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## Transmission lines promoting wind growth, jobs

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Construction has begun on the much anticipated transmission lines that will send the region's wind energy into the heart of Texas. Workers in Gray County and Wheeler County are already busy building the line from Lefors to Childress.

The project will connect wind energy from the Panhandle to the

ERCOT grid, which serves major metropolitan areas across the state, including Dallas, Houston, Austin and San Antonio. ERCOT customers will fund the building of the transmission lines through their energy rates. The project should be completed by 2013 and is expected to provide improved opportunities to those interested in harvesting wind in West Texas.

"There has been a lot of interest of wind energy companies leas-

ing land, but there isn't the capacity to export the energy," said Cameron Fredkin, Vice President of Cross Texas Transmission, one of the companies undertaking the project.

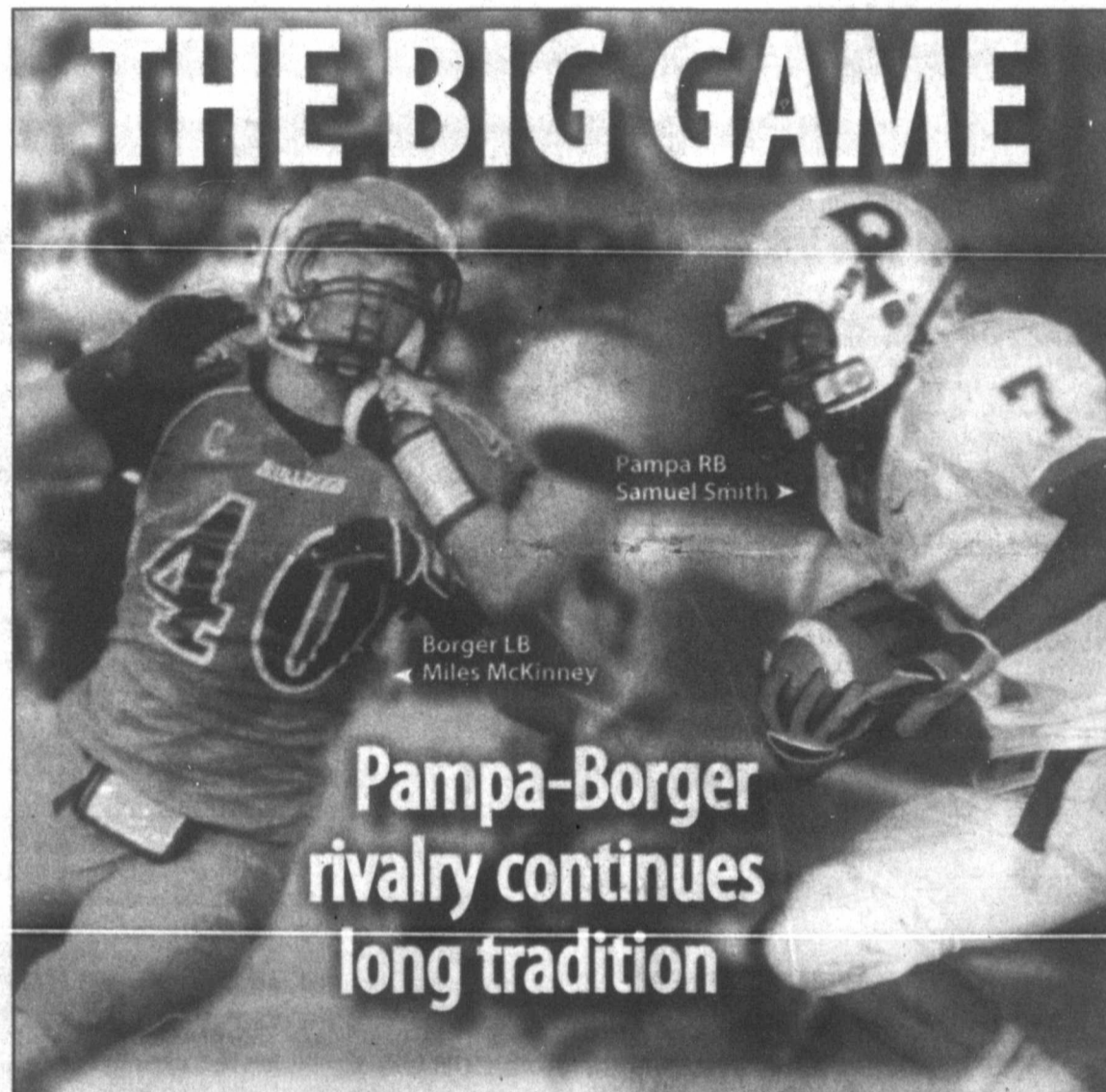
Fredkin reported about 60 people working in the field, a number he expects to grow to 100 as construction continues.

Pam Zenick, Workforce Development Planning, Information and Evaluation

Manager of the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, anticipates the project to boost job growth outside of the field as well.

"Businesses affected by the construction is the (other) kind of employment (we expect): The hospitality business, like hotels and restaurants, (will) accommodate those working in our region, so that creates jobs," she said.

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## THE BIG GAME

Pampa RB Samuel Smith

Borger LB Miles McKinney

### Pampa-Borger rivalry continues long tradition

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The Pampa Harvesters and Borger Bulldogs will add another chapter to their rivalry when their district matchup kicks off at 7:30 p.m. today at Harvester Field. The two teams have played each other since the days of the Great Depression, and along the way there have been several memorable games.

The Harvesters lead the series 41-36-5, kicking it off with a 20-0 victory in 1929. The Harvesters would be victorious the next 13

years, with the Bulldogs failing to score until the third game of the series.

Warren Hasse, who broadcasted for the Harvesters, said the teams played a controversial game in 1948.

"They wound up playing to a tie in Pampa," Hasse said. "The two coaches (Borger's Tricky Ward and Pampa's Tom Thipps) got into a fight afterwards. They were discussing penetrations and who won the ball game on penetrations."

According to a November 1948 *The Pampa News* article by Gene Garrison, the game went to Borger because it tied on penetrations at four. The Harvesters were penalized for 55 yards and one of those penalties took away a touchdown. Borger was penalized for 35 yards and one of those penalties cost them a scoring chance. This was the first game in the series that ended with the score tied.

Longtime Pampa resident Deck Woldt said Pampa dominated the rivalry under Thipps. When he left in the early 50s, Borger took over.

"(Borger) hired a really good football coach from Littlefield," Woldt said. "He had put in for the Pampa job, but Borger got to him first. He had a lot of success in Borger... Borger dominated in the 50s. It stayed that way until (Dennis) Cavalier came into the picture."

From 1955-1968, Borger went 15-2 in the rivalry, including an 11-game winning streak that started in 1958 and ended in 1968. The Harvesters controlled the 1970s, winning

**RIVALRY** cont. on page 5

#### 2011 Tale of the Tape

3-4	Record	3-4
Samuel Smith, 341 yards	Leading rusher	Ty Brown, 423 yards
Reid Miller, 1,160 yards	Leading passer	Jacob Rendon, 625 Yards
Latigo Collins, 47 receptions	Leading receiver	Tyler Ortega, 23 receptions
888	Team rush yards	1,477
1,160	Team pass yards	625
301.3 ypg	Team defense	210.42 ypg

## PHS' Sackett to be honored at Pink-Out

**MOLLIE BRYANT**  
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Ashtin Sackett, a senior at Pampa High School, had planned to graduate early and attend WT in the spring semester before continued pain in her shoulder led to some startling news.

After undergoing a series of tests, Sackett was diagnosed with Stage Three osteosarcoma, a type of bone cancer that most commonly affects adolescents.

Sackett will be honored at the American Cancer Society's Pink Out on November 3, and all proceeds will go towards her treatment.

"I'm very much looking forward to the Pink Out, because I didn't ask for it. I didn't ask for any of this to happen, but I'm very excited, because it shows how much my classmates and my peers really do care for me, really do want to help me on my road towards my cure," she said. "It's going to be a very, very long road. It's going to be about seven months. I'm looking

**SACKETT** cont. on page 5

## Library to close early on Oct. 29

THE PAMPA NEWS

The Lovett Memorial Library will operate under modified hours on Saturday, Oct. 29, to prepare for its Haunted Library and Fall Festival later that day.

According to Skyla Bryant of the Lovett Memorial Library, the library will only be open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday. The Fall Festival will commence from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m., and the Haunted Library will open at 8 p.m.

Regular library hours will resume Sunday.

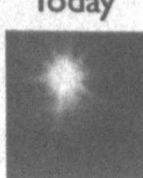
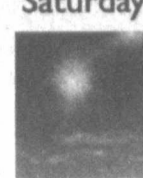

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## PAMPA FORECAST

Today	Saturday	Sunday
		
High 75 Low 43	High 74 Low 47	High 78 Low 48

**Today:** Sunny, with a high near 75. West wind 5 to 15 mph becoming south.

**Tonight:** Mostly clear, with a low around 43. Southeast wind between 5 and 10 mph.

**Saturday:** Sunny, with a high near 74. Northeast wind around 10 mph.

**Saturday Night:** Mostly clear, with a low around 47. North northwest wind around 5 mph.

**Sunday:** Sunny, with a high near 78. West northwest wind 5 to 10 mph becoming south southwest.

**Sunday Night:** Mostly clear, with a low around 48. South southwest wind between 10 and 15 mph.

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# EPA to regulate fracking waste disposal

ALLENTOWN, Pa. (AP) — Federal environmental regulators signaled Thursday they want to increase oversight of the natural gas extraction industry, announcing they will develop national standards for the disposal of polluted wastewaters generated by a drilling technique known as hydraulic fracturing or fracking.

Energy companies have dramatically expanded the use of fracking in recent years, injecting millions of gallons of water, sand and chemical additives to unlock gas in deep shale formations in Pennsylvania, Texas and other states. Its prevalence has raised concerns about the potential impact on water quality and quantity.

The Environmental Protection Agency announced that it will draft standards for fracking wastewater — the briny, chemical-laced water that comes back out of the well — that drillers would have to meet before sending it to treatment plants. The industry in recent months has been recycling much of the wastewater or injecting it deep

underground, but some of it is sent to plants that are ill-equipped to remove the contaminants.

The new standards would also apply to wastewater produced by coal-bed methane drilling, the agency said.

"We can protect the health of American families and communities at the same time we ensure access to all of the important resources that make up our energy economy. The American people expect and deserve nothing less," said EPA Administrator Lisa P. Jackson.

EPA has largely left it to the states to regulate fracking operations, and environmental groups cheered Thursday's announcement as a long-overdue first step. The agency is also in the midst of a national study of whether fracking has polluted groundwater and drinking water and its potential future impacts.

"The nation is in the midst of a fracking-fueled gas rush which is generating toxic wastewater faster than treatment plants can handle it," Earthjustice attorney Deborah Goldberg said. "The EPA's proposal

is a common sense solution for this growing public health problem and will help keep poisons out of our rivers, streams, and drinking water."

Industry groups said wastewater disposal is already regulated by the states, with one criticizing the EPA for overreach.

"Pennsylvania's natural gas developers, as well as its regulators and service companies, are far ahead of EPA's review of wastewater treatment standards for shale gas," said Lou D'Amico of Pennsylvania Independent Oil & Gas Association.

Drilling companies began flocking to Pennsylvania several years ago to exploit the Marcellus Shale formation, the nation's largest-known reservoir of natural gas.

While drillers have expanded their efforts to recycle fracking wastewater, the administration of Gov. Tom Corbett asked them earlier this year to stop sending millions of barrels of salty, polluted wastewater to treatment plants that only partially remove the contaminants before discharging the water into rivers.

# Bar investigates wrongful murder conviction

AUSTIN (AP) — The State Bar of Texas said Thursday it is investigating allegations that a then prosecutor who is now a district judge suppressed evidence in a 1987 murder trial that wrongfully sent a man to prison for nearly 25 years.

Michael Morton was exonerated and freed this month in the beating death of his wife Christine based on new DNA testing. His attorneys say he might never have been convicted if the district attorney in the case, Ken Anderson, had not hidden information from the defense at trial.

Anderson — now a sitting district judge in Williamson County, north of Austin — has declined to comment publicly, saying he can't speak to an ongoing legal matter.

The state bar licenses attorneys in Texas and can discipline them, though most attorneys say investigations of judges are rare.

"We are gathering and reviewing information," Maureen Ray, of the bar's office of chief disciplinary counsel, said Thursday. She said she couldn't give any indication of how long that might take, or what the next step in the process would be.

Morton has declined to be interviewed by the media since his re-

lease Oct. 4 because last week's ruling by the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals formally overturning his murder conviction has yet to formally take effect.

But his Houston-based attorney, John Raley, said, "the fact that the state bar has taken the unusual step of initiating its own investigation further reinforces the seriousness of the allegations of prosecutorial misconduct in Mr. Morton's case."

Morton's attorneys have subpoenaed Anderson to speak about his actions in the 1987 trial, but Anderson's attorneys have filed a motion to quash that.

Christine Morton was beaten to death in her bed on Aug. 13, 1986. Her husband said she was fine when he left her and the couple's 3-year-old son and went to work early that morning — and that an intruder must have been responsible. He was convicted on circumstantial evidence.

A bloody bandana found near the scene was eventually tested using DNA techniques that were not available in 1987. It revealed the blood of another man who police have not identified but who remains at large.

That man's DNA was also recently linked to a hair found at the scene of

a hauntingly similar slaying — that of Debra Masters Baker who was beaten to death in bed in January 1988. She lived about 15 miles from the Mortons.

Morton's attorneys say prosecutors never turned over to the defense at trial key evidence, including a police report where his son described seeing a "monster" — a man who was not his father — beat his mother to death with a wooden object. They say police also failed to follow up on evidence that one of Christine Morton's credit cards was used after her slaying, consistent with Michael Morton's claims the intruder took her purse.

None of that was introduced at trial because prosecutors failed to call the police officer leading the investigation as a witness. Morton's attorneys say prosecutors later disobeyed an order from the trial judge to turn over relevant police records so he could review them outside the presence of the jury.

The re-investigation of Christine Morton's slaying is now in the hands of a special prosecutor appointed by the Texas attorney general's office. Austin police have also reopened the Baker slaying case.

## For the record

cont. from Thurs.

### Police Department

A theft was reported. A theft was reported at the 1200 block of North Hobart.

A suspicious person was reported at Albert and Osborne.

A burglary occurred at the 2500 block of North Hobart.

Harassment was reported.

A theft occurred at the 400 block of East Short. An accident occurred at 21st and Charles.

A domestic disturbance occurred at the 1200 block of North Hobart.

Police investigated an alarm at the 100 block of South Cuyler.

Phone harassment was reported.

A prowler was reported at the 1200 block of North Duncan.

A burglary occurred at the 1900 block of North Coffee.

Disorderly conduct oc-

curred at the 700 block of Deane.

**Wednesday, October 19**  
Suspicious persons were reported at the 800 block of West Francis and the 1200 block of South Faulkner.

### Sheriff's Office

The Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following arrest for the 24 hour period ending Wednesday, October 19

**Tuesday, October 18**  
Terry Lee Wells, 51, was arrested by deputies for indecency with a child.

### Police Department

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents for the 24 hour period ending Thursday, October 20 at 7 a.m.

Animal Control agents responded to 21 animal related incidents.

Pampa PD reported 12 traffic related incidents.

Pampa EMS responded to six medical calls.

**Wednesday, October 19**  
Police investigated an open door at the 600 block of Roberta.

Violations of city ordinance occurred at the 1500 block of North Christy, the 2200 block of North Williston and the 1500 block of North Williston.

A narcotics violation occurred at the 100 block of East Harvester.

A theft occurred at the 900 block of South Barnes.

A threat was reported at the 100 block of West 30th.

An accident occurred at the 2800 block of Perryton.

A suspicious person was reported at the 1400 block of North Charles.

Thefts occurred at the 1400 block of North Hobart and the 1000 block of East Frederic.

A theft was reported.

A suspicious person was reported at the 2500 block of Perryton.

A suspicious vehicle was reported at the 100 block of North Ward.

Phone harassment was reported at the 900 block of South Barnes.

Endangerment of a child or elderly person was reported at the 1200 block of North Hobart.

A domestic disturbance was reported.

Fraud occurred at the 600 block of North Lefors.

A suspicious person was reported at the 1100 block of Sandlewood.

A burglary occurred at the 400 block of North Russell.

A prowler was reported at the 1000 block of Schneider.

A domestic disturbance occurred at the 400 block of North Doyle.

A suspicious person was reported at the 2400 block of North Charles

Criminal mischief was reported at the 1000 block of Schneider.

A suspicious person was reported at the 1100 block of Terry.

A narcotics violation was reported.

**Thursday, October 20**  
A domestic disturbance occurred at the 400 block of North Starkweather.

A suspicious person was reported at Perry and Davis.

Criminal mischief was reported at the 500 block of East Browning.

### Sheriff's Office

The Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following arrests for the 24 hour period ending Thursday, October 20.

**Wednesday, October 19**  
Timothy Francis Pheasant, 27, was sent to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

Shirley Pamela Bolanos, 31, was arrested by deputies.

Anthony Dwayne Baston, 22, was sent to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

Jacob Lawrence Mize, 26, was sent to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

Antonio Garcia, 30, was arrested by deputies for driving while intoxicated.

Nicholas Craig Littlefield, 27, was arrested by a Lefors Marshall for evading arrest or detention with a vehicle.

Marvin Monrow Finney III, 35, was arrested by a Lefors Marshall for capias pro fines times four.

Leonard Dale Lock, 30, was arrested by a Lefors Marshall for theft by check.

A suspicious person was reported at the 2400 block of North Charles

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## Giffords to read part of her book

PHOENIX (AP) — Rep. Gabrielle Giffords will read aloud in the audio edition of her upcoming book, allowing many people to hear for themselves for the first time how she is recovering.

A spokesman for the Arizona congresswoman confirmed Thursday that Giffords will read the final chapter of the memoir she wrote with her husband, Mark Kelly.

Spokesman Mark Kimble says Giffords has completed the recording of that chapter.

Since she was shot in the head Jan. 8 at an event outside Tucson, Giffords has appeared in public only a few times. She has spoken only with friends, family and at small gatherings.

Scribner is publishing the memoir, called "Gabby: A Story of Courage and Hope." It says the book details the couple's marriage, Giffords' political career, Kelly's career as an astronaut, and their experiences stemming from the shooting.

The book is scheduled for release Nov. 15.

The couple is living in Houston, where Giffords continues therapy at TIRR Memorial Hermann hospital.

## Earthquake hits south Texas

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A rare and record-breaking south Texas earthquake with a preliminary magnitude of 4.6 struck near rural Karnes County on Thursday morning, rattling homes and causing faint tremors in downtown San Antonio.

No injuries or major damage was reported, and the light quake wasn't even noticed by some residents living close to the epicenter, near Karnes City. Yet small vibrations felt in San Antonio did cause occupants to briefly evacuate a downtown federal building as a precaution.

The quake struck at 7:24 a.m. The U.S. Geological Survey said it was the largest earthquake on record for the area, surpassing a magnitude-4.3 shock recorded in 1993.

## Polygamist appeals conviction

AUSTIN (AP) — A polygamist group member is appealing his conviction in Texas on child sex abuse charges, citing jurisdiction issues.

A lawyer for Raymond Merrill Jessop asked the 3rd Court of Appeals in Austin on Wednesday to overturn his conviction and 10-year sentence.

Jessop was the first member of the Fundamentalist Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints to be tried after a 2008 raid at the group's Yearning for Zion ranch in West Texas.

Jessop was convicted in 2009 of sexually assaulting a 16-year-old girl who gave birth to his daughter.

The Austin American-Statesman reports that Jessop's attorney, Clinton Broden, argued prosecutors never proved the sexual encounter happened in Texas.

Attorney for the state, Ed Marshall, said jurors heard enough evidence to convict Jessop.

## Feds indict unruly passenger

LUBBOCK (AP) — A federal grand jury has indicted a Florida man on a charge of interfering with a flight crew after his unruly behavior aboard a Southwest Airlines flight led to an emergency landing in Texas.

U.S. Attorney Sarah R. Saldana said 29-year-old Ali Reza Shahsavari of Indialantic, Fla., made his initial court appearance Thursday, two days after his arrest at Rick Husband Amarillo International Airport.

An indictment says Shahsavari became disruptive during a flight from Los Angeles to Kansas City, Mo., intimidating flight crew members by screaming profanities and damaging a lavatory.

A detention hearing before U.S. Magistrate Judge Clinton E. Averitte in Amarillo was scheduled for Tuesday. A court official didn't immediately return a phone call seeking information on an attorney for the suspect.

## Agents find huge ammo cache

BROWNSVILLE (AP) — Members of a task force made up of federal and local authorities found about 50,000 rounds of ammunition beneath the bed of a pickup that was awaiting export to Mexico from Brownsville.

U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement says its agents were conducting a routine search for stolen vehicles at a staging area for vehicles being exported from the U.S. Wednesday when a specially trained dog alerted to the 1996 Ford F-150 pickup.

Discrepancies were noted in the truck's bed, where an additional search found an AK-47 assault rifle and .357-caliber revolver. More than a dozen assault rifle magazines were also found.

The U.S. has stepped up outbound inspections at the border in recent years to slow the flow of drug proceeds and weapons that fuel the drug war in Mexico.

## Santa Fe street dates to 1600s

SANTA FE, N.M. (AP) — Archaeologists have discovered one of Santa Fe's earliest streets and a possible plaster pit dating from the 1600s.

New Mexico's Office of Archaeological Studies recently found the cobbled surface near the existing Santa Fe Plaza, The Santa Fe New Mexican reported.

No one knows the street's name or where it started and stopped, but it is believed to shadow today's Otero Street and may have led to Santa Fe's first parroquia, or parish church. The street does not appear on the first known map of Santa Fe in 1766.

Amid the cobbles were bits of Pueblo Indian pottery, some of it glazed ware from Galisteo Pueblo and other villages from the south, that ceased to be produced in the early 1700s, and types of majolica pottery from Puebla, Mexico, that also were discontinued after the 1600s. That means the road was used during Santa Fe's first century as a Spanish city.

A 2008 excavation turned up a cobbled surface about four feet below today's ground level - proof of how much earth has been added over four centuries to what once was a marsh fed by springs around today's Cienega Street.

# A garage to bedroom conversion

Dear Pat: I am planning to convert my garage into a bedroom with drywall. I have read many books about how to hang drywall. What are the most common mistakes with installing drywall in a room? — Nan D.

Dear Nan: Reading how-to books is a good first step in planning a do-it-yourself project to get the basics. It is impossible for any book to list all the possible mistakes that can occur when hanging drywall. It is a pretty straightforward procedure, but there are always unexpected details that can create serious problems.

The most common mistake is installing the drywall too soon before you have taken care of all the insulation, ventilation, wiring, etc. There is strong natural temptation to hang the drywall because then the project appears to be near completion. Make a checklist of all the things that need to be completed before hanging the drywall.

Placing a drywall seam at the edge of a door corner is asking for trouble. It makes installation easier to locate the seam there, but the vibration from opening and closing the door over time will cause the drywall joint to move. Eventually the drywall tape will pop loose.

Make sure to have all your required local inspections done before hanging the drywall and finishing the joints. Often, the nailing pattern for the drywall needs to be inspected. If you finish the joints with tape and drywall compound (mud), the inspectors cannot see how many nails you used.

Contaminating the mud with dried chips from the trowel is a common error. If you do not keep the trowel clean, the dry specks get into the tub of compound. When this happens, it is virtually impossible to spread the compound smoothly over the tape and the tape may have lumps under it.

Driving the nails too deep into the drywall will break the paper on the surface of the drywall. Just drive the nail heads in slightly below the surface. Always use special drywall nails, not just any old nails you happen to find in your garage.

Trying to minimize waste and using small scrap pieces whenever possible is a commendable goal, but not with drywall. If you try to use a

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lot of smaller pieces, you will have many more joints to finish. Also, the edges of drywall sheets are beveled to provide room for the tape and mud at joints. Some edges of small scrap pieces will not have this bevel. But the drywall sheets together over a stud or a rafter for support. Drywall may feel rigid, but if the joining edges are not well supported, the joint with flex and the tape will eventually pop off. You can add small pieces of wood (blocking) between the studs for extra support.

Another common error is trying to hang the ceiling drywall after the walls are already completed. This makes it much more difficult to get a good-looking job than when doing the ceiling first followed by the walls.

Use the drywall compound liberally and don't rush the job. In order to save time and materials, often insufficient compound is worked into the tape. This creates a weak joint because the tape will not be fixed tightly to the drywall. Insufficient sanding of each coat of compound will result in a bulge at the seams.

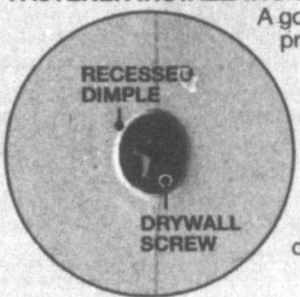
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### Drywall Basics

Drywall finishing isn't for everyone; it takes patience and practice to do it correctly. Below are general preparation techniques for a drywall taping project. While hanging and finishing drywall is relatively quick, it does require patience and practice to get the job done right.

#### FASTENER INSTALLATION



A good drywall job starts with solid backing and properly driven fasteners.

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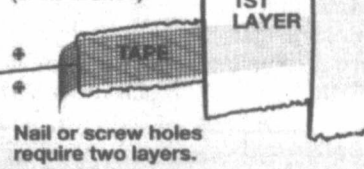
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1st layer is the heaviest and uses the most compound. With a taping knife 6-8 inches wide, you want to end up with an area that is about 6 to 8 inches wide and feathered out smoothly.

2nd layer is the fill coat that is done with a slightly wider taping knife (8-10 inches).



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# Wolves released south of border

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — Five Mexican gray wolves have been released in a mountain range just south of the U.S.-Mexico border as part of an effort to re-establish the species throughout its historic range, the Mexican Environmental Department announced Wednesday.

Supporters of wolf reintroduction in the American Southwest said they hope the release in Mexico will provide a genetic boost to a struggling population of wolves that has been established in New Mexico and Arizona over the past 13 years.

Still, supporters worry that additional fencing along the border or wolf recovery policies established by U.S. wildlife officials could have an impact on the wolves' success in both countries.

"It's very good news and we have high hopes,"

Michael Robinson of the group Center for Biological Diversity said of the release. "But it's a very tenuous start and not only events in Mexico but policy decisions in the U.S. could very well undermine it."

Mexican officials released three female wolves — ages 11, 4 and 3 — and two 3-year-old male wolves in Sonora's San Luis Mountains last week. The effort was led by the government agency that oversees Mexico's natural resources and the environment.

The agency said the wolves had gone through rehabilitation in northern Mexico and were fitted with GPS collars so they could be tracked.

The reintroduction has been 20 years in the making. Mexico has established

18 captive-breeding facilities and has more than five dozen wolves.

"The implementation of these programs can gradually expand the population of endangered species, achieving a successful breeding," the agency said in a statement.

A release of captive wolves into the wild was first proposed in 2009 but faced delays. Just last month, Mexican officials announced they were working on finding a suitable time for the release.

Similar work in the U.S. started in 1998, but that program has been troubled by court battles, disputes between ranchers and environmentalists, livestock depredations and illegal shootings.

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# Viewpoints

## Today in History

Today is Friday, Oct. 21, the 294th day of 2011. There are 71 days left in the year.

### Today's Highlight in History:

On Oct. 21, 1879, Thomas Edison perfected a workable electric light at his laboratory in Menlo Park, N.J.

In 1797, the U.S. Navy frigate Constitution, also known as "Old Ironsides," was christened in Boston's harbor.

In 1805, a British fleet commanded by Adm. Horatio Nelson defeated a French-Spanish fleet in the Battle of Trafalgar; Nelson, however, was killed.

In 1917, members of the 1st Division of the U.S. Army training in Luneville, France, became the first Americans to see action on the front lines of World War I.

In 1944, during World War II, U.S. troops captured the German city of Aachen.

In 1959, the Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, designed by Frank Lloyd Wright, opened to the public in New York.

In 1960, Democrat John F. Kennedy and Republican Richard M. Nixon clashed in their fourth and final presidential debate in New York.

In 1967, the Israeli destroyer INS Eilat was sunk by Egyptian missile boats near Port Said; 47 Israeli crew members were lost.

In 1971, President Richard Nixon nominated Lewis F. Powell and William H. Rehnquist to the U.S. Supreme Court. (Both nominees were confirmed.)

In 1986, pro-Iranian kidnappers in Lebanon abducted American Edward Tracy (he was released in August 1991).

In 1991, American hostage Jesse Turner was freed by his kidnappers in Lebanon after nearly five years in captivity.

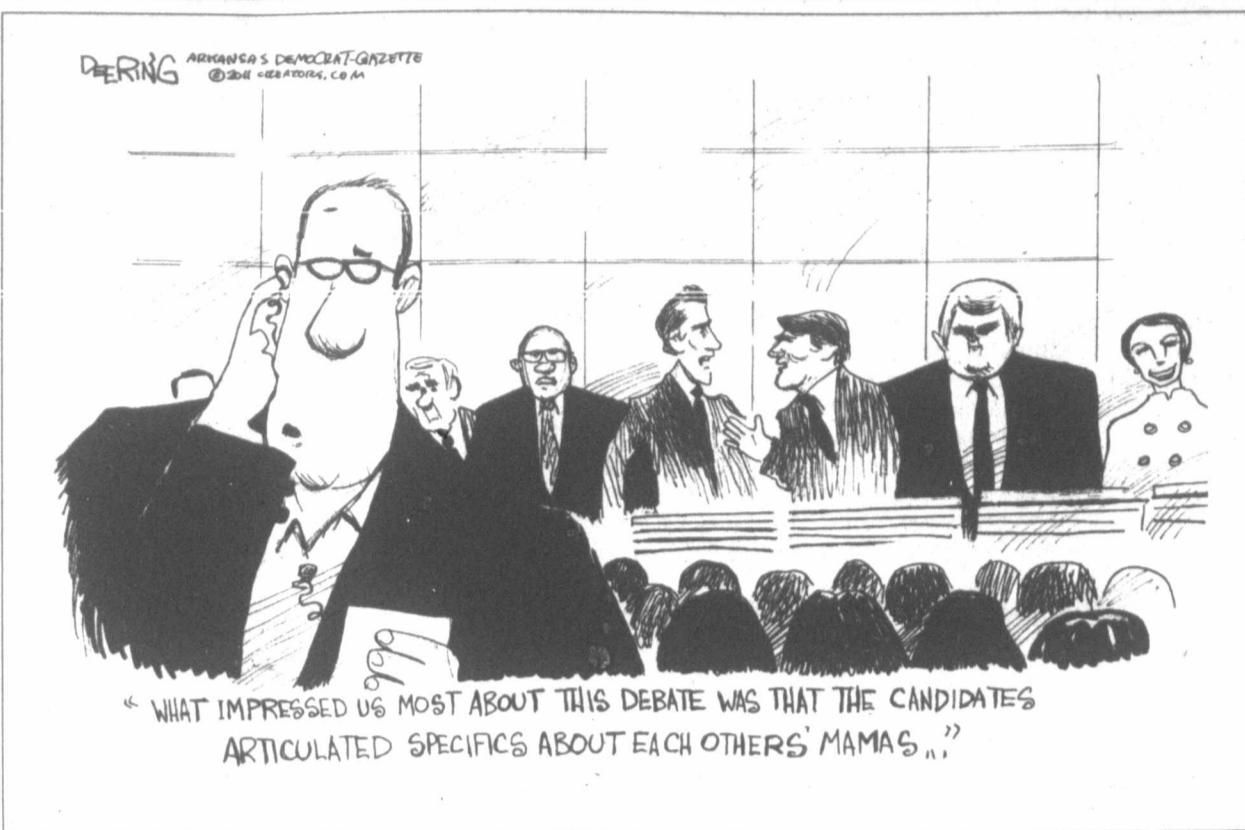
**Ten years ago:** Washington, D.C., postal worker Thomas L. Morris Jr. died of inhalation anthrax as officials began testing thousands of postal employees.

**Five years ago:** Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice, visiting Moscow, delivered a symbolic rebuke to Russia over shrinking press freedoms, even as she courted President Vladimir Putin for help punishing Iran over its nuclear program.

**One year ago:** Eight current and former officials pleaded not guilty to looting millions of dollars from California's modest blue-collar city of Bell.

**Today's Birthdays:** Actress Joyce Randolph is 87. Author Ursula K. Le Guin is 82. Rock singer Manfred Mann is 71. Musician Steve Cropper (Booker T. & the MG's) is 70. Singer Elvin Bishop is 69. TV's Judge Judy Sheindlin is 69. Actor Everett McGill is 66. Musician Lee Loughnane (L. Chicago) is 65. Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu is 62. Musician Charlotte Caffey (The Go-Go's) is 58. Movie director Catherine Hardwicke is 56. Actress-author Carrie Fisher is 55. Singer Julian Cope is 54. Rock musician Steve Lukather (Toto) is 54. Actor Ken Watanabe is 52. Actress Melora Walters is 51. Rock musician Che (chay) Colovita Lemon is 41. Rock singer-musician Nick Oliveri (Mondo Generator) is 40. Christian rock musician Charlie Lowell (Jars of Clay) is 38. Actor Jeremy Miller is 35. Actor Will Estes is 33. Actor Michael McMillian is 33. Actor Matt Dallas is 29.

**Thought for Today:** "Silence is sometimes the severest criticism." — Charles Buxton, English writer (1823-1871)



## Immigration debate intensifies in GOP race

STEVE PEOPLES  
Associated Press analysis

WASHINGTON (AP) — Neither Rick Perry nor Mitt Romney can claim conservative purity on illegal immigration — and now both must deal with it.

Illegal immigration has emerged as a defining issue with remarkable staying power in a GOP presidential race that was expected to be primarily focused on the nation's struggling economy.

The heated clashes over illegal immigration between the two Republican presidential rivals in this week's debate, coupled with renewed calls for a fence along the U.S.-Mexico border by their opponents, made clear the issue isn't going away. It's a major fault line between Perry and Romney as they court a Republican primary electorate that generally takes a hardline view against people who are in the country illegally.

At every turn, Perry, the Texas governor, has been forced to defend his signing of a law that allowed some illegal immigrants to get in-state college tuition. And now Romney is having to answer for the fact that some groundskeepers who had worked on his lawn were in the country illegally.

"Mitt, you lose all of your standing from my perspective because you hired illegals in your home, and you knew about it for a year," Perry told the former Massachusetts governor at Tuesday's debate in Las Vegas. "And the idea that you stand here before us and talk about that you're strong on immigration is, on its face, the height of hypocrisy."

Romney countered, "Rick, I don't think that I've ever hired an illegal in my life" and challenged his rival to show him the facts.

It was a preview of what Republicans can expect to hear in the coming weeks as the Jan. 3 lead-off Iowa caucuses inch closer, with Romney and Perry emerging as the two candidates with the best chances of winning the nomination. They're arguably the only Republicans with the money and organization necessary to go the distance.

Even so and in hopes of gaining traction, their rivals are playing to the part of the GOP electorate that

values a secure border with Mexico above all else when it comes to immigration policy.

In recent days, Minnesota Rep. Michele Bachmann of Minnesota has pledged to build two fences back to back along the 2,000-mile border. And businessman Herman Cain called for an electrified fence that could kill people trying to cross illegally.

For months now, immigration concerns have followed presidential contenders to town hall meetings from Nevada to Iowa to New Hampshire. And in some ways, immigration has shaped the increasingly bitter Republican nomination fight more than any other issue, particularly in a crowded field where the conservative candidates have more in common than not. And while conservative voters may be driving immigration chatter on the campaign trail, the candidates are stoking voter passions when given the opportunity.

"I'm not surprised that immigration is playing as big a role as it is," said Kevin Smith, a likely New Hampshire Republican gubernatorial candidate who has watched the candidates face repeated questions about the topic on the campaign trail. "This issue plays very well with Republican primary voters."

And it's clear they're listening. Perry's sudden drop in the polls was largely attributed to weak debate performances involving his support for the Texas law. He suggested that Republicans who oppose the policy were heartless. And Romney fueled the tuition criticism every chance he got.

But Perry tried to neutralize the attacks this week. The outspoken Texan raised new questions at the debate about Romney's use of a landscaping company that employed illegal immigrants at his suburban Boston home several years ago.

For a moment, it looked as though Perry and Romney may come to blows as they debated the issue, with Romney at one point putting his hand on Perry's shoulder as the conversation began to heat up.

"The American people want the truth," Perry demanded. "They want to hear you say that you knew you had illegals working at your ..."

Romney cut in: "Would you please

wait? Are you just going to keep talking, or are you going to let me finish with my - what I have to say?"

For Romney, it was a frustrating return to an issue that played out in his 2008 presidential campaign.

At that time, and again Tuesday night, he said he had little control over whether a landscaping company he legally hired had illegal immigrants on the payroll. But the exchange provided one of the few moments in this presidential campaign in which the usually poised Romney showed flashes of anger.

That anger was apparent in campaign rhetoric from both sides the day after the debate.

"Gov. Perry is desperate to deflect from his liberal immigration record," Romney spokesman Ryan Williams said, calling Perry's launching of "a personal and untruthful attack" on Romney "unpresidential."

But don't expect Perry to back down from an issue that may have fueled his strongest debate performance.

Perry spokesman Ray Sullivan said, "Mr. Romney has been demagoguing and distorting these immigration and border control issues for months now." Sullivan argued that Romney was "exposed as someone who had illegal immigrants working in his lawn and cleaning his tennis court."

Sullivan would not say whether Perry might exploit the issue in television advertising, but he hinted that Romney has only seen the beginning of the new criticism.

There is danger in pushing too hard on immigration.

Polling suggests the issue may help the candidates score political points with Republican primary voters but could alienate the ballooning Hispanic population or hurt the candidates among independents in a general election matchup against President Barack Obama.

Obama campaign manager Jim Messina seized on the issue Wednesday.

"Romney's been taking hard-right positions on the campaign trail on immigration. He didn't object to having undocumented workers working for him because it's illegal; he objected because he thought it would hurt his political career," Messina said.

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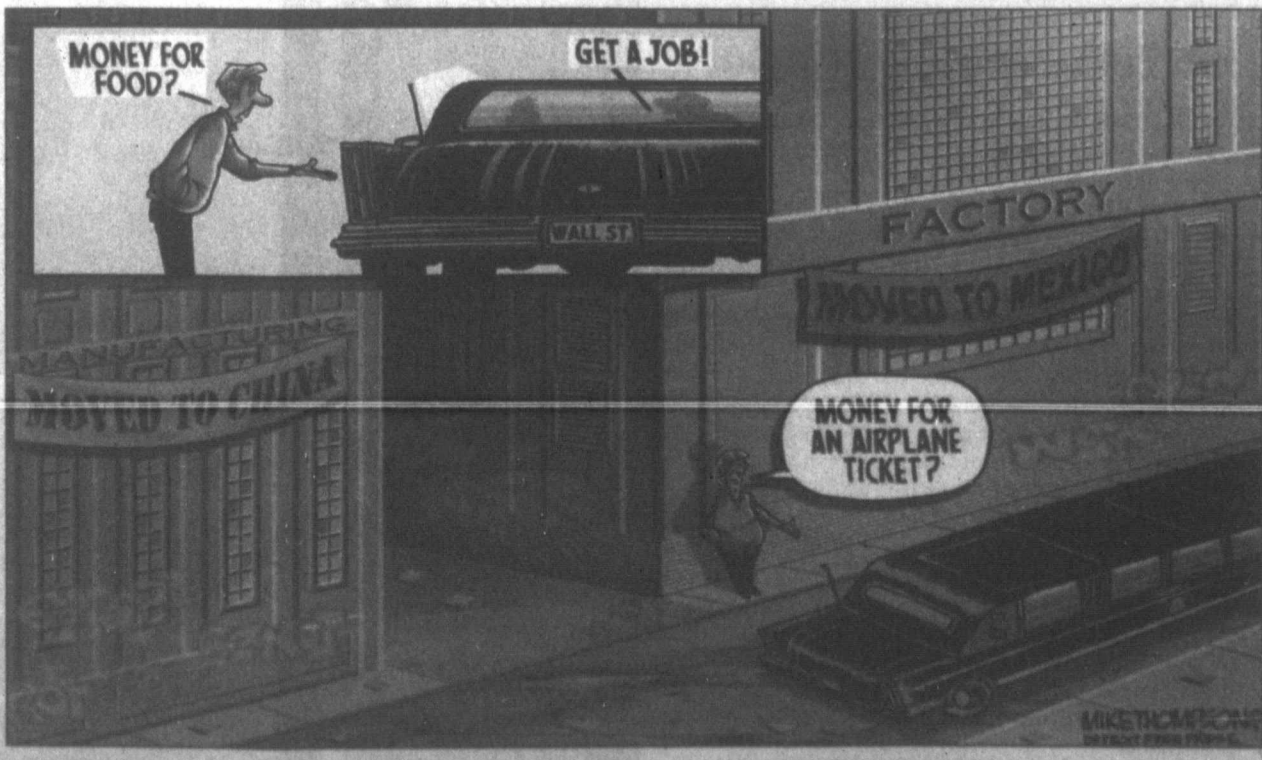
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## Sackett

forward to it, because I'm going through all this, but at the end, it's going to make me more of a grateful and compassionate person. It's going to make me so much stronger."

She doesn't think this illness makes her much different than anyone else her age.

"I still consider myself a normal high school student. I still go to school. I still hang out with my friends," she said. "I just have cancer. (It's a) minor setback. I'm still going to graduate in May and walk with my class. I'm still going to go off to WT, and I'm going to major in the medical field. I'm probably either going to be a physician's assistant, or I'm going to get my Bachelors of Science for nursing."

Sackett has completed her first chemotherapy treatment, followed by another next week, and she remains optimistic about treating the illness.

"As of right now, it is all confined. It has not spread to anywhere in my body, which is wonderful news. So we're thinking we caught it pretty early," said Sackett. "We're thinking that we can get it under control pretty fast. It's already been controlled so much just from the first treatment of chemo. I've been having less pain."

Sackett's diagnosis has changed her lease on life.

"I'm only 18, and I want to live. And so I feel like I was kind of given a chance. I was diagnosed with this, and if we wouldn't have taken action, if we wouldn't have even gone to the doctor, then it could have progressed, and I could have become even sicker than I am now. And I just feel like in the end, this is going to teach me so much about life and living life to the fullest," she said.

Support from friends and family has been essential to Sackett during this time.

"I've just had a lot of wonderful people in my life, and I couldn't make it without them," she said. "I have a lot of support behind me from the high school. The drama club that I was a part of, they are doing a play in December, and all the profit off of the play is going to go towards me and my cure."

She says she has always felt a calling, but Sackett feels like her current experience will prepare her for a career in the medical field.

"I love people, and I'm very compassionate towards people, and I want to make a difference. I want to help," she said. "And now that this has happened, when I do enter the medical field, I'll have more of a compassion for people, and I will know what people

are going through, and I will know the struggles and hardships them and their families are going through when they're as sick as I am."

Sackett will be 19 when she finishes treatment, including a reconstructive surgery on her shoulder, and she expects to move full speed ahead from there.

"I just want to put this year behind me and start on a new leg, because I'm going to be starting college and life on my own," she said.

But until then, Sackett is dreaming about seeing the ocean.

"After everything is done and over, I want to take a trip to Hawaii just to kind of treat myself for everything I've had to endure. I want to have fun, because after I start the rest of my treatments, it's going to get really hard, because I have a lot of treatments back to back. I have a lot of treatments that are going to be really hard physically on my body, and I'm not going to be able to get out and do stuff like that," she said.

Anyone interested in contributing to a fund for Sackett's treatment can make a donation through Happy State Bank.

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## Rivalry

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seven of 10 matchups, but the Bulldogs were back on top in the 80s, winning eight of 10.

Cavalier took over the Harvesters in 1987 and coached them until his death in 2003. Under Cavalier, Pampa won six of its first ten matchups.

In some of those games, there was a lot on the line. Current head coach Heath Parker remembered a victory in 2001 that clinched Pampa a share of the district title, a year after Borger knocked them out of the playoffs.

"That started the first of four years where we had a really good run for us in the playoffs," Parker said. "It was a big game and a good game. We went up 14-7 at the end of the third quarter. Jesse (Tarango) made a nice play, he had to dive to catch it in the south end zone."

According to a November 2001 *The Pampa News* article by L.D. Strate, Randy Tice was the quarterback and tied the game with a five-yard touchdown run. Tice threw a 36-yard pass to Tarango for the go-ahead score. Cavalier praised both his offense and defense after the victory.

"At critical times, our defense came through for us," Cavalier said. "They hung in there when they need to. I thought our offense won it."

Parker said every Pampa-Borger game has had memorable moments.

"The close ones, you remember a little more than the one-sided games," Parker said. "There's something happens every time in a Pampa-Borger game."

Three years before that, Jason Burklow was a sophomore on a team that had to hold off a fourth quarter comeback from Borger on the road.

"I was a sophomore on varsity when we stopped Borger inside the five at the end of the game to win," Burklow said.

According to a November 1999 article also by Strate, Pampa led 14-6 in the last two minutes of the game when Borger's Eron Haynes scored on a three-yard run. However, Pampa corner Jarred Bowles knocked down the two-point conversion pass. On the kickoff, Borger recovered an onside kick. The Harvesters emerged victorious when Borger's Kevin McNellis' pass was off target.

Throughout the rivalry, Pampa and Borger were in the same district from 1932 to 1975, from 1982 to 2001 and 2010 to the present. Hasse said the rivalry didn't lose intensity when the teams weren't in the same district.

"It didn't really change much," Hasse said. "Schools don't look at their opponent as 4A or 3A."

Pampa High School head basketball coach Dustin Miller was a quarterback for the Harvesters in the late 80s. Miller said he recalls the hostility between the two schools.

"I don't remember much from the games themselves, except the intensity and competitiveness went thru the roof," Miller said. "I do remember wearing helmets to the bus because you might get hit in the head with rocks."

Last year, Pampa was the victim of three Borger-themed acts of vandalism.

Hasse said he thinks it's unfortunate that people refer to the rivalry as a "war."

"Anyone who has been in a war, knows what a war is about," Hasse said. "That's not a war. It's a hard contest. They play tough against each other. It's not a war definitely. I'm sorry to see that it's built up to animosity between the two high schools."

Last year, some of the Pampa and Borger football alumni returned for a game against each other, with Pampa's team mostly featuring players from the Cavalier era. Pampa won 15-8 in front of a packed Harvester Field. Last week, the teams rematched in Borger, with Pampa winning 50-13.

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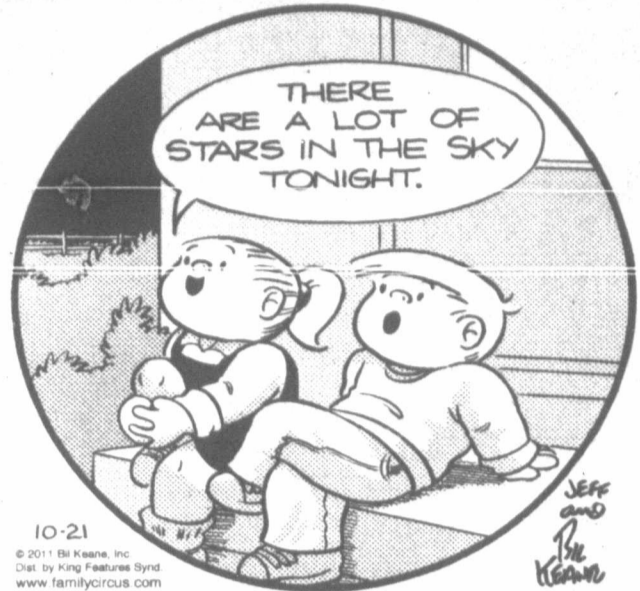
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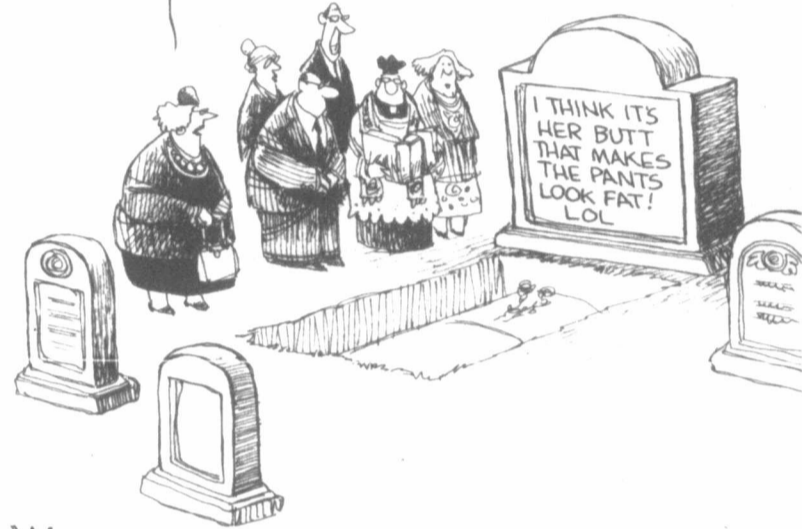
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This year, if you detach, you will see how many choices you have — be it your mood or life decisions. If you're feeling confused, know that you are not ready to commit just yet. When you're ready to act, you move with clarity and incisiveness. Others know that you mean business. If you are single, a friendship could develop into much more, if you so choose. If you're attached, because of a newfound openness, the two of you enjoy your life together. Count on LEO.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)**  
★★★ You could be somewhat disoriented this morning, but by the p.m. you are direct and say what you feel. Be more serious-minded. You'll get results. Your strong personality is a given. Let others express themselves, too. Tonight: With a loved one.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)**  
★★★ You could be happiest close to home. Your ability to make the best out of difficult circumstances allows greater give-and-take. Still, you might want to take an active stand. Pace yourself. Tonight: The slower the better.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)**  
★★★★ Return calls, but don't forget to follow through on your to-do list. Open up conversations, knowing what could happen if you and others make assumptions. Work with real facts, even if you might be uncomfortable. Tonight: Out and about.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)**  
★★★ Be careful with a tendency to be possessive and touchy. Clearly you have a very different style from many, even in the workplace. Erase a little less, keeping your anger at bay. You will find the appropriate avenue to express your feelings in the next 24 hours. Tonight: Do something special for a loved one.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)**  
★★★★ Your spunk is admirable, leaving many people behind. Is that what you really want to do? Competition is fun, but if you always come in first place, could that be affecting your ability to relate successfully with a key associate or loved one? Tonight: Make it special, as only you can.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)**  
★★★ You might wonder which way to

go with a problematic situation. At the present, the best you can do is understand where your strong reactions are coming from. Detach and then approach a situation from a more centered point of view. Tonight: Take a break from the here and now.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)**  
★★★★ A meeting gets an important project off on the right foot. You could be surprised by all the enthusiasm that surrounds you. You might not be sure which way to go. Allow greater give-and-take. You could feel that finally you have the support and team you need. Tonight: TGIF.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)**  
★★★★ A must appearance could color your plans and affect your mood. You could be putting 100 percent into what you are concerned about but still fall flat. Sometimes, when there is too much focus and an implicit demand, there can be a backfire. Relax a little. Take a break. Tonight: A must appearance.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)**  
★★★ You will want to do something very different from in the past. Detach — you will see a situation in a different light. However, you might become so easygoing that you might not have any desire to deal with the situation at all. Tonight: Feed your mind.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)**  
★★★★ A key associate makes all the difference in what happens. You see a matter very differently. Try to avoid an argument at all costs. Your perspective evolves the more you talk. Do understand that you don't have the control you might desire. Tonight: Dinner for two.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)**  
★★★★ You might want to defer and honor what is happening with a key person in your life. Today it isn't about you. Recognize what is going on behind the scenes. Your willingness to go with the flow will be long remembered. Tonight: Put your feet up.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)**  
★★★ Continue handling the little items that someone is allowing to drop by the wayside. Think through an issue with care. Honor what is happening within. When you feel that the timing is with you, move forward and start a conversation. Tonight: Out with some pals.

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# Mexican pres.: U.S. dumps crooks at border

MEXICO CITY (AP)— Mexican President Felipe Calderon accused the United States on Thursday of dumping criminals at the border because it is cheaper than prosecuting them, and said the practice has fueled violence in Mexico's border areas.

U.S. officials earlier this week reported a record number of deportations in fiscal year 2011, and said the number of deportees with criminal convictions had nearly doubled since 2008.

"There are many factors in the violence that is being experienced in some Mexican border cities, but one of those is that the American authorities have gotten into the habit of simply deporting 60 (thousand) or 70,000 migrants per year to cities like Ciudad Juarez or Tijuana," Calderon told an immigration conference.

Among these deportees "there are many who really are criminals, who have committed some crime and it is simply cheaper to leave them on the Mexican side of the border than to prosecute them, as they should do, to see whether they are guilty or not," Calderon said. "And obviously, they quickly link up with criminal networks on the border."

On Tuesday, U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement Director John Morton said his agency deported nearly 400,000 individuals during the fiscal year that ended in September, the largest number of removals in the agency's history.

Morton announced the 2011 numbers in

Washington, saying about 55 percent of those deported had felony or misdemeanor convictions. Officials said the number of those convicted of crimes was up 89 percent from 2008. The vast majority of migrants, and deportees, are from Mexico.

There are no records to substantiate whether U.S. authorities opt for deporting undocumented Mexican nationals who have committed crimes instead of prosecuting them in the U.S.

The U.S. embassy declined to comment on Calderon's speech.

When Mexicans without documents finish their prison terms in the United States, they're bused to the border and freed. Mexican officials in Tijuana have said some deportees turn to petty crime but couldn't say if they were feeding drug cartels.

The Associated Press in the past year has repeatedly asked the Mexican government to document the impact of leaving deportees with criminal records at the border. The AP filed a freedom of information request asking Mexico's Foreign Ministry how many times the U.S. had notified Mexico it was deporting a convicted criminal and how many people arrested for drug trafficking in Mexico had prior records in the U.S. The foreign ministry said it didn't have such numbers. The office of Calderon's former security spokesman Alejandro Poire did not respond to similar queries.

The United States and

Mexico are experimenting with new methods of alerting Mexico about deportations, and U.S. officials say they warn Mexico when former inmates are considered particularly dangerous.

Mexicans with criminal records in the U.S. can't be detained in Mexico if they have not violated the law in their home country, and some Mexican border cities complain they don't have any easy way to run criminal background checks on deported inmates to see if they have pending charges.

One deported criminal, Martin Estrada Luna, is accused of becoming a leader of a cell of the Zetas drug cartel in the border state of Tamaulipas just 18 months after he was deported from the United States. Estrada, who had a long rap sheet of mostly theft and property crimes in Washington state, is now in custody in Mexico City, where he is accused for masterminding the killing of more than 250 people.

Calderon also lashed out at what he called "absurd" and "irrational" immigration laws in the United States.

"To the extent to which they continue to put absurd curbs on migration, to the degree to which they continue to persecute migrants in the United States in an irrational way that sometimes violates their human rights, in that measure American society will continue to lose competitiveness," he said.

That was an apparent reference to tough immi-

gration laws like the one implemented in Alabama in late September. While courts have blocked some provisions of the law, judges let stand provisions that allow police to check a person's immigration status during a traffic stop.

Under the measure, courts also can't enforce contracts involving illegal immigrants, such as leases, and it is a felony for an illegal immigrant to do business with the state for basic things like getting a driver's license.

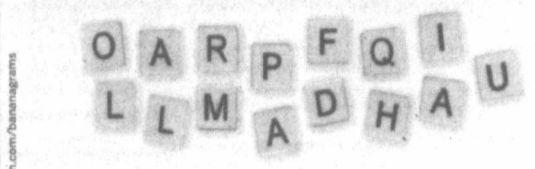
Calderon said immigration shouldn't be seen as a threat or invasion; he noted that net migration of Mexicans to the United States is approaching zero, as fewer people leave and more come back.

Rafael Fernandez de Castro, head of the International Relations studies at the Monterrey Technological Institute, told the conference that about 200,000 Mexicans per year are returning to their country, and that Mexican schools are facing a new problem: tens of thousands of Mexican children are coming back each year with little or no Spanish.

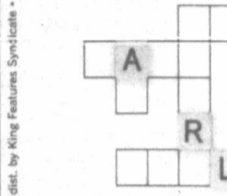
"In the last couple of school years in Mexico, literally tens of thousands of children have turned up with last names like Sanchez, Fernandez, or Hinojosa and, it must be said, they don't speak Spanish, they speak English," Fernandez de Castro said. "We have to ask California and Texas how they managed to integrate these Mexican children who went to the United States and didn't speak English."

## BANANAGRAMS!

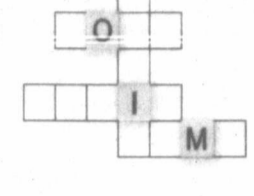
Use the 15 tiles in this bunch to create words that fit into the grids below. To get you started, a few tiles from the bunch have been placed and the BANANA BITES provide hints. Reuse the 15 tiles in the bunch for each grid.



**BANANA BITE:** One word means "flowers and plants."



**BANANA BITE:** One word is a type of bird.



Yesterday's Answer: UNCOIL/HONCHO; OUTCRY/MORALE; COUSIN/FABRIC

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## Sudoku

Answer to yesterday's puzzle:

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Level: Intermediate

## Wind

The project will also pave the way for those interested in establishing new wind farms.

"The transmission lines will enable us in this region to have new development over time that we couldn't have before," said Gregory Wortham, Mayor of Sweetwater, which has one of the largest wind farms in the state.

"At the current stage of wind farm development, we don't have an adequate way of getting energy out of the Panhandle into ERCOT, and the limiting factor has been the absence of transmission lines," said Judge Lewis Powers of Carson County. "Energy currently produced has been going north into Xcel's power pool."

Carson County has three wind farms and a fourth in the works, and Powers believes the improved infrastructure will allow for growth of wind energy in the region.

"I expect in five years a considerable amount of wind farm development as a result of getting transmission lines in here," he said.

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## Dear Abby...

By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: My pre-teen daughter, "Avery," has started developing a more mature figure. She recently told me privately that one night while I was in class, her father smacked her on the bottom and started playing with the back pockets on her jeans. It made her very uncomfortable. When Avery asked him to stop, he told her that she's his "baby girl" and he could smack her "cute little butt" if he wants to.

I think my husband truly believed it was OK and didn't mean (at least consciously) to touch her inappropriately. But if it bothered Avery, it can't bother me.

I'm afraid I'll overreact if I try to discuss this with him. I was sexually abused by a relative when I was a young teenager. This relative also said that because he was related to me he could touch me in whatever way he wanted. To further complicate matters, my husband refuses me in bed.

If there's trouble brewing, I want to stop it now, but I don't want to come off as a freaked-out, paranoid former victim seeing abuse where it may be total innocence. Any suggestions?—UNEASY IN INDIANA

makes her feel uncomfortable. No one has the right to touch her if she doesn't want to be. And because what her father did made her uncomfortable, her "cute little butt" is off limits.

If your husband gives you an argument, insist on professional counseling for the two of you. He may be slow to realize that his little girl is growing up and the rules have changed. A licensed counselor will not come off as a "freaked-out, paranoid former victim" and can help him to understand that his behavior should not be repeated. And while you're at it, raise the issue of your sex life so you will have a clearer understanding of why it is the way it is.

DEAR ABBY: Because ADHD (Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder) affects so many people, my letter may interest many of your readers. An estimated 4.4 million children between the ages of 4 and 17 have this diagnosis. Half of them receive some form of medication for it.

This disorder is also present in adults. According to an April 2006 study funded by the National Institute of Mental Health, an estimated 4.4 percent of adults 18 to 44 experience some symptoms from it.

Thanks to ongoing re-

search and improved treatment, adults with ADHD can live more successful lives. The largest study on childhood ADHD also shows effective treatments are available.

CHADD (Children and Adults with Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder), the largest family-based organization advocating for people with the disorder, provides information, advocacy and support. Our website (CHADD.org) and publications contain science-based information. It includes available parent and teacher training programs as well as support groups in 200 locations.

Thank you for printing this and the advice and wisdom you have shared so consistently over the years. —MARIE S. PAXSON, PAST PRESIDENT, CHADD ORGANIZATION

DEAR MARIE: I'm pleased to spread the word that effective treatment for ADHD — which can be inherited — is becoming more accessible to families affected by it. Treatment for this disorder includes parent training, behavioral intervention, educational adaptations, parent-child education on ADHD and medication. If a child you know has been diagnosed with this disorder, CHADD can be a helpful resource.

## CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

ACROSS 37 Big snake

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NEW CROSSWORD BOOK! Send \$4.75 (check/m.o.) to Thomas Joseph Book 1, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475

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# The Pampa News Classifieds

## 3 Personal

**ADOPTION.** Affectionate young educated couple (stay-home-mom) longs for baby. Expenses paid. David & Robyn 1-800-410-7542

## 5 Special Notices

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CUSTOM Building & Remodeling. New Homes & Additions. Shawn Deaver Const. 806-662-2977.

OVERHEAD DOOR REPAIR Kidwell Construction. Call 669-6347, 806-663-0192.

## 14e Carpet Serv.

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## 14g Elec. Contr.

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CERAMIC tile work, stucco, cement. Remodeling, floor, shower, kitchen, texture, painting, dry wall. Free estimate. 665-3453 leave message. Jesus Barraza.

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## 21 Help Wanted

**NOTICE**  
Readers are urged to fully investigate advertisements which require payment in advance for information, services or goods.

## APT Manager Position

Must Live On Premises Above Average Salary & Bonuses E-mail Resume To niamarillo@yahoo.com 806-383-1985

## HIRING UTILITY WORKERS

with Experience in Sewer, Water & Storm Drain ALSO HIRING Supervisors Operators Laborers

Apply in person 2901 Lafayette Ln Amarillo, TX or send resumes to misti@wtutilities.com

## 21 Help Wanted

**PART-TIME Position** available. Entry-level. 25 hrs. per week. Computer skills necessary with a working knowledge of programs such as Photoshop, Quark Xpress and InDesign helpful. We will train the creative person who is detail oriented and not afraid of tackling something new. Year artistic side would find an outlet in this position. Send resume to **Box 12**, c/o Pampa News, P.O. Box 2198, Pampa, TX 79066

## 21 Help Wanted

**BOOKKEEPER** needed! Experience necessary, accounts payable, general ledger, oil & gas. Salary based on experience. Send resume to **Box 11** c/o The Pampa News, P.O. Box 2198, Pampa, TX. 79066

## 21 Help Wanted

**MAINTENANCE MAN NEEDED.** Must Have Own Tools. Call 665-1875. Apply at 800 N. Nelson or email niamarillo@yahoo.com

## 21 Help Wanted

**BABYSITTER** wanted for 2-10 shift, English speaking preferred. Call April @ 440-1083.

## 21 Help Wanted

**DME Delivery Tech.** Will Train Heavy Lifting. On Call. Drug & Background Check. 401K & Benefits. National Home Health Care, 1521 N. Hobart.

## 21 Help Wanted

**Vibra-Whirl Sports** Leading sports surfacing company seeking individuals to work in our sales department. Overnight travel req. Competitive pay & benefits. Send resume to Po Box 966, Panhandle, TX 79068, 806-537-3526

## 21 Help Wanted

**Vibra-Whirl Sports, Ltd** seeking Full-Time Accounts Payable Clerk, Mon-Fri 8-5pm. Please apply in person, 94 Main Street, Panhandle, TX 79068

## 21 Help Wanted

**THE PLAZA** now hiring Full-Time Servers. Must be presentable. Apply in person.

## 21 Help Wanted

**PART-TIME Records Clerk** Position Available. This position performs a variety of routine and clerical work. Must be able to type, file, answer telephone and provide customer service. To qualify for this position you must have a high school diploma or equivalent, 2 years of general office experience, good organizational skills, good computer skills and be able to read and write the English language. Must be able to maintain confidentiality and security information. Send resume and references to **Box 14**, c/o Pampa News, P.O. Box 2198, Pampa, TX 79066

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**EXTRA** large clothes dryer, dining set, dresser, odd tables & futon. Call 662-7557

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**NEW Queen Matt. Sets,** Sale Price \$266. Red Barn, 1424 S. Barnes. Call anytime 665-2767

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## 69 Misc.

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## 69 Misc.

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## 69a Garage Sales

**MOVING & Remodeling Sale,** 916 N. Crest Rd. (behind Shep Crook Home Health). Fri noon-? Sat 9am-?

## 69a Garage Sales

**GARAGE Sale,** 1813 Duncan, Fri. 8-5 pm & Sat. 8-2, stove, swings, clothes, baby items, etc.

## 69a Garage Sales

**GARAGE SALE** 937 MURPHY SAT 8-5, SUN 8-?

## 69a Garage Sales

**GARAGE Sale,** Fri 8-2 & Sat 8-noon. Nice children's, teen & adult clothes, comforters, few antiques, nice misc. items. 130 Walnut Dr. (Walnut Creek).

## 69a Garage Sales

**3 Family Sale** Fri & Sat 9-5pm 1901 N. Zimmers (Garage on south side)

## 69a Garage Sales

**INDOOR Garage Sale** at the Pregnancy Support Center, 210 N. Ward, Sat. Only 8-3pm. All clothing 25c, lots baby items, some office equip., odds & ends.

## 69a Garage Sales

**GARAGE SALE** 1300 E. KINGSMILL FRI. 10am

## 69a Garage Sales

**11950 McCullough, Fri. & Sat. 9-?** Lots of baby clothes, bassinette, high chair, kids clothes, lots of Christmas, dining chairs, office chairs.

## 69a Garage Sales

**MOVING SALE GRADY MILTON Household, Yard, Antiques & Misc. Sat. 8am 505 Popham White Deer, TX**

## 69a Garage Sales

**1233 Charles, 8-2, Sat.** only, lots of clothes, different sizes, misc. items, med. & lg. scrub tops, X-mas decor.

## 69a Garage Sales

**3 FAMILY SALE SAT. 9AM-?? 2200 N. RUSSELL**

## 69a Garage Sales

**YARD Sale,** 2217 Lynn, 9am-? Sat. Tools, furni., bedding, lots of misc.

## 69a Garage Sales

**WAREHOUSE Sale,** 106 S. Price Rd. Furni., office desks, file cabinet, new screen room, holiday items, more. Sat 8-4, Sun 10-2.

## 69a Garage Sales

**GARAGE SALE** Sat 7-11am 2348 Duncan

## 69a Garage Sales

**DOUBLE household estate sale,** 1924 Dogwood. All prices slashed, family antiques, Entire Bedroom Group \$199, Sat. Oct. 22 9am-Noon

## 69a Garage Sales

**GARAGE Sale,** washer/dryer, furn., misc, 1815 Chestnut, Sat. 8am.

## 69a Garage Sales

**80 Pets & Suppl.**

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**FOR ADOPTION** Siamese, Calico, Orange, Tabby, Gray. Spayed / Neutered & shots. Call 665-4901 lv. msg.

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## 69a Garage Sales

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## 69a Garage Sales

**Get noticed!**

## 69a Garage Sales

**Call Beverly Taylor** today to start advertising in The Pampa News' Classifieds!

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**Call about rates and deadlines.**

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**806-669-2525**

## 96 Unfurn. Apts.

**APTS. Houses Duplexes.** K&B Properties. Ref. & dep. req. Lakeview Apts. 669-4386

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**CAPROCK APARTMENTS** 1, 2 and 3 bedrooms with rent starting as low as \$395 / mo. Pool and on-site laundry, W/D hookups in all 2 & 3 bdrms. 665-7149

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**99 Stor. Bldgs.**

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**102 Bus. Rental**

## 96 Unfurn. Apts.

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## 96 Unfurn. Apts.

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## 96 Unfurn. Apts.

**120 Autos**

## 96 Unfurn. Apts.

**M&S Automotive Service Center.** Oct. Special Wash & Vac. Sm. - \$30. Lrg. - \$35. 120 N. Gray, 669-6990, 664-0066, Randy or Mike.

## 96 Unfurn. Apts.

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## 96 Unfurn. Apts.

**103 Homes For Sale**

## 96 Unfurn. Apts.

**1900 Grape** 4/2.75/2, 2 liv. areas + bonus room. 3256 sq ft. Granite counter tops. Shown by appt. \$215,000 obo 595-0234

## 96 Unfurn. Apts.

**2200 LEA** 3 bdr / 2 ba., 4 car att. gar / extra nice shop. Lrg liv area, fpl, new HVAC. 2280 sq. ft. \$159,000. 662-3191

## 96 Unfurn. Apts.

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## 102 Bus. Rental

**Agent Donaldson** 663-2800 Quentin Williams Realtors

## 102 Bus. Rental

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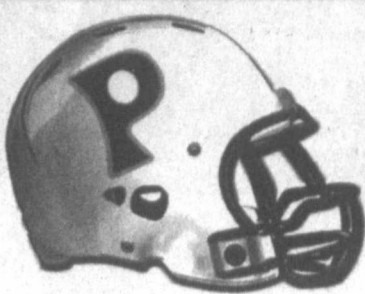
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# Sports

**PAMPA**  
Harvesters



**RIVALRY WEEK**



**BORGER**  
Bulldogs

## Which team will prevail tonight? Pampa or Borger?

### Harvesters will celebrate victory

Unlike Rusty Berry, I didn't grow up in the Panhandle area. Yet the rivalry still has an interesting storyline for me. I was originally hired by Borger in March of 2009 and could have been under Rusty. Things didn't work out financially and that's how I ended up in Pampa. The first football game I covered for *The Pampa News* was against Borger in the 2009 season opener.

It was a very exciting game and is the third highest scoring game on Pampa's turf. At the end of the night, the Borger students rushed our field to celebrate a 45-43 victory. Today, I can see the game ending in a similar scene, but with a different group celebrating.

Our opponent boasts about having great runners and being able to control the clock. We do too. Junior running back Samuel Smith has stepped it up the last two games, rushing for over 220 yards and scoring three touchdowns. If he gets to the outside, it will be a matter of seconds before six points are on the scoreboard.

Senior quarterback Reid Miller may be known for his arm but he isn't afraid to take the ball himself. Miller is solid at weaving through defenders for large gains. If the Harvesters can run the ball, they can open up the downfield passing game and the screen game.

If the running game struggles and Pampa can't move the ball, it's going to put more pressure on the defense to come away with stops.

My colleague mentions that Borger's secondary has improved throughout non-district. It still means they are prone to mistakes. A mistake against our receivers can easily result in the secondary watching our receiver run to the end zone.

Senior Latigo Collins will probably catch most of Miller's passes and draw more coverage from Borger's secondary. If that's the case, Pampa will need senior Joseph Vizcaino, juniors Ryan Smith Taylor Woods and Sammy to provide other options.

Our opponents' running backs and quarterback will face a strong defensive line that prides itself on stopping the running game. If seniors Sam Cain, Ryne Richardson and Cody Parks are frequent visitors in the backfield, the running game won't have an impact.

If somehow they make it past our

defensive line, the "Gang Green" linebackers led by seniors Daniel Hulsey and Devin Coleman will limit their gains.

Our rival is hyping the fact that it has someone who can run the wildcat offense. If Pampa is able to force second down and longs and third down and longs, we probably won't see too much of the wildcat.

For Pampa, that's just fine. The other team's quarterback has struggled with accuracy as he's thrown two touchdowns to 10 interceptions. In the Harvesters victories this season, they have been successful at making their opponent one dimensional.

The other thing Pampa has in this matchup is motivation. Our senior class hasn't beaten Borger since third grade All-Stars. The Pampa seniors would love nothing more than to get the last laugh.

A victory in this game is huge. For starters, one team will have bragging rights until next year's game. More importantly the winner controls its destiny the next two district games.

Both teams have challenging games next week. The Harvesters have to visit Perryton. If both teams are facing a must win, it could be tough for Pampa to pull out on the road. Borger visits Dalhart, who has a very stingy defense. Starting off on the right foot will be key.

For Pampa to win, it's going to come down to its emotions. Can they keep them in check even if things aren't going their way? If Pampa can be patient and stay in the game, it has a good chance of winning.

I anticipate that tonight's game will be very competitive. More than likely, it will come down to the wire. After the clock runs out and the final buzzer sounds, the Harvesters will reap and the Bulldogs won't peep.

Score prediction: Pampa 31 Borger 24.



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### Borger will stand victorious in Pampa



RUSTY BERRY

As a Borger High School graduate, I fully understand the excitement surrounding the great rivalry between the Borger Bulldogs and the Pampa Harvesters.

In the years of watching the rivalry on the football field, the two games that will always stand out for me are the

1995 classic which featured two top ten ranked teams battling for the district title in front of a packed Bulldog Stadium on a Saturday afternoon. Pampa would prevail, but the scene is something that I have yet to experience again at a high school football game.

My second memory comes from 2007, when the Bulldogs were down by 28 points in the fourth quarter, yet were able to find a way to get the one point comeback win. (As a Borger I will admit to having fun tuning into the Pampa radio broadcast just to listen to the disbelief from the Harvester broadcast as the comeback was taking place.)

Friday marks the next chapter in the great rivalry featuring the teams coming in with identical 3-4 records for the District 1-3A opener.

In what I know about the Harvesters, I like the team's playmaking ability led by quarterback Reid Miller and a solid group of skill players in Latigo Collins, Trace Carter and Sammy Smith.

The Bulldogs' secondary has come a long way since the beginning of the season, but Miller is a good enough quarterback to find open receivers for big plays if his line gives him enough time.

An area Borger head coach Rusty Purser has been impressed with is in the play of the Harvesters' defensive line.

The Bulldogs have no seniors on the offensive line and have been inconsistent in that area, especially against Dumas and Monahans. If the Bulldogs' offensive line come out struggling, the Harvesters' defensive line will have a big night on Friday shutting down the Bulldogs' ground game and putting a lot of pressure on quarterback Jacob Rendon.

Borger enters the contest with a lot of confidence with three solid outings,

including a dominating performance last Friday against Vista Ridge, the top ranked 3A team in Colorado.

The Bulldogs arguably have one of the best defensive line and linebacker corps in the Texas Panhandle, led by Miles McKinney, Dustin Clark, Brett Cummings, Max Lusk, Sean Wilson and Jonathan Jeter.

In order to have success against the Bulldogs' front seven, the Harvesters will need to do a good job spreading the field. Otherwise, Miller and the Harvester running backs will be spending a lot of time just trying to get back to the line of scrimmage.

The statistics don't show it, but the Bulldogs have done a better job passing the ball the last three games and have receivers that can break free for big receptions.

But anyone that has watched the Bulldogs in recent years understands the key for their offense will be how well they can chew up yards and control the clock with their running game.

In the last two games, Clark has seen time in the backfield, particularly in the wildcat formation, where his speed and strength make him a hard runner to bring down.

The wild card for the Bulldogs this week is how healthy running back Ty Brown will be and how many carries he will get in the game. If Brown is healthy, then the Harvester defense will have their hands full trying to stop one of the best running backs in west Texas. The potential of seeing Brown and Clark in the backfield at the same time will cause even more headaches.

I realize Dalhart has an impressive record (against so-so opponents), but I think the winner of this game will have the inside track in winning the District 1-3A title.

I don't expect to see either team light up the scoreboard on Friday night. But the strength of the Bulldogs' defensive front seven and being able to control the clock in the running game gives the Bulldogs the edge in what should be a fun game to watch in Pampa.

Score prediction: Borger 27 Pampa 13.

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### Pirates look to top Warriors

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Last season, the Lefors Pirates saw their seven-game winning streak and their run of two straight district titles end in a 58-7 loss to the Miami Warriors.

This year, No. 8 Lefors hopes to regain its bragging rights and district supremacy when it visits No. 6 Miami 7:30 p.m. today.

"This is our toughest game of the year and the game that means the most," Czubinski said. "We don't need any other sources of inspiration for this one. Bragging rights is pretty self-explanatory, (Miami) doesn't want lose any more than we do."

The Pirates (6-1) are coming off a bye. Czubinski said the thing his team learned from last season's defeat is that it didn't feel good.



Czubinski

"We hadn't felt that way in a while and I know that made (Miami) enjoy it all the more," Czubinski said.

The Warriors (6-2) have won its last four games by an average of 52 points. The winner of this game will be a win away from the district title. Czubinski said the result of the game is going to be important.

"Whether this game is at Miami or at Lefors it doesn't really matter," Czubinski said. "The result is what both teams are pursuing, and that's what is usually the telling point. We have worked hard all year no matter who the opponent is, and we are looking forward to a good, tough game."

#### Inside the matchup

Last week: Lefors had a bye, Miami beat Jayton 70-8.  
Series: Lefors leads 20-19-1  
Streak: Miami won last one  
Last Meeting: Miami won 58-7, 2010.  
Last Lefors win: 80-64, 2009

### Tigers hope to surprise Follett

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The McLean Tigers have upset on their minds when it hosts the Follett Panthers 7:30 p.m. today in McLean.

Head coach David Jurado said Follett is a good team and his team needs to play nearly perfectly to beat them.

"Their good on both sides of the ball," Jurado said. "Their offense is explosive and their defense is stingy."

The Tigers (1-6, 0-1) are coming off a 60-14 loss to Kress. The Panthers (4-3, 1-1) lost 59-14 to No. 4 Valley last week. Jurado said his team's biggest challenge is its defense.

"Making tackles in the open field and not giving up the big play is our challenge," Jurado said.

Jurado added his team is motivated for the game and his players aren't letting their struggles get to them.

"They hate to lose and try to get better every day, no matter who we play," Jurado said.

He said his team has to shorten the game to be successful.

"We need to grind out long drives and eat up the clock when we have the ball," Jurado said. "Defensively we just got to bend but not break and hope that we have a chance to find a way to win in the fourth quarter."

#### Inside the matchup

Last week: McLean lost to Kress 60-14, Follett lost to Valley 59-14.  
Series: Follett leads 22-11  
Streak: Follett has won the last five.  
Last Meeting: Follett won 80-32, 2010.  
Last McLean win: 76-73, 2004

### PHS boys golf 11th in Dumas

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The Pampa Harvesters' boys golf team finished 11th at Dumas Invitational Saturday.

Pampa shot 767 (383-384) and was 135 strokes behind Borger, who finished fourth.

Senior Logan Reagan led the team and finished fifth overall shooting a 148 (76-72). Kyler Payne shot 200 (104-96), Logan Turley shot 210 (103-107), Calvin Armbrister shot 212 (101-111) and Destry Baten shot 217 (109-108).

The Lady Harvesters competed in the Borger Triangular Saturday, finishing second in their triangular. Pampa competed against Randall and Plainview. The Lady Harvesters shot 388, which was 57 strokes behind Randall and 31 ahead of Plainview. Lindsey Brown led the team with a 92, Alison Alexander shot a 97, Savanna Mertz also shot a 97, Nicole Brashears shot a 102 and Ashley Keith shot a 105.

The Harvesters compete in the Borger Triangular Saturday. The Lady Harvesters compete at Hidden Hills for the Pampa Triangular.

#### Sign Up for Fall Volleyball

The City of Pampa Recreation Department will be sponsoring a mixed adult, volleyball league. Mixed Competitive and Recreational 6 on 6 divisions will be offered. Players must be 14 years old to participate.

Entry deadline will be October 21, at 5:00 PM, and the season will begin on November 1, 2011.

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# NASCAR THIS WEEK

## ON THE TOURNAMENT

**All times Eastern**  
**Sprint Cup**  
 Good Sam Club 500,  
 2 p.m., Sunday

**Nationwide Series**  
 O'Reilly Auto Parts Challenge,  
 12:55 p.m., Nov. 5

**Truck Series**  
 Coca-Cola 250  
 powered by Ford's  
 4 p.m., Saturday

## BURNING ISSUES

► The fatal crash that claimed the life of Indianapolis 500 winner Dan Wheldon should serve as a reminder that safety in auto racing is fleeting and should never be overlooked.

► Dale Earnhardt's death in 2001 focused attention on safety in NASCAR, but the advances of the past decade came at a terrible price.

► No one in NASCAR is more frequently overlooked than Matt Kenseth, who has three more career victories (21) than Dale Earnhardt Jr.

► Points leader Carl Edwards' remarkable consistency will be tested in the next two races, Talladega and Martinsville have been tough tracks for him in the past.

► Slight restrictor-plate changes have been made in advance of Talladega's Good Sam Club 500. Speeds will likely increase slightly. What will be interesting to watch is if it changes the nature of the racing.

► Two-car bump drafting isn't going to end at Talladega, but it may be slightly less prevalent.

► Kyle Busch said the tag-team racing would end if NASCAR changed the configuration of the cars so that the nose of one car didn't match up with the bumper of the car in front. In other words, the practice would be less effective if the bumping wasn't so "dependable."

► Brad Keselowski's Charlotte mediocrity was a bit of a mystery. He had high expectations but qualified only 26th and finished 16th, a lap down, in the Bank of America 500.

► A relatively quiet Charlotte race somehow resulted in dramatic changes in the point standings. Imagine the shuffle Talladega could create.

## 2011 STANDINGS

Sprint Cup Series	Pts.
1. Carl Edwards	2,203
2. Kevin Harvick	-5
3. Matt Kenseth	-7
4. Kyle Busch	-18
5. Tony Stewart	-24
6. Brad Keselowski	-25
7. Kurt Busch	-27
8. Jimmie Johnson	-35
9. Dale Earnhardt Jr.	-60
10. Ryan Newman	-61
11. Jeff Gordon	-66
12. Denny Hamlin	-86

Nationwide Series	Pts.
1. Ricky Stenhouse Jr.	1,100
2. Elliott Sadler	-15
3. Aric Almirola	-87
4. Justin Allgaier	-91
5. Reed Sorenson	-94
6. Jason Leffler	-151
7. Kenny Wallace	-206
8. Brian Scott	-223
9. Steve Wallace	-230
10. Michael Annett	-241

Camping World Truck Series	Pts.
1. Austin Dillon	731
2. Johnny Sauter	-5
3. James Buescher	-7
4. Ron Hornaday Jr.	-24
5. Timothy Peters	-25
6. Matt Crafton	-58
7. Todd Bodine	-80
8. Cole Whitt	-63
9. Joey Coulter	-75
10. Parker Kligerman	-89

## NASCAR Sprint Cup Series

### WHO'S HOT AND WHO'S NOT



**Who's hot:** Matt Kenseth, who won the last championship not determined by a "Chase," moved into range for another by winning at Charlotte. Marcos Ambrose has finished in the top 10 three weeks in a row.

**Who's not:** Jimmie Johnson crashed at CMS, losing all the ground, and more, than he had gained in the previous two races. Jeff Gordon's bid for a fifth championship is all but over. He's finished better than 12th only once in the five Chase races to date.



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## SPRINT CUP

**Race:** Good Sam Club 500  
**Where:** Talladega (Ala.) Superspeedway (2.66 mi.), 188 laps/500.08 miles.  
**When:** Sunday, Oct. 23.  
**Last year's winner:** Clint Bowyer, Chevy.  
**Qualifying record:** Bill Elliott, Ford, 212.809 mph, April 30, 1987.  
**Race record:** Mark Martin, Ford, 188.354 mph, May 10, 1997.  
**Last week:** Matt Kenseth, whose first Cup win occurred at Charlotte Motor Speedway, won for the second time at the Concord, N.C., track, crossing the finish line in his Ford ahead of Kyle Busch in a Toyota and Carl Edwards in another Ford.

## NATIONWIDE

**Race:** O'Reilly Auto Parts Challenge  
**Where:** Texas Motor Speedway, Fort Worth (1.5 mi.), 200 laps/300 miles.  
**When:** Saturday, Nov. 5.  
**Last year's winner:** Carl Edwards, Ford.  
**Qualifying record:** Jeff Green, Chevy, 193.493 mph, April 5, 2002.  
**Race record:** Kyle Busch, Toyota, 151.707 mph, April 5, 2008.  
**Last week:** Carl Edwards, whose Ford was damaged earlier in the race, roared back to win at Charlotte Motor Speedway over Kyle Busch's Toyota. It was Edwards' eighth victory of the season and 37th of his career.

## CAMPING WORLD TRUCK

**Race:** Coca-Cola 250 Powered by Ford's  
**Where:** Talladega (Ala.) Superspeedway (2.66 mi.), 94 laps/250.04 miles.  
**When:** Saturday, Oct. 22.  
**Last year's winner:** Kyle Busch, Toyota.  
**Qualifying record:** Mark Martin, Ford, 182.320 mph, Oct. 6, 2006.  
**Race record:** Todd Bodine, Toyota, 146.4513 mph, Oct. 2, 2008.  
**Last week:** Ron Hornaday Jr., in a Chevy, won for the fourth time this season at Las Vegas Motor Speedway. In fact, Chevy drivers took the first four positions, with Hornaday followed in order by Austin Dillon, James Buescher and Nelson Piquet Jr.

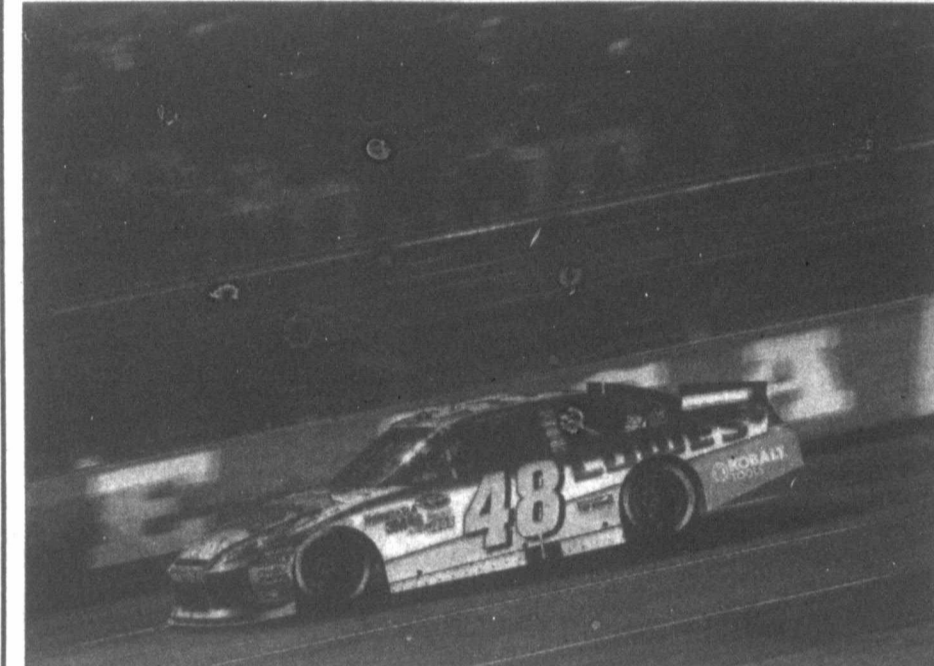
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**TALLADEGA DATA**

Distance: 2.66-mile oval  
 Length of frontstretch: 4,300 ft.  
 Length of backstretch: 4,000 ft.  
 Miles/Laps: 500 mi. - 188 laps

18" Front 27" Backstretch  
 Banking: 1-4 turns

## IN THE SPOTLIGHT



A wreck at Charlotte Motor Speedway may have put a major roadblock in Jimmie Johnson's quest for a sixth straight Cup title. The Hendrick driver dropped to eighth in the standings with five races left in the championship. Johnson trails points leader Carl Edwards by 35 points.

# The Ebb And Flow Of Jimmie Johnson

It's been a wild ride for the five-time Cup champion, who has dropped to 8th

**By Monte Dutton**  
 NASCAR This Week

CONCORD, N.C. — Think the Chase for the Sprint Cup varies week to week? Consider the extreme example of the driver who has won the past five championships.

Jimmie Johnson offers evidence of how the NASCAR title format punishes mistakes more than it rewards successes.

Finishes of 10th and 18th in the Chase's first two races left Johnson 29 points behind Tony Stewart, who won them both. Then Johnson finished second at Dover and first at Kansas, pulling to within four points of the lead, now occupied by Carl Edwards.

Johnson crashed at Charlotte in the Bank of America 500, resulting in a 34th-place finish. As a result, he is now eighth, 35 points behind Edwards. The points system changed this year, and each point has a greater value. Comparing point totals of 2010 with those of the current year, the gap between Edwards and Johnson, 35 points, is the equivalent of about 90 under the previous format.

Five races remain. Johnson's bid for a sixth straight title is in jeopardy, but he is far from conceding.

"We just have to go racing," he said. "That's all there is to it. There are five races left, and right now all we have are those five races."

"Definitely not the night we wanted. This is not going to help us win a sixth championship. I promise you, this team and myself, we won't quit. We will go for every point we can from here on out, and hopefully we are still champions at the end of the year."

The volatility is obvious in everyone's results except Edwards, who has finished eighth or better in each Chase race (ninth or better in his last eight, dating back to the regular season), and Kevin Harvick, who has finished 12th or better in the Chase events. At the top, they are five points apart.

The last four positions in the Chase standings are occupied by drivers in considerably worse situations than Johnson. Dale Earnhardt Jr. is 60 points out of the lead, followed by Ryan Newman (-61), Jeff Gordon (-66) and Denny Hamlin (-86).

## Wives and girlfriends race hard at Charlotte

**By Monte Dutton**  
 NASCAR This Week

CONCORD, N.C. — Jacquelyn Butler won the Better Half Dash at Charlotte Motor Speedway in one of the preliminary events leading up to the Bank of America 500.

Who, you ask, is Jacquelyn Butler? She is the girlfriend of Sprint Cup driver David Ragan. What, you ask, was the Better Half Dash? It was a race of significant others in Bandolero cars, the sleeker cousin of Legends cars, racing for 25 laps around CMS's quarter-mile track in the trioval. Trisha (wife of Casey) Mears finished second, followed by Ashley (wife of Justin) Allgaier.

Predictably, the winner said, "That was crazy."

**It's a living thing —** After Carl Edwards' victory in the Dollar General 300 at CMS, owner Jack Roush spoke of the winning car as if it were ... alive.

"Carl wrecked his car, and the car decided it wouldn't give up. I'm going to talk to that car, and I'm going to give that car a kiss tonight. That car had heart. It was bent, and it was aerodynamically unsound. It was mechanically not intact, and it stood up under Carl and carried him to a victory."

Obviously, "it" deserves a trophy. Or a medal. Or a role in the next "Cars" movie.

**What about "last up?"** — After Charlotte, Talladega Superspeedway, noted for its volatility in terms of the points standings, comes up next. Matt Kenseth was asked, "What if Talladega was the last race in the Chase?"

Kenseth, who often answers by saying "it's the same for everybody," offered a variation.

"We'd race it," he said. "What's the difference if it's the fifth race or the last race of the Chase? They all pay the same. It doesn't make any difference because each point is just as important."

**Cruel and unusual punishment —** The Chase format puts a premium on avoiding disaster, perhaps to a fault.

"The interesting thing about the Chase is that you're not rewarded so much for good days as you're punished for bad days," said Brad Keselowski. "It's very strange like that. There are no playmaker moments like you see in college football, you know, (where) a guy has an 80-yard break through the center of the line for a running touchdown. You don't have that in our deal, so you find yourself saying the whole time, 'Don't screw this up.'"

**Good spin —** Dollar General is moving its sponsorship dollars to Joe Gibbs Racing, where it will sponsor Joey Logano for 12 races in Sprint Cup and Brian Scott for an entire season of Nationwide races.

Team president and owner's son J.D. Gibbs glossed over the fact that Dollar General compensates for a pullback in Home Depot's sponsorship of Logano. He praised the new arrangement as ideal for Dollar General, Home Depot and the team.

Dollar General will also sponsor additional Nationwide entries with

## FUD OF THE WEEK

**VERSUS**

**Gordon** **Stewart**

**GREG BIFFLE VS. TONY STEWART**

Biffle and Stewart bumped, and Biffle's car bounced off the wall and clipped Stewart's lightly. "I didn't try to put him in a bad spot," said Stewart, "so I don't know if I did something wrong or not." Biffle had no such doubt. "It sure seemed to me that he ran me into the fence," he said. "He (Stewart) just didn't leave me enough room."

**NASCAR This Week's Monte Dutton gives his take:** "It's hard to say whether or not Biffle drove into Stewart in a retaliatory move (after bumping the wall), but if so, the act was self-defeating. The second impact apparently blew out Biffle's left-front tire."

## YOUR LETTERS

**A Petty Mystery?**

This Week welcomes letters to the editor, but please be aware that we have room for only a few each week. We'll do our best to select the best, but individual replies are impossible due to the bulk of mail received. Please do not send stamped and self-addressed envelopes with your letters, which should be addressed to: NASCAR This Week, The Gaston Gazette, P.O. Box 1538, Gastonia, N.C. 28053. Questions can also be sent by email, Facebook and Twitter (see directions at the top of this page).

**Dear NASCAR This Week,**

My friend told me that Richard Petty was (once) down seven laps ... came back and won the race. How did he do it? I mean, he would have to pass the leader seven times. Did they give him a lap every time there was a caution? What is the record for being behind in laps and then winning the race?

**William Sprit**  
 London, Ohio

There is no established record, and it's difficult to determine if Petty ever won after being seven laps down. We've tried to find a mention, without success. For it to happen, it probably had to have been a race on a very small track, a quarter-mile, for instance. Petty won 200 races in what is now known as the Sprint Cup series. It's a hard claim to track down.

## DAN TIPS

**Driver Contest Ends Soon**

Fans can still vote — once a day, in fact — until Nov. 20 in the Wheaties Fuel Most Popular Driver polling. Dale Earnhardt Jr. has won it in each of the past eight seasons. To vote and learn more about the award, go to [www.wheatiesfuelmostpopular.com](http://www.wheatiesfuelmostpopular.com). From now until the deadline, voting is limited to the top 10 drivers from polling prior to Sept. 10. The top 10 are Kyle Busch, Earnhardt, Carl Edwards, Jeff Gordon, Kevin Harvick, Jimmie Johnson, Casey Kahne, Matt Kenseth, Bobby Labonte and Tony Stewart.

## LEGENDS AND LORE

**A Senior Moment**

On April 24, 1988, Dale Earnhardt won the Panfil Sweetshirts 500 at Martinsville Speedway. Earnhardt's No. 3 GM Goodwrench Chevy won by 1.99 seconds over Sterling Marlin's No. 44 Piedmont Airlines Oldsmobile in front of a crowd estimated at 46,000. Earnhardt and Marlin were the only drivers on the lead lap, and third-place Bobby Hill Jr. was the only driver who finished one lap down.

**Earnhardt Sr.**

Kyle Busch and Logano, as well as 10 Truck Series races with Kyle Busch Motorsports.

As usual, Joe Gibbs said repeatedly that he was "thrilled." Seriously. He said either "thrill" or "thrilled" nine times in a span of answers to four questions.

**Weekend's most inexplicable quote**

— When Felix (Sabates) fired me in 1993 ... I'll never forget that as long as I live. I swore nobody would have me by the throat again. I'm like a gerbil, so I'll save that money for a rainy day.

— Kenny Wallace.

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