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Good Morning

AREA

PAMPA — Gray County commissioners court and juvenile probation board will meet within the next week to consider a proposed boot camp for girls. Both bodies will meet in the second floor courtroom of Gray County courthouse.

Gray County Juvenile Probation Board will meet at 9 a.m. Wednesday.

A representative of Aguirre Inc., Dallas, will talk to the panel about building the camp.

In other items, a status report from the Juvenile Probation office will be presented and a letter of support for the boot camp will be discussed.

Two amendments to the office budget which reflect increased probation fees will be considered.

At 9 a.m. Friday, the commissioners court will meet in special session to discuss a grant application for the boot camp and a letter of support for the facility.

Both meetings are open to the public.

PAMPA — The Pampa Shrine Club will host its annual Spring Bar-B-Que from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. today at the Top O' Texas Sportsman Club on South Barnes.

Proceeds from the annual event are used for the transportation costs to and from the Shrine Hospitals.

Tickets are available for \$6 for adults and \$3 for children 6-12 years, with children 5 and under eating free.

Since 1922, Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children have served children in North America. These hospitals provide outstanding care to children who have orthopaedic problems or who have been severely burned. There is no charge for any care or services provided by a Shrine Hospital. Admission is based on medical and financial need, with all services paid for by the Shriners.

PAMPA — A citywide rabies drive by Pampa veterinarians continues Monday.

All four veterinary clinics will be offering reduced rates for rabies vaccinations. Monday is for cats.

PAMPA — Another meeting for planning the Christmas holiday Celebration of Lights project will be held at 7 p.m. Monday in the Heritage Room of M.K. Brown Memorial Auditorium and Civic Center.

The meeting will include the presentation of officers and reports from the committees.

OPINION

WHAT DO YOU THINK?
Is use of inmate labor a wise use of tax dollars?

Are inmates at work in local neighborhoods a security risk?

Should inmate labor continue in Pampa or be confined to rural areas or stopped altogether?

If you would like to express your opinion, call Managing Editor Larry Hollis or News Editor Cheryl Berzanskis at 669-2525 or 1-800-3348; drop a line to The Pampa News, P.O. Drawer 2198, Pampa, 79066-2198; or fax a note to 669-2520.

We want to hear from you!

Bob Neslage elected new Pampa mayor

By CHERYL BERZANSKIS
News Editor

Pampa has a new mayor. Bob Neslage, a retired U.S. Army officer, will take the reins of city leadership Tuesday at swearing in ceremonies during the city commission meeting.

Neslage captured 723 votes, compared to 505 for commissioner Jeff Andrews and 62 for Norman Howard, a corrections officer.

"I was just excited and elated ... I'm just honored that I would be elected mayor. I just didn't have any idea what the outcome would be," Neslage said Saturday.

In the race for Ward 1 city commissioner, incumbent commissioner Jeff McCormick, first appointed to the office in January, bested machinist Bill Willingham 813 to 402.

Robert Dixon, incumbent Ward 3 commissioner, captured 1,053 of the 1,311 votes cast in Saturday balloting.

In other region towns, results are:

Lefors

Incumbent commissioner Leonard Cain, 54 votes; incumbent J.C. Callaway, 60 votes; and newcomer Danny Gilbert, 65 votes. Votes were not available for Velda (Gifford) Chadwick and write-in Cris Brown.

Canadian

Canadians voted city councilman Jim Pollard into the office of mayor with 288 votes, compared to 133 for his opponent Valerie Clements.

On the city council, two vacancies will be filled by the present mayor, Micah Lewis, who garnered 291 votes, and Pat Fulcher, with 223 votes. Incumbent council member Robert Ezzell won 214 votes and John Talley cap-

tured 77 votes.

A proposition to add a 1 cent sales tax, to be divided evenly between economic development and property tax reduction, passed 271 to 93.

Groom

Incumbent mayor Greg Lamb won 115 votes. Chosen to fill two places on the city council were incumbent alderman Ronny Fields with 79 votes and Danny Ashford Jr. with 102 votes. Randy Johnson and incumbent alderman Jerry Thornton won 71 and 49 votes, respectively.

Groom residents voted 123 to 37 to add a half cent sales tax for property tax reduction. Another half cent sales tax is to be used for economic development. It passed 109 to 46.

Miami

Miamians cast 57 votes each for incumbent mayor Gene Hodges and city councilman Joe Bill Seuhs. Incumbent Raymond Bryant won 56 votes.

Panhandle

Chosen to fill three openings on the Panhandle city council were incumbent Carole Crawford with 263 votes, Scott J. Kennedy with 217 votes and Barry R. Metcall with 202 votes. George Stevenson won 113 votes and incumbent Roy Lane captured 167 votes. Total votes were 355.

Shamrock

Eight Shamrock residents vied for three openings on the city council. Winners are F.C. "Sonny" Hilburn with 297 votes, Richard M. Kincannon with 200 votes and Toby Brooks with 182 votes. Incumbent Barry Sanders polled 169 votes; Kyle B. Adams, 100 votes; Laura Pierce, 15 votes; incumbent Robert Adams, 160 votes; and Billie Lisle, 134 votes.

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(Pampa News photo by David Bowser)

John Chadwick drops his ballots in the box for the Lefors ISD and Lefors city elections Saturday. Chadwick's wife, Velda Gifford Chadwick, was a candidate for the city council.

Perez, Jones elected to PISD board; other school districts elect trustees

By CHERYL BERZANSKIS
News Editor

Pampa voters decisively returned an incumbent school board trustee to office and elected another one in balloting which more than doubled that of 1994.

Chris Perez, incumbent Place 6 trustee for Pampa Independent School District, captured 823 votes to David Smith's 524.

Bill Jones, who spent 36 years as an educator, won 881 votes to Nancy Poole's 446, for Place 7. Total votes cast were 1,366 compared to 589 in 1994, according to Charles Buzzard, trustee election judge.

Buzzard attributed the increased voter turnout to the consolidation of school and city election plus the good weather. Buzzard said he heard several voters say it was their first time to vote in a school board election.

Jones said he has no particular plan of action for his first year on the board.

"For one thing I'm glad this is over with ... I'm looking forward to working with the other board members and the administration ... I hope I can contribute a little to it," said Jones.

"I've got a lot to learn as far as the real nuts and bolts of the school board," he said.

This is the first year for the city and school to combine elections which were held at M.K. Brown Auditorium.

Assistant School Superintendent Jack Bailey said, "It could be issues over the health book, first of all, as you well know. I just think all four candidates were organized and got their voters out."

The Pampa News was unable to contact Perez for comment.

Region races yielded these results:

Lefors ISD

Three incumbent trustees were returned to office by Lefors voters. Incumbents Keith Roberson, Barry Jackson and Clay Lock won 93, 66 and 67 votes respectively. Dale Lock captured 53 votes.

Canadian ISD

Marty Carr joins incumbents Mitch Ashley and Monte Lusby in filling three openings on the Canadian ISD's board of trustees. Carr won 317 votes, Ashley won 337 and Lusby took 366 votes. Ben Mathers won 233 votes and Roger Conn totaled 267 votes.

"It's about the same as what we've been having," district Business Manager Noveta Stephenson said about the day's turnout.

Groom ISD

A write-in candidate, Pat Britten, will join the Groom school board with 135 votes. Incumbents Dennis Babcock and Adela Kotara won 183 and 164 votes, respectively, to continue on the board. Curtis Down polled 93 votes.

"(Turnout) was a little better than average - a nice

day," said Joyce Hutsell, district business manager.

Panhandle ISD

Two openings on the board of trustees for Panhandle ISD will be filled by incumbent Billy Hoffman with 226 votes, and Don Bednorz with 356 votes. Robert O. Counts, incumbent, won 199 votes, and Deborah Sitz took 97 votes. Jay D. (Tick) Shadid won 155 votes.

Shamrock ISD

Five candidates vied for three openings on the Shamrock school board. Winning the top spots were Kent Payne, incumbent, with 333; Kenneth Stokes, with 270, and Lenny Smith with 260 votes. Incumbents Robby Reeder and Ken Wischkaemper took 242 and 186 votes respectively.

White Deer ISD

Winning Position 3 on the White Deer school board was Sherry Kramer with 225 votes. Her opponents Dan Zumstein Jr. and Rickey Paul won 29 and 116 votes, respectively. Unopposed Position 4 incumbent Sonny Vigil won 302 votes. For Position 5, incumbent Bruce Brame captured 327 votes.

McLean ISD

Nine people competed for three spots on the McLean school board, resulting in a three-way tie for two of the positions. Top vote getter was incumbent Billie Ward with 125 votes. Earning 99 votes each were incumbents Jay Dee Fish and Lynch Glass, and Bob Glass.

Gordon Sheplor took 27 votes; Bobby Sanderson, 95 votes; Toni Bohlar, 30 votes; Marshall Hanke, 66 votes; and Sasha Fish, 19 votes.

Wheeler ISD

Gail Ledbetter, incumbent, had no opposition for re-election to Place 7. Donetta Dollar was unopposed for Place 6. Vote totals were unavailable.

Miami ISD

Steve Hale, incumbent, and Joe Lunsford were unopposed for two spots open on the school board. Vote totals were unavailable.

A referendum question asked Miami voters whether they wanted to change the district's Senate Bill 7 school finance option. Sixty-six voted yes and 15 voted no to the change.

Kelton ISD

Incumbents Brett Buckingham, Larry Lister and Barry Price were returned to three-year terms. Incumbent Tek Beck will complete a two-year unexpired term. Incumbent Matt Moore will complete a one-year unexpired term. No candidate was opposed. Vote totals were unavailable.

Grandview-Hopkins ISD

Incumbents Troy Ritter and Greg Acker, both unopposed for re-election, won 17 votes each.

Samnorwood ISD

Unopposed for three-year terms were incumbents Larry Waters and Dwayne Myers. Unopposed for a one-year term was Mark Tarver. Vote totals were unavailable.

Casting her ballot



(Pampa News photo by David Bowser)

Mildred Shuman of White Deer exercises her rights at the ballot during Saturday's election of White Deer Independent School District board members. The school board will meet Monday night to canvas the election results.

Mobeetie woman charged with injury to a child

WHEELER - A Mobeetie woman is free on bond today after she was charged Friday with injury to a child, a second degree felony.

Beverly Kay Roe, 28, accompanied by attorney Phil Pendleton of Shamrock, surrendered herself to the Wheeler County Sheriff's Office at 9 a.m. Friday. Justice of the Peace Doyle Ramsey set a

\$25,000 bond on the charge, according to Wheeler County Sheriff Jimmy Adams.

According to Adams, Roe was babysitting a 13-month-old Mobeetie girl over the weekend of April 28 through 30 when injuries including burns, a broken bone and bruising occurred.

Roe is not the mother of the injured child, he said.

"Roe has children of her own and they seem to be okay," the sheriff said.

Adams said his office learned of the child's injuries last Sunday evening from Parkview Hospital staff. The girl was hospitalized Sunday through Wednesday in Wheeler, he said. Further medical testing was conducted Thursday in Amarillo.

Daily Record

Services tomorrow

ELLIOTT, Jessie Louise — 10 a.m., Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel, Pampa.
HARRELL, Willard James — 10:30 a.m., Abundant Life Assembly of God Church, Canadian.
MATHIAS, Marie — Graveside, 2 p.m. MDT, Fort Logan National Cemetery, Denver, Colo.
RILEY, Jessie M. — Graveside, 10:30 a.m., Memory Gardens Cemetery, Pampa.

Obituaries

JESSIE LOUISE ELLIOTT
 Jessie Louise Elliott, 80, of Amarillo, a former Skellytown resident, died Thursday, May 4, 1995 in Amarillo. Services will be at 10 a.m. Monday at Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Rob Lackey, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Skellytown, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery at Pampa under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.
 Mrs. Elliott was born Jan. 10, 1915 at Eastland, Texas. She married Samuel C. Elliott on Nov. 12, 1938 in Rising Star, Texas; he preceded her in death on Jan. 23, 1994. She moved from Spring Creek to Skellytown in 1955 and from Skellytown to Amarillo last year. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Skellytown.
 Survivors include a daughter, Linda Mitchell of Amarillo; a son, Larry Elliott of Albuquerque, N.M.; two sisters, Mrs. Betty Hart of Eastland and Mrs. Wynelle Durden of Buchanan Dam, Texas; five grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

WILLARD JAMES HARRELL
 CANADIAN - Willard James Harrell, 74, died Thursday, May 4, 1995. Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Monday at the Abundant Life Assembly of God Church with the Rev. Jimmy A. Robinson, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Edith Ford Cemetery under the direction of Stickley-Hill Funeral Directors of Canadian.
 Mr. Harrell was born June 29, 1920 in Shattuck, Okla., to Creed Audust and Alice Clark Harrell. He was raised in Follett, Texas. He married Lenora Mathis on Jan. 5, 1942 in Shattuck. The couple moved to Canadian in 1968 from Miller, S.D. He served in the U.S. Air Force during World War II. He was a farmer, and he and his wife had owned and operated Tip Top Cleaners in Canadian since 1973. He enjoyed traveling on his motorcycle. He was a member of the Abundant Life Assembly of God Church.
 He was preceded in death by his parents and two grandsons, Nathan Thomas Harrell and Scott Daniel Harrell.
 Survivors include his wife, Lenora, of Canadian; two sons, Don J. Harrell of Wagner, S.D., and Delmar J. Harrell of Portland, Ore.; two sisters, Audrey Reger of Follett and Erma Hunter of Oklahoma City, Okla.; four brothers, Claude Harrell of Shattuck, Okla., Ola Ray Harrell and Max Harrell, both of Miller, S.D., and Norval Harrell of Amarillo; five grandchildren, Angela Luczak, Gregory Harrell, Anthony Harrell, Monty Harrell and Brian Lee Harrell; and three great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to the River Valley Museum or to the American Red Cross.
MARIE MATHIAS
 Marie Mathias, 70, of Pampa, died Friday, May 5, 1995 in Amarillo. Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday at Bell Avenue Chapel of Schooler-Gordon • Blackburn-Shaw. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. MDT Monday at Fort Logan National Cemetery in Denver, Colo., with Delbert McLoud, of San Jacinto Church of Christ, officiating. Burial will be in Fort Logan National Cemetery.
 Mrs. Mathias was born in Denver, Colo. She had lived in Pampa for a year. She was a homemaker, a Methodist and a member of the Order of the Eastern Star.
 She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles William Mathias, in October of 1986; and by a son, Barry L. Mathias, in 1990.
 Survivors include two daughters, Cindy Hall of Amarillo and Lonnie Welch of Denver; a son, Charles M. Mathias of Borger; and a sister, Penny Elbert of Roswell, N.M.; 10 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to the High Plains Children's Home and Family Services, 1501 W. 58th Avenue, Amarillo, TX 79110.
 The family will be at 5123 Goodnight in Amarillo.
JESSIE M. RILEY
 Jessie M. Riley, 92, of Pampa, died Thursday, May 4, 1995 in Amarillo. Graveside services will be at 10:30 a.m. Monday at Memory Gardens Cemetery with the Rev. Fred Palmer, pastor of The Carpenter's House, officiating. Arrangements are with Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.
 Mr. Riley was born June 28, 1902 in Bryan County, Okla. He married Carrie Orr on Aug. 19, 1920 in Allen, Okla.; she died May 7, 1990. He had been a resident of Pampa from 1929 to 1965, when he moved to Atwood, Okla. He returned to Pampa in 1987.
 He was also preceded in death by a daughter, LaNora Studham, on Aug. 20, 1994.
 Survivors include two sons, Samuel Riley of Atwood, Okla., and Olon Riley of McQueeney, Texas; a daughter, Bernice Musgrave of Pampa; 12 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandson.

The family requests memorials be to a favorite charity.
Sheriff's Office
 Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following incident and arrest in the 24-hour reporting period which ended at 3 p.m. Saturday.
SATURDAY, May 6
 Agency assistance was rendered to Potter County Sheriff's Office on Interstate 40.
Arrest
FRIDAY, May 5
 Misty Minyard, 22, was arrested on a charge of burglary of a motor vehicle. She was in jail Saturday on \$2,000 bond.

Obituaries

MADLINE TARPLEY ROWNTREE
 Madeline Tarpley Rowntree, 85, died Saturday, May 6, 1995. Services are pending with Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.
 Mrs. Rowntree was born Sept. 24, 1909 at Wellington. She had been a resident of Pampa since 1925. She married W.L. Rowntree on Dec. 22, 1934 at Pampa; he died Nov. 27, 1976. She was a private music teacher for many years. She helped start the Treble Clef Club, the Pampa Ensemble and the Pampa Meals on Wheels. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and the Friendship Sunday School Class.
 She graduated from Shamrock High School at the age of 13 and then attended a college prep school, Ward-Belmont in Nashville, Tenn. She graduated from Oklahoma School of Music in two and a half years with honors and received her bachelor of arts degree. She studied music one year at Julliard School of Music in New York and at Sarbonne in Paris, France in 1935-1936.
 She was also preceded in death by a daughter.
 Survivors include a son, Ed Rowntree of Pampa; several nieces and nephews; and several great-nieces and great-nephews.
 The family requests memorials be made to the American Diabetes Association, 8140 N. MoPac Bldg. 1, Suite 130, Austin, TX 78759.



Fires
 The Pampa Fire Department reported the following calls for the 32-hour period ending at 3 p.m. Saturday.
FRIDAY, May 5
 7:36 a.m. - One unit and two personnel responded to a trash bin fire behind 1224 N. Hobart.
 8:49 a.m. - One unit and three personnel responded to a medical assistance call at 1807 Dogwood.
 9:58 a.m. - Two units and three personnel responded to a report of a grass fire 2 1/2 miles east of Pampa on Hwy. 60. It turned out to be a controlled burn.
 10:02 a.m. - One unit and three personnel responded to a report of an electric transformer arcing in the alley behind 1125 Clark. There was no fire.
 5:19 p.m. - One unit and three personnel responded to a rescue call (child locked in bathroom) at 1323 Charles.
SATURDAY, May 6
 1:42 a.m. - Two units and three personnel responded to a report of a transformer arcing behind 1125 Wilcox. There was no fire.

Calendar of events

HIDDEN HILLS GOLF
 Hidden Hills Ladies Golf Association play days will be held at 6 p.m. Mondays for more information call the pro shop at 669-5866.
T.O.P.S. #149
 Take Off Pounds Sensibly (T.O.P.S.) #149 meets at 6 p.m. Monday at 513 E. Francis. Call 669-2389 for more information.
12-STEP SURVIVORS GROUP
 A 12-step survivors group for victims of incest and sexual abuse meets at 7 p.m. Wednesday. For more information, call 669-7403 or write SIA, P.O. Box 119, Pampa, 79066-0119.
12-STEP SURVIVORS GROUP
 A 12-step survivors group for victims of incest and sexual abuse plans to meet at 7 p.m. Monday. For more information, call 883-2097 or write SIA, P.O. Box 903, White Deer, 79097.
T.O.P.S. #41
 Take Off Pounds Sensibly (T.O.P.S.) #41 meets at noon Monday at 511 N. Hobart. For more information, call 665-3024.
HIGHLAND GENERAL, WORLEY HOSPITALS EMPLOYEES REUNION
 A reunion for former nurses and employees of Highland General and Worley hospitals is set for 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Friday, May 12 in the Pampa Community Building, 200 N. Ballard. Guests should bring a covered dish for the pot luck supper. The annual fee of \$2 may be paid at the door. For more information call Naomi Martin at 669-2819.
BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING
 Blood pressure screening sponsored by American Association of Retired Persons is set for 10 to 11:30 a.m. Monday at Pampa Senior Citizens' Center, 500 W. Francis.
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF RETIRED PERSONS
 American Association of Retired Persons is to meet at 1 p.m. Monday in the Senior Citizens Center, 500 W. Francis. A representative from the Department of Human Services will present a program on child abuse.
PAMPA BOOK CLUB
 Pampa Book Club is to meet at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Lovett Memorial Library. There will be a discussion of the works of C.S. Lewis. Visitors are welcome. For more information, call Joyce Davis, 669-9636.

Emergency numbers

Ambulance.....	911
Crime Stoppers.....	669-2222
Energas.....	665-5777
Fire.....	911
Police (emergency).....	911
Police (non-emergency).....	669-5700
SPS.....	669-7432
Water.....	669-5830

Police report

Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents and arrest in the 30-hour reporting period which ended at 3 p.m. Saturday.
THURSDAY, May 4
 Burglary of a 1979 Ford pickup was reported from 525 W. Brown.
 Domestic disturbance was reported in the 1100 Terrace which occurred at 2 a.m. Thursday. The victim reported a scratch to the right eye.
FRIDAY, May 5
 Jackie Wayne Woodall, White Deer, reported disorderly conduct which occurred at 201 W. Kingsmill.
 City employee Larry Owen Thompson reported theft and criminal mischief at 224 Miami which occurred between April 10 and Friday. A water meter was damaged.
 Guadalupe Ortega Davila, 2108 W. Alcock, reported burglary of a 1979 Chevrolet pickup which occurred at 525 W. Brown between April 29 and Tuesday.
 Officer Fred Courtney reported disorderly conduct by fighting which occurred north of the sixth grade entrance at Pampa Middle School at

1:20 p.m. Friday.
 Brenda Ann Tonielli, 321 E. Brown #5, reported criminal trespass which occurred Wednesday.
SATURDAY, May 6
 Dorothea Jean Bybee, 441 Hughes, reported unauthorized use of a motor vehicle at 1044 S. Hobart which occurred at 3:30 a.m. Saturday.
 Ron Gene Brown of Auto Zone, 320 N. Hobart, reported criminal mischief which occurred at 3:15 a.m. Saturday.
 Doug Boyd of Doug Boyd Motors, 821 W. Wilks, reported theft of service and theft of 1987 Nissan.
 Michael Robert Cooper of Halliburton Co., reported burglary of a 1990 Ford pickup which occurred at 1612 N. Nelson.
 Richard Dale Patterson of Continental Emsco, 530 W. Brown, reported burglary of a 1989 Chevrolet pickup which occurred at 1801 N. Christy at 9:35 p.m. Friday.
Arrest
FRIDAY, MAY 5
 Dillon Thomas Downs, 18, was arrested at 1132 Seneca on a charge of minor in possession. He was released on \$200 bond.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST
 Partly cloudy today with a good chance of scattered showers. High near 70 with southeasterly winds 10-20 mph. Tonight, partly cloudy with a low near 50. Monday, mostly sunny with a high in the middle 70s. Pampa received 0.72 inch of moisture in the 24-hour period ending at 6 a.m. Saturday. Saturday's high was 77.
REGIONAL FORECAST
 West Texas - Panhandle and South Plains: Today, a chance of showers or thunderstorms mainly in the east, otherwise decreasing clouds and windy with blowing dust possible. Highs in upper 60s to low 70s. Tonight, partly cloudy and breezy with a slight chance of thunderstorms or thunderstorms. Lows near 70 inland to near 80 coast. Upper Coast: Today, cloudy and breezy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms, some possibly severe. Highs in mid 80s. Tonight, cloudy and breezy with showers and thunderstorms likely, some possibly severe.
 North Texas - Today, thunderstorms likely, some severe. Highs 78 to 84. Tonight, thunderstorms likely east, scattered evening showers and thunderstorms elsewhere. Lows 57 to 66. Monday, a slight chance of morning showers east, otherwise decreasing cloudiness. Highs 78 to 85.
 South Texas - Hill Country and South Central: Today, mostly cloudy with scattered to numerous thunderstorms, some possibly severe with large hail and damaging wind. Highs in mid 80s. Tonight, widely scattered showers and thunderstorms in the evening, then decreasing clouds. Lows in low 50s Hill Country to near to near 60 South Central. Coastal Bend and Rio Grande Plains: Today, cloudy and windy with widely scattered thunderstorms, a few storms possibly severe. Highs from near 90 inland to near 80 coast. Tonight, partly cloudy with widely scattered showers or thunderstorms. Lows near 70 inland to near 80 coast. Upper Coast: Today, cloudy and breezy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms, some possibly severe. Highs in mid 80s. Tonight, cloudy and breezy with showers and thunderstorms likely, some possibly severe.

BORDER STATES
 New Mexico - Today, scattered showers decreasing from west to east with skies becoming partly cloudy during the afternoon, lingering snow showers northern mountains. Colder and breezy statewide. Highs in mid 40s to 50s mountains and north with 60s to low 70s elsewhere. Tonight, partly cloudy, breezy northeast. Lows mid 20s to 30s mountains and north with mid 30s to 40s elsewhere. Monday, partly cloudy. Highs in the 50s to mid 60s mountains and north, upper 60s to low 80s lowlands south and east.
 Oklahoma - Today, mostly cloudy with a good chance of showers and thunderstorms. Heavy rainfall possible southeast. Highs in low to mid 70s. Tonight, mostly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows in upper 40s to mid 50s. Monday, mostly cloudy with a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms central and north central Oklahoma mostly in the morning, partly cloudy elsewhere. Highs mostly in the 70s north and central and 80s south.

City briefs

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SKELLYTOWN PAPER Route available now. Other various routes open also. Apply at the Pampa News.
HERBS ETC. 305 W. Foster announces the addition of Reflexology by Debby starting May 1st from 9-4, Wednesday thru Friday. Late appointments by request. First visit free. Call 665-1426 for your appointment. Adv.
HAPPY HOUR 2-6 p.m. 2-32 oz. drinks 99¢ Easy's Pop Shop. Adv.
MARLBORO CIGARETTES \$1.79 pack, \$14.89 carton, Easy's Pop Shop. Adv.
CHECK OUT our competitive prices on ice machines and restaurant equipment, call Malcolm Hinkle Inc., at 665-1841. Adv.
SDBA DRAG Boat Race, June 4, Ft. Worth. Charter bus leaves 5 a.m. \$60 person. Only 46 seats. Reservations by May 8. Rick Bryant, 2322 Fir St., Pampa, Tx. 79065, 665-2445 leave message. Adv.
PART TIME help needed. Apply Pampa News Circulation Dept. (Mail Room). Adv.
WANT TO Buy Metal Detector, call 665-1100. Adv.
LOST - 2 cats, one white and gray male, answer to Boo Kitty and his best friend from next door, a black male cat with white spot under his chin answers to Shadow. Both are dearly loved pets and a reward is offered for their return, 665-1063, 669-0088, 665-0170. Adv.
QUEEN SOFA sleeper loveseat, bar, 1 black tux, 4 silver. 665-5568. Adv.
MR. GATTI'S new owner/management. Manager's Special \$2.99 Lunch Buffet. Adv.
ROLLER HOCKEY Team - if interested call 665-5568. Adv.
DOONEY & Bourke for Mother's Day and Graduation. Images. 123 N. Cuyler. Downtown. 669-1091. Adv.
ESTEE LAUDER - Wonderful gift ideas. New spring colors. Images. 123 N. Cuyler. Downtown. 669-1091. Adv.
EVERYDAY LOW Prices. Homo milk, 1 gallon \$1.85. Tendercrust bread 2/\$1.00. Ground beef \$89 lb. Fryer leg quarters 39¢ lb. 6 pack Coke \$1.79. 24 lb. Bar-b-que pack \$39.95. Clint & Sons, 115 W. 3rd, White Deer. (806) 883-7831. Adv.

KEVIN'S IN the Mall, Sunday 11-2 p.m. Chicken ala Orange, Steak Madrid, Chicken Fried Steak. 669-1670. Adv.
LAWN CARE, any yardwork, cheap. Call 665-5568. Adv.
STOCK LIQUIDATION Sale - Selected items up to 50% off. VJ's. Pampa Mall. Adv.
HEMBREE ASKS, Are the Cops Afraid of Billy Brown Jr.? Adv.
MASSAGE THERAPY Special. Remember Mother's Day with a gift certificate. Call Cathy Potter or Susan Fisher - 669-0013. Adv.
ANNUAL MEALS on Wheels Garage Sale open for collecting and selling Monday through Friday 2 to 5 p.m. North end of the Pampa Mall. Adv.
OPEN HOUSE Today, 2428 Fir, 2-5 p.m. Bobbie Nisbet, Realtor. Adv.
TICKET DISMISSAL, Insurance Discount, 669-3871. Bowman Defensive Driving (NTSI). Adv.
FREE HEALTH Nutrition Seminar courtesy of Health Technology. Monday, May 8, 7 p.m. at the City Library. Speaker-Advisory Board Member, Jeff Bennert. Explore latest discoveries dealing with Diabetes, all natural antibiotics, weight and degenerative diseases. Adv.
SUNDAY BUFFET - Coronado Inn 11-2 p.m. \$5.95 adults, \$4.95 senior, children under 6 free. Adv.
SHERYL FLAHERTY Lester Hair Barn, now open 665-7986. Adv.
OPEN HOUSE - 1121 Duncan, 3 bedroom, 2 bath. 1-5 p.m. Sunday, May 7th. Adv.
FREE CAR Wash, Saturday, May 13 from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. at First United Methodist Church, corner of Foster and Ballard. Adv.
MOTHER'S RINGS, 10K Gold and Diamond, \$99. VJ's. Pampa Mall. Adv.
FROZEN CHOCOLATE Cappuccino 99¢ Fat Free. Only at the Coffee and Candy Barn!! Adv.
PAMPA SOCCER Spring Awards, May 14th. Hamburger cook-out starting at 12 p.m. Awards presentation 2 p.m. Parent/coach soccer games following awards. For more information call Jimmy Goode, 665-8015. Adv.

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Harvester Band awards



(Pampa News photo by Melinda Martinez)

Four members of the Pride of Pampa Band received awards at the band banquet held Friday at the Pampa Country Club. Receiving awards are, from left, Heather Fernuik, outstanding female marcher; Danica Weeks, outstanding senior female musician; Jason Jones, outstanding male marcher, outstanding male senior musician and Nona S. Payne Scholarship recipient; and Jason Etheridge, John Philip Sousa Band Award.

Gramm says he supports abortion restrictions

WASHINGTON (AP) — Making an overture to the GOP's socially conservative wing, Sen. Phil Gramm pledged Saturday that if elected president he would support restrictions on abortion and reverse President Clinton's policy allowing gays in the military.

The Texas Republican has been criticized by many conservative leaders for his reluctance to discuss abortion and other cultural issues as part of his presidential campaign, which is anchored on an economic message of lower taxes, less government and a balanced budget.

Hoping to prove his credentials as a social conservative, Gramm delivered the commencement address at Liberty University, the Virginia college founded by former Moral Majority leader Jerry Falwell.

"Is our crisis an economic crisis or a moral crisis?" Gramm asked. "In my opinion, it is both. And both the economic crisis and the moral crisis have their roots in the explosion of a government that taxes and squanders the fruits of our labor and has replaced individual responsibilities with unearned benefits and entitlements."

Specifically, Gramm said he supports voluntary prayer in schools, and said the United States should reject a United Nations convention on the rights of the child. The Clinton administration signed the document in February but has not submitted it to the Senate for ratification. Social conservatives oppose the document because it does not define the fetus as a child deserving protection.

Also, Gramm said, a reformed welfare system should forbid additional payments to recipients who have more children while on welfare, and he declared, "Let's overturn Bill Clinton's destructive and unworkable policy on gays in the military."

Moving to abortion, Gramm said he would end taxpayer funding for abortion and for groups that espouse it in family planning programs.

And he said he would reverse Clinton administration legal policy on the issue. As a result, he said a Gramm administration Justice Department would help states defend court challenges to abortion restrictions. He specifically pledged to support laws requiring parental notification.

Crime of the week

Pampa Gray County Crime Stoppers needs you! Sometime between April 24 and April 25, burglars entered Radcliff Electric, 519 S. Cuyler and ripped off over \$1,000 worth of lawn equipment.

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Mayor

Wheeler
 Incumbents Walter Simmons, Barbra Koelzer and Mark Frankenbery were unopposed for re-election.

White Deer
 White Deer residents added a new face to their five-member city commission with the election of Ed McAnear. McAnear garnered 167 votes. Incumbent Morgan Shuman won 127 votes

and incumbent Dean Wyatt won 122 votes. Incumbent Diahana Hillman captured 101 votes, John Ingle, 39 votes, and Clyde West 18 votes.

"We had a total of 200 voters. It was just about normal," said election judge Rod Immel.

McLean
 Two incumbent officeholders will continue to serve. Gary Jackson won 103 votes and Harold "Caspar" Smith took 125 votes in Saturday balloting. Jim Gilmore garnered 81 votes.

Incumbent mayor Sam Haynes received 152 votes.

Skellytown
 Skellytown residents elected a new mayor, Max Owens, who took 91 votes to incumbent mayor Ralph Tice's 71. Filling two openings will be Mike Tice with 75 votes and incumbent Steve Huckins with 72 votes. Incumbent Glen Smith captured 59 votes; James Hanks, 38 votes; and write-in Gary Woodward won 61 votes.

Pampa organizing plans for 4th of July events

The City of Pampa will be assisting organizations, retailers and individuals in coordinating activities prior to the fireworks for the July 4th celebration.

"We were contacted by OMI employees desiring to have planned activities for young children," said Bill Hildebrandt, director of community services.

"After visiting with them, we decided to contact other organizations who, in the past, have indicated the same interest and see if a full day of activities could be planned for people of all age groups.

Currently, the activities that are planned include OMI employees sponsoring a sack race, a parent/child three-legged race, tug o' war and some other games targeted at the younger children, Hildebrandt said. Ribbons will be awarded to the winners.

In addition, the Top O' Texas Rodeo Association will run its concession stands, and a free watermelon feed is being planned by local stores.

The All-Star Jubilee is looking for performers wishing to participate in a program; anyone inter-

ested in performing may contact Bob Jeffers at 665-2213.

Any other organization wishing to participate in Fourth of July activities at Recreation Park may contact Seleta Chance at 669-5790 or Hildebrandt at 669-5750.

Hildebrandt said the city is encouraging everyone to make plans for a picnic dinner or to dine at the Rodeo Association concession stands.

"Make a full afternoon and evening of family entertainment, with the finale of the fireworks at dusk," he said.

U.S. moves to continue auto talks with Japan

WASHINGTON (AP) — Determined to respond swiftly to a breakdown in U.S.-Japan trade talks, President Clinton's economic team approved an undisclosed plan Saturday to try to force open the Japanese market.

Meeting just hours after the breakup of talks in British Columbia, the president's National Economic Council approved its proposal unanimously and forwarded it to Clinton.

"The NEC considered all the options available with regard to responding to this situation," said a weary U.S. Trade Representative Mickey Kantor, who flew home overnight to participate in the council's morning consultations. "We would expect an administration announcement will be forthcoming."

He declined to give any time-

line for an announcement by Clinton, who in the past has promised "strong action" should Japan refuse to strike a deal.

Before leaving Canada, Kantor predicted the government was "ready to make a fairly rapid decision in this regard."

Sen. Carl Levin, D-Mich., said he spoke with Clinton in Michigan on Friday and was assured that the president "is prepared to do what no other administration has done for 25

years: Tell Japan that it faces restrictions on its goods if it doesn't open its market to our autos and auto parts."

The Japan Automobile Manufacturers Association countered that the administration was choosing a "dangerous and irresponsible path to a trade crisis."

"Today the protectionists are celebrating, but tomorrow American consumers will suffer," said William Duncan, general director of the group.

The Family of Jimmy Powell

Would like to extend a thank you to everyone for their thoughtfulness during the loss of our loved one. Maybe you brought food or flowers or a card, perhaps you came by and just sat a while, or maybe just a smile. We would like you to know it was very deeply appreciated.

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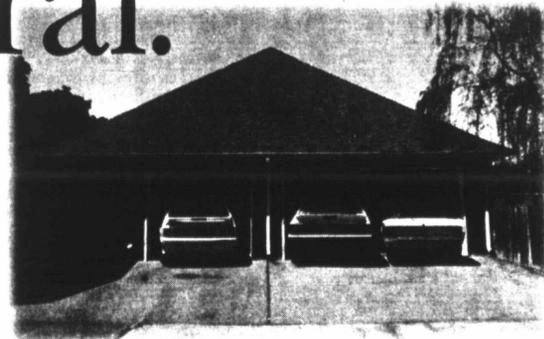
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Opinion

Official's death requires scrutiny

A report from two highly respected, experienced New York police investigators who reconstructed the events surrounding the death of former White House official Vincent Foster raises serious questions that Whitewater independent counsel Kenneth Starr should do his utmost to resolve. Unfortunately, a recent resignation from the independent counsel's investigative team raises the question of whether Starr is seriously committed to finding the truth of this matter.

If Vincent Foster, a close friend of President Bill Clinton and former law partner of Hillary Rodham Clinton, did not kill himself - as retired detective Vincent Scalice and former forensic photographer Fred D. Santucci now say is quite possible - the American people deserve to know as much of the truth as can be reconstructed almost two years after his tragic death. Foster is the highest ranking official to have died in violent circumstances since President Kennedy was assassinated in 1963.

Scalice, who has 35 years of investigative experience investigating thousands of homicides while with the New York City police, said that he could not recall "ever running across a situation where we found a body in a case of suicide that was so neatly arranged, with the gun so conveniently positioned in the hand in such a straight and orderly fashion." Scalice also pointed out dozens of other inconsistencies between the evidence (insofar as it is known) and the theory that Vincent Foster killed himself on a hillside in secluded Fort Marcy Park, across the Potomac River from the nation's capital.

There was no soil on Foster's clothing or shoes, though he would have had to walk 700 dusty feet to get to where his body was found. The body's unusually neat position was inconsistent with a suicide. Blood tracks on his face were more consistent with the body having been moved. And the spent bullet was never found.

It requires no desire to believe in some elaborate conspiracy theory to want questions about how high officials die to be answered as fully and accurately as possible. Strong evidence has emerged that the initial investigation into Foster's death was badly botched. Kenneth Starr has the opportunity to try to rectify that situation, to follow the evidence as far as it will take him.

In January, Starr had convened a grand jury investigation into Foster's death. But on March 20, Miguel Rodriguez, who had been in charge of the grand jury investigation, abruptly resigned from the independent counsel's staff and returned to his former place of employment in the U.S. Attorney's office in Sacramento, Calif. Reporter Chris Ruddy of the Pittsburgh *Tribune-Review*, one of the few reporters to probe the unanswered questions in the Foster case, reported that Rodriguez had told friends that a higher-up was interfering with his conduct of the probe.

Starr needs to redouble his efforts to get to the bottom of this troubling matter. If he doesn't, Congress should conduct its own independent investigation.

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Berry's World



The needs of a civil society

The people of Oklahoma City suffered an unspeakable tragedy last week. It was a cowardly act worthy of national condemnation, and the perpetrators must be punished to the fullest extent of the law. Civil authorities, who made quick work of capturing at least one of the villains, and all the Americans who pitched in to help are to be commended. As we sift through the rubble of this terrorist act, we must ask whether it's an omen for our future or an isolated act of an evil person.

Civility is fragile. Its maintenance requires rule of law, respect for private property and, above all, limited government. History is full of examples of how easily civility can unravel and how decent people can become barbarians themselves or become sympathizers to barbaric acts. We need only look at Germany, Ireland or Sri Lanka. For close to a half century, our nation has been trashing the rule of law and constitutional principles. As a result, we have been creating widespread legitimate anger and a climate for incivility.

Hotheads, kooks and provocateurs never get far by themselves. To be effective in recruitment, they must be able to appeal to and exploit legitimate grievances of the ordinary citizen. Congress, acting on the behalf of interest groups, has been creating large numbers of decent Americans with legitimate grievances. These are people who find, and accurately so, that neither Congress nor the courts afford them protection or



Walter Williams

redress against the heavyhanded injustices of government. Here are just a few examples of the injustices:

In *Oliver vs. United States* (1984), the Supreme Court held that governmental "intrusion upon open fields is not (an) unreasonable search proscribed by the text of the Fourth Amendment." Therefore, the highest court in the land has sanctioned the Environmental Protection Agency, U.S. Fish and Wildlife and other agencies to trespass upon private property.

Marinus Van Leuzen, age 74, of Port Bolivar, Texas, filled in an unsightly mosquito-infested pool of water on his quarter-acre lot upon which his house sat. Federal District Judge Samuel Kenton found Leuzen guilty of destroying wetlands and ordered him to restore the pool of water (now it's covered with algae and scum), plus pay a \$350 monthly fine. Using the Chinese communist tool of forced public con-

fession, Judge Kenton ordered Leuzen to erect a billboard on his property acknowledging his guilt.

The Corps of Engineers brought successful suit against Robert Brace, a third-generation Waterford, Pa., farmer, for destroying wetlands. Brace had removed debris created by beavers building a dam from a drainage ditch on his farm. Brace is now subject to hundreds of thousands of dollars in fines, jail and loss of his farm.

Other legitimate grievances without recourse are the civil seizures of the property of innocent people in open disregard of the Fifth Amendment. The Endangered Species Act allows dangerous predators to roam ranches, killing stock and sometimes killing or injuring people. Then there's government mandated race and sex discrimination under the euphemism affirmative action.

Literally thousands of other examples can be found where law-abiding, decent Americans have legitimate grievances without recourse. If we are to lower the level of anger, frustration and resentment, and defuse the potential for more people to take up arms and become ready recruits for fringe groups, we must demand a return to the rule of law and constitutional government. I'm afraid we're going to do just the opposite in the wake of the Oklahoma City disaster: call for more gun control and wage a propaganda war against hundreds of thousands of America's militia members.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Sunday, May 7, the 127th day of 1995. There are 238 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

Fifty years ago, on May 7, 1945, Germany signed an unconditional surrender at Allied headquarters in Rheims, France, to take effect the following day, ending the European conflict of World War II.

On this date:

In 1789, the first inaugural ball was held in New York in honor of President and Mrs. George Washington.

In 1825, Italian composer Antonio Salieri died in Vienna, Austria.

In 1833, composer Johannes Brahms was born in Hamburg, Germany.

In 1840, composer Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky was born in the Ural region of Russia.

In 1847, the American Medical Association was founded in Philadelphia.

In 1915, nearly 1,200 people died when a German torpedo sank the British liner *Lusitania* off the Irish coast.



Some Americans aren't being realistic

Charley Reese

Someone suggested that I write about the two Americans sentenced to eight years in an Iraqi prison for illegally crossing the border.

OK. If I were working in Kuwait, I wouldn't go within 10 miles of the Kuwait-Iraqi border.

I'm sorry for them and their families, but why in the name of reason would any American expect Iraq to act differently than it has?

In case you have forgotten, the United States, intervening in a dispute between Iraq and Kuwait, bombed Iraq "back into the preindustrial age," to use the phrase of the Bush administration, and killed an estimated 200,000 to 250,000 Iraqis.

Next, the United States bribed and bullied the U.N. Security Council to impose on Iraq conditions that clearly violate the country's sovereignty. Then the United States attempted to foment a rebellion which the Iraqis put down with another great loss of life. Then the United States, in further violation of Iraqi sovereignty, imposed no-fly zones in northern and southern Iraq.

But, wait, it doesn't stop there. For four years, the United States has adamantly insisted on a cruel economic embargo, which has killed additional hundreds of Iraqis from malnutrition and lack of medicines (mostly elderly and children), destroyed their economy and prevented their recovery from war damages.

And, no, that's not all. The U.S. government is

still spending millions of taxpayers money to have the CIA conduct one of its famous overt covert operations to propagandize (read: distort and lie about) Iraq. All that done to a country whose government, regardless of what you think of it, had never even threatened to do any harm to the United States prior to going into Kuwait.

Now, do you seriously think that Iraqi border guards are going to be kind, considerate and understanding of Americans who wander across the border of their country? Could you possibly believe that the Iraqi government is going to say, "Oh, by Jove, by all means, let's be friendly and let these chaps go home. After all, Americans have been so kind and fair to us?"

Frankly, the guys are lucky to be alive. I think one of the weirdest, strangest aspects of some contemporary Americans is their ability to become indignant when someone who has been cruelly treated by the United States doesn't respond by kissing our keisters.

Frankly, that's sick. OK, if you want to make enemies, go ahead; but for heaven's sake, don't kill and brutalize

people and then expect them to like you. Don't treat people unjustly and expect them to treat you fairly. Don't make a mockery of international law and then self-righteously proclaim it a defense when two of your citizens violate Iraqi law.

I'm willing to make enemies if people give me no choice in the matter, but once I do, if they are not all stone dead, I never trust them for the rest of my life. Human nature is immutable, and getting even is as integral to us as bone marrow.

We foolishly allowed the American elite, which has heavy financial ties to the dictator of Kuwait, make enemies of the Iraqi people for the elite's own financial and domestic political interests. And we're still allowing it.

Well, at least don't be childish. People we injure and wrong have a natural right to fight back, and they will if they get a chance. Do you think Iraqis who watched their children die in their arms because of our actions are going to say, "Oh, let bygones be bygones, after all, the jolly old Americans didn't like our president?"

Let me tell you an Arab story. A man killed another man to avenge a wrong that happened 40 years earlier. When he returned to his village and told his neighbors that he had finally killed the man, his best friend said, "Why were you in such a hurry?" You may think the Gulf War is over. I doubt the Iraqis think so.

Hell is too good for Oklahoma bomb constructors

My guess is that you turn to this corner of your newspaper in search of curmudgeonly swipes at swellheads, or perhaps a chuckle, or maybe, if I'm really on a roll, a nugget of insight.

This time, I fear, I will let you down. As I write these words, the smoke of the Oklahoma City bombing still lingers in the air and they are still counting the dead and I am not feeling very jocular and I certainly don't have any impressions I regard as insights. I am a jumble of emotions and thoughts, and some of them, frankly, don't make me very proud of myself.

I look at those images of the ruined shell of the federal building, of the dazed and bloodied victims, of the limp bodies of innocent children in the arms of exhausted rescue workers, and I want to choke the life out of the inhuman scum who did this and I don't care what anybody thinks of me for thinking it. President Bill Clinton and Attorney General Janet Reno said they will "seek the death penalty." They don't speak for me. Andy Rooney of *60 Minutes* said he wants to "kill the bastards" who did it. He speaks for me.

Another thing: I hear Newt Gingrich and his ministers of propaganda on talk radio scream with outrage that anyone would even THINK that their daily hammering of the national nervous system with messages of hate and intolerance could have the slightest thing to do with creating a political atmosphere that could push a paranoid "patriot" into committing a heinous act of terrorism, and my jaw just drops in disbelief. Two months ago, the Battered One got carried



Joseph Spear

away talking about "environmental wackos" and said that "the second violent American revolution is just about - I got my fingers about a quarter of an inch apart - is just about that far away."

Watergate conspirator-cum blabberjock G. Gordon Liddy routinely advises his listeners that "shooting them in the head" is the best way to defend one's self against federal Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms agents who might be approaching "with lethal force." Liddy has also said, on air, that he uses drawings of Bill and Hillary Clinton for target practice.

Noble contributors to the political dialogue, these two.

Another thing: The armed-to-the-teeth members of "citizen militias" who are tromping through the woods in their ridiculous camouflage uniforms, preparing for the day they expect to do battle with United Nations forces which they claim are secretly preparing to invade America, scare the hell out of

me. Where did these primitive hunter-gatherers come from? Why do I feel like I'm caught up in a *Quantum Leap* time warp? Maybe Newt is right. Maybe men just want to hunt giraffes.

The militiamen claim to be nothing more than citizens concerned about tyrannical government, but they attract white supremacists, neo-Nazis, skinheads and certifiable crazies. This is not to say they are loony themselves, of course. That would be stereotyping. I'll just refer to remarks made by one Linda Thompson, an Indianapolis attorney who refers to herself as the Acting Adjutant General of the Unorganized Militia of the United States, to a *USA Today* reporter and let you be the judge.

The U.S. government blew up their own building to destroy evidence of their outrageous attack on the Branch Davidians at Waco, she said, and now the U.S. government is using the bombing to attack the militias. Two bombs actually went off in Oklahoma City, she said, one of which was planted in the building. All lawmen were ushered out of the building before the blast, she said, and buckets of mercury were placed in stairwells to increase the lethality. She has evidence, she said.

Mostly I keep coming back to thoughts of the children. I want to see to the depraved bastards who killed them consigned to whatever hell will stoop to take them in, and I would love to be the person selected to dispatch them.

Indeed, I would pay for the privilege.

Cinco de Mayo queen



(Pampa News photo by Melinda Martinez)

Tamar Luna, left, 18, was voted as Pampa's Hispanos Unidos' Cinco de Mayo queen during the Cinco de Mayo's festivities Saturday at Central Park. Luna is the daughter of Janie and Mario Luna. The queen contest was part of the activities celebrating Cinco de Mayo, along with a classic car show, games, entertainment, food, crafts and a dance.

Former Pampan named SPS president

AMARILLO — A Pampa High School graduate will take the reins of power at Southwestern Public Service in September.

David M. Wilks, senior vice president at SPS and 1965 PHS graduate, will become president and chief operating officer of the electric utility company on Sept. 1, according to SPS officials.

He will succeed Coyt Webb, who will retire in September after a 31-year career with the company.

Wilks, 48, was born in Corpus Christi and raised in Pampa. He graduated from Pampa High School in 1965.

Wilks has been senior vice president of engineering and operations since 1991. He joined SPS in 1977 as a plant design engineer and later served as manager of strategic planning, executive assistant, group manager of general engineering and chief engineer before being elected vice president of engineering and operation in 1989.

A registered professional engineer, Wilks holds a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering from Texas A&M University and a master's degree in administration and financial management from George Washington University.

Wilks served in the U.S. Navy from 1970 until 1977, when he joined SPS. He is a member of the North American Electric Reliability Council Engineering Committee, vice chairman of the Southwest Power Pool Engineering and Operating Committee and a member of the Texas Society of Professional Engineers.

Wilks is also a member of the

Amarillo YMCA board of directors and on the advisory board of the Amarillo Area Center for Advanced Learning.

Southwestern Public Service Co. is a regional electric utility providing electric service to one million people in the Texas Panhandle and South Plains, the Oklahoma Panhandle, eastern New Mexico and southwestern Kansas, according to company officials.

The company also provides engineering, design and construction management services and is involved in a number of nonutility power generation projects through its Utility Engineering Corp. and Quixx Corp. subsidiaries.

Southwestern Public Service corporate headquarters are in Amarillo.

Cowboy Chili Cookoff



(Pampa News photo by Melinda Martinez)

John and Carolyn Stokes of Pampa, first time entrants in the Cowboy Chili Cookoff, took third place in the contest with a combination recipe they both made. Carolyn, scooping up some beans in the picture above, said they have no set recipe for their chili. "I throw stuff in, he tastes it. He throws stuff in, I taste it. Our chili never tastes the same." John hold a spoonful of their "Never-Tastes-The-Same-When-We-Make-It" chile. Taking first and second places in the contest were also two first-time entrants, George Moore of Borger and Leroy Hall of Perryton. Both work with the Texas Highway Department. The contest was part of the Second Annual Ranch Rodeo, Trade Days and Cowboy Chili Cookoff held at the Top O' Texas Rodeo Grounds and Clyde Carruth Pavilion. Activities continue today with the Ranch Rodeo, beginning at 1 p.m.

North Texas storm kills at least 15

FORT WORTH (AP) — One day after a storm packing 70 mph winds fired softball-sized hail at Mayfest celebrators, then swept motorists away in flash floods in Dallas, the death toll rose to at least 15 Saturday.

Rescuers were searching for at least three people known missing after a storm pummeled North Texas on Friday night, injuring about 100.

By Saturday, 102 people were treated for mostly minor injuries ranging from cuts caused by broken glass to bruises from hailstones after the storm hit the outdoor Mayfest, Harris Methodist Fort Worth hospital nursing supervisor Marie Chilton said.

"I got hit so hard I thought I was going to pass out, and I'm not a fainting type-person," said Kay Carlson, one of about 2,500 people at the festival when the hail grew from pea-size to softball-size. "We saw car windows being smashed everywhere."

Within an hour, the storm that buried some roads in up to two feet of hailstones was racing on to Dallas, 30 miles away.

At Baylor University Medical Center, patients were rushed to another floor when flood water

poured into the emergency room, ruining electrical circuits and contaminating emergency equipment, spokeswoman Jennifer Coleman said.

At the Haggard Pants Service Center warehouse, at least two workers were killed and 12 were injured when the roof collapsed, Dallas Deputy Fire Chief Steve Bass said.

"I thought the devil himself had just broke through," janitor Jimmy Harris said.

Eleven people drowned in the storms, some apparently trying to escape flooded vehicles, and another two apparently killed in lightning strikes, one in Dallas and one in Irving, authorities said.

Five of the drowning victims were from one family. The latest victim found was 2-year-old Jade Frazier. Searchers Saturday night found her body 500 yards downstream from where her family's car was swept from a road.

"People have been driving through high water. A lot try to get out and they got swept away from their cars," Dallas Fire Department spokeswoman Carolyn Garcia said.

On Saturday afternoon, workers were still searching for three

people feared swept away, Dallas Emergency Management spokesman Mark Flake said.

Insurance industry spokesman Jerry Johns said the damage, coupled with that from a smaller storm in the Dallas area last weekend, could exceed \$500 million. Preliminary estimates for Friday night's damage alone is already between \$350 million to \$400 million dollars, he said.

Last week's insured storm losses are estimated at \$250 million, Johns said.

"Dallas and Fort Worth have become the hail capital of Texas if not the hail capital of the nation," he said. "In the past, we've called them natural disasters and we have begun to call them unnatural disasters because they are happening so frequently and with such intensity."

About 16,800 customers lost power, including an American Airlines terminal at Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport.

Forty flights were diverted, most to San Antonio; Tulsa, Okla.; Oklahoma City; and Houston.

In Arlington, Six Flags Over Texas was closed for mopping up, and the power was out anyway.

Plans being finalized for Class of '95 prom

A meeting to continue plans for the Class of 1995 Senior Prom will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Pampa High School library.

Parents and guardians of seniors are invited to attend to help finalize arrangements for the prom.

In one of the activities planned for prom attendees this year, local citizens will be providing their vintage cars to help all seniors

arrive at the prom in style.

Heading up the car project is Lonnie Shelton. Interested persons with vintage cars who would like to donate their time and vehicle may contact Shelton at 665-0676.

Cathy Scribner, prom committee member, said every year the seniors are burdened with trying to out-do each other with the vehicle in which they arrive at

the prom, with a crowd always on hand to watch the arrival.

Under the car project, local citizens will drive their vintage cars from a sheltered tent at the back of the building to the front entrance to drop off all of the seniors in style, Scribner explained.

Female firefighter wins harassment lawsuit

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A jury has awarded \$300,000 to the fire department's first female lieutenant, who said she was harassed, threatened and discriminated against.

Ann Young charged in her lawsuit that male colleagues tried to push her off a building, threw debris from a fire at her and harassed her with pornography. She said her superiors retaliated against her for complaining.

"I'm just glad it's over," Young

said after Friday's verdict. "It was like a rape trial. I relieved it. I was called a liar. Today I feel like I mean something."

Young, 33, was one of the first four women to be hired by the department in 1987. She was promoted to lieutenant two years later.

She went on leave in August and said she does not plan to return.

The fire commission is considering an appeal, commission president Jack Ertola said. He added that the department has an "outstanding relationship" with the vast majority of women.

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CLASS 1A

100 METER DASH

Boys: Cody Campbell, Motley Co., 11.38; Monty Thompson, Spur, 11.43; Jeremy Jones, Crawford, 10.67; Pete Miller, Woodson, 10.93; Jeff Spikes, Burkeville, 11.08; Jezz Mark, Apple Springs, 11.10; Bill McCurdy, Nueces Canyon, 11.27; Cory Watkins, Milano, 11.34.

Girls: Wanda Poteet, Paducah, 12.94; Kristi Williams, Munday, 13.18; Konnett Maya, Roby, 12.31; Amanda Gilbert, Brock, 12.65; Natalie Thomas, Karnack, 12.33; Lutfiyah Mathis, Burkeville, 12.33; Crystal Boggs, Jarrell, 12.82; Stephanie Smith, Bremond, 12.84.

200 METER DASH

Boys: Clearance Thomas, Paducah, 22.73; Mark Ramirez, Smyer, 23.15; Jeremy Jones, Crawford, 21.86; Cory Watkins, Milano, 22.11; Jezz Mark, Apple Springs, 22.49; Greg Bean, Colmesneil, 22.77; Bill McCurdy, Nueces Canyon, 23.15; Tom Pursley, Jarrell, 23.18.

Girls: Wanda Poteet, Paducah, 26.16; Starla Anston, Shamrock, 26.46; Kandice Holman, Zephyr, 25.53; Jennifer Dutchover, Iron Co., 26.32; Kelli Harper, Laneville, 26.49; Phyllis Lacy, Levertets Chapel, 27.30; Leticia Armsted, Burton, 26.21; Sarah Crum, Jarrell, 26.23.

400 METER DASH

Boys: Bronco Flye, Munday, 48.95; Daniel Gray, Wink, 49.49; Kevin Buchanan, Roscoe, 50.27; Jim Watts, Roscoe, 50.99; Jay Davis, Douglas, 49.55; Devon Brantley, Laneville, 50.05; Cory Watkins, Milano, 51.68; Alan Huff, Granger, 52.03.

Girls: Emilee Rice, Smyer, 58.44; Melinda Schumacker, Nazareth, 59.72; Kandice Holman, Zephyr, 59.0; Heather Donaldson, Christoval, 57.0; Marcey Lewis, Celeste, 60.68; Sarah Wade, Cushing, 60.73; Anzales, Rockspings, 61.82; Shanna Gard, Iredell, 62.08.

800 METER DASH

Boys: Josh Minkley, Claude, 2:02.49; Ricky Serrato, Munday, 2:02.64; David Deuckhammer, Priddy, 1:57.7; Chris Styles, Union Hill, 2:00.53; Gene Conkleton, Maud, 2:01.15; Joey Rendon, Rockspings, 2:03.85; Ernest Jones, Bremond, 2:05.49.

Girls: Julie Williams, Anton, 2:26.78; Josie Martinez, Petersburg, 2:28.13; Any Phillips, Cross Plains, 2:26.9; Allison McKinney, Alvord, 2:27.0; LaTonya Williams, Broadus, 2:28.13; Jennifer Pittman, Colmesneil, 2:30.41; Kassidy Todd, Rockspings, 2:19.50; Misti Wells, Medina, 2:25.93.

3200 METER RUN

Boys: Casey Hoelting, Nazareth, 10:26.23; Daniel Lueras, Lazbuddie, 10:33.20; Clint Davidson, Priddy, 10:16.5; Brian Davidson, Priddy, 10:19.6; David Peares, Douglas, 10:28.5; John Huddleston, Slocum, 10:49.1; Willie Garcia, Sabinal, 9:49.73; Steven Duke, Utopia, 10:13.23.

Girls: Josie Martinez, Petersburg, 12:17.76; Joyce Martinez, Petersburg, 12:17.99; Amanda Alving, Roscoe, 12:12.2; Sara Powell, Alvord, 12:24.5; Brandi Williams, Cross Plains, 12:44.9; Evr Channell, Keene, 12:50.1; Alysha Neuman, Snook, 12:21.29; Lisa Lambert, Milano, 12:29.65.

110 METER HURDLES

Boys: Benji Mitard, Bovina, 15.17; Tom Ward, Spur, 15.56; Lee McCown, Robert Lee, 14.94; Brent Procter, Santo, 14.95; Roderick Moore, Burkeville, 15.74; Chad Richardson, Evadale, 15.95; Darren Streit, Thrall, 16.13.

Girls: Maria Renteria, O'Donnell, 17.09; Jose Wallace, Wheeler, 17.18; Jill Johnson, Bronte, 15.1; Amanda McGuire, Cross Plains, 15.8; Celevia Washington, Karnack, 16.2; Lisa Atteberry, Blue Ridge, 16.5; Jenny Allen, Nueces Canyon, 16.65; Tanya Wilganowski, Bremond, 17.04.

300 METER HURDLES

Boys: Benji Mitard, Bovina, 39.09; Chad Green, Wink, 40.91; Cody Sicking, Muenster, 39.25; Brent Procter, Santo, 39.91; Ryan West, Evadale, 39.88; Jammy Peters, Frost, 40.16; Monte Williams, Bremond, 40.28; Mario Campos, Charlotte, 40.55.

Girls: Lanessa Wilson, Munday, 48.98; Addie Crowley, Sunray, 49.06; Jill Johnson, 48.15; Mandy Sidney, 48.91; Sherrie Smith, Evadale, 48.02; Tara Graham, Latexo, 48.47; Jenny Allen, Nueces Canyon, 48.40; Karen Doramus, Agua Dulce, 48.55.

400 METER RELAY

Boys: Spur, 43.18; Paducah, 43.77; Roscoe, 43.3; Sterling City, 44.1; Burkeville, 42.17; Karnack, 44.02; Bartlett, 44.09; Agua Dulce, 44.10. Girls 400 Meter Relay: Paducah, 50.51; Munday, 50.57; Alvord, 51.7; Meridan, 52.0; Karnack, 50.10; Burkeville, 51.20; Bremond, 51.43; Granger, 51.82.

Girls: Munday, 1:47.94; Whiteface, 1:49.94; Alvord, 1:50.81; Lindsay, 1:51.86; Burkeville, 1:49.11; Goodrich, 1:51.83; Jarrell, 1:47.76; Bremond, 1:48.60.

1600 METER RELAY

Boys: Shamrock, 3:25.86; Paducah, 3:27.43; Roscoe, 3:25.04; Crawford, 3:25.19; Douglas, 3:27.27; Oakwood, 3:27.84; Agua Dulce, 3:30.35; Latexo, 3:32.08.

Girls: Nazareth, 4:10.76; Munday, 4:13.27; Lindsay, 4:19.82; Muenster, 4:21.85; Alvord, 4:17.24; Karnack, 4:20.78; Rockspings, 4:08.52; Jarrell, 4:14.51.

SHOT PUT

Boys: Eddie Ortega, Sunray, 53-8.25; Everett Williams, Sud, 50-11.75; Jerry Chavira, Roscoe, 55-6.5; Lee McCown, Robert Lee, 54-6; Lathalia Pope, Kennard, 47-3; Corey Hopper, Blue Ridge, 45-1.25; Brandon Evans, Sabinal, 48-3; Ellis Wright, Navarro, 47-11.

Girls: Leslie Weaks, Silverton, 35-1; Denise Angton, Shamrock, 34-10.25; Sabrina Williams, Woodson, 41-0; Glenda Crawford, Evant, 35-7.5; Laura Lowe, Chester, 34-4.5; Shiranda Brown, Byrum, 33-10.25; Jamiee Hildebrand, Navarro, 35-7; Rohda Nieto, Falls City, 34-9.

DISCUS

Boys: Jeremy Yauck, Booker, 154-1; Michael Hill, Sunray, 152-4; Lee McCown, Robert Lee, 171-0; Jerry Chavira, Roscoe, 141-4; Cody Widner, Colmesneil, 143-0; Joey Hare,

Evadale, 136-4; Russell Salazer, Leakey, 144-0; Brandon Evans, Sabinal, 140-1.

Girls: Felicia Collier, Knox City, 116-6; Kay Case, Groom, 112-5; Glenda Crawford, Evant, 121-10; Sabrina Williams, Woodson, 115-7; Kizzy Woods, Cushing, 116-9; Rachel McKinney, Colmesneil, 111-1; Hedi Finke, Round Top-Carmine, 120-8; Vanessa Castillo, Rockspings, 108-1.

HIGH JUMP

Boys: James Stewart, Anton, 6-4; Martin Sanchez, Balmorhea, 6-2; Lee McCown, Robert Lee, 6-6; Brandon Franklin, Rising Star, 6-6; Roger Gullory, High Island, 6-8; Clint Coleman, Boles, 6-4; Jason Polasek, Falls City, 6-8; Jay Lyles, Navarro, 6-8.

Girls: Deena Duarte, Sanderson, 5-2; Stephanie Deanda, Meadow, 4-10; Kandice Holman, Zephyr, 5-4; Bree Bolding, Robert Lee, 5-4; Mandy McCormack, Blue Ridge, 5-4; Alice Kay Marshall, Zavalla, 5-2; Nichole Wiatrek, Falls City, 5-2; Jo Lynn Rodriguez, Navarro, 5-1.

LONG JUMP

Boys: Martin Sanchez, Balmorhea, 21-9.75; Deshon Jenkins, Sundan, 21-7; Brent Procter, Santo, 23-6; Tanner Etheredge, Klondike, 22-8.5; Jay Davis, Douglas, 21-3; Venny Love, Karnack, 20-6.5; Bill McCurdy, Nueces Canyon, 22-2; Terrell Hart, Calvert, 22-2.

Girls: Andrea Johnson, Whiteface, 16-11; Wanda Poteet, Paducah, 16-6.5; Amber Tate, Lipan, 18-3; Angie Bowlin, Meridian, 18-1.5; Shamika Wilburn, Fannindel, 16-0.5; LaToya Johnson, Union Hill, 11-1.25; Tammy Krasucky, Louise, 17-2.5; Nichole Wiatrek, Falls City, 17-0.75.

TRIPLE JUMP

Boys: James Stewart, Anton, 46-3.5; David Situentz, Rankin, 44-7.75; Kevin Buchanan, Roscoe, 43-10; Josh Richter, Sanda, 43-1.5; Courtney Dowell, Avinger, 44-8.75; Venny Love, Karnack, 44-4.75; Monte Williams, Bremond, 44-3; Bill McCurdy, Nueces Canyon, 43-2.

Girls: Aimee Roberson, Aspermont, 34-8.75; Holley Halbrooks, Loop, 34-6.75; Konnett Maya, Roby, 36-8.5; Allison McKinney, Alvord, 34-5.5; Shamika Wilburn, Fannindel, 34-8; Mandy McCormack, Blue Ridge, 33-11.5; Nichole Wiatrek, Falls City, 36-1; Tammy Krasucky, Louise, 35-4.

POLE VAULT

Boys: Jon Colby Miller, Lazbuddie, 14-6; Travis Stevens, Wheeler, 12-4; Chad Bolton, Panther Creek, 13-6; Adam Morgan, Robert Lee, 13-6; Obie Spears, Union Hill, 12-0; Josh Fielder, Evadale, 11-0; Joel Simank, Thorndale, 14-3; Von Tomasini, D'Hanis, 13-0.

NOTE: The 1600 meter run was omitted from the Class 1A list of events published by the Association Press. Duane Coffey of White Deer is a state qualifier in the 1600 after taking first in regionals at Levelland.

BASEBALL

National League

At A Glance

By The Associated Press

East Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlanta	6	2	.750	—
Philadelphia	5	3	.625	1/2
Montreal	5	4	.556	1
New York	4	5	.444	1 1/2
Florida	2	6	.250	4

Central Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	6	3	.667	—
Chicago	4	3	.625	1/2
St. Louis	4	6	.400	1 1/2
Pittsburgh	2	6	.250	3 1/2
Cincinnati	1	8	.111	5

West Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Colorado	7	2	.778	—
San Francisco	6	4	.600	1/2
Los Angeles	5	4	.556	1
San Diego	4	6	.400	3/2

Thursday's Games

San Francisco 5, San Diego 4
New York 5, Montreal 1, 10 innings
Atlanta 3, Florida 3, top 9th, susp., rain

Friday's Games

Florida 11, Montreal 6
New York 3, Cincinnati 0
Chicago 8, Pittsburgh 4
Philadelphia 9, Atlanta 4
Houston 9, St. Louis 4
Los Angeles 6, Colorado 4
San Francisco 9, San Diego 2

Saturday's Games

Florida (Weathers 0-0) at Montreal (Heredia 1-0), 1:35 p.m.
New York (Micki 1-0) at Cincinnati (Smith 0-0) 2:15 p.m.
Los Angeles (Candotti 1-1) at Colorado (Acovado 0-0), 3:05 p.m.
Chicago (Navarro 1-0) at Pittsburgh (Wagner 0-2), 7:05 p.m.
Philadelphia (Mims 0-0) at Atlanta (Smoltz 1-0), 7:10 p.m.
Houston (Swindell 0-0) at St. Louis (Hill 1-0), 8:05 p.m.
San Francisco (Mullholland 1-1) at San Diego (Benes 0-1), 10:05 p.m.

Sunday's Games

Philadelphia (Schilling 1-0) at Atlanta (Madoux 2-0), 1:10 p.m.
Florida (Gardner 0-2) at Montreal (Fassero 2-0), 1:35 p.m.
Chicago (Castillo 0-1) at Pittsburgh (Neagle 0-1), 1:35 p.m.
New York (Jacome 0-1) at Cincinnati (Rijo 2-2), 2:15 p.m.
Houston (Drabek 1-0) at St. Louis (Jackson 0-2), 2:15 p.m.
Los Angeles (Nomo 0-0) at Colorado (Swift 0-0), 3:05 p.m.
San Francisco (Portugal 0-0) at San Diego (Ashby 1-0), 4:05 p.m.

American League

At A Glance

By The Associated Press

East Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	7	2	.778	—
Boston	5	4	.556	2
Toronto	5	4	.556	2
Baltimore	4	5	.444	3
Detroit	3	6	.333	4

Central Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Baltimore	6	3	.667	—
Chicago	5	4	.556	1
Minnesota	4	5	.444	2
Seattle	3	6	.333	3

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Milwaukee	6	3	.667	—
Cleveland	5	3	.625	1/2
Kansas City	5	3	.625	1/2
Minnesota	3	6	.333	3
Chicago	1	7	.125	4 1/2

West Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Seattle	5	4	.556	1 1/2
California	5	4	.556	1 1/2
Oakland	3	6	.333	3 1/2
Texas	3	6	.333	3 1/2

Thursday's Games

Baltimore 5, Milwaukee 2
Kansas City 6, Minnesota 0
Detroit 4, Cleveland 3
New York 5, Boston 3
Oakland 9, California 6
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

Cleveland 5, Minnesota 1
Boston 10, Detroit 7
Baltimore 9, Toronto 2
New York 6, Milwaukee 4
Kansas City 3, Chicago 1, 12 innings

Saturday's Games

Texas 9, Oakland 4
California 10, Seattle 0
Minnesota (Radke 0-0) at Cleveland (Black 0-0), 1:05 p.m.
Boston (Sele 1-0) at Detroit (Bergman 0-2), 1:15 p.m.
Toronto (Darwin 0-0) at Baltimore (Rhodes 1-0), 1:35 p.m.
Milwaukee (Benes 1-0) at New York (Key 1-0), 1:35 p.m.
Seattle (Davis 1-0) at Oakland (Harkey 0-0), 4:05 p.m.
Kansas City (Gubicza 1-1) at Chicago (Alvarez 0-1), 7:05 p.m.
Seattle (Davis 1-0) at California (Bookie 1-0), 10:05 p.m.

Sunday's Games

Minnesota (Tapani 0-1) at Cleveland (D.Martinez 2-0), 1:05 p.m.
Boston (Eshelman 1-0) at Detroit (Doherty 0-2), 1:15 p.m.
Toronto (Cone 1-1) at Baltimore (Musina 0-1), 1:35 p.m.
Milwaukee (Miranda 1-0) at New York (Hitchock 0-1), 1:35 p.m.
Kansas City (Gordon 0-1) at Chicago (Baldwin 0-0), 2:05 p.m.
Texas (Gross 0-1) at Oakland (Stewart 1-0), 4:05 p.m.
Seattle (Johnson 1-0) at California (Finley 0-2), 8:05 p.m.

TODAY'S MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING—T.Martinez, Seattle, .522; Tinsley, Boston, .459; Ramirez, Cleveland, .452; O'Neill, New York, .433; DWilson, Seattle, .417; Raines, Chicago, .414; Murray, Cleveland, .412.

RUNS—By Anderson, Baltimore, 13;

Ramirez, Cleveland, 11; InValentin, Boston, 11; Tinsley, Boston, 9; Baerga, Cleveland, 9; Venton, Chicago, 9; Belle, Cleveland, 9; Murray, Cleveland, 9.

RBIs—Sorrento, Cleveland, 14; MVAughn,

Boston, 13; InValentin, Boston, 11; Belle, Cleveland, 10; Oliver, Milwaukee, 10; 11 are tied with 9.

HITS—Tinsley, Boston, 17; Ramirez,

Cleveland, 14; InValentin, Boston, 14; ByAnderson, Baltimore, 14; Greenwell, Boston, 14; Murray, Cleveland, 14; Baerga, Cleveland, 13; Belle, Cleveland, 13; O'Neill, New York, 13; Carter, Toronto, 13.

DOUBLES—Belle, Cleveland, 6; Tinsley,

Boston, 5; Sierra, Oakland, 5; Flaherty, Detroit, 4; DiSarcina, California, 4; Oliver, Milwaukee, 4; ByAnderson, Baltimore, 4; Joyner, Kansas City, 4; Gagne, Kansas City, 4.

TRIPLES—By Anderson, Baltimore, 2;

Witte, Toronto, 2; 2 are tied with 1.

HOME RUNS—Salmon, California, 5;

Ramirez, Cleveland, 4; MVAughn, Boston, 4; Sorrento, Cleveland, 4; Tetterton, Texas, 4; InValentin, Boston, 3; RAlomar, Toronto, 3; Berro, Oakland, 3; O'Neill, New York, 3; Vasquez, Baltimore, 3.

STOLEN BASES—RAlomar, Toronto, 4;

LJohnson, Chicago, 4; Rhenderson, Oakland, 4; Tinsley, Boston, 3; Phillips, California, 3; 11 are tied with 2.

PITCHING (3 Decisions)—Butcher,

California, 3-0; Kiefer, Milwaukee, 3-0; Appier, Kansas City, 3-0.

STRIKEOUTS—Appier, Kansas City, 27;

RJohnson, Seattle, 16; Hanson, Boston, 13; Cone, Toronto, 13; Bere, Chicago, 12; Tapani, Minnesota, 12; Finley, California, 11; APena, Boston, 11.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

BATTING—TGwynn, San Diego, .487; Karros, Los Angeles, .462; Larkin, Cincinnati, .444; Mondes, Los Angeles, .421; Tarasco, Montreal, .414; Cooper, St. Louis, .410; Girardi, Colorado, .400.

RUNS—Mondes, Los Angeles, 12;

D'Hollins, Philadelphia, 11; TGwynn, San Diego, 10; Gonzalez, Houston, 10; Cooper, St. Louis, 9; Offerman, Los Angeles, 9; Finley, San Diego, 9; McGriff, Atlanta, 9.

RBIs—Girardi, Colorado, 14; MaWilliams,

San Francisco, 13; Karros, Los Angeles, 12; Hundley, New York, 11; Caminiti, San Diego, 11; Mondes, Los Angeles, 10; Bjordan, St. Louis, 10; CHill, San Francisco, 10.

HITS—TGwynn, San Diego, 19; Karros,

Los Angeles, 18; Mondes, Los Angeles, 16; Cooper, St. Louis, 16; Girardi, Colorado, 16; Larkin, Cincinnati, 16; MaWilliams, San Francisco, 15.

DOUBLES—Lankford, St. Louis, 7; Karros,

Los Angeles, 6; Mondes, Los Angeles, 4; McRae, Chicago, 4; Alou, Montreal, 4; King, Pittsburgh, 4; Sheffield, Florida, 4; LWalker, Colorado, 4; MaWilliams, San Francisco, 4.

TRIPLES—DeShields, Los Angeles, 2;

Larkin, Cincinnati, 2; 20 are tied with 1.

HOME RUNS—Mondes, Los Angeles, 4;

Conine, Florida, 4; GHill, San Francisco, 4; Phillips, San Francisco, 3; Everett, New York, 3; Bjordan, St. Louis, 3; Hundley, New York, 3; Gant, Cincinnati, 3; MaWilliams, San Francisco, 3; McGriff, Atlanta, 3.

STOLEN BASES—Veras, Florida, 5;

Mouton, Houston, 5; DSanders, Cincinnati, 5; Sheffield, Florida, 5; Bjordan, St. Louis, 4; DeShields, Los Angeles, 4; Weiss, Colorado, 4.

PITCHING (2 Decisions)—Bailey,

Colorado, 2-0; Fassero, Montreal, 2-0; Foster, Chicago, 2-0; Maddux, Atlanta, 2-0; Martinez, Montreal, 2-0; TWilson, San Francisco, 2-0; Burkett, Florida, 2-1; RMartinez, Los Angeles, 2-1.

STRIKEOUTS—RMartinez, Los Angeles,

16; PJMartinez, Montreal, 14; Hampton, Houston, 13; Portugal, San Francisco, 12.

Rockets victory sets up crucial Game 5 with Jazz

Minister ends hunger strike after statement by bishops

AUSTIN (AP) - A Methodist minister has ended a 15-day hunger strike after receiving a statement from United Methodist bishops that decries discrimination against gays and lesbians.

The Rev. Charles Moore, pastor of Grace United Methodist Church, said he received a "serious and constructive" reply from the denomination's bishops, who were meeting in Austin.

He said while "it's not all we hoped for, it's a positive statement."

Moore, 60, had wanted a public statement from the bishops "expressing their concern about the mistreatment of gay people, especially in the church."

The Austin American-Statesman reported that the bishops responded by drafting a resolution that:

Acknowledges failures "if by our inaction we have contributed to ostracism, stigma, unnecessary suffering, denial of civil and human rights, torture, persecution and pain inflicted" on homosexuals.

Calls upon all United Methodist congregations to welcome all people into "redemptive fellowship" and to become centers of learning about the nature of homosexuality.

Recognizes the official United Methodist position that calls "the practice of homosexuality" incompatible with Christian teaching.

Bishops don't make policy for the Protestant denomination. That responsibility rests with a legislative assembly made up of lay and clergy representatives from around the world.

Grandview-Hopkins ISD to accept resignation of trustee Baggerman

GRANDVIEW - The Grandview-Hopkins Independent School District board of trustees will accept the resignation of one of their members Tuesday night in a regularly called session.

In their May meeting, the school board will accept the resignation of the board member John Mark Baggerman and determine how to fill his place, Norman W. Baxter, superintendent, said today.

"They have the option of calling a special election, appointing someone or leaving the post vacant until the next election," Baxter said.

Baggerman resigned citing personal reasons.

In other business, the board will canvass Saturday's school board election results and swear in new board members.

The board is also expected to consider the school calendar for 1995-96, approve a resolution changing the bank signature cards, approve a finance option for 1995-96, review a TASB Policy Reference Manual update, consider grade alignment for 1995-96, consider transfer policies, consider making recommendations concerning scholarship guidelines and consider building improvements.

Trustees are also expected to approve student transfers from Groom and Pampa ISD.

There will also be the first reading of a local FDA policy.

Baxter will give reports on the Lone Star Investment Pool, school finances and next year's budget.

The board is scheduled to go into closed session to review a TEC personnel appeal.

Judge: Interdenominational prayer OK at grad ceremony

GALVESTON (AP) - Prayer will be part of Santa Fe High School's graduation ceremony this year. But so will a U.S. marshal.

The marshal's job is to make sure any prayers offered at the ceremony are general enough that they don't offend members of any religion, said U.S. District Judge Sam Kent of Galveston.

Anyone - including students - who violates his order will be arrested for contempt of court and face up to six months in jail, Kent told Santa Fe school district officials.

Some residents have complained authorities have allowed unconstitutional religious activity at their schools.

Words such as "God" or "the Almighty" are appropriate for an invocation at a public school

function such as the graduation, Kent said.

But use of such phrases as "in Jesus' name we pray" or references to specific religious figures or prophets such as Buddha or Muhammad are prohibited, Kent said.

He also ordered that whoever offers a prayer at graduation must be chosen by a secret ballot of fellow students.

Kent's order regarding the graduation ceremony is part of a preliminary ruling designed to stem or regulate such practices as prayer and distribution of Gideon Bibles on campuses in that west Galveston County school district.

During the hearing, Kent said he believes some "notions of morality or spirituality" are necessary for children's development. He said some youths today

are "moral monsters" who will kill if someone looks at them the wrong way.

"I want prayer to be a part of

the daily lives of students to the extent that is consonant with the United States Constitution," Kent said.

White Deer ISD board to meet

WHITE DEER - The White Deer Independent School District board of trustees will meet Monday night in the elementary school cafeteria to recognize their regional science fair winners.

"After that, I believe they'll move back here to the board room," district business manager Jack Back said.

The board room is across the alley from the school, he said.

In its regular session, the board is expected to canvass Saturday's election results, approve student transfers, approve a district library job, elect TASB convention delegate and alternate and

review the 1995-96 school calendar.

The board is also expected to approve a budget amendment and set a special May meeting date and change the July meeting date, according to Back.

Superintendent Larry E. Johnston will report to the board on the Employee Appreciation Banquet scheduled for May 18 and the TASB Summer Leadership Institute.

The school board is scheduled to go into closed session Monday in connection with the employment of a teacher and counselor for next year.

L. T. Johnston

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Lifestyles

War ends in Europe!

Letters, diaries and memories recall end of European fighting

By LORALEE COOLEY
Guest writer

Today marks the 50th anniversary of "V-E Day"... Victory in Europe. "All quiet on the Western Front," for this part of the Great War was over.

It was 50 years ago that Germany surrendered to the Allied forces. The entire war would be over in a less than four months, but at that time in May, there was no way of knowing. So many families were still wondering what the future held; many of those in the military in Europe were wondering if they would be shipped to the Pacific theater; many of those already in the Pacific were fighting so hard they did not know of the German surrender immediately.

And what was happening here? How did *The Pampa News* record the events of the day, and what were people in the Panhandle doing? What sort of experiences did young men live through who were in that European theater of war?

From the middle of April 1945, until the actual announcement of the German surrender on May 8, the nation saw many historic events that brought about changes which still affect our lives today. The people of the Texas Panhandle knew of those events through what they read in the newspaper, and what they learned from letters of those involved.

The first astonishing change came on April 12, when the president unexpectedly died. Although Franklin Delano Roosevelt was equally revered and reviled by the American populace, he was the president who led the nation throughout the entire war, and who negotiated with Winston Churchill of Great Britain and Joseph Stalin of the Soviet Union in many international discussions to try to bring about a solution to the war with the Axis powers of Italy, Japan and Germany. With his death at the age of 62, after serving as president for 12 years, the country found itself with a new president, Harry S. Truman, thrust without warning into the world arena.

"The news of the President's death was quite a shock to us."

This from a letter written April 15, 1945, by Leland Coleman, stationed in the south of France with an Ordnance Battalion. His widow, Lorene Coleman, now lives in Pampa, where she moved in 1994 with her daughter and son-in-law. (Coleman survived the war, and passed away in 1983 in Illinois.)

He continued the letter by saying, "I first heard it on the 7:00 news report. We were gathered around the radio, wondering where General Patton was by then, and were rather dumbfounded by the tragic news of his death. Too bad he couldn't have lived to see the finish of what seems so near.

"We are wondering what the new President will do now, and if he'll be able to carry on. Of course, we still remember the political connections and of the machines he (Truman)

used to be part of back in his home state of Missouri.

"I think most of us appreciate our late President (Roosevelt) as a great leader that will long be remembered. I guess some of that Democrat milk (Coleman's parents had been avid Democrats, although he and his wife were always Republican), is still in my blood. No, I believe in giving credit where its due, and he deserves plenty. At least he tried and did get America to open her eyes barely in time."

By late April 1945, the end of the war in Europe seemed only a matter of hours. *The Pampa News* reported in the Sunday, April 29 edition "... an ultimatum had been given the Germans calling for complete, unconditional surrender by Tuesday." (That would have been May 1.)

Also in that Sunday edition, came the report of the happenings in San Francisco, where delegates from 46 nations were gathered to create some sort of "world organization for peace." These delegates eventually hammered out the beginnings of what became the United Nations on October 24, 1945. But on that last weekend of April, the established agenda of this conference was "upset by peace rumors" as the "fourth plenary session of the conference was thrown into an uproar and delegates celebrated prematurely when a newspaper was held up with big red headlines, 'Nazis Quit!' For five minutes, there were yells, applause, and the flash of hundreds of flash bulbs as cameramen swarmed over the floor."

The announcement was premature. There were, apparently, a number of premature or false announcements about the end of the European campaign.



Fred Brook

Fred Brook, a Pampa resident since coming to the Pampa Army Air Base in 1943, was serving with the 585th Bomb Squadron of the 12th Tactical Air Command, a part of the Ninth Army Air Force. They were stationed in Venlo, Holland, and made attacks into Germany from that point.

Brook states, "Now, there was a false V-E Day. About three weeks before the real V-E Day, a rumor got

MAY 3/45
FINALLY get to PARIS about NOON. Go to OUR Hotel rooms. Nice set-up. Room ALL to myself in Rest Hotel. CHARLEY AND I go to see a burlesque show AT The MAYOL. whew! Get back to our Rooms AND get some sleep so we can get up EARLY and see the town tomorrow. Hitler dead!
MAY 4/45

Up AT 8. ARE PRAYING war will end while we ARE IN PARIS. Go to P.X. Am to meet CHARLEY. Get LOST AND don't find him till AFTERNOON. Went on sightseeing Trip- Opera, Eiffel Tower, Arc de triomphe, The Invalides - saw Tomb of Napoleon. Chamber of Deputies. OOO LALA GIRLS.

Bill Waters made diary entries which record the death of Hitler, left, and the end of German fighting.

out... I don't know how it got out... but everybody started celebrating, and they had to get M.P.s (Military Police) out to quiet 'em down, because it was a false rumor. And it would have ruined everything because we still had some missions to fly.

"I guess the rumor was out that it (the German surrender) was in the offing, and somebody said the wrong thing, and it came out that this was The V-E Day, and it wasn't."

From France, on that same Sunday, April 29, Coleman wrote to Mrs. Coleman: "Dearest, I hope the rumors are true that we hear on the radio about Hitler almost finished, and not another something to break the monotony of war. I'm looking forward to our evenings and Sunday afternoons together. Maybe it won't be so long now until I can visualize my day dreams and really see my pin-up girls" (Mrs. Coleman and their daughter).



Lorene Coleman holds her daughter, Loralee Cooley, Mr. Coleman's "pin up girls," a photo he carried with him. This photo was taken Oct. 22, 1945 in Charleston, Ill.

Two days later, on May 1, when the Germans had been given an ultimatum to surrender by the Allies, he wrote, "According to the news reports, Hitler is about finished. With wishful thinking and the reports, one can almost feel that the war is over with Germany, and they are just waiting for an opportune time to announce it. (But) we have heard so many things that we are almost rumor proof, and doubt the truth if we do hear it."

Bill Waters, a Pampa attorney, recounts some of his experiences with the U.S. Army 171st Engineer Combat Battalion during 1944 and 1945, during which he celebrated his 20th birthday. He helped clear

mines for infantry advancements along the roads, and helped build bridges over German rivers, so the infantry and artillery forces could cross, carrying the war deeper and deeper into the German heartland.

The intention was to reach the Elbe River, which bordered Germany on the east, and reconnoiter with the Russian troops who were approaching Germany from the opposite direction. This would force the German military to retreat or surrender, as the Allied forces of American and British troops on the western bank of the river and the Russian troops on the eastern bank would leave the Germans no room to operate.

This push into Germany began as early as the autumn of 1944, when they were penetrating into Germany itself from Belgium and Holland, eventually moving into the "no-man's land" between the German border and Geilenkirchen, a German town about the size of Pampa. Waters wrote in his diary on Thanksgiving Day, "Today is Thanksgiving and my birthday. Clear mines all day in the rain. Jerries (i.e., Germans) break through at Suggarath. We are waiting guard with bazookas. Moved into Geilenkirchen."

As his division moved further into Germany, crossing river after river, the squeeze-play against the Germans appeared to be taking its toll, although the troops with whom Waters served suffered many casualties as the Germans fought back.

During the German retreat to Berlin, which was to be their final stronghold, Waters wrote in his diary, "Rumors say Germany will surrender in days now."

That was on April 28, and the campaign in his area was already over. His battalion met Russian troops at the Elbe River, when the Russians crossed to the German side after the Nazi retreat. (See photo).

In Pampa, during this confusing weekend of April 28-29, 1945, no one was quite sure what to believe. Was the war over, or not?

An article by reporter Burt Lieberstein for *The Pampa News*, describes some of the uncertainty and anticipation in the Sunday, April 29, edition: "Painful suspense hung over Pampa's business district last night (Saturday, April 28), as citizens reacted to the ... 'unfounded reports' that the war was over in Germany."

"There was no celebrating in the real sense of the word, and city officials did not fall victim to the unconfirmed report. Fire sirens were not blown here ... as was the case in some of Pampa's surrounding towns."

"But crowds gathered on street corners, in the stores, any place where they could find someone 'who knew something,' and exchanged opinions and predictions."

"Jean Herd, who is employed in the office force of Montgomery

MAY 7/45
Rode TRAIN ALL night. Tired AND disgusted. Ride INTO Heerleen in our truck. People wild, bands playing, SIRENS blowing. The WAR IS OVER! Spend night in Heerleen. Very CALM CELEBRATION FOR CHARLEY & ME.

MAY 8/45
Have ANOTHER days LAY over. Truck BROKE DOWN. CHARLEY AND I go to movie. STREET CARS ARE RUNNING in Heerleen NOW. CERTAINLY A CHANGE FROM the FIRST time we SAW IT IN November.

MAY 9/45
LEAVE EARLY FOR GERMANY. TRAVEL ALL day. EATING K RATIONS. Get back to Co. LATE THAT night. They have moved AGAIN. This time in A huge estate. Very nice set-up. Letter FROM RAY. Tells ne John Tom has been Killed. Can't seem to realize IT. Yes, I've seen nen die AND get killed BUT somehow... NOT JOHN TOM.



Waters, second from left, with Russian soldiers on the west bank of the Elbe River, May, 1945.

Ward, was the first to give *The News* a report of activities in town, when the rumor was at its height: "People have stopped buying and are gathering around the radio in the back. Some women who have husbands overseas are crying and laughing at the same time. Everyone is really excited."

Reporter Lieberstein notes that Miss Herd's voice could not be described as "being exactly calm." The reporter continued by noting some activities in Borger and Shamrock, where sirens had sounded and general celebrations had taken place. He quoted one man in Pampa, who remarked, "They seem to be a day or so early in Borger. And a soldier interrupted with, 'They're a year or two early, if you ask me.'"

Lieberstein noted, "He obviously referred to the war in the Pacific."



Leland Coleman in an ordnance battalion workshop, probably in Algeria, 1944, before being shipped to southern France.



Waters' company builds an infantry foot bridge across the Roer River in western Germany in November, 1945. Notice destruction of trees and buildings.

Victory in Europe 50 years ago - May 7, 1945



Ashcraft-Arrington

Veronica Marie Ashcraft and Joel Douglas Arrington, both of Plainview, plan to marry July 29 at First Baptist Church in Pagosa Springs, Colo.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Larry and Sue Ashcraft of Pagosa Springs and the prospective groom is the son of Jerry and Jo Arrington of Pampa.

She is a graduate of Pagosa Springs High School and is a junior at Wayland Baptist University in Plainview. She plans to graduate with a degree in business management in May of 1996.

He is a 1993 graduate of Pampa High School and is a sophomore at Wayland Baptist University. He is pursuing a degree in religious education and church music.



Webb-Howard

April Melissa Webb of Amarillo and Don Ray Howard of Pampa were married April 21 at San Jacinto Baptist Church in Amarillo with Stan Coffey of the church officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Randall and Pam Webb of Amarillo and the groom is the son of Wayne and Fonda Howard of Pampa.

Serving as the maid of honor was Sarah Morrison of Lawrence, Kan. The bridesmaids were Kim Cox of Weatherford, Okla., Jennifer Gripp of Amarillo, Trina Langley of Canyon and Stacey Brown of Raleigh, N.C. The flower girl was Kirsten Kelley of Amarillo.

Standing as the best man was Ross Kelso of Goodwell, Okla. The groomsmen were Monty Bennett of Goodwell, Waylon Howard and DeWayne Evans, both of Pampa, and Elson Rice of Morse. The ring bearer was Casey Anderson of Amarillo. The ushers were Brock Thompson of Austin and Will Gill of Amarillo.

The candles were lighted by Mallory Flowers and Molly Flowers, both of Amarillo.

Registering the guests was Teresa Imel of Amarillo.

A reception followed at Marty's Catering by Joyce.

Serving the guests were Coy Graves, Marilyn Dalrymple, Ra Donna Willingham and Cyrella Brockman, all of Amarillo.

She is a graduate of Amarillo High School and attended Amarillo College. She is employed by First National Bank in Amarillo.

He is a graduate of Miami High School and is Cattle Custom Processor. He is a bull rider and a member of the Professional Rodeo Cowboys' Association.

The couple planned a honeymoon to Las Vegas, Nev.



Mayfield-Morris

Julie Beth Mayfield and Robert Edward "Eddie" Morris, Jr., both of Pampa, plan to marry June 17 at First Christian Church in Pampa.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Mayfield and the prospective groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Morris, all of Pampa.

She is a 1991 graduate of Pampa High School and attended American Airlines Travel Academy. She is employed by Uniglobe Complete Travel in Pampa.

He is a 1984 graduate of Pampa High School. He attended Texas Tech for two years and is employed as business manager at West Texas Ford in Pampa.

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Extension service sponsors ribbon embroidery workshop

WHEELER — The Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Wheeler Public Library are co-sponsoring a Silk Ribbon Embroidery Workshop on Tuesday, May 16, at 7 p.m. at the Wheeler Public Library.

DeAnna Randall, co-owner of R&R Quilts in Amarillo, will be teaching the hands-on workshop. Participants will have the opportunity to complete a silk ribbon project suitable for framing. The cost of the workshop is \$5, which includes the lecture and supplies.

Class size is limited, therefore participants should preregister by calling Joan Gray at the Wheeler County Extension office at 806/826-5243 or Naomi Speck at the Wheeler Public Library at 806/826-5977 by Wednesday, May 10.

Happy 98 years, Edna Young Taylor



Edna Young Taylor

A longtime Pampa resident, Edna Young Taylor is 98 years old today. Born May 7, 1897, Taylor first came to Pampa in 1907. She said there were only 75 buildings in town at that time. She has four children: H.B. Taylor, Jr., Doris Walsh, Dora Reeves and Ida Ruth Price all from Pampa; eleven grandchildren, 24 great-grandchildren, and eight great-great-grandchildren.

Miami gears up for cow calling event

Miami is preparing for their Annual cow calling contest to get underway June 2-3. Categories are divided into men, women and grandmothers.

A barbecue and crafts booths are planned for the weekend of events.

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May 8 — Rifle project, 7 p.m.
County Roundup, 7 p.m., Annex.
9 — Rifle project, 7 p.m.
Fashion Club and Ambassador Club meetings, 7 p.m., Kludt residence.
10 — County Council officer election forms due in Extension office by 5 p.m.
Deadline for horse project members to have money in for clinic.
11 — County 4-H Council meeting, 6:30 p.m., Dyers Barbecue.
Paws Plus Dog project meeting, 7-8 p.m., Bull Barn.
12 — Rabbit Raiders meeting, 7 p.m., Annex.
13 — District Roundup, District Council meeting, District Adult Leaders meeting, District Fashion Show, Canyon.

GRAY COUNTY 4-H COUNCIL AND OFFICER ELECTIONS

The Gray County 4-H Council will meet at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday. We will meet at Dyer's Barbecue. This is the meeting where we elect new council officers, and it is very important that you attend. If you are interested in running for an office, you need to come by the office and pick up an officer form. These will be due back at the Extension Office by 5 p.m. on Wednesday.
To be eligible for a 4-H Council office, you must have served on the County 4H Council some time during your 4-H career. You will need to be 16, but not older than 19 to run for president or first vice president (other offices must be 14 or older). The Council president must have been a 4-H member at least three years.

GRAY COUNTY 4-H ROUNDUP

County Roundup will be held on Monday at the Gray County Annex. We will begin at 7 p.m. You need to plan to give your demonstration that night or contact Donna or Danny before the contest. Call if you need help.
DISTRICT 4-H COUNCIL AND ADULT LEADER MEETING
The District 4-H Council will meet at 10:30 a.m. Saturday on the West Texas A & M University campus in Canyon. The Council will meet in Room 301 of the classroom complex. The major agenda item will be election of officers. All 4-H members are invited to attend.
The District 4-H Adult Leaders Association will also meet on Saturday. Their meeting will be at 11 a.m. in Room 401 of the WTA&MU Student Center. All 4-H adult volunteers are invited to attend.

Be wary of contracts, salespersons

Springtime seems to inspire us to plant gardens, and do some improvements to our homes. One of the most prevalent problem for consumers hiring someone to do home improvements for them is preventing fraud. Although the majority of home improvement contractors are reputable, there are always the few who are the bad apples in the barrel.

Here are some suggestions from the Texas Attorney General's office on how to protect yourself and your home when you decide to make a home improvement.

(1) Be leery of a salesperson who appears at your door uninvited. Be skeptical of any claims made about energy savings or security that will result from the company's improvements.

(2) If you are asked to sign a credit check application, read the form carefully and make sure it does not bind you to anything. Make sure it really is a credit check and not a contract.

If you do not understand everything in the document, do not sign it until you have had someone else explain it to you.

(3) Don't rush into signing a contract, especially in your home. If the salesperson offers a really good deal, it will be available tomorrow.

It is difficult to read a contract when a salesperson is pressuring

Homemaker's News By Donna Brauchi



you to sign on-the-spot, so take time to read the contract after the salesperson leaves. If they will not leave a copy of the contract for you or insist you must sign it now, it should be a warning not to do business with them.

(4) Do not sign a contract that has blanks. Unscrupulous salespeople sometimes fill in numbers that are different from what had been agreed to orally.

(5) Make sure everything promised to you is in the written contract. If the salesperson promises you something, he should be willing to put it in writing. If he won't, it should be a warning to you that the company may not stand behind its word.

Get a copy of anything you sign, and keep it.

(6) Check to see if there will be a lien on your house if you sign a contract. Do not accept the salesperson's oral assurances that

there will be no lien. Having a lien means that if you do not make payment on the contract, the company can take away your home. Read all the paperwork carefully or have someone explain it to you. Make sure you understand the written terms of the agreement.

(7) If there will be a lien on your home, make sure a notary is present to witness your signature. A notary other than the sales person must be present to witness you sign the document creating the lien.

It should be a warning to you if the salesperson does not have a notary present or if he says he will take care of the notarization later.

(8) Ask for references of satisfied customers and call them before signing a contract. If the company is unwilling to give references, they must have something to hide. Even if they do give references, the "references" some-

times turn out to be people who are paid to say good things about the company. If possible, look at examples of work done previously.

(9) Do not sign a completion certificate until the work is complete. Be wary of repairmen who say they need to be paid before the work is complete. Before signing the completion certificate, personally inspect the work that was done properly and is really finished.

It is not unusual for contractors to ask for partial payment as work is completed. Then, be sure to verify that the work you are paying for is finished. Also, ask for written assurance that any sub-contractors have been paid by the contractor for their work.

(10) Beware of the "low-ball" bidder. Some home improvement contractors bid a very low price on the work to be done.

Once you accept the offer, however, you find that many items you assumed to be covered by the bid are not included. Be sure any written bid itemizes all of the work to be done and is specific. Get more than one bid. Question any bid that seems out-of-line.

(11) Compare Prices by shopping around.

For more information on consumer rights and responsibilities, contact your County Extension Office.

Tips for making an office in your home

Whether you're setting up a computer work area just for the kids or for the whole family, here are some tips from the Workbench furniture chain of New York and Crate & Barrel Furniture of Chicago:

— Before you shop, measure and draw a plan of the space you have earmarked for a home office and computer center, marking the location of windows, doors, electric and phone outlets.

Take measurements of the home office equipment you

already have. For more room for future purchases, consider buying a little more shelving and surface space than you need now.

Make a list of the activities to be accommodated in the space and the amount of storage needed. Do you need more than the average amount of working surface? A normal working surface is a space as wide as your fully outstretched arms.

Those who need more space than this should think about having a table or desk in addition to the one that holds the computer

equipment. Possible choices are a desk with a right or left L-return or, if there is room to accommodate it, a second table or desk.

The surface that holds the keyboard should be about three inches below standard desk height.

You'll need a printer stand with a slotted shelf if you use continuous-feed paper.

If you want files handy, choose a desk with an attached file cabinet or one with a rolling file pedestal.

If you will be storing files and

books and other publications, measure the number of linear feet needed to accommodate the materials you want to store and add a bit more space for future needs.

— Protect your health by evaluating the furnishings. Can you adjust the seat of the desk chair so the feet comfortably touch the floor? Can you adjust back height? Does the chair tilt? Do arms allow you to get close to your work surface? Does the pedestal base have five prongs for maximum stability? Do cast-

ers glide in all directions? Adequate lighting will minimize the chances of eye strain. Make sure that there is no glare on the screen but that the desktop used for reading and writing is well lighted.

Arrange the space. Wall-mounted accessories such as pencil cups, diskette holders and a bulletin board will clear desktop space for computers and peripherals, suggests Herman Miller.

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Food For Thought by

Danny Bainum

Wonderful dessert: mix 3 ounces cream cheese, 2 Tbs. sour cream and 1 Tbs. powdered sugar to fill canned apricot halves or - in season - fresh figs. Sprinkle with toasted pine nuts and cinnamon, then drizzle with a little amaretto or brandy if you dare.

Combine Dijon mustard with an equal amount of balsamic vinegar and just a pinch of sugar. Great on a grilled vegetable and cheese sandwich, or with ham, cheese and roasted red peppers.

Fresh filets "poach" perfectly in the microwave, staying tender and juicy. In a 10-inch pie plate, one half inch filet will cook in 2 to 2 1/2 minutes at full power; two filets need 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 minutes.

Simple sauce for spaghetti calls for 1 cup of Pecorino Romano cheese mixed with 1/4 cup of fresh-ground black pepper. Toss the pasta with 2 Tbs. olive oil and the cheese mixture; add some pasta-cooking water if dry.

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So what's in a name? A little bit of everything

DEAR READERS: Some time ago, I asked readers to send me names of people whose occupations (or professions) suited their names. Did I get a bushel and a peck? Read on:

DEAR ABBY: In high school, our librarian was named Miss Story and my band teacher was Ray Musicer. There is a dentist on Long Island named Scaler, and a pediatrician named Needles. But our favorite was a podiatrist in a Detroit suburb named Dr. Smelchy.

CHUCK AND SADIE SODIKOFF, MERRICK, N.Y.

DEAR ABBY: I love telling people that the doctors who delivered my sons were Dr. Miracle and Dr. Blessing.

LOUISE SKYLER, PORTLAND, ORE.

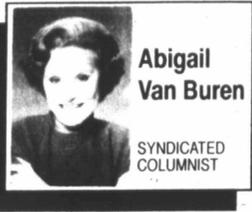
DEAR ABBY: I am a Realtor and my name is Sandy Lott. I know another Realtor in Palos Verdes, Calif., named Dusty Rhodes. Also, I used a dentist named Dr. Socket, and my ob-gyn was Dr. Peeke.

S.L. KIMBALL, NEB.

DEAR ABBY: Re people's names fitting their occupations: Three members of my church are named Angel, Harp and Sant.

NORMA WINDSOR, DAYTONA BEACH, FLA.

DEAR ABBY: Sir Russell Brain



Abigail Van Buren

SYNDICATED COLUMNIST

and Sir Henry Head were two prominent neurologists in Great Britain in the 1930s.

DR. EUGENE KAPLAN, COLUMBIA, S.C.

DEAR ABBY: My dentist in San Francisco is named Les Plack.

BETH KUPER, OAKLAND, CALIF.

DEAR ABBY: In Valdosta, Ga., 12 years ago, I bought a car from someone named Swindle and insured it with the Bill Crook Insurance Agency. (Like "Smuckers," I figured with names like those, they had to be good!)

VIRGINIA T. LOVE, WINONA, MINN.

DEAR ABBY: When my father was a patient in the hospital in Palm Springs, Calif., his dietitian was Miss Hunger. I give you my word.

JUDGE HENRY LOBIE, SAN FRANCISCO

DEAR ABBY: There is a reputable banker in my hometown named Don Crook, and Paul Kradel is a popular obstetrician. P.S. I own a travel agency!

SUZANNE B. TRIPP, FORT SMITH, ARK.

DEAR ABBY: Among the people I have known in my lifetime are a bank teller named Mr. Outlaw, a minister named Reverend Paradise, a rabbi named Angel, a hairdresser named Mrs. Brunetti — and let us not forget the coordinator of the People for Perot Campaign in 1992, Orson Swindle.

DAVID L. GARNER, DIX HILLS, N.Y.

DEAR ABBY: My all-time favorite is Joe Boozer, of Hereford, Texas, who operates — you guessed it — a liquor store.

BOB BARFIELD, AMARILLO, TEXAS

DEAR ABBY: I grew up in a small town in Pennsylvania. My parents befriended a man who owned and operated a chicken farm. His name was Ed Cluck — and he even looked a little like a chicken. I am a veterinarian.

J. KATZ CANEPA, BROOKLYN, N.Y.

DEAR ABBY: Sgt. Dick Tracy works for the Police Department in Manchester, N.H. He is also involved in the D.A.R.E. program. If you print this, please don't use my name.

ANONYMOUS

Horoscope

Monday, May 8, 1995

Several unimpressive situations might come together in the year ahead to produce a significant source of income for you. Never underestimate the power of combinations.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Try not to make important decisions in either haste or anger today. Both of these culprits could distort your judgment and cause complications. Major changes are ahead for Taurus in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail \$2 and SASE to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, NY 10163. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Strive to

remain flexible in your thinking today, especially with co-workers. There is a possibility you may provoke someone who has equally rigid views.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) If you're contemplating a large purchase today, make sure it's something you positively cannot get along without. You might suffer buyer's remorse later.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Even persons who like you might be reluctant to support you today if you demand things rather than remembering to ask politely.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Your problems could be compounded today if you try to blame others for your shortcomings. Strive to create amicable relationships instead of seeking scapegoats.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Spell out what everyone's contribution should be if coordinating a new activity with friends today. It will prove the best way to avoid hard feelings.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Other people's selfish thinking could prove a stumbling block today. You aren't likely to find anyone willing to cooperate without offer-

ing substantial rewards.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Prepare to make prompt adjustments in your plans today if they don't work out as you anticipated. Responding to early signals could cut your losses.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Avoid exposing your ideas to an individual today who has previously picked your concepts apart. For a fair evaluation, seek someone without an ax to grind.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Be extremely careful delegating authority today. Do not bring someone in as a decision maker if you know from experience that his/her judgment is questionable.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) It could prove counterproductive today to let an old grudge influence the way you behave. The past is the past, and you'd be better off erasing the slate.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Resist the temptation to go deeper into debt today if you have a choice between buying something new or paying off an old obligation.

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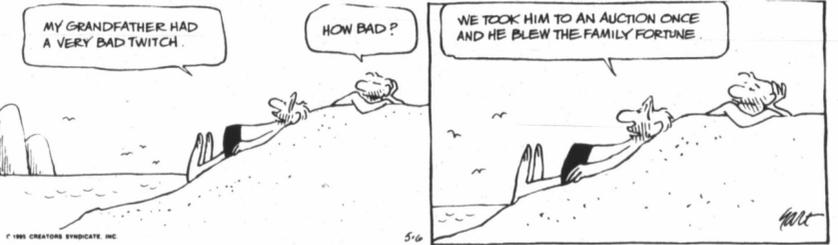
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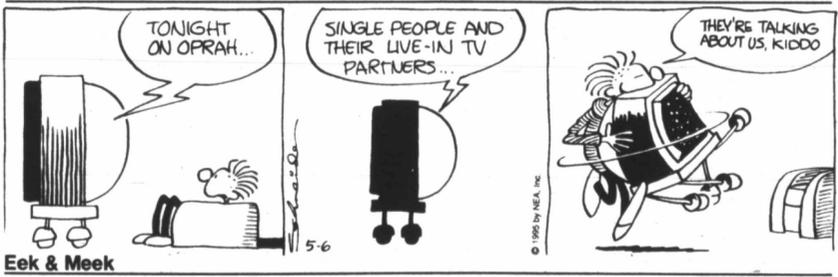
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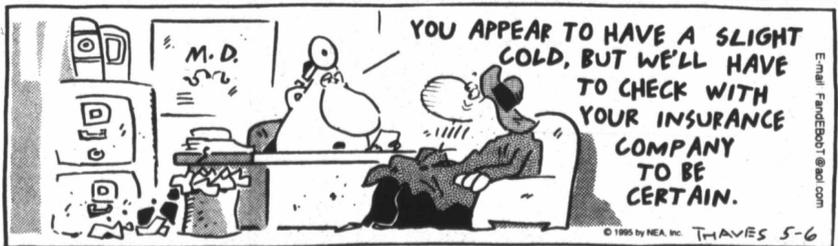
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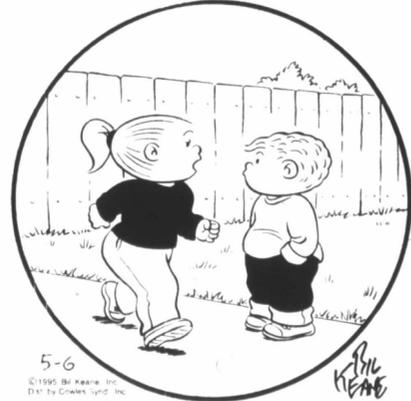
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"Nina's cat died, so it's God's cat now."



"Is this your idea of a shortcut?"

The Family Circus

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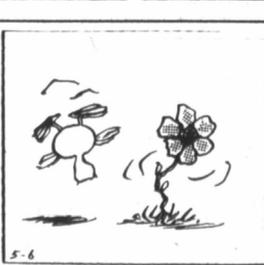
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Business

Pampa Lawnmower seeks Lauson/Tecumseh engines

Pampa Lawnmower of Pampa is participating in "Engine Hunt Tecumseh," a national search now through June 15 for the earliest made Lauson/Tecumseh engine.

During the first half of this century, many farmers in North America relied on engines manufactured in New Holstein, Wis., by the John Lauson Manufacturing Co. to power farm equipment and implements. Known respectfully as "The Lauson" on most farms, the most notable line of engines produced by the company was the "Frost King." Farmers favored it because they could count on their Frost Kings to start on cold mornings, and the small gasoline engines were very portable.

In 1956, the Wisconsin engine maker was purchased by Tecumseh Products Co. While the brand name changed from Lauson to Tecumseh, the tradition of quality and reliability continues to this day. The outdoor equipment industry relies on engines made by Tecumseh to power lawn mowers, shredders, snow blowers and other portable power equipment.

Pampa Lawnmower is looking for the ear-

liest made, and still operating, Lauson/Tecumseh engine to help Tecumseh celebrate 100 years of making high quality engines.

Dubbed "Engine Hunt," the North American search is part of Tecumseh's "A Century of Customer Commitment" celebration, a year-long event that commemorates 100 years of manufacturing engines in Wisconsin.

The hunt was devised to help the Tecumseh Engine and Transmission Group, which is based in Grafton, Wis., mark the centennial anniversary of its facility in New Holstein, Wis. The plant, which manufactures four-cycle gasoline engines for the power equipment industry today, got its start in 1895 as the John Lauson Manufacturing Company.

Tecumseh divided its U.S. and Canadian sales territories into four regions for the hunt; three regions are in the United States and one region includes all of Canada. According to the rules, there will be two winners per region.

"Any vintage engine manufactured by

Lauson/Tecumseh is eligible for our historical hunt providing it still runs," Kerry Wright, Pampa Lawnmower owner, emphasizes.

According to the contest's rules, winners will be selected based on the manufacturer's serial number, which verifies the place and year an engine was made. A photograph of the engine working must accompany all dealer entries to Tecumseh. Only engines that are privately owned are eligible, which means engines owned by museums and historical societies, associations or groups do not qualify.

Some of the oldest engines that are found during this North American search will be on display at the Tecumseh booth exhibit during the International Lawn, Garden and Power Equipment Expo '95 Show in Louisville, Ky., July 30 through Aug. 1 this year.

For more information about "Engine Hunt Tecumseh," owners of vintage Lauson, Frost King or other Tecumseh-made engines that might qualify for the contest, contact Kerry Wright, Pampa Lawnmower Repair, 501 S. Cuyler, Pampa, TX 79065, phone 665-8843.

Minding your own Business

By Don Taylor



Making those decisions

I doubt that any criminal serving life without parole started his or her career with that objective in mind. Nor, do I believe any drug addict consciously decided to become a whimpering derelict when faced with a day without drugs. And, I'd guess that not even the most chronic alcoholic ever intended to end up in the gutter.

There are those in our country who sadly wag their heads in pity as they view those they think are unfortunate. They call our criminals, addicts and derelicts "victims of society." These "victims" they say, have been cast aside by our country. They've had no chance for success and need government help to reconstruct their lives.

I agree with the "victims" part. They are indeed victims. However, it is not the fault of our country or society. They are victims of the decisions they have made. Perhaps, they did not know that all decisions carry consequences along with them.

There has never been a life-without-parole criminal who didn't make some wrong decisions. Nor has there ever been a drug addict who believed that having a little fun or getting a little high would lead to personal destruction. No alcoholic ever became one without taking that first drink. We are all victims of our decisions.

The good news is, that as bad decisions have had consequences, good decisions carry positive consequences. And, as certainly as a life of crime will lead you to prison or death row, good decisions will lead you to success.

Most of us make bad decisions. Usually, we get another chance. However, there are those unfortunate few who take one wrong turn and never have a second chance.

Tommy (not his real name) was one of the unfortunate ones. When he turned 16 he had two goals: To get his driver's license, and to get drunk. He accomplished both, three days after his 16th birthday.

Tommy almost got lucky. He nearly beat the train. Just a half second more and he would have cleared the crossing. The community mourned Tommy's death. The citizens also mourned the deaths of the other three teenagers Tommy took to the grave with him. Tommy's decisions carried eternal consequences.

Making the right choice
For most of us - the lucky ones - decision making is a continuing, life-long process. Seldom does any one decision ruin our lives or guarantee our future successes. Usually, we influence our destinies one day at a time by our day-to-day decisions.

Here are four quick tips for making the right decisions. First, remember even seemingly unimportant decisions often lead to critical consequences. A small decision to put off working on a project, or spending an evening in front of the TV can lead to procrastination and lethargy. Soon it becomes a time consuming habit.

Second, realize that quick decisions can often lead to undesirable results. For example, a hasty purchase often leads to regrets, and has on-going financial consequences, too. There is an old adage that says, "Decide in haste, repent in leisure." Take time to consider all decisions carefully.

Third, ask yourself if the decision is fair to everyone. Most of the decisions we make do impact the lives of those around us. Consider the fairness and courtesy issues before you choose a course of action.

Finally, keep your goals in mind when you make decisions. Ask yourself whether this decision is in your best interest in the long term. Too often we make feel-good-now decisions that may cost us dearly later. Stay focused on the most important elements of your life and your decisions will be consistent with your goals and value system.

Spotted owl may be good and bad for East Texas lumber

LONGVIEW (AP) - East Texas foresters can thank the spotted owl for an increased demand in the region's lumber.

Tree harvests in Northwest national forests were ended because the big-eyed, bird of prey is endangered. That has created a tremendous demand for Texas trees.

So much of a demand, officials worry that East Texas forests may not be able to keep up with such an increase.

Bruce Miles, director of the Texas Forest Service, said the price of timber in East Texas has been driven to historic highs. And not only are Texas' own mills expanding, but other mills are wanting to come in, he said.

Miles noted new or planned timber-processing plants in Carthage, Jefferson, Jasper and Troup, as well as a methanol plant in Shreveport with its own wood chip plant.

Whereas Oregon and Washington once supplied much of the foreign demand for timber, those trade routes are moving to ports in Houston and Beaumont while many West Coast plants are closing and heading east.

Texas Forestry Association Executive Vice President Ron Hufford said forestry directly employs about 61,000.

Texas is harvesting at about 110 percent of its annual growth, Miles told the Longview News-Journal, but it's only planting

about one-third of what is needed to meet the demand.

The problem is worse in other Southern states such as Alabama and Louisiana, where harvests have reached as much as 130 percent of annual growth.

Between 50 and 80 percent of the forests in West Coast states are government-owned and thus subject to rules protecting the owl and other endangered species.

But the red-cockaded woodpecker, a protected endangered species, is found in East Texas forests. The rare bird, which prefers a native ecosystem of longleaf pines, has been the subject of previous battles between environmental groups and landowners.

Only 7 percent of Texas forests

are government-owned, while 32 percent are owned by corporations and another 61 percent are owned by families, individuals and partnerships.

Gregg County Agricultural Extension Agent Rex Youngblood said forestry is the fastest growing agricultural industry in the county, noting a 50 percent increase in timber prices in the last 18 months.

Youngblood said the time for planting trees in East Texas has never been better. But he admitted that the state is planting only 50 percent of the necessary trees.

Miles said a program voluntarily funded by timber processors will pay up to half the cost of planting trees for harvest.

More than half of Americans worry about making ends meet

POUGHKEEPSIE, N.Y. (AP) - Twenty percent of Americans always worry about making ends meet and 35 percent say they sometimes worry, according to a poll reported last week.

That 55 percent would translate into 52 million American households with concerns about getting by, said Lee Miringoff, head of the Marist College Institute for Public Opinion.

"This all adds up to a lot of

Americans juggling to make ends meet," Miringoff said.

Of the remainder of the 1,025 adults surveyed nationwide by Marist, 25 percent said they seldom worry about having enough family income to pay the bills and 20 percent said they never worry about it.

It was the first poll on the issue by Marist, Miringoff said. A June 1990 poll by the Gallup Organization found 46 percent of

respondents worried about their ability to meet all of their financial responsibilities. That poll covered 1,058 households in a random sample and an additional 600 with incomes of at least \$50,000.

In the new poll, 36 percent said they always or sometimes had difficulty paying for housing

costs during the past year. Thirty-one percent said they had trouble with medical bills, 27 percent said buying clothes was a problem, and 17 percent cited food costs.

In all, 41 percent of those questioned said they had difficulty affording at least one of the basic necessities in the past year.

SBA offering disaster loans

LUBBOCK - Businesses in some Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas counties have until May 23, 1995 to file applications for low-interest disaster loans from the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA).

The SBA's Economic Injury Disaster Loans are available for businesses dependent on farmers and ranchers sustaining crop losses from a lack of moisture and other weather-related problems which occurred during the 1994 crop small grain growing season. Farmers and ranchers are not eligible for these SBA loans. However, nurseries that are victims of drought disasters can apply.

Businesses in the following

counties are eligible to apply: Childress, Collingsworth, Hansford, Hardeman, Hemphill, Lipscomb, Ochiltree, Sherman and Wheeler.

Applications and further information can be obtained by calling the SBA toll-free at 1-800-366-6303 or TDD 817-267-4688 for the hearing impaired.

These loans are intended to assist businesses in offsetting working capital losses which they suffered as a result of the lack of moisture and other weather-related problems reducing the crop income of the area farmers and ranchers.

Small businesses claiming to have been physically injured by the weather are not eligible.

API to host scholarship golf tourney

The Panhandle Chapter of the American Petroleum Institute (API) will hold its 43rd Annual Scholarship Golf Tournament at the Pampa Country Club on Saturday, May 13.

Proceeds from entry fees and donations are used to award scholarships to area students. In 1994, API scholarship

awards totaled \$12,000. API tournament officials said they want to thank those who have entered the tournament or have made donations.

Anyone interested in donating to the scholarship fund may send the donation to the American Petroleum Institute, Panhandle Chapter, P.O. Box 1900, Pampa, TX 79066.

Michael Robertson gains high score in TxDOT Rodeo event

Michael Robertson, maintenance technician for the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) Maintenance Office in Pampa, drove away with the highest points at the local Truck Rodeo held in April.

Robertson will go on to represent Pampa at the District Rodeo to be held May 11 in Amarillo.

TxDOT sponsors the Truck Rodeo annually to recognize the skills of TxDOT truck drivers and to showcase the pride they have in the safe operation and maintenance of TxDOT equipment.

Drivers are scored on two dif-

ferent tests. First, they are tested on how well they can spot safety defects on equipment. Then, they drive through an obstacle course designed to simulate truck maneuvers encountered during a normal workday.

Robertson scored the most combined points in Pampa's competition.

Robertson will be recognized during the Amarillo District Safety Awards Banquet May 18 in Canyon. He has worked with TxDOT for 10 years. He graduated from high school in Mulberry Grove, Ill. Robertson raises and trains bird dogs in his spare time.

Chamber Communique

Welcome new member: DAVID A. McDANIEL, David A. McDaniels & Associates, Insurance Sales, 1613 N. Hobart.

During the first four months of 1995, your Chamber mailed 81 community packets to persons calling from out of town requesting information on Pampa in addition to handing out 48 packets to those visiting the office inquiring about Pampa. Additionally, 42 requests for specific information were also mailed.

Your Chamber is working for Pampa and for you!

If your club or organization is planning a community event, contact the Chamber (669-3241). The community Calendar of Events will help you avoid a conflict in your planning schedule as

well as include the event on the Community Calendar published weekly in *The Pampa News* and posted on the City of Pampa's Access Channel.

The Chamber Retail Committee, chaired by Rick Hall, is co-sponsoring the "Pampa Partnership Gold Tournament" (May 20-21) with Mickey Piersall, Pampa Country Club, and David Teichman, Hidden Hills Golf Course. Fifty dollar T-Box and Green signs are being sold and can be ordered by calling the Chamber.

Meetings:
Monday - Gold Coats Meeting
- Noon - Chamber Office
"Celebration of Lights" - M.K. Brown Auditorium - 7 p.m.
Tuesday - Chamber Executive Committee Meeting - 11:30 a.m.

THE RELEVANT WORD OF GOD

Webster defines "relevant" as: "bearing upon, or applying to, the case in hand; pertinent." The writer of Proverbs wrote: "There is a way which seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof are the ways of death." (Prov. 14:12.) Many times we are made to see that truly the decisions of men, though seemingly at the time, are the best, turn out to be the wrong decisions. In studying God's word, the Bible, we find that His direction for man is always the best (Isa. 55:8-9.)

Some suggest that times have changed to the extent that the teachings of the Bible are no longer relevant. Such suggestions indicate that either man has so progressed and advanced that God's direction is no longer needed, or, things are so bad that not even God can lead man out of turmoil.

In examining world situations, we find that, basically, things have not changed. Man still cannot see into the future so as to always make the right decisions for himself (cf. Jer. 10:23.) Also, we all have the same concerns about our health, food, clothing, shelter, etc., that man has always had. And, isn't it still true that, "where thy treasure is,

there will thy heart be also" (Matt 6:21)? Mankind has always had problems arising from sin and always will have. Indeed, man had no problems until he sinned and he has had all kinds of problems every since.

God's standard of morality, if followed, would indeed solve a number of man's problems, world-wide. Paul wrote the Galatians: "But I say, Walk by the Spirit, and ye shall not fulfill the lusts of the flesh." (Gal. 5:16.) So, if all walked by the direction of God's word, all immorality would be eliminated. And, if all men followed the "golden rule" Jesus gave in Matthew 7:12, all conflicts, wars, etc., would also be eliminated. Most likely, neither of these rules will be followed by all, but they are certainly worthy goals.

What the world needs is not just God's word to follow, but people with the understanding and knowledge of it plus the determination to follow God's direction. All of mankind needs to hear, believe and obey the gospel of Christ to have the direction from God that leads to heaven. (Jn. 5:25; Mk. 16:16; Heb. 5:9.)

-Billy T. Jones

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Letters to the editor

Thanks for helping

To the editor:
After recently losing my grandfather, W. B. McMillion, I realized all the wonderful people who made his last few months very special. So often, only the negative is talked about, and I have so many positive things to share. My grandfather was a sweet and caring man who will be missed by so many.

He was a resident of the Schneider House. The staff and residents were so wonderful to him. Due to his illness he rarely left his apartment, but never did a day go by that someone did not stop in to check on him or to just visit.

A very special thank you to Ann Hulsey, with Outreach Health Services, who went above and beyond her duties in caring for him. Grandpa thought the world of her and we can never say thank you enough for her special ways.

After being hospitalized for three weeks before his death, he was treated wonderfully by the hospital staff. Dr. William Bowles cared for him and treated him as though he was his only patient. But we knew he wasn't as we saw him going in and out of rooms all hours of the day and night. He was not only Grandpa's doctor, he was his friend. Grandpa trusted him and thought he had hung the moon. Dr. Bowles went out of his way to make sure the family was comfortable with his treatment and was always available to answer any questions we had. Pampa is so very fortunate to have him as a part of our medical care.

The nurses were very compassionate and were so sweet and caring to Grandpa. They were not only there for him, but for us as well. They seemed to know when to be there and when someone needed a warm hug. A very special thank you to Marie Young and Ella Dunn. It's so nice to see nurse's loving what they do!

Many of Grandpa's family came from out of town. Thank you to Craig and Kim Jones of Northgate Inn for your special accommodations. It was very appreciated by all family members. It will never be forgotten.

Our hats off to the Pampa Harvester baseball team. As the funeral procession passed your field, you showed respect by stopping the game and pulling off your hats! It was an honor to my Grandpa as well as to the family to pass your field.

Thank you to all our friends who sent food, flowers, cards or said a sweet prayer. We appreciated everything you have done.

In closing, I would like to say, Grandpa was so fortunate to be surrounded by such wonderful and caring people. Thank you for making his last days so special.

Lisa Carroll
Pampa

Proud of college

To the editor:
I don't know if the people of Pampa realize how important Clarendon College-Pampa Center is to our community.

I am married and my husband and I have a young child. An education seemed out of reach

for me upon my high school graduation. The cost of going to college is so expensive. I tried to get a job several times before starting college, but no one would hire me because I had little experience and only a high school diploma. I had always known that Clarendon College-PC was here, but I didn't think that I could afford to go to school.

I learned through a friend of the Secretarial Science program at CC-PC. The financial aid director for Clarendon College helped me to get a grant that covered my entire tuition and part of my books for each semester. I enrolled last fall and I am now going to graduate May 10 with a certificate in Secretarial Science. After nine months of training in the secretarial field, I have been hired immediately upon graduation when before I could not even get an interview! I only have five classes left and I can then receive my associate degree from Clarendon College-PC. I will complete those five courses in night school. I have received a very good start on my education right here in Pampa!

Having a community college in our home town affords an excellent opportunity for all of us in Pampa. I never had to drive out of town, my daughter is taken care of at a daycare center I knew had a good reputation, and I was able to afford the education I needed. If I had to go to West Texas A&M every day, it would have taken me two years instead of nine months, and with the cost of gas and the higher cost of a four-year college, I probably would not have been able to finish.

Please donate what you can to our new building! I'm so proud of this school and what it has done for me and many others. Let's boost Pampa's economy and give surrounding towns something to come to our city for!

Angel Grant
Pampa

What about safety?

To the editor:

To Whom It May Concern:
As a citizen of Pampa, first let me say I am delighted that Duncan Street is being redone and applaud the city officials for initiating this improvement. However, I am very concerned for the safety of the homeowners on Duncan Street.

Prior to beginning the construction on Duncan, flyers were brought to our doors stating that we would be without access to our driveways for 3 to 6 days. It has now been almost three weeks. This, however, is not my greatest concern as it is only an inconvenience. What most concerns me is that the homes on Duncan Street where the construction is being done are unable to receive emergency services, such as fire department, ambulance services and police.

These services cannot get down the street from 23rd Street north and the alleys are blocked by parked cars. For the elderly homeowners, the alley parking is necessary. Why couldn't Duncan Street be done as Hobart Street was done, one side at a time which would only make access two lanes away from our homes. That job was done with the least amount of inconvenience and quickly, which

was quite an accomplishment for such a busy street.

Maybe the contractor doing Duncan Street, E.D. Baker of Borger, should have taken a lesson from the Hobart crew, Givins & Terrell.

Concerned Citizen,
Bonnie L. Marable
Pampa

A police state?

To the editor:

In regard to the Oklahoma City bombing, I've watched TV and read articles in papers about why anyone would do this evil act. The general reason everyone seems to believe appears to be the following:

1. The militants all over the country are against the government because of civil rights abuse,
2. Taxes that are too high and excessive government expenditures,
3. The fear of losing their guns.

I don't want anyone to think I agree with what was done. They should be caught and suffer the full extent of the law but the government is guilty of all of the above, plus:

1. Game wardens can search your house without your approval,
2. Drug enforcement officers put on flack jackets and kick in doors and do illegal body searches,
3. The I.R.S. harasses people who are finally cleared after going broke defending themselves,
4. A.T.F. agents kill in the name of the law, as in Idaho where a woman and child were shot and killed standing in a doorway.

Waco is another example. These incidents were caused by supposedly illegal gun activity. I suppose these people were guilty of breaking the law. However, violence was the end result and violence begets violence. As I was taught while growing up, we reap what we sow.

I understand up to half the households in the U.S. have some type of firearms, yet our government is trying to make it illegal to own guns, in spite of the Constitutional amendment which gives us that right.

I also read that 20 million or so people use illegal drugs, yet we are spending billions trying to prohibit drugs, kicking in doors, putting people in jail. Every time a big drug haul is found, we hire more lawmen, buy more flack jackets, and build more prisons - and the price of drugs goes up and more people want to become sellers. You would have thought we learned something in the '20s with alcohol and the failure of prohibition.

We are fast becoming a police state. As long as we pass laws that punish a large segment of our population and commit violence to enforce those laws, we will always have a reaction against them.

Calvin Lacy
Pampa

Let inmates work

To the editor:

In response to the letter "Still too much risk," in the Sunday, April 23 issue, we strongly dis-

agree. We feel that the Convict Work Program is a great idea.

We are extremely satisfied with the work that the trustees have done around my neighborhood. They have done a lot of hard work helping us with jobs that no one else would do for us. We personally are quite pleased with the quality of the work which they have done for us.

The trustees were very polite and willing to work. My five-year-old granddaughter even became friends with one trusty, while we were working outside. He was a very kind gentleman and offered her his coat to sit on so she wouldn't have to sit on the ground.

The Convict Work Program will help the community in many ways. The trustees do the work that no one else in Pampa will do. If the citizens of Pampa will not do the work, then some one else has to.

We feel that the Convict Work Program is the perfect way to get the job done.

We would like to thank the trustees, warden and the guards for all their hard work that they have done so far. Keep up the good work.

Leroy and Alice Hilbern
Lloyd Hilbern
Eva Posey
Stephie Dinges (granddaughter)
Debbie Shomaker
Debbie Dinges
Pampa

P.S. You should go by the prison to look at all the flowers and plants that several of us have donated to the prison.

Make a difference

To the editor:

Citizens of Pampa:
It's time to speak up and take a stand! The future of Pampa is in your hands! People say our economy has been going downhill for years; we now have an opportunity to change that!

The citizens of Pampa have a chance to make a difference in their children's future. Our community needs your help to build a new college in Pampa. The college can be built with donated funds from you, the citizens of Pampa, and surrounding towns.

There will be no raising taxes, no bond issues, etc. But if every household in Pampa would donate 25 dollars a month for four months, the goal would be met!

I am a graduate of the Secretarial Science class of 1995, and I want others to have the opportunity that I have had. We have spent nine months sitting side-by-side learning and helping ourselves and others to improve. This opportunity would not have been afforded me had Clarendon College-Pampa Center not been in Pampa.

What could be more promising for the future of Pampa than to have students coming from all around to attend college in Pampa? Support Clarendon College-Pampa Center. If everyone donates a small share, the goal will be met!

Valorey Foreman
Pampa

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Entertainment

A woman's tale: K Callan — actress, writer and mom

By SCOTT WILLIAMS
AP Television Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — The year was 1968 and K Callan was a freshly minted divorcee arriving in Manhattan determined to make her fortune as an actress.

Today, Callan is a successful actress, playing Clark Kent's mom on ABC's *Lois & Clark*. She's a successful writer as well, and her odyssey is a remarkable mirror of our times.

"I gave up acting when I got married. It was never spoken of, but it was understood that I wouldn't act," said Callan, called Kay since a child, who dropped the "ay" at 21.

"You couldn't make money being an actor in Texas, and the only appropriate reason for working, as a Catholic wife and mother, was to make money to help the family," she said.

She kept busy in children's and community theater, but found herself questioning the tenets of her upbringing. "In 1964, ... I was going through my sixth pregnancy in three years," she said. "I'd had three miscarriages and I was beginning to wonder, 'Why are we living like this?'"

"I was beginning to have a thought of my own that was not my father's, not my husband's, not my church's.

"When I got divorced it was, 'Well, am I going to stay in Norman, Okla., where my husband was getting a Ph.D., or am I going to go back to Dallas?'"

Instead, she went to Manhattan. Her search for housing was "the lowest point of my life. It was cold. It was during the garbage strike and I would come out, and I would look, and the tears would come out of my eyes."

She and her three kids found middle-income housing on the Lower East Side and she searched the neighborhood for schools.

Finding work was another story. "I treated it like a 9 to 5 job. Once my kids were in school, I was on the street," she said.

"I wouldn't let myself eat lunch until I'd called on one legit agent. Sometimes it would be 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and I'd be walking up and down out in front of somebody's office and trying to make myself go do it," she said. "And sometimes I didn't eat lunch."



K Callan plays Clark Kent's mother on 'Lois & Clark.'

That first year, she made \$6,000. The next year, \$7,000. The next, \$20,000, and she was cast in the movie *Joe*. Her performance opposite Peter Boyle established her as an actress.

She moved her family to Los Angeles in 1976, working in episodic television and doing two or three films a year.

"And then the year that I hit 40, it was like someone had taken an ad in the trades: 'K is 40? No more movies!' I didn't make a movie for 10 years," she said.

"You become the 'unusable aged.' Physically, you may be the mother of a college kid, but you don't look it. And you don't look like the mother of really young kids, and you're not the grandmother yet, either.

"When I became 50, I started making movies again," she said. "So it ebbs and flows." Nowadays, Callan allows that she is in her "mid-50s."

In 1986, she began her writing career because of a falling out with

her agent. She decided to find a new one, and her research grew into her first book, the self-published *An Actor's Workbook*.

That led to *The New York Agent Book*, which led to *The Los Angeles Agent Book*. Then her distributor asked her to create a book that would sell worldwide, and *How to Sell Yourself as an Actor* was the result, followed by *The Script Is Finished, Now What Do I Do?*

Her latest book seems inevitable: *Directing Your Directing Career*. All of her books have been hugely successful in the industry.

"I never intended that I would write all these books, but ... it has given me such an overview!" she said. "Now, I just wish I were 20 and starting all over with a bigger dream, to be more than just an actor.

"Yes, to be an actor, but to do what I tell my readers all the time: To do everything."

Eric Stoltz: Mellow amid the madness

By RIC LEYVA
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Eric Stoltz has priorities: washing machine yes, TV no.

The mellow actor has gotten along "just fine, thank you" without a television since 1979.

"It doesn't take much will power when there's no set to turn on," he says.

The redhead who first made a name for himself in *Mask* has appeared in no less than six films over the past year, most recently in the Scottish epic *Rob Roy*. A handful more are on the way.

At the invitation of close friend Helen Hunt, he's also shot three guest appearances for NBC's *Mad About You*.

So it's not surprising that Stoltz, now working on the movie *Grace of My Heart*, is dreaming of days off.

He pines away for the less hurried lifestyle of acting on stage, which allows him precious time for the finer things in life like washing his own dirty clothes.

"You have your whole day free to eat, see your friends or do your laundry," the Broadway veteran says. "It's a lazy man's heaven."

A movie star fluffing and folding?

"Why not?" he says. "I call up my sisters for help with laundry problems."

"I don't really care that much



Eric Stoltz

how I'm perceived," he says.

"I'm stuck with this hair," he whines, blaming the cut on the movie role he's doing. "Sposed to be sort of a beatnik thing."

At age 33, the hard-working actor has hit full stride.

In 1982, he debuted in *Fast Times at Ridgemont High*. *Mask* followed in 1985. By 1990, he'd appeared in more than a dozen films, including *Some Kind of Wonderful*, *Say Anything*, *The Haunted Summer* and *Memphis Belle*.

In 1992, he made *The Waterdance*, a critically acclaimed portrayal of a man faced with life in a wheelchair. He produced and starred in *Bodies, Rest & Motion* the following year.

He recently produced *Sleep With Me*, and before *Rob Roy*, appeared in *Naked in New York*, *Killing Zoe*, *Little Women* and *Pulp Fiction*.

Stoltz plays an angel in *God's Army*, due out in August. He's also in the upcoming family fantasy, *Fluke*, a mystery called *Blow* and Noah Baumbach's *Kicking and Screaming*.

"I can name them all," he says. "I'm not one of those guys who has forgotten his lovers' names."

Stoltz has played an airman, a drug dealer, a Victorian-era tutor, a romantic poet, a safecracker, a housepainter, a troubled newlywed, a happy-go-lucky teen and a heroin-pumped murderer.

"I remember, growing up, my grandfather telling me stories of how he survived in The Depression," Stoltz says. "And he had 12 different jobs: He was a railroad engineer and a teacher, a construction foreman, a locksmith, a farmer."

"I remember being fascinated by that eclectic, varied lifestyle and I think it made a profound impression on me. It instilled a need to experience different lives."

"I operate in a very odd way," he says. "I don't feel like I have a key, or a plan or even an idea of what I'm doing, or how to pursue a career."

"My game plan is a lack of a game plan. It seems chaotic."

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Drilling Intentions

Intentions to Drill
 GRAY (PANHANDLE) Myriad Resources Corp., #14 Wright 'B' (160 ac) 2310' from North & 1980' from East line, Sec. 13,3,1&GN, 2 mi NW from Lefors, PD 3200' (Box 420, Pampa, TX 79066)

GRAY (PANHANDLE) Texaco E & P, Inc., #14 J.E. Wright (160 ac) 2039' from South & 1695' from East line, Sec. 13,3,1&GN, 1.5 mi NW from Lefors, PD 3250' (Box 2700, Pampa, TX 79066)

LIPSCOMB (WILDCAT & MORGAN) Chester Enron Oil & Gas Co., #3 Kathryn '112' (196 ac) 467' from North & 310' from East line, Sec. 112,OS-2,John Wortham, 9.5 mi SE from Booker, PD 9850' (20 North Broadway, Suite 830, Okla. City, OK 73102) Rule 37

ROBERTS (HANSFORD Lower Morrow) Amoco Production Co., #47 Lips Ranch B Unit 13 (640 ac) 1421' from North & 1242' from West line, Sec. 51,R,AB&M, 33 mi NW from Miami, PD 8850' (Box 800, Denver, CO 80201)

ROBERTS (HANSFORD Lower Morrow & WEST LIPS Cleveland) Amoco Production Co., #50 Lips Ranch B Unit 5 (640 ac) 2039' from South & 765' from West line, Sec. 167,C,G&M, 32.5 mi NW from Miami, PD 8900'

ROBERTS (HANSFORD Lower Morrow & WEST LIPS Cleveland) Amoco Production Co., #52 Lips Ranch B Unit 4 (640 ac) 2380' from South & 1250' from West line, Sec. 32,A,H&GN, 33 mi NW from Miami, PD 8800'

Application to Plug-Back
 LIPSCOMB (KIOWA CREEK Cleveland) Samson Hydrocarbon, #2X Paine Brothers (640 ac) 467' from South & West line, Sec. 906,43,H&TC, 8 mi south from Booker, PD 9261' (Two West Second, Tulsa, OK 74103)

Application to Re-Enter
 ROBERTS (WILDCAT) Quesia Energy Corp., #JA Temple (640 ac) 2180' from North & 467' from West line, Sec. 31,B-1,H&GN, 7 mi NE from Miami, PD 11308' (Box 19297, Amarillo, TX 79114)

Amended Intentions to Drill
 HANSFORD (HANSFORD Upper Morrow) Crescent Exploration, Inc., #2 Hansford Gas Unit #19 (640 ac) 1250' from South & 1350' from East line, Sec. 94,4,T&NO, 2.5 mi SW from Spearman, PD 8100' (5600 North May Ave., Suite 330, Okla. City, OK 73112) Amended to change Operator Name from Ranken Energy Corp.

WHEELER (PANHANDLE) Texaco E & P, Inc., #28 P.M. Keller (160 ac) 1329' from North & 330' from West line, Sec. 48,24,H&GN, 14 mi SW from Wheeler, PD 3250'. Amended to change Well Location. Rule 37

Amended Application to Plug-Back
 GRAY (EAST PANHANDLE) Texaco E & P, Inc., #3 B.H. Love

NCT-1 (160 ac) 990' from South & 1090' from East line, Sec. 27,25,H&GN, 7 mi NW from McLean, PD 2808'. Amended to change Field Name from West Panhandle

Oil Well Completions
 GRAY (PANHANDLE) Texaco E & P, Inc., #77 J.E. Williams, Sec. 6,1,ACH&B, elev. 2844 kb, spud 3-17-95, drlg. compl 3-22-95, tested 4-20-95, pumped 15 bbl. of 39.2 grav. oil + 2 bbls. water, GOR 820, perforated 2760-3000, TD 3000'

GRAY (PANHANDLE) Texaco E & P, Inc., #78 J.E. Williams, Sec. 7,1,ACH&B, elev. 2759 kb, spud 4-2-95, drlg. compl 4-7-95, tested 4-25-95, pumped 21 bbl. of 41.9 grav. oil + no water, GOR 333, perforated 2620-2960, TD 2960'

GRAY (PANHANDLE) Texaco E & P, Inc., #79 J.E. Williams, Sec. 7,1,ACH&B, elev. 2800 kb, spud 3-24-95, drlg. compl 3-30-95, tested 4-25-95, pumped 9 bbl. of 41.9 grav. oil + 41 bbls. water, GOR 222, perforated 2720-3010, TD 3010'

GRAY (PANHANDLE) Texaco E & P, Inc., #13 J.E. Wright, Sec. 13,3,1&GN, elev. 2854 kb, spud 3-25-95, drlg. compl 3-31-95, tested 4-17-95, pumped 65 bbl. of 42.1 grav. oil + no water, GOR 15, perforated 2750-3050, TD 3050'

MOORE (PANHANDLE) Sandra Arkoma, #7 Homer, Sec. 392,44,H&TC, elev. 3658 gr, spud 2-27-95, drlg. compl 3-5-95, tested 4-20-95, pumped 24 bbl. of 38 grav. oil + 133 bbls. water, GOR 500, perforated 3592-3656, TD 3908', PBDT 3675'

Gas Well Completions
 CARSON (WEST PANHANDLE) Mesa Operating Co., #B-7 Bivins, Sec. 15,Y-2,TTRR, elev. 3213 gr, spud 12-20-94, drlg. compl 1-9-95, tested 4-17-95, potential 1215 MCF, rock pressure 13.7, pay 1925-2913, TD 2913'

HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Midgard Energy Co., #13 J.T. Brown, et al 'D', Sec. 223,C,G&MMB&A, elev. 2491 kb, spud 2-13-95, drlg. compl 3-19-95, tested 4-17-95, potential 8800 MCF, rock pressure 2530, pay 10276-10297, TD 10780', PBDT 10750'

OCHILTREE (ELLIS RANCH Cleveland) Midgard Energy Co., #3 Morris 'B', Sec. 761,43,H&TC, elev. 2751 kb, spud 3-15-95, drlg. compl 3-29-95, tested 4-11-95, potential 4600 MCF, rock pressure 1592, pay 7144-7256, TD 7700', PBDT 7607'

Plugged Wells
 GRAY (PANHANDLE) Oilwell Operators, Inc., Melton, Sec. 95,B-2,H&GN (oil) — for the following wells:
 #2, spud 1-2-64, plugged 4-7-95, TD 3175' — Form 1 filed in Cree Oil, Inc.
 #3, spud 7-27-64, plugged 4-13-95, TD 3244'

GRAY (WEST PANHANDLE) Caldwell Production Co., Inc., #1 Hollenbeck, Sec. 176,3,1&GN, spud unknown, plugged 4-15-95, TD 2780' (gas) —
 GRAY (WEST PANHANDLE) Conoco, Inc., #1 Hexter, Sec. 215,B-2,H&GN, spud 6-20-28, plugged 3-13-95, TD 3356' (gas) — Form 1 filed in Empire Gas & Fuel Co.
 GRAY (WEST PANHANDLE) Natural Gas Pipeline Co., #T-1 Purvis, Sec. 151,B-2,H&GN, spud 10-14-31, plugged 3-27-95, TD 2607' (gas) — Form 1 filed in Texoma Natural Gas Co.
 GRAY (WEST PANHANDLE) Natural Gas Pipeline Co., #E-1 Yowell, Sec. 213,B-2,H&GN, spud 11-17-32, plugged 3-22-95, TD 2666' (gas) — Form 1 filed in Texoma Natural Gas Co.
 HANSFORD (SHAPLEY Upper Morrow) Mewbourne Oil Co., #1 Draper, Sec. 35,PH&GN, spud 12-29-86, plugged 3-20-95, TD 7080' (gas) —
 HANSFORD (SPEARMAN-PARK Cleveland) Vernon E. Faulconer, Inc., #2 Blodgett-Glover, Sec. 87,4-T,T&NO, spud unknown, plugged 4-12-95, TD 6399' (gas) —
 HEMPHILL (FELDMAN Douglas) Phillips Petroleum Co., #1 J. McQuiddy, Sec. 11,42,Blockey McKinney, spud 12-28-74, plugged 3-8-95, TD 7506' (gas) —
 HUTCHINSON (PANHANDLE) Cal-T Oil Co., Inc., #2 H.W. Carver, Blk. 4, Wm. Neil Survey, spud 10-25-45, plugged 4-19-95, TD 3298' (oil) — Form 1 filed in Continental Oil Co.
 HUTCHINSON (PANHANDLE) J. M. Huber Corp., #160 South Herring, Sec. 6,J,H&GN, spud 6-17-81, plugged 3-31-95, TD 3195' (oil) —
 LIPSCOMB (DUKE-MAY Tonkawa) H & K Plugging & Salvage, Stabel, Sec. 1167,43,H&TC (oil) Form 1 filed in TXO Production Corp., for the following wells:
 #2, spud 3-3-83, plugged 3-29-95, TD 6478' —
 #4, spud 3-24-83, plugged 3-24-95, TD 6460' —
 #5, spud 4-14-83, plugged 3-17-95, TD 6469' —
 #6, spud 6-2-83, plugged 3-21-95, TD 6444' —
 MOORE (PANHANDLE) Phillips Petroleum Co., #1 Sneed Ranch 'A', Matilda Robinson Survey, spud 4-4-90, plugged 3-28-95, TD 3362' (oil) —
 MOORE (PANHANDLE) Phillips Petroleum Co., #1 Sneed Ranch 'B', Sec. 65,3,G&M, spud 4-11-90, plugged 3-24-95, TD 3363' (oil) —
 OCHILTREE (WILDCAT) Questa Energy Corp., #17-3 Molesworth, Sec. 17,4-T,T&NO, spud 3-30-95, plugged 4-7-95, TD 5750' (dry) —
 OCHILTREE (TWIN Des Moines) Vernon E. Faulconer, Inc., #5 Bartlett, Sec. 21,4-T,T&NO, spud unknown, plugged 4-6-95, TD 6750' (oil) —

Well-traveled horse to be gift for child

By MAX B. BAKER
 Fort Worth Star-Telegram

VICI, Okla. (AP) — Ask many little girls what they want most of all, and they'll innocently say a pony. Hearing the request, their grandparents will laugh and roll their eyes and do the next best thing: buy a toy horse.

But not Walt Secrest. The 63-year-old cowboy from Crow Agency, Mont., is planning to give his 3-year-old granddaughter not only a horse, but also one that has walked 1,500 miles in what could be the nation's last great cattle drive.

Since the Great American Cattle Drive left Fort Worth in March for Miles City, Mont., a quarter horse named Brother has faithfully followed Secrest's chuck wagon. So far, 350 miles into the journey, Brother is the only horse to walk the entire way.

"She doesn't know it yet, but I think she'll be pretty excited" when the horse is delivered to her on Labor Day, Secrest said. "She's a little cowgirl, and she likes Grandpa pretty good ... She's my buddy."

About two dozen cowboys and 260 Texas longhorns are retracing the steps of the great cattle drives from Texas to Canada. From 1874 to 1893, an estimated 11 million head of cattle were driven north.

For the past three weeks, the Great American Cattle Drive has been moving through sparsely populated rural northwest Oklahoma. The next major stop is Dodge City, Kan., on May 5. The drive now is near Buffalo, Okla.

Recognizing that it might be the last herd of cattle to be driven from Texas to Montana, Secrest said, he wanted to give his granddaughter, Jimmie Lee Secrest, something to mark the event, and how he has spent most of his life.

"The cowboy is dying out fast, and it makes me sad because I've been a cowboy all of my life," Secrest lamented. "It is a once-in-a-lifetime chance for me. So I jumped at the chance."

Secrest was raised on the range. He lives on a 60,000-acre ranch in Montana near where

Gen. George Custer's troops were massacred in the Battle of the Little Bighorn. But he has worked on even bigger ranches in Montana and Australia.

Heavyset, with scraggly graying beard and mustache, Secrest is the oldest of the cowboys punching cattle during the drive. His skin is leathery and red from the wind and sun. His gray cowboy hat is stained by sweat.

Secrest is trying to recreate the experience of being part of a cattle drive. He leads the herd into the towns in his chuck wagon, where he sleeps. The wagon is drawn by his own shires, or draft horses.

When the drive camps near towns for more than one day, some of the other cowboys take the opportunity to sleep in motel rooms or quickly return home to see their families. Secrest stays in camp with the cows.

Sitting in a pickup cab on the coldest days, and going into a town now and then to wash his clothes, are his only concessions to modern creature comforts.

Letters to the editor

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Heroes here, too

To the editor:

As we follow the tragedy in Oklahoma City, we should be reminded of those heroes we have close to home that respond to emergencies on a daily basis. Everyone from the 911 operator to the police officers, fire department and EMT personnel make it their calling to perform best under very difficult, stressful situations.

One such individual worthy of honor is Mrs. Lynda Duncan. Lynda is the chapter director of the American Red Cross here in Pampa, and I'm sure she would be the first to pass any praise on to her staff of volunteers.

There is a tremendous amount of work to be done with the Red Cross on a routine basis as well, and Lynda is always looking for a few good men (and women)! If you are capable of performing general office work (filing, typing or computer, etc.) and have a few hours to contribute each week, please call Lynda at the Red Cross at 669-7121. Their hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. workdays.

Dan C. Powell, M.D.

Pampa

Where Jesus was

To the editor:

A coworker with a four-year old son at home, came to me in the aftermath of the Oklahoma City bombing and asked WHY? How could God allow such a thing and where was He?

I answered that God didn't do that terrible thing, that it was caused by Man and Satan, someone being horribly disillusioned. Bad things do indeed happen to good people, but I knew that God had things firmly under control and we could trust Him.

My friend went on his way and I knew that I had

helped a little, but his questions continued to bother me, I knew that there was more.

Last night while singing and thinking about His Eye on the sparrow, I suddenly knew exactly where Jesus was. In that terrible instant of the explosion, He was kneeling in that building with His arms stretched wide to all the children saying, "Come unto Me." He gathered them in and took them home to their Father. They are His children now.

Sid Robinson

Pampa

Policy on letters

The Pampa News welcomes and encourages readers to express their opinions on issues of public interest and concern. However, we also reserve the right to accept or reject any letter for publication.

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ALL letters must be signed for publication; no unsigned, name withheld or anonymous letters will be published. The writer must list an address and a telephone number or numbers where he or she may be contacted for verification; addresses and telephone numbers will not be printed, unless requested for a specific reason.

Poetry, candidate or political endorsements, letters to third parties and "thank you" letters will not be published except at the discretion of the editor, depending on general interest.

Letters may be dropped off at the office, 403 W. Atchison, or mailed to The Pampa News, Letters to the Editor, P.O. Box 2198, Pampa, TX 79066.

Gov. Bush appoints woman to lottery commissioner job

AUSTIN (AP) — Harriet Miers, a Dallas lawyer and former president of the Texas Bar Association, has been appointed to the Texas Lottery Commission.

Gov. George W. Bush named her to a six-year term on the commission that oversees the Texas Lottery and makes certain that the state lottery and bingo games are conducted fairly and legally.

Ms. Miers also is a former Dallas City Council member and served as general counsel of Bush's gubernatorial campaign. She headed the State Bar in 1992-93.

Hers was among several appointments announced by Bush last week. Others included:

— Jon Martin Bradley of Dallas, Maurine Dickey of Dallas and Catherine Clark Mosbacher of Houston to the Texas Board of Protective and Regulatory Services.

— Jerry Don Miller, dean of the West Texas A&M University business college, to the Guaranteed Student Loan Corporation board.

— Six people to the State Board of Medical Examiners: Penny Angelo of Midland, and Drs. William H. Fleming III of Houston, Margaret L. Ford of Houston, Thomas D. Kirksey of Austin, Paul G. Meyer of Lubbock and Vernon L. Ryan of San Angelo.

— Seven people to the Brazos River Authority board: Deborah H. Bell of Abilene, Lynn Elliot of College Station, C.J. "Jack" Farrar of Hico, Ramiro A. Galindo of Bryan, Linda Kay Lyle of Plainview, Ruth Schiermeyer of Lubbock and Judith Vernon of Ebbett.

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The Market Forecaster

By George Kleinman

WHEAT - (BULL)

Outlook: There are three varieties of wheat traded on the futures. Chicago wheat is the soft red winter variety, Kansas City represents hard winter, and Minneapolis is hard red spring. All three varieties will generally move in the same direction, but they do move at different speeds. Recently, the K.C. and Mpls. varieties have been moving up faster than Chicago. Why's that? Well, you've heard me talk about freeze damage to the winter crop, but the areas hit hardest grow the Kansas City variety. We're talking about southern Kansas and portions of Oklahoma and Texas. The Minneapolis wheat farmers are having problems of their own. It's planting time, and the ground is wet causing delays which could ultimately affect acreage and yields. It's also been unseasonably cool in the Dakotas, which does nothing to help germination. These factors are bullish wheat in general, and I continue to look for the Minneapolis and Kansas City markets to lead the way.

Strategy: Hedgers: We've begun our new crop hedging program with the purchase of July 360 puts at 13¢ to hedge 25 percent of anticipated production. We're being cautious (only 25 percent to date) since the market is still in an upward trend, and we're using puts for the same reason. "Puts" allow "floor" price under the market if it should begin to tire. Hedge another 25 percent using the money puts if the market trades close to 3.70.

Traders: We took a modest profit in our May wheat position last week, and now want to buy the July on a break. Look to purchase July Minneapolis wheat on dips below \$3.60. Risk to a close under \$3.54 for an initial target of \$3.75.

CORN - (BULL)
Outlook: In past columns, I've discussed the record high open interest in the corn futures [due to fund participation] making this market susceptible to sharp and sudden price corrections. This will be a way of life from now on.

A few weeks ago, December corn reached \$2.65, a new yearly high. Within four days it fell about 8¢, and at this writing has recovered most of that loss. What changed? Not much.

At this early stage, with so much uncertainty over the new crop, and the absolute necessity for high yields this year, December corn was not overpriced at the recent highs on a fundamental basis. Rather it was overpriced on a technical basis, meaning there were too many weak players in the market. Weak players tend to get flushed out.

Bottom line, with the "stocks to usage ratio" potentially one of the tightest on record, look at these inevitable clearings as buying opportunities!

Strategy: Hedgers: We sold last year's crop when the basis was strong last December, and retained ownership via the purchase of the July \$2.50 corn calls for 7¢/bushel. At this point, we've saved well over 17¢/bu in storage and interest costs and still have potential for price

gains. This strategy also limits your risk to [maximum] the option's cost.

Traders: We own July corn under \$2.46. Keep the stop fairly wide at \$2.40 and hold tight!

CATTLE - (BULL)
Outlook: It still appears the cattle market is trying to establish a short term bottom - but don't look for a full fledged roaring bull. Demand is good and should get better as we enter the barbecue season.

Supplies are not overly burdensome at present with current feedlot conditions. The longer term problems include large placements of cattle into the feedlots, these cattle coming to market in late spring and into the summer. Nobody needs to stock beef now in anticipation of shortages later. Also there continues to be relentless competition from competing meats, particularly pork.

Bottom line, I look for a trading range affair but with an upward bias over the coming weeks. Keep an eye open for signs of a top, however.

Strategy: Hedgers: We own the June 68 puts, purchased for less than \$2. I'm hopeful August can trade back to the 62-63 level, at which time we would consider the purchase of the at the money puts for this time period. Feeders also have purchased October feeder cattle futures under 66 to hedge fall replacement needs.

Cow/calf operators: You own the May 66 put options. These will provide downside protection on weakness, yet still leave your upside potential open.

Traders: Our only open position is the following spread; long the October feeders and short the February live cattle at a difference of 180 points or less. Unless there's a drought this summer which could cause a short term break in feeder prices, it would be very unusual for the feeders to trade less than the fat cattle.

The eventual objective is feeders 780 points over the live for a \$3000 profit per spread.

Ruling on ethanol hurts corn growers

WASHINGTON (AP) - Corn growers say they're still hopeful that ethanol will become widely used despite a court ruling that the government can't require the corn-based alcohol as an additive in cleaner burning gasoline.

The cleaner, reformulated gasoline has been on the market since January under an Environmental Protection Agency directive to help reduce smog-causing pollution from motor vehicles.

The EPA had wanted to ensure a substantial market share for ethanol even though refiners generally favor an alternative, petroleum-based MTBE. The EPA rule issued last year would require ethanol to be at least 30 percent of the oxygenate.

But there has been a bitter dispute over what kind of oxygen additive should be used in ethanol from corn or MTBE. And April 28, the U.S. Court of Appeals here ruled that the EPA had exceeded its authority in setting a minimum market share for ethanol.

Agriculture groups estimate that a 30 percent market share of the oxygen additive would have required 650 million gallons of ethanol a year, generating up to \$1.5 billion a year to farmers and related industries.

According to the Agriculture Department, nearly a half-billion bushels of corn were used last year in making ethanol.

Susan Keith, government relations representative for the National Corn Growers Association, said the ruling was disappointing because it denied growers

the assurance their product would be used.

"But we're optimistic that some opportunities will be available to ethanol," she said.

She said the ruling still leaves consumers with a choice between ethanol and MTBE.

"It's important not only for corn farmers, but also it's important that consumers have a choice because some consumers are not satisfied with gasoline oxygenated with MTBE," Keith said. "Where they've had a choice, ethanol has competed very well."

Some 20 million gallons of ethanol were produced in 1979, but that has grown to more than 1.4 billion gallons and 40,000 jobs, according to the Renewable Fuels Association, an ethanol trade group.

Illinois leads the nation in production, making 570 million gallons a year - half the nation's output. About 7,700 Illinois jobs are related to ethanol, according to the state Agriculture Department.

About 5.5 percent of the nation's corn crop is used in ethanol production. But a farm leader said the court ruling won't mean lower corn prices.

Jack Higgins, president of Pekin Energy Co., an Illinois ethanol maker, says growth will continue because corn-based ethanol is a renewable resource that doesn't have to be imported.

Ethanol has drawbacks, though. The biggest is that it is banned in high-pollution areas during the summer because it may contribute to ozone problems.

Feedlot tour, carcass seminar scheduled in Hereford

HEREFORD - The Texas and American Saler Associations are sponsoring a feedlot tour and carcass seminar June 8 and 9 in Hereford.

The tour will meet with Robert Josseland, president of AzTx Feeders, and visit one of their feedlots, Hereford Feedyard, on Thursday morning, June 8, according to Tom Kasari, secretary-treasurer of the Texas Saler Association.

Following the meeting with Josseland, the group will meet

with Dan McWhorter, owner and general manager of Mc6 Cattle Feeders.

After lunch, the tour will continue on to Sugarland Feed Yards and talk with owner and manager Jan McElhaney.

The last stop of the day will be at Southwest Feedyards to meet with George Keenan.

A panel of beef production experts will join the tour for dinner at the Hereford Country Club Thursday night. Moderated by Burt Rutherford of the Texas

Cattle Feeders, the panel includes Dr. Mark Miller, Texas Tech University Meat Animal Specialist; Minnie Lou Bradley, B3R Cattle Company, and Matt Cravey, Hi-Pro Feeds.

Dr. Darrell Wilkes will start Friday's tour with a talk on Electronic Cattle Management at the Hereford Community Center.

The group will then travel to Amarillo for a tour of IBP's packing plant and lunch at The Big Texan Steak Ranch.

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George Kleinman is president of Commodity Resource Corporation (CRC), a licensed brokerage firm which specializes in marketing strategies using agricultural futures and options. CRC welcomes questions - they can be reached at 1-800-233-4445.

Forage production tour set in Wheeler

WHEELER - A Forage Production Tour and Seminar is scheduled for Tuesday, May 9, in Wheeler.

The program, sponsored by the Wheeler County Agriculture Committee and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, will explore ways producers can increase the quantity and quality of forage production.

A tour will leave from the Wheeler Church of Christ at 4:30 p.m. to look a perennial cool season grass that may be used as a substitute for wheat pasture.

Upon returning to the Broiler production up

church's multi-purpose room, the participants will be served a barbecue dinner courtesy of Canadian Production Credit Association.

Those planning to attend are asked to contact the Wheeler County Extension office at 826-5243 by 5 p.m. Monday, May 8, so arrangements can be made for the meal.

Following dinner, speakers will address various topics concerning forage production. Dr. Donald Dorsett, Extension forage specialist in College Station, will discuss

ways to produce high quality forage from annual pastures. He will cover grazing management and timing of haying of haygrazer, wheat, alfalfa and other crops.

J.F. Cadenhead, Extension range and brush control specialist in Vernon, will talk about management practices to maximize production from lovegrass and Plains bluestem. Topics will include grazing management, haying and fertility.

Don King will present information gained from result demonstrations during the past years.

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For further information about Panhandle Health Services, Home Nursing Care, call (806) 665-0363.

National Nurses' Week is May 7-13. Panhandle Health Services would like to invite the public to join us in recognition of Nurses' week.

Shari Davenport R.N., Branch Manager, would like to thank and show appreciation to the nursing staff of the Pampa area for hard work and selfless dedication to their profession and community.

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In agriculture

The Gray and Carson County Extension Services are conducting a Wheat Tour on May 9, 1995, beginning at 5 p.m. We will meet at the Wheeler Evans Elevator in Kingsmill and proceed to the field. This meeting will be worth two (2) CEU's.

First stop on the tour will be the new Weather Station at Gary O'Neal's. This weather station will provide daily information on evapotranspiration rates for various crops along with normal weather information such as rainfall, soil temperatures, temperature, etc. This should provide local producers with a decision making tool for such things as irrigation timing, planting, etc.

Leon New, irrigation specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, will discuss ways for producers to utilize this information and how each of you can receive the information on a timely basis.

On the next stop, we will tour the irrigated variety test at Greg

and Chris Rapstine's. Discussion will focus on response to cold weather and other environmental problems. Also, Dr. Brent Bean, Extension Agronomist will talk about the wheat situation and answer questions concerning wheat in general.

Dr. Carl Patrick, Extension entomologist, will discuss wheat insect problems that occurred this year and ways to help prevent future potential problems such as wheat curl mite which is the vector for wheat streak

mosaic. Dr. Patrick is also going to discuss potential early season puts in sorghum and corn.

This should be a very educational tour and all persons are welcome to attend. If you have any questions, please call me at the Gray County Extension Office at 669-8033.

GRAY/CARSON COUNTY WHEAT TOUR - MAY 9, 1995
5:00 p.m. - Meet at Wheeler-Evans Elevator in Kingsmill
5:10 p.m. - Weather Station - Gary O'Neal's; Using weather

data as a decision aid - Leon New, Irrigation Specialist
5:45 p.m. - Wheat Variety Plot - Greg and Chris Rapstine; Wheat variety response to freeze - Danny Nusser and Jody Bradford; Wheat situation and Evaluation - Dr. Brent Bean, Extension Agronomist; Wheat Insect Problems and Early Season Pest For Corn and Sorghum - Dr. Carl Patrick, Extension Entomologist
• Two (2) CEU's for Private Applicators

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1 Public Notice
NOTICE TO BIDDERS
The Pampa Independent School District will receive sealed bids until 2:00 p.m., May 23, 1995, for Printed Supplies.
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60 Household Goods

BOY'S Bunk Beds, chest and book cases. 665-8006.
QUEEN size sleeper sofa \$160, matching love seat \$100, occasional chair \$40, excellent condition. Gold velvet. See at 2417 Navajo after 5 p.m.
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2 Family Garage Sale—1830 N. Faulkner. Furniture, kids clothing, 0-6X, lots of miscellaneous. Saturday 8-4, Sunday 8-9.

GARAGE Sale—Monday-Friday 9-2. Furniture, dryer, books, clothes, and miscellaneous. Everything must go. 1813 Coffee.

70 Musical

PIANOS FOR RENT
New and used pianos. Starting at \$40 per month. Up to 6 months of rent will apply to purchase. It's all right here in Pampa at Tarpley Music. 665-1251.

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89 Wanted To Buy

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96 Unfurnished Apts.

1 and 2 bedrooms, covered parking, washer/dryer hookups. Gwendolen Apartments, 800 N. Nelson, 665-1875.

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ALL BILLS PAID FURNISHED or unfurnished BEDROOM
Walk-in Closets, Stove, Refrigerator, Laundry.
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97 Furnished Houses

LARGE 2 bedroom and FHA mobile home spaces in White Deer. 883-2015, 665-1193.

LARGE 1 bedroom, HUD approved, no waiting period. 665-4842.

2 bedroom, HUD approved, \$250 month, \$100 deposit. Call 669-6526.

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98 Unfurnished Houses

LARGE, nice, good location, house for rent, 2 bedroom, fenced yard, garage. Call 669-6323, 669-6198

2 bedrooms, nice. Nice location. Accept HUDD. See at 2118 Wiliston street.

3 bedroom, 1 bath, fenced yard, corner lot. 1300 Starkweather. \$300 month. 669-6973, 669-6881.

3 bedroom, references, deposit required. Central heat, carport. \$395 month. 669-9952.

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Garland - Neat well cared for 2 bedroom home with central heat and air. Would make a good starter home. Rooms are large. MLS 3248.
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KINGSMILL - Steel siding for low maintenance. 2 bedrooms, dining area, butcher block counter tops. Single garage. MLS 3254.
OAK DRIVE - WALNUT CREEK - Lovely split level home on approximately 1 acre of land. 2 woodburning fireplaces. 3 large bedrooms, 2 living areas, 2.5 baths. Lovely view. Oversized double garage. OE.
RUSSELL - Nice three bedroom home in quiet neighborhood. Large living area with free standing fireplace. Dining area, central heat/air, storm windows, double garage. MLS 3414.
SUMNER - Perfect home for large family with 6 bedrooms, 3 3/4 baths, part of the home is underground. Second kitchen area downstairs. MLS 3286.
SUMNER - Corner lot, 3 bedrooms, custom cabinets in kitchen. Extra concrete for parking. Central heat/air, single garage. MLS 3061.
WILLISTON - Vinyl siding, central heat and air, 3 bedrooms, 2 living areas, study or sewing room. Single garage. MLS 3061.
WILLISTON - Built-in drawer storage in bedrooms, interior has been redone. Central heat and air. Carport. MLS 3183.
23rd STREET - Country living, 20 acres, large dog kennel, swimming pool, 2-story home with 3 bedrooms, hardwood floors, lots of storage, barn, double garage and much more. MLS 3392.
10 ACRES AND HOUSE - Enjoy gracious country living with all the amenities of town with 10 acres of breathing room, 3 bedrooms, large living area + sun room, formal dining, isolated master, storage building, barn and corral. MLS 3405.

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103 Homes For Sale

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312 N. Gray 669-0007
For Your Real Estate Needs

Jim Davidson
Pampa Realty, Inc.
669-1863, 669-0007

Bobbie Nisbet Realtor
665-7037

BY OWNER 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2628 Evergreen, 665-9223.

CHARMING stone home overlooking park, 3 bedroom, 1 bath, Austin school district, \$29,500. Call 915-683-3390.

FOR SALE BY OWNER 3 bedroom brick home with double car garage. Fireplace, new central air, new Maytag dishwasher, landscaped pond, 10 ft. x 12 ft. shed, cement storm cellar, plus more. 1529 N. Dwight. 665-7784.

FREE—Current list of HUD foreclosure houses for sale. Come by Action Realty, 707 N. Hobart, a HUD Broker.

GENE AND JANNIE LEWIS
Action Realty, 669-1221

GREAT Investment—2 in 1! 2 bedroom/2 bath house with attached 3 room apartment, garage and carport. 665-8542.

Henry Gruben
Pampa Realty, Inc.
669-3798, 669-0067, 669-8612

JAY LEWIS, 669-1221
Action Realty/Insurance

NICE 3 bedroom, 1 bath, steel siding, 3 car garage on 3 city lots. \$31,000, 325 Henry. 665-6822.

OPEN HOUSE—1121 Duncan, 3 bedroom, 2 bath. 1-5 p.m. Sun-Fri, May 7th.

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1121 Duncan, 3 bedroom, 2 bath 1-5 p.m. Sunday May 7th

PRICE Reduced, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, 2 living areas, 1604 Evergreen. 665-7495.

PRICED Reduced—3 bedroom, 2 bath, large den, fireplace, playhouse, garage. Travis school district. 665-7632.

Spring Specials
501 Grimes, White Deer, \$150,000
2724 Duncan, \$170,000
2428 Fir, \$97,600
2135 Dogwood, \$59,000
2139 Dogwood, \$54,000
718 N. Somerville (Sold \$35,000)
1105 Terrace, \$25,500
417 Lowry, \$15,000
BOBBIE NISBET, REALTOR
665-7037

SUPER DEAL! Owner will carry note on 1204 S. Christy, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, 1 car garage. Brick Veneer with Steel Ceiling. \$12,000 with \$2000 down. Balance 10% 5 years. \$212.48 per month principle and interest. Call 669-6314

COMMERCIAL
For Sale or Lease: Commercial building on North Hobart, 180 frontage on Hobart, excellent visibility, easy access, lots of parking. Office or retail. Call Norma or Jim Ward. Office Exclusive.

COUNTRY HOME
Beautiful brick home on one acre of land. Two living areas, four bedrooms, 3 3/4 baths, utility room, double garage with workshop, red wood deck and patio. Call our office for appointment. MLS 3357.

MARY ELLEN
Lovely brick home in a good location. Large living room, dining room, two bedrooms, gas fireplace, small basement, oversized detached garage, central heat and air. MLS 3374.

2212 N. WELLS
Neat and attractive home in Travis School District. Large living room, three bedrooms, attached garage, central heat and air. Price has been reduced. MLS 3045.

DUNCAN STREET
Perfect starter home or investment property. Two bedrooms, attached garage, storage building. MLS 3144.

COMMERCIAL
185' frontage on Amarillo Highway with 50'x100' building with three offices in front. Large shop area has two 16' x 16' overhead doors and one 12'x12' overhead door. 2.43 acres. Call Jim Ward for further information. Adv.

INVESTMENT PROPERTY
Nice brick duplex on North Dwight. Three bedrooms, 1 3/4 baths, woodburning fireplace on one side. Two bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, woodburning fireplace on the other. Double garage, central heat and air, corner lot. OE.

FARMLAND
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WWII era bomber revives memories on tour

By DON DRIVER
San Antonio Express-News

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Jets are for kids.

That was the message on a small sign stuck on the World War II-era B-24 Liberator bomber "All American" when it landed at San Antonio International Airport.

"It brings back a lot of memories I guarantee you," said onlooker Jim Frederick, a 72-year-old former B-24 pilot who chalked up 40 bombing missions. "You have a warm spot in your heart for a machine that takes you out there 40 times and brings you back."

Frederick and other onlookers craned their necks Monday when the bomber, the only fully restored and operational B-24 in the world, touched down for a two-day stopover as the 50th anniversary of V-E Day nears.

"I had some friends who didn't come back," recalled Frederick, who is volunteering to assist in the aircraft's visit. "But I was lucky. I only had a couple of holes from flak in my aircraft."

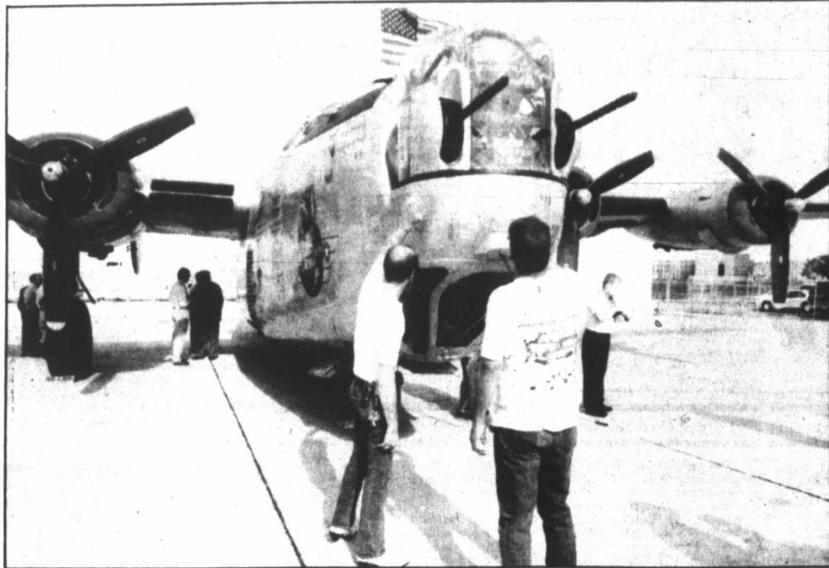
The All American was to be joined by a restored B-17 Flying Fortress bomber as part of a "Salute to Veterans '95 Tour."

The two planes, dubbed a "flying museum," was available for tours by the general public at Fairchild Gen-Aero through 2 p.m. Wednesday when the planes departed for a stopover in Austin and a weekend appearance in Fort Worth.

A donation of \$7 for adults and \$3 for children is requested for the aircraft tours.

"It's great it's a piece of history," said pilot John Rising, 31, after he climbed out of the Liberator's cockpit. "Since it's the only flying and restored B-24, every time we fly it we know we're the only ones in the country doing what we do."

The All American and the B-17 were recovered and restored by



(AP photo/Express-News, Kevin Gail)

Plane lovers get a close-up view of the world's only fully restored and operational World War II era Liberator B-24, named "All-American," at the San Antonio International Airport on Monday, May 1.

the non-profit Collings Foundation. The eight-month, 100-city tour is being sponsored by Schlitz beer.

More than 18,000 Liberators, in various versions, were flown during World War II. The aircraft was considered a workhorse, although the B-17 got most of the publicity.

The Liberator could carry a load of 8,800 pounds of bombs up to 3,000 miles at a speed of more than 200 mph and an altitude of 28,000 feet.

John Carrigan, 74, a Houston lawyer and former B-24 pilot who flew 39 missions in the Pacific, came along for the ride.

"I got up there and flew it a little bit," he said. "It flies just like it used to but this time, nobody was shooting at me and

there was no flak."

Darryl Johnson, one of the crew members traveling with the aircraft around the nation, said it's pure joy to fly in the bomber.

"We love it," he said. "People are surprised by the size of it."

The bomber has a wingspan of 110 feet, a length of more than 67 feet and a height of 18 feet. Its maximum weight is 65,000 pounds and it carried a crew of 10.

The aircraft on display was named "All American" after a B-24 that participated in a July 25, 1944, raid on tank works at Linz, Austria.

The 19-plane squadron was attacked by more than 100 German fighters. The crew of the "All American" shot down 14 enemy planes and was one of

only two B-24s to return to base.

The specific B-24 on display served for the United States until October 1944, when it was transferred to the British, who used it for patrol and bombing missions in the Pacific.

After the war, the aircraft was abandoned by the Royal Air Force in a bomber graveyard in Khanpur, India, until it was restored to active duty in 1948 by the Indian Air Force.

It enjoyed another 20 years in the air until it finally was retired in 1968. It was bought in 1981 by a British aircraft collector and resold three years later to the Collings Foundation.

It took more than 80,000 man-hours and \$1 million to restore the aircraft to operational condition, officials said.

West Texas students work to get people to buckle up

By STEVE O'NEIL
Lubbock Avalanche-Journal

LAMESA (AP) — When a group of Lamesa High School students found out that Dawson County drivers were not buckling up, they decided to do something about it. In a big way.

They performed skits, fired off letters to legislators and dressed up in Vince and Larry crash-dummy suits. Last month, the seat-belt bunch was rewarded for their efforts when it took top honors in the state's Future Problem Solving Program. In June, the group, composed of 22 Lamesa High School students, will trek to Rhode Island for the national problem solving championships.

"It has been an eyeopener for everyone," said Anthony Sorola, a junior. "We have been able to get the word out, and we have been able to get people to buckle up."

The students latched on to the idea after looking at the results of a study that showed that people in Dawson County were not wearing their safety belts, said Iva Beck, a Lamesa High School teacher and the group's sponsor.

"Then they brainstormed about what to do," Beck said. "They have put so much effort into this."

In the beginning, the group members focused on seat-belt safety. Then they decided to broaden their message after meeting Karen Slay, an activist who has pushed for legislation forbidding people under the age of 18 from riding in pickup beds. Slay's bill has been passed by the Senate and is awaiting a committee hearing in the House.

"When Karen Slay spoke to

us it affected us all," said Jamie Park, a senior at Lamesa. "She is just an ordinary person working for change. She had quite an impact."

The group wrote letters to legislators in support of the pickup bill, and one student testified in front of a Senate committee.

"We wrote everyone and his brother," said Jason Reeves, a senior. "There would be letters, follow up letters and thank-yous. We have stacks of all the letters we sent, and it is about an inch thick."

Slay said the Lamesa group has been a great help in spreading the safety message.

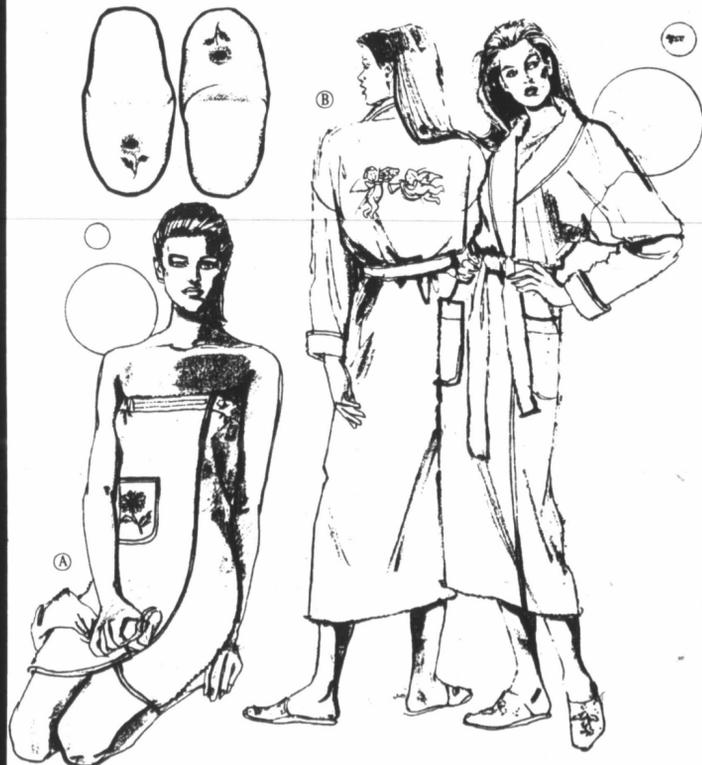
"They have been a gift from heaven," Slay said. "It is one thing to have an adult talk to you about safety, but it is another when someone your age or just a little older is telling you about it."

Slay also said the group's efforts in the Legislature have been critical.

"It is important that they went down there because they are the largest group affected by this," Slay said. "The senators just went crazy."

During the last few months, the students have tried just about every method to get their message across. For younger audiences in elementary schools, they dressed up as Power Rangers. For the older ones, they made a video with testimony from local young people telling stories of how seat belts saved their lives. The video also included a segment about a beloved classmate who was killed a few years ago. "The video really caught a lot of attention," Beck said. "There is a productive life being lost, and then there is story after story about testimony of lives that have been saved."

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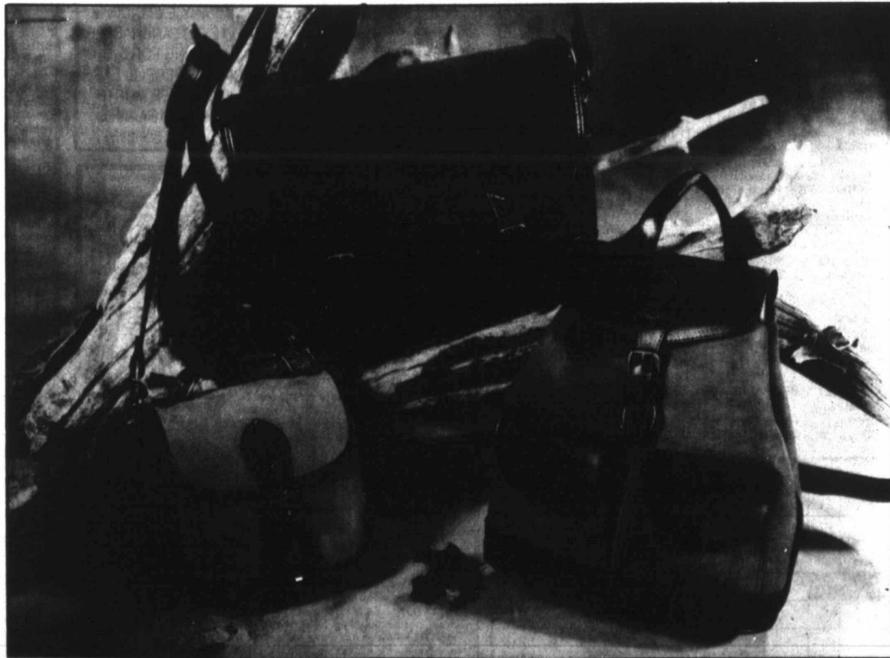
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