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PISD unacceptable status a result of vague rule

By **DAVID BOWSER**
Staff Writer

In a perplexing twist of state education rules, Pampa High School is rated by the State of Texas as academically unacceptable, but it has nothing to do with academic testing. Texas schools are rated by the state from top to bottom as exemplary, recognized, academically acceptable or academically unacceptable each year. The ratings are based on state tests for students and groups of students, graduation rates and the number of middle school students who drop out before graduating from high school.

In August, Pampa High School was named as one of 321 of almost 8,000 schools in the state that was given an academically unacceptable rating.

The Pampa Independent School District appealed in August, but the Texas Education Agency denied the appeal. It was denied again after a personal appeal by Pampa Independent School District Supt. Barry Haenisch this month.

"Our appeal was denied," Haenisch said, "so Pampa High School will be an unacceptable campus for this year."

The reason has nothing to do with

academic tests but is the result of a rule by the Texas Education Agency over where and how students are counted.

"There were two students at the alternative campus who were counted on the Pampa High School enrollment," Haenisch said. "That is by TEA rule."

Those two students dropped out of school in during the 2003-2004, which sent the Class of 2005 graduation rate below 75 percent based on that class' middle school enrollment. The students were counted as dropouts from Pampa High School, even though they had been at

Pampa's alternative school, the Pampa Learning Center. That left Pampa High School with an academically unacceptable rating under TEA rules.

Although the two students attended the alternative campus, Haenisch said, the students' attendance could not be reported back through the high school.

"TEA sees the alternative campus as its own campus," Haenisch said. "It's all done by campus number."

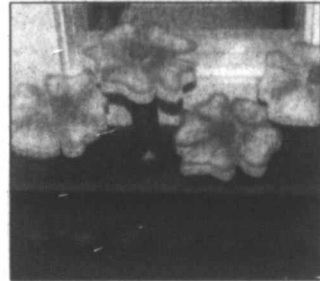
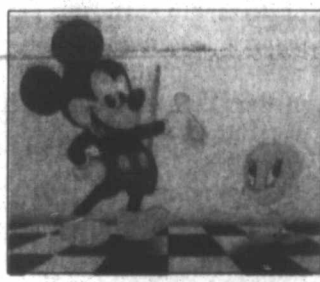
He says the Pampa Learning Center has its own campus number.

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Inmates put skills to work to provide playhouse

By **MARILYN POWERS**
Staff Writer

A new playhouse which is the focus of attention in the lobby of The Brown Alliance for Children, 315 N. Ballard, has been pro-



Details shown in new playhouse.

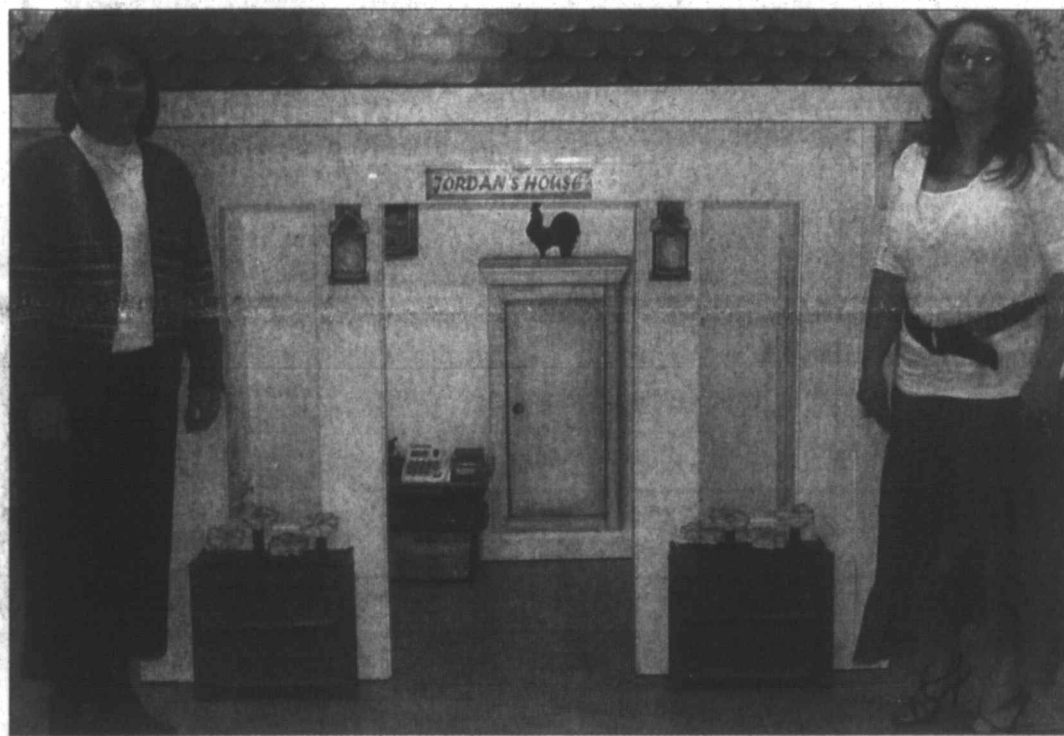
vided by inmates of the Jordan Unit of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

The playhouse was delivered Monday to the center, which serves child victims of child abuse and neglect, including child sexual assault. The Brown Alliance is composed of a branch of The Bridge Children's Advocacy Center in Amarillo and CASA of the High Plains.

"The inmates who designed and built the playhouse are excited and proud of the final creation," said Roxanne Carter, executive director of The Bridge. "It is well-constructed, and they took extra steps to make it beautiful with detail painting."

The playhouse has been named "Jordan's House" in

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Pampa News photos by **MARILYN POWERS**
Shelly Bohannon, left, rural forensic interviewer for The Bridge, and Ofelia Marzal, volunteer coordinator for CASA, stand beside a new playhouse built by inmates of the Jordan Unit and delivered Monday to The Brown Alliance for Children in Pampa.

'Ride for the Refugees' aids orphans in Mexico

By **DEE DEE LARAMORE**

Special to The Pampa News
Johnny Harper is a man of his word.

"Make your list of what you're going to need," the Lefors resident told Feliberto Pereira, director of Southwest Good Samaritan Ministries, in the summer of 2005. "We'll be back next year."

Harper made good his promise this October when he, his wife Cindy, five other motorcyclists, and a group from First Christian Church of Pampa rolled into Pereira's refugee center in Bayview with a semi-tractor trailer and a 20-foot trailer loaded with supplies and clothes, plus \$8,000 — all donations from individuals and Disciples of Christ congregations throughout the Southwest Region.

"Ride for the Refugee," Harper's brainchild, combines his

love for riding motorcycles with a deep desire to help others. "Ride for the Refugee - 909 miles of Christian charity" begins at First Christian Church in Liberal, Kan., and continues the length of Texas to where the tip touches the Texas/Mexico border at Brownsville and Matamoros.

The "Ride" culminates more than a year of planning and collecting of donations for Pereira's ministries.

"They're the neediest of the needy," says Rev. Barry Loving, senior minister of First Christian Church of Pampa, as he struggles to describe the plight of the refugees and those living in the colonias aided by SWGSM. "Even the poorest of the poor in Pampa, even the homeless in Amarillo, are rich compared to them."

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Photo by **DEE DEE LARAMORE**
A bright pink sun rising over the still waters of Lake Brownwood seems like a special blessing for the Riders as they prepare to continue their journey to the Texas/Mexico border.

I want to say thank you to the best decorating committee ever, for your hard work, donations and pleasant attitudes. You were a joy to work with. Thanks, James and LaGala Wheat, Karen Price, Gladys Vanderpool, Johnny and Cindi Platt, Deawn and Bryan Sims, Lupe Martinez and Brandon Richards. Thanks to all the businesses for your donations: West Texas Landscape - Amy, Dust Rite, Roberta's Flowers, Franks True Value, Brandon's Flowers, The Saddle Shop, Bob Clements, Clark Construction, Wal Mart & The Country Cottage.
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Obituaries

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WALDPOR, Ore. — Col. John Borland Moyer, 88, died Monday, August 20, 2006, in Waldport, Oregon. A military gravesite service will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, November 4, 2006, at the Columbia Cemetery in West Columbia, Texas, with the Rev. Jim Gentner, minister of the Bethel Presbyterian Church in East Columbia, officiating.

Col. John B. Moyer, neurosurgeon and retired colonel in the U.S. Army, was born February 10, 1918 in Oil City, Pennsylvania, the son of John J. Moyer and Minna Lou Downing Moyer. He started school at age five in Midwest, Wyoming. Due to relocation of his father who worked in the oil industry, he also attended school in Moab, Utah; Russell, Kansas; Amarillo, Texas; and Pampa, Texas. He graduated from Pampa High School in 1934, and was a member of the National Honor Society. He graduated with a B.A. in chemistry and biology from Texas Christian University with honors in 1939, where he was also a member of the Alpha Tau Omega fraternity. He began medical school at the University of Texas School of Medicine in 1939, but transferred and graduated with an M.D. degree from the University of Pittsburgh

in 1943. He was a member of the Phi Chi Medical Fraternity. He interned at Philadelphia General Hospital from 1943-1944.

As a member of the U.S. Army Reserves, he served during and after World War II, from 1944 to 1946. He participated in the Battle of Okinawa, one of the largest sea-land-air battles in history, running from late March through June 1945. He was awarded the Asiatic Pacific Campaign Medal with One Bronze Star, the American Theater Campaign Medal, the Army Occupation Medal and the Victory Medal.



Moyer

He held neurosurgery residencies at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Aspinwall, Pennsylvania, in 1947, and at Western Pennsylvania Hospital in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, from 1948-1950. In 1956, he was board certified in neurosurgery.

He served in the Korean War from 1950-1954. During that conflict, he helped establish the first MASH units in the U.S. Army. He received the Korean Service Medal with Two Bronze Service Stars, Meritorious Unit

Commendation, United Nations Service Medal, Armed Forces Reserve Medal, and National Defense Service Medal.

From 1954-1973 he served at Letterman Army Hospital in San Francisco, California; Tripler Army Medical Center in Honolulu, Hawaii; Rodriguez Army Hospital in San Juan, Puerto Rico; Brooke General Hospital in San Antonio, Texas; and Darnell Army Community Hospital in Fort Hood, Texas, where he retired in 1973 as a Colonel, Military Commander in charge of the hospital and Chief of Neurosurgery Service. He also served in the U.S. Military Command, Vietnam, from 1970-1971, and assisted with disaster relief following the earthquake in Managua, Nicaragua, in 1972. In 1963 he was awarded A Prefix to Military Occupational Specialty.

After his retirement, he assisted his parents in Pampa, Texas, until their death, and later spent his retirement years in Colorado and Waldport, Oregon.

He was a member of the Episcopal Church. Medical memberships included the American medical Association, American Association for the Advancement of Science, Harvey Cushing Society, Pan-Pacific Surgical Society, and Association of Military

Surgeons of the United States. He also belonged to the Association of the United States Army, BPOE (Elks), Loyal Order of the Moose, Julian Field Lodge No. 908 AF and AM (Masonic), Al Bedoo Temple (Shrine), Royal Arch Mason, Knight Templar, Scottish Rite Mason (32 degree), and Sons of the American Revolution. He was author of articles published in the *Journal of Neurosurgery* (1950 and 1951), *Medical Medicine* (1956), and the *A.M.A. American Journal of the Diseases of Children* (1962). He was also awarded the Warriors Medal of Valor from the Native American Nations of the United States of America.

During a lingering illness he was assisted by Waldport friend, Virginia Thompson and her husband Wid Thompson, until the time of his death. He was preceded in death by his sister, Mary Ann Moyer Kelley, a nephew, Dr. John E. Womack, and a niece, Martha Lou Kelley Schakel. He is survived by his sister, Emma Moyer Womack and a nephew, Bill Womack of West Columbia, Texas; a niece, Mary Ann Kelley Wyss of Fredericksburg, Texas; a nephew, Frank W. Kelley Jr. of Houston, Texas; a niece, Patsy Diane Kelley Smith of Mancos, Colorado; and numerous grand-nieces and grand-nephews.

Wyvon Mark 'W.M.' Griffin, 100

Wyvon Mark "W. M." Griffin, 100, died Friday, October 27, 2006, in Pampa.

Services are pending with Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Griffin was born February 28, 1906 in Hartman, Louisiana. He had been a resident of Pampa since 1945. He was employed by the City of Pampa Sanitation Department for 25 years, retiring in 1970.

He was a member of St. Marks' CME Church, where he served as superintendent of the Sunday School Department, and president of the lay ministries. He was a volunteer with the Kairos Christian ministry services

for inmates of the Jordan and Baten prison units. He was a volunteer with Meals on Wheels, Good Samaritan Christian Services and Southside Senior Citizens. He was a member of the VFW.

Survivors include one daughter, Versie Littlejohn of Chicago; one granddaughter, Lanette Littlejohn Brown of Chicago; special friends, Mauri Johnson and JoAnn Scott, both of Pampa, and his church family. He was preceded in death by his parents, one son, two sisters and five brothers.

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Robert Tollie Jinks Jr., 83

Robert Tollie Jinks Jr., 83, died Thursday, October 26, 2006, in Amarillo, Texas.

Memorial graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Monday, October 30, 2006, at Fairview Cemetery, with Bob Thomas, Odyssey Hospice chaplain of Amarillo, officiating. Military rites are courtesy of the U. S. Navy personnel, and cremation and arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors.



Jinks

Mr. Jinks was born July 17, 1923 in Burkburnett. He attended Pampa schools. He was a veteran of the U. S. Navy Seabees, serving during World War II. The assignment as a heavy equipment operator while in the Navy trained him for his lifetime profession.

He married Betty Jean Payne on October 21, 1944 at Oxnard, California. He had been a resident of Lefors from 1948 until 1961, working for F. E. Bull Heavy Equipment Contractor. Upon moving to Pampa in 1961, he worked for H. G. Padgett Construction for many years.

He was a member of the VFW Post 1657. Upon his retirement, he discovered a gift for growing flowers and gardening. Although he suffered from Alzheimer's dis-

ease in his later years, his family had special time to care for him. He will be greatly missed, especially the twinkle in his clear, brown eyes, and his beautiful smile.

Any man can be a father, but it takes a special man to be a dad. Any man can be a grandfather, but it takes a special man to be a Poppie. We are blessed as a family to have two special men as one. We love you, Dad and Poppie.

Survivors include two daughters, Mary D. Green of Pampa and Cathy Marie Cloud of Lufkin; one son, Robert Tollie Jinks III of Pampa; three grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; one sister, Maxine Walraven of Wichita Falls; and one brother, Tom Jinks of Muleshoe. He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, a brother, James E. Jinks, three granddaughters, two grandsons, his son-in-law John Green, and two daughters.

Memorials may be to Odyssey Hospice, 6900 Interstate 40 West, Suite 150, Amarillo, Texas 79106, or the Pampa Special Olympics, P.O. Box 375, Pampa, Texas 79066-0375.

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Gray County Weather

Today: Sunny, with a high near 76. Southwest wind between 5 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph.

Sunday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 48. Southwest wind between 10 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

Monday: Partly cloudy, with a high near 70. West

wind between 15 and 20 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph.

Monday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 37. North northwest wind between 5 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

Tuesday: Partly cloudy, with a high near 50.

CORRECTION TO PAMPA ISD 2006 BOND ELECTION BROCHURE

A brochure regarding the 2006 Pampa Independent School District Bond Election was recently mailed to registered voters, and the brochure contained an error on page four. Tax Rate per \$100 value for a home valued at \$50,000 will be \$502.00 in 2007.

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Rule

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Other than the problem with the two students, Haenisch said the Pampa High School campus had at least an academically acceptable rating in every category. They either met recognized or acceptable status on every indicator except the completion rate of one sub-group of students.

Those were the students who were ranked in the low income category. The economic status is based on the number of students who receive free and reduced meals.

The two students who dropped out were in that category, but that pushed the entire school into an academically unacceptable ranking.

"The way TEA rules work for accountability rating, you are the rating of your lowest group," Haenisch said.

Haenisch said he hopes the district won't have to worry with this situation again, but acknowledges that it could happen again.

"What we are trying to find out now, what we have asked for from the TEA, is the list of students that might potentially cause it to happen again," Haenisch said, "so that we can begin now looking at it while there would be time to make cor-

rections that need to be made."

He said that they are looking at their dropouts, their potential dropouts and what campus they're on.

The state, Haenisch said, is concerned that in order to keep their dropout rate low, high schools might send students who were about to drop out to an alternative school so that it wouldn't show up at the high school. That's a valid concern, he says, but he questions the rule, or at least how it is written, that would prevent such actions.

"They had what they called last year the 85-day rule, which said a student had to be on a campus 85 days for them to count on that campus," Haenisch said.

These two students were on the campus for a full school year. They dropped out the next school year. They hadn't met the 85-day rule the second year because they start that 85-day count over each year.

"It's not easy to explain," Haenisch admitted. "TEA doesn't want a high school to send a student who is about to drop out to an alternative school and then let them drop out from the alternative school. They say we're going to wait 85 days from a day a student enrolls before they count on that campus."

In Pampa's case, the two students were on the alternative campus for one full school year. One was there 160 days. The other one was

there 175 days.

"But we got that school year over with," Haenisch said, "and they started the next one and TEA started the 85-day count over again. They dropped out during that second year before they met the 85-day requirement for the second year."

Because they had not met that 85-day requirement, they would have had to be reported as students of Pampa High School even though they had been at the alternative school for the previous year.

It gets even more complicated. It didn't happen last year. One dropped out in fall of 2002. The other dropped out in the spring of 2003.

They did not meet the 85-day rule for the last year they were in school. Their graduating class was not until 2005, but because they were in a low-income category and dropped out of school, the number of graduating students for the Class of 2005, based on the number of that class going through middle school, was below state mandates.

A high school needs a 75 percent completion rate for all students and student groups for a specific class, in this case the Class of 2005.

The rules include only those students who graduate or continue in high school. General equivalency diplomas, or GEDs, do not count for the complete rate.

While 89 percent of Pampa High's Class of 2005

graduated, only 71 percent of low-come students graduated, Haenisch said. Had the two students graduated or stayed in the alternative school, Pampa High School would have gotten an acceptable rating.

"There was nothing we could have done about this," Haenisch said. "We didn't find out about it until June of 2006."

This is the first year that this has been an indicator for a rating, he said.

Haenisch admitted that he found the situation confusing.

"We understand that they have a rule," he said. "We don't understand why they have the rule."

At least, he said, he doesn't understand the rule as it is presently worded.

"What has come out of my meetings with TEA is that I'm going to have an opportunity to present to the rule-making group later in the year reasons why they should not have a rule that will charge those students back to the regularly educational campus," Haenisch said.

Haenisch said he expects to meet with TEA officials in Austin concerning the rule sometime in December or January, before the rules committee meets in February.

"We just want to try to make the rules fair," Haenisch said.

Wild pigs may have caused spinach scare

WASHINGTON (AP) — Wild pigs may have spread deadly bacteria onto a California spinach field, sparking an outbreak that killed three people and sickened more than 200 others nationwide, investigators said Thursday. They also said the outbreak appears to be over.

No one has become ill from eating contaminated spinach since Sept. 25. "All evidence points to this outbreak having concluded," said Dr. Kevin Reilly of the California Department of Health Services.

State and federal investigators have narrowed their focus to the ranch, where boar trampled fences that had hemmed in a spinach field.

Samples taken from a wild pig, as well as from stream water and cattle on the ranch, have tested positive for the same strain of E. coli implicated in the outbreak, Reilly said.

Investigators continue to

look at three other ranches in the areas in seeking the source of the contaminated fresh spinach.

"We are not saying this is the source at this point," Reilly said of the ranch.

The outbreak sickened 204 people in 26 states and one Canadian province, he said.

Wild pigs are one "real clear vehicle" that could explain how E. coli spread from cattle on the ranch to the spinach field less than a mile away, Reilly said. The pigs could have tracked the bacteria into the field or spread it through their droppings, he said.

Investigators also are looking at runoff, flooding, irrigation water, fertilizer and other wildlife, including deer, as possible sources.

Investigators first recovered the same strain of bacteria earlier this month from three cattle manure specimens collected on the ranch.

House

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recognition of the work done by the inmates who created it. Lifelike wooden flowers bloom on either side of the door, and the shingles on the roof appear to be three-dimensional.

"This project was a great example of people working together to benefit children," Carter said. "These inmates wanted to give back to the community in a way that showcased their craftsmanship and artistic skills to create a gift that children will love to play in for many years."

Mickey Mouse and Tweety Bird are painted on one wall inside the playhouse, opposite a wall painted to include kitchen cabinets and a refrigerator. Windows flank the front door, and the playhouse is lit through its open top by fluo-

rescent lighting from the ceiling of the lobby.

"The prisoners volunteered their free time to work on the project so they can give back to the community," said Warden Tim Simmons of TDCJ.

The Brown Alliance opened its doors during the last week of August, but will not hold an official open house and grand opening until Nov. 17. Plans for future improvements to the offices are being made.

"In the future, we will have a supervised visitation room, probably after the first of the year," said Janet Watts, CASA executive director. Volunteer training sessions and interviews with parents and others involved with the children can also be held at the new facility.

The alliance is the result of collaboration between Carter of The Bridge and Watts of CASA.

"It's been a great collaboration. The Bridge bought

the building, and we collaborated on being housed together," Watts said. "M.K. Brown Foundation was the largest funder, providing 60 percent of the project cost."

The Bridge opened its doors in 1989 in Amarillo, and was Texas' first children's advocacy center. Its services include recording interviews by trained interviewers of abused children for forensic purposes and providing a place where trained medical personnel may examine sexually abused children.

"The Bridge is a comprehensive, child-focused program that offers a highly effective, one-stop approach to child abuse investigation," Carter said. "The facility allows law enforcement, child protective services, prosecutors and the mental health and medical communities to work together to best serve victims of child abuse and sexual assault."

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Pampa ISD Events For The Week Of October 30 - November 4

November 3 - End Of Six Weeks

Pampa High School
 October 30 • NHS Induction • 7:00pm Library
 November 3 • "James and the Giant Peach"
 November 4 • "James and the Giant Pach" • 3:00pm

Pampa Junior High
 October 30 • Music Program • 2:30pm
 November 3 • Tax Free Yearbook Sales • Homeroom

Austin Elementary
 November 2 • Picture Retakes • 8:00am
 November 3 • Kindergarten to PHS "James and the Giant Peach" • 8:15am

Lamar Elementary
 October 31 • 1st & 2nd Grade Halloween Music Program • 1:30PM
 November 2 • Picture Retakes • 8:30am
 November 3 • Family Center 6:00pm-7:30pm

Travis Elementary
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Viewpoints

Trip to see new grandson almost did not get started

I had occasion to go to Houston last weekend.

I have a new grandson who was born to my youngest daughter several months ago in Houston. In addition, my middle daughter and her family moved to Houston recently.

You know what that meant. In the immortal words of one of our favorite fraternities — "Road trip!"

Well, it was not so much a road trip as an air trip. I left Friday afternoon after work and returned Sunday evening. In between I had a nice visit with my two daughters and their husbands and their six collective children.

My 10-year-old grandson taught me how to play backgammon. His 4-year-old sister regaled me with her vast repertoire of children's religious songs, complete with animated hand gestures.

The others interacted with me in between television cartoons and

games, and playing with others.

We had an opportunity to attend a car show and chili cookoff in Humble which included a Cub Scout activity area. A 9-year-old grandson is a new Cub Scout.

The Cub Scout activities were interesting, the granddaughters had flowers painted on their faces, the chili was interesting and the cars were what you might expect at a car show. It even included a Hupmobile and another vintage model I had never heard of.

Had a really nice time and marveled at how well my sons-in-law are doing and how well-off my daughters are. They live within a mile or so of each other and their families get along fine.

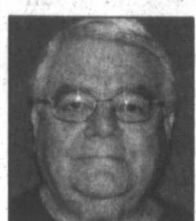
They had things ready for me, including some "payday beer" (St. Pauli Girl).

I pulled into the garage about 7:15 p.m. Sunday and Linda had some pork chops grilling in the pan

and some dumplings on the stove. It could not have ended any better.

But it nearly did not get started. When I left Friday afternoon I had to go through the checkpoint for contraband where they single out 82-year-old great-grandmothers for searches and allow swarthy

Dennis Spies
Editor



guys with black facial hair in their 20s to pass through.

That is probably a little facetious. I do appreciate the TSA folks and know they have a difficult job and are only following orders from some bureaucrat sitting in a windowless office working on a cross-

word puzzle.

The man checked my boarding pass and asked if I had any liquids or gels. I told him I had some shaving cream.

"See that lady over there," he said and pointed across the way. When it was my turn, she had to take a break, and a young man took over.

I took out my shaving kit which I keep stocked and on a closet shelf and opened it. He looked inside and took out a can of shaving cream.

"This can't be more than four ounces," he said.

"Well, I've been using that one off and on for about seven years and I'll bet there is less than four ounces in there," I replied.

"Sorry," he said. "But if you want to keep this, you'll have to check your bag."

I have checked bags bound for Houston's Hobby, and I did not

intend to go through that ordeal again.

"Toss it," I said. "We don't keep these things. We have to throw them all away" he said as he tossed it into a barrel that had a white plastic liner in it.

Next he took out a small tube of toothpaste, a small container of Carmex, a small container of Listerine that was still sealed, and a small container of shampoo that was still sealed. The sizes of these are like what the hotels leave for their guests. Just several uses per container.

"These have to be in a plastic bag," he said. "If you don't want them in a plastic bag then you will have to check your luggage. The gift shop has them for sale for 25 cents."

I thanked him and left for the gift shop where I purchased a small

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Today in History

By The Associated Press

Today is Sunday, Oct. 29, the 302nd day of 2006. There are 63 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Oct. 29, 1929, "Black Tuesday" descended upon the New York Stock Exchange. Prices collapsed amid panic selling and thousands of investors were wiped out as America's "Great Depression" began.

On this date:

In 1618, Sir Walter Raleigh, the English courtier, military adventurer and poet, was executed in London.

In 1901, President McKinley's assassin, Leon Czolgosz, was electrocuted.

In 1923, the Republic of Turkey was proclaimed.

In 1940, Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson drew the first number — 158 — in America's first peacetime military draft.

In 1956, "The Huntley-Brinkley Report," anchored by Chet Huntley and David Brinkley, premiered as NBC's nightly television newscast, replacing "The Camel News Caravan."

In 1956, during the Suez Canal crisis, Israel invaded Egypt's Sinai Peninsula.

In 1964, thieves made off with the Star of India and other gems from the American Museum of Natural History in New York.

Our readers write

Absence of God creates moral vacuum

Five girls were shot and killed in an Amish schoolhouse. In a Wisconsin school, a 15-year-old student shot and killed the school principal. In Littleton, Colo., two teens shot and killed 12 fellow students and a teacher in 1999. And many other incidents. What can be done to end the violence?

There was a time when school violence was mostly limited to fisticuffs or a pocket knife. The school day was opened with prayer by the principal, a teacher or one of the students. The Ten Commandments were posted on the classroom wall. Often there was a Bible lying on the teacher's desk. Now those good things for

the most part, are missing. Teachers and school officials are afraid to discipline unruly students for fear of being sued or losing their jobs.

Maybe I've missed something. I've listened to various news commentators asking, "What should we do?" Duh. I have not heard one suggest returning to God's way.

God, the Bible, prayer, morality and the Ten Commandments are absent from schools leaving a vacuum that is drawing in immorality and violence. Trying to fix the mess is like putting a Band-Aid on a can-

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McMurry no longer has a mascot ...

Friday the 13th was a sad day for most McMurry University supporters who have called their athletic teams "Indians" since the institution's founding back in 1923. Their appeals quiver empty, members of the Board of Trustees acquiesced to mandates of the National Collegiate Athletic Association and recommendations from the hierarchy of the United Methodist Church in voting to abandon the mascot name.

Their decision could go largely unnoticed by NCAA brass who are torn between challenges of plugging bigger holes in the dike and the need to deepen and widen their moats. The organization has far bigger problems than names of mascots, the most current one concerning curtailment of riots on the football field. At least two recent games were blighted

by bench-clearing brawls, details of which are still being sorted out ...

What the trustees decided was nothing short of brilliant. They decided to go nameless, or maybe "tribeless," in the future. After tossing around mascot possibilities (including Circuit Riders and Engines and all manner of four-legged animals), they determined that if they couldn't retain the Indian moniker, they'd sooner not have a mascot.

President John Russell said the decision boiled down to values. "Values are reflected less by what our athletic teams are called than by who we are and what we

do," he said ...

The NCAA dropped its net on 19 "offending" institutions 14 months ago. A few with enough clout kept nicknames (such as Florida State Seminoles). Some are trying litigation, but most have changed — or are in the process of changing — their mascots.

I salute the McMurry brain trust for telling the NCAA where to get off — without telling the NCAA where to get off. And, as one alumnus put it, "We'll always be Indians in our hearts ..."

They've claimed closure in the matter. But if "Go, McMurry Football Team,

Go!" becomes stilted, I recommend a mascot name honoring our monetary system. Doesn't "McMurry Pennies" have a nice ring?

"What kind of pennies?," you may ask. INDIAN HEAD, of course, with decals of the coin adorning athletic gear and complexes. They can write "In God We Trust" on one side, and "With the NCAA We Comply" on the other. 'Course this might open up a whole 'nother set of problems to "nickel and dime" the NCAA to death.

Leave it to my Uncle Mort. He's penned a poem he thinks can be turned into a cheer: "Jingle, Jingle, Jingle, For a touchdown we will go. If we can't get past the line, We'll just fall back and throw. Jingle, Jingle, Jingle, To the goal line all the way! Pennies are from

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Don Newbury
Columnist



Texas Thoughts

By The Associated Press

A sample of editorial opinion around Texas:

Oct. 23

The Dallas Morning News on immigration reform solutions:

If you believe all the tough campaign talk about securing the border, including Gov. Rick Perry's latest ad, you'd think the immigration debate will conclude with a fence on the U.S.-Mexico border and nothing more.

But that may not be the case when you get beyond the sound bites of these congressional and state races.

Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison, for example, told us last week Washington can't afford to stop at securing the bor-

der. Lawmakers, she said, need to work on a comprehensive plan after the elections. It would include a guest worker program allowing more foreign workers to earn work visas. Ms. Hutchison and Republican Rep. Mike Pence have crafted such a plan, which some believe can bring together those who want only to batten down the border with those who say security alone won't stop illegal immigration.

Ms. Hutchison is not alone. Dallas Rep. Jeb Hensarling, a conservative's conservative, told us that he remains open to some kind of guest worker program. Even Mr. Perry says he would "advocate a guest worker program, but would want to look at the details first."

Texas is not the only place where

voters can see and hear interesting wrinkles in the immigration debate. In key races, some of the security-only talkers trail their opponents, according to recent polls. That includes Indiana, where GOP Rep. John Hostetler, one of Congress' toughest, is sharply behind.

Tamar Jacoby of the Manhattan Institute explains the phenomenon this way: "Tough talk may be popular, but it doesn't mean voters are against comprehensive reform or are against candidates who want comprehensive reform."

In other words, there's a chance for a real solution to our immigration crisis, once you get past all the barking on the campaign trail.

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Trip

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plastic bag for 27 cents (tax, you know). I deposited the offending articles in the plastic bag and proceeded through the checkpoint.

My sneakers did not have any explosives in them, nor would they because I have no intention of blowing up my comfortable New Balance sneakers that do not hurt my feet. They are the best I have ever had and they fit right. I would not dream of blowing them up. I marched down the con-

course with an air of jaunty confidence knowing that my rogue toothpaste was securely sealed in a plastic bag and would not hurt anyone.

Perhaps next visit to Houston I will eschew the fun and games of flying and simply drive down.

NCAA

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heaven, Approved by the NCAA."

English majors may prefer consideration of "McMurry Idioms." The dictionary confirms this as an expression whose meaning is not predictable. The "inner circle" could decide McMurry's definition of the word, and suggest how to pronounce it ...

Dr. Russell assures that McMurry will continue to emphasize long-held traditions and activities related to Native American culture that permeates the campus. A ceremonial shooting of an arrow will continue to signal the beginning of homecoming each year. And the Tipi Village of authentic structures will continue to attract hundreds of area school students who learn about Native American tra-

ditions and culture.

Tribal affiliations will continue to identify freshman class organizations. The endowed need-based financial aid for qualified Native American students has been increased by \$1.8 million. Students are planning a spring mission trip to a Navajo reservation. Finally, the memory of their first president — himself reared on an Oklahoma Indian reservation — will continue to be honored ...

As Indian mascots dwindle, the masses greatly increase in our land. Statisticians — perhaps the same ones who cart the electronic clock display around the country showing our national debt increasing by the second — tell us that at 6:46 a.m. on Oct. 18, the 300,000,000th American joined our ranks.

Some joker said that if the Wright Amendment had been lifted just two days sooner, the newest American might have

arrived several hours earlier

Upon hearing that cursive writing is dying, I sat in silent disbelief. When 85 percent of prospective college students write SAT essays in block letters, it's a sure sign that keyboards soon will wipe out handwriting. An old-timer overheard the other day may be right: "Seems like in these days, we have strange ways of defining progress."

Among other costs, favorite expressions will fade from the scene. Poor handwriting no longer will be compared to doctors' scrawls, and we'll have to say "so long" to the gag about the quarterback who can do everything with a football except autograph it ...

—Dr. Newbury is a speaker and author whose weekly column appears in 125 newspapers in six states.

Letters

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cer. In my opinion, other than returning to God, our schools can no longer be fixed than one can saw dust.

It's never too late to return to God. Let's put the Bible, prayer and discipline back into the schools and our homes.

Sam Godwin
Pampa

In the opinion of the

Donley County Concerned Citizens, Rep. Warren Chisum is A-OK. Mr. Chisum met with Donley County Concerned Citizens Tuesday, Oct. 17, 2006.

Mr. Chisum gave us positive information in regard to our quest to repeal and abolish the personal property tax in Donley County. He answered questions about our petition we had previously asked locally and received no answer. Mr. Chisum will furnish us with additional information that will be of great value in our quest.

The Donley County concerned Citizens gave Rep. Chisum information that will hopefully be of value to the Task Force for Appraisal Reform that Gov. Perry has formed.

Yes, we believe Rep. Warren Chisum if doing his job and doing it well.

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Judge rejects school's FOI suit

AUSTIN (AP) — A judge has dismissed a lawsuit filed by the Lake Travis school district against two parents whom school officials say are drowning the district in open records requests.

Travis County District Court Judge Suzanne Covington on Thursday granted David and Melissa Lovelaces' request to dismiss the lawsuit. She said the Legislature would have to amend the law first.

The Texas Public Information Act allows taxpayers access to certain information from public agencies.

But Lake Travis school officials sued the Lovelaces in September, claiming the couple was abusing the open-records law.

The district says the Lovelaces have filed more than 2,200 open records requests, including as many as 238 requests in a 24-hour period. The couple has filed approximately 400 requests since the school year started and 71 since the lawsuit was filed.

Superintendent Rocky Kirk said in a statement that he was disappointed by the decision.

"We are proud of our efforts to make information available to all of our constituents, but we continue to believe that the Lovelaces' actions are unreasonable and overly burdensome," Kirk said.

The district said it will appeal the ruling and discuss the issue with legislators.

David Thompson, a lawyer for the district, said the open-records law is crafted in a way that can cause problems for agencies trying to deal with people who file excessive requests.

"No matter how abusive ... or how extreme the conduct, the act prohibits any judicial remedy," Thompson said. "(The judge) basically found that this is a legislatively created problem, and the solution must be legislatively created."

The Lovelaces' lawyer, Jennifer Riggs, said an alternative ruling would have opened the door to the government suing citizens "about any number of other public rights the government claimed were used too much."

The couple's son, David Lovelace, is a disabled student in the district. Riggs has said the requests are for information about special education.

Among complaints cited in the lawsuit, the district said it spent more than \$600,000 last school year to answer the Lovelaces' requests, and that voluminous requests are sent to

multiple fax machines in the administration office, causing paper jams.

In addition, the lawsuit says, the Lovelaces have refused to cooperate with the district's public information officer.

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Dallas ISD relaxes demand for principals to speak Spanish

DALLAS (AP) — The Dallas school board has relaxed a policy that required elementary school principals in mostly Hispanic schools to learn Spanish by 2008.

A divided Dallas Independent School District board approved the rule in 2005, touching off a racially charged debate in a district made up of more than 65 percent Hispanic students and 30 percent non-English-speaking students.

At a Thursday meeting, Hispanics urged the school board to maintain the policy while black audience members denounced it as illegal, unfair and racist.

The original policy required that principals be bilingual in the language spoken by the school's students. The rule only applied if half the students were limited in English proficiency.

Under the change adopted Thursday, the school can satisfy the requirement if an assistant principal or, in some cases, a counselor speaks the alternative language. That had already been the policy for middle and high schools.

Schools that receive recognized or exemplary ratings from the state are exempt from the rule.

Board member Edwin Flores said it makes sense for school administrators to be able to communicate directly with parents.

"Every single business in this town recognizes that they need people who can communicate with their customers," Flores said.

But Shirley Daniels, who urged board members to scrap the policy, said the rule


"is evil to the black race and the black struggle."

"You (Hispanics) must stop being selfish," she said. "You never were oppressed. I studied it."

Board member Carla Ranger proposed eliminating the policy. She said there are no studies showing bilingual

principals lift student achievement. She said the language rule is unfair to employees who've worked in the district for years.

Superintendent Michael Hinojosa said he supports the idea that administrators should be able to communicate with parents.



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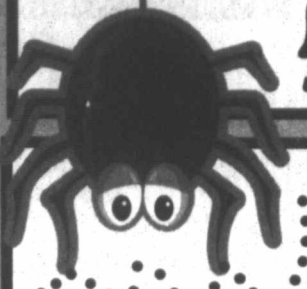
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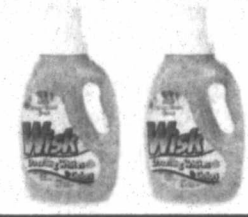
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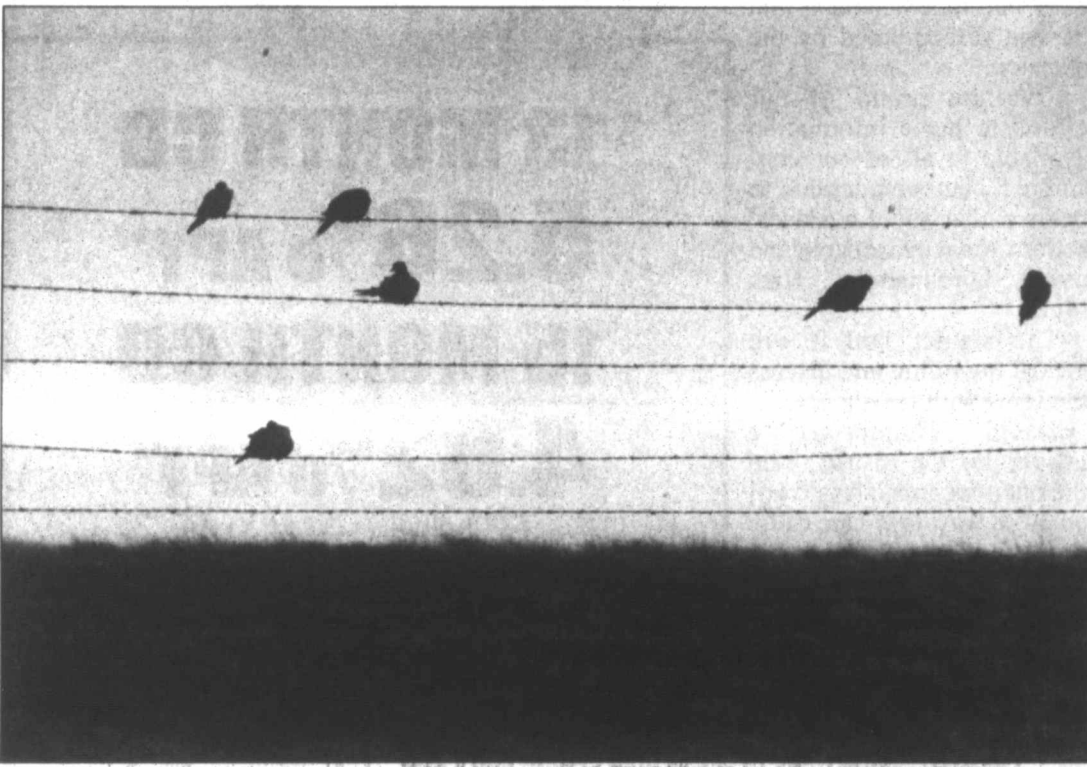
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(Week ending Oct. 19)

Intentions to Drill

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & MATHERS RANCH Tonkawa) Mewbourne Oil Co., #91 L.P. Humphreys, 279' from Southerly/South & 1320' from West line, Sec. 9,1,G&M, PD 8400'

H E M P H I L L (HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Dominion Oklahoma Texas E&P, Inc., #3 Rogers '61', 960' from South & 660' from West line, Sec. 61,A-2,H&GN, PD 12283'

HUTCHINSON (PANHANDLE) W.O. Operating Co., #26R Cockrell Ranch, 889' from North & 940' from East line, Sec. 6,M-21,TCRR, PD 3100'

HUTCHINSON (WILDCAT & HANSFORD Lower Morrow) Jones Energy, LTD., #2 K.L. West Gas Unit, 726' from South & 850' from West line, Sec. 5,—,DL&C, PD 8350'

HUTCHINSON (WEST PANHANDLE) Stallion Energy, L.L.C., #A5A Herring 'A&B' 5900' from South & 75' from West line, E. Almaguay Survey, PD 3300' (BHL: 5250' from North & 800' from West Survey line, #2 2900' from South & 755' from West Survey line) Two Horizontal wells

ROBERTS (WILDCAT & HODGES Des Moines) Mewbourne Oil Co., #1941 Mary T. Morrison, et al 'H', 990' from South & 1500' from West line, Sec. 194,42,H&TC, PD 11150'

ROBERTS (WILDCAT & N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) Cimarex Energy Co., #5059 Earp, 2253' from North & 2158' from East line, Sec. 59,B-1,H&GN, PD 11000'

WHEELER (WILDCAT & ALLISON-BRITT 12350') Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #3 Fields '31', 1200' from South & 1980' from West line, Sec. 31,RE,R&E, PD 16000', Rule 37 & 38

WHEELER (WILDCAT & ALLISON-BRITT 12350') Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #8 Elmore '32', 2450' from North & 2350' from West line, Sec. 32,RE,R&E, PD 16000', Rule 37

WHEELER (WILDCAT & N.W. MENDOTA Atoka) Apache Corp., PD 18000' for the following wells:

#601 Stiles '1', 2640' from South & 467' from West line, Sec. 1,—,AB&M

#8018 Stiles '18', 1980' from South & 660' from East line, Sec. 18,A-3,H&GN

WHEELER (LISTER Granite Wash) Noble Energy Production, Inc., #5011 Rives, 1650' from South & West line, Sec. 50,A-7,H&GN, PD 14000'

WHEELER (PANHANDLE) Dominion Oklahoma Texas E&P, Inc., #18 P.M. Keller, 990' from North & 2310' from West line, Sec. 48,24,H&GN, PD 2637' Recompletion

Gas Well Completions

HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Mewbourne Oil Co., #3 Prater, Sec. 10,4,AB&M, spud 8-13-06, drlg. compl 9-7-06, tested 9-26-06, TD 12950', PBDT 12875'

HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Noble Energy Production, Inc., #6831P Meek '68', Sec. 68,M-1,H&GN, spud 10-23-05, drlg. compl 10-23-05, tested 1-27-06, TD 11890', PBDT 11793'

HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Noble Energy Production, Inc., #4229P Teas '42', Sec. 42,M-1,H&GN, spud 12-14-05, drlg. compl 12-25-05, tested 6-15-06, TD 11890', PBDT 11784'

HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Noble Energy Production, Inc., #4417P Willis 'A', Sec. 44,M-1,H&GN, spud 10-29-05, drlg. compl 11-9-05, tested 1-9-06, TD 11930', PBDT 11816'

HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Samson Lone Star Ltd. Partnership, #5 Hefley '13', Sec. 13,A-1,H&GN, spud 7-17-06, drlg. compl 8-2-06, tested 10-1-06, TD 11800', PBDT 11702'

HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Samson Lone Star Ltd. Partnership, #25 Hobart Ranch '50', Sec. 50,A-2,H&GN, spud 7-3-06, drlg. compl 7-21-06, tested 9-16-06, TD 12800', PBDT 12744'

HUTCHINSON (WEST PANHANDLE) Gordon Taylor Oil Co., L.P., #8R C.S. Carver 'A', Lot 32,5,Wm. Heath Survey, spud 7-9-06, drlg. compl 7-15-06, tested 9-28-06, TD 3195'

ROBERTS (ALPAR-LIPS St. Louis) Latigo Petroleum Texas, L.P., #10 Courson Ranch '158', Sec. 158,13,T&NO, spud 11-8-05, drlg. compl 1-3-06, tested 9-14-06, potential 606 MCF, rock pressure 1826 psia, TD 10314', PBDT 9060'

ROBERTS (N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) BP America Production Co., #802 J.C. Vollmert, Sec. 2,—,B&SF, spud 7-9-06, drlg. compl 9-18-06, tested 10-6-06, TD 10816', PBDT 10752'

WHEELER (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Dominion Oklahoma Texas E&P, Inc., #12 Zybach '65', Sec. 65,M-1,H&GN, spud 6-13-06, drlg. compl 7-13-06, tested 8-26-06, TD 13820', PBDT 13734'

WHEELER (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Forest Oil Corp., #1360 Helton, Sec. 60,M-1,H&GN, spud 6-2-06, drlg. compl 6-23-06, tested 7-24-06, potential 3460 MCF, rock pressure 3979, TD 13670', PBDT 13615'

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'Life settlement' firm charged in fraud

ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) — One of the nation's leading "life settlement" companies made "secret payments" to suppress competitive bids and charged high commissions that hurt the policy sellers, New York Attorney General Eliot Spitzer charged Thursday.

Coventry First LLC of Philadelphia, a leader in the growing \$6 billion industry, is accused in a lawsuit Spitzer filed in state Supreme Court in Manhattan on Thursday. Spitzer said Coventry violated fraud and antitrust laws by making secret payments to competitors that stifled bidding and weren't disclosed to policy sellers.

"The attorney general's civil complaint relies almost exclusively on a handful of out-of-context e-mails that do not support the allegations," said company CEO Alan Buerger. "We intend to fight the allegations and are confident that we will be vindicated in court once the true facts are laid out."

Buerger said the company has lobbied Albany to regulate the life settlement industry to protect companies and customers, but Spitzer's "regulation through litigation will

not advance this goal."

"The vast majority of owners we purchase policies from are represented by counsel and/or financial planners, and Coventry has dealt with them in good faith and with the highest standards," he said. "Our customers and business partners know that Coventry First has set the standard for unquestionable ethics and integrity."

The practice of paying policy holders for their life insurance is legal and Spitzer says the industry has tripled in size in the last three years. The companies pay for the policies, keep up premium payments then collect upon the sellers' deaths.

"Almost 90 percent of life insurance policies lapse without any benefit to the policy owner," Buerger said. "Coventry First has delivered more than \$1 billion to policy owners whose options previously were limited to surrendering their policies for a fraction of their worth, or simply letting them lapse in order to avoid unconscionably high premiums."

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From left, Lonnie and Marilyn Shelton, owners of Liquid Recovery Systems, Inc., and Monica Galloway of Hope House Maternity Home stand beside a 2006 Dodge Grand Caravan, which LRS donated to the home for unwed mothers. The first resident of the newly opened Hope House, located at 1121 Mary Ellen, arrived about two weeks ago, Galloway said.

Sniper confesses to killing golfer

TUCSON, Ariz. (AP) — Cheryll Witz wrote convicted Washington-area sniper Lee Boyd Malvo a letter in June, imploring him to talk to Arizona detectives about her father's 2002 death. She got her wish.

Police said Friday that Malvo tearfully confessed that he and John Allen Muhammad were responsible for killing 60-year-old Jerry Taylor on a golf course in Tucson.

Witz said she long suspected the pair were responsible, though they had never been conclusively linked to the death.

With her approval, Tucson police interviewed Malvo for two hours Thursday in Maryland after granting him immunity from prosecution, Capt. Bill Richards said. Malvo said the shooting took place while he and Muhammad were in the area visiting Muhammad's older sister, Richards said. Malvo said he was sorry

for Taylor's family, said Detective Benjamin Jimenez. "He willed up a few times in tears during the interview," he said.

Witz said she had written Malvo a five-page letter after he pleaded guilty to six sniper killings, appealing to him to help her gain closure. "It has been four years now, and my family ... would love to have some closure," she wrote. "Lee, I am begging you... Please Lee, give myself and my family the closure that we need to heal, and to move on with our lives. ... You will be able to start our healing process, and I will be ever so grateful (sic) to you."

Witz, without elaborating, said at a news conference Friday that she knew Malvo read her letter and was remorseful.

She said she intends to write him another letter to thank him for confessing and that she would like to meet him in person.

"I needed to know," she said. "I really need to forgive him. I do believe that he was brainwashed and I do truly believe that he was made to kill my father."

Malvo has previously testified that Muhammad trained him to shoot and lured him into a plot to kill people.

As for Muhammad, Witz said: "He's a monster, and he set out intentionally to kill people. He knew exactly what he was doing. I would love to see him prosecuted."

Richards said the police investigation, which long ago had hit a dead end, would continue based on new information Malvo provided, with the intent of prosecuting Muhammad.

Richards said Malvo agreed to testify against Muhammad if Arizona authorities bring charges.

NATO chief says Taliban used civilians as shields

WASHINGTON (AP) — NATO Secretary-General Jaap de Hoop Scheffer called it a tragedy that NATO troops killed Afghan civilians this week — and privately told President Bush that Taliban-associated militants used the civilians as human shields.

The deaths occurred Tuesday during NATO operations in the Panjwayi district of southern Afghanistan, aimed at quelling the country's deadliest spate of violence since the Taliban were ousted by U.S.-led forces five years ago. Militants increasingly have resorted to suicide and roadside bombs, particularly in the south and east of the country near Pakistan.

NATO has said its initial reports found 12 civilians were killed. But Afghan officials have estimated between 30 and 80 died, including many women and children. Afghan President Hamid Karzai said Friday that three houses were destroyed, killing most of the people inside, and that his Defense Ministry was leading an investigation.

"When, in those actions of NATO, of those brave NATO soldiers, civilians are killed, as happened two days ago, that's always a tragedy," de Hoop Scheffer said after meeting for about an hour with Bush. De Hoop Scheffer did not say publicly that the Taliban were to blame for the civilian deaths, instead stressing in his remarks at Bush's side in the Oval Office that the NATO mission is defending democracy in a country once ruled by the repressive regime.

"Girls did not go to school when the Taliban were running Afghanistan. Now they go to school. Now there is a president. Now there is a government," he said. "Civilian victims are a tragedy, but we are there in favor of democracy. They are there to destroy democracy, and they are there to destroy our values."

White House press secre-

tary Tony Snow said de Hoop Scheffer told Bush that the Taliban were using civilians as human shields before they were killed Tuesday.

"Secretary-General de Hoop Scheffer was really adamant about the kind of atrocities that are now being practiced by the Taliban and the importance of continued pressure on them and continuing to fight them," Snow said.

Bush did not mention the incident at all, calling NATO a "values-based organization."

Bismallah Afghanmal, a provincial council member, has said that fighters fled into civilian homes, which were then attacked by NATO forces. And Karzai suggested it was possible the Taliban had deliberately put civilians in harm's way.

"Did the terrorists use the houses of the people?" he asked. "No doubt in the past five years the terrorists, the enemy of Afghanistan, they hid in mosques and people's homes."

Also, on Friday in Afghanistan, a roadside blast ripped through a pickup truck in southern Afghanistan, killing 14 villagers who were traveling to a provincial capital for holiday celebrations.

NATO expanded its mission this year from the rela-

tively stable northern and western parts of the country to far more dangerous areas in the south. De Hoop Scheffer has said more troops will be needed.

Bush and de Hoop Scheffer did not discuss NATO troop levels, nor the suspension of two German soldiers in connection with photos of troops posing with human skulls, Snow said.

They did discuss Sudan's violence-plagued Darfur region, where more than 200,000 people have been killed and 2.5 million have been displaced in three years of fighting. "There was some conversation of the proper way to provide greater security in Darfur and protect people," Snow said.

The two leaders were meeting ahead of a NATO

summit planned for next month in the Latvian capital of Riga, where strengthening relations with democracies such as Australia, New Zealand and Japan is expected to be on the agenda. This move is favored by the United States, Britain and some other members but opposed by France, which objects to the alliance's taking on a global dimension.

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Alibates Flint Quarries to hold grand opening on Saturday

FRITCH — A ribbon-cutting ceremony for the newly completed Alibates Visitor Contact Station will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 4, 2006.

The park will also celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the Antiquities Act. Dr. Jeff Indeck, Chief of Archeology at the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum in Canyon, is the guest speaker. Friends of Lake Meredith and Alibates are co-hosts of this event.

Forty-one years ago on

August 31, 1965, Public Law 89-154 authorized the establishment of the Alibates Flint Quarries and Texas Panhandle Pueblo Culture National Monument (79 Stat. 587). In 1978, Public Law 95-625 amended the establishing legislation to rename the site "Alibates Flint Quarries National Monument."

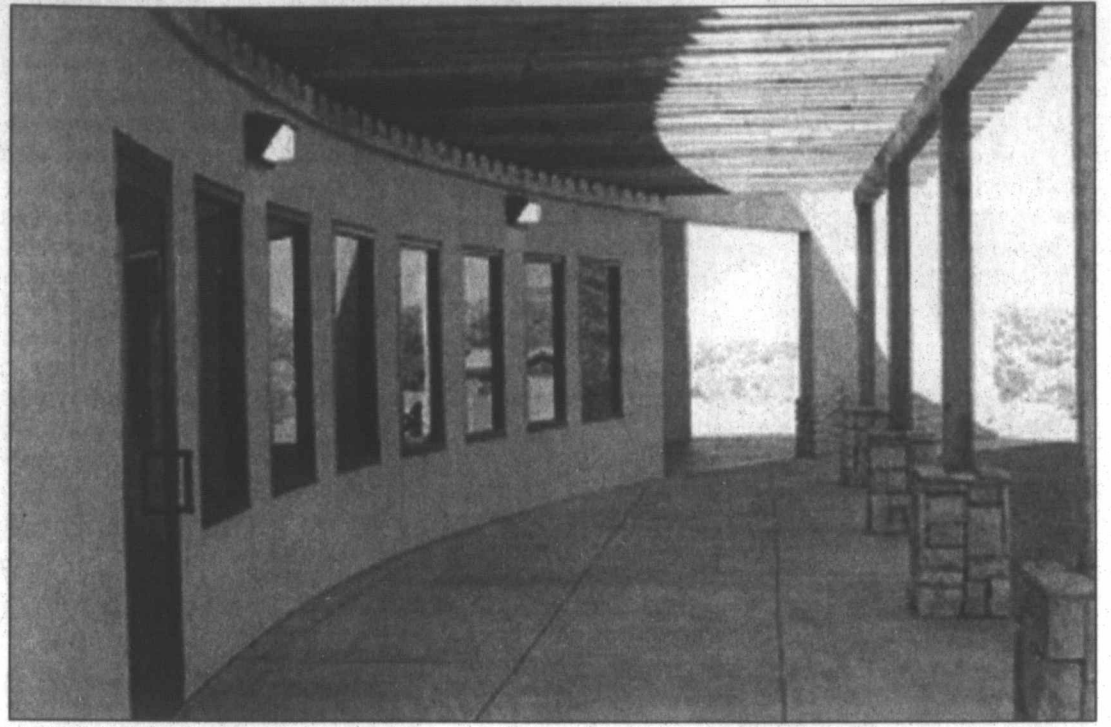
The Presidential Proclamation creating the only national monument in the State of Texas was signed by President Lyndon B.

Johnson.

The 1906 Antiquities Act was the first law (signed by President Theodore Roosevelt) to establish that archaeological sites on public lands are important public resources. It obligates federal agencies that manage the public lands to preserve for present and future generations the historic, scientific, commemorative, and cultural values of the archeological and historic sites and structures on these lands. It also authorizes the President to protect landmarks, structures, and objects of historic or scientific interest by designating them as National Monuments.

The National Park Service provides for the preservation, protection, interpretation, and scientific study of Alibates flint deposits and quarries, artifacts of indigenous peoples, and associated cultural and natural resources for the benefit and enjoyment of all.

"Over the years, our dedicated park rangers and volunteers from the Panhandle Archeological Society utilized two pickup trucks with a tarp tied across the roofs to make a shade shelter for giving interpretive programs and flint knapping demonstrations," Superintendent Karren Brown said. "We graduated from this makeshift method of greeting and educating visitors to a mobile trailer, then a



Courtesy photo

The new Alibates Visitor Contact Station is called "a real wood and stone building" by Superintendent Karren Brown.

portable aluminum modular structure, and now a real wood and stone visitor building."

Because of a personal commitment from Intermountain Regional Director Mike Snyder to recognize the unique qualities of Alibates Flint Quarries National Monument and to provide a high quality visitor experience, the park has completed the construction of the new Visitor Contact Station located at the end of the Cas Johnson-Alibates Road (off of Highway 136 between Fritch and

Amarillo), near the Bates Boat Ramp.

The majority of funding was obtained through the 20 percent Fee Demonstration Program when the park successfully competed against 388 other units of the National Park System in 2003. The Intermountain Regional Office staff provided contractual, architectural and construction expertise, and assisted with the contract modifications and other unforeseen expenses during the construction.

Alibates remains one of the best kept secrets in the

National Park System. This little-known site hosts fewer than 5,000 visits annually, but this small number of visitors seeks this Paleolithic treasure to revel in the ancient history of the Canadian River breaks.

The public is invited to participate in the park's ribbon-cutting ceremony. There will be a program and light refreshments.

To schedule a tour of Alibates or for other park information, please contact park headquarters in Fritch at (806) 857-3151.

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Report urges tough action against China

WASHINGTON (AP) — A congressional advisory panel's draft report is urging lawmakers to push for tough action against China on two festering trade disputes: intellectual property protection and Washington's view that China's currency is

undervalued.

Recommendations in a draft of the annual report by the U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission, obtained by The Associated Press, deal with complaints by American manufacturers that Beijing's artificially low currency makes Chinese goods cheaper in the United States and American products more expensive in China.

U.S. lawmakers and companies also say a flood of pirated movies, computer programs and other copyrighted material in China has cost thousands of American jobs and hindered the U.S. economy's ability to compete.

Congress should urge the Bush administration to press complaints against China at the World Trade Organization for what the panel called a massive intervention by Beijing in inter-

national currency markets, the report said. The commission is calling for another WTO case against China for what it said was a failure to enforce intellectual property rights.

Another major recommendation is that Congress define currency manipulation as an illegal export subsidy and allow strong penalties against an offending country's export goods.

Congress created the panel in 2000 to investigate and report on U.S.-China relations. Its latest report, which also touches on security, energy and military issues, comes up for its final vote Monday and will be released in its final version Nov. 16.

The results of the Nov. 7 congressional elections Nov. 7 could have a big influence on U.S. trade policy. Top critics of Beijing's economic practices have come from both parties, but

Republicans have been more inclined to support Bush's free trade initiatives than Democrats.

Last month, Bush asked lawmakers to scrap a vote on a bill that would have leveled a 27.5 percent tariff on Chinese products coming into the United States unless China revalued its currency upward. Lawmakers agreed, but promised to renew efforts next year to spur Beijing to change its currency policies.

Punitive action against China at the WTO is considered one of America's most powerful weapons. A formal WTO complaint could lead to strict sanctions if the U.S. wins its case. If the WTO should rule against the United States, however, analysts say it could send a message to Beijing that its current approach is sufficient.

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Ex-pastor gets 11 years for sex trip

BINGHAMTON, N.Y. (AP) — A former Baptist pastor who disappeared with a 15-year-old girl for a month and later pleaded guilty to raping her was sentenced Friday to more than 11 years in federal prison.

Lewis Lee, 54, admitted in May to four federal charges, including crossing state lines to have sex with a minor. In August, he was sentenced to 9 1/3 to 28 years in state prison after pleading guilty to seven counts of third-degree rape. Lee will serve 11 years and three months in a federal prison and then the remainder of his time in state prison.

U.S. District Court Judge Thomas McAvoy also ordered Lee to be supervised by authorities for 25 years after his release.

"Mr. Lee you have gone a long way to destroy the lives of the victim and her family. It is beyond my power to describe how heinous this crime is," McAvoy said.

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Calmer winds help firefighters; Arsonist reward to \$500,000

BEAUMONT, Calif. (AP) — Calmer winds helped crews fighting a massive wildfire Saturday that killed four firefighters and critically injured a fifth, while investigators searched for the arsonist who set the blaze roaring through the canyons of Southern California.

"It looks like things are beginning to turn in our favor. We had a good overnight. It wasn't nearly as windy as it's been," said California Department of Forestry spokesman Bill Peters.

Now in its third day, the fire that broke out in uninhabited brushland

about 90 miles east of Los Angeles had blackened 39,900 acres, or more than 62 square miles, and was 25 percent contained, authorities said.

A reward for information leading to the arsonist soared to \$500,000 Friday, as \$100,000 posted by Riverside County quickly multiplied with matching offers from the state, neighboring San Bernardino County, Rancho Mirage resident Tim Blixseth and the Morongo Band of Mission Indians, which has a casino.

Forecasters predicted winds

would ease and temperatures would drop slightly throughout the weekend, which could help as crews work in steep terrain to build firelines around the blaze.

Investigators were looking into whether the wildfire was related to other blazes in recent months, including a canyon fire last weekend, though a sheriff's spokesman said there was no immediate indication of a serial arsonist.

Residents said they saw two young men leaving the area where the fire broke out west of the San Jacinto Mountains.

The fire destroyed about 10 structures, including homes, forced 700 people to flee, and flushed coyotes and other wildlife into the open.

Santa Ana winds gusted to 45 mph but kept the fire in undeveloped land, away from homes in Riverside County. More than 2,700 firefighters worked to corral the flames and a DC-10 jet capable of dropping 12,000-gallon loads of retardant joined a fleet of firefighting helicopters and airtankers.

About 400 people remained evacuated Friday night from the

tiny town of Poppet Flat.

James Pence, 63, said that shortly after the fire started in the town of Cabazon, he saw two unfamiliar young men leaving the area, which he said is close to a teenage hang-out known as Raccoon Rock. "These kids didn't belong here. They were strange people," Pence said.

Tim Bowers, 49, said he was awakened by his dog, looked outside his trailer and saw flames on a hillside about 100 yards away. He said two unfamiliar young men walked away from the fire.

Toddler shot in drive-by in May dies

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — A 2-year-old who was injured during a May drive-by shooting as she slept with her mother and siblings in a front bedroom of their Arlington home has

died.

Daisy Prado, who was shot in the head during the drive-by, died Friday afternoon at Cook Children's Medical Center in Fort Worth.

Her grandmother, Obdulia Prado, said that the toddler had been in a vegetative state since the shooting but opened her eyes before she died.

"She waited to see us one last time before she went," Obdulia Prado said. "Me, my son and her mother were rushing to the hospital to see her, and she opened her eyes, and saw us one last time. It was like she was waiting for us. As soon as she opened her eyes and saw us, she died."

Ely Adrianna Almendariz, 20; Henry Noel Gabrillo, 25;

and Pedro Ariel Lucio, 25; are accused of firing numerous rounds from a handgun into the family's home. Each is being held in the Tarrant County jail in lieu of \$250,000 bail on one count of injury to a child.

The three could face harsher charges, said Lt. Blake Miller, an Arlington police spokesman.

"Arlington homicide detectives are in contact with the Tarrant County District Attorney's office about changing one of the charges to capital murder since Daisy is a child under the age of 6," Miller said in a press release.

Daisy, her mother, 20-year-old Christina Arrendondo, and two siblings were asleep when the shots were fired into the bedroom, shattering a window.

Daisy's 1-year-old brother, Jesse Prado Jr., was wounded in the arm but has recovered. Their sibling, 3-year-old Alexis Prado, and mother were not injured, Miller said.



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11:16 a.m. — One unit and three personnel responded to the 700 block of Doucette on a carbon monoxide check.

3:07 p.m. — One unit and three personnel responded to the intersection of Hobart and Somerville on a vehicle accident.

7:11 p.m. — One unit and three personnel responded to the 1300 block of West 18th on a natural gas leak.

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Sports Day

Jones not happy with QB change

IRVING, Texas (AP) — While Jerry Jones is disappointed the Dallas Cowboys are going to their backup quarterback, he won't get any complaints from Terrell Owens.

T.O. said Thursday he already feels better chemistry with Tony Romo than he ever did with deposed starter Drew Bledsoe. Owens even had an example, pointing out his 8-yard touchdown catch against New York Giants on Monday night.

"I looked across the formation and he looked at me and he knew what was going on," Owens said. "It's just two players making a play."

Did he and Bledsoe ever develop that bond?

"I honestly tried to do that time and time again," he said.

"But for whatever reason it didn't happen."

What happened with Bledsoe were turnovers, far too many for coach Bill Parcells to tolerate.

So he switched to the unproven Romo at halftime against the Giants, then on Wednesday announced that Romo would keep the job when Dallas (3-3) plays at Carolina on Sunday night.

Jones hinted Tuesday he wanted to stick with the veteran.

He explained Thursday that he actually was clinging to his preseason belief that Bledsoe would lead Dallas to the playoffs.

"I'm disappointed at the reason we're having to make this change," Jones said.

The QB switch has forced Jones to lower his expectations for this season.

"He's no longer convinced this team could be 'special,' the code word he and Parcells used this summer instead of saying they expected a deep playoff run.

"I have to be a realist," Jones said.

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Courtesy photo

Members of the Pampa High School soccer team, seen here during a recent photo at the Harvester practice field, are selling tickets to the team's annual fund-raising dinner set for Nov. 10.

PHS soccer teams selling tickets for annual fund-raising dinner

By **MICHAEL J. STEVENS**
Sports Editor

The Pampa High School boys and girls soccer teams will host their annual dinner to raise funds for the Harvester soccer program from 5 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Nov. 10 at the PHS cafeteria. The dinner, catered by Dos Cabelleros, will precede the final regular game of the football season when the

Harvesters host Palo Duro at Harvester Field.

Tickets for the dinner are \$12 for adults, \$6 for children age 6-10. Five-and-under eat free.

Tickets can be purchased from any PHS soccer player, or by calling Michele Dyson, 665-5065, or 663-0737.

For more information, contact the Pampa High School athletic office, 669-4830.

Raiders kick way to 13-10 win over Pampa

By **MICHAEL J. STEVENS**
Sports Editor

With less than one second to play in the game, Randall kicker Brad McGinnis kicked a 31-yard field goal to give his Raiders a hard-fought 13-10 win over Pampa Friday night. With it, he also ended a long losing streak.

The Raiders had not beaten the Harvesters in 12 years. It was in what seemed the blink of an eye that drought came to an end in front of a handful of Randall fans and a grandstand filled with stunned Harvester faithful.

The two teams swapped field goals in the first quarter. Randall struck first after moving the ball to within 15 yards of the Pampa end zone at the 8:58 mark of the opening period but was unable to strike. Quarterback Mark Glawe tossed TD passes on successive plays that were negated. The first was ruled to have been caught out of bounds, the second called back by penalty. The Raiders were forced to settle for the field goal.

Pampa reciprocated shortly afterward when Chase Harris' kickoff return game the Harvesters the ball near mid-field. Pampa worked its way in from there to give kicker Doc Mackie a chance at a 27-yard field goal attempt. He split the uprights and Pampa tied the game at 3-3 with just over 2:30 to play in the quarter.

The Harvesters added a Harris 2-yard TD run with 1:45 to play in the third quarter to take a 10-3 lead which it held until late in the game.

With the game knotted 10-10, Pampa had the ball near the Raider 40-yard line with less than 90-seconds to play when Harvester quarterback Casey Trimble had a pass attempt picked off and brought back to the Randall 43-yard line.

With only 14 seconds to go in the game, the Raiders used

a long pass to move the ball down to the Pampa 14-yard line, setting up the game-winning opportunity.

The loss drops Pampa to 3-5 overall, 1-2 in district. Randall improves to 4-4 (2-1).

The Harvesters have only two games left in the regular season, including a visit to Dumas Friday night. Pampa will host Palo Duro Nov. 10.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

Other scores of interest

- Class 5A**
Amarillo High 27, Lubbock Coronado 24
San Angelo Central 17, Tascosa 14 (OT)
- Class 4A**
Randall 13, Pampa 10
Palo Duro 24, Dumas 0
Plainview 62, Lubbock Estacado 7
- Class 3A**
Canyon 20, Borger 13
Perryton 21, Dalhart 14
- Class 2A**
Panhandle 24, Sanford-Fritch 0
Stratford 19, Canadian 14
- Class 1A**
White Deer 6, Vega 0
Sunray 44, Gruver 7
- Six-Man**
Hedley 65, Chillicothe 20
Sammorwood 70, Groom 44
Motley County 44, McLean 32
Follett 52, Higgins 6
Lefors 54, Fort Elliott 6



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Dale West sends a T-shirt into the grandstands Friday night prior to the start of the second half of the game between Pampa and Randall at Harvester Field.

District 3-4A CC meet: Soria, Jiminez among top 10 finishers

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Varsity Girls (Ind.)

- Hillary Brandt (Dumas),
- Ashley Mason (Hereford),
- Faby Soria (Hereford),
- Abby Metcalf (Pampa),
- Alyssa Diaz (Hereford),
- Devin Orear (Hereford),
- Jessica Blakely (Hereford),
- Angela Vela (Randall),
- Kristin Evans (Randall),
- 10.

Varsity Boys (Ind.)

- Gerzain Valenzuela (Hereford),
- Anthony Pequeno (Caprock),
- John Ilier (Hereford),
- Aaron Hibbels (Randall),
5. Michael Ortiveros (Dumas),
- Ryan Lopez (Dumas),
- Matt Jiminez (Pampa),
- Jesse Lomeli Estrada (Dumas),
- Peter Suarez (Dumas),
- 10.

Coach claims family found rat in McDonald's salad; files suit

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas Cowboys passing game coordinator Todd Haley is suing a suburban McDonald's after claiming his wife and their family's au pair found a dead rat in their salad.

The lawsuit filed Thursday in state district court seeks \$1.7 million in damages, The Dallas Morning News reported on its Web site.

In addition to Haley, who got in a well-publicized shouting match with Terrell Owens earlier this month, the suit was also filed on behalf of his wife Christine and the family's live-in babysitter, Kathryn Kelley.

The dead rodent, believed to be a juvenile roof rat, was found 6 inches long and was found on its back with its mouth opened, Scott Casterline, a spokesman for the family, told The Associated Press.

He said the women didn't find the rat until taking the salad home to eat, and that a manager from the McDonald's "didn't offer any comfort" after driving to their house to see the rodent. The suit was filed

after the restaurant didn't follow through on promises "to make things right," he said.

"The family needs closure," Casterline told The Associated Press. "It came to a point where you have to draw a line."

A message left for McDonald's Corp. spokesman Walt Riker on Thursday evening was not immediately returned. Ken Lobato, owner-operator of the McDonald's in Southlake, told the newspaper that he hadn't seen the suit and couldn't respond.

"Nothing is more important to us than the safety and well-being of our customers," he said. "We maintain the strictest quality standards. We take these matters seriously and are conducting a full investigation to get all the facts."

"In my years as an owner-operator, I've never seen anything like this."

According to the lawsuit, Christine Haley and Kelley had eaten part of the salad purchased June 5 before the dead rodent was uncovered.

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Smith holds no grudge

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Robaire Smith cannot tell a lie. He really can't wait for Sunday's chance to play the team that released him unexpectedly in September.

"At the same time, I've got to approach this like a regular game," Smith said of playing the Houston Texans.

It won't be that easy for the seven-year veteran defensive tackle. He was heading into the third year of a six-year contract worth \$26.3 million when the Texans released him on Sept. 3.

The Titans, the team that drafted him in the sixth round in 2000, happily signed him to a one-year deal.

Titans coach Jeff Fisher said Thursday he knows this game means a lot to Smith.

"He won't admit that, I'm sure. He wants to play well. He has a good feel for each and every interior offensive lineman. It's good to have him. They're loaded up front," Fisher said.

"We're just fortunate that for whatever reason, they let him go. I know he's looking forward to this."

Smith started 32 games for the Texans the past two seasons after a salary cap-strapped Tennessee let him hit the free-agent market. He led the Texans' defensive linemen last season with a career-high 102 tackles and came up with two sacks and a forced fumble.

But Houston had an offseason coaching change with Gary Kubiak brought in from Denver to turn the Texans into winners. He switched the defense to a four-three, and he said it was a numbers situation with the defense and the salary cap that forced the decision to cut Smith.

"When you're trying to put your football team together, you're trying to think about the future. Robaire's a great kid. He did a heck of a job for us. Him and I had that same conversation. It sure looks like he's doing very well for the Titans," Kubiak said.

The Titans originally signed Smith because they had lost tackle Rien Long to an Achilles tendon injury in training camp. He became an even bigger piece when Albert Haynesworth was suspended for five games by the NFL for stomping on the face of Dallas center Andre Gurode.

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Cardinals beat Tigers, 4-2

ST. LOUIS (AP) - Instead of a Fall Classic, this World Series will be remembered for bumbles and stumbles, smudged hands and wet balls, rainy days and cold nights.

Flatter than the Midwestern heartland and a flop in the TV ratings, it was a yawner to most - except the St. Louis Cardinals.

They beat the Detroit Tigers 4-2 in Game 5 on Friday night behind castoffs Jeff Weaver and David Eckstein and sore-shouldered Scott Rolen to wrap up their first Series title in nearly a quarter-century and 10th overall.

"I think we shocked the world," Cardinals center fielder Jim Edmonds said. At least those who were still paying attention.

Instead of highs, this Series will be remembered for lows:

— St. Louis (83-78) had the worst regular-season record of any Series champion in a non-shortened season.

— Detroit pitchers set a Series record with five errors, two more than the previous high.

— The Tigers became the first team since the 1956 New York Yankees to allow as many as eight unearned runs.

— Detroit hit .199, the worst in a five-game Series since the 1983 Philadelphia Phillies.

"If you don't make the plays, you're going to lose - whether you're playing the Yankees or the junior varsity," Detroit closer Todd Jones said.

After smoking the Yankees in the first round and sweeping Oakland in the second, the Tigers looked like the JV - on a bad day. They had six days off in the Rust Belt after finishing off the Athletics and looked, well, rusty.

St. Louis, which entered with one day off after beating the New York Mets, won its

first title since 1982.

"No one believed in us, but we believed in ourselves," said Eckstein, the 5-foot-7 shortstop who was selected Series MVP after batting .364.

After closer Adam Wainwright struck out Brandon Inge for the final out, the ballpark erupted. Wainwright raised his arms in triumph, catcher Yadier Molina ran to the mound and the pair bounced off toward second base, where they were joined by teammates running from the dugout and the bullpen. Ace starter Chris Carpenter and injured closer Jason Isringhausen gave manager Tony La Russa bear hugs.

Minutes later, fireworks filled the sky above the ballpark.

Minnesota, in 1987, had set the previous low for wins by a Series winner in a non-strike year, going 85-77.

"The team that wins a world championship is the team that played the best," La Russa said.

A repeat of 1968's dramatic Tigers-Cardinals matchup - won by Detroit in seven games - ended on a cold night more suitable to football than baseball. The Tigers made two more errors, raising their Series total to eight - three by Inge, the third baseman, the rest by pitchers who will no doubt be practicing their infield tosses from the moment they report to spring training.

"We didn't play well enough," Tigers manager Jim Leyland said. "There's no excuse here. I don't really know what the reasons were."

Detroit saw its key players' averages shrink with the temperature. AL championship series MVP Placido Polanco was 0-for-17, Magglio Ordonez 2-for-19 (.105), Craig Monroe 3-for-20 (.150) and Ivan Rodriguez 3-for-19 (.158).

"We just never got the bats going," Rodriguez said.

No revenge, just giggles for Keyshawn

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) — Keyshawn Johnson remains close with Dallas coach Bill Parcells. He's in business ventures with Cowboys owner Jerry Jones.

So even though he left Dallas for Carolina in the offseason after he couldn't work out a new contract, Johnson insists he has no hard feelings toward the Cowboys, who visit the Panthers on Sunday night.

But it doesn't prevent Johnson from needling Jones for his decision to give big money to that other receiver — Terrell Owens — and the soap opera that has ensued in Dallas.

"I give Jones (grief) all the time. I do. I just laugh," Johnson said. "There's nothing I can say except giggle. But there are no hard feelings. I don't wish them bad. Obviously against us I do, but against everybody else I hope they win the division. I didn't leave under bad terms."

So much so that in September, Johnson attended the USC-Arkansas football game with Jones in Fayetteville, Ark., when Johnson's former school routed Jones' alma mater, the Razorbacks, 50-14.

"Although he didn't want to pay me to play for the Cowboys, he had to pay me when we stomped on their necks," Johnson said. "We cut the Hogs in half."

Johnson said the Cowboys tried to keep him after his initial contract was torn up to create salary cap space to sign Owens. They couldn't work out a deal, and the 34-year-old Johnson signed with the Panthers. He has 36 catches for 460 yards and two touchdowns, and has been praised by his new teammates for his work ethic and leadership in the locker room.

"Everyone knew who Keyshawn was," quarterback Jake Delhomme said. "He's come here and he's a guy who works hard and is a team guy. He comes to work on Sunday. I have a lot of respect for him."

Without Johnson, a Parcells favorite, the Cowboys (3-3) have been up-and-down while dealing with the circus atmosphere created by Owens. Then Parcells shook things up during Monday night's loss

to the New York Giants when he benched quarterback Drew Bledsoe. Even though he threw three interceptions in one half against the Giants, Tony Romo will get his first career start against Carolina (4-3).

"We've got to try to alter a little something here," Parcells said. "We are going on 3-3 and that's not going

to get us anywhere. I don't feel that I am putting a rookie in there because this is Tony's fourth year in the league, and even though he doesn't have a lot of game experience, he's been around awhile. I'm hopeful this gives us a little something extra. I don't know whether it will or not, but I'm hopeful."



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"I hadn't thought or hoped that we'd be sitting here after the sixth game making these adjustments. ... I did not want to this year go to an inexperienced quarterback. I wanted to have the benefit of Drew Bledsoe. It hasn't worked out as of today. It just hasn't worked out. That to me is a step back."

Romo is in his fourth year with the Cowboys, but had never thrown a pass until two games ago. In his relief appearance Monday night, the former Division I-AA player of the year was 14-of-25 for 227 yards and two touchdowns and ran for a 2-point conversion. He also threw three interceptions.

Interceptions were Bledsoe's undoing. He had three in each of Dallas' first two losses, then a costly one against New York on what became his final pass.

Parcells wasn't the only one on the Cowboys sideline disgusted by that play. Teammates were frustrated by the same old, same old, too.

It hadn't gotten to the point that players were lobbying for a change, but linebacker Bradie James said it was being discussed.

How strong was the support for Romo?

"I don't know if it was sizzling," he said. "It might've been lukewarm." James said everyone is rallying around Romo "because that's who we need to believe in."

"It'd be that way if it was Matt Baker," said James, referring to the team's practice squad QB. "We're going to roll with Romo and get it going. This is the guy. He's the golden child right now."

Romo has been getting ready for a long time, having sat by while Quincy Carter, Vinny Testaverde, Drew Henson and Bledsoe all got their chances.

The organization liked his potential enough that he received a second contract extension, and a \$2 million bonus, in the preseason, locking him up through 2007. Yet he was never trusted enough to throw the ball until recently.

"I saw him coming along. I saw things I liked in the player," Parcells said. "Now it's time. I guess I was ready now."

Parcells said he's not nervous about starting Romo. He said the better description is "anxious to see what is going to happen."

Confidence is not an issue with Romo. Neither is mobility, Bledsoe's biggest weakness. Romo also has a quicker release, all of which should lead to fewer sacks — and, as Owens hopes, more hookups to No. 81 on broken plays.

"Once he gets outside that pocket, he can make some things happen," Owens said. "He has some coaches who will be in his ear to just get the ball to the playmakers and everything will work out well."

The knocks on Romo are his lack of experience, obviously, as well average arm strength and a tendency to make what Parcells calls "impulse" throws.

But now Romo may have a chance to get comfortable. Each game will be an audition to see if he deserves to start the next one, and at the end of the season the Cowboys will have a better idea if he's their quarterback of the future. He's already set to become the ninth starter since Troy Aikman.

"I think Bill's expectations are for us to go 10-0. That would be ideal," Romo said. "You are going to lose in this league. That's going to happen. You just have to make sure you take it week by week and get yourself ready to go every week for a new challenge."

Jones has taken pride in "consciously tried not to go to the top of the draft to get a quarterback." However, he acknowledged Thursday that he might have to change that philosophy if things don't pan out with Romo.

"Part of the responsibility I have is how you address the long term situation at quarterback," said Jones, who also is the team's general manager. "My mind-set would be to say, positively, it's going to work. ... In my mind, we're going to see a player that makes some plays, makes some things happen."

Rat

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The women became violently ill and endured long-lasting physical injuries, the lawsuit said.

Christine Haley, who was nursing, states she had to feed her baby with formula.

In the Cowboys' loss against Philadelphia on Oct. 8, Owens was seen screaming at Haley on the sideline.

Owens later said his relationship with Haley was ruined, but then said after his three-touchdown game against the Texans on Oct. 15 that there was mutual respect between the two.

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'Hallowed Happening'



Courtesy photos

Shari Sublett, left photo, loads up the candy bag for this small version of the Fantastic Four character, "The Thing." At right, a scary skeleton is just one of almost 600 children from all over Pampa who stopped by Hi-Land Christian Church's "Hallowed Happening" for their favorite soft drink and chips. Hi-Land Christian Church recently hosted its Hallowed Happening, staged annually in lieu of Halloween. Every child receives a soft drink, a bag of chips, some candy and a gospel gift.

Michael J. Fox defends political ads

NEW YORK (AP) — In a response to charges by conservative talk-show host Rush Limbaugh, Michael J. Fox defended his appearance in recent political campaign ads, saying he was neither acting nor off his medication for Parkinson's disease.

On the contrary, he had been overmedicated, the actor said during an interview aired on Thursday's "CBS Evening News with Katie Couric."

"The irony of it is that I was too medicated," Fox told Couric, adding that his jumpy condition as he spoke to her reflected "a dearth of medication — not by design. I just take it, and it kicks in when it kicks in."

"That's funny — the notion that you could calculate it for effect," he said.

"Would that we could."

The 7 1/2-minute interview with Fox, whose shaking at one point dislodged the microphone clipped to his jacket lapel, aired in two segments taped Thursday afternoon on the "Evening News" set.

Fox drew some conservative criticism after an ad began running in Missouri during the World Series. It showed Fox visibly shaking while urging fans to vote yes for stem-cell research and Democratic Senate challenger Claire McCaskill — and no to the Republican incumbent Jim Talent.

"They say all politics is local, but it's not always the case," Fox says in the 30-second spot. "What you do in Missouri matters to millions of Americans —

Americans like me."

Fox, who supports research on embryonic stem cell for a potential cure for Parkinson's, also has lent his celebrity to Democrats Rep. Benjamin L. Cardin, running for the Senate in Maryland, and Wisconsin Gov. Jim Doyle, who is seeking re-

election. Both politicians

also back stem-cell research. The ads triggered a backlash, with radio commentator Limbaugh claiming during his broadcast that Fox was "either off his medication or acting." Limbaugh called Fox "really shameless."

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Karissa Intemann, music/business major at West Texas A&M University, will present her Senior Voice Recital at 5 p.m. Saturday in Mary Moody Northern Hall on the WTA&M campus. The public is invited to attend.



Intemann

Megan Shannon, a 2006 graduate of Texas Tech with a Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry cum laude, recently participated in the White Coat Ceremony at the University of North Texas Health Science Center's Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine. This ceremony officially welcomed the Class of 2010 to the medical school. Megan, a 2003 graduate of Pampa High School, is the daughter of Mike and Beth Shannon, the granddaughter of Arlene Gibson-Kirchoff and the late Lyle Gibson and Lois Shannon and the late Earl Shannon.



Shannon

WACO — Michael Martinez of Pampa has been named to serve with a select group of other students at Baylor University. Martinez has been invited to join Student Foundation, an organization of only a



Martinez

hundred members. Martinez was selected from among his peers and by his peers to be a part of the foundation. Student Foundation recruits qualified students, raises scholarship funds and builds goodwill among alumni and students.

Last year, Student Foundation raised \$200,000 in scholarships for fellow classmates. By hosting the half-marathon "Bearathon," which drew more than 300 people to the campus, the foundation raised more than \$12,000 alone for scholarships.

"Student Foundation members are recognized at Baylor as leaders in the classroom and beyond," said Chandra Sternau, the Troy and Betty Mays director of the foundation. "These students are the best and the brightest at Baylor and are hand-selected to represent the university to prospective students, alumni and the surrounding community."

During Student Foundation's nearly four decades on campus, the organization has awarded \$3,639,000 in scholarship money, helping 5,079 students.

Martinez is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martinez of Pampa.

David A. Thompson graduated from the Army ROTC (Reserve Officer Training Corps) Leader Development and Assessment Course, also known as "Operation Warrior Forge," at Fort Lewis, Tacoma, Wash.

The 33 days of training provide the best possible professional training and evaluation for all cadets in the aspects of military life.

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Participants in the 2006 Ride for the Refugee gather for a group photo at Lake Brownwood Christian Retreat Center. Front and center is John Harper. Center row, from left: Jim Pepper, Jackie Harper, Bob Exner, Cindy Harper, Janet Bilyeu, and Dee Dee Laramore. Back row, from left, Joe Nickell, Brad Arthurs, Wayne Huckabay, John Bilyeu, John Walker, Barry Loving, Joe Stringer, Charles Franklin, Maxine Fenwick, Brian Fenwick, Jimmy Muckelroy and Randall, the truck driver. (Courtesy photo)

Mexican orphans, poor benefit from refugee ride

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This year's Ride officially started bright and early on Oct. 5 with the Harpers' motorcycles in the lead. At Childress, fellow motorcycle enthusiasts, Bob Exner, Wade Huckabay, and John Walker, all of Amarillo; and Brad Arthurs of Topeka, Kan.; joined the group.

Joel Morgan of Pampa drove the 18-wheeler to the first stop at Lake Brownwood with Joe Nickell, also of Pampa, riding shotgun. First Christian Church's van driven by Loving followed the truck. Charles Franklin, Jim Pepper, and Joe Stringer, also of Pampa, rode along in the van and took turns at the wheel.

Harper's pickup and trailer, driven by sister-in-law Jackie Harper, provided support equipment for the ride.

The group was met at the Lake Brownwood Christian Retreat Center by another pickup and trailer loaded with donations driven by Jimmy Muckelroy of First Christian Church in Gladewater. He brought along a big rig from his company and a driver to finish driving the tractor-trailer to the border.

Brian Fenwick, one of last year's riders, rode his cycle from Big Sandy to Lake Brownwood. This year he brought his new bride, Maxine, along for the ride. Pampans John and Janet Bilyeu joined the group at Lake Brownwood as well.

The next morning, a brilliant pink sunrise over the lake seemed to shine like God's blessing on the travelers as they embarked on the second part of the journey.

Though temperatures were more favorable in autumn than blazing summer, the motorcyclists still endured 90-degree-plus weather for most of the ride. Around San Antonio, a blizzard of thousands of migrating butterflies spat-

Pereira knows what it's like to arrive in a strange land with nothing but the clothes he's wearing. He came to the United States from Cuba like that in 1969.

For five years, he had been imprisoned in what he describes as a "concentration camp" because his religious and political viewpoints differed from Fidel Castro's. He obtained U.S. citizenship and became a Disciples of Christ minister. He opened SWGSM in 1985 in an effort to repay the kindnesses he received years earlier.

He fears that conditions in Cuba, Honduras and Venezuela are worsening. As a result, he expects more refugees to seek asylum in the United States. Last year, SWGSM aided 156 refugees. This year so far, 120 have sought help from the ministry.

Sitting on the back of a big Harley-Davidson touring bike, Pereira leads the convoy of motorcycles, trucks and van to the refugee center in Bayview, a short drive from his home church. The procession makes its way through sugar cane fields and orchards laden with grapefruit.

Visitors can't help but notice the strange juxtaposition of perfectly manicured golf courses and expensive homes, only to turn a corner to find a small cinderblock conclave of yellow houses and metal buildings which comprise the refugee center. The "neediest of the needy" smack dab in the middle of the wealthy.

The same juxtaposition hits visitors who drive through the clean, well-maintained streets filled with nice vehicles and well-dressed residents of Brownsville and cross the border into Matamoros.

Crowded and dirty, Matamoros' streets are narrow, hole-pitted, and filled with older model vehicles. Traffic laws don't apply here. Carts, pulled by thin horses or donkeys, make their way through the middle of cars and trucks.

This part of the city is prosperous compared to



Photo by DEE DEE LARAMORE

A typical street in one of the Matamoros colonias. Smoke rises from garbage burning on the street lined with abandoned vehicles. A canal filled with sewage, garbage and dead animals runs parallel to this street, next to the trees on the right.

tered riders and their bikes.

After a stop to pick up more donations at First Christian Church in Wylie and an overnight stop in Kingsville, the "Ride for the Refugee" reached its destination on Saturday, Oct. 7.

More Pampans flew down to meet the travelers at Los Fresnos, including Loving's wife, Mary; Scott and Jamie White, and Nickell's wife, Dixie.

Six refugees were among those greeting the group when it arrived at Pereira's home church, Iglesia Cristiana Ebenezer, in Los Fresnos.

Pereira introduces them. "This is Gustavo. He's been in the United States four days under the protection of the U.S. government." He explains that Gustavo comes from Cuba where he had been persecuted for his beliefs.

Pereira points to two younger men standing behind him. The two escaped from Honduras on a homemade raft. Suffering from sunburn and dehydration, they had been picked up by a shrimp boat. The men were referred to SWGSM by the Department of Homeland Securities Detention Center for refugees and immigrants.

"All (of the refugees helped by SWGSM) are under the protection of the United Nations and the United States," Pereira says.



Photo by DEE DEE LARAMORE

A group of boys living at Casa Bethel, an orphanage supported by SWGSM in Matamoros, poses for a photo in their dormitory room.

Derechos Humanas, the City of Human Rights, have not improved. Recent heavy rains have turned the dirt roads into mud pits traversed by only the bravest of drivers and sturdiest of vehicles. A stench of burning garbage fills the air, supplemented by wafts from the open sewage canal running parallel to the road.

Starving dogs lie in the road, too weak to move out of the way of passing vehicles. Skeleton-like horses and donkeys stand tied to bushes beside the foul canal. These wretched animals nibble at the bushes. The only well-fed animal in sight is a cat that slinks between the slats of a fence, probably sustained by catching rats.

Small children roam the stinking, muddy streets. Mothers hang wet clothes on lines strung across tiny dirt yards or lay them across bushes to dry. Abandoned vehicles, tires flat, stripped of everything that might be valuable, are everywhere. One of the visitors notices a pickup with a "White Deer Bucks" logo on the back window and wonders how it got there.

Things have changed at Casa Bugamblia, the free clinic supported by Methodist, Disciples of Christ, Baptist and Catholic churches. Dr. Nancy Rameriz continues to treat approximately 200 "extremely poor" families on a less-than-minimum wage salary with donated medicines and medical supplies.

A second story to the clinic and more cinder block houses have been constructed thanks to the work of Larry Cox, a missionary from the United Methodist Church. He translates as Dr. Ramirez tells of Kayla, a "very special" patient who they have taken in to their home.

"She has a light around her," Dr. Ramirez says, adding that the child's sweet, happy nature blesses every-

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the colonias.

A year after the "Ride for the Refugee" group's first visit, conditions at Cuidad de



Janet Bilyeu, a nurse practitioner, left, talks with Dr. Nancy Ramirez of the Casa Bugamblia free clinic through an interpreter. At right, Barry Loving holds Jessie, a 5-year-old who lives in international limbo as a U.S.-born citizen abandoned in Mexico.

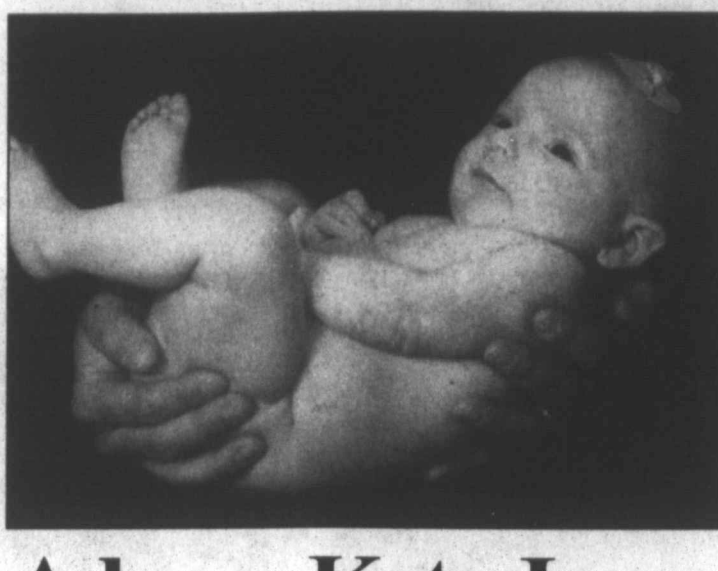


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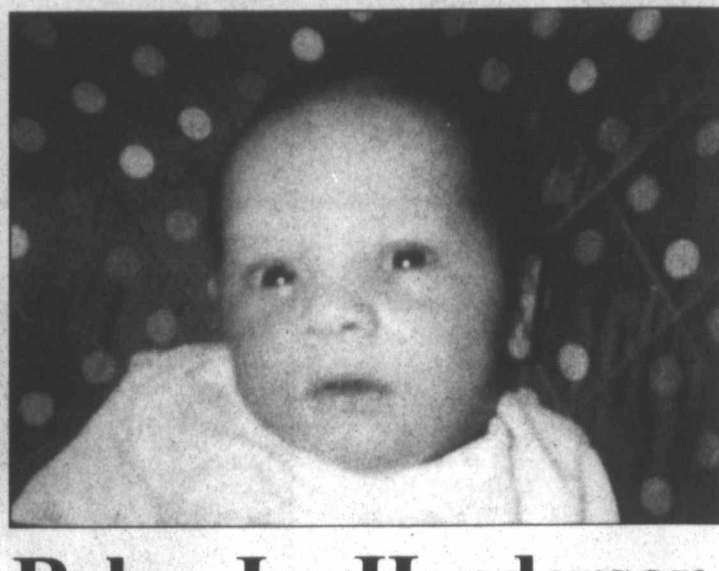
Mikensey Michelle Nelson

Mikensey Michelle Nelson was born at 5:13 p.m. Sept. 25, 2006, at Pampa Regional Medical Center to Mike and Amber Nelson. She weighed 5 pounds, 11 ounces and was 18 3/4 inches long. Mikensey is the sister of brother Dakota of Fritch. Her grandparents are Mike and Dronda Kelsey of Pampa, Terry Connors of Dallas, Bill and Becky Nelson of League City, Texas, Neva Fliger of Borger, and Lois Ann Harvey of Leonard, Texas. She is also the great-granddaughter of J.E. Hubbard of Cheyenne, Okla.



Adyson Kate Jones

Adyson Kate Jones was born at 4:11 p.m. on Sept. 2, 2006, at Pampa Regional Medical Center, to Jason and Amber Jones of Pampa. At birth he weighed 7 pounds, 1/2 ounce, and was 20 inches long. She was welcomed home by proud big sister Emileigh. She is the granddaughter of Rick and Sandy Crosswhite of Pampa and Mike and Jayne Jones of Brownwood.



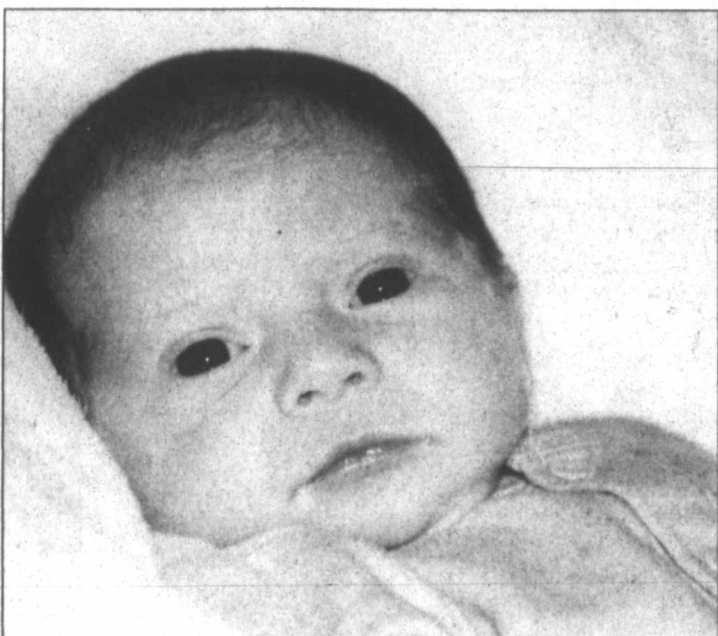
Rylan Jae Henderson

Rylan Jae Henderson was born at 4:24 a.m. Aug. 1 at Pampa Regional Medical Center, to Tasha Triplet and Lawrence Henderson of Pampa. At birth, the infant weighed 8-pounds, 7-ounces and was 21 1/2-inches long. The baby is the grandson of Debra and Raymond Cantrell, both of Pampa, Wilma Henderson of Pampa and the late David Henderson, and Jim Triplet of Austin.



Elizabeta Kathleen Rodriguez

Elizabeta Kathleen Rodriguez was born at 10:44 a.m. on Aug. 13, 2006 at BSA in Amarillo to Ben and Amy Rodriguez of Pampa. She weighed 6 pounds, 9 ounces and was 19 1/2 inches long. She is the granddaughter of Ron and Vicki Hayes and Butch and Mary Ellen Rodriguez, all of Pampa, and the great-granddaughter of James and Peggy Jackson of Stratford.



Fallon Victoria Sharp

Fallon Victoria Sharp was born at 6:27 p.m. Oct. 1 at Pampa Regional Medical Center, to Joel and Tabitha Sharp of Pampa. At birth, the infant weighed 7-pounds, .01-ounces and was 21-inches long. Relatives include a brother, Cynric Sharp of Pampa; and grandparents, Kent and Linda Lu Lane and the late Linda S. Lane, all of Pampa, and Steve and Syreta Sharp of Panhandle.

Samaritan Counseling helps those in need

Everyday Samaritan Pastoral Counseling Center receives phone calls from hurting individuals in the Pampa community. For some, life has given them challenges that seem overwhelming. Grief over the loss of a loved one, stress at work, problems with marriages or difficult parenting issues are just a few of the life's struggles that are presented in the counseling rooms at Samaritan. For those seeking help with counseling, many are looking for hope. There is the desire they have that one day things will be better. Samaritan Pastoral Counseling Center is here to offer a caring heart and a compassionate ear to those who are willing to take the journey. Licensed, professional therapists at Samaritan are trained to listen, reflect and help individuals process their problems. In 2005, the center provid-

ed over 461 hours of counseling in Pampa. Because many of its clients do not have health insurance, the agency offers a sliding scale to help supplement counseling fees so that clients can pay an affordable fee. Last year, the center provided over \$9,646.75 in discounted counseling in the Pampa office. This support would not be possible without the United Way. Thanks to United Way donors, the agency was able to say "yes" to those seeking hope! Thanks, Pampa, for your support of the United Way. *This article is one in a series of articles of profiles on the agencies and organizations supported by Pampa United Way. This information is being provided by Pampa United Way as part of its 2006 fund-raising campaign.*

Salvation Army ready to help where needed

Besides providing a multitude of programs and services for the community at-large, The Salvation Army, a United Way agency, often assists individuals in need. Whether its providing a couple with a roof over their heads while they get on their financial feet or sending volunteers to serve food and drinks to emergency personnel during extreme situations such as occurred with the wildfires across the Panhandle earlier this year, The Salvation Army is in the business of doing good. "A father came in asking for gasoline," an official with The Salvation Army said, "to get to his doctor appointment in Amarillo. His wife was expecting twins in about four weeks and was on complete bed rest. They also had six more children. "This family had never received assistance from us before and was not aware we could help them in this way." The Salvation Army not only helped the father get to his appointment, but remembered the family at

Christmas, gifting them with food, clothing, toys and shoes. The Salvation Army serves youth in kindergarten and older, teaching crafts and Bible stories and giving them opportunities to volunteer. In July, the local Salvation Army sent three youth to a camp in Tennessee. "We had three of our young people picked out of the Texas Division," the official said. "They spent six days canoeing, riding horses, swimming, doing Bible study, crafts, leather work, fishing and riding pedal boats." A Senior Citizens Camp was to four local women who enjoyed fishing, bingo, swimming, crafts, Bible study and more. *This article is one in a series of articles of profiles on the agencies and organizations supported by Pampa United Way. This information is being provided by Pampa United Way as part of its 2006 fund-raising campaign.*



Mr., Mrs. Ingram anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. George Ingram recently celebrated their 72nd wedding anniversary Saturday. George Ingram and Viola Haggard were married Oct. 28, 1934, in Woodward, Okla. Mr. Ingram has lived in this area for 92 years and has farmed and ranched nine miles east of Pampa for the past 61 years. Before coming home to take over the family farm and ranch, he served in World War II as a flight officer in the Army Air Corps of the United States. Mrs. Ingram is a homemaker and has raised two boys. They are members of First Christian Church. Sons of the couple are Larry Ingram of Pampa and Gerry Ingram of Miami. The Ingrams have six grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

United Way lends helping hand to HPEA

HPEA helping make a difference with United Way help. As each of you reads this today, the people from High Plains Epilepsy Association would like to encourage you to think about some of the things each of you take for granted. Most of you got up this morning, got dressed and drove yourself to work. Driving a car is something most of us take for granted. The ability to operate a car gives us some sense of control over our lives. Imagine that one day you woke up and you lost that control. This is exactly what happened to one of the clients serviced by the association. Martin was a truck driver. He loved driving. He and his wife had only been married for a few years, and they had just had a baby. One day while Martin was working, he had an accident. He was not seriously injured, but because of the accident he began having seizures. Because he was having seizures, he lost his driver's license. Without a driver's license, he could no longer drive a truck. The seizures continued. He saw a neurologist, and he took his medication, but sometimes with epilepsy the first medication is not always effective. The doctor tried other medications and combinations of medications. The process of trying to deter-

mine what medication will work best can sometimes take years. Martin's wife felt that this was more than she bargained for. Martin was having 30 to 40 seizures a month. He was not able to work, and she did not feel she could take care of him and their son. She left and took their son with her to another state. Martin moved in with his parents. After a few months, his parents asked him to leave. The severity of his seizures frightened them, and they did not want the responsibility of caring for him. With winter fast approaching, Martin found himself homeless. Not only was he homeless, he had no way to pay for his medication or doctor's visits. HPEA was able to assist Martin by purchasing his medication and paying for his doctor's visits. The social worker for HPEA networked with other United Way agencies to obtain food, clothing and temporary shelter for Martin. Because of your generosity to the United Way, Martin is a success story. He is living in a small apartment. He is still not able to work, but he hopes to be able to one day when his seizures are under control. Martin is currently have about 10- to 12-seizures a month. He is working with his neurologist to find the **See HPEA, Page 3-B**

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CLUB NEWS

Club news is published strictly on a first come, first serve basis due to space limitations. The deadline each week for Sunday's paper is Wednesday at 5 p.m., (Tuesday at 12 noon on holidays such as Thanksgiving and Christmas.) The deadline does not guarantee publication that week. Thank you.

Heritage Art Club

Heritage Art Club met Oct. 2 at Pampa Senior Citizen's Center with President Theresa Maness presiding.

The meeting was attended by Ruth Barrett, Roxanna Hendricks, Marji Holland, Edie Hudson, Raylene McGeen, Maness, Barbara Stubblefield, Sandra Waters, Betty McCrackin and Louise Ward.

Jennie Barker and Polly Benton were not present. Hendricks stood in as hostess in the absence of Benton.

The following business was conducted and announcements made:

—Barrett delivered the treasurer's report.

—Stubblefield read minutes from the previous meeting.

—Plans for a silent auction, held in conjunction with the club's annual art show, were discussed. Proceeds from the 2007 event will be donated to Pampa Senior Citizen's Center.

—Members debated what to contribute to a silent auction to be conducted by White Deer Land Museum.

—Hudson led a discussion of upcoming events.

—Holland announced that this year's Christmas gift exchange will consist of handmade tree ornaments. The party will be held at her home. Maness will serve as co-hostess.

—Hendricks presented the program. Members painted pink poppies, the club flower, with watercolors on rice paper. Each used the painting to design their individual yearbook covers. —Members participated

in a secret pal gift exchange. —McGeen won the door prize.

The next meeting will be at 9:30 a.m. Nov. 6 at the senior citizen's center. The program will be delivered by Maness.

Red Hat Dollies

The Red Hat Dollies met privately Oct. 19 at Pampa Senior Citizen's Center with Shirley Nicholson presiding.

The following business was conducted and announcements made:

—Plans were made to visit each of the local nursing homes. Members will entertain at the homes. Among the activities planned is a skit.

—Each member received an invitation to a Christmas luncheon and auction from the Twilight Red Hatters of Clarendon.

—Thula McCarroll, Geneva Barton, Emilie Schneider and Vivian Dykes won door prizes.

Red Hattitude Royalty

Red Hat Club

Red Hattitude Royalty Red Hat Club met Oct. 5 in the Parish Hall of St. Matthew's Church. Gina Albus and Gloria Hawkins were hostesses. Ten members attended, bringing their own dinner, followed by desserts brought by Debbie Addy and Hawkins.

Jane Jacobs presided over the meeting and plans were made for the next meeting on Nov. 7 at 6:30 to be held in Christine Griffin's home with Joann Taylor as co-hostess. The Christmas Party will be held Dec. 5 at the Vickery House with Jacobs and Karol Hervey serving as hostesses. Full Regalla will be worn and there will be ornament exchange.

Following business the members played a round of BUNCO and everyone won a prize.

Twentieth Century Study Club

Twentieth Century Study Club met Oct. 24 in the Home of Vanna Wolf.

Dot Stevens gave a program on First Ladies Helen and Edith Wilson, wives of Woodrow Wilson.

The next meeting will be at 1:30 p.m. Nov. 14 at the home of Fay Harvey, 1400 Coronado Drive.

Altrusa Club

Altrusa International, Inc. of Pampa, Texas met Oct. 24, 2006, at First United Methodist Church with Vice-President Terri Williams presiding. Penni Pfitzner and Rochelle Lacy served as greeters. Rancee Brown and Sherry Shieble attended as guests.

Judy Warner gave the Accent on the early history of the Tralee Crisis Center for Abused Women.

Warner also introduced Lori Covil, Executive Director of the Tralee Crisis Center who presented the program.

Lynn Switzer reported on

the Make a Difference Day project to be held on October 28 which will involve child safety seat inspections. Switzer asked for volunteers for the event which will be held at the old Albertson's parking lot from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m.

Sandra McKinney reported on plans for a chili/soup lunch December 2 at the Old Pampa Hardware Building, 120 N. Cuyler. Tickets were distributed to members to be sold for \$5 each. The event will be titled "Soup With Mrs. Claus" with serving hours from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Penni Pfitzner announced the Gal-Events will be held Monday, October 30, at 6:30 p.m. at First United Methodist Church. The event will serve as a make-up meeting.

The next meeting will be held November 8 at noon at the First United Methodist Church.

It's just one 'L' but it means a lot

HOLLSOPPLE, Pa. (AP) — A descendant of the man for whom this community is named wants what he says is an extra "L" dropped from its name.

"I'm a direct descendant of the founder," said Ed Holsopple. "I want to change the spelling to preserve its historical integrity."

Holsopple was founded in 1880 by Henry Holsopple.

Although most locals with the surname spell it with one "L," residents report fires to

the Holsopple Volunteer Fire Co. and mail letters from the Holsopple post office.

It's not the first time the conflict has come up. Archives from The Tribune-Democrat of Johnstown indicate the controversy began in 1813 when a family named Holtzapfel moved to the area.

As the children grew up, they disagreed on the spelling. In 1880, some began spelling it Holsopple.

Valuable lesson



Lamar Elementary students learned first-hand from firefighter Brenton Georend about fire safety and how a fireman's equipment protects him from danger as the Pampa Fire Department made a visit to Lamar during Fire Prevention Week recently.

Amarillo Symphony plans for New Year

AMARILLO — It's never too early to start planning for the party of the year.

Tickets are on sale now for Amarillo Symphony Uncorked, a blowout New Year's Eve celebration that will take partygoers around the world in one spectacular night. The gala is a joint project of the Amarillo Symphony and the Amarillo Symphony Guild.

The evening begins with a Viennese-style concert featuring tenor Eric Barry and violinist Keith Redpath performing with the Symphony. Festivities will then spill out into the rest of the Globe-News Center for the Performing Arts, where Uncorked patrons will take a whirlwind trip around the globe. Five food stations will offer an array of international foods from Paris, New Orleans, Rome, New York and Mexico City.

The Gilliland Education Center will be transformed into a raucous Havana nightclub packed with salsa dancers. The popular Amarillo jazz band The Martinis will perform on a dance floor in the lobby. The night will culminate in a champagne toast at midnight.

Tickets are \$75, which includes the concert, food, beverages and a complimentary glass of champagne. For tickets, call 376-8782 or visit www.amarillosymphony.org. Tickets are also available through Panhandle tickets outlets, by calling 378-3096 or visiting www.panhandletickets.com.

Since 1924, the Amarillo Symphony has been filling audiences with an unbridled enthusiasm for the performance and discovery of great orchestral music. As the only professional orchestra in the Panhandle area, the Symphony employs 85 skilled musicians to perform for more than 2,300 subscribers each year.

In addition to its regular concerts, the Symphony offers education programs, from youth orchestras to specialized music programs for underprivileged children, bringing the gift of music to thousands of young people throughout the Texas Panhandle each year.

For more information, please contact Nathan Newbrough, executive director, at (806) 376-8782 or via e-mail at nathan@amarillosymphony.org.

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put to work every day, right here in Pampa. Thank you for caring!

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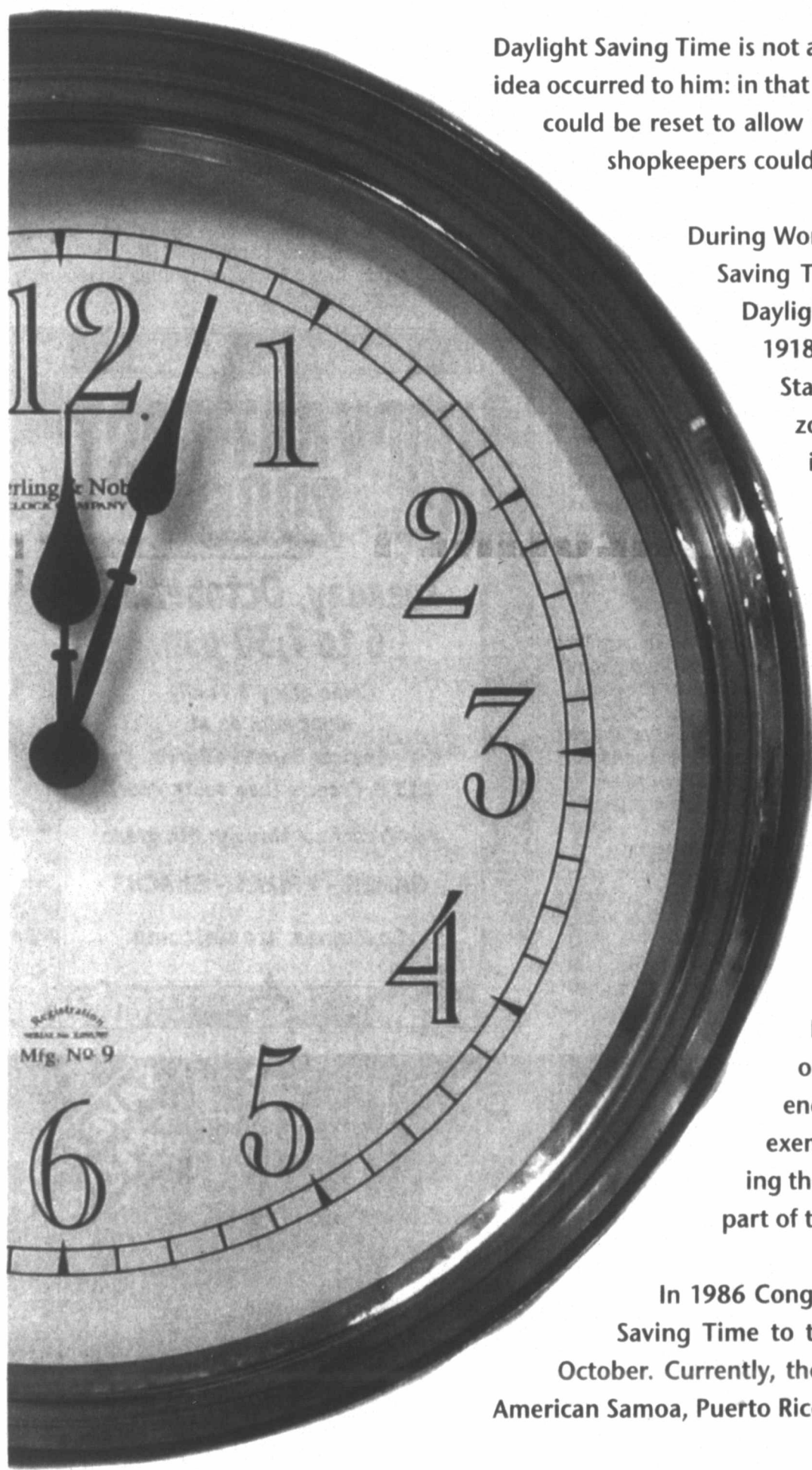
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DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS

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Daylight Saving Time is not a new concept. In 1784, when Benjamin Franklin was Minister to France, an idea occurred to him: in that part of the year when the sun rises while most people are still asleep, clocks could be reset to allow an extra hour of daylight during waking hours. He calculated that French shopkeepers could save one million francs per year on candles.

During World War I, in an effort to conserve fuel, Germany began observing Daylight Saving Time on May 1, 1916. As the war progressed, the rest of Europe adopted Daylight Saving Time. The plan was not formally adopted in the United States until 1918. "An act to preserve daylight and provide standard time for the United States" was enacted on March 19, 1918. It established both standard time zones and set summer Daylight Saving Time to begin on March 31, 1918. The idea was unpopular, however, and Congress abolished Daylight Saving Time after the war, overriding President Woodrow Wilson's veto. Daylight Saving Time became a local option and was observed in some states until World War II, when President Franklin Roosevelt instituted year-round Daylight Saving Time, called "War Time," on February 9, 1942. It lasted until the last Sunday in September 1945. The next year, many states and localities adopted summer Daylight Saving Time.

By 1962, the transportation industry found the lack of nationwide consistency in time observance confusing enough to push for federal regulation. This drive resulted in the Uniform Time Act of 1966. The act mandated standard time within the established time zones and provided for advanced time: clocks would be advanced one hour beginning at 2:00am on the last Sunday in April and turned back one hour at 2:00am on the last Sunday in October. States were allowed to exempt themselves from Daylight Savings Time as long as the entire state did so. If a state chose to observe Daylight Savings Time, the time changes were required to begin and end on the established dates. In 1968, Arizona became the first state to exempt itself from Daylight Saving Time. In 1972, the Act was amended, allowing those states split between time zones to exempt either the entire state or that part of the state lying within a different time zone.

In 1986 Congress amended the Uniform Time Act, changing the beginning of Daylight Saving Time to the first Sunday in April and having the end remain the last Sunday in October. Currently, the following states do not observe Daylight Saving Time: Arizona, Hawaii, American Samoa, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.

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Orphans

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one she meets. The little girl, now about 4, was severely brain-damaged by a forceps delivery, the doctor explains. Her condition has worsened to the point that she is constantly having seizures. Her grandmother can no longer care for her, so Ramirez brought her into her home so she can give her the intense nursing needed at this time.

Jesse, the little boy caught in international limbo, has grown. Born in the States and abandoned in Mexico, he doesn't qualify to go to school in Mexico. He's been joined by his little sister, Cox said. They continue to live at Casa Bugamblia.

After leaving the clinic, the visitors travel back through Matamoros to Casa Bethel, the orphanage opened by Pereira.

"In 1996, we started with 15 to 20 orphans. Now we have 70," he said.

One of the first children to live at the orphanage is now the pastor of a church in one of the colonias. He plans to marry one of the girls from the orphanage in December. She is studying at the university to become a therapist for the orphanage, Pereira says with pride.

Casa Bethel is also the site

of a Bible Institute where prospective pastors and missionaries are taught. A new building for the institute is under construction there.

And a scholarship program has been set up to help the children continue their education at the university after they turn 18, Pereira says.

Crossing back into the United States, the American visitors become aware of the increasing security at the border.

The border guard questions each occupant of the van.

"What is your citizenship? Where were you born?" he queries as he looks in the back of the van, between the seats and at each person inside. He speaks briefly with Pereira in Spanish as they stand behind the van. Apparently satisfied, he stands back and waves the van on through the gates.

Jim Pepper wasn't satisfied, however. He leans over Pereira and asks the guard, "What is your citizenship? Where were you born?"

Fortunately, the guard is in a good mood this day.

"American," he replies, laughing. "I was born in Puerto Rico."

Past the gate, as the quiet group contemplates all they have experienced and seen, Pereira comments with a wry smile, "I thought his Spanish had a strange accent."

Churches contributing to this year's "Ride for the Refugee" included First Christian Churches of Pampa, Tulia, Canyon, Brownfield, Hooker, Gladewater, Wylie, Amarillo, and Lake Brownwood Christian Retreat Center in Texas; First Christian Church of Liberal, Kan.; and the Amarillo chapter of the Christian Motorcycle Association.

Plans are already under way for "Ride for the Refugee 2007", organizers say. Loving says his goal is to see three trucks filled with donations, 20 motorcycles and "who knows how many \$\$\$\$\$s!" headed for the "neediest of the needy" next year.

Things have changed at Casa Bugamblia, the free clinic supported by Methodist, Disciples of Christ, Baptist and Catholic churches. Dr. Nancy Rameriz continues to treat approximately 200 "extremely poor" families on a less-than-minimum wage salary with donated medicines and medical supplies.

A second story to the clinic and more cinder block houses have been constructed thanks to the work of Larry Cox, a missionary from the United Methodist Church. He translates as Dr. Ramirez tells of Kayla, a "very special" patient who they have taken in to their home



Photo by DEE DEE LARAMORE
Thousands of migrating butterflies around San Antonio created an unexpected hazard and messy nuisance for riders and bikes as shown by Cindy Harper's windshield.

Scholarship fund gets financial boost

CANYON — The Philip J. Gensler Scholarship Fund for Students Majoring in Computer Information Systems (CIS) was bolstered considerably by a generous bequest from the late Bernice Leary, a long-time friend and neighbor of Phil and Katie Gensler.

Mrs. Leary's bequest to the CIS department honors the Genslers, who looked after their former neighbor when her health became poor. Philip Gensler, who retired in 1990, was the first head of the CIS department at WTAMU.

"Mrs. Leary wanted to honor the Genslers, and that tells you just what type of people they are," Dr. Amjad Abdullat, present head of the CIS department, said. "Phil influenced so many of our CIS graduates over the years. Mrs. Leary's bequest will help a lot of students. It also will help us keep Phil's legacy alive in this department."

Abdullat said \$50,000 of the recently donated funds will be set aside for a new professorship in Gensler's name.

"Phil challenged us that if we can come up with \$50,000 in matching funds, then we will have an endowed professorship of \$100,000," Abdullat said. "We already have raised \$10,000 of that sum."

The Gensler scholarship fund, which was established in 2005 by the Golden Spread Chapter of the Association of Information Technology Professionals with \$10,000

and was later augmented by contributions from former students, will be combined with the remainder of Mrs. Leary's bequest to attract exceptional students.

"We'll be able to attract more good students and give more students more scholarship assistance," Abdullat said. "We truly appreciate Mrs. Leary's generosity and the Genslers' dedication to the University."

Dr. Gensler says it was his wife who went the extra mile on Mrs. Leary's behalf.

"Katie really took care of her," he said. "I'm just glad that it can help some students to succeed. I remember when I was seeking my Ph.D., and my grandmother helped me out financially. A lot of students who come to the University are first-generation students, and scholarship can make a tremendous difference."

Recipients of the Gensler scholarship must be declared majors in the CIS department or incoming freshmen with the written intention of majoring in CIS. Non-incoming freshman recipients must have a minimum 3.0 grade point average to be eligible and must have completed at least 12 semester hours of coursework during the previous semester.

For more information about the Philip J. Gensler Scholarship Fund for Students Majoring in CIS, contact the CIS department at 806-651-2444.

Higher ed enrollment up

AUSTIN (AP) — Enrollment at Texas colleges and universities has grown by more than 27,000 students this fall, with most of the increases coming at two-year schools, state officials said Thursday.

More than 586,000 students are enrolled at community, junior and technical colleges across the state, an increase of about 20,000 from last year, the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board said.

About 1.2 million students are enrolled in some type of

higher education this fall, the board said.

Although this year's increase is twice as high as the growth reported last year, it trails the amount seen each year between 2001 and 2004.

"Clearly we need even greater increases to achieve state participation goals," said Raymund Paredes, the Texas commissioner of higher education.

He said his staff will try to figure out why enrollment isn't growing more rapidly.

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NOVEMBER 2, 2006

Table of TV programming for Thursday, Nov 2, 2006. Columns include time slots from 12pm to 10pm and various channels like KACV, KAMR, KCTI, etc.

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NOVEMBER 3, 2006

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Turkey, rice pilaf, English peas, yam apple bake. FRIDAY Oven-fried chicken, corn, baked potatoes, Waldorf salad. Kids' Cafe — Lamar Tuesday Chicken enchilada casserole, refried beans, salad, dessert, drink. Thursday Frito pie, corn, salad, dessert, drink. Kids' Cafe — Wilson Monday Chili dogs, salad, dessert, drink. Wednesday Chicken pot pie, salad, dessert, drink. Pampa Schools Monday Breakfast: Blueberry pancake, sausage on a stick. Lunch: Pig in a blanket or steak fingers, baked beans, au gratin potatoes,

sliced peaches. Tuesday Breakfast: Toasts, jelly. Lunch: Chicken and noodles or pizza, corn broccoli florets, mixed fruit, hot roll. Wednesday Breakfast: Breakfast pizza. Lunch: Barbecue on a bun or chicken nuggets, French fries, English peas, fresh fruit, spice cake. Thursday Breakfast: Sausage patty, biscuit. Lunch: Chicken teriyaki or beef and cheese nachos, green beans, rice pilaf, pineapple tidbits, hot roll. Friday Breakfast: Cereal, toast. Lunch: Crispy taco or hot dog, pinto beans, lettuce, tomato, applesauce, corn bread muffins.

Dear Abby...

By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: I am writing to you as a last resort. I have been married for 13 years to a man who does not communicate, to say the least. I have begged, pleaded, fought and waited for him to talk about something other than his children. Now I have met a man who is divorced, and we have wonderful conversations. There is nothing more to it than conversation at this point. My question is, if lack of communication is the only thing wrong in a marriage, is it enough of a reason to end a marriage? I was always brought up to "hang in there" and make it work at all costs. I am at my wit's end. — **JUST WANTING TO TALK, WOODBURY, MINN.**

DEAR JUST WANTING TO TALK: The "only thing wrong" in your marriage is the foundation of what a healthy marriage is built upon. When couples can't communicate, it usually poisons the rest of the relationship. Before you invest any more of yourself in the divorced man, it's important that you and your husband get counseling from a licensed marriage and family therapist. Consider it a "hail Mary" pass at saving your marriage. I'm crossing my fingers that counseling will open the channel of communication between you and your spouse. If it doesn't, then you will have to decide how much longer you can live in intellectual and emotional isolation.

DEAR ABBY: I know an older couple who seem to have an intractable problem. The wife, who now works part time, pursued painting as a hobby for many years. Her husband does not like her paintings. Almost every time I talk to him, he complains about the "junk" that his wife refuses to get rid of. I have suggested that he give her one room of the house (there is a spare bedroom) to do with as she wishes --

store her "junk," display her paintings, etc. He refuses, fearing it will become so cluttered that it won't be usable for overnight guests. They rented a storage locker for several months, but the wife missed her things and brought them back. Their arguments have brought them to the brink of divorce. Have you any words of advice? Mine seem to fall on deaf ears. — **ANONYMOUS IN NEW MEXICO**

DEAR ANONYMOUS: When words of advice seem to fall on deaf ears, it may be because the complainer would rather vent than listen. Offer one more bit of advice: If they have a garage, panel it and display the paintings in there -- and possibly store some of the "junk" there, too -- in cabinets, of course. After that, stay out of it.

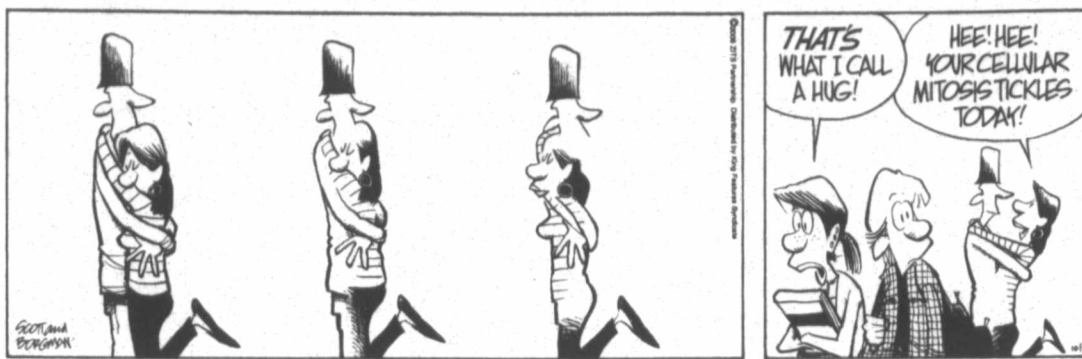
DEAR ABBY: My friend, "Sarah," has been considering becoming a nun. She found Jesus in the summer of 2003 and converted from Judaism to Christianity. She seems passionate about her beliefs, and I support her 100 percent. When Sarah and I were in our teens, she was in a car accident that led to the death of a young man. Although charges were never brought up, it was manslaughter, and I think she still feels guilty about it. Do I need to report this incident to her clergy? Would this prevent her from being able to become a nun? — **SYLVIA IN SAN FRANCISCO**

DEAR SYLVIA: I see no reason for you to "report" anything to your friend's clergy. Whatever confessing Sarah needed to do, she did when she converted to Christianity. As for its preventing her from becoming a nun, I see no reason why it would should. It might make her a better nun.

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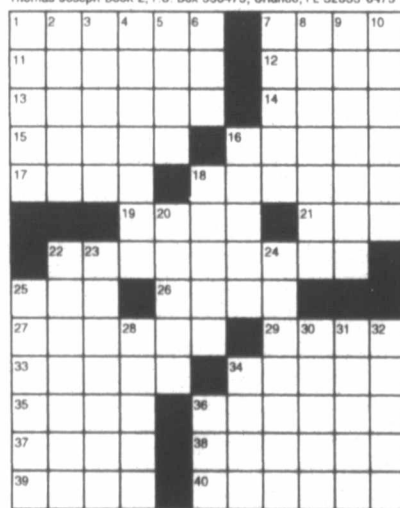
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Tax-2549 Gray County, et al vs. J.B. Luster Estate
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Tax-2573 Gray County, et al vs. Agapito Salazar
Tract #1: Lot 11, Block 1, Hillcrest Terrace, Gray County, Texas, as described in Volume 679, page 770, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas. (Acct #11030365001011)
Tax-2573 Gray County, et al vs. Agapito Salazar
Tract #2: Lot 12, Block 1, Hillcrest Terrace, Gray County, Texas, as described in Volume 679, Page 770, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas. (Acct #11030365001012)
Tax-2597 Gray County, et al vs. Faye E. Coleman Estate
Lot 5, Block 15, Prairie Village Addition, an addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas, as described in Volume 308, Page 621 Deed Records of Gray County, Texas. (Acct #11030595015005)
Tax-2660 Gray County, et al vs. Sandra Kay Ford, et al
Lot 17, Block 5, Finley-Banks Addition, an addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas, as described in Volume 577, page 551, Deed records of Gray County, Texas. (Acct #11030255005017)
Tax-2693 Gray County, et al vs. Elmer W. Holder
Lot 4, Block 15, Jarvis-Sone Addition, Gray County, Texas, as described in Volume 349, Page 83, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas. (Acct #11030410015004)
Tax-2730 Gray County, et al vs. Wayne L. Woodward
Lot 3, Block 1, Talley Addition, City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas, as described in Volume 613, Page 67, Real Estate records of Gray County, Texas. (Acct #11030730001003)
Tax-2735 Gray County, et al vs. David Allen David
Lot 9, Block 2, Priest Addition, City of Pampa, Texas, as described in Volume 690, Page 166, Official Records of Gray County, Texas. (Acct #1103060002009)
Tax-2771 Gray County, et al vs. Linda Janelle Radcliff
Lot 11, Block 1, Seeds Subdivision, an addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas, as described in Volume 617, Page 818, Real Estate Records of Gray County, Texas. (Acct #11030670001011)
Tax-1995 Gray County, et al vs. Crockett Kelly, a/k/a C.H. Kelly
Lot 1, Block 44, Talley Addition, City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas, as described in deed dated October 29, 1969 from Mary Kelly to C.H. Kelly, recorded in Volume 321, Page 607, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas. (Acct #110307300440010)
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The North 136.6 ft. of Lots 17 & 18, Block 44, Talley Addition, City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas, as described in deed dated July 21, 1956 from E.L. Fuller, et ux to C.H. Kelly, et ux recorded in Volume 187, page 595, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas. (Acct #110307300440017)
Tax-2349 Gray County, et al vs. Fred Pitt
Lots 10, 11, 12 and 13, Block 66, Original Town of McLean, Gray County, Texas, as described in deed dated January 5, 1996 from Vernon D. Stillwell to Fred Pitt recorded in Volume 700, Page 87, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas. (Acct #1201455506601)
Tax-2369 Gray County, et al vs. V.N. Osborn
Lot 9 and the North 30 feet of Lot 10, Block 30, Original Town of Pampa according to the map or

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Tax-2484 Gray County, et al vs. The Estate of Marvin J. Farriell
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Tax-2484 Gray County, et al vs. The Estate of Marvin J. Farriell
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Tax 2671- Gray County, et al vs. Gary Guill
Personal property consisting of a mobile home on leased ground located in Lot 8, Block 9, Original Town, Pampa, Gray County, Texas. (Acct #6102000700735)
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NOTICE: All ads that contain phone numbers or give reference to a number with an area code of 809 or a prefix of 011 are international toll numbers and you will be charged international long distance rates. For more information and assistance regarding work at home opportunities and job bids, *The Pampa News* urges its readers to contact the Better Business Bureau of South Texas, 609 S. International Blvd., Weslaco, Tx. 78596, (210) 968-3678.

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THE Grandview-Hopkins Independent School Dist. is accepting applications for a School Secretary position. The District pays the employee's health ins., while offering retirement benefits. Appl. will be accepted until position is filled. If you are interested, please call 669-3831 for an application.

MANAGEMENT OPPORTUNITY Quick service restaurant has opportunities for management - all levels. Must have food service experience, operational and people skills and a willingness to work. Send resumes to: Drawer 30 C/O Pampa News PO Box 2198 Pampa, Tx 79065

DOS Caballeros is now hiring for night and day-time servers. Apply with in. No phone calls!!

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NEED CNA's, 6 am-6 pm, shift. \$9.25 hr. 6pm-6am \$10.00 Call Palo Duro Nursing Home, Claude at 226-5121.

HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATOR

This position performs a variety of tasks in support of the City of Pampa's Streets and Parks Dept. To qualify for this position you must have a high school diploma or equivalent, be able to obtain and maintain a Class A CDL, and have a telephone in working order at all times. Six mo. exp. preferred in street and park maintenance and in operating heavy equipment. Salary range: \$2045-\$3330 per mo. Work Schedule: Mon. thru Fri. 7am-4pm., with seasonal adjustments. Interested persons should pick up application at City Hall, 200 W. Foster, Room 304. Position open until filled.

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CDL position open. Dump truck exp. preferred. Day hauls only. Pre-employment drug test is required. Apply in person to Billie or Kenneth only. West Texas Landscape, 120 S. Hobart, Pampa.

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10-28 CRYPTOQUOTE

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 D K M J G T P S G P K , U F M I K Y F H P E
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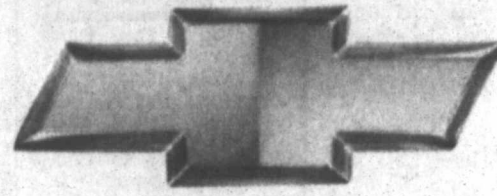
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