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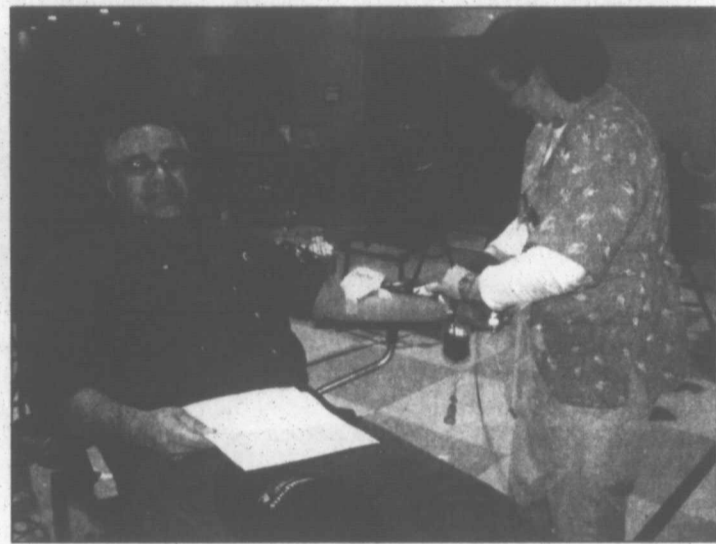
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Blood drive



Pampa News Photo by KERRI SMITH
Kelly Wilson from Coffee Memorial Blood Center gets Pascacio Silva's blood donation started at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic School's blood drive Monday. The next blood drive scheduled by Coffee is set from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Friday at the Pampa High School auditorium.

PRMC losing current CEO

By KERRI SMITH
Managing Editor

Alan King, the current CEO of Pampa Regional Medical Center, has announced he will be leaving this position to accept a new leadership role in West Virginia.

According to Signature officials in West Virginia, King has been named CEO of the 325-bed St. Joseph's Hospital, which is a Signature Hospital Corporation facility in Parkersburg, West Virginia. King will leave for his new post in early February and PRMC has commenced a search for the new CEO of the facility. Candidates will be considered from within

the company, as well as externally.

"Alan has done an outstanding job in his three years of service with Pampa Regional," Charles Miller, president and CEO of Signature said. "Pampa Regional is fortunate to have the support of an outstanding team of dedicated employees and affiliated physicians and we know that they will be able to continue to provide their usual, excellent patient care. We're

also confident about maintaining the momentum to move forward the many quality initiatives that are underway there."

Signature's Senior Vice President for Hospital Operations Ronald Patterson said the company is currently conducting a national search for a new leader for PRMC.

"We hope to have someone in place as quickly as possible," Patterson said. "Depending on how the search goes, we will either have a new CEO in the position or will have an interim leader by the time Alan leaves."



Alan King

Gray County grand jury hands up 25 indictments

By MARILYN POWERS
Staff Writer

A Gray County grand jury handed up 25 indictments Thursday in 31st District Court at Gray County Courthouse. Four indictments were for first-degree felonies, five for second-degree felonies, six for third-degree felonies and 10 for state jail felonies.

Edward Lee Briley Jr., 29, was indicted for two counts of manufacture/delivery of four grams or more but less than 200 grams of a controlled substance, enhanced. Bond on each of the first-degree felonies was set at \$25,000.

On April 1, 2007, Briley allegedly possessed with intent to deliver four grams or more but less than 200 grams each of methamphetamine

and cocaine.

On June 2, 1998, he was convicted in 223rd District Court in Gray County of the felony offense of theft over \$20,000 and under \$100,000.

Briley was also indicted on two counts of possession of five pounds or less but more than four ounces of marijuana. Bond on the state jail felony which allegedly occurred on Jan. 19, 2007 was set at \$15,000. Bond on the state jail felony which allegedly occurred on April 1, 2007 was set at \$20,000.

Total bond for Briley on all four indictments is \$85,000.

Tracey Don Matthews, 40, was indicted for two counts of manufacture/delivery four or more grams but less than 200 grams of a controlled substance, enhanced. Bond on each of the first-degree felonies was set at

\$25,000.

On April 1, 2007, Matthews allegedly possessed with intent to deliver four or more grams but less than 200 grams each of cocaine and methamphetamine.

Matthews was also indicted for possession of five pounds or less but more than four ounces of marijuana. Bond on the state jail felony was set at \$10,000.

On April 1, 2007, Matthews allegedly possessed five pounds or less but more than four ounces of marijuana.

Bond on the three felonies for which Matthews has been indicted totals \$60,000.

Rogelio Aguilar-Olivo, 38, was indicted for two counts of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon. Bond on each of the second-degree

felonies was set at \$15,000, for total bond of \$30,000.

On May 28, 2007, Aguilar-Olivo allegedly threatened two other persons with imminent bodily injury by pointing a firearm at those persons and threatening to shoot them.

Miguel Arturo Flores, 21, was indicted for burglary of a habitation. Bond on the second-degree felony was set at \$20,000.

On March 31, 2007, Flores allegedly entered a habitation without the consent of the owner and with intent to commit an assault against the owner.

Frederic Antonio Jackson, 31, was indicted for burglary of a habitation. Bond on the second-degree felony was set at \$15,000.

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Sheriff's Association seeks partnerships

By MARILYN POWERS
Staff Writer

Gray County residents may receive letters in the mail after Feb. 15 concerning the Sheriff's Association of Texas, according to Sheriff Don Copeland.

The mailings invite residents to become associate members of the association and thus assist law enforcement officers by building a partnership in the fight against crime, according to a news release from the association.

"The Associate Membership Drive helps provide the funding which is vital to our mission of making our communities safer places to live, work and play," Copeland said.

Dues paid by association members are used to provide officer training and education, technical resources, legislative support on criminal justice issues, crime pre-

vention and awareness programs, public safety promotion, help in the fight against drug abuse, additional training for sheriffs and their deputies, and scholarships for children of law enforcement officers and persons seeking a degree in the criminal justice field.

The association also provides scholarships to peace officers who are working toward degrees in law enforcement, the quarterly magazine "The Texas Lawman" and a quarterly newsletter for active members titled "SAT News."

"As the need for building stronger public-private law enforcement partnerships in this country continues to escalate, programs such as this continue to grow in importance," Copeland said of the association. "I encourage every citizen receiving a membership appeal to con-

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United Way Banquet

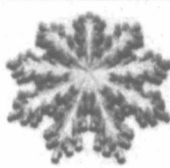


Pampa News photo by MARILYN POWERS

Employee groups with 50 percent or more employees giving to Pampa's United Way during its 2007 campaign were recognized at the United Way Annual Meeting Tuesday in Pampa Community Building. Front row from left are Sherry McCarit, Meals on Wheels; Janet Watts, CASA of the High Plains, Inc.; Dee Dee Laramore, Tralee Crisis Center for Women; Mary Green, Girl Scouts - Five Star Council; Heather Seabourn, FirstBank Southwest; Kim Hill, FirstBank Southwest; Charles Henry, Genesis House; Danny Harris, Atmos Energy; Tiffany House, Xcel Energy; John Wagner, Atmos Energy; Dick Stowers, Culberson-Stowers; Kurt Curfman, Community Day Care Center and Latch Key; and Pat Bagley, Community Day Care Center and Gray County Appraisal District. Not shown are National Bank of Commerce; Create a Beat; First State Bank, Pampa Branch; Duncan, Fraser and Bridges Insurance; and Citibank.

NEXT DAY FORECAST

Thursday



Cloudy

Friday



Mostly sunny

Saturday



Mostly sunny

Thursday: A slight chance of snow before 11 a.m., then a slight chance of rain between 11 a.m. and noon. Cloudy, then gradually becoming mostly sunny, with a high near 41. Wind chill values between 5 and 15. Windy, with a north-northwest wind between 15 and 25 mph, with gusts as high as 30 mph. Chance of precipitation is 20 percent.

Thursday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 21. Wind chill values between 12 and 17. West-northwest wind 5 to 10 mph becoming south-southwest.

Friday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 60. Windy, with a southwest wind 10 to 15 mph increasing to between 20 and 25 mph. Winds could gust as high as 30 mph.

Friday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 28. West-southwest wind between 10 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

Saturday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 52. North-northwest wind between 5 and 10 mph.

Saturday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 27. Southeast wind between 5 and 10 mph.

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Emergency Services

Pampa PD

Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Sixteen traffic stops were made. One stop in the 200 block of West Cook resulted in at least one arrest.

A traffic complaint was received from the 1100 block of Cinderella.

Vehicle accidents were reported in the 300 block of North Hobart, the 2100 block of Hamilton and the 800 block of East Browning.

Animal control officers made stops concerning animals in the 800 block of East Browning, the 800 block of

West Brown, the 1000 block of Neel Road, the 1000 block of Crane Road, the 300 block of North Faulkner, the 2200 block of Hamilton and the 300 block of Magnolia.

Seven attempts to serve papers were made.

Warrant service was attempted on one occasion and resulted in at least one arrest.

Agency assistance was rendered on Highway 60 West.

Welfare checks were made at the intersection of Kingsmill and Lefors streets and the 2000 block of Hamilton.

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Obituaries

Velma Garrison, 82

Velma Garrison, 82, of Pampa, Texas, died Jan. 29, 2008, at Pampa. Services are pending under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Garrison was born Aug. 1, 1925, in Red River County, Texas. She married Geral Garrison on Oct. 9, 1944, in Hall County, Texas. He preceded her in death on July 27, 1985.

Velma had been a resident of Pampa since 1947. She was a very active member of Highland Baptist Church, and she enjoyed gardening.

She was known by close friends and nieces and nephews as "Tom."

Survivors include one son, Jerry Garrison and wife Connie of Alva, Okla.; two daughters, Donna Sweet and husband Ron of Sugarland, Texas, and Judy Kidwell and husband Doug of Pampa, Texas; five grandsons, Jason Sweet of Bedford, Texas, Shane



Garrison

Sweet of League City, Texas, Cory Garrison of Oklahoma City, Okla., and Ty Garrison of Alva, Okla., and Ty Kidwell of Gruver, Texas; two great-grandsons, Deven Sweet of Bedford, Texas, and Braize Seitz of Amarillo, Texas; one great-granddaughter, Anjali Sweet of Bedford, Texas; three brothers, Wesley Wright of Detroit, Texas, William

Wright of Fort Worth, Texas, and Sam Wright of Deport, Texas; one sister, Wanda Howerton of Detroit, Texas; and one aunt, Helen Ballew of Memphis, Texas.

She was preceded in death by her parents; and two grandsons, Tony Sweet in 1998 and Douglas Kidwell, Jr., in 2001.

Visitation will be from 6:30-8 p.m. at the funeral home.

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

Elizabeth Levi Lynn, 87

Elizabeth Levi Lynn, 87, died Friday, Jan. 25, 2008, in Pampa. Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Thursday at Memory Gardens Mausoleum with the Rev. Hubert Kelly, pastor of Open Door Church of God in Christ, officiating.

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

Mrs. Lynn was born Dec. 24, 1920, at Waco. She married Roy Lynn on May 27, 1939, in Hillsboro; he died in 1993.

Mrs. Lynn had been a Pampa resident since 1942 and belonged to Open Door Church of God in Christ.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Charlie and Julia Levi; by a



Lynn

son, Roy Lynn, Jr.; and by a brother, J.D. Levi.

Survivors include two daughters, Faye Wilson of Fort Worth and Zonia Williams of Pampa; a son, Eugene Lynn of Abilene; a sister, Billie Chambers of Pampa; seven grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and

two great-great-grandchildren.

MEMORIALS: Odyssey Hospice, 6900 I-40 West, Suite 150, Amarillo, TX 79106, or Open Door Church of God in Christ, 402 Oklahoma, Pampa, TX 79065.

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

Fire

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

Tuesday, Jan. 29

8:01 a.m. — Two units and five personnel responded to the intersection of Hobart and Alcock on a motor vehicle accident.

4:45 p.m. — One unit and four personnel responded to the 100 block of Houston on an odor investigation.

Ambulance

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

Tuesday, Jan. 29

6:26 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded 4-miles west of Pampa on Highway 60 and transported a patient to

Pampa Regional Medical Center.

7:59 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 900 block of West Alcock. No transport.

3:51 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to PRMC and transported a patient to BSA Hospital in Amarillo.

9:12 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 1900 block of Lynn and transported a patient to PRMC.

10:03 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to PRMC and transferred a patient to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

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ed in the 900 block of South Faulkner. A bicycle valued at \$120 was lost.

A suspicious vehicle call was received from the 1300 block of North Sumner.

A silent/abusive 911 call was received from the 1700 block of Fir.

Disorderly conduct was reported in the 1100 block of Sirroco, the 1500 block of North Sumner and the 500 block of North Sumner.

Criminal mischief was reported in the 500 block of North Sumner. A rock was thrown through a double-pane window. Estimated cost of damage is \$150.

Criminal mischief was reported at Car Shack, 807 W. Foster. A vehicle window valued at \$800 was shot out.

Criminal mischief was reported in the 300 block of Anne.

A narcotics violation was reported at Pampa High

School, 111 E. Harvester. Three alarms were reported.

Fraud was reported twice in the police department lobby.

Theft was reported in the 900 block of South Faulkner.

Sheriff

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

Tuesday, Jan. 29

Cheryl Foster, 39, of Pampa was arrested on Highway 60 West at the Carson/Gray County line by Pampa Police Department on *capias pro fines* for no valid driver's license and failure to maintain financial responsibility.

Justin Thomas, 20, of Pampa was arrested in the 200 block of North Wells by PPD for forgery.

Authorities arrest mom who left kids for Africa trip

HOUSTON (AP) — A woman accused of leaving eight children with little food and no money while she traveled to Africa to marry a man she met on the Internet has been arrested.

Shanell Monique Mosley, 33, was met by authorities as she got off an Air France jet Monday afternoon at George Bush Intercontinental Airport, Harris County sheriff's spokesman Sgt. David Crain said Tuesday.

Charged with child endangerment and child abandonment for leaving the children

in squalid conditions, Mosley was scheduled to appear in court Wednesday, when an attorney was expected to be appointed to represent her.

After her children were discovered alone in the home in early January, officials learned Mosley went to Nigeria to marry an Internet acquaintance.

Crain declined to reveal how the sheriff's warrant division learned Mosley was on the flight, which came from Paris nonstop to Houston.

Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Aletbury Grain of White Deer.		
Wheat	NA	
Milo	NA	
Corn	NA	
Soybeans	NA	
The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock Market quotations are furnished by Edward Jones & Co. of Pampa		
OXY	68.07	-0.42
BP PLC ADR	62.82	-0.83
Cabot Corp	30.09	+0.01
Celanese	36.35	-0.42
Cabot Oil Gas	38.70	+0.24
Coca Cola	57.85	-0.70
VLO	60.51	-0.07
HAL	33.58	-0.15
XCEL	20.85	+0.25
Anadarko	57.04	+0.60
XOM	84.92	-0.16
Nat'l Oilwell	64.41	+0.30
Limited	18.20	-0.11
Williams	32.15	+0.33
MCD	51.32	+0.57
Atmos	28.05	-0.27
Pioneer Nat	41.25	-0.32
JCP	44.70	-0.29
COP	78.16	-0.11
SLB	78.00	-0.69
Tenneco	26.95	+0.19
CVX	82.77	+0.17
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By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: I'm a middle-aged man who has been married for 20 years. I own a duplex in a nice neighborhood. Last week, I put an ad in the paper and a 21-year-old woman came to look at the upstairs apartment. The problem is, I found her attractive and had sex with her downstairs while my wife was not home. — **COULDN'T HELP MYSELF IN NEW YORK**

DEAR COULDN'T HELP YOURSELF: While you were checking the woman out, did you also check her references? If the answer is no, you should hasten to your doctor to be checked for every STD known to man and woman, because you not only had unprotected sex with a stranger, but with one who would ALSO have sex with a stranger.

DEAR ABBY: My son, "Larry," has lost his driver's license until the case can go to court. However, he still continues to drive. Larry's wife doesn't want a confrontation with him, but she is worried that if he should get into an accident, he could be arrested. We're all concerned because with his license suspended, his insurance might not cover any accident or ensuing lawsuit, and his family could be bankrupt. What should his wife do? Hide the keys? Call the police? — **WORRIED MOM, ONTARIO, CANADA**

DEAR WORRIED MOM: You have every right to be concerned, and so does Larry's wife. For an adult, your son's behavior is immature and shows extremely poor judgment. It's too bad that your daughter-in-law is afraid of a confrontation because that is what it may take. You ask if she should hide the keys or call the police. I have another suggestion. If necessary, she should give your son's keys to YOU, to be returned only after his case has been adjudicated.

DEAR ABBY: I have lived in my condo for three years. My across-the-hall neighbors moved in two years ago. To welcome them, I left a bottle of wine, some bread and a floral arrangement outside their door. I received a gracious thank-you note in return. Since then, we have talked in the hall, but socialized only rarely because I travel frequently for business. I recently married a phenomenal man. He also travels extensively, so he has rarely seen our neighbors. When he moved his belongings into our condo, the neighbors popped over with a bottle of wine (they have a cellar) and a fruit basket. We thanked them profusely, but I handed the bottle of wine back, stating, "We don't drink, but maybe you could open it and think of us when you do." What I didn't mention to the neighbors is the fact that my husband is a recovering alcoholic, 15 years and counting. Again, thanks were offered and I wrote a thank-you card that very night. While I was writing the card, my husband gently intimated that I may have committed a faux pas by returning the wine. He thinks we should have accepted it to be hospitable, then re-gifted it to someone else. What do you think? — **NO OFFENSE INTENDED IN N.Y.**

DEAR NO OFFENSE INTENDED: What's done is done, so don't flog yourself. However, once a gift is received, it belongs to the recipient to do with as he or she wishes. And the "proper" thing to have done would have been to thank them warmly for their thoughtfulness -- and then re-gifted it to someone else.

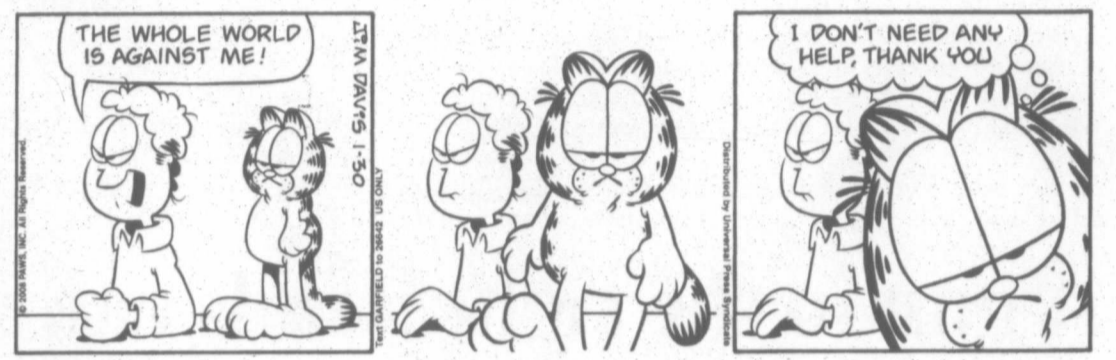
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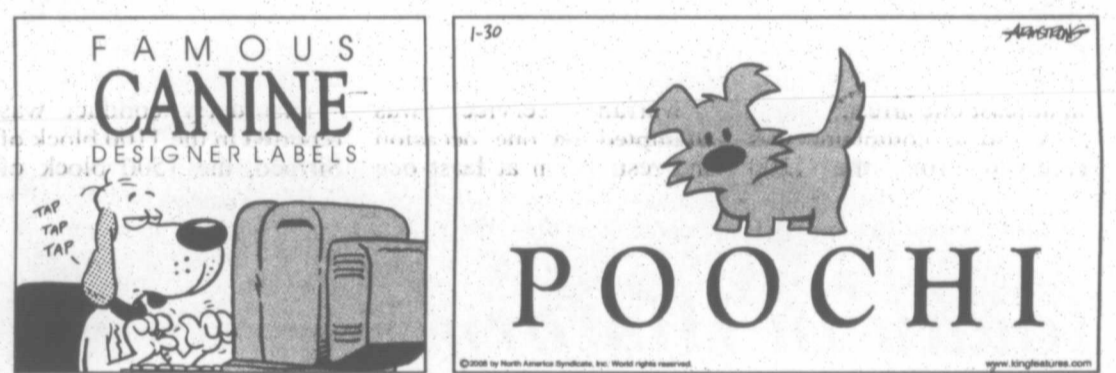
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By THOMAS JOSEPH

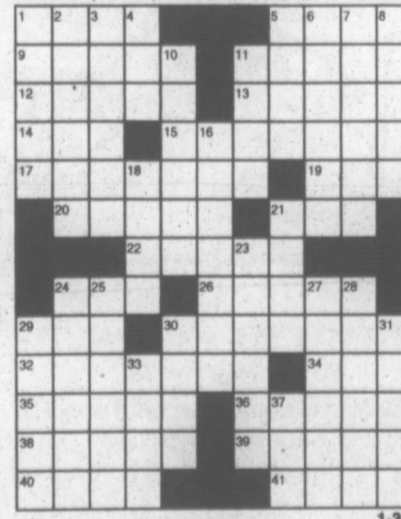
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- 14 Pitching number
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- 17 Realms
- 19 "You there!"
- 20 Like Tom Jones
- 21 Young buck
- 22 Ancient Yemen
- 24 Earth: Pref.
- 26 Highway exits
- 29 Puzzle
- 30 Compact pooch
- 32 To be honest
- 34 West of Hollywood
- 35 Second airing
- 36 Select group
- 38 Sailor's cry

DOWN

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- 4 Plopped down
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- 6 Singer Franklin
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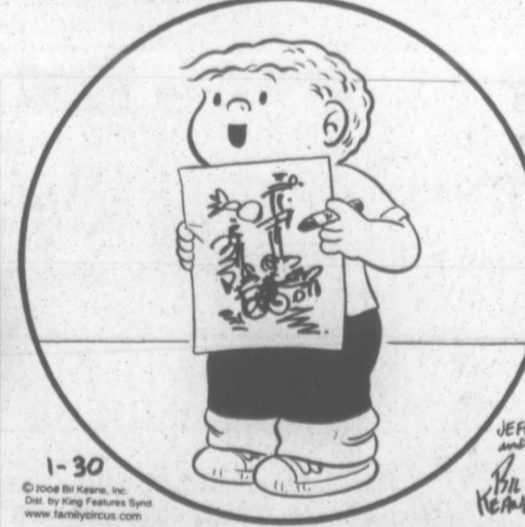


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Viewpoints

Is Newt going to be dark horse for GOP?

Fred Thompson's gone. Duncan Hunter's gone. All these people are gone. Huckabee could become Huckabee. So could Rudy. All of a sudden you've got this Republican primary coming down to McCain, Romney and Ron Paul. With all this uncertainty, just where can a conservative go?

All of a sudden, radio talk show hosts, who reflect the opinions of grass-roots conservative voters, are all over the lot hammering on Rudy, hammering on Romney, hammering on McCain and hammering on Paul. Listening to them you get an idea who they want or don't want. They don't like McCain. Most probably they support either Huckabee or Romney.

If Huckabee is finished, I think they go to Romney, who is somewhat more conservative than the rest. At any rate, conservatives could be faced with backing either McCain, or Romney, or Huckabee or even Rudy. Or they could end up backing none of them. Who, then, could conservatives end up backing?

Well, who recently has come out with a new book? Who's doing all the shows talk-

ing about his new book? Who is advocating common-sense solutions to the most pressing problems America faces? Newt Gingrich, that's who. He was out of the race for a long time. He toyed with the idea of running until Fred Thompson entered the race, and then he more or less pulled back.

Why Newt? Ask yourself why Ronald Reagan won. He won because he was able to excite a group of people in America that the liberal wing of the Republican party has never excited — the grassroots. Newt Gingrich is the last Republican to have done that — to reach out to the grassroots, to all those conservative Republicans and Reagan Democrats.

Remember, it was Newt who engineered the miraculous Republican take-over of Congress in 1994 — something that was deemed impossible two years after Bill Clinton won the White House. I wouldn't be surprised if he was out there quietly working

the phones and hoping for a wide-open convention where the delegates — not the primaries that selected many of them — decide for themselves who they want to carry the GOP banner in the presidential election in November.

If Newt throws his hat in the ring he knows that in the blink of an eye he will have the grassroots behind him.

Look at what happened in South Carolina. McCain won with 33 percent of the vote, which means 67 percent of the voters said we don't want McCain; only 30 percent said yes to Huckabee, which means that 70 percent said no to him. About 15 percent went for Thompson, a mere 14 percent went for Romney and 2 percent went for Giuliani. So basically the voters said a resounding "no" to all of the above.

So who can electrify the base and get them to come out from their bunkers and ignite a groundswell? On the record, the only person capable of doing that is Newt Gingrich. Covering all the issues that concern the

grassroots: Romney represents the Reagan economic approach; McCain, the national security issues; Giuliani represents the hard-line-on-crime position; and Huckabee covers the religious position. Everybody has a piece. Newt Gingrich covers all of those issues, and in the eyes of the grassroots, he covers them brilliantly.

Just as his Contract with America dealt with many of the issues that concerned the grassroots and won Congress for the GOP, his agenda goes right to the heart of our current problems. He's offering concrete solutions to all the concrete problems and that's what the grassroots crave. As a result, if the nomination gets thrown open in a brokered convention, the person who comes out of the struggle the winner will most likely be Newt Gingrich. If I'm right, I'll back him to the hilt. If I'm wrong, I'll follow my dad's lead and support the nominee no matter who he is.

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



Michael Reagan
Columnist

A gun in the right hands can save a life

The young lady recently murdered while hiking the southern tip of the Appalachian Trail might be alive today if she had tucked a pistol into her backpack or fanny pack. Yes, I know it's against the law to carry a pistol on the trail, but which would you prefer — breaking a bureaucratic rule or getting your brains knocked out and then being decapitated?

I'm afraid too many of us have spent our lives in an urban environment and have thus lost touch with the reality of the outdoors. When you go into the woods by yourself, you leave not only your car behind, but the protection of the law. When you are by yourself, whether on an urban street or in a forest,

and someone comes along with the intention of assaulting you, you are on your own. There is no help. Your choice is run or fight. And a fight is a physical thing, not an intellectual matter.

Of course, if you are as fit as Chuck Norris and have the martial-arts skills of Jet Li, then maybe you can survive without a pistol, although bringing a black belt to a gunfight is not going to do you much good.

Merely having a gun does not mean you will survive the encounter. The gun is an

inanimate object, a tool. It can't think, it can't move, it can't aim itself, and it can't fire itself. You have to supply the brains. These days,

everyone would do well to add a pinch of paranoia to his otherwise sunny disposition and trusting nature. If you are in an isolated area, any stranger should be considered an enemy until proven differently. That doesn't mean you attack the stranger; it just means you watch him carefully and don't let him get too close to you or behind you.

For a gun/tool to be of any

use, it has to be loaded and readily available at the time and place you need it. You can't very well say: "Uh, hold up there a moment, will you? I know I put that pistol somewhere." A friend of mine who had lived in New York City all his life moved to Florida and went a little nuts when he discovered that any legal adult can buy a gun. He bought an arsenal. I reminded him one day that all his guns and ammunition stored at home wouldn't help him if someone jumped him in the parking lot.

I've never been a gun collector. To me, guns are just tools, and they have only three functions: recreational shooting, hunting and self-defense. In a self-defense sit-

uation, you are going to need only one gun, and if you haven't protected yourself with your first two or three bullets, chances are you won't have need for the rest of them. I am not an advocate of the spray-and-pray school of shooting. The only bullets that count in a gunfight are those that hit the bad guy.

The best self-defense tactic is to avoid putting yourself in a position where you will need to shoot. The majority of violent crimes are committed in certain neighborhoods. You know where they are. Stay out of them. Don't mope about looking vulnerable. Secure your home and secure your car. You don't have to be

grim to be alert.

Two more points: Before you buy a gun for self-defense, make sure you are psychologically prepared to take a human life. That's not a minor thing. Death is irrevocable. There are always consequences. If you aren't prepared to deal with them, then you're better off buying pepper spray and a pair of running shoes.

Secondly, learn to use your gun. That means lots of practice. If an attack comes, it will come unexpectedly and suddenly, and you won't have time to fumble around wondering where the safety catch is. Always shoot to kill.

—Write to Charley Reese at P.O. Box 2446, Orlando, FL 32802.



Charley Reese
Columnist

Today in History

By The Associated Press

Today is Wednesday, Jan. 30, the 30th day of 2008. There are 336 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Jan. 30, 1968, the Tet Offensive began during the Vietnam War as Communist forces launched surprise attacks against South Vietnamese provincial capitals; although the Communists were beaten back, the offensive was seen as a major setback for the U.S. and its allies.

On this date:

In 1649, England's King Charles I was beheaded.

In 1882, the 32nd president of the United States, Franklin Delano Roosevelt, was born in Hyde Park, N.Y.

In 1883, James Ritty and John Birch received a U.S.

patent for the first cash register.

In 1933, Adolf Hitler became chancellor of Germany.

In 1933, the first episode of the "Lone Ranger" radio program was broadcast on station WXYZ in Detroit.

In 1948, Indian political and spiritual leader Mohandas K. Gandhi was shot and killed by a Hindu extremist.

In 1958, "Sunrise at Campobello," a play by Dore Schary about Franklin D. Roosevelt's struggle against polio, opened on Broadway with Ralph Bellamy as FDR.

In 1962, two members of "The Flying Wallendas" high-wire act were killed when their seven-person pyramid collapsed during a

performance in Detroit.

In 1972, 13 Roman Catholic civil rights

by British soldiers in

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Texas Thoughts

By The Associated Press

A sample of editorial opinion around Texas:

Jan. 19 San Antonio Express-News on wiretap failures:

Politicians can talk all they want about national security, but what the FBI really needs is a good office manager.

If that sounds facetious, consider a recent development that is as disturbing as it is embarrassing: A telephone company recently cut off an international wiretap after the agency failed to pay its bill on time, according to a government audit released this month.

The audit, conducted by the Justice Department, criticized the FBI for the poor handling of funds used for undercover investigations, Reuters reported.

And while the incompetence led to the disruption of a wiretap case, it has repercussions beyond a single incident, making the agency vulnerable to theft and mishandled invoices, according to the audit.

Politicians engage in lofty debates about whether the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act, which governs electronic spying in intelligence cases, makes it too cumbersome for agents pursuing leads on terrorism.

That debate, however crucial to the war on terrorism, is reduced to absurd

irrelevance when the FBI cannot do what hard-working Americans are expected to do every month pay their bills on time.

"Late payments have resulted in telecommunications carriers actually disconnecting phone lines established to deliver surveillance results to the FBI, resulting in lost evidence, including an instance where delivery of intercept information required by a ... FISA order was halted due to untimely payment," Reuters quoted the audit as saying.

Maybe what the agency needs is a good temp. URL: <http://www.mysa.com>

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Amish man's new miracle idea helps home heat bills hit rock bottom

Miracle heaters being given away free with orders for real Amish fireplace mantles to launch the new invention that slashes heat bills, but Amish craftsmen under strain of winter rush impose household limit of 2

Saves money: uses less energy than a coffee maker, so leave it on day and night and never be cold again

By MARK WOODS
Universal Media Syndicate

(UMS) Everyone hates high heat bills. But we're all sick and tired of turning down the thermostat and always being cold.

Well now, brand new HEAT SURGE™ miracle heaters are actually being given away free to the general public for the next two days starting at precisely 8:00 a.m. today.

The only thing local readers have to do is call the National Distribution Hotline before the 48 hour deadline with their order for the handmade Amish Fireplace Mantles. Everyone who does is instantly being awarded the miracle heaters absolutely free.

This is all happening to launch the new HEAT SURGE Roll-n-Glow™ Amish Fireplace that actually rolls from room to room so you can take the heat with you anywhere. That way, everyone who gets them first can immediately start saving on their heat bills.

For the first time ever, portable Amish fireplaces are being delivered directly to the doors of all those who beat the deadline.

These miracle fireplaces have what's being called the 'Fireless Flame' technology that gives you the peaceful flicker of a real fire but without any flames, fumes, smells, ashes or mess. Everyone is getting them because they require no chimney and no vent. You just plug them in.

The Fireless Flame looks so real it fools everybody but it has no real fire. So what's the catch? Well, the soft spoken Amish craftsmen who hand make the mantles are imposing a strict household limit of 2 during the strain of the winter rush.

"We can barely keep up ever since we started giving heaters away free. Now that it's really cold outside, everyone's trying to get them. Amish craftsmen are working their fingers to the bone to be sure everyone gets their delivery in time to save a lot of money," confirms Timothy Milton, National Shipping Director.

"These portable Roll-n-Glow Fireplaces are the latest home decorating sensation. They actually give you a beautifully redecorated room while they quickly heat from wall to wall. It's the only way to dress up every room, stay really warm and slash your heat bills all at the same time," says Josette Holland, Home Makeover Expert to the rich and famous.

And here's the best part. Readers who beat the 48-hour order deadline are getting their imported hi-tech miracle heaters free when encased in the real Amish built solid wood fireplace mantles. The mantles are being handmade in the USA right in the heart of Amish country where they are beautifully hand-rubbed, stained and varnished.

You just can't find custom made Amish mantles like this in the national chain stores. That makes the solid oak mantle a real steal for just two hundred ninety-eight dollars since the entire cost of the miracle heater is free.

This free giveaway is the best way to slash heating bills and stay warm through the dead of winter. The HEAT SURGE Roll-n-Glow Fireplace gives you all the beauty and warmth of a built-in fireplace but it can also save you a ton of money on heating bills.

Even people in California and Florida are flocking to get them so they may never have to turn on their furnace all winter. And since it uses less energy than a coffee maker the potential savings are absolutely incredible.

"We are making sure no one gets left out, but you better hurry because entire communities of Amish craftsmen are straining to keep up with winter demands. For now, we have to turn away dealers in order to let readers of today's newspaper have two per household just as long as they call before the deadline," confirms Milton.

It's a really smart decision to get two right now because for only the next 48 hours you get both miracle heaters free. That's like putting five hundred bucks right in your pocket and you can save even more money on your monthly heating bills.

"Everyone's calling to get one but those who really want to save a lot on their heating bills are surprising the whole family by getting two. So when lines are busy keep trying or log onto



■ **GENUINE AMISH MANTLES MADE IN THE USA:** Amish craftsmen are pleased that Heat Surge officials have provided proof of certification of the coveted UL Listing for the miracle heater. Now, everyone wants to save money on heat bills this winter, so entire Amish communities are working from the crack of dawn to finish. These fine solid wood Amish made fireplace mantles are built to last forever. The solid oak mantle is a real steal at just two hundred ninety-eight dollars because all those who beat the order deadline by calling the National Hotline at 1-800-242-6155 to order the fireplace mantles are actually getting the imported hi-tech Fireless Flame HEAT SURGE miracle heaters for free.

amishfireplaces.com. We promise to get to every call. Then we can have a delivery truck out to your door right away with your beautiful Amish made Roll-n-Glow Fireplace," Milton said.

"You'll instantly feel bone soothing heat in any room. You will never have to be cold again," he said. ■

On the worldwide web: www.amishfireplaces.com

HEAT SURGE™
Fireless Flame

How It Works: The HEAT SURGE miracle heater is a work of engineering genius from the China coast so advanced, you simply plug it into any standard wall outlet. It uses less energy than it takes to run a coffee maker. Yet, it produces an amazing 5,119 BTU's. An on board Powerful hi-tech heat turbine silently forces hot air out into the room so you feel the bone soothing heat instantly. It even has certification of Underwriters Laboratories coveted UL listing and comes with a full year Money Back Guarantee.

Hot air comes out

Hi-tech silent heat turbine takes in cold air

How to get 2 free heaters

The National Toll Free Hotlines are now open. All those who beat the 48 hour order deadline to cover the Amish made Fireplace Mantles and shipping get the HEAT SURGE miracle heaters free.

They have imposed a strict limit of 2 per household. Since some home woodworkers want to build their own mantle piece, they are letting people get the imported miracle heater alone for just \$249. Or, with the Amish made mantle you get the miracle heater free.

Use the map below to locate the weather zone you live in and call the Hotline number for your zone.



Claim Code: FP2457

EVERYONE LIVING IN THE Frigid Zone: 1
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■ **ON THEIR WAY:** Winter rush orders have turned country roads into pipelines to the big city delivery system. Everybody wants a fireplace that comes fully assembled with a handmade Amish mantle in oak or cherry and gets delivered by truck right to your door. All you do is plug it in.

Rolls anywhere to throw an instant heat wave with no chimney, no vents, no wood and no smoke



■ **EASILY ROLLS ANYWHERE:** This is the portable Roll-n-Glow™ Fireplace that easily rolls from bedroom to living room. No vents, no chimney and no tools. Just plug it in.



■ **SAVES ON BILLS:** Everyone gets low bills and stays warm and cozy. Naomi Abrams' new Roll-n-Glow Fireplace saves a ton of money and makes her front room look like a million bucks.



■ **SAFE:** The Fireless Flame looks so real it fools everybody but there is no real fire. That makes it safe to the touch. It's where the kids will play and the cat and dog will sleep.



■ **FREE:** Get this \$249 miracle heater free. It is being given away free to all who beat the 48 hour order deadline for your choice of the oak or cherry Amish Mantles. The free heater comes already encased.

Sports

Pampa slips with Palo Duro

By JORDAN REAGAN
Sports Editor

The Pampa Harvesters recorded their fourth district loss Tuesday when they hosted Palo Duro, but with two recent wins behind them, the Harvesters improved their game against the Dons significantly.

In their last match-up, the Dons reached the triple digits, defeating the Harvesters 104-44, but Pampa helped to narrow that gap at McNeely Fieldhouse Tuesday as Palo Duro claimed a 88-54 victory.

The Harvesters trailed by eight in the first quarter to give Palo Duro an early 21-13 lead.

Palo Duro outscored Pampa 33-12 in the second quarter to take the halftime lead, 54-25.

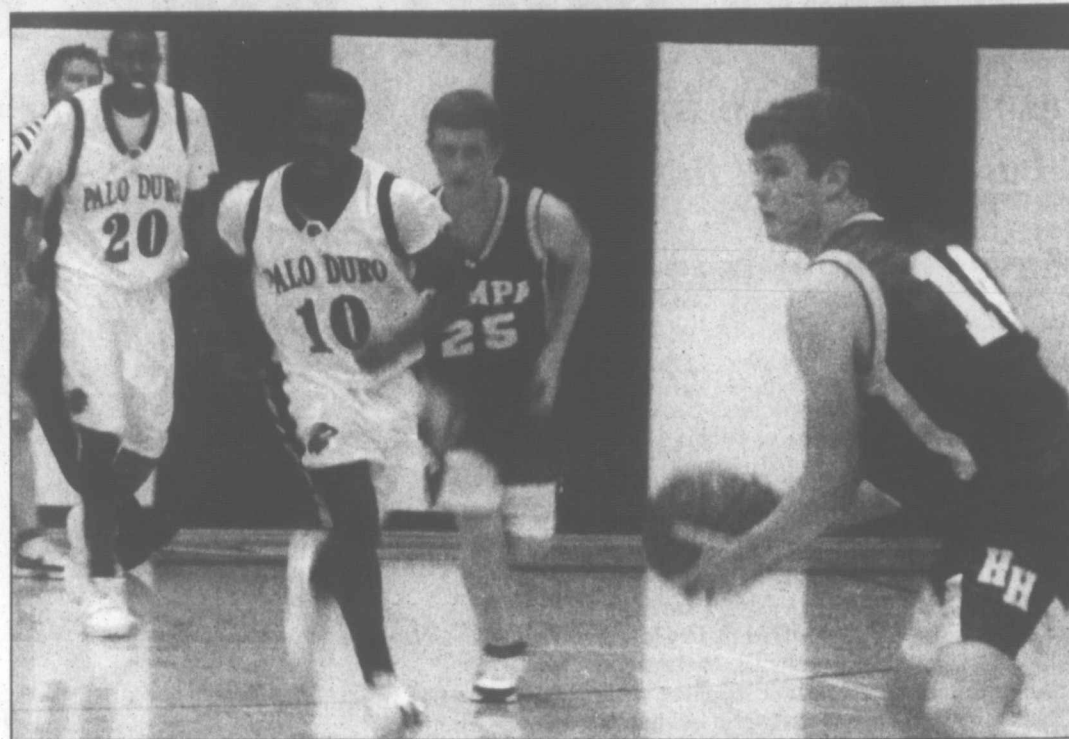
After taking nearly a 40-point lead in the third quarter with a score of 73-39, the Palo Duro Dons were held to only 15 points in the fourth quarter as the Harvesters also scored 15.

Palo Duro won the game 88-54 to improve their record to 24-0, 6-0.

Sophomore Alex Clendening led the Harvesters with 19 points, and junior Matt Smith had 16 points.

The Harvesters record the loss to make their record 2-4 in district and 11-15 overall.

The JV boys defeated Palo Duro, 78-72.



Pampa News photo by JORDAN REAGAN

Sophomore Alex Clendening tries to pass the ball to a teammate as Palo Duro players rapidly approach earlier this month as the teams faced off at Palo Duro. Also pictured here is Pampa senior Mark Stone (25).

Lady Harvesters

The Lady Dons from Palo Duro improved to 8-0 in district over the Lady Harvesters Tuesday.

Pampa improved their gameplay against the Lady Dons since the last time they played nearly three weeks ago, when they suffered a 61-13 loss.

The Lady Harvesters were defeated Tuesday, 62-28 by Palo Duro, led by

Kiersten Taylor with seven points and Shelbie Watson with six points.

Palo Duro took a 15-point lead in the first quarter at 19-4, but gave up eight points in the second quarter as they took a halftime lead of 34-12.

The Lady Harvesters only scored seven points in the third quarter as the Lady Dons tossed in 13 to take a 47-19 lead going into the final period.

Eight more points for

Pampa put them 34 points behind as they fell to Palo Duro, 62-28.

The Pampa JV girls also were defeated by Palo Duro, 44-32.

The Harvesters and Lady Harvesters will play again Friday as they travel to Hereford to take on the Whitefaces and Lady Whitefaces.

The varsity girls will play at 6 p.m. and the varsity boys will follow at 7:30 p.m.



Pampa News photo by JORDAN REAGAN

Pampa's Trisha Moore stands ready to play some defense during the Lady Harvesters' first game against Palo Duro earlier this month.

Roger Clemens shows up at Houston Astros training camp

HOUSTON (AP) — Roger Clemens showed up at the Houston Astros' minicamp on Wednesday and sidestepped a question about his upcoming appearance before a House committee investigating performance-enhancing drugs in baseball.

"I'm not going to talk about that," said Clemens, dressed in jogging pants, a hooded sweatshirt and a baseball cap. "I'm doing it the right way and do what I need to do. We're going to do it the right way."

The seven-time Cy Young Award winner has been invited to testify before the House Oversight and Government Reform Committee for a deposition or transcribed statement on Feb. 5 and public testimony eight days later. His former personal trainer, Brian

McNamee, and former teammate Andy Pettitte have also been invited.

McNamee said in last month's Mitchell Report on drug use in baseball that he injected Clemens at least 16 times with steroids or HGH in 1998, 2000 and 2001.

Clemens has repeatedly denied the accusations and Lanny Breuer, one of the pitcher's lawyers, said Tuesday that his client stood by his previous denials.

Clemens has a personal services contract with the Astros that starts following his retirement as a player. His oldest son, Koby, is a minor leaguer in the Astros system and is participating in the camp.

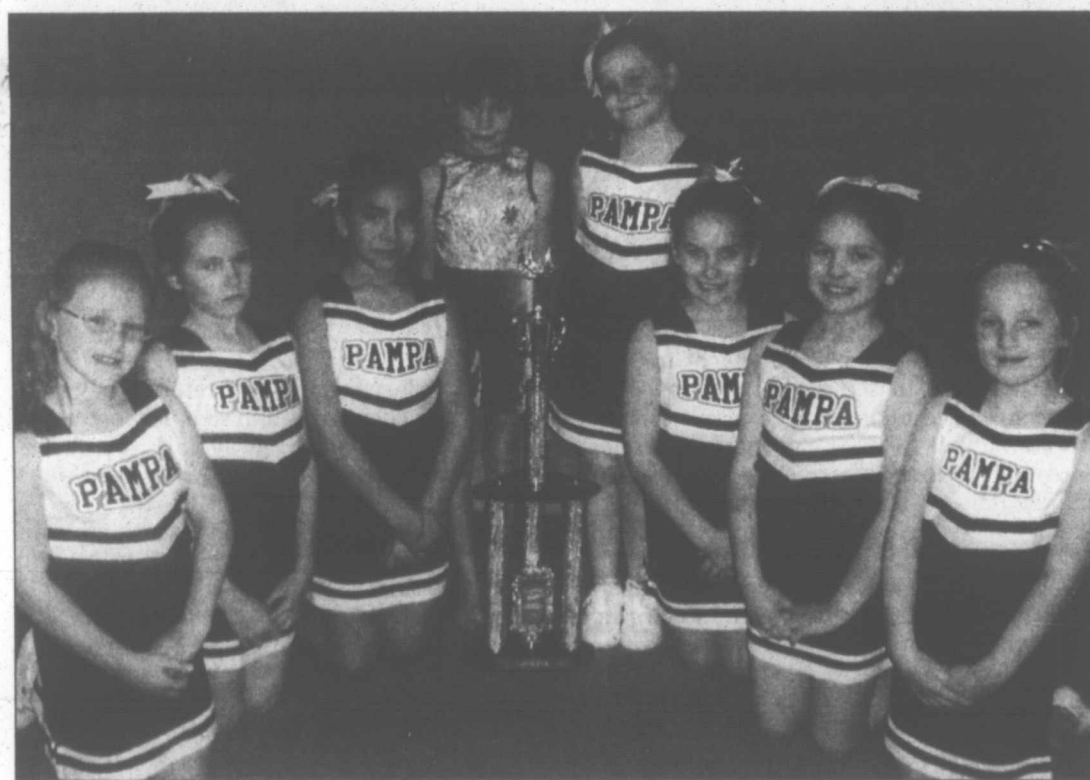
Not even Koby was sure whether his father would show this week. Clemens said the attention focused on him now was never going to deter him.

"Like I said, I'm not going anywhere," he said. "I think my track record is what it is. I think there's enough of you standing in front of me that have known me for a long, long time. It is what it is."

The Astros kept an open invitation for Clemens to participate in the minicamp, a precursor to spring training next month. Clemens planned to throw batting practice and talk to the Astros prospects.

"I'm doing everything I love to do. I mean, I'm not going anywhere," he said. "So I love to do these things, and the Astros and the other teams that I've worked with have always been real supportive. And like I said, if I can share any insight to these young kids at this level while they're trying to reach their goals, reach their dreams, it's all the more better."

House of Cheer



Courtesy photo

Gymnastics of Pampa's House of Cheer Junior Squad is shown here with the first place trophy they garnered at their first-ever competition in Amarillo in December. The next competition will be in February. Pictured here are: (L-R) Calista Bolin, Mariah Doyle, Danikka Resindez, Macy Nitzel, Samantha Clancy, Jaycee Devoll, Madison Doyle and Kala Turner.

Fox network hopes to beat Super Bowl viewership record of more than 94 million viewers

NEW YORK (AP) — The undefeated New England Patriots aren't taking the only shot at history this weekend. There's a strong chance that this could be the most-watched Super Bowl ever.

The record Fox will be shooting for is the 94.08 million viewers who watched the Dallas Cowboys beat the Pittsburgh Steelers in January 1996, according to Nielsen Media Research.

Last year's victory by the Indianapolis Colts came closest with 93.2 million.

The biggest draw is the Patriots themselves, as they attempt to become the first undefeated NFL team since the 1972 Dolphins — and secure near-unanimous

acclaim as the best pro football team ever.

"This has a very good chance," said Brad Adgate, research chief for the Madison Avenue firm Horizon Media.

While the Patriots' quest

for history will be the focus, they must beat the New York Giants, who represent the biggest television market in the country. The Giants' underdog run to the Super Bowl has captivated its fan base, and the NFC champi-

onship victory over the Green Bay Packers had the biggest audience for that game since 1995, according to Nielsen Media Research.

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Sheriff

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sider joining forces with us by becoming an associate member. It is a valuable investment in our future.”
The Sheriffs' Association of Texas is one

of the oldest law enforcement organizations of its kind in the nation. Founded in 1874, it is a 501(c)(3) non-profit professional and educational organization dedicated to the preservation of peace and the protection of the lives and property of the residents of Texas. Contributions are tax-deductible.

Membership categories are active members, who are commissioned law enforcement and corrections officers, sheriff's

office staff, security personnel and certain agency investigators; associate members, who are individual members of the public; and associate business members, who are members of the business and professional communities.

The Association helps support the Lost Lawman Memorial in Austin. It is a memorial wall with the names of sheriffs, deputies and jailers who have died in the line of duty

throughout Texas history. It was dedicated May 15, 1994 and features 431 names etched into 13 polished black granite panels.

Residents who do not receive a membership appeal by mail or desire more information may contact the association at 1601 S. IH-35, Austin, TX 78741, or visit the web site at www.txsheriffs.org.

The Sheriffs' Association of Texas does not solicit donations by telephone.

Jury

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On Jan. 5, 2007, Jackson allegedly entered a habitation without the consent of the owner and with intent to commit theft.

Colby Wayne Scott, 20, was indicted for manufacture/delivery of one gram or more but less than four grams of a controlled substance. Bond on the second-degree felony was set at \$15,000.

On June 30, 2007, Scott allegedly possessed with intent to deliver one gram or more but less than four grams of cocaine.

Dennis Allen Dobyns Jr., 50, was indicted for driving while intoxicated, third or more offense. Bond on the third-degree felony was set at \$10,000.

On April 1, 2007, Dobyns allegedly operated a motor vehicle in a public place while intoxicated on alcohol.

On May 16, 1996, he was convicted in Consolidated Superior/Municipal Court of Riverside County, Calif. of an offense relating to the operating of a motor vehicle while intoxicated. On Feb. 20, 2002 he was convicted in Superior Court of San Bernardino County, Calif. of an offense relating to the operating of a motor vehicle while intoxicated.

Robert Matthew Fowler, 45, was indicted for driving while intoxicated, third or more offense. Bond on the third-degree felony was set at \$10,000.

On June 24, 2007, Fowler allegedly operated a motor vehicle in a public place while intoxicated on alcohol.

On Dec. 1, 1998 in Dallas County, and on Dec. 10, 2004 in Tarrant County, he was convicted of driving while intoxicated.

Tonya Kay Garza, 33, was indicted for forgery of a financial instrument, enhanced. Bond on the third-degree felony was set at \$7,500.

On April 13, 2007, Garza allegedly passed a forged writing in the form of a money market withdrawal ticket for one hundred dollars.

On Dec. 12, 1997, she was convicted in 223rd District Court in Gray County of the state jail felony of forgery by making. On March 10, 1998, she was convicted in criminal district court of Dallas County of the state jail felony of forgery.

On Sept. 30, 1998, she was convicted in 366th District Court of Collin County of the state jail felony of theft of the value of at least \$1,500 but less than \$20,000.

Jere David Hink, 43, was indicted for unlawful possession of a firearm by a felon. Bond on the third-degree felony was set at \$7,500.

On Aug. 31, 2007, Hink allegedly possessed a firearm before the fifth anniversary of his release from supervision under parole following conviction of a felony. He had been convicted on Oct. 26, 2005 in 31st District Court in Gray County of the felony offense of stalking.

Jerry Lynn Martin, 28,

was indicted fro driving while intoxicated, third or more offense. Bond on the third-degree felony was set at \$10,000.

On April 1, 2007, Martin allegedly operated a motor vehicle in a public place while intoxicated on alcohol.

On Oct. 13, 1999, he was convicted in Childress County Court of driving while intoxicated. On July 5, 2001, he was convicted in Donley County Court of driving while intoxicated, second offense.

Onghel Kwame Roland, 30, was indicted for unlawful possession of a firearm by a felon. Bond on the third-degree felony was set at \$7,500.

On June 24, 2007, Roland allegedly possessed a firearm before the fifth anniversary of his release from supervision under parole following conviction of a felony. He had been convicted on Dec. 19, 2001 in 84th District Court in Hutchinson County of the felony offense of possession of one or more grams but less than four grams of a controlled substance.

Dustin Tilmon Hinson, 30, was indicted for theft of

services equal to or greater than \$1,500 but less than \$20,000. Bond on the state jail felony was set at \$5,000.

On Jan. 1, 2007, Hinson allegedly agreed to provide compensation for the lease of a television and computer desk but failed to make payment. The value of the service was \$1,500 or more but less than \$20,000.

Jacob Colby Jones, 22, was indicted for theft of property valued at \$1,500 or more but less than \$20,000. Bond on the state jail felony was set at \$5,000.

On March 12, 2007, Jones allegedly unlawfully appropriated tubing of the value of \$1,500 or more but less than \$20,000 from the owner with intent to deprive the owner of the property.

Eddie Wayne Lawrence, 26, was indicted for fraudulent use or possession of identifying information. Bond on the state jail felony was set at \$5,000.

On April 15, 2007, Lawrence allegedly possessed identifying information in the form of a Mastercard number of an

individual with intent to harm or defraud that individual.

Jose Horacio Manzanares, 52, was indicted for driving while intoxicated with a child under 15 years of age. Bond on the state jail felony was set at \$10,000.

On Oct. 22, 2006, Manzanares allegedly operated a motor vehicle in a public place while intoxicated on alcohol and while the vehicle was occupied by a passenger who was at that time younger than 15 years of age.

Misty Michelle Minyard, 35, was indicted for forgery of a financial instrument, enhanced. Bond on the state jail felony was set at \$5,000.

On Feb. 2, 2007, Minyard allegedly passed a forged check in the amount of \$60.25 with intent to harm or defraud another.

On Aug. 2, 1996, Minyard was convicted in 47th District Court in Potter County of the state jail felony of credit card abuse.

On May 6, 2004, she was convicted in 223rd District Court in Gray County of the

state jail felony of forgery by passing.


Carissa Ann Seger, 22, was indicted for criminal mischief equal to or greater than \$1,500 but less than \$20,000. Bond on the state jail felony was set at \$5,000.

On April 14, 2007, Seger allegedly damaged or destroyed tangible property by scratching a vehicle with a key without the effective consent of the owner of the vehicle. The act caused loss of \$1,500 or more but less than \$20,000 to the owner.

Geneva Quilimaco Zamora, 27, was indicted for theft of services equal to or greater than \$1,500 but less than \$20,000. Bond on the state jail felony was set at \$5,000.

On Nov. 2, 2006, Zamora allegedly leased a laptop computer with intent to avoid payment for the service. She allegedly agreed to provide compensation but failed to make payment on the service, valued at \$1,500 or more but less than \$20,000.

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