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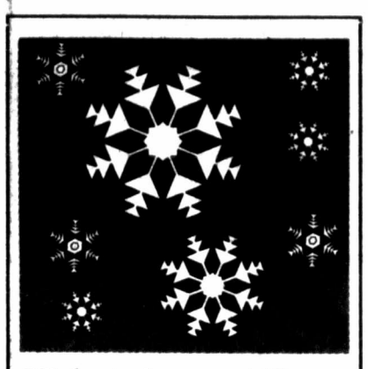
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Highs today near 45.
Lows tonight near 25.
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PAMPA — Dr. Cynthia E. Blanck, director of the transplant immunology laboratory in the Don And Sybil Harrington Cancer Center, will present a free program for the public at Lovett Memorial Library, 111 N. Houston, at 2 p.m. today.

PAMPA — The Gray County Republican Party will host a school for 30th and 31st SREC counties Nov. 1 from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Pampa Middle School Library.

The keynote speaker is Wayne Hamilton, executive director of the Republican Party of Texas.

Advanced registration prior to Oct. 28 is $20. Registration at the door is $30. All fees include lunch. Call Carolyn Stroud at 669-6979 for more information.

PAMPA — Daylight savings time ends today and residents are urged to remember to set their clocks back one hour.

While changing clocks, it is also a good time to replace batteries and check fire detectors.

AUSTIN — Two women who say they suspected child abuse at the home where a 9-year-old girl was recently found living in squalor want to know what happened to the complaints they registered with local authorities.

Gail Posey said that over the past few years she called everyone she could think of — Child Protective Services, the Austin school district, police — asking them to investigate the home.

Jessica Scheick said she too has made calls about the home after hearing what she called "blood-curdling screams" in the middle of the night.

Now, years after they first complained to the state, caseworkers have removed the girl from the West Austin house because of suspected neglect.

According to what state officials have discovered so far, the girl never saw a doctor or set foot in a school, and she had limited — if any — contact with the world beyond her front porch.

- Grace McCabe, 87, former McLean resident
- Karen Kay Vines, 58, daughter of a Wheeler resident

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Divers unable to locate gun

Despite hours of searching the muddy waters of City Lake, a Fritch diving team was unable to locate any weapon that may have been used in the Christmas Eve shooting of a Pampa teenager.

A seven man diving team from Fritch searched the bottom of City Lake at Recreation Park Friday looking for a large caliber hand gun that may have been the murder weapon in the Christmas Eve slaying of Richard Proctor, 18, of Pampa.

The team, consisting of officers from the National Park Service and Fritch Police Department, searched the muddy waters for more than four hours. Tethered to a nylon rope, pairs of divers worked in relays feeling their way along the bottom of the lake near the dock and boat ramp at the east end of the lake.

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(Pampa News photo by Kate Dickson)

Three individuals were taken to Columbia Hospital after complaining of minor injuries after a mustang and truck collided at the intersection of Highway 60 and Price Road. Emergency personnel place a neck brace on the driver of the Mustang before taking her and a young girl to Columbia Medical Center.

President talks of Celanese's future

By LAURA HALEY
Staff Writer

Tom Kennedy, president and chief executive officer of Celanese, said the Dallas-based company could be undergoing many changes in the next several years during an awards speech.

"Not everything is yet clear," he told Pampa employees last week. "It won't be clear for another few years."

The future of Celanese and the Pampa plant has been hazy since Hoechst Chairman Jürgen Dormann announced last month that the German-based corporation plans to exit the chemical business by 2000, but Celanese executives are making plans to prepare for the future regardless.

Eli Hernandez, a senior communications representative for Celanese, said, "We're very,very excited about the possibilities."

And, the possibilities include a possible sale of the corporation, including the Pampa plant, becoming a public corporation or forming a partnership with other chemical-related corporations currently owned by Hoechst.

While discussing possible actions that might be taken by Hoechst in exiting the chemical industry, the Celanese president told Pampa employees that the company could have a vital voice in these future decisions.

"We might be able to influence how we separate," said Kennedy.

Previous reports indicate that a separation of Celanese from Hoechst could be inevitable and an overseas publication, European

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Week-long event address domestic violence issues

By LAURA HALEY
Staff Writer

In observance of Domestic Violence Awareness Month, this week will be declared Domestic Violence Awareness Week in Pampa.

The week will begins today in the local churches. Ministers are being asked, explained Linda Town with Tralee Crisis Center, to include scriptures that demote domestic violence.

This will be followed by the proclamation, which will be announced and signed by Mayor Bob Neslage at 7 p.m. Monday on the steps of city hall. All lights will be turned on and residents are asked to honk their horns to voice their opposition to domestic violence.

"Domestic violence is one of the least reported crimes in the nation," said Linda Town with Tralee Crisis Center.

Thirty-eight of all women in Texas are killed each year by their intimate partner, she added. For the last 20 to 30 years, a movement has begun to end domestic violence in Texas, said Town, and Monday night's ceremony is a showing of Gray County's participation in that movement.

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Nichols trial to begin

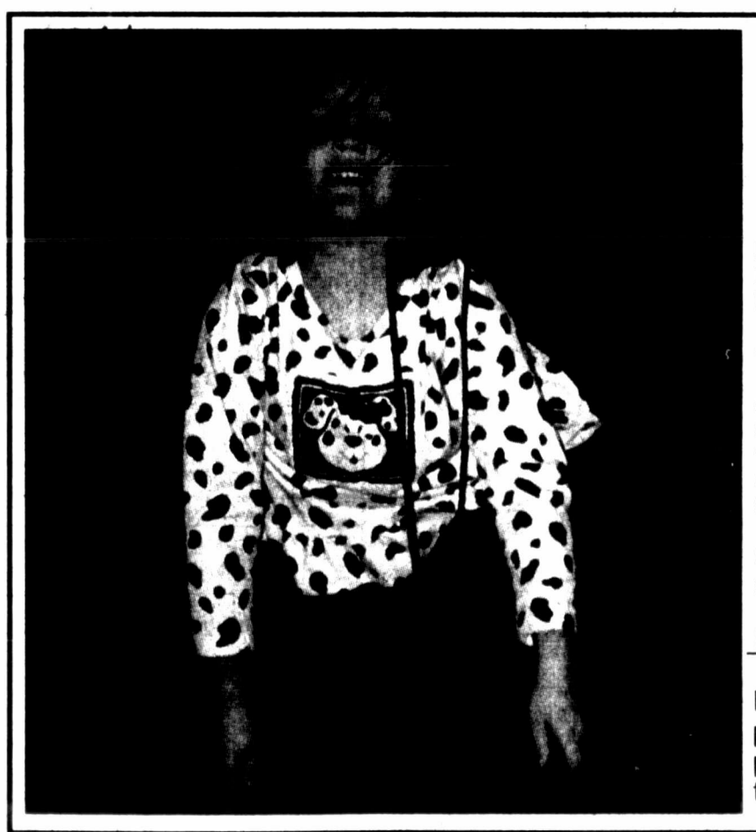
DENVER (AP) — After four weeks of jury selection in the second Oklahoma City bombing trial, attorneys predicted that opening statements could begin as early as next week.

"We're towards the end of the process," said Michael Tigar, the lead attorney for defendant Terry Nichols.

So far, 58 people have qualified for the jury pool of the 107 questioned.

Matsch and attorneys for both sides have been working to complete a pool of 64, from which they will seat a panel of 12 jurors and six alternates. Prosecutors said Matsch probably will add a few extra prospective jurors just

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Fund-raiser nets total of $20,195

A total $20,195 was raised the last three weeks for the American Heart Association's national "Jump Rope for Heart" program at Pampa elementary schools. Students at the four schools participated by jumping a total of three hours each during the last few weeks.

Donations brought in will fund research for heart disease as well as go toward the use of educational tools and promotions.

The top fund-raisers from each of the four elementary schools attended a special jumping extravaganza in their honor Thursday night at Austin Elementary. Juice, cookies and plenty of jump ropes were available to the students. Austin Elementary brought in $8,150, and Travis supplied $6,400 to the grand total. Lamar students raised $2,870 and Wilson added $2,774.

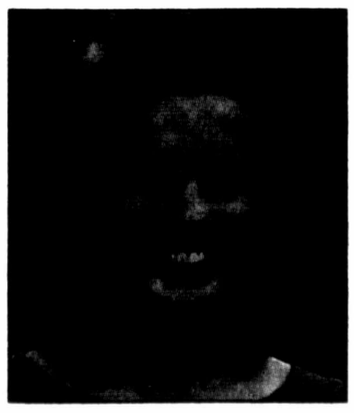
This year's fund-raising effort brought in $6,000 more than the $14,000 raised last year. Justin Kinney, a Lamar Elementary kindergartner, brought in $400 alone.

"We're very proud of Justin and all of the kids," said Lamar's physical education teacher, Rose Still.

(Pampa News photo by Miranda Bailey)

Ellen Whiteley jumped her heart out Thursday night at a party held in honor of her and several other top students participating in the "Jump Rope for Heart" fund-raisers in the elementary schools.

Sunday Snapshot



Laura Haley

Occupation/Activities: Reporter, *The Pampa News*
Birth date and place: May 8, 1971 in Pasadena, Texas.
Family: Husband, Chris, and son, Chandler.
If I had a different job, I'd be a: writer.
My personal hero: Miranda Bailey, she works very hard and doesn't get enough credit.
The best advice I ever got was: "don't be late."
People who knew me in high school thought: I was too serious.
The best word or words to describe me: curious, outgoing, aggressive, supportive — as described by M. Bailey.
My hobbies are: camping, canoeing, hiking, reading, going to concerts, symphony, ballet and opera.
My favorite sports team is: Texas Aggies - "Gig 'Em!"
The last book I read was: *The Feast of all Saints* by Anne Rice.
My favorite possession is: my memories.
The biggest honor I've ever received is: writing awards and praise from my favorite college professors.
My favorite performer is: Peter Gabriel.
I wish I knew how to: paint.
My trademark cliche or expression is: "I'm telling you ..."
My worst habit is: being late.
I would never: jump out of a perfectly good airplane ... again.
The last good movie I saw was: Bravehart by Mel Gibson.
I stay home to watch: nothing – don't have a T.V.
Nobody knows: I write poetry.
I drive a: piece of junk.
My favorite junk food is: brownies.
My favorite beverage: champagne.
My favorite restaurant is: Bay Thai in Seabrook, Texas.
My favorite pet: is my cat, Sneeks.
For my last meal, I would choose: ... if you're going to die, why take time to eat?
I'm happiest when I'm: rocking my son to sleep.
I'm tired of: people who ask you to do things and then don't allow you to finish them.
I have a phobia about: bad management.
The electrical device I couldn't live without is: the coffee maker.
The biggest waste of time is: nothing, I think everything has a purpose if you choose to learn from it.
If I won the lottery, the most extravagant thing I would do is: buy a new car.
If I had three wishes they would be: three more wishes, of course!
If I could change one thing about Pampa, it would be: to pick it up and put it in the center of a big city.

Laura , sadly, will be leaving the News this Tuesday after almost a year of service. We wish her well and the best of luck as she leaves Pampa ...

And if you or anyone you know would be interested in taking 15 minutes to sit down and answer these "really -not -as -hard -as -they -look" questions, call Miranda at 669-2525.

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Daily Record

Services tomorrow

McCABE, Grace — 2 p.m., McLean Church of Christ, McLean.

VINES, Karen Kay — 2 p.m., First Baptist Church, Dumas.

Obituaries

GRACE McCABE

McLEAN – Grace McCabe, 87, of Amarillo, formerly of McLean, died Friday, Oct. 24, 1997. Services will be at 2 p.m. Monday in McLean Church of Christ with Jay Farber of Cyril, Okla., officiating. Burial will be in Hillcrest Cemetery under the direction of Lamb Funeral Home of McLean.

Mrs. McCabe was born April 17, 1910, at Gainesville, Texas. She married Melvin McCabe on May 24, 1947. She had been an Amarillo resident since 1987, moving from McLean. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include: her husband, Melvin, of the home; a son, John Robert McCabe of Amarillo; and five grandchildren.

The family will receive visitors from 2-4 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home in McLean.

KAREN KAY VINES

DUMAS – Karen Kay Vines, 58, daughter of a Wheeler resident, died Friday, Oct. 24, 1997. Services will be at 2 p.m. Monday in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Scott Willingham officiating. Burial will be in Northlawn Memorial Gardens under the direction of Morrison Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Vines was born at Amarillo. She had been a Dumas resident most all her life. She married Jim Vines in 1959 at Masterson. She was employed as a teacher's aide for Dumas Independent School District until retiring in 1994. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Boise City, Okla.

Survivors include: her husband, Jim; a daughter, Tammy Malone of Amarillo; two sons, Jay Vines and Scott Vines, both of Dumas; her mother, Becky Martin of Wheeler; a sister, Jerry Taylor of Wheeler; and five grandchildren.

The family will be at 516 Hickory and requests memorials be to Memorial Hospice, 224 E. 2nd, Dumas, TX 79029.

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Calendar of events

T.O.P.S. #149

Take Off Pounds Sensibly (T.O.P.S.) #149 meets at 6 p.m. Monday at 513 E. Francis. Call 669-2389 for more information.

T.O.P.S. #41

Take Off Pounds Sensibly (T.O.P.S.) #41 meets at noon Monday at 511 N. Hobart. For more information, call 665-3024.

AL-ANON

Al-Anon will hold weekly meetings on Mondays and Wednesdays at 8 p.m. at 910 W. Kentucky. For more information, call 669-0407.

VFW CHARITY BINGO

The Pampa Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #1657, 105 S. Cuyler, will be having Charity Bingo every Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Doors open at 12 noon. The public is welcome. License No. 1-75-6037422-9.

CELEBRATION OF LIGHTS

The Celebration of Lights project will hold regular workshop meetings at 6:30 p.m. on Monday nights at Warren Chisum's Office, 100 N. Price Road. Anyone wishing to help with the project is invited to attend any work session.

PAMPA DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB

The Pampa Duplicate Bridge Club plays Monday at 1:30 p.m. and Thursdays at 10 a.m. at Clarendon College. For a partner, or more information, please call Marie Jamieson at 669-2945.

PAMPA CHESS CLUB

The Pampa Chess Club invites you to a night of casual but competitive chess and instruction. We will meet at 1029 N. Dwight at 7:30 p.m. every Tuesday night. Beginners are very welcome! For more information contact James A. Shook at 669-0227.

PRESCHOOL HOUR

The Lovett Memorial Library hosts the Preschool Hour every Tuesday morning from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. for children ages 3 through 5. The public is invited to participate.

Ambulance

Rural/Metro reported the following calls for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Saturday.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

8:20 a.m. – A mobile ICU responded to the 2500 block of Perryton Parkway on a medical call and one patient was transported to Baptist St. Anthony's West in Amarillo.

11:00 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to Columbia Medical Center and one patient was transported to Baptist St. Anthony's West.

11:37 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 1000 block of West Wilks on a medical call and one patient was transported to Columbia Medical Center.

1:12 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 800 block of North Nelson on a medical call and one patient was transported to Columbia Medical Center.

2:32 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 600 block of North Somerville on a medical call and one patient was transported to Baptist St. Anthony's West.

3:18 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to Price Road and Hwy. 60 on a motor vehicle accident and three patients were transported to Columbia Medical Center.

4:08 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to a local nursing center on a medical call and one patient was transported to Columbia Medical Center.

6:29 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to a local nursing home on a medical call and one patient was transported to Columbia Medical Center.

7:40 p.m.- A mobile ICU responded to the 500 block of East Browning on a medical call and one patient was transported to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

9:41 p.m.- A mobile ICU responded to Northwest Texas Hospital for a one patient transfer back to a residence in Pampa.

10:50 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 2400 block of West Alcock on a trauma and one patient was transported to Columbia Medical Center.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25

12:50 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 100 block of South Banks on a medical call and no patients were transported.

1:01 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 500 block of North Hobart on a trauma call and one patient was transported to Columbia Medical Center.

Police report

The Pampa Police Department reported the following calls and arrests for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Saturday.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

Assault by threat was reported at 3-R N. Gray.

Five forged checks were reported at 300 E. Brown.

Assault reported at 1109 Huff.

Domestic violence was reported in the 900 block of South Sumner.

Possession of drug paraphernalia was reported at Cuyler and Kingsmill.

Possession of marijuana was reported at Cuyler and Kingsmill.

Arrests

Daryl Lynn Roach, 18, Amarillo, was arrested on charges of possession of marijuana.

Joseph Dwight Chase, 28, 1101 Terrace, was arrested on charges of theft.

Sheriff's Office

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

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

Roy DeWayne Boslie, 32, 529 Somerville, was arrested on charges of public intoxication.

John Henry Ervin, 42, 500 S. Ballard, was arrested on charges of public intoxication.

Eric Douglas Allison, 19, Oklahoma, was arrested on charges of theft of service.

Eric von Frittz, Oklahoma, was arrested on charges of theft of service.

Fires

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

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

3:13 p.m. - Three units and six personnel responded to a motor vehicle accident at Price Road and Hwy. 60.

8:30 p.m. - Two units and four personnel responded to a carbon monoxide alarm at 1308 E. Foster.

10:51 p.m. - Two units and four personnel responded to a medical assist investigation at 2401 Alcock.



James Race, LUTCF agency manager; David Haynes, service agent; and Don Whitney, LUTCF service agent attended the District One meeting in Plainview on Oct. 7, 1997. Haynes won the multi-line agents award of District One. Gray-Roberts County Farm Bureau was also named Agency of the Month for September. The three agents from Gray-Roberts County Farm Bureau, 1132 S. Hobart, credit their accomplishments to their customers.

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PROCTOR

Bill Biggs with the National Park Service from Lake Meredith reported visibility in the cold, muddy water was zero. Silt and mud on the bottom of the lake was four to five inches deep, he said.

Searching in water up to 10 feet deep, divers found bottles, cans, a 55 gallon drum and an abandoned swing set, but no weapons.

Divers were called in after local law enforcement officers developed information that the weapon used in the shooting might have been thrown in the lake at Recreation Park east of Pampa.

Pampa police investigators said the autopsy report on Proctor indicated that the Pampa High School student was shot with a large caliber pistol.

Pampa residents Jesus Santacruz and Ricardo Deleon were arrested earlier this month in connection with the shooting and charged with the murder.

Warrants were issued against Santacruz and Deleon Oct.10. Both were arrested later that evening and remain in Gray County Jail in lieu of a $1 million bond each.

Proctor was shot in the back of the head about 11:30 p.m. on Christmas Eve. He and two juvenile boys were sitting in a Cadillac on Albert Street when, according to police, someone in a red truck fired a gunshot through the back window of the Cadillac. Proctor, who was getting into the car on the passenger's side, was killed. The two others in the car were not harmed.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

Today, chance of snow in early morning. Becoming partly cloudy with highs near 40 to 45. Monday, partly cloudy with lows near 20 to 25. Highs around 60. Friday's high was 74; Saturday morning's low was 37.

REGIONAL FORECAST

WEST TEXAS — Panhandle — Today, decreasing cloudiness with a high around 40. Chance of snow is some areas. North wind diminishing to 10-20 mph. Monday, partly cloudy. Lows 20 to 25. Highs around 60.

South Plains/Low Rolling Plains — Today, mostly sunny. Highs 45-50. Tonight, mostly clear and cold. Lows in 20s. Monday, mostly sunny and warmer. Highs in 60s. Permian Basin/Upper Trans Pecos — Today, mostly sunny. Highs in lower 50s northern permian basin to mid 60s lower trans pecos. Tonight, mostly clear and cold. Lows in mid 20s to lower 30s. Monday, mostly sunny and warmer. Highs 65-70. Concho Valley/Edwards Plateau — Today, partly cloudy. Highs in 50s. Tonight, mostly clear and cold. Lows 30-35. Monday, mostly sunny and warmer. Highs around 70. Far West — Today, mostly sunny. High in mid to upper 50s. Tonight, mostly clear. Lows 30-35. Monday, fair. Highs in 60s. Guadalupe Mountains/Big Bend Area — Today, partly cloudy. Highs mid 50s mountains to near 70 along Rio Grande. Tonight, mostly clear. Lows from near 25 to upper 30s. Monday, fair. Highs in 60s and 70s.

NORTH TEXAS — Today, mostly cloudy and cool. Windy central and east. A slight chance of rain central and east. High 51 west to 62 southeast. Tonight, decreasing cloudiness and colder. Lows in lower 30s. Monday, partly cloudy. Highs in 50s.

SOUTH TEXAS — Hill Country and South Central — Today, decreasing clouds and windy. Highs in mid 60s, upper 50s Hill Country. Tonight, clear and cold. Lows near 30 Hill Country, middle 30s south central. Monday, clear and cool. Highs in 60s. Lows in 40s, 30s Hill Country. Southeast and Upper Coast — Today, mostly cloudy with a chance of showers. Highs in low to mid 60s. Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows in upper 30s inland, lower 40s coast. Monday, clear. Highs in 50s inland, near 60 coast. Lows in 40s. Coastal Bend and Rio Grande Plains — Today, partly cloudy and cooler. Highs in upper 60s coast to mid 60s inland. Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows in mid 40s coast, near 40 inland. Monday, clear. Highs in 60s. Lows in 40s inland, near 50 coast.

BORDER STATES

NEW MEXICO — Today, partly to mostly sunny and a little warmer in the afternoon. Highs upper 20s to near 40 northern mountains and northeast with 40s and 50s common central and east. Near 60 south. Tonight, fair and cold. Lows single digits to lower 20s mountains with 20s to lower 30s elsewhere. Monday, fair skies with moderating temperatures. Lows 5 to 25 mountains and north, 20s and lower 30s south. Highs mid 40s to lower 60s mountains and north, 60s to middle 70s southern lowlands and eastcentral plains.

OKLAHOMA — Today, mostly cloudy in the morning with a chance of snow north. Decreasing clouds. Highs in 40s. Tonight, mostly clear. Lows in lower 20s to mid 30s. Monday, Mostly clear. Highs 50 to 60.

City briefs

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EMERGENCY JAIL Release. 24 hrs. Jack Ward, 669-9911. Adv.

PIZZA HUT Delivery-Trick or Treat Coupon books-$5, $25 value. Supplies limited. Adv.

SALVATION ARMY, 701 S. Cuyler, will be taking applications requesting help for Christmas, Nov. 3rd - 7th 10 am - 12 noon & 2-5 pm. Must have valid ID for every person in the household.

NEW W.W.J.D. "What would Jesus do?" merchandise, incl. bracelets & rings. The Gift Box Christian Bookstore, 117 W. Kingsmill. Adv.

LOTS OF fun Halloween items, including glow-in-the-dark moons, mobiles, stickers & more. Balloon bouquets & baskets full of Halloween treats. Celebrations, 665-3100, 1617 N. Hobart. We deliver. Adv.

$500 REWARD for info. leading to the arrest & conviction of person or persons involved with theft of a 1987 black Chevy Shortbed truck from Doug Boyd Motor Co. between Sat. 18th 6 p.m. and Sun., 19th, 6 p.m. If you have info. please call 669-6062 or Pampa Police Dept. Adv.

PUMPKINS & Fall decorations, mums & pansies. Apply Winterizer & Winterizer w/Weed Preventer for Bermuda grass. Watson's Feed & Garden, Hwy. 60 East. Adv.

WONDERFUL CANDLE & Potpourri at Carousel Expressions. 1600 N. Hobart. 665-0614. Adv.

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SQUIRREL FEEDERS are here! Gourmet Munch Mix - a great squirrel snack Available at Watson's Feed & Garden, Hwy. 60 East. Adv.

NEEDED SHAMPOO Asst. Tangles, 665-4422. Adv.

AUSTIN ELEMENTARY Chili Supper & Carnival, Thursday, Oct. 30th, 5 p.m.-7:30 p.m. Tickets - $3. All You can Eat. Carry-out $4. Bake Sale - 8 a.m. Public is invited. For more information call 669-4760. Adv.

SELF DEFENSE Classes starting Nov. 3rd, 665-8554. Adv.

CALL 1-800-359-3131 for Weight Watchers information. Adv.

COLORADO APPLES & Pinto Beans - new crop & fresh pressed cider. Cunningham's, Delta, Co. in Pampa at Dixie Dog, 9-5:30 p.m., Mon. Nov. 3rd. Adv.

DEFENSIVE DRIVING, Marvin Bowman, 669-3871. Ticket dismissal - (USA). adv.

COME FIND out about the "Gift of Life - The Amarillo Marrow Donor Program" Sunday, Oct. 26, 2 p.m. at Lovett Library. Adv.

ASSISTANCE WITH daily living - meals, laundry, cleaning, medication & personal services, Meredith House, 665-5668. Adv.

BEAUTY 2000 has Luziers cosmetics, jewelry, hair & nail supplies. Adv.

PECANS! ST. Paul Methodist Women - order today! They will be arriving freshly picked and shelled November 11th, $6 lb. Call 669-6287 or 665-8148. Adv.

GRAY COUNTY Trading Post, 421 S. Price Rd. We have furniture & appliances! Adv.

PRICES SLASHED due to demand - sign up now for Nov. 1 start up, $29.95 mo. Lose inches, feel better, join others w/problems such as rheumatoid arthritis, MS, lupus and stress. Beauty 2000, 329 N. Hobart, 665-6549. Adv.

FLOOR FURNACE and wood frame windows for sale. 669-0415. adv.

CHANEY'S CAFE, Sunday 11-2 p.m. country style ribs, fried chicken, lasagna, roast beef. 716 W. Foster. Adv.

LOST RED Male & Blue Female Heeler, 1716 Fir. 665-7509, 669-3667. Adv.

GRAND OPENING: Oct. 20-31. Loads of silver rings, bracelets, pendants and earrings. Silver Creek Collection, 121 S. Houston, 665-5000. Adv.

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CELANESE

Chemical News, has already reported that a potential buyer exists for the Dallas chemical corporation.

Despite this, no formal announcements have been made about Celanese's future,which could be years away from a sale.

Other options, said Kennedy, do exist. If taken public, Celanese could stand alone as a $4 billion per year corporation. He said that is a very likely option and could benefit Celanese. However, if that decision is not reached, Celanese would most likely join the ranks of a larger chemical-based company.

"But if it doesn't happen and we merge," Kennedy said about the possibility of Celanese standing alone in the market, "that company is going to have to purchase a very successful, capable company."

Celanese executives will address members of the Hoechst Board Nov. 12 to discuss future options.

NICHOLS

to be sure.

Nichols, 42, turned himself in to authorities when he heard his name on news broadcasts two days after the April 19, 1995, bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building.

The blast killed 168 people and injured hundreds more.

He faces the death penalty if convicted of murder, conspiracy and weapons-related counts.

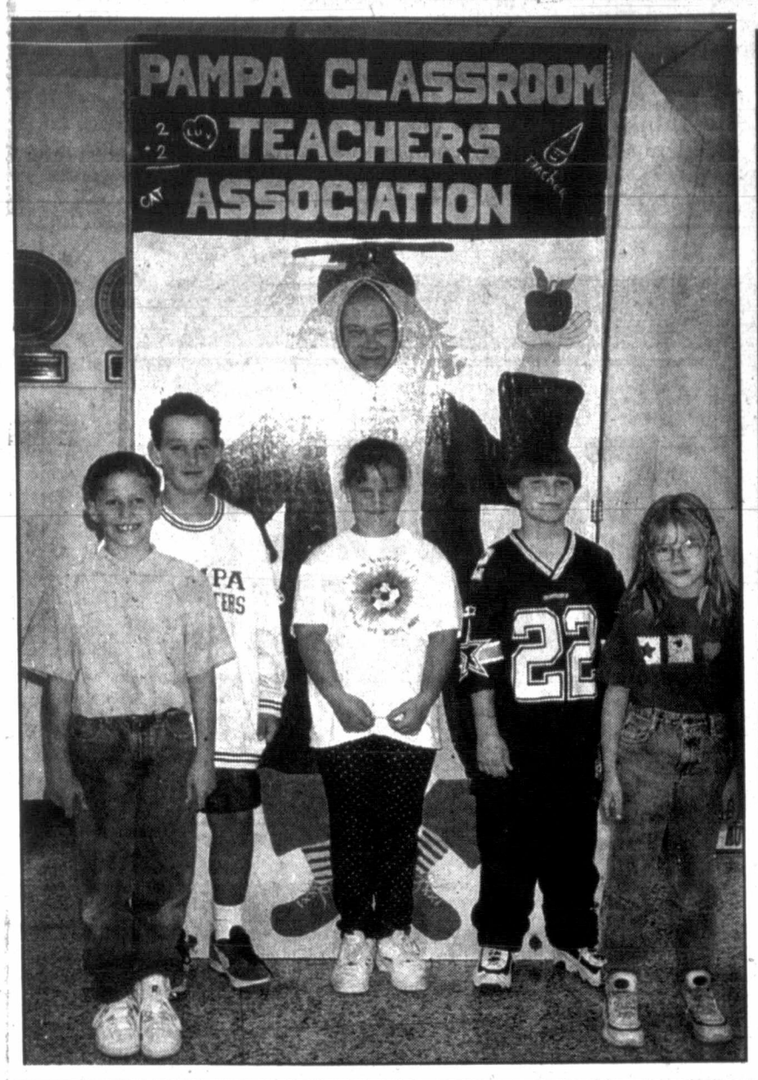
McVeigh was convicted of identical charges in June and sentenced to die.

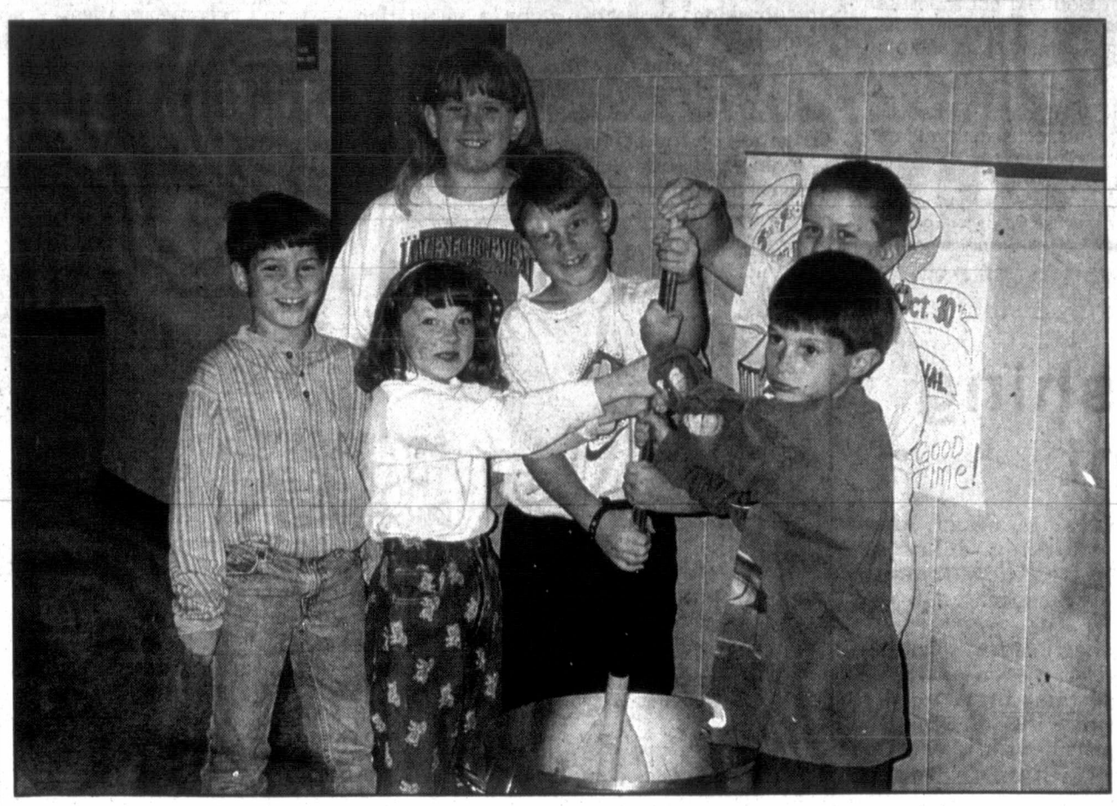
Among the prospective jurors excused Friday was a woman who said that because of Nichols' unyielding demeanor, she believed he was "very probably guilty."

"I see him as a man who just doesn't seem to change from the first time I saw him 2 1/2 years ago," she said. "He's impeccably groomed. He never needs a haircut. He never needs a shave. His expression never changes."

Nichols sat expressionless, staring straight ahead.

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(Pampa News photos by Miranda Bailey)

Austin Elementary is having a Chili Supper, Carnival and Bake Sale on Thursday, Oct. 30. Tyson Hickman, Seth and Sara Foster, Eric Kingcade and Briana Wallam stand around Principal Ron Warren and show off some carnival fun, while Stacy Pepper, Colden Fortenberry, Erin Teague, Brett Ferrell and Aaron Pepper start stirring the chili.

Executive admits to defrauding NASA

HOUSTON (AP) — A former Lockheed Engineering and Sciences Co. executive in charge of $2.6 billion worth of NASA contracts has pleaded guilty to charges of defrauding the agency of more than $300,000.

John Joseph McGurr, a Lockheed retiree, was accused of using a series of shell companies to hide theft at the Johnson Space Center and Goddard Space Flight Center in Maryland.

U.S. District Judge Sim Lake will sentence McGurr in January. He faces more than 20 years in prison and fines of more than $1 million.

The charges in the June indictment stem from subcontracts McGurr supervised from 1989 through 1994.

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EVENT

The purpose of Domestic Violence Month and Monday night's event in Pampa is to mourn those who have died, celebrate those who have survived and honor those who work to end the problem, state a letter sent to clergy members by the Tralee Crisis Center.

Sponsored by the Crisis Coordinating Council, Tralee Crisis Center and Pampa Police Department, these are only some activities planned during the week-long events scheduled to bring the problem in the forefront in Gray County.

On Tuesday, from 8 to 9 a.m., Town, Officer Stephanie Raymond, County Attorney Todd Alvey and Police Chief Charlie Morris will appear as guests on KGRO's morning show to conduct a call-in segment. In addition to being interviewed by local radio personality Mike McGinnis, they will also answer questions from residents concerning domestic violence in Gray County.

This feature, explains Town, allows residents to anonymously ask questions about domestic violence, legal issues, where and how to receive help, etc. Anyone wanting to ask the panel members questions during the morning show should call 669-9592 between 8 and 9 a.m. next Tuesday.

Wednesday, ministers are again asked to join in the movement by saying a special prayer during their services for victims of domestic violence.

On Thursday, Cindy Dyer and Steve Storie of the Dallas County district attorney's office will host a seminar about domestic violence.

Dyer is the assistant district attorney of Dallas County and is a felony prosecutor in the family violence division. She has spoken against domestic violence throughout the state since 1994. This year, Dyer was honored by the 1997 Texas Council on Family Violence with the John McPaul Local Achievement Award. At the seminar, She will explain protective orders, new legislative laws and trial strategies.

Storie has been an investigator with the Dallas County district attorney's office since 1990. He is also an instructor with the Dallas Sheriff's Academy and the Cedar Valley College Academy. In addition, Storie has taught in over 100 agencies statewide.

He is a board member of the Cedar Valley College Police Academy and serves on the Texas Council on Family Violence. Storie was awarded the Denton District Attorney Award for community service. He will speak on the investigator's perspective towards domestic violence including responsibilities, impact the batterer and liability issues.

The seminar will begin at 1 p.m. and end at 4 p.m. at the M.K. Brown Heritage Room, Oct. 30. All members of the community are invited to attend.

Columbia may change name

DALLAS — A massive government investigation into the business practices of Columbia/HCA Healthcare Corp. has prompted the company to consider changing its corporate name, officials say.

"I doubt that, long-term, the Columbia name will be the name of this company," said senior vice president Victor Campbell. He was in Dallas with chairman and chief executive officer Thomas Frist Jr. for speaking engagements and to meet employees at two local hospitals.

Analysts have said Columbia's name has been harmed beyond repair by federal and state investigations into allegations that the company overbilled Medicare.

Columbia has previously denied that a corporate name change was in the works.

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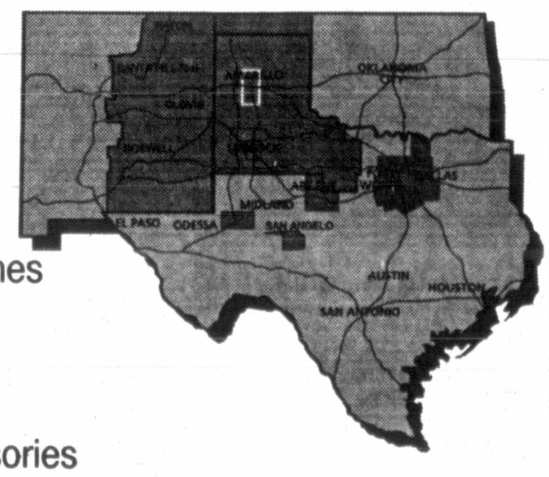


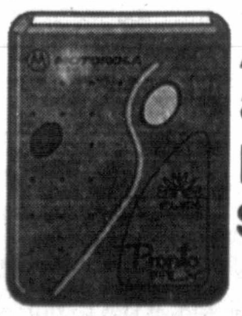
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We believe that freedom is a gift from God and not a political grant from government, and that men have the right to take moral action to preserve their life and property for themselves and others.

Freedom is neither license nor anarchy. It is control and sovereignty of oneself, no more, no less. It is, thus, consistent with the coveting commandment.

L.W. McCall, Publisher — Kate B. Dickson, Associate Publisher/Editor

Which bacteria is it this week?



Kate B. Dickson

Associate Publisher/Editor

Well, last week there was another food health alert. This time it was about chicken again. Something that started with a "C" and gets more folks than E-coli or salmonella or whatever. Frankly, I can't keep up with it all.

Maybe that's why I had a nightmare about working in a chicken plant ... and there were those red things – combs? – all over the floor. It was pretty gross. When I get a chance I'll look up some of that in one of my dream books ...

All of the bad news lately about meat has had me thinking about becoming a vegetarian – something, that I know isn't politically correct in Texas...it being cow central and all.

But then there are those reports coming from Mexico about sewer water being diverted for irrigation on food crops ... Yuk!

Even if all our vegetables are pure as the proverbial driven snow, chances are my home won't become meatless ... not as long as baby back pork loin ribs continue to be barbecued or as long as they sell pig ears.

The ribs are for me and the pig ears are for Jasmine, my boxer. She thinks it's heaven when I give her a dried pig ear – visible veins and all! Now, it's OK when she gets a cow's ear, mind you, but I can tell from her actions pork is where it's at.

Frankly, I'd never heard of pig ears (except on pigs and probably in hot dogs) until I lived in Missouri and Jasmine's vet kept a basket of them on the counter. No wonder she thought Dr. Lonnie was the best!

As a matter of fact, Dr. Lonnie and his wife, Dee, even went out of their way on vacation to swing by where I was living in Kentucky just to bring Jasmine a box of pig ears.

In Pampa, Jasmine's vet, Dr. Ron Easley, doesn't have a pig ear stash but he certainly keeps her well supplied in tasty treats that come from a pretty cool "barking dog" cookie jar.

It only took one visit there for her to know on which counter the "barking dog" makes its home...and she always asks (and gets) seconds!

Do I have a spoiled dog, or what?

Opinion

Reno is rushing to judgment

The Clinton administration says, in effect, that incompetence lies behind its shocking delay in releasing important evidence – the now-famous videotapes – about its fund-raising campaign leading up to the 1996 election.

One almost yearns to believe that excuse, because the alliterative is deeply disturbing: A stonewall.

This much is clear. The deadline came for Attorney General Janet Reno to decide on moving ahead with a process that could trigger appointment of a special counsel to look into President Clinton's White House coffees with political donors.

Reno duly announced her decision: No more inquiry would be needed; there wasn't credible evidence that the coffees were unlawful fund-raisers on public property.

Yet it turns out that Reno didn't have all the evidence. The day after the deadline, the White House suddenly announced it had found videotapes from at least 44 coffee get-togethers. Never mind that Senate investigators had issued subpoenas last January for any recordings of the sessions. The befogged officials at 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue apparently only remembered about these tapes during the week when Reno was closing out her look at the president; and they couldn't gather the tapes for release until after she had issued her final report.

What a convenient lapse in memory and internal communications. Indeed, the Clinton tapes are as spotty in their way as those that Richard Nixon's secretary, Rose Mary Woods, famously helped shorten by 18 minutes. Just bits and pieces of the coffees are to be seen on the tapes as released, and the sound from one entire tape was missing. Although the White House now says there is audio to accompany this video, it's interesting to note which tape was the subject of this mixup: The June 18, 1996, coffee where at least one witness has told Senate investigators that John Huang asked for campaign donations.

To be sure, even if these tapes had never surfaced, Reno would still have been acting prematurely in pronouncing the Clinton case closed. At least 60 witnesses in the controversy have either fled the country or, as with John Huang, invoked the Fifth Amendment.

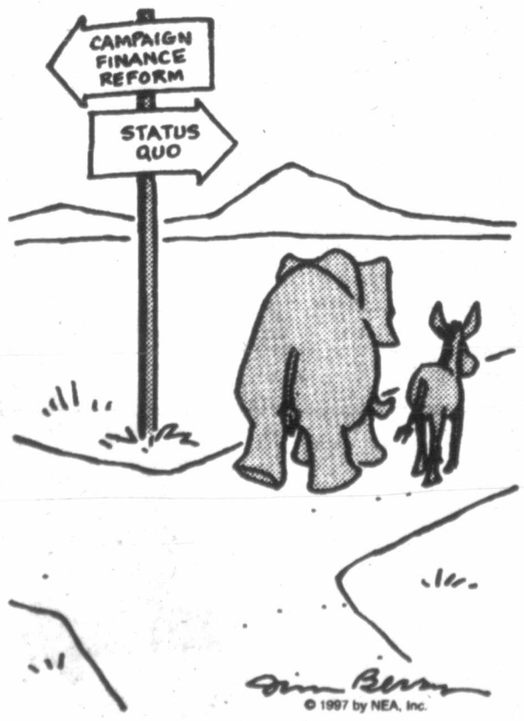
The need to go beyond superficial scrutiny in the fund-raising case was underscored when GOP Sen. Fred Thompson had to apologize for alleging that a Teamsters union consultant met privately with the president at the White House. It was a "fact" that the senator invoked to try to tie Clinton to an illegal funding scheme benefiting the election of Teamsters President Ron Carey.

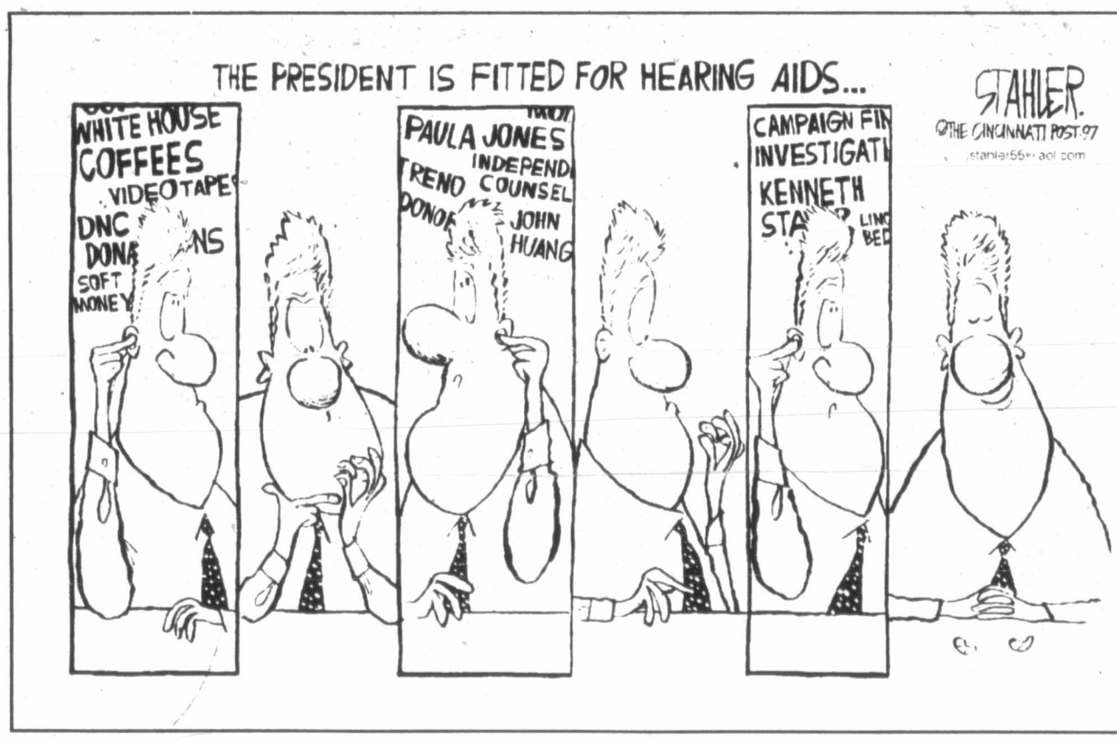
Thompson admitted he made a mistake, after the White House produced documents showing the union official hadn't been the only guest with the president.

Any findings in the investigations must be based on all information available. That is why the too-late release of the videotapes is so troubling. There is embarrassment to be widely shared, both by White House aides and by Reno. The big question is whether this farce is something darker than a comedy of errors and whether responsibility ultimately reaches into the Oval Office.

—Odessa American

Berry's World





Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Sunday, Oct. 26, the 299th day of 1997. There are 66 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Oct. 26, 1881, the gunfight at the OK Corral took place in Tombstone, Ariz., as Wyatt Earp, his two brothers and "Doc" Holliday confronted Ike Clanton's gang. Three members of Clanton's gang were killed; Earp's brothers were wounded.

On this date:

In 1774, the First Continental Congress adjourned in Philadelphia.

In 1825, the Erie Canal opened in upstate New York, connecting Lake Erie and the Hudson River.

In 1942, the U.S. ship Hornet was sunk in the Battle of Santa Cruz Islands during World War II.

In 1957, the Soviet Union announced that defense minister Marshal Georgi Zhukov had been relieved of his duties.

White House memory lapses



Joseph Perkins

Joseph Perkins is a columnist for the *San Diego Union-Tribune.*

Maybe the White House water supply is tainted with an exotic bacteria. Maybe a rare virus is circulating through the Executive Mansion's air ducts. Or perhaps the White House cooks are putting too much MSG in the food.

There simply has to be a reason why almost everyone who works at the White House, from President Clinton on down, has contracted mysterious cases of memory loss.

Like forgetting they met certain people (especially if those individuals happened to be foreigners with bags of cash). Or forgetting phone calls they made (especially if the calls were made from their White House digs). Or forgetting documents in their possession (often when the material is requested by investigators).

The first tell-tale signs of this White House memory loss was observed earlier this year when reporters started asking questions about John Huang, the Democrat fund-raiser who brought in more than $2 million in illegal campaign contributions (much of it from foreign nationals) for the president's re-election.

White House officials originally insisted they had never heard of Huang. Then they remembered that the prodigious buckraker had, in fact, visited the White House 78 times in little more than a year.

The latest example of this outbreak of White House memory loss involves videotapes from the 44 coffees President Clinton hosted in 1996. It seems that all the president's men and women forgot that those tapes existed when they neglected to turn them over to Senate investigators.

Fortunately for White House officials, who certainly wanted to comply with the Senate's subpoena last July of all fund-raising-related material, a *Time* magazine article jogged their memories about the tapes. So, lo and behold! the tapes were discovered.

But, apparently, the memories of some White House officials were jogged more than others. For instance, on the day White House Counsel Charles Ruff was reminded of the 44 coffee tapes, he attended a regularly scheduled meeting at the Justice Department with Attorney General Janet Reno and one of her senior deputies.

Ruff forgot to mention the videotapes to Reno, though he knew she was supposed to make a legal pronouncement on the White House coffees the very next day – whether they possibly violated campaign fund-raising laws; whether there was sufficient grounds to appoint an independent counsel.

Of course, Ruff was terribly embarrassed for Reno when the underinformed attorney general declared that the White House coffees were well within the law – that they were not fund-raisers, per se; that they were all held in the White House residential quarters.

Had Reno watched the videos, she would have seen that at least one of the coffees was held in the Oval Office, the president's official workspace. And this might have led her to a memorandum that informed the president that each of his Oval Office guests donated at least $100,000 to sip coffee with him.

When you combine the tape and the memo, you get evidence that the White House quite possibly violated the federal law that forbids fund-raising on official government property. Clearly, the Justice Department prematurely abandoned its criminal investigation of the White House coffees.

Which brings us back to White House memory loss. It's kind of curious that not one presidential aide recalled a coffee being held in the Oval Office until the video turned up. Up until then, White House officials had assured us that all the coffees were held in the White House map room or some other residential space in the Executive Mansion.

Similarly, not one White House official remembered the memo concerning the Oval Office coffee until it too turned up. Apparently, it simply got lost among the hundreds of thousands of memos the White House has stashed away in file cabinets.

Now there are some cynics out there who suggest that White House officials are knowingly and willfully participating in a cover-up of their campaign fund-raising activities – which, of course, would constitute a criminal obstruction of justice.

But I say they are being unfair. I'm sure there's something in the White House water or air or food that can explain why so many of the president's men and women are suffering such lapses in memory.

West named to NARO board; takes office Nov. 14

ADA, Okla.—Charles F. West of Clayton, New Mexico, has been named to the board of governors of the National Association of Royalty Owners (NARO). He is a forth-generation West Texas rancher and has also been involved in real estate and minerals management for over 30 years.

He is the owner of Clayton Title Services, Inc., Clayton Credit Bureau, and is a independent petroleum land consultant. West has been active in the energy industry in Texas, New Mexico, Colorado and Oklahoma and is a Certified Minerals Management Professional.

He will continue to serve as a board member of the NARO-Texas wing of the National Association of Royalty Owners, the parent association with over 5,000 individual and corporate members plus 30,000 regional and state association affiliate members.

NARO was formed in 1981 to fight the windfall profits tax, and has since expanded into a wide-range of watch dog activities including self-help educational pursuits to aid the nation's 4.5 million royalty owners of oil and gas interests. It is based in Ada, Okla., with full-time representation in Wash., D.C., and other key cities.

West is also a certified member of the American association of Professional Landmen, a Life Member of the New Mexico Quarter Horse Assn. and nearly a dozen other agri-business and energy-related associations. He received his education at Angelo State University and Schriener Institute.

He was nominated for the national post with NARO at a September board meeting in Dallas and will take office on Nov. 14 at the group's 17th annual convention at the Adam's Mark Hotel in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Community Calendar

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THE ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP will have regularly scheduled meetings the first Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. at Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency, Inc. For more information contact Chrys Smith at 665-0356.

PAMPA CITIZENS POLICE ACADEMY ASSOCIATION meets the fourth Tuesday of each month in the Caprock Apartments Office, 1601 W. Somerville, at 7 p.m. All graduates of the Pampa Citizens Police Academy are welcome. Dues are $1 a month. For more information contact Corporal Donny Brown at 669-5700 or Jean at 669-6386.

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TOP O' TEXAS KIWANIS CLUB OF PAMPA meets every Tuesday at 7 p.m. at Sirloin Stockade. For more information call 665-2561 or 665-4354.

PAMPA CHESS CLUB meets every Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m. Beginners are welcome! We offer casual but competitive games and free instruction by expert chess players. For more information contact James A. Shook at 669-0227.

OCTOBER

27 — CREATIVE ARTISANS NETWORK will hold their monthly meeting at 6:30 p.m. at Lovett Memorial Library Annex. For more information contact Grant Johnson at 669-9887 or Kelly Varner at 665-9569.

28 — PAMPA AREA FOUNDATION FOR OUT DOOR ART, 5:30 p.m., Lovett Memorial Library Auditorium.

28 — PAMPA CHESS CLUB will hold challenge matches for the club ladder event and discussion for holding our next tournament; followed by a group chess seminar. Nonmembers and beginners are always welcome. For more information contact James A. Shook at 669-0227.

28 — AMARILLO INVENTORS ASSOCIATION will meet at 7 p.m., in the Presidents Room, Boatmen's National Bank, lower level, at 8th and Taylor Streets. Information on Venture Capital will be presented by our president, Paul Kiefer.

30 — AUSTIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL Chili Supper, Carnival and Bake Sale. Call 669-4760 for more information.

31 — HALLOWEEN

NOVEMBER

1 — GENEALOGY WORKSHOP for beginners and intermediate, including afternoon session on computer programs. The workshop will be held at Lovett Library Auditorium at 9:30 a.m. Call Willie Mae Mangold at 669-7259 or 665-8044 for more information.

1 — LAS PAMPAS CHAPTER of Daughters of the American Revolution will be having a genealogical workshop at the Lovett Library. Registration will be at 9:30 a.m. for the beginners workshop/advanced seminar. Registration for the DAR computer course will be at 1 p.m. For more information call Mrs. Jack White at 669-9740.

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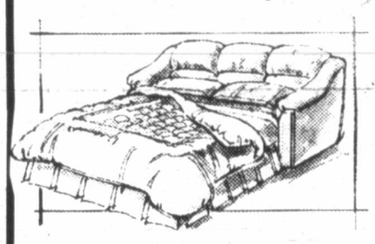
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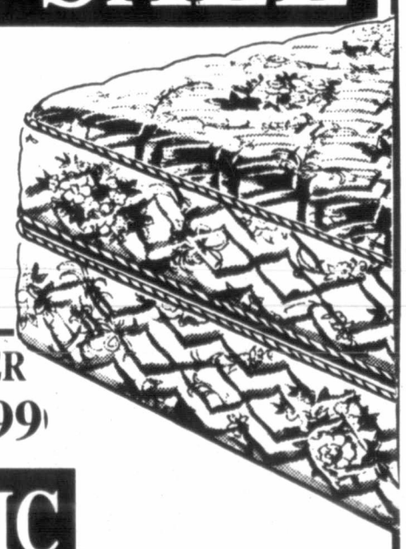
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DEAR ABBY: I have never written to you before, and I'm sorry it has to be about something so tragic.

Here in Utah, two children died after playing hide-and-seek in an old refrigerator. The refrigerator had been left in a rural area, lying on its back with the door open.

No one really knows what caused this tragedy — whether the door fell shut and trapped the boys, or whether they closed it in order to "hide."

Abby, please put a warning in your column about this potential danger. If one person will heed it, perhaps other children will not lose their lives.

VIRGINIA JOHNS

DEAR VIRGINIA: This is not the first time I have been asked to warn my readers about the dangers posed by stored or abandoned refrigerators, which can be death traps for children.

Unused refrigerators and freezers should have the doors removed so that tragedies like this can be prevented.

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DEAR ABBY: In your reply to "Steaming in Dallas," who wrote about her in-laws who believed a man should be in charge of all financial and other matters of major importance, you stated that the in-laws' values "are firmly rooted in another century." Don't be too sure about that, Abby.

There are groups today that attract huge numbers of men (one group fills stadiums full of men) and preach that men should be in control of every major facet of life. These groups usually cloak their male-supremacy message in biblical teachings and in the cultural icons of America.

While promoting many worthwhile tenets and publicly decrying spousal abuse and infidelity, they encourage male control of positions of leadership in the business, political and religious arenas and within the family structure. These groups often obtain legitimacy by associating with local churches, which may or may not fully understand the organizations' agendas, strategies or political ties.

While people have the right to their own personal religious beliefs and to join whatever legitimate organizations they wish to, I would caution all clergypeople and church members to fully investigate any outside group that appears to be infiltrating and exercising control within their men's ministries. I would caution any wife to beware if her husband says something like, "Honey, I've made a terrible mistake. I've given you my role." This is the standard approach for "handling the little lady."

The Center for Democracy Studies, 177 E. 87th St., Suite 404, New York, N.Y. 10128, offers information to anyone wanting to know about groups with organized efforts to undermine the rights of women, people of color, labor or any other groups, through religious or political intolerance. I would bet that "Steaming in Dallas's" in-laws may have been influenced by one of these very current groups rather than by ancient history.

SUSPICIOUS IN ILLINOIS

DEAR SUSPICIOUS: Whether the group is contemporary or not, I stand by my original answer. That kind of philosophy is firmly rooted in another century.

However, thank you for taking the time to alert my readers and for naming an information resource for anyone who is concerned about an encroachment on civil rights.

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Horoscope

Your Birthday

Monday, Oct. 27, 1997

More activities and involvements than usual are likely for you in the year ahead. You will make and maintain new and beneficial friendships in several unrelated areas.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Today, your usually resolute attitude may not be functional and you could quit at the first signs of resistance. Try to stick to it! Major changes are ahead for Scorpio in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions by mailing $2 and SASE to *Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper*, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) If you receive an unexpected assignment today, don't let your imagination make more of it than need be. You can dispense of it quickly.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Today, do not gamble on something about which you have to rely upon filtered information from an unfamiliar source. The facts may not be valid.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) If you are assertive in dealing with others today, it could provoke an unpleasant response and a nasty incident. Instead, be diplomatic and have a good day.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Self-discipline will be required to focus on important details today. You might be a tad absent-minded and do something forgetful.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Something unpleasant might develop in your financial dealings today, especially if close friends are involved. It must be nipped in the bud immediately.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Using pressure tactics in order to get your mate to comply could misfire today. When you're out of earshot, he or she could turn the other way.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) No matter how cleverly you try to camouflage neglected assignments, they may be uncovered today. Just do the tasks in the first place!

CANCER (June 21-July 22) A cherished relationship with a close friend is under more strain than you may realize. Try to ferret out the underlying problems today.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Companions will be annoyed with you today if they aren't able to extract a definite decision from you on a vital issue. Trust your judgment.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Today you might insist upon doing something that won't work, even though the flaws are as obvious to you as they are to others.

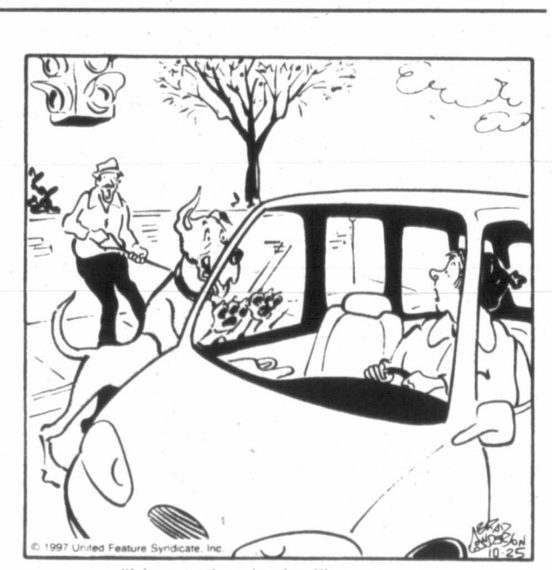
LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Do not let yourself be drawn into another's complicated financial affairs today. Think carefully before making a loan or soliciting advice.

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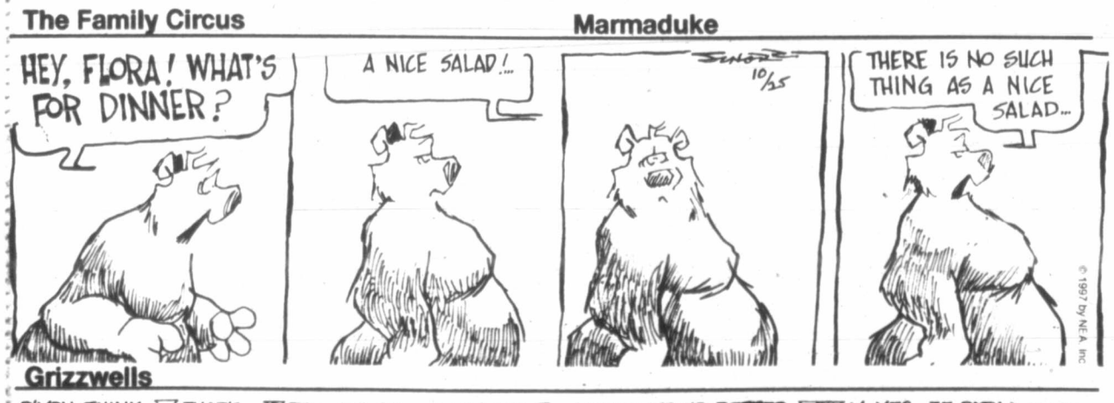
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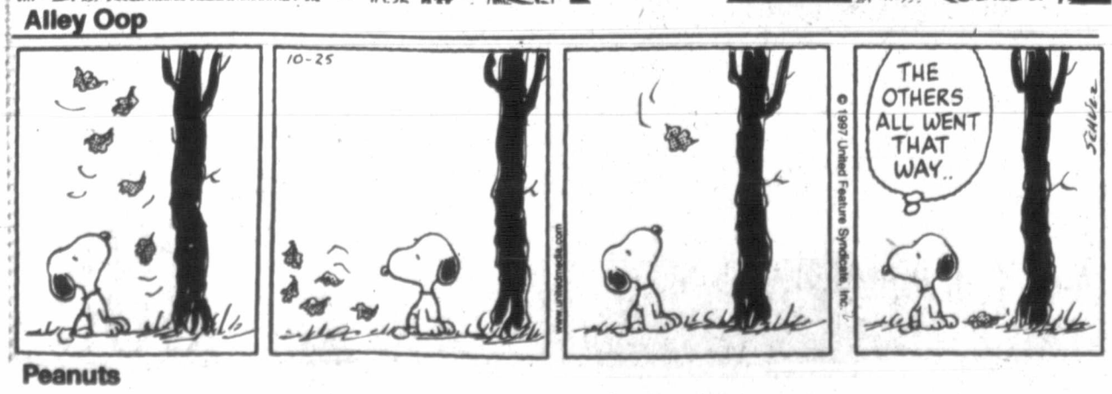
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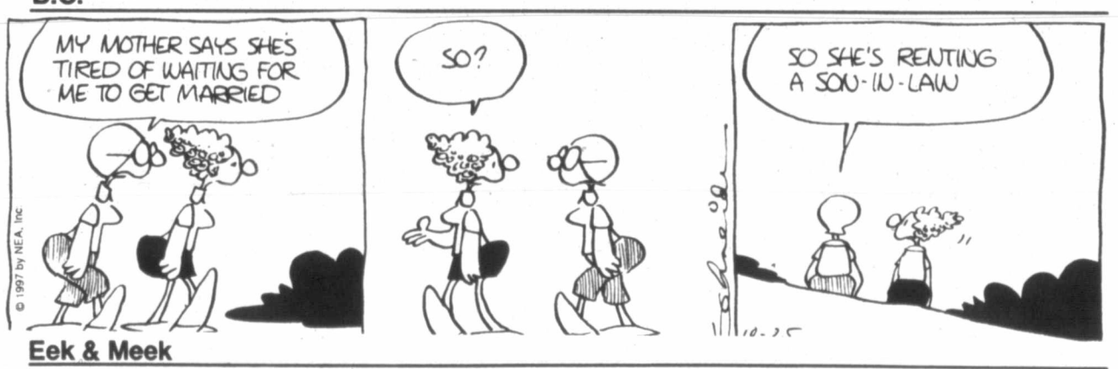
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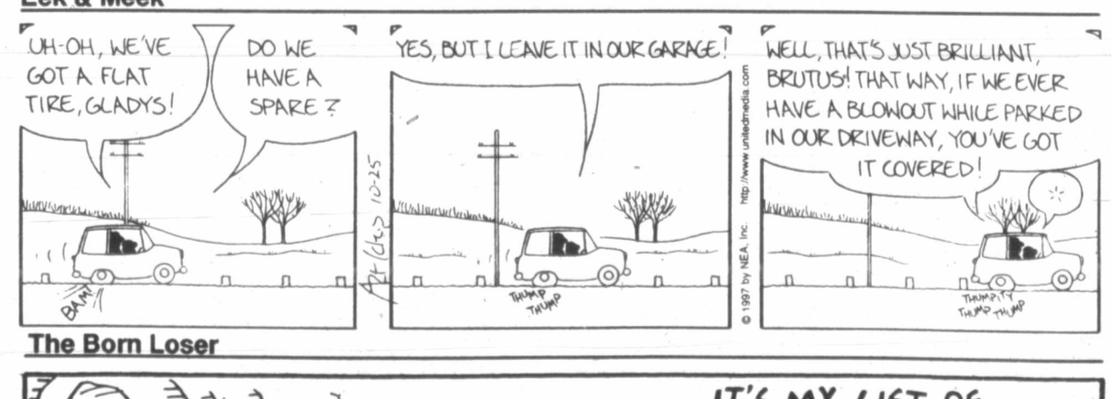
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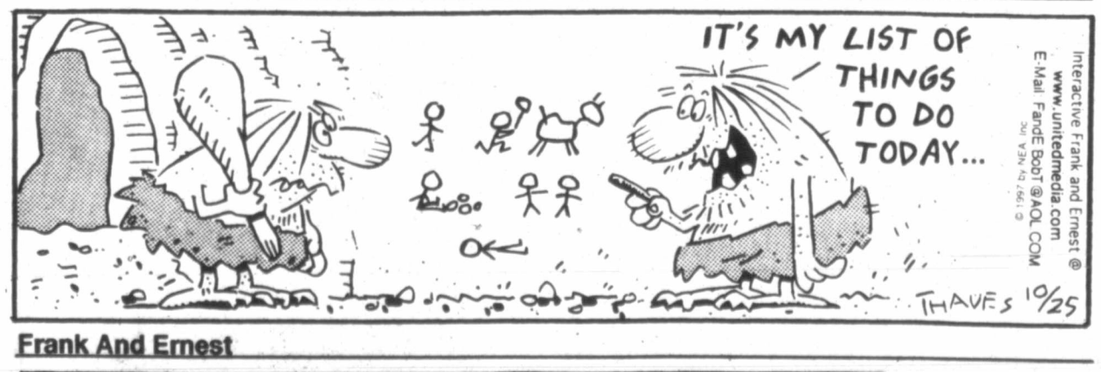
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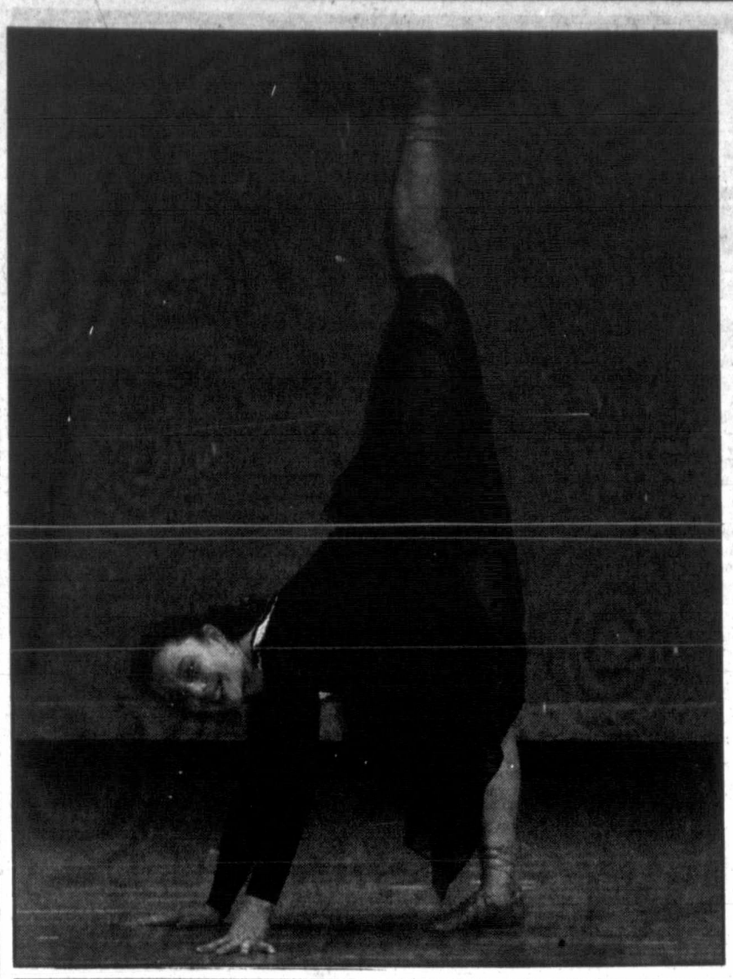
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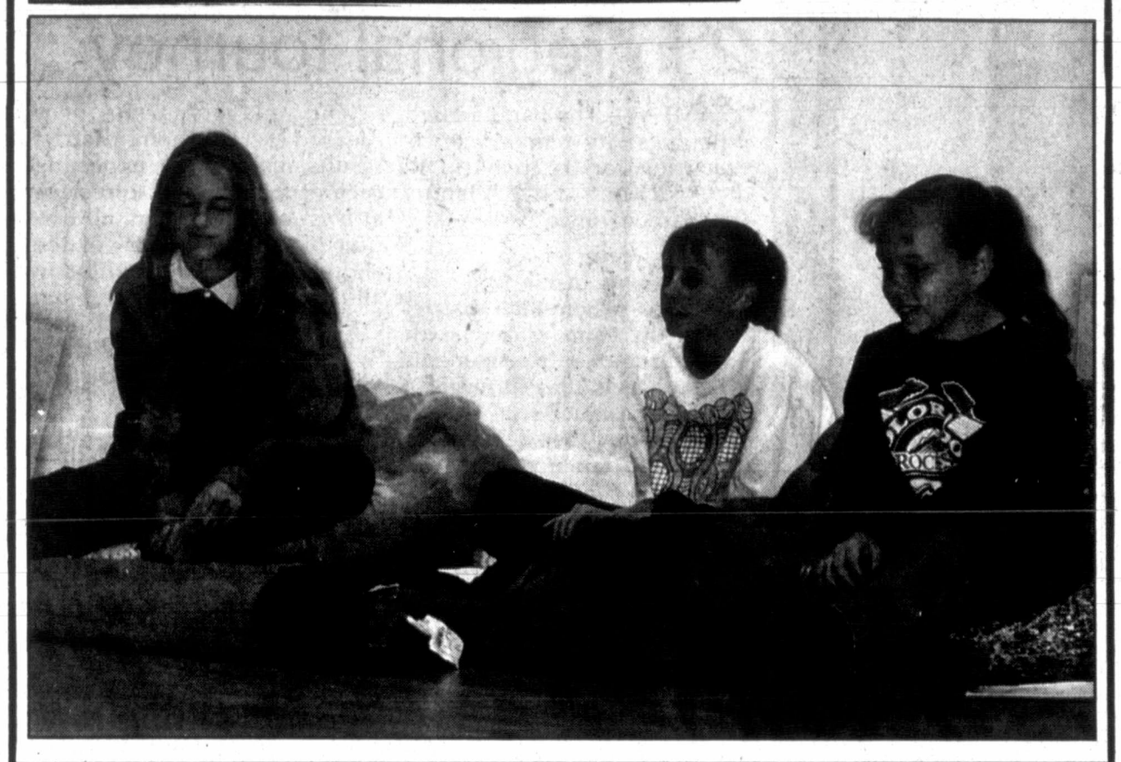


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In the spotlight

(Special photos)
Staci Clay (left) performed a ballet during the Pampa Middle School Variety Show Friday. Sixteen other acts, including a skit by April Taylor, Bridget Stephenson and Amanda Stephenson (below), participated in the Variety Show.



Man acquitted of murder now faces perjury charges

By BRUCE SCHREINER
Associated Press Writer

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Mel Ignatow was just a couple weeks from freedom after five years in prison on federal perjury charges. Prosecutors, however, planned to keep him in jail because they believe he got away with murder.

A grand jury indicted Ignatow Thursday on state perjury charges and a $40,000 bond was set. That should be enough to keep Ignatow in custody beyond his scheduled Oct. 31 release from a federal prison in Michigan, prosecutor Dave Stengel said.

Ignatow, 59, is infamous in Kentucky for a crime for which he was acquitted — the brutal torture slaying and rape of his 36-year-old fiancee, Brenda Sue Schaefer.

After film surfaced showing him torturing Schaefer, he could not be retried for murder because of constitutional protections against double jeopardy.

In 1988, Schaefer failed to return from a date with Ignatow, a Louisville businessman. His former girlfriend, Mary Ann Shore-Inlow, testified that she took pictures as Ignatow tied Ms. Schaefer to a coffee table, sodomized her and killed her.

Despite her testimony, Ignatow was acquitted. One juror said there simply wasn't enough evidence to link Ignatow to the crime.

Ten months later, the owners of Ignatow's former home found the film in a heating duct.

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In 1992, Ignatow pleaded guilty to the federal perjury charge for lying to the FBI and a federal grand jury.

Now, state prosecutors want to try Ignatow for lying during testimony in the 1989 trial of Ms. Schaefer's employer, who was convicted of harassing Ignatow after her death. Ignatow could face another 10 years in prison if convicted.

Stengel said his office had received pleas from the public to prevent Ignatow's impending release.

"We get calls from citizens every day. One today just said, 'Please, do the right thing,'" Stengel said Thursday.

In an interview with a Louisville television station, Ignatow said he wasn't surprised about prosecutors' renewed interest in him.

"I wouldn't be surprised at anything they would try to do but ... it doesn't mean they're going to be able to accomplish what they're going to try."

Production stopped on Dreyers Ice Cream bars

Product contains threatening bacteria

By KATIE FAIRBANK
AP Business Writer

DALLAS (AP) — A Dallas-area plant that makes ice cream bars for Dreyers Grand Ice Cream has shut down production of the bars because some were found to contain a potentially dangerous bacteria.

Americana Foods in Duncanville stopped producing ice cream bars for Dreyers on Oct. 3 because Listeria monocytogenes, which in severe cases can cause brain infection and meningitis, was found in samples of Dreyers' Cookies 'N Cream and Vanilla 'N Almond bars in Hong Kong.

Hong Kong's Department of Health also said the bacteria was discovered in five flavors of Dreyers' ice cream in Taiwan. No other details of the five contaminated flavors were given.

As a result, all of Oakland, Calif.-based Dreyers' ice cream products have been suspended from sale in Hong Kong, the government reported Friday.

Dreyers said there has been no illness reported by customers and no recall of Dreyers' ice cream from Hong Kong.

"None of the products in question in Hong Kong are in distribution in the United States," said Dreyers' spokeswoman Jill Kasser.

She said that the test in Taiwan was on quarts of ice cream that was six months old.

"We are investigating the test results and have dispatched a team," she said. "We don't have any more details than that."

Ms. Kasser said the Dallas-area plant is currently being investigated and ice cream bar production has stopped.

A spokeswoman at Americana said some production, overseen by the Texas Department of Health, continues at the plant for other dairy food purveyors.

The spokeswoman, who did not wish to be identified, said she could not identify Americana's other customers.

The health department did not return telephone calls Friday afternoon.

Dreyers, which has five ice cream plants nationwide, subcontracts the production of some of its products, said Ms. Kasser. The company had $578 million in annual sales last year.

Odds and ends ...

MADISON, Wis. (AP) — Ouuuu-whee! Talk about foul!

Workers at the state Bureau of Disability Determination next to the University of Wisconsin's germ-free lab have had to put up with noxious odors coming from their neighbors for the past year.

Not anymore.

The UW Medical School's Gnotobiote Lab moved to a new site on campus earlier this month and took those nauseating fumes — mice food — with them.

"It smelled like dead burning bodies. That's really the only way to describe it," said Bill Shelton, director of the state agency.

The Gnotobiote Lab produces germ-free animals for use in research. The mice must be raised in a sterile, controlled environment. The fumes are created when mice food is cooked at high temperatures to kill bacteria.

The new facilities are better suited for raising germ-free animals and will make it easier for the lab to meet federal safety standards, said Joe Thulin, director of the Medical School animal unit.

LUBBOCK (AP) — City councilman Victor Hernandez's displeasure with the mayor reached a profane crescendo.

After being told by Mayor Windy Sitton to stop questioning a speaker at a meeting, Hernandez rocked back in his chair and muttered the "b" word that rhymes with witch under his breath.

Although his remark wasn't clearly audible at the meeting, television microphones and the city's own audio tape clearly picked up the word.

After reviewing the tape, Hernandez argued that "no such language being used is evident," though he didn't deny saying it.

"There is no doubt that my level of frustration is at an all-time high with the mayor and city government," said Hernandez. "Suffice it to say that the mayor and I do not get along for a variety of reasons."

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GOLF

PAMPA — Results of the Hidden Hills Seniors 4-man scramble are as follows:

First: Elmer Wilson, Harvey Malone, Jerry South and J.D. Brown, 61.

Second: Jim Bolton, Bob Young, Bob Brandon and Habe Crossman, 64.

Third: Carl Johnson, Carroll Pettit, Travos Taylor and Jim Osborne, 64

Fourth place: Jack Combs, John McGuire, J.B. Holt and George Gamblin, 66.

Fifth place: Dale Haynes, Richard Abbott, Everett Butler and Dale Hawkins, 66.

Closest to the hole: Dale Haynes, No. 15.

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After Friday, Oct. 31, golf spikes (metal spikes) will no longer be allowed at the Hidden Hills Public Golf Course. Only spikeless golf shoes or tennis shoes will be allowed.

HORSE RACING

CAMPBELLVILLE, Ontario (AP) — Malabar Man and rival Lord Stormont were trotting as a team with about a half-mile left when Malabar Man bid arrivederci in the Breeders Crown 3-year-old Colt & Gelding Trot.

The Hambletonian winner will now go to Italy for the final race of his career after casting a vote for himself as Harness Horse of the Year with a 7 1/4-length win over Buttafuco, with Lord Stormont another three-quarters-length back in third in the $440,000 race..

Victories over Malabar Man in a heat and in the raceoff in the World Troting Derby had pushed Lord Stormont into a battle with Malabar Man for the divisional championship, Trotter of the Year and Horse of the Year.

GOLF

LAS VEGAS (AP) — Duffy Waldorf doesn't mind a little wind. Not if it helps put him in the lead of a golf tournament.

On a day when gusty winds sent scores soaring, Waldorf played the wind about as well as anyone Friday, shooting a 3-under 69 to take a four-shot lead over Billy Mayfair after three rounds of the 90-hole Las Vegas Invitational.

Waldorf's round was six strokes higher than the 63 he posted a day earlier, but still one of the best on a day when the wind turned the normally benign desert courses into tracks that some big names had trouble breaking 80 on.

"I don't mind the wind, but this was a bit gusty," Waldorf said. "With this kind of wind you get knocked around a lot."

Waldorf took advantage of a tee time on the Desert Inn Country Club, probably the most sheltered of the three courses in use to move out of a tie for the lead. Fred Couples and Kevin Sutherland were another shot behind Mayfair, five shots back.

"I never saw a leaderboard, so I didn't know I had that kind of lead," Waldorf said. "I really had no idea what a good round today would be."

Defending champion Tiger Woods, who double-bogeyed two holes on his front side after flubbing shots around the green, shot a 5-over 77 on the more wide open TPC Summerlin course and was 12 shots back. First-round leader John Adams, meanwhile, didn't even make the cut after shooting a 79 at the Las Vegas Country Club.

Phil Mickelson, who flirted with a 59 on Thursday before finishing with a 63, was 16 shots worse Friday after shooting a 7-over 79.

A day after four golfer shot 63s and five others had 64s, the best round of the day was a 67 by David Berganio. Others, such as Tom Kite, who shot 82, simply couldn't figure out the gusting winds and suddenly slick greens.

"I was afraid the ball was going to move on the green," Sutherland said after a 70 put him five shots back.

Super Bowl rematch a significant game

By DAVE GOLDBERG
AP Football Writer

PRO PICKS

Al, Dan and Frank got started early on trumpeting the next Monday night game. And they had plenty of time between field goals to promote Green Bay at New England, the Super Bowl replay.

The significance of the game is more than just a replay. Both teams are stumbling, tied for the lead in their divisions and trying to find the form they demonstrated last year.

This time the Patriots are favored by 1 1/2 points. That reflects home field, which is usually good for three points, not necessarily the relative strength of both teams.

What is that strength?

"There are fundamental things we think we can clean up that are going to be necessary to win," Pete Carroll said after Glenn Foley came off the bench last Sunday and completed 14 straight as the New York Jets beat Bill Parcells' old team for the Tuna.

"That'll be a huge confrontation here Monday night."

Green Bay's problems have been on defense, where Gilbert Brown has been bothered by hip and knee injuries and other teams have taken to running. But Brett Favre is hardly having an MVP season.

A hunch.

The Packers are coming off a bye week during which Mike Holmgren gave failing grades to everyone — including himself. They'll be ready.

PACKERS, 26-22

Minnesota (plus 3) at Tampa Bay
The Bucs, who won 28-14 at Minnesota, have now lost two straight, taking some of the shine off their rags-to-riches season and dropping into a first-place tie with the Vikings and Packers in the NFC Central. Coming off a bye week ...
BUCS, 22-21

Jacksonville (plus 3) at Pittsburgh
Remember the first game — a botched field goal at the end, a 30-21 Jaguars victory. The Jaguars have been mediocre to poor on the road.
STEELERS, 27-21

Dallas (pick 'em) at Philadelphia
The Cowboys have lost all three division road games. Going for four.
EAGLES, 12-11

Cincinnati (plus 5 1/2) at New York Giants
When was the last time the Giants were worried about taking an opponent for granted?
GIANTS, 31-16

San Francisco (minus 14) at New Orleans
The Niners have scored 30 or more points in five straight games against Triple A opponents. With the offense banged up, the defense will do it this week.
49ERS, 30-3

Denver (minus 7) at Buffalo
There's a lot of hand-wringing in Denver because the Broncos have lost one (count it, one) game.
BRONCOS, 21-10

Baltimore (plus 6) at Washington
The Redskins stop the pass and the Ravens can't stop anyone or anything.
REDSKINS, 27-14

Chicago (plus 9 1/2) at Miami
Does Jimmy Johnson hold it down to help old buddy Dave Wannstedt save his job or run it up so he can hire Wannstedt back next year? This game will be Monday night if it conflicts with the World Series.
DOLPHINS, 29-8

Oakland (plus 2 1/2) at Seattle
Is this Waterloo?
SEAHAWKS, 20-16

Kansas City (minus 5 1/2) at St. Louis
Does Dick Vermeil wish he was back in the broadcast booth?
CHIEFS, 20-3

Atlanta (plus 8) at Carolina
If the Panthers get their act together, they can still get a wild-card spot with this schedule. But ...
FALCONS, 15-14

Tennessee (plus 2 1/2) at Arizona
This could have been like a home game for the Oilers until Vince Tobin named Jake Plummer Arizona's starting quarterback and seats began to sell.
OILERS, 23-20 (overtime)

Indianapolis (plus 5 1/2) at San Diego
The Colts have to win some week, don't they? Maybe next week.
CHARGERS, 19-9

LAST WEEK: 5-8 (spread), 10-3 (straight up).
SEASON: 52-51-4 (spread), 74-33 (straight up).

Pampa regroups

PAMPA — Despite a disappointing loss to Borger last weekend, Pampa still has a strong shot at a playoff spot going into the final two weeks of the regular season.

"There's several things that can happen, but if we can win we'll be in good position for a playoff spot. Hopefully, we'll be able to get it," says PHS head coach Dennis Cavalier.

An open date last week also helped the Harvesters nurse most of their injured back to health.

"We've been able to heal up as much as we can physically," Cavalier said. "Most of our players are healed up. It (open date) also gave us a chance to do some extra work on things we need to improve upon."

Pampa, 2-2 in district and 3-4 overall, meets Caprock at 2 p.m. Saturday at Dick Bivins Stadium in Amarillo. The Harvesters close out the regular season Nov. 7 at Harvester Field against Randall.

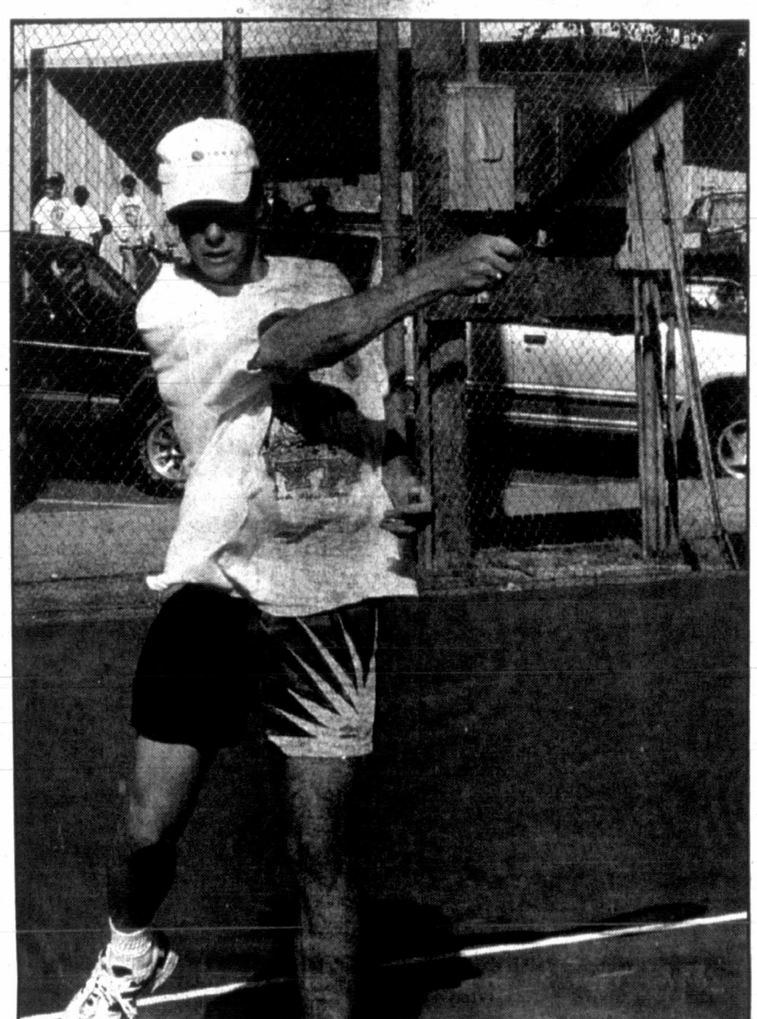
Caprock is winless in district play at 0-5 while Randall holds down the third-place playoff spot at 3-1 after a 42-7 win over Canyon on Friday night.

Pampa, in fourth place, is ahead of Hereford (1-4), Canyon (1-3) and Caprock.

Dumas and Borger are tied for first at 4-0.

During the first half of last week the Harvesters went through some long, hard practice sessions.

"We put on full pads and had some pretty intense practices. We practiced with no pads the past couple of days and just kind of backed off a little. Hopefully, the players will come back on Monday eager and ready to do what we need to do," Cavalier added.



(Pampa News photo)

Jason Vickery takes some practice shots as the Pampa tennis team prepares for regionals.

Harvesters could be ranked as high as No. 2 in regional tourney

PAMPA — The Pampa High School varsity tennis team is preparing for its first trip to the Region 1-4A Tennis Tournament since 1992.

PHS head coach Larry Wheeler was in his first year at Pampa when that district runner-up team placed sixth in the regional tournament. Wheeler feels that this year's district champions (a first in school history) are deeper and even more talented than the '92 squad.

"We are expecting to receive a No. 2 or No. 3 seed for this tournament based on our district result this year, our No. 9 state ranking and the recent results of the District 1-4A champion at previous regional tourneys," added Wheeler.

Wheeler also noted that Wichita Falls High (No. 3 ranked), Big Spring (No. 4 ranked) and district foe Dumas (No. 10 ranked) will be among the top seeds for the tournament, which will be held in Lubbock on Oct. 31-Nov. 1.

"Our players were very pleased with their district results, as we are expecting each of the six girls to receive at least one first-team, all-district placing, while six of the eight boys will be slated for an all-district slot as well. I am even more proud that all 14 of our varsity athletes will be receiving academic all-district recognition as well," said Wheeler. "With the right draw, I feel the regional final is an achievable goal provided that we play at our best level of the season."

Pampa swept through district with a perfect 6-0 record, clinching the outright championship with a 17-1 win over Randall last weekend.

The regional champion will advance to the Class 4A State Tournament in Austin on Nov. 7-8.

The new state rankings for team tennis will be released on Oct. 29, with the final rankings for the fall season due out Nov. 12.

Stars shut out Chicago

CHICAGO (AP) — Long a fan favorite, Ed Belfour's Chicago return ended with the familiar chant of "Eddie! Eddie!"

"I didn't expect it. It's nice to know the fans remember me. It was a good feeling at the end of the game," said Belfour, who shut out his former Chicago teammates for the second time this season, stopping 22 shots in the Dallas Stars' 2-0 victory over the Blackhawks on Friday night.

Belfour, who beat the Blackhawks 7-0 on Oct. 10 at Dallas, returned to the United Center for the first time since the Blackhawks traded him to San Jose late last season. He signed with Dallas during the offseason.

"For us, if we're going to win, especially on the road we got to have good goaltending," Dallas coach Ken Hitchcock said.

"We're one of those fine-line teams that's one goal on the right side and we look like a good hockey club. We're a hard scoring team. We need a lot of work and a lot of effort goes into scoring goals. It puts a lot of responsibility on the guy in the pipes."

Belfour has three shutouts this season and 34 in his career.

Joe Nieuwendyk and Pat Verbeek scored goals in a 48-second span late in the third period for the Stars, who snapped a two-game losing streak.

Nieuwendyk scored with 4:33 remaining after Sergei Zubov's slap shot from the left circle was stopped by goalie Chris Terreri.

Report: Rangers consider trading Gonzalez

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — The New York Mets are interested in Texas outfielder Juan Gonzalez in exchange for a quality starting pitcher like Bobby Jones, Jason Isringhausen or Armando Reynoso, the Fort Worth Star-Telegram reported Friday.

Officials told the newspaper that the Rangers have discussed the possibility of Gonzalez for Jones, outfielder Bernard Gilkey and third baseman Edgardo Alfonzo. The Mets would prefer to trade Gold Glove shortstop Rey Ordonez rather than Alfonzo.

The Mets are one of several teams Rangers general manager Doug Melvin says he talked with at the World Series. Melvin confirms Gonzalez's name surfaced, but said, "his name has come up with a lot of clubs."

All Melvin's trade talks at the World Series were tentative, he said. Most clubs will probably wait until after the Nov. 18 expansion draft before making major trades, he added.

Mets assistant general manager Omar Minaya denied the talks were serious and downplayed the possibility of a trade for the slugger. A Mets spokesman said Friday the team is talking to a lot of clubs and no formal offers have been made.

Gonzalez, the American League's Most Valuable Player in 1996, missed the first month of the season because of injury.

But the Mets want Gonzalez because All-Star catcher and power hitter Todd Hundley, who had 30 home runs with 86 runs batted in last year, is expected to miss most of the 1998 season after surgery on his elbow.

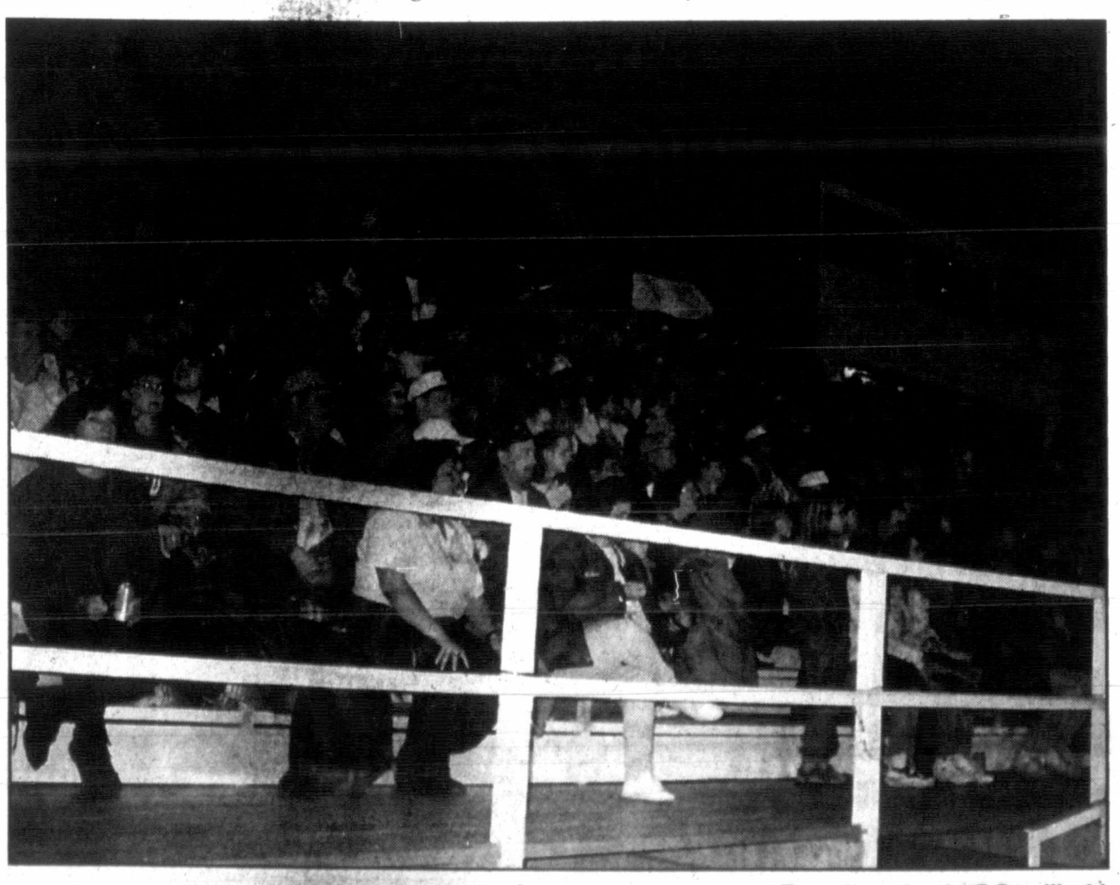
Trade talks began when the Mets inquired about the availability of catcher Jim Leyritz.

Despite his injury, Gonzalez hit .296 with 42 home runs and 131 RBI. Officials told the newspaper he is the one player the Rangers could trade and get significant help in return.

Melvin returned to Arlington Thursday from Cleveland. But the two sides are expected to talk again during next month's general managers meetings in Phoenix.

Starting pitching remains a top Rangers' priority. Jones was 15-9 with 3.63 earned-run average. Isringhausen, one of the Mets' top pitching prospects who has had problems with injuries, was 2-2 with a 7.58 ERA in six starts. Reynoso was 6-3 with a 4.59 ERA.

Any Gonzalez trade would also have to include Gilkey, who would replace the right-fielder in the middle of the order. Gilkey hit .249 with 18 homers and 78 RBI this season after batting .317 with 30 homers, 108 runs scored and 117 RBI in 1996.



(Pampa News photo by ReDonn Woods)

A huge White Deer crowd watches the District 2-2A showdown against Quanah Friday night at the Bucks' football field.

Bucks drop first game

WHITE DEER — Quanah won the clash of unbeaten District 3-2A teams Friday night, defeating White Deer, 21-13.

A White Deer comeback fell short as the Bucks found themselves trailing, 14-0, at halftime.

The final score of the game came on a 43-yard run by White Deer's Craig Urbanczyk on the first play of the fourth quarter. Neither team could cross the goalline again.

Urbanczyk led all rushers with 183 yards on 29 carries. Donnie Adams scored White Deer's other TD when he recovered a Quanah fumble and returned it 65 yards for the score.

Two of the three Quanah touchdowns came on scoring passes by quarterback Joe Hildebrand.

The other Quanah TD came on an 8-yard fumble recovery run by Brian Jalamo.

White Deer is now 7-1 overall and 2-1 in district play. No. 8 Quanah is 8-0 and 3-0.

Tyler John Tyler, No. 1 in Class 5A, loses to Lufkin

Eds: With BC-FBO—Top 10 Fared; BC-FBO—Sorted Scores-7 takes
By JAIME ARON
AP Sports Writer

Just because Tyler John Tyler has lost doesn't necessarily mean District 12-5A will be giving up the No. 1 spot in Class 5A.

Tyler's 24-14 loss to Lufkin on Friday night could pave the way for Longview to take over the top spot. The Lobos, 42-3 winners over Nacogdoches, moved into a tie for No. 2 last week and may be ready to move up another notch.

However, Longview is tied with Austin Westlake, the reigning 5A Division II champion and a 57-20 winner over Austin Bowie on Friday night.

It will be interesting to see which way Associated Press poll voters lean when the new rankings come out Monday.

The poll isn't likely to change too much next week as only four ranked teams lost Friday night. Joining John Tyler in defeat were 5A's No. 9 Houston Madison, 14-7 to Houston Lamar, and No. 10 New Braunfels, 17-14 to San Antonio MacArthur; and 4A's No. 8 Brownwood, 31-21 to Stephenville.

JT (7-1) took a 7-0 lead on its first drive and seemed ready to hand Lufkin its third straight loss.

But the Panthers, who had been ranked fifth in the state before losing their last two, tied it on their third possession and hung close until going ahead 21-14 on a 15-yard touchdown run by Aaron Morrison with 1:29 left in the third quarter.

The Lions' next two possessions ended with fumbles and David Koch kicked an 18-yard field goal to up Longview's lead to 10 points with just 5:25 to play. It proved to be too much even for mighty John Tyler to overcome.

"I think they made some plays, but if we don't miscue on some things and go ahead and score points, the outcome could have a been a little bit different," said JT coach Allen Wilson. "You can't have turnovers."

Longview was nearly flawless in its demolition of Nacogdoches.

Fred Talley ran for 219 yards and three touchdowns on 17 carries, just three yards fewer than his previous week's total against Tyler Lee, while the Lobo defense limited the Dragons to 109 yards, with 61 of it coming on one play.

Nacogdoches forced Longview to go three-and-out on its first three series, then took a 3-0 lead on Doug Miller's 29-yard field goal with 4:23 left in the first quarter.

Then Talley had a 95-yard touchdown run early in the second quarter and the rout was on. Another Talley touchdown, this one just from 1 yard out, gave the Lobos a 14-3 halftime lead, then they scored 28 points in the third quarter.

Westlake also had to erase an early deficit as Bowie led 6-0 and 12-10. The Chaparrals had a big second quarter to go up 37-12 at halftime, and they wound up winning easily behind 494 yards of total offense.

The Chaps were without leading rusher Brett Robin for the last three quarters because of a bruised ribcage, but Matt Murphy ran for 208 yards and three touchdowns and Brent Chalmers gained 150 rushing yards.

There was a bit of irony to MacArthur knocking off New Braunfels. The Unicorns had taken the No. 10 spot in part because MacArthur gave it up following a 14-7 loss to San Antonio Madison last weekend.

But it wasn't easy. MacArthur scored the game-winning points on a 3-yard touchdown pass from Mike Perkins to Jason Washington with 49 seconds left.

New Braunfels still had time for one last drive, but Kliff Kingsbury was intercepted for the third time in the game. He had been picked off only twice in the first six weeks.

"You have 39 seconds to go and a quarterback with a great arm and fantastic receivers," MacArthur coach Van Fuschak said. "Anything could have happened."

Fort Elliott wins first-half of district

VOLLEYBALL

BRISCOE — The Fort Elliott Lady Cougars have clinched the first-half title in their district volleyball standings.

Fort Elliott defeated Lakeview, 15-0, 15-1, and Lefors, 15-1, 15-8, last week.

Londa Crownover was one of the standout players, scoring 13 of Fort Elliott's 15 points in the first game against Lakeview. Coach Dave Johnson said Crownover also served well against Lefors.

Janee Goad and Susie Luttrell also played well in the two matches, Johnson said.

On Tuesday, Fort Elliott travels to Lefors for matches with Lakeview and Lefors.

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PAMPA — Pampa Middle School teams wrapped up the volleyball season last week against Valleyview.

Results are as follows:

7th Grade Division

Valleyview A def. Pampa A, 15-13, 15-10

High service scorer: Denise Mackey, 14.

Valleyview B def. Pampa B, 15-6, 15-6.

High service scorer: Teryn Stowers 3.

8th Grade Division

Valleyview A def. Pampa A, 15-8, 15-7, 15-6

High service scorer: Jennifer Lindsey 10.

Pampa B def. Valleyview B, 15-9, 15-13.

High service scorer: Janelle Powers, 10.

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HOBBS, N.M. — Former Pampa standout Serenity King had 14 kills and 15 digs to help lead Wayland Baptist past College of the Southwest.

After lostin the first two games, Wayland Baptist rallied to win, 14-16, 7-15, 15-8, 17-15, 15-11, last week.

The win improved Wayland's record to 17-8.

Wheeler routs Irish

SHAMROCK — Wheeler improved to 3-0 in District 1-1A play by blanking Shamrock, 49-0, Friday night.

The Mustangs (5-3 overall) got three touchdowns from Bryan Judd and two touchdown passes from Aaron Dunnam.

Dunnam also scored on a 5-yard run and he threw a 30-yard TD pass to Jeremy Davis and a 28-yard scoring pass to Judd.

Judd scored on runs of 1 and 26 yards. Casey Childress also scored for the Mustangs on a 1-yard run.

Dunnam was Wheeler's leading rusher with 71 yards on 10 attempts. Judd chipped in 65 yards on eight carries and Davis gained 39 yards on 10 attempts.

Darron Page was the leading rusher for Shamrock with 82 yards on 10 carries.

Wheeler (5-3 overall) led 36-0 at halftime. The Mustangs accumulated 392 yards while holding Shamrock to 149.

Wheeler had 21 first downs and six first downs.

The Irish fall to 0-7 and 0-3.

Sonics down Wizards

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP) — Gary Payton scored 18 points and Aaron Williams had 15 of his 16 points in the third quarter as the Seattle SuperSonics routed the Washington Wizards 114-73 on Friday night.

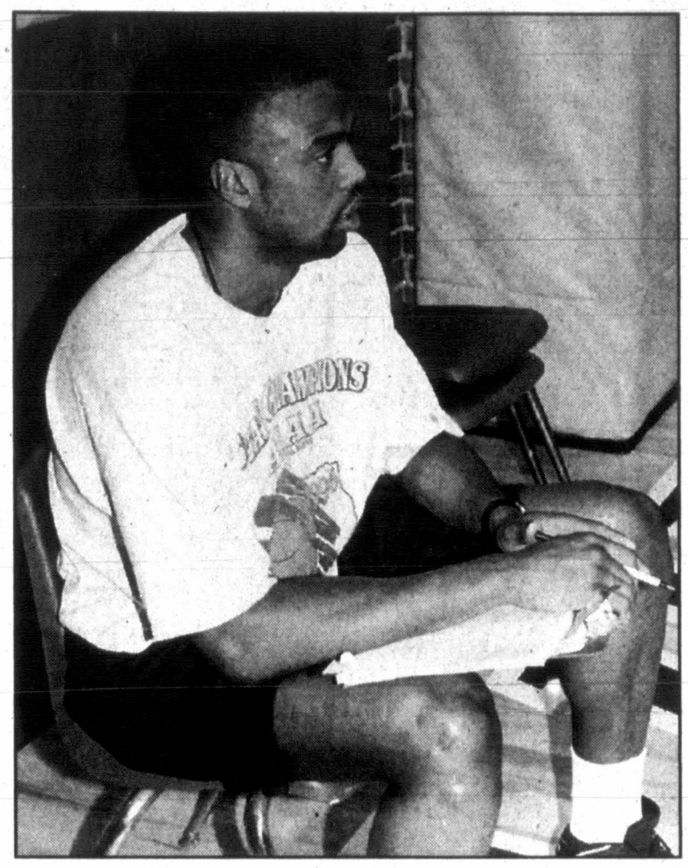
Seattle (3-4) will face the Los Angeles Lakers in Saturday night's championship game of the Great Western Forum Shootout, while the Wizards (2-4) will play Atlanta. The Lakers beat the Hawks 93-89 Friday night.

Tracy Murray scored 22 points for the injury-depleted Wizards, who never led in the game and fell behind by by 40 points midway through the fourth quarter. Juwan Howard and Gheorghe Muresan did not make the trip with the team because of ankle injuries, and Rod Strickland missed his second consecutive game after injuring his left hamstring Monday night.

Chris Webber, who averaged 19.4 points and nine rebounds through Washington's first five exhibition games, played only five minutes in the first quarter. A club spokesperson said Webber was not injured.

Vin Baker and Jerome Kersey each scored 11 points in the first half for the Sonics, who used a 13-2 spurt at the end of the half to extend their five-point lead to 47-31.

Midnight Madness



(Pampa News file photo)

Pampa High assistant coach Troy Bell (above), the rest of the Harvester coaching staff and the players are preparing for the annual Midnight Madness event, which signals the start of a new basketball season. Midnight Madness is scheduled for 8 p.m. Thursday at McNeely Fieldhouse. Plenty of prizes, including a surprise trip for the winners, and gift certificates will be available for the fans to win. Miniature basketballs and Harvester T-shirts will also be given away. The 1997-98 Harvester team will also run through a variety of drills, followed by a scrimmage, which will include all the players.

Schoolboy scores

Class 4A

Andrews 41, San Angelo Lakeview 28
Azle 14, Justin Northwest 7
Bastrop 45, Gonzales 15
Beeville 14, SA West Campus 0
Boerne 6, Kenedy 0
Borger 37, Amarillo Caprock 20
Brownsboro 23, Mabank 21
Burkburnett 34, Wichita Falls 17
CC Calallen 29, Alice 15
CC Tuloso-Midway 34, Robstown 7
Canyon Randall 42, Canyon 7
Carthage 44, Longview Pine Tree 0
Canutillo 22, EP Bowie 18
Cedar Hill 7, Midlothian 0
Channelview 17, Houston Jones 0
Clear Brook 24, Houston King 0
Cleburne 37, Joshua 6
Cleveland 75, Livingston 6
Dallas Hillcrest 19, Dallas Jefferson 0
Dallas Wilson 34, Dallas Samuell 27
Dayton 47, Silsbee 0
Denison 71, Denton 9
Dumas 11, Hereford 6
Edcouch-Elsa 30, Roma 0
EP Mountain View 27, Presidio 0
EP Riverside 28, San Elizario 8
El Campo 28, Bay City 21
Ennis 31, Wilmer-Hutchins 6
Everman 10, Alvarado 7
FW Brewer 14, Saginaw Boswell 7
FW Western Hills 37, FW Poly 12
Fort Stockton 33, Big Spring 22
Frenship 49, Lamesa 6
Friendswood 37, Crosby 7
Graham 35, Mineral Wells 13
Granbury 10, Weatherford 7
Grapevine 50, Coppell 24
Gregory-Portland 38, CC Flour Bluff 10
Hays Consolidated 33, New Braunfels Canyon 0
Henderson 48, Gilmer 0
Highland Park 42, Southlake Carroll 14
Jacksonville 14, Tyler Chapel Hill 6
Jasper 35, Hardin-Jefferson 27
Kerrville Tivy 23, SA Memorial 6
Kilgore 20, Hallsville 10
La Marque 28, Needville 0
Liberty 29, Anahuac 0
Los Fresnos 21, Mercedes 9
Lumberton 35, PA Lincoln 29
Mayde Creek 28, Spring Woods 20
McKinney 19, Colleyville Heritage 12
Mesquite Poteet 45, Greenville 27
Nederland 28, Port Neches-Groves 7
Paris 21, North Lamar 7
Plainview 14, Levelland 12
Pleasanton 26, SA McCollum 0
SA Alamo Heights 35, SA Sam Houston 13
Schertz Clemens 48, SA Lanier 0
Smithson Valley 47, Austin Del Valle 6
Springtown 7, Fossil Ridge 6
Stephenville 31, Brownwood 21
Sulphur Springs 24, Texarkana Liberty Eylau 7
Sweeny 35, Port Lavaca Calhoun 0
Sweetwater 41, Pecos 18
Terrell 55, Quinlan Ford 0
Texas City 49, Dickinson 7
Vidor 26, Bridge City 23
Waco Midway 23, Waco Connally 12
Waxahachie 28, Burleson 3
West Mesquite 19, Wylie 7

At Skate America, Kwan gets jump on Lipinski

By BARRY WILNER
AP Sports Writer

DETROIT (AP) — If the first night of the first event on the road to the Olympics is a fair indication, this is going to be one dazzling duel between teen-age skating divas.

Michelle Kwan, 17 and a world and U.S. champion, vs. Tara Lipinski, 15 and a world and U.S. champion. Kwan got the early edge Friday night, winning the short program at Skate America.

The first showdown of the international season ends tonight with the free skate. It can't be much better than the prelude, worth one-third of the total score.

Kwan, the 1996 world and U.S. champion who was dethroned by Lipinski for both crowns last year, was first with eight of the nine judges in the short program. Her dramatic presentation to piano music by Rachmaninoff, punctuated by marvelous spirals, footwork and strong jumps, clearly was superior to Lipinski's effort.

"You have to work on your own thing, no matter how anybody else does," said Kwan, of Torrance, Calif. "You've got to do your own thing, mind your own business.

"My body knows how to do it, I've trained it. So it was, 'Michelle, let's go do it.'"

What she did was superb.

"It felt good," she said. "The warmup was a little bit shaky, but I got it going."

In warmups, Kwan had trouble completing her jumps. So what, said coach Frank Carroll.

"The warmup is not a judged event," he said. "It's not a performance."

Lipinski, skating right after Kwan received a standing ovation, also performed well in front of her home crowd — she trains at nearby Detroit Skating Club. Only the Japanese judge had her first.

"When you're in second, you have somebody to look up to," said Lipinski, who skated to music from "Anastasia."

"I was second last year at nationals after the short, too."

Lipinski was 14 when she became the youngest U.S. champion in February and youngest world champion in March. Each time, as well as in the Champions Series final, she edged Kwan.

This time, Kwan started off edging her younger competitor.

Earlier Friday, four-time U.S. dance champions Elizabeth Punsalan and Jerod Swallow took the original dance. They also won the compulsories and should have no trouble taking the free dance today.

All four finals were to be held Saturday. Four-time U.S. champ Todd Eldredge led the men's event, while former world champions Marina Eltsova and Andrey Bushkov of Russia were on top in pairs.

NBA seeks double the money in new television deal

NEW YORK (AP) — Larry Bird and Magic Johnson took the NBA from tape delay to prime time. Michael Jordan is now leading the league into the television sports stratosphere.

The NBA is poised to make more than $2 billion in its new television deal. That is double the revenue from its current contract with NBC and Turner Sports, which expires at the end of this season, and nearly eight times as much as it made during the prime of Johnson and Bird.

The NBA, whose championship was televised on tape delay as recently as 1980, is now the second most sought after television sports franchise, trailing only the NFL.

"You can count on what the NBA will deliver," said Ron Frederick, a media buyer at J. Walter Thompson. "That's why it is so attractive to networks, because it gives advertisers access to young male viewers that aren't as easily accessible in prime time."

That is especially true in June, when the NBA Finals are played. Networks are showing mostly repeats and ratings are traditionally low, making the NBA even more attractive.

Even Jordan's retirement is not scaring off the bidders, despite the fact that ratings fell during his brief attempt at a baseball career.

"I don't believe there will be a precipitous fall in ratings because of one or two individuals," said Kevin O'Malley, head of programming at TNT. "You can't make television deals for billions of dollars based on one player."

Industry sources said that NBC has already offered to pay $1.5 billion over four years, double its current contract. NBC spokesman Ed Markey denies that an offer has been made.

"We're talking," Markey said, "but that's all that is going on at this point."

Industry analysts have speculated that Turner, which pays $350 million over four years, will also double its contract.

"I think NBC and Turner are going to move heaven and earth to renew their agreements and prevent any dilution of the package with another package or lose the negotiating position they have," said Neal Pilson, former president of CBS Sports and now the head of a sports consulting firm in New York.

"To do that, they're probably going to have to make a very significant increase in rights fees, up to 100 percent."

Along with negotiating a new television deal, NBC will welcome a new voice of the NBA on NBC this season. Marv Albert, NBC's lead announcer for seven years, has been fired from the network following his guilty plea to assault charges. NBC, which doesn't broadcast its first game until Christmas Day, is not expected to name Albert's replacement until sometime next month.

Initial speculation on Albert's replacement has focused on Tom Hammond, Greg Gumbel and Mike Breen, who already do NBA play-by-play for NBC, and Dick Enberg and Bob Costas, who have announced games for the network in the past.

The NBA has grown dramatically in popularity under NBC's stewardship. Media watchers said that commissioner David Stern is loyal to NBC Sports president Dick Ebersol and will stay with NBC as long as the network makes a fair market offer.

"I think the league is predisposed to doing a deal with NBC," said Bob Flood, director of national broadcasting at DeWitt Media Inc. "If the monetary offer is in the ballpark, Stern will have a hard time turning it down."

Also in NBC's favor is that the other three major broadcast networks have filled much of their second-quarter schedule with other sporting events. CBS, which analysts say desperately wants to get back into the provessional sports arena, has golf tournaments scheduled for six of the first seven weekends of the NBA playoffs.

Fox is committed to broadcasting the NHL and ABC has the rights to the Triple Crown of horse racing, the Indianapolis 500 and other events during the NBA playoffs.

The cable side, which Turner Sports splits on its two networks, TNT and TBS, is more wide open. Turner used the NBA to help force cable companies to put TNT on their systems. Before getting the rights to the NBA in 1988, TNT was seen in 34.5 million homes. Now it is in more than 72 million.

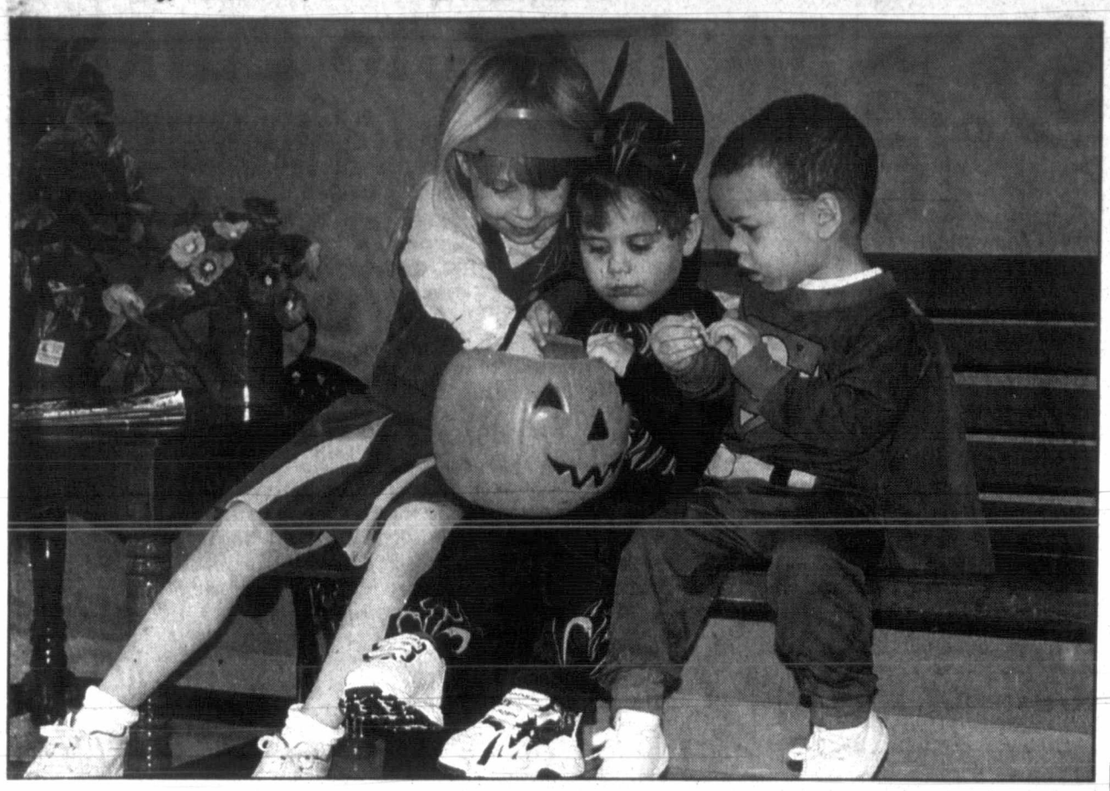
Rupert Murdoch may try do the same for his F/X network, which is currently seen in about 34 million homes.

"New networks traditionally have used sports to get off the ground," said John Mansell, a cable analyst at Paul Kagan Associates. "The NBA would be critically important for F/X."

F/X officials would not comment on the speculation that they would make a serious bid at the NBA, only saying they are interested in any package. ESPN, Fox Sports Net and USA have also been mentioned as possible suitors.

Networks have historically invested heavily in sports to promote other sides of their programming. With the NFL negotiating its new deal at the same time as the NBA, there could be less money available for Stern's teams. The NFL is expecting a sizable increase from the more than $1 billion it takes in annually from its five partners.

"I can't see how the two deals can't be connected when you are talking about loss leaders for the networks," Frederick said. "How much a network overspends in one area affects how much it can overspend in another."



(Pampa News photo by Laura Haley)

Elizabeth Gambill, 6, Dustin Whinery, 3, and Xavier Wilbon, 2, dig into their pumpkin full of goodies in preparation for Halloween next Friday. Their parents, employees of Panhandle Community Services, will be on hand next Friday between 4 and 6 p.m. at the community services building, 411 N. Cuyler, to hand out treats. Candy was donated to Panhandle Community Services so it could provide this service by Wal-Mart, Frank's, Heard- Jones, Rohrbacher Enterprises and Relive.

20 'honest' Texas City lotto winners claim their prize

AUSTIN (AP) — One by one, a waitress, a maintenance worker, two cashiers and a school bus driver came into the Corner Mart in Texas City last Saturday night.

One by one, Artis Beal, a soft-spoken, 73-year-old retired industrial plant worker, asked if they wanted to put $5 into a pool for the $55 million Lotto Texas drawing.

Some, he knew. Others, he had only seen in the store before.

He took money, wrote names down and after 20 people had pitched in $5 apiece, he bought $100 worth of tickets.

By midnight, he — or more importantly his handwriting and memory — were the biggest thing going on in Texas City since two local high school football teams were ranked in the top 10 in Class 4A, earlier this season.

Beal's pool had the only winning ticket, and he was now faced with trying to get all the winners together. He had no phone numbers. No addresses. Only names. And in some instances, he had inadvertently written down just the first name or the wrong name.

On Friday, however, no one was holding Beal's poor secretarial duties against him as the pool claimed the $55 million jackpot.

"I'll give you an example of how we didn't know each other," said one of the winners, Ray Guidry, a construction company manager, who had never met Beal before the pool.

"We had the name Berry written down and that person was really Bettye. Mr. Beal knew people. He knew faces. But he didn't know their names, exactly," Guidry said.

"I thought I wrote down all the names," Beal said.

Through friends of friends and asking around, the names of all the pool participants were determined.

Because Beal opted to receive the money in a lump sum, a trust formed by the winners called the "Texas City Lucky Lotto Club" received $28.2 million, less 28 percent withheld for federal taxes.

People in the news...

NEW YORK (AP) — John F. Kennedy Jr. is in Cuba 35 years after his father faced down the Soviet Union during the Cuban missile crisis.

The founder and editor of George magazine is there as a journalist, a spokeswoman said.

The Cuban missile crisis came to a head Oct. 22, 1962, when President Kennedy established an air and sea quarantine to prevent Russian nuclear missiles from being delivered to Cuba.

Soviet leader Nikita Khrushchev ultimately agreed to dismantle the missile sites.

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Barbara Mandrell, who is giving up music to pursue acting, made her last stage performance with a concert at the Grand Ole Opry House.

Ms. Mandrell, 48, sang "Sleeping Single in a Double Bed" and played the saxophone, guitar and steel guitar Thursday night.

"I've been doing this almost my whole life," said Ms. Mandrell, who began performing at 11. "I'm so full of emotion tonight."

She has appeared in "Dr. Quinn, Medicine Woman," "Touched by an Angel" and "Baywatch," and has a recurring role on "Sunset Beach."

COPENHAGEN, Denmark (AP) — Dowager Queen Ingrid underwent surgery to repair a broken hip.

The 87-year-old Ingrid, mother of Queen Margrethe II, fell Thursday in her private quarters. She was operated on at a hospital near Copenhagen. Dr. Jens Kramhoeft said she should be walking normally in about 10 weeks.

Ingrid stepped out of the limelight when her husband, King Frederik IX, died in 1972. She serves as a patron to dozens of charitable funds.

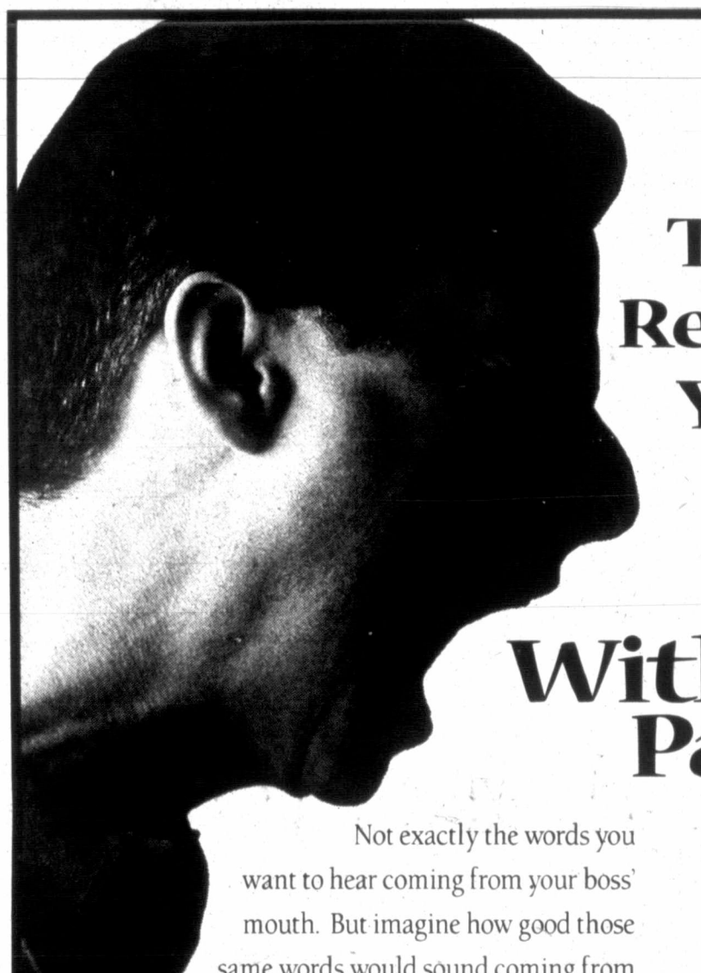
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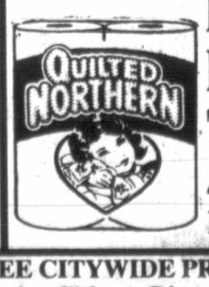
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The actors are: Satan – Ronnie Holmes; *Demons* – Starla and Shane Hamilton; *Jesus* – David Martin; *Lepers* – Lacey Blythe, Jessica Leos, Marcey Bennett, Delpha Cates, Ryan Bradley and Shelby McGaher Meyers.

Photos by
Danny Cowan

This year, Calvary Baptist Church's "Hallowed House '97" will be three nights: Wednesday, Oct. 29, Thursday, Oct. 30; and Friday, Oct. 31. The hours will be 7 to 9 p.m. each night.

Guided tours will lead our guests through this dramatization of the most vicious supernatural battle of all time: Jesus vs. Satan.

Each tour will last about 20 minutes.

This dramatization, which originated in Pampa at Calvary Baptist Church, has drawn local and national appeal. This is the 5th year for the program. In the previous four years, it has drawn over 4,000 visitors.

In addition, a national magazine did an article on it. Because of the article, several churches from around the country have called requesting information on the program.

A fully costumed cast and crew of over 100 will participate in this year's "Hallowed House '97." Professional lighting, scenery and special effects will be used to create the setting for Christ's battle with Satan. A "true to life" crucifixion and resurrection scene will close the program.

The program is directed by Rick Pearson. It is free and it is located at Calvary Baptist Church, 900 E. 23rd Street in Pampa, 1 mile east of Wal-Mart.

Because of the graphic, historical detail, some scenes may not be suited for smaller children. Parental guidance is advised.



Mr. and Mrs. Wallace R. Fritts

Fritts anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace R. Fritts will be celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary from 2-6 p.m. Nov. 8 at Clyde Carruth Pavilion in Pampa. Children of the couple will be hosting the reception.

Wallace Fritts and Jeraldine Bockmon were married Nov. 9, 1947, at Wheeler. The couple have been Pampa residents for the past 19 years.

Mr. Fritts retired from the Texas Highway Department in 1989.

Mrs. Fritts retired with medical disabilities from Pampa Credit Bureau in 1985.

Children of the couple are Jerry Fritts of Amarillo, Sandy and Lonnie Penney of Dallas, Kathy and Lindsey Beck and Vance and Robin Fritts, all of Pampa. They have six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Colgate launches annual campaign

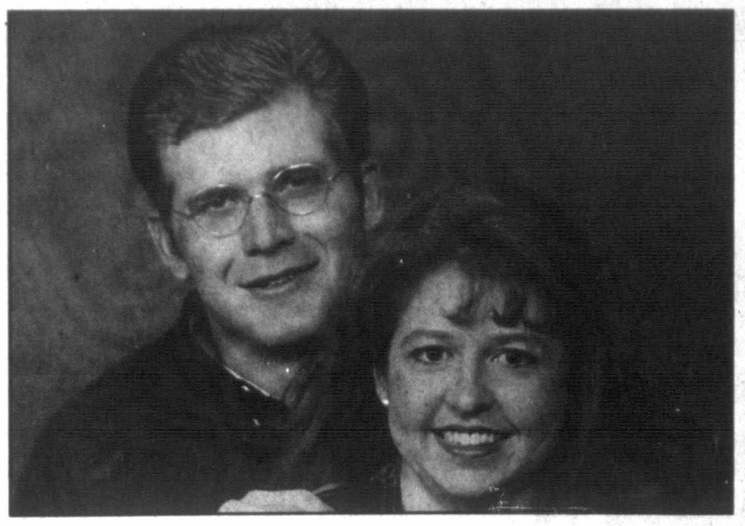
Local clubs and troops of the six largest national youth organizations representing some 13 million young Americans, are invited to enter their best community service projects as part of the "Colgate Youth for America" campaign. The award-winning program, now one of the nation's longest running corporate-sponsored civic responsibility programs, celebrates its 25th Anniversary this year. Colgate-Palmolive Company presents cash grants of up to $2,000 for the most creative and best executed projects in the U.S. by local units of the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Boys and Girls Clubs, Girls Incorporated, Camp Fire and 4-H.

A celebrity panel of judges who volunteer their time and talent to the campaign determine the top winners. Past judges have included Alex Trebek, Andrew Shue, Ethan Hawke, Jackie Joyner Kersee, Phylicia Rashad, Jack Wagner, Dean Cain, Jonathan Silverman and more than 40 other popular stars.

Clubs have until March 15, 1998, to develop and execute programs of value to their communities and send in their reports. Participants range from five-year-olds to high school teens.

To date, the Colgate-Palmolive Company has awarded close to $6 million to America's young people through "Youth for America."

Entry forms are now available through regional offices of the national organizations, or by sending a stamped self-addressed envelope to Colgate Youth for America Campaign, P.O. Box 1058, FDR Station, New York, NY 10150-1058. "Youth for America" entry forms can also be obtained on-line at www.colgate.com.



Melissa Dawn Chapman and Howard Slade Thompson

Chapman-Thompson

Melissa Dawn Chapman and Howard Slade Thompson, both of Amarillo, plan to wed Nov. 29, 1997, at the Country Chapel in Wheeler.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Johnny and Betty Chapman of Wheeler. She attended Wayland Baptist College for two years and is currently enrolled at both West Texas A&M University and Amarillo College. She is presently employed as a case worker for the United Way at Tyler Resource Center in Amarillo.

The prospective groom is the son of Howard and Sue Thompson of Amarillo. He attended West Texas A&M University and Amarillo College and is currently employed for United Parcel Service and ABF Freight.

4-H Futures & Features

Dates

27 – Intermediate and Senior Foods Project Members, 7 p.m., Lefors
30 – Dog Project, 7 p.m., Bull Barn
Nov. 1 – Gray County 4-H Foods Workshop.

Lamb Validation Tags

If you plan to show a lamb this year at county or at major shows, let Danny Nusser know as soon as possible. All lambs need to be validated by Nov. 1 to be eligible to show.

Pecan Sale

Two Gray County 4-H groups are selling pecans for fundraisers – E.T. 4-H Club and the WOW '98 Group. If you would like to purchase pecans, call the office 669-8033, and we will get you in touch with these groups.

Food Workshop

The Foods project workshop will be held, Nov. 1, at the Gray County Annex beginning at 9:30 a.m. Foods project members are encouraged to come join in some learning and fun! Call the Extension office for details.

Demonstration-Illustration Talk

District Roundup will be Nov. 8. If you are planning to do any of the public speaking events, let Danny Nusser know. If you need help, call the office, and we'll schedule a time to work on it.

New concept emerges – speed art

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) – With three brushes in each hand and bright loops of paint arcing through the air, Denny Dent painted Mick Jagger's likeness in the time it took to play two Rolling Stones songs.

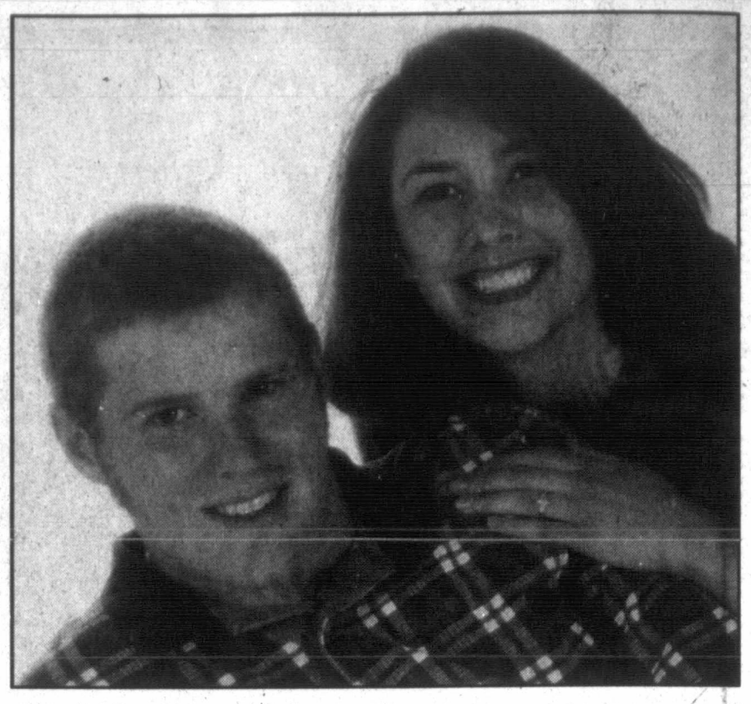
Jagger's face emerged in bold, impressionistic colors on an oversized black canvas.

As the driving beat of the Stones' *Shattered* came to a close about seven minutes later, Dent slapped the canvas with a yellow palm-print, a sort of informal signature.

That sent yellow paint flying into the artist's face, joining the hundreds of spots, stripes and globs that cover his black clothing.

His "two-fisted art attacks" command hefty prices; most capture images from the world of rock 'n' roll.

Working in his studio, Dent develops the technique for each portrait, then paints in overdrive. Among his custom works is a portrait of a saxophone-playing President Clinton that hangs in the White House.



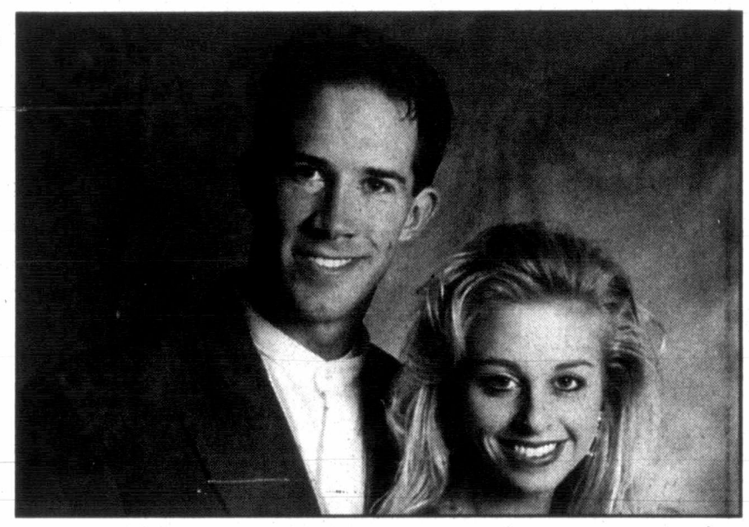
Denise Reynolds and Mark Scott

Reynolds-Scott

Denise Reynolds and Mark Scott, both of Wichita Falls, plan to wed Dec. 27, 1997, at Southwest Baptist Church in Wichita Falls.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Travis and Donna Reynolds of Pampa. She is a 1995 Pampa High School graduate and is currently pursuing a degree in nursing at Midwestern State University.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Richard Scott of Springtown and Carol Scott of Fort Worth. He is a 1995 graduate of Aledo High School and is currently pursuing a bachelor of arts degree in political science at Midwestern State University.



Leslie Anne Vanderwork and Matthew Allen Pruett

Vanderwork-Pruett

Leslie Anne Vanderwork and Matthew Allen Pruett plan to wed Dec. 27, 1997, at First Baptist Church in Woodward, Okla.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mickey and Carol Vanderwork of Taloga, Okla., and is the granddaughter of Margaret and Manford Jenkinson of Burlington, Okla., the late Maudine and Leslie Vanderwork and Inabel Farris and the late Alton Farris, all of Taloga. She graduated from high school at Taloga in 1992 and from Oklahoma State University in 1996, receiving a pre-medical sciences degree. She is currently pursuing a doctor of dental surgery degree at the University of Oklahoma College of Dentistry.

The prospective groom is the son of Blaine and Denise Smyth of Woodward and Larry Pruett of Levelland and is the grandson of Arlene and Wayne Mathews of Skellytown and Louise Pruett and the late Hoyt Pruett of Mangum, Okla. He graduated from high school at Woodward in 1993 and received an associate degree from Seminole Junior College. He also attended Kansas University and is currently a professional baseball player for the Tampa Bay Devil Rays. He is employed during off-season for Great Plains Coca-Cola Bottling Company at Edmond, Okla.

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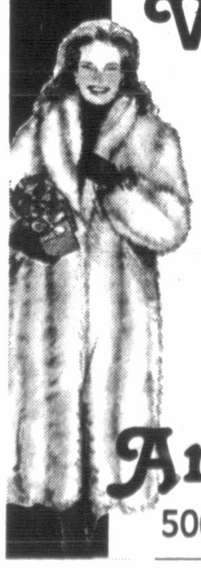
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Menus

Oct. 27-31

Pampa Schools

MONDAY

Breakfast: Pancakes, syrup.

Lunch: Mini corndogs, macaroni and cheese, English peas, mixed fruit.

TUESDAY

Breakfast: Breakfast taco.

Lunch: Sub sandwich, lettuce and tomatos, ranch style beans, pears.

WEDNESDAY

Breakfast: Biscuit, ham.

Lunch: Sliced roast, beef and gravy, whipped potatoes, fresh fruit, hot rolls.

THURSDAY

Breakfast: Cherry muffin, squares.

Lunch: Burrito supreme, tossed salad, applesauce, churro.

FRIDAY

Breakfast: Cereal, toast.

Lunch: Hamburgers, French fries, burger salad, sliced pickles, cookies.

Lefors Schools

MONDAY

Breakfast: Waffles, toast, cereal, juice, milk.

Lunch: Soft tacos, cheese, salad, Mexican beans, fruit, milk.

TUESDAY

Breakfast: Sausage, biscuits, gravy, toast, cereal, juice, milk.

Lunch: Chicken nuggets, rolls, whipped potatoes, spinach, gravy, peaches, milk.

WEDNESDAY

Breakfast: Pancake and sausage on a stick, cereal, juice, milk.

Lunch: Pizza, corn, salad, orange, milk.

THURSDAY

Breakfast: Hot or cold cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Lunch: Salisbury steak, rolls, whipped potatoes, blackeyed peas, applesauce or Apple crisp, milk.

FRIDAY

Breakfast: Breakfast burritos, toast, cereal, juice, milk.

Lunch: Hamburger, barbecue, cheese, HB salad, pickles, crisp, potatoes, brownies, milk.

Meals on Wheels

MONDAY

Polish sausage, cheese grits, spinach, cake.

TUESDAY

Beef stroganoff, broccoli, carrots, pears.

WEDNESDAY

Chicken pot pie, pickled beets, corn, jello.

THURSDAY

Ham, okra and tomatoes, northern beans, pudding.

FRIDAY

Spaghetti and meat sauce, green beans, bread sticks, fruit cocktail.

Senior Citizens

MONDAY

Chicken fried steak or chicken pot pie, mashed potatoes, turnip greens, beets, northern beans, slaw, tossed or jello salad, chocolate marbel cake or lemon icebox pie, hot rolls or cornbread.

TUESDAY

Taco salad or chicken leg quarters, onion potatoes, green beans, hominy, pinto beans, slaw, tossed or jello salad, spice cake or blueberry creme pie, hot rolls or jalapeno cornbread.

WEDNESDAY

Roast beeef brisket with brown gravy or cook's choice, mashed potatoes, carrots, broccoli casserole, butter beans, slaw, tossed or jello salad, cherry cheesecake or banana nut cake, hot rolls or cornbread.

THURSDAY

Barbecue beef with onion rings or ham with fruit sauce, potato salad, baked beans, buttered squash, slaw, tossed or jello salad, strawberry shortcake or banana pudding, hot rolls or cornbread.

FRIDAY

Fried cod fish or Swiss steak, potato wedges, baked cabbage, beans, slaw, tossed or jello salad, chocolate pudding cups or pineapple upsidedown cake, garlic breadsticks, hot rolls, cornbread.

Club News

Club news is published strictly on a first come first serve basis due to limited space. The deadline each week for ***Sunday's paper*** *is Wednesday at 5 p.m. though this deadline* ***does not*** *guarantee publication. Thank you.*

Pampa Garden Club

Pampa Garden Club met Oct. 13, at Lovett Memorial Library with Ruth Barrett serving as hostess.

Members made plans to attend the Northern Zone Meeting slated 9:30 a.m. Nov. 7 in Hereford. Jan Furr, master gardener, will present a program entitled "Gardening in the Panhandle."

The club will decorate a tree and set up a craft booth during the Festival of Trees Dec. 5, 6 and 7. Members were encouraged to attend the festival.

Barrett presented a how-to program on "metal" brown paper sack decorations.

The next meeting will be at 2 p.m. Nov. 10 at the home of Leny Howard.

Delta Kappa Gamma

Delta Kappa Gamma met recently with Kenda Faulkner presiding.

Essie Mae Walters presented the meditation.

Members of the educational society went on a guided tour of Roberts County Museum conducted by Jane Bright, curator. The museum is divided into seven rooms – the Depot, established in 1979; the Middle Room, established in 1980; the Barn, established in 1981; the Dugout, established in 1984; the Indian Room, established in 1986; the Pioneer Room, established in 1991; and the Art Gallery, established in 1992.

Among the various items on display was an exhibit of formal attire featuring wedding dresses through the ages, a permanent wave machine and a collection of antique toys. In addition, the museum boasted a quilt commemorating Miami's 100th birthday pieced together by local women with the help of some school children.

According to Bright, the museum is partially subsidized through the sale of brands which may be seen at the museum's entrance.

Serving as hostesses were Myra Nell McLaughlin, Faulkner, Mary Jo Leonard and Bette Truly.

Pampa Art Club

Pampa Art Club met Oct. 21 in the Nona Payne Room of the Pampa Community Building with President Madeline Gawthrop presiding and with Billie Collinsworth serving as hostess.

Members discussed the club tea to be held in May and continued work on the many projects in progress.

The next meeting will be at 10:30 a.m. Nov. 4 at 1924 Dogwood.

Top O' Texas CattleWomen

Top O' Texas CattleWomen met Oct. 7 at the Hughey House in Pampa with President Darenda Begert presiding. Sixteen members and two guests were present.

Amelia Sims read minutes from the previous meeting and the treasurer's report was given by Louise Coulter.

A thank you note was read from Gaylene Skaggs concerning the Texas State CattleWomen Scholarship Fund for a memorial for Ruth Spearman, early officer of the club.

The following club business was discussed:

— Beef Seminar held last month.

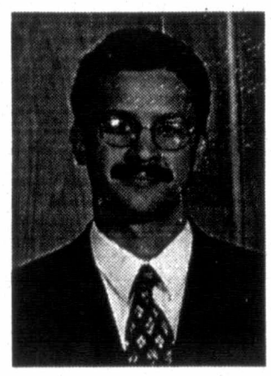
— Date and place of the annual Style Show was announced as March 28, 1998, at the Pampa Country Club

— Begert will give the hostess of Hughey House a beef cookbook.

— Officers were elected based on the Nominating Committee's report. The new officers are: Sally Youngblood, president; Amy Brainard, vice president; Janeth Bowers, second vice president; Sims, recording secretary; Coulter, treasurer; Begert, parliamentarian.

Veterinarian Lee Ann Hillhouse, of Wheeler, presented the program. She spoke on cattle and the Life Gift Program.

The next meeting will be at Maxey's Steakhouse in Wheeler. Wives are invited to bring their husbands to enjoy the program.



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Newsmakers

ABILENE – Hardin-Simmons University held its 37th Annual All-School Sing recently with **Shaylee Richardson, Manessa Hall** and **Tracy Bruton**, all of Pampa, participating in the event.

Richardson joined in Sigma Alpha's *I Remember It Well*. Sigma Alpha won its third consecutive Sweepstakes award.

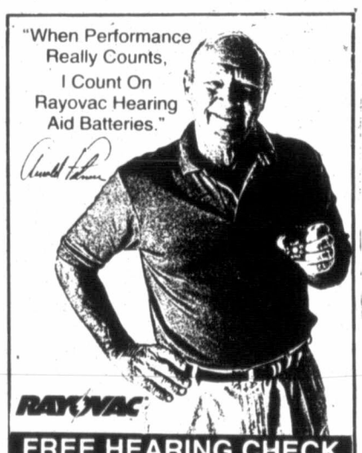
Hall and Bruton joined in Epsilon Pi Alpha's *Turn Your Radio On*.

Bruton also performed in an interact during the All-School Sing.

CANYON – West Texas A&M University Iota Theta Chapter of Kappa Delta Pi recently inducted 40 new members.

To be eligible for the honor, a junior, senior or graduate student must maintain a grade point average of 3.25, a professional education coursework GPA of 3.0 and be enrolled in three or more semester hours.

Among the inductees were: **Tyler Beth Pink** and **Rogena L. Rice**, both of Pampa; and **Stacy Jean Fields** of Groom.



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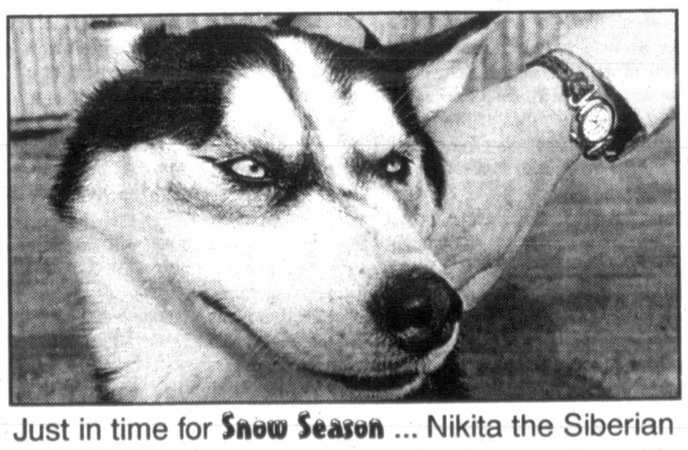
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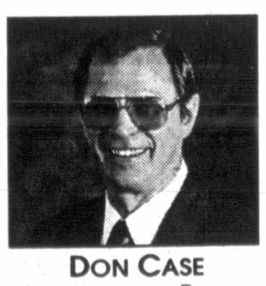


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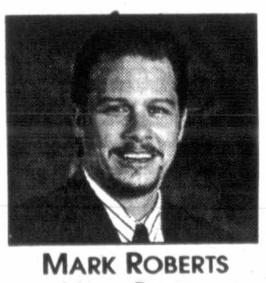
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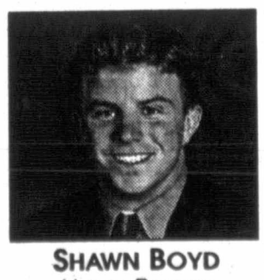
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Doctor cleared of charges that led to claims of White House conspiracy

MOUNT VERNON, Ga. (AP) — A popular country doctor who claimed his indictment on charges of illegally dispensing prescription drugs resulted from a White House conspiracy has been cleared of all charges.

A jury acquitted Dr. Luther C. McRae on Wednesday.

McRae had claimed that the sting operation that led to his indictment was prompted by the White House after he provided information to undermine the nomination of Dr. Henry Foster for U.S. surgeon general in 1995.

McRae contended then that Foster lied about his knowledge of the infamous Tuskegee syphilis study. Foster had said he knew nothing of the experiment, which left poor blacks untreated, until it was made public in 1972. McRae insisted he and Foster, as members of an Alabama medical society, both learned of the study in 1969.

Foster ultimately failed to win the job mostly because of questions raised over the number of abortions he'd performed, but his opponents also used the Tuskegee dispute to undermine his credibility.

During McRae's 2 1/2-day trial, defense lawyer W.W. Larsen didn't mention any White House conspiracy, but contended that McRae was merely doing what any doctor would in writing prescriptions.

> "McRae had claimed that the sting operation that led to his indictment was prompted by the White House ..."

McRae, 66, was tried on 15 counts of illegally dispensing prescription drugs. During a month-long Georgia Bureau of Investigation probe, agents recorded two encounters he had with a patient cooperating with the authorities.

"She went to the house and said, 'I want to get something to get high,'" District Attorney Tim Vaughn said. "He gave her a prescription and she gave him $40, and (the prescription) was for no medical reason. That's not practicing medicine. That's selling drugs."

"He didn't sell them anything," Larsen said. "He didn't charge them but a nominal amount. The prescriptions were for legitimate purposes. He didn't dispense anything. He wrote prescriptions that were never filled."

Larsen said the tapes gave a misleading impression because the medical problems had been determined in earlier visits. And one of the state's witnesses said he would dispense the same medication under the same circumstances, Larsen said.

Vaughn said the prosecution was hampered by the fact that McRae has provided treatment for four generations in Montgomery County.

"When a person is that well-known, it gives the state an extra burden to overcome with the jury," he said.

The acquittal does not end McRae's problems. His license to dispense medicine has been suspended. He also is under investigation by the GBI Health Care Fraud Unit and by a state medical board.

Asked about McRae's conspiracy theory, Vaughn said, "To say the doctor's allegations are absolutely groundless would be an understatement."



(Pampa News photo by Kate Dickson)

Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency's Employee of the Month for October is Fonda Howard. Suzanne Wilkinson (left) presents Fonda an award for her outstanding performance of job duties and dedication to the company's goals. Fonda has worked for Shepard's for the past seven years as a Certified Home Health Aide. November celebrates National Home Health Aide Week.

Group pays drug-addicted mother to have tubal ligation

STANTON, Calif. (AP) — A recovering drug addict who gave birth to five children hooked on crack has undergone a tubal ligation in exchange for $200 from an anti-drug group.

The 28-year-old woman, identified only as Sheila H., recently gave birth to a sixth child, a boy. The mother, who remained drug-free during the pregnancy, said she hopes to raise her newborn.

Children Requiring A Caring Kommunity, or CRACK, paid for the surgery. Founder Barbara Harris said that Sheila H. was the program's first participant.

Her other five children were taken from her at birth and placed in foster homes. Sheila H. has been in a substance-abuse program since the early months of her latest pregnancy.

The program pays drug-addicted mothers $50 if they choose to use Norplant, a contraceptive implanted in the arm or $20 if they choose Depo Provera, a birth control injection effective for up to 12 weeks. It pays $200 for the more permanent tubal ligation.

Harris has adopted four of eight drug-exposed children born to one woman and lobbied for legislation to make it a crime to give birth to a drug-addicted baby. She said the group hopes to encourage drug-addicted men and women to practice birth control while using the illicit substances.

Hippie homicide solved, 26 years later with confession

By AARON J. LOPEZ
Associated Press Writer

NEDERLAND, Colo. (AP) — In 1971, Guy Goughnor was a 19-year-old longhair who went by the name Deputy Dawg. He and his hippie friends used to drink into the night, urinate in the streets, steal laundry from clotheslines and otherwise show their disrespect for authority.

The last time anyone saw Goughnor alive was the night a bulldog-like lawman by the name of Renner Forbes pulled him out of a bar and threw him into the back of his patrol car.

Last month, Forbes, now 68 and living in a nursing home, confessed to killing Deputy Dawg, authorities say.

"He was looking over his shoulder for the last 26 years, not only for the law, but his maker," said Kirk Long, a former Boulder County detective who headed the original investigation. "I think he wants to clear his conscience before he meets his maker — or try to at least."

Forbes had been the prime suspect in Goughnor's shooting death from the start, but without enough forensic evidence, Long was forced to abandon the case in 1972.

"It's one of things that you know who did it and you just can't prove it," Long said. "It's real frustrating, but at the same time it goes with the job."

Forbes, who was Nederlander's town marshal, arrived in 1971 at this Rocky Mountain village of 550 people just east of the Continental Divide. Raised on a farm in Bird City, Kan., and fresh out of the Air Force, the brash, bull-necked Forbes seemed suited for restoring order in restless times.

"He was big, and he was scary-looking," recalled Celeste Haselwood, who lived in Nederland from 1962 to 1995. "He looked like a bulldog. If I was a lawbreaker and I saw him on the street, I'd stop whatever I was doing."

Lured by the picturesque Colorado mountain peaks, drifters gave Forbes plenty of work as they turned Nederland into their own personal summer camp.

"We were overloaded with hippies," said Stephanie Lawrence, who moved to Nederland in 1940. "There were bad ones and some of the good ones — the flower kids."

Goughnor, who hitchhiked here from his family's lakefront home in a Minneapolis suburb and adopted the name of a cartoon character, ran with the more reckless crowd that used deerskin hides to cover their teepees in the woods outside of town.

Their mischief ranged from indecent exposure and theft to public urination and stealing the water hoses from the fire department. One police report described Goughnor as "a huge pain."

On July 21, 1971, Forbes pulled Goughnor from the Pioneer Inn tavern, threw him in his patrol car and drove him to a remote area of adjacent Clear Creek County, where he shot the young man once in the head, authorities said.

Hunters found Goughnor's body a month later in a mountain canyon where Forbes used to hunt elk. It had been dragged off a steep, dirt road marked on maps as Oh My God Road.

Shortly thereafter, Forbes lost his job when he pleaded guilty to misdemeanor assault charges after a fight. He moved back to Kansas, where he managed his mother's farm for 25 years.

Forbes referred all questions to his lawyer, Bob Peppin, who would not comment on the confession. He is scheduled to be formally charged in December with second-degree murder, which carries up to 48 years in prison.

"This is a guy who's paralyzed on one side, can't get out of his wheelchair by himself, can't turn over in bed, can't get in bed by himself, can't dress himself, can't eat by himself. What do you really take away from him if you put him in prison vs. say a nursing home?" asked Detective Steve Ainsworth, who worked on the revived case.

Nederland residents seem ambivalent about Forbes' future. A copy of Forbes' picture hangs on the door to the town marshal's office. The caption reads: "If you have a complaint or have broken the law, you are welcome to sign up for a ride-a-long with ME!"

"We still have the hippies and the dreadlocks," said Diana Giglietti, who works in the office, "but we don't take them out and shoot them."

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But Mary did not remain a virgin as is indicated in the expression, "and he knew her not till she had brought forth a son:" Further, the scriptures speak of other children born to Joseph and Mary. In fact, their names are given. In Matt. 13:55-56, with reference to Jesus, we read: "Is not this the carpenter's son? Is not his mother called Mary? and His brethren, James and Joseph, and Simon, and Juda? And His sisters, are they not all with us? Whence then hath this man all these things?" To affirm the perpetual virginity of Mary is to outrightly deny the scriptures.

The scriptures teach that a person does not cease to exist when they die physically. As in the case of the rich man and Lazarus (Lk. 16:19-31), even though both men died, their souls still existed, either in "Abraham's bosom" or in "torment." And so, the soul of Mary still exists in the place of departed spirits. But there is no such person, alive physically , or dead, as the "virgin" Mary."

There is certainly no scripture to uphold the belief in the "virgin Mary" as some person of Deity or some person to whom we should pray. Even though she was the mother of Jesus Christ, and thus made Him to be the son of man as well as the Son of God, she is not the mother of Deity and could not, in that sense, be referred to as "the mother of God." This is not to diminish from the person of Mary for she was truly a remarkable woman. But she was no more than as the scriptures clearly establish. Human religious traditions do no dictate to the word of God (Mk. 7:1-9.)

- Billy T. Jones

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ENTERTAINMENT

'Elmo Says Boo!' on a Halloween special

NEW YORK (AP) — There may have been sunny days as Christmas 1996 approached, but everything wasn't A-OK. Not when parents were singing the "Sesame Street" song with these substitute lyrics: "Can you tell me how to get, how to get a Tickle Me Elmo?"

Like everyone else, Elmo's puppeteer, Kevin Clash, was caught off-guard by the mania engulfing this ersatz Elmo. He had even forgotten that, months earlier, he had recorded the things Tickle Me Elmo would "say" — forgotten it, that is, until he and his daughter Shannon, then age 3, happened upon the finished product in a toy store.

"Oh, THAT'S what I did," Clash thought, hearing "Ooooo, that tickles!" parroted back at him as the doll convulsed. "That's neat," he thought, and bought a Tickle Me Elmo for Shannon.

Soon, getting your hands on one wasn't so easy.

In San Antonio, two Wal-Mart employees would be fired for buying Tickle Me Elmos before customers could get a crack at them.

In New York City, a Tickle Me Elmo seized from an unlicensed peddler was then pinched from the police station's evidence room.

And in Springfield, Mo., a drunk brandishing a beer bottle abducted a kitten from its front lawn and demanded from the owner a Tickle Me Elmo as ransom.

Fortunately, all this escaped the notice of the little red monster whose hearty chuckle inspired that season's must-have toy. Just 2 1/2 at the time, Elmo could hardly have grasped what the fuss was about.

Now, a year later, Elmo is still 2 1/2. His saucy innocence remains intact. So does his deep-pile complexion and maypop nose. The ping-pong-ball eyes are still bright. And he's as busy as a Muppet moppet can be.

Elmo and the other residents of "Sesame Street" are preparing for the start of their 29th season on public television next month.

He stars in a Halloween special titled "Elmo Says Boo!"

In the half-hour program, which airs Sunday at 2 p.m. EST on most PBS stations, Elmo pays a visit to the castle of the Count von Count to swap a number of Halloween jokes.

He also learns something, of course: Although the castle has a certain ghoulish air, Elmo confronts his fear and discovers that scary things don't always pose a danger.

It was one day last winter that cameras were capturing the pun-laden interplay between the Count and Elmo on the New York City soundstage where "Sesame Street" is also taped.

With one hand inside Elmo, his other manipulating the rods that control Elmo's arms, puppeteer Clash was also voicing Elmo's lines.

"Gee, I don't know, Mr. Count," he was saying. "What IS a ghost's favorite dessert?"

Then a ghost supplied the answer: "BOOOOOOOO-berry pie!"

Everybody laughed. In fact, the skeleton dangling from the castle wall laughed so hard its jaw popped off. But after a quick repair job, the scene was repeated, with Clash, as always, in cahoots with Elmo, albeit safely out of camera range.

Despite his skill as a puppeteer, Clash, some might say, is wasted off-camera: At 36, he is husky and leading-man handsome, a seemingly improbable source for Elmo's childish abandon and falsetto voice.

Clash is content to let his puppet surrogates take the spotlight, and has been ever since he was 10. His Chihuahua had died. In an effort to replace it, he made a hand puppet out of a stuffed-dog toy. "I made my own pet."

That was back in Baltimore, where Clash grew up the son of loving parents who encouraged his passion even after he got carried away and made a monkey puppet from the fur lining of his father's trenchcoat.

Soon he began performing with his puppets, first around his neighborhood, then at the city's Harbor Front and on kids' TV shows aired by the local CBS station.

He landed a job in New York designing puppets and performing for CBS' "Captain Kangaroo," and began his association with Jim Henson Productions, for which, besides "Sesame Street," he worked on projects including the feature film "Labyrinth" and the prime-time TV series "Dinosaurs."

It was in 1984, he recalls, that he and Elmo joined forces. He was handed this fuzzy red Muppet and told to come up with a voice. He did that and more (and won an Emmy for it).

Along the way, Elmo became not just a role for Clash to play, but also, in a sense, a role model.

"I would love to be totally like Elmo," Clash says. "He is playful and direct and positive. Anything he does, he has a great time doing it."

And under Clash's tutelage, he has another attribute that sets him proudly apart from human beings, 2 years old and otherwise: Elmo knows when to be silent and when to be still, and is.

Top videos..

Weekly charts for the nation's most popular videos as they appear in next week's issue of Billboard magazine. Reprinted with permission:

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1. "Liar Liar," (Universal)
2. "Sleeping Beauty," (Disney) (Gold)
3. "Star Wars Trilogy — Special Edition," (Fox)
4. "Diana: The People's Princess," (MVP)
5. "Farrah Fawcett: All of Me," (Playboy)
6. "Spawn," (HBO)
7. "Fleetwood Mac: The Dance," (Warner Reprise)
8. "The First Wives Club," (Paramount)
9. "Diana: Legacy of a Princess," (MPI)
10. "Jenny McCarthy: The Playboy Years," (Playboy)

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1. "Liar Liar," Jim Carrey (Universal)
2. "The English Patient," (Miramax)
3. "The Saint," (Paramount)
4. "Volcano," (Fox)
5. "The Devil's Own," (Columbia TriStar)
6. "Donnie Brasco," (Columbia TriStar)
7. "Anaconda," (Columbia TriStar)
8. "Sling Blade," (Miramax)
9. "Dante's Peak," (Universal)
10. "Murder at 1600," (Warner)

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2. "Pooh's Grand Adventure," (Disney)
3. "Cats Don't Dance," (Warner)
4. "Fun and Fancy Free," (Disney)
5. "The Hunchback of Notre Dame," (Disney)
6. "Swan Princess: Escape from Castle Mountain," (Warner)
7. "Mary-Kate & Ashley's Birthday Party," (Dualstar)
8. "Bambi," (Disney)
9. "Mary-Kate & Ashley: Our Music Video," (Dualstar)
10. "The Lion King," (Disney)

Best sellers...

HARDCOVER FICTION

1. "Cold Mountain" by Charles Frazier (Atlantic Monthly)
2. "Violin" by Anne Rice (Knopf)
3. "Flood Tide" by Clive Cussler (Simon & Schuster)
4. "The Angel of Darkness" by Caleb Carr (Random House)
5. "Underworld" by Don DeLillo (Scribner)
6. "10 Lb. Penalty" by Dick Francis (Putnam)
7. "Best Laid Plans" Sidney Sheldon (Morrow)
8. "Timequake" by Kurt Vonnegut (Putnam)
9. "Temple of the Winds" by Terry Goodkind. (Tor)
10. "The God of Small Things" by Arundhati Roy (Random House)

HARDCOVER NONFICTION

1. "Diana: Her True Story" by Andrew Morton (Simon & Schuster)
2. "The Royals" by Kitty Kelley (Warner)
3. "Angela's Ashes" by Frank McCourt (Scribner)
4. "The Man Who Listens to Horses" by Monty Roberts (Random House)
5. "Into Thin Air" by Jon Krakauer (Villard)
6. "Conversations With God: Book 1" by Neale Donald Walsch (Putnam)
7. "Men Are From Mars, Women Are From Venus" by John Gray (HarperCollins)
8. "The Perfect Storm" by Sebastian Junger (Norton)
9. "Simple Abundance" by Sarah Ban Breathnack (Warner)
10. "Midnight in the Garden of Good and Evil" by John Berendt (Random House)

MASS MARKET PAPERBACKS

1. "Airframe" by Michael Crichton
2. "Jack and Jill" by James Patterson (Warner Vision)
3. "Kiss the Girls" by James Patterson (Warner)
4. "The Clinic" by Jonathan Kellerman (Bantam)
5. "Diana: Her True Story" by Andrew Morton (Pocket)
6. "Diana: Her New Life" by Andrew Morton (Pocket)
7. "The Fallen Man" by Tony Hillerman (HarperPaperbacks)
8. "Silent Witness" by Richard North Patterson (Ballantine)
9. "To the Hilt" by Dick Francis (Berkley)
10. "Cause of Death" by Patricia Cornwell (Berkley)

TRADE PAPERBACKS

1. "Don't Sweat the Small Stuff ..." by Richard Carlson (Hyperion)
2. "A Lesson Before Dying" by Ernest J. Gaines (Vintage)
3. "The Color of Water" by James McBride (Riverhead)
4. "Chicken Soup for the Teenage Soul" by J. Canfield, M.V. Hansen and K. Kirberger (HCI)
5. "Under the Tuscan Sun" by Frances Mayes (Broadway)
6. "Undaunted Courage" by Stephen E. Ambrose (S&S/Touchstone)
7. "Chicken Soup for the Woman's Soul" by J. Canfield, M.V. Hansen, and Jennifer Hawthorne and Marci Shimoff (Health Communications)
8. "She's Come Undone" by Wally Lamb (Washington Square Press)
9. "Seven Years in Tibet" by Heinrich Harrer (Archer)
10. "7 Habits of Highly Effective People" by Stephen Covey (Fireside/S&S)

CNBC takes on Lou Dobbs and 'Moneyline' on CNN

Dobbs, head of the fledgling CNNfn network that is competing during the business day with CNBC, said he's seen challengers to "Moneyline" come and go. He doesn't seem particularly worked up over this one.

NEW YORK (AP) — Her voice calm and, yes, businesslike, CNBC "Business Center" host Maria Bartiromo is describing what the network wants from its nightly newscast.

"We set out to create the definitive business show on television," she said. "We did not see a definitive business show on television."

Ouch! That's trash-talking in the refined world of high finance, where CNN likes to think its "Moneyline" broadcast with Lou Dobbs has set the agenda for business coverage on television each weeknight at 7 p.m. for 17 years.

The stakes are indeed high in business' intriguing new battle. Not only is CNBC going after Dobbs in the same time slot, the network sees "Business Center" as a much-needed bridge between its financial coverage during the day and the evening news and talk shows.

Executives hope for nothing less than "Business Center" becoming CNBC's signature show, like ESPN's "Sportscenter" or A&E Network's "Biography" series.

Brash words aside, CNBC honchos say they respect Dobbs. They seem to regard his show, however, as the television version of the aristocracy — dominated by graying white men who don't seem to mind if much of their talk drifts over the average channel surfer's head.

"Business Center" is trying to find an audience among people who might not devour the business section of their newspaper every day by 7 a.m.

"We will make a television show about business that is as entertaining as business is," said Tyler Mathisen, co-host with Bartiromo.

Already dubbed the "Entertainment Tonight" of the business world by critics, it's a slickly produced program with a special emphasis on personalities and entertainment. An opening day feature on the "bond market" last week was about two Hollywood studios fighting over the rights to James Bond movies.

Mathisen was executive editor of Money magazine, a publication that tries to relate financial news to individual consumers. The hardworking Bartiromo, who will continue hosting CNBC's "Squawk Box" before the markets open each weekday, is among the most visible journalists working the floor of the New York Stock Exchange.

"If you put the two of them together, I think that defines what the program is going to be about," said Bruno Cohen, CNBC's senior vice president for business programming.

When covering a story like the Microsoft investment in Apple, "Business Center" will try to go beyond the obvious angle of its impact on the stock market to talk about the personal story of Bill Gates bailing out an old adversary, he said.

"We will be inviting a lot of people in who don't necessarily view business news as interesting," he said.

Dobbs, head of the fledgling CNNfn network that is competing during the business day with CNBC, said he's seen challengers to "Moneyline" come and go. He doesn't seem particularly worked up over this one.

"Our commitment today is precisely what it was 17 1/2 years ago — to bring breaking news, perspective and context to a very demanding audience that we work very hard to serve," he said.

"That audience has reciprocated by watching us year in and year out," he said. "We have no intention at any time of resorting to the lowest common denominator or lowering our standards whatsoever to broaden our audience. We are happy with our upscale, sophisticated audience."

Dobbs knows how to go for the jugular. His dig speaks to the delicate dance CNBC must make in trying to appeal to a non-traditional audience without insulting the intelligence of business junkies.

CNN won the first week's head-to-head competition for viewers, by an estimated 268,000 to 183,000.

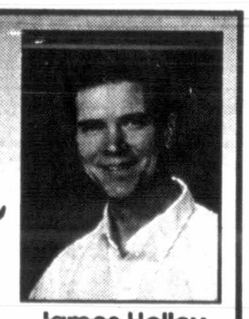
CNBC claimed it did much better among young adults, the demographic it is targeting and the one most advertisers crave, and is up 97 percent over the same time period during the last three months of 1996.

"I think Lou Dobbs is in for a real run for his money," Cohen said.

It looks like a fascinating rivalry. CNBC thinks it was no coincidence that Dobbs brought his cameras in to broadcast "Moneyline" from the floor of the stock exchange in the days before the launch of "Business Center."

CNBC last Friday departed from its tradition of broadcasting the bell clanging the end to trading that day on the stock exchange.

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The Market Forecaster

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Wheat (Bull)

Outlook: The big commodity funds have been aggressively buying corn and soybeans lately; however, many of them have actually been selling wheat. The "spreaders" seem to like buying corn and selling wheat as well. Yet, with wheat values now less than 80 cents over corn, wheat cannot be termed expensive. The funds are most likely looking at the improving winter eat prospects, and the crop does appear to be off to a good start with generous moisture. The export market has not been too exciting, so the "shorts" have not really been caught in any kind of major wheat rally yet. Yet, total global wheat supplies are tight, and I still feel wheat is undervalued when one views supplies in relation to usage. As soon as export demand picks up in the coming months, so should the wheat market!

Strategy: *Hedgers:* If you have not already done so, we continue to suggest selling all cash wheat and replacing with at the money call options. If you have sold your wheat previously, this is sound advice if you wish to maintain ownership, benefit from higher prices to come, while limiting your downside risk. Remember, with options, your risk is limited at most to the cost of the options plus fees. At present, this is under 20 cents/bushel for March. Your upside remains without limits.

Traders: Hold Minneapolis December futures bought in the 352 to 356 range. Our stop is at 380.

Corn (Bull)

Outlook: The crop report numbers were mildly bullish, but the market's reaction was decidedly bullish with a rally to new high prices for the move. A rally like we have seen this October is unprecedented for the thick of harvest. I believe this underscores just how bullish this market is. If it can rally in the middle of harvest, and be relatively immune to harvest selling pressure now, than what happens later? I'm hearing increasing reports or ear droppage, and the commodity fund managers are talking about El Nino. China is still a corn exporter, but what happens later when they turn into an importer (my prediction before year end)? The trend is your friend, so buy the dips!

Strategy: *Hedgers:* Our hedge program for this cycle is complete. You should either sell, or have sold your puts as you sell your cash corn, plus we remained unhedged on a portion of production. Since our outlook is bullish, you should consider maintaining ownership via selling your cash corn at harvest (to raise cash to use now), with the simultaneous purchase of March at the money calls to maintain ownership. The calls will limit your downside risk, while maintaining your upside potential.

Traders: We have been chasing this market here, as we recently advised buying December at 255 and then 270, and just missed both levels by the time you saw the column. Now look to buy March at 295 or better with a near term objective of 320 and a risk of 10 cents/bushel.

Soybeans (Bull)

Outlook: The bears cannot understand why the market is so bullish now (and I guess they haven't read the *Market Forecaster* for the past few months either.) They look at a crop size which is close to record large. They are looking the wrong way. Supply/demand is a two-sided equation, and the demand is what is overwhelming the supply. As we have pointed out previously, our main competitors in the world market, the South Americans, are sold out. They are actually buying from us at this time. In fact, the U.S.A. is the only major source of world supply for soybeans until the new crop Brazil comes in, and this is months away. There is a world demand base which has grown over the years, and it is not going away. The trend is your friend here as well. Stay long!

Strategy: *Hedgers:* Our 50 percent hedges at an average price of $7.02 should be, or have been lifted as your crop was harvested. Take the profits and add them to your ultimate selling price. We continue to suggest maintaining ownership after you sell your cash crop via the purchase of March call options.

Traders: We remain long November futures at below $6.26, and this still looks like the low. Raise your risk point to $6.54. Leave the upside profit objective open at this time.

Cattle (Bull/Bear)

Outlook: I still believe the recovery will take time; however, live cattle futures prices are beginning to look cheap. Despite the high placement levels, packers continue to push bids a bit. However, they know the near term supplies remain more than adequate, and do not need to push too hard. Yet, the demand must be good, since they are always there on breaks at the mid-60s. Longer term, into late winter, supplies do look to moderate. The tight feeder cattle numbers evident in past months will show up as tighter fat cattle supplies in the coming months. Look for a two-sided affair with a slightly bullish bias from current levels.

Strategy: *Feeders:* No future price protection is suggested at current prices at this time.

Cow/calf operators: We are short October and November feeder futures. Cover these hedges under 74, or as you market your cattle.

Traders: We continue to suggest a sidelines approach at present.

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Use of conservation tillage tops traditional plowing

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Farmers this year are using soil-conservation and pollution-fighting tilling methods more often than intensive plowing for the first time, a survey by the U.S. Agriculture Department finds.

Results of the county-by-county survey show 109.8 million of the nation's 294.6 million acres of crops were planted this year using conservation tillage, 6 million more than last year.

That figure was slightly higher than the 107.6 million acres planted with the traditional method of plowing the soil.

Survey results compiled by the Conservation Technology Information Center show that farmers in Iowa, Illinois, South Dakota, Kansas and Indiana contributed the most to the growth in conservation farming use, accounting for 5 million acres of the increase.

Conservation tillage is the name given to farming methods that leave crop residue such as stems, stalks and leaves over 30 percent or more of the soil surface from harvest time to the next year's planting. The crop residues slowly decompose to add organic matter to the soil — much as mulching or composting adds organic matter to a garden.

The government encourages such methods because they reduce soil erosion by up to 90 percent, provide habitat for wildlife and save farmers time and labor.

"These systems not only replenish and build organic matter in the soil for improved future food productivity, but they will also protect water quality and enhance wildlife and the environment for future generations," said John Hebblethwaite, executive director of the information center in West Lafayette, Ind., which is financed by USDA and agribusiness interests.

"There is also growing evidence that these systems can even help us combat the potential for global warming," he said.

The survey indicates success in changing farmers' ideas about plowing, said Dan Towery, a natural resources specialist for the center.

"The sign of a good farmer was one that plowed under every stalk," Towery said. Now, more than half the acres planted with soybeans in Indiana and Ohio are planted into last year's corn stalks, he said.

But the popularity of conservation tillage among farmers is limited by its economic risks.

Conservation tillage is the chief suspect in the spread of scab, a crop disease that attacks wheat fields and leaves behind shriveled, discolored grain. Corn stalks left standing in fields give the scab fungus a place to grow.

Another risk is that conservation tillage relies on chemicals to control weeds that would otherwise be plowed into the soil.

Tillage methods are just one component of environmentally friendly farming, said Steve Bonney, president of the Indiana Sustainable Agriculture Association.

Conservation tillage assumes farmers are going to continue to grow only annual crops such as corn and soybeans, Bonney said.

Another method is to divursify by planting different crops at different times of the year, refreshing the soil and adding to farmers' slim profit margins.

"There's other components to being an environmental steward," Bonney said.

Conservation tillage does require better crop management to be economically viable, Towery said.

"Management is critical to be successful, and there will be less opportunity to erase your mistakes."

African ticks threaten livestock, wildlife says Florida professor

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Reptiles brought to America with large African ticks imbedded in their skin could carry an exotic disease that could seriously threaten U.S. livestock and wildlife herds, a University of Florida professor says.

African tortoise ticks can carry heartwater, a disease that already has spread from Africa to the Caribbean. It attacks the blood vessels of some animals, causing fluids to accumulate in the lungs, around the heart and in the chest and abdomen, University of Florida professor and veterinarian Michael Burridge said. There is no practical treatment, and 90 percent of susceptible animals die.

"Heartwater will devastate the cattle, sheep and goat industries," said Burridge, who presented his findings on the disease to the U.S. Animal Health Association this week in Louisville. "If it gets into the wild deer population, it would be impossible to eradicate."

The disease does not affect humans, horses or household pets such as dogs and cats, and it cannot be transmitted by eating meat or drinking milk from infected animals, Burridge said.

To prevent an epidemic in the United States, Burridge and Florida state veterinarian Leroy Coffman recommended improved testing procedures for imported wildlife and methods developed to detect ticks on reptiles.

"We must make the message clear," Coffman said. "This is a List A disease, which means it's as serious as it gets. From a regulatory standpoint, it's one of the most important animal diseases in the world."

"We're not talking about a disease that will be limited regionally," Burridge said. "The South — Texas and Oklahoma across to the Carolinas — is a major area for cattle production. The spread of this disease would be catastrophic to that industry and other related industries.

Burridge and Coffman are working with state and federal agencies on additional measures to keep heartwater-carrying ticks out of this country.

The African ticks that carry the disease were discovered earlier this year when a Florida reptile breeder brought an injured tortoise to the University of Florida College of Veterinary Medicine.

More than 50 of the ticks, which are about twice the size of native ticks, were found under the animal's legs and inside its shell.

Complicating efforts to keep the disease from spreading is the rapidly growing market for exotic animals and reptiles imported from other countries, Burridge said.

"Earlier this year, the U.S. Department of Agriculture went to one exotic pet shop in Florida and found seven reptiles infected with the ticks," Burridge said. "There's thousands of shops like that one in Florida and all along the warm, humid South where the ticks thrive. That should give you some indication of just how tough it will be to stop this disease."

The disease also could enter the country with infected animals such as giraffes, antelopes, zebras and reptiles bound for zoos or conservation parks.

"If we don't do something right away to prevent the introduction of exotic ticks, it's only a matter of time until they become established in this country and start to spread, Burridge said. "Imported animals can be screened for the disease with a new test we have developed, and I believe the time has come to begin using it."

Burridge and University of Florida researchers are developing two new vaccines that appear to be effective in preventing heartwater.

The first is a conventional vaccine being tested in Africa. The other is a genetically-engineered vaccine being tested by a molecular biologist in Gainesville, Fla.

Stovall elected to SWCD board

Neal Stovall of Pampa was recently elected to the Gray County Soil and Water Conservation District's Board of Directors. Stovall represents Zone Five of the District.

The purpose of the Gray County SWCD, headquartered in Pampa, is to promote sound soil and water conservation programs on agricultural lands within the district. In addition, the district serves as a voice for farmers, ranchers and local community entities on conservation matters.

Its board of directors coordinate the conservation efforts of various local, state and federal agencies and other organizations and has the authority to enter into working agreements with these governmental agencies and private concerns to carry out its purposes.

The five members serving on the district board of directors are responsible for district policies and procedures for carrying out the district program within the framework of the Texas soil conservation district law. The five directors currently serving on the Gray County SWCD Board include L.H. Webb, chairman; David Bowers, vice chairman; Troy Ritter, secretary; Jim Shaw, member; and Neal Stovall, member.

Stovall is currently active in farming, and previously served as a Gray County District Director from 1979 to 1983.

In Texas, there are 216 soil and water conservation districts. Each is a legal subdivision of state government organized by local agricultural landowners with the assistance of the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board. Unlike most other legal subdivisions of state government, SWCDs do not have payers of taxation or eminent domain.

All conservation programs managed by the district are of a voluntary nature to the landowner or operator or other potential users of the SWCD's programs.

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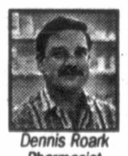
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This new feature is available on the KCBT site at http://www.kcbt.com.

"The Kansas City Board of Trade is committed to customer service, and offering delayed quotes on the Internet provides another opportunity for the exchange to excel in that capacity, " said Michael Braude, KCBT president. "There has been tremendous inquiry about adding delayed quotes and we feel that offering them on our site marks a significant step in providing accurate, essential information to enhance knowledge of our products."

The Kansas City Board of Trade offers trading opportunities in hard red winter wheat futures, Value Line and Mini Value Line stock index futures and Western Natural Gas futures. Options on wheat, Mini Value Line and natural gas futures also are traded at the exchange. Exchange officials say they plan to add delayed options quotes at a later date.



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'Daddy track' can also be hindrance to career

HOUSTON — About 10 years ago, women started grumbling about the "mommy track" — a career path for working mothers that was a slow track to nowhere.

The thinking was that working mothers give their careers short shrift because they have to spend so much time taking their children to the doctor and meeting with teachers that they can't be successful at high-level, fast-track jobs.

"I made a commitment to my son to be home every night and every weekend," Bullock said. But from time to time, Bullock thinks about his two friends at Men's Wearhouse. They're both vice presidents now and make about $80,000 — more than Bullock brings home.

That attitude hasn't changed much. Many employers still bypass women with children for promotions or jobs that require a lot of travel because bosses — who are still mostly male — figure working mothers just can't handle it.

That working women's lament is taking a new twist, as it's also happening to working fathers in greater numbers.

Men who have major — or sole — responsibility for their children's care say they aren't getting the same promotions or perks as their peers.

Sometimes it's self-imposed — they can't take promotions or jobs that require travel because of family responsibilities — but they find themselves as second stringers on the "daddy track."

When Gerry Bullock got custody of his son Cory in 1983, his son was just 3 years old. Bullock, who was managing a women's shoe store at the time, said he was quickly offered a promotion to area manager over six stores. But that job in St. Louis would have required travel each week so Bullock turned it down.

He turned down another promotion that required travel to San Antonio.

He then joined the Men's Wearhouse and again turned down promotions that would have required relocation.

"I made a commitment to my son to be home every night and every weekend," Bullock said. Now Bullock works 8 a.m. at 5 p.m. Monday through Friday as a manager at Lighting Inc.

But from time to time, Bullock thinks about his two friends at Men's Wearhouse. They're both vice presidents now and make about $80,000 — more than Bullock brings home.

"But it's not anything to cry about. I've had so many great moments with him," he said, referring to his son.

Will son also not rise?

It's not politically correct but Robert R. Butterworth says it anyway.

If a father defers his career goals, he'll create a son who thinks a career isn't such a big thing, said Butterworth, a Los Angeles child psychologist. And sons, watching their fathers for behavior clues, won't know how to be successful if they see their father taking it easy, he said.

Giving up promotions and job opportunities will cause a generation of kids to say "who cares?" Butterworth said.

And if that's not hard enough — fathers who give up job opportunities are kind of in a "no-man's land," said Geoffrey Greif, associate dean of the University of Maryland's School of Social Work in Baltimore.

Men are raised to judge their self-worth by how far they get at work, said Greif, who wrote the book, The Daddy Track and the Single Father.

A construction project engineer for an oil company in Houston felt he got put on the "daddy track" because of the time he devoted to his family.

The engineer, who asked not to be identified, coached his children's soccer teams and always made a point of being home for dinner. He went to work early and would leave each day at a decent hour. Co-workers, however, put in more hours later in the evening and seemed to get better assignments, said the engineer.

Nothing was said, but it seemed the engineers who put in more "face time" were perceived as company men, he said.

Another Houstonian also had trouble dealing with the "face time" requirement.

A senior level human resource executive whose wife died suddenly had to take time off during the day to meet with teachers, take his two young children to doctor appointments and cancel appointments with his supervisors if his children got sick suddenly.

For about six months, the executive, who asked not to be identified, got accommodations from his bosses but after that, he was expected to pull his share.

"I was watched — I was under a microscope," he said. "I had to go beyond normal expectations to stay on an even keel."

In the oil industry, low performers are referred to as "9-to-5ers," he said. And managers and directors are expected to set an example — work lots of hours.

But suddenly, he had to leave at 5 so he decided to knuckle under — work very hard and very smart during the time he's at the office.

"I didn't shoot the bull a lot," he said.

And it's worked — he is getting promotions by proving it's quality, not quantity.

"You have to do well to take that stand," he said. 'If I was a marginal employee it wouldn't have been successful."



Reviewing resource material for the genealogy workshop scheduled for Saturday, Nov. 1, at 9:30 a.m. at Lovett Library are (left) Willie Mae Mangold, chairman, and Barbara Ann Craig of Lovett Library. The all day session will include four genealogists working with beginners, intermediates, computers and DAR applicants. Pre-registration fee is $15 payable at Lovett Library by Oct. 28. Registration at the door is $17. The workshop is sponsored by Lovett Library and Friends of the Library, Gray County Historical Commission, and DAR.

Police files indicate Smith planned suicide before arrest

COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) — Susan Smith was ready to kill herself when she confessed to murdering her sons by submerging her car in a lake with the boys inside three years ago, police records indicate.

The State Law Enforcement Division released the case file Thursday after Freedom of Information Act requests by The Associated Press, The Charlotte Observer and The (Columbia) State.

On Oct. 25, 1994, Ms. Smith drove her car to John D. Long Lake and let it roll down a boat ramp with 3-year-old Michael and 14-month-old Alex strapped inside. For nine days, she claimed a carjacker had taken the children, begging tearfully on television for their return.

Union County Sheriff Howard Wells, a family friend, tricked her into confessing by telling her the police knew there was no carjacking. The documents said that, in a private conversation just after her confession, the sheriff asked her how long she could have kept up her story.

"Susan looked me squarely in the eye and said, 'I couldn't stand the pressure any longer, seeing my family hurting and how I had let you down. I was going to write you a letter and kill myself,'" Wells said.

Ms. Smith had tried suicide twice before, and psychiatrists at her trial said the boys' deaths were the result of another failed attempt.

Ms. Smith, 26, was sentenced in 1995 to life in prison after details surfaced about her troubled life, including a rocky marriage and years of molestation by her stepfather. She must serve at least 30 years.

Defense lawyer David Bruck said Thursday that Ms. Smith still regrets what she did. "I think she's having a hard life," Bruck said.

The state Corrections Department refuses to allow prisoners to be interviewed, and Ms. Smith has not responded to letters from The AP.

Intel delays Fort Worth plant

FORT WORTH, (AP) — The scheduled start of production has been put off for a year at the proposed Intel Corp. plant in Fort Worth, company officials say.

Intel officials cited softening demand for microprocessors in its decision to delay to 2000 the production start previously scheduled for 1999.

Officials decided to put off production after making a product switch at its plant in Israel, which was to make "flash" memory chips. Now, it will make logic memory chips, which is what Fort Worth was scheduled to make, the company said Thursday.

"Flash" memory chips are used in digital cameras, cellular telephones and more sophisticated computers. Logic memory chips power the operating systems of most computers.

Intel officials said their commitment has not wavered toward the $1.3 billion factory, to be located near Alliance Airport, between Fort Worth and Denton.

"Intel's commitment to Fort Worth continues to be strong," said Terry McDermott, an Intel spokesman in Fort Worth. "By getting the later technology, Fort Worth's long-term future will be brighter."

The Santa Clara, Calif.-based company already has broken ground for the plant. It is expected to employ 800 to 1,200 people when it starts production and eventually could hire as many as 8,000 workers.

The Fort Worth plant would be Intel's eighth U.S. factory.

South Plains completing its Halloween harvest

By MARK BABINECK
Associated Press Writer

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — Most Texas farmers grow plants to be eaten or worn. Some, however, are just as interested in decorating your doorstep.

In Texas' pumpkin patch, style truly is more important than substance.

"People want a solid pumpkin that's not lopsided and has no scars," said Muleshoe farmer Ben Roming. "We plant them in good, strong ground and apply the right amount of fertilizer. Plus, we had more rain this year than in the past five or six years and didn't have excessive heat. You can grow a good pumpkin in those conditions."

Texas pumpkins aren't grown for eating: most of those come from the Midwest. Instead, the 100 million pounds five Lubbock-area counties were expected to produce are destined to be gutted, carved and lit up as jack-o'-lanterns.

Low production in the Southeast has helped keep prices around 7 cents per pound, slightly better than usual. Additionally, growers have overcome the disease problems that plagued the crop last season.

"You have to do a good bit of spraying to keep the insects off of it," said Floydada farmer Tommy Assiter. "You plant it in the middle of June, so you can fall back on it, to a degree, if you lose your cotton."

Most gourd growers make their real money in the more traditional cotton patch, which itself is expected to prosper if a recent spate of showers ends soon.

When it comes to giving suburban homes an autumnal look, South Plains farmers offer more than just their bright orange gourds.

"A lot of producers not only grow pumpkins from a decorative standpoint," said J.D. Ragland, Floyd County's Agricultural Extension Service agent. "Some grow miniature pumpkins, gourds, pink banana squash and Indian corn."

Floydada, which calls itself the nation's pumpkin capital, begins its annual two-day pumpkin festival Friday as the window for marketing the vegetables closes.

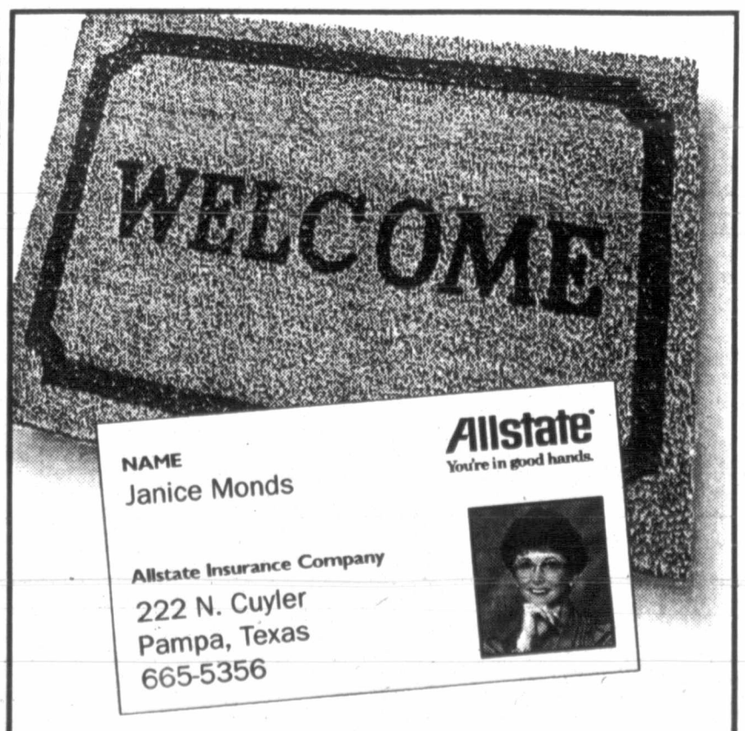
"They are kind of like a Christmas tree," Roming said. "The day after the holiday, you can't give them away."

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Convicted killer collects on dead woman's policy

DALLAS (AP) — A Dallas man convicted of killing his girlfriend has collected more than $37,000 in life insurance benefits from her policy in a deal that a prosecutor says "makes me sick in the stomach."

"On its face value, it goes against any moral fiber we would have," said Assistant District Attorney Marc Moffitt. "Is there anything we can do about it? No."

Carlos Ali Ledon Vaughn, 22, was convicted of capital murder and sentenced earlier this month to life in prison in the December 1995 slaying of Rachelle Morman, 22.

> "On its face value, it goes against any moral fiber we would have," said Assistant District Attorney Marc Moffitt. "Is there anything we can do about it? No."

Days before Morman was found dead in her car, Vaughn paid the first month's premium on the life insurance policy that named him the sole beneficiary.

State law prohibits people convicted of murder from receiving life insurance benefits. But an agreement with the insurance company, signed by a federal judge the week before Vaughn was convicted, allows him to collect $37,655. Another $196,000 of the insurance benefits was placed in a trust fund for Morman's 3-year-old son, according to the agreement.

Jeffrey H. Rasansky, an attorney representing Morman's mother and son, said he advised his clients to accept the agreement to ensure that the child received some money.

"It was a circumstantial evidence case. We had no idea at the time the case was settled that Vaughn would or would not be convicted," Mr. Rasansky said. "If Vaughn was not convicted, my client may have ended up with nothing."

The attorney representing Vaughn, Kent Traylor, used the same reasoning in recommending that his client accept the agreement. If Vaughn had been convicted without the deal in place, "it would have been very difficult for him to collect anything, if not impossible," said Traylor, who picked up Vaughn's check Tuesday.

Vaughn, who maintains his innocence in the murder, decided to pursue the money because he thought Morman's family unfairly targeted him as the killer, Traylor said.

"Carlos wanted the money to go to Rachelle's child, and that's what he told me from the beginning," Traylor said. "And then he changed his mind."

Traylor said he recognizes that some people might find it unconscionable that Vaughn is profiting from Morman's death.

"Sometimes our legal system achieves a less than desirable result, but we followed all the rules and this is where we are," Traylor said.

Got any story ideas? Let us know!

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Priest steals $37,000; may be fraud

Worshippers find church empty for morning services

GLENMONT, N.Y. (AP) — A priest who may not have been a priest after all allegedly vanished with $37,000 of parishioners' money.

Brendan O'Keefe, 55, was last seen sometime before Oct. 1, when parishioners arrived for morning services and found St. Michael's Chapel deserted, police said.

Parishioners said O'Keefe ran off with $27,000 in checks and about $10,000 worth of South American gold coins.

The church cannot find proof that O'Keefe was ever ordained a Roman Catholic priest, board member Johanna Orlowski said Thursday.

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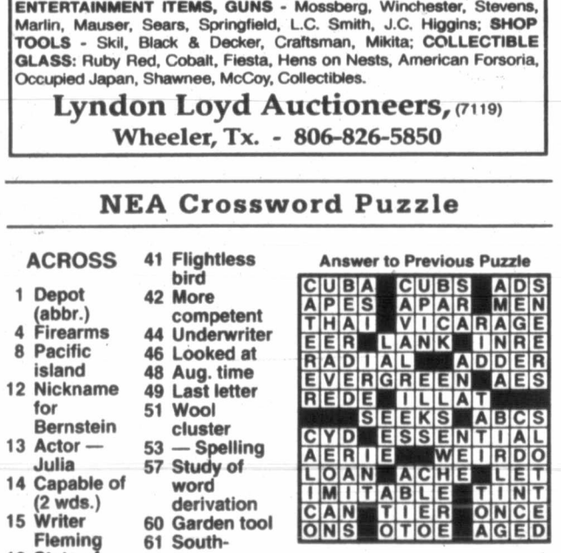
1 Depot (abbr.)
4 Firearms
8 Pacific island
12 Nickname for Bernstein
13 Actor — Julia
14 Capable of (2 wds.)
15 Writer Fleming
16 State of possessing
18 Religious poem
20 New (pref.)
21 Gravel ridge
22 Medical suffix
24 Film critic Pauline —
26 Type of lettuce
30 Office furniture
33 Openings
34 End-of-week abbr.
36 And others (2 wds.)
37 Toupees
39 Curved molding
41 Flightless bird
42 More competent
44 Underwriter
46 Looked at
48 Aug. time
49 Last letter
51 Wool cluster
53 — Spelling
57 Study of word derivation
60 Garden tool
61 South-western Indians
62 Easy gait
63 Raises
64 Beer, slangily
65 Footless
66 Colo. hours

DOWN

1 Undergarment
2 Earl Grey and pekoe
3 Visitor to Siam
4 Fastening ring
5 Car assemblers' assn.
6 Senator Sam —
7 Streamlined
8 Astronaut Grissom
9 Cover (a chair)
10 Himalayan plant
11 Sulk
17 Route
19 Tennis stroke
23 Mythological ship
25 Wide shoe size
26 Hawkeye State
27 Infant's bed
28 Keen-sighted
29 1958 Oscar movie
31 Glacial ridge
32 Pronounce indistinctly
35 — off (resist)
38 Pollack fish
40 Attempted
43 Nevada city
45 Type of lizard
47 Singer Reese
49 Greek deity
50 — —, Brute
52 Ship deck
54 Baba au —
55 Fumbler's word
56 Robin's home
58 Future bks.
59 Mail center abbr.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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Required GI fitness standards changing

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sit up and take notice: The Army says female soldiers will have to squeeze out just as many situps as men to meet its new fitness standards.

It's the first time the Army has set an equal marker for the sexes in physical fitness, and it reflects women's growing numbers and influence in the Army.

In the other two measures of fitness, pushups and running, men still will be required to do more, and for some age categories, the gender gap will grow.

It will take 53 situps in two minutes, by the way, to make the cut if you're a recruit — male or female. A 40-year-old soldier can get by with 38 situps, and 27 are required at age 60.

These and other adjustments are meant not just to make it tougher for women. They also raise the standards for men in some age categories. The idea is to modernize a system of fitness standards the Army believes had become outdated.

The new standards are to take effect next October. They differ for each of 10 age categories; in some, standards are being lowered, but most changes result in tougher requirements, officers said.

"These are tough, realistic standards," Maj. Gen. William J. Bolt, commander of the Army Training Center and former commander of Fort Jackson, S.C., told a Pentagon news conference Thursday.

The changes are the result of five years of Army study and reflect generally higher levels of fitness by American women in the 13 years since the Army set its existing standards, said Col. Stephen Cellucci, commandant of the Army Physical Fitness School at Fort Benning, Ga. The old system set arbitrary standards for women extrapolated from the men's standards, Cellucci said.

The new standards take into account contemporary knowledge about physiology, training and injury prevention, the officials said. They also address a longstanding source of irritation for male soldiers, many of whom resent the lower standards for women.

In a report last month reflecting results of a survey of male and female soldiers, an Army panel reported widespread complaints by women of sexual discrimination but also found that males felt aggrieved by some types of sex bias. Among those was what many male soldiers saw as too-easy physical standards for women.

The fitness test sets a baseline for physical qualifications in the Army. More specific minimum levels of strength and endurance are set for certain jobs in the service. These are in addition to Army height and weight standards, which are not changing.

Under current standards, a 25-year-old man is required to do 40 pushups and 47 situps in two minutes and run two miles in 16 minutes, 36 seconds. A woman the same age has to do 16 pushups and 45 situps and run two miles in 19 minutes, 36 seconds.

The new system will require a 25-year-old male to do the same 40 pushups as now and three more situps. He will have to run two miles in the same 16 minutes, 36 seconds. A female soldier of the same age will have to do one more pushup, five more situps, and run two miles in the same 19 minutes, 36 seconds.

Soldiers can finish basic training with fitness results slightly below the Army minimum but must meet the minimum by the time they finish their next training assignment.

Bolt said under the current standards, only 6 percent of soldiers score 290 points or more out of the maximum 300 points possible in the fitness test, which is administered every six months during a soldiers' career.



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The Class of 1947 recently donated a check for $4,000 to the high school. Representatives from the class of '47 presented the check to Pampa High School Principal John Kendall. The representatives were John Radcliff, Judy Taylor, Nancy Brown, Don Jones, Estelle Malone, Marilyn Trollinger, Cynthia West, and Jim Eakin.

Class of '47 gives $4,000 to high school

The Class of 1947 recently donated a check for $4,000 to the high school for whatever purpose that they wished.

The school plans to use the money to build a case that will be used to display the names and pictures of the members of the Harvesters Hall of Fame. The Hall of Fame was created last year, when the first four men and one woman were inducted.

The members of the class of '47 held a fund raiser at their recent reunion and raised $4,000 for the use of the student body.

"They wanted to do something in honor of their class but also something that would be beneficial to the school," Kendall said.

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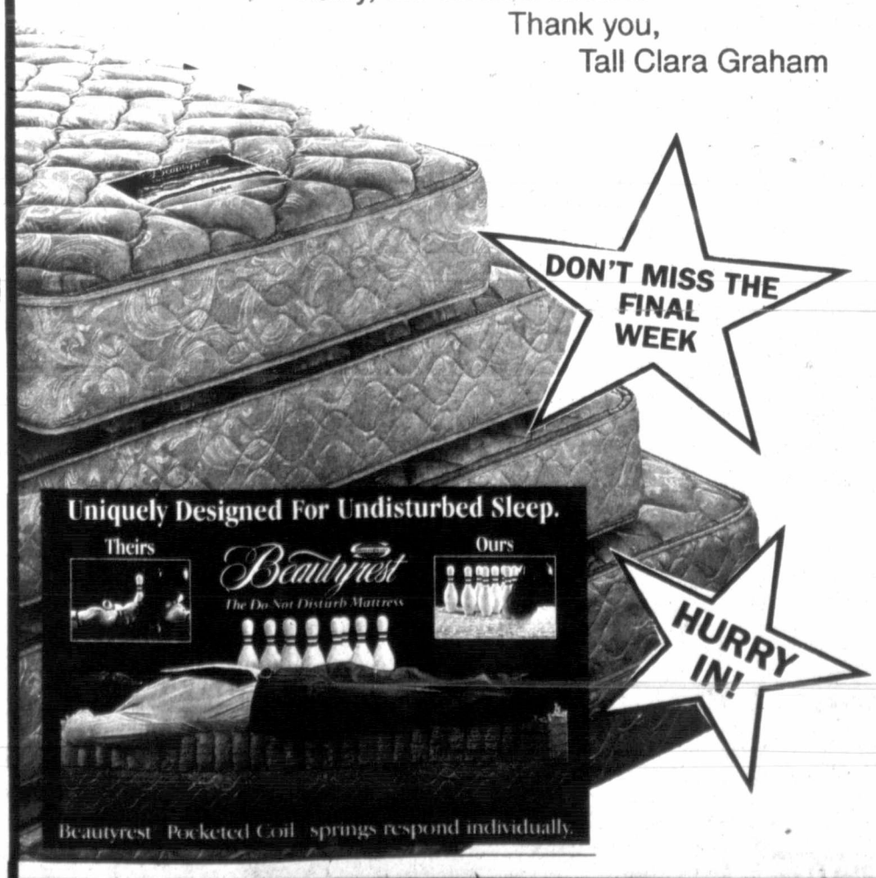
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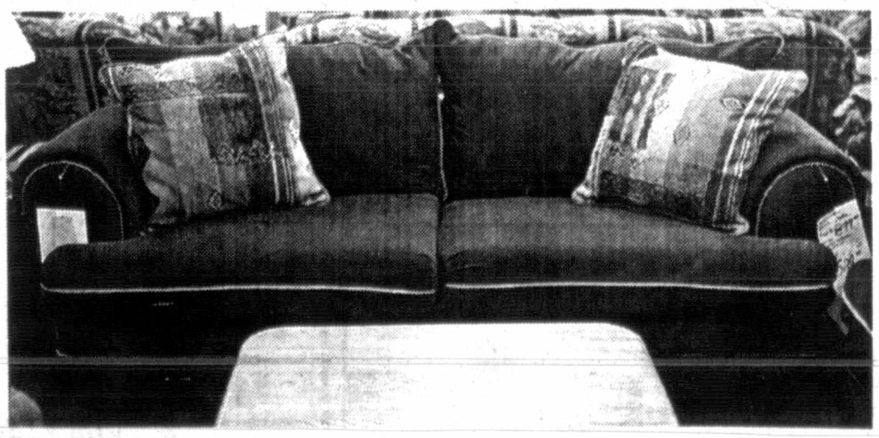
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