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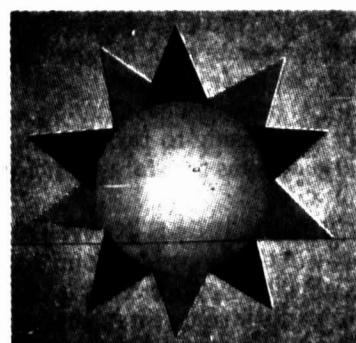
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One winner in Lotto drawing

One ticket correctly
matched all six numbers
drawn Wednesday night for
the twice-weekly Lotto Texas
game, state lottery officials
said.

The ticket was worth an
estimated \$4 million.

The numbers drawn
Wednesday night from a field
of 54 were: 2-3-27-34-48-50

Saturday night's drawing
will be worth an estimated \$4
million.

- T. Guy Clement, 84, former
sales manager for Culberson-
Stowers.
- Ina Horst, 82, homemaker.
- Barry Mitchell, 47, member
of Boilermakers Union Local
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- Jackie A. Poole, 84, retired
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- Juanita Tinsley, 80, home-
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City street repair plan in works

By KATE B. DICKSON
Associate Publisher

Heavy street damage caused by winter
storms and the lack of a street sealing
project last year have made it necessary
for the city to take special action before
some streets are damaged beyond repair.

No seal coating was done last year
because there was no money for it, City
Manager Bob Eskridge said previously.

The Pampa City Commission unani-
mously approved a resolution Tuesday
which will allow for work to start and be
paid for from the current budget. Those
funds will be repaid when the amount is
added to a water bond issue for an
improved water treatment process.

Those improvements have been mand-
ated by the state.

Because the city's overall debt load
will drop next year, Eskridge said there
is "wiggle room" which will allow for
street repairs. No specific amount was
set but \$400,000 in repairs was dis-
cussed.

Public Works Director Richard Morris
told the Commission he and Public
Service Superintendent Kimberly
Lincycomb have looked at the damage
to major and secondary arteries.

While surveying streets, Morris said
they looked at traffic use, streets that
will be lost if repairs aren't made and
maintenance done so far this winter and
spring.

"Pampa has about 130 miles of paved
streets and that's a lot to take care of,"
Morris said.

Under consideration is about 10-to-12
miles of seal coating with minor to major
repairs, another 15-to-20 miles where
there would be spot sealing and patch-
ing with hot mix, and partial rebuilding
of some portions where streets have
"totally failed," Morris said. There are
also some intersections that need to be
"reworked."

Morris and Lincycomb will bring a
complete list back to the Commission for
review before work is done but he did
mention some specifics.

The intersections of Harvester and
Hamilton and Kentucky and Banks were

among places that are in particularly
bad shape. The 100 and 200 blocks of
North Sumner "are gone," Morris said.
While those blocks of North Sumner are
in a residential
area, he said they carry quite a bit of
traffic.

Also mentioned as problem spots were
portions of 23rd Street, 25th Street and
Gwendolyn.

He said some streets in the south por-
tion of town "need full seal coats and
extremely major patching" before their
conditions worsen.

"We looked at some additional streets
that before we get around to them they
are going to be as bad as the others,"
Morris said.

Animal Control needs to find man who left sick dog

By NANCY YOUNG
Managing Editor

Pampa authorities are seeking the identity a man who
dropped off a sick dog at the local Animal Control Center in
Hobart Street Park around 9-9:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Animal Control Director Sandy Burns said a Pampa Police
Department policeman saw the man drop the dog in the night
drop box at the shelter. She said the policeman visited briefly
with the man who said he found the sick dog on the side of the
road.

Burns and Dr. Jim Alexander, zoonosis specialist with the
Texas Department of Health in Canyon, said it is very impor-
tant the man come forward as it is a health concern.

The man who dropped the animal off is requested to notify
Burns at the animal control shelter immediately.

Three cases of rabies in skunks have been confirmed in Gray
County during the past month.

(See ANIMAL, Page 3)



(Pampa News photo by Nancy Young)
Cam Moore, KVII-TV weatherman explained to students at St. Matthew's Day School
recently about the upcoming storm season and meteorology. Aaron Sackett, Bailey
Wichert and Kelly Silva learn from weather maps Moore distributed.

Police say stabbing may be 'gang related'

Police today say they're continuing to look into the circumstances
surrounding the knifing of a Pampa man at a Houston Street resi-
dence early Wednesday morning.

Officers were called to the Pampa Regional Medical Center emer-
gency room shortly after 1 a.m. Wednesday to investigate a reported
assault.

When they arrived, officers found hospital workers treating
Sebastian Martin Macias, 18, 509 N. Christy, for a laceration on his
upper right arm. According to police reports, the wound was five
inches long and about a half-inch deep which required staples to
close.

Investigation showed Macias had been cut, possibly by a box
knife, during a reported fight at 216 N. Houston. According to the

(See STABBING, Page 3)

Cable TV rates going up

Cable television viewers in Pampa will have a
rate increase in June for standard cable service
when the cost rises \$2.20 per month from \$33.30
to \$35.50.

Pampa City Commissioners were notified of
the Cable One increase Tuesday when they
received copies of a letter sent to City Manager
Bob Eskridge from Terry Harris, Cable One gen-
eral manager.

Three new channels are being added to stan-

dard cable service, Harris wrote. They are VH-1,
Fox World Espanol and Fox News.

The rate hike, Harris wrote, is because the cost
of doing business continues to increase with pro-
gramming charges having the largest impact.

Customers will get notices of the increase and
channel lineup additions in the May bill.

Cable One is in the process of rolling out its
new digital service and has plans to launch a
cable modem service, Harris wrote.



(Pampa News photo by Nancy Young)
Pampa Middle School students Grant Stucki, Trevor Day, Cameron Seger, and Q.B. Cobb
study one of the art works completed by Seger during the PMS art classes. Several of
the students' award winning work is featured at the Amarillo Museum of Art on Amarillo
College Campus.

PMS art pupils get high marks

By NANCY YOUNG
Managing Editor

Pampa Middle School has sev-
eral students who are excep-
tionally talented in art, and their tal-
ent is being recognized at the
Amarillo Museum of Art on the
Amarillo College campus.

The talent of the young Pampa
artists was acclaimed by the
judges. PMS Art instructor Don
Ledesma submitted 35 pieces of
his students' work to the com-
petition, and 22 received first
place awards.

Pampa students received sec-
ond overall in the judging. Six
awards in Best of Category went
to PMS students, and two Best of
Show awards were earned by
Ledesma's students.

These budding artists will be
honored during an awards cere-
mony and reception Friday
evening on the AC Campus. The
students' art work may be

viewed from 6-6:30 p.m., and the
award presentation will begin at
6:30 p.m.

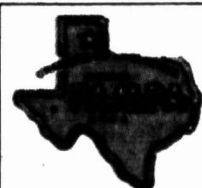
Cameron Seger, a PMS eighth
grader, took Best of the Show
honors. He also was awarded
Best of Category in two separate
categories. Another eighth grad-
er, Christine Bowman, also
earned a Best of Category.

Other eighth graders who
have art works in the show are
Q.B. Cobb, Tasha Martinez and
Alma Guiterrez.

Seventh graders Sara Hoke
had two art works accepted in
the show. Grant Stucki, Mariza
Scott and Trevor Day also have
works featured.

Seger and Hoke were the only
art students from throughout the
Panhandle who had more than
one art work accepted as an
entry.

PMS sixth grader Ismael
Lopez was recognized for a best
(See ART, Page 3)



May 12 - "Pampa Pampers Mom" Mother's Day Promotion. Tell us in 300 words or less what makes your Mom so special and
why she should be selected to receive our Mother's Day Package. Entries should be returned by 4/28/01 to any participating
Retail Merchant or to the Chamber of Commerce office. Call 669-3241 for more information.

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Daily Record

Services tomorrow

ANDERSON, Dove Arlene — Graveside services, 11 a.m., Memory Gardens Cemetery, Pampa.

HORST, Ina — 4 p.m., Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors Colonial Chapel, Pampa.

POOLE, Jackie A. — 2 p.m., Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors Colonial Chapel, Pampa.

TINSLEY, Juanita M. Phy — Graveside services, 2 p.m., Memory Gardens Cemetery, Pampa.

Obituaries

T. GUY CLEMENT

T. Guy Clement, 84, of Pampa, died Wednesday, April 25, 2001, at Pampa. Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday in Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors Colonial Chapel with Dr. Randy White, pastor of First Baptist Church, and the Rev. John Glover, associate pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Clement was born Jan. 3, 1917, in Collingsworth County, Texas. He had been a resident of Pampa since 1948. He married Gwyn Nell Sparlin on June 12, 1948, in Pampa. He was a sales manager for Culberson-Stowers Chevrolet for 28 1/2 years. He was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force, serving during World War II.

He was a member of First Baptist Church and the Everyman's Sunday School Class. In his later years, he enjoyed restoring antiques.



Survivors include his wife, Gwyn, of the home; a son and daughter-in-law, Todd and Sandra Clement of Plano; a sister, Pearl Harwell of Wellington; two brothers, Earl Clement of Weatherford and E.W. "Dub" Clement of Mangum, Okla.; a granddaughter, Katie Clement of Plano; and a grandson, Cole Clement of Plano.

The family requests memorials be to First Baptist Church, 203 N. West, Pampa, TX 79065; or to a favorite charity.

JOEL THOMAS CROWE

ELK CITY, Okla. — Joel Thomas "J.T." Crowe, 28, died Monday, April 23, 2001, at University Hospital in Oklahoma City. Services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday in Whinery-Savage Funeral Service Chapel with David Woodard officiating. Burial will be in Carter Cemetery under the direction of Whinery-Savage Funeral Service of Elk City.

Mr. Crowe was born Dec. 19, 1972, at Elk City, to Lucinda Kay and Rodney Edward Crowe. He grew up and attended school at Elk City. He graduated from Elk City High School in 1991. He enjoyed drawing and putting together model cars.

He was preceded in death by his father, his paternal grandparents; and a nephew, Jacob Avery.

Survivors include his wife, Vickie, of the home; his mother and stepfather, Lucinda Ross and Jimmy Lucas of Pampa; four stepchildren, April, Michael, Steven and Daniel; two sisters, Misty Crowe of Borger and Erica Valdez of Elk City; a brother, Lucas Wells of Elk City; and his maternal grandmother, Mary Dye of Elk City.

Visitation will be from 9 a.m.-9 p.m. today and Friday at the funeral home.

INA HORST

SKELLYTOWN — Ina Horst, 82, died Wednesday, April 25, 2001, at Amarillo. Services will be at 4 p.m. Friday in Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors Colonial Chapel with Kenneth Burkett, minister of Skellytown Church of Christ, officiating. Burial will be in Highland Park Cemetery in Borger with Dale Meadows, Church of Christ minister associated with Skellytown Church of Christ, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mrs. Horst was born Aug. 4, 1918, at Olpe, Kan. She married William E. "Bill" Horst on July 20, 1940, at Madison, Kan. She had been a Skellytown resident since 1959, moving from Lamont, Kan. She was a member of Order of the Eastern Star in Skellytown and a lifetime member of Order of the Eastern Star in Madison. She was a member of Skellytown Church of Christ, and she was a homemaker.

She was preceded in death by five brothers and two sisters.

Survivors include her husband William "Bill" Horst, of the home; a son and daughter-in-law, John and Terrie Horst of Pampa; a daughter and son-in-law, Jeraldine and Melvin G. Grant of Amarillo; five grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

BARRY MITCHELL

AMARILLO — Barry Mitchell, 47, of Jericho, formerly of Amarillo, died Monday, April 23, 2001. Services were to be at 2 p.m. today in N.S. Griggs and Sons Funeral Directors Pioneer Chapel with the Rev. Billy Jones officiating. Burial will be in Jericho Cemetery at Jericho under the direction of N.S. Griggs and Sons Funeral Directors of Amarillo.

Born and raised in Amarillo, Mr. Mitchell graduated from Amarillo High School in 1972.

He was a hunting and fishing guide in Eagle Nest, N.M., for several years prior to returning to Amarillo. He joined the Boilermakers Union Local #531. He had been a Jericho resident since 1998.

Survivors include his mother, Lee Ann Mitchell of Amarillo; his father, Joe Mitchell of Amarillo; and a brother, Danny Mitchell of Fritch.

The family requests memorials be to Crown of Texas Hospice.

JACKIE A. POOLE

Jackie A. Poole, 84, of Pampa, died Wednesday, April 25, 2001. Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday in Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Richard Bartel, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, and the Rev. John Denton of Borger officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery

Obituaries cont.

under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mrs. Poole was born April 5, 1917, in Hutchinson County, Texas, and moved from Hutchinson County to Pampa in 1927. She graduated from Pampa High School in 1935 and held a bachelor of arts degree from West Texas State Teachers College. She taught school in Miami for many years.

She was a member of Calvary Baptist Church and volunteered with Pampa Shrine Club for approximately 35 years.

She was preceded in death by a twin sister, Jodie Poole, in 1990.

Survivors include a sister, Garnet Poole of Pampa; two nieces; two great-nieces; and a great-nephew.

The family requests memorials be to Pampa Shrine Club, P.O. Box 1205, Pampa, TX 79066-1205.

JUANITA TINSLEY

Juanita M. Phy Tinsley, 80, longtime Pampa resident, died Tuesday, April 24, 2001, at Houma, La. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Friday in Memory Gardens Cemetery with the Rev. Fred H. Tinsley, Jr., her son, officiating. Burial will be under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mrs. Tinsley was born July 26, 1920, at Hobart, Okla., to Harvey and Hester Phy. She married Fred Tinsley in 1937, and the couple enjoyed 61 years together. She resided in Pampa from 1939 until moving to Jefferson, Texas, in 2000.

She was a member of First Christian Church of Pampa since 1940 and was an active member of Top O' Texas WBCCI, travel-traveling to numerous destinations.

She was also a member of ACBL and obtained the organization's highest rank of Life Master.

Survivors include a son, the Rev. Fred H. Tinsley, Jr., of Houma; a daughter, Becky Lynn Tinsley Dossett of San Benito; a sister, Bertha Mae Mason of Jefferson; a brother, Bob Gene Killion of Grand Prairie; and six grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to First Christian Church, 1633 N. Nelson, Pampa, TX 79065; or to St. Matthew's Episcopal Church of Houma.



Police report

Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents and arrests during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Wednesday, April 25

A domestic assault with minor injury was reported in the 2200 block of Hamilton.

A representative of B&B Pharmacy, 300 N. Ballard, reported criminal mischief. A back window of a Jeep Wrangler was broken out. No damage amount was listed on the report.

Police received information concerning credit card fraud in the 1600 block of Christine.

Harassing phone calls were reported in the 1100 block of South Wilcox.

An aggravated assault was reported in the 200 block of North Houston. (See related story.)

Burglary of a motor vehicle was reported in the 1900 block of Dogwood. A CD case and two CDs, total value of \$320, were stolen.

Thursday, April 26

Burglary of a residence was reported in the 100 block of North Faulkner. A dresser valued at \$1,000 and mattress valued at \$200 was taken sometime between 5:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m., April 23.

Sandra Kay Bowen, 35, 2713 Rosewood, was arrested in the 700 block of Frost for driving while intoxicated - third offense, driving with license suspended, no proof of financial responsibility and unsecured child.

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Fires

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

Wednesday, April 25

9:20 a.m. - One unit and two personnel responded to a smoke scare in the 2200 block of Mary Ellen caused by an apparent short in a microwave oven. Firefighters disconnected the appliance to remove the hazard.

5:51 p.m. - Four units and nine personnel responded to a mattress fire in a vacant house in the 600 block of North Gray. The cause was attributed to juveniles smoking.

Sheriff's Office

Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following arrests during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Wednesday, April 25

Kyle David Krafack, 31, Oklahoma Dept. of Corrections, was arrested on a bench warrant for possession of a controlled substance.

Robert Hampton, 32, 1600 Somerville #706, was arrested for issuing bad checks.

Stocks

Today's stock report was not available from the source due to computer problems.

Texas round up

Lawmaker seeks answers in hanging death of black man

DALLAS (AP) — A Houston lawmaker wants a state and federal investigation into the death of a black man whose body was found hanging from a tree in a wooded area of East Texas earlier this month.

Rep. Ron Wilson said he plans to ask the U.S. Justice Department and the Texas Department of Public Safety to investigate the death of 42-year-old Clarence Otis Cole of Linden.

"I understand the family has had difficulty getting any information from the sheriff's office about its investigation," Wilson told The Associated Press Wednesday night in a telephone interview from Austin.

Cole had been missing for several days when his body was discovered hanging from a large pine tree by an electrical cord on April 2 in a rural area of Cass County. A suicide note was also found.

But Wilson said the family believes Cole's death may have been racially motivated because he was dating a white woman.

Cass County Justice of the Peace Barbara McMillon said authorities haven't received results from an autopsy and a handwriting analysis.

Convicted killer of Tarrant County drug rehab counselor put to death

HUNTSVILLE, Texas (AP) — With a prayer, then a grimace and a gasp, condemned killer David Lee Goff went to his death for an abduction and fatal shooting committed in Fort Worth 11 years ago while he was on parole for robbing and trying to kill two other people.

"The slate is wiped clean, all marks erased other than that there is no justice," Goff, 32, said Wednesday evening while strapped to the Texas death chamber gurney, needles in each arm. "That's not justice."

"Praise the Lord. Glory to Jesus Christ. Praise the Lord God."

Just before the lethal drugs were administered, he asked Jim Brazzil, the prison chaplain, to close his eyes if they remained open.

He grimaced, uttered a slight groan and a long gasp and slipped into unconsciousness. Seven minutes later, at 6:20 p.m., he was pronounced dead.

His eyes had closed. His mouth remained open. Brazzil covered him with a sheet.

Goff had insisted he was innocent of the death of Michael McGuire, 34, a counselor from a drug and alcohol abuse rehabilitation center.

Goff's mother and five friends watched the inmate die. No one from McGuire's family was present for the execution, the seventh this year in Texas.

President to help celebrate dream of late lieutenant governor

AUSTIN (AP) — President Bush returns to Austin on Friday to highlight two things that blossomed while he was governor — a state history museum and his friendship with the late Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock.

Bush will speak at the dedication of the Bob Bullock Texas State History Museum, an \$80 million project that tells the diverse story of the state's past.

Located near the Texas Capitol, the museum opened to the public last weekend. Its dedication is Friday, when the museum will be closed to the public. Grand opening festivities are Saturday.

Accidents

Pampa Police Department reported the following accidents during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Monday, April 23

5 p.m. — A 1995 Pontiac Bonneville driven by Emily Jean Trennepohl, 20, 1141 Seneca, collided with a tree owned by Jerry Wilson, 1701 Russell. Trennepohl reported possible injury at the scene. She was cited for unsafe passing.

Tuesday, April 24

4:15 p.m. — A 1995 Chevrolet Lumina driven by Christopher James Kane, 16, 321 Rider, and a 1998 Honda Acura driven by Stephen Luke Waggoner, 57, Hays, Kan., collided in the 300 block of N. Hobart. Kane was cited for failure to yield right of way. No injuries were reported at the scene.

Asst. DA charged

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Police have arrested a Tarrant County assistant district attorney on drug charges after he allegedly agreed to meet an informant to buy prescription drugs Vicadin and Valium.

Stuart Oliphant, 41, was arrested Tuesday just around the corner from the juvenile court, where he prosecuted young people for similar crimes.

Oliphant had been with the district attorney's office for six years. District Attorney Tim Curry fired Oliphant after his arrest.

Police said they found a small amount of cocaine on Oliphant when they pulled him over and that he tried to hide some drugs in the back of a police car.

Weather focus

PAMPA — Today, Mostly sunny with highs in the upper 80s. Southwest to south winds 15 to 20 mph with higher gusts. Tonight, partly cloudy with lows in the middle 50s. South winds 10 to 20 mph. Friday, partly sunny with highs 85 to 90. South winds 15 to 20 mph with higher gusts.

STATEWIDE — A high-pressure ridge Thursday kept skies mostly clear across northern and eastern parts of Texas, with overnight lows on the crisp side.

Early-morning temperatures ranged from the 40s to 60s. Readings included 44 degrees at Junction and 64 degrees at Corpus Christi's Naval Air Station.

Also, it was 46 degrees on the Marfa Plateau and 59 degrees at Borger in the Panhandle.

Southerly winds at 5 to 15 mph across the state, except for southwesterly conditions at 10 to 20 mph in the Panhandle.

The National Weather Service said continued influence of the high-pressure system should provide sunny days and clear

Having Bush at the museum's dedication will bring mixed emotions, said Jan Bullock, Bob Bullock's widow.

Bullock's 40-plus years in public service is the stuff of state political legend. He died in 1999 after retiring from elected office.

A man who loved history, Bullock began discussing the idea for a state history museum in 1996 when he was recuperating from a hunting accident and pneumonia. As lieutenant governor presiding over the state Senate, he saw to it that funding for the museum came through.

Bills could slash prescription costs

AUSTIN (AP) — The ailing state budget could get a healthy boost under a bill making its way through the Texas House.

The measure by Rep. Patricia Gray, D-Galveston, would require state agencies that purchase prescription drugs to pool together and negotiate lower prices.

The bill was scheduled for a vote Thursday. A similar measure passed the Senate on Wednesday.

In Texas, the Department of Health pays for prescription drugs for Medicaid. The Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation and the Department of Criminal Justice purchase prescription drugs for the populations they serve.

Both the Employees Retirement System and the Teacher Retirement System administer prescription drug benefit programs. And many state higher education institutions operate hospitals or clinics that purchase drugs for their patients.

Gray's bill creates the Interagency Council on Pharmaceuticals Bulk Purchasing to provide purchasing procedures and options for state agencies.

Cattle drive monument looks to Waco

WACO, Texas (AP) — A development company is looking for a new Central Texas home for an \$80 million monument to cattle drives after encountering difficulty in rounding up its first prospect.

The Great Texas Trails monument, featuring a 485-foot-long set of horns across the interstate, would also feature a museum, interactive displays and a souvenir shop.

J. Greg Smith, the Nebraska-based developer, is considering Waco, Temple, Georgetown and Round Rock as possible locations after Hillsboro officials voted last week not to proceed with the project.

The project is modeled after a similar museum the company built in Kearny, Neb.

Ambulance

Rural/Metro made the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Wednesday, April 25

10:44 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 2200 block of North Christine and transported one to PRMC.

12:19 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 800 block of Denver and transported one to PRMC.

1:29 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to PRMC and transported one to Northwest Texas Hospital.

4:55 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to Baptist St. Anthony West and transported one to PRMC.

5:50 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the intersection of Gray and Texas on a fire standby.

Thursday, April 26

12:48 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 300 block of Hobart and transported one to PRMC.

City Briefs

The Pampa News is not responsible for the content of paid advertisement

ESTATE SALE: Friday, 8-2 p.m. 1907 Christine.

POND FISH have arrived including Long Fin Koi & Fan Tail Gold Fish!! 115 N. West.

DANCE TO the Renegades, Sat. Apr. 28th, 9-1 a.m. WOTM, Moose Lodge.

DUNLAPS FIRST Sidewalk Sale Of The Season!! Don't Miss It Saturday!!!

GARAGE SALE, Sat. 28th, 8-12 noon, 1719 Grape. Lots of baby stuff.

CHANEY'S CAFE, 716 W. Foster, Thurs. 5-8p.m., pork chops, liver & onions, Mexican casserole, ch. fr. steak.

SAME GREAT Food! New Summer Hours at the Coney, Tue-Fri. 11-5 p.m., Sat. 11-4 p.m., starting Wed., Apr. 25th.

nights, except for a few clouds over deep South Texas.

A few isolated showers were possible over the deep south through Friday morning.

Also, a chance of mainly late-afternoon and evening showers or thunderstorms was forecast over the northwest Panhandle, far west and the southwest mountains.

Daytime highs should be in the 70s and low 80s with light winds.

Lows overnight were expected to range from the 50s in the north to the upper 60s in the south.

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ANIMAL

The dog was euthanized due to the illness, Burns said this morning. The animal's head was sent to the TDH laboratory in Austin this morning. Dr. Alexander has contacted the Austin lab requesting a "rush diagnosis" on the animal.

Expressing concern about the man who took the animal to the animal shelter drop box, Burns said the cause of the animal's illness is "suspicious."

"We don't want to create a panic," said Burns. "But we need to find out the identity of the man who brought the dog in as soon as possible."

Burns and Alexander, along with numerous area veterinarians, are urging all animal owners to get their pets vaccinated against the rabies disease.

A skunk found March 20 on Price Road was rabid. On Friday, April 24, another skunk which was retrieved from the 900 block of Reid was determined to be rabid. A skunk found in McLean was confirmed to have rabies on April 14 after testing at the Austin laboratory.

Horse owners along with 4-Hers and Future Farmers of America who have livestock projects have been urged to get their animals vaccinated against the deadly rabies.

Rabies vaccination drives are being planned throughout the Panhandle area to have animals vaccinated. Pampa's veterinarians are holding their drive May 4, 5 and 7.

Anyone who has questions about rabies may contact Burns or her staff at the Pampa Animal Control, 669-5775.

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STABBING

police report, Macias and his cousin, Arthur Ambriz Villarreal, 18, also of 509 N. Christy, were attending a party at the residence when the altercation began.

"There are indications that it could be gang-related," said Col. Terry Young. "In the report, it says (Macias) apparently made the wrong comment

about a gang and that's when three guys jumped on him."

Villarreal received minor injuries to his face in the fight, police records show.

After the initial investigation, the case has been referred to the Criminal Investigation Division for follow-up.

No arrests had been made in connection with the incident by press time today.

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ART

of category and Best of Show. Steven McCarley and John Ulloa both received best of categories.

Other sixth graders who have works featured are Consuela Perez, Whitney Morris, Meagan Patterson, Donna Solis, Natalie Knowles, Alex Long and Tamara Trevanhan.

The Pampa students took top honors in the show in which middle school art students in the Texas Panhandle were eligible to participate. The art show competition encompasses an area from Booker in the top northern edge of the Texas Panhandle to south of Lubbock. Schools from Clayton, N.M., in the west ranging to Shamrock in the eastern Panhandle are eligible to compete in the

art show.

The Texas Panhandle invitational Student Art Show is an opportunity for art students in the Texas Panhandle who are invited to compete in the art show and exhibit their talent.

Sponsoring the Texas Invitational Student Art Show were Amarillo Independent School District, Texas Panhandle Art Education Association, Amarillo College, West Texas A&M University and Amarillo Museum of Art.

The art works were recently featured in an art show at Westgate Mall. Categories include colored pencils, pastels, oil and chalk, paintings, collages, print making, and charcoal drawings.

Selecting the winning art works were professors from Amarillo College and West Texas A&M.

Couples flock to altar to beat deadline to legalize stay in U.S.

HOUSTON (AP) — Undocumented couples are flocking to the Harris County Clerk's Office for marriage licenses this week in hope of completing their nuptials before a Monday deadline to legalize their U.S. stay if they can show they have work or family ties here.

More than 600,000 mostly illegal immigrants nationwide are expected to apply for the exemption before the Monday deadline. That's keeping offices of Immigration and Naturalization Service and county clerks bogged down.

"We've been busy from the moment we open to the moment we close the door," Yolanda Contreras with the clerk's office told the Houston Chronicle in Thursday's editions. "We've had people from Russia and Mexico and all over."

Even an ice cream man who peddles to the long lines waiting outside the INS office says he has been unusually busy.

"It's just crazy!" exclaims Magali S. Candler, an immigration attorney who estimated that the three attorneys processing the forms in her office have done

more than 100 applications.

Other attorneys say they have begun turning people away, which means some who potentially qualify won't meet the window of opportunity created by Congress. The immigrants could fill out the forms themselves, but the rules are confusing, and anyone in this country illegally might do something that could get them deported.

Thousands of undocumented immigrants are trying to beat the deadline to apply for legal status under a provision of an immigration law that Congress passed late last year.

Mob indictments

NEW YORK (AP) — Federal agents arrested 33 alleged members of the Genovese crime family and 12 others on charges ranging from stock fraud to murder, threatening the stronghold of New York's most powerful organized crime family.

Arrests in New York, Florida and Nevada followed a three-year undercover investigation of the Genovese, the largest of the city's five major crime families.

Among the 33 alleged Genovese members and associates charged in a racketeering indictment were the family's former acting boss Frank "Farby" Serpico; two captains, Alan "Baldie" Longo and Rosario Gangi; and two acting captains, Salvatore "Sammy Meatballs" Aparo and Peter "Pety Red" DiChiara.

Other defendants include two retired police officers, an account

ant and alleged members of the Gambino, Luchese, Bonanno and Colombo families, authorities said.

All were awaiting arraignment in federal court in Brooklyn. Calls to defense attorneys were not returned.

Prosecutors say the defendants committed a string of crimes dating to the early 1990s. The indictment unsealed Wednesday detailed evidence of loan-sharking, gambling, extortion, drug dealing, bank robberies and bribery.

Court papers said one defendant was recorded saying: "Hurting people: that's what this is about. If you're not capable of doing that, you might as well stay at home." Another explained: "No matter who you're killing, it's from the boss. The orders come from him."

Spokesman: Actor Downey likely to go to treatment facility, not jail

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Robert Downey Jr. could spend six months in a drug treatment center following his latest run-in with the law, but he is unlikely to go to prison, a state corrections spokesman said.

The actor's parole agent has six days to file a recommendation with his supervisor on whether Downey should return to prison as a parole violator.

That was "unlikely," Russ Heimerich, a spokesman for the California Department of Corrections in Sacramento, said Wednesday.

Downey's arrest about midnight Tuesday abruptly ended his Golden Globe-winning role on the Fox show "Ally McBeal" but Heimerich said his celebrity status would not affect the case.

"He's not being treated more harshly nor is he being treated more leniently," he said.

"Just because somebody has violated their parole doesn't mean they go back to prison," he said, adding that drug-addicted parolees often suffer relapses and the goal is to "get them off the stuff."

Other options include increased drug testing and visits to his parole officer.

Downey, 36, of Malibu, was arrested in suburban Culver City for investigation of being under a controlled substance.

He was released to his parole agent and given a May 15 court date pending analysis of a urine sample, Culver City police Lt. Dave Tankenson said.

Investigators will receive a preliminary analysis seven to 10 days after the arrest and will take the results to prosecutors to determine whether Downey will be charged. A final report identifying specific substances takes four to six weeks, Tankenson said.

Downey could face prosecution for a misdemeanor, punishable by up to a year in jail.

The actor already was scheduled for a court hearing Monday involving his November arrest at a Palm Springs hotel that led to charges of possessing cocaine and Valium and being under the influence of a controlled substance.

His attorney, Robert Waters, said Downey planned to appear at the hearing.

Downey's arrest came with production under way on final episodes of "Ally McBeal," in which his portrayal of the love interest of star Calista Flockhart earned him a Golden Globe this year for best supporting actor. The show's producers said he won't return to complete the season.

"Every effort" will be made to incorporate scenes already shot with Downey for the final two episodes, said 20th Century Fox Television spokesman Chris Alexander.

"We're going to have to rewrite fairly drastically to account for his absence in scenes shot" from now on, Alexander said.

Despite reports, a marriage proposal from Downey's character to Ally McBeal never was planned, he said.

The actor's legal troubles began in 1996 when he was stopped for speeding and authorities found cocaine, heroin and a pistol in his vehicle.

A month later he was found passed out in a neighbor's home and was hospitalized at a substance-abuse treatment center. Three days later, he was arrested for leaving the center.

In August 1999, Downey was sentenced to three years in prison for violating his probation by missing scheduled drug tests. He was released a year later on \$5,000 bail.

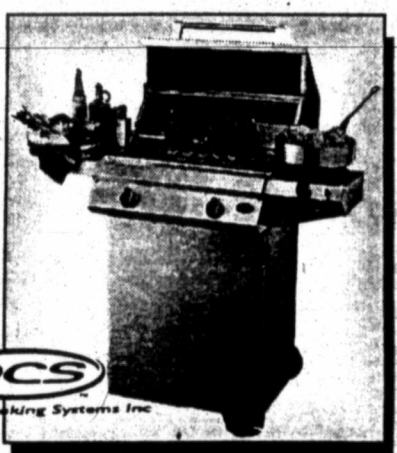
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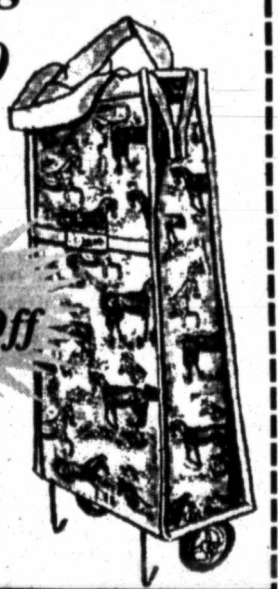
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It is time once again for the Annual Stockholder's Meeting of the Panhandle - Plains Federal Land Bank Association, FLCA. Our special entertainment this year is the group Blue Prairie. Their West Texas music and humor is sure to be enjoyed by all!

In addition to the musical entertainment, there will be cash door prizes for some lucky stockholders. We will all enjoy the Ambassador's fabulous prime rib with all the extras and good company throughout the evening.

Registration begins at 5:15 p.m. and dinner is served at 6:00 p.m. The business meeting will consist of a director election, president's report, and chairman's report.

We hope to see you this year at the Ambassador Hotel, 3100 I-40 West in Amarillo on April 28, 2001

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Inside the Beltway

with

Sen. Hutchison



Texans speak out on tax issues

The best part of this job is hearing what Texans from all over the state have to say. I want to thank the thousands of readers who took the time to clip out our annual surveys, filled them in and mailed their responses to my office. Your answers to my questions showed once again that Texans have excellent insights to offer regarding our country's most pressing issues.

Here are your responses to the first part of this year's three-part questionnaire.

The first question I asked was this: "Last year, Congress passed an ambitious tax relief bill that President Clinton vetoed. The legislation did away with the marriage tax penalty, repealed the death tax and cut rates across the board. It would have made it easier for working families to save all they need for their retirement years. What are your tax-cut priorities?"

I was not surprised that 42 percent of you said eliminating the marriage tax penalty was your highest tax-reform priority, followed by 35 percent of you whose first priority is an across-the-board tax cut, and 23 percent of you who want to see the death tax eliminated before other tax reform is undertaken.

The second question dealt with energy issues: "President-elect Bush has suggested that we allow offshore drilling and open up federal land in Alaska and the Rocky Mountains to new oil and gas production. This has the potential to greatly increase our domestically produced energy. Would you support this expanded production, with appropriate environmental controls, in order to reduce our dependence on imported energy sources? What are your energy priorities?"

Texans know a lot about the realities of the energy industry, with 44 percent of you voting in support of more off-shore drilling, 38 percent of you being in favor of opening up federal land in Alaska for drilling, and 16 percent of you favoring tax provisions that would encourage small producers to increase output from marginal wells; the remaining 12 percent did not indicate a preference.

The third question I asked you was this: "If our economy continues on its current track, the federal government will enjoy a budget surplus again this year. How would you use that surplus? Would you cut taxes, reduce the national debt, increase government spending, or a combination thereof?"

You answered this question with 37 percent of you favoring tax cuts as the first way to deal with a government surplus, followed by 27 percent of you favoring reducing the national debt more quickly, 22 percent voting to increase defense spending and 14 percent indicating they would use part of the surplus for Social Security reform.

The final question I asked in this first questionnaire was a fill-in-the-blanks query: "Congress has produced a balanced budget and cut federal spending sharply in many areas. But much work remains to be done. In what areas do you believe federal spending could be cut even more?"

Here is what some of you wrote in answer to that question: From Helotes: "Privatize wherever feasible, decrease mail delivery to twice weekly, most of it is junk mail, anyway, and eliminate door-to-door service."

Bowie: "Do away with some of the ridiculous federally funded research on things like the mating habits of flies."

San Marcos: "Stop bailing out every industry that is going under. Let the shareholders do it."

Cedar Park: "Don't pay Congress when it's in recess."

Del Rio: "Special-interest groups that get federal funding shouldn't be allowed to use that money to lobby the government for even more money. This is not right. Let people who believe in such groups support them."

Winnboro: "We should end welfare to other countries, no more foreign aid, and spend more money on American highways. They're way behind on maintenance and expansion."

Tulia: "Stopping Medicare fraud would save \$2 million to \$3 million a day. Stop minting 1-cent and 5-cent coins, and round off all purchases to 10 cents. That would save the Treasury some money."

Austin: "Thank you. You are saving money by not sending out an expensive mailing."

Borger: "Cut out all the arts funding except for the projects that educate kids."

Graham: "We could save money if we increased the home-health care programs. And no, I'm not in the business!"

Houston: "Please, don't cut spending on environmental and wildlife programs."

Beaumont: "Look for ways to combine government programs so we aren't paying for all those different administrative costs and government salaries."

Leakey: "Put a two-year time limit on all social programs. Help people, but not forever."

Monahans: "The federal government keeps getting more involved in education, and pouring money into it, and the schools keep getting worse. Federal spending could be cut in this area."

San Antonio: "Congress still needs to take a closer look at military spending, and justify every dollar. We need a strong military, and our boys should have the best equipment, but I think there is still a lot of waste, and companies take advantage of Uncle Sam."

We can learn from our children

A few days ago a friend of mine in Dallas e-mailed the following story to me that I found quite interesting. I decided to share it with you as I think many of you will enjoy it.

Howard County Sheriff Jerry Marr got a disturbing call one Saturday afternoon a few months ago. His 6-year-old grandson Mikey had been hit by a car while fishing in Greentown with his dad.

The father and son were near a bridge by the Kokoma Reservoir when a woman lost control of her car, slid off the bridge and hit Mikey at a rate of about 50 mph.

Sheriff had seen the results of accidents like this and feared the worst. When he got to Saint Joseph Hospital, he rushed through the emergency room to find Mikey conscious and in fairly good spirits.

"Mikey, what happened?" Sheriff Marr asked.

Mikey replied, "Well, Papaw, I was fishin' with Dad, and some lady runned me over. I flew into a mud puddle, and broke my fishin' pole and didn't get to catch no fish!"



Nancy Young

Managing editor

As it turned out, the impact propelled Mikey about 500 feet over a few trees and an embankment, and in the middle of a mud puddle. His only injuries were to his right femur bone which had broken in two places.

Mikey had surgery to place pins in his leg. Otherwise, the boy is fine.

Since all the boy could talk about was that his fishing pole was broken, the Sheriff went out to Wal-Mart and bought him a new one while the boy was in surgery, so he could have it when he came out.

The next day the Sheriff sat with Mikey to keep him company in the hospital. Mikey

was enjoying his new fishing pole, and talked about when he could go fishing again as he cast into the trash can.

When they were alone, Mikey, just matter-of-factly, said, "Papaw, did you know Jesus is real?"

"Well, the Sheriff replied, a little startled, 'yes, Jesus is real to all who believe in him and love him in their hearts.'"

"No," said Mikey. "I mean Jesus is REAL-ly real."

"What do you mean?" asked the Sheriff.

"I know he's real 'cause I saw him," said Mikey, still casting into the trash can.

"You did?" said the Sheriff.

"Yep," said Mikey. "When that lady runned me over and broke my fishing pole, Jesus caught me in his arms and laid me down in the mud puddle."

Mikey related a very powerful story to his experienced grandfather in only the way an innocent six-year-old can do so. We can learn a lot from the six-year-olds of the world.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Thursday, April 26, the 116th day of 2001. There are 249 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On April 26, 1986, the world's worst nuclear accident occurred at the Chernobyl plant in the Soviet Union. An explosion and fire killed at least 31 people and sent radioactive into the atmosphere.

On this date:

In 1607, an expedition of English colonists, including Capt. John Smith, went ashore at Cape Henry, Va., to establish the first permanent English settlement in the Western Hemisphere.

In 1865, John Wilkes Booth, the

assassin of President Lincoln, was surrounded by federal troops near Bowling Green, Va., and killed.

In 1937, planes from Nazi Germany raided the Basque town of Guernica during the Spanish Civil War.

In 1945, Marshal Henri Philippe Petain, the head of France's Vichy government during World War II, was arrested.

In 1961, Roger Maris of the New York Yankees hit the first of a record 61 home runs in a single season.

In 1964, the African nations of Tanganyika and Zanzibar merged to form Tanzania.

In 1968, the United States exploded beneath the Nevada desert a one-

megaton nuclear device called "Boxcar."

In 1970, the Broadway musical "Company" opened at the Alvin Theatre in New York.

In 1980, following an unsuccessful attempt by the United States to rescue the U.S. Embassy hostages in Iran, the Tehran government announced the captives were being scattered to thwart any future rescue effort.

In 1989, actress-comedian Lucille Ball died at Cedars-Sinai Medical Center in Los Angeles at age 77.

Ten years ago: Twenty-three people were killed as four dozen tornadoes raked Kansas and Oklahoma. The government reported the nation

had sunk deeper into recession in the first quarter of 1991 as the gross national product shrank at an annual rate of 2.8 percent.

Five years ago: After 16 days of bloodshed, Israel and Hezbollah guerrillas pledged to end the worst fighting in the Mideast in three years, agreeing to a U.S. brokered truce.

One year ago: Vermont Gov. Howard Dean signed the nation's first bill allowing same-sex couples to form civil unions.

Today's Birthdays: Actress-comedian Carol Burnett is 68. Rhythm-and-blues singer Maurice Williams is 63. Songwriter-musician Duane Eddy is 63.

Kyoto Treaty severely one-sided

European politicians, journalists and environmentalists reacted with outrage and venom when President Bush said the United States would have no truck with the Kyoto Treaty.

That's the treaty that would limit the output of carbon dioxide in order (some hope) to influence global climate changes.

There are several things to consider in assessing this outrage. First, who cares? Since when has Europe done the United States any favors?

The fact that virtually all of Europe is socialist tells you that Europeans have little understanding, much less sympathy, for free-market economics.

The second thing to consider is that none of those howling had ratified the treaty.

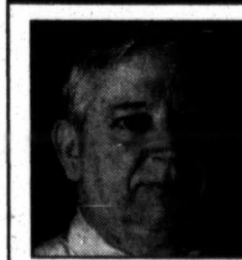
The third thing to consider is that before Bush was elected president, the U.S. Senate had voted nearly unanimously to say it would never ratify the treaty, so don't bother to submit it.

The fourth thing to consider is that all the howling and yowling are based on entirely false premises — e.g., that the Earth is warming, that the warming is caused by man's activities, and that the results of the warming will be catastrophic.

None of those premises is proven, and, in fact, none enjoys unanimous support even by today's politicized scientific community. One should always keep in mind that the Earth has warmed and cooled several times entirely on its own, long before James Watts invented the steam engine.

Global warming has become dogma by a certain crowd of international elitists who, like most fanatics, care a great deal more about their dogma than about people or truth.

Finally, the Kyoto Treaty is terribly flawed. While imposing economy-wrecking limitations on the industrialized countries, it would allow



Charley Reese

Syndicated columnist

so-called developing nations to spew as much stuff into the atmosphere as they wish. You don't have to be a genius to figure out the consequences of that arrangement.

More Americans would be laid off, and more plants would be moved overseas. The standard of living of Americans would decline, which is probably what at least some of the global-warming crowd wants.

No American should take kindly to foreigners bad-mouthing our president, especially when they themselves are far from anything to write home about. I would say that Europe has enough problems to worry about without concerning itself with us.

If I were the president, I would bring home forthwith all of the American soldiers in Bosnia and Kosovo. Obviously, if the Europeans are so much smarter than we are, they can solve the problems in the Balkans all by themselves. After all, the Balkans are part of Europe. Then, at least, our tanks, our helicopters and our personnel carriers and trucks would not be spewing gas into their precious atmosphere.

By the way, simply because the United States doesn't participate doesn't mean that the Europeans can't proceed to ratify and obey the treaty. They like to say we cause 25 percent of the pollution. Well, that leaves 75 percent for

them and the rest of the world to take responsibility for. Let them reduce their 75 percent while we think on this subject a little longer.

No doubt the Europeans, old and crafty folks as they are, figured to get an edge on the United States because they are so heavily into nuclear power. Their industries could perk along on nuclear-generated power while the United States shot itself in both feet by trying to restrict energy production from oil, gas and coal.

So, by all means, the Europeans should proceed at once to ratify the Kyoto Treaty and put their own economies where their mouths are.

As Americans, we can say a brief prayer of thanks that at last we have a sensible, pro-American guy in the White House who is unwilling to sacrifice the economic well-being of the American people to a gaggle of internationalist ideologues.

Global warming, my foot. Tell that to the Marine recruiters in Buffalo, N.Y., and Green Bay, Wis.

If you're interested, there is a sensible and unbiased discussion of the subject in a book called "Hot Talk, Cold Science" by S. Fred Singer, a distinguished scientist. Singer put together the weather satellite program and also predicted the depletion of the ozone in the atmosphere. He is not carrying water for anybody.

In the introduction, Frederick Seitz, past president of the National Academy of Sciences, sums up the situation this way: "We do not at the present have convincing evidence of any significant climate change from other than natural sources."

Seitz, by the way, blistered the report of the U.N. Inter-governmental Panel on Climate Change because it was re-written to favor global warming after the peer-review process.

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Middle school choir



(Special photo)
Pampa Middle School seventh and eighth grade boys choir earned a first division rating in Concert and a second division rating in Sight Reading during UIL Concert and Sight Reading Contest held recently at Austin Middle School in Amarillo. The choir will be performing at the Dumas Musical Festival May 12. Above: (top row) Matt Parks, Chad Malone, Jared Winegeart, Chris Jaramillo, Taylor Fatheree; (third row) Chris Smith, Dustin Elliot, Dusty Joiner, Roger Johnson, Chris Blair, Chris Reames; (second row) Chris Kidd, Logan Brown, Abraham D'Jesus, Junior Navarrate, Chase Guyer, Matt Howard, Josh Davis; (first row) Keenan Davis, Michael Grajeda, Kyle Ward, Braydon Barker, Tyson Hickmon, Weston Teichmann, Shane Goldsmith.

Woodrow Wilson honor roll

Woodrow Wilson Elementary recently announced its honor rolls for the fourth and fifth six-weeks grading period of the 2000-01 school year.

SECOND GRADE

Fourth Six-Weeks. Crystal Garcia, Cody McIntyre, Moses Mireles, Hunter Shay, Cynthia Solia, Kira Soto, Shaylie Thompson, Jessica Vargas, James Young, Zoie Baten, Mary Beth Cox, Brennan Dickinson, Collin Dull, Jason Gallardo, Cody Hudson, Josue Lazano, Ashlee Mixon, Eric Ortiz, Alex Recendiz, Kaci Reyes, Austin Rodgers, Bernardo Tinajero, Mariah Anguiano, Jessica Gutierrez, Karen Jimenez, Ben Hearron, Salvador Lopez, Dakota Turlington.

Fifth Six-Weeks. Ashleigh Christy, Mary Beth Cox, Collin Dull, Josue Lozano, Ashlee Mixon, Eric Ortiz, Alejandro Recendiz, Kaci Reyes, Crystal Garcia, Cody McIntyre, Moses Mireles, Hunter Shay, Cynthia Solia, Kira Soto, Shaylie Thompson, James Young, Mariah Anguiano, Jessica Gutierrez, Karen Jimenez, Ben Hearron, Salvador Lopez.

THIRD GRADE

Fourth Six-Weeks. Justin Carlton, Zachery Cheater, Crystal Collis, Matricia Davis, Leonal Madrid, Aleah Noble, Brittney Poulin, Nathan Smith, Brittney Bennett, Bethney Mosteller, Sam Newman, Amanda Brasier, Ryan Jimenez, Phoenix Keeter, Miranda Waldrop.

Fifth Six-Weeks. Amanda Brasier, Ryan Jimenez, Phoenix Keeter, Lindsey Ma, Kylee Reel, Brittany Bennett, Brian Fuller, Lariat Lowery, Bethany Mosteller, Keziah Nelson, Cristal Silva, Daniel Valenzuela, Justin Carlton, Crystal Collis, Matricia Davis, Angela Galaviz, Leonal Madrid, Aleah Noble, Brittney Poulin, Lauren Roberts, Agapito Salazar, Nathan Smith.

FOURTH GRADE

Fourth Six-Weeks. Chelsy Alexander, Chance Almanza, Ryan Baggerman, Justin Carpenter, Luis Cruz, Senecia Cruz, Amber Ebenkamp, Iran Gaytan, Calee Henley, Randon Parks, Juan Rivera, Norman Rodgers, Belinda Saldierna, Idali Solis, Bernardo Casanova,

Chelsie Douglas, Nathan Estep, Elizabeth Gambill, Cecilia Garcia, Amanda Helfer, Erick Holland, Jennifer Huffhines, Cody Newton, Natalie Santacruz, Joe Solis, Tereza Soto, Keith Stevens, Jered Chamberlin, Teddi Cowan, Haylee Francis, David Gutierrez, Billy Gage, Amanda Harkins, Raeghan Jenkins, Rachel Poplin, Tatiana Soto.

Fifth Six-Weeks. Bernardo Casanova, Chelsie Douglas, Nathan Estep, Joshua Fick, Elizabeth Gambill, Cecilia Garcia, Jennifer Huffhines, Kayla Jeter, Brandie Short, Cody Newton, Natalie Santacruz, Joe E. Solis, Keith Stevens, Stephanie Castellanos, Jered Chamberlin, Teddi Cowan, Michael Davis, Haylee Francis, Billy Gage, David Gutierrez, Amanda Harkins, Raeghan Jenkins, Christopher Portillo, Keah Reel, Tatiana Soto, Chelsy Alexander, Chance Almanza, Martin Avila, Ryan Baggerman, Luis Cruz, Senecia Cruz, Scottie Dabbs, Amber Ebencamp, Iran Gaytan, Calee Henley, Randon Parks, Norman Rodgers, Jacob Rodriguez, Belinda Saldierna, Idali Solis.

FIFTH GRADE

Fourth Six-Weeks. Heather Addington, Brittany Balay, Kris Boyd, Brenden Carpenter, Solomon Cruz, Josh Pryor, Krissa Whittle, Carrie Angel, Trevor Collins, Jacob Davis, Andy Dunn, Anna Hillman, Whitney Jenkins, Randy Peercy, Angelica Pena, Oscar Recendiz, Carla Romero, Lidia Salazar, Mason Stanfield, Crystal Blanco, Erin Holland, Lex LaRue, Chelsea Ma, Brenda Marrufo, Ryan Rivera, Amy Silva, Sam Sutterfield.

Fifth Six-Weeks. Heather Addington, Brittany Balay, Kris Boyd, Brenden Carpenter, Solomon Cruz, Josh Pryor, Carrie Angel, Trevor Collins, Jacob Davis, Andy Dunn, Anna Hillman, Randy Peercy, Angelica Pena, Oscar Resendiz, Lidia Salazar, Mason Stanfield, Crystal Blanco, Erin Holland, Lex LaRue, Chelsea Ma, Brenda Marrufo, Jeremy Martinez, Ryan Rivera, Amy Silva, Sam Sutterfield, Megan Waldrop.

Salvation Army Advisory Board



(Special photo)
Salvation Army Advisory Board Chairman Bob Marx, left, along with Lt. Guy Watts, far right, recently welcomed newly installed board members Brenda Guess and Katy Hupp.

Grandview-Hopkins honor roll

Grandview-Hopkins ISD recently announced its honor roll for the fourth six-weeks grading period of the 2000-01 school year.

SECOND GRADE

A Honor Roll
Amber Harris, Chloe Zedlitz, Hilary Zedlitz, Conor Wilson.
AB Honor Roll
Ashtin Sackett, Marisa Ponce, Lyndi Whitson, Brenna Ellison, Kyle Turner, Reid Bradley.

Special effort
Hilary Zedlitz, social studies, spelling.

THIRD GRADE

AB Honor Roll
Hilary Acker, Robert Ponce, Andi Hutto, Kade Wilson.

Special effort
Jessica Baggerman, reading.

FOURTH GRADE

A Honor Roll
Jessica Baggerman, Hannah Hopkins, Alex Hutto.

AB Honor Roll
Brodie Peters.

FIFTH GRADE

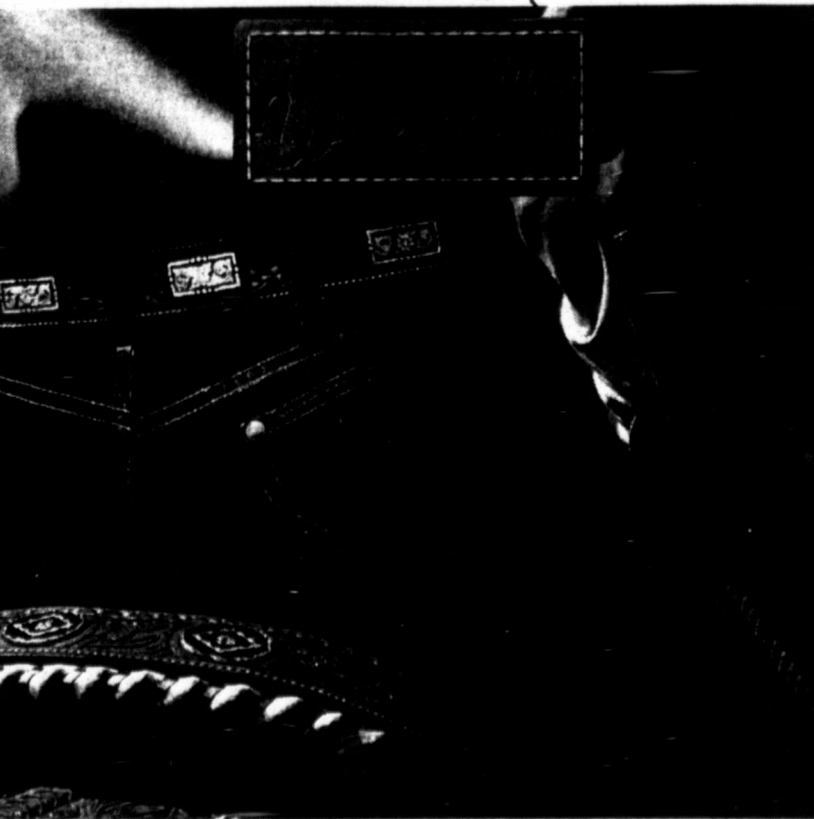
A Honor Roll
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Alert Pharmacists Are Best Defense For Overmedication

DEAR ABBY: This is in response to "Lee in Walnut Creek, Calif.," whose husband was on 11 different medications and experienced either drug interactions and/or dosage problems that led to increasing disability.

My immediate reaction to that letter was, *Where was his pharmacist?* Could it be that the family used several pharmacies and were never asked for a complete medication list? However, someone should have asked. Pharmacists are required by state and federal regulations to counsel patients on all new prescriptions. Being aware that a patient is taking multiple prescriptions should have sent red flags up in the mind of any pharmacist taking care of that man.

I have been a practicing pharmacist for 30 years. Any time a patient takes more than eight different medications a day, I start asking questions. Often I find that some of the medications are being used to treat side effects of other medications! Then the appropriate solution is to find an alternative medication with fewer side effects.

Poly-pharmacy (the use of multiple medications for one patient) can be very dangerous. Unfortunately, many pharmacists may be hard-pressed to find the time to counsel adequately. Also, some doctors view us as police and resent our intrusion into their field of expertise.

I know doctors who listen and doctors who don't. However, those who always listen are the patients or caregivers, because they are the most affected. So I educate the patient and send him or her back to the doctor with alternatives and the tools necessary to adequately com-

Dear Abby

Is written by Pauline Phillips and daughter Jeanne Phillips.

municate their concerns. It's the biggest part of my job, and the one I don't get paid for.

To answer Lee's question about what happens to patients who have no reliable caregiver to look out for them: They enter nursing homes, or—if the statistics can be believed—they die. It is estimated that more than 100,000 persons in the United States die every year because of poly-pharmacy.

How do we protect the people we care about? Ask questions! Ask the doctor, the nurse and the pharmacist. Make a list of all prescribed and over-the-counter medications the patient is taking. Know what each medicine is for and what it will do. When given a new prescription, ask what current medication it replaces.

Abby, health care will not change unless we force it to. As patients we should all expect the best from each member of the team who helps us stay well. I hope your readers will make good use of this information.

MARTHA G. MOSHER, R.P.H., SENECA CASTLE, N.Y.

DEAR MARTHA: You have written an important letter. I hope it will persuade patients and caregivers to discuss their medications—and possible drug interactions—with their physicians and pharmacists. One can never be too careful. If someone is having prescriptions filled at several pharmacies, serious consideration should be given to ending that practice.

Dear Abby is written by Pauline Phillips and daughter Jeanne Phillips.

Good advice for everyone—teens to seniors—is in "The Anger in All of Us and How to Deal With It." To order, send a business-size, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for \$3.95 (\$4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Anger Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, IL 61054-0447. (Postage is included.)

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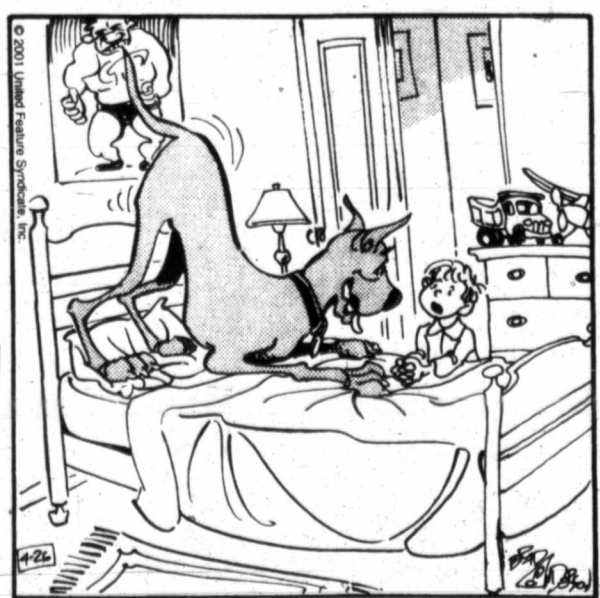
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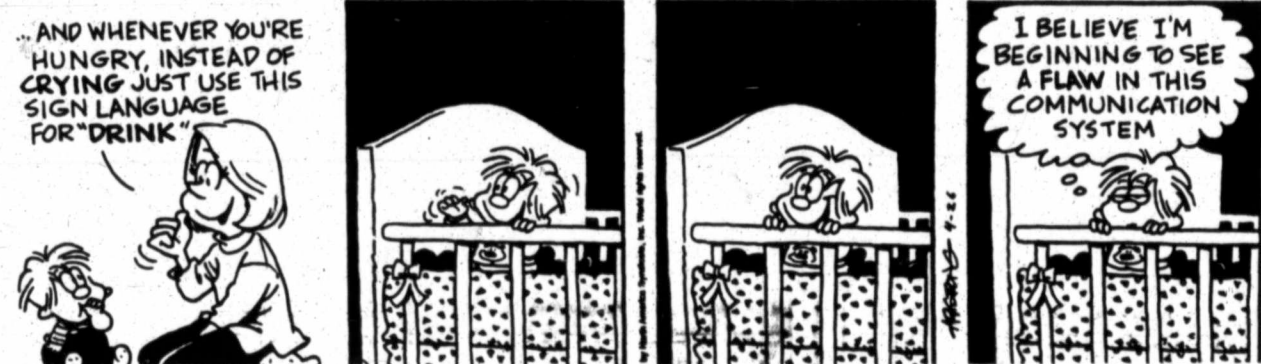
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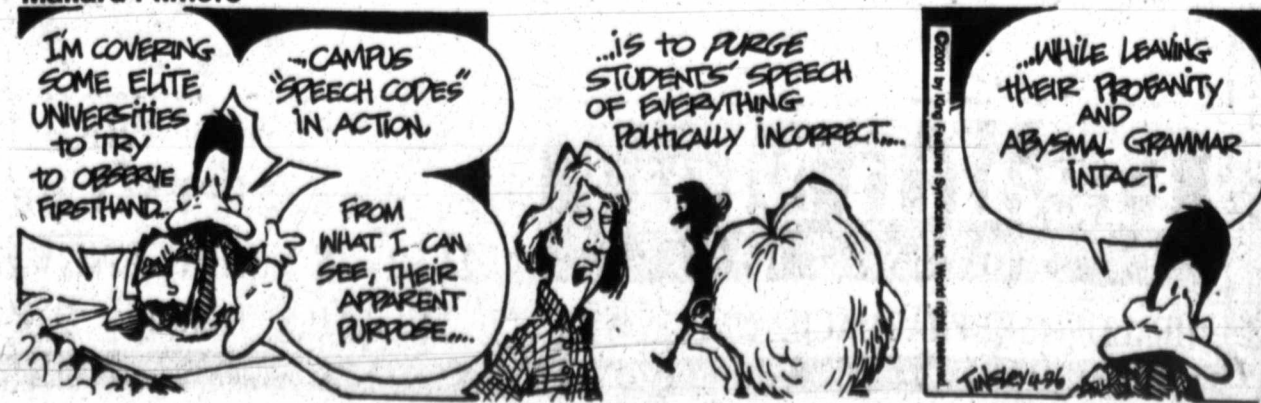
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BASKETBALL

PAMPA — Pampa Academy will sponsor a 3 on 3 Streetball Tournament May 12 at Central Park.

There will be both male and female divisions for the basketball tournament.

Please call 669-7354 or 665-3005 for more information.

HOUSTON (AP) — Hakeem Olajuwon's new agent says there is no doubt Olajuwon's NBA career will continue, perhaps even with Houston Rockets, the team where he has spent his entire pro career.

Olajuwon's \$16.5 million contract with Houston expired at the end of the season, making him a free agent. He had said this would be his last season, but has changed his mind.

"He wants to play another couple of years and if things work out he'll be a Rocket when he retires," agent Dan Fegan told Houston television station KRIV Wednesday.

"I believe there's enough good will on both sides built up over a great career, a great tradition of basketball in Houston that we're going to really have to sit down and listen to what the Rockets have to say before we do anything," Fegan said.

He said he asked five or six different general managers about Olajuwon before he signed on as his agent.

"He's really piqued everyone's interest, especially how he performed in the second half of the season," Fegan said.

BASEBALL

BOSTON (AP) — Torii Hunter hit a three-run double in the 10th-inning as the surprising Minnesota Twins rallied for a 6-4 win over the Boston Red Sox on Wednesday night.

The Twins tied the game in the ninth on back-to-back doubles by Jacques Jones and A.J. Pierzynski against Rod Beck (0-1), then won for the sixth time in seven games.

Bob Wells (2-0) got out of a jam in the ninth with a runner at third. Latroy Hawkins pitched the save.

Matt Lawton started the 10th with a single, took second on Denny Hocking's sacrifice and stayed there on a walk to Corey Koskie. Pete Schourek replaced Beck and got David Ortiz to pop out but walked Doug Mientkiewicz to load the bases.

Rolando Arrojo replaced Schourek and Hunter doubled to clear the bases.

Pedro Martinez struck out 10, allowed two runs, six hits and two walks. For the Twins, Brad Radke struck out two, walked none and gave up three runs and eight hits.

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston Astros knew the Atlanta Braves' hitting slump wouldn't last.

Kevin Millwood got his first victory of the season before leaving the game with a sore left hip, and Chipper Jones hit a three-run homer as the Atlanta Braves beat the Houston Astros 11-3 Wednesday night.

After scoring only 53 runs in their first 19 games, the Braves took the series 2-1 and scored 26 runs in three games.

"It was going to happen," Andruw Jones said. "We have too much talent not to do it. We've been struggling during the losing streak, and those things are going to happen."

"We just need to relax and continue to swing the bats like this in Arizona."

Millwood (1-2), who had not won since Sept. 22, lost his last two decisions last season and his first two decisions this year. He allowed three runs in 6 1-3 innings before leaving the game.

"It bothered me in my last start, but it got better between starts," Millwood said. "I didn't feel it before the game, but after the game started, it started coming back every inning and was getting worse and worse."

Mavs are close to getting swept

DALLAS (AP) — The Dallas Mavericks aren't getting much from their leading scorer, Dirk Nowitzki. Their reserves are giving even less.

No wonder Utah's Bryon Russell is only taking a small suitcase to Dallas. He's expecting the Jazz to win Game 3 on Saturday and complete a first-round sweep.

"I'm packing for one night," Russell said. "I'm going down there to win. I'm not thinking about staying for three days."

If the Mavericks are going to become the sixth team to climb out of a 2-0 hole in a best-of-five series, or at least get their first playoff win in 13 years, they've got to get more out of Nowitzki.

After averaging 21.8 points in the regular season, the third-year forward has been off the mark in the first two games of the post-season.

He's scored just 35 points on 10-of-31 shooting, including 3-of-14 from 3-point range.

The third-year forward admitted to lacking the confidence to take the potential game-winning shot at the end of Game 1, then spent the days between games at the gym trying to regain his touch.

During practice, after practice and in a late-night workout with his longtime coach from

Germany, the Dallas Mavericks' leading scorer appeared to have gotten the kinks out of his jump shot.

Then, in Game 2, Nowitzki came out so timid that he didn't take a shot until midway through the second quarter. His first field goal came with 5:20 left in the third and Dallas down by 13. He fouled out with 15 points, eight on free throws as the Mavericks lost 109-98.

"I don't know why we are missing some of those shots, but you have to give credit to the Jazz," Nowitzki said. "They have good defenders and they make it tough for you."

Nowitzki isn't the only misfiring Mav. The center tandem of Shawn Bradley and Calvin Booth has barely made an impact and Dallas' reserves have nine points in two games.

Utah reserve David Benoit alone had 11 points in Game 2.

"Teams that win championships have great benches," Benoit said. "You've got key guys, and obviously you want them to play well, but you've got to have people come in to support them."

The Jazz have lost some of their depth, with John Starks reportedly undergoing surgery Tuesday to remove a testicle. It was not believed to be cancerous.

Top Of Texas Bassmasters hold year's first tournament

PAMPA — The Top of Texas Bassmasters held their first tournament of the year March 31-April 1 at Baylor-Childress lakes.

Danny and Kenny Hathcoat



Mike Young and Big Bass.

took first with 21.58 pounds. Mike Young and Frankie Sparling were second (8.46 pounds), Floyd Lott and Bill Crook were third (6.9 pounds). Big Bass went to Mike Young with his 8.46-pound catch.

The next tournament will be at Foss Lake April 28-29. The next meeting will be May 1, starting at 7 p.m. at the SPS Building, 101 S. Marie.

For more information, call Maxine Stauffacher at 835-2762 or Bill Crook at 669-2764. Crook can be e-mailed at mary bill @centra media.net.

AMARILLO — The second annual KGNC News Channel 10 Big Bass Bonanza will be held May 5-6 at Lake Meredith.

The entry fee is \$40 per day or \$75 both days, and entry forms can be picked up at The Tackle Box in Amarillo, KGNC, or CJ's Bait Shop at Lake Meredith. After May, there will be a late fee of \$10.

Borger player joins Lemons as NFL free agent signee

LUBBOCK — Devin Lemons and Tim Baker have been both foes and teammates during their football careers. Now, the pair will be going their separate ways in the National Football League.

Lemons of Pampa and Baker of Borger were high school rivals when the Harvesters met the Bulldogs. They became teammates the past four years at Texas Tech University.

Both signed free-agent contracts Monday. Lemons with the Chicago Bears and Baker, the Pittsburgh Steelers.

Lemons was a defensive end for Tech, but is projected to play linebacker and nickel back in the NFL. He had 83 tackles and five sacks last season for Tech.

Lemons saw action in every game since he was a freshman. He became a starter as a junior.

Baker, a wide receiver, led the Red Raiders last year with 69 catches for 765 yards and seven touchdowns.

Ironically, a Borger native was instrumental in signing Lemons with the Bears. Mark Hatley of Borger is a Bears assistant coach.

Devin is the son of Billie Wayne and Cynthia Lemons.

Two other Red Raiders also signed NFL contracts.

Defensive tackle Kris Kocurek was taken in the seventh and final round by Seattle. Derek Dorris, another Tech receiver, signed a free-agent contract with New Orleans.

API to sponsor golf tournament May 4

PAMPA — The Panhandle Chapter of the American Petroleum Institute will be having its 49th annual scholarship golf tournament Friday, May 4 at the Pampa Country Club.

This will be the first year for the tournament to have a full day of golf, and there will be room for 72 teams. There will be 36 teams teeing off at 7:30 a.m. and 36 teams

teeing off at 1 p.m. Tee off time is by reservation only.

Contact Mickey Piersall at 806-665-8431 for tee times. If team money and registration forms are not received before April 28, no tee time will be given. Facilities will be available for registration at the pro shop.

Persons or companies may sponsor a four-man team for \$400, which includes green fees, cart rental and dinner.

Burklow signs



(Pampa News photo)

Pampa's Jason Burklow, surrounded by his family, signs a letter-of-intent to play college football for Lindenwood University in St. Charles, Mo., next fall. Burklow's parents, Jacque and Randy Burklow, look on as the player's brother, Nick Burklow, 11, sits next to his big brother. Burklow was an all-district middle linebacker and led the Harvesters in tackles the past two years. "Jason has outstanding athletic ability and has been one of our defensive leaders," said Pampa coach Dennis Cavalier. "I'm very, very pleased and happy that Jason is getting this opportunity to play football beyond high school. Jason has indicated he wants to be a coach and teacher in the future and that gives me a good feeling."

After 16 years, Spurs' Porter still chasing first NBA championship

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Terry Porter is getting his chances to gloat.

The 38-year-old point guard has played a major role in both of the San Antonio Spurs' playoff victories over Minnesota, where he played from 1995-98. They'll meet again Saturday in a game that could conclude the five-game series.

In Game 1, Porter hit a 19-footer, giving the Spurs a one-point lead with less than a minute remaining.

In Game 2, he helped build a 50-36 halftime lead to 68-40 by hitting a 3-pointer, turning a steal into two free throws and passing for two assists. He finished with 13 points and four assists, while the Wolves' Terrell Brandon was limited to seven points and two assists.

Getting even with the Wolves, he said, has nothing to do with his performance.

"Winning a title has always

been the only thing I'm concerned with," said Porter, in his 16th season in the NBA.

The Wolves signed Porter and Sam Mitchell in 1995 to help tutor young stars Stephon Marbury and Kevin Garnett, who had only one season of college experience combined. Porter wanted to re-sign with them in 1998, but went to Miami instead when the Timberwolves focused on signing Tom Gugliotta.

The Wolves made another attempt at signing Porter in 1999, but lost him when the Spurs offered a three-year deal.

"This is my sixth year (with Minnesota)," Timberwolves coach Flip Saunders said. "If I have one regret in the six years, it would be that Terry left because of the situation with Tom Gugliotta. From our standpoint, maybe we didn't do enough to let him know how important he was to our organization."

"He's one of the greatest professionals — day in and day out. For him to end his career, you hope — maybe not at our expense — that he would be able to win a championship."

Porter moved into the Spurs' starting lineup on Jan. 27 because of injuries to Avery Johnson and Antonio Daniels. After picking up 17 points, 10 rebounds and eight assists against Utah, he never left. The Spurs are 35-9 and hold a 2-0 lead in their five-game series with the Minnesota Timberwolves with Porter as a starter.

Porter, who turned 38 on April 8, is one of seven players in NBA history with more than 15,000 points, 6,000 assists and 1,000 steals during his career. He has reached the playoffs 15 times and the NBA Finals twice with Portland, only to lose to Isaiah Thomas' Detroit Pistons in 1990 and Michael Jordan's Chicago Bulls in 1992.

City Softball Standings

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Major League Standings

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Atlanta	14	8	.700		St. Louis 7, Montreal 2	p.m.	Baltimore 10	11	.476	4	Oakland 6, Chicago White Sox 4			
Montreal	10	12	.455	5	Colorado 14, Chicago Cubs 1	Philadelphia (Person 2-1) at San Diego (Jarvis 0-2), 5:05 p.m.	Tampa Bay 7	14	.333	7				
New York	9	12	.429	5 1/2	Arizona 9, Florida 6	Atlanta (Maddux 2-1) at Arizona (Elie 2-0), 9:35 p.m.	Central Division					Wednesday's Games		
Florida	8	12	.400	6	Philadelphia 12, San Diego 7	Pittsburgh (Rietz 0-2) at Los Angeles (Brown 2-1), 10:10 p.m.	W	L	Pct	GB	Toronto 6, Texas 5			
Central Division					Pittsburgh 5, Los Angeles 1	Friday's Games	Minnesota 15	4	.789	—	Minnesota 6, Boston 4, 10 innings			
Chicago	W	L	Pct	GB	Cincinnati 9, San Francisco 5	Florida (Perry 1-0) at Houston (Lima 1-1), 8:05 p.m.	Cleveland 11	8	.579	4	Anaheim 3, Cleveland 1			
Cincinnati	12	8	.600		Wednesday's Games	Montreal (Thurman 1-3) at Milwaukee (Lester 0-0), 8:05 p.m.	Chicago 7	12	.368	8	Baltimore 6, Detroit 4			
Houston	11	9	.550	1	Atlanta 11, Houston 3	N.Y. Mets (Appler 2-1) at St. Louis (Morris 2-2), 8:10 p.m.	Kansas City 6	14	.300	9 1/2	Seattle 7, N.Y. Yankees 5			
Milwaukee	10	10	.500	2	Milwaukee 7, N.Y. Mets 2	Cincinnati (Rietz 2-1) at Colorado (Astacio 3-1), 9:05 p.m.	Detroit 5	14	.263	10	Tampa Bay 5, Kansas City 3			
St. Louis	10	10	.500	2	St. Louis 5, Montreal 2	Atlanta (Burkett 0-3) at Arizona (Reynolds 1-3), 9:05 p.m.	West Division					Chicago White Sox 2, Oakland 1, 11 innings		
Pittsburgh	8	11	.421	3 1/2	Colorado 6, Chicago Cubs 5	Pittsburgh (Anderson 1-1) at San Diego (Jones 0-2), 10:05 p.m.	W	L	Pct	GB	Thursday's Games			
West Division					Arizona 10, Florida 7	Philadelphia (Telemaque 2-0) at Los Angeles (Prokopic 2-0), 10:10 p.m.	Texas 10	12	.455	7 1/2	Kansas City (Suzuki 1-1) at Tampa Bay (Rekar 0-2), 12:15 p.m.			
Colorado	12	8	.600	—	Philadelphia 5, San Diego 3	Chicago Cubs (Wood 0-1) at San Francisco (Gardner 0-2), 10:35 p.m.	Anaheim 9	12	.429	8	Baltimore (Johnson 1-1) at Detroit (Holt 1-2), 1:05 p.m.			
San Francisco	11	9	.550	1	Cincinnati 7, San Francisco 5	American League					Minnesota (Milton 2-0) at Boston (Moro 2-1), 7:05 p.m.			
Arizona	11	10	.524	1 1/2	Los Angeles 6, Pittsburgh 5	East Division					Anaheim (Rapp 0-3) at Cleveland (Finley 1-2), 7:05 p.m.			
Los Angeles	11	10	.524	1 1/2	Thursday's Games					Seattle (Moyer 3-0) at N.Y. Yankees (Mussina 1-2), 7:05 p.m.				
San Diego	7	14	.333	5 1/2	Montreal (Ames Jr. 0-4) at St. Louis (Ankiet 1-2), 1:10 p.m.	W	L	Pct	GB	Oakland (Heredia 0-4) at Chicago White Sox (Parqu 0-2), 8:05 p.m.				
					N.Y. Mets (Hinchliffe 0-0) at Milwaukee (Rigdon 2-0), 2:05 p.m.	Boston 14	7	.667	—					
					Chicago Cubs (Lieber 1-1) at Colorado (Bohannon 0-2), 3:05 p.m.	Baltimore 8	14	.333	10					

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
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TO: THERESA DIANNE HALL, Respondent(s)
GREETINGS, YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court, 223rd Judicial District, Gray County at the Court-house thereof, in Pampa, Texas, by filing a written answer, at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of twenty days from the date of service of this citation then and there to answer the Petition of JUSTIN WAYNE ROSE filed in said Court on the 27th day of February, 2001, against THERESA DIANNE HALL, Respondent(s) and said suit being numbered 28653 on the docket of said Court, and entitled:
IN THE INTEREST OF TRISTAN WAYNE ROSE AND LORAN SHANE ROSE, CHILDREN
the nature of which suit is a request to PETITION TO MODIFY PARENT-CHILD RELATIONSHIP. Said child TRISTAN WAYNE ROSE was born on the 18th day of February, 1985, in SHAMROCK, TEXAS.
LORAN SHANE ROSE was born on the 31st day of August, 1987, in PAMPA, TEXAS.
The Court has the authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree in the children's adoption, which will be binding on you. ISSUED AND GIVEN under my hand and seal of said Court at Pampa, Texas, this the 23rd day of April 2001.

GAYE HONDERICH, Clerk
223rd District Court
Gray County, Texas
P.O. Box 1139
Pampa, Texas 79066-1139
IMPORTANT NOTICE: YOU HAVE BEEN SUMMONED. YOU MAY EMPLOY AN ATTORNEY. IF YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY DO NOT FILE A WRITTEN ANSWER WITH THE CLERK WHO ISSUED THIS CITATION BY 10:00 A.M. ON THE MONDAY NEXT FOLLOWING THE EXPIRATION OF TWENTY DAYS AFTER YOU WERE SERVED THIS CITATION AND PETITION, A DEFAULT JUDGMENT MAY BE TAKEN AGAINST YOU.
H-98 Apr. 26, 2001

NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF APPLICATION AND INTENT TO OBTAIN AIR PERMIT PROPOSED PERMIT NO. 47294
APPLICATION, W&W Fiberglass Tank Company, Rt. 1, Box 1A, Pampa, Texas 79065, has applied to the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) for issuance of Air Quality Permit No. 47294 which would authorize continued operation of their existing Fiberglass Fabrication Facility located at 207 Price

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Road, Pampa, Gray County, Texas. The facility will emit the following air contaminants: particulate matter and organic compounds including (but not limited to) styrene. This application was submitted to the TNRCC on March 5, 2001. The application is available for viewing and copying at the TNRCC central office, the TNRCC Amarillo regional office, and the Pampa City Hall, 200 West Foster Avenue, Pampa, Texas. The facility's compliance file, if any exists, is available for public review in the Amarillo regional office of the TNRCC executive director has determined the application is administratively complete and will conduct a technical review of the application.

PUBLIC COMMENT / PUBLIC MEETING
You may submit public comments, a request for a public meeting or request a contested case hearing to the Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below. The TNRCC will consider all public comments in developing a final decision on the application. The deadline to submit public comments is 30 days after newspaper notice is published. After the deadline for public comments, the executive director will prepare a response to all relevant and material or significant public comments. The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or ask questions of the executive director. A public meeting about the application may be held if the executive director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application or if requested by a local legislator. A contested case hearing is not a contested case hearing.

If only comments are received on the application, the response to comments, along with notice of the executive director's action on the application, will be mailed to everyone who submitted comments or is on the mailing list for this application. If a hearing request is timely filed, the executive director will complete the technical review, issue a preliminary decision on the application, and a Notice of Application and Preliminary Decision will be published and mailed to those who are on the mailing list for this application. That notice will contain the final deadline for submitting public comments.

After the final deadline for public comments following any required Notice of Application and Preliminary Decision, the executive director will consider the comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material, or significant public comments. If comments are received, the response to comments, along with the executive director's decision on the application, will then be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments or is on the mailing list for this application.

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a mailing list for this application. **OPPORTUNITY FOR A CONTESTED CASE HEARING.** You may request a contested case hearing. A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in state district court. At least a written request for a contested case hearing is filed within 30 days from this notice, the executive director may approve the application. If no hearing request is received within this 30-day period, no further opportunity for hearing will be provided. A contested case hearing will only be granted based on disputed issues of fact that are relevant and material to the Commission's decision on the application. Further, the Commission will only grant a hearing on those issues raised during the public comment period and not withdrawn.

A person who may be affected by emissions of air contaminants from the facility is entitled to request a hearing. If requesting a contested case hearing, you may submit the following: (1) your name (or for a group or association, an official representative), mailing address, daytime phone number, and fax number, if any; (2) applicant's name and permit number; (3) the statement "I/we request a contested case hearing"; (4) a specific description of how you would be adversely affected by the application and air emissions from the facility in a way not common to the general public; (5) the location and distance of your property relative to the facility; and (6) a description of how you use the property which may be impacted by the facility. If the request is made by a group or an association, the one or more members who have standing to request a hearing, and the interests which the group or association seeks to protect, must also be identified. You may also submit your proposed adjustments to the application / permit which would satisfy your concerns. Requests for a contested case hearing must be submitted in writing within 30 days following this notice to the Office of the Chief Clerk, at the address below.

If a hearing request is timely filed, additional notice may be provided. Following the close of all applicable comment and request periods, the executive director will forward the application and any requests for contested case hearing to the TNRCC Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting. If a hearing is granted, the subject of a hearing will be limited to disputed issues of fact relating to relevant and material air quality concerns raised during the comment period. Issues such as property values, noise, traffic safety, and zoning are outside of the Commission's jurisdiction to address in this proceeding. **MAILING LIST** In addition to submitting public comments, you may ask to be placed on a mailing list to receive future public notices for this specific application mailed by the Office of the Chief Clerk by sending a written request to the TNRCC Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.

INFORMATION Written public comment or requests for a public meeting or contested case hearing should be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC-105, TNRCC, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087. For more information about this permit application or the permitting process, please call the Office of Public Assistance, Toll Free, at 1-800-687-4040. General information regarding the TNRCC can be found at www.tnrc.state.tx.us. Further information may also be obtained from W&W Fiberglass Tank Company at the address stated above or by calling Mr. Richard M. Broxson at (806)783-9944. H-86 Apr. 26, 2001

Notice to Creditors
Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Leo Frances McMahon, Sr., Deceased, were issued on April 11, 2001, in Cause No. 8738, pending in the County Court of Gray County, Texas, to: Teresa Pauline Woodward. The residence of the Independent Executor is Pampa, Gray County, Texas; the post office address is: c/o Gene Thompson Attorney At Law P.O. Box 1461 Pampa, Texas 79066-1461

All persons having claims against this Estate which are currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. DATED the 11th day of April, 2001.
By: GENE THOMPSON Attorney for the Estate State Bar No. 1990720 H-99 Apr. 26, 2001

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Horoscope

FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 2001
BY JACQUELINE BIGAR
The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

ARIES (March 21-April 19)
***** What appears as a friendly jolt early on helps you get motivated. Find a dear friend and confirm weekend plans as soon as you can. If possible, work from home. Otherwise, don't lose your objective to clear out work. Give up any tendencies to be a work addict! Tonight: Now, to the weekend!
TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
***** Your bullish need for stability often makes you identify a situation as stable when it isn't. Your temper could flare when dealing with a partner over funds. Stay cool. Use the afternoon to return calls, clear your desk and perhaps make special plans. Feel good about what you accomplish. Tonight: Let down your hair.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
***** You soar like an eagle this morning. Your vision cuts through unnecessary details. Others react to your streamlining of a project. Instead of going up in smoke, relax and explain your logic. Others calm down with understanding. Tonight: Treat another to munchies.
CANCER (June 21-July 22)
*** Direct frustration where it can

make a difference. Concentrate on one task at a time. By focusing you avoid a tendency to be accident-prone. By late afternoon, you'll mellow out, and so will your world. What a relief! Smile and others smile back. Tonight: TGIF.
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
***** Aim for more of what you want and need. Consider your options carefully when a child or creative partner flares. Don't feel as if you must respond one way or the other. Close your door in the afternoon if you want to accomplish anything. Screen calls, too. Tonight: Happily vanish.
VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
***** Respond to priorities and don't worry so much about what is going on at home. You can't be in two places at once. An inventive idea helps you clear out work efficiently, if you are focused. Network in the afternoon. Return all calls. Tonight: Join the throngs of people.
LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
***** Push to get needed information. Someone might not understand exactly what you are asking. Rephrase your question. Avoid office gossip; deal with a boss head-on, if need be. You will be respected for your forthright attitude. Tonight: A force to be dealt with.
SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
***** Curb spending, especially if you are trying to impress someone. Your unusual skills and personality impress this person far more. Express your point of view and help others to see the errors in their thinking. Laughter and humor help everyone relax. Tonight: Opt for a mental escape.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
***** Though you might think you are just being "you," others find you unusually assertive. Bone up on your diplomatic style and start using it. Practice on a dear friend or co-worker, and both of you will enjoy enhanced rapport. Discuss a hot money issue. Tonight: Go for a close encounter.
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
***** Work through frustration by digging into the project at hand. Discussing feelings with someone who understands you might prove to be helpful. A close friend or family member invites you along. Let go of your worries and start socializing. Tonight: Let the good times roll.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
***** Your playful imagination focuses on a problem and resolves it. Pat yourself on the back. To accomplish what you desire, you might need to screen your calls and return them later. Popularity soars. Say yes to a co-worker's invitation. Tonight: Play the night away.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
***** Deal with someone's bad mood by going along with a request. For now, keep your thoughts to yourself, as you might not get the results you desire if you open up. Let your ideas bubble forth with friends after work, when you are more relaxed. Buy a card for a friend or loved one. Tonight: Let the fun begin.

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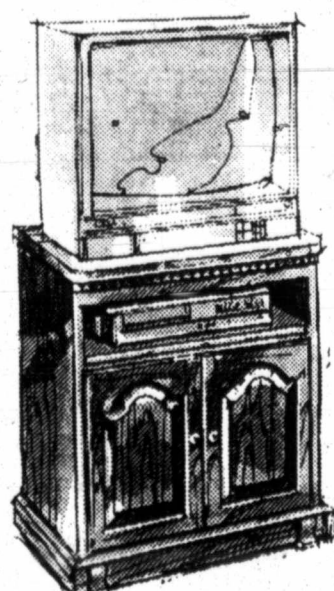
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PAMPA AREA LITERACY COUNCIL

Pampa Area Literacy Council office is open from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Friday. For more information, call 665-2331.

OPEN DOOR ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

Open Door Alcoholics Anonymous at 910 Kentucky (across from Albertson's) meeting schedule — seven days a week — two meetings a day — noon till 1 p.m. and 8-9 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday noon meetings are non-smoking. For more information, call 665-9702.

TRALEE CRISIS CENTER

Women's Support Group for Child Management offers parenting skills to assist parents and children in dealing with anger and behavioral issues resulting from peer pressure, sibling rivalry, family violence and/or sexual abuse from 7-8 p.m. Thursdays. For more information, call Tralee Crisis Center, 669-1131.

LAS PAMPAS WATER GARDEN AND KOI SOCIETY

Las Pampas Water Garden and Koi Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Monday of each month, at First Landmark Building in the Pampa Mall. For more information, contact Sharron Andrew at 665-6138 or Loyd Waters 665-6466.

MONTHLY GOSPEL SINGING

First Pentecostal Holiness Church, 1700 Alcock, hosts a Gospel Singing from 2-4 p.m. every second Sunday of the month. Pastor Albert Maggard and the congregation of First Pentecostal cordially invites the public to attend. Singers and musicians from area churches participate in this informal congregational singing and enjoy various special vocal and instrumental presentations.

AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION

American Heart Association meets at 12 noon the second Thursday of each month at Chaney's Restaurant.

PLANNED PARENTHOOD

Planned Parenthood hosts "Dose of Reality" at 6 p.m. the second of Monday of each month in Suite 173A of the Hughes Building. The program is open to teens 13 to 19 years of age.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH

Macedonia Baptist Church, 441 Elm, will hold daily prayer services at 7:30 a.m., 12 noon and 6 p.m. for the citizens of Pampa — churches, schools, etc. The prayer services are open to everyone. For more information, call 665-4926.

PAMPA MINISTRIAL ALLIANCE

Pampa Area Ministerial Alliance meets the first Monday of every month. Location changes monthly.

GRAY COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

Gray County Genealogical Society meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Monday of each month in the Gray County Sheriff's Department classroom. (Enter through the north door of the jail building.) For membership inquiries, contact Harley Madison at 669-6294.

BEEF AMBASSADOR CONTEST

Top O' Texas CattleWomen is seeking youth between the ages of 15-19 to compete for the Beef Ambassador Award. For more information, contact Amy Brainard at (806) 323-6397.

CAPROCK CANYONS

Caprock Canyons State Park in Quitaque will host the following events in April: Volunteer Day (9 a.m.), and Evening Birding (6:30 p.m.), both April 7; and Wildflower Walk (9 a.m.) and Evening Interpretive Program (8 p.m.), both April 21. For more information, contact the park at (806) 455-1429.

COUNTY ANNIVERSARY MEETING

A planning session for Gray County 100th Anniversary Celebration will be held at 5 p.m., Thursday, April 26 in the Nona S. Payne Room of Pampa Community Building. The meeting is free and open to the public.

ARMOR OF GOD

Carol Peet Ministries will present "Armor of God Conference" at 7:30 p.m., April 27 and at 9:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., April 28. Pre-registration is \$20 on or before April 20 and \$25 after that date. Attendees are encouraged to RSVP due to limited seating. To register or for more information, call 669-1738.

TIMELESS TREASURES QUILT GUILD

Timeless Treasures Quilt Guild will conduct its quarterly meeting beginning with registration at 9:30 a.m., Saturday, April 28 at the Presbyterian

Church in Guymon, Okla. Activities will include a lecture/trunk show and a three-hour workshop with Jackie Robinson. Cost of the workshop is \$20. Robinson will also facilitate a workshop from 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Friday, April 27 for a \$30 fee. To register for the workshop or for more information, contact Ellen Grice at (580) 349-2516.

ACS LOOK GOOD ... FEEL BETTER

The American Cancer Society will present the program "Look Good ... Feel Better" from 1-3 p.m. May 5 at the ACS office at 3915 Bell Street in Amarillo. The program is aimed at helping cancer patients cope with the unpleasant side effects of cancer treatments. Cosmetology professionals will demonstrate techniques how to compensate for hair loss through the use of turbans and scarves. To register or for more information, call the ACS at (806) 353-4306.

QUICK TASP

Clarendon College-Pampa Center, 1601 W. Kentucky, will conduct a Quick TASP exam at 9 a.m., Monday, May 14 at CCPC. Cost of the exam is \$29 (check or money-order). Participants must provide two forms of identification. For more information, contact the college at 665-8801.

ARBOR DAY FOUNDATION

Ten free shade trees will be given to each person who joins The National Arbor Day Foundation throughout this month (April). The free trees are part of the nonprofit Foundation's Trees for America campaign. The 10 trees are the Red Oak, Sugar Maple, Weeping Willow, Green Ash, Thornless Honeylocust, Pin Oak, River Birch, Tuliptree, Silver Maple and Red Maple. The trees will be shipped postpaid at the right time for planting with enclosed planting instructions. The six to twelve inch trees are guaranteed to grow or they will be replaced free of charge. Members also receive a subscription to the Foundation's colorful bimonthly publication, "Arbor Day" and "The Tree Book" with information about tree planting and care. To receive the free trees, send a \$10 membership contribution to Ten Trees, National Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Ave., Nebraska City, NE 68410, by April 30, 2001.

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC

The Texas Department of Health will be offering immunization clinics for vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases including polio, diphtheria, lock jaw (tetanus), whooping cough (pertussis), measles, rubella, mumps, Hib (haemophilus influenzae Type B) and chickenpox (varicella). Flu vaccines will also be offered at designated clinics. The TDH will charge money to help with the cost of keeping the clinic open. The amount charged will be based on family income and size, and the ability to pay. The following clinics will be offered: 9:30 a.m.-12 noon and 1-4 p.m., April 18, Pampa Immunization Clinic, 736 Cuyler, Pampa; 10 a.m.-12 noon, 1-3 p.m., April 5, Canadian School, Canadian; 9:30 a.m., April 17, Groom School, Groom; 2-4:30 p.m., April 23, McLean Clinic, 211 N. Main, McLean.

HARRINGTON CANCER CENTER

The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center has announced the following upcoming breast cancer screening clinics: May 21, First United Methodist Church Educational Building, 201 E. Foster, and May 22, Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency, 916 N. Crest, Pampa; April 4 and 18, Hemphill County Hospital, Canadian; April 11, Family Care Center, Shamrock; and April 16, Parkview Hospital, Wheeler. Participants will receive a low-cost self-exam mammogram and a breast health appraisal along with individual instruction by a registered nurse in breast self-examination. Funding is available through the Texas Department of Health for Texas residents who qualify for assistance. All exams are by appointment only. For more information, call (806) 356-1905 or 1-800-377-4673.

SCIENCE SPECTRUM

The Science Spectrum and Omnimax Theatre in Lubbock have announced upcoming events throughout the month. Omnimax Theater will offer the following presentations: "Journey into Amazing Caves," featuring spelunkers Nancy Aulenbach and Dr. Hazel Barton; "Island of Sharks," featuring underwater shots of the Cocos and surrounding islands; and "Gold Fever," featuring abandoned mines from the Klondike to the Gold Coast of Africa.

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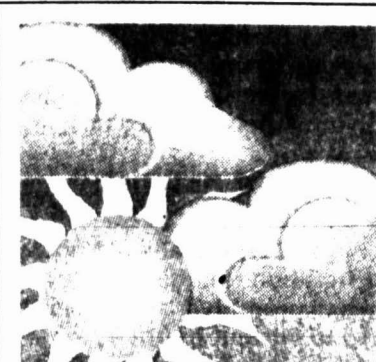
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County to celebrate 100th birthday Volunteers work to line up events

Gray County will be 100 years old in 2002, and a special birthday party is being planned for the county.

Tentative plans are for a three-day celebration to be in the fall of 2002. Committee Chairman Darlene Birkes said several promotional activities including a contest for stamp cancellation and logo drawings are planned.

State Representative Warren Chisum is preparing a special proclamation.

School projects to get students involved include oral histories and creative writing projects on the high school level. Middle School and elementary school level projects will be announced at a later date.

A Speaker's Bureau relating to the history of the area will be a program resource for many area civic organizations during the upcoming year.

Numerous activities are being considered for the celebration. Included are a reunion for residents who have lived in the

county over 50 years, several types of entertainment and contests during the three-day festivities.

Displays of the history of the area are also being considered, including the cultural contributions the past 100 years. The committee is planning to have activities for all ages and interests.

Plans are to honor the old-timers of the county while building the young people's interest in the history of the past.

David Fatheree is serving as treasurer of the group and is seeking donations. A special account has been established at the First State Bank.

Anne Franklin is secretary and Mary Beth Fatheree is reporter. Telephone committee chairmen are Louisa Britton and Marie Smith.

Anyone wishing to help with the project should contact Birkes at 665-2913 or any other officer.



John Forrester and Eloise Lane work on plans for the 100th Birthday Celebration of Gray County to be held in the fall of 2002.

Test results awaited on dog; Man sought reports to officials

By NANCY YOUNG
Managing Editor

The Good Samaritan who found a sick dog by the side of a road Wednesday evening has been identified, Animal Control Officer Debbie Harper said Friday morning.

The Pampa man, who was not identified, was awaiting word this morning from the Texas Department of Health laboratory in Austin on a diagnosis on the animal.

Harper said the local man contacted the Animal Control Office Thursday evening after reading the story in *The Pampa News*. He left the dog in the night drop at the Animal Control Center in Hobart Street Park around 9-9:30 p.m. Wednesday.

The ill dog was euthanized Thursday morning and its head sent to the TDH laboratory in Austin. Dr. Jim Alexander, Zoonosis specialist with the regional Texas Department of Health in Canyon, requested a rush diagnosis on the animal.

Local animal control workers were also anxiously awaiting word from TDH on the animal Friday morning.

Sandy Burns, Animal Control Director in Pampa, said Thursday.

(See TEST, Page 3)

Shooting probe nets charges

Two Pampa teens sit in jail on drug possession charges, a third faces escape charges, and a fourth teen is nursing a hurt foot as a result of a police investigation of an incident involving a .22 caliber handgun.

City officers were called to the Pampa Regional Medical Center emergency room Tuesday on a report that a young man was being treated there for a gunshot wound to the foot, officials said.

According to police reports, a juvenile had gone to the emergency room Thursday for treat-

ment of injuries to his foot from birdshot pellets.

Officers investigating the incident learned that the shooting occurred at a residence at 513 N. Ward late Wednesday when the injured teen and another teen, were looking at a black .22 caliber revolver loaded with birdshot.

One teen tried to set the safety on the gun by pulling the trigger back which caused the gun to fire, striking the other boy's foot, said Col. Terry Young.

(See SHOOTING, Page 3)

Early voting reported to be heavy

Early voting in the Pampa mayor's race has been heavy, according to City Secretary Phyllis Jeffers.

Jeffers said that 407 voters in the City of Pampa election have cast ballots in the race as of Wednesday afternoon. Figures were not available this morning for Thursday's count.

Considerable interest has been shown in the race between Incumbent Mayor Bob Neslage is being challenged by political newcomer, Lonny Robbins. Neslage is seeking his fourth term as mayor. The mayor's race is the only contested race on the ballot.

Voting hours were extended to this past Sunday after 15 people presented a petition requesting the additional voting hours. Jeffers said 31 voters cast votes Sunday afternoon at City Hall.

Early voting will continue through 5 p.m. Tuesday for the mayoral position as well as any other municipal or school board races in the area. Election day is May 5. Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

PSID is not having an election as incumbent candidates had no opposition.



(Pampa News photo by Dee Dee Laramore)

Hospice volunteers, from left, Sarah Gill, Linda Norris, June Beyer and Charlotte Fox, fill goody bags to give to golfers participating in the 11th annual BSA Hospice Pampa Benefit Golf Scramble. Tee-off for the four-member team scramble is 8 a.m. May 5, at Hidden Hills Golf Course. Proceeds help the non-profit agency provide in-home care for the terminally ill. To sign up to play, call at 669-5866. For more information about sponsorships or hospice care, contact BSA Hospice Pampa at 665-6677.

Internet Road Show in Pampa next week Free program at CofC building

By NANCY YOUNG
Staff Writer

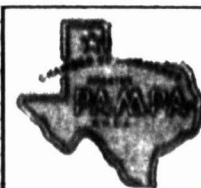
Texas Internet Road Show is coming to Pampa Tuesday. Sponsored by State Representative Warren Chisum and the Pampa Chamber of Commerce, the program will be from 9 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Pampa Chamber of Commerce, 200 North Ballard Street in Pampa.

The presentation is the beginning of a statewide rural economic development project. The presentations are designed especially for rural Texans seeking information on how to put the higher-speed Internet access that is available today to work for area families and businesses as well as the community.

Subjects to be discussed are which Internet access technologies are available locally and at what speed and price, the comparison of technologies in addressing Internet or e-commerce needs, which vendors provide Internet access and e-commerce assistance locally and how do these services help this area's economic development.

Other topics to be covered will include who is using the Internet and e-commerce in rural Texas today and how, how can the Internet and e-commerce help farms, ranches or other businesses and what state and federal grants, subsidies and discounts are available to help fund school, library, telemedicine, government office and community technology networks.

TeleCommunity Resource Center will be presenting the program. There is no charge. Anyone wanting to attend is asked to RSVP to a toll-free mailbox, 1-800-571-7811.



May 12 - "Pampa Pampers Mom" Mother's Day Promotion. Tell us in 300 words or less what makes your Mom so special and why she should be selected to receive our Mother's Day Package. Entries should be returned by 4/28/01 to any participating Retail Merchant or to the Chamber of Commerce office. Call 669-3241 for more information.

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Daily Record

Services tomorrow

CLEMENT, T. Guy — 10 a.m., Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors Colonial Chapel, Pampa.

CROWE, Joel "J.T." Thomas — 11 a.m., Whinery-Savage Funeral Service Chapel, Elk City, Okla.

NANCE, Michael John — Memorial services, 4 p.m., First United Methodist Church, Las Vegas, N.M.

Obituaries

JACKIE A. POOLE

Jackie A. Poole, 84, of Pampa, died Wednesday, April 25, 2001. Services were to be at 2 p.m. today in Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Richard Bartel, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, and the Rev. John Denton of Borger officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Miss Poole was born April 5, 1917, in Hutchinson County, Texas, and moved from Hutchinson County to Pampa in 1927. She graduated from Pampa High School in 1935 and held a bachelor of arts degree from West Texas State Teachers College. She taught school in Miami for many years.

She was a member of Calvary Baptist Church and volunteered with Pampa Shrine Club for approximately 35 years.

She was preceded in death by a twin sister, Jodie Poole, in 1990.

Survivors include a sister, Garnet Poole of Pampa; two nieces; two great-nieces; and a great-nephew.

The family requests memorials be to Pampa Shrine Club, P.O. Box 1205, Pampa, TX 79066-1205.

Ambulance

Rural/Metro made the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Thursday, April 26

8:11 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 600 block of South Somerville and transported one to PRMC.

10:45 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 600 block of North Russell and transported one to PRMC.

2:24 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to a local nursing facility and transported one to PRMC.

2:27 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to a local nursing center and transported one to PRMC.

8:39 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to PRMC and transported one to Northwest Texas Hospital.

Sheriff's Office

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

Thursday, April 26

Darrell Gordon Congdon, 48, no known address, was arrested for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle. (See related story)

John Phillip McLaughlin, 41, Colorado Spring, Colo., was arrested for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle. (See related story)

Robert Lee Leger Jr., 18, 513 N. Ward, was arrested for escape from custody. (See related story)

Fires

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

Thursday, April 26

2:57 p.m. - One unit and three firefighters responded to a medical assist in the 400 block of Maple.

Police report

Pampa Police Department reported the following arrests and incidents during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Wednesday, April 25

Domestic assault without injuries was reported in the 1100 block of Prairie Drive.

Thursday, April 26

A representative of Culligan Water Conditioning, 314 S. Starkweather, reported theft of service over a period of time beginning in May 2000 until April 2001. Charges are pending upon further investigation.

Possession of marijuana was reported in the 500 block of North Ward. (See related story.)

Deadly conduct was reported in the 500 block of North Ward. (See related story.)

Simple assault without injuries was reported in the 700 block of West Brown. The incident reportedly occurred on April 24.

A burglary was reported in the 400 block of South Pitts. A 9mm Smith & Wesson handgun, no value given, was reported stolen in the break-in.

Theft was reported in the 1300 block of North Charles. A dorm refrigerator, no value given, was taken from a garage.

Criminal mischief was reported in the 200 block of East Brown. A front door window valued at \$600 was broken sometime between 3 p.m. and 7:50 p.m.

Amanda Nichole Jenkins, 19, 520 N. Ward, was arrested in the 500 block of North Ward for possession of marijuana under 2 oz.

Richard Harrison Leger, 19, 513 N. Ward, was arrested in the 500 block of North Ward for possession of marijuana under 2 oz.

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Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Attebury Grain of Pampa.

Wheat	2.84	KMI	57.81	dn 0.94
Milo	3.00	Kerr McGee	72.97	dn 0.42
Corn	3.35	Limited	16.99	up 0.29
Soybeans	3.44	McDonald's	27.28	up 0.26

The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation.

Occidental	29.76	dn 0.05	Penney's	20.22	up 0.49
Fidelity Mageln	112.66	dn 0.28	Phillips	59.70	dn 0.28
Puritan	18.68	dn 0.16	Pioneer Nat	19.85	dn 0.16
			SLB	66.83	dn 0.53

The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock Market quotations are furnished by Edward Jones & Co. of Pampa.

BP Amoco	54.90	up 0.04	Wal-Mart	52.78	up 1.54
Celanese	20.35	NC	Williams	43.00	up 0.25
Cabot	33.27	dn 0.10	New York Gold	264.15	
Cabot O&G	29.26	dn 0.36	Silver	4.39	
Chevron	97.53	dn 0.33	West Texas Crude	28.47	
Coca-Cola	46.90	NC			

Accidents

Pampa Police Department reported the following accident during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Thursday, April 26

5 p.m. - A 1990 Ford Aerostar minivan driven by Barbara Joan Hammond, 43, of Rutherford, Tenn., was traveling south in the 300 block of Hobart preparing to turn west onto the 900 block of Alcock when it was struck by an unoccupied 1975 Chevrolet pickup. The pickup, owned by Jimmy Dale Brooks of Perryton and parked at a convenience store at Hobart and Alcock streets, slipped out of gear and rolled backwards down Alcock before striking the van, according to police reports. No injuries were reported at the scene.

People in the news ...

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP) — Pierce Brosnan joined environmentalists to protest the Navy's new low-frequency sonar, saying the equipment adversely affects whales and marine animals.

"It's like a bad case of deja vu," Brosnan said Thursday. "I thought we had already saved the whales."

Brosnan spoke during a news conference staged by the Natural Resources Defense Council announcing an effort by environmental groups to oppose use of the sonar.

The actor also planned to attend a public hearing Thursday night held by the National Marine Fisheries Service on whether to grant the Navy permission to deploy the sonar system that sends stronger sound waves much farther than the current technology.

Environmentalists said the sound waves can disrupt the breeding, migration and feeding of whales and dolphins.

"We know beyond a shadow of a doubt that active sonars cause whales to beach themselves. ... I don't believe we can take the risks," Brosnan said.

NEW YORK (AP) — Television's hottest, and coldest, game-show host has a book deal. The memoirs of **Anne Robinson**, the snippy star of NBC's "Weakest Link," will be published this fall for an advance almost certainly worth at least six figures.

"The book, like Anne herself, is filled with insight, honesty and humor," Louise Burke, president of the New American Library, said in a statement Thursday. The New American Library is an imprint of Penguin Putnam.

Titled "Memoirs of an Unfit Mother," Robinson's book will cover her years as a London journalist and consumer advocate and her struggles with alcoholism.

"Weakest Link" was first a hit in Britain. It's

best known for Robinson's dismissive epitaph, "You ARE the weakest link. Goodbye!"

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP) — **Julie Andrews** was honored with the Ella award, named after Ella Fitzgerald, which highlights the careers of singers whose musical careers are paralleled by contributions to humanitarian causes.

Andrews, star of the films "Mary Poppins," "The Sound of Music" and "Victor/Victoria," received the award Wednesday night from the Society of Singers.

The nonprofit organization benefits the health and welfare of professional singers who need assistance. It also works within the entertainment community to advance vocal arts.

NEW YORK (AP) — **Joan Cusack** is a homegirl at heart.

Her midseason ABC sitcom, "What About Joan," is being filmed in Chicago, where she grew up and lives with her husband, Richard Burke, and sons Dylan, 3, and Miles, 1.

"The hardest part of my job has always been that I travel for work," the 38-year-old actress tells Rosie magazine in its June issue, on newsstands May 1.

"It's great to have the fun and creativity of work and then come home and be a productive member of your family."

On "What About Joan," Cusack plays Joan Gallagher, a high school teacher who relies on the kindness of friends. Cusack's gal pals are played by **Donna Murphy** and **Jessica Hecht**. **Kyle Chandler** co-stars as her potential beau.

The show, which has been extended through the May sweeps with all-new episodes, airs Tuesday nights.

Her films include "Working Girl," "Arlington Road" and "Runaway Bride."

Texas round up

Lawmaker, family and police seek answers in hanging death

LINDEN, Texas (AP) — Bonnie Andrews remembers the life of her younger brother, how he volunteered to do yard work for his East Texas relatives, enjoyed giving tours at the technical school he attended, and happily was involved in a multiracial relationship.

What she can't reconcile is how Clarence Otis Cole, 43, could tie an electrical cord around his neck, hoist himself up a pine tree and hang himself. "He was not a perfect person, but he was a good person," Andrews, 54, said Thursday. "He never said he hated himself."

On April 2, Cole, called "Tank" by family, was found dead by two acquaintances who searched for him after he had been missing for two days.

A note discovered in Cole's car in a rural area of Cass County about 180 miles east of Dallas read: "I'm sorry. I love you all, but I hate myself. Don't know no other way to fix this. I'm sorry, Love u all, Tank."

The circumstances of Cole's death, who is black, have aroused suspicions in Rep. Ron Wilson, D-Houston, who contacted the family after hearing of the death.

On Thursday, Wilson sent a letter to U.S. Attorney General John Ashcroft and Col. Tommy Davis, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, asking them to look into Cole's death. So far, they have not responded.

Church-based providers should not be freed from regulation, say child advocates

AUSTIN (AP) — A program that allows faith-based child care providers to opt out of state regulation allows abusive facilities to continue operating, child care advocates say.

"Alternative accreditation means special treatment for child abusers," said Samantha Smoot, executive director of the Texas Freedom Network, a political watchdog group.

"Without this alternative accreditation program, the Roloff Homes must either clean up their act and be licensed by the state or close their doors in Texas for good."

Officials with Roloff Homes could not be immediately reached for comment Thursday evening. One person who "volunteered" for 18 years at the Roloff facilities, denied that there was any wrongdoing at the homes. "I've seen so much good there, I'd hate to see this group of homes go away," said Fill Hendrix. "They should reauthorize this program."

Under the Texas Alternative Accreditation program, supported in 1997 by then-Gov. George W. Bush's experiment to expand religious charity work, church-run homes for troubled youth and child care facilities can be accredited by a private group approved by the state rather than get a state license. That private agency is the Texas Association of Christian Child Care Agencies.

President to pay tribute to a Demo rally

AUSTIN (AP) — Delivering on a promise, President Bush was returning to the state capital to help dedicate a shrine to his late political mentor, Bob Bullock.

Bullock served 40 years in various public offices, including lieutenant governor. A Democrat, he tutored the Republican Bush when he captured the highest statewide office in 1994.

Their friendship came to symbolize the mostly friendly bipartisan relationships that characterized Bush's tenure as governor.

Bush was paying tribute to his old friend Friday at the ceremonial opening of the Bob Bullock Texas State History Museum. In doing so, the president was reminding Democratic lawmakers in Washington, who have been less cooperative than those in Texas, of his pledge to restore civility in the nation's capital.

Bush resigned as governor in December after winning the presidency.

Ranger College pupils charged with sex assault

ABILENE, Texas (AP) — Nine Ranger College students are accused of sexual assault in the rape of a 16-year-old girl on campus.

All of the men arrested Wednesday confessed to having sex with the girl, but said the intercourse was not forced, Police Chief Tom Million told the Abilene Reporter-News in Friday's online edition.

The victim told police the sexual encounters Sunday morning were not consensual. Under Texas law, a minor cannot legally consent to having sex with an adult. The victim was treated at a local hospital and released.

Those arrested and charged are Asaad Brown, 21; Jason Mathew, 20; Gareth Lewis, 19; Vernon Scott, 21; Jabari Levi, 21; Keidron White, 20; Curtis Johnson, 22; Melvin Davis, 19; and Patrick Berry, 22.

Weather focus

PAMPA — Today, partly sunny and breezy with highs near 85. South winds 15 to 25 mph with higher gusts. Caution is advised on area lakes. Tonight, partly cloudy with lows in the middle 50s. South winds 10 to 15 mph. Saturday, partly sunny and breezy with highs near 85. South winds 15 to 25 mph with higher gusts.

STATEWIDE — A slight warming trend that began late in the week was forecast to continue through Texas for the weekend, with a high-pressure sys-

tem keeping most clouds — and rain — away.

Only a few strands of cirrus clouds moved above North Texas on Friday. Skies were still cloudy in South and Southeast Texas as moisture moved in from Mexico.

Early-morning temperatures ranged from the low 40s in the Panhandle to 50s and 60s in the east and south.

Extremes were 43 degrees at Dalhart and 61 at El Paso.

Winds were light and variable, generally out of the south and southwest at less than 15 mph.

The weekend forecast called for mostly clear conditions both days. Winds should increase on Saturday in extreme Northwest Texas.

A chance of mainly late-afternoon and evening thunderstorms was forecast through Saturday over the northwestern Panhandle and over the far west.

Daytime highs should range from the 70s to mid-80s, except for temperatures near 90 degrees along the Rio Grande.

Lows overnight were expected to range from the mid-40s in the north to around 60 degrees in the Big Bend valleys.

His trip here was his first to Austin since he packed up and moved to Washington. Before he left, Bush promised that he would be back in Texas for the museum's opening.

Bullock, who died in 1999, had asked Bush to give the eulogy at his funeral, said Tony Proffitt, a former aide to Bullock.

Trials set for implants on those suffering from retinal blindness

HOUSTON (AP) — Researchers at the University of Houston and the University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston have developed retinal implants that could restore sight to those suffering from retinal blindness.

The ceramic microchips, which activate cells leading to optic nerves, have been successfully tested for biocompatibility in lab animals and could be ready for trial implants in human patients as early as next year.

Researchers are searching for patient and surgery-site candidates and preparing paperwork for U.S. Food and Drug Administration approval of the trials.

The microchip has been patented and two papers describing the team's work were recently submitted to academic journals.

"This is not an eye replacement for those with an eye poked out," Alex Ignatiev, a UH professor of physics and chemistry and lead researcher on the project, told the Houston Chronicle in Friday's editions. "But for those with retinal blindness, this device will allow them to see — first light, then shape, then print and, ultimately, even color."

Measure aims to prevent notaries public from misrepresentation

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — Interpretation of a notary public's role in immigration matters along the Texas-Mexico border has prompted a new legislative proposal designed to prevent fraud.

Under Rep. Norma Chavez' bill, Texas notaries public would be prohibited from misrepresenting themselves as lawyers who are qualified to handle U.S. immigration documents.

The proposal would forbid notaries public to advertise the title "notary public" in Spanish, because in Mexico a notary public is also a licensed lawyer, Chavez said.

"There are horror stories of immigrants paying hundreds, and up to several thousands, of dollars to notaries public for assistance with citizenship and immigration papers," Chavez, D-El Paso, told the El Paso Times in Friday's online edition. "One documented incident includes an individual from Houston that paid a notary public over \$1,000, and when questioning the notary about the status of (the paperwork), the individual was turned into the Immigration and Naturalization Service."

House Bill 3134 would also increase the penalties for notaries public who mislead customers or who misrepresent themselves as lawyers.

Judges to stop hiring lawyers for prisoner complaints

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas County's criminal district judges have agreed to heed requests from county commissioners to end a 20-year-practice of hiring lawyers with indigent defense funds to help them answer prison inmates' complaints.

Judge John Nelms said the policy changes made Wednesday could begin taking effect as early as next week.

Nelms said the judges could not fault an opinion delivered last week by District Attorney Bill Hill that state law does not authorize their post-conviction appointments. Judges will now follow the law more precisely, he said.

"I think the result of that change will be to greatly lengthen the process, and ultimately it will be more expensive for the county," Judge Nelms told The Dallas Morning News.

In addition, legitimate complaints from prisoners may go unanswered, he said.

City Briefs

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CHANEY'S CAFE, 716 W. Foster, Fri. 5-8p.m., catfish, turkey & dressing, beef tips & rice, ck. fr. steak.

DANCE TO the Renegades, Sat. Apr. 28th, 9-1 a.m. WOTM, Moose Lodge.

DUNLAPS FIRST Sidewalk Sale Of The Season!! Don't Miss It Saturday!!!

MCLEAN COUNTRY Club Dance, Sat. Apr. 28th, to the Schneiders, 8-11:30 p.m. Members & guests.

MEALS ON Wheels Gar. Sale, Open Mon. 2-5, Fill A Sack for \$2. Corner of Frost & Cook st.

ESTATE SALE: Saturday, 8-2 p.m. 1907 Christine

POND FISH have arrived including Long Fin Koi & Fan Tail Gold Fish!! 115 N. West.

SAME GREAT Food! New Summer Hours at the Coney, Tue-Fri. 11-5 p.m., Sat. 11-4 p.m., starting Wed., Apr. 25th.

ST. MATTHEW'S Day School enrolling now for 2001-2002, 3 yr. olds, 4 yr. olds, Pre K, Kindergarten, Day Care and 2001 Summer Day Care. Come by 727 W. Browning or call 665-0703

ST. PAUL Methodist, 511 N. Hobart (in old parsonage) Sat. 28 from 9-2, furn. microwave, mower, lots of misc.

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Members of Pampa Masonic Lodge #966 visited Judge Don Cain at his home recently to present him with a pin in honor of his 50 years of service to the fraternal organization. From left, Secretary Paul Appleton, Ben Watson, Worshipful Master Curtis Broadus, Judge Cain, Treasurer J.B. Fife, and Steward Kelly Miller.



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TEST

The authorities are hoping the animal's head would arrive at the Austin lab Friday morning so a definite diagnosis can be determined so that any further action can be determined.

Three cases of rabies have been confirmed in skunks in Pampa and Gray County during the past month. The dog had possible symptoms of rabies.

If the animal is confirmed to have rabies, the unidentified Pampa man who transported the dog to the Animal Control Center will likely have to undergo a series of rabies shots.

Area horse owners along with 4-Hers and Future Farmers of America participants are being urged to vaccinate their large animals, also. Gray County Extension Agent Danny Nusser said earlier in the week that the livestock project participants are getting their animals vaccinated against rabies.

Burns urges anyone who comes in contact with a sick animal and suspects rabies to contact the Pampa Animal Control office at 669-5775.

An animal control officer is on call 7-days-a-week, 24 hours a day. She said if a person receives an animal bite they are urged to contact the Pampa PD.

Burns said the specially trained animal control staff will respond to the calls.

She said symptoms that residents should watch out for include:

- Bold, "friendly", or "apparently tame"

wild animals.

- Night animals, like skunks and foxes that are seen in the daytime.
- Pets that have difficulty walking, eating, or drinking.
- Signs of excitement or viciousness in normally quiet animals.
- Animals that tear at or scratch an old wound until it bleeds.
- Cattle that "strain" for long periods.
- Bats that are unable to fly.

Rabies is transmitted by an infected animal's biting or licking. The victim's body through a break in the skin, or rarely, through mucous membranes (eyes, nose, throat).

Rabies affects the central nervous system. It may take from 10 days to over a year to develop, however, exposed people can be successfully treated before the development of symptoms by a series of vaccinations, according to Dr. Alexander.

Man and all mammals are susceptible to rabies. The infection is detected by laboratory examination of the suspect brain tissue.

Wildlife rabies is a major source of infection for domestic animals, including pets. The disease may be transmitted to man either by infected wild or domestic animals.

Alexander said in the early stages of the disease, the personality of pets may change. A normally friendly dog may stay alone, another may begin to seek more attention. Some animals scratch at the place the virus entered their bodies.

Later, symptoms follow a "furious" pat-

tern, a "dumb" (paralytic) pattern, or a combination of both.

"Furious" symptoms include excitement, viciousness, roaming, unusual noises, and a tendency to attack anything attracting the animal's attention. Such animals may snap at anything, including themselves. They tend to "drool", and their saliva may be mixed with blood. They may swallow objects such as stones and sticks. These symptoms progress to paralysis and, eventually death, he said.

"Dumb" symptoms include difficulty in chewing, swallowing, and drinking, or trouble walking. An animal may not be able to close its mouth. People have been exposed, said Burns, by trying to clear the throats of such animals, which may seem to be choking. Paralysis spreads throughout the body until death. Parts paralyzed by rabies are limp, not rigid or stiff.

If bitten by an animal, treat the bite as if the animal were rabid. Immediately cleanse the wound thoroughly by washing with soap and water. Rinse well and disinfect with alcohol, iodine or other disinfectants, she said, and see a doctor immediately.

Burns said the incident should be reported immediately to the local health officer and animal control agency.

She said if possible, have the biting dog or cat tested for rabies or placed under observation.

More than one million people are bitten each year in the United States, she said, and about 30,000 require anti-rabies treatments.

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SHOOTING

After interviewing the injured teen at the hospital, Young said officers went to the Ward Street residence to recover the weapon. No one was there at the time, so police went back to the residence at about 7 p.m.

When the door was opened, officers smelled a strong odor of marijuana. When asked if there was marijuana in the house, Young said, the residents admitted smoking marijuana.

Amanda Nichole Jenkins, 19, 520 N. Ward, and Richard H. Leger, 19, 1601 W. Somerville #514, were arrested at the residence. Each were charged with possession of marijuana under 2 ounces and placed in

Gray County Jail.

Justice of the Peace Kurt Curfman set bond this morning at \$1,000 each for Jenkins and Leger. Both remained in Gray County Jail at press time today.

Another teen who lived at 513 N. Ward, Robert Lee Leger, Jr., 18, was arrested shortly after 9 p.m. by the Gray County Sheriff's Office and charged with escape from custody. Deputy Morse Burroughs said the escape charge stems from violations of Leger's parole terms. Leger is on parole from the Texas Youth Commission (TYC) after being convicted of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle.

Curfman denied bond for Leger on the escape charge and set a \$500 bond on two traffic charges out of Leon County. Leger remained in jail at press time today.

Gene therapy restores vision in dogs with genetic disease

NEW YORK (AP) — Using gene therapy, scientists have restored vision in dogs with a version of a rare disease that blinds human infants. The work may lead to treatments for several genetic forms of blindness.

The dogs had a version of Leber congenital amaurosis, an untreatable condition that causes near total blindness in infancy. Perhaps 10,000 Americans have it, and about 1,000 of them have the particular genetic defect corrected in the dogs, said researcher Dr. Jean Bennett.

If the gene therapy works in Leber patients, it might pave the way for treating a variety of hereditary vision diseases that strike the retina, known collectively as retinitis pigmentosa, which affects 100,000 to 200,000 Americans, said Dr. Gerald Chader, chief scientific officer of the Foundation Fighting Blindness.

"It should open the floodgates," said Chader, whose organization helped finance the research.

Bennett, an associate professor of ophthalmology the University

of Pennsylvania, and colleagues report their experiments on three Briard dogs in the May issue of the journal Nature Genetics.

She said she hopes initial experiments in people can begin within about two years.

The dogs were blind because they lacked a particular gene. Without it, their eyes could not make a pigment necessary to perceive light. The therapy was designed to deliver working copies of the gene to their eyes.

Researchers used eye surgery to deliver a dose of the gene, carried by a virus that deposited the gene within eye cells. They treated one eye in each animal and used the other eye for comparison.

Four months after treatment, several tests showed the animals had regained at least some sight in the treated eye. Most dramatically, the dogs were allowed to wander in a room cluttered with furniture. The dogs were much better at avoiding objects on the same side of their bodies as the treated eye than on the other side.

The dogs also seemed to be using the treated eye to look around, Bennett said.

Researchers also measured how much the dogs' pupils contracted in response to light. The treated eyes showed a better response than untreated eyes did, although it was not as good as normal dog eyes show.

The treatment's effects have lasted nine months so far, Bennett said.

On the Net: www.blindness.org is The Foundation Fighting Blindness

Mayor-elect runs into opposition, strikes deal

DIXMOOR, Ill. (AP) — A convicted felon who was elected mayor by one vote struck a deal to take office next month, but not without opposition from critics who threatened to have him arrested if he entered the town hall.

The Rev. Donald Luster drove to the Dixmoor Village Hall on Thursday, apparently intent on taking office. Instead, he spent most of the day parked across the street before reaching a compromise with the current mayor.

"We will begin to restore the luster to a once-vibrant village," Luster told throngs of reporters and supporters.

Shooting kills two

HOLLYWOOD, Fla. (AP) — A pistol-wielding man opened fire from an apartment building Friday, killing one person and wounding two others before he was shot to death, police said.

One of the wounded was believed to be a pregnant woman, Lt. Tony Rode said.

Helicopter television cameras showed one wounded person being taken away by police, who set up a perimeter for two blocks around the Town House Apartments.

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Girl Scouts celebrate 89th birthday

Pampa Girls Scouts and their families recently gathered at M.K. Brown Auditorium for the "We're All Stars" Girl Scout Banquet.

Brownie Girl Scout troop #77 adult leaders Marvella Collins and Evelyn Noble opened the celebration by presenting the American and Texas flags.

Cindy Cooper, Service Unit manager, welcomed everyone and Kenneth Shirley was MC for the night. Special guests were invited to the celebration. Those in attendance were Darlene Birkes, a Girl Scout Women of Destination, Curt Beck and Dr. Wil Beck.

Vikki Shackett, Donna Kane and Jennifer Marez, leaders of Brownie troop #255, led the group in the Girl Scout Promise and Junior Girl Scout troop #435 leaders Dauna Wilkinson and Paula Goff, led a Girl Scout grace.

At the conclusion of the celebration, Troop #516 leaders Amy Shirley and Kenneth Shirley presided over a "friendship circle."

(Special photos)
Pampa Girls Scouts and their families recently gathered at M.K. Brown Auditorium for the "We're All Stars" Girl Scout Banquet. Top: Susan Furgason with Kaitlyn O'Brien, Chelsea Mayer, Elissa Holland, Kolbi Furgason, Laci Hernandez, Teaira Jordan, Jennifer Hendricks and Rachel Heuston. Bottom: Amy Shirley with Courtney Shirley, Chrissy DiTirro, Mikala Furgason, Kolbi Furgason and Lynsie Guyer.

'TEXAS' gearing up for 36th season

CANYON — Changes abound with the upcoming 36th Season of "TEXAS" Musical Drama. 2001 brings to the Pioneer Amphitheatre new performance nights, new artistic direction, returning cast, the state-of-the-art sound and light booth and much, much more.

The 35th Season brought to "TEXAS" its 3 millionth visitor, with visitors from around the world, helping total attendance figures gain 3 percent above 1999. Continuing its reign as "Best Attended Outdoor Musical Drama," its designation as the Official Play of the State of Texas, and the repeated honor of being one of American Bus Association's Top 100 Attractions, "TEXAS" remains a panhandle treasure.

The Texas Panhandle Heritage Foundation, the non-profit producer of the drama, is proud to announce its most recent addition. New Artistic Director Royal Brantley brings together his staff including Assistant Director Perry Crafton; Music Director Dr. Joe Ella Cansler; Production Manager John Landon; Choreographer Jose Ochoa; Lighting Designer James Kemmerling; and Audio Designer D. Scott Linder. This talented group shares gathered years of experience and looks forward to new creativity with the production.

Returning cast members bring enthusiasm, pride and guidance to this new season. Stephen Crandall, in his third year, will again bring personality and life to the eye catching Calvin Armstrong. Uncle Henry will be portrayed by 12-year "TEXAS" veteran Steve Hilton, with Cloyce Beard-Stradley and her 13-years of "TEXAS" experience returning to join him as Aunt Anna. Dennis McMenamy, with 16 years of experience and best

known for his portrayal of Uncle Henry from 1993-98, returns to as the infamous Tucker Yelldehl.

"TEXAS" has realized the need of its audiences and adjusted its calendar for guest convenience, opening nightly except Wednesdays. This summer's 36th Season runs June 7-Aug. 19, 2001.

Wells Fargo's sponsorship brings additional dramatic pyrotechnics to "TEXAS" week-long Fourth of July celebration, which will include a special "Wednesday" performance.

Cattle Call is on board again as the barbecue caterer. Barbecue is available from 6-8 p.m. before each performance.

Guests can take a back stage tour of a professional production. Have you ever seen a duck put on his make-up? A donkey comb his hair? Come see what it takes for the TEXAS company to go on stage!

The Vacation Package program is again making one-stop shopping travel arrangements easier for busy tourists. Visit several area venues, arrange your hotel accommodations and visit "TEXAS" in the beautiful Palo Duro Canyon by making just one call.

Phase II of the Amphitheatre renovation and the dream of a new state-of-the-art sound and light booth is close to realization with combined grants and donations. Through the hard work of TPHP's grant-writing team and generous personal contributions, the goal of \$505,065 needed to complete this great endeavor is close to being met. Production starts in the fall of 2001 and will conclude in time for the 37th season, 2002.

For more information on "TEXAS," or to order your tickets, call (806) 655-2181 or visit www.texasmusicaldrama.com on the World Wide Web.

West Texas A&M to honor professors emeriti

CANYON — Seven retired faculty members will each receive the title Professor Emeritus and as such will forever remain on the faculty rolls of West Texas A&M University where they served for a combined total of almost 200 years. The announcement will be made and the seven will be honored at the end-of-the-year faculty meeting scheduled to begin at 10 a.m. Wednesday, May 2 in Room 101 of the Agriculture and Natural Sciences Building.

The honorees, in alphabetical order, are:

• Dr. Horace Bailey, 25 years of service—Dr. Horace Bailey was appointed head of the biology department in 1972. In 1986, he was named dean of the College of Agriculture, Nursing and Natural Sciences, a position he held until his retirement in 1997. Under his leadership, degrees in agriscience and environmental science were added to the curriculum.

• Dr. James B. Davis, 30 years of service—Dr. James B. Davis was an outstanding department head and accounting professor during his tenure. His most lasting legacy, however, will be his involvement in the administration of a \$2.5 million federal grant that provided for the computerization of the WTAMU campus. Davis retired in 1998.

• Martha Estes, 25 years of service—Martha Estes was instrumental in the development of West Texas A&M's music therapy program, which remains one of a few such programs in the state. She also introduced music therapy to the Amarillo medical and public school communities and remains active and involved in her chosen discipline both nationally and internationally. She retired in 1998.

• Dr. Mary O. Gill, 27 years of service—Dr. Mary O. Gill was an associate professor of Spanish when she retired from the University in 1997. During her tenure, she was involved in the revision of the Spanish curriculum, assisted local public schools with their bilingual programs, was considered an exemplary and

enthusiastic teacher and actively participated on University committees.

• Dr. Harry Haines, 20 years of service—Dr. Harry Haines spent two decades as head of the Department of Music and Dance. Under his leadership, on-campus events for high school students were developed and WTAMU faculty and students were encouraged to perform in both on- and off-campus venues. Haines, who is still highly regarded in music education circles, retired in 1997.

• Richard Jackson, 31 years of service—Richard Jackson joined the WTAMU faculty in the fall of 1966 and immediately became a student favorite for his caring and challenging teaching style. He directed the criminal justice program during its early years and laid the groundwork for a recently approved master's degree program. Jackson retired in 1997.

• Dr. J. Pat Stephens, 35 years of service—Dr. J. Pat Stephens was responsible for establishing the University public administration program and was known throughout the state for his expertise in municipal government. Stephens practiced what he preached and served the community as a Canyon city commissioner for many years. He retired from WTAMU in 1998.

West Texas A&M initiated the professors emeriti program in 1992. Since then, professor emeritus titles have been conferred upon 52 faculty members. (The 2001 class will make 59.) Retired faculty of two or more years with at least 10 years of full-time service to the University are eligible for nomination by current WTAMU faculty members and administrators with faculty rank. The prime selection criterion for awarding the professor emeritus title is "a significant contribution through long and distinguished service to the University in administration, teaching, research and professional service."

A reception, beginning at 9:30 a.m., will precede the 10 a.m. faculty meeting.

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THE FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN COWBOYS

The Fellowship of Christian Cowboys potluck will meet on the fourth Saturday of each month at 6 p.m. in the Clyde Carruth Pavilion. For more information, contact Keven Romines at 665-8547 or Jim Greene at 665-8067.

PAMPA FINE ARTS ASSOCIATION

Pampa Fine Arts Association Board of Directors will meet at 6 p.m. the third Thursday of each month at Pampa Community Building.

SHRINE CLUB

Pampa Shrine Club holds a covered dish meeting at 7 p.m. every third Friday of each month at the Sportsman's Club on South Barnes.

PAMPA TAKEDOWN CLUB WRESTLING

Pampa Takedown Club Wrestling for youth 5-15 years of age. Practice is at 900 N. Frost. Season starts Sept. 25 through February. For more information, call Rick Ughurhat at 665-8321.

MAGIC PLAINS CHAPTER ABWA

Magic Plains Chapter of the American Business Women's Association will meet at 6:30 p.m. the second Monday of each month at Furr's Cafeteria. Working business women are invited to attend. For more information, call Pat Winkleblack at 669-7828 or Estelle Malone at 669-9614.

PRE-SCHOOL STORY HOUR

Lovett Memorial Library will sponsor a pre-school story hour at 10 a.m. every Tuesday this spring beginning Jan. 9. The free program is open to children 18 months to 5 years of age and will include stories, crafts and other activities. No registration is required. For more information, call the library at 669-5780.

CPF

Cerebral Palsy Foundation is seeking families with children (birth to age 12) affected by cerebral palsy in an effort to establish a chapter in the area. CPF offers financial and emotional support as well as many free services. For more information, call 1-888-872-7966 toll-free.

CLASS OF 1961

Pampa High School Class of 1961 will hold its 40th class reunion this year. Anyone interested in helping plan and organize the event should contact Zip Swaney at 665-5532.

BEEF AMBASSADOR CONTEST

Top O' Texas CattleWomen is seeking youth between the ages of 15-19 to compete for the Beef Ambassador Award. For more information, contact Amy Brainard at (806) 323-6397.

PAS DANCE

A Pampa Area Singles dance is slated from 8-11 p.m., April 28 at Family Life Center behind First Christian Church. Bring snacks. Entertainment will be by Mike Porter. For more information, call 665-7059.

TIMELESS TREASURES QUILT GUILD

Timeless Treasures Quilt Guild will conduct its quarterly meeting beginning with registration at 9:30 a.m., Saturday, April 28 at the Presbyterian Church in Guymon, Okla. Activities will include a lecture/trunk show and a three-hour workshop with Jackie Robinson. Cost of the workshop is \$20. Robinson will also facilitate a workshop from 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Friday, April 27 for a \$30 fee. To register for the workshop or for more information, contact Ellen Grice at (580) 349-2516.

ACS LOOK GOOD ... FEEL BETTER

The American Cancer Society will present the program "Look Good ... Feel Better" from 1-3 p.m. May 5 at the ACS office at 3915 Bell Street in Amarillo. The program is aimed at helping cancer patients cope with the unpleasant side effects of cancer treatments. Cosmetology professionals will demonstrate techniques how to compensate for hair loss through the use of turbans and scarves. To register or for more information, call the ACS at (806) 353-4306.

PROCUREMENT WORKSHOP

The Panhandle Regional Planning Commission Contract Procurement Center in Amarillo will host a special Procurement Workshop Wednesday, May 2, at Sunset Convention Center in Amarillo. Registration will begin at 8 a.m. Topics will include: Contract and Contracting Opportunities; SBA's Role in Government Procurement; E-Commerce Program; B2B Bridging the Digital Divide; and One-on-One Consultation with Agencies. Deadline to RSVP is Monday, April 30. For more information, call (806) 373-3268. Cost of the workshop is \$20 per person.

WHEELER CAR SHOW

Wheeler Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the Fifth Annual Wheeler Car Show and the annual Wheeler City-wide Garage Sale on Saturday, May 5 in Wheeler. Registration for the car show, which will be held on the Square in Wheeler, will be from 9 a.m.-12 noon. Awards will be announced at 4 p.m. Entry fee for the show is \$10. Competition is divided into seven classes: Pre-40, 40-49, 50-59, 60-69, 70-up, Pickups and Special Interest. To pre-register or for more information, contact Wheeler Chamber of Commerce at 826-3408.

QUILT FESTIVAL AND MOTHER'S DAY MARKET

The City of Boerne will be the site of the Fifth Annual Airing of the

Quilts as well as a Mother's Day Weekend Market. The quilt festival is slated May 5 and the Mother's Day Market May 12-13. For more information or to exhibit in the market, contact David Querbach at (830) 816-1796 or at (830) 249-5530.

CAREERS ON WHEELS DAY

Frank Phillips College in Borger will sponsor "Careers on Wheels Day" from 9 a.m.-2:30 p.m., Tuesday, May 8 in Borger's Aluminum Dome. The event, open to third, fourth and fifth grade students, explores businesses that utilize trucks, cars and jeeps such as the U.S. Postal Service and local police departments. For more information, contact Melissa Fletcher at FPC at (806) 274-5311, ext. 785 or 1-800-687-2056, ext. 785.

AC THEATRE SCHOOL

Amarillo College Theatre School will present "Cheaper by the Dozen" May 11-13 in Ordway Auditorium, 22nd and Washington, Amarillo. The presentation is under the direction of Linda Dee Hughes and is being sponsored by Family Photo. Tickets are \$7 for adults and \$5 for children 12 and under. For reservations, call (806) 371-5353.

FPC EE CLASSES

Frank Phillips College in Borger is offering the following extended education classes: PC-EZ (May 1); Genealogy for Seniors (May 1-June 17); Better Kid Care Workshop (May 3); Internet Genealogy Search (May 5-June 23); Better Kid Care Workshops (May 3); Internet Genealogy Search (May 5-June 23); Basic Life Support-Adult CPR, Infant/Child CPR, Bloodborne Pathogen, AED and First Aide (May 5); MX EXCEL (May 5-June 7). For more information, (806) 274-5311 or 1-800-687-2056, ext. 777.

JSL FUND-RAISER

Junior Service League of Pampa will host "Party on the Prairie" barbecue and dance June 9 at the Clyde Carruth Pavilion at Recreation Park in Pampa. Tickets for the charity benefit are \$50 per couple. The dinner will be catered by Clint and Sons Smokehouse.

FPC INFO

Frank Phillips College will man an Information Booth from 5-7 p.m. Monday-Friday on the second floor of the Library Building on campus. For more information, call 1-800-687-2056, ext. 707.

RSVP ADVISORY COUNCIL

An exciting opportunity is on the horizon for a Pampa-area resident who: 1) Would like to volunteer his/her services for the betterment of

their community; and 2) can travel to Amarillo once a month to attend scheduled meetings after 5 p.m. Retired and Senior Volunteer Program, or RSVP, a national organization with an office in Amarillo, has an opening for an Advisory Council position to represent the Pampa community. Pampa has been represented since 1992, and a lot of positive things have been done, including increased volunteer participation and the addition of more volunteer stations (locations where the volunteers work). Gray Co. is but one of 11 counties served by RSVP's Amarillo office, and representation from our own area is important. The Advisory Council term would be for two years, starting at the end of March, and is not limited to someone who is 55-years-old or older. Interested in senior volunteerism? Interested in improving Pampa's social services? For more information or to receive an application, call Amarillo RSVP Director Nova Neuhaus toll-free at 1-877-373-8389.

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC

The Texas Department of Health will be offering immunization clinics for vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases including polio, diphtheria, lock jaw (tetanus), whooping cough (pertussis), measles, rubella, mumps, HIB (haemophilus influenzae Type B) and chickenpox (varicella). Flu vaccines will also be offered at designated clinics. The TDH will charge money to help with the cost of keeping the clinic open. The amount charged will be based on family income and size, and the ability to pay. The following clinics will be offered: 9:30 a.m.-12 noon and 1-4 p.m., April 18, Pampa Immunization Clinic, 736 Cuyler, Pampa; 10 a.m.-12 noon, 1-3 p.m., April 5, Canadian School, Canadian; 9:30 a.m., April 17, Groom School, Groom; 2-4:30 p.m., April 23, McLean Clinic, 211 N. Main, McLean.

LOVETT MEMORIAL LIBRARY

During January, Lovett Memorial Library will offer four introductory hands-on computer workshops: "Computer Comfort I" for beginners; "Computer Comfort II" for individuals who can open and close files and use the mouse; "What is the Internet?"; and "Introduction to E-Mail," for individuals who wish to learn how to establish a free web-based e-mail account. All classes are free but registration is required. Class size is limited to 10, so space is limited. For information, contact the library at 669-5780. The workshops will continue monthly through the spring.

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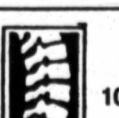
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Church to honor long-time employee

By DEE DEE LARAMORE
Staff Writer

"It's been a beautiful journey — every mile of it," reflects Shirley Winborne.

Winborne believes a "journey" is the best way to describe her 35 years as a staff member of First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), 1633 N. Nelson.

Now that she's at the end of that road, she says she looks forward to spending the rest of her life's journey in retirement with her husband Speck.

Church members and the community plan to honor Winborne for her years of service with a reception in the church parlor at 2 p.m. Sunday, April 29. She will also be recognized at the Sunday morning worship service.

"I started out as such a young mother," she says. "It was a job I grew into and learned."

In the mid-60s, Winborne was hired as church secretary by a committee of church members headed by Clyde Carruth. It was to be her first job outside the home. On her first day in the position, she remembers greeting then-pastor, J.W. Doke, when he returned from a two-week vacation.

"And who might you be?" Doke asked her.

"I'm Shirley Winborne. I'm the new church secretary," she replied.

"I'm J.W. Doke, the pastor here. May I ask who hired you?" he said.

"At that point, I wondered just how long this job was going to last," Winborne laughs at the memory.

Despite the rocky beginning, Winborne's first job evolved into a commitment spanning three and a half decades. Twenty years ago, she had taken on so many responsibilities that her position evolved from church secretary into director of membership.

"The only other (director of membership) in the entire area was in Lubbock," she says. "They sent me to Lubbock for three days. What I learned for three days I was there was what I knew when I started that job."

For the next two decades, Winborne has maintained a thread of continuity, tending selflessly to the needs of the church's 450 members — both new and old. She's kept constantly busy arranging weddings and funerals, bridal and baby showers, baptisms and baby dedications, and visiting the sick, the grieving and the home-bound.

"The baby dedications and the weddings are such beautiful times," she said. "It's such an honor to be a part of such a happy time in these families."

Highlights of her tenure include being named Beta Sigma Phi's Woman of the Year in 1989 and overseeing the church's 75th anniversary celebration in 1984.

"It was a honor being elected Woman of the Year," she says. "And seeing the renovation of the sanctuary (completed in December 2000) was wonderful."

"I've seen such spiritual growth in this community," she adds. "I've seen the community — not just this church — bonded into a strong Christian family."

As director of membership, "I've been with families as they've face many crises and lost many loved ones," she says. "I've been here for three generations of families. What a blessing!"

Another thrill for Winborne, she says "is to see the young ministers come to the church as summer interns or youth ministers, then



Shirley Winborne ... retiring after 35 years.

watch them go out into the world. I've kept up with so many of them."

She also considers it a privilege to have worked with many dedicated senior ministers through the years.

"I learned more under Ralph Palmer about the minister, counseling, even office administration, than most people learn in a lifetime."

An interim minister, Chris Diebel, taught a valuable lesson in compassion and forgiveness to Winborne and the congregation as the church went through a difficult period of change, she says.

"Compassion we learned from him," she says. "Also the spirit of forgiveness. We were going through such a hurting time."

As for her own legacy to the church, Winborne hopes she has helped instill a respect for the past and helped build a strong community of faith.

"I try to remind everybody here, 'Do not forget our heritage,'" she explains. "So many people sacrificed so much for us to have this church. We must never forget that. We must never take anything pertaining to our faith for granted."

She's reminded of a plaque and plant presented to her by one of the Sunday School classes which says "Bloom where you are planted."

"I guess I'm being uprooted and moved to another garden," she muses. "It will be a new lifestyle for me. I'm so used to keeping my eye on my watch all the time, going from one thing to the next. But now I'll have more time with my husband and my grandchildren."

Winborne's youngest son Tommy once called his mother's work "a labor of love."

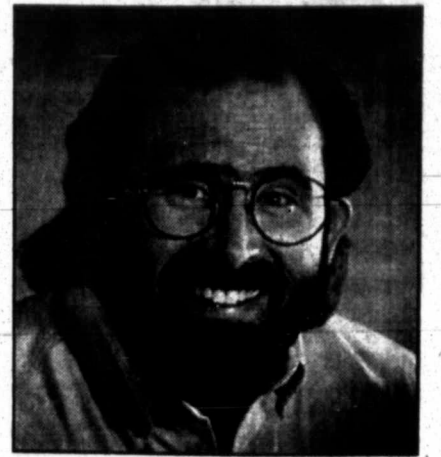
Jon Randles revival speaker at Calvary

Calvary Baptist Church will be hosting Jon Randles in Revival, beginning this Sunday, April 29, at 10 a.m. Jon will also be preaching each evening, Sunday through Wednesday at 7 p.m.

Randles is a gifted communicator and motivational speaker, used throughout the nation to speak to corporations, pro sport teams, and various organizations. Randles is the founder of the Jon Randles Evangelistic Association and travels all year, speaking at many events just like the Calvary Baptist Revival.

The music during the week will feature Raegan Felker from Dalhart and Calvary Baptist's own Praise Band and Praise Singers.

A special feature of the week will be at noon on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. Randles will speak and teach while a hot lunch (costs \$2) is



Jon Randles

served. The noon sessions will begin at 12:15 and end at 12:45.

There is no charge to attend the Revival services and quality child care will be provided through age 4. The church is located at 900 E. 23rd Street, 1 mile east of Walmart.



Hiland Church, 18th and Banks, invites Pampans to come hear the gospel group "Jesus First" perform at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, April 29. Above: Jesus First members Phillip Elsheimer, Charley Wagner, Rhonda Cochran, Kim Butler, Dan Cochran, Bryan McGraw, LaVonne Terrel and Benny Wyant.

Minister's musing ...

The boy was promised a new puppy for his tenth birthday. He had a hard time deciding on the puppy he wanted. Finally he chose the "least" of the group, one whose tail had never stopped wagging all the time he'd been there. When asked why he chose that puppy, he replied, "I want the one with the happy ending."

We all like happy endings — in our movies, our books, our sports, and our lives. However, reality is that we don't always have happy endings in our lives. Sometimes things just don't work out the way we hoped. Many times if we could know the outcome, we would not move forward as we knowingly would never choose an "unhappy ending."

Reading has always been something I have enjoyed. As a child I enjoyed reading the Hardy Boy Mystery books. Sometimes I would get really involved in the book I was reading and something would happen to cause me to have to quit reading it. It seemed almost always to happen when the heroes

By Rev.
Derrell MondayCentral
Baptist Church

were in some life and death situation. Caught up in the tale, I couldn't wait to know if they escaped the situation. I would flip over to the last chapter and glance at its contents. Seeing the Hardy well and active there, I knew that somehow they managed to get out of the problem that seemed so hopeless. I didn't know how or when, but I knew all would be okay. It was a happy ending.

In a way, that's the way life is. We, because of sin, are all in a life and death struggle. The perplexity of life's situations can keep us confused and wondering if we will ever

make it. The wondrous news, at least for those who put their trust and lives in Jesus Christ, is that we can read the last chapter. God's Word gives us the final outcome. When things look like God has lost control and the world is moving toward total devastation, one can open God's Word and turning to the book of Revelation be reminded that the outcome is not in doubt. The victory has been won. A happy ending is assured to all who are in Christ.

Like the mystery mentioned above, the way things work out or the when is not necessarily known, but the fact is settled. God's people come out victorious and celebrate the victory won for them by Jesus Christ. I seldom understand the issues of life and am often tempted to believe defeat is inevitable, but then I read the last chapter. I don't know how it is going to happen or when it is going to happen, but I know beyond any doubt there is a happy ending in store. Put your life in Christ and claim the last chapter, the "happy ending" for yourself.

Zion selects list of beneficiaries for Annual Big 'Z' BBQ, Silent Auction

Based on nominations from congregation members, Zion Lutheran Church has selected seven local and area projects and programs to benefit from the proceeds of its annual Big 'Z' BBQ and Silent Auction.

Every year, money raised at

the event is used to help different projects. This year the funds will go to the Good Samaritan Christian Services, M.K. Brown Boy Scout Camp, Public Service Radio, Red Cross, Southside Senior Citizens Center, Tralee Crisis Center and the "Worth the Wait" program.

The amount of funds each agency will receive depends upon the amount raised, the priority given to the agency and the amount of matching funds that Aid Association for Lutherans will provide in various categories. Aid Association for Lutherans is a fraternal organization whose local branch has supported this event heavily for

many years.

The meal, the country store and silent auction will be from 5-7 p.m. on Saturday, May 5. The event will take place in the Parish Hall of Zion. Zion is located at 1200 Duncan Street. Advance tickets are \$7 for adults and \$3.50 for children (ages 4-10). These can be purchased from the church office at 669-2774 or from any member. Tickets will also be available at the door for the full price of \$8/\$4.

Please come out and enjoy the good food, the fellowship and help us support our community and area. We hope to see you on the 5th!

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Membership is up despite controversy that erupted last summer at the denomination's annual meeting, where delegates approved a reworked "Baptist Faith and Message," the church's doctrinal platform.

Jews complain of vandalism against eruv

TENAFLY, N.J. (AP) — Members of Tenafly's Orthodox Jewish community have reported acts of vandalism against a controversial ritual enclosure.

In several cases, they said rubber strips used to erect an eruv were stripped from utility poles.

An eruv is an enclosure of wires and poles that creates a "fence" extending the domain of Orthodox homes. Its principal benefit is to allow women to push baby strollers in the street while walking to synagogue, and to allow men to carry personal items with them — things normally forbidden on the Sabbath.

While such enclosures are common in northern New Jersey, the eruv in Tenafly has become the center of a legal battle between the town's Orthodox Jewish community and its government.

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Volunteers For Teachers Earn Gratitude and Learn Respect

DEAR ABBY: A few years ago, I discovered an incredible need teachers have. The day after school ended, I had a couple of free hours and impulsively stopped by the school and offered to help my daughter's teacher pack up for the summer. You would have thought I donated an organ! What I did was not hard: We took down bulletin boards, packed books, etc. It was quite enjoyable.

Before school began in the fall, I offered my services again, but this time my 18- and 15-year-old daughters joined me. The teachers nearly named a day after us. We cleaned cubbies, arranged desks, cut out shapes and set out supplies. It doesn't matter if you have one hour or four. It makes a difference.

The most wonderful part was my daughters telling the teachers they had no idea how much work teachers devote to preparing for their pupils.

I recommend this as a wonderful volunteer opportunity. The added benefit was exposing my teen-agers to the "behind-the-scenes" activities of these energetic, committed professional teachers.

KAREN WARREN,
GAINESVILLE, FLA.

DEAR KAREN: A terrific idea. Everyone's a winner when everyone chips in, but why stop there? Schools welcome the continual involvement of parents in their children's education, and that involvement results in more diligent students.

DEAR ABBY: I read in this morning's paper the letter from the

Dear Abby

Is written by Pauline Phillips and daughter Jeanne Phillips.

paramedic who was called to the home where the little boy drowned. It was a sad letter that made my heart ache.

We have a fence around our pool and keep the gate securely locked. Our son knows how to swim and follows the safety rules we have established.

I thought I was a responsible pool owner — until last Mother's Day. We had invited friends over for a cookout and swimming party. We ate in shifts so an adult would always be with the children as they swam.

My friend and I were eating poolside; her husband was in the pool with the children. All four of the little ones (under 5) had taken swimming lessons and were good swimmers. My friend's son was floating on a kickboard. We looked away for a moment, and when we looked back, he was nowhere to be seen. We moved the kickboard, and there he was, trying to come up for

air! Somehow, I managed to reach in and grab him.

We were lucky. He had been holding his breath. In a few more seconds, he would have drowned. All this happened in 3 feet of water, 3 feet from me, and with five adults in the pool area.

Since then, we have added new rules: We now have at least one adult watcher for every three children. This person must be alert at all times and watch the children. We rotate so the same adult isn't always the watcher. If a child can't swim, he or she must wear a life vest, and the parents are responsible for their children the entire time they are in the pool.

Abby, a fence around a pool and a locked gate are mandatory. We had a close call we will never forget. Safety rules must not only be established, but strenuously observed.

LIFEGUARDING MOM
IN PHOENIX

DEAR LIFEGUARDING MOM: There is no telling how many lives you may have saved today because you took the time to write.

Thank you for pointing out that it is not enough to be in the vicinity of a pool — or other body of water — when children are in it. The children must be watched closely at all times.

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By THOMAS JOSEPH

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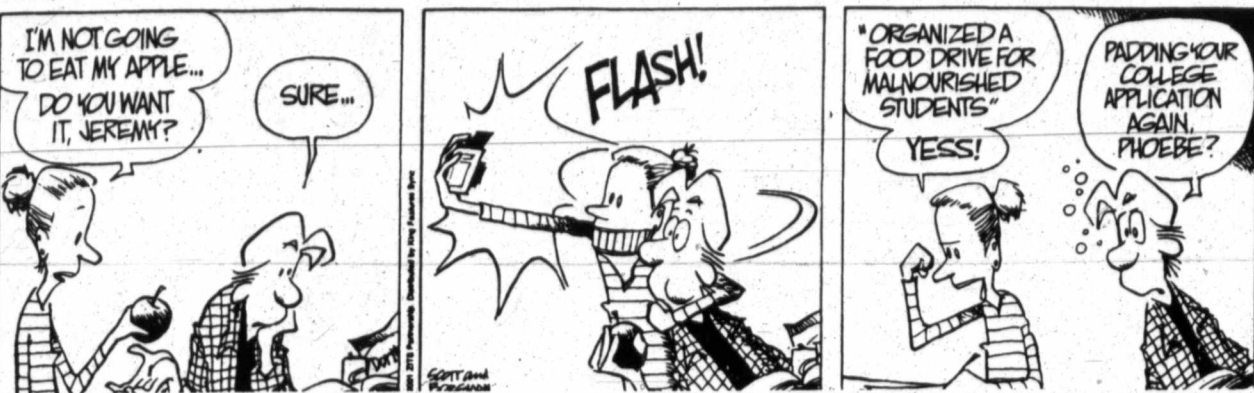
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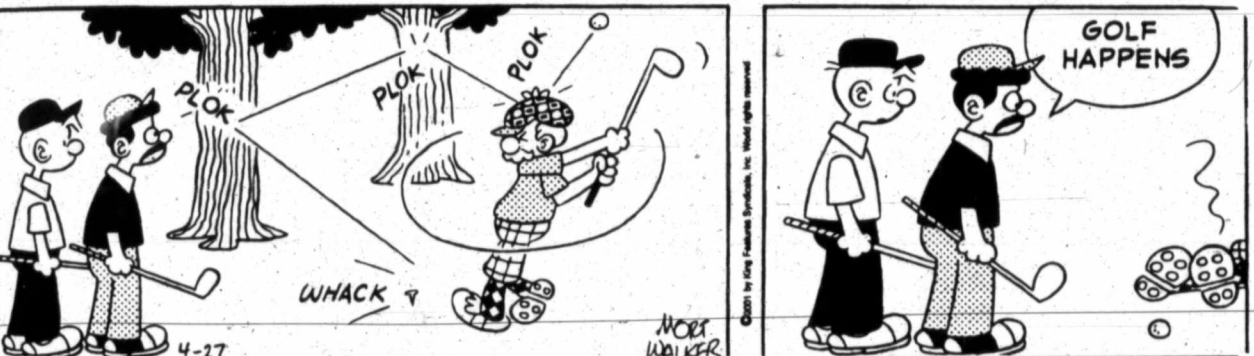
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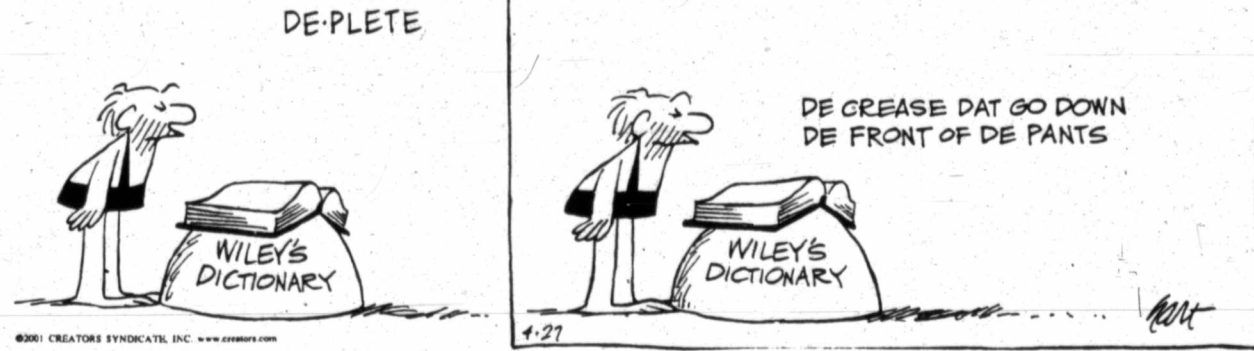
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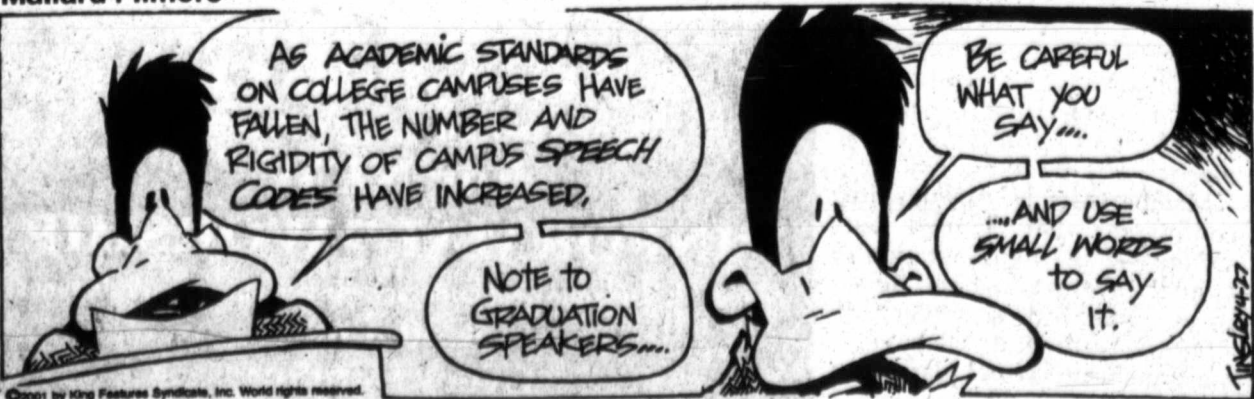
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BASKETBALL

PAMPA — Pampa Academy will sponsor a 3 on 3 Streetball Tournament May 12 at Central Park.

There will be both male and female divisions for the basketball tournament. Call 669-7354 or 665-3005 for more information.

NEW YORK (AP) — Vince Carter finally found reason to smile during a playoff game.

As the capacity crowd at Madison Square Garden started streaming out with about eight minutes left in a lopsided game, Carter sidled up to former teammate Mark Jackson with a wide grin and whispered in his ear for a few seconds.

"That was not taunting or anything," Carter said after he had 22 points and seven rebounds as the Toronto Raptors beat the New York Knicks 94-74 Thursday night to even the first-round series 1-1. "I was just having a good time."

GOLF

GREENSBORO, N.C. (AP) — Scott Simpson, the winner 14 years ago at Forest Oaks Country Club, shot a 6-under-par 66 to take the first-round lead in the Greater Greensboro Chrysler Classic.

Aaron Baddeley, a 20-year-old rising star from Australia, Jerry Kelly, Dudley Hart, Robert Damron, Shaun Michael, Spike McRoy and sectional qualifier Jeffrey Lankford shot 67s.

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Americans Rosie Jones and Tina Barrett shot 4-under 66s to share the first-round lead with Sweden's Carin Koch in the Kathy Ireland Championship.

Jones and Barrett and the other Americans in the field are trying to win for the first time this season after watching foreign players take the first 10 events.

England's Johanna Head and unheralded American Lisa DePaulo were a stroke back along with Canada's Lorie Kane, Scotland's Mhairi McKay and American Leta Lindley.

HOCKEY

DALLAS (AP) — Roman Turek spent two seasons on the Dallas Stars learning the intricacies of goaltending from Ed Belfour and studying the shots of Mike Modano, Joe Nieuwendyk and Brett Hull.

The St. Louis Blues hope he still has his notes.

Turek will take on his old friends when the Blues and Stars meet in a second-round series beginning Friday night.

"It's exciting," Turek said. "Some big stars are still there, but I think they have a lot of new guys. I don't know if it's an advantage for me. It probably doesn't matter."

After winning the Stanley Cup in 1999, the Stars didn't want to give up Turek. But they had little choice. It was either lose him in the expansion draft or trade him for less than market value.

Dallas also had little time. He was dealt to St. Louis for a third-round draft pick only hours after the Stars clinched the cup.

Nonetheless, Turek was part of the parade and pep rally thrown by the city of Dallas a few days later. He received among the loudest cheers when he was introduced, and the organization made a big fuss over him that day.

Turek established himself quickly in St. Louis, leading the Blues to the NHL's best regular-season record. He won the Jennings Trophy for fewest goals allowed in his first season.

But Turek had an awful postseason. Bad bounces and soft goals plagued him as eighth-seeded San Jose stunned St. Louis.

The hangover lasted into this season. Turek struggled and rookie Brent Johnson excelled in his place.

Triangle holds on
for Optimist victory

PAMPA — Fireworks erupted on the scoreboard at Optimist Park Wednesday night in the late game between Cabot Corporation and Triangle Well Servicing in the Cal Ripken 11-12 League. The two teams combined for 14 runs in the first inning, which took 45 minutes to play.

Triangle led 10-4 after one inning and held on to win 10-5.

Bradley Johnson came in to pitch for Cabot with the bases loaded in the first inning and shut Triangle down with only one hit and no runs for the rest of the game. He struck out 12, walked two and hit one batter in a losing cause.

Winning pitcher Colden Fortenberry relieved starter Blake Nusser in the third inning for Triangle, and allowed only one run and two hits the rest of the way. He struck out six and walked one.

Brady Eakin and Shane Davis were the leading hitters for Cabot with two each. Eakin was

robbed in his bid for a third hit with a diving, rolling catch in center field by Jacob Maciel. Dakota Gowin doubled for the only Cabot hit.

Matt Ferguson with two doubles led Triangle's hitting. Billy Bryan also had two hits for the winners. Fortenberry had the only other hit for Triangle.

Cabot roared off to a 4-0 lead in the top of the first inning on doubles by Gowan and Eakin, which were sandwiched around a single by Shane Davis and a walk to Johnson. Eakin scored after two wild pitches.

Triangle took advantage of seven walks, two hit batters, Ferguson's two doubles and the hits by Bryan and Fortenberry to tally 10 runs in the bottom of the first.

Then Johnson and Fortenberry took over, and the fireworks ended.

Cabot will host Glo-Valve at 5:45 today. Triangle plays Celanese at 7:45. Triangle, Rotary, Glo-Valve and Duncan, Fraser & Bridges are all 1-0 after the first games of the season.

Wheeler boys win golf title

LEVELLAND — Wheeler finished with a two-round total of 628 on Thursday to win the Regional 1-1A golf title at the Levelland Country Club.

Dee Alston fired a two-round score of 148 to lead the Mustangs. He was second in the medalist standings.

Sterling City shot 654 to finish second.

Other Wheeler scores were Raymond Gentry, 151, Dirk Chapman 161, Davin McQueen 170 and Brad Frame 171.

Booker won the girls title with a two-round total of 795 at Levelland.

Youth Survival Club boxers
entered in Liberal tourney

PAMPA — Fifteen-year-old Chris (Cookie) Perez is following in the footsteps of other promising Pampa boxers, like Memo Marquez, Danny Bedoya and Ivan Perez.

Perez, who has a 3-1 record, will compete with Ivan Perez, Sam Gamble, Michael Wilkinson, Bobby Sanchez, Larry Clark, Nikki Medley and Joshua Epperson in a tournament this weekend in Liberal, Kan. The Youth Survival Club's boxing team was previously entered in a state olympics meet in Woodward, Okla., but the tournament was canceled.

The Liberal tournament,

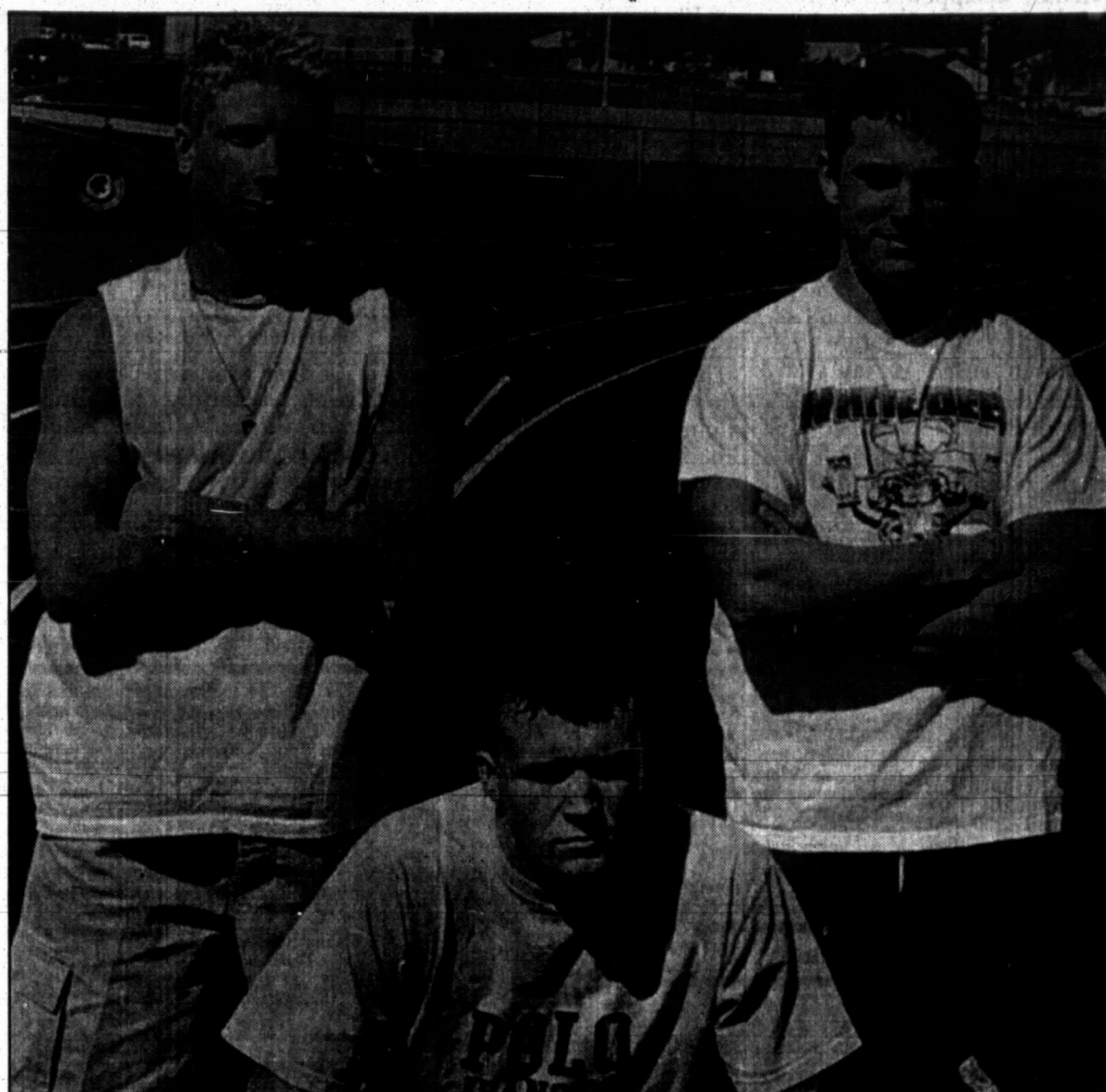
which will be held at the National Guard Armory, is a state invitational smoker.

Both Ivan and Chris Perez are expected to get rematches, according to J.R. Moreno, founder of the Youth Survival Club of Pampa.

"This will be something to see. Cookie stands 6-feet-tall and has that long reach. He is only 15," Moreno said. "He works out every day and is quite an athlete."

Chris Perez holds the regional state championship title along with Ivan Perez, Lewis Aguilar, Nikki Medley, Gamble and Sanchez. Runners-up include Joshua Perez, Jerry Ruiz, Larry Clark,

Regional qualifiers



(Pampa News photo)

Four White Deer athletes will be competing in the Class 1A regional track meet this weekend in Levelland. They are (from left) Drew Hodges, Nick Ball and Aaron McKean. Not pictured is Dustin Harper. Hodges is entered in the pole vault and Ball the discus. The foursome make up the regional-qualifying 400-meter relay team.

Hidden Hills team
notches more wins

PAMPA — Hidden Hills batters came alive in a win over Culberson-Stowers in Optimist girls softball action last week.

Brooklyn Barker and Carlyn Teichmann both hit hard grounders to left field that gave them both inside-the-park home runs. Whitney Wade, Hayley Stegar and Ashley Facio all helped out with doubles.

Pitcher Ashley Facio, first baseman Carlyn Teichmann and second baseman Brooklyn Barker combined for five of the six outs in the first two innings.

Holly Gage was one of the top hitters for Culberson-Stowers.

In another game, Hidden Hills played The Pampa News. Both teams showed outstanding defensive skills.

Hidden Hills held Pampa News to only one run in the first three innings. Kara Stephens, who caught a pop fly at third

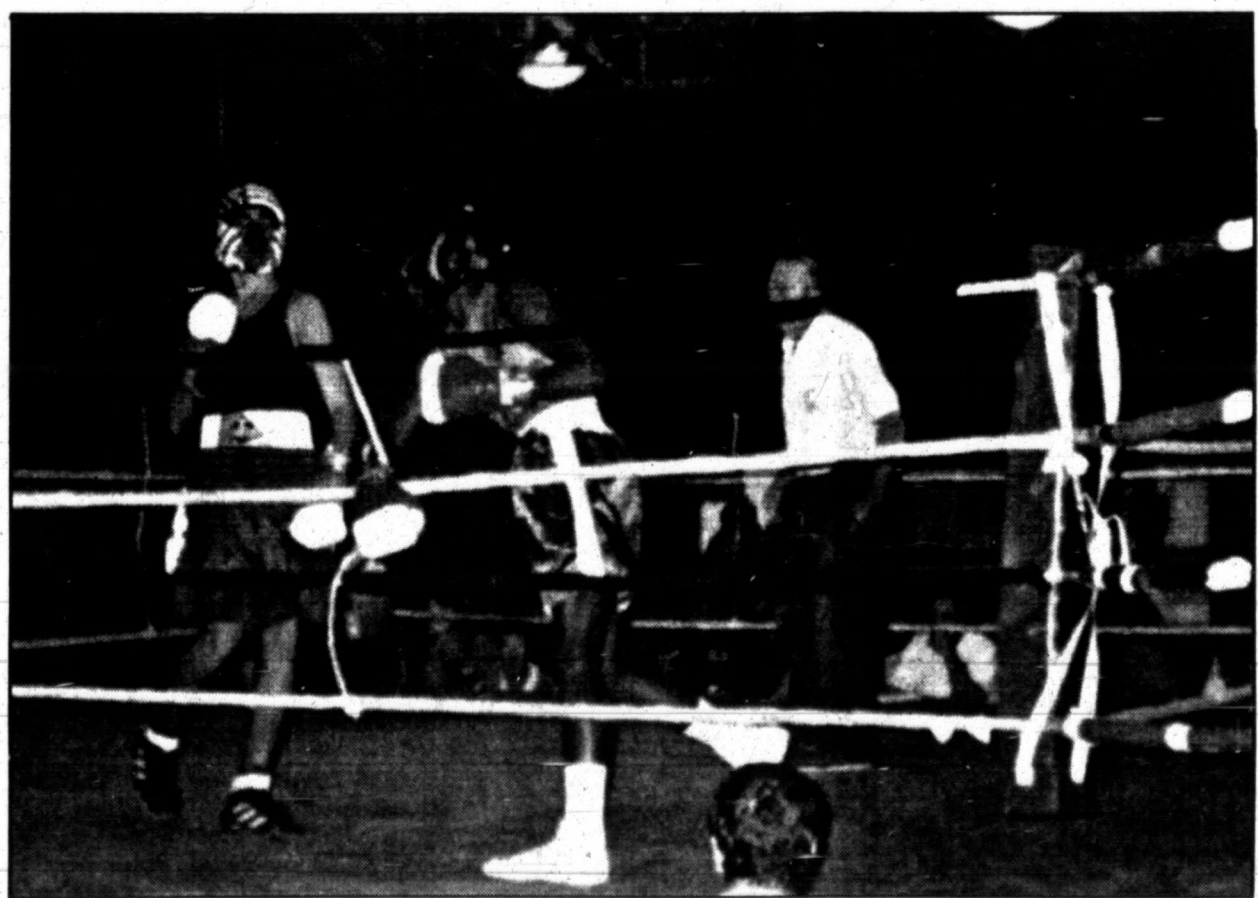
base, along with first baseman Carlyn Teichmann and pitcher Ashley Facio, combined for four outs in the first two innings.

Brooklyn Barker, at second base, threw Teichmann at first base for an out in the second inning.

Good hits were made by Daniela Dominguez, Peyton Alvey and Elizabeth Terry in the second inning to give Hidden Hills an 11-0 lead.

Pampa News held Hidden Hills to only three runs in the first inning and one run in the four inning with good defensive skills displayed by shortstop Jenna Turner, third baseman Ashlee Mixon, first baseman Marticia Davis and pitcher Emilie Troxell.

The Pampa News scored eight runs in the fourth inning with a double from Ashlee Mixon and a triple from Emilie Troxell.



(Special photo)

Chris "Cookie" Perez (right) lands a hard right to a Lubbock boxer in a recent tournament. Perez won all three rounds.

Lawsuit filed against Knight

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. (AP) — Former Indiana University assistant basketball coach Ron Felling filed a lawsuit seeking unspecified damages from Bob Knight and the school.

In the lawsuit, filed Thursday in Indianapolis in U.S. District Court, Felling claimed he was wrongfully fired by Knight in

December 1999. Felling says he was fired after the former Hoosiers coach eavesdropped on a telephone call between Felling and former assistant coach Dan Dakich.

Felling and Dakich were talking about a victory against Notre Dame.

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Boston's Nomo nearly throws another no-hitter in 2-0 win over Twins

By The Associated Press

For six innings, it looked like Hideo Nomo would pitch his second no-hitter of the month.

"I'm not disappointed at all," Nomo said after his bid was broken up by a debateable seventh-inning single Thursday night in Boston's 2-0 win over Minnesota. "I'm very happy the team won."

Right fielder Darren Lewis raced in and slid in a bid to catch Torii Hunter's low drive on the first pitch of the seventh inning.

The ball ticked Lewis' glove, hit the ground and was immediately ruled a single by official scorer Bob Ellis before he checked a video replay. The crowd boomed when the decision was posted on the scoreboard.

"The rules of scoring call for ordinary effort. That was not an

ordinary effort," said Ellis, scoring his first Red Sox game after spending the last five seasons as the scorer for Class-A Lowell of the New York-Penn League. "I felt confident from the moment I saw the play."

Players agreed with the call even though Lewis, an outstanding defensive outfielder, started back before charging in.

"I was fooled by the swing," Lewis said. "I make that play 99 percent of the time."

Nomo, who pitched a no-hitter April 4 at Baltimore in his debut with Boston, allowed just the one hit, struck out eight and walked five in seven innings.

The four pitchers with two no-hitters in a season since 1900 are Johnny Vander Meer with Cincinnati in 1938, Allie Reynolds with the New York

Yankees in 1951, Virgil Trucks with Detroit in 1952 and Nolan Ryan with California in 1973.

In other AL games, it was Seattle 7, New York 3; Oakland 16, Chicago 6; Cleveland 6, Anaheim 5; Detroit 8, Baltimore 2; and Kansas City 6, Tampa Bay 0.

At Fenway Park, Derek Lowe finished with one-hit relief for his third save.

Mike Lansing hit an RBI single in the second off Eric Milton, and Shea Hillenbrand had a run-scoring double in the eighth against Hector Carrasco.

Mariners 7, Yankees 3

Edgar Martinez drove in four runs, including a tiebreaking two-run double in the seventh off Mike Mussina as visiting Seattle stretched its winning streak to

seven.

The Mariners, a major league-best 18-4, took three games in New York, their first sweep of the Yankees since July 25-27, 1997.

Jamie Moyer (4-0) allowed two runs and six hits in six innings, and Arthur Rhodes retired Bernie Williams on a bases-loaded grounder in the ninth for his first

save.

New York, 0-for-8 with runners in scoring position, dropped four games back in the AL East for the first time since Sept. 24, 1997.

Athletics 16, White Sox 6

Eric Chavez hit two homers — the second a 500-foot drive that became the longest in new Comiskey Park history — and

had six RBIs.

Terrence Long also had a three-run homer for the A's, and Miguel Tejada had a two-run shot as Oakland set season highs for runs and hits (17).

Gil Heredia (1-4) got his first win in five starts despite giving up three homers, raising his total to a league-leading 10.

White Deer sisters advance to state

LEVELLAND — Once again, White Deer sisters Cassie Petty and Suni Jo Petty are in the Class 1A state tennis tournament in Austin.

The Pettys defeated Whitney Harris and Heather Chenault of Anton 6-1, 6-1 in the girls doubles finals Tuesday at the regional tournament. They advanced to state in Class 2A last season.

The Pettys reached the finals with a 6-1, 6-3 victory over Mandy Hoelting and Lesley Huseman of Nazareth in the semifinals.

In boys doubles, Nathan Hefley and Richard Rowe of Fort Elliott reached the semifinals with a 6-2, 6-0 win over Erik Hernandez and Justin Lackey of Fort Davis. They lost 6-1, 6-2 to

Landon Weiershausen and Brad Johnson of Knox City in the semis.

In boys singles, Andrew Johnson of Lefors reached the finals with a 3-6, 6-1, 6-0 win over Kevin Benham of Wink. He lost a 6-1, 6-2 decision to Colter Williams of Sudan in the final. In a playback, Johnson lost 6-4, 6-3 to Frank Macario of Shamrock.

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Horoscope

SUNDAY, APRIL 29, 2001 BY JACQUELINE BIGAR

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

ARIES (March 21-April 19) *** Recupate from recent excess-

es and demands. Though the Ram has fiery energy, he can fizzle out. Take your time before making plans. Instead, read the paper and catch up with relatives and friends over the phone. Rent a movie or let your imagination wander. Tonight: Act on your feelings.

This week: Your sunshine encourages others to be themselves. Consider putting on the clamps Wednesday if you intend to accomplish any work.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ***** You might not always have the right answer or solution, but others think you do. Your cool and cautious Taurean demeanor often projects a real savvy. Stretch your mind and body: go on a picnic or explore a new place. Catch up with a neighbor or relative who wants to share news. Tonight: Make it an early night.

This week: Deal with what's important, even if it distracts you from work on Monday and Tuesday. Use your creativity to get beyond obstacles from Wednesday on.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ***** You might want to plug the leak in your checkbook before the dam gives way. Use your mind more than your emotions — a very Gemini thing to do — and you'll succeed. Remember the long-term implications of being frivolous. Plan on a late lunch with a friend! Visit and catch up on news together. Tonight: Enjoy the people in your life.

This week: Don't sit on your duff Monday and Tuesday. Do what you do best: communicate! On Wednesday, consider what to do with a touchy relationship.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ***** Your smile warms others and helps them reveal themselves. Though you might feel tossed into chaos by a partner or some recent craziness, let go. (The Crab has a difficult time releasing feelings.) Learn to understand the emo-

tional pendulum: as high as you can get, as low as you can go. Tonight: Treat another as you feel.

This week: Extravagance often reflects your moods. Curb spending with this hint. Others might not prove especially helpful at work Wednesday or Thursday.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) *** Do not worry about being the epitome of energy. Just go with the flow. The old Leo fire returns by the end of the day, if you don't force yourself. Respond fiery energy, he can fizzle out. Take your time before making plans. Instead, read the paper and catch up with relatives and friends over the phone. Rent a movie or let your imagination wander. Tonight: Act on your feelings.

This week: The planets make you the lead player Monday and Tuesday. Avoid risks of all types Wednesday and Thursday.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ***** Be where your friends are, or at least where there is a crowd. Get into a favorite sport or visit a flea market or art show. Think about an invitation or a potential relationship that could affect your professional life. Express your Virgo devotion to a parent or older relative. A Leo means a lot. Tonight: Catch up on e-mail.

This week: Success follows those who do not need to be in the limelight. That's you! Deal with a difficult roommate or associate either Wednesday or Thursday.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ***** Schedule time with a loved one or friend later in the day. Responsibilities do call, but you are quite capable of handling both if you do the Libran juggling act well. Clear out the haze and start dealing with facts. Ask someone you respect for feedback. Tonight: Party the night away.

This week: Network your way to success Monday and Tuesday. Draft an important document or communication on Wednesday. Ask for help if you need it.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ***** Visit with a friend at a distance or meet halfway. You enjoy yourself wherever you are, as long as you are together. Though you are often secretive, use this moment to share more of yourself. You might feel vulnerable, but if someone doesn't understand you, how is this person not to hurt you? Tonight: Get a head start on the workweek.

This week: Assume your natural role as a leader. Just decide how much energy or

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ***** Be daring. Express what it is you want. Others who initially might not have been responsive to the Winged Horse change their tune. Invite someone out on a special errand or outing. Reconnect on the deep level that you like. A partner or friend has much to share. Help this person loosen up. Tonight: Popcorn and a movie.

This week: Get other opinions and seek out experts. When challenged Wednesday and Thursday, you'll have the answers.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ***** Others continue to seek you out. Decide just how much you want to do. Focus on one person at a time. Popularity soars. Again, be sure of what you want. Sometimes the Goat tries to do too much at once. It's better to pace yourself. Tonight: Snuggle in with a loved one.

This week: Deal with associates one-on-one. Back up your financial statements. Someone plays devil's advocate mid-week. Don't take it personally.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ***** You don't always need to be with friends, socializing away. You can choose to not act like a friendly Aquarian. If you have something on your mind that needs to be handled, do just that! You won't relax, anyway, until you clear up errands or a project. Deal with a child or loved one who might be blue. Tonight: Spin out and do exactly what you want.

This week: Others seek you out. You might not agree, but use your diplomatic skills if you don't want to miss a goal. Work with others.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ***** Understanding what another wants has a lot to do with pulling yourself away from your hunches right now. Invite a child or loved one out for a fun romp. Caring comes from family and loved ones. A discussion might be difficult if it involves a change in routine. Tonight: Get a head start on tomorrow.

This week: Be a power broker Monday and Tuesday. Avoid a difficult associate from Wednesday on. You'll bear the brunt of frustration.

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TABLE 1 — MARCH TEXAS OIL AND GAS DRILLING PERMITS AND COMPLETIONS BY DISTRICT

RAILROAD COMMISSION DISTRICT	PERMITS TO DRILL OIL/GAS HOLES	OIL COMPLETIONS	GAS COMPLETIONS
(1) SAN ANTONIO AREA	52	17	12
(2) REFUGIO AREA	89	17	69
(3) SOUTHEAST TEXAS	111	18	46
(4) DEEP SOUTH TEXAS	164	9	121
(5) EAST CENTRAL TX	55	5	48
(6) EAST TEXAS	99	8	62
(7B) WEST CENTRAL TX	59	23	19
(7C) SAN ANGELO AREA	125	34	60
(8) MIDLAND	212	64	9
(8A) LUBBOCK AREA	105	21	0
(9) NORTH TEXAS	97	21	31
(10) PANHANDLE	56	3	41

TABLE 2 — JANUARY TEXAS TOP TEN OIL AND GAS PRODUCING COUNTIES RANKED BY PRELIMINARY PRODUCTION

COUNTY	CRUDE OIL (BBLs)	COUNTY	TOTAL GAS (MCF)
1. GAINES	3,130,173	1. ZAPATA	26,000,101
2. ANDREWS	2,581,346	2. WEBB	22,277,858
3. YOAKUM	2,572,939	3. PECOS	21,505,196
4. ECTOR	2,264,183	4. PANOLA	20,801,128
5. PECOS	2,071,535	5. HIDALGO	19,448,176
6. HOCKLEY	2,059,448	6. STARR	14,065,562
7. GREGG	1,329,248	7. CROCKETT	12,013,626
8. CRANE	1,189,376	8. WASHINGTON	11,251,040
9. MIDLAND	1,018,168	9. CRANE	9,027,345
10. UPTON	912,748	10. HARRIS	7,263,674

Texas Railroad Commission posts monthly oil and gas statistics

AUSTIN — The Commission issued a total of 1,224 original drilling permits in March 2001 compared to 1,119 in March 2000. Total drilling permits for 2001 year to date is 3,447, up from 2,733 recorded during the same period in 2000. The March total included 944 permits to drill new oil and gas wells, 38 to re-enter existing well bores, and 242 for re-completions. Permits issued in March included 296 oil, 343 gas, 533 oil and gas, 40 injection, and 12 other permits.

Texas preliminary January 2001 crude oil production averaged 1,029,367 barrels daily, down from the 1,084,726 barrels daily average of January 2000. The preliminary Texas crude oil production figure for January 2001 is 31,910,379 barrels, a decrease from 33,626,515

barrels reported during January 2000.

In March 2001, operators reported 240 oil, 518 gas, 14 injection, and one other completion, compared to 454 oil, 379 gas, 32 injection and four other completions during March 2000. Total well completions for 2001 year to date are 2,155, up from 1,953 recorded during the same period in 2000. Operators reported 456 holes plugged and 78 dry holes in March 2001 compared to 407 plugged and 95 dry holes in March 2000.

Texas oil and gas wells produced 450,793,160 Mcf (thousand cubic feet) of gas based upon preliminary production figures for January 2000, up from the January 2000 preliminary gas production total of 445,773,894 Mcf. Texas production in January 2001 came from 144,091 oil and 55,149 gas wells.

Dad's Day



(Special photo)

Lamar Elementary students and their dads, grandfathers or special uncles recently celebrated Dad's Day at the school. Students and their special guests were treated to refreshments and games and the grown-ups to a program led by Todd Carnegay and Joe Martinez. Coordinating the event was Misty Jimenez, parent liaison. Assisting her were Lamar faculty Jan Cory, Doretta Gerber, Stacey Johnson, Cheryl Lewis, Bettye Stokes, Kim West and Cay Warner. Above: Thomas Brown and his third grade daughter, Jessica Brown.

Hot Rod Power Tour to visit fairgrounds in Amarillo

AMARILLO — On Tuesday, May 8, the 2001 edition of the Hot Rod Power Tour will pull into Amarillo's Tri-State Fairgrounds for an outdoor extravaganza. It is free to all who want to take a few hours to renew

America's love affair with the automobile. The cars will start arriving at 2 p.m. and will be on display until 8 p.m.

The tour is celebrating the 75th anniversary of Route 66, and

Amarillo is just one of several stops in a 2,414-mile trip that began in Pontiac, Mich. The tour joins Route 66 in Chicago and then traces the legendary highway to San Bernardino, Calif.

Route 66 was commissioned in 1926. Originally, it was mostly a rough dirt and gravel roadway, interrupted by a collection of paved sections. And it was the mythical Mother Road that carried much of the nation's early westward migration. For more information on the Hot Rod Power Tour stop in Amarillo, call the Amarillo Convention and Visitor Council at (806) 374-1497 or visit www.hotrodpowertour.com on the World Wide Web.

Celebration of Lights scholarship

Celebration of Lights (COL) will be awarding a scholarship to an outstanding COL volunteer. The scholarship will be conferred upon a qualifying student annually.

Celebration of Lights is currently accepting scholarship applications. Eligibility will be based upon volunteer hours by a student or family members as well as class

rank and grade point average.

Applicants may be any Pampa High School student including under-classmen earning dual credit or students currently attending college.

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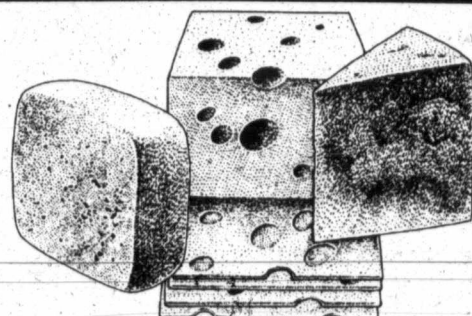
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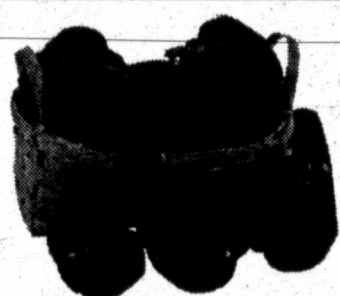
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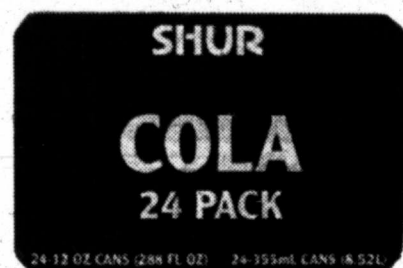


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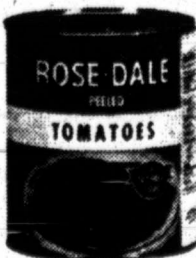
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DUDE LOOKS LIKE A LADY ...



WOE AS ME Senior Taylor Harris won the annual Woe-man contest last Friday despite the stiff competition of his lovely gal pals. See more pictures on this page.

Gettin' Rough

Movie inspires teens to start their own fight clubs

If students seem to be coming to school with more cuts and bruises than unusual it's probably not because of trouble in the home or bad relationships, but from students fighting for entertainment.

Fight clubs is what these students are calling their new found form of entertainment and these privately designed clubs are meeting in secluded areas around town where two will engage in a fight for fun.

Whether students come out of the fight fine or end up halfway passed out or dead, nothing can be done. All fighters are aware of the rules and consequences as follows:

- Don't talk about it.
- No shirts no shoes.
- Only two men to a fight.
- Only one fight at a time.
- First time attending you have to fight.

- Be ready to have your face mangled or die.
- No deadly weapons.
- And if you die or pass out, don't

FIGHTS CONTINUED ON PAGE 3

MIPs SPARK SCHOOL POLICY CHANGE

Two softball players dismissed for off campus MIPs; school looking into honor code for sports, clubs members

By Tim Williams
Staff Reports

What student athletes and club representatives do off campus could start affecting what they do on campus after two softball players were kicked off the team earlier this month for receiving a Minor in Possession of

Alcohol (MIP) as a result of violating a softball policy prohibiting alcohol and drug use.

"The players and parents sign a contract," softball head coach Jamie Green said.

Team policy states that "any proven drug or alcohol use will bring immediate dismissal from the team on

the first violation." Under no circumstances can a player receive an MIP on or off campus and remain on the team.

"I have buried too many of my friends in the cemetery across the street that was drug and alcohol related," Green said.

MIP CONTINUED ON PAGE 3



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLY ELECTED 2001-2002 STUDENT BODY LEADERS INCLUDING PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT GREG EASLEY AND CHRIS LEWIS ...

1 CHEERING LOUDER Taryn Fallon and Ashley Willis show their stuff during the cheerleading tryouts assembly last week **2. I FEEL PRETTY** Senior guys kick it up in the name of fun at the annual Woe-man contest **3. MUSICALLY**

TALENTED The high school's choir department made history when they took 6 honors in competition (see page 2) **4.**

FAKE EXPLOSION Theatre teacher Dean Birkes picks students to participate in emergency simulation (pg. 4)

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NEWS IN BRIEF

• Senior

Development Class

The Senior Development class is beginning popcorn sales. The popcorn will be sold for 25 cents and can be bought by contacting Jarilyn Wichert in the Senior Development Department. "The kids are so cute making change and delievering popcorn," Wichert said.

• Yearbook

After this time, the only 2001 yearbook available will be those few sold during yearbook distribution day in the main gym on Friday, May 18 for \$60.

So come check the publication department's yearbook order list and see if you have ordered yours through the mail. Or put your name on the waiting list for the May delivery.

• Choir Dept.

All six PHS choirs won sweepstakes awards at UIL Concert and Sightreading Contest on April 10 and 11 at WTAMU. The choir trip to New York will be May 3-7, and the banquet will be May 12.

• D-FY-IT

Sign-ups for the "Prom Promise Pledge" will take place in the main lobby the week before prom.

This is a pledge students make to be alcohol and drug free and is a way for them to show their continued commitment to keep their pledge. You do not have to

attend prom to sign the pledge.

Also, thank you to the D-FY-IT advisory board member who helped make the Decades Dance a success. They were Rhianna Anglin, Kira Chumbley, Michael Cornelison, Aaron Fernuik, Sarah Fraser, Michelle Lee, Collin Lewis, Evan Miller, Josh Miller, Amy Robbins, Sara Scott, Ande Shank, Lucas Oliva and Katherine Zemanek with a BIG THANK YOU going to Leslee Ammons and Janelle Powers who worked hard collecting prizes and decorating.

• Swimming

These are the swimmers that made an all state team based on their best swimming times this year: Andrea Branchetti, Kelly Stowers, Misty Moman, Tamra Henthorn, Willie Griffin, Joe Johnson, Megan David, Clay David, Doug Warren, Ben Whitten.

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In this Issue

In this issue we take an in depth look into jobs and careers on pages 8 and 9.

Reporters followed business people in the community and observed the jobs of the "Real World" in order to help readers

decide on a possible career.

We also take a journey into the secret underworld of fight clubs on page 1.

Reporter Adrian Alva discovered high school teens in this area have developed fight

clubs inspired by the movie.

You also might check out the story about the up and coming senior prom on page 12. There is also a "male perspective" of the prom dress buying process on page 6.

And don't miss the staff editorial -- a close 5-4 staff majority voted is represented in this column on why there should be a "No Tolerance" policy concerning off-campus MIPs for school athletes and representatives.

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MIP policy:

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"They thought one drink, one joint, wasn't that bad, and the truth is drugs and alcohol kills on the first try sometimes."

This year, it has been left up to each campus organization and team to decide whether or not to remove a player or student from their perspective organization.

Some coaches have policies that give their players a second chance.

"I think the coaches that let their players play after receiving an MIP are more worried about their win/loss record than about the players," Green said.

Other organizations share the same stand on students alcohol abuse as the softball team.

"The PHS golf team has a code of conduct which addresses alcohol use," sophomore Megan Shannon said. "If an athlete on the golf team gets an MIP, it's an automatic discharge from the team."

However, some coaches said that there are circumstances where the players need the organization more than the organization needs them.

According to Assistant Principal Daniel Barker, the school will establish a school wide policy sometime in the next week or two addressing the matter after questionnaires have been sent to teachers and faculty schoolwide as a way of measuring campus opinion on the matter.

"Some sponsors have been strict while others have been relaxed, our goal is a policy all sponsors can use," Barker said.

Some sponsors said that the only affective policy would be no tolerance.

"I think that a zero tolerance policy is the only way to go because these athletes are representing the school, community, and themselves and should be held to a higher stan-

dard," Green said.

Administrators also said they felt that students who participate in extra-curricular activities should be held accountable.

"If students expect to participate in activities, there will be a level of expectation," Barker said.

Some school organizations are going to establish their own policy in the wake of the MIP's.

"I don't have a code of conduct but I will next year," theater arts director Dean Birkes said.

However, students are divided over whether a schoolwide policy will discourage or prevent students from drinking.

"Students want to have fun," senior Eric Chavez said. "Besides, there would be a way to work around it (no tolerance policy)."

Other students said that the policy would only make the students, especially those in athletics or student organizations, more cautious.

"If people want to drink, they will; their strategies for not getting caught will just get more creative," Shannon said.

Fight Club: Continued from Pg. 1

-expect medical attention.

Whether or not the majority of people believe movies truly affect life or not, the origins of these fight clubs are in fact from Brad Pitt's hit movie "Fight Club."

However, students not involved in the clubs don't agree with those who are joining these groups.

"Go join a boxing club if you want to fight," freshman Kelly Jo Mitchell said.

Although there may be other alternatives to fighting, students are not taking advantage of them.

One fight club member, who discussed the rules of his club, wouldn't give his name saying if he were revealed he could get kicked out of the club.

The anonymous fight club member also said that if someone were to actually pass out or die, there would be no guilt from the other members involved. He claims that it's all part of the game.

Some students are saying that if they found out that their friends were involved in a fight club, they would view them in a new light.

"I'd look at them in a differently," freshman Neysha Rodgers said. "I would ask them why they were doing it and tell them that I thought it was stupid."

To many people that seems to be the big question: why are students doing this? The excuse of nothing to do in Pampa comes up as the answer.

"Pampa is just a pot hole town," Mitchell adds. "There is nothing to do so people turn to violence."

Although some blame it on the size of Pampa and its smaller economy, freshman Zack Cain, an actual fight club member, says he does it because it is therapeutic.

"Something that is therapeutic is meant to heal not harm your body," freshman Carrissa Cegar said in response. "If they want therapy they should go take a hot oil bath or do Yoga"

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Sarita Reeve named 2001 high school teacher of the year

By SHAUNA BROADDUS

Freshman English teacher Sarita Reeve was named Pampa High School's 2001 Teacher of the Year.

Each year, teachers nominate

Drama students to take part in explosion emergency simulation

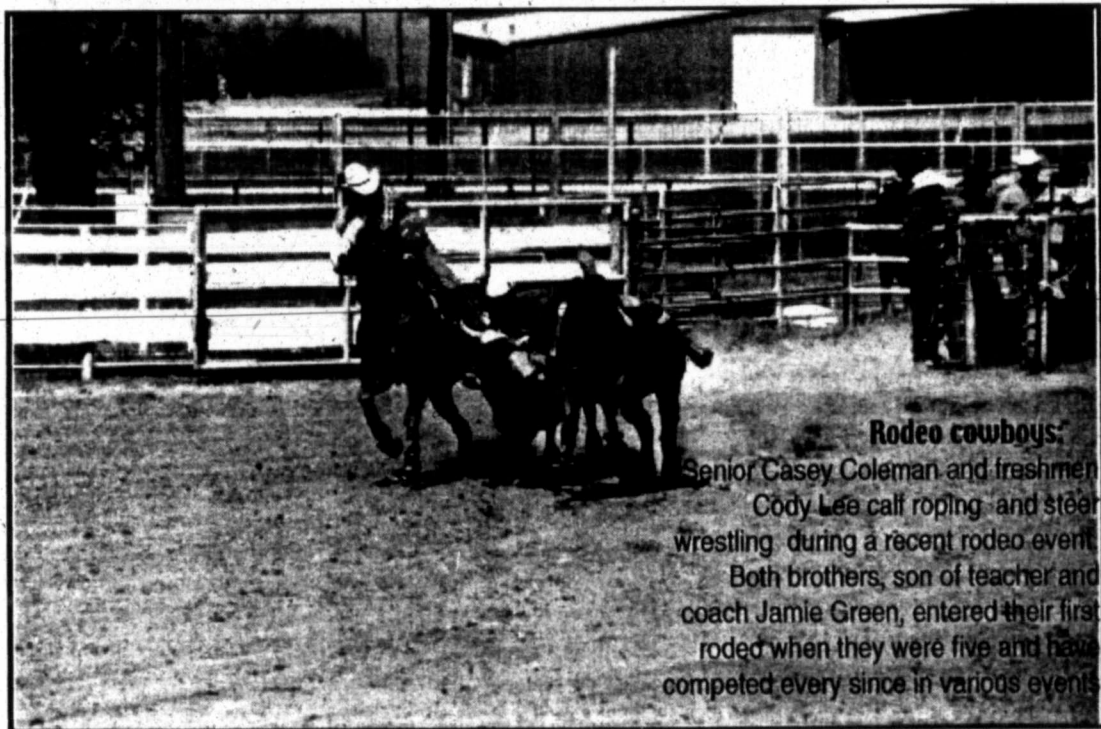
A simulation using 35 high schoolers will be conducted next week from 9 to 11:30 a.m. on May 1 out at Hidden Hills Golf Course.

Students will act as injured, dead,

one of their peers. This year, Reeve was nominated by Sherry Seabourn.

"It's an honor to be voted by your peers. I feel like there are a lot of teachers that are deserving more so than I am," Reeve said.

or dying victims and others will be spectators. The event will last from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. Dean Birkes has chosen the students that will participate.



Rodeo cowboys:

Senior Casey Coleman and freshman Cody Lee calf roping and steer wrestling during a recent rodeo event. Both brothers, son of teacher and coach Jamie Green, entered their first rodeo when they were five and have competed every since in various events.

Juniors make FCCLA history when elected for state level

By TISHA PLATT

Junior Justin Lemons made history when he was appointed as the first male state president of the Future Career Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) organization.

In addition, junior Dustin Johnson was also appointed state vice-presi-

dent of achievement in charge of the awards program for the state level association.

In order to become president of FCCLA, a student must have served in a previous office, be a member of FCCLA, and in high school—preferably a senior.

Lemons was first elected as a candidate on a regional level and then was interviewed at state against fourteen other nominees for the fifteen offices available at this level.

He will serve for a year planning the leadership meeting in Austin the first week in June, participate in a

state officer training three weeks later, head all FCCLA meetings, and help plan for the next state meeting in mid-April of next year.

Lemons will be going on his fourth year in FCCLA next year and as FCCLA president, he will serve as a staff member on the Texas Edu-

cation Agency (TEA) board.

A representative from the Texas Education Association will come to Pampa next week to meet with the superintendent, Mr. Kendall, Justin and Justin's FCCLA advisor, Gaylene Skaggs.

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TALKS TO ASTRONAUTS

Heavens Have Become Part of Man's World, Nixon Says

WASHINGTON- For two minutes Sunday night, President Nixon spoke via radiotelephone to his farthest flung countrymen-American astronauts in the moon's Seas of Tranquility-and told them:

"Because of what you have done, the heav-

ens have become part of man's world and, as you talk to us from the Sea of Tranquility, it inspires us to redouble our efforts to bring peace and tranquility to the earth."

Those were the official words

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LITTLE SHOP OF HORRORS

One man's perspective on helping girlfriend shop for prom dress

By LANCE BURTON

Cinderella didn't set out for the ball without a beautiful dress her fairy god mother cooked up for her.

The same stays true today—especially the closer and closer prom gets, and being the guy I am, I didn't see the big deal with buying a prom dress. So I followed my date on her search for the perfect dress.

In entering the first store I realized most prom dress stores are almost always attached to a wedding dress store. I think this could very well be a conspiracy against the fathers of all girls, because I saw many high school girls looking for a prom dress with their mothers and end up planning weddings.

So I walked in thinking I would be the only guy in this obvious girl store, but I was wrong. In fact there was a young Hispanic man about my

age leaning against the wall trying to act cool. You see the word *trying*. You can't be cool guy in a prom dress store.

So then the trying on dresses process began, in which evidently size and appeal did not matter.

Size doesn't matter because they told my date, a size 2, to try on a size 18 because they can do alterations and make it a size 2. To me it sounds like they are trying to make a mansion into a mobile home.

I thought this was humorous until they told a girl about a size 12 that they can let out a size 2 and it would fit her. Lets see someone let out a mobile home to make it a mansion.

So I waited while they threw

four dresses at her every ten minutes for the next 2 hours.

I don't understand something. You think they could keep a few Sports Illustrated or Hot Rod magazines on hand for the fathers and boy-friends that go along; instead of Your Prom, Teen Prom, Seventeen the special Prom issue, etc, but at least I now know what makeup will work best for my skin type.

Also the associates at these stores remind me of a car salesman. It was very humorous when the prom dress store clerks use such phrases as the low low price of \$599, or this is the newest model—there was nothing like this last year, or I'll try to hide it back for you, but I can't make any promises.

We then moved on to the next store where I saw a man experienced

in prom shopping. He walked in with 9 girls; his wife, his older daughter and her 6 friends, and finally the prom bound younger daughter. This man walked in, claimed his chair in the corner and brought out three issues of sports illustrate. He was prepared. The only words to come out of his mouth were "it's how much" and "where is the rest of it."

Finally my date found her dress at the second store. Luckily it wasn't the 13th, and yes some girls say it took 13 stores to find the right one.

I now can say I understand the prom dress search. Whether it made an impact on life only time will tell, but one thing is for sure, I'm one step closer to being prepared to be the father of a girl far, far in the future as long as I don't forget the Sports Illustrated.

WAYS TO AVOID SHOPPING WITH YOUR GIRLFRIEND

1. Fake going into cardiac arrest
2. Explain how your religion strictly forbids this kind of shopping
3. Claim you developed a deadly allergy to satin
4. Don't answer the phone and lock all the doors
5. Offer the assistance of the nearest person in your place
6. Join the Foreign Peace Corp. in Nigeria
7. Fake an alien abduction of your vital organs, leaving you bedridden for the day
8. Claim there is an assassin after you and that you would be most vulnerable in a dress store
9. Tell her you have to watch some paint dry
10. If 1-9 doesn't work, then you might consider going

COURTESY OF JOSH SIMPSON

Sucked in by commercialism: The battle of the beverages

By TIM WILLIAMS

With the temperature rising, the quest for a cool, refreshing beverage increases. Also increasing is a multi-million dollar competitive market vying for business.

Everyday, commercials are aired trying to sway taste buds to drink their products. Lately, the 7-Up commercials have become more

creative yet seemed to have less and less to do with the actual product. The most recent is the blind taste test. The 7-Up guy is inviting people to taste 7-Up and then try other beverages.

The only catch is that the other beverages consist of dishwater and rancid milk. People step up to taste the other beverage only to be completely disgusted. It's funny, but has nothing to do with 7-Up. One would hope that 7-Up tastes

better than dishwater.

"It is going to be hard not to be sucked in by commercialism"

Another advertising trick that has drawn several people to buy their

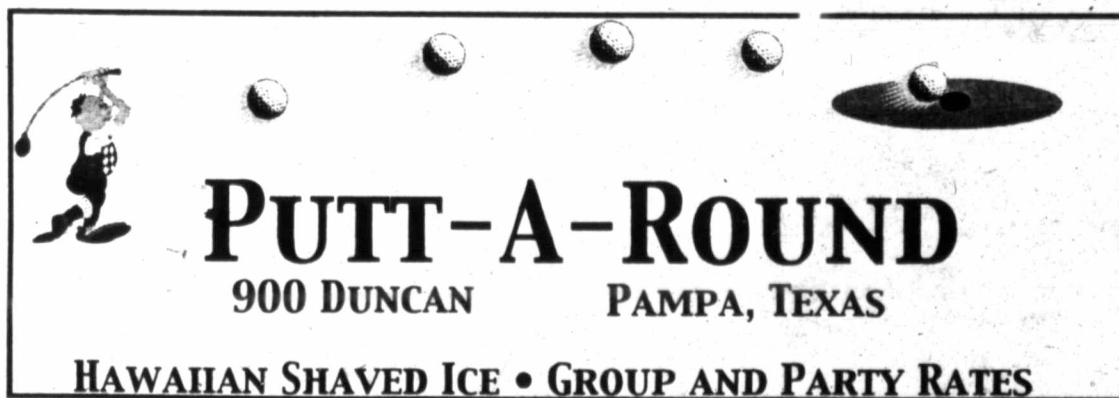
product is the light blue tint. Dasani has a light blue tint on their bottles of water that simply makes it look cooler and more refreshing than any other bottled water.

People will pay the extra ten cents just because of the blue tint. If you ask me, it is advertising genius.

They offer the same product as several other people; they just set themselves up a notch. Even I will pick up a bottles of Dasani before considering the rest.

And finally, the obey your thirst campaign. The whole purpose of these commercials is defeated. If the viewer were really obeying his or her thirst, he wouldn't have to see the Sprite bottle held by a sports superstar at the end of the commercial.

This summer, it is going to be hard not to be sucked in by commercialism. Maybe the ultimate beverage is waiting to be found in a light blue tinted Sprite bottle.



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MIP or MVP? Inconsistent discipline cause for concern to students, teachers

STAFF EDITORIAL

Over the past year, an alarming amount of Minor In Possession (MIP) of alcohol have occurred. The most common excuse for this is the fact that there is "nothing" to do in Pampa. However, it is only an excuse.

First of all, there is a law that prohibits any one under the age of 21 from buying alcohol. Believe it or not, there is an actual reason for this. People under the age of 21 may not be mature enough to make the decision to drink.

That is reinforced by all of the drunk driving deaths in years past. We realize that some students feel that if they are old enough to go to war and die for their country, or elect the leader of the free world then they should be able to have a drink. However, the irresponsibility of a few have taken lives. They didn't think about the innocent people they were going to kill before they stepped behind the wheel. The odds are that other people will not either.

In addition, the excuse that there is nothing to do in Pampa is not all that accurate. We understand that Pampa is not exactly booming with night life. But imagine living in a neighboring town like Miami that does not even have a Wal-Mart. Student Council and Drug Free Youth in Texas (Dyfit) have put on several dances this year only to see dropping attendance. Pampa has a movie theater and a bowling alley that would also serve as entertainment. Furthermore, Amarillo is only an hour away and houses almost anything available for entertainment. The excuse that there is nothing to do is no longer valid. It is just an attempt to shift the focus off the real problem.

Peer pressure is another reason for drinking. "Just try it, it won't hurt you." Those same people will probably be passed out drunk in a couple of hours and be able to add another MIP to the collection. Or, even worse, they are struggling to keep their vehicle between the lines. All a person

would have to do is look at them in a couple of hours and they would fully understand why drinking is a bad idea.

How can students be persuaded to stay away from alcohol? Recently,

"How can they fight a battle where both alcohol and parents are the enemies?"

two students were kicked off of a sports team for MIP's. These students were punished for what they did. Why were other students who received MIP's earlier this year allowed to remain on the cheerleading squad and football team? It is clearly a double standard. Although we admire the stand that some coaches have taken to end student alcohol abuse, it almost seems in vain when

other school organizations seemingly overlook the problem and do not harbor the same punishments. The school needs to set up a school-wide policy that addresses the issue of drinking and applies the same consequences in each program, including both academic and athletic programs. All students should be kicked off of any school related activity if they receive an MIP. This is the only way to demonstrate clearly the school's stand on alcohol abuse. In addition, students should understand that they are a role models and resign from any after school activities. Younger children and peers look up to these students. These little kid's role models do not need to be the future town drunk.

In addition to the school, parents need to take a stand. A recent alco-

hol bust issued many MIP's. However, more should have been issued. In spite of being busted by the police, many parents went to pick their children up so that they would not receive an MIP. This is simply justifying what the students did. Parents preach about not drinking and then turn around and bail their teens out of trouble. If a student is caught drinking, picking them up is not helping them. It is crippling them. They will never learn the true consequences of their actions and will be more prone to drink again. It is undermining the authority of the police department. They are working hard to reduce teen drinking. How can they fight a battle where both alcohol and parents are the enemies?

The drinking has to stop. Maybe after a few more lives are lost, students will begin to understand how serious it really is.

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Finding the perfect future

Picking a career can be one of the hardest decisions for a student. Will I make enough money? Will I be good at it? Will it be fun? Will I regret it for the rest of my life? Will I spend at least two hours drinking Pepto trying to cope with the ulcers? In pursuit of the ideal career, six of our staff members went out into the community for the day to see exactly what kind of jobs there are and what they're like.

Career Case #1

Job: COMPUTER TECH SUPPORT MANAGER

Professional: DANNY McDOWELL
Reporter: KEENAN GOODSON

The computer industry. It's the fastest growing industry in the world changing from day to day — one that Danny McDowell knows a lot about.

McDowell is tech support manager at Centramedia. He oversees phone tech and makes sure everything runs smoothly.

"People bring computers in for anything," McDowell said.

Working on computers constantly, he is also in charge of hiring, firing, and scheduling, although he said the hardest part is hiring.

"You have to have a good personality," McDowell said. "Anyone can answer phones, but people skills and experience are a plus."

Before working at Centramedia, Danny worked at ISP in Amarillo for six years, and at the same time he was in college at WTAMU where he received his BBA-CIS. (Bachelor of Business Administration-Computer information systems).

McDowell normally works around 40-70 hours a week. On a typical work day, he comes into work, checks his Email and then works on computers until around noon. Then he tackles paper work and training duties. After that, he heads home, but is still on call 24 hours a day.

His favorite part about his job is the fact that he only answers about 1 out of 10 phone calls and he said he enjoys the boss duties. When asked on a scale of 1-10 (10 being the highest) on how much he enjoys his job, he said about a 9. When asked the same question on how challenging his job is, he said it's about the same.

"If I had a million dollars I'd still be doing the same thing I'm doing now," he said.

For teens wanting to get into the computer industry, McDowell encourages you to stay in school, work hard, take a business-related class and go to college.

"A lot of people think that computer jobs are hard; they are not — nothing about computers is hard."

Career Case #2

Job: DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITY SERVICES

Professional: BILL HILDEBRANDT
Reporter: TESS KINGCADE

"Load it up we are going to the park."

Sounds like Bill Hildebrandt, director of community services. Bill works up at the City Hall and he does a variety of many things around here in good ole Pampa.

"Variety is the main reason why I love my job so much."

Hildebrandt has lived in Pampa for 15 years. For five years before he started as director of community services, he was in charge of parks and recreation. Now he has been working for 10 years in this job and he loves it.

Born in Brian, Texas right beside college station, he attended Texas A&M for 7 years, he got his Masters degree in recreation development and Bachelors degree in Parks and Recreation.

"There are no two days ever the same in my job," Hildebrandt said.

There are hard times in Hildebrandt's job he finds it hard to upset

people.

"I carry a cell phone with me so anyone can find me anytime, it is much easier to solve the problem driving down the road than leave it till tomorrow," Hildebrandt said.

To prepare for this job right now in high school Bill stated you should have good people skills, computer skills, work well under pressure, and telephone skills.

"If I had any other job I would still have a job full of people were I can be with people."

Hildebrandt feels like education is one of the most important things you could ever get. If you can stick with college you can stick with anything.

"If life is stage I want better lighting," Hildebrandt said.

Career Case #3

Job: POLICE OFFICER

Professional: LT. CHARLIE LOVE
Reporter: LANCE BURTON

The Pampa Police Department is not made up of the typical ticket writing, donut eating cops that many citizens think they are. Lieutenant Charlie Love is not your average "pig" on the beat. In fact, his job can be quite interesting and diverse involving less donuts or tickets than you would expect.

After meeting Lieutenant Love we began our patrol. On the patrol we spotted a traffic violator doing 49 in a 40 quickly we turned the vehicle a moved to intercept. In the intercept, I discovered that when reading out license plate tags they use words to represent letters like X-Ray=X, Sam=S, Paul=P. The driver, late for her appointment at West Texas Ford, was let off with a warning.

Continuing the patrol, I discovered that Love, a police officer for 30 years, has been schooled for three years in criminal justice at Frank Philips, attended four seminars of hypnotism, and must have 40 training hours every two-years.

I also found out that a past experience brought him to a career in the police department. Earlier in life when he was the owner of a gas station a police officer would come by the station when he was closing up and let him ride with him on patrol. It was the enjoyment of these rides that led him to his current career in law enforcement.

All of the sudden, we received a call that there is a reported attempted suicide close to our area. We arrive on the scene where I quickly discover how far a squad car is from the action.

When Love returned to the car he explained that he talked the boy out of the bathroom, gave him a some support talk, and the situation was under control, and so we moved on.

The most interesting thing that I found out about Love is that he has used hypnotism many times to solve different crimes. He said that under hypnotism many people remember things that they don't after the incident because of trauma and other reasons.

Next we proceeded to the sight of a burglary and discovered that it had taken place many days before and then we left the other officers to do the paperwork while we went back on patrol.

Following that, we set up on a side street to catch the speedy, lunch traffic. You would be surprised how fast someone will slam on their breaks speeding, or not, when a cop is around. Last of all, we responded to call in which a car had backed up into another car.

Lieutenant Love continues his job and said he loves it because he is able to help children, he works with good honest guys, and helping the community in general just makes him feel good.

Career Case #4

Job: ADVERTISING

Professional: REDONN WOODS
Reporter: SHAUNA BRADDOUS

"Hi, how are you? Are you Shanna?"

"It's Shaunna - how are you?"

This is how my morning started. Advertising director Redonn Woods of the Pampa News is one of many to mispronounce my name, although that's besides the real point here.

Her job is to sell ads, layout the paper, and to manage of ad sales. She works 40 hour weeks in a job she has had for almost five years.

Although this is her job choice now, she first wanted to be an accountant, then she wanted to major in computer science, but ended up with a marketing degree.

Woods said her favorite part of the job is "getting out of the office

and talking to people."

When someone is looking into a job in advertising they should know you really need to be friendly, outgoing, and creative.

When looking for jobs in any field you never know what to expect until you actually get the job.

"It's a lot more stressful than I thought it would be," Woods said, "I thought it would be hard to work off my commission and to plan out my day myself but it is a whole lot easier."

After we got the interview out of the way we went and got in the car and started visiting all of Woods' ad accounts.

Although we do a lot of the same things at The Little Harvester in terms of advertising, I still learned a lot from this experience.

"Stay focused on what you want in life," Woods said.

Career Case #5

Job: ATHLETIC DIRECTOR

Professional: COACH DENNIS CAVALIER
Reporter: TISHA PLATT

Beep! Beep! Beep! It's 4:30 am. Time to get up, get ready, and be at the office by 6:00. For Coach Dennis Cavalier, this is a typical morning. He starts everyday like this. Once he gets to his office — which is at PHS' Val Halla — he prepares for the day's lessons and does anything else he needs to to get ready for the day.

At 7:30 a.m., he begins to greet his students as they arrive into the locker room. After the students greet him, they flip over their number to show they are present for the day.

After watching over 100 athletes lift weights, work out, and clean up first period, Cavalier goes to his office, returns any messages he may have received while out, and reads through his mail.

Second, third, and fourth period, Cavalier spends his time being the athletic director (AD).

As AD, he works on budgeting for athletic supplies, transportation, various sport activities, meals and lodging, and game management. Also, he oversees complaints with rules and regulations, and he interviews and hires coaches and matches the interviewee with a teaching field.

Cavalier usually spends twelve hours a day at his job. He often has to work weekends and nights, too.

Since elementary, Cavalier has wanted to become involved in athletics as a career when he graduated. He pursued his dream and majored in physical education four years as an undergraduate and three years as a post graduate at Southwestern in Kansas. He has been here for 13 years and loves every bit of it.

"It's my passion and profession," Cavalier said.

Cavalier said his inspiration to become a coach has mainly been his grandfather.

To become a coach under Cavalier's direction, a person would have to be athletic, hands-on, touchy, outgoing, physical, committed, happy, excited, thankful, and humble. Cavalier said Coach Tad Smith portrays these qualities the most of all the people he works with.

Cavalier recommends getting a good, solid academic background and being involved in athletics will help someone who wants to pursue this kind of career.

Next year's motto for the 2001-2002 season is "On a scale of one to ten, be an eleven."

Career Case #6

Job: PASTOR

Professional: DERRELL MONDAY
Reporter: DAVEY ANDERSON

When first thinking of the career as a pastor, most people would think that they work only once a week. However, there is more to it than that. While I was spending part of the day with Derrell Monday, the head pastor at Central Baptist, I realized that a lot of preparation and planning goes into the services we see every Sunday.

When he isn't gathering information and stories for an upcoming sermon, Monday is either sending prayers to all of the members of the congregation via e-mail every morning, or visiting members of the congregation that are in the hospital. He is on call 24/7 for anyone that may need him.

His office is lined with multiple colors from the huge "library" of books he has collected since he was very young. He said that he gives many books that he is finished with to church libraries. The Christian music lightly played on the radio in the background as he explained his background. Monday spoke about when he first saw his wife, Janna Mon-

ure Job

Me & my shadow: (Right) Shauna Broaddus, senior, followed Pampa News advertising director ReDonn Woods to find out exactly what it takes to make it in print advertising.



day, a teacher here at the high school, in the choir at his church.

Although they didn't end up getting married until both were out of high school and in college, he said he knew she was the woman he was going to marry. After they got married they had three daughters, one of which is attending the same Seminary as her father. He then went on to tell about how he attended Hardin-Simmons in Abilene and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary for a total of 10 years to earn a doctorate.

When I asked him to tell me, on a scale from 1 to 10, how much he liked his job, he said 7. I then asked him to answer on the same scale how challenging his job was and he said 8 or 9. He then mentioned to anyone who wants to go into the ministry that if you sense that this is the line of work God wants you to do, it is a great place to be.

Follow the leader. (Above)

Pampa Police Lt. Charlie Love volunteered to let senior Lance Burton shadow him for the day. (From far left)

A Pampa News employee shoots pages getting ready for print. (right) City of Pampa Community Services Director Bill Hildebrandt stops to talk at a park while letting sophomore Tess Kingcade follow him around for the day.



BASEBALL WORKING ON IMPROVING FOR NEXT SEASON

By DAVEY ANDERSON

The baseball team is playing hard for what may be some players last high school season. Although in terms of wins and losses the team's year has been somewhat disappointing, they have played very competitively.

"The team has played very hard," senior coach Dennis Doughty said. "This team has been very enjoyable to coach."

The players have had a good attitude about the game, and the coaches are finding weak areas to work on to improve the team to a higher level.

"Key hits," Coach Dale Ammons said. "To be able to make plays in crucial situations, whether it be to hit or get an out."

Although the team's hitting is a weaker spot, they hold many strong points that help them in games they have played.

Junior pitcher Adam Jones

along with Ammons says that their pitching is their strong point while others say they think it is their fielding.

"My strongest point is my moral support and reliable play," senior Shawn Strate said.

Players are preparing in many ways for their upcoming games. Some members prefer to listen to music to prepare them for events. Others ice their arms to bring it to the fullest potential.

"I get a good luck kiss from the girls," junior Evan Miller said.

The season is not over yet and it has already left memorable moments for the team, like beating Iowa Park 3-2 in the Burk Burnett tournament.

The team would of had to win all their games and hope that Canyon would get beat to make it to the playoffs, however, the Harvesters lost 10-8 to Canyon last Saturday.

"Canyon has been a challenge for our team this season," Ammons said.

FORMER PAMPA STUDENT TO BE IN PRO-FOOTBALL

By TISHA PLATT

Pampa High 1997 graduate Devin Lemons signed a free agent contract to the Chicago Bears team this last week.

Lemons, the cousin of junior Justin Lemons, signed the free agent contract now allowing him to try out

for Chicago, who has not drafted him, but is interested in his skills.

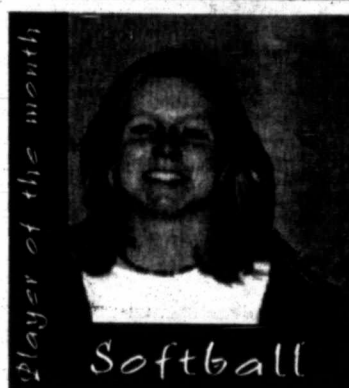
After graduating from PHS, Lemons played four years of college football at Texas Tech as a 6' 1", 222 pound linebacker.

Coach Dennis Cavalier said that this is a "tremendous opportunity from an athlete's standpoint to compete at a national level."



Devin Lemons

STEPHANIE CAMERON



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Advice:

No matter what you are doing, act as if the people you respect most are with you.

Most memorable moment coaching:

Not really a specific moment, but what's most memorable is coming to Pampa High School and having the opportunity to interact with so many young adults.

POSITION CHANGES IN ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT FOR 2001-2002 YEAR

By TISHA PLATT

With the recent resignation of head girl's basketball coach Mark Elms, in addition to some other athletic position changes, Athletic Director (AD) Dennis Cavalier is currently taking applications and planning for next year's coaching lineup.

Elms, who declined to discuss reasons why he resigned from the head coaching position he has held the last four years, has been coaching cross country and teaching for a total of 16 years at Pampa.

"I plan to coach long distance track, cross country, and teach for the next 400 years or until I die," Elms said.

In order to become a coach, there must be a teaching position to match with that candidate.

Cavalier said there have been some applicants for the position, but he is looking for someone who is "used to the area, has good working knowledge, good people and motivational teaching skills, and has a high

expectation for being a good teacher rather than just a coach".

He also said the head coach will have to come from somewhere other than Pampa.

Also, according to Cavalier, there is a possible opening for the ninth grade girl's basketball coach for next year.

Current girls freshmen basketball coach and English teacher Billie Osborne declined to comment about her coaching plans at this time.

"The decision to make someone a coach and/or teacher depends on the administration," Cavalier said.

On a related note, former track and field coach Mike Lopez, who retired from coaching this year with plans to retire from teaching Spanish as well, has decided to stay on one more year as a Spanish teacher.

"I enjoy being around the students, and I enjoy the atmosphere," Lopez said.

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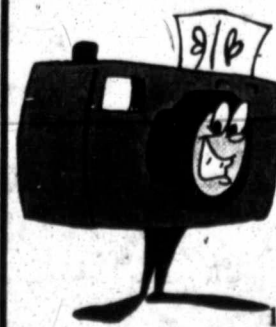


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All ready for prom ...
or is she?

BY TESS KINGCADE

For all those who think prom is just a bowl of punch and a deejay, student council sponsor Sherry Seabourn said the \$12,000 price tag guarantees a night to remember.

"I know the prom will be a blast," senior Joanna Wheeley said. "It will be sad to leave after it though."

With every prom comes certain local traditions including the different modes of transportation used to drop seniors and their dates off at the red carpet lined up to the door of the M.K. Brown auditorium.

From limos and antique cars to skateboards and buses, students find ways to come in style.

"My ride was free," senior Ryan Sells said. "My cousin drives a limo."

But to some people transportation is not all the importance of the whole night.

"It is not really what you go in, it is who you go with," Sells added.

This year's prom theme, "Arabian Nights," was picked by Seabourn after reading catalogs and consulting students.

Although Seabourn and the student council raise money for the

event throughout the year, it takes more than a few people to make prom a reality.

"Vicky Nachtigall and I are the head, and around 75 or 80 parents," Seabourn said.

She said it costs approximately \$12,000 to pay for the entire cost of the dance which is why seniors must pay a hefty \$20 for each ticket.

"We have to pay for all the decorations, flowers, food, and party favors," Seabourn said.

Senior Kira Chumbley said she was not nervous at all about going to prom in the past, however, preparing for it is another story.

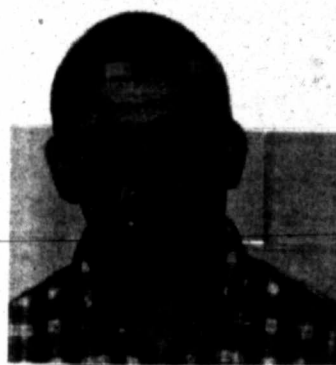
"Getting ready for prom was hectic because you don't have any time during the day to get everything done," Chumbley said.

Dresses and accessories can also be difficult to find.

"I am visiting my sister in Nashville and I am going to get my dress there," senior Nicole Bruton said.

And with the surge of Internet use in the last few years, ordering a dress online has been added to the options of driving to the nearest city or having a dress made.

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PROMINENT FAMILIES IN SPOTLIGHT

By SHAUNA BROADBENT

Clear glass windows surround you. Everyone is watching your every move when you least expect it, and there is nothing anyone can do to make them stop.

Learning to live with a last name that everyone knows is not easy, and it gets even more difficult in a small town.

Several local teens faced with this kind of life share many similarities as well as some differences in how they deal everyday with the pressures of having a parent or parents who are prominent in the community.

Senior Taylor Harris, son of local attorney Rick Harris, said he doesn't think he is different than anyone else and he said he hopes his peers see him as they see others.

But living as the daughter of Dr. Dawson Orr, superintendent of the school district, is a little different.

"In high school, it's gotten to the point where people center their attention on groups or certain people and if they want to focus on me that's their choice. It won't bother me. My friends and family's opinions only matter," sophomore Vanessa Orr said.

Although getting attention from peers doesn't seem to be a problem for all, some said they feel that students and teachers do treat them differently.

"Some teachers give me special attention because they know my mom is a teacher," freshman Jansen Hancock said.

Hancock's mother, Janet, teaches Algebra at the high school and his father, Lynn, is the pastor of Briarwood Church.

In addition to dealing with normal parental and peer pressures, these students said they do feel that being in a family who everyone knows can make life a little harder.

"Some people are always wait-

ing for me to mess up so they can throw it up in my face," Hancock said.

While many of these students agreed that their lives are very normal for the most part, Vanessa Orr said she believed things would be different if she weren't part of a prominent family.

"I wouldn't have to listen to complaints about school," Orr said.

Others didn't see how it could be different.

"It doesn't matter, my parents would treat me the same," Harris said.

Senior Nick Dyer, whose family owns Dyer's Barbecue, Texas Rose Steakhouse and Hoagies, said if he feels any pressure, it's the pressure to follow in his parents' footsteps.

"I feel like if I don't, then I'll be a disappointment," Dyer said.

But not all agreed.

"Definitely not. I'm not going into education when I get older. I'm just not interested," Orr said.

(For more on this subject, please see the related opinion poll below)

What a tease:

Senior Chris Shaffer tempts the audience at the Woeman contest



Prom continued:

"It was somewhat difficult to pick out my dress because I didn't know what would look good on me," senior Lori Stephens said.

But just because the prom is geared toward the seniors doesn't mean seniors will be the only students attending.

"I'm really excited to go to prom this year because I am a sophomore and I get to go with Vivian," sophomore Lindsey Ledbetter said.

As Pampa tradition dictates, underclass students and senior parents are welcome to watch the seniors make their entrance to the dance Saturday, May 19 at M.K. Brown Auditorium.

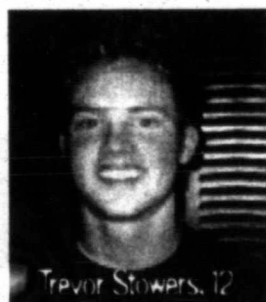
Speak Out

Do you think your last name affects people's opinion of you?



Abby Cavalier, 10

"People think my accomplishments come from my parents position in the high school."



Trevor Stowers, 12

"People tend to make judgments before they know you."



Kristen Stowers, 11

"I think people are too judgmental of your name and don't give you a chance."

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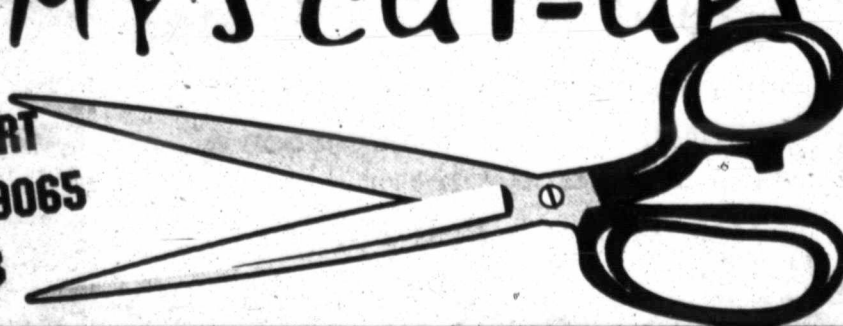


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What are the subjects you teach?: Biology, Physical Science, and Astronomy

Other subjects taught: Middle School Science

Favorite thing about teaching: Working with kids that enjoy learning and love life.

The hardest thing about teaching: Students who don't have any aspirations for learning.

Some of your hobbies: Field and Track-throwing events (sompeting), and gardening.

Some Pet Peeves: ill-mannered, disrespectful people with an ill-conceived attitude

Fill in the blank: "If I had a million dollars I would _____."

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Music you listen to: Country & western and soft rock.

Favorite childhood memory: walking two miles to school in snow up to my knees and the love of my mother.

Most memorable moment teaching: teaching government at Liberal HS when President Kennedy was shot and seeing the disbelief in the faces of the students.

Favorite quote: Liberal, KS is very politically oriented. Look at all the Liberals in Washington DC.

Favorite saying: That gets pretty hairy. (Pampa drivers)



Wendell Palmer

WHAT DO YOU BELIEVE? Diverse religious beliefs on campus

BY KEENAN GOODSON

This town has a lot of churches. Of all 52 churches in the community, one is Catholic, one Mormon, one Jehovah Witness, and the majority of the other churches are of protestant religions.

But not everyone goes to church. Some students do not conform to any religion at all.

"I don't believe that there is a heaven or a hell. If you're a good person, good things will happen to you, and if you're a bad person, bad things will happen to you," junior Dustin Bromlow said.

For other students, religion is more complex.

"Being a Christian is very important to me, and my beliefs are very strong," sophomore Amanda Lee said.

Most teens said they have their religious beliefs because their parents brought them up that way, while others said they haven't stayed the same religion.

"I'd say I've been Atheist since about sixth grade," Bromlow said.

Atheism and Christianity are not the only religions on campus.

Sophomore Julian George is Jehovah Witness, which has some specific beliefs quite different than those shared by Christians.

"We don't believe in the Trinity, we don't believe Jesus died on the cross, pledging allegiance to the flag, birthday parties, or running for office. So whenever someone invites me to a birthday party, I

have to turn them down."

But the most common religion on campus seems to be Christianity, something that is difficult for students with other beliefs.

"Many Christians here are so fake. I see them praying and quoting scriptures from the Bible and preaching me their religion. Man, I don't wanna hear that," Bromlow said, "Anyhow, Friday night rolls around and bam, they are drunk."

Senior Luis Solis, a Christian, agreed with Bromlow's observation but said non-Christians shouldn't classify all Christians under the same umbrella.

"It's true, a lot of Christians criticize others and then go out and do what they tell others not to do," Solis said. "But not all Christians are this way."

Sophomore Chris Kane, a mormon, goes to the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

"We believe that the Holy Ghost, Jesus, and God are three different things," Kane said.

Kane was born Mormon and says he sometimes thinks about changing religions.

Another Mormon, senior Aaron Fernuik, said that most people don't understand the religion.

"It is pretty much the same thing as other religions, just that we have our own separate beliefs. We have a separate book we use, along with the bible. We just have different principles to our beliefs, we are still Christians though," Fernuik said.

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Teens go to great measures showing devotion for favorite bands

BY LANCE BURTON

Some people will do pretty extreme things for their favorite band.

Rhianna Anglin would give a vital organ, sacrifice her first born, murder, steal, die three times, and endure Chinese torcher to be able to play with Aerosmith.

"I would give a limb to play with Pearl Jam," sophomore John Hahn said.

Music is a large part of most teenagers lives. Some even take it to the point of an addiction.

"It's a personal thing. It makes up a part of me," junior AJ Smith said.

An addiction can include many things such as owning every CD they have made independent (indie) label or not, owning 15 different t-shirts of the same band, owning every magazine cover and story about the band, buying high-priced import CDs, and especially if a person speaks in lyrics.

"I'm most proud of my first edition copy of Aerosmith's first album from 1973," Anglin said.

Smith owns a collection of import CDs including a German import of the Bare Naked Ladies' CD Stunt, several MatchboxTwenty Australian imports, and the Dave Mathews Band single Crash a European Import.

Sophomore John Hahn, also an import fan, has almost amassed the

entire Pearl Jam Live import collection.

Another aspect to teen music addiction involves these fanatic fans' belief that a band is the greatest whether they are number one on the billboard charts or not.

"My bands are the best because they constantly produce real music. They're not about making money, or being played on TRL (MTV's Total Request Live) everyday for five months, or about making the cover of Seventeen," junior Greg Easley said.

"Their focus is solely placed on creating the art that they love, that is all that has ever mattered," Easley said.

So is the addiction weird, strange, and most of all, is it dangerous?

Most fans say no, in fact, they say their addiction is part of them and is healthy.

"Well, my addiction is good music. I consider that to be a fairly, healthy sort of addiction. Besides, music is one addiction that society has yet to outlaw, unlike most of the more conventional ones in this area," Easley said.

No matter what the addiction, the fact is that it has had an impact on these students' lifestyles, and will continue to play a part in their lives in and outside of the music world.

"The music grabs my heart and makes it stop, and then think about the meaning of your life and where you stand in it," Smith said.



Fanatic Fans:
Junior Greg Easley displays his addiction with a bumper sticker

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BY JOSH SIMPSON

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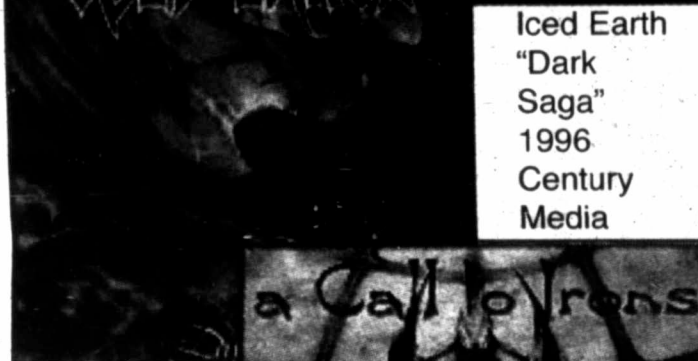
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BY DAVEY ANDERSON

Whatever image is on the cover of a CD, it is usually to grab our attention or make us buy it.

Cover art has played an enormous part for musicians and their albums. Whether it be the twisted images on metal CDs or just a photo of the band posing for the camera like on most rock CDs, it can make people who have never heard of the band before buy the music blindly.

Hard rock and metal CDs try to grab attention with either disturbing images or with full, colorful eccentric drawings that will keep eyes wandering for some time. A lot of bands even print their name almost exactly the same on every album they have. For example, Metallica and Type O Negative have the same shape and arrangement on all of their work.

Then some other bands like Blind Guardian and Iced Earth go for a colorful piece of artwork on their covers. Most of the time these "majestic" pictures contain demons, warriors, scantily clad women holding large axes or knives, or even famous

comic book characters like Spawn.

Iron Maiden, on the other hand, had a character named Ed Hunter, who then became a well-known icon of the band and is even considered a member of the band.

This artwork is always intriguing and helps to define what the music may sound like. Green Day's album "Dookie" has a full picture with many different hidden objects in it like Ozzy Osbourne and dogs throwing "poop."

Other bands simply put a picture of themselves on the cover of their albums. White Zombie is one of the bands that practices doing this. Three Doors Down did something similar to this but put their picture in a multiple number of times.

Other bands like Rage Against the Machine use historical events on their cover. Their first CD entitled "Rage Against the Machine" (go figure) shows a monk who set himself on fire in protest against the government. Since this band is anti-government, this picture fit perfectly onto their album.

Then bands, like the infamous Green Jelly, have cartoons of their songs on the cover like the "Three Little Pigs."

Cover art is almost as big of a project as the music is. Art work is creative and can show the interest and humor of the band. With music being at the level it is today, this art should be in many conversation of music for some time.

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