single tied the game in the seventh inning, and David Ferreira drove in the winning run with a two-out swinging bunt. Dario Pizzano began jumping in celebration as he crossed the plate, while Ferreira, who didn't immediately start running after hitting the ball, barely beat the throw to first to give Saugus the victory.

"I thought it was a foul at first," Ferreira said. "Then I saw it was fair, and I just started running my fastest."

Saugus (4-0) will play Boynton Beach. Fla., in Saturday night's U.S. championship game. Saugus beat Boynton Beach 4-3 in pool play Monday night.

Eli Sepulveda hit an RBI double and Cody Robinson a two-run homer that traveled an estimated 283 feet in the top of the seventh to give Richmond (2-2) a 13-10 lead.

But Robinson walked the bases loaded in the bottom of the inning, forcing a switch to Randal Grichuk, who had yet to pitch in the series.

Dario Pizzano's RBI single and an error on the throw to the plate brought Saugus within 13-12. Grichuk then got two strikes on Muldoon, bringing tears to the eyes of at least one of his teammates in the Saugus dugout. However, Muldoon then lined a single to right that scored Tyler Grillo and tied the

"I was making plans for Saturday, then halfway through (the seventh) I was making plans to go home," Saugus manager Rob Rochenski said. "I just couldn't believe it."

Ferreira then tapped a ball right down the third base line that, at first, seemed like it was heading foul. It stayed fair, however, and Ferreira beat the throw to first by half a step while Pizzano raced home with the winning run.

Players who began crying in the dugout as their eight-run lead evaporated soon joined Pizzano in a celebration on the field as their fans chanted, "Saugus, Saugus!"

Muldoon (2-0) earned the win; Grichuk (0-1) took the

Earlier Thursday, Japan beat Mexico 7-1 to advance to their fourth straight international championship game, where they will face a team from

Curacao, Netherlands Antilles, for the third consecutive time. The world championship is

Sunday. Grichuk started the Richmond rally with a solo homer in the fourth to make it 10-3. Jimmy Michalek tripled, then scored on an infield error to make it 10-4 in the fifth.

Grichuk's second home run, a two-run shot in the bottom of the sixth, made it 10-6, and with two outs Robinson walked to load the bases. And infield error on Garrett Staudt's grounder down the third base line allowed two runs to score, making it 10-8, and Robert Psenka's RBI single made it 10-9. Wayne Willis' RBI single, a chopper over the pitcher's head and into center field, tied the game at 10 before Grichuk struck out to end the

Saugus went up 3-2 in the third on Pizzano's RBI single, and Joseph Kasabuski drove in a run with a fielder's choice to make it 4-2. In the third inning, Saugus scored two runs on an infield error, and Grillo hit an RBI single to make it 7-2. Kasabuski's three-run homer to left made it 10-2.

Richmond tied the game 2-2 in the second on Brian Foster's two-run homer to center field.

ble in the second to start the scoring for Saugus.

Ferreira hit a two-run dou-

# Baylor has new coach

WACO, Texas (AP) — With scandal erupting throughout its basketball program, Baylor University will hand the team over to Valparaiso coach Scott Drew.

Drew flew to Waco on the university's plane late Thursday night and met with Baylor players Friday morn-

The university called a news conference for Friday afternoon to introduce Drew.

Drew will replace disgraced former coach Dave collapsed under the death of a another. player, revelations of NCAA violations and player drug use affiliated school of 3,600 and the coach's attempt to cover up misdeeds in the program.

Oppland told The Associated Press that Homer Drew called his family to tell them that son Scott was going to Baylor and

that he was coming out of retirement to take over his old

"I was surprised (about Scott), but I guess I understand why he did it," said Oppland, who will be a sophomore this season.

Baylor president Robert Sloan wouldn't comment.

Sources close to Baylor told Houston television station KRIV that Drew had an agréement in principle for a six-year deal.

Drew is leaving one pri-Bliss, whose four-year tenure vate religious school for

Valparaiso is a Lutheranstudents in northern Indiana and plays in the Mid-Continent Conference. Valparaiso player Mike Baylor, the world's largest Baptist university, has an enrollment of about 14,000 and is the only private school in the Big 12.

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### Signups continue in Tiger League

PAMPA — "We had 42 boys sign up for Optimist Tiger League Football yesterday," said an enthusiastic David Hutto, Commissioner. "When word gets around the schools that it's time to register, we will see more each

day.' Registration continues today from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.and tomorrow from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. in the Optimist building for boys in the third, fourth, fifth and sixth grades. Players who are new to the league should bring their birth

certificates. The playing fee is

Yesterday, the players were weighed in by Mando Ramirez, signed up by Hutto and Leah Pearson, and sent to the equipment room to get suited out by Rick Pearson and Brian Wall. The first practices are scheduled for

Monday. "We plan to hold our drafts Saturday after the registration process is completed," Hutto said. "Our goal is to have 200 boys play this year."

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# **Steelers edge Cowboys** in fourth quarter, 15-14

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Here's how relieved the yards. "I felt like we had a lot Steelers were to win a meaningless preseason game: Hines Ward ran onto the field, screaming and celebrating, when their backup offense scored late in the fourth quarter.

feeling the heat generated by their worst preseason in Bill Cowher's 12 seasons as coach?

The regulars had long since left following a third consecutive uneven performance — one that was slightly better than before, but still dards. Many on the field during the fourth quarter likely won't be around for Pittsburgh's Sept. 7 opener against Baltimore.

But a 70-yard drive directed by No. 3 quarterback Brian St. Pierre, finished off by Dante Brown's 18-yard scoring run and St. Pierre's 2-point conversion pass to Wes Ours, meant something. beat the Dallas Cowboys 15-14 Thursday night.

won't go into their Aug. 29 game at Carolina trying to avoid the franchise's first winless exhibition season since 1965.

It means they feel just a little bit better about themselves than they did earlier in the week, when Cowher was visibly angry following yet another in a string of poor training camp practices.

can start drawing from some positives, including a long scoring drive by their regular offense in the second quarter. rather than dwelling on yet another night's worth of neg-

"I like the focus of our urgency we have to play with.

Still, other than the deci-Steelers was Tommy Maddox's first scoring pass of the preseason. His 25-yard throw to Plaxico Burress in the second quarter tied it at 7 and finished off an 85-yard drive that was the Steelers' best to date of the preseason.

move the ball," said Maddox, quite a bit," Parcells said.

who went 10 of 14 for 142 of rhythm in our offense. I think everybody was ready to play this."

Despite all the positive talk, the Steelers (1-2) realize how close they came to losing at home to a rebuild-Think the Steelers aren't ing opponent that's not supposed to be on their level.

The biggest thing for us is to keep improving," safety Brent Alexander said.

The Cowboys (1-2) put together long touchdown drives in each half, one with Quincy Carter at quarterback and the other with Chad not up to regular-season stan- Hutchinson, and led 14-7 for much of the second half.

> "I saw a lot of things to be encouraged by," coach Bill Parcells said. "But I'm a little disappointed we weren't able to get the win here. These guys haven't won many games on the road the last few years and I think this one would have given them some belief they can do it."

Neither Carter, who start-And not just that the Steelers ed, nor Hutchinson took a decisive lead in the quarterback derby. Carter was 8-of-It means the Steelers 12 for 67 yards and carried two times for 14 yards, while Hutchinson was 8-of-16 for

> Parcells isn't ready yet to choose a starter, but might be by early next week.

Carter was 5-for-6 during a 74-yard drive that ended with his 8-yard touchdown pass to Joey Galloway on third-and-8 midway through the second quarter. Galloway It also means the Steelers made five catches for 48

> Hutchinson, the former St. Louis Cardinals first-round draft pick, directed a 73-yard drive finished off by Adrian Murrell's 3-yard scoring in the third quarter.

"The quarterback situateam," Cowher said. "They tion will sort itself out," understand the challenge in Carter said. "I can't really front of us and the sense of tell you anything more because it's all out of my

Steelers linebacker sive drive, about the only Kendrell Bell left with a positive development for the sprained knee in the second quarter, but Cowher said the injury didn't appear serious.

> Cowboys guard Larry Allen missed the team plane to attend to a family matter and didn't start, but played most of the first half.

"The most important thing We were finally able to is he got here and played

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Montreal (Vazquez 11-8) at San Diego (Eaton 7-9).

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Sunday's Game New York at Charlotte, 6 p.m

# White Sox move into first place

CHICAGO (AP) — All at once, the 4 in 10 innings. Chicago White Sox moved into first that could help keep them there. Frank Thomas and Joe Crede home-

red to back the pitching of Bartolo Colon as Chicago took over the AL Central lead by beating the visiting Texas Rangers 7-3 Thursday night. The White Sox also acquired reliever

Scott Sullivan and cash from Cincinnati for a player to be named. Sullivan, who was 6-0 with a 3.62 ERA in 50 appearances with the Reds this season, provides a big boost in the bullpen.

"Obviously, that's an area where we've struggled," manager Jerry Manuel said. "We've struggled with the bridge person getting us to the last couple of guys down there."

Chicago, which won its fourth straight, is a half-game ahead of Minnesota. The White Sox, a game ahead of Kansas City, had not led the division since Aug. 8 and had been in first place for just three days previously this season.

"It's always a great place to be, in first place," Crede said. "You never want to be the team that's going out and trying to chase the team in first place. you want to be the team that everybody's chasing."

In other AL games, it was: Minnesota 4. Kansas City 3; Boston 14, Oakland 5; Toronto 7, Seattle 3; Anaheim 10, Detroit 7; and Baltimore 5, Tampa Bay

Colon (11-11) won for the first time

place and added an unheralded pitcher in three starts, giving up three runs and six hits in seven innings. He took a onehitter into the sixth before Alex Rodriguez and Rafael Palmeiro hit consecutive homers.

Palmeiro reached 30 homers for the ninth straight year and has 520 overall. Rodriguez, who leads the AL with 37, has homered in five straight games, tying the club record set by Carl Everett from April 14-20. Tom Gordon entered with two on and

one out in the ninth, finishing for his eighth save in 13 chances.

It's still a very close race. We've still got a long way to go," said Thomas," who hit his 31st homer of the season and tied Duke Snider for 35th on the career list with 407.

Colby Lewis (6-8) gave up five runs and eight hits in 5 2-3 innings. Texas had won eight straight, its longest winning streak since June 19-25 last year.

Sullivan was on the disabled list from July 18 to Aug. 7 because of tendinitis in his right shoulder — but he's quietly become one of baseball's most reliable relievers. The right-hander has pitched in more than 70 games each of the last four seasons.

That's important to the White Sox, who are still missing injured reliever Billy Koch. He was put on the 15-day disabled list Aug. 12 because of inflammation in his right elbow.

### Horoscope BY JACQUELINE BIGAR

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Saturday, Aug. 23 2003

Your positive ways draw strong results. dinner Jupiter touching your Sun in the next few CANCER (June 21-July 22) know that you will land on your feet. If you are single, you will meet someone. Tonight: Ask for what you want. who could turn your universe upside LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) good luck. CANCER can be difficult.

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

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

\* \* \* \* The Sun changes signs, encouraging you to refocus for the next month. Suddenly, you're all about work and getting back into a routine for the fall. Your self-discipline, while admirable, could rain on your parade as well as others'. Tonight: Stay close to home.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

\* \* \* \* Your playfulness comes out late in the summer, but with such flare. Single Bulls could chomp at the bit right now, suddenly feeling that extra spark. Attached Bulls could heat up their relationships considerably. Tonight: Ever

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

\* \* \* \* Use caution with your posses- months. You know what you want, http://www.jacquelinebigar.com sive side, as it comes forth. You might though expressing it might be difficult like sharing with a family member and feel more comfortable than you have in a! Watch an old-fashjoned movie.

older relative. Tonight: Treat a friend to \*\*\* \* When you speak to someone

days will bring unusual opportunities \*\*\* Your smile mixed with the rearrange the house or add a new item. into your life, depending on what you current planetary configuration adds to Though you like change, on some level, want. At this time, you will begin a new your allure. An invitation that comes for- you find this behavior disruptive. life cycle, which could be unusually ward might be too good to resist. You Tonight: A loved one might need cheerlucky. Emotions could be intense, but might be more on the move than in past ing up years. You might be overly serious. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

and relationships take on unusual signif- relax could be key to your success. Take Stop. Decide just how much you can do. same long-term goals. In some way, he or share more of yourself with a trusted, Just don't be alone. she could be challenged by your unusual, older friend. Exhaustion could mar your AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) perspective. Tonight: Get some extra ★★★ Take your time before throwing

4-Positive; \*\*\* With the Sun moving into beginning this hobby or event. Know your sign, you will be far more perky and your game plan, and there won't be any energetic. A partner could make an overt surprises on the way. A partner proves to move or express strong feelings that be more interested than you anticipated. might surprise you. A discussion could Tonight: Make it easy. be way overdue. Clear the air. Tonight: PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) With a special friend.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

dour. Understand what might be going on with him or her. Continue to use caution BORN TODAY with new acquaintances. Tonight: Paint Basketball player Kobe Bryant (1978), the town red SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

\*\*\* Take an overview, and you'll gain as a result. Friends play a far more right now. Act on your feelings. Tonight:

while. Do touch base with a parent or SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

in your life, make sure to make eye contact. A family member might decide to

\*\*\*\* Others seek you out. On some level, you might feel as if you need

down, but in a positive way. Friendships \*\* \* Knowing when to kick back, and to meet everyone's needs and requests. icance. If you are attached, you'll get the weekend off and do something relax- A partner or friend might be a bit disapalong with your mate if you have the ing for yourself. If you feel depressed, pointed, but know who's No. 1! Tonight:

yourself into a major project. You might need to check out all the costs before

\*\*\* \* Your fiery nature comes out

with a child or loved one. Knowing how \*\*\* Take your bows and under- to express your high energy could make stand that what is easy for you might not all the difference in your reaction to this be easy for another, and vice versa. You person. Think before alienating him or could find a parent or older relative a bit her. Tonight: Go with another's request.

> actor River Phoenix (1970), singer Rick Springfield (1949)

significant role in your life than in prior Jacqueline Bigar is on the Internet at © 2003 by King Features Syndicate Inc.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF MERVIN A. SNAPP

Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the Estate of MERVIN A. SNAPP, Deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 11th day of August, in Cause No. 9008, pending in the County Court of Gray County, Texas. All persons having claims against this Estate. which is currently being administered, are required to present them to me within the time and in the manner prescribed by DATED the 11th day of

August, 2003 DONALD A. SNAPP Independent Administrator of the Estate of MERVIN A. SNAPP. Deceased c/o Peterson Farris Moss Pruitt & Parker P.C., TION AND PETITION, A DEFAULT JUDG-MENT MAY BE TAK-408 W. Kingsmill Suite 440-A **EN AGAINST YOU** Pampa, Texas 79065 Aug. 22, 2003 D-12

THE STATE OF TEXAS County of Gray

CHARLES CHAD ALLEN Respondent(s) GREETINGS:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court, 223rd Ju-District, Gray

County, Texas at the Courthouse thereof, in Pampa, Texas, by filing a written answer, at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of twenty days from the date of service there to answer the Petition of DAN MARTIN AND GLENDA MAR-TIN filed in said Court on the 22nd day of April, 2003, against CHARLES CHAD ALLEN, Re-

being numbered 31682 on the docket of said Court, and entitled; IN THE INTEREST OF XYLON TRENT AL LEN, A MINOR CHILD the nature of which suit is a request to PETITION TO MODIFY IN A SUIT AFFECTING THE PA-

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**CRYPTOQUOTE** 8-22

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### 103 Homes For Sale

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1520 N. Dwight, 3 bdr, 2 bath, double garage, bay window, 665-4683, by appointment, \$73,000.

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2 bd., 1 ba., lrg.livrm., lrg kitchen & dining area Fenced, alum siding, stor bldg., patio. \$10,000 firm 662-0835

2 bdrm, fireplace \$1000 down, \$250 a month plus taxes & ins. 917 Barnard, 665-6604, 886-5466

3 bdr. Reduced price! Good cond. central h&a, gar., storage. C-21 Realtor, 665-5436, 665-4180.

3/2 T/H, 3500 sq. ft. w/

gar. Will take trade for equity. Appr. \$94,000, will take less 665-0007 4-2-2, 2300 sq. ft., remodeled kitchen & bath, stor

bldg., new fence. Priced to sell. 665-3252. FOR SALE Owner Carry- 20% down

417 Lowry 2 Bedroom- \$17,500 317 N. Nelson 2 Bedroom-\$10,000 121 Warren

2 bedroom-\$13,990 Call 669-6881 I'M a Little Bit Country! 4 br., 2 ba., garage barn, cellar. Extras!! 12.6 acres. Must-see. 669-1594 lv. m. IN Skellytown, Foreclo-

sure Property at 506 Lind-

berg: \$500 down, \$350

mo or Best Cash Offer. 803-732-4598 NEAT & Spacious 2 story 4 bdr., 2 ba., 2 liv. areas. dining rm. Price Reduced. Owner will not finance 901 E. Francis. 665-7815,

663-6717 or 274-3544. NICE 3 bdr., gar., stor., new carpet / linoleum & wall furnace. Sm. down,

owner carry: 665-4842. OUT of state owner anxios to sell 723 N. Dwight. 2 bd over sized lot w/fruit trees needs repair \$11,000 or OBO 417-343-4647

### OWNER WILL FINANCE 1116 Cinderella- 3 bd. oath, low down, low nonthly payments.

806-790-0827

### 104 Lots

LOT for sale, 611 N Wynne St., 100x101. Call 806-857-8749. 105 Acreage

MEYDITH Ranch,

### Lipscomb County 1220 acres. See at

www.pencilscapes.com 5 acre tracts, 2 miles from Pampa. \$2500 per acre. Call 665-4842 115 Trailer Parks

### TUMBLEWEED Acres, Storm Shelters, fenced, stor. bldg. avail. 665-

0079, 665-2450.

120 Autos **Quality Sales** 1300 N. Hobart 669-0433 Make your next car a **Quality Car** 

Doug Boyd Motor Co. "On The Spot Financing" 821 W. Wilks 669-6062

CULBERSON-**STOWERS** Chevrolet-Pontiac-Buick GMC-Olds-Cadillac 805 N. Hobart 665-1665 ACCEPTING sealed bids on a 2001 Ford Expedition. 4 wheel drive. Lefors FCU reserves the right to refuse any and all bids. For more info. 835-2773. 1990 dark blue Cadillac

1993 Toyota Corolla, auto., air, cd, 71,000 mi Needs hood, & grill, \$1600.665-0447.

Sedan Deville

Call 665-1760

2 Volkswagens '69 good body, no engine '73 good wrecked body 665-5152 or 665-5546

1999 Oldsmobile Alero for sale, for payoff. Leather, 95,000 miles. Call 662-3925.

### 121 Trucks

ACCEPTING sealed bids on a 1996 Dodge pickup. Lefors FCU reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids. For more info. call 835-2773.

90 Chevy Silverado 1/2 ton, ext cab, 2 WD, V-8-350. Call 806-669-3980 1989 Chev. pickup, V8, 5 speed. 665-2267

