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PISD hires four new teachers, OKs copiers contract

By DAVID BOWSER
Staff Writer

The Pampa Independent School District has four new teachers today and will renew its contract with Xerox for photo copying equipment.

The school board of trustees in a special meeting approved contracts with four new teachers this morning.

Meeting at the Carver

Center Administration Office at 7:30 a.m. today, the school board hired Jennifer Davis, Becky Snelgroves, Rebecca Ferguson and Sarah Corse.

The board also approved \$128,300 for 28 copiers at the different campus in the district. Some of the copiers will be on three-year contracts and some on five, depending upon usage and

size. The district's three-year lease expires Wednesday, said Carol Fields, PISD's business manager. By signing a new contract before the expiration of the old one, the district will get a price break, she said.

Fields said cost of the new contract is lower than the previous expenditure primarily because of the trade-in

value of the old equipment. Three years ago, she said the district switched to Xerox and everyone at each campus has been pleased the change. She said the district has gotten better service from Xerox than from the previous vendor.

"There have been no major problems," Fields said. "The administration sees no reason to change at

this time." The lease will be through a state co-op contract, she said, and maintenance is included in the new contract.

"The only other thing we have to pay for is copy paper," Fields said.

That is let on a different bid, she said.

The new contract goes into effect on Aug. 1.

Lest we forget



Pampa News photos by DAVID BOWSER
Kevin Schepp, left, with Boy Scout Troop 404, presents the colors during Memory Gardens Cemetery and Mausoleum Memorial Day Services Monday. Above, Stephanie Polasek sings the Star Spangled Banner during the ceremonies at Memory Gardens.

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White House shake-up continues as Treasury Secretary Snow out

WASHINGTON (AP) — Treasury Secretary John Snow resigned today and President Bush nominated Goldman Sachs chief executive officer Henry M. Paulson Jr. as his replacement — another chapter in the shake-up to revive Bush's troubled presidency.

"He has a lifetime of business experience. He has intimate knowledge of financial markets and an ability to explain economic issues in clear terms," Bush said of Paulson in a Rose Garden announcement.

White House officials believed that a Wall Street executive with Paulson's talents could better make the case for the administration's economic program.

Paulson, who also is chairman of Goldman Sachs, called the U.S. economy "truly a marvel, but we cannot take it for granted. We must take steps to maintain our competitive edge in the world."

Snow, the former head of railroad giant CSX Corp. who has a Ph.D. in economics, has been Treasury secretary since February 2003. His departure has been rumored for more than a year. Bush praised Snow for showing "strong leadership."

In a statement, Federal Reserve Chairman Ben Bernanke praised Snow for his "years of dedicated and able service" and said that he

looked forward to working with Paulson, described by Bernanke as "highly respected throughout the financial world."

Paulson, who met with Bush earlier this month, has been both chairman and CEO of Goldman Sachs since May 1999. It is considered one of the premier financial firms on Wall Street and has sent a number of its top executives to high positions in Washington.

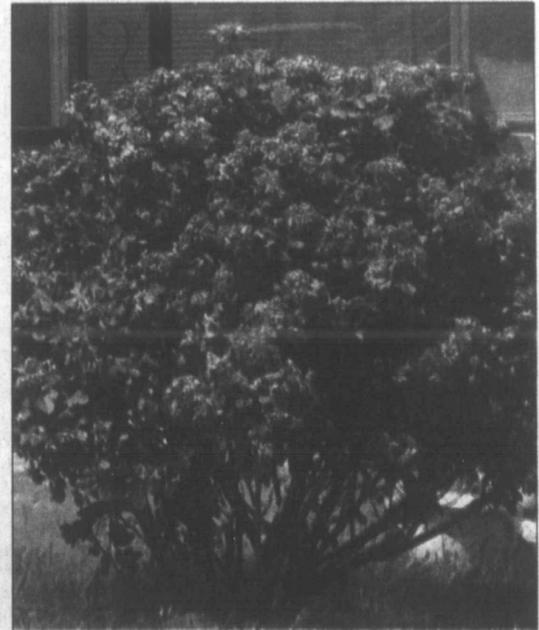
Speculation that Paulson would take over from Snow increased after Joshua Bolten, a former Goldman Sachs executive who had worked with Paulson and was leading the effort to find a replacement, became the new White House chief of staff.

Paulson is a major Republican donor and fundraiser.

He collected at least \$100,000 for Bush's 2004 campaign, earning the nickname "pioneer" reserved for Bush's six-figure fundraisers. Paulson has donated at least \$68,000 to GOP campaigns and party committees so far in the 2005-06 election cycle, including \$25,000 to the National Republican Senatorial Committee and \$15,000 to its House counterpart, figures compiled by the Political Money Line campaign finance tracking service show.

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In full bloom



Pampa News photo by MARILYN POWERS
"Spring is sprung, the grass is ris, I wonder where the flowers is" is a refrain heard when the weather warms up. It is not hard to find the flowers around Pampa, such as this rose bush on Deane Drive.

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Emergency Services

Pampa PD

Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents for the 96-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Seventy-eight traffic stops were made, resulting in 26 citations issued and at least two arrests made.

Traffic complaints were received from the 300 block of Miami, an unreported location, the 200 block of Tignor, the intersection of Kentucky and Coffee streets, the 2200 block of North Hobart, the 2100 block of North Nelson and the 1000 block of North Sumner.

Vehicle accidents were reported at the intersection of Randy Matson and Hobart streets, the 2500 block of Christine, the 2500 block of Perryton Parkway, the 600 block of East Foster, the 2100 block of North Nelson, the 1000 block of North Hobart and the 2500 block of Duncan.

Agency assistance was rendered at the intersection of Price Road and Highway 152, the 2400 block of Alcock, the 12030 block of East Frederic, the 900 block of Love, the 1300 block of Coffee, the 800 block of West Brown, the 1200 block of East Frederic and the 500 block of South Ballard.

An animal complaint was received from the 1900 block of North Dwight.

Welfare checks were made in the 1000 block of West Wilks, One Medical Plaza, the 900 block of Barnard, the 1100 block of North Starkweather, the 900 block of North Gray and the 1000 block of North Wells.

A missing person was reported in the 1200 block of Duncan.

A runaway was reported in the police department lobby.

One suicide attempt was reported.

Civil matters were reported in the 400 block of North Christy, the 700 block of East Browning, the 1400 block of North Williston and the 900 block of East Barnard.

Warrant service was attempted on one occasion, resulting in at least one arrest.

Violation of a city ordinance was reported in the 600 block of North Wells, the 1000 block of Jordan, the 1300 block of Terrace, the 900 block of Duncan and on two occasions on Highway 60 East.

Silent/abusive 911 calls were received from the 1900 block of North Wells, Highway 60 East, the 1200 block of Darby and the 1300 block of North Williston.

Suspicious vehicle calls were received from the 400 block of Yeager, the 800 block of North Wells, Highway 60 East, the 1600 block of North Banks, the intersection of Linda and Chestnut streets, the 2100 block of North Sumner and the 1000 block of East Kingsmill.

Suspicious person calls were received from the 100 block of South Starkweather, the 2200 block of Perryton Parkway, the 1300 block of North Hamilton, the intersection of Russell and Brown streets, the 600 block of East Tyng, the 1900 block of North Hobart, the 1000 block of East Browning, the 400 block of Lefors and twice in the 1000 block of North Somerville.

Disorderly conduct was reported in the 1200 block of North Hobart, the 100 block of West 30th, the 1000 block of North Hobart, the intersection of 17th and Beech streets, the 900 block of East Malone and the 600 block of North Somerville.

A narcotics violation was reported in the police department lobby.

Criminal mischief was reported in the 700 block of Lefors. A front door was damaged and a small window was broken. Estimated cost of damage is \$390.

Criminal mischief was reported in the 500 block of Doucette. Two double-paned windows and glass over a front porch light were broken, resulting in an estimated \$250 damage.

Criminal mischief was reported in the 2800 block of Charles. A vehicle windshield was shattered. Estimated cost of damage was unknown.

Criminal mischief was reported in the 1000 block of South Faulkner, where a front door was damaged and front window broken out. Estimated cost of damage is \$300.

Criminal mischief was reported in the 1300 block of North Christine, the 600 block of North Nelson, the 2700 block of Duncan, the 1000 block of Duncan and the 300 block of Tignor.

Criminal trespass was reported in the 1800 block of North Sumner, the 700 block of East Kingsmill and the 800 block of Deane Drive.

Harassment was reported on two occasions in the police department lobby.

A disturbance was reported in the 700 block of Buckler.

Domestic disturbances were reported in

the 1100 block of North Starkweather, the 1000 block of Duncan, the 700 block of North West, the 1600 block of Christine and the 1000 block of Schneider.

Assault by threat was reported in the police department lobby and an unknown block on Starkweather Street, where a terrorist threat was made.

Assault was reported in the 300 block of Warren, One Medical Plaza, the 700 block of North Hobart and the 100 block of West Albert.

Aggravated assault was reported in the 500 block of North Faulkner, where a vehicle was shot at, resulting in an estimated \$4,800 damage. No injuries were reported in connection with the incident.

Five burglar alarms were reported.

Theft was reported at Pampa Communications, 641 N. Hobart. Cash valued at \$250 was taken.

Theft was reported in the 1200 block of North Wells, where a purse and contents, valued at \$10, were taken.

Theft was reported in the 2100 block of Beech and on two occasions in the police department lobby.

Burglary was reported in the 1000 block of Duncan. A television valued at \$100 was taken.

Burglary was reported in the 800 block of Gordon.

A gas drive-off was reported at Allsup's, 1900 N. Hobart.

Accidents

Pampa Police Department reported the following accidents today.

Wednesday, May 24

4:35 p.m. — A 2000 Buick Le Sabre, driven by Rebecca Leah Cadena, 24, of 2423 Mary Ellen and a 2004 Chevrolet 1500, driven by Wesley Dale Hukill, 48, of 948 Terry Road collided at the intersection of Atchison and Cuyler streets. No injuries were reported. Cadena was cited for failure to yield right of way at a stop sign.

Saturday, May 27

5:01 a.m. — A 1997 Ford Thunderbird with an unknown driver jumped the curb and struck a light pole at the intersection of Wynne and Foster streets. The vehicle and driver then fled the scene. No injuries were

reported, and no citations were issued. The owner of the vehicle is listed as Darrell Lee Brown Sr. of 101 N. Faulkner.

Sheriff

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

Monday, May 29

Howard Santacruz, 19, of Pampa was arrested by GCSO for open container, failure to appear, minor in possession of alcohol and a capias pro fine for failure to identify.

Charles Wayne Kemp, 38, of Pampa was arrested by Texas Department of Public Safety for driving while intoxicated.

Fire

Pampa Fire department reported the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Monday, May 29

5:28 p.m. — One unit and three personnel responded to the 1100 block of East Foster on a medical assist.

7:20 p.m. — One unit and two personnel responded to the 1600 block of West Somerville on a Dumpster fire.

Ambulance

Guardian EMS ambulance reported the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Monday, May 29

8:24 a.m. — A mobile ICU unit responded to the 1100 block of Duncan and transported a patient to Pampa Regional Medical Center.

12:09 p.m. — A mobile ICU unit responded to the 1400 block of North Christy and transported a patient to PRMC.

2:54 p.m. — A mobile ICU unit responded to the 1200 block of North Wells. No transport.

5:33 p.m. — A mobile ICU unit responded to the 1100 block of East Foster and transported a patient to PRMC.

Tuesday, May 30

5:41 a.m. — A mobile ICU unit responded to the 2000 block of Alcock and transported a patient to PRMC.

Program offers Texas students Mexican classes

AUSTIN (AP) — Spanish-speaking students in South Texas will have the opportunity to take Mexican high school courses online under a program devised by the University of Texas and Mexican education agencies.

The program will be piloted this fall in the Donna and Edcouch-Elsa school districts in Hidalgo County. It will enable students to use computers to study math and science courses in Spanish, while they learn English and social studies in their Texas schools.

Proponents say the program could help reduce the dropout rate among high school students who become frus-

trated with the language barrier.

"Generally they drop out because they can't pass courses and get frustrated not knowing the language and sitting in classrooms. This is an incentive for them to at least see something they're passing," said Felipe Alanis, an associate dean of UT's Division of Continuing Education and former Texas education commissioner.

The students will be able to use the Spanish-language curriculum to supplement courses they are taking in English or even to complete a course, although they must take the final exam in English to receive Texas credit.

Students could potentially receive their diplomas from Mexico, which would allow them to attend a community college in Texas.

Organizers say participating students could include immigrants, students whose families are migrant workers or American students from Spanish-speaking homes.

William Powers Jr., president of UT-Austin, signed the educational agreement this month with Mexican education officials, including the director of a high school program offering online courses and a top administrator of adult education.

Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Albany Grain of White Deer.

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Milo	3.68
Corn	4.58
Soybeans	4.85

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COP	63.44	-0.02
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Tenneco	23.48	-0.59
CVX	59.23	-0.60
Wal-Mart	48.54	-1.11
OKE	32.06	+0.24
NS Grp	49.06	-0.30

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

OXY	97.53	-0.21
BP PLC ADR	71.53	-0.09
Cabot Corp	33.11	-0.34
Celanese	19.31	-0.30
Cabot Oil Gas	44.23	-0.02
Coca Cola	44.07	-0.42
VLO	61.56	+0.12
HAL	73.63	+0.13
TRI	40.49	-0.06
KMI	101.28	+16.87

Obituaries

Joseph Harold 'Joe' Achord, 79

Joseph Harold "Joe" Achord, 79, of Pampa, Texas, died May 29, 2006, at Pampa. Services are pending with Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Achord was born March 12, 1927, in Centralia, Okla. He was one of 12 children born to Dulcy and Ora Achord. He served two years in the U.S. Army, and after being discharged, he moved to Guymon, Okla.

He married Clara Dee Arnett on May 5, 1947, in Liberal, Kan. They moved to Hobbs, N.M., in 1950 where he was employed by Cabot.

He transferred to Pampa in 1954, and retired in 1987. He was a longtime member of the Highland Baptist Church. He was a member of the Pampa Optimist Club where he worked with the baseball program. He was an avid bowler. He also helped with the building of the Hidden Hills Golf Course and was a member of the Moose Lodge.



Achord

Survivors include his wife, Clara Achord, of the home; one daughter, Donna Bennett of Pampa; two grandchildren, Kelly Bennett of Jenks, Okla., and Kimberly Cryer and husband Brent of Edmond, Okla.; two great-grandchildren, Cade Cryer and Jace Cryer, both of Edmond, Okla.; five sisters, Marie, Faye, Mary Lou, Bobbie and Pat; one brother-in-law, Arland Arnett of Amarillo; and several nieces and nephews, including a special nephew, Johnny Achord of Pampa.

He was preceded in death by a son, Alvin Joe Achord; his parents; three sisters; three brothers; and five brothers-in-law.

The family requests memorials be to Oncology Center, 6611 Amarillo Blvd. West, Amarillo, TX 79106, or Odyssey HealthCare, 6900 I-40 West, Suite 150, Amarillo, TX 79106.

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

Goldie Gill Roberts, 94

Goldie Gill Roberts, 94, of Amarillo, Texas, died May 29, 2006, at Amarillo. Services are pending with Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Roberts was born Aug. 1, 1911, in Hemphill County on the family ranch. She was reared in Miami, graduating from Miami High School in 1930, and attended West Texas State College for one year.

She moved to Shattuck, Okla., where she owned and operated Hollywood Dress Shop. She then moved to Woodward, Okla., in 1936. She married Harold "Hi" Roberts in 1943 in Taloga, Okla. He preceded her in death in 1993.

She and her husband owned and operated Roberts Brothers Sporting Goods and Bowling Alley in Woodward for over 35 years. She was a member of the First Christian Church of Miami. She was an avid golfer and a member of the Municipal Golf Course in Woodward.

She had been a resident of Pampa from 1996 until moving to Amarillo in 2002.

Survivors include one son, James "Jim" Roberts and wife Julie of Boston, Mass.; one daughter, Mary Casey and husband Bob of Seattle, Wash.; one brother, Cecil Gill and wife Marie of Miami; one sister-in-law, Janie Gill of Miami; three grandchildren, Jessica Roberts of La Jolla, Colo., Dana Harper and husband Chris of Las Vegas, Nev., and Rob Casey of Seattle, Wash.; one great-granddaughter, Liz Harper of Las Vegas, Nev.; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by four brothers, Everett Gill, Slack Gill, Bill Gill and Randall Gill; and one sister, Georgia Gill Corse.

The family requests memorials be to Roberts County Museum, P.O. Box 306, Miami, TX 79059.

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Viewpoints

Go to the rodeo; see some history come to life

The 60th annual Top O' Texas Rodeo begins Thursday and offers three nights in which professional rodeo entrants battle for top prize in edge-of-your-seat and on-your-feet events like bull riding and bareback bronc riding.

The Kid Pony Show is scheduled to follow on June 5 through 7. All events are at the Top O' Texas Rodeo Arena in Recreation Park.

The idea has been kicked around by rodeo board members in recent years to stop having a PRCA rodeo with professional entrants. It can be argued that an amateur rodeo for local cowboys

would be just as popular, cost a lot less, and might even draw a larger audience.

After all, other area cities and towns such as White Deer have an annual amateur rodeo with local entrants, and they draw an audience that justifies having the rodeo again the next year.

At last year's rodeo, audience turnout left a lot of empty seats in the stands on the nights I went to take photos for the newspaper. But that might have happened no matter whether professional or amateur contestants were involved. I just don't know.

I do know that on the night I went to the Kid Pony

Show, where local youths were competing in a variety of events, there were few adults to watch them as they tried for the prizes. I'm sure some of the parents of the entrants were somewhere other than in the stands, perhaps helping with their kids' animals or the calves to be roped or whatnot. But it was still sad- dening to see relatively empty stands.

This year, the rodeo is bracketed by the Mud Bog

and the Burnin' the Bricks weekends, both of which involve mechanical, as opposed to animal, transportation and skills.

I can't help but wonder if events like the Mud Bog and the burn out contest, drag race, car show and cruise night of the

Burnin' the Bricks weekend, June 10 and 11, is the latest version of a rodeo.

In those events, contestants use cars, trucks, ATVs and other mechanical con-

veyances to compete against each other in tasks requiring a variety of skills involving those vehicles.

Is this the 21st-century version of a rodeo?

I hope we can keep all the events, both four-wheeled and four-legged. I love the rodeo, including the parade, the barbecue, the events, the clowns, and the animals.

I think we would lose a precious part of our local heritage if we did not have the rodeo.

It may come down to having an amateur as opposed to a professional rodeo. But what I think is most important is to continue to have

one. The rodeo represents our past and present as well as our future. It speaks of tradition, history and the promise of tomorrow. It is a priceless heritage that we should all know about and be proud of.

Pick a night and go to the rodeo. If you can't make it to the adults' events, go to the Kid Pony Show.

I promise you will see some beautiful animals, talented contestants, funny clowns and Western clothing.

You will also see history come to life as it lives on into the 21st century.

Marilyn Powers

Staff Writer



Today in History

By The Associated Press

Today is Tuesday, May 30, the 150th day of 2006. There are 215 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On May 30, 1431, Joan of Arc, condemned as a heretic, was burned at the stake in Rouen, France.

On this date:

In 1539, Spanish explorer Hernando de Soto landed in Florida.

In 1854, the territories of Nebraska and Kansas were established.

In 1883, 12 people were trampled to death when a rumor that the recently opened Brooklyn Bridge was in imminent danger of collapsing triggered a stampede.

In 1911, Indianapolis saw its first long-distance auto race; Ray Harroun was the winner.

In 1922, the Lincoln Memorial was dedicated in Washington by Chief Justice William Howard Taft.

In 1943, American forces secured the Aleutian island of Attu from the Japanese during World War II.

In 1958, unidentified soldiers killed in World War II and the

Korean conflict were buried at Arlington National Cemetery.

In 1971, the American space probe Mariner 9 blasted off from Cape Kennedy, Fla., on a journey to Mars.

In 1981, the president of Bangladesh, Ziaur Rahman, was assassinated in a failed military coup.

In 1986, 21 elderly passengers were killed when a tour bus went out of control on a mountain road and plunged into the Walker River near the California-Nevada border.

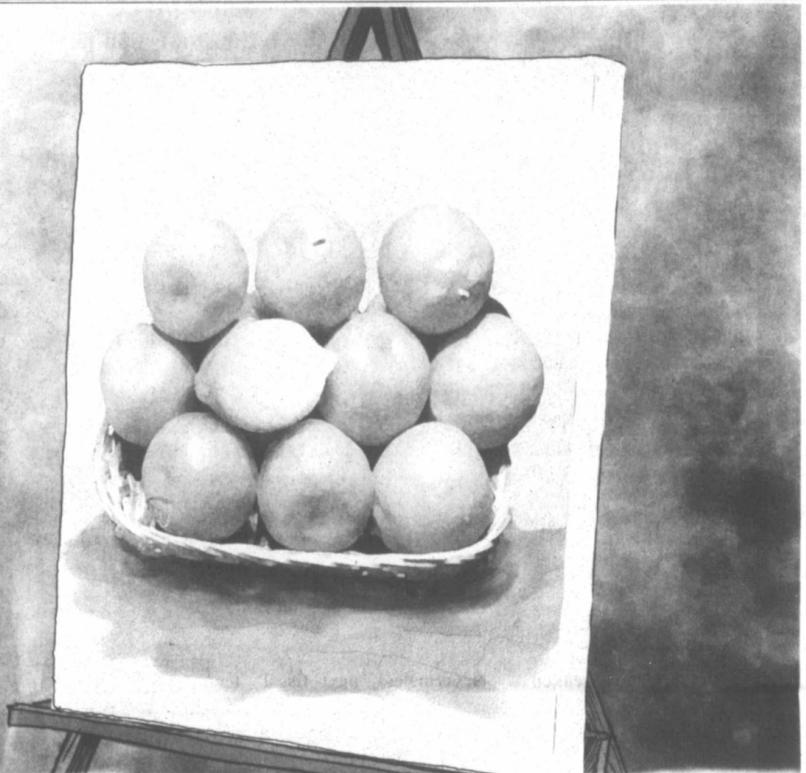
Ten years ago: The House called off a contempt-of-Congress vote after President Clinton's aides turned over 1,000 pages of papers and a long-sought list of documents in the travel office firings. Britain's Prince Andrew and the former Sarah Ferguson were granted an uncontested decree ending their 10-year marriage.

One year ago: Quoting letters of the fallen from the war in Iraq, President Bush vowed to a Memorial Day audience at Arlington National Cemetery that America would honor its dead by striving for peace and democracy, no matter the cost. American teenager Natalie Holloway, during a visit to Aruba, was last seen leaving a bar with three young men before disappearing; her fate remains unknown. Officials in Lebanon announced that Saad Hariri, the son of assassinated former premier Rafik Hariri, had swept parliamentary elections in Beirut.

Today's Birthdays: Country musician Johnny Gimble is 80. Actor Clint Walker is 79. Actor Keir Dullea is 70. Actress Ruta Lee is 70. Actor Michael J. Pollard is 67. Actor Stephen Tobolowsky is 55. Actor Colm Meaney is 53.

'Only the man who finds everything wrong and expects it to get worse is thought to have a clear brain.'

— John Kenneth Galbraith
American economist
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"BUSH IN ORANGE COUNTY"

'Click it or ticket' abuse of state power

Virginia's secretary of transportation sent out a letter announcing the state's annual "Click It or Ticket" campaign May 22 through June 4. I responded to the secretary of transportation with my own letter that in part reads:

"Mr. Secretary: This is an example of the disgusting abuse of state power. Each of us owns himself, and it follows that we should have the liberty to take risks with our own lives but not that of others. That means it's a legitimate use of state power to mandate that cars have working brakes because if my car has poorly functioning brakes, I risk the lives of others and I have no right to do so. If I don't wear a seatbelt I risk my own life, which is well within my rights. As to your statement 'Lack of safety belt use is a growing public health issue

that ... also costs us all billions of dollars every year,' that's not a problem of liberty. It's a problem of socialism. No human should be coerced by the state to bear the medical expense, or any other expense, for his fellow man. In other words, the forcible use of one person to serve the purposes of another is morally offensive."

My letter went on to tell the secretary that I personally wear a seatbelt each time I drive; it's a good idea. However, because something is a good idea doesn't necessarily make a case for state compulsion. The justifications used for "Click It or Ticket" easily provide the template and soften us up for other

forms of government control over our lives.

For example, my weekly exercise routine consists of three days' weight training and three days' aerobic training. I think it's a good idea. Like seatbelt use, regular exercise extends lives and reduces health care costs. Here's my question to government officials and others who sanction the "Click It or Ticket" campaign: Should the government mandate daily exercise for the same reasons they cite to support mandatory seatbelt use, namely, that to do so would save lives and save billions of health care dollars?

If we accept the notion that government ought to

protect us from ourselves, we're on a steep slippery slope. Obesity is a major contributor to hypertension, coronary disease and diabetes, and leads not only to many premature deaths but billions of dollars in health care costs.

Should government enforce, depending on a person's height, sex and age, a daily 1,400 to 2,000-calorie intake limit? There's absolutely no dietary reason to add salt to our meals. High salt consumption can lead to high blood pressure, which can then lead to stroke, heart attack, osteoporosis and asthma.

Should government outlaw adding salt to meals? While you might think that these government mandates would never happen, be advised that there are busy-

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Walter Williams

Columnist



Texas Thoughts

By The Associated Press

A sample of editorial opinion around Texas:

■ May 21

Houston Chronicle on the state's family planning network:

Some politicians will do almost anything to make a point. Last year, state Sen. Steve Ogden felt such a need to show his pro-life credentials that he jeopardized the health of thousands of Texas women.

Now the state is trying to repair the damage.

Under a disastrous measure Ogden steered to passage, the Legislature diverted \$10 million in annual family planning funds from established clinics to largely first-time providers.

The predictable result: many long-

time providers shuttered their rural clinics and turned away women who relied on them for services such as cancer screening and birth control.

There was another result: Despite their good intentions, the new contractors lacked the expertise to actually use their windfalls. This week, after reviewing the clinics' scant spending, state health officials returned \$5.2 million to the programs that had had their state support cut.

Planned Parenthood of Houston, the family planning clinic at Dallas' Parkland Memorial Hospital and other longtime providers have three months to use the new injection of cash. But their infrastructure has now been mangled. Planned Parenthood of Amarillo and the Texas Panhandle laid off eight

staffers and shut down two clinics when its funding was diverted. Parkland closed three clinics. The El Paso County Hospital District clinic is still reeling after losing half its funds.

The new dollars are welcome and will help women get badly needed care. But the money won't rebuild darkened clinics in small towns or rehire staffers fired because of the cutbacks.

And there's little point in trying to revive these programs. This month, family planning contractors begin the process of requesting state funds for the next fiscal year. Once again, \$10 million may well go to the fledgling clinics that couldn't use it effectively the first time.

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Shake-up

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Robert Rubin, one of Paulson's predecessors, served as Treasury secretary in the Clinton administration, and Jon Corzine, another Goldman Sachs chairman, served as a U.S. senator from New Jersey and is now governor of that state.

The Senate Finance Committee is expected to act swiftly on the nomination. A spokeswoman for the panel said it was possible a hearing could be conducted within the next few weeks, depending on how quickly the necessary paperwork for the nomination is supplied to the panel.

Sen. Chuck Schumer, D-N.Y., a member of the Senate Finance Committee, gave Paulson his backing after talking to him Tuesday.

"His experience, intelligence and deep understanding of national and global economic issues make him the best pick America could have hoped for," Schumer said.

The naming of the new treasury secretary is part of a series of changes within the White House staff. Andrew Card's replacement by Bolten as chief of staff was followed by a string of other personnel moves as Bush sought to reinvigorate his presidency, mired in the lowest approval ratings since he took office in 2001. Among other changes, Bush forced out CIA chief Porter Goss, trimmed the portfolio of political adviser Karl Rove and replaced press secretary Scott McClellan with television commentator Tony Snow.

Welcoming Paulson to the Cabinet, Bush praised the economy under his own watch. "The American economy is powerful, pro-

ductive and prosperous, and I look forward to working with Hank Paulson to keep it that way."

"He's earned a reputation for candor and integrity and when he's confirmed by the Senate he will be a superb addition to be Cabinet," Bush said.

Snow, who has called Paulson "a very able executive, a friend of mine," thanked Bush for his time in the Cabinet and said he looked forward to private life.

Paulson is a millionaire many times over. Last year, the Goldman Sachs group said it paid Paulson \$30 million in total compensation in 2004 — almost a 40 percent gain from the year before.

Paulson is leaving Goldman Sachs at a time when its stock is trading at historic highs and with his chosen successor, Lloyd C. Blankfein, ready to take over.

More U.S. troops going to Iraq

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. military commanders have moved about 1,500 combat troops from a reserve force in Kuwait into the volatile Anbar province in western Iraq to help local authorities establish order there.

The move, announced today by military commanders, comes as Iraqi officials continue to struggle to set up their government, amid new spikes in violence.

In a statement today, the military command in Iraq described the new deployment as short-term. The plan is to keep the latest troops — two battalions of the 2nd Brigade, 1st Armored Division — in Anbar no longer than four months, said one military official, who requested anonymity because they were not authorized to discuss the details of the move.

The 1st Armored Division has had a brigade stationed in Kuwait for several months serving as a reserve force that could be called upon to augment the troops in Iraq. One of the brigade's battalions was sent to the Baghdad area in March to bolster security until a new national government was seated.

The latest deployment comes at a time when the Bush administration is under heavy election-year pressure to begin draw-

ing down the roughly 130,000 American troops in Iraq.

President Bush met with British Prime Minister Tony Blair last week, after Blair returned from a trip to Iraq, and the two leaders acknowledged the continuing challenges in the embattled country, but insisted they are doing the right thing.

Neither would indicate how long coalition troops will remain in Iraq, but Bush said he would reassess the military needs there now that the new government is taking office.

The two battalions were sent to the Anbar region after Gen. George W. Casey Jr., the top U.S. commander in Iraq, requested and received authority to relocate the reserve force, after coordination with Iraq officials and Pentagon leaders.

"The situation in Al Anbar Province is currently a challenge but is not representative of the overall security situation in Iraq," said Lt. Col. Michelle Martin-Hing, spokeswoman for Multi-National Corps-Iraq.

The Anbar province is an insurgent hotbed stretching from west of Baghdad to the Syrian border. Anti-American sentiments have been strong in Anbar since the U.S.-led invasion in March 2003 that toppled Saddam Hussein's regime, which was dominated by the Sunni Arab minority.

Williams

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body groups currently pushing for government mandates on how much and what we can eat.

Government officials, if given power to control us, soon become zealots. Last year, Maryland state troopers were equipped with night vision goggles, similar to those used by our servicemen in Iraq, to catch

night riders not wearing seatbelts. Maryland state troopers boasted that they bagged 44 drivers traveling unbuckled under the cover of darkness.

Philosopher John Stuart Mill, in his treatise "On Liberty," said it best:

"That the only purpose for which power can be rightfully exercised over any member of a civilized community, against his will, is to prevent harm to others. His own good, either physical or moral, is not a sufficient

warrant. He cannot rightfully be

compelled to do or forbear because it will be better for him to do so, because it will make him happier, because, in the opinions of others, to do so would be wise, or even right. These are good reasons for remonstrating with him, or reasoning with him, or persuading him, or entreating him, but not for compelling him, or visiting him with any evil, in case he do otherwise."

Walter Williams is a professor of economics at George Mason University.

Network

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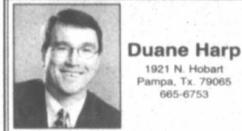
Ironically, these federally subsidized startup clinics offer excellent resources for poor communities. Texas should have more of them. But it is unfair to use these neighborhood health centers in a crusade to weaken

Planned Parenthood and other expert providers that can offer birth control, screenings and women's health care specialists.

Some politicians believe they gain support when they harass Planned Parenthood, but in the end the state has bowed to reality: Texas needs its established family planning providers. Nevertheless, next fiscal

year which begins in September the undercutting of family planning programs will likely start again. That's because the measure that diverted money to unequipped clinics remains in place. Texas had a network of dedicated family planning clinics that wasn't broken. The state seems bent on "fixing" it until it shatters.

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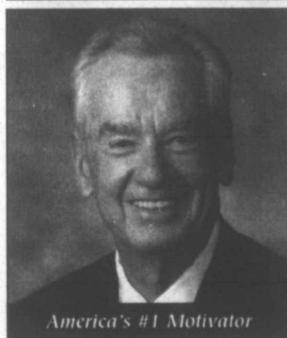
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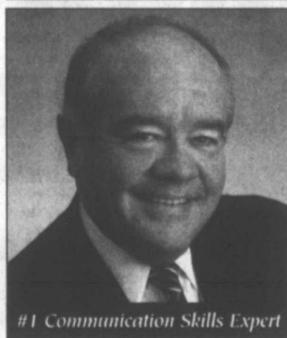
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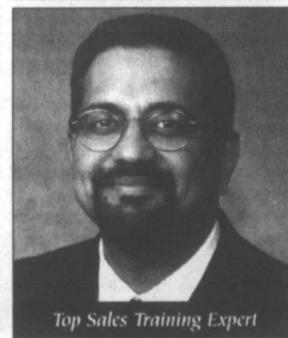
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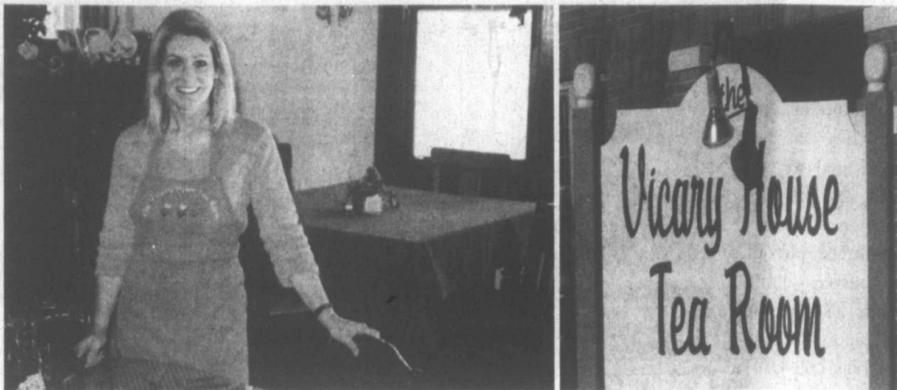
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Kendra and Orville have furnished the Vicary House with antique tables and

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▲ Stephanie Kelly

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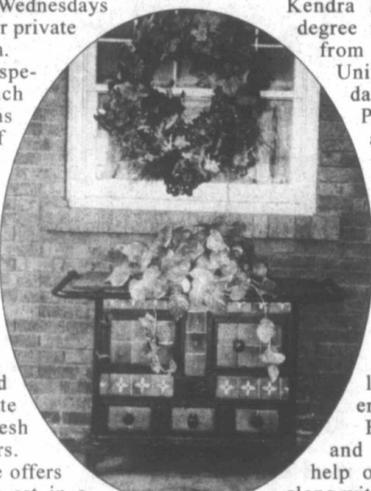
Kendra holds a bachelor's degree in home economics from Texas Tech University. She is the daughter of long-time Pampa residents Carl and Pat Kennedy, both of whom, she said, helped renovate the home at 303 N. Frost into a restaurant.

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Dear Abby...

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DEAR ABBY: You missed an opportunity with the 13-year-old girl who is dissatisfied with her bedroom and always the recipient of hand-me-downs. Telling her to get a trusted adult to speak on her behalf was tantamount to advising her to recruit someone to help her whine. At 13, she's old enough to be more proactive in making her room the way she wants it. Her dresser and closet are overstuffed with hand-me-downs that no longer fit? Grab a box, pull out everything that doesn't fit, fold it neatly and put it in the box. These, and the neatly stacked hangers, can be donated to the Salvation Army -- or another group -- and she'll have a lot of new space. Her furniture is rickety? Can it be glued, clamped, made sturdy again and repainted? The computer is in the study? Maybe she should clear off her desk and make room for it in her room. She doesn't like white walls? What if she offered to paint them herself if her parents supply the paint? She should clear out, refurbish, redecorate and grow up! She complains about her pitiable situation, which she has made no effort to remedy herself, and yet shows not one hint of understanding or compassion for her parents who are working, taking care of multiple children and who have just finished building a new house for them. Has she no concept of how much money and effort that requires? It's time that girl stopped whining and did something for herself. She could make a tremendous change in her room by her own effort. She may also find that this independent effort may bring her the attention and respect she so obviously wants. -- **I DID IT, SHE CAN, TOO**

DEAR DID IT: Thank you for offering the girl some other options. It's interesting that you interpreted her cry for help as "whining." I viewed her as a girl who is afraid or unable to speak up for herself because she

has been raised to believe that her feelings don't count and her opinions don't matter. Yes, she could do all of the things you suggested -- but in the final analysis, her parents would have to permit it. That's why I advised her to get an adult relative or close family friend to help her talk to her parents. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: I read between the lines of the letter from the girl who wrote that she receives only discarded items and whose father will not paint her room. And yet, she expressed gratitude for having a home. Neglect, favoritism and enforced public gratitude could indicate an abusive, tyrannical parent or parents. While it's hard to know from so brief a letter, that child may be being punished for something that was beyond her control, and be unwilling or unable to express or admit deeper problems. I know. I was such a child. -- **READER IN HOUSTON**

DEAR HOUSTON READER: That occurred to me, too. That's why I advised the writer to talk to a trusted adult.

DEAR ABBY: I don't know why that girl's room isn't furnished as nicely as her sisters', but her computer may have been placed in the study for a good reason: the child's safety. My two children weren't allowed to have a computer in their bedrooms until they were 18. Before that, if they wanted to use the computer/Internet, they had to use the one in the family room, which was situated so the screen was visible to anyone who passed by. -- **CAUTIOUS MOM IN ALABAMA**

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By THOMAS JOSEPH

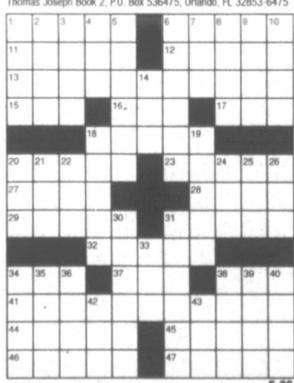
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Sports Day



Dillas finally home after tough start to 2006 ULB season

By MICHAEL J. STEVENS
Sports Editor

Game time tonight is set for 7:05.

"It's been a long, tough road trip with a lot of miles. It's good to be home. It's good to be back at the Dilla Villa." Amarillo Dillas general manager Mark Lee shared those thoughts this morning as he and his team prepare to host the Edinburg Coyotes in the Dillas' 2006 home opener.

The born-again Dillas (team was disbanded following the 2004 season) have spent the opening 12 games of the 2006 United League Baseball season on the road, amassing a record of 4-8. The Coyotes on the other hand enter Potter County Memorial Stadium with a perfect 12-0 mark.

"Edinburg is a tough team," said Lee. "They're playing great ball right now."

Lee says the special events scheduled tonight include Potter County commissioners throwing out the first pitch, fireworks and "something very special if Mother Nature will cooperate."

Lee says season ticket sales — including tonight's game — have been good.

2006 Amarillo Dillas Roster

Manager
Buddy Biancalana

Outfielders
John Krog #11
Eric Davis #24
Gerald Miller #9
Kenneth Cruz-Rivera #25

Infielders
John-Paul Davis #30
Carlos Figueroa #2
Ericardo Padilla #3
Jordan Ramos #4
Gary Schneidmiller #10

Pitchers
Stevenson Agosta #16
Omar Lopez #18
Mike Kesten #21
Nathen Weller #13
Spencer Anthony #23
Danny Anderson #17
James Beever #20
Charlie Griffin #19
Craig Pearson #29
Josh Parker #26
Darren Koshko #6
Taylor Allan #14

United League standings

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Edinburg	12	0	1.000	—
San Angelo	8	4	.667	4
Alexandria	5	7	.417	7
Amarillo	4	8	.333	8
Rio Grande Valley	4	8	.333	8
Laredo	3	9	.250	9

Sunday's Games

Laredo 11, Alexandria 10
Amarillo 13, San Angelo 7
Edinburg 2, Rio Grande Valley 1

Monday's Games

No games scheduled

Tuesday's Games

Edinburg at Amarillo
Laredo at Alexandria
Rio Grande Valley at San Angelo

Wednesday's Games

Edinburg at Amarillo
Laredo at Alexandria
Rio Grande Valley at San Angelo

Heat takes 3-1 lead over Pistons

MIAMI (AP) — Shaquille O'Neal batted Richard Hamilton's pass away at the foul line, corralled the deflection near midcourt, dribbled twice and swooped in for a layup.

"I've been holding back," he deadpanned afterward. He's lying. Neither O'Neal, nor Dwyane Wade, nor any member of the Miami Heat is holding anything back — especially not now, with just one victory separating them from the franchise's first NBA Finals berth.

Wade scored 12 of his 31 points in the final quarter Monday, leading a late push that carried Miami to an 89-78 win over the Detroit Pistons and a 3-1 lead in the Eastern Conference finals.

O'Neal added 21 for Miami, which wasted an early 14-point lead before recovering and winning for the ninth time in 11 games.

"We don't want to get too high and mighty," O'Neal said. "Job's not done yet."

Udonis Haslem added 16 points for the Heat, who shot 55 percent compared to Detroit's 39 percent.

Tayshaun Prince had 15 points and Chauncey

Billups added 14 for the Pistons, who'll host Game 5 on Wednesday night. Detroit committed 30 fouls to Miami's 19, leading to a 47-22 disparity in free throws attempted.

"We've got a lot of fight in us," Billups said. "We have been down 3-1 before — not against a team as good as the Heat, though. And they're playing great, man. You've got to give it to them. They are. They're playing great ball. Their great players are playing phenomenal and other guys are chipping in pretty well."

A year ago, two chances at ending Detroit's reign atop the East weren't enough for Miami, as the Pistons rallied from 3-2 down to win in seven games. Now, the Heat get three cracks at breaking through — and this time, Wade and O'Neal are healthy.

Miami's star duo was battling injuries toward the end of last year's East finals; O'Neal a thigh bruise, Wade a strained rib muscle. This year, they're feeling fine — and not because O'Neal added the occasional fast-break layup to his weaponry.

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Doug, Sheila McFatridge take couples scramble at Pampa Country Club

Couples Scramble
Pampa Country Club
May 27, 2006

First Flight

1st Place- William Buck, Shannon Buck (53.0)
2nd Place- Joyce Swope, Bob Swope (55.0)
2nd Place- Mark Ward, Leigh Ann Ward (55.0)
4th Place- Ben Davis, Debbie Davis (57.0)
5th Place- Joe Manzanares, Connie Lynch (59.0)

Second Flight

1st Place- Howard Reed, Tammy Maples (49.0)
2nd Place- Weldon Talley, Barbara Talley (53.0)
3rd Place- Nathan Cobb, Jo Carol Boyles (56.0)
4th Place- David McGill, Elnora Haynes (57.0)
5th Place- Greg Logan, Renita Logan (59.0)

Championship Flight

1st Place- D. McFatridge, S. McFatridge (57.0)
2nd Place- Eddie Guelker, Yolanda Guelker (59.0)
3rd Place- Mike Hargus, Debbie Hargus (60.0)
4th Place- Dan Nicolet, Elaine Langley (62.0)
5th Place- Gail Curtis, Jack Curtis, Jr. (64.0)
5th Place- Keith Pinkle, Claudia McCaslin (64.0)
5th Place- J.K. Harrison, Chera Harrison (64.0)
8th Place- Robert Jefferson, Judy Jefferson (66.0)

► Sheila McFatridge watches her ball roll into the cup earlier this month at Pampa Country Club.

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MONDAY NIGHT SCRAMBLE

Next event set for June 5

By MICHAEL J. STEVENS
Sports Editor

Monday Night Scramble
Hidden Hills
Golf Course
May 29, 2006

First Place (31)
Daniel Williams
Joyce Epperson
Marvin Allison
Carolyn Allison

Second Place (39)
Ronnie Wood

The Monday Night Scramble is sponsored by the Hidden Hills Ladies Golf Association.

The next scramble is scheduled for June 5 and will feature a skins carry-over. Call 669-5866 to enter.

Rangers 2, Mariners 0

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — John Rheinecker got his first-game jitters out of the way in April. His second major league start went a lot smoother.

Rheinecker allowed four hits in 8 1-3 innings and Mark Teixeira hit a two-run homer to lead the Texas Rangers to a 2-0 victory over Seattle on Monday night, the Mariners' fifth straight loss.

Rheinecker (1-0), who was recalled from Triple-A Oklahoma earlier Monday, struck out six, walked one and had 13 groundball outs. The left-hander made his major league debut on April 22 — two runs and seven hits in four innings in a no-decision against Tampa Bay — and was 2-1 with a 3.26 ERA in nine starts for Oklahoma.

"I was a lot more confident going out there this time," Rheinecker said. "I wasn't as nervous. I had a lot of confidence in (catcher Rod) Barajas."

Seattle, shut out for a major league-high seventh time this season, got one runner as far as third base and that was in the ninth inning.

Rheinecker was acquired by the Rangers from the Oakland Athletics on March 31 in a three-way trade that also brought left-hander John Koronka to Texas from the Chicago Cubs.

Detailing areas of improvement from his debut, Rheinecker said, "Location, keeping the ball down and hitting spots. The minors ain't like this. You have to have command of every pitch at all times."

The Mariners, hitting .220 against left-handers, could only manage four singles against Rheinecker.

"He was outstanding," Rangers manager Buck Showalter said. "He was down in the zone with all four pitches. Everything was sinking."

Rheinecker hit Ichiro Suzuki leading off the ninth, then gave up a one-out single to Raul Ibanez and was lifted for Rick Bauer, who got two outs for his first save of the season and second of his career.

Showalter wanted to give Rheinecker a shot at a complete game, but the rookie had already thrown 110 pitches.

"I hoped he'd finish the game," Showalter said. "I asked (pitching coach) Mark Connor what he thought and he said, 'That's a tough one, Buck.'"

Pujols cranks 25th homer in 3-1 win

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Albert Pujols whiffed on his first opportunity to get the St. Louis Cardinals going, striking out on three pitches against Roy Oswalt with two men on to end the fifth inning.

His next time up, he gave the team what it has come to expect — a go-ahead three-run homer in the seventh to lift the Cardinals over the Houston Astros 3-1 Monday.

"He amazes a lot of people, but to us, it's just Albert," closer Jason Isringhausen said. "We don't know where we'd be without him."

The Cardinals rallied after six fruitless innings against Oswalt, pitching in St. Louis for the first time since the Astros' NL championship series clincher last fall. Jason Marquis worked seven strong innings for the NL Central leaders, who sent the Astros to their sixth loss in seven games.

"I got another chance, and I came through," Pujols said. "That's what it's all about, stay focused and get a good pitch to hit, and hopefully come through."

Aaron Miles singled off Trevor Miller

(0-1) to start the seventh and John Rodriguez coaxed a full-count walk with two outs ahead of Pujols, who hit his major league-leading 25th homer off Chad Qualls on a 2-0 pitch.

Pujols also leads the majors with 64 RBIs. He's the third-fastest to 25 homers, reaching it in 51 games while Barry Bonds required 47 in 2001 and Mark McGwire needed 50 in 1998. He's on pace for 79 homers and 203 RBIs.

"I don't concentrate on those numbers, I concentrate on making my plays and concentrate on coming through and winning some games," Pujols said. "If you concentrate on RBIs, home runs, batting average, anything like that, you're going to lose the focus you have."

Astros left fielder Chris Burke didn't think the ball was gone at first, camping under a spot well in front of the warning track for a few seconds before retreating to the wall. Neither did manager Phil Garner.

"I didn't think it was hit good at all," Garner said. "He's the hottest man on the planet with somebody in scoring position.

"At first it looked like it wasn't going to go out and then I think the god of baseball grabbed it and pushed it out."

Marquis (7-4) has won his last four starts and is 5-1 against the Astros the last two seasons.

He worked around early control problems that led to hit batters on consecutive pitches and to the Astros' lone run on Preston Wilson's infield hit in third. He struck out two, walked two and allowed only three hits.

Oswalt, who's 0-2 in his last five starts, left with a 1-0 lead with tightness in his right hamstring after holding the Cardinals to seven hits and a walk. He struck out five and stranded two runners in the first, fourth and fifth.

Oswalt said he hurt his hamstring on his first at-bat, a groundout in the third.

"It didn't really pull, it just kind of balled up on me and it tightened up pretty bad," Oswalt said. "Every inning after that it kind of got worse and worse."

"I could have pushed it one more inning but it was probably better to come out now than miss three or four starts."

Monday's Major League Linescores

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AMERICAN LEAGUE
New York 002 020 000 — 4 10 0
Detroit 000 000 000 — 0 2 1

RaJohnson, Villone (7), Farnsworth (9) and Posada; Bolderman, JWalker (8), Grilli (9) and IRodriguez. W—RaJohnson 7-4. L—Bolderman 5-4.

Chicago 403 012 001 — 11 14 0
Cleveland 000 000 000 — 0 2 0

JVazquez, Cotts (7), Nelson (9) and Pierzynski; CLee, JaDavis (3), Mota (6), Sauerbeck (9) and VMartinez. W—JVazquez 6-3. L—CLee 3-5. HRs—Chicago, Thome 2 (20), Konerko (15), Uribe (4).

Seattle 000 000 000 — 0 4 0
Texas 000 002 00x — 2 6 0

Washburn, Putz (8) and Johjima; Rheinecker, Bauer (9) and Barajas. W—Rheinecker 1-0. L—Washburn 3-6. Sv—Bauer (1). HR—Texas, Teixeira (6).

Boston 000 012 030 — 6 9 2
Toronto 002 400 01x — 7 11 0

Clement, Van Buren (4), Delcarmen (6), Riske (8), Foulke (8) and Varitek; Halladay, Downs (8), Speier (8), BRyan (8) and BMolina, Zaun (9). W—BRyan 1-0. L—Riske 0-1. HRs—Boston, MRamirez (12), Varitek (5), Crisp (1). Toronto, VWells (12), Overbay (8).

Kansas City 020 100 201 — 6 13 1
Oakland 010 010 101 — 4 9 2

Etherton, MWood (6), Gobble (7), JoPeralta (7), Burgos (9) and Buck; Haren, Keisler (7), Karsay (8), Flores

(9) and Kendall. W—Etherton 1-0. L—Haren 4-5. Sv—Burgos (6). HRs—Oakland, Swisher (15), Thomas (10).

Minnesota 001 200 000 00 — 3 8 1
LA 100 010 010 01 — 4 13 1

Radke, CSilva (7), JRincon (8), Crain (9) and Mauer; Lackey, FrRodriguez (9), Shields (11) and JMolina, Napoli (9). W—Shields 3-3. L—Crain 0-3. HR—Minnesota, Cuddyer (7).

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Los Angeles 430 101 003 — 12 15 0
Atlanta 010 040 000 — 5 11 3

Penny, Beigel (5), Broxton (7), DBaez (9) and Martin; Thomson, Cormier (2), Villarreal (6), McBride (8), Paronto (9) and Pratt. W—Beigel 2-0. L—Thomson 2-4. HR—Los Angeles, RMartinez (1).

Cincinnati 001 100 010 — 3 8 1
Chicago 200 101 21x — 7 13 0

ElRamirez, Mercker (7), RiWhite (8), Shackelford (8) and LaRue; Wood, Aardsma (7), Eyre (8), Dempster (8) and Barrett. W—Wood 1-1. L—ElRamirez 2-4. Sv—Dempster (9). HRs—Cincinnati, Dunn (17). Chicago, TWalker (3), Murton (4).

Houston 001 000 000 — 1 4 1
St. Louis 000 000 30x — 3 12 0

Oswalt, TreMiller (7), Qualls (7), Borkowski (8) and Ausmus; Marquis, Wainwright (8), Istringhausen (9) and GBennett. W—Marquis 7-4. L—TreMiller 0-1. Sv—Istringhausen (17). HR—St. Louis, Pujols (25).

San Francisco 000 000 100 — 1 5 0
Florida 000 102 20x — 5 8 0

Morris, Wilson (7), Accardo (8) and Matheny; Olsen, Kensing (8), Borowski (9) and Treanor. W—Olsen 3-3. L—Morris 3-6. HRs—San Francisco, Durham (4). Florida, Jacobs (6).

Milwaukee 200 001 000 — 3 11 1
Pittsburgh 501 202 04x — 14 18 0

DDavis, Gonzalez (4), Mabeus (7), Winkelsas (8) and DMiller; Duke, Capps (8) and Paulino. W—Duke 3-6. L—DDavis 3-4. HRs—Milwaukee, Fielder (9). Pittsburgh, JBautista (4), Castillo (5).

Washington 010 100 000 — 2 6 0
Philadelphia 110 003 51x — 11 13 2

O'Connor, Majewski (6), Eischen (7), Ramirez (7), SRivera (8) and Schneider, Fick (8); Lieber, Condrey (3), Cormier (7), Fultz (8), RFranklin (9) and Fasano. W—Condrey 1-0. L—O'Connor 2-3. HRs—Washington, Zimmerman (9). Philadelphia, Howard (18).

Colorado 030 000 110 — 5 10 0
San Diego 000 000 000 — 0 2 0

JJennings and Closser; Thompson, Brower (7), Sweeney (9) and Piazza. W—JJennings 3-5. L—Thompson 2-1. HRs—Colorado, Spilborghs (1), Holliday (12), Hawpe (11).

Arizona 100 210 300 — 7 9 0
New York 040 002 002 — 8 12 0

CVargas, Medders (7), LVizcaino (8), Valverde (9) and JEstrada; Trachsel, Heilman (7), Sanchez (9) and Lo Duca. W—Sanchez 2-0. L—Valverde 2-3. HRs—Arizona, Byrnes 2 (8), Tracy (9). New York, CFloyd (6), Valentin (3).

Catawba wins appeal

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Catawba College can keep its Indians nickname without penalties, having shown it has the support of the Catawba Indian Nation. But the NCAA ruled Tuesday the North Carolina school can use only the nickname Catawba Indians instead of Indians.

The decision means the North Carolina school will not be prohibited from hosting NCAA tournament games or using its nickname, mascot or imagery at NCAA championship events.

"Although the NCAA executive committee continues to believe the stereotyping of Native Americans is wrong, it recognizes that a Native American tribe is a distinct political community," NCAA senior vice president Bernard Franklin said. "Therefore, (it) respects the authority of the tribe to permit universities and colleges to use its name and imagery."

Franklin noted disagreements remained among tribal leaders whether the nickname Indians should be used at all. But in this case, Franklin said, the NCAA deferred to the Catawba tribe.

Two weeks ago, the NCAA added William & Mary to a list of eight offenders because the logo of the Virginia school includes two feathers even though it said the nickname Tribe was not necessarily

abusive, hostile or offensive.

In April, the NCAA denied an appeal by North Dakota to continue using its nickname Fighting Sioux even though one tribal leader sent a letter to the review committee in support of the nickname. Franklin noted then that another tribal letter sent a letter in opposition.

Five schools — Catawba, Central Michigan (Chippewas), Florida State (Seminoles), Mississippi College (Choctaws) and the University of Utah (Utes) — have won appeals after each showed it had the approval of local tribes to use the nickname.

Eight schools, including Illinois (Fighting Illini), still face sanctions.

Four of the violators — Arkansas State, Indiana University of Pennsylvania, McMurry University in Texas, and Newberry (S.C.) College — use the nickname Indians. The other schools still on the list are Alcorn State (Braves), North Dakota and William & Mary.

Five schools have changed or agreed to change their nicknames: Carthage College in Wisconsin, Chowan College in North Carolina, the University of Louisiana-Monroe, Midwestern State in Texas and Southeastern Oklahoma State.

Women's College Softball World Series

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At ASA Hall of Fame Stadium
Oklahoma City

Thursday, June 1

Game 1 — Arizona (49-10) vs. Oregon State (43-14), 1 p.m.
Game 2 — Texas (54-7) vs. Arizona State (52-13), 3 p.m.
Game 3 — Alabama (54-9) vs. Northwestern (47-13), 7 p.m.
Game 4 — Tennessee (58-10) vs. UCLA (48-7), 9 p.m.

Friday, June 2

Game 5 — Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 winner, 7 p.m.
Game 6 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 winner, 9 p.m.

Saturday, June 3

Game 7 — Game 1 loser vs. Game 2 loser, Noon
Game 8 — Game 3 loser vs. Game 4 loser, 2 p.m.
Game 9 — Game 6 loser vs. Game 7 winner, 7 p.m.
Game 10 — Game 5 loser vs. Game 8 winner, 9 p.m.

Sunday, June 4

Game 11 — Game 5 winner vs. Game 9 winner, 1 p.m.
Game 12 — Game 6 winner vs. Game 10 winner, 3 p.m.
Game 13 — Game 5 winner vs. Game 9 winner, 7 p.m., if necessary
Game 14 — Game 6 winner vs. Game 10 winner, 9 p.m., if necessary

Championship Series

(Best-of-3)
Monday, June 5
Game 1 — TBA, 8 p.m.
Tuesday, June 6
Game 2 — TBA, 8 p.m.
Wednesday, June 7
Game 3 — TBA, 8 p.m., if necessary

Heat

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"That was lovely," Wade said. "I haven't seen that since Orlando, when he was young. And slim."

Slim would also apply to Detroit's chances, at least based how other teams fared in this situation.

Teams taking 3-1 leads in the penultimate round — either the conference finals or division finals, as they were once known — have prevailed 40 times in 43 previous opportunities, and each of the last 16 teams with a 3-1 cushion reached the Finals.

"One play can change a game, one game can change a series," Pistons coach Flip Saunders said. "Basically, what we've got to do is come up with that play."

Those oh-so-resilient Pistons — who've rallied from 2-1 or 3-2 series deficits five times since 2003 — dug deep in Game 4 to erase a 14-point first-half hole, going on a 29-11 run over a 7-minute stretch capped by Rasheed Wallace's 3-pointer with 5:04 left in the third for a 57-53 lead.

Detroit managed only three more points in the quarter, and Wade hit two free throws with 1.5 seconds left to put Miami up 62-60 entering the fourth. The Pistons never led again; still, their confidence seems intact.

"I'll take this five," Rasheed Wallace proclaimed, "over any five in the world."

Maybe so, but his five is having

major trouble with Miami's best one.

Wade went nearly two full quarters without taking a shot, bottled a bit by Detroit's zone. He got rolling just in time.

With his team up by only one, Wade drove diagonally down the lane, leaped around McDiess, got fouled, tumbled toward the court and tossed the ball over his right shoulder in one motion — and scored, his three-point play putting Miami up 65-61.

And a jumper over Hamilton, in his face as the shot clock expired, gave the Heat a 69-63 lead with 9:27 left, prompting Wade — who says the fourth quarter is his time to take games over — to punch the sky.

"I'm just a kid. There's a kid inside of me who loves to play the game of basketball and is getting the opportunity to on the highest level," Wade said. "And I'm just trying to do my best job at it. ... Like I said, I'm just a kid in a candy store right now, having fun on one of the best teams in the NBA."

The celebration never ended the rest of the way, either, as the Heat continued rolling. Gary Payton's 3-pointer with 3:02 left pushed Miami's lead to 85-71, sealed the win — and pushed the two-time defending East champs to the brink of elimination.

"Now we have to play every game like it's our last," Prince said. "That's the only chance we have."

Notes: Prince had 11 of his 15 points in the first quarter. ... The Heat, who held a 50-16 points-in-the-paint edge in Game 3, only had a 30-26 margin in Game 4. ... Wade was 15-of-19 from the foul line.

FRENCH OPEN

Hingis makes successful return at Roland Garros

PARIS (AP) — Back at the French Open after a five-year absence, Martina Hingis says she's relaxed but hungry to win and better than before. She looked the part Tuesday, beating Lisa Raymond 6-2, 6-2.

The victory was the 32nd of Hingis' career at Roland Garros, but her first since being sidelined for three years by foot and ankle injuries.

"Somehow it didn't feel like it's that long," she said.

The five-time Grand Slam champion is seeded 12th and considered a title threat after winning last week at Rome, her first championship since returning to the tour in January.

She played at Roland Garros for the first time since losing to eventual champion Jennifer Capriati in the 2001 semifinals.

"Today I would probably beat the Martina back then," Hingis said. "I have weapons today — the brains and everything, experience and more mature. ... I'm really more relaxed now."

Her second-round match will be against Zuzana Ondraskova, who beat Julia Schruff 6-4, 6-2.

One potential semifinal opponent for Hingis was eliminated when No. 3-seeded Nadia Petrova lost. Two-time semifinalist Petrova, who won three clay-court tournaments this spring, was upset by Akiko Morigami 6-2, 6-2.

Morigami hit 26 winners to seven for Petrova. No. 5 Justine Henin-Hardenne began a bid for

her third title in four years by beating Maret Ani 6-3, 6-0. No. 10 Anastasia Myskina, a first-round loser last year after winning the 2004 title, defeated Sania Mirza 6-4, 6-1.

"I don't have any pressure at all," Myskina said. "So I just tried my best, and it worked."

No. 13 Anna-Lena Groenefeld, No. 15 Daniela Hantuchova and No. 19 Ana Ivanovic advanced in straight sets, as did Americans Jamea Jackson and Shenay Perry. No. 23 Tatiana Golovin of France lost to Zheng Jie 6-3, 7-6 (5).

On the men's side, No. 25 Gael Monfils of France won a matchup of 19-year-olds, beating Andy Murray 6-4, 6-7 (2), 1-6, 6-2, 6-2. Murray struggled after receiving treatment for a back injury midway through the match.

"It just feels real tight," Murray said. "I couldn't serve. It doesn't help when you're serving about 50 or 60 mph."

Murray said he expects to be fine for Wimbledon.

Monfils drew jeers from center-court fans in the fourth set when he argued at length about a line call.

"You know you're acting up a little bit when your own crowd is booing you," Murray said.

Monfils attributed his argumentative mood to nerves.

"When you're a bit tense, you really have this habit of wanting to be sure that the call was right," he said.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Wednesday, May 31, 2006:

Reach out for others. Be more direct this year, even if sometimes you feel uncomfortable with your words and actions.

You need to keep the lines of communication open. If you decide someone has really hurt your feelings, you will need to clear the air. If you are single, your communication style draws many people to you. Still, you might attract someone who seems to be withdrawn or emotionally unavailable. Use care in your choices. If you are attached, you might want to stay open even when you are upset or angry. Communication remains key to your success. LEO lights up your day.

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

★★★★ You are like a shiny dime. You cannot help but be noticed! Excess might go hand in hand with the moment, and you might not care. Remember, there is a tomorrow. Don't feel as if you have to discipline a child. Tonight: Suddenly serious

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★★ You might gain a new perspective or do something very differently. Good will follow if you are willing. Listen to a family member whose mood could swing from one position to another. Accept change. Tonight: Homework bound.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★★ You might go overboard or have very strong feelings. Evaluate before you respond or speak by listening and honoring your true self. You might want to

rethink a personal matter. A call could be very important to let someone know where you are coming from. Tonight: Talk away.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★ Investigate. Spending is always an issue. You tighten up the reins, but perhaps a little more so tomorrow. You might overly discipline yourself. Be reasonable, which translates to: Do not indulge in any extremes. Tonight: Pay bills.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★★ Your personality comes forth. You might want to think before you let someone know how stern you can be. Extremes mark your interactions, though you always come out on top. Be gentle with someone who is having a hard time. Tonight: Give up serious; welcome light.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★ Think carefully about what is going on. Indulge someone at a distance you really care about. This person needs to know you care. You don't have to make a big scene; you just need to express your integrity. Tonight: Read between the lines.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★★ Focus on what you want, not what can be. If you would like to relax and see a situation in a different light, you can. Don't get locked into pleasing someone as much as getting down to the basics. OK? Tonight: A talk with a special friend.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★★ Take your place at the head of the class. You might want to visualize and change directions. You have a lot going on. Be aware of what is happening with a boss or someone in your life who has clout. Tonight: A force to be dealt

with.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★★ If you pull back, gather information and stay on top of an issue, you will see events in a new perspective. Review news with an eye to sorting out emotions and taking a clear look. Tonight: Focus on a situation. You will find the solution.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

★★★★ You find someone a bit easier to question. You finally get answers, though you might be uncomfortable with them. Think through a decision with help. If you can, bond and work as a team. Togetherness works. Tonight: Allow someone to have his or her space.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

★★★★ You might want to think through what others ask and express. You are far more mellow and understanding than you have been in a while. Investigate news with an eye to perspective. Someone could be a bit down. Tonight: Work with others.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★★ Make time for a project. You might find that you run out of steam as the day gets older. Use the morning. Use your friendly style. Others respond strongly to your efforts. Know when to kick back. Listen to your energy. Tonight: Easy-chair time.

BORN TODAY

Actress Brooke Shields (1965), actor Tom Berenger (1949), actor Clint Eastwood (1930)

Jacqueline Bigar is on the Internet at <http://www.jacquelinebigar.com>.

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1 Public Notice

LEFORS ISD will be taking bids on a 1999 or newer 8 passenger + 2 wheelchair positions. 6.5 diesel, bus, automatic transmission, hydraulic brakes, front & rear air conditioning, white roof, seat belts, 73,000 miles or less. Bids need to be mailed to PO Box 390, Lefors, TX 79054 Attn: Garry Jameson. Bids will be opened at the regular Board Meeting on June 13, 2006.
E-48 May 23 thru June 6, 2006

5 Special Notices

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10 Lost/Found

LOST 300 blk Francis 2 mo. old female Samoyon Husky, white face, tan w/ black spots on tail. Call 662-4307. \$REWARDS

LOST between Pampa and Perryton on Monday, May 22. Medium size light brown dog, blind in right eye. 806-434-2783 or 806-202-3367.

14d Carpentry

Carpentry, Roofing, Replacement windows, steel siding & trim Jerry Nichols 669-9991, 662-8169

OVERHEAD DOOR REPAIR Kidwell Construction. Call 669-6347.

14c Carpet Serv.

NU-WAY Cleaning service, carpets, upholstery, walls, ceilings. Quality doesn't cost...It pays! No steam used. Bob Marx owner-operator. 665-3541, or from out of town, 800-536-5341.

14h Gen. Serv.

COX Fence Company. Repair old fence or build new. Free estimates. Call 669-7769.

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IS your House or Foundation Settling? Cracks in bricks or walls? Door won't close? Call Childers Brothers, Inc. Stabilizing & Foundation Leveling. 1-800-299-9563 or 806-352-9563 Amarillo.

Dale West Fence & Deck Sealing
Weather seal your fence or deck. Wash & seal your old fence or deck. Free estimates! 440-1581 or 665-7594

JH Concrete Work, slabs, sidewalks, driveways, additions, roofing, fences. Call Iv. msg., I will return your call aft 5:30 p.m. Free Est. 806-382-5408

14r Plowing/Yard

ALL types of yard work, plowing, haul off and landscaping. Clean up, tear down, flowerbeds, install fencing. Free estimates. 806-665-5529.

LAWN Mowing & Weed Eating. Dependable young man. 665-0572 for Brian or leave message.

LAWN mowing, fertilize & weed control. Also yard clean up & trash removal. Reasonable rates & ref. available. Call 440-6604, 664-1131

14s Plumbing/Heat

JACK'S Plumbing & Faucet Shop, 715 W. Foster, 665-7115. Faucets, plumbing supplies, new constr., repair, remodeling, sewer / drain cleaning, septic systems installed. Visa/MC

Larry Baker Plumbing Heating/Air Conditioning Borger Hwy. 665-4392

21 Help Wanted

NOTICE
Readers are urged to fully investigate advertisements which require payment in advance for information, services or goods.

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D.E. CHASE, INC.
1445 S. Barnes Pampa, Tx.
TRUCK DRIVERS WANTED

4 days on / 2 days off Medical & Dental Ins. Uniforms Monthly Safety Bonus Retirement Plan

Requirements: CLASS A CDL DOT Physical Tanker Endorsement

Must pass DOT Drug Screen
Apply in person NO PHONE CALLS!

SIVALLS Inc. is looking for welder fabricators. Welding and drug tests req. Benefits: health ins., profit sharing, 401K, 8 paid holidays and 10 days vacation per year. 806-665-7111, Pampa.

PART-TIME Day Cook's Helper is needed at St. Ann's Nursing Home, Panhandle. Must be able to work weekends. Info. 537-3194 Linda or Phyllis

FULL-TIME Cooks needed. Must be DEPENDABLE. Apply in person before after 2 pm., Texas Rose. No Phone calls!!

Dental Practice Office Assistant

Seeking a self-motivated individual for a growing dental practice. The right candidate will have strong skills in financial operations, general office duties and patient relations. Excellent pay based on experience. Opportunity for bonuses, retirement plan and paid vacation. Please apply in person with resume to:

Dr. Zoel G. Allen II
19 Southeast Fifth Ave.
Perryton, TX 79070

21 Help Wanted

EXP. Maintenance person needed. Must have own tools. Call to apply 665-4274 or 806-433-6939

PART-TIME, light house-keeping. Flexible 20-30 hrs. week. No weekends/holidays. Apply at Shepard's Helping Hands 819 W. Francis or call Nita at 665-9750.

IMMEDIATE opening for an ACCOUNTANT. Exc. benefits. Applications/resumes being accepted at W-B Supply Co., 111 Naida Street, P.O. Drawer 2479, Pampa, EOE.

SUBWAY now hiring for both locations. All positions avail. Apply in person 2141 N. Hobart or inside Wal-Mart, Pampa.

CNA'S needed-all shifts. Apply in person. No phone calls please. Pampa Nursing Center, 1321 W. Kentucky, Pampa.

OILFIELD pumper. Weekends, clean driving record. Lefors area. Replies-P.O. Box 52040, Amarillo, Tx. 75159-2040

Schwan's Home Service, Inc. (Schwan's) a leader in the frozen food industry for over 50 years, is looking for individuals with an entrepreneurial spirit who enjoy working with the public to come and join our fast paced, successful "Sales team"

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RN Weekend Supervisor, CNA's 2-10 shift, LVN, Floor Tech, Maintenance Man. Apply in person, Coronado Healthcare, 1504 W. Kentucky.

CHIROPRACTIC office is expanding our team. You can make the difference. Direct patient care position. On the job training. FAX RESUME TODAY: 665-0537

PART-TIME Evening Cook's Helper is needed at St. Ann's Nursing Home in Panhandle. Must be able to work weekends. Info. call 537-3194 ask for Linda or Phyllis.

Measurement Technician

Eagle Rock Energy has an immediate opening for experienced Measurement Technicians in the Eastern, Texas Panhandle. Successful candidates will perform a specialized level of work related to natural gas and natural gas liquids measurement and regulation. Responsibilities include: installing, testing and calibrating primary, secondary and tertiary devices; maintaining all equipment used for the testing of calibration of gas and liquid measurement, analytical, mechanical and electronic equipment; processing charts and updating reports. Qualifications required: 2-3 years experience in natural gas, natural gas liquids transmission, gathering or distribution pipeline system operations and related measurement and regulation systems. Experience reading and interpreting maps, blueprints, gauges and gas sample reports. Strong mathematical, analytical and communication skills. High school degree. Applicable driver's license. We offer a competitive starting salary and comprehensive benefits package.

For immediate consideration, please send resume with salary history to the attention of: Measurement Technician Position at:

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FORT Elliott CISD is needing an elementary teacher for 5th grade. Send resumes to: Carl baker, FECISD Superintendent, Box 138, Briscoe, TX 79011.

EXP. Caregivers needed. Call Visiting Angels, 806-353-3590.

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ROUSTABOUT and Floorhand. Apply at 1211 N. Price Rd., Pampa.

CONTROL Equipment Inc. has Kimray valve repair and wearhouse position. Apply at 1301 N. Price Rd., Pampa. 401K, paid vacation, ins.

FARM worker wanted in Candian, TX. Worker to build fences. Temporary employment from June 15, 2006 to April 15, 2007. \$10.00 per hour, 50 hr/wk 7am-5am, 1 position available. Adverse effect wages is \$10.00/hr. Employer guarantees employment for at least 3/4 of contract period. Work tools, supplies, and equipment are provided by employer, and free housing is provided to worker who cannot reasonably return to their permanent residence at the end of the work day. Transportation and subsistence and expenses to the worksite will be provided or paid by the employer upon completion of 50% of work contract, or earlier. Please send resume to nearest Workforce Development Agency. Reference Job Order #6627071.

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E-Mail lyndon@loydsauction.com LYNDON LOYD AUCTIONEERS (Lic. 7119) 806-826-5850 or 334-0407 Wheeler, Tx.

21 Help Wanted

BRITKARE Home Medical is now taking applications for a Customer Service Representative. Must have good personality and be very flexible. Requirements include having a good driving record, pass a physical, a drug screen, and willing to be oncall as scheduled. Please apply in person at 912 W. Kentucky, Pampa, TX. No phone calls please. EOE

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PICK up rental list from Gray Box on front porch of 125 S. Houston, Pampa. Update each Fri.

2 bedroom house in Pampa, 1 bath, detached garage. \$450 mo. Call cell # 806-584-1266

3 Bedroom, 1 1/2 Bath Brick, Travis Area Central Heat/Air, 2 stor. Bldgs. Realtor 665-5436.

2 bdr. home, 1 ba., washer/dryer hookups, fenced back yard, 448 Graham. Call 665-5473.

99 Stor. Bldgs.

TUMBLEWEED Acres, self storage units. Various sizes. 665-0079, 665-2450.

100 Rooms For Rent

DAVIS HOUSE 116 1/2 W. Foster 440-1066 Rooms \$70 wk., bills paid

102 Bus. Rent. Prop.

OFFICE Space for rent, ask about 3 months free rent. 669-6841.

LOWEST Rents in City! Downtown locations-stores, warehouses, rec. facilities. Call 665-4274.

OFFICE at 707 N. Hobart, 7 rooms, bath, c/h/a. 665-3458, Jannie Lewis, Broker.

103 Homes For Sale

Twila Fisher Century 21 Pampa Realty 665-3560, 440-2314 669-0007

1018 S. Faulkner, 2/1, Pampa, Owner Financing Available. Everyone qualifies, (806)745-4141

1032 S. Nelson, 2/1 Owner Financing Available. Everyone qualifies with a downpayment. (806)745-4141

1518 N. Faulkner, 3 br 1 ba, new roof & fence. Newly remodeled bathroom. Call 669-2320.

1917 Lea. Remodeled, 4-1 3/4-2 Nice yard, sprinkler. Appr. 2100 sf. Reduced Price. 669-6121.

1921 Lynn 3 bdr., 2 ba., 2 lrg. liv. areas, 2 fireplaces, new laminate floor, class 4 roof, cov. patio, deck, 2500 sf. \$150,000. 669-6964, 683-9114.

215 Houston, 2/1, Pampa, Completely Remodeled, Low, Low, Low payments. Everyone qualifies. (806)745-4141

421 N. Wells, 3/2, Pampa, Remodeled, Owner Financing, Low Down, Low payments, (806)745-4141

7 Acres, water well, manufactured home. Apr. 1430 sq. ft. 1 1/2 mi. from city limits. 806-662-5887

820 N. WEST, 2/1, Pampa, Owner Financing, Remodeled, Low down and Low payments, (806)745-4141

BY Owner 1922 Grape 2 story 4br, 3ba, dbl gar., sprinkler system, shop, stor. bldg, cellar, 2 liv. areas, ch&a 3,300 sq ft. 665-0365 for appt.

HOME Sites-Price Acres-\$30,000, 10 Acre plats. 5 Acres Bowers City Hwy.-\$10,000. Chaumont Bldg Sites. 826 W. Foster, \$17,500. Century 21, Pampa Realty 669-0007.

MAD? Banks don't give house loans due to credit problems, I do! LD Kirk Homeland Mortgages (254)947-4475

NEW BUILT HOME

1421 N. Christy, 1918sq. ft. Living, 4 br, 2 ba, 2 car gar., high ceilings, marble, hand texture, custom cabinets Ready late May! \$179,900.00. Giles Custom Homes Office 665-6470 Cell 662-0313

104 Lots

Pioneer days



Thirteen second and third grade students from Lefors ISD recently spent a day as pioneers. When asked if she wanted her picture taken, Annie Oakley, portrayed by Summer Seal, grabbed her "husband," Frank Butler, portrayed by Kyle Warner, for a quick pose. The class, taught by Ms. Sheila Barnes, ended their day by cooking and pulling old-fashioned molasses taffy.

OIL & GAS

Drilling Intentions

(Week ending May 11)

Intentions to Drill

GRAY (EAST PANHANDLE) Gruy Petroleum Mgmt. Co., PD 3200', for the following wells:

#3 Hudgins, 1200' from North & 860' from West line, Sec. 9,30,H&GN.

#3 Yoes, 1380' from South & 750' from West line, Sec. 4,—,BS&F.

HEMPHILL (ALLISON-PARKS Granite Wash) Devon Energy Production Co., L.P., Kiker, Sec. 15,Z-1, J. Poitevent Survey, PD 13900', for the following wells:

#1506, 1800' from South & 660' from East line of Sec.

#1507, 660' from North & 1980' from West line of Sec.

HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Forest Oil Corp., #3059A L.A. Johnson, 467' from North & 2000' from East line, Sec. 59,M-1,H&GN, PD 13500'.

HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Devon Energy Production Co., L.P., #22 Young '65', 2123' from North & 840' from East line, Sec. 65,A-2,H&GN, PD 12800'.

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & HEMPILL Douglas) Cordillera Texas, L.P., #5014 Flowers, 2320' from South & 660' from East line, Sec. 14,41,H&TC, PD 8300'.

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & N.W. MENDOTA Upper Morrow) Unit Petroleum Co., #1 Isaacs 'C', 2107' from North 2150' from West line, Sec. 196,C,G&MMB&A, PD 11250'.

ROBERTS (WILDCAT & SOUTH LEDRICK RANCH Upper Morrow) Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #801 Wilde, 660' from North & East line, Sec. 8,B,H&GN, PD 12000'.

ROBERTS (WILDCAT & N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) BP America Production Co., for the following wells:

#708 Flowers Trust, 467' from North & 1950' from West line, Sec. 8,—,BS&F, PD 11000'.

#802 J.C. Vollmert, 467' from South & 1559' from East line, Sec. 2,—,BS&F, PD 10900'.

ROBERTS (WILDCAT & N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) Gruy Petroleum Mgmt. Co., PD 11500', for the following wells:

#4060 Earp, 1885' from North & 120' from West line, Sec. 60,B-1,H&GN.

#5063 Mendota Ranch, 342' from North & 2301' from East line, Sec. 63,B-1,H&GN.

#6063 Mendota Ranch, 2441' from North & 1061' from West line, Sec. 63,B-1,H&GN.

ROBERTS (WILDCAT & ST. CLAIR Granite Wash) Questar E&P Co., #201 Christie Tipps, 1800' from South & 1200' from East line, Sec. 1,—,B&B, PD 10200'.

WHEELER (LOTT RANCH 14500') Chaparral Energy, L.L.C., #1 R.W. Brown, 1980' from South & East line, Sec. 8,—,CCSL, PD 13698'. Recompletion

WHEELER (WILDCAT & STILES RANCH Granite Wash) Newfield Exploration Mid-Con., Inc., #8 Britt Ranch '4', 2300' from South & 2000' from East line, Sec. 4,2,B&B, PD 15850'.

Oil Well Completion

ROBERTS (LARD RANCH Granite Wash) J-Brex Co., #B-3 Lonnie, Sec. 3,46,H&TC, spud 11-12-05, drlg. compl 11-30-05, tested 4-7-06, flowed 56.5 bbl. of 44 grav. oil + 5.8 bbls. water thru 16/64" choke on 24 hour test, GOR 9719, TD 8750', PBTB 8671' —

Gas Well Completions

HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Dominion Texas E&P, Inc., #13 Hemphill-Walser '11', Sec. 11,4,AB&M, spud 1-1-06, drlg. compl 1-18-06, tested 2-24-06, TD 13200'. PBTB 12909' —

HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #3 Thomas '47', Sec. 47,A-2,H&GN, spud 1-8-06, drlg. compl 1-28-06, tested 3-9-06, potential 19825 MCF, TD 12850', PBTB 12804' —

HEMPHILL (N.W. MENDOTA, S.W. Granite Wash) Unit Petroleum Co., #1 Isaacs 'B', Sec. 191,C,G&MMB&A, spud 11-22-05, drlg. compl 12-21-05, tested 3-3-06, TD 11250', PbtD 11060' —

WHEELER (ALLISON-PARKS Granite Wash) Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #1 Rogers '5', Sec. 5,5,RE,R&E, spud 11-29-05, drlg. compl 12-24-05, tested 2-15-06, potential 1869 MCF, TD 14200', PBTB 14156' —

WHEELER (B&B Atoka Granite Wash) Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #3 Britt Ranch '7', Sec. 7,2,B&B, spud 1-14-06, drlg. compl 2-10-06, tested 3-16-06, potential 1636 MCF, TD 14931', PBTB 14884' —

WHEELER (B&B Atoka Granite Wash) Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #2 Jones '31', Sec. 31,RE,R&E, spud 1-26-06, drlg. compl 2-15-06, tested 3-30-06, potential 519 MCF, TD 14350', PBTB 14303' —

WHEELER (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Samson Lone Star Ltd. Partnership, #1647 Hefley, Sec. 47,M-1,H&GN, spud 1-11-06, drlg. compl 2-2-06, tested 4-5-06, TD 13000', PBTB 12960' —

WHEELER (STILES RANCH Atoka) Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #1 Hagerman '21', Sec. 21,OS-2, C.E. Peterman, spud 1-7-06, drlg. compl 3-3-06, tested 4-13-06, potential 1936 MCF, TD 16300', PNTD 16265' —

***ROBERTS (RED DEER CREEK Granite Wash)** Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado, #1027 BFA Byrum, et al, Sec. 27,B-1,H&GN, spud 1-15-06, drlg. compl 2-5-06, tested 3-27-06, potential 3131 MCF, TD 11082', PBTB 10612' —

Plugged Wells

HUTCHINSON (PANHANDLE) WBD Oil & Gas, Inc., #1W C.E. Dunaway, Sec. 7,M-16,AB&M, spud unknown, plugged 4-19-06, TD 3209' (injection) —



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SEALY POSTUREPEDIC DESIGNED TO PROVIDE YOUR BODY WITH THE PROPER SUPPORT FOR A GOOD NIGHT'S REST

SEALY POSTUREPEDIC "SINCERITY" PLUSH

TWIN SET	\$499	QUEEN SET	\$649
FULL SET	\$599	KING SET	\$949

SEALY "SHILOH" PLUSH

TWIN SET	\$349	QUEEN SET	\$499
FULL SET	\$449	KING SET	\$699

SEALY POSTUREPEDIC "ADORNMENT" PILLOW TOP

TWIN SET	\$549	QUEEN SET	\$699
FULL SET	\$649	KING SET	\$999

SEALY "GLENNA" FIRM

TWIN SET	\$249
FULL SET	\$349
QUEEN SET	\$399

SEALY "ROCCO" PILLOW TOP

TWIN SET	\$449
FULL SET	\$549
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