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Voter registration deadline is this Monday

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November promises to bring one of the most talked about midterm elections in recent history, and Gray County Election Administrator Linda Lewis wants to make sure local residents don't miss out on the party.

Texas' voter registration deadline is Monday. Registration forms can be picked up at the election office, Rm. 103 on the ground floor of the courthouse, or at the post office. Prospective voters can also register online at VOTEXAS.org.

To register to vote in Gray County, you must:

- be a U.S. citizen;
- be a resident of the county;
- be at least 17 years and 10 months old (you must be 18 by Election Day);
- not be a convicted felon (unless your sentence is completed, including any probation and parole); and
- not be declared mentally incapacitated by a court of law.

All Texans can check their registration status at VOTEXAS.org.

Lewis said that she hopes that the groundswell of voter interest in Gray County continues from 2008.

"We had a large upswing of registration for the presidential election and it was incredible," said Lewis. "That election got a lot of people out to vote, and we think that people still do want to participate."

"So far, it's been pretty steady as we get closer to the midterm. I've been registering four or five people a day, which is up from what we normally do during the summer months... People want to invest in the electoral process and they're pretty diligent in making sure that they're able to do that."

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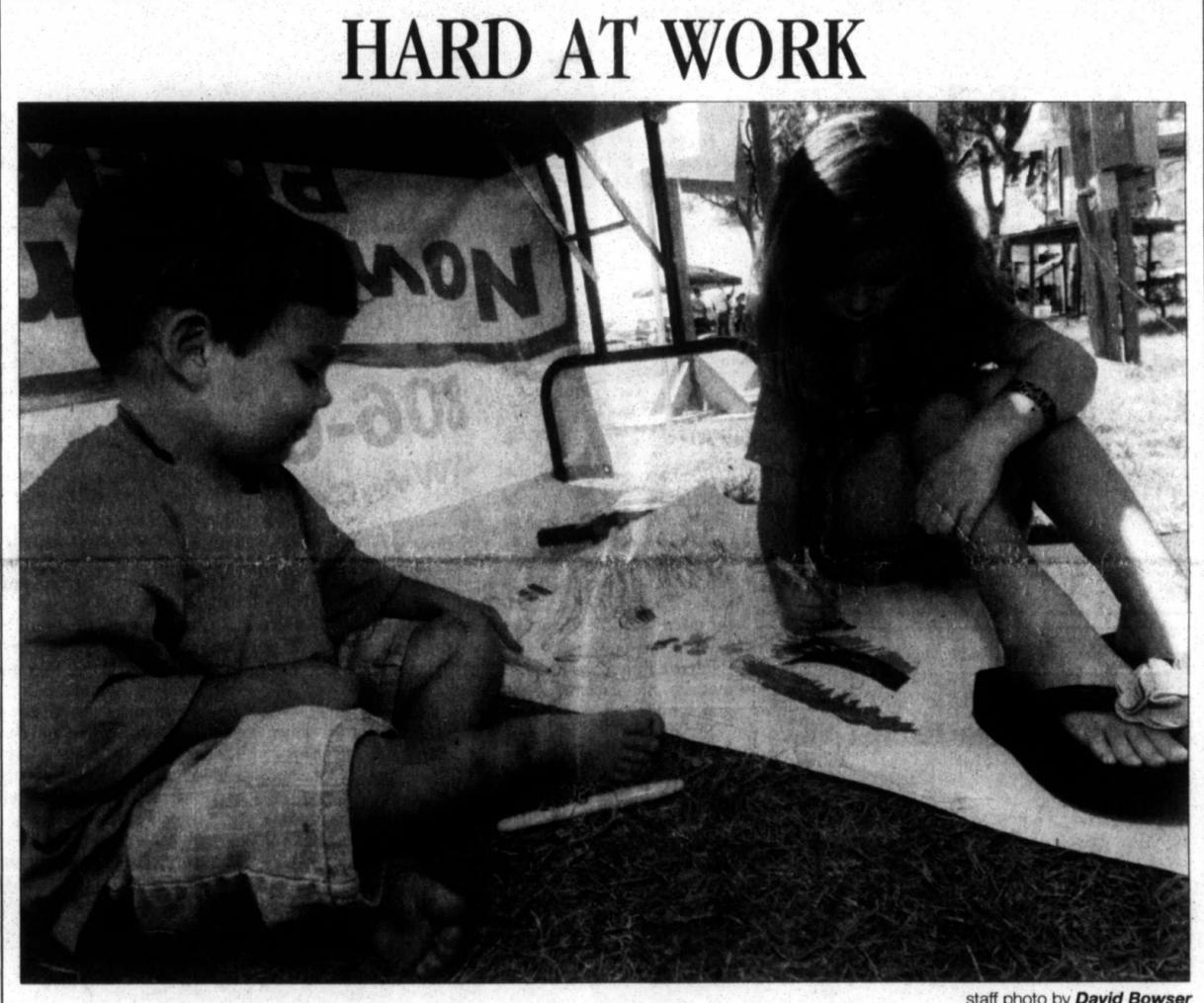
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staff photo by David Bowser
Davin Hext (left) and Keighly White practice their artistic skills at the Community Christian Church booth at Saturday's Community Day at Recreation Park.

Marines to gather in Pampa on Friday

DAVID BOWSER
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It's been more than 65 years since the war that brought these men together in the Pacific ended, yet their memories of its horrors and heroism burn brightly.

The dozen or so men that will gather at Pampa's AmericInn this weekend are about all that are left of their unit, the Second Armored Amphibian Battalion of the Fourth Marines.

The unit was in the first wave to hit the volcanic ash on the beaches of Iwo Jima in February, 1945.

Lynn and Larry Ray invited the unit to Pampa earlier this decade for their annual reunion. Friday will be the unit's third trip to Pampa.

Ray, who served in the Marine Corps in the 1950s, explained that his wife had been diagnosed with breast cancer in 1999, and the couple was in Tulsa for her treatment.

Ray had left his wife's room at the hospital and was getting a breath of fresh air when he passed a car in the parking lot. He said the car had a Marine Corps sticker on it and indicated that owner had served at

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CAB makes a difference in kids

JULIE LONG
CREATE-a-Beat

(Editor's Note: Our United Way helps fund many local groups, which in turn use those contributions to make our community a better place to live. Over the next few editions, The Pampa News will spotlight each of those organizations, with stories and testimonials from the people who know them best.)

At CREATE-a-Beat we have a philosophy: "If we can't become a part of these children's lives, then we need to close the doors."

We don't want to be just a place where children check-in for a couple of hours. Now it is true that a few of the children seem only to be affected for the time they are actually at CREATE-a-Beat. However, many of the children are touched so deeply that they remember with fondness their time at CAB for a long time.

One of the CAB staff who touches lives the deepest is our Creative Writing teacher, Katy Hupp, a retired teacher from the Pampa Independent School District. Katy has not only taught our Creative Writing class since we opened our doors in 2003,

United Way LOCAL OUTREACH

but each year she enters poems from her CAB students in various poetry contests. This year we had two children place in the State Poetry Contest.

I want to tell you about a little boy who has been powerfully touched by his time at CAB through Miss Katy. This child has had a difficult year, getting in trouble at school, at home and frequently at CREATE-a-Beat! He has been known to have a bad attitude, on several occasions has even said that he hates school and sometimes he doesn't even want to come to CREATE-a-Beat! But he NEVER misses a Creative Writing day because he loves Miss Katy. Her impact on his life resulted in his "First Place" award in the CREATE-a-Beat! Annual Poetry Contest. He was so excited that his family was there to see him receive his award. For the rest of the year he seemed to walk a little taller and we saw a new personality

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Tonight: Clear, with a low around 55. East wind around 10 mph becoming south.		
Wednesday: Sunny, with a high near 85. South southwest wind around 10 mph.		
Wednesday Night: Clear, with a low around 56. Southeast wind between 5 and 10 mph.		
Thursday: Sunny, with a high near 77. East northeast wind around 10 mph.		
Thursday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 52. Southeast wind around 10 mph.		
Friday: Sunny, with a high near 76. South southeast wind between 10 and 15 mph.		
Friday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 52. South southeast wind between 10 and 15 mph.		

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EMERGENCY SERVICES

Sheriff's Office

The Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following arrests over the weekend.

Thursday, Sept. 23
Marvin Monrow Finney, III, 35, from Lefors, was arrested by the Lefors Marshall on charges of failure to identify, and bond surrender on charges of driving with an invalid license, second offense.

Jodi M. Candelaria, 36, of Amarillo, was arrested by deputies on bond surrender on charges of driving while intoxicated.

Bryan David Kettler, 24, of Amarillo, was arrested by deputies on bond surrender on charges of terroristic threat, possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of a controlled substance.

Friday, Sept. 24
Ramiro Reyes, Jr., 27, was arrested by officers on bond surrender on charges of driving while intoxicated, failure to appear and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Mariza Machon Scott, 22, was arrested by officers on charges of parent contributing to non-attendance and failure to attend court.

Saturday, Sept. 25
Leander Joseph Feltner, 27, was arrested by officers on charges of public intoxication.

Almendra Hernandez,

19, was arrested by deputies on charges of assault on a family member causing bodily injury.

Angelina Rivera, 27, was arrested by deputies on charges of assault on a family member causing bodily injury.

Terry Wayne Rapstine, 47, was arrested by deputies on charges of possession of a controlled substance.

Laray Donnell Wilson, 20, was arrested by officers on charges of failure to identify, burglary of a habitation and possession of a controlled substance.

David Richard Sadler, 49, of Coppel, was arrested by Department of Public Safety troopers on charges of driving while intoxicated, second offense.

Sunday, Sept. 26
Carl Allen Hinds, 27, was arrested by officers on charges of no valid driver's license.

Kandace Deann Roby, 25, was arrested by officers on capias pro fine warrants on charges of possession of drug paraphernalia and failure to appear.

Holly Renee Mesneak, 23, of Amarillo, was arrested by deputies on charges of possession of a controlled substance, less than one gram.

David Lee Arnn, 42, was arrested by Department of Public Safety troopers on charges of driving while

intoxicated, third offense or more.

Lorenzo Venzor, 35, was arrested by officers on charges of evading arrest or detention.

James Gurthel Tolleson, 72, was arrested by Department of Public Safety troopers on bond surrender on charges of driving while intoxicated, second offense.

Monday, Sept. 27
Kelley Aljean Liberty, 44, was arrested by officers on charges of driving while intoxicated.

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The Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following arrests during the 24-hour period ending at 8 a.m. today.

Monday, Sept. 27
Johnnie Lane Gustafon, 60, of Dickinson, was arrested by Texas Department of Public Safety troopers on charges of driving while intoxicated, second offense.

Joel Stacy Guel, 22, of McLean, was arrested by deputies on charges of criminal mischief from another county.

Travis Arron Parkin, 28, was arrested by deputies on charges possession of a controlled substance with intent to distribute in another county.

Gene Edward Watson, 63, was arrested by Tex-

as Department of Public Safety troopers on charges of theft by check over \$20 but less than \$500.

Ryan Wayne Wills, 24, was arrested by deputies on charges of possession of marijuana and public intoxication.

Jacob Ryan Crain, 26, was arrested by deputies on charges of possession of marijuana.

Tuesday, Sept. 28
Steven Vaughn Bracewell, 27, was arrested by police on charges of theft over \$50 but less than \$1,500.

Police Department

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents during the 24-hour period ending at 8 a.m. today.

Police reported 11 traffic-related calls and two accidents.

Animal Control officers reported 14 animal-related calls.

Pampa EMS reported three medical calls. The Pampa Police Department reported one medical call.

Monday, Sept. 27
An alarm was reported in the 1000 block of North Sumner.

Officers had escort duty in the 1400 block of North Sumner.

An abandoned vehicle was reported in the 2100 block of North Zimmers.

Firefighters made a fire prevention call in the 400 block of North Frost.

An abandoned vehicle was reported in the 2300 block of North Christine.

A suspicious person was reported in the 1200 block of North Hobart.

A theft was reported in the 1200 block of North Wells.

Burglaries were reported in the 100 block of South Nelson and in the 1900 block of Alcock.

Criminal mischief was reported in the 1200 block of North Hobart.

Disorderly conduct was reported in the 100 block of North Hobart.

Firefighters made a fire prevention call in the 1900 block of North Duncan.

Firefighters launched a fire investigation in the 1300 block of Rham.

Officers performed a welfare check in the 500 block of North Dwight.

Officers assisted another agency in the 900 block of South Love.

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

An alarm was reported in the 1900 block of North Hobart.

Harassment was reported to police.

Thefts were reported in the 900 block of East Frederic and in the 2200 block of Perryton Parkway.

A burglary was reported

in the 500 block of North Doucette.

Found property was reported in the 500 block of North Naida.

Disorderly conduct was reported in the 1000 block of South Dwight.

A suspicious person was reported in the 1100 block of North Hobart.

A suspicious vehicle was reported in the 1000 block of North Wells.

Disorderly conduct was reported in the 100 block of East Randy Matson and in the 1000 block of South Dwight.

A theft was reported to police.

Officers assisted a motorist at Hobart and Randy Matson.

Officers checked on the welfare of a person in the 300 block of North Banks.

A suspicious person was reported in the 1000 block of South Hobart, another suspicious person in the 1300 block of North Stark-weather and another suspicious person in the 100 block of West Francis.

Tuesday, Sept. 28
Officers reported a violation of a protective order in the 500 block of Roberts.

Suspicious persons were reported in the 1200 block of North Christine and in the 500 block of West Kingsmill.

A burglary was reported in the 800 block of North Nelson.

James F. Duvall, Sr., 84

James F. Duvall, Sr., 84, of Carrollton, Mo., passed away September 25, 2010, at Life Care Center in Carrollton, Mo.

James was born May 29, 1926, to James and Mary Elizabeth (Rosen) Duvall in Marshall, Mo. He married Bertie Viola Bell on April 20, 1946.

James attended St. Peters Catholic School and Mercy Academy of Marshall, Mo. and was an Army WWII veteran. James spent his life being a farmer and a mechanic for John Deere of Carrollton, Mo. He attended St. Mary's Catholic Church where he was a Grand Knight in the Knight's of Columbus.

James is survived by his wife, Bertie, of the home, Sharon Kinker and husband, Don, of Marshall, Minn.; James Duvall Jr. and wife, Mary Nell of Pampa, William Duvall of Marshall, Mo., Richard Duvall and wife, Dody, of Glendale, Ariz., Jane Turner and husband, Pat, of Jefferson City, Mo., Teresa Lent and husband, Joe, of Marshall, Mo., Barbara Orey and husband, Wayne of Marshall, Mo., Mary Traver and husband, Jay, of Warrensburg, Mo.; one sister, Betty Ahnefeld of Norborne, Mo.; 22 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren.

James was preceded in death by his parents, two sisters, Mary Ellen Furry and Lucille Bultmann.

Visitation will be held Tuesday evening September 28, 2010, at Bittiker Funeral Home from 6:30-8 p.m. with Rosary following. Services will be held Wednesday, September 29, 2010 at 10 a.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Carrollton, Mo. Burial at St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery with military honors provided by 193rd Division, Bravo Company.

The family suggests contributions be made to family's choice or St. Mary's Catholic Church in memory of James. They may be left at or mailed to Bittiker Funeral Home, 1201 N. 65 Hwy., Carrollton, MO 64633.

Condolences may be sent to the family via Bittiker Funeral Homes, LLC website at www.bittikerfuneralhomes.com and clicking on the obituaries link.

Ann Dykes, 90

Ann Dykes, 90, died Sunday, September 26, 2010, in Wichita, Kan.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday, September 29, 2010, at Memory Gardens Mausoleum in Pampa, with Steve Huckins, a family friend, officiating.

Burial will be at Memory Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mrs. Dykes was born October 25, 1919, in Herring, Okla. Ann married Charlie C. Dykes on July 12, 1940, in Sayre, Okla. He preceded her in death on February 3, 1991. She had been a resident of Skellytown since 1943 moving to Wichita, Kan. in 2004. Ann worked for Furr's Cafeteria in Pampa for 15 years retiring in 1987. She was a member of the First Assembly of God Church in Skellytown. Ann brought a lot of joy and smiles to the people in the nursing home. She was considered by her family as a Proverbs 31 mom.

Survivors include her two daughters, Tawanna Sinclair of Wichita, Kan. and Janice Covert of Westland, Mich.; one son, Charles E. Dykes of Skellytown; 12 grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

Sign the online register at www.carmichael-whitley.com.

Florence Story, 93

Florence Story, 93, died Saturday, September 25, 2010, in Amarillo.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday, September 29, 2010, at Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel, with Rev. Mike Laurence, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church of Panhandle, officiating.

Burial will be at Memory Gardens under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors.



Story

Mrs. Story was born on May 20, 1917, in Ford County. She attended school at Whitharral High School. She married Lebert Payne in 1936. He preceded her in death in 1949. Mrs. Story later married Robert Story on April 16, 1955, in Roswell, N.M. He preceded her in death on March 8, 1999. Mrs. Story and her family moved to Pampa in 1963, moving to Amarillo in 2003. She was a homemaker and a seamstress. She was a longtime member of First Baptist Church in Pampa. Later when she lived with her daughter she attended Pleasant Valley Baptist Church in Amarillo and Calvary Baptist Church in Panhandle. In her spare time she liked to sew and create clothing for her family.

Survivors include her daughter, Teresa Story of Panhandle, son, Robert Story and wife Martha of League City, two grandsons, John Robert Story and wife Judy of League City, and Brent Story and wife Sofia of Amarillo; granddaughter, Anne Day and husband Andy of Carrollton; five great-grandchildren; brother, S.W. Keeton of Big Spring; three sisters, Myrtle Caudell of Richardson, Gracie Boyett of Borger, and Lena Payne of Slidell, La.; sister-in-law, Ina Keeton of Amarillo. Mrs. Story was preceded in death by her parents, Sidney and Molly Keeton; two brothers, Calvin Keeton and George Keeton and by one sister, Fannie Keeton.

Memorials may be made to Calvary Baptist Church of Panhandle, 803 Maple, Panhandle, Texas 79068.

Sign the online register at www.carmichael-whitley.com.

Cherie Parr, 63



Parr

Cherie Parr, 63, died September 26, 2010 in Pampa.

Services are pending with Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Parr was born March 25, 1947, in Washington, D.C. She married Roy Parr on March 15, 1975, in Sunray. She had been a resident of Pampa since 1984. Cherie was a certified nurse's aide and had worked at the Edward Abraham Memorial Home in Canadian for four years, and Pampa Nursing Center for three years. She was later employed by First Baptist Church for eight years. Cherie was a member of First Baptist Church. She was a loving mother and grandmother. She especially enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren.

Survivors include her husband, Roy Parr of the home; son, Zach Parr and wife Angie of Pampa; five grandchildren, Kaden Shan, Malie Shan, Bryson Parr, Tyson Parr, and Jace Jones, all of Pampa; two sisters, Karen Hinz of Clinton, Okla., and Sue Burkett of Austin; numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents.

Memorials may be made to First Baptist Church, P.O. Box 621, Pampa, TX 79066-0621.

Sign the online register at www.carmichael-whitley.com.

AFTERNOONRUSH Envoy to try to salvage Mideast peace talks

UT Austin gunman dead

AUSTIN (AP) - Police at the University of Texas at Austin say a gunman who opened fire inside a campus library has shot and killed himself and police are seeking a possible second suspect.

Police spokesperson Rhonda Weldon says the shooting happened Tuesday morning on the sixth floor of the Perry-Castaneda Library.

She says a man with an automatic weapon opened fire inside the library, and no shots were fired outside, Weldon says "he subsequently shot himself. He is deceased."

Weldon says "we're asking everyone to stay away from the campus."

Investigators are trying to determine what sparked the gunfire.

Laredo police officer convicted

LAREDO (AP) - A Laredo police officer has been convicted in a 2008 undercover drug and weapons case in which prosecutors say loads of cocaine were escorted through rush-hour traffic.

U.S. Attorney Jose Angel Moreno says jurors Monday convicted 27-year-old Officer Orlando Jesus Hale of conspiracy to possess with intent to distribute cocaine, plus using a firearm to further drug trafficking.

The drug conspiracy conviction carries a sentence ranging from 10 years to life in prison. The maximum fine is \$4 million. The firearms conviction charge carries a minimum five years in prison, plus a \$250,000 fine.

Investigator Jose Baeza on Monday told The Associated Press that Hale was suspended when he was arrested and, as a convicted felon, he can no longer be a police officer.

FTC OKs Coca-Cola bottler deal

WASHINGTON (AP) - Regulators have approved Coca-Cola's \$3.4 billion buyout of its largest North American bottler on the condition that the soft drink maker restrict its access to confidential competitive business information from Dr Pepper Snapple Group.

The Federal Trade Commission said Monday that according to a settlement, Coca-Cola will set up a "firewall" so that its ownership of the bottler won't give it access to marketing information and plans for Dr Pepper Snapple, which had an existing deal with the bottler.

In June, Coca-Cola announced it would pay \$715 million to Plano, Texas-based rival Dr Pepper Snapple for the rights to distribute Dr Pepper and Canada Dry in the U.S. after the bottler deal goes through.

Reynosa gunbattle leaves 9 dead

MEXICO CITY (AP) - Mexico's navy says a gunbattle in the Gulf coast border state of Tamaulipas left eight gunmen and one marine dead in the border city of Reynosa.

Meanwhile, in Ciudad Juarez, across from El Paso, Texas, the Public Safety Department announced the capture of a drug gang member who allegedly helped set up a car bomb that killed three people. Suspect Jose Contreras allegedly killed a man and dressed him in a police uniform to lure federal agents to the area where the car bomb exploded, killing a federal police officer and a doctor who was helping the shooting victim.

Contreras is a member of La Linea gang, which works for the Juarez drug cartel, the department said in a statement.

Regional military prison opens

FORT LEAVENWORTH, Kan. (AP) - A regional prison is opening at Fort Leavenworth, combining the operations of military prisons elsewhere in the United States.

The Joint Regional Confinement Facility will be operated by the Army Corrections Command. It's located on the northeast Kansas post near the U.S. Disciplinary Barracks, the military's maximum-security prison.

Dedication ceremonies were scheduled Tuesday for the prison and a new brigade that will staff it.

The 464-bed facility will get its first prisoners next month from Fort Sill, Okla., and reach 120 inmates by January.

In 2005, the Base Realignment and Closure Commission decided to close prisons at Fort Sill, Fort Knox, Ky., and Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

Guilty pleas in UNT slayings

DENTON (AP) - A University of North Texas food service employee has pleaded guilty to the 2009 shooting death of his boss after she criticized him for unsatisfactory work.

Testimony was scheduled to continue Tuesday in Denton in the penalty phase for 48-year-old William Xu. He pleaded guilty Monday to murder and faces up to life in prison.

The body of 55-year-old Jennifer Ying Ying Maik was discovered in August 2009 in her Denton home. Maik was a food service supervisor at UNT's Clark Hall. Police records indicate Maik had reprimanded Xu for poor work.

The Denton Record-Chronicle reports Xu has asked to be sentenced by Judge Bruce McFarling, instead of by a jury.

Two Fort Hood soldiers killed

WASHINGTON (AP) - Military officials say two Fort Hood soldiers have died following a bombing in Afghanistan.

The Defense Department on Tuesday announced the deaths of 40-year-old Sgt. Mark A. Simpson, 40, of Peoria, Ill., and 23-year-old Spc. Donald S. Morrison of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Military officials say the men died Sunday at Kandahar, Afghanistan, of wounds suffered when insurgents bombed their military vehicle a day earlier.

Simpson and Morrison were assigned to the 20th Engineer Battalion, 36th Engineer Brigade at Fort Hood.

Cat killed after bump in night

RED DEER, Alberta (AP) - A man was in police custody on Monday after allegedly shooting his family cat by accident.

Red Deer RCMP say that 31-year-old Daryl Brownell loaded a rifle after a hearing a suspicious noise in his home early Sunday morning.

When he went to investigate, Brownell stumbled and inadvertently pulled the trigger of the gun, according to police.

The bullet went through two walls in the house and into a wall of a neighbouring home.

No one was injured.

The cat, however, was killed.

JERUSALEM (AP) - Washington's special Mideast envoy, using a slim lifeline from the Palestinians, rushed to the region on Tuesday on an emergency mission to keep peace talks from collapsing just weeks after they began.

Israel's decision to resume new West Bank settlement construction after a 10-month moratorium expired on midnight Sunday has provoked Palestinian threats to walk out of the talks. It has also caused new friction between Israel and its powerful U.S. patron, which said it was "disappointed" with Israel's refusal to relent.

On Monday night, Washington dispatched special envoy George Mitchell to the region to try to bridge gaps that Palestinian, Israel and American officials failed to close in a frenetic round of meetings in the U.S. last week.

Palestinian President Mahmoud Abbas gave U.S. mediation more time to work when he announced Monday he wouldn't decide whether to abandon the talks before consulting senior Arab officials in Cairo next week. An Arab League official has told The Associated Press that Arab foreign ministers were expected to endorse whatever position Abbas took.

A senior Palestinian official said



Abbas

He spoke on condition of anonymity because he was discussing internal Palestinian deliberations.

State Department spokesman P.J. Crowley praised Abbas for not immediately walking out of the talks and chided Israel for resisting international pressure to halt new housing starts in the West Bank — territory that Palestinians claim as part of their future state.

"We are disappointed but we remain focused on our long-term objective and will be talking to the parties about the implications of the Israeli decision," Crowley said Monday, adding that Mitchell would "sort through with the parties where we go from here."

U.N. chief Ban Ki-moon and senior European officials have also criticized Israel's decision.

the Palestine Liberation Organization's 18-member decision-making body would meet Wednesday or Thursday to formulate a position before Abbas meets with the League envoys.

In Paris on Tuesday, the Palestinian leader urged Israel to halt new West Bank settlement construction as long as Mideast peace talks continue, saying he feared the two sides might miss a "historic opportunity" if Israel refuses to renew a just-expired freeze on the building.

"If settlement stops, we will continue the negotiations. If not, we will stop," Abbas said. "We cannot destroy this hope (for peace) with things that are secondary, like settlements," he said.

Palestinian leaders, he added, hope Israel will halt settlement building "as long as there are negotiations."

Immediately after the restrictions expired, Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu appealed to Abbas to keep negotiating. Netanyahu has indicated he would be prepared to limit new building, but has refused to agree to a complete halt.

Netanyahu, a settlement champion who agreed under duress to impose the moratorium in late November, has told the U.S. that he cannot extend it because his partners in Israel's pro-settlement government oppose such a move. But he has indicated he would be willing to impose some limitations on construction.

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emerge from this little boy. He finally realized that he did have potential to be somebody and that he could accomplish whatever he set his heart on!"

Thank God, all of us got the word that day before the children arrived at CREATE-a-Beat; one of our littlest boys had lost his mom over the summer. It gave us time to mostly get over our own initial tears. We weren't sure how things would go that day for him. As he made his way to the front door we just tried to pour love all over him with a regular hug-a-thon. It was a hard day, but he made it through. Some days he was fine; others were a real struggle. Sometimes he just needed Miss Julie to sit with him or hold him. She wasn't mom, but it always made things a little better.

A few times he had questions that better suited our greeter, Preacher Mike. "I would just try to ask a question or two that would let him share some of the great times that he remembered about his mom. One day I asked him, 'What was your mom's favorite color?' He couldn't remember. I could see that it startled him that he couldn't remember. So I said, 'Since you can't remember a particular color, that must mean that your mom liked all the colors, right?' He nodded and was relieved. 'Well that would make her a rainbow mom, huh?' He smiled from ear to ear.

"About that time I looked behind my desk for something that I could give him to maybe make things better, that day. Sometimes God just gives you the perfect thing to help someone else. I had a bag of different colored bouncy balls that we had given away at the Christmas Parade. So I had him pick-out one of each color and told him to take them home and that every time he felt sad about missing his mom, just hold on to one of the balls and think about the good times that he had with his 'rainbow mom.' It didn't bring his mom back, but it helped that day and some other times too."

He is still one of our CREATE-a-Beat! kids. We had a great year last year. In September of 2006 we achieved capacity in our After School ARTS Program. We maintained that capacity for the entire school year and have only 19 places left for this upcoming school year. Last year we were also able to provide fee waivers for our After School ARTS Program to over 100 children, because of generous donations from the community and local grant agencies. With all of our volunteers, staff,

board members, and participants we touched the lives of over 250 people in Pampa last year. We look forward to many more years, serving the community and surrounding area of Pampa.

I love the slogan for the United Way Campaign this year "Live United." I want to tell you why it is so important for us to Live United and to receive funding from the United Way. Each of you sitting in this room is here because you care about our community but more importantly the people in our community. At CREATE-a-Beat we have a philosophy: "If we can't become a part of these children's lives, then we need to close the doors." We don't want to be just a place where children check-in for a couple of hours. Now it is true that a few of the children seem only to be affected for the time they are actually at CREATE-a-Beat. However, many of the children are touched so deeply that they remember with fondness their time at CAB for a long time. Two of our current High School Employees were originally participants in our program, actually in our first group of 15 children.

Several years ago we had 3 children attending our program. One day they stopped coming to our program. Their parents had been arrested and put in jail because they were living in the old Bra Factory and making and selling Crystal Meth. The kids were there with them hungry and alone because their parents were so messed up on drugs they didn't even think to feed them or bathe them. The kids were placed in the custody of an aunt. When she found out they were registered in our program she brought them back to us. The day they came back she told me she was so glad to "get rid of them" for a while because she didn't want them and was tired of having her family disrupted by them. The middle child (6 yrs old) ran to me and held on to my leg. He said, "I missed you Miss Julie." He stayed with me most of that afternoon. A few weeks later both mom and dad were released on bail and took the kids and ran. We haven't ever heard from those kids again, but in my heart I know that for a little while those kids came to a place where they felt safe and they were loved. That's the difference the United Way can make to remind us that in our community we can "Live United" and make a difference. Thank you United Way for your support as we make a difference in the lives of the Children of Pampa.

Registration

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Texas Secretary of State Hope Andrade said registration is quick and convenient.

"Registering to vote is easy," Andrade said. "The voter registration application only has nine questions, including one which asks for your name."

To complete the application, a person must provide a Texas Driver's License number or Texas Personal ID number as issued by the Department of Public Safety.

If an applicant has neither of those numbers, he or she is asked to provide the last four digits of their Social Security Number. The number submitted by the applicant is verified before a voter registration certificate is issued.

If none of the required numbers are provided on the application, the person can still be registered, but they must show a proper form of identification at the polling location before they can receive a ballot.

Election Day is Nov. 2. Early voting in Gray County begins on Oct. 18.

Marines

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Saipan, Tinian and Iwo Jima.

Ray left a note under a windshield wiper blade thanking the fellow Marine for his service in the Corps during World War II (there's no such thing as an ex-Marine).

It turned out that the owner of the car and his wife volunteered at the hospital. They invited Ray and his wife to a reunion of the unit at Tahlequah, Okla.

The unit, the Second Armored Amphibian Battalion, eventually adopted Ray and made him an honorary member of the unit.

For the last couple of years, Ray has proudly hosted their reunion in Pampa.

"They are living history," Ray said. There will be a memorial service beginning at 5:30 p.m. Friday outside the East Patio of the AmericInn, followed by a reception.

The unit's business meeting will begin at 10 a.m. Saturday at the hotel, and Bingo will be from 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the hotel.

Their banquet will be at 6 p.m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church.

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Viewpoints

Today in History

Today is Tuesday, Sept. 28, the 271st day of 2010. There are 94 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Sept. 28, 1920, eight members of the Chicago White Sox were indicted for allegedly throwing the 1919 World Series against the Cincinnati Reds in what became known as the "Black Sox" scandal. (Despite initial confessions by several of the players, all were acquitted at trial; still, all eight were banned from baseball for life.)

On this date:

In 1066, William the Conqueror invaded England to claim the English throne.
 In 1542, Portuguese navigator Juan Rodriguez Cabrillo arrived at present-day San Diego.
 In 1787, the Congress of the Confederation voted to send the just-completed Constitution of the United States to state legislatures for their approval.
 In 1850, flogging was abolished as a form of punishment in the U.S. Navy.
 In 1924, two U.S. Army planes landed in Seattle, having completed the first round-the-world flight in 175 days.
 In 1939, during World War II, Nazi Germany and the Soviet Union signed a treaty calling for the partitioning of Poland, which the two countries had invaded.
 In 1960, Ted Williams hit a home run in his last career at-bat as his team, the Boston Red Sox, defeated the Baltimore Orioles 5-4 at Fenway Park.
 In 1970, Egyptian President Gamal Abdel Nasser died at age 52. Author John Dos Passos died in Baltimore at age 74.
 In 1974, first lady Betty Ford underwent a mastectomy at Bethesda Naval Medical Center in Maryland, following discovery of a cancerous lump in her breast.
 In 1989, deposed Philippine President Ferdinand E. Marcos died in exile in Hawaii at age 72.

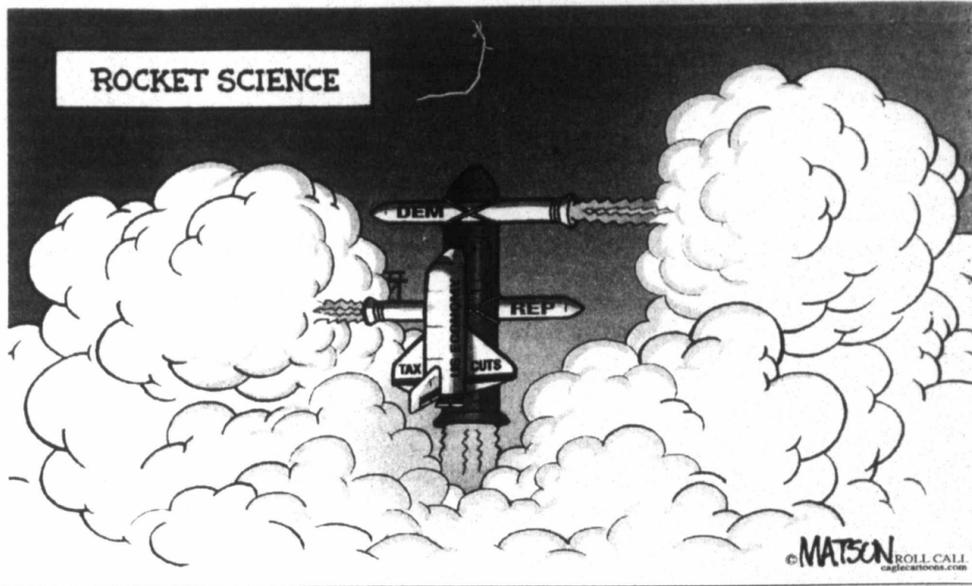
Ten years ago: Capping a 12-year battle, the government approved use of the abortion pill RU-486. Former Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau died in Montreal at age 80. Ariel Sharon, leader of Israel's hard-line opposition, sparked new Israeli-Palestinian clashes by touring the Temple Mount. In Sydney, Australia, Venus Williams earned her second Olympic gold medal, teaming with sister Serena in the final of women's doubles to beat Miriam Oremans and Kristie Boogert of the Netherlands, 6-1, 6-1. Choreographer and dancer Peter Gennaro died at age 80.

Five years ago: House Majority Leader Tom DeLay was indicted by a Texas grand jury on a charge of conspiring to violate political fundraising laws. (DeLay has yet to stand trial.) A woman disguised as a man slipped into a line of Iraqi army recruits and detonated explosives strapped to her body, killing six recruits in the first known suicide attack by a woman in Iraq's insurgency. The U.S. Treasury unveiled the new \$10 bill, featuring splashes of red, yellow and orange.

One year ago: Iran tested its longest-range missiles and warned they could reach any place that threatens the country, including Israel, parts of Europe and U.S. military bases in the Mideast. Former Panamanian president Guillermo Endara, 73, who led his country to democracy after the U.S. invasion that toppled Gen. Manuel Noriega, died in Panama City.

Today's Birthdays: Actor William Windom is 87. Actress Brigitte Bardot is 76. Singer Ben E. King is 72. Actor Joel Higgins is 67. Singer Helen Shapiro is 64. Movie writer-director-actor John Sayles is 60. Actress Sylvia Kristel is 58. Rock musician George Lynch is 56. Zydeco singer-musician C.J. Chenier is 53. Actor Steve Hytner is 51. Actress-comedian Janeane Garofalo is 46. Country singer Matt King is 44. Actress Mira Sorvino is 43. TV personality Moon Zappa is 43. Actress-model Carre Otis is 42. Actress Naomi Watts is 42. Country musician Chuck Crawford is 37. Country singer Mandy Barnett is 35. Rapper Young Jeezy is 33. World Golf Hall of Famer Se Ri Pak is 33. Actor Peter Cambor is 32. Writer-producer-director-actor Bam Margera is 31. Actress Hilary Duff is 23. Actress Skye McCole Bartusiak is 18. Actor Keir Gilchrist is 18.

Thought for Today: "To fight oppression, and to work as best we can for a sane organization of society, we do not have to abandon the state of mind of freedom. If we do that we are letting the same thuggery in by the back door that we are fighting off in front of the house." - John Dos Passos (1896-1970).



Early ambitions may change over time

It is so much fun to read the "When I Grow Up" section in these pages.

If our little neighbors have their way (and many of them will) we have a lot of future firemen, policemen and wrestlers making their way through the local educational system. They seem so sure of their future and that's the fun.

Most of us have early inclinations that change as we mature.

I knew I would be a paleontologist when I was in grade school.

Back then, (the early 60's) there was a short time when nerds ruled; when a guy in a lab coat and a slide rule in his pocket was someone to emulate.

Oh, yeah...and I would smoke a pipe. Because the

pipes made guys look older and smarter than, well, guys who didn't smoke pipes.

I was terribly disappointed to learn that a scientist requires a scientific degree and involves things like chemistry and higher mathematics.

I just wanted to dig up dinosaur bones and wear a white coat.

Smoke my pipe. Look at my slide rule. Mutter interesting things.

I briefly flirted with the concept of rock star, except all my favorite rockers played keyboards, who always played second fiddle to guitars.

Besides, that would require the mastery of an instrument and some raw talent.

I could play a mean air piano, but it never had the

ambiance of the air guitar. Someone playing air piano looks a little like someone having a seizure.

There has always been an air guitar bias. It's not fair, but there it is.

Of course, every kid wants to be some kind of superhero.

We know we can't REALLY be Spiderman, but for powerless small people, imagining you are Spiderman is...well, empowering. That is, until

your mom makes you clean up all the Silly String.

At some point, we get "serious" and start "considering our strengths."

I loved to read, liked to write, started understanding politics and then there was the school newspaper that opened up another possibility.

I don't know the slide rule equivalent for our little elementary school friends right now (newspapers maybe?), but a lot of things they take for granted will change before they enter the job market in the distant future.

They have so many choices. Should be fun.



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Americans must recapture optimism and confidence

BY MARK SHIELDS
Creators Syndicate

Of the only man ever elected four times to the White House, the historian James MacGregor Burns wrote: "If other leaders bent under the burdens of power, Roosevelt shouldered his with zest and gaiety. He loved being president. ... The variegated facets of the presidential job called for a multitude of different roles, and Roosevelt moved from part to part with ease and confidence." FDR's optimism was contagious.

Americans, the most optimistic of people, have historically been attracted to optimistic leaders. Three years into Ronald Reagan's presidency -- following major economic dislocations and international tensions -- the Gallup Poll found that "Americans are more optimistic in outlook for the year 1984 than at any other time in the last quarter century."

With the exception of those whose ancestors were here when Columbus arrived or those who were brought here, against their will, in chains, all Americans are either immigrants or the direct lineal descendants of immigrants. Much has been written about the courage required of the immigrant to leave friends and family, to strike out across the sea to a "foreign" place to live among people you had never met, to speak a language, in many cases, you had never heard. But it was also a statement of optimism -- a belief that in this New Land "I could make things better if not for myself, then for those who followed me."

Optimism has been a national characteristic. It is deep in the American DNA.

But, in 2010, American optimism, the parent of confidence, which settled a continent and rescued and rebuilt the world, is all but vanishing.

When asked in the NBC News/Wall Street Journal poll in 1995, "The United States is generally considered to be the world's leading nation. Twenty years from now, which country do you think will be the leader?" 54 percent answered the U.S., followed by Japan and the European Union (tied at 6 percent), and China at 3 percent.

When the question was most recently asked, the answers were profoundly different: China was predicted by 39 percent of American respondents to be in 20 years "the world's leading nation," while only 37 percent named the U.S., with the European Union and Japan at 5 percent and 2 percent, respectively.

When asked in the same survey if they felt "confident or not confident that life for our children's generation will be better than it has been for us," only 27 percent of Americans said they were confident about their children's futures, while 66 percent answered they were not confident." Add to this the two out of three who "think America is in a state of decline," and the picture grows bleak.

Without its trademark optimism, the United States would be little more than a continental Belgium. No disrespect is intended to anyone from Brussels, but tonight there are not human beings all over this planet working, saving, praying and scheming on how to get to Belgium -- as there always have been to get to the United States.

An America without optimism is an America lacking confidence either in herself or in her future. It is almost destined to become an America that is increasingly defensive, self-absorbed and unwilling to share her talents or treasure acting in common cause with the people of other nations.

For the country's and the world's well-being, Americans -- who include the leaders and all us followers -- must determine to recapture that native optimism and the national sense

of confidence it inspires.

Unless we can, we risk dooming our own children's futures. And that indeed would be unforgivably un-American.

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Mexican governor: Hundreds feared dead in landslide

OAXACA, Mexico (AP) — A hillside collapsed on a rural Mexican community on Tuesday and the region's governor said hundreds of people are feared dead.

Oaxaca state Gov. Ulises Ruiz told the Televisa television network that the early morning landslide in the town Santa Maria de Tlahuitoltepec buried 100 to 300 houses and speculated that 500 to 1,000 people could be buried.

Donato Vargas, an official in Santa Maria de Tlahuitoltepec reached by a satellite telephone, said 500 people were missing and that 300 homes were buried.

"We were all sleeping and all I heard was a loud noise and when I left the house I saw that the hill had fallen," Vargas said.

He said he called the Mexican army and state officials for help.

"It has been difficult informing authorities because the road are very bad and there isn't a good signal for our phone," Vargas said shortly before the call dropped.

Ruiz said the landslide followed days of rain in the Sierra

de Juarez region.

Rescuers were flying in from Mexico City and emergency personnel have been sent to the town about 50 miles (80 kilometers) east of Oaxaca city and 130 miles (220 kilometers) from Mexico City.

"There has been lots of rain, rivers have overflowed and we're having a hard time reaching the area because there are landslides on the roads," he said.

Luis Marin, an official with Oaxaca state's civil protection department, said rescue crews had yet to reach the area. The federal Interior Department issued a statement that

rescue workers from the army, navy and federal police were being flown to the area with rescue dogs and heavy machinery.

The landslide in Oaxaca follows weeks of heavy rains that have caused havoc in southern Mexico and Central America.

Huge swaths of riverside communities in southern Mexico were still under water Tuesday — flooding exacerbated by the passage of Hurricane Karl and Tropical Storm Matthew. At least 15 deaths in Mexico were blamed on the hurricane.

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Answer to yesterday's puzzle:

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Level: Beginner

Dear Abby...
 By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: In response to "Resentful in Michigan" (Aug. 2), I think you missed the mark. Etiquette and social mores may dictate that it's acceptable for a man to give his future daughter-in-law away, but "Resentful" was speaking from a place of pain that is valid.

Her father didn't walk her down the aisle because her mother's job was more important to them, which made her feel she was second to the job in her parents' hearts. Now her emotions are telling her that her brother's fiancée is more important as well.

If she doesn't speak her mind, her resentment could be redirected to her brother and his new family and cause irreparable damage. She should address this with her brother to help them understand that sitting and watching her dad walk another woman down the aisle under these circumstances would be devastating. The brother's fiancée could ask another relative to escort her -- or walk down alone since this is her third trip to the altar.

At least the father, while not understanding "Resentful's" pain, is taking her feelings into consideration. Now, if her brother and his fiancée will try to understand her feelings, they'll be validated and an amicable solution can be found. — HEATHER IN RICHARDSON, TEXAS

DEAR HEATHER: You are not the only reader who disagreed with my response to that letter. I reasoned that the writer did not have the right to decide what role her father would or would not play in her brother's wedding. I also suspected that the reason her parents did not attend her wedding — much less participate — may have been they did not approve of the groom or the circumstances under which she was being married.

However, because many people felt my answer was insensitive to the writer's feelings, I'll share some reactions

from readers:

DEAR ABBY: The father was "too busy" to walk her down the aisle but now he'd do it for his son's future wife? Her father didn't even offer an apology or try to understand. He said only that he wouldn't walk his son's fiancée down the aisle if "Resentful" was hurt by it. If he had apologized and admitted he was wrong not to have done it for his daughter, she could have forgiven him. I don't blame her for being resentful! — ALONDRA IN LONDON, ONTARIO

DEAR ABBY: Speaking from personal experience, there are few things worse than being rejected by your parents. You should have rebuked them in the strongest possible way. To deny their daughter on her most important day, then grant the same privilege to an outsider (on her third wedding, no less) is the height of insensitivity. Her parents are horrible. Her feelings are normal, natural, justified and deserved validation. Shame on you for siding with the parents! — PATRICK IN MESQUITE, NEV.

DEAR ABBY: That woman has every right to feel as she does. Her brother was selfish for not considering his sister's deep disappointment on the biggest day of her life. As a minister, I encourage family members to work through their hurts with each other. But forcing someone to pretend all is well when it isn't doesn't help the healing process. It could drive the family even further apart. — PAUL T. IN NEW YORK

DEAR ABBY: I have a suggestion. Since the brother's fiancée is on her third marriage, why not ask one of her ex-husbands to give her away. I'm sure he'd be happy to. — JOANNE IN WATERTOWN, WIS.

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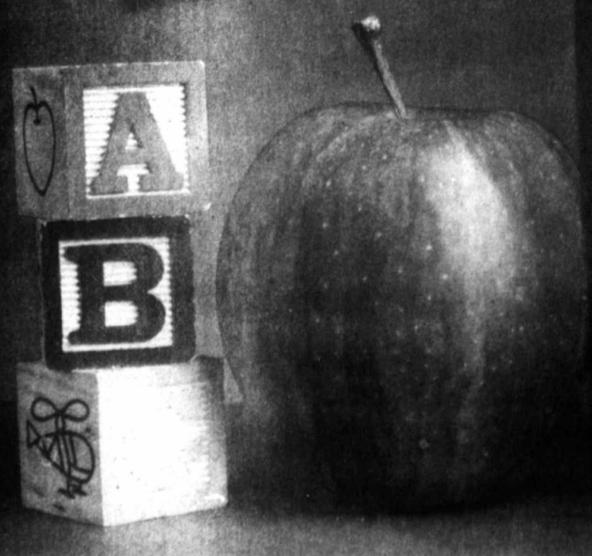
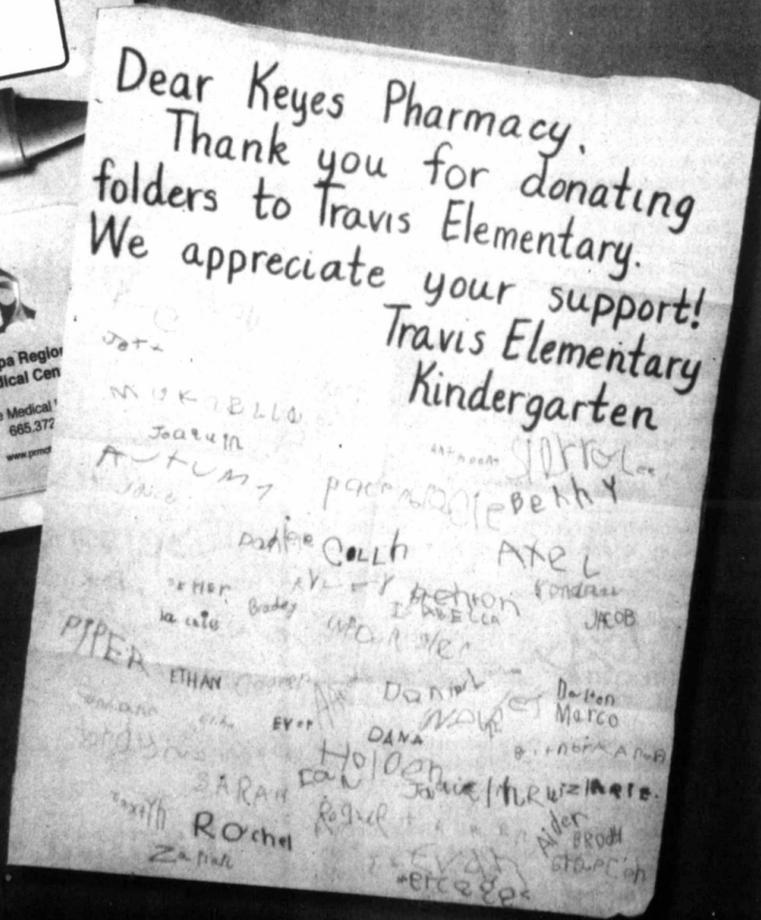
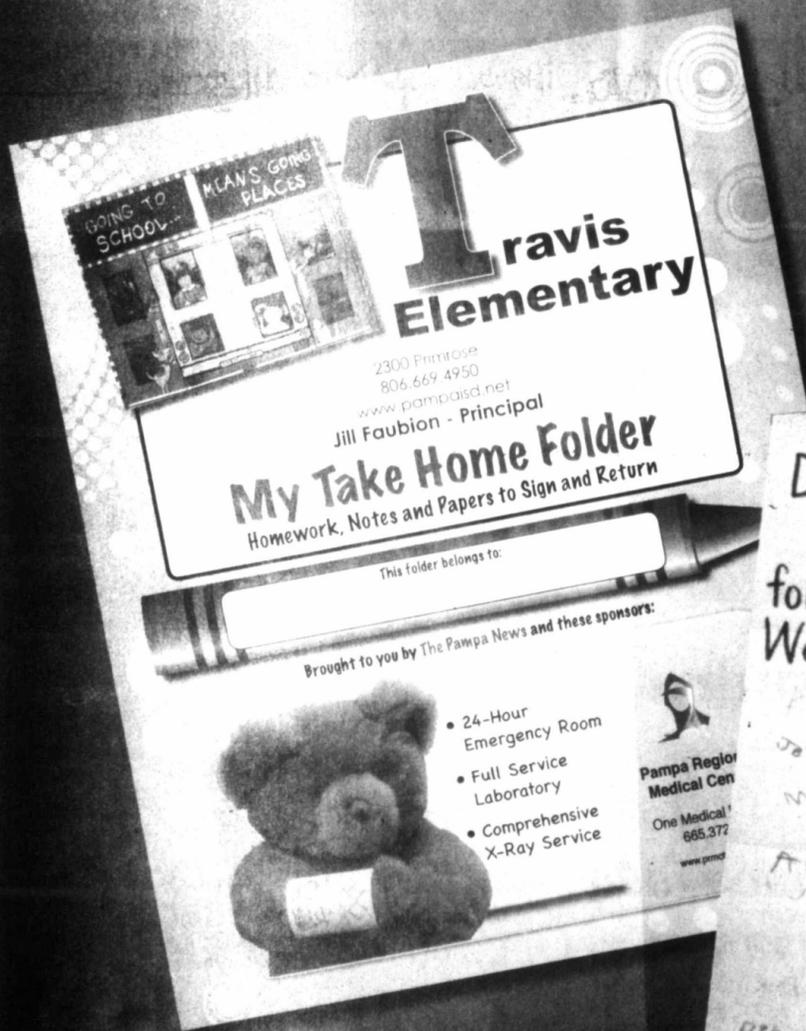
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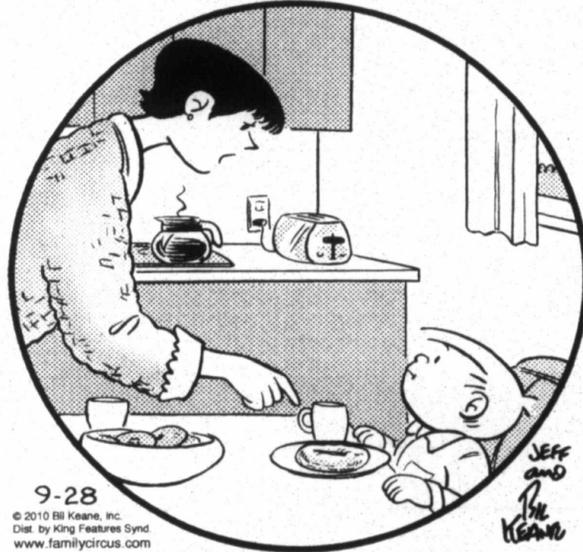
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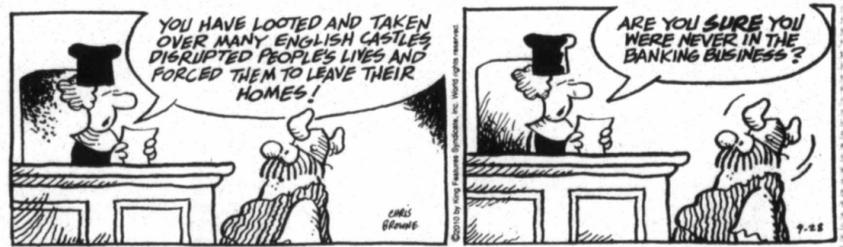
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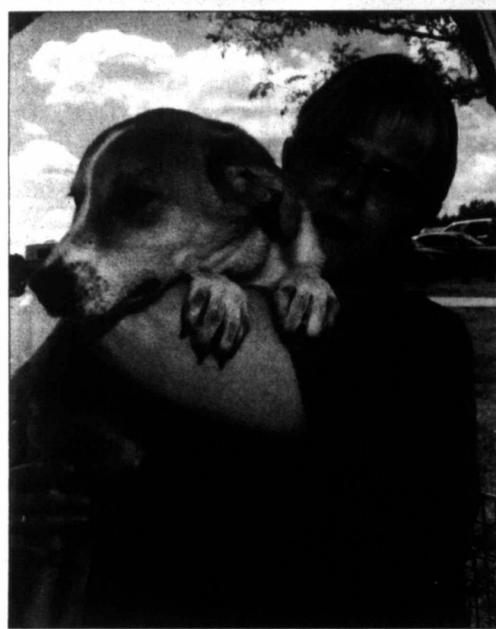


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community day

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CLOCKWISE FROM TOP: Charla Shultz (left) and Jeff Mayfield warm up the grill for some fajitas; **Seven-year-old** Kylie Tuttle tastes some bread at the Calvary Church booth; **Kresha McAdoo** holds Millie, a dog up for adoption, at the PAWS tent.

harvest festival

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TOP: Gracie Smith, the daughter of Miami's Autumn and J.C. Smith, gets ready to take a spin on the bouncy obstacle course. **BOTTOM:** Dave Greminger (from left) and Mike Kirkpatrick introduce Miss Minnie the miniature horse to Hannah Chilton and Jacie Adcock.



NOTE: Due to technical difficulty, the Fenton Fall Classic Car Show results were unavailable as of press time. *The Pampa News* apologizes for the delay; full results will run in tomorrow's edition.



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NOTICE OF SHERIFF SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF GRAY
By virtue of Orders of Sale issued out of the Honorable 223RD DISTRICT COURT of GRAY County in the following cases on the 2nd and 8th days of September, 2010, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell at 10:00 am on the 5th day of October, 2010, which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the Official door of the Courthouse of said GRAY County, in the City of PAMPA, Texas, the following described property, to wit:
Cause No: TAX-2419 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. BYBEE, RONNIE M
Tract 1: Lot Five (5), in Block Four (4), North Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-2532 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. GODWIN, DENNIS ET AL
TR 1 Lot Fourteen (14), in Block Four (4), Prairie Village, an Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
TR 2 Lot Four (4), in Block One (1), Prairie Village, an Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
TR 3 Lot Seven (7), in Block One (1), Prairie Village, an Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
TR 4 Lot Ten (10), in Block One (1), Prairie Village, an Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
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TR 6 Lot Eleven (11), in Block Four (4), Prairie Village, an Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-2798 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. PULLIAM, ZELA C. ESTATE
Lot Two (2), in Block Eighteen (18), Prairie Village, an Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.

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Cause No: TAX-2848 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. BOLIN, JOHN THOMAS
Lot One (1), in Block Six (6), West End, an Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-2899 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. CABRALES LORENZA
The South fifty-six feet (S 56') of Lot Fourteen (14), in Block Four (4), Wood Subdivision to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-2948 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. BRUNSON, FUVIE ESTATE
Lot Ten (10), in Block Twenty-two (22), Talley Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-2965 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. EDIE, ROBERT & RHONDA
Lot Eight (8), in Block One (1), Vandale Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-2997 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. STUBBE, JESSIE PERMELIA & WARD A MITCHELL
The South twenty-five feet (S 25') of Lot Eight (8), all of Lot Nine (9), and the North five feet (N 5') of Lot Ten (10), in Block Forty-eight (48), Fraser Annex, an Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3013 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. KENNETH PAUL
Lot Fifteen (15), in Block Two (2), Priest Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3074 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. MOOSE PERRY A
Lot Ten (10), in Block Three (3), Channing Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3269 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. MEARS, NANCY
Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3), Four (4), Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7), Eight (8), Nine (9), Ten (10), Eleven (11),

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Pampa, Gray County, Texas
Cause No: TAX-3101 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. YOUNG, DORIS & EUGENE
Tract 1: Lot Twenty (20), in Block Eight (8), Prairie Village, an Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3129 GRAY COUNTY vs. UPTON, DOTTIE C ESTATE
Tract 1: Lots Twenty-eight (28), Twenty-nine (29), Thirty (30), and Thirty-one (31), in Block Sixteen (16), Wilcox Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3196 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. PFANNENSTIEL, VALORIE L
Tract 1: Lots Fifteen (15) and Sixteen (16), in Block Thirty-three (33), Talley, an Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3277 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. AYERS, JIM
The West 38.37 feet of Lots Eleven (11), Twelve (12), and Thirteen (13), all in Block One Hundred nineteen (119), Original Town of McLean, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3278 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. THOMPSON, HOWARD T. ESTATE
The South twenty-five feet (S 25') of Lot Fourteen (14), and all of Lot Fifteen (15), in Block Thirty-eight (38), Talley Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3291 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. STEELE, BILLIE JO
TR 1 Lot Four (4), in Block Twenty-two (22), Talley Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
TR 2 All of Lot Five (5), and the South ten feet (S 10') of Lot Six (6), in Block Twenty-two (22), Talley Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3318 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. BLAIR, ELSIE ESTATE

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Twelve (12), Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14), Fifteen (15), Sixteen (16), Seventeen (17), Eighteen (18), Nineteen (19), Twenty (20), Twenty-one (21), and Twenty-two (22), all in Block Fifteen (15), Talley Subdivision, an Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3323 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. BROWNLOW, RONNY
The East Sixty feet (E 60') of Lot Seven (7), in Block Twenty-six (26), Original Town of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3274 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. MC FALL, CHERYL A
Lot Eighteen (18), in Block Twelve (12), Jarvis Sone, an Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
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Cause No: TAX-3318 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. BLAIR, ELSIE ESTATE

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The East One hundred ten feet (E 110') of Lot One (1), and all of Lot Two (2), and the South fourteen feet of Lot Three (3), all in Block Four (4), Cuyler Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3337 GRAY COUNTY vs. STANLEY, JERRY
Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3), Four (4), and Five (5), in Block Five (5), Talley Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas, including the 1982 Metamora mobile home, Label Numbers TEX0192817 and TEX0192816, Serial Numbers 4320124638B and 4320124638A, measuring 24' x 56'.
Cause No: TAX-3339 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. ROGERS, NATHAN
Lot Six (6), in Block Two (2), Hindman Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3340 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. ANGUIANO, JUAN JR
Lot Fifteen (15), in Block Two (2), Parkhill addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3341 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. HOLMES, GEORGE ROY
0173610 Royalty Interest in the Harris, Lease No. 119950 00, RRC No. 5651, located in Block 3, Section 179, I&GN Survey, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3346 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. PIERCE, JANE
Lot Seven (7), in Block Thirty-seven (37), Original Town of McLean, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3351 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. SMILES, SCOTT
Lots Twenty-four (24) and Twenty-five (25), in Block A, Talley Reserve, an Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3354 GRAY COUNTY, ET

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AL vs. WELLS, OLA MAE ROSE ESTATE
Lot Eighteen (18), in Block Thirty (30), Wilcox Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3359 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. PRIDE OF PAMPA MASONIC LODGE #250
Lots Three (3) and Four (4), in Block One (1), Cohen Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3361 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. CARRILLO, GUSTAVO
TR 1 Lot Thirteen (13), in Block Seven (7), Finley Banks Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
TR 2 Lot Fourteen (14), in Block Seven (7), Finley Banks Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3364 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. DAVIS, LEO
Lots Twenty-nine (29), Thirty (30), and Thirty-one (31), all in Block Twenty (20), Wilcox Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3368 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. DONNELL, WILLIE ESTATE & ROBERT
TR 1 Lots Twenty-nine (29), Thirty (30), and Thirty-one (31), in Block Twenty-five (25), Wilcox Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3371 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. MARTINEZ, MARY
TR 1 Lots Six (6) and Seven (7), in Block Thirty-six (36), Wilcox Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
TR 2 Lot Eight (8), in Block Thirty-six (36), Wilcox Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
TR 3 1965 Atwood mobile home, Label Number DLS0076832, Serial

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Number RD65T2PFK, measuring 12' x 60'; and a 1972 Schult Mobile home, Serial No. S2823931, located at 812 Brunow, Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3375 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. FATHEREE, JAMES W
TR 1 0076570 Royalty Interest in the Spearman 23 #6, Lease No. 204492 00, RRC No. 197528, located in Section 23, Block 3, I&GN Survey, Gray County, Texas.
TR 2 0076570 Royalty Interest in the Spearman 23 #8, Lease No. 205245 00, RRC No. 200002, located in Section 23, Block 3, I&GN Survey, Gray County, Texas.
TR 3 0191410 Royalty Interest in the Spearman 23 #6, Lease No. 204492 00, RRC No. 197528, located in Section 23, Block 3, I&GN Survey, Gray County, Texas.
TR 4 0191420 Royalty Interest in the Spearman 23 #8, Lease No. 205245 00, RRC No. 200002, located in Section 23, Block 3, I&GN Survey, Gray County, Texas.
TR 5 0190860 Royalty Interest in the Spearman 23 #1, Lease No. 082730 00, RRC No. 150068, located in Section 23, Block 3, I&GN Survey, Gray County, Texas.
TR 6 0076340 Royalty Interest in the Spearman 23 #1, Lease No. 082730 00, RRC No. 150068, located in Section 23, Block 3, I&GN Survey, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3382 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. HALL, STEVEN G
TR 1 Lot Eight (8), in Block One (1), Bethume Heights, an Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
TR 2 Lot Eleven (11), in Block One (1), Caldwell Subdivision to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
TR 3 Lot Four (4), in Block Three (3), Haggard Addition to the

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City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas
TR 4 Lot Forty-seven (47), in Block Two (2), Moreland Subdivision to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
TR 5 Lot Six (6), in Block Twenty-eight (28), Wilcox Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.
Cause No: TAX-3383 GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. CATOR, JOHN ESTATE
The West forty-four feet (W 44') of Lots One (1) and Two (2), in Block Two (2), Crawford Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.

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Cause No: TAX-3396
GRAY COUNTY, ET AL vs. MALONE, HATTIE

JR 1 Lots Six (6) and Seven (7), in Block One (1), Hunter Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas
 TR 2 Lot Eight (8), in Block One (1), Hunter Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas

ALL BIDDERS MUST COMPLY WITH SECTION 34.015 OF THE TEXAS PROPERTY TAX CODE.

Levied on the 7th and 8th days of September, 2010 as the property of said Defendants to satisfy the judgments rendered in the above styled and numbered causes, plus all taxes, penalties, interest, and attorney fees accrued to the date of sale and all costs recoverable by law in favor of each jurisdiction.
 GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 8th day of September, 2010.
DON COPELAND SHERIFF, GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS
 By **JOE B. HOARD**

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Gray County Sheriff Notice of Sale
 The State of Texas, County of Gray
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY VIRTUE OF A certain Writ of Execution
 Issued out of the Honorable 223rd District Court Gray County, on the 27th day of July, 2010 by Clerk of said Court for the sum of 3643.59 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment in favor of

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CRL Pump & Supply INC., a Texas Corporation in a certain cause in said Court, No. 36,002 and styled **CRL Pump & Supply INC. a Texas Corporation VS. Bell-Dray Oil & Gas, INC a Texas Corporation**
 Placed in my hands for service, I, Don Copeland as Sheriff of Gray County, Texas, Did on the 7th day of September, 2010, levy on certain Real Estate situated in Gray County, Described as follows to wit: 100% mineral leasehold interest in the land described as follows: **HARRAH LEASE:** The southwest Quarter (SW/4) of Section One Hundred Fifty (150), in Block Three (3), IG&N Survey, Gray County Survey, Gray County AND LEVIED ON AS THE PROPERTY OF Bell-Dray Oil & Gas, INC., a Texas Corporation
 And that on the first Tuesday on October, 2010, the same being the 5th day of said month at the Courthouse Door of Gray County in the city of Pampa, Texas between the hours of 10:00 A.M.

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and 4:00 P.M. This sale will be held at 2:00 P.M., by virtue of said levy and said Writ of Execution, I will offer for sale and sell at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the said property. And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the **Pampa News**, a newspaper published in Gray County. Witness my hand, this 7th day of September 2010
Sheriff Don Copeland Gray County, Texas
 By **Joe B. Hoard, Deputy**
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Sports

Lady Harvesters prepare for Borger's hostile crowd

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Junior Delaney Clendening was about to serve when her varsity teammates and the junior varsity were yelling at her to imitate the Borger crowd. The exercise was called pressure serving and this was one of the things they used to help prepare them for their game tonight in Borger.

In the pressure serving drill, the players had to hit the ball on certain spots on the court while they were being yelled at. Junior Kailyn Troxell said it was good exercise to help them block out the crowd.

"We just have to block out the crowd," Troxell said. "It's going to be loud, it's Borger but we got to keep playing together."

Head coach Libby Garza said the exercise was to help them focus on the court.

"That's going to be a huge thing for us," Garza said. "Zoning in on the six that are on the court, the bench and the other side. We are going to have to do a lot of talking and be a good team tomorrow."

The team also worked on staying composed when things aren't called their way. Senior Taryn Eubank said the referees will be good but the line judges might make unfavorable calls.

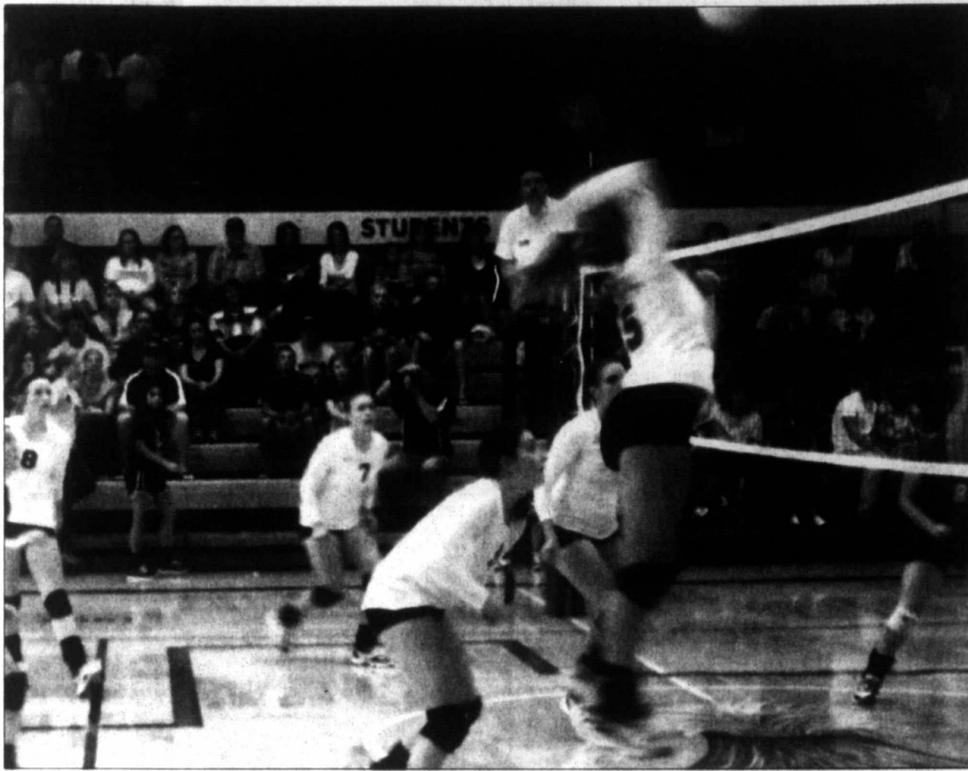
"They could call something in that was out or vice versa," Eubank said. "She's just getting us used to shaking that off and playing our game."

Garza said she wants the girls to work on staying composed.

"The girls just need to learn how to play in a hostile environment," Garza said. "We are going to get it four times this year, twice at Borger and twice at Dalhart so the girls just need to be ready."

Garza said the practice could have gone better, but she is not worried about her team.

"I think that the girls are hungry for this game and they are ready to show up tonight."



Ramie Hutto attacks a ball Saturday in Pampa's three-game victory over Dalhart. The Lady Harvesters play at Borger 6 p.m. tonight and will get their first taste of a hostile crowd.

staff photo by Andrew Glover

PJH White teams sweep; Green and Gold teams split

CLINT ALLEN
Special to The Pampa News

The Pampa 7th and 8th grade White teams squared off with Borger Monday at Harvester Field.

In the early game, Pampa won 36-0. The Reapers took an early lead on some long touchdown runs. Christian Gutierrez scored on a 75-yard run. Later, Trevor Turner would score on an 80-yard quarterback keeper around the end. Aaron Arreola would get in the scoring action with a 70-yard run right up the gut. Turner also added a couple of two-point conversions. Turner would have another long 77-yard run down to the three-yard line. Segar Jones would punch it in for another Pampa score. Gutierrez would cap off the Reapers scoring with a long 79-yard run. Jones added the two-point conversion. Layne Stevens did a good job at center with some key blocking up the middle along with Alex Lopez. Coming up big for the defense was Jones, Jesus Holguin, Brandon Solis and Thomas Keith.

In Game Two, the Reapers won 22-0. Pampa looked for another victory. Eduardo Pepi started things off

right with scores from 30 yards and 15 yards. Quarterback Jacob Nelson hit Reid Malone with a pass and Malone willed himself into the end zone with Borger trying to pull him down. Two-point conversions were added by Kyler Kitchen and Pepi. Alex Salazar also had a nifty 35-yard run to keep a drive alive. Nelson had a good night at quarterback. Defensive standouts were Kitchen, Anthony Basden, Terry Botello, Junior Rios and Jeremiah Hawn.

The 7th and 8th green and gold football teams were in action against the Perryton Rangers Sep. 21. The 8th graders hosted the Rangers while the 7th graders traveled to the land of the Rangers. At the eighth grade, the PJHS cheerleaders were leading the home crowd in some cheers of encouragement for the Reapers.

In the early game, the Reapers won 18-0. The defense scored twice early to give the Reapers a 12-0 lead. The defensive charge was led by Paden Watson who was all over the field. Hunter Hall, Jace Jenkins, Diego Montelongo and Anthony Paz all had great defensive efforts. Tyler Hooper had another good game at quarterback for the gold team. Other offensive standouts were Chris

Perez, Josh Miner and Tyler Curfman.

In Game Two, Pampa fell to the Rangers 30-8. After a very tight game the first half, the score got a little lopsided in the second. Pampa and Perryton were locked in an 8-8 tie with just seconds left in the first half when Perryton broke a long run to take the lead. Pampa would never recover. Kristian Vizcaino had another good game for Pampa. Omar Tovar, Kolton Dyson, Jonathan Doyle, Aaron Allen and Alec Hendricks all had positive contributions as well.

In Perryton, Pampa gold team won the first game 28-6. The 7th grade gold team started the first quarter with good runs from Rhett Harden and Matt Lewis. Joseph Radke also had a big run. Losoya added a five-yard catch. Harden scored on a five-yard run and Radke added the two-point conversion. Calderon and Gordon both had good defensive plays for the Reapers. Radke would score again with great perimeter blocking from Harden, Ferguson and Calderon. Austin Hendricks and Harden made a great play to stop a reverse. Losoya added another fantastic catch and Ferguson, Lewis, and Gordon made plays in the Ranger backfield. Ferguson squirted in and out of

blockers to score another touchdown for the Reapers. Gutierrez made a great play on stingers. Harden sealed the game with a 41-yard touchdown run.

In the late game, the 7th grade green team lost 32-28. Vizcaino and Roberts made some big tackles. Johnson had a strong 15-yard run and Hair scored on a 40-yard reverse to close the gap to 12-6. Huge stops led by Perry and Roberts got Pampa the ball back. A fake reverse to Hair and a keep by Engle scored a 50-yard touchdown for the Reapers. A Vizcaino interception returned for a touchdown was called back to end the first half. To start the second half Johnson broke four tackles and ran to score a 79-yard touchdown. He also converted the two-point conversion. Johnson wasn't done for the night and scored again on a 60-yard run where he broke two more tackles. Great blocking from Salazar, Roberts and Perry paved the way. Pampa led 28-18. Roberts had a fumble recovery on the Perryton 45 for as well as Lee and Salazar. Perryton would score two unanswered touchdowns in the 4th quarter and walked away with the 32-28 victory.

Gray County 4-H shooters earn NRA shooting awards

JEFF BOYD
Special to The Pampa News



Pictured (L-R) Olin Boyd, Susie Joiner, Holland Poole, and Walker Kennedy hold their NRA awards.

photo courtesy of Jeff Boyd

Gray County 4-H Team Eagle shooters were recently presented with National Rifle Association qualification awards earned during the past year. All qualifications were under the auspices of the American Rifleman Air Rifle, 10 meter, 3-position course of fire. The American Rifleman qualification program is a progressive course of fire requiring shooters to meet nationally defined scoring criteria in each of the prone, kneeling, and standing positions.

- Olin Boyd earned Expert Qualification.
- Susie Joiner earned the Pro-Marksman Qualification.
- Holland Poole earned Marksman, Marksman 1st Class, and Sharpshooter Qualifications.
- Walker Kennedy earned Sharpshooter Bar 1 and Sharpshooter Bar 2 Qualifications.
- Michael Parnell earned the Marksman Qualification

Find out in tomorrow's sports section if the Lady Harvesters moved to 2-0 in district play.

CORRECTION

It was reported in yesterday's recap of the volleyball game against Dalhart that Kailyn Troxell got the final kill to clinch the match. It was actually Alanna Stephens. *The Pampa News* apologizes for the error.