

## Democrats argue for end to Whitewater hearings



## Knights of Columbus dinner



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Scott on a blue warrant alleg| ing violation of parole, Travis |
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PAMPA - Eleven resumes
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Knights of Columbus members were busy Wednesday beginning the preparations for their 44 th Annual Polish Sausage Dinner, scheduled for 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 500 N . Ward. Cutting up cabbage and other items for cole slaw are
from left, Jim Maher, Hubert Johnson Chuck Albus, Benny Rodriquez and Bob Jewell. The from left, Jim Maher, Hubert Johnson, Chuck Albus, Benny Rodriquez and Bob Jewell. The
organization will be preparing over 2,000 pounds of Polish sausage, 600 pounds of caborganization will be preparing over 2,000 pounds of Polish sausage, 600 pounds of cab
bage for slaw, 600 pounds of potatoes for potato salad and 150 pounds of beans for the dinner. Proceeds go to programs to aid the deaf, scholarships and various charities

DOE plan could cost Pantex 1,600 jobs



Destinie Solis works through a sentence in the story "The Seed," trying to figure out words she doesn't know through the context of the story. Reading Recovery eacher sheryl Springer fills out a checklist charting the
Wilson School first grader's progress.
Reading program aims to strengthen student's skills in special sessions

By Chip Chander
Staff Writer


Learning about dinosaurs


Horace Mann Elementary School second-grader Whitney Werert foreground, relates information on dinosaurs as her classmates await their parts durng a play presented
Wednesday at the school for parents and other students as part of Public Schools Week. The second grade students wore various dinosaur caps and costumes as they pre-
sented information on the ancient beasts tor the program.

## Daily Record



Olympics fan: New Mexico really is a state - really

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Police accepting Citizens on Patrol class applications


Dan Schneck, cowboy poet,
will be one of the entertainers for Saturday's Opry Lights.
Opry Lights tickets available at door Tickets for Opry Lights, set for
7 p.m. Saturday, will be available p.m. Saturday, will be available
at the door.
Opry Lights is a fund raiser to benefit Celebration of Lights 1996 and will feature barbecue by Chaney's and
All Star Jubilee.
Adult tickets are $\$ 12.50$. Ticket for children under 10 are $\$ 8$. Entertainment will be provid ed by Keith Roberson and the Hayes; Dee O'Kelley; D'Nette
Whitlock; Heaven Bound; and Whitlock; Heaven Bound; and
Pampa's street improvement project moving ahead
Pampa's street improvement
about two weeks from comple-

## City briefs

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Leslie McWilliams, right, was named Horace Mann Elementary School Spelling Bee champion and will compete in Friday's Gray County Spelling Bee. Also competing will be fourth grade champion K'Lee Ratzlaff, right.

Reading up, their regular teachers are able
to work with the entire class with But the four Reading Recovery continuing reading lessons. best method to teach the children a number of programs used in
how to read. how to read.
"The comprehension level isn't "The comprehension level isn't "I' believed you had to sound
out the word to read," Baker out the word to read,"" Baker
teacher Cheryl Shuck said. "But that I had kids who could read, but spent so much time sounding
out the words they forgot to look
for for the meaning."

book.
For example, Springer first had
Solis look at an illustration on the title page of "The Seed" and try to guess what would happen in the
story based on the title and the story based on the title and the
drawing. Then, the two walked drawing. Then, the two walked
through the story, with Solis deducing what occurred on each
page by looking at the pictures.
Finally Solis Finally, Solis read the story to Springer from the beginning
the student had difficulty de the student had difficulty de
phering a word, Springer ask what would make sense in that
spot.
A day after a child first reads a story, he or she reads the story
again, cementing the contextual meanings of the words
Reading Recovery teachers say up to the average reading level of their class, though Smith said of our
because Pampa sch "Early literacy involves oral language as well as the written
word," Beyer said. "It include concepts as simple as knowing reading from and connecting th printed word with oral language schools use a program called "Johny Can Sperll", a phonic
program that presents the phone ic system of English as the foun
dation for teaching spellin according to information from it publisher. Reading skills are als. Travis and Lamar also accelerated Reading, a program est for their comprehension an computer in the library. Beyer said that Austin should be using graders by the end for fifth Wilson and Mann are ofso year Otheng the program, she said. Discrimin schools use Auditory ics program that places a phonon position of facial muscles as a way to learn correct reading skills.
Despite the numbers of different reading programs, he goal is still the sam
"The district is very The district is very supportive
our early literacy programs

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 appointment. Adv.It's official!


Mayor Bob Neslage officially proclaimed this week Texas Public Schools Week in Pampa Tuesday, flanked by local Masons R.C. Grider, left, and James Lewis. Texas Masons first began recognition of the state's public schools over 40 years ago. In his proclamation, Mayor
Neslage notes that the Pampa public school system "is vital to the very existence of our way of life" and is "one of which all of us as citizens of Pampa can be justly proud." Neslage urged all citizens to visit a public "to observe the excellent work being done by our young people and
their teachers and administrators." The Public School Week is proclaimed for March 4-8 in the their teachers and administrators." The Public School Week is proclaimed for March 4-8 in the
state, but the Pampa schools have been observing the occasion this week.

## State briefs

71-year-old man charged in major 3-county fire range fire that raged out of trol last week, destroying about
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started by sparks from trash started by sparks from trash
burning in the backyard of a residence, officials say. A71-year-old man was charged
Wednesday with violating Parker County's anti-burn ordinance. He
surrendered Wednesday morning and was released on his own recognizance.
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County Attorney Pat Parker County Attorney
Fleming emphasized that the
man, who lives on the outskirts man, who lives on the outskirts
of Poolville, 35 miles northwest
of Fort Worth, is not charged with of Fort Worth, is not charged with
starting the range fire, but of starting the range fire, but of
leaving trash unattended while it

City organizes Day Without Divorce for Leap Day
The blaze spread through High School in suburban north Parker County and into Houston said a peer revie
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ROSENBERG (AP) - P and students have called for fir- Port of Houston moves to
ings at a local high school follow- build ings the release of a report quoting- build hub for cruise ships unnamed teachers calling His- HOUSTON (AP) - Commispanics "animals." "We can't tolerate these atti- a hub for cruise ship. Udes," lawyer Dora Olivo said. Commissioners awarded a
The education of our children is $\$ 35,000$ contract on Wednesday $\begin{array}{ll}\text { ioo precious. It is the base of for engineering work on an inter- } \\ \text { building a strong country." } & \text { im cruise hub at Barbours Cut }\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{cl}\text { building a strong country." } & \text { im cruise hub at Barbours Cut } \\ \text { The Texas Education Agency } & \text { Terminal, about } 21 / 2 \text { hours sail }\end{array}$ The Texas Education Agency Terminal, about $21 / 2$ hours sail-
report on Lamar Consolidated ing time from the Gulf of Mexico ers of a Day Without Divorce in posed the ban. "Everybody said be a last resort and we should three Southeast Texas counties the judges wouldn't go for such support the family," McBride
hope Thursday's Leap Day mora- an idea, but they did. Every one said. "That's not to say some torium causes spliting osples to of them pledged their support. divorces aren't necessary. Even
It's unprecedented." "We're not naive. We don't Some 300 businesses and think we'll stop divorce forever, churches, with the support of the
but maybe we can give some eight family law judges in but maybe we can give some eight family law judges in
people who are thinking about Jefferson, Orange and Hardin divorce a chance to stop and con- counties, have declared a ban on sider what they're doing," said divorce Thursday, dubbed a day
Ralph McBride, general manager of reconciliation. State District Judge Bill Beggs divore Thursday dubbed a day cal val god and bibli of Christian radio stations KIFA- The ban is meant to raise administer the law," Beggs said. Madeline Graves students plan benefit for St. Jude's Students at Madeline Graves pediatric AIDS, sickle cell anemia Hospital remain at 13 percent,
Dance \& Gymnastics Center will and other catastrophic childhood one of the lowest of any national
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research, find cures and treat the family.

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Fire strikes Ennis ENNIS (AP)-An electrical short
in an elevator shaft is suspected of sparking a fire that destroyed at
least four historic buildings least four historic buildings.
Thick, black smoke could Thick, black smoke could be
seen from downtown Dallas, 30
miles north of this small town miles north of this small town,
from the fire, which burned fo several hours Wednesday. Bill Sanders, manager of the Ennis Chamber of Commerce
said the fire was under contro by about $2: 30$ p.m., but would
continue to burn until continue to burn until today
because of hot spots likely to because of hot spots likely to
flare up overnight.
The blaze also ignited a number of grass fires, but all were
also under control by Wednesalso under control by Wednes-
day afternoon. The fire apparently started
about 11:30 a.m. in an old elevator shaft in the Avenue
Emporium, an antiques store that was destroyed.


Farm bill keeps peanut, sugar programs WASHINGTON (AP) - Moving
toward a major overhaul of subsidies for cotton and grains, the
House narrowly defeated efforts to House narrowly defeated efforts to
kill sugar and peanut programs kill sugar and peanut programs
that critics say keep bigg govern-
ment in place and raise food prices. ment in place and raise food prices.
The House did, however, stop a dairy plan that would have
reversed the long slump in farm reversed the long slump in farm
prices but raised consumer costs along the way.
The so-called Freedom to Farm
bill ends the decades-old system bill ends the decades-old system
of unpredictable spending for major-crop subsidies accompanied by government controls on
planting. the bill gives farmers fixed,
declining payments over seven
Youths arrested for beatings of autistic woman

DALLAS (AP) - James March
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The boys told him
other boys other boys were inside a nearby
house beating an auts hase beating an autistic woman. March approached the
and the youths scattered Five boys, ages 11 and 12 , have
been charged with aggravated assault and sexual assault on the 40 -year-old woman, who has a
mental capacity no mental capacity no greater than
that of an 11-year-old. Police say that for weeks, five
elementary school boys held a series of beating "parties" during which they used belts, their fists
and a toilet plunger to thrash and and a toilet plunger to thrash and
sexually assault the woman in her home. "These little kids ran up to my car and said, 'They're beating
this woman over here'." March this woman over here, "March
said of the Feb. 20 incident. "I ran up to the house and went inside. She had a puffy eye where they had hit her in the face
 custody Friday and were being
held Wednesday at a juvenile detention center. The age of the veteran officers.
"They have fights, normally
over little things, but nothing over little things, but nothing this
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thing," Sgt. Ross Salvarino said.
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no business at all in a bill that allies pushed the jobs and
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"This is a big-government pro- flood of program would mean a This is a big-government pro- flood of low-cost, foreign sugar
exist,"" said it Rep. longer needs to to and eventual high prices enjoyed exist," said Rep. Dan Miller, R- only by foreign growers. guaranteed sugar prices failed a similar challenge, 212-209, after 217-208. Though the subsidies are defenders said small farmers

Spelling bee winners


Drew Jaegle, left, was named this year's winner of the Grandview-Hopkins Spelling Bee while Jake Hopkins, right, will serve as runnerup. Drew, who will be competing in the
Gray County Spelling Bee on Friday morning at Lovett Gray County Spelling Bee on Friday morning at Lovett
Memorial Library in Pampa, placed first by correctly spelling "tributary." Jake correctly spelled "resolve" to gain the runnerup and are students of Brenda Brown and Rene Ann Chavedo.



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Stephen Chapman

The American economy has gotten much more pressure on managers to eliminate every unnecessary cost. Is that a bad thing? Back in the good old
days of the 1960s, , liberals thought large U.S. companies faced too little competition and used their
resulting market power to shaft consumers. The reative serenity of that era let big automakers and steol dompatines pay handsome wages to
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overpriced American cars: Only later did highoverpiced American cars: Only yater did high-
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tutoring on the value of aut es could actually make more money by treating employees more generousty, which is supposed to
make them more productive. To believe this requires you to believe that corporate executives
are too dim-witted to know how to maximize are too dim-witted to know how to maximize
their profits - and that they have something to learn from academics and politicians who have The free-market system has given us the highest standard of living in the world, but a lot of people
wish it would do that without ever laying people i.fe wishing a school could maintainges. That's dards while giving out nothing buta $A^{\prime}$ s. A certain amount of creative destruction is the price of economic progress. That will come as no
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Party still hos Today in history By The Associated Press
Today is Thursday Feb. 29, the
50th day of 1996. There are 30 days left in the vear Thisisis areap Dad.
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President Washington porclaimed
lays Treaty, which settled outstanding differences with Great On this date:
In 1504 , Christopher Columbus, stranded in Jamaica during his
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correctly predicted la lunar eclipe to frighten hostile natives into providIn 1792, composer Gioacchino
Antonio Rossini was born in In 1829 , the United States and
Britain agreed to submit to arbitra-
 sion later ruled in favor of Britain.)
In 1896,100 In 1896, 100 years ago, movie
director Wiliam W. Wellman was
born in Brookine Mass In 1904, President Theodore Roosevelt appointed a seven-mem-
ber commission to facilitate com-

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 Repubiicans are as vuinerable eots coruptioncronyism charges as are Democrats. bership card is a whole heck of lot better recom-
mendation than a membership card to some rich men and women, union or otherwise, who have sold out the country. It's been the white elite.
But what else can Rockefeller Republicans advocate, as they support the same global social-
ist policies the Democrats do - policies that are dilling of of living and wasting American lives and treasure in various rat holes around the world?
It's typical that Gingrich wants to divide
Americans whereas Buchanan wants to unite Check 'em out. Buchanan is the only one in the thinks America should go, buttressed by specific would put the welfare of Americans and the counresent ordinary Americans since Harry Truman. after his election as he did before it. linton - the real Clintone choice: Buchanan or
and concept call things what dhey criticize, be judgmental homosexual lifestyles, acknowledging that
women tend to be physically weaker than men llunking a student for poor performance or dardized tests is lower than whites' qualifies one candidate for mandatory reeducation. In some motions and jobs. Then there's meaningless language to avoid
the truth. How about an "excetional" child? I
don't know if I want one around me. Would you want a "differently enabled" person to operate on you? You just don't know. My physician is
an excellent internist but a poor economist and basketball player, making him differently born here, I am. "It goes by your roots, That poses a problem. There are are" Americans
born Afrikaners. and John Milton predicted, "When language in common use in any country becomes irregular
and depraved, it is followed by their ruin and
degradation." Case closed, just in case you're puzzled by our national decline.

Morissette, Seal, Hootie \& The Blowfish grab top honors at Grammy Awards show

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Alanis Morissette's Jagged
Little Pill won best rock album and album of the re rem VOCAL PERFORMANCE: 'For Little Pill won best rock album and album of the
year as the Grammy Awards broke with tradition year embraced the not-so-romantic view of lifie. Other big winners Wednesday night included
Hootie \& the Blowfish, which won awards for best noote atrist, and pop group vocal performance for new artist, and pop group vocal performance for
"Let Her Cry" from 1995's best-selling album,
Cracked Rear View. Cracked Rear View.
Seal's "Kiss Fro Seal's "Kiss From a Rose" won for record and
song of the year, and he also grabbed the award for best male pop vocal performance. Morissette, the 21-yearrormance. Canadian, hauled away
leading four Grammys, two for her, a leading four Grammys, two for her chart-topping
U.S. album debut and two - best rock song and U.S. album debut and two - best rock song and
female rock vocal performance - for her lyrically raw
sinde single 'You Oughta Know." written a st this on behalf of anyone who's ever written a song from a very pure place, a very spiri-
tual place," Morissette said in thanks for the album of the year award.
of the year award.
Seeking to shake its stodgy reputation, the record-
ing industry shunned the mainstream-Mariah Carey ing industry shunned the mainspream-Mariah Caray
was zero for six nominations-and looked to others to counter complaints that winners did not reflect the academy changed its nominating process this year the first time in its 38 -year history. In each of the top four categories - record, album
and song of the year, and best new artist and song of the year, and best new artist - 20 entries
with the most votes from the general membersip with the most votes from the general membership
were submitted to a 25 -member blue-ribbon panel picked by the academy. The panel reviewed entries and selected nominees by secret ballot.
Partial list of winners at Wednesday's 38 th Partial list of winners at Wednesday's 38th Annuā Grammy Awards:
ZŌ̄̄ PRFORMANCE BY A DUŌ OR GROUP
WITH VOCAL: "Run-Around," Blues Traveler. WITH VOCAL: "Run-Around," Blues Traveler. Ballard, Alanis Morissette.
ALTERNATIVE MUSIC PERFORMANCE: MTV Unplugged in New York, Nirvana.
MALE POP VOCAL PERFORMANCE: "Kiss From a Rose," Seal.
TRADITIONAL POP VOCAL PERFORMANCE: Duets II, Frank Sinatra. PRODUCER OF THE YEAR: Babyface.
FEMALE R\&B VOCAL PERFORMANCE: "I


## Travis Spelling Bee winners



Karissa Intemann, second from left, was named Travis Elementary Spelling Bee champion in the school's recent competition. Travis students set to compete in Friday's Gray County Spelling Bee include, from left, Mollie Baker, fifth grade run-
ner-up; Intemann; Casey Dunham, fourth grade champion; and Briana Russell, fourth grade runner-up.
Dozens arrested on computer chip thievery charges SAN JOSE, Calif. (AP) - In a sweeping crackdown on high-
tech thievery, authorities arrested tech thievery, authorities arrested
43 people allegedly linked to 43 people allegedy linked to
computer chip thefts at Silicon Valley companies.
More than 500 officers con-
verged on the suspects' hideouts verged on the suspects' hideouts Wednesday, seizing weapons, computers and chips and more
than $\$ 200,000$ in cash, the FBI and police said.
More than 50 defendants already were in custody before
Wednesday's roundup, officials Wednesday's roundup, officials
said. In all, federal indictments were returned against 47 defendants and state charges were filed against 77 others. The charges include armed property, illegal gun sales and drug trafficking.
As part of the investigation, the BI and San Jose police secretly pperated a storefront business,
Prospect
Distribution," for 18 months. They used hidden tape recorders and video cameras to At least 400 businesses that manufacture, distribute or store computer memory chips hav suffered losses totaling millions started in Northern California in started in Nort
the late 1980s.
The crime has spread to Texas,
Oreeon, Forida and other states Oregon, Florida and other states
With the tiny micapprocessors fetching as much as $\$ 550$ each, the chips
are a lucrative target for thieves.


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-Saturday, March 2, 1996, 7:00 p.m. -Wayland Baptist University In Plainview


## Autographed football winner



Tanner Dyson, front center, won a football autographed by Dallas Cowboy celebrities Barry Switzer, Michael Ivvin, Troy Aikman and Emmitt Smith in a recent raffle by the Pampa High School Senior Developmental Class. Shown with Dyson are (front) Brandy Hood, Mindy Hervey, Jennifer Lambright and Heidi Venal, and (back) Mandy Rossiter, Ricky Mullen and David Montgomery. Dyson is a kindergartener at First Baptist Day Care. Jack Bailey, Pampa ISD executive director of personnel, won a Cowboy's baseball cap. A total

NASA considers, rejects dangerous satellite rescue
CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. satellite and its tether - which is place on March 9. That's the eting drama: two spacewalking tricity - the astronauts would reached the satellite, given their astronauts trying to grab a satel-- have made a grounding strap out orbital positions. lite while avoiding 12 miles of of wire available inside Columbia Columbia's seven astronauts dangling, electrically charged and used tape for insulation. had told Mission Control that
cord.
Then, after grabbing the half- they would go along with what NASA considered the idea ton, spherical satellite - if they ever their bosses decided. Wednesday but nixed it after could -one man would have NASA officials had ruled out a nearly a day of debate because held it steady while the other one rescue immediately after the tethspace shuttle Columbia doesn't cut the tether. have enough fuel to get the run- To do this, NASA would have the dangerous possibility that the
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## Teen Who's Hard To Handle Needs Firmer Grip From Dad

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## Notebook <br> BASEBALL

PAMPA - Pampa rallied to defeat Sanford-ritch, 11-7, in a
non-district baseball game Tuesday at Harvester Field.
The Harvesters ( $2-1$ ) trailed 2 after the first two innings. Finney helped get Pand Todd into the game. Hancock into the game. Hancock
knocked in three runs while Finney, who has been bothered triple.
Duane King pitched four strong relief in pinings for the the
Harvesters. He came on in the Harvesters. He came on in the second inning and didn't
allow an earned run. Guymon, Okla. for a doubleheader Friday. Pampa's next
home game is. March5 against home game is March 5 against
River Road. FOOTBALL
> $\underset{\text { University }}{\text { AUSTIN }} \underset{\text { Interscholastic }}{\text { U }}$ League has decided to open
the high school football season next fall without the new
NCAA overtime rule that will do away with ties in college The UIL uses NCAA rules but can make exceptions, and UL athletic director Charles
Breithaupt said Wednesday breathaupt said Wednesday
that the governing body wants to get input from coaches around the state and the UIL Legislative Council
However, barrin whelming outcry against it,
the new NCAA overtime rule will be used during the play"We're still looking to get
back some surveys from coaches, and we'll seek input
from the Council before mak$\mathrm{ing}_{\text {Breithaupt said. }}$ final The UL has been criticized for its use of a tiebreaker in playoffs. The UiL's tiebreaker first downs and total yardage, in that order, to determine which team
er there is
regulation.
High school coaches have generally been against chang-
ing the tie-breaker, but Briethaupt said he anticipates he rule probably will gain
cceptance when the NCAA begins using it for regular-season games. vertime rule approved earlier this month for all college games, gives each team a pos-
session at the opponent's 25 yard line at the end of regula The overtime system is not
sudden death as used in the NFL, and the clock is not a factor
The team winning the coin oss can choose to start on choose which 25 -yard line the team begins each possession
on the same end of the field. A possession ends when team scores, commits a
turnover or fails to convert on fourth down. The game ends tied at the end of an overtime. Any score by the defense wins the game, except the
return of an extra-point ettempt following a touch down. A game also ends when
team trailing in the overtime commits a turnover.
The UIL has in the past
bypassed a few NCAA rules changes - notably changes changes - notably changes ficult by narrowing the width of goal posts and eliminating
the use of kicking tees. NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) State senators want Tennessee
to sell $\$ 55$ million in bonds to help build a stadium for the Houston Oilers.
of Representatives, the Metro Council and Davidson County voters to determine whether the
NFL team should move here in And if they don't decid soon, the Oilers could end up elsewhere.
Today, the Today, the council is scheduled to give its final word on
the deal,'and the House also plans to vote on its share of the $\$ 292$ million agreement.
Some council members said Some council members said
they want to wait for the
results of a referendum by county voters.

## Canyon, Alief Elsik only unbeaten teams

By CHIP BROWI
Associated Press Associated Press Writer
AUSTIN (AP) - Undefeated Alief Elsik's
Class 5A semifinal against Georgetown on
Friday in the girls'state basketball tourna-
ment has the makings of a championship
game.
But the winner will have no time to cele-
brate with either r 1994 Achampion Amarillo
or last year's 5A titleholder Austin Westlake
waiting in the finals.
Tourney semininals in Class 1A, 3A and 4A
kick off today.
Led by Rice-signee Marla Brumfield, a 5-
foot-9 slashing forward who averages 17
points per game, Elsik (38-0) comes to
Austin as one of only two teams in the 20-
team tournament field with the glitz and
burden of an unblemished record.
The other unbeaten team is Canyon (30-0)
in Class 4A.
Because of an antiquated pairings system
used by the University Interscholastic
League that seeds only the top two teams in
each class and then uses a coin flip to deter-

will be making its second tournament
 which won the $3 A$ title in 1987 and 2A titles
in 1980, 1979, 1978 and 1974 . its sixth state tourney trip, was runner-up in
4A in 1992 and 3 A champs in 1979 .
Westlake, which beat Duncanvile $59-56$ in last year's 5A title game, is led by Krista final four are back, including last year's champion Ozona (35-2), which takes on Poth (32-5) in Friday's semifinal action. Ozona beat Poth $65-42$ in last year's semifinals.
Gunter ( 341 , which lost in last year's. semifinals to Cooper, takes on tourney new-
comer Edgewood ( $33-2$ ) In Class 1 A , perennial powerhouse
In
Nazaneth (34-2) will be making its 16 th state tournament appearance when it faces three tournament appearance when it faces
timee state titlist Round-Top Carmine (25-3)
in semifinal action today Nazareth has won in semifinal action today. Nazareth has won
12 state titles, including four straight. 1 A 12 state
crowns from 1988-91.
In the other semifinal, Celeste (35-2),
which won back-to-back 1A championships which won back-to-back 1A championships
in 1992 and 1993 , takes on tourney-newcom-

## $\begin{array}{ll}* & \text { 9th graders gave Pampa } \\ \text { a boost at Tiger Relays }\end{array}$

 PAMPA - Freshmen team third in the 800. Pampa's milenembers gave the Pampa girls relay team finished second rack team
weekend's Frenship.
Led by Jenny Fatheree's meet have closed the
gap against Big Spring if the record performances in the 400 -meter relay team hadn't
3200 and 1600 , the Lady been disqualified when Renee inish second behind Big pull. Spring's 152 points.
with our performances, "Renee was a regional qualiicularly the freshmen. Jenny out for the rest of the year,",
Fatheree won two events and
Lopez said. "It's discouraging Rabin Williams looked good,"'
said Pampa head coach Mike In the field events, Pampa's said Pampa head coach Mike In the field events, Pampa's
Lopez.
"Our entire mile relay team Barbara Wine won the shot Audrey Wilbon, Lisa
Kirkpatrick, Leshia Evans and Pampa hosts the Top O' Texas
 try, had a 12:34.06 in the 3200 Workers are needed for the
and a 5:52.16 in the 1600. Both track meet and interested perWere Tiger Relays record.
Williams won the 300 inter-
Lons are urged to call Mike
mediate hurdles and placed
school as soon Smith at the high Pampa freshman Jenny Fatheree displays the Men's race a done deal; women are going down to the wire in Southwest Conference
about 30, ly laubhed Newton "No, not really y " ${ }^{\text {" }}$ know they're
going to be the toughest team
 extremly tough game for
because of Pampa's quickness. Frenshap finished second to
Sweetwater in the District Sweetwater in the District
race. They split two meetings.
"Our "Our district was really balanced this year," said Newton.
"There were some real exciting
Flyers rally to tie Stars

DALLAS (AP) $\overline{\text { End }}$ Eric
Lindros scored his and
41st goals and Craig MacTavish 41st goals and Craig MacTavish as the Philadelphia Flyers ral-
lied from a period deficit for a 4-4 tie with the Da
night.
The Flyers missed a chance at
the victory with the victory with 23 seconds left
in overtime when Anatoli
Semenov missed an open net Semenov missed an ope
from point-blank range.

Mike Modano collected his 31st goal and Benoit Hogue
had three assists to put him
over 400 points over 400 points for his career as
the Stars stretched their unbeaten streak to four games and continued their climb in
the Western Conference playoff

The Stars brought a threegame winning streak into the
game and a victory would have given them their longest of the
seaso

Daryl
Carbonneau
Sydor,
and $\begin{array}{r}\text { Guy } \\ \text { Grant }\end{array}$ Ledyard also had goals for the
Stars. Pat Falloon also scored for the Flyers, who had won three of their previous four
games. The Flyers capped their
third-period MacTavish's rally on
third
Moot blast from the high slot at 13:00.
MacTavish's fifth goal of the
season tied the game at 4-4


UMass just needed some extra time to beat St. Joseph's

| y The Associated Press | seconds left and the atemen (27-1, 15-1 Atlantic | Iowa 69, Wisconsin 54; | conference title. The win, Georgia Tech's sixth straight, alsó |
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| Massachusetts doesn't lose many basketball games. When the Minutemen go overtime, they never lose. <br> The <br> second-ranked | leading 67-66. Padilla went |  |  |
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| Minutemen needed five extra minutes to beat St. Joseph's 68-66 | Terrell |  |  |
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| Wednesday night, their fourth overtime victory of the season and the 11th straight overtime win, a streak that dates to February 1991. <br> "No one's been in more games | Myer |  |  |
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|  | Joseph |  | Jess Settles scored 25 points, |
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|  | his tea | an 11-0 run | 6 Big Ten) overcame a 43-34 |
| like that than us this season," said Marcus Camby, who had 21 points, 15 rebounds and his 300th career blocked shot in the latest |  |  | deficit with 13 minutes to play. |
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| It was Massachusetts' first game since losing its first of the season last Saturday to George Washington | with 2:01 left, |  |  |
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| Calipari said. <br> Going crazy entailed Camby |  | 18 |  |
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| hitting a turnaround jumper in the lane with 1:44 left to break a |  | 6 |  |
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| $63-63$ tie. He then went down-court and registered the mile- |  |  |  |
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| stone block. He rebounded the second of two missed free throws |  |  |  |
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Tina Dwight (above) scored a goal in Pampa's 6-0 vic tory over Caprock in a District 3 soccer match
Tuesday in Amarillo. uesday in Amarilo

PHS girls capture playoff spot
AMARILLO - The Pampa
Lady Harvesters soccer team has clinched at least a third-place
spot for the playofs. spot for the playoffs.
The Lady Harvesters defeated The Lady Harvesters defeated
Caprock, $6-0$, Tuesday to lift their
District 3 record to 3-3. Overall, they have a $6-9$ record. Serenity King scored three
of Pampa's 6 goals against the of Pampa's 6 goals against the
Lady $\quad$ Longhorns. Tina
Dwight, Marasol Dwight, Marasol Resendiz
and Jessica Maddox scored and Jessica Maddox scored
one goal each. Pampa will join Tascosa and
Amarillo High in the playoffs Amen the regular playoffs
wheason
ends. In the boys match, Caprock
posted a $2-0$ win over Pampa. posted a 2-0 win over Pampa.
The Harvesters, $7-5$ overall,
hold down fourth place in the hold down fourth place in the
district standings with a 3-5 record.
The Amarillo
Saturday.

## O'Donnell is moving to the Jets

By The Associated Press there pretty quick." $\quad$ having depth at that position."
 backed the Pittsburgh Steelers to lion, four-year offer to Quentin the Super Bowl, is moving to the
New York Jets. He agreed today to a five-year deal reportedly worth as much as $\$ 25$ million.
While the club did net
While the club did not disclose
financial terms, several reports financial terms, several reports
said the package includes a signing bonus of upe to $\$ 7$ million.
The Jets, who had the NFL's worst record last season at 3-13,
avidly pursued O'Donnell and avidly pursued O'Donnell and
signed offensive tackles Jumbo signed offensive tackes Jumbo
Elliott and David Williams in an attempt to impress the quarter-
back. The St. Louis Rams also
expressed interest in O'Donnell, expressed interest in ODonnell, despite two interceptions in the
Super Bowl that set up two touch Super Bowl that set up two touch-
downs in Dallas' $27-17$ victory over Pittsburgh.
The Arizona Cardinals, one of
The the NFL's least successfull franchises during half a century in three
different cities, also are making up ground in the 1996 signing season.
The Cardinals, who secured The Cardinals, who secured
their two best players in defensive tackle Eric Swann and cornerback Aeneas Williams, picked up major
help for the offense Wednesday
when they signed six-time Pro when they signed six-time Pro
Bowl left tackle Lomas Brown. They hope Brown can anchor an
offensive line for the Cards, 4-12 offensive line for the Cards, $4-12$
last year and in the playoffs only once in the last 21 seasons.
"You need a top-quality left tacknew coach, said after Brown new coach, said after Brown
signed a $\$ 9$ million, three-year deal to help shore up a line that gave up
a league-high 55 sacks. "You pay a lot of money to quar-
terbacks, and if they get hit on the the second time in a week that the Jaguars lost a player to whom they
had tendered an offer sheet. Last had tendered an offer sheet. Last
week, the Chicago Bears matched one to defensive end Alonzo Spellman.
The Colts also signed offensive tackle Troy Auzenne of the Bears,
while the Bears picked up center while tune Bears picked up center Cardinals.
Cunning Cunningham agreed to
year, $\$ 1.5$ million contract. year, $\$ 1.5$ million contract.
Coleman's agent, Brian Ransom left San Diego on Tuesday, hoping to get a better offer from
Jacksonville. He said Wednesday Jacksonville. He said Wednesday
he was preparing to sign an offer he was preparing to sign
sheet with the Chargers. That leaves Miami with two con-
tracts to match if they choose tracts to match if they choose Coleman's and Philadelphia
Eagles'to cornerback Troy Vincent.
n other deals Wednesday: -Tampa Bay Bucaneers matched San Francisco's four year,
$\$ 2.4$ million offer sheet to kicker Michael Husted, again leaving the 49ers without a reliable kicker.
That's the one position they've had That's the one position they've had
trouble filling during their run of trouble filling during their run of
five Super Bowl titles in the last 15
The Bucs didn't match San
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spays. Sal
Francisco will pay Francisco will pay him $\$ 1.4$ million -Journeyman Jeff Brady, who -Journeyman Jeff Brady, who
took over as Minnesota's middle linebacker last season, re-signed linebacker last season, re-signed
with the Vikings for $\$ 900,000$ for
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## After all the speculation, it's now official: Princess Diana wants a divorce

LONDON (AP) - Everyone expected the fairy tale's sad end-
ing. Princess Diana's announcement that she would agree to
divorce was just the final confirmation that the marriage that
captivated the world could not be World briefs

## Official named to form

 Taiwan-China policy TAIPEI, Taiwan (AP) - In an apparent Tiodwill gesture toBeiing, Taiwan has appointed a
a China-born official to head the
agency that formulates policy concerning the mainland. Chang King-yuh, a 58 -year-old
China scholar, is the first chairman of the Mainland Affairs
Council to be born on the Chinese mainland instead of
Taiwan. He was sworn into office Taiwan. He w
Wednesday.
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Yang Kai-huang, a political sci-
entist from Taiwan's Soochow University, said that by appointing Chan, , President Lee Tenghui has taken a "first step in mak-
ing substantial moves to improve ing substantial moves to improve
relations with the mainland." Yang added that Chang's expe-
rience and background should rience and background should help alleviate Beijing's suspicions
that President Lee is scheming to make Taiwan independent of Police ask for American activists to be deported - Police have asked for the deportation of two American peace activists who tried to block
the destruction of five Palestinian the destruction of five Palestinian
homes in the West Bank. Diane Roe, 53, of Cornin Diane Roe, 53 , of Corning,
N.Y., and Robert Naiman, 30 , of
Chicago, were arrested Wednes Chicago, were arrested Wednesday when bulldozers demolished
five homes that Israel said were built without permits in Hebron. Hebron is the last Palestinian city in the West Bank still under ty in the West
of the Chicago-based Christian Peacemaker Teams living in Hebron, sat on the roof of one the homes with family members and
had to be forcibly removed by Israeli soldiers.
Boaz Goldberg, spokesman for
Israeli police in the West Bank, said Israeli police in the West Bank, said police wanted the two deported peace and disturbing police and army soldiers in their work." "We want to send them back to "We want to send them back to where they belong," he said.
Roe and Naiman have been jailed in Jerusalem since Wednesday. A hearing is scheduled for
Friday afternoon.

## Gorbachev says he m

 run for presidency MOSCOW (AP) - Mikhail Gorbachev said today that he has"internally"" decided to run for the Russian presidency, but stopped just short of declaring
himself formally in the race. The former Soviet president told reporters he expects to announce his candidacy some'I can confir nally ready" to run, he said as he arrived at his Gorbachev Foundation think tank in
Moscow. 'It's just a question of Moscow. "Ir's just a question of
the time and the place that I will the time and the place that I will
declare." to rate his chances, he
Asked to Asked to rate his chances, he
said: "If I make the decision to said: "If I make the decision to
run, then I don't just intend to be a wedding general" - that is,
make a ceremonial entry into the contest. If I run, I'll do everything possible to count on winning. "
FPC schedules dates for NET
BORGER - The Frank Phillips College NET (Nurse Entrance Friday, March 1, and Friday, March 8.
The FPC Vocational Nursing Division is now accepting applica-
tions for the 1996-1997 academic tions for the 1996 - year. Students must pass all three sections of the TASP test, or be TASP exempt, before acceptance. They must also pass the NET. monthly on Fridays through March. The non-refundable $\$ 15$ test fee may be paid before or up
to the test date. Space is limited, to the test date. Space is limited, so pre-registration is encouraged.
the classroom phase of the nursing program is conducted in Borger. Hospitals and other clinical sites are utilized in Borger, Dalhart, Dumas,
ton and Guymon. tion, call Marilyn Wood, director of the Nursing Division, at (806) to Administration Room 36 .

What will happen to the British payment of about 15 million mueen the answer they both had been settled. The palace said mously monarchy and the beautiful pounds, or $\$ 23$ million. wanted to hear: She will end her details of the divorce settlement The palace said the queen was princess who vows she won't "go Queen Elizabeth II would have marriage. "most interested" to hear that the quietly" and how much will she to come up with some of the cash, Her surprise announcement "All the details on these mat- 34 -year-old Diana had agreed to
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