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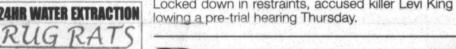
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Locked down in restraints, accused killer Levi King is escorted from the Gray County Courthouse fol-

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BY DAVID BOWSER dbowser@thepampanews.com

Levi A. King is Lubbock bound. The jury selection process for the man accused of killing a family in rural Gray County in 2005, will begin in the Lubbock County Courthouse on June 30.

Judge Steven R. Emmert announced the change of venue in 31st District during a pre-trial hearing Thursday afternoon Court in the Gray County Courthouse.

Judge Emmert said a jury panel would be called on June 30 in Lubbock to begin filling out questionnaires in the capital murder case. Individual interviews with prospective jurors will begin July 8.

Judge Emmert said he expected jury selection to take five to six weeks. He said he intended to move directly to trial following jury selection.

King, 26, is accused of killing Brian Conrad, 31; his six-month pregnant wife, Michell Conrad, 35 and her son Zach Doan, 14, at their home south of Pampa in the predawn hours of Sept. 30, 2005.

King pleaded guilty in April, 2008, in Missouri to the Sept. 29, 2005, murders of Orlie McCool, 70, and McCool's daughter-inlaw, Laura Dawn McCool, 47, in exchange for two consecutive life sentences in prison without parole. During Thursday's hearing, Judge Emmert ordered the indict-



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Doggone good job

BY DAVID BOWSER dbowser@thepampanews.com

Few people are blessed with a job they really enjoy. Monty Montgomery is one of them. "I live and breathe this," he said.

Montgomery is back in Pampa and back at the animal shelter, but this time he's the supervisor of the city's program.

Originally from Oklahoma, Montgomery came to Pampa to work in the early 1980s when times were good.

"I graduated from school south of Altus, Okla.," Montgomery said. "I was raised down in southwest Oklahoma.

He moved to Pampa about 1982.

"I worked in the construction field up here," he said.

But it was in Pampa that his life changed.

"I took a dog obedience class," Montgomery said, "and one of the ladies there worked at the animal shelter and the work fascinated me."

As boom times in Pampa turned to bust, Montgomery was laid off as construction slowed.

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letin board of animals at the shelter. PEDC assisting local entrepreneurs

BY LESLI ABBOTT labbott@thepampanews.com

The Pampa Economic Development Corporation has added a business development facilitator to the services they offer.

Spencer McElhannon, with Entrepreneur Alliance, was hired recently to facilitate a joint project with PEDC and Borger Economic Development Corporation.

PEDC executive director, Clay Rice said,"Spencer is going to be a real asset to the Pampa area, he brings a great deal of experience to the table.'

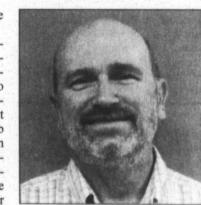
Entrepreneur Alliance services the 26 counties of the Texas Panhandle. McElhannon said, "Our geographic area includes the western Texas panhandle to New Mexico and east to the Oklahoma state line, south to Tulia, and the northern most areas of the panhandle.

"My goal is to assist entrepreneurs, people who are thinking about starting a new business, or who are already in business and need some advice on how to cope

with the current economy," he said.

The project provides networking, peer and mentor support, professional development and continuing education, and access to local resources and business assistance programs. He suggests that the public visit the following Web site that will provide information about the organization, www.getyourdream.org. A wealth of information can be found on the site and individuals can sign up for services.

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Spencer McElhannon



staff photo by David Bowser Monty Montgomery, who heads Pampa's animal control department, stands next to a bul— Friday June 12, 2009 — The Pampa News

For the record

PAMPA FORECAST

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Tonight: Isolated showers and thunderstorms. Partly cloudy, with a low around 63. East wind between 10 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph. Chance of precipitation is 10 percent.

Saturday: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms after 1 pm. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 86. East wind between 5 and 15 mph.

Saturday Night: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 66. South southeast wind between 10 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

Sunday: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms after 1pm. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 89. South southwest wind between 10 and 15 mph.

Sunday Night: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly cloudy, with a low around 66. South southwest wind around 15 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph.

Monday: Mostly cloudy, with a high near 86. Southwest wind between 10 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

Monday Night: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly cloudy, with a low around 65. South southeast wind between 10 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

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Obituaries

Edgar "Dean" Carson, 81 son, James Edgar Carson Service as a production

Pampa— Edgar "Dean" Carson, 81, died June 12, 2009, in Amarillo, Texas. Services are pending

with Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Carson was born June 14, 1927 in Hill City, Kansas. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving during the Korean Conflict. He married Joyce Boaldin on November 9, 1957 in Elkhart, Kansas. Dean retired from Cities

Sister Gloria Captian was born to Jack Green and Ola Gladys Reager on January 8, 1938 in Abilene, Texas. She married Earl Captian. She lived in Borger before moving to Pampa over 30 years ago.

Sister Captian worked for Round The Clock in Borger. She also worked at The Lamplighter for over 20 years and at the Southside Senior Citizen until she retired. Sis. Captian had a passion for cooking and feeding others. She also helped with

foreman after 39 years of service. He was a 32nd degree Mason, a Shriner, a member of the Scottish Rite Consistory, and a lifetime member of the VFW Post #1657 in Pampa. He was a Baptist. Survivors include his

wife, Joyce Carson of the home, two daughters; Cheri Newman and Ladeana Dudley and husband Dan, all of Pampa, one preceded in death by a sis-

of Pampa, two sisters; Donna McCormick and Kathy McKenney, both of Gillette, Wyoming, seven grandchildren; James Dean Marquez, Matthew Patrick Dudley, Latisha Anne Dudley, Rebecca Lynn Dudley, Timothy Jason Dudley, Nicholos James Dudley and Samuel Joseph Newman, and seven greatgrandchildren. Dean was

Sister Gloria Captian

Meals on Wheels. Sister Captian was a

devoted member of New Hope Missionary Baptist Church. She cooked and took care of the Sunday Breakfast and all of the Special Occasion meals. She was the Usher President and faithful in every area of the Church. She was preceded in death by her parents and a

son, Bryan Glover. Leaving to cherish her memories, her son Micheal Glover of Pampa; five daughters, Fredicia

(Carl) Hooks of Idabele, OK, Sharon (Damian) Gonzalez, Sheree Captian, and Ilita Captian, all of Pampa; twelve grandchildren, fourteen great grand children; a brother James (Sarah) Reager of Flint, Michigan; a special friend, Pat Wright and a host of nieces, nephews and friends.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Sat. June 13, 2009 at New Hope Baptist Church with Rev. Willis officiating.

of North Nelson.

ter, Dixie Darlene Hooper, and his parents Edgar and Violet Carson.

MEMORIALS: BSA Hospice, P.O. Box 950, Amarillo, Texas 79105. or V.F.W Post #1657, P.O. Box 2684, Pampa, Texas 79066-2684.

Sign the on-line register at www.carmichaelwhatley.com



Captian

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Emergency Services

PAMPA PD

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents. Animal control officers

responded to 20 calls. Pampa police officers

made seven traffic stops, worked one accident and reported three traffic complaints.

Thursday, June 11 A 1991 Chevrolet S-10 pickup was reported stolen in the 1000 block of Duncan.

Adult diapers, a copier, medical supplies, a file cabinet, phones, Christmas decorations were reported stolen in the 800 block of

North West. An air conditioning and

damaged by vandals in the

was reported in the 1900

bike was reported stolen

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600 block of Lowry

block of South Prairie.

500 block of Zimmers.

block of North Hamilton.

A theft of water service

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A 911 hang up call was

Pampa police officers

700 block of North Gray.

Police Department.

A civil matter was reported in the 400 block of Hughes. A domestic disturbance

was reported in the 1500 block of North Williston. Disorderly conduct was

reported in the 700 block of Kentucky. A bicycle was reported

stolen in the 1800 block of North Wells. A domestic disturbance

with minor injuries was reported in the 700 block of North Sumner.

Officers made a welfare check at Coronado and Wells

A suspicious vehicle was reported at Denver and

Criminal trespass was reported in the 600 block of North Faulkner. A suspicious vehicle

was reported in the 1600 block of U.S. Hwy. 60. Friday, June 12

A 1985 Chevrolet pickup was reported stolen in the 700 block of North Dwight.

Disorderly conduct was reported in the 700 block of Murphy.

A suspicious person was reported in the 2500 block of North Hobart.

A suspicious person was reported at the intersection of Campbell and Reid

rants.

Thursday, June 11

Timothy Frank Davis, 37, of Pampa, was arrested by Pampa police officers on charges of assault and family violence.

Shawn Ray Hernandez, 37, of Pampa, was arrested by Pampa police officers on criminal conspiracy charges out of Wheeler.

Jennifer Renee Hogan, 32, of Pampa, was arrested by Pampa police officers on criminal conspiracy charges out of Wheeler.

Marcus Allen Dorsey, 19, was arrested by Pampa police officers on charges of public intoxication.

Michael Wayne Blalock, 51, was arrested by Pampa police officers on city war-

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A suspicious person was reported in the 1300 block of Starkweather.

Violation of a city ordinance was reported at the 800 block of Municipal Drive.

reported in the 800 block of East Francis.

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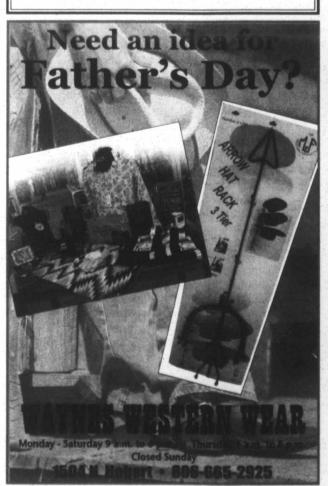
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Shelter

With more free time, he began volunteering down at the animal shelter.

He had found some work digging ditches in Borger, but when the lady that had been working at the animal shelter said she was leaving, Montgomery said he applied for her job and was hired by the City of Pampa.

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That was the end of December, 1986.

In those days, there were two animal control officers plus Sandy Burns, the supervisor.

In the 1990s, as the city's budget continued to contract, the staff was cut to two.

"We were working with a two-man crew, Montgomery said. "It was me and Sandy."

After two decades in animal control, Montgomery retired from the City of Pampa on Dec. 31, 2006, but he couldn't stay away.

A month later, he was back in the animal control business, but this time in Amarillo

Montgomery returned to Pampa to take over the animal control program in mid-May.

It's not the money. It's not the working conditions, he explained. It's the inner reward and the sense of accomplishment.

Often a thankless job with erratic hours, Montgomery

said it's like a calling. He has found his mission in life. He said it selected him.

"When you can do something that not only benefits the animals and benefits the public and the people," he said, "there's no greater satisfaction.'

Montgomery said he quite a job to come to work at the animal shelter. He certainly made more money in construction, but he said working with animals is much more satisfying

Even if he wasn't doing it for a living, Montgomery said he'd be involved at the animal shelter.

"If I'd volunteered somewhere," he said, "I'd volunteer here.'

As for the future of the animal control program in Pampa and the future of the animal shelter, Montgomery said he like to see some changes, but right now he said he's still getting his feet on the ground. Things have changed

since he left. "A lot of the things they've done have been for the better," Montgomery said. "It's improved."

He has a couple of part time employees that allow him to serve the community better.

"We've revamped the schedule a little bit where

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Monday through Friday we generally have two officers be amended to correct working," said. "We've managed to expand the hours just a little so we can respond to indictments. calls.'

one thing that really seems to be helping animal wel- or gag order, to comply fare in Pampa today is the posting pictures of the animals they've picked up there is no other means on a bulletin board in the window of the animal shelter. The shelter's Web site is back up and going, he said. That has also helped people find their lost dogs Emmert's initial order and see what animals are available for adoption.

He said that a new animal shelter is on the wish list for the future, but he acknowledges that there are budget considerations.

The animal shelter dates back to the 1960s, more than 40 years ago. City officials admit that Pampa needs a new facility, but while steps have been taken toward the planning stages of a new animal shelter, the realization of such a facility will depend upon the economic fortunes of the community.

Still, Montgomery said he's optimistic. He said he's got to be. There are a lot of warm furry lives that depend upon him and his staff.

King ments against

King Montgomery the spelling of his middle name, Alexis. It had been spelled Alexas in the

Emmert also amended Montgomery said that the wording of his protective and restrictive order, with case law.

> The court believes of restricting information, Emmert said.

Defense attorneys Joe Marr Wilson and Maxwell Peck had appealed to the Seventh Court of Appeals in Amarillo, claiming it violated King's constitutional right to free speech. Peck repeated the claim in court Thursday.

"We find no evidence that a fair trial can't be had despite pre-trial publicity,' Peck said.

Judge Emmert said he felt interviews with the press could remove King's presumption of innocence. "That's what this court is

trying to prevent," Emmert said.

The order prohibits those involved in the trial, including the lawyers, from making statements about the case other than public facts.

The judge also denied several defense motions, including requests to rule the death penalty and parts of the Texas Penal Code unconstitutional.

Judge Emmert granted several motions by 31st District Attorney Lynn Switzer to limit comments by the defense team in front of a jury concerning

"We're not aware of any competency hearings or any other hearings related to the competency of Levi King," Peck said.

The judge also granted the prosecutor's motion to limit side bar comments by the defense in front of a

jury relating to prosecutorial misconduct.

"I'm not aware of any," Peck told the judge.

The judge also barred any comment in front of a jury concerning discussions of a plea bargain, saying that

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would gut the presumption of innocence of the defendant

Judge Emmert set another hearing for 1 p.m., Wednesday, to hear two other motions.

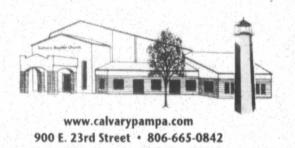
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step", McElhannon said. "I learn something new every day through this work. No two people are

experiencing that situation, I learned that there are other ways to make a living rather than the typical 8-5 job. So, I've worked through those difficult ups and downs of business," he said.

"We're here to help individuals and partners avoid the pitfalls and mistakes that can occur in the life of a business and support these business communities, he said."

He currently offices in

Pampa on Wednesdays,

where he maintains a client list of 12 businesses. Additionally, he has 13 clients in the Borger area.

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viduals to contact him at his Amarillo office, 806-322-0032 or email him at spencer@entalliance.org . PEDC is located at 106 north Cuyler, and can be reached on the internet at www.pampaedc.com .

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going to go at a project the same way. It's always different", he says.

Some of the services available for a new start up business include: securing a certified assumed name called a DBA-doing business as, applying for loans from the Small Business Administration, serving as a guide to tax related issues such as applying for a Texas sales tax number, setting up an employer payroll account with the Internal Revenue Service, attending accounting classes, offering training on how to hire employees, how to manage a business, marketing, applying for licenses and permits, and even exporting a product.

"I invite anyone already in business, or thinking of starting a business to make an appointment and talk with me and establish what their needs and goals are". : McElhannon was educated at Baylor University, in Waco, graduating in 1981 with a bachelors degree in Political Science. While in college, he worked for minimum wage as a cardiology technician. "When I graduated, unfortunately we were experiencing a recession similar to what we have now. There weren't a lot of jobs out there for political science majors", he said. He decided to enlist in the Navy, pursued and completed aviation flight training. But an eye injury a little over a year into his career prevented him from continuing to fly.

Soon after, a business opportunity in his hometown of Sherman, presented itself and he accepted the challenge. Later, he was offered the opportunity to prepare and develop a business plan for an outpatient surgical clinic. Just as he completed the project and contracts were ready to sign, one of the business partners withdrew their participation. "From

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Viewpoints

Today in History

Today is Friday, June 12, the 163rd day of 2009. There are 202 days left in the year.

Highlights in history on this date:

1667 - A 15-year-old boy becomes the first to receive a blood transfusion when Jean-Baptiste Denys, physician of French King Louis XIV, treats his fever with lamb's blood.

1798 - French forces capture island of Malta.

1882 - Anti-foreign riots break out in Alexandria, Egypt

1900 - Second German Naval Act is passed, calling for fleet of 38 battleships by 1920.

1901 - Cuban Convention makes that nation virtually a protectorate of United States.

1935 - Paraguay and Bolivia sign a truce ending bloody 3-year Chaco War. Paraguay gets most of the disputed Chaco region, while Bolivia gets a river port.

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1937 - Stalin's purge of Russian generals begins. 1940 - Japanese planes bomb Chungking, China, the capital of Nationalist movement 1952 - Nordic

nationals are for the first time able to cross the borders between their countries without passports

1964 - Nelson Mandela, Walter Sisulu and other anti-apartheid leaders sentenced to life in prison in South Africa

1967 - Israel declares it will keep some of ground won from Egypt, Jordan and Syria in Six-Day War.

1976 - A military coup in Uruguay overthrows civilian president Juan Bordaberry, beginning a nine-year dictatorship.

1987 - Central African Republic's former Emperor Jean-Bedel Bokassa is sentenced to death for murder, arbitrary arrest and embezzlement of public funds.

1994 - The ex-wife of U.S. football star O.J. Simpson and one of her friends are found murdered. The trial consumes American media for months.

1999 - NATO troops flood into Kosovo and come face-to-face with Russian troops who seize the airport in Pristina in an unexpected move. The Russian foreign minister calls the Russian deployment a mistake

2002 - A three-judge panel in the New Jersey State Superior Court rules the U.S. government may keep secret the names of immigrants detained in the wake of September 11, 2001 attacks.

2005 - Palestinian authorities carry out their first xecutions since 2002, killing four convicted mur-

If you earn it can you keep it

By Martha Randolph Carr

The most fun about having a pragmatic democrat like Obama in the White House is the amount of angst that arises from trying to please everyone. Trying to find a practical solution to costly issues like health care in America, which is once again a hot topic, is a political black hole.

A lot of ideas are going to go into the meetings but most will never be heard from again. Take the idea of removing part or all of the tax exemption first given to workers in 1943 who participate in employee health care plans.

This idea was floated in 1984 by President Reagan, a Republican pragmatist who was actually trying to be there for all the voters, not just those who voted for him. It was even lauded as a practical way to pay for health care reform by economists but shot down mostly by labor unions and not spoken of again till now.

The balance is the problem. Most Republicans these days don't appear to have this concern. Their ideas may be galling to a lot of people but they're very clear about their mission

The GOP's message has been consistently, if you earn it you can keep it. Said in another way it could sound like the ends do justify the means and don't look too closely at the havenots. It'll ruin your day

That's how a lot of old school liberals have told the story to the masses. It felt like there ought to be a campfire and a flashlight held just under the chin as the spooky story was told about how we'd all be crushed by big business and left with nothing. Never mind that big business provided the jobs. That's the reflexive counter argument from the red states and is often where discussion ends and circular arguments between the two sides get stuck in an endless loop.

But hold on just a moment before pulling out any of those old diatribes about who has to be right or wrong.

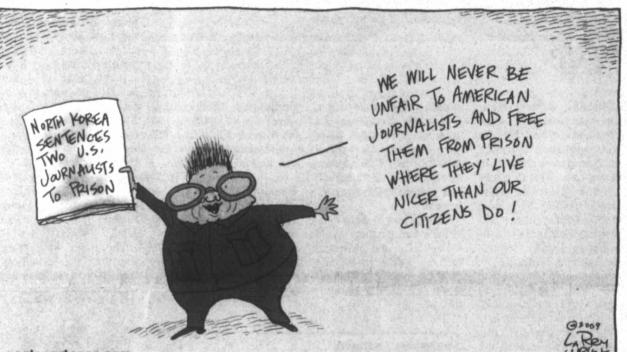
Start instead with the idea that in America it's a free society constructed with a certain set of ideals. Throw in that every citizen, with some exceptions, has the right to vote. That part we all finally agree upon and even that one has taken us a long time to put to rest, Florida and Ohio election machines not withstanding.

But where it got tricky was when our first elected officials threw in an entire Bill of Rights that said we were all going to do our best to simultaneously mind our own business and yet, take care of each other. There's the rub but also the reason so many want to immigrate to America, no matter who's in office.

Pulling off that magic trick is an impossible task that requires constant reworking and is the best thing we do on any given day. However, we believe that if you got up every day and went to work you should be able to keep the majority of that paycheck. That's only reasonable. We recognize, though that there are a lot of services like schools, courts. paved streets and more that need to be funded.

And then there are the funds necessary to pay for services like health care to help those who are working just as hard but earning far less. No one in America should have a curable condition and not be able to get adequate treatment but especially during the Great Recession, those numbers have been swelling.

So, here's a couple of thoughts to ponder and is a good part of the reason why monarchies, which rule from the top down have failed and communism, which rules from the bottom up has also gone down in flames and America still stands. As the past year has shown us, millions of dollars aren't enough to guarantee lasting wealth or even health. Sometimes we have to come together in order to find solutions while cheering on those mavericks among us who will get back up and reach for something much better.



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Letters to the editor

To the editor, As always, Fairview

Cemetery was aglow with flowers and flags on Memorial Day. Yet one grave passed unnoticed.

There has never been a memorial wreath for Mr and Mrs. M. K. Brown.

I have fond memories during World War II of Mr. Brown stepping across the street from the Schnieder Hotel to the bus station each morning to greet every arriving and departing soldier. Each one got a firm handshake, a brand new \$5 bill and a thankyou from all of us.

We havea ll benefited from Mr. Brown's generousity. The auditorium, the swimming pool, the London Bridge and teh community college come to mind.

It is sad that the grave of one of PAmpa's most beloved citizens receives so little attention.

Christine Campaigne Pampa

Editor's note: The following is a portion of a presentation made by Miranda Bailey at the PISD Board of Trustees meting on June 9. Ms. Bailey asked that we publish this also as a letter to the editor

Coach Gill and I are here this evening on behalf of the teaching staff of Pampa Junior High to talk to you about the possibility of reconsidering your decision to change the junior high mascot to The Reapers.

Although we are certainly aware of the deep thought and discussion that has occurred on this matter in recent months, and in recent years, we still find that the overwhelming majority of faculty at

Pampa Junior High, 73 staff members, feel that the Reaper mascot is not a fitting or suitable representation for the junior high. There are many rea-

sons for this. For some, it is because the proposed Reaper mascot evokes images of death and the reaper of all reapers - The Grim Reaper. As a matter of fact, if one Googles or searches the word "Reaper" on the Internet, in addition to the many images of the Grim Reaper and death, the very first link that pops up is for a television show on cable called "Reaper." (http:// www.cwtv.com/shows/ reaper) What is the show about? Here is the tagline I copied word for word from the website itself:

"The series focuses on Sam Oliver, a Reaper who works for the Devil by retrieving souls that have escaped from Hell."

I know we want to intimidate our rivals - but some feel this is perhaps not the exact image we should portray.

There is also the argument that our junior high kids themselves bring up the minute we tell any one of them that we are going to become the Reapers.

They're "Reapers? going to call us rapers," several seventh graders told me this year. We all know how kids love nicknames. I don't doubt that's what we'll be known as to our rivals.

As a mater of fact, in an informal survey of our faculty, the overwhelming majority feels that our one and only junior high should share the same mascot as our one and only high school.

I, again, am deeply aware of the arguments for

and against this matter. I know this was a debate of considerable attention five years ago when the Pampa Middle School switched over to the Pampa Junior High.

argument But the remains the same: Why shouldn't our junior high kids be Harvesters or Little Harvesters? An overwhelming majority of towns comparable in size do the exact same. It is certainly not uncommon, and really quite the opposite. In addition, by sharing our mascot, the Pampa pride is shared by students and teachers alike, those born in Pampa, and those of us who have become Harvesters by association. How nice it would be to double the Harvester spirit! To prepare our junior high kids for the "Harvester good" that is coming their way in three short years! Not to mention the money that would be saved by passing on uniforms from one campus to another.

Clearly, strong arguments can be made for making the junior high mascot the same as the high school's - however, we as a faculty knew we couldn't go against the high school's wishes. Therefore, we consulted the coaching staff at the high school to see how they felt about the issue.

Athletic Director Stuart Smith assured us that 100 percent of the athletic department is in favor of making the junior high mascot the same as the high school. So there is no dissension there. A wonderful and welcome endorsement only reinforces our argument.

Of course, opponents do still believe that The Reapers is a mascot that has been used in Pampa in the past, and is a suitable one for the future. But we believe the term Reapers has a very different connotation that what it did decades ago.

Or there is the argument that junior high kids should "earn the right" to be a Harvester.

Personally, if it was just up to me, I could care less if we're the Reapers or the Little Harvesters or the Green Team. It is not that big of a deal to me alone.

But I have become aware of what a big deal this is to the majority of my campus. Most of my peers are Pampa natives and they are not only deeply insulted at the idea of having our junior high kids called "The Reapers," but they are hurt that the school board is seemingly not taking their opinion, nor public opinion, into consideration on the matter.

I'm here to represent those Harvesters at my campus and to exhibit the" Fighting Harvester Spirit" myself. To represent my peers. To ask you, as a school board, to also represent us - to represent what our junior high teachers in this community want.

Please reconsider your decision. No matter what you decide, we will, of course, honor your authority, and life will go on. However, this is a big deal to a great many people in this town. And we would appreciate it if you would allow us to survey the community and either change the junior high mascot to the Harvesters, as so many other Texas towns do, or to remain the Green Team.

Most Sincerely, Miranda Bailey Pampa



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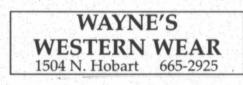
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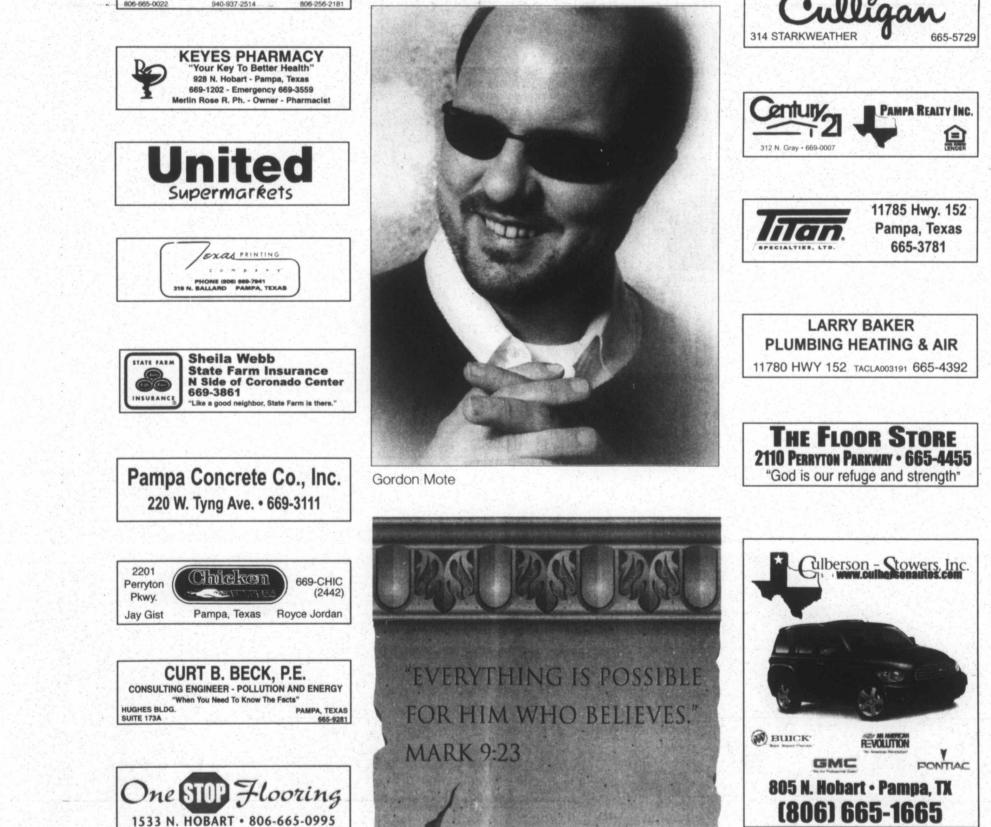


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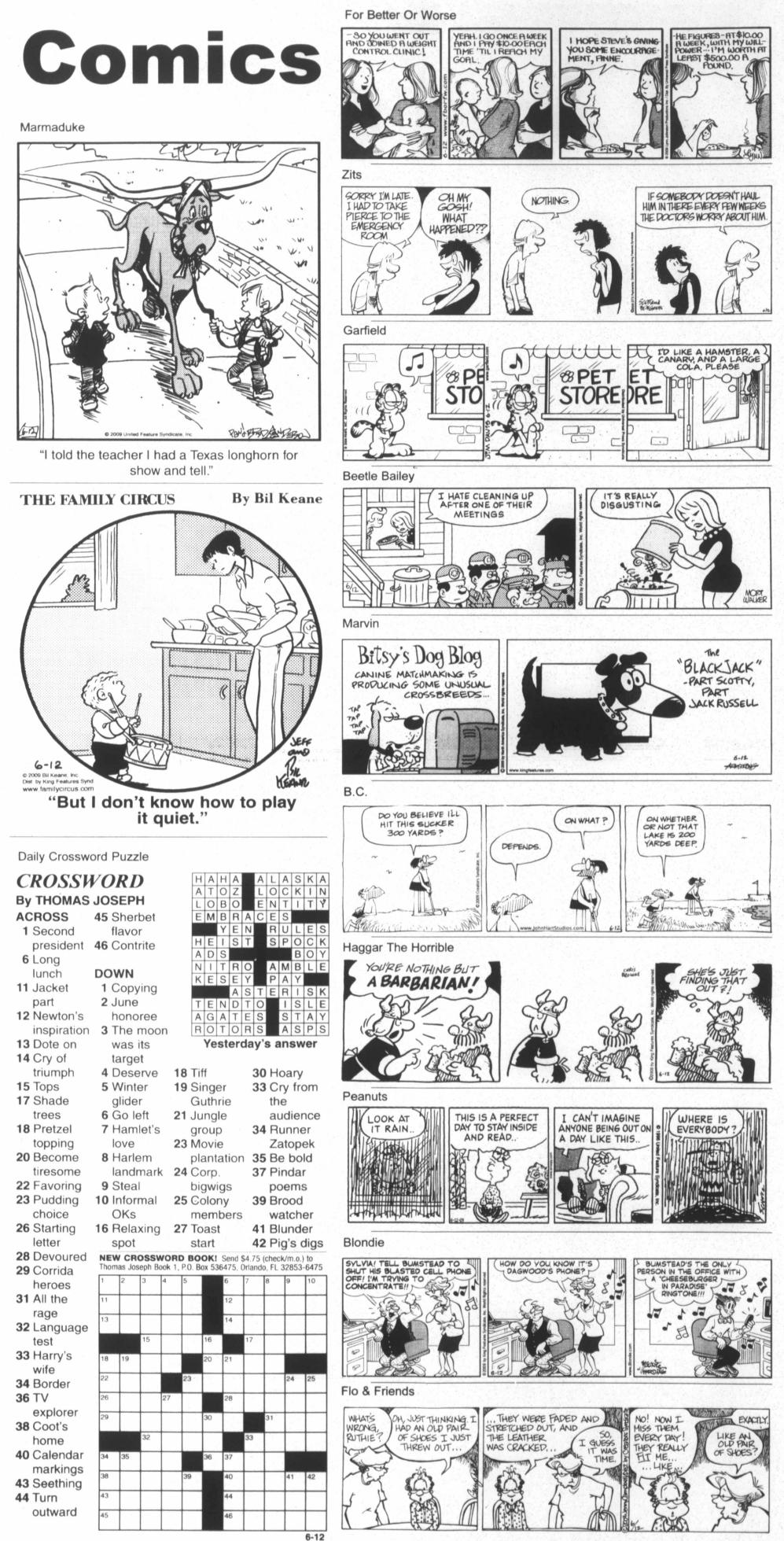








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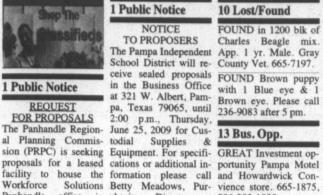
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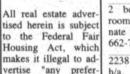
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Rotary downs Glo-Valve

Rotary Club ended the winning streak of Glo-Valve Service with an 8-1 win Thursday in the last game of the regular season for the Pampa Optimist 11-12 Cal Ripken League.

Thomas Haley and Blayne Troxell combined to hold the regular season champions to only one hit. Haley pitched the first and fourth frames while Troxell pitched the other four innings. Haley allowed one hit, one walk and struck out one. Troxell did not give up a hit or a walk. He hit a batter, struck out two and gave up an unearned Brody Gains and run. Aaron Allen pitched for Glo-Valve.

Cade Engle got Rotary on the scoreboard in the bottom of the first inning. He singled, stole second and came home on a single by Haley.

In the third inning Alec

start putting on a CD more often to let

your mind drift. Travel, education and

foreigners bring good luck. If you are

single, an exotic person walks into your

life. Tune in to this person's uniqueness

If you are attached, honor the special

quality of your bond. Share more of your

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll

*** If you feel like venturing out, do

- as you are likely to enjoy yourself more than you imagined. Friends play an

unusual role as you eye new possibilities.

If you have been harboring a long-term

dream, go for it. Tonight: Play it low-

*** A parent, boss or work makes

demands. Smart Bulls will make it their

pleasure. Use your ingenuity should you

hit a problem A brainstorming session

**** Reach out for others at a dis-

tance. A discussion needs to be put on the

back burner. Your imagination plays out when planning a get-together. Perhaps it

is time to start thinking about a vacation.

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dreams together. PISCES pushes you.

5-Dynamic;

3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

Tonight: Leader of the gang

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

Find your friends.

13, 2009:

Have:

Hendricks led off for Rotary with a single to left field. Two outs later, Haley drew a four-pitch walk. Troxell then aided his own cause with a blast over the left center field fence to give Rotary a 4-0 lead.

Walks to Andreas Losoya and Hendricks, a pair of stolen bases and a Glo-Valve error made the score 6-0 in the fourth inning. Rotarv

scored two more in the fifth inning on walks to Aaron McKinney, Rance Tipps, Julian Silva, Losoya and Hendricks.

Glo-Valve managed a run in the top of the sixth inning. Colton Thompson reached base on an error, stole second and scored when Michael Mechelay was safe on an error.

Rotary had several outstanding defensive plays. Silva caught two line drives in center field.

Engle threw to Haley to nab a Glo-Valve runner trying to score after a ball got away from the catcher. Troxell picked a runner off second base. Engle threw to Henricks to catch another runner trying to steal third.

Chance Douglas snagged a fly ball in right field and Ryan Powell had a caught stealing for Glo-Valve's best defensive plays.

Rotary improved to 13-2 while Glo-Valve fell to 15-1.

A double elimination city tournament begins Monday with Glo-Valve squaring off against Cabot Corporation at 5:45 p.m. and Rotary and

Duncan, Fraser & Bridges Insurance Agency clashing at 7:45 p.m. The Pampa Optimist Youth Club is a Pampa United Way agency.

DAILY HOROSCOPE

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Saturday, June **** Someone clearly is focused on you. Make time for this person. Togetherness lights up the Moon Child. This year, if you tune in to your higher mind, solutions appear and others might What is shared might be quite touching seem more receptive. You become more or special. Together you are lucky. Plans open and forthcoming. Music could play to go to a concert or movie help you a bigger role in relaxation, as you might relax. Tonight: Follow your imagina-

tion's lead.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) **** Others continue to be in the power seat. Get into a somewhat freer frame of mind. An unusually creative suggestion triggers many fun, dynamic and good ideas. Go out and enjoy a meal. movie or some other happening. Tonight Go with another's suggestion. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

*** Just flow. Go off and enjoy a favorite hobby or pastime. You might be delighted by what happens. Your imagination peaks when doing what you love Many come toward you. Tonight: Don't tolerate being alone or doing something vou don't like. LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★★ Let your imagination flourish. and follow its lead. You might be on a rather wild adventure. Someone knows how to catch your eye and attention. It could be a child, loved one or new friend all work. Be open to relating more deeply. Tonight: Know when to call it

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) creates unthought-of options. Tonight:

*** Opt to stay close to home. Perhaps you are sprucing up your home for the summer or a get-together. Be careful around water. Leaks happen! Others might simply opt to buy a water fountain or add a pool or hot tub. Tonight: Time to be less serious and let your hair down. SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) *** Make calls and touch base with

others. What you might think is an inspired idea draws a lot of enthusiasm Are you ready to test it out? Join a friend for a late lunch. A gift, a piece of music or a movie adds to the moment. Tonight Visit with friends, but call it an early CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

**** You easily could go overboard indulging a favorite vice. Though others and, above all, you — may judge your behavior, you'll relax and renew in this fashion. Get together with a friend in the late afternoon. Rethink plans. Tonight Hanging out feels perfect

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) **** Don't overthink situation Rather, go off and enjoy yourself. Your dealings with someone could take a new twist or turn. You have on your rose colored glasses, so your thoughts might not be realistic. Do you really care right now? Tonight: Indulge yourself, and others as well.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★ Relax, work, read or do whatever you want or need to do this morning. Free yourself up to get together with a special friend who always seems to be changing. Spontaneity adds to the fun of seeing friends. Why not let it all just hap pen? Tonight: The center of the action.

BORN TODAY Artist Christo (1935), actor Richard Thomas (1951), actress Ally Sheedy (1962). . .

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DEAR ABBY: I am torn about what to do. My sister has five children, all under 18. She has full custody and receives child support every month from her ex-husband.

The problem is, she has been spending the money that's intended for the children on her boyfriends. Because of it, they have been homeless twice, and it may happen again.

The only person in that household with a steady job is the oldest -- a boy -but he can't support all of them by himself. How can I make my sister see how irresponsible and immature she is?

My nephew would like to move out, but he is afraid it would seem like he is abandoning his family. Please help me. --ALARMED AUNTIE IN D.C.

ALARMED DEAR AUNTIE: Your sister's behavior is not only irresponsible, but also dangerous for the welfare of her children. If it is possible to contact their father and let him know what has been going on, I'm recommending that you do so. You should also contact Child Protective Services because while foster care is not "ideal," it would be better than what is going on in your sister's household.

DEAR ABBY: I am

Dear Abby...

By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips

embarrassing my 7-yearold son. I make him come into the women's restroom with me if no familv bathroom is available. He can use the bathroom by himself, of course, but I worry about who might be lurking in the men's room while he is out of my sight. Other mothers say they agree that a "bad man" could be loitering in public restrooms these days.

Is it more traumatic for him to come into the ladies' room or have me stand outside the men's room yelling, "Is everything all right in there?" -- LISA IN PHOENIX

DEAR LISA: If your son is old enough to be embarrassed by having to come into the women's restroom, then he should not be forced into it. It is not necessary to stand outside the men's room yelling, "Is everything all right in there?" Simply announce loudly when your son enters that you will be "waiting right here," so anyone inside will know he is not alone. Then, if your son isn't out in a reasonable period of time, ask if everything is all right. And if he doesn't respond, check on him.

DEAR ABBY: I am a 43-year-old professional woman with a good job. I was recently invited by a friend to join her and her

parents on a four-day minivacation trip. I accepted with the understanding that would share food and hotel expenses.

Her father insisted on paying for every meal and excursion, and refused my offers to pay for anything. This made me very uncomfortable, since I was not expecting a free ride. I gave my friend some money and asked her to repay her father after I had left, but I still feel awkward about the whole thing.

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Abby, what is the proper etiquette for such situations? -- CAN PAY MY WAY IN TENNESSEE

DEAR CAN PAY: Your friend's father is obviously a man of means, who could afford to treat you and did not feel comfortable allowing you to pay for the meals and hotel expenses. It is possible that he comes from the "men pay for everything" generation. While you may be too young to remember, it's the one that grew into adulthood before the women's rights movement.

Rather than having given your friend money to pass along to her dad, a better solution would have been to send her parents a lovely gift with a letter included, thanking them for their generosity.



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