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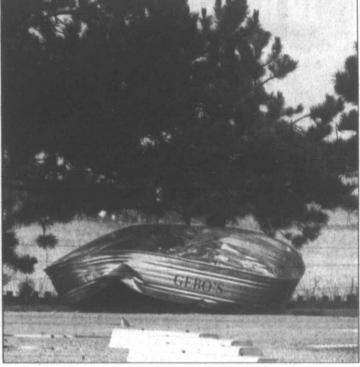


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High winds associated with a severe thunderstorm that passed through the Pampa area Friday evening damaged trees and structures. The tree at left was seen along Gwendolyn Street near Price Road. The water tank at right was damaged as it was blown across Price Road from Gebo's to the north edge of Curtis Well Service's offices, where it came to rest against an evergreen tree. Power poles, residences and other structures were also damaged Friday, and a number of Pampa and Lefors residents were without electricity for up to 24 hours after the event.

## Damaging storm leaves residents without electricity

By MARILYN POWERS
Staff Writer

High winds from a severe thunderstorm which moved across Gray County Friday evening left more than a thousand Xcel Energy customers without electricity for up to 24 hours, while damage to trees, residences and other structures was also reported

The traffic lights at the intersection of Kentucky and Hobart streets were not working Friday evening after the storm as a result of the power outage. Fifteen power poles, seven of them within Pampa city limits, were damaged by the winds, said Wes Reeves, senior representative for Xcel in Amarillo.

Two substations were involved in the loss of power to Gray County residents Friday evening, Reeves said.

One in Pampa resulted in 1,280 customers losing power in one area, plus other customers scattered in other areas of town. The other substation serves Lefors, and some Lefors residents as well as rural residents in the Lefors area lost electricity due to the storm, Reeves said.

As of press time today, Clarendon College -- Pampa Center was still having trouble with their electrical power, due to damage at the college and to a continued outage on Xcel's part, Reeves said.

Most customers who had lost power, including the rural customers, had had their electricity restored by 5 p.m. Sunday, Reeves said.

"We appreciate the patience of the residents of

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Photo by LaGWENDA WALKER

Kasey Garrison and Jimmy Lawler, left, employees of Bob Douthit Wrecker Service, pull an 18-wheeler upright after it was blown over during Friday's storm on Airport Road near Perry LeFors Airport. DPS Trooper Junior Ortiz

# Autopsy to determine cause of Pampa woman's death

By MARILYN POWERS
Staff Writer

A Pampa woman's death is still under investigation after Pampa Police Department and Pampa Fire Department were called to her residence at 2:13 p.m. Friday.

The body of Tracie Elizabeth Vaughn, 30, of Pampa was found at her home in the 1600 block of North Hamilton. The death is currently under investigation, and an autopsy has been ordered, said Lt. Stephanie Raymond of PPD.

"There was no sign of foul play,"

Raymond said.

Vaughn did not appear to have died as the result of a fire at her home, as had been reported by other media.

"We were never dispatched to a fire. We were dispatched to a medical assist," said PFD Chief Kim Powell.

"She had been down for some time. The family was there," Powell said.

It appeared that Vaughn had placed her purse on her stove and the purse had caught fire some time before she died, Raymond said. Vaughn was able to extinguish the fire by placing the purse in the kitchen sink.

Police theorize that she may have then locked her cats in the bathroom in order to open the front door to ventilate the home after the small fire. The fire did not appear to be connected with Vaughn's death, although no cause of death has been established pending autopsy results.

"Tracie was one of the most gracious people and one of the most caring Child Protective Services workers I've ever met in my life," said Lt. Joe B. Hoard of Gray

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# Officials seek dog that may be rabid

By DENNIS SPIES Editor

Pampa animal control officials are looking for a dog that bit a person Saturday morning.

Sandy Burns, supervisor of the animal shelter, described the dog as black, medium size, short hair with short, stand-up ears and was possibly wearing a blue collar.

The incident took place between 9 and 9:30 a.m. Saturday one block from Woodrow Wilson Elementary, which is in

the 800 block of East

Browning, Burns said.

"We would like help in finding this dog so the person who was bitten does not have to undergo rabies treatment," she said.

If the dog is not found, rabies treatment will have to begin on June 27 since it has to begin within 10 days of the bite.

"It was a pretty serious bite," Burns said.

Anyone having information about this dog is asked to call Burns at 669-5775.



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#### **Obituaries**

#### **Olivia Anne Carver**

Olivia Anne Carver, infant, died Saturday, June 17, in Pampa.

Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday, June 20, 2006, at Fairview Cemetery, with Deacon Barnabas Radke of St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Survivors include her parents, Marisela Rodriguez and Johnny Carver, both of Pampa; maternal grandparents, Frank and

Mary Rodriguez, of Pampa; paternal grandparents, Tommy and Lolly Carver of Pampa; maternal great-grandparents, Martina Lopez of Pampa, and Isidoro and Odelia Rodriguez of Weslaco; and paternal great-grandparents, Lupe and Jesus Velasquez of Pampa.

The family requests memorials be to St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, 810 W. 23rd, Pampa, Texas 79065.

Gray County

Weather

Today: Mostly sunny and

Tonight: Mostly clear,

with a low around 70.

Windy, with a south wind

Tuesday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 95. Windy,

with a south southwest wind

cloudy, with a low near 65.

Windy, with a south wind

cloudy, with a high near 93.

South southwest wind

cloudy, with a low around

67. South wind between 15

with a high near 90. South

wind between 10 and 15

Thursday Night: Partly

cloudy, with a low around

69. Windy, with a south

wind between 20 and 25

Wednesday Night: Partly

Thursday: Partly cloudy,

Partly

Tuesday Night: Partly

hot, with a high around 97.

Windy, with a south wind

between 20 and 25 mph.

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Wednesday:

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register the online www.carmichael-whatley.com

#### Services tomorrow

CARVER, Gwendolyn Louise - Graveside services 4 p.m., Memory Gardens Cemetery. CARVER, Olivia Anne - Graveside services 10 a.m., Fairview Cemetery. MEARS, James C. – 2 p.m., Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel.

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#### Tracie Elizabeth Vaughn, 30, died Friday, employed at the Baten Unit where she was a

Tracie Elizabeth Vaughn, 30

June 16, 2006, in Pampa.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday, June 21, 2006, at Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel, with Arvia Willingham, Church of Christ minister, officiating.

Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral

Directors. Miss Vaughn was born July 4, 1975, in Lubbock. She has been a lifelong resident of Pampa where graduated from Pampa High School in 1993. She received a B. Vaughn



S. degree in sociology and a minor in criminal justice at Southwestern Oklahoma State University in 1998. She was employed as a social worker at CPS from 2000-2003. She currently was

parole officer. She was a member of the First Baptist Church, and of environmental organizations. She was an avid writer and a lover of animals and music.

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Survivors include her parents, Mike and Rebecca Vaughn of Pampa; one sister, Kimberly Vaughn of Pampa; a brother-inlaw, Chris House; her maternal grandmother, Pat Griffin of Pampa; aunts and uncles, Jo Walker of Amarillo, Betty and Brad Bradford of Pampa, Llwlyn Walker, David and Judy Vaughn, and Larry and Donna Vaughn, all of Lubbock, Joyce and Pete Boehler of Oklahoma City, Lanelle and Wyman Owens of Bonham, Texas, and Pat Clifton of Mobile, Alabama; a nephew, Grayson M. Vaughn of Pampa; and many cousins.

The family requests memorials be to CASA of the High Plains, 600 W. Francis, Pampa, Texas 79065.

Sign the online register www.carmichael-whatley.com

#### **Gwendolyn Louise Carver, 87**

Gwendolyn Louise Carver, 87, died Toni of Waskom, Brian Butler of Glendale, Sunday June 18, 2006, in Pampa.

Graveside services will be at 4 p.m. Tuesday, June 20, 2006, at Memory Gardens Cemetery, with the Rev. Carl Novian, associate pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Carver was born March 30, 1919, in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. She had been a resident of Pampa since 1940. She married Fred A. Carver on May 27, 1940, in Canadian. He preceded her in death in 1958. She worked at Bob Clements, Inc. for more than eight years as a tailor. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Pampa. She was a great sister and a fun loving aunt. She had a great sense of humor.

Survivors include a sister, Mary Puckett of Pampa; two nieces, Sharon L. Thompson and Naomi Hulme, both of Plano; three great-nephews, Don Thompson and wife

James C. Mears, 59, was found dead on

Services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday, June

20, 2006, in Carmichael-Whatley Colonial

Chapel with Ty Jones, minister of the

Amarillo Cowboy Church, officiating.

Cremation and arrangements are by

Bryan, Texas, and was a 1965 graduate of

Mr. Mears was born May 10, 1947, in

Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

June 16, 2006, in Hemphill County.

California, and Christopher Puckett of Amarillo' two great-nieces, Tammy Burdett and husband Steve of Amarillo, and Mary Rush and husband R. J. of Mesa, Arizona; six great-great-nephews, Sgt. Jared Thompson and wife Dana of Quantico, Virginia, Kyle Thompson of Waskom, Brent Burdett and Brady Burdett, both of Amarillo, and Zachary Bartley and Hunter Rush, both of Mesa, Arizona; and two great-greatnieces, Lindsey Thompson of Waskom and Brianna Burdett of Amarillo.

The family wishes to thank Coronado HealthCare Center of Pampa and Odyssey HealthCare of Amarillo for their care of Mrs. Carver.

The family requests memorials be to American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 2680, N. Canton, Ohio 44720.

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

#### James C. Mears, 59

Survivors included his wife, Susie Mears of the home; one daughter, Jamie Mears of Pampa; one son, Joseph Mears of Pampa; one stepdaughter, Katie Hennig of Pampa; one stepson, Zach Mabry of Pampa; his stepmother, Marion Mears of Pampa; one sister, Nancy Skeen of Amarillo; four brothers, Jackie Mears and Ronnie Mears, both of Pampa, Bobby Mears of Lubbock, and John Martin Mears of Gunnison, Colo.; one stepsister, Debbie Griffin of Fritch; two stepbrothers, Mark Trevathan and Tim Trevathan, both of Pampa; three grandchil-

dren; and four stepgrandchildren. The family requests memorials be to Pampa High School Rodeo Club, c/o Robert Douglas, 11646 County Road D, Pampa, TX

the online register Sign www.carmichael-whatley.com

#### Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Attebury Grain of White Deer.
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Cabot Oil Gas41.50	-0.81	
Coca Cola 43.15	-0.06	
VLO 58.91	-1.09	
HAL73.45	-0.98	
TRI 39.79	+0.07	
KMI99.51	-0.48	
XCEL18.99	-0.23	
Kerr McGee 50.45	-0.88	
XOM 58.53	-0.27	
Nat'l Oilwell 59.88	-1.06	
Limited 25.89	+0.09	
Williams 21.26	-0.43	
MCD 33.06	-0.08	
Atmos 26.44	-0.21	
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Midland High School in Midland. He came to Pampa in 1994 from Miami. He married Susie Mabry on April 30, 2005, in Pampa. He worked for Cabot Machinery, IRI, and National Oilwell for the past 32 years. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army during

the Vietnam War. He attended the Amarillo Cowboy Church. Mr. Mears was very active with the Pampa High School Rodeo Club for several years. He was preceded in death by

his father, John Carter Mears.

## **Emergency Services**

#### Pampa PD

Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents for the 72-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Twenty-three traffic stops were made, resulting in at least five arrests.

Traffic complaints were received from the intersection of Highways 60 and 70, the 300 block of North Sumner, the intersection of Duncan and Harvester streets, the intersection of Hobart Kentucky and streets, the 2100 block of

Gwendolyn, the 1300 block of West Kentucky, the 1100 block of Perry, the 400 block of East 17th, the intersection of Somerville and Wells streets, the 1000 block of East Denver, the 600 block of East Craven, and the 800

block of East Campbell. Vehicle accidents were reported in the 1400 block of North Hobart, the 2800 block of Charles, the intersection of Dwight and Worrell streets, the intersection of Duncan and 25th streets, and the intersection of Perryton Parkway and

Hobart streets.

An abandoned vehicle was reported in the 300 block of West 30th.

Animal complaints were received from the 800 block of South Barnes, the intersection of Somerville and Sumner streets, the 1600 block of North Hamilton, the 1000 block of North Christine, the 1500 block of North Zimmers, the 700 block of East Craven, the 1000 block of South Sumner, One Medical Plaza, the

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intersection of 18th and Fir streets, the 500 block of East 17th, and the 700 block of South Barnes.

Found property was reported in the 1400 block of North Russell. A 15-speed bicycle was found.

Welfare checks were made in the 1400 block of North Hobart and the 1800 block of Fir.

Agency assistance was rendered at the intersection of Loop 171 and Highway 273, the 1700 block of West Kentucky, the 1600 block of North Somerville, and the 1000 block of North Sumner.

An unattended death was reported in the 1600 block of North Hamilton.

One suicide attempt was reported.

Civil matters were reported in the 900 block of South Hobart and twice in the 400 block of North Nelson.

Violation of a city ordinance was reported in the 1500 block of North Sumner.

A silent/abusive 911 call was received from the 1100 block of Prairie Drive.

A prowler was reported in the 2300 block of North Christine.

Suspicious person calls were received from the intersection of Tyng and Cuyler streets, the 1200 block of North Hobart, and the 600 block of North Sumner.

Disorderly conduct was reported in the 1600 block of North Somerville, the police department lobby, the intersection of Campbell and Talley streets, the 500 block of North Sumner, and the 800 block of North Nelson.

Criminal mischief and stalking were reported in the police department lobby.

Criminal trespass was Perryton Parkway, the police department lobby, and the 400 block of North Nelson.

Harassment was reported in the 1100 block of North Frost and the 1100 block of Darby

A domestic disturbance was reported in the 1600 block of West Somerville.

Assault was reported in the 600 block of Doucette, the 1100 block of Duncan, and the police department lobby.

Assault with a deadly weapon was reported in the 1100 block of Neel Road. Windows were broken out of a front door.

Aggravated assault with a deadly weapon was reported in the police department

lobby. Three burglar alarms were

reported. One open door was

checked.

Theft was reported in the 2200 block of North Wells and the 1000 block of North Sumner.

Theft was reported in the 1000 block of North Sumner. A cell phone was

Theft was reported in the 2400 block of Comanche. A bicycle valued at \$125 was taken.

Theft was reported in the police department lobby. Checks, money and credit cards were taken. Estimated value of loss is \$1,556.55.

Burglary was reported in the 1000 block of South Nelson. A couch, box spring and mattress were taken. Estimated value of loss is \$250.

Unauthorized use of a motor vehicle was reported in the 400 block of North Nelson

Forgery and minor in possession of alcohol were reported in the 300 block of West Harvester.

#### Sheriff

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

Saturday, June 17 Krissy Lee Dennis, 41, of Pampa was arrested by

Pampa Police Department on a capias pro fine for possession of drug parapherna-

Sunday, June 18

Tariq Carter, 24, of Pampa was arrested by PPD for forgery of a financial instru-

Nerissa Perry, 20, of Pampa was arrested by PPD for minor in possession of alcohol and running a stop

Oscar Benito Lopez, 29, of Wheeler was arrested by Texas Department of Public Safety for driving while intoxicated, third or more offense.

Richard Rybold, 38, of Pampa was arrested by PPD for running a stop sign and failure to maintain inancial\_ responsibility.

Jonathan Ray Rodriguez, 21, of Memphis was arrested by GCSO on a probation violation for theft over \$50 and under \$500.

Lee Galaviz Rodriguez, 29, of Pampa was arrested by PPD on a capias pro fine for no valid driver's license.

#### Fire

Pampa Fire Department reported the following calls during the weekend period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Saturday, June 17

7:15 p.m. -- One unit and three personnel responded to a vehicle accident at Hobart and Perryton Parkway. There were no injuries and no HazMat.

7:50 p.m. -- One unit and three personnel responded to a medical assistance call in the 2300 block of North

8:14 p.m. -- One unit and four personnel responded to a medical assistance call in the 1100 block of Kingsmill. Sunday, June 18

10:33 a.m. -- One unit and three personnel responded to a lifting assistance call in the 1100 block of South Dwight.

12:55 p.m. -- One unit and reported in the 2500 block of four personnel responded to a lifting assistance call in the of North 200 block

14:32 p.m. -- One unit and two personnel investigated a report of arcing power lines in the 1300 block of Stark

#### Ambulance

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

Friday, June 16

8:58 a.m. – A mobile ICU responded to the 600 block of Nelson and transported a patient to Pampa Regional Medical Center.

10:36 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 1800 block of Hamilton and transported a patient to PRMC.

2:14 p.m. – A mobile ICU responded to the 1600 block of Hamilton. No transport.

5:42 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 1400 block of West Somerville. No transport.

Saturday, June 17

12:29 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 1800 block of Fir. No transport.

Big haul



Pampa News photo by MICHAEL J. STEVENS

home park

blown down.

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Kentucky Street were

reportedly damaged as a

result of the winds, as were

buildings at Caprock

Apartments, where shin-

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off, windows of a vehicle

and an apartment were

broken, and fencing was

and twisted as it was lifted

over the fence at the store

and blown across Price

Road to land against ever-

green trees at Curtis Well

an inch of precipitation as

a result of the thunder-

Pampa received .49 of

A water tank at Gebo's

West

Korbin Ramirez, 10, a fifth grader at Lamar Elementary, displays the merchandise he won last week at the Pampa Band Boosters Carnival. He was so successful that at least one vendor asked him to not return.

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that area," he said.

The Pampa damage appeared to be mainly in the western portion of town, especially the area around the CC-PC campus, Reeves said.

Radar images of the on Price Road was bent storm at 4:50 p.m., the time damage occurred in the Pampa area, indicated straightline winds at 70 to 80 miles per hour, according to The Weather Underground's web site.

Numerous instances of structure damage were reported, including a number of tree limbs and trees downed. Fences and roofs were blown down or blown off, and signs were dam-

A tractor-trailer rig near Pampa was reported to have been blown over by the high winds. Several of the homes at a mobile

Sunday, June 18

7:47 a.m. – a mobile ICU responded to the 1300 block of West Kentucky and transported a patient to PRMC.

8:43 a.m. – A mobile ICU responded to Hilton Drive and transported a patient to

10:17 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 200 block of North Dwight and transported a patient to PRMC.

12:47 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 200 block of North Faulkner. No transport.

8:10 p.m. – A mobile ICU responded to PRMC and transported a patient to BSA

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County Sheriff's Office. Funeral services will be at p.m. Wednesday at Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Vaughn was born in Lubbock and was a lifelong resident of Pampa. She graduated from Pampa High School in 1993 and received a Bachelor of Science degree Southwestern Oklahoma State University in 1998. She was a member of First Baptist Church and an employee of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice's Baten Unit. She was a CPS worker from 2000 to 2003.

Survivors include her parents, Mike and Rebecca Vaughn of Pampa; one sister, Kimberly Vaughn of Pampa; and a grandmother, Pat Griffin of Pampa.

The family requests memorials be to CASA of the High Plains, 600 W. Francis, Pampa, TX 79065.

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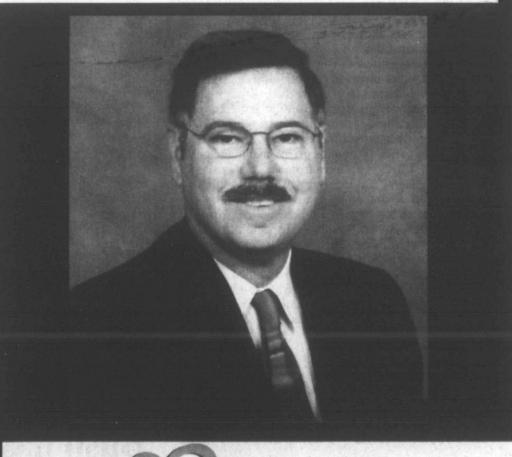


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# Viewpoints

## It's time to put an end to the death tax

America is the land of opportunity. Since the formation of our republic, hardworking men and women in search of a better life have arrived on our shores, inspired by the hope that they would one day pass the fruits of their labor on to their children and grandchildren. This is the American dream.

The death tax walks away from the American dream. Instead of rewarding hard work and saving, it interferes with freedom and free enterprise. Many of the members in Congress know this is true, and we are making progress in eliminating the un-American death tax per-

wheels of progress often turn slowly, and in the Senate a majority of my colleagues and I were recently prevented by a minority of senators from moving forward.

Under the Tax Relief Act of 2001, the death tax has been gradually phased out, with a full repeal scheduled for 2010. However, the death tax is slated to return in 2011, when the government once again will seize up to of 55 percent of savings that should rightfully be passed on to children and grandchildren. This is fundamentally wrong on both moral and economic grounds, and it breaks up family farms and businesses.

To combat the death tax's

Time to Bury the Death manently. Unfortunately, the unwelcome return, I cosponsored a Senate bill that would repeal it permanently. House Representatives has already passed a bill that would put the death tax to rest once and for all, but the Senate ver-

> bill is being **Kay Bailey** held up by Hutchison technical procedures.

U.S. Senator The rules the

Senate allow for

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unlimited debate on a topic. This tactic, known as a filibuster, can prevent bills from ever being put to a final vote. The only way to stop a filibuster is to have 60 votes in favor of ending debate, or invoking cloture. Compared to the simple majority of 51 votes that are required to pass a bill, it is often challenging to pass legislation when 60 votes, not 51, are required.

This is exactly what happened in the Senate on

> June regarding death the tax. I was joined by 56 senators in

voting for cloture, but we fell three votes short. We intend to try again and convince three senators allow the bill to

Death tax proponents contend that it affects only a

small percentage of the population – the super-wealthy. In reality, the most affluent people are able to afford teams of attorneys and accountants to carefully navigate estate tax laws to minimize the exposure of their assets and estates. Those most affected by the death tax are not the super-wealthy but the ranchers, farmers and small-business owners whose primary assets are land, property and inventory.

Often, the only way for families to pay the death tax is to sell the land or business. Only 30 percent of all family-owned businesses are passed down to a second generation, and only 13 percent reach a third generation. These property and business

owners have paid taxes on this property every year income, capital gains and real estate taxes. To doubleor triple-tax them upon their death is a final insult to a life of hard work.

When businesses are sold to pay taxes, the employees lose their jobs. This tax disrupts more people than the family forced to sell; it affects the livelihoods of the families who work for and supply the property that is sold.

Texans know the difference between right and wrong, and the death tax is wrong. I will not give up this fight until the true American dream is restored and the death tax is dead once and for all.

## Today in History

By The Associated Press

Today is Monday, June 19, the 170th day of 2006. There are 195 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On June 19, 1865, Union troops commanded by Maj. Gen. Gordon Granger arrived in Galveston, Texas, with news that the Civil War was over, and that all slaves were free. (The anniversary of this celebration is called "Juneteenth.") On this date:

In 1586, English colonists sailed from Roanoke Island, N.C., after failing to establish England's first permanent settlement in America.

In 1862, slavery was outlawed in U.S. territories.

In 1910, Father's Day was celebrated for the first time, in Spokane, Wash.

'To seek fulfillment is to invite frustration."

> — Jiddu Krishnamurti Indian author and philosopher (1895-1986)

In 1917, during World War I, King George V ordered the British royal family to dispense with German titles and surnames. The family took the name "Windsor."

In 1934, the Federal Communications Commission was created; it replaced the Radio Federal Commission.

In 1953, Julius and Ethel Rosenberg, convicted of conspiring to pass U.S. atomic secrets to the Soviet Union, were executed

at Sing Sing Prison in Ossining, N.Y.

In 1964, the Civil Rights Act of 1964 was approved by the Senate, 73-27, after surviving a lengthy filibuster.

In 1982, in a case that galvanized the Asian-American community, Vincent Chin, a Chinese-American, was beaten to death outside a nightclub in Highland Park, Mich., by two autoworkers who later received probation for manslaughter.

In 1986, University of Maryland basketball star Len Bias, the first draft pick of the Boston Celtics, suffered a fatal cocaine-induced seizure.

In 1986, artificial heart recipient Murray P. Haydon died in Louisville, Ky., after 16 months on the manmade pump.

Ten years ago: Chief executives from seven states, police, state attorneys general and members of Congress met with President Clinton at the White House to discuss ways of stopping the recent torching of black churches. New York City police announced that a shooting suspect in custody had been linked to the "Zodiac" shootings that terrorized New Yorkers in the early 1990's.

Five years ago: Strapped to the same padded gurney on which Oklahoma City bomber Timothy McVeigh died, drug kingpin Juan Raul Garza received a chemical injection and became the second inmate in eight days to be executed by the U.S. government.

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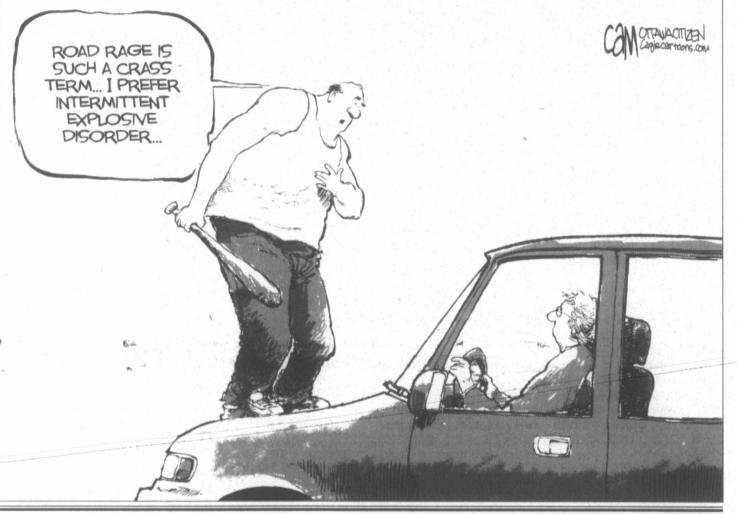
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## San Diego voters' message to George W.

The other day I watched President Bush making the case for immigration reform in an appearance on the border in New Mexico. He made a persuasive case for tightening border security and even for a temporary guest-worker program, and I'm sure he was right on the same page with the majority of his fellow Americans.

Then he spoiled it all when he climbed out on a limb and put himself at odds with America by sticking to his demand for enacting the Senate's socalled comprehensive immigration reform, which most everybody else calls a program for amnesty.

Just how far out on that limb he went became evident when the voters of San Diego sawed it off by defying the liberal media and electing Brian Bilbray to Congress. He was involved in the fight of his life, seeking to fill the unexpired term of former Republican Rep. Duke Cunningham, now in the slammer for wholesale acceptance of bribes.

The voters in his district were just

itching to teach the GOP a lesson for saddling them with a congressman who did everything but put a for-sale sign on his office door. They would either vote against Bilbray or not vote at all simply because he was the GOP standard bear-

> Michael Reagan Columnist



It didn't happen that way. Bilbray won, and he won because he was on the right side of the immigration issue. He stood for tough border enforcement and he opposed the Senate bill the president

has gone all-out to get enacted. His Democrat opponent, school teacher Francine Busby, was on G.W.'s side - she backed the Senate bill and that became the main issue in the cam-

The point of all this is the president's utter failure to understand how the majority of Americans feel. They are single-minded about the issue - they want the border sealed tight against the flood of illegal aliens pouring across the border.

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Moreover, they know that the Senate bill is loaded with such absurdities as giving Social Security benefits to illegals who use forged documents to gain employment.

By insisting on an all-or-nothing approach the President runs the risk of ending up with nothing and also costing his party control of the Congress in the November elections. That's what the voters of San Diego made clear Tuesday. Is he listening?

Mike Reagan, the eldest son of the late President Ronald Reagan, is heard on more than 200 talk radio stations nationally as part of the Radio America Network.

## Bush has created a virtual terrorism factory

Terrorism is a tactic, not an entity, and it is a tactic used by people who have a political grievance. Therefore, if you want to eliminate terrorism, you have to address the political problems that gave it birth.

President Bush has made no effort to do this. He has aggravated the situation and made it worse. He's created a virtu-

al factory for terrorists. I am a firm believer that what you sow you reap, and it is a bad business to sow hatred, but unfortunately it seems that our president has been seduced by the great power he commands. He thinks the military and the intelligence community can solve the problem of

He should note carefully the situation with Israel. Since 1947, the Israelis have been trying to use force instead of diplomacy to solve the Palestinian

problem. And what is that problem? The Zionists, encouraged by the British, planted a colonialist country in Palestine with no regard for the rights or wishes of the Palestinian people.

> Charley Reese Columnist



Just as the Jews used terrorism to drive the British out of Palestine, the Palestinians have been forced to resort to it, and for 59 years the Israelis have been trying to kill their way out of it. It

hasn't worked. The president's statement that the terrorists "hate freedom" was just a cart 2446, Orlando, FL 32802.

full of cow pies. What they hate is our Middle East policy. When the Palestinians held a free

election and didn't elect the corrupt group of men we wanted, we took our marbles and went home and pouted. We added to the misery of the

Palestinians. We proved ourselves hypocrites, because a key element of democracy is to recognize the results of a free election. The president refuses to do that. For decades, we have denied the Palestinians the protection of international law by vetoing every United Nations resolution that sought to correct the wrongs committed by Israel.

We should pull out of the Middle East and adopt a fair and just attitude toward the Palestinians. Otherwise, we are risking disaster.

Write to Charley Reese at P.O. Box

## Dear Abby...

By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: I have been married to "John" for 18 years. We have two children. Four years ago, he found out that he has a son a year and a half older than our oldest. My children welcomed "Ricky" and so did I. Now the problem: John wants us to treat Ricky like family, but Ricky doesn't have to treat us like family. We never hear from this child; only my husband talks to him. When Ricky visits, John waits on him hand and foot and acts like the perfect father. He pretends he doesn't hear Ricky make rude comments about me and my children. Ricky can tell John that one of my children -- or I -- said something to upset him, and it is automatically our fault, no questions asked. If Ricky wants money, I am not consulted. I am told we are sending it -regardless of the amount. I understand John may feel guilty for not being in Ricky's life all those years, but that's not our fault. I think that if Ricky doesn't accept us, then we should be left out of it. But when he comes here, John wants us all to be present. Why should we be there for the rude comments? If I say anything about it, John says I don't love his child. I no longer say anything when he visits, afraid of being yelled at for not being "fair" to Ricky. I can't get John to see that my children and I want to be part of both their lives, but without walking on eggshells. Help! - TRYING TO UNDERSTAND IN ARIZONA

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**DEAR TRYING:** You have already been far more tolerant than many spouses would have been. When John accused you of not "loving" his child, you should have responded: "You have made it very hard for any of us to love him because you tole erate his rudeness to me and our children. And further, I don't like the person you become when he's around." Yes, your hus

band may be overcompensating for the years he never knew the boy existed, but has it occurred to you -- and John -- that perhaps the boy is punishing you for having "had" his father all those years, not to mention manipulating John? Before this unhealthy situation goes further, I strongly recommend that you, your husband and Ricky have some sessions with a mental health professional who specializes in family therapy. Your marriage could depend on

DEAR ABBY: I am a 25-year-old female who is frustrated with people asking me about my love life. I am successful at work, own my own car and home, and have a great social circle. When I'm talking with both males and females during introductions, one thing always comes up. "You're too pretty to be single! I'm sure you can hook a man." I don't know how to respond politely to this. I have gone on many dates where men become obsessive and controlling, and I end it very quickly at the first signs of this behavior. What should I say to people who keep inquiring about my love life? I feel they are trying to measure my success as a person by my marital status. -- SINGLE AND SUCCESSFUL IN

DEAR SINGLE AND SUCCESSFUL: When someone tells you you're too pretty to be single, respond by smiling and saying "thank you." (I'm sure it's intended as a compliment.) And when they comment about your ability to "hook" a man, tell them that's exactly what you plan to do when you meet the right one, but so far you haven't met him. Then change the subject by asking the questioners about themselves.

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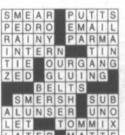
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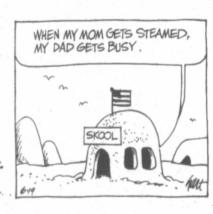
By Bil Keane THE FAMILY CIRCUS

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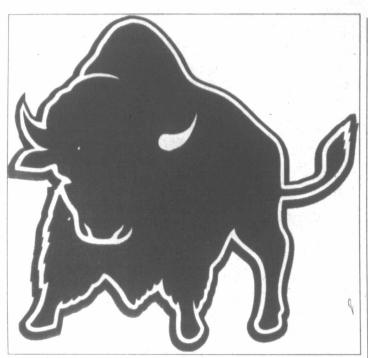




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## Wade's 43 points pace Heat to Game 5 win

MIAMI (AP) - Mark Cuban's list of complaints could stretch from Florida's border to the Texas state line.

However, there's one fact Dallas' outspoken owner can't dispute: The Miami Heat are one win from an NBA championship.

Led by Dwyane Wades's brilliance and his 43 points, the Heat rallied for a 101-100 win in overtime against the Mavericks in a Game 5 of the NBA finals that stretched from Sunday night into Monday and was loaded with breathtaking shots, missed free throws, disputed calls and a chaotic final 1.9 seconds.

When it was over, with white streamers falling amid the confusion, Cuban stormed onto the court demanding an explanation.

He's still waiting for it.

The Heat overcame a horrid night at the free-throw line - they missed 17 attempts - to win their third straight game and take a 3-2 lead in the series, which now shifts to Dallas for Game 6, and if needed, Game 7.

"We can smell it," Wade said. "But it's not going to be easy."

Getting this one was no cinch,

Wade's final points came with less than 2 seconds left in OT. They came after the Mavericks thought he made two violations and after Dallas' Josh Howard, who missed two free throws with 54 seconds left, was granted a timeout his coach didn't want.

After Wade made the first of two free throws with 1.9 seconds left, Dallas coach Avery Johnson asked to signal for the Mavericks' last timeout. Howard signaled for it and official Joe DeRosa granted the stoppage.

The Mavericks, though, didn't want play halted until after Wade's second attempt.

"We gave the signal, 'Second free throw, timeout," an irritated Johnson said. "One of our players was saying timeout. I said, 'Yeah, after the second

ever been involved in the NBA for 20s 30 years, know we wouldn't want one anyway with only one timeout," he said. "So we were pretty dumbfounded that that couldn't get relayed."

Because they were out of timeouts, the Mavericks couldn't inbound the ball in the frontcourt after a made free throw. After Wade, who set a finals record by making 21 foul shots, made his second attempt, Dallas' final shot was a desperation heave from halfcourt by Devin Harris that wasn't

> We were in the game. We had our chances. Now we go home and we'll see what happens.'

> > Dirk Nowitzki Dallas Mavericks

As the Heat celebrated their final game of 2006 at AmericanAirlines Arena and the biggest win in franchise history, Cuban charged onto the floor, complaining about a non-call against Wade and a few others.

Wearing a blue jersey bearing the name of suspended Dallas reserve Jerry Stackhouse, Cuban stood with his hands on his hips in disbelief and stared at league officials as his steaming team bolted.

All the Mavericks were hot, especially Dirk Nowitzki, who first punted the ball into the stands and then kicked a stationary bike in a hallway before turning his anger on anything in his

Nowitzki's jumper with 9.1 seconds to go gave the Mavericks 100-99 lead, but Wade, who averaged 40.3 points in the three games in Miami, first caught an inbounds pass that was dangerously

"Pretty much most people who have close to being a backcourt violation.

Then, Miami's seemingly unguardable guard, zigged and zagged his way to the basket - the Mavericks thought he pushed off on Jason Terry - before being fouled by Nowitzki.

The timeout mess followed.

Crawford, the crew chief, speaking for the officials, said Howard clearly asked for it.

"Josh Howard goes to Joe DeRosa and not only once, but twice asks for the timeout," Crawford said. "Forced to call it. Simple as that."

O'Neal had 18 points and 12 rebounds, but he was just 2-for-12 from the free-throw line. For the second straight game, Gary Payton made a huge shot for Miami, a two-handed scoop with 29.8 seconds left that put the Heat up 99-98.

Terry had 35 points for the Mavericks. Dallas, which blew a 13point lead in the fourth quarter of Game 3, must now regroup following an emotionally draining loss. Howard added 25 and Nowitzki had 20, but missed another crucial free throw late in regulation.

"We got

embarrassed here," Nowitzki said. "They suspended one of our players, so obviously we were pretty mad. We responded. We were in the game. We had our chances. Now we go home and we'll see what hap-

For the second time in three games, Wade was unstoppable in the fourth, scoring 17 points on every shot in his personal playbook. His 18-foot jumper gave the Heat a 91-89 lead with 1:08 left, but Nowitzki, who had just missed Dallas' first free throw after 18 in a row, knocked down a 14-footer.

Wade finally missed on his next attempt, and Dallas capitalized as Nowitzki drew O'Neal on a double team and made a nice pass down low to Erick Dampier, whose dunk gave the Mavericks a 93-91 lead with 10.1 seconds to go.

### Weekend Sports Briefs

PRO GOLF

MAMARONECK, N.Y. (AP) - Phil Mickelson's bid for a third consecutive major ended with a shocking collapse Sunday when he bungled his way to a double bogey on the final hole, giving the U.S. Open to Geoff Ogilvy.

The winning shot in this test of survival at Winged Foot was Ogilvy's 6-foot par putt that he figured was only good for second place.

**TENNIS** HALLE, Germany (AP) - Roger Federer won his fourth consecutive title at the Gerry Weber Open and tied Bjorn Borg's record of 41 straight grass-court wins with a 6-0, 6-7 (4), 6-2 vic-

seeded Tomas Berdych. Federer tied Borg's record, set between 1976 and 1981, while playing in his ninth final in nine tournaments in 2006.

tory Sunday over fifth-

BASEBALL

NEW YORK (AP) . Former major leaguer David Segui said he used HGH and was among the players mentioned by exteammate Jason Grimsley to federal investigators. Segui added that he used the drug with a doctor's prescription because of a growth hormone deficien-

Segui, who spent 15 years in the majors and retired in 2004, said on ESPN's "Outside the Lines" on Sunday that he continues to use HGH legally.

He said he first started using the hormone after the deficiency was found when he went for blood work before surgery during his playing career.

**AUTO RACING** 

BROOKLYN, Mich. (AP) - Kasey Kahne won from the pole again, helped this time by a timely caution flag and a downpour that ended Sunday's NASCAR Nextel Cup race 71 laps early.

Kahne, earning a seriesbest fourth victory of the season and his third from the top qualifying spot, fell behind on lap 47 of the 3M Performance 400 when he had to make a green-flag stop after debris accumulated on the grill, overheating the motor.

SPARTA, Ky. (AP) -Rookie David Gilliland became the first non-Nextel Cup driver to win a Busch Series race this season, passing J.J. Yeley with 10 laps to go and holding on to take the Meijer 300 on Saturday night at Kentucky Speedway.

PRO FOOTBALL TORONTO (AP) \_ After gaining 8 yards in the first half, former Dolphins running back Ricky Williams finished his CFL debut with 97 yards on 18 carries in the Toronto Argonauts' 27-17 win over the Hamilton Tiger-Cats on Saturday.

#### **CASTING SPELLS**

## Do TV announcers have such power?

Network television announcers possess powers that can be wielded at any given moment, directly impacting sport-ing events as well as the athletes who compete in them. And given some are already high on ego and over exposure, this power can prove detrimental.

Worse still is there appears to be no kryptonite one can use to quell this phenomenon.

What in the heck am I blubbering about? Submitted for your consideration...

> Michael J **Stevens**

Sports Editor



Item A - Sunday's College World Series game between Cal-State Fullerton and Georgia Tech.

Ahead 5-4, the GT Yellow Jackets had the Titans down to their final out of the game. One of the TV commentators began his game-over

recap which included Georgia Tech's upset of the top-ranked Cal-State Fullerton squad.

His comments included much praise for the Yellow Jacket pitcher - Matt Wieters - who began the game at catcher. "It's amazing how he has the stamina and energy left in those legs after sitting behind the plate," the announcer shared. "But here he is about to lead his team to a huge upset win over the Titans."

Hey, remember the Titans? They will now.

One out away from losing, the bags quickly filled with Cal-State runners as the GT pitcher showed signs of

It was a weak shot by Cory Vanderhook that bounced off home plate and over Wieter's head that allowed the Titans to take the lead and eventually the win.

Item B - Dick Bergren's jinxing of Tony Stewart at the 3M Performance 400 Sunday.

During a pre-race interview, Bergren sits with Stewart and his (Tony's) father chatting about the race. Bergren opens the interview with something like, "We're sitting here next to Tony's undamaged car and he would like to

keep it that way, wouldn't you Tony?"

Little more than 20 laps into what would be a rain-shortened races, Stewart is clipped by driver Jeff Green and sent hard into the wall.

Item C-The NBA Finals.

This isn't so much an example of how TV commenta-tors impacted the game, event or series, but how some woke up this morning trying to figure out what breakfast side dish goes with crow.

You may recall how a plethora of fans and sports folks determined that - in the wake of what took place in Dallas during Games 1 and 2 - the trip to Miami was little more than an inconvenience.

Surprise, surprise.

Perhaps the "fat lady" couldn't get tickets to Miami.

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21 Help Wanted

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21 Help Wanted

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373-0986. EOE. LVN'S & CNA'S needed-night shift, 10 to 6. Apply in person. No phone calls please, Pampa Nursing Center, 1321 W. Kentucky, Pampa.

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Do not apply in person. EXP. Heavy Equip. Operators needed. Call 888-817-2347, Mon. thur Fri. 9am.-4pm. to apply. EOE SGS Petroleum Service

Corporation is seeking qualified applicants for rail car switching operations in a local plant. The ideal candidate must be willing to work a rotating eight hour shift, must be drug free, and must pass a background criminal check. Pay ranges from \$11.50 to \$15.00 per hour, depending on experience, excellent benefit package. Persons meeting these qualifications must

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Tuesday, June 20, 2006:

For all practical purposes, often you will take the bull by its horns. You want to and will bottom out issues this year, and you won't settle for easy answers. You do nothing halfway, and it will be reflective of your in-depth thinking. You will get past immediate issues so that you can solve problems on a basic, core level. You have a profound impact on others. Be aware of this power. If you are single, you will meet new people, though sometimes people change in front of your very eyes. Carefully get to know anyone who gives you a case of the butterflies. If you are attached, you could discover that your sweetie is changing. TAURUS

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

plate and accomplish what you must.

Others think positively, and you respond

in kind. Get as much done as possible

ARIES (March 21-April 19) \*\*\* Once more, you step up to the

during the daylight hours. You might need to sort through domestic confusion. Tonight: Treat yourself. TAURUS (April 20-May 20) \*\*\* Much occurs behind the scenes during the early day. You would be well advised to do what is necessary to make others comfortable. You might want to take a turn or do something completely

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) \*\*\* Deal with others, never losing

different. Wait until late today or tomor-

row, when the Moon slides into your

sight of what is important and what your priorities are. Staying tuned in to what needs to happen could make a big difference. You will find the path to success this way. Tonight: Get some extra R and

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

\*\*\* You might feel inordinately pressured by circumstances and people. You could weather a bad situation turning it into a good one - if you think, postpone and make sure of your facts. Toss a problem in the air until you have a solution. Tonight: Now act. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) \*\*\* Move in the afternoon, when you are ahead of the game. You could be

very happy with what you hear and what

happens. Your creativity emerges and

takes you down a whole new path. Go with the flow. Surprising results happen. Tonight: A must show. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) \*\*\* Investigate a new relationship or partnership agreement. You might want to think through a decision that could cause tension at home. Develop a strong relationship with a key person. You will need this person's support, and not just

today! Tonight: Time to do absolutely what you want.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) \*\*\* You might want to defer to a friend or loved one. You say jump, and others might not leap in the air 10 feet, but people will move. You are an energizer right now. Use your imagination when making plans with a special person. Tonight: Togetherness happens. SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

\*\*\* Work counts, and you get a lot done far more quickly than in the past. Use your imagination and natural charisma to accomplish goals. Schedule some

time to network and get down to issues. Tonight: Say yes to an invitation. SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

\*\*\*\* Your imagination takes you

down a whole new path. Read between

the lines and understand what makes someone you care about tick. Listen to the feedback you get. Understanding takes you in a new direction. Tonight: Easy does it. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) \*\*\* You might want to spend time at home. Sometimes you could be over-

whelmed by what is going on. You might

need to clear the decks. Tap into your creativity. Allow more fun into your life; after ail, you will not live forever! Tonight: Live it up. AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) \*\*\*

★★★★ News comes in left and right. You could be very happy with what you hear. Your lively personality and happy

ways draw many to your camp. Love

every moment. You might want to relax. Tonight: Settle in to a cozy evening. PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) \*\*\* Your finances must take highest priority. Stay on top of a problem. Understand what is happening with a boss or family member. Think positively and find a new path to the end results you

want. Tonight: Out and about. **BORN TODAY** 

Actor Martin Landau (1931), singer Lionel Richie (1949), actress Nicole Kidman (1967)

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## Chamber

### Letter from the desk of the executive director

Dear members,

Have you noticed? Pampa is growing, and that is a good thing, a very good thing. In fact, we need to grow a lot more if we are going to be able to offer the products and services that Pampans want and deserve.

But with that growth come some real challenges, or opportunities, depending on how you look at it. Included in those challenges are:

1. Our educational institutions will have to change to meet the demands of 21st century jobs.

2. While we are blessed with high quality health systems, they will have to stay on their toes to keep up with the demands of a growing population.

3. Our community's physical infrastructure will be tested, and we already know we will need significant new housing development.

What is remarkable to me, though, is how someone always seems to step up to help address the issues as they arise. Now maybe they can't solve the issue alone, but they are willing to try.

Example: Dr. Joe Donaldson made a presentation to the Chamber board on June 15 to talk about introducing a Habitat for Humanity chapter into Pampa.

Now maybe it won't solve all our housing needs. Certainly it won't. But it can be a part of the solution.

He'll be talking about it at the chamber luncheon this week.

Why not come have lunch and hear what he has to say? Maybe you'll be part of the solution, too.



Pat Vanderpool Executive Director Pampa Chamber

### Goldcoated!



Courtesy photo

Aaron's Sales and Lease at 211 W. 30th was Goldcoated recently. Chamber Goldcoats, back row from left, are Royce Jordan, Darville Orr, Chuck White, June Beyer, Susan Winborne, Roy Morriss and Ken Rheams. Aaron's employees, front row with scissors and ribbon, from left, are Jesus Davilla and Damian Soliz, manager.

## Chamber Luncheon

Tuesday
June 20
11:45 a.m.

#### **Speakers:**

Heather Thompson with Vistacare

Dr. Joe Donaldson with Habitat for Humanity

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\$8 per person

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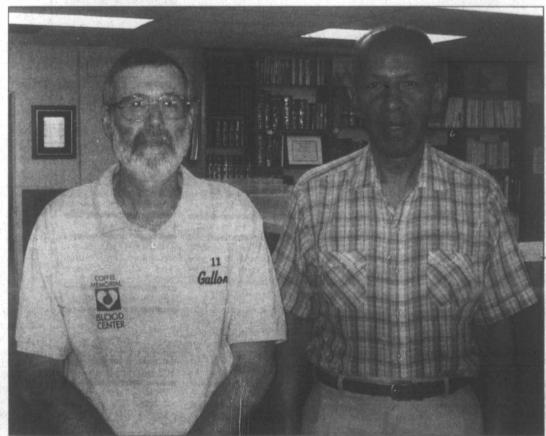
### Business Expo & NAMI Bicycle Tour

Join us at the 7th Annual Business Expo Satruday, June 24, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Free Admission

Also on the 24th, join the fun with the NAMI Bicycle Tour
Coronado Shopping Center
10, 25, 50 and 75 mile routes
Check in at 6 a.m.
Ride begins at 8 a.m.

Fee: \$30 Call the chamber at 669-3241 for more information.

### Quality hero



Bob Marx, left, pictured with Charles Henry, is on the Salvation Army board, is a Top O' Texas Goldcoat, a Chamber board member, and chairman of the Pampa Chamber Retail Committee. Bob is our Quality Hero for June. Thanks, Bob, for all you do for Pampa.



