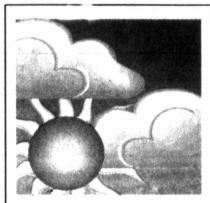
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Low tonight in mid 60s, high tomorrow in mid 80s. See Page 2 for weather details.

PAMPA — Mosquito fogging begins anew - weather permitting - Friday, city officials said today.

Officials expect spraying to take a week. The chemical Malathion - generally considered safe for human and animal life - will be used.

The city Parks Department also offers tips for controling the mosquito population around one's home:

• Keep grass mowed short. Mosquitoes like to hide and breed in tall grass.

 Standing water should be drained.

· Containers such as cans or tires that might hold water should be removed from one's yard.

Citizens should be especially careful during times when mosquitoes are most active - 30 minutes before sunset, 30 minutes after sunrise and any time they are disturbed.

The Parks Department recommends that pedestrians, bicycle riders and vehicles refrain from following the mosquito fogging truck too closely due to the concentra-

tion of insecticide fumes. Those who do not want to have their neighborhood sprayed and have not already called this year with their request should call the Parks Department at 669-5770.

PAMPA — A Mesquite man charged with escape from the Rufe Jordan Unit has been returned to Gray County jail following his July 19 capture in New Mexico.

Michael Preston Copeland, 39, was indicted July 22 following his July 17 escape from a work detail at Lefors School. Copeland drove away from his maintenance assignment at the school in a Lefors Independent School District car. He was captured July 19 near Albuquerque,

Copeland's bond on the escape charge is \$10,000. His arraignment is set for 9 a.m. Aug. 14 in the third floor courtroom of Gray County Courthouse.

By The Associated Press

No ticket correctly matched all six numbers drawn Wednesday night for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas game, state lottery officials said.

The ticket was worth an estimated \$8 million.

The numbers drawn Wednesday night from a field of 50 were: 2, 3, 9, 16, 40 and

There were 114 tickets sold with five of the six numbers, with each ticket worth \$1,460. Saturday night's drawing

will be worth an estimated \$12 million.

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Fugitive shoots himself after standoff with police

From Staff and Wire reports

PERRYTON - A fugitive from Wisconsin fatally shot himself at a remote Panhandle crossroads, ending a nearly four-hour police standoff Wednesday afternoon.

Ronald John Kohl, 30, of Chili, Wis., died about 40 minutes after the 4:13 p.m. shooting at the intersection of Texas 23 and U.S. 83, about 40 miles southeast of Perryton in the far northeastern Panhandle.

He was dead on arrival at Hemphill County Hospital in nearby Canadian, officials said.

Kohl was a fugitive from the Green Bay Correctional Center in Green Bay, Wis., where he was serving a 10-year sentence for burglary and forgery, Ochiltree County dispatcher Ceniceros said.

Wisconsin authorities were unable to confirm that report Wednesday night. The Department of Corrections did not immediately return a message left by The Associated Press.

The series of events began Tuesday when Kohl told a manager at a county-owned restaurant at Lake Fryer a branch had fallen on his van and damaged it. When she told the van's driver that she had reported the incident to the Ochiltree County Sheriff's office, he asked the manager to call back Ochiltree County Sheriff, Joe Hataway said today.

Chief Deputy Bobby Kyle

Kohl gave him a false name and eral times but always went back identified his girlfriend as his wife.

When Kyle confirmed that was a fake name, Kohl told the deputy he and his girlfriend were running from her husband. He then gave Kyle his correct name.

Kohl's name was not tagged as wanted in the dispatcher's computer, Hataway said, but he added that the dispatcher noticed Kohl had been in prison but no release date was listed.

She called the Wisconsin Department of Corrections, who confirmed that Kohl had escaped from some sort of house arrest for two 10-year sentences for burglary, Hataway said.

When Kyle again confronted Kohl, the fugitive took off at a rapid rate of speed and led officers on a 30-mile chase.

Deputies and state troopers chased the van through Ochiltree and Lipscomb counties at speeds reaching 90 mph, before officers shot out the van's two tires.

Hataway said Kohl continued driving at a high rate of speed, throwing off the rubber remains of his two right tires.

Lipscomb County Chief Deputy T.L. Floyd then shot out Kohl's radiator, forcing him to stop the

Hataway said Department of Public Safety Trooper David Smith was able to convince Kohl and tell them not to come, to release his girlfriend's two children. Kohl then told his girlfriend to leave the van as well.

Officers negotiated with to the lake the next morning, for over three hours, Hataway ters, ages 3 and 5, were injured, though, to check on the situation. said. Kohl "almost came out sev- officials said.

in," the sheriff said.

"It was so frustrating to see it nearly succeded, then it not succeed," Hataway said.

Kohl repeatedly told officers he was afraid they would beat him up or shoot him. He also expressed fear that he would be sent back to prison.

Lipscomb County Sheriff Calvin Babitzke and Deputy Floyd were able to convince him to set his gun down for a time, then tried to pull him out the window. Kohl broke free, though, and again grabbed his gun.

The officers retreated to the back of the van to get out of Kohl's range and threatened to use mace on Kohl.

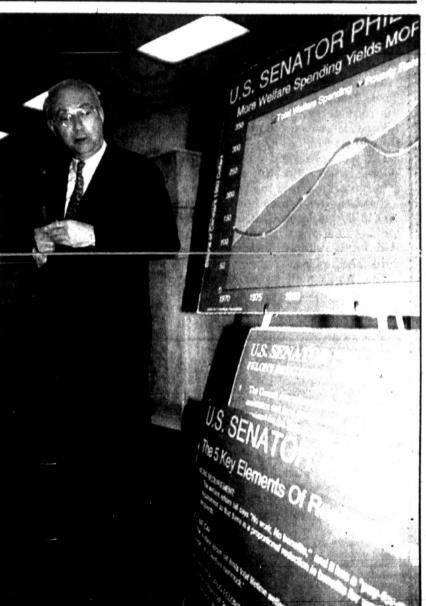
Kohl begged them not to but still wouldn't come out, Hataway

Officers then opened the van's back door, leaving Floyd face-toface with Kohl. The fugitive wheeled around and aimed his gun toward Floyd. The deputy took one shot and missed, Hataway said.

Immediately, though, Kohl turned his gun on himself and fired, Hataway said.

Kohl's girlfriend, Vicki Lynn Harding, 31, of Marshfield, Wis., was Kohl's girlfriend, Ms. Ceniceros said. She was charged with second-degree felondy hindering an arrest and is in custody in Ochiltree County Jail. She is

being held on a \$10,000 bond. Neither she nor her two daugh



U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm refers to charts detailing the amount spent on welfare, his idea of welfare reform and his plan to keep convicted drug felons from receiving welfare benefits.

Sen. Phil Gramm provides details of welfare reform

By CHERYL BERZANSKIS News Editor

United States Senator Phil Gramm expects President Bill Clinton on Friday to sign a comprehensive welfare reform bill which will, among other things, eliminate cash Aid to Families with Dependent Children and food stamp eligibility to convicted drug felons.

Gramm, visiting Pampa Wednesday evening during heavy rain, told the 50-plus attendees at M.K. Brown Auditorium the bill, passed by both houses and awaiting Clinton's signature, is "the most comprehensive welfare change in the last 50 years."

"If you add up every penny since 1930 ... we have spent \$5.2 trillion trying to help the poor people of America," said Gramm.

He equated that with the total value of plant and equipment, farms, factories and homes in the United States.

The first welfare families had two parents, he said.

"Today virtually no welfare family has two parents," Gramm explained.

He expects the national debate to continue for the next year while the program is implemented.

The welfare reform bill aims to utilize family and work to get people off welfare rolls.

"For 60 years in welfare there are two things we never tried," Gramm said.

The bill specifically denies AFDC and food stamps for drug convictions after the bill is enacted. It requires recipients to work, be enrolled in a training program or provide community service in exchange for benefits. Receipt of benefits for the able bodied is limited to five years.

The bill does not deprive children of aid, but reduces a family's aid by the proportional amount the felon would receive, he explained.

The bill, he said, sets standards of behavior and requires

recipients to help themselves. "Our idea is to have a simple idea of standards and let the states run the program," Gramm said.

Current benefits provided to illegal aliens are illegal now, Gramm said. "I don't think this bill is per-

fect, but it is a step in the right direction," Gramm said.

Rancher Janet Howell applauded the new provisions because of her experience trying to hire workers and being told they couldn't work because they would lose welfare.

able bodied that can work will be allowed to work," she said. "They've got to have pride ... When you lose pride in yourself, that's it." Another attendee, brand

"The fact the people that are

inspector Kelly Rushing, also praised the efforts. "I think it is a positive step.

The public should not have to support drug abusers through both ends - the penal system and the welfare system," he

Jim Douglas described himself as a Republican since Harry "There should be more of it

(welfare reform) and quicker," Douglas said. Douglas said he and three sib-

lings were raised by their father, widower, during the Depression.

"We lived without welfare," he said.

Gramm said the bill does not

apply to Women's, Infants and Children's federal feeding programs or Medicaid.

According to Gramm, there are five key elements to the

Work requirement.

 Lifetime cap. · No benefits to convicted

drug felons.

 Maximum state flexibility through block grants. Removal of welfare magnet

require sponsors to assist immigrants who fall on hard

Storm brings 3.58 inches of rain to Lefors Gully washer might be an dirt roads," Kimbley said. we had were because of an acci-

understatement for Lefors last

The city received 3.58 inches as of 7 a.m. today, according to the National Weather Service, and the city continued to receive more rain this morning.

City Superintendent Mark Kimbley said that a few roads were washed out and some were covered in water this morning.

"We are definitely going to have to do some work on all the

Other area towns received

mately 14.75 inches.

smaller amounts of rain, with Pampa receiving 1.04 inches, Miami with 1.25, Panhandle with 1.27 and McLean with 0.5 inch. The latest rain brings Pampa's year-to-date total to approxi-

Southwestern Public Service foreman Bill Rash said that there were several power outages here

in Pampa and two poles down. "Most of the power problems

dent on Kingsmill, but there were some outages caused by lightning and blown fuses, Rash said.

Tonight's forecast calls for a 30 percent chance of more rain, with a low near 65.

Wednesday night's storm was caused by a cold front that pushed south of the area yesterday, and most of the moisture is from Pacific coast systems, according to NWS.

Pampan serving as GOP delegate

By CHERYL BERZANSKIS **News Editor**

Delegate to the national Republican convention Carolyn Stroud left today for San Diego to take her seat among 123 Texans committed to presiden-

tial candidate Bob Dole. Stroud, vice chairman of Gray County Republican Party, joins Benona Love, Amarillo, and George Clay, Wichita Falls, as a convention delegate representing the 13th Congressional dis-

"I feel real honored and real thankful I was picked," Stroud

said. Delegates are uncommitted for vice presidential candidates.

She personally prefers Rep. John Kasick of Ohio as Dole's running mate, but believes more likely choices are Gov. John Angler of Michigan or Gov. Tommy Thompson of Wisconsin.

Her other responsibilities include adoption of the GOP platform.

"The issues ... I think (the liberal media and think tanks) have overblown the abortion issue. The abortion issue has been in the Republican platform since 1976. Why do we want to change something that's working? The conservative movement will unify the party if the liberal media will leave it alone," she

One of the most important issues of the next four years is selection of Supreme Court justices, Stroud said.



Ed and Carolyn Stroud left today for the GOP national convention in San Diego. Mrs. Stroud represents the 13th Congressional District. Her hat and shirt were made by friends for her to wear at the convention.

Stroud expects a Clinton reelection to signal a furtherance of the liberal agenda, she said.

"In 1992 (Clinton) made a statement in a speech he was tired of people telling him what family values were ... During his three years in office, he's a conservative. I believe the American people are going to have their eves opened what their freedoms are to be protected," Stroud said. Stroud, a lifelong Republican,

said she began GOP activism in

1987 with the candidacy of

Virginia televangelist

"Because I could see where the country was going," she said. The delegate is a member of

the Christian Coalition now the target of a Federal Election Commission suit alleging violation of federal election laws for partisan activities. "If it's wrong it needs to be exposed. I don't want to slam

Christian Coalition. That's doesn't mean everything about them is wrong," Stroud said. Stroud is traveling with her husband, Ed Stroud.

Convention activities begin Sunday with the official opening on Monday.

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Daily Record

Services tomorrow

HARVEY, Vera — 4 p.m., Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel, Pampa.

Obituaries

RUDOLPH LAVAUGHN 'JUNIOR' JENKINS Rudolph Lavaughn "Junior" Jenkins, 47, of Pampa, died Wednesday, Aug. 7, 1996, at Amarillo. Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Thacker Haynes, pastor of the United Methodist Church of McLean, officiating. Burial will be in Memorial Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Jenkins was born June 2, 1949, at Memphis, Texas. He had been a lifelong Pampa resident. He married Terry Garrison on July 19, 1996, at Pampa. He was a member of the Royal Order of the Moose #1385.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Bobbie Jenkins, on Nov. 30, 1988.

Survivors include his wife, Terry, of the home; a stepdaughter, Marcy Hink of Pampa; a stepson, Tim Miller of Pampa; his father, Rudolph "Rudy" Jenkins of Pampa; a brother, Ronnie Jenkins of Pampa; five step-grandchildren; and numerous aunts and uncles.

The family will be at 312 N. Wells and 333 Perry in Pampa.

Stocks

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Corn. 7 64	Halliburton 54 3/4	NC
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Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa.	Wal-Mart 24 3/4	NC
Amoco	New York Gold	388.00
Arpo116 1/2 NO	Silver	4.98
Calbot26 1/8 up 1/9	West Texas Crude	20.90
Cabot O&G:16 NC		

Ambulance

Rural/Metro reported the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today. **WEDNESDAY, Aug. 7**

9:34 p.m. - A mobile ICU unit responded to the 1700 block of East Harvester on a possible Price Road. injury, No patient was transported.

THURSDAY, Aug. 8 12:45 a.m. - A mobile ICU unit responded to the 300 block of Brown on a trauma and transported one patient to Columbia Medical Center.

3:36 a.m. - A mobile ICU unit responded to eight miles west of Pampa on Highway 60 on a trauma and transported one patient to Columbia Medical Center.

Fires

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

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 7

7:35 p.m. - Two units and seven personnel responded to 1002 S. Hobart on a smoke scare. 8:01 p.m. - One unit and two personnel responded to the alley of the 300 block of Christy on a good intent call. »

8:35 p.m. - One unit and four personnel responded to the 1700 block of East Harvester on a motor vehicle accident

Calendar of events

BLOOD PRESSURE CHECK

A blood pressure check and blood sugar tests offered from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. each Friday in the Red Cross office, 108 N. Russell. A donation is accepted to cover expenses.

Police report

Pampa Polis Department reported the following incidents and arrests in the 24-hour period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

WEDNESDAÝ, Aug. 7 Theft of a \$150 double barrel shot gun and \$2,000 cash was reported in the 1900 block of

Two checks totaling \$193 were reported forged at First Bank Southwest and occurred between 9

and 10 a.m. Wednesday. National Bank of Commerce reported forgery on savings account withdrawals totaling \$275

which occurred July 10. Two episodes of sexual assault on children were reported by Det. Connie Lockridge. The victims were 8 and 11 year old boys. They received no injuries. A 13-year-old boy was taken into custody by juvenile authorities. The offenses

occurred in Pampa over a period of time. Theft of a Montgomery Ward air conditioner valued at \$400 was reported in the 700 block of West Buckler between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Wednesday.

Criminal trespass of a habitation was reported in the 600 block of North Dwight at 7 p.m.

A 23-year-old man reported aggravated assault in the 100 block of South Starkweather at 10:40 p.m. Wednesday. He suffered a half-inch cut with a pocket knife to the left index finger and told police one of the four attackers displayed a small

THURSDAY, Aug. 8

A 26-year-old woman reported assault with injury in the 300 block of East Brown which occurred at 12:01 a.m. Thursday. She suffered a swollen right eye. The woman was treated and released from Columbia Medical Center.

A 67-year-old man reported assault in the 800 block of North Nelson at 12:40 a.m. Thursday.

> Arrests WEDNESDAY, Aug. 7

Mario Isidro Portillo, 32, 817 Locust, was arrested at Gray County Sheriff's Office on two

capias pro fine warrants. Jeremy Lyn Evans, 432 Hill, was arrested at Starkweather and Foster, on two warrants alleging running a stop sign and failure to appear. Fines total \$242.

Sheriff's Office

Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following incidents and arrests in the 24-hour period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 7 Criminal trespass was reported in the 300 block of West McCullough.

Triangle Well Service reported theft on South

Arrests

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 7

Morris Morgan Johnson, 48, 1433 Williston, was arrested on a charge of criminal trespass. He was released on bond.

Thereshia Denevelyn Proctor, 32, Dallas, was arrested on a grand jury indictment alleging forgery of a financial instrument. Her bond is

Rhonda Lynn Reiser, 27, 1120 Sierra, was arrested on a bench warrant.

Michael Preston Copeland, 39, Mesquite, was arrested on a grand jury indictment alleging escape. His bond is \$10,000.

Accidents

Pampa Police Department reported the following accident in the 24-hour period which ended

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 7

9:05 p.m. - An unknown vehicle was in collision with a legally parked 1985 Ford pickup owned by Michael F. Arzola, 1812 N. Russell, in the 1800 block of North Russell. The vehicle fled

Emergency numbers

Ambulance	911
Fire	911
Police (emergency)	911
Police (non-emergency)	

NASA pushes for exploration of Mars

trified by research suggesting Goldin said. that Mars may once have harinviting the world to help out.

Daniel Goldin, who heads the National Aeronautics and Space Science Foundation said the new en-colored particles inside a Administration, said Wednesday evidence "reignites the excitehe was calling on the international ment of discovery and pioneerscience community to offer suggestions and guidance for a "robust" ence program of exploration" of Mars.

lander and an orbiter, were linked in the popular mind with sausage-shaped particles that planned for launch this fall, and the search for extraterrestrials, McKay said he was interpreting Goldin said eight more craft - called the research "the most as fossilized microbes because, two every other year - will rock- provocative and evocative piece though smaller, they resemble et toward Mars within a decade.

It is too late to modify hard- Earth ware on the spacecraft to be launched this year, but Goldin said the later missions could be revised to take into account the new Mars data.

President Clinton on Wednessummit in November to "discuss

how America should pursue answers" to questions prompted wondered if life forms are possiby the Mars research, and Goldin ble on other worlds," he said. said the conference would "Now, for the first time, we have finclude international scientists. scientific evidence to begin to

"I intend the world space lead- answer this question."

WASHINGTON (AP) - Elec- ership to work with us on this,"

The announcement that there bored life, America's space was evidence of early life on agency is gearing up for a scien- Mars-sent an energizing jolt. Wednesday. tific assault on the red planet and through the government and scientific community.

Dr. Neal Lane of the National ing spirit which motivates all sci-

Carl Sagan, the Cornell planet 3.6 billion years ago. Two American spacecraft, a University scientist most closely of evidence for life beyond ancient bacteria found in Earth

> He said if the results are proven "it could be a turning point in human history.

Louis D. Friedman, director of the Planetary Society, said implications of the Mars results "reach day said he would hold a space beyond science to all aspects of human life.

A NASA-backed team formally presented what it considered to be evidence of ancient microbial life on Mars at a news conference

David McKay of the Johnson Space Center, leader of the research team, said minute goldmeteorite from Mars harbored chemical and organic evidence that bacteria-sized organisms lived and thrived on the red

The researchers also found tiny

All this evidence, gathered from tests on particles a billionth the size of a pinhead, McKay said, suggests "the simplest explanation is that they are the remains of early Martian life."

When a full-scale search for life on Mars is mounted, scientists "For all our history, we have say the best place to look will be below the surface in permafrost or in the polar ice caps. McKay said there could even be underground water systems harboring

Flash floods kill 63, injure 180 in Spain

BIESCAS, Spain (AP) - Flash 1000 sent roc s and mud tearing through a packed campsite in the Pyrenees Mountains between France and Spain, killing as many as 63 people and sweeping away trees, cars and furniture.

Some 180 people were injured in the torrent of water, rocks and mud, officials said today.

Police said 650 people, mostly Spaniards, had been staying at the Virgen de Las Nieves camp on the outskirts of this tiny mountain town 15 miles from the French border. About 100 people were missing.

Hundreds of divers, firefighters and other rescue workers backed by helicopter teams and army mountain units moved into the area as dawn broke to search for survivors.

Prime Minister Jose Maria Aznar, on a tour of the site, said 62 or 63 people had died.

Local officials and police, however, reported a lower death toll. By afternoon, 56 bodies had been recovered, said Jose Manuel Guiu, spokesman for the regional government of Aragon. The dead included six children, Spanish national radio and the EFE news

agency reported. "I ran to try to help a girl. But a time comes when it's either you or them," survivor Antonio Espinosa told national television from his hospital bed. "I got out alive, but I don't know what happened to the girl."

The flooding began Wednesday evening as heavy rain quickly turned torrential, moving rocks and forming rivers of mud. Today, the camp looked like a battlefield strewn with cars, campers and uprooted trees. Television pictures showed the hand of a buried person gripping the branch of a tree.

Guiu said the camp site had literally been washed away. One body had been found 10 miles from the area.

The flooding washed recreational vehicles, tents, trees and pieces of furniture hundreds of yards from the site, Aragon regional president Santiago community." Lanzuela told national radio.

'It's been a terrible, tragic night," he said. "There's nothing else one can say.

Dozens of people were evacuated and put up in hotels, police stations and private homes in the

Many tourists from Britain, the Netherlands, Germany and France were among the campers at Virgen de Nieves, located between two Pyrenees Mountain ravines at an altitude of 2,800

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

east winds to 15 mph. A 30 per-

REGIONAL FORECAST

chance

6 a.m. today.

judges will use the public comwho believes the facility will be a ments, along with testimony boon to the community. from later hearings, to arrive at Even though she was on a difa recommendation on whether ferent side of the issue, Ramirez

second day Wednesday, is part of they were few.

tive dump and now that she can region.

frustrated that outsiders domi- opponents.

speak, she finds her voice being

nated the debate as they have

from the back of a gym packed

the licensing procedure for the

Two state administrative law

"It upsets me a lot," she said

always seemed to.

dump.

Neighborhood Watch program

Mayor Bob Neslage and Cpl. Donny Brown of the crime

prevention program display the signed proclamation for the

Neighborhood Watch and HEAT programs. HEAT stands

for Help End Auto Theft and is a program for citizens to reg-

ister their vehicles with the police department. Many partic-

ipants in the Neighborhood Watch program in Pampa held

block parties Tuesday night as part of the annual Night Out

event. For more information on the two programs, contact

Dump site residents feel

left out in nuclear debate

SIERRA BLANCA, Texas (AP) officials from surrounding com-

Maria Ramirez feels her future munities and from Mexico

is spinning out of her control. She attacking the dump as a poten-

had no say in the state's decision tial threat to the environment

to target her town for a radioac- and welfare of residents in the

Ramirez attended a state hear- and experts favoring the site and

ing to solicit comment on the pro- local officials urging state author-

posed Sierra Blanca dump, but ities to consider scientific evi-

like other town residents she was dence over the emotional pleas of

with people waiting to address sometimes wearing a red ribbon

state officials. "I mean, this is our proclaiming "I live in Sierra

The hearing, which entered its address the hearings officers. But

Cpl. Brown at the Pampa Police Department.

The Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission will come out, that will help us

the facility should receive a

then cast a final vote.

The proceedings opened with to fight it together."

ly cloudy with a chance of show-

ers or thunderstorms. Highs in low to mid 80s. Partly cloudy tonight with a North Texas - Tonight and low near 65 and variable winds

Friday, mostly cloudy west and central. Partly cloudy east. 5-10 mph. A 30 percent chance Widely scattered thunderstorms of showers and thunderstorms. area wide. Lows 68 north to 73 Friday, partly sunny with a high in the mid 80s and southsouth. Highs 88 to 92.

South Texas - Hill Country of rain. and South Central: Tonight, part-Wednesday's high was 89; the ly cloudy with a slight chance of overnight low was 64. Pampa showers or thunderstorms. Lows Tonight, mostly cloudy south, cloudy with a slight chance of partly cloudy north. A chance of showers or thunderstorms. Lows thunderstorms. Lows 60 to 65. in mid 70s inland to low 80s Friday, partly cloudy with a coast. Friday, partly cloudy with chance of thunderstorms. Highs a chance of showers or thunder-80 to 87. South Plains: Tonight, storms. Highs in low to mid 90s. mostly cloudy with a chance of Coastal Bend and Rio Grande showers or thunderstorms. Lows Plains: Tonight, partly cloudy. in the 60s. Friday, partly to most- Lows in mid to upper 70s.

"I think if the community will more," she said. "I think we need Friday, partly cloudy with a

agreed that residents should

have bigger role.

(Pampa News photo by Tiffanie Franks)

They were followed by anti-

Austin-based environmental-

Every now and then a resident,

Blanca," would get up and

"I resent it (the heavy outside

involvement). I certainly do,"

said steel cutter George Porter,

ists even led a march through the

nuke activists, outside doctors

slight chance of showers or thunderstorms. Highs near 90 coast to mid 90s inland, near 103 Rio Grande plains.

BORDER STATES New Mexico - Tonight, mostly

cloudy west and partly cloudy east with scattered thunder storms, mainly across the northwest half during the evening. Lows 40s and 50s mountains and north with 60s lower elevations received 1.04 inch of moisture in mid 70s. Friday, brief morning central and south. Friday, partly in the 24-hour period ending at clouds becoming partly cloudy cloudy with scattered afternoon with a chance of showers or and nighttime thunderstorms. thunderstorms. Highs in upper Highs 60s and 70s mountains West Texas - Panhandle: 90s. Upper Coast: Tonight, partly and northeast with 80s else

Oklahoma - Tonight, a chance of showers and thunderstorms southern regions. Otherwise clear to partly cloudy. Lows from low 60s northwest regions to low 70s near the Red River. Friday, partly cloudy. Highs upper 80s

City briefs

BRICK REPAIR, Harley Knutson. 665-4237. Adv.

PAMPA MIDDLE School Booster Club needs you! Parents interested in serving on Booster Club board, please call Debbie Kilcrease, 665-4019. Adv.

LEFORS INDEPENDENT School now has Free and Reduced Lunch Applications ready, you may pick them up in the Elementary or High School Office. Adv.

HORSE AND Mule on sale Circle C Boot & Saddle 665-1142. Adv.

BILLIE'S BOUTIQUE, 2143 N. Hobart, all Summer merchandise 1/4 to 1/2 of 1/2 off!

8X12 STORAGE for rent. Call 664-1813 or 669-9830. Adv.

ROBERT J. Philips D.O. welcomes current and new patients to both his Pampa office and Amarillo office. Pampa 669-1242, Amarillo 352-7096 or 800-687-6374. Adv.

BALLOONS - BIRTHDAY Anniversary, Special Occasions, etc. Dusty Attic, 2121 N. Hobart. 665-0020. Adv.

SUMMER CLEARANCE at Sweet Repeats continues, 100's \$6.90 per bag thru 8-10-96, of items at \$1 including all fried steak. Thursday 5-8 p.m. shorts. Remaining tags at 1/2 price. 115 N. Cuyler. Adv.

Crafts, Collectibles and Gifts at the Dusty Attic, 2121 N. Hobart, next to Tangles. 665-0020. Adv.

COTTONWOOD SPRINGS "Authentic Chuckwagon Sup-

per" - accepting reservations for Friday, August 9, 1996. Call 665-2961 for more information FOR SALE appointment only

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3	16,367	23,292	1.364	1.941	315	448
4	19,695	28,028	1,642	2,336	379	539
5	23.023	32,764	1,919	2.731	443	631
6	26,351	37,500	2,196	3.125	507	722
7	29,679	42,236	2.474	3,520	571	813
8	33.007	46,972	2,751	3,915	635	904
9	36,335	51.708	3.029	4.310	699	996
10	39,663	56,444	3,307	4.705	763	1,088
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12	46,319	65,916	3,863	5,495	891	1,272
or each addi	tional family + \$3,328	member add: + 4,736	+ \$278	+ \$395	+ \$64	+ \$92

PISD announces lunch price guidelines

District food service division this week announced its policy for pro- households provide on the appli- reviewing official on an informal viding free and reduced-price meals for children served under the National School Lunch Program and School Breakfast Program.

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Each school and the central office have copies of the policy, which may be reviewed by any interested party.

The household size and income criteria identified in the accompanying chart will be used to determine eligibility for free and reduced-price benefits. Children from households whose income must sign the application. is at or below the levels shown are eligible for free or reducedprice meals.

Foster children that are the legal responsibility of a welfare and source of income received by agency or court may also be eligible for benefits regardless of the income of the household with adult household member who the children of the household eliwhom they reside. Eligibility for signs the application. If the the foster child is based on the household adult who signs the

children. Applications are also adult household member. available in each school's princi-

price meals, households must fill will review applications and should write immediately to the Houston annexation propos-

For school officials to determine ing food stamps or AFDC only have to list their child's name and

ing the school year.

Households that do not list a food stamp or AFDC case number must list the names of all household members, the amount each household member and the Social Security number of the application does not have a the levels in the chart. Application forms are being Social Security number, that perdistributed to all households son must indicate that a Social ing programs administered by with a letter informing house- Security number is not available the holds of the availability of free by writing the word "none." The Agriculture, no child will be disand reduced-price meals for their application must be signed by an criminated against because of

free and reduced-price meal of a household believes they have To apply for free and reduced- police, the food service director been discriminated against, they

Pampa Independent School be submitted anytime during the official's ruling may wish to disschool year. The information cuss the decision with the cation will be used for the pur- basis. Parents wishing to make a pose of determining eligibility formal appeal for a hearing on and verification of data, the decision may make either an Applications may be verified by oral or written request to Superschool officials at any time durintendent Dr. Dawson Orr, 321 W. Albert, 669-4700.

Households that list a food eligibility for free and reduced- stamp or AFDC case number price benefits, households receiv- must report when the household no longer receives those benefits. Other households approved for food stamp or AFDC case num- benefits based on income inforber. An adult household member mation must report increased in household income of over \$50 per month or \$600 per year and decreases in household size.

Also, if a household member becomes unemployed or if the household size increases, the household should contact the school. Such changes may make gible for benefits if the household's income falls at or below

In the operation of child feed-U.S. Department of race, color, sex, national origin, Under the provisions of the age or handicap. If any member out the application and return it determine eligibility. Parents or Secretary of Agriculture, Washto the school. Applications may guardians dissatisfied with the ington D.C., 20250.

City braces for worst case scenario

ble duty starting this weekend.

Welcome to Fortress San hammers. Diego, where security has become a way of life for down-National Convention next week.

With the Olympic bombing in Atlanta still fresh on the minds of San Diegans, everyone from the mayor to the graffiti cleanup crew at the downtown trolley stop has become more security conscious.

But Nick Lombard, who works at Horton Plaza mall three blocks from the convention center, does will prevent a disaster.

"I wish it didn't have to come to the on his way to work as a photo technician. "At this rate, everyone will be locked inside their houses and the thieves will be running the streets."

Meanwhile, workers in hard hats were erect- the 446 resident boats.

SAN DIEGO (AP) - The con- ing fences and installing cement crete dividers are up, the main barriers near the convention cendrag outside the convention center ter. City road crews placed No beefed-up this week in response is closed and police will be on dou- Parking signs along feeder to the July 27 Atlanta bombing streets amid the thunder of jack-

A cluster of five uniformed police officers chatted on one town workers and residents corner, while security guards in gearing up for the Republican orange vests helped confused drivers navigate tricky downtown detours.

Still, Lombard does not mind having to park six miles away at Jack Murphy Stadium and ride a shuttle to work during the fourday event because many down- there's definitely more police in for delegates, demonstrators and

San Diegans who use the city's not mind the inconvenience if it waterfront amenities will have kind of wary because I know, convention this," Lombard said Wednesday Embarcadero Park outside the more, even after the convenconvention center will be shut down the entire week and the Broadway Pier will be closed for

> On top of that, the Marriott construction Marina will be closed to all but few blocks from the convention

It's all part of the GOP conven-; tion security plan, which was California Highway Patrol officers will reinforce the San Diego Police Department and city police officers will extend their regular shifts from 10 hours a day to 12.

City employees are also being asked to watch a bomb awareness video that explains what to do if they find a suspicious package or receive a bomb threat.

With the convention coming, town parking lots will be cleared the area," said transit worker Renarda Young as she wiped graffiti from a trash receptacle at a trolley station. "It makes me to change their routine during they're watching. But they need since to patrol the downtown area tion.

Federal juror Joyce Donnelly said there has been a noticeable increase in evacuation disaster drills at the federal building, a

State briefs

Spanish citizenship **HOUSTON** (AP) - A South Texas priest accused in a sexual attack on several teenage boys and a man two years ago has filed to regain his Spanish citizenship.

The move by the Rev. Jesus Garcia, now living near Madrid, Spain, virtually put a stop to a fugitive warrant for his arrest.

Houston FBI spokesman Jim Conway said his office learned recently that Garcia had applied for repatriation about a month ago.

"With that being the case, the State Department is holding off on serving the warrant until the citizenship question is resolved," Conway said

"If he's denied citizenship, then we'll pick him up. If he's granted citizenship, there's the possibility he could be prosecuted by Spanish authorities."

al stirring controversy

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston's mayor has outlined a proposal move that is stirring controversy in suburban Kingwood.

Mayor Bob Lanier believes the annexation of Kingwood and five smaller areas is necessary partly the suburbs, which has left the core Rock and St. Louis.

Priest seeks reinstatement of of the city economically depleted. "A lot of areas in our (surrounding community) are quite frankly dependent on the city of Houston," Lanier said Tuesday. "It's a real problem in this country when upper-income folks move out and don't take part in

> supporting the city." His annexation program includes 18 municipal utility districts and an industrial zone composed of several businesses near the Houston Ship Channel.

San Antonio-to-Dallas-to-St. Louis service to halt

DALLAS (AP) — Amtrak is about to fade further from the Texas transportation picture.

The federally owned passenger rail corporation was expected to announce today that it will eliminate its only north-south route in Texas, leaving Dallas as the nation's largest city without interstate passenger rail service.

Amtrak spokesman Mark Magliari refused Wednesday to aimed at annexing 33 square confirm the report. However, miles within the city limits, a Amtrak employees said they were told that the "Texas Eagle" line is scheduled to end Nov. 10.

Trains roll three times weekly in each direction along the line from San Antonio through Fort because of middle-income flight to Worth, Dallas, Longview, Little

Morales: Texas ranks high in collecting child support

AUSTIN (AP) — Attorney General Dan Morales says Texas' effort to collect child support from deadbeat parents is among the best in the nation.

According to national rankings, Texas in 1995 was seventh nationally in total dollars in child support collected, fourth for establishing court-ordered child support and second for determining paternity.

During the federal government's 1995 fiscal year, Texas ranked eighth for the total average number of child support cases at 736,413, the attorney general said.

"We're in the top ten in every significant category and our ascent in performance is incredible," Morales said Wednesday. "We're going to continue our aggressive approach to child support collections. We're not going to mess with success."

According to other federal child support statistics, though, Texas collects payments on about 14 percent of all delinquent cases. The national average is about 18 percent.

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Jury convicts preteen of fatally beating toddler

ing death of a toddler.
"We don't believe the prosecution proved a thing against this beat Jayla to death, hitting her on child," public juvenile defense the head and body more than a attorney Kameron Johnson said after the verdict was announced Wednesday.

After two days of deliberations, jurors convicted the preteen of the beginning of a sentencing criminally negligent homicide hearing, which began immediand intentional injury to a child. She was found innocent of the more serious charges of capital

murder and manslaughter. The convicted girl was 11 at the time of the beating that killed 2 1/2-year-old Jayla Belton on May 24. She appeared to show little emotion as Travis County District Judge John Dietz read the

verdict. "We're very happy that they were able to come to the verdict they did," said Gary Cobb, an assistant Travis County district attorney. "We recognized the dif- Texas Youth Commission until ficulty of a jury finding that a she is 21 on the separate homi-

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AUSTIN (AP) - The attorney child of 12 years of age would cide conviction. That conviction for a 12-year-old girl promises to intend to kill a 2-year-old child. I appeal her conviction in the beat- think the jury did have difficulty with that.'

Cobb had argued that the girl dozen times. According to a medical examiner, Jayla died of a ruptured liver.

After two witnesses testified at ately after the verdict was announced, the 12-year-old hugged her family and her attorney before being escorted from the courthouse.

The sentencing hearing was expected to continue today.

While the murder of a child under 6 is a capital offense in Texas, the 12-year-old was too young to be tried as an adult.

For the charge of intentional injury to a child, she faces a jury sentence of up to 40 years in custody.

Dietz could sentence her to the

first-degree felony, including intentional injury to a child, could expect to be in the youth system for at least three years.

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Opinion

INS battles bad PR. inner conflicts

Yet another government bureaucracy has become enmeshed in political controversy. Immigration and Naturalization Service Commissioner Doris Meissner is having to defend her agency from scathing reports and Republican Party criticism.

The Justice Department's inspector general last month accused the INS of deliberately misleading a congressional panel that visited Miami INS facilities last year. According to the report, the agency moved detainees from the area to other locations - or simply set them free - to hide overcrowding in Miami

Compounding this report are new revelations that similar practices took place in California. INS investigators have found that arrest records were falsified and some detainees were not processed, in order to show a lower number of apprehensions. This was done, the investigation concluded, to give the impression that the agency's celebrated "Operation Gatekeeper" was a success. Lower numbers would suggest that because of the program, fewer Mexicans were motivated to cross the border illegally in San Diego, where it was implemented.

Republicans also criticize the INS for allegedly hiding the fact that legal immigration is up sharply this year. In fact, the GOP alleges, the agency was even claiming that fewer people were coming into the United States. The lower numbers are being called an attempt to reduce the perception that tougher immigration policies are needed.

GOP politicians accuse the agency of skewing data for political ends. Democrats, on the other hand, are calling the reports mere political attacks. So what else is new?

The American people have long grown tired of the political manipulation of government bureaucracies. Many of these agencies including the INS - originally were supported by the public, which expected them to perform necessary functions. But our hopes that such agencies would perform their duties faithfully regardless of what political party happened to be in power at the time - have wilted under the barsh reality that they are merely more pieces in the high-stakes political chess game in our capital

So the INS falsifies information and fails to process arrestees in order to make superiors - including the president - look good. The FBI gathers and turns over information on hundreds of private citizens just to appease the whims of White House staffers. Cabinet members and even the first lady – with their entourages, of course - trot the globe on expensive "good will" junkets.

.What's most disgusting is that our taxes are paying for all of

 The Clinton administration has made much use of the term "reinventing government." That phrase would be much more credible if it; were applied to the actual functions of the hundreds of agencies that have become little more than taxpayer-funded campaign tools.

Politicians representing all political parties have professed their eommitment to government reform. They could prove that cominitment by letting government offices focus on the jobs they were commissioned to do, and stop using them as political tools.

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Berry's World

When is casual too casual? Most Americans who followed the news reports

on the 1993 operation to separate Siamese twin girls in Philadelphia were absorbed in the hearttouching tragedy. A few of us, watching the father discuss the matter with the news media, were able to put aside our tender emotions long enough to consider a less profound matter: Why would this guy appear on national television in a tank top?

Later, I should acknowledge, he met with the press in his formal attire, a University of Michigan I-shirt. On the earlier occasion, the unfortunate man happened to be in an airport, where his fashion standards may have been dragged down by the example of those around him. It's a venue in which, experience suggests, anyone not wearing a tank top will feel extravagantly overdressed.

I am not yet 40, but that is old enough to remember when a woman would not board an airliner except in a dress, stockings and pumps. Today, few feel much compunction about venturing on with not only their legs and toes but midriffs bare.

A generation ago, people dressed for air travel the way they dressed to go to church and for the same reason: It was serious business, demanding serious attire. Modern passengers dress the way they dress to weed the garden, with the exception of a few young men who look ready to go might be heading off to waitress at Hooters.

We still have serious business, but we no longer assume it requires serious attire. People employed in offices, true, generally avoid looking like they just got finished drywalling the basement, but that is due solely to the tyranny of their superiors, many of whom refuse to recognize that you can



Stephen Chapman

Letitia Baldrige, the etiquette authority - now there's a profession with a future - says the breakdown of dress standards in even large corporations is well underway. The innovation of "casual Friday" has in many places become casual Monday-through-Friday.

That's not all. "With the men, first it's sport shirts," she observes. "Then it's polo shirts. Then Γ-shirts. Then dirty T-shirts." In some cases, the decline continues all the way to tank tops, so that as Baldrige notes with a distaste palpable over a thousand miles of telephone wire - "we're forced to endure other people's underarm hair."

If the workplace is bad, everywhere else is worse. Wherever Americans are allowed to exera fright to behold.

Baldrige once was seated for an entire transatlantic flight next to a pleasant young man who was naked from the waist up and unaware that anything else was expected. On another trip, a fellow passenger removed his shoes and socks.

At this rate, it's only a matter of time before all do accounting tasks or typing chores just as well but the snootiest establishments dispense with in a Budweiser T-shirt as in a Brooks Brothers suit. their antiquated "no shirt, no shoes, no service"

That requirement never had to be stated until the 1960s, when progressive voices anathematized dress codes of any kind as the shackles of a suffocating conformity. No one was more derided in the age of the flower child than the Man in the Gray Flannel Suit of the stodgy Eisenhower

Back in the dark ages, men attending baseball games customarily wore suits, ties and hats. Uncomfortable, maybe, but not unsightly. But the cries of the '60s for liberation and unfettered selfexpression soon dissolved stuffy inhibitions to the point that only the prim would be seen at the ballpark in a shirt with a collar.

Self-expression - or, more precisely, self-indulgence - now governs every decision. Never mind if the person next to you would like to be spared the sight (or smell) of your bare feet, legs or torso: Wear whatever makes you happy.

A bath in informality has spread to the most solemn occasions. A friend was recently invited to a Dallas wedding reception for which guests are asked to wear "Western casual" clothes - blue jeans, cowboy boots and the like. Davy Crockett died for this?

I attended a funeral in which one mourner showed up in a golf shirt and chinos. In all fair-Rollerblading and a few young women who cise discretion over what they wear, the results are ness, it was a black golf shirt. I was spared the sight of another grieving soul who, I'm told, wore shorts. Any day, you will see open caskets with corpses sporting baseball caps and bicycle shorts.

> I will not make the familiar argument that the decline of dress standards is a sure sign of the collapse of Western civilization. But it may be worth entertaining the thought that personal fulfillment and social progress can be achieved even in clothing that would be out of place at a cockfight.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Thursday, August 8, the 221st day of 1996. There are 145 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On August 8, 1974, President Nixon announced his intention to II resign following new damaging revelations in the Watergate scandal. On this date:

In 1815, Napoleon Bonaparte set knotes. sail for St. Helena to spend the remainder of his days in exile.

In 1844, Brigham Young was chosen to lead the Mormons following the killing of Joseph Smith.

In 1876, Thomas A. Edison to be his running mate.) received a patent for his mimeo-In 1942, six convicted Nazi sabo-

two others received life imprison- resign - which he eventually did. the federal government to report the In 1945, President Truman signed

the United Nations Charter. In 1945, the Soviet Union declared war against Japan during World War

In 1963, Britain's "Great Train Robbery" took place as thieves made off with 2.6 million pounds in ban-

In 1968, Richard M. Nixon was nominated for president at the Republican national convention in (Leyraud was freed three days Miami Beach. (Later that day, Nixon later). The slain bodies of former chose Maryland Gov. Spiro T. Agnew

In 1973, Vice President Spiro T. Agnew branded as "damned lies" reports he had taken kickbacks

Ten years ago: Seventeen people were killed when a car bomb exploded in a shopping district in west Beirut – the third car-bombing in the Lebanese capital in 12 days.

Five years ago: Lebanese kidnappers freed British TV producer John McCarthy, held hostage for more than five years; however, a rival group abducted Frenchman Jerome Leyraud, threatening to kill him if any more hostages were released Iranian Prime Minister Shahpour found in Bakhtiar's residence out-

One year ago: President Clinton, teurs who'd landed in the United from government contracts in during a visit to Baltimore, ordered Kool Moe Dee is 34. Britain's States were executed in Washington; Maryland, and vowed not to all companies doing business with Princess Beatrice Elizabeth Mary is 8.

pollution they cause.

Today's Birthdays: Actress Sylvia

Sidney is 86. Actress Rosetta LeNoire is 85. Producer Dino DeLaurentiis is 77. Actress Esther Williams is 73. Joan Mondale, wife of former Vice President Walter F. Mondale, is 66. Singer Mel Tillis is 64. Actor Dustin Hoffman is 59. Actress Connie Stevens is 58. Country singer Phil Balsley (The Statler Brothers) is 57. Movie director Peter Weir is 52. North Dakota Gov. Edward T. Schafer is 50. Actor Keith Carradine is 47. Actor Donny Most is 43. Bakhtiar and his chief of staff were Newscaster Deborah Norville is 38. Rock musician David Evans, "The Edge" (U2) is 35. Rock musician Rikki Rockett (Poison) is 35. Rapper

Congress is passing a lot of bad laws. So many, I feel like a sea gull at a landfill. I hardly know. which piece of garbage to peck first.

The so-called Libya-Iran sanctions bill is one place to start. This law is bad, as it interferes in the internal affairs of other nations without any justi-

The law is also badly written, as most laws are these days. It says that if any foreign corporation invests more than \$40 million in one year in the energy industries of Libya or Iran, then the president must choose at least two of six possible sanc-

Now whoever heard of writing a law that sounds like a quiz show? It's laughable really: Suppose the intention is truly to discourage foreign investment in those two countries. Then why the \$40 million gate? Someone could invest \$39,999 million and the law would have no effect.

And why give the president a choice of two out of six sanctions? In many cases he could pick two that would be meaningless to any foreign investor. For example, he could deny them an export-import bank loan or deny them an export license. Only a foreign corporation with a U.S.based subsidiary would care about either of those sanctions

Philosophically, however, it is an outrageous violation of international law and tradition. The United States is presuming to tell businesses in hypocrite the United States government is. When other countries what they may or may not do in we want to do business with countries led by bad no right to do.

still other countries. We do not have the right to do this. Our jurisdiction stops at our borders.

Charley Reese

Suppose Japan decided it didn't like France and passed a law that said any American company that sells a product to France cannot sell anything in Japan. We would, of course, tell the Japanese that where our businesses choose to do business is no business of Japan. And that's what the Europeans are telling the

Americans. If they wish to do business in Libya or Iran, they jolly well will. Who said America rules the world? Who said the United States has the right to dictate to other countries?

As with most badly written, stupid laws, this one defeats its own purpose. The alleged intention is to discourage foreign investment in Libya and Iran on the grounds that these two countries sponsor terrorism. The result, of course, is that it will not discourage foreign investment, but it will drive a wedge between the United States and surely please the governments of Iran and Libya. done

And it goes without saying that the law once again announces to the world what an outrageous

guys - China, for example - we say, oh, "constructive engagement" is the way to change behavior.

The American people have a lot more to fear from the Chinese government than it does from

This law is quite different from the Helms-Burton law, which has also upset the Canadians and Mexicans, our leftist neighbors on the North American continent who have been smoothing Cuba's Fidel Castro for decades.

Helms-Burton allows American citizens whose legally owned property was stolen from them by the Castro government to sue in U.S. courts any foreigner who buys or leases it. The principle that one should not deal in or make a profit on stolen property is very old. American citizens have a valid claim to their property in

Note that Jews who lost property to the Nazis are filing claims for compensation or return. No one is complaining about that. So why shouldn't Americans who lost property to Castro's red fascist regime not assert their claims? They should, though that bill was also badly written and allows Europe and possibly start a trade war. That will the president, in effect, to void it, which he has But the other law does not involve American

property at all. It simply meddles in the internal affairs of other, sovereign nations. That, we have

GOP promotes cowardly, inept image

Rep. Charles Canady, R-Fla., recalls a moment in June, on the day before Bob Dole resigned as Senate majority leader. The departing leader approached Canady and asked "How's the bill coming?" referring to proposed Dole-Canady legislation designed to peel away preferences and proportionalism in federal civil rights policy. "I don't care what anyone says," Dole went on, "I'm not walking away from it. Technically, Dole's promise has not been bro-

ken. It is therefore still redeemable. But everything that Dole, the Dole campaign and the law in the nondiscriminatory but anti-prefer-Republican congressional leadership has done recently gives the impression of walking, ambling, striding, pacing, running and fleeing from tough-minded action on civil rights that could help America, help Dole and help Republicans. It wasn't long ago that the argument about the GOP was whether it should be called "the stupid party" or "the gutless party." For the moment, a new moniker is in the offing: "the stupid gutless party.

Early last year the prospects seemed bright for serious political reform of those aspects of affirmative action that have run amok, harming blacks and whites. As each Republican announced his candidacy for president he stressed the fact that he opposed preferences, proportionalism and quotas. In California, the movement that would put the CCRI (California Civil Rights Initiative) referendum on the 1996 state ballot was gaining steam. Supreme Court decisions curtailed over-extensions of affirmative action in commercial set-asides, education and voting. Dole, a legislator with a progressive. record on civil rights, made a splash introducing Dole-Canady, designed to reestablish civil rights



Ben Wattenberg

ence mode of the 1964 Civil Rights Act.

Meanwhile, President Clinton appointed an in-house task force to assay the role of affirmative action. After leaks that he too would bite the bullet and rein in runaway expansion of affirmative action, he didn't. He speechified that affirmative action worked well and that we should "mend it, not end it." He never said what had to be mended. His task force report did not find a single affirmative action program to end or reform. Moreover, Clinton's two Supreme Court appointees had voted in the minority in the 5-4 decisions, allowing Republicans to claim that if Clinton were reelected the expansion of group preference would continue unabated.

It seemed like a set-up for the GOP. Surveys show that by about 70-30, including a lesser majority of African-Americans, voters have opposed legal preference in jobs or schools.

Yet today, Republicans are apparently backing off. The GOP House leadership refuses to bring up Dole-Canady for a vote. If asked, but only if asked, Dole will acknowledge that he still supports CCRI. Massive funds are flowing

into the anti-CCRI campaign in California, while the pro-forces are underfunded. Clinton's Justice Department is using every legal tactic to obfuscate and delay enforcement of the court's decisions - and the GOP is silent about it. What's going on? There is Colin Powell to

consider. He opposes CCRI, and will be speaking on the opening night of the GOP convention - don't want him going negative. There is the "gender gap" - wouldn't want to take away slots for women with that going on. Wouldn't want to stress a hot button like affirmative action before first coming out with an economic program. Have to be careful not to play into the charge of "extremism." Don't want to alienate the black conservative super-star congressmen (Gary Franks of Connecticut and J.C. Watts of Oklahoma) who feel that the timing of Dole-Canady isn't right

The timing isn't right? Hey, Republicans! Your candidate is down 20 points! This is a plus-40 point issue, that Americans are propery concerned about, that can differentiate Dole from Clinton as Clinton swipes most of the GOP's other social issues. Colin Powell? Fine man, great addition to the GOP, let him state his views at the convention - but if he wants to run the GOP agenda he should have run for president. If Watts and/or Franks want to run the Republican House leadership let them run for Gingrich's job. Pronounce on taxes and the economy first? Sure, do it now. And extremism? Which is the extremist position, race-neutral or race-conscious?

Extremism? There are only two kinds of extremism at work in the GOP today: extreme stupidity and extreme gutlessness:

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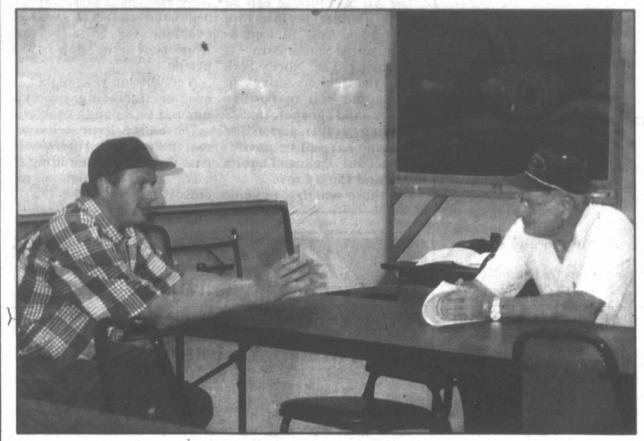
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Pesticide application instruction



(Pampa News photo by Sherry Cromartle)

Gray County Agricultural Extension Agent Danny Nusser, left, is shown talking with Gray County farmer Hugh Hutchinson in a Private Applicator Licensing training class. Several applicants attended the instruction by Nusser on Wednesday in the conference room of the County Annex building, in preparation to test for private applicator licenses. A licensed private applicator is authorized to use restricted-use and state-limited-use pesticides for the purpose of producing an agricultural commodity. Licensed users must obtain 15 continuing educational credits in order to maintain their license, and they have five years in order to actually keep their license, Nusser said.

Carter, Moler attend state training seminar

County Clerk Wanda Carter records and confidentiality. and District Clerk Yvonne Moler recently attended a training seminar in San Antonio to learn more caused disruptions, saying they about state and county laws and record keeping.

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spoke to the conference as a of the conference, Carter said. keynote speaker.

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members of the Republic of Texas records. wanted to address the state's clerks and employees. Additional Texas Gov. George W. Bush security was called in for the rest

"They interrupted the meeting "He ... told us what he expects hoping to express their beliefs any certifiction issued by county, regarding the tax programs. He that the state of Texas and the state or federal elected officials. said there would be no tax United States have illegally increases, ... and he expects formed government control over shop training session July 31-improvements on public school its citizens," she said. Aug. 2. She and Jody

According to Carter, the conferincluded a session on Republic of County at the Secretary of State ence in San Antonio included Texas lien filings. Ray Speece, Election School in Austin. The many topics concerning county Harris County district court offi- workshop covered update procegovernment procedures, court cer, and Kerr County Assistant dures in early voting and records and the clerk's duties, District Attorney Ilse Bailey dis- precinct voting, concerning the counties' mental health case cussed the organization's meth- upcoming election period.

ods of purging county deed During the general assembly, records and other historic legal

> Carter said people of this group are encouraging others to join them in renouncing all legal documents, including Social Security, driver's licenses, marriage licenses, birth certificates or

Carter also attended a work-One of the agenda items Finkenbinder represented Gray

Mental Health Symposium to be held in Amarillo

AMARILLO - The Texas Panhandle Mental Health anxiety disorders and treatments Authority is sponsoring the second Mental Health Symposium been diagnosed with one or more for each disorder. Each of the disfrom 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 13, such disorders. at St. Peter's Episcopal Church, 4714 NW 4th Avenue in Amarillo.

will speak on "Treatment of Anxiety Disorders."

of Southern Illinois University orders. and did her psychiatry residency at Rush Presbyterian in Chicago,

She came to Amarillo as meddirector for Quest Professional Services in 1990. Since 1993, she has been in private practice. She is a member of try Association.

Dr. Sommerfeldt will discuss available to persons who have and treatment vary significantly

sometimes not only to the per- a person is experiencing is very sons who have them but also to Lorraine Sommerfeldt, MD, family members, friends, coand/or work with a person expe-Dr. Sommerfeldt is a graduate riencing one or more anxiety dis-

Kent Keith, mental health director for the Texas Panhandle Mental Health Authority said, "Some of the conditions considered as anxiety disorders are panic disorders with or without agoraphobia, social phobias, obsessive compulsive disorders, the American Medical Associ- post-traumatic stress disorders ation and the American Psychia- and generalized anxiety disor-

Keith went on to explain: "Symptoms, diagnostic criteria orders can be very disabling for Anxiety disorders are baffling individuals. Understanding what helpful to everyone involved. The attendees will learn ways workers or others who live they can help and support the individual who has an anxiety disorder."

> This Mental Health Symposium is the second of four to be offered this year by the TPMHA. Everyone in the Panhandle is welcome and encouraged to attend these free, informational and educational symposiums, organizers said.

> For more information, call Gene Ann Grant, Family and Community education director, at (806) 354-2191.

Despite campaign and party reforms, corporate money flows to conventions

By CONNIE CASS **Associated Press Writer**

WASHINGTON (AP) - Corporations with numerous interests before Congress will foot about a third of the bill for the Democratic and Republican conventions this month - despite reforms two decades ago designed to keep their money

Philip Morris, Amway, United Airlines and Anheuser-Busch are just a few of the donors who will be paying for everything from stages and lighting to daiquiris and dance bands.

In return, corporate executives get to hobnob privately with key politicians at race tracks, aboard a special train ride and on the golf course.

AT&T, which donated \$1.5 million in services and money to each convention, is one of the parties. sponsors of a state fair-themed Leader Trent Lott, an important player in the recent overhaul of telecommunications law.

Such events "give us a chance to recognize members of Congress who we feel have played key roles in issues important to AT&T," company spokesman Jim McGann said.

The bulk of each convention's roughly-\$30 million cost will be borne by national and local taxwas created to chase corporate money away from the political conventions.

It didn't work out that way.

In San Diego, more than \$12 million in private money has been Monday. More than 45 companies gave at least \$100,000 apiece, guaranteeing them two or more tickets into the convention hall and invitations to golf outings, horse racing, countless cocktail parties and a dinner-under-the- labor unions will set up unofficial stars gala with nominee Bob Dole. hospitality suites and private the community."

In Chicago, private donors have parties for convention-goers. chipped in more than \$9 million toward the Democratic National Convention, which begins Aug. six-figure checks and will be rewarded with invitations to events still being planned.

At least a dozen corporations gave \$100,000 or more to both money interests still have enorconventions.

They include major defense contractors Lockheed Martin and National Voting Rights Institute, Tenneco and corporations in a non-partisan group that supheavily regulated industries: ports complete public financing United Airlines, BankAmerica of elections. Corp., and medical companies Abbott Laboratories and Baxter International.

Others are Anheuser-Busch, Chrysler, Browning-Ferris Industries, and Archer Daniels Midland, the giant food processor and ethanol producer known for giving huge sums to both political

Philip Morris, which is fighting party for new Senate Majority the Clinton administration's attempts to regulate tobacco, is a major sponsor of the Republican convention; the company's Kraft Foods division sponsors the Democratic convention.

Why support both Democrats and Republicans?

"They want friends in both parties. It's that simple," said John Herrington, chairman of the California Republican Party.

Other contributors payers through a post-Watergate unabashedly partisan. Amway system of public financing that Corp. - one of the GOP's most generous backers – gave \$1.3 million to San Diego's visitors bureau to cover the cost of airing the Republican National Convention on cable TV.

Corporations also sponsor raised for the Republican fund-raisers planned around the National Convention that begins conventions - in San Diego, for example, a \$96-per-head beach party and a train trip with House Speaker Newt Gingrich and others pulling in as much as \$5,000 per ticket.

In addition, businesses and

It's legal, even though political parties have been prohibited from taking contributions to pay 26. More than 65 companies wrote for their nominating conventions since 1974, when the system of taxpayer financing of conventions began.

"Obviously, corporations and mous influence," said John Bonifaz, executive director of the

Each party receives \$12 million in federal funds to cover convention costs - and is limited to spending that amount under election law.

In addition, the city of Chicago and state of Illinois have kicked in \$10 million for the Democratic convention, and San Diego is spending \$6.5 million on the Republicans.

But an unlimited amount of money can legally be raised and spent on the conventions by nonprofit "host committees" set up to smooth the way for party con-

Legally, the host committees are separate entities. But they work closely with the Republican and Democratic parties, which decide how the money will be

"They do it, we just pay for it," said Leslie Fox, executive director of the Chicago host committee. "It seems like we pay for everything.

Although it's illegal for corporations or labor unions to contribute money to influence a federal election, they can give unlimited amounts to the host committees. It's considered a civic donation and is tax-deductible, unlike political contributions.

"It's not political. That's the point," said Gerald L. Parsky, chairman of the San Diego host committee. "By contributing they're doing something to help

Plane crashes in newspaper parking lot, kills two

and a burst of flames, sending the aircraft spiraling toward terrified people on the ground.

The plane slammed into the parking lot at the offices of the Oroville Mercury Register, killing the pilot and a woman who had just left the building after renewing her newspaper subscription.

"I thought I was going to die," said Bonnie Dent, who was standing in her front yard when the plane exploded in flight Wednesday. "I yelled at my husband to run. It was coming right at us, twirling around us.

The crash, which sent flames and shrapnel flying, also left two others on the ground slightly injured. A police officer was treated for smoke inhalation, and a woman received treatment for bruises and temporary hearing

The pilot, 32-year-old Air Force

OROVILLE, Calif. (AP) - The Capt. Randy Roby, was found dead in-flight emergency moments wing of a U-2 military plane in his seat with his parachute dan- before the crash, said Air Force broke off in a deafening boom gling nearby, said Lt. Col. Dennis spokesman Lt. Wilson Camelo.

miles north of Sacramento.

Einn, a spokesman at the Beal Air Camelo could not provide details Force Base near Oroville, about 60 or confirm reports from witnesses that Roby had parachuted Roby, who was flying solo on a from the plane as it spun toward routine mission, had declared an the ground.



Justice Department to investigate cial who requested anonymity. contacts between FBI general counsel Howard Shapiro and the White House in connection with the FBI files controversy.

Shapiro said he would welcome an inquiry.

Renewing his call for Shapiro's departure, Rep. Bob Livingston, R-La., said Wednesday he believes the attorney's actions are "a gross violation" of FBI Director Louis Freeh's stated commitment to maintaining a

fair and impartial FBI. Justice Department spokesman Bert Brandenburg said a letter from Livingston to Freeh had been received by Attorney General Janet Reno and by the department's internal watchdog, the Office of Professional Responsibility.

Brandenburg said that office was reviewing the letter. Department investigators were

WASHINGTON (AP) - The decision was made for OPR to chairman of the House Appropri- proceed with such a probe, ations Committee wants the according to a senior justice offi-

Shapiro alerted the White House about an FBI report the bureau was going to provide Congress. The report quoted a former presidential counsel as saying Craig Livingstone had been "highly recommended" for his job by first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton.

Livingstone resigned in June as White House personnel security chief, after it was disclosed his office gathered FBI background files on hundreds of former White House aides from Republican administrations.

Shapiro also gave White House counsel Jack Quinn a draft copy of a book by a former FBI agent critical of the Clinton White House.

"I am calling for the Department of Justice's Office of Professional Responsibility to conduct a comprehensive investigation of Mr. Shapiro's actions," making preparations in case a Livingston wrote Freeh.







(Watch this space to find out more.)



Phillips Corporate Engineering and Zachary Company personnel joined forces recently to help Hospice of the Panhandle better serve persons with limited life expectancies and their families. Employees from both companies volunteered their time, supplies and skills to rebuild a door for the non-profit agency's storm shelter/storage area at the Borger office. The employees also installed a weight/pulley system for the door and new wiring and lights for the room. Pictured are four of the men who participated in the project, from left: Robert Marshall and Alfred Cruz, both Zachary employees, and Jim Mesneak and David Theel of Phillips Corporate Engineering. Not pictured are Zachary employees Bill Wigart and Bob Jensen.

Mexican parties criticize judge's decision regarding assassin's fate

three main political parties are case; his predecessor was Prosecutors at the time claimed questioning a judge's acquittal of removed when the prosecution they had evidence of a plot. a man charged in the 1994 assas- accused him of bias. sination of the leading presidential candidate.

Rebolledo of the 2nd Federal Criminal Court said Wednesday that Othon Cortes Vasquez was innocent of charges he participated in the murder of Luis Donaldo Colosio

Colosio, the candidate of the Revolutionary Party, or PRI, was shot March 23, 1994, at a Tijuana investigation has been a national obsession.

Two attorneys general and killed the candidate or whether Cortes, a ruling party worker, there were two gunmen. Pardo was videotaped at the rally and

MEXICO CITY (AP) - Mexico's was the second judge to hear the arrested in February 1995.

that the murder was part of a there was insufficient evidence, Judge Jorge Mario Pardo larger plot, and Attorney General and Cortes was freed from the Antonio Lozano Gracia said his maximum-security prison nine office will appeal Wednesday's hours later. acquittal.

> investigation will continue," Lozano Gracia, the only opposi-Colosio was the result of a con- efforts in solving" the case. spiracy.'

Only one gunman, Tijuana fac- National Action Party, to which three special prosecutors have tory worker Mario Aburto Lozano Gracia belongs, handled the case, reaching differ- Martinez, has been convicted of deplored the verdict and urged ent conclusions. Some even have killing Colosio. He was arrested the attorney general to appeal. contradicted themselves as to at the site of the shooting and Gonzalo Altamirano Dimas, a New Zealand, All Nippon

whether a single crazed gunman sentenced to 45 years in prison.

But the court in Toluca, the cap-Federal prosecutors now assert ital of the State of Mexico, found

He was the fourth person The case is not closed and the directly implicated in the case to be found innocent in court.

The PRI, which has been in tion member in President power for 67 years, demanded in Institutional Ernesto Zedillo's cabinet, told a statement that the attorney genreporters. "The attorney gener- eral's office publicly explain al's office continues to maintain "how it conducted the investigacampaign rally. Since then, the that the murder of Luis Donaldo tion" and requested "greater

Leaders of the opposition party leader, said the decision was an "attempt to bury the

World briefs

Suharto accuses leftist group of treason

JAKARTA, Indonesia (AP) — Indonesia's president is accusing a small leftist group of treason for allegedly orchestrating July 27 riots in which at least three people were killed.

In his first official statement about the riots, President Suharto said Wednesday that the Democratic People's Party "committed activities with the character of treason," according to Information Minister Harmoko, who like Suharto uses only one

The protests that erupted after police raided the headquarters of the Indonesian Democratic Party, breaking up a sit-in by supporters of pro-democracy leader Megawati Sukarnoputri.

Suharto's government claims the violence was designed to destabilize its rule.

The Democratic People's Party is an unauthorized group set up last year by student, labor and farmers' organizations to press for greater democracy under Suharto, a former general who seized power in 1966.

World airlines to fight U.S. ban on gambling SINGAPORE (AP)

foreign and U.S. airlines want the United States to repeal its ban on in-flight gambling, saying it could cost them millions of dollars.

Singapore Airlines, Swissair and British Airways have pioneered a project to install electronic gaming devices on some of their jetliners in the next few months.

A U.S. law prohibits domestic and foreign airlines from operating on-board electronic gaming machines on flights to and from America.

Given that the United States represents 40 percent of the world's air travel market, failure to repeal the ban would hurt the foreign airlines financially.

Singapore Airlines is opposed to "any attempt by the U.S. government to impose its national laws extraterritorially," airline spokesman Rick Clements said Tuesday.

Singapore Airlines belongs to an international coalition that Airways, Japan Airlines, Japan Air System, KLM, Lufthansa, Qantas and TAP Air Portugal.

Jubilee announces performance

10 p.m. at the Stokes Barn. Featuring The North Fork person. Band, the Jubilee strives to provide the best in positive evening, including the ever country and gospel music, popular sour dough cobblers. according to organizers. Other entertainment will be provid- east of Pampa on Highway 60 ed by Paul Helms, Laquita past the Schwan's building. Evans and Chris Crow.

For those wanting to come 665-0190 or 665-2213.

The All Star Jubilee will be early and eat, a fajita supper, having another performance beginning at 7 p.m., will be on Saturday, Aug. 10, from 8- available for \$6 a person. Admission to the show is \$3 a

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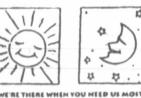
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DPS officials: Travelers should be aware of state towing regulations People towing trailers with a tractor, trailer or semi-trailer.

passenger car or a light truck This limit also applies to a

Snider provided the following information for those who will be towing trailers.

2,000 pounds, including a pick-bar. up truck, panel delivery truck include 1 ton, 3/4 ton, 1/2 ton and smaller pickup trucks. Unless a special hazard exists

that requires a slower speed, drivers should be aware that certain speed limits pertain to miles per hour during daytime passenger cars and light trucks towing trailers, Snider noted.

60 miles per hour in daytime trailer." hours and 55 miles per hour at Snide truck, or if the vehicle is a truck- utes after sunset.

LePew would love this place.

that always seemed attracted to

unfortunate female alley cats

could find plenty of belles from

his own species in this West

The nocturnal animals with the

cer blames the problem on new

that has disturbed the animals'

food," Tommy Wood said.

"So they are out looking for a

Wood warns residents not to

Texas city.

Sweetwater.

really scare me."

natural dens.

need to be aware of state regula- vehicle towing a trailer, semitions and codes governing trailer, another motor vehicle or proper procedures for towing, a house trailer of an actual or according to Trooper L.B. registered gross weight lighter Snider, Texas Department of than 4,500 pounds and a length Public Safety public information of 32 feet or shorter, excluding the two bar.

The speed limit is 45 miles an hour if the vehicle is towing a house trailer of an actual or reg-"Light truck" means a truck istered gross weight heavier with a manufacturer's rated car-than 4,500 pounds or longer rying capacity of not more than than 32 feet, excluding the tow

Speed limit is 50 miles an and carry-all truck. This would hour if the vehicle is a school bus, except for 55 miles an hour on interstate highways.

"The important point to remember is that if you are towing a trailer, the speed limit is 60 and 55 miles per hour during nighttime," Snider said. "This The speed limit for towing is includes any size or type of

Snider noted that "daytime" nighttime if the towing vehicle refers to the period from 30 min-

is a truck, other than a light utes before sunrise to 30 min-

Sweetwater smelling sour these days SWEETWATER (AP) - Pepe them to let go with their signa-

The amorous cartoon skunk soaks into clothing. Like any

wild animal, skunks also can carry rabies. Jo Ann Henson said her husband, Bill, had a close call with a skunk that appears to have grown accustomed to its new,

ture scent, sometimes so strong it

more urban surroundings. fetid defense mechanism are "Bill said it walked right under causing some sour air in his truck, and acted as though "I don't get out at night any-more," said Emma Acuna, who (people) were not there," she said. "It showed no fear."

Wood's solution is a plastic shares her street with many of trap with a door in one end that the bushy-tailed varmints. "They he places near houses that are The city's animal control offidoubling as skunk dens.

"I set it at the entry under the home construction near a creek house and build a little fence around the trap so that the skunk has to go inside it," he said.

Unfortunately for residents like Ms. Acuna, the untrapped new den, and scavenging for skunks seem to be adapting to suburban life - and multiplyexcite the creatures, which causes

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British troops fear riots; use barbed wire to pre-empt historic Protestant parade

barricades across the historic route of a planned over the weekend." Protestant march, trying to pre-empt street fights in this bitterly divided town.

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But Protestants predict "another black day in Northern Ireland" if they aren't allowed to march their full route Saturday along Londonderry's 17th-century walls. Many Catholics said they, too, expect trouble.

Sir Patrick Mayhew, the British minister responsible for Northern Ireland, ordered several hundred soldiers to part of the wall Wednesday as fear rose of a repeat of the widespread violence started by a Protestant march in July.

The disputed part of Saturday's march is a quarter-mile stretch of wall overlooking the Catholic this year's parade route broke down Tuesday. Bogside neighborhood, where soldiers patrol in armored cars and police carrying assault rifles are posted in flak jackets.

The barbed wire and armored barricades erected late Wednesday make the stretch impassable.

"The Protestant community are angry, they're isolated, they're alienated, and they feel that this weekend will be yet another black day in the history of Northern Ireland," said Gregory Campbell, the leading councilman in Londonderry for the Rev. Ian Paisley's hard-line Democratic Unionist Party.

ate the removal of the barriers, but added: "We were wounded.

LONDONDERRY, Northern Ireland (AP) - will not meekly accept this decision. There will British troops have slung barbed wire and set up probably be an even bigger confrontation now

> annual march commemorates Londonderry's resistance against a 17th-century siege by the forces of the deposed British Catholic king, James II. Some 15,000 members of the Apprentice Boys, the town's main Protestant fraternal society, and their supporters were expected

> To Catholics, the march represents a demonstration of Protestant dominance in a town where Catholics once were denied equal rights in housing, jobs and political power, despite being a

Two weeks of talks aimed at compromise on

Although the troops and barricades are meant to keep Protestants away from the disputed area, Catholics were skeptical police and soldiers would defend them. Into this morning, young Catholics sporadically pelted the troops with

Last month, police tried to block a Protestant march through the Catholic district in Portadown, 45 miles southeast of Londonderry. After five days of Protestant violence, police backed down and restrained Catholic residents to allow marchers through. That led to provincewide Catholic riot-Campbell said Protestants would try to negoti- ing. In the Bogside, one man was killed and scores

Nation briefs

Woman acquitted for having cat spayed

FRONT ROYAL, Va. (AP) -Audrey and Brian Brehm figured Goober, their calico cat, had met her untimely end, perhaps beneath the wheels of a car.

Six days later, Goober returned, but she wasn't the same.

Turns out their neighbor had the cat spayed without their knowledge or consent. So they had her charged with a misdemeanor count of catnapping for "defacing" it.

"She made my children cry, and nobody makes my children cry," Brian Brehm said.

But Judge William G. Hammer was unmoved and found neighbor Leilani Monahan innocent during a brief trial Wednesday.

Monahan's side of the story was that Goober was a hussy and she spared the animal from her own promiscuity.

"They're making it out like I go Latest Kevorkian-assisted to people's houses and grab their cats, and that's not the case at all," Monahan said. "I really think that this little one had been abandoned. I was afraid for her."

Monahan said before the trial that the hungry cat had begged at her doorstep for more than a month. She said she decided to spay Goober after she caught her cavorting with a tomcat that has a deadly feline version of AIDS.

FDA halts 'misleading' promotion of anti-depressant

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Food and Drug Administration has ordered Pfizer Inc. to halt what it called the "false and misleading" promotion of Zoloft for treating depression after heart attacks, pre-menstrual depression and other unapproved uses.

Bone marrow transplants cure sickle cell anemia

BOSTON (AP) - Bone marrow transplants can cure sickle cell anemia, a study found, but experts caution the treatment is too hazardous and difficult for most cases.

The international study found that the transplants - long a mainstay of cancer treatment can cure sickle cell in about three-quarters of patients, saving them from a lifetime of suffering.

However, another ten percent die from the therapy. Because of the risk, doctors say the treatment must be reserved for the most severe cases - something that often is hard to determine until damaging complications have already occurred.

"The bottom line is this is a sig-nificant advance, but patients should not think this is a cure for all," said Dr. Ronald Nagel of Albert Einstein College of

Medicine in New York City.
About 80,000 Americans, most of them black, have sickle cell disease and several million others worldwide are afflicted. Dr. Helena Mishoe of the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute estimated that the new treatment will be appropriate for less than 1,000 of the U.S. cases.

Besides the risks, the treatment has another significant drawback: The transplanted bone marrow must come from a genetically similar brother or sister. Only an estimated 18 percent of sickle cell patients have a suitable marrow donor.

recommending Zoloft to physicians for depressed heart attack patients despite "as yet unresolved safety concerns associated

with its use. The letter cited Pfizer's own clinical tests showing that the popular anti-depressant drug may cause chest pain, rapid heartbeat and other side effects among people who have suffered heart attacks.

The FDA routinely warns drug makers against promoting medicines for unapproved uses but the letter to Pfizer was unusually stern. The agency also ordered the company to write every physician who had received its brochures to correct the claims in the ads and to publish that letter in every medical journal that has run a Zoloft ad in the past year.

old woman with Lou Gehrig's Geoffrey Fieger, said the woman disease "wasn't anywhere close was suffering.

In an eight-page letter last to being terminal" when she week to Pfizer's chairman, the committed suicide with help FDA said company brochures from Dr. Jack Kevorkian, the medical examiner said.

Oakland County Medical Examiner L.J. Dragovic on Wednesday ruled the death of Elizabeth Mercz a homicide and said she died from a drug injection. Further toxicological tests will identify the drug, he said.

The Cincinnati woman died Tuesday and Kevorkian brought her body to a Pontiac hospital that night.

Dragovic has classified other deaths involving Kevorkian as homicides, but most have not resulted in prosecution. It was unclear whether the retired pathologist would be charged in Mercz's death; observers doubt-

Kevorkian has been cleared of assisted suicides charges in three trials, the most recent acquittal. coming May 14.

While Dragovic said Mercz suicide classified as homicide "wasn't anywhere close to being DETROIT (AP) — A 59-year- terminal," Kevorkian's lawyer,

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Prayer Of Farmers Reveals The Tough Row They Hoe

pound of T-bone steak is considered

too high at \$3.50 while a 3-ounce

cocktail at \$2.25 is not, and people

pay \$1 for a soft drink at the conve-

insist that a 15-cent glass of milk is

prehend why \$6 movie tickets are a

normal expense, but \$3.50 for a 60-

pound bushel of wheat is unimagin-

able; why cotton is overpriced at 60

cents a pound but a \$20 cotton shirt

is a "bargain"; and why corn is too

steep when 3 cents fills a bowl, but

no one bats an eye paying \$1 for a

that I may perceive the justice in

being forced to grant an easement

to the utility company so they could

"Lend me your divine insight

serving of flakes in a restaurant.

"Help me, too, my Lord, to com-

inflationary.

SYNDICATED

COLUMNIST

behalf of all farmers and our embattled farming industry. Farming is one of the hardest, most laborintensive occupations in this country. This year has been particularly difficult because a very wet spring and summer have prevented many of us from planting all of our crops. Consequently, many individuals are uncertain about the future of dairy farming in our state.

In addition, the Southern states have suffered severe drought. This has also affected crop production, so you can bet that soon customers will be complaining about the price of food. Fortunately, in our great country we are blessed with the quantity and quality of our food

My grandmother sent me this prayer, which she clipped from a newspaper many years ago. Its author is unknown. Perhaps it will help consumers appreciate not only the farmers' point of view, but our struggle to survive.

A FARMER IN MAUSTON, WIS.

DEAR FARMER: Having been born and reared in Iowa, where the tall corn grows, I appreciate the Farmer's Prayer your grandmother sent, as well as its unique insight. Read on:

"Dear God, I'm grateful for the generous bounty which you have bestowed upon me, but I must ask one more heavenly favor: Grant me the wisdom to understand why a

ment that they were paid to build, so they can afford the cars they drive on their vacations down the Abigail road that used to be my acreage before it was stolen for the right-of-Van Buren

"Eternal thanks to you, my Creator, for your past insight and divine guidance. But please - help me to understand their reasoning.

DEAR ABBY: You were right on the mark when you explained that birth control pills can be used for

Thanks to the pill, my productive life is no longer confined to threeweek intervals, and the pain is a thing of the past. If only people

Thank you for setting the record

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ductivity can be substantially enhanced if you treat all of your tasks, large or small, as labors of love. Just for fun, try this method today

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Innocent flirtation might be taken seriously by others today. Keep this in mind before batting your eyelashes at someone else.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). You will derive considerable personal satisfaction today from doing things for the people you love. You can help them do things they can't do by themselves.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Someone who loves you will be anxious to know now much you love him or her. Try to express how you feel as soon as possible. GEMINI (May 21-June 20) The financial knowledge required to get something you've wanted for yourself looks like it can be acquired at this time. Try to think positively

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You will not fit comfortably in a subservient role today, so do not let a manipulator put you in this position. Express your independence. ©1996 by NEA, Inc.

purposes other than contraception. nience store without blinking, but

I'm a 35-year-old virgin. Before I started on the pill two years ago, I had spent years dealing with disabling menstrual cramps accompanied by flu-like symptoms that interfered with my ability to work. It lasted an entire week of every month.

would stop jumping to conclusions.

ON THE PILL BUT NOT PROMISCUOUS

cross my property with their gas lines, then double the price they charge me for their gas. And finally, grant me the strength to endure without bitterness the consumers who scoff at me for shelling out \$10,000 for a piece of farm equip-Ill. 61054-0447. (Postage is included.)



Friday, August 9, 1996

Improvements in several areas of your life are indicated for the year ahead These changes will affect your family. your finances and your career in a posi-

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Usually you are a self-assured person who has good rea-stances. son to assume that others like you SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Today's However, today you might have doubts conditions will differ from those you've ing the influences that govern yourn the year ahead Send for your Astro-Graph CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) An predictions today by mailing \$2 and arrangement that has been difficult lately SASE to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspa- will be harmonious today. If you both per, P.O. Box 1758. Murray Hill Station. operate on the same wavelength, you will New York, NY 10156. Make sure to state achieve the desired results.

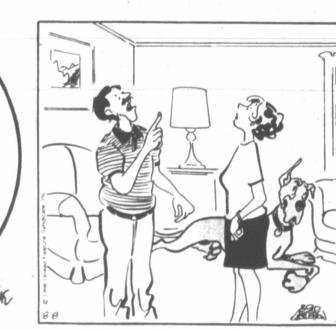
VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Your popularity with your peers will increase. You will have an opportunity to verify this today if you listen to the comments of someone

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Surprisingly, a target that offers the greatest challenge and appears to be the most difficult to achieve might be the easiest to attain

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You can receive a payoff if you are observant today. What you learn from studying the modus operandi of a colleague can be beneficially applied to your circum-

about where you stand with someone you experienced recently. You may benefit admire. Get a jump on life by understand. from situations in which others have done.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Your pro-



"He got teeth marks on the ceiling, but he caught the fly."

message after the beep." The Family Circus



"Grandma answers, but all

she'll say to me is, 'Leave a











Peanuts





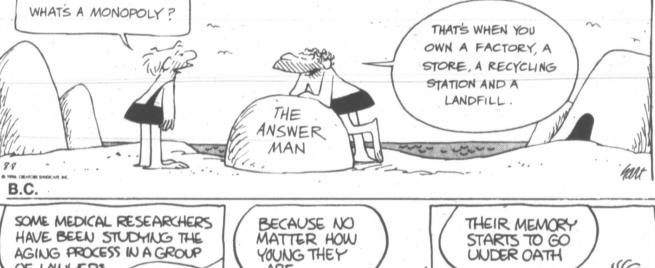
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Sports

VOLLEYBALL

PAMPA - An organizational meeting for Pampa High School volleyball prospects grades 9 through 12 will be held at 10 a.m. Friday in McNeely Fieldhouse.

Practice starts Monday, Aug. 12.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

LUBBOCK (AP) — Texas Tech has finished pre-season two-a-day practices with their freshmen. Today, the varsity shows up.

Members of the varsity undergo physicals at 6 p.m. before a team meeting at 8

CAN CTED

Coaches have been working out with the freshmen this week. The newcomers were scheduled for orientations and meetings today and Friday and will begin working on strength training with the team's strength coach.

Former Texas Tech quarterback Billy Joe Tolliver has been at the practice the last two days. Sen. Phil Gramm, showed R-Texas, Wednesday, wearing a red Texas Tech cap.

Gramm watched several minutes of the afternoon freshman practice while visiting with head coach Spike Dykes. Then Gramm talked briefly to the players.

BASEBALL

MIAMI (AP) — A 15year-old Cuban baseball player who said he could no longer trust his teammates has defected.

Catcher Yalian Serrano Castro was in the country for the Junior Pan American Championships outside St. Louis

He slipped out of his hotel room Monday night and was in Miami with his aunt and uncle.

Serrano Castro apparently started planning it after Cuba's top pitcher, Rolando Arrojo, defected last month.

PITTSBURGH (AP) -Pittsburgh Pirates righthander Paul Wagner underwent reconstructive surgery on his right elbow and may be lost for the season.

The operation was performed in Birmingham, Ala., by Dr. James Andrews, who has performed similar reconstructive surgery on a number of major-league pitchers. The usual recovery time is 8-12 months.

Wagner, 28, was 4-8 with a 5.40 ERA in 16 appearances this season. In five seasons with Pittsburgh, he is 26-40 with a 4.60 ERA in 128 games, 75 starts.

PRO FOOTBALL

SUWANEE, Ga. (AP) — Atlanta Falcons holdout quarterback Jeff George showed up at training camp 19 days late after agreeing to a one-year contract.

George had been holding out for a long-term contract, but the sides couldn't agree on money.

He accepted a one-year deal in exchange for the Falcons agreeing renounce his "transition"

status. The \$3.64 million figure - the highest yearly payout in Falcons history represents the average of the top 10 quarterback

salaries from 1995. Last year, George had the best season in team history, completing 60.3 percent for 4,143 yards and 24 touchdowns as Atlanta made the playoffs for the first time in four years.

BASKETBALL

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) - The New Jersey Nets signed free-agent forward David Benoit to a oneyear contract reportedly worth \$500,000.

Benoit, who played five seasons with Utah, averaged 8.2 points and 4.7 rebounds last season and 7.8 points and 4.6 rebounds for his career.

Notebook Cowboys' Irvin is catching passes again

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Even ends on Dallas' roster. with Michael Irvin finally in

possession three weeks ago, the there.' That's why I am here." Cowboys learned that powerful Watkins was likely lost for the

ligament in his right knee during Kansas City.

With Jay Novacek questionable Rickey Brady on Wednesday, talk. Brady joins Duke free agent Bill "I don't know how y'all cover,

"We have a lot of injuries," Irvin camp, the Dallas Cowboys are said. "I was sitting back at home having trouble fielding receivers. and watching the guys go As Irvin suited up with the through the injuries and kind of team for the first time since being suffering. I said, 'Hey, I gotta get sentenced to probation for cocaine back out there, just to be out

It was a somber Irvin who blocking tight end Kendell drove onto the field in a golf cart right." with best friend Emmitt Smith amid cheers from fans. But as Medical tests show that Watkins soon as Irvin hit the practice field, suffered a torn anterior cruciate it was the same old "Playmaker."

Within minutes of strapping on passes with the fluid ease that gave him career highs in recepthis season because of chronic tions (111), yardage (1,603) and lower back problems and Eric touchdowns (10) last year. He was Biornson out with a pulled ham- counseling rookie receiver around these fellas. string, the Cowboys brought in Stepfret Williams on pass routes, former Oklahoma tight end and, of course, there was the trash

Khayat as the only healthy tight but y'all are some ugly fellas,"

Irvin said with a smile to the team's defensive backfield.

Irvin was already pushing off defenders on his routes, and after having a pass broken up by safety Darren Woodson, Irvin said, "I let that go because I didn't want y'all to be embarrassed. Get your game

After practice, Irvin reluctantly spoke to the media, saying he wouldn't answer personal ques-

"The only reason I'm speaking Monday's preseason loss to his helmet, Irvin was catching is because I don't think it's going to be fair to my teammates if I don't say anything and you guys drag this thing on," Irvin said. "I am totally happy to be back, back

"Football-wise, knows I have a while before I play be in contact with the club. again. But just being out here and getting myself mentally back into he was glad to see Irvin, but the emotional spark plug of this football is a great thing for me."

plea abruptly interrupted a trial that included allegations from a topless dancer that Irvin had been involved in drug and sex parties.

State District Judge Manny Alvarez sentenced Irvin to four years' deferred adjudication, a \$10,000 fine and 800 hours of community service.

Training camp began July 17. Irvin was suspended by the NFL for the first five games of the season for violating the league's substance abuse policy. He is allowed to practice with the team and can play in exhibition games. But during the suspension, which everyone starts Aug. 26, he is not allowed to

> Dallas coach Barry Switzer said added the star receiver won't play team," Aikman said.

Irvin has been in Florida with in any exhibition games. The his family since being sentenced. Cowboys scrimmage the Houston Deion Sanders complained that to probation for cocaine posses. Oilers in El Paso tonight and face sion in mid-July. His no contest the New England Patriots on Monday.

"He will not play in exhibition games. He will practice and not take snaps away from game planning or the other players we are trying to look at," Switzer said. "I think all the players are happy to see Michael. He's part of the family, and he's a guy they all respect as an outstanding player.

Irvin was joined at practice by several starters coming off injuries, including Charles Haley, Tony Tolbert, Kevin Smith, Brock Marion, Tony Casillas, Ray Donaldson and Erik Williams.

Quarterback Troy Aikman called Irvin's arrival a boost for the hobbled champions.

"I've always said Michael is

Workouts begin for high school football prospects

mer going? School starts in less University in Kansas. than two weeks and the football season is underway.

High school prospects across start of practice.

it?," said Pampa head coach another one. Dennis Cavalier, as he prepared for the first day of practice.

sion went from 8 to 10:30 in the scheduled around 6 p.m. The Sept. 6 against Lubbock Estacado in Harvester Stadium.

backer for the Harvesters the put on full gear on Monday. past three years. White is University on a football schol- refresh our memories on what

the start of practice), but I'll be idea of who can play where the okay," he said.

White is one of three former Pampa players on the ENMU roster. The other two are quarterback for Greyhounds. He will be joined

PAMPA — Where's the sum-transfer from Pittsburg State

White participated in the McDonald's High School All-Star Game last month in the Lone Star State took to the Houston's Rice Stadium. He gridiron Wednesday for the had four unassisted tackles and one assisted tackle while block-"Summer went by fast didn't ing one pass and breaking up

At Canadian, second-year head coach David Flowers wel-Pampa's first workout ses- comed 73 players to the squad.

"Mainly we just tested them morning. Another practice was the first day to find out how many worked out this summer. Harvesters open the season Most of them came out in pretty good shape," Flowers said.

Players aren't allowed to One of the spectators at the wear contact equipment, with first practice was Floyd White, the exception of helmets, the who starred at middle line- first week of practice. Players

"There's a lot you can't do bound for Eastern New Mexico the first week. We just try and we did last year," Flowers "I'm a little nervous (about added. "We also try and get an

> Canadian kicks off the season Sept. 6 at Gruver.

Ralph Samaniego, another Cavalier's sons. Junior Andy second-year coach, was pleased Cavalier returns as the starting with the opening day turnout the at White Deer.

by Tony Cavalier, a sophomore We've got some good numbers practice," he said. "Usually I That way I won't be so disappleased."



Pampa assistant coach Wade Wesley walks the Harvesters through a play during Wednesday's first day of practice. The Harvesters' 1996 opener is Sept. 6 against Lubbock Estacado.

"I'm pretty excited about it. going into our second day of very high this time of year. out. But this year, I'm very

out, and it's so far, so good don't have my expectations pointed if we don't have many

Dorsett's son looking to earn a spot on Oilers' roster

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — York Jets. Anthony Dorsett knew he had to The rookie defensive back, a Dorsett got some good advice there's nothing sweet about me."

And so, in a manner befitting his

do more than just toss out his fam-sixth-round pick, still has to make from his father before reporting to ily name to earn a spot with the the team but at least he has the Oilers' attention.

Hall of Fame father Tony Dorsett, it doesn't mean a lot," the younger Dorsett returned a kickoff 99 yards Dorsett said. "I still have to show for a touchdown in Saturday's what I can do in the secondary and exhibition victory over the New continue to show it on special

Oilers training camp.

lot of players would think everything's been sugarcoated for me, so

learned from and never avoided "He told me that I'd come here his famous father's image. He "To me, it wasn't that big a deal, and it would be more competitive chose to follow his dad to Pitt, real- Most of my family lives within 25 for me than other people because a izing the comparisons would be there, too.

"People asked me about going to they'll try a little harder against me," Pitt," he said. "I don't think it will

the son said. "I have to show them be easy anywhere I go. I'll hear the music and respond to it. It's some-Dorsett has observed and thing I'll have to live with. The questions don't bother me.

"Pittsburgh was the right choice. minutes of the campus. Most college kids, if they have problem, it's getting homesick. I never had

Appier is the best on night of solid pitching

By MIKE FLAM **Associated Press Writer**

For one night, Tom Gordon, Kevin Appier and Rich Robertson gave American League pitching a good name.

The trio played "Can you top this?" Wednesday night, each pitcher throwing a shutout and hits allowed.

Oakland, Gordon's three-hitter against Toronto and Robertson's four-hitter against California were the highlights in a rare pitchers' night in the AL.

Appier's start, against Oakland's Bash Brothers in a 7-0 win, was the most impressive.

"The way he pitched, he would have beaten the '27 Yankees,' Oakland manager Art Howe said. "He had great stuff tonight. We weren't going to get too much."

In other AL games Wednesday night, Gordon's Red Sox beat beat California 4-0, Cleveland beat Seattle 5-4, Chicago beat New York 8-4 in 10 innings, Detroit topped Texas 4-2 and Baltimore bounced Milwaukee 12-2.

Oakland, which is still on course to break the 1961 New York Yankees' single-season record of 240 home runs, has been shut out three times in its last 13 games. The visiting Athletics were no fourth straight.

match for Appier (10-7), who extended his scoreless streak to 24 innings

He gave up a single to Tony Batista leading off the third and a single to Geronimo Berroa to open the eighth. And that was it in his third career shutout and first since Sept. 15, 1995.

"My control was consistent. All being almost as stingy with the of my stuff was working," Appier said. "You've got to keep any team Appier's two-hitter against off-balance, especially a team like that with power. You just have to be aware that on any given night they can come out with power.

Craig Paquette hit a two-run triple as the Royals scored four unearned runs in the first. He added a solo homer, his 16th, in the eighth.

Oakland starter Ariel Prieto (2-5) allowed seven runs — three earned - in eight innings.

Red Sox 8, Blue Jays 0

Gordon's first shutout in almost six years took only two hours. He struck out eight at Fenway Park and didn't walk a batter for the Toronto 8-0, Robertson's Twins first time in his career. The shutout was his first since he blanked Seattle 8-0 on Sept. 2, 1990.

The Red Sox gave Gordon (9-5) ample support against Pat Hentgen (13-7), who had won his last six starts.

Rookie Tony Rodriguez hit his first major league home run and Mo Vaughn and Mike Greenwell added homers as Boston won its

Cheerleaders win awards



The Lefors cheerleaders recently returned from a National Cheerleaders Association summer camp where the team received top recognition as being selected as the Herkie T.E.A.M. Award Winner. The camp was held at Panhandle State University and attracted over 100 cheerleaders from surrounding states. Lefors cheerleaders are (front, I-r) Candid Ray, Tracy Tucker and Angie Davenport; (back, I-r) Nickki Bockman, Katisha Jackson, Katie Miller and Penny Summers. Their sponsor is Karen Reeves. The National Cheerleaders Association selects a winner at each of the 1,000 camps it administers around the world each summer. The Herkie T.E.A.M. Award Winner, named after its founder L.R. Herkimer, is awarded to squads who exemplify the qualities NCA was founded upon. As an award winner, the Lefors squad is eligible to travel nationally with NCA and will be featured in the Adolphus Children's Christmas Parade in Dallas and the Brach's Holiday Parade in Chicago.

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Colorado 12, Florida 5

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Pittsburgh 12, Los Angeles 2

St. Louis 1, San Diego 0 Montreal 13, Houston 5 Atlanta 14. Philadelphia 1, 8 innings, rain Thursday's Games Montreal (P.Martinez 9-6) at Houston (Drabek 5-7), 2:35 p.m. New York (Harnisch 7-7) at Florida (K.Brown 10-9), 7:05 p.m. San Diego (S.Sanders 4-4) at Pittsburgh

(Fourth 7, 7:35 p.m. Philadelphia (Beech 0-0) at Atlanta (Maddux 10-9), 7:40 p.m. San Francisco (Estes 2-2) at St. Louis (Al.Benes 10-7), 8:05 p.m. Only games scheduled Friday's Games New York (Isringhausen 5-12) at Florida (Hutton 1-0), 7:05 p.m. Houston (Reynolds 13-6) at Philadelphia (West

0-0), 7:35 p.m. Chicago (Bullinger 4-9) at Montreal (Cormier-7-6), 7:35 p.m. San Diego (Valenzuela 8-7) at Pittsburgh (Miceli 2-7), 7:35 p.m. Los Angeles (Valdes 11-5) at Cincinnati (Portugal 7-8), 7:35 p.m. Colorado (Wright 2-1) at Atlanta (Glavine 12-5), 7:40 p.m. San Francisco (O.Fernandez 4-12) at St. Louis (Morgan 4-4), 8:05 p.m.

American League At A Glance **All Times EDT East Division**

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Fishing report

ARROWHEAD: Water clear; low: 84 degrees; black bass to 4 pounds are good on spinners and worms; white bass are good on live bait and imitation shad; crappie are fair to good on minnows and jigs fished over deep brush; catfish are fair on rod and reels baited with minnows and

GRANBURY: Water off-colored; 85 degrees; black bass to 9 pounds are fair on spinners, worms and Rat-L-Traps; striped bass are fair on live bait: white bass are good on spoons; crappie are fair on minnows fished in deep water; catfish are fair on rod and reels baited with shrimp and night crawlers. KEMP: Water fairly clear; low; 87

degrees; black bass to 4 pounds are fair on small spinners, topwaters and worms: striped bass are fair on live bait; catfish are fair to good on trotlines baited with

OAK CREEK: Water clear, low; 84 degrees; black bass to 3 1/2 pounds are on topwaters fished early and on crank baits fished during the day; white bass are fair on live bait and spoons; crappie are fair on minnows fished over deep water brush piles; catfish are slow. O.H.IVIE: Water clear on main lake,

murky in upper end and tributaries: lake level 1541.83; 79 degrees; black bass to 5 pounds are slow on plastic worms fished in 20 to 30 feet of water; crappie are fair on minnows fished in 20 to 30 feet of water in the creeks, coves and ridges at night; white bass are fair; crappie are fair on minnows fished in 20 to 40 feet of water around flats, ridges and creeks; catfish are fair on trotlines baited with cut bait fished over baited holes; yellow catfish are fair on trotlines baited with live perch. POSSUM KINGDOM: Water clear; 9 feet low; 85 degrees; black bass are good on topwaters and Slug-gos; striped and white bass are fair on live shad and slabs fished on the main lake; crappie are fair on minnows fished around the docks; catfish are good on rod and reels baited with cut bait and on trotlines baited with live

PROCTOR: Water clear; low; 87 degrees black bass to 5 pounds are good on spinners, worms and topwaters; hybrid stripers are slow to fair on live bait and topwaters; crappie are slow on minnows and pumpkinseed tube jigs fished over heavy brush; catfish are fair on rod and reels baited with chicken liver and dough

degrees; black bass to 8 pounds are fair on spinners and jigs; striped bass to 12 pounds are good on shad; blue and channel catfish are fair on rod and reels baited with shad, prepared bait and night crawlers; yellow catfish are slow to fair on

WHITE RIVER: Water clear; very low; 83 degrees; black bass to 4 pounds are good on worms and black spinners; crappie are fair to good on minnows and jigs; channel catfish are good on rod and reels baited with shrimp and cheese bait. B.A. STEINHAGEN: Water fairly clear; 1 1/2 feet low; 86 degrees; black bass are

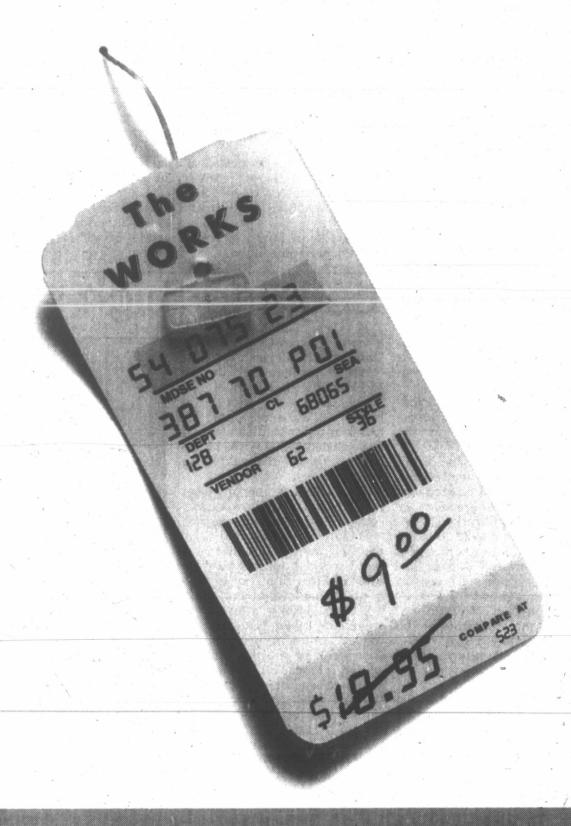
good on topwaters fished at night; crapple are slow; catfish are fair to good on minnows, perch, worms and stink balt. CONROE: Water fairly clear; low; 84 degrees; black bass to 3 pounds are good on spinners: white bass are fair to good on live minnows, slabs and spoons; crap pie are fair on minnows fished over brush

piles and around the bridge; catfish are fair on rod and reels baited with cheese and cut bait fished in the creeks after a HOUSTON COUNTY: Water clear, normal level; 82 degrees; black bass to 6.34 pounds are good on dark spinners and Power Worms; crappie are fair to good on minnows and jigs fished at the dam; cat-

fish are fair on shrimp, night crawlers and

minnows; bream are good on crickets. LIVINGSTON: Water fairly clear: lake level 127.35; 86 degrees; black bass to 4 pounds are fair on topwaters fished at night and on spoons and spinners fished in the channels; white bass are fair on slabs and spoons; striped bass are slow on slabs and live bait; white bass are good on Charlie Slabs and spoons fished deep on the main lake; catfish are fair on rod and reels and trotlines baited with live

and cut perch. RAYBURN: Water clear, 14 feet low; 85 degrees; black bass to 7 pounds are fair on white spinners; crappie are fair on minnows and jigs fished in deep water; catfish are good on trotlines baited with-cut and prepared bait.



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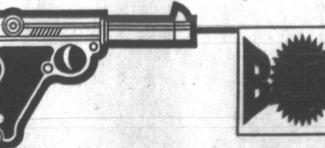
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America Online users indignant after waiting 19 hours for service

have been the largest online outage ever, 6.3 million AOLame will be back up?" American Online customers worldwide were left stranded when the system crashed for almost 19

resumed at 10:45 p.m. EDT Wednesday, 18 hours ware, essential to the network's operating systems. and 45 minutes after it was taken off-line for what The company also has had several other minor syswas supposed to be routine maintenance to install tem outages over the past year. new software.

out their e-mail or access to their favorite Web sites. accounts on other online systems commiserated on one hour ... then an hour and 15 minutes. a popular Internet bulletin board devoted to complaining about America Online.

The problem was different from a software glitch that brought down AOL's e-mail system for an hour on June 19, company spokeswoman Pam everyday lives," he said. Service at the nation's largest online service McGraw said. This time, it involved new host soft-

ew software. "Good-bye from America Online. The system is temporarily unavailable," was the message customers got when they tried to log in Wednesday. During the outage, frustrated users who had They were asked to try again in 15 minutes ... then

And so on, and so on, until 10:45 p.m. EDT. America Online will credit all members for a lost "AOL DID IT AGAIN!" one writer lamented. day of service, said Steve Case, AOL chairman and "Their system crashed and we gotta love it. This chief operating officer. Case apologized to mem-

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - In what appears to stupid s- is starting to annoy me. Wonder when bers in a letter sent online and tried to put a posi- joked with members that he himself was responsible. tive spin on the system crash.

ed all of us how important AOL is becoming in our unplugged the wrong thing."

E-mail sent to AOL users from outside the system inconvenience. during the crash was stored and delivered when the system went back online.

history, said Mark Mooradian of Jupiter Communications, a New York online marketing

Members who thronged to America Online's chat spaces to talk about what they did while the system hamsters went on strike" (Don't ask), to the hysterical, "a Martian virus."

In the Town Square chat area, one AOL staffer ing to do stuff off-line.

"It was me! I did it and admit it. They told me to "It did have an interesting side effect - it remind- unplug the popcorn maker and ... well, I

Photographer Jeff Glaser was not amused by the

"My daughter uses it for e-mail with her friends." and she's been bugging me all evening. I think it's The outage was probably the biggest in online awkward," he said from his Ashburn, Va., home.

Many companies that rely on AOL for their email accounts and technical support for moneymaking World Wide Web sites were outraged while the system was down.

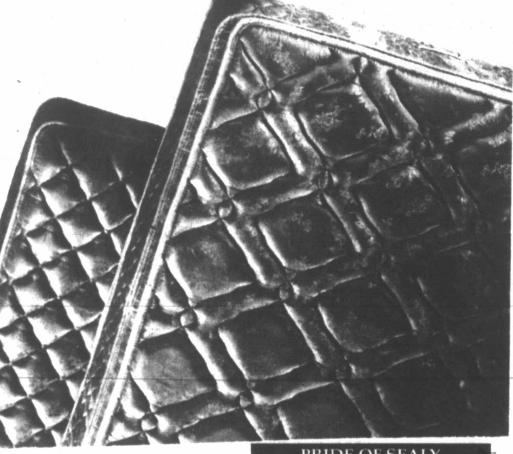
"My whole company is stopped," said E. David was down posed theories from the comical, "the Ellington, president of NetNoir, a San Franciscobased media company whose Afro-centric Web site is on AOL. "We've got people running around try-

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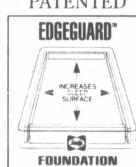
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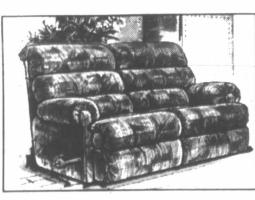
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