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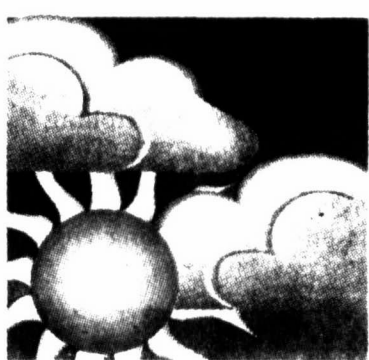
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Low tonight 30s.
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LAKE MEREDITH — The rescheduled Lake Meredith National Recreation Area trail ride will be Saturday, March 27, at 11 a.m. An earlier ride was canceled because of muddy conditions. The route will be along the south bank of the Canadian River from the Bates Canyon boat ramp. To get there, take the Cas Johnson Road off Route 136 six miles southwest of Fritch, and go about one mile beyond the Alibates Ranger Station. The ride is free and lasts about three hours. Bring a current Coggins certificate and plan to pack a snack, bring water and a sack lunch. For more, call 806-857-0311.

AUSTIN (AP) — A painting of a World War II hero Audie Murphy has been returned to the House chamber.

Rep. Jerry Madden, R-Richardson, said he noticed the painting missing at the beginning of the legislative session.

"Audie's an average citizen of Texas that when called upon did extraordinary things for the state and the country," Madden said.

He eventually tracked down the picture at a Medal of Honors exhibit in another part of the Capitol, but said he was mystified again when the exhibit ended but the painting didn't return to the House.

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• **A.E. 'Squee' Thompson Jr., 79**, brother of a Skellytown resident.

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Police spent most time on theft offenses

■ From shop lifting to felonies —
February full of theft cases

The Pampa Police Department spent more time on theft cases in February than any other single offense.

"That includes a number of offenses," said Sgt. Terry Young with the Pampa Police Department. "Everything from shop lifting to felony theft."

He said thefts as a category can be time consuming to report and investigate. Officers reported 31 items of property recovered during the month.

There were more disorderly conduct offenses reported in Pampa during the second month of the calendar year than any other single crime.

There were no homicides, rapes, robberies or arsons for the second month of the year.

"We're thankful for that," said Young. "We don't need any more of those."

According to the Pampa Police Department's monthly crime report, there were 38 thefts, or reports of larceny, and 47 reports of disorderly conduct. Officers spent an average of 22.5 minutes on each theft for a total of more than 14 man hours. They spent an average of 12.4 minutes on disorderly conduct reports for a total of almost 10 man hours.

Young said the time recorded in the monthly report was based on the time an officer was assigned and the time it took to write the report.

February's report showed a drop in theft reports from January. During the first month of the year there were 52 reports of theft or larceny.

There was also a drop in disorderly conduct from 59 to 47 reports. In order of frequency, vandalism ranked third with 32 reports and an average time of 22 minutes per report.

Assault was fourth with 19 reports. Narcotics violations with 18 offenses was fifth. Burglary ranked sixth with 13 reports. Forgery

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Public invited to free meal last Sat. of each month

It's pretty simple.

Come next Saturday anyone who finds themselves on the hungry side is invited to come to the VFW, 105 S. Cuyler, for a free,

homemade soup dinner courtesy of the folks at First Christian Church.

There are no requirements, except maybe a hungry stomach.

Volunteers from the church provide the "Soup Saturday"

program the last Saturday of every month at the VFW.

Arrangements can be made for shut-ins or homebound residents to receive the meal. For more information concerning the March 27 event or for general info, contact Shirley Winborne at 669-3225.



(left) Shirley Winborne, Verna Schroeder and Kathy Chancellor are among the volunteers providing a free soup dinner next weekend.



(left) Jim Hollingwood, Gerald Sanders, Harry Tracy and Reed Kirkpatrick direct Jerry Carlson with the forklift in mounting Sander's sculpture. The public is invited to come to a dedication at 2 p.m. next Sat., March 27 at the Dr. V.E. von Brunow Park, 101 S. Cuyler.

Park chosen as historical marker land site

By DARLENE BIRKES
For The News

A combination of history, art and landscaping will be recognized in the dedication of a Texas Historical Marker, bronze sculpture and park at 2 p.m., Sat., Mar. 27, at the Dr. V.E. von Brunow Park, 101 S. Cuyler.

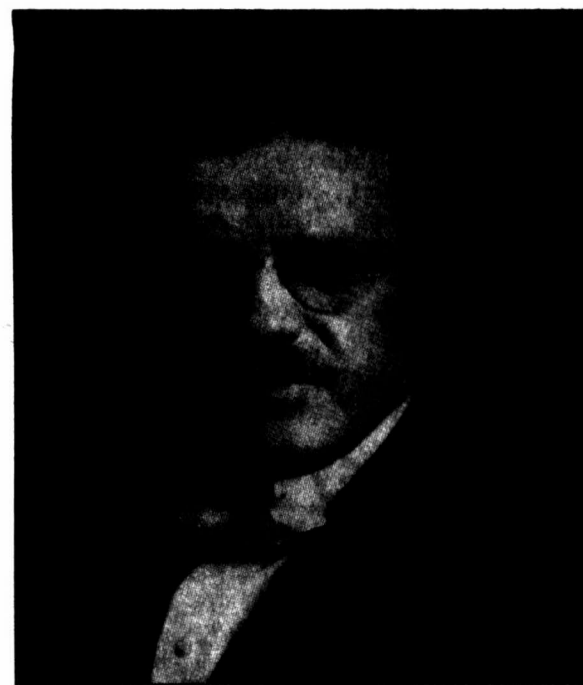
Participants will include Mayor Bob Neslage and County Judge Richard Peet. The public is invited to the event which is being sponsored by Gray County Historical Commission, the Pampa Area Foundation for Outdoor Art and the Pampa Parks and Recreation Board.

The Texas Historical Marker will recognize the site as the location of Pampa's first doctor's office. Dr. von Brunow bought Lots 11 and 12 of Block five of the original town plot of Pampa in 1903 and had a two-story white frame building constructed at the site. The von Brunows lived upstairs. The first floor housed the doctor's office, drug store, telephone office and third location of the Pampa post office (1903-1913). Dr. von Brunow was appointed the fourth postmaster of Pampa on Oct. 23, 1903, according to the National Archives.

Dr. V.E. von Brunow is considered to have been "ahead of his time" in both the practice of medicine as well as technology. Dr. von Brunow was one of only a few in the Texas Panhandle recognized in The Historical Encyclopedia of Texas, printed in 1937 for the state centennial.

The page devoted to him recorded that he served the area for 32 (actually 38) years "with ceaseless effort and intelligent application." He was a general practitioner because he felt he could serve the community better that way than through specializing.

The Encyclopedia further stated that he studied medicine extensively in Europe's leading medical and educational centers for many years, returning to America in 1892 to take a "very important



Dr. V.E. von Brunow

part in medical research and the scientific development of therapeutics."

Dr. von Brunow was born in Charleston, South Carolina Oct. 27, 1862, the son of Count Philip von Brunow and Countess von Brunow. Count von Brunow was prominent in diplomatic circles in the service to Russia for many years. In 1864 Count von Brunow and his family returned to their former home in East Prussia. Son von Brunow studied in Austria and Russia, graduating from the University of Vienna, Austria, and in 1887 from the University of Warsaw, Poland. He followed with medical studies in Berlin, Cologne and Hamburg for five years, then returned in 1892 to the U.S.

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Sunday Snapshot



Name: Alicia Anguiano
Occupation/Activities: Student, fifth grade at Woodrow Wilson.

Birth date and place: July 28, 1988
Family: Dad-Sotero, Mom-Teresa, Brother-Michael, Sister-Michelle.
When I grow up I want to be: Fashion designer.
My personal hero: My Grandpa.
The best advice I ever got was: Never give up!
My classmates think of me as: Funny.
The best word or words to describe me: Caring.
People will remember me as being: A good drawer.
The four guests at my fantasy dinner party would be: Selena, Jesus, Erin Turner, Elena Valdez.
My hobbies are: Drawing.
My favorite sports team is: Chicago Bulls.
My favorite author is: Beverly Cleary.
The last book I read was: "The Grizzly."

My favorite possession is: my stereo.
The biggest honor I've ever received is: Third place in tug of war.
My favorite performer is: Selena.
I wish I knew how to: Draw a rose.
My trademark cliché or expression is: "My bad," and "Don't get an attitude."
My worst habit is: biting my nails.
I would never: Do drugs.
The last good movie I saw was: Prince of Egypt.
I stay home to watch: Rugrats.
Nobody knows: I can't dance.
Someday I want to drive a: A new slug bug with doors that go up.
My favorite junk food is: Pizza.
My favorite beverage is: Root Beer.
My favorite restaurant is: The Olive Garden.
My favorite pet: Prissa, my dog.
For my last meal, I would choose:

Shrimp.
I wish I could sing like: Selena.
I'm happiest when I'm: With my friends.
I regret: Having high blood pressure.
I'm tired of: Violence.
My biggest fear is: Tornadoes.
The electrical device I couldn't live without is: CD Player.
My most embarrassing moment: When I fell down in the dirt-my mouth was full.
The biggest waste of time is: Cleaning the house.
If I won the lottery, the most extravagant thing I would do is: Go shopping.
If I had three wishes they would be: Go to heaven, live in a mansion, and to be a fashion designer.
If I could change one thing about Pampa, it would be: To have a mall.

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Daily Record

Services today

COOPER, Jesse Theodore "Ted" Sr. — Graveside services, 2 p.m., Colusa Cemetery, Colusa, Calif.

GRAHAM, Harvey Hugh — 10 a.m., First Baptist Church, Lefors.

THOMPSON, A.E. "Squee" Jr. — 2 p.m., N.S. Griggs & Sons Funeral Directors Pioneer Chapel, Amarillo.

Obituaries

HARVEY HUGH GRAHAM

LEFORS — Harvey Hugh Graham, 78, died Thursday, March 18, 1999. Services will be at 10 a.m. Monday in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Lewis Ellis officiating. Burial will be in Memorial Heights Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Graham was born March 17, 1921, at Rush, Ark. He married Emma Timmons in August of 1941 at Oklahoma City, Okla. He had lived at Lefors and Gordonville most of his life. He had made Lefors his permanent home since 1993. He was a retired pipe fitter and welder.

He was a U.S. Navy veteran, serving during World War II, and belonged to First Baptist Church of Lefors.

Survivors include his wife, Emma, of the home; two daughters, Donna Roberson of Lefors and Beverly Chace of Pampa; a sister, Dorothy Hefley of Mountain Homes, Ark.; four grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Crown of Texas Hospice, 1000 S. Jefferson, Amarillo, TX 79101.

A.E. "SQUEE" THOMPSON JR.

AMARILLO — A.E. "Squee" Thompson Jr., 79, brother of a Skellytown resident, died Friday, March 19, 1999. Services will be at 2 p.m. Monday in N.S. Griggs & Sons Funeral Directors Pioneer Chapel with the Rev. Raymond Bowlin, pastor of Bushland Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Llano Cemetery.

Mr. Thompson was born at Amarillo and had been a lifelong Amarillo resident, graduating from Amarillo High School in 1939. He married Maudie Shea in 1940 at Amarillo; she died in 1995. He owned-operated B&T Auto Supply in Canyon for over 20 years prior to retiring from Motor Parts in Amarillo in 1995.

He belonged to First Baptist Church and to Palo Duro Creek Golf Club. He was a U.S. Army veteran, serving during World War II. He fought at Normandy, at the Battle of the Bulge and at the battle at Rhineland, receiving three Purple Hearts and three Bronze Stars.

Survivors include two daughters, Judy Everitt of Amarillo and Mary Hicks of Atascadero, Calif.; two sisters, Margaret Ferguson of Amarillo and Mary Chambers of Skellytown; four grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

The family will be at 4432 S. Fannin and requests memorials be to Crown of Texas Hospice.

Emergency numbers

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SPS.....	1-800-750-2520
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Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

Today, partly sunny with a high in the mid-60s and a S-SE wind between 10 and 15 mph. Tomorrow, partly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms and a high in the 60s and a low in the 30s.

REGIONAL FORECAST

WEST TEXAS — Panhandle — Sunday, partly sunny with a high in the lower 60s.

Southwest to south wind 10-20 mph. 3 to 5 day forecast, Monday, mostly cloudy with a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms. Low in the middle 30s. High around 60.

Extreme Southern — Panhandle/Low Rolling Plains — Sunday, mostly sunny. High 65-70. Sunday night, partly cloudy. Low upper 30s to mid 40s. Extended forecast, Monday and Tuesday, partly cloudy.

Highs in the 60s. Lows upper 30s to mid 40s. Wednesday, partly cloudy and warmer. High in the 70s. Lows in the 40s.

Pecos Basin/Upper Trans — Sunday, mostly sunny. High in the low to mid 70s. Sunday night, partly cloudy. Low in the 40s. Extended forecast, Monday and Tuesday, partly cloudy. Highs upper 60s to mid 70s. Lows in the 40s.

Concho Valley/Edwards Plateau — Sunday, sunny and warmer. High in the middle 70s. Sunday night, partly cloudy.

Low in the mid to upper 40s. Extended forecast, Monday, partly cloudy. High 65-70. Far West Texas — Sunday, mostly sunny. High in the upper 70s.

Sunday night, fair. Low in the 40s. **Guadalupe Mountains/Big Bend Area** — Sunday, mostly sunny. Highs from the upper 60s. Extended forecast, Monday, mostly cloudy. Highs mid 60s.

mountains to around 80 along the Rio Grande. Lows 30s and 40s.

NORTH TEXAS — Sunday...Mostly sunny. Highs from the upper 60s to the lower 70s. Extended forecast, Sunday night...Fair skies. Lows in the 40s. Monday...Increasing cloudiness. A slight chance of showers or thunderstorms Monday night...Mainly extreme north.

Lows in the 40s. Highs in the 70s.

SOUTH TEXAS — Hill Country and South Central Texas — Sunday, mostly sunny. High in the 70s. Sunday night, becoming mostly cloudy. Low in the 40s. Extended forecast, Monday and Tuesday, partly cloudy. Highs upper 60s to mid 70s. Lows in the 40s.

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Police report

The Pampa Police Department reported the following calls and arrests for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. on Saturday, March 20.

Friday, March 19

Spencer Boyd, 46, 445 S. Graham, was arrested on charges including no valid drivers license and no seatbelt.

Mark Glen Haynes, 30, 628 Roberta, was arrested on charges involving two domestic assaults and resisting with a deadly weapon.

Kevin Brad Burton, 18, 1032 E. Francis, was arrested on charges of public intoxication and minor in possession by consumption.

Fires

The Pampa Fire Department reported the following calls for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. on Sat., March 20.

Friday, March 19

4:41 p.m. — Three units and six personnel responded to a one car rollover 10 miles north on Highway 70. Three injuries reported.

9:15 p.m. — Three units and five personnel responded to a structure fire six miles west on Highway 152. Minor damage was reported.

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.

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.

SOUTHSIDE SENIOR CITIZENS

Ham, carrots & spinach, bread & dessert. **PANHANDLE ALLIANCE FOR THE MENTALLY ILL**

A support group for the mentally ill and family members meet the second Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. at 218 N. Russell. There is no charge. For more information or if you need a ride call Sharon King, 665-2818.

"THE PROMISE"

"The Promise" will be held Saturday, Mar. 27 and Sunday, Mar. 28, 7 p.m. each night at the First Baptist Church Auditorium, 203 N. West. It is presented by First Baptist Church Music Ministry. For ticket information call 669-1155.

AMARILLO INVENTORS ASSOCIATION

Amarillo Inventors Association will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 23 in Room B of the Amarillo Public Library, 4th and Buchanan. Larry Predy of Canyon will present his prototype model of the Power Range Internal Detonation Engine. Visitors are welcome.

BORDER STATES

NEW MEXICO

Sunday, few rain or snow showers north central and northwest. Fair to partly cloudy elsewhere. Breezy in the afternoon. Highs 40s and 50s. Mountains and northeast with 60s to mid 70s elsewhere.

Sunday night, partly cloudy northeast and generally fair west and south. Lows 20s to mid 30s. Mountains and north, mid 30s to mid 40s. Lower elevations south.

OKLAHOMA — Sunday, mostly sunny. Highs mid 50s to mid 60s. Sunday night, increasing cloudiness. Lows mid 30s to lower 40s. Extended forecast, Monday, partly to mostly cloudy. A chance of showers north. Highs mid 50s to lower 60s.

THEFTS

— as seventh with 10 offenses.

There were six reports of driving under the influence. There were nine aggravated assaults.

There were two reported motor vehicle thefts and two liquor law violations reported in February. There was one weapon violation and one sex offense reported, according to police officials.

Officers said 478 crimes were reported in Pampa during February, accounting for almost 90 hours. Of these, 56 crimes are considered index crimes, that is, crimes reported to the FBI for their national statistical analysis. The police department spent almost 21 hours on these crimes which include arson, homicide, rape and robbery, of which there were none. Other index crimes are aggravated assault, burglary, larceny or theft and motor vehicle theft.

By contrast, there were 756

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calls concerning non-criminal activity which accounted for more than 190 hours of police activity.

There were 170 assistance calls, 133 back up calls, 73 follow ups, 66 unfounded alarm responses and 46 civil standby or informational reports.

Officers said there were 39 warrants served, 36 suspicious person reports, 33 domestic disturbance calls, 27 reports of prowlers and 22 reports of suspicious vehicles.

There were 18 reports of 911 hang up calls and 18 traffic complaints.

The police department provided 17 escorts.

Authorities said there were 15 reports of broken windows or open doors.

Officers assisted other law enforcement agencies 13 times. There were eight instances of city ordinance violations, and six responses to other disturbances. There were five reports concern-

ing animals, including bites and being loose on roadways.

There were four reported run-aways, officers said, the three missing person reports. Officers made two ambulance calls in February.

They said there was one report of an abandoned motor vehicle and one unattended death.

In February, Pampa police officers arrested two people on felony charges and 33 on misdemeanor charges. There were three traffic arrests, four vehicles impounded, and 19 juveniles detained.

Authorities said there were 201 reports written and one court appearance by a Pampa officer. The department handled 38 prisoners during the month.

Records show that officers drove 12,739 miles patrolling the streets of Pampa and 676 miles on administrative duties.

There were eight D.A.R.E. contacts and one speaking engagement.

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PARK

He first practiced in New Orleans, then St. Louis and Chicago. He went to the Indian Territory for a short period, then moved to Gainesville to practice in 1900, and three years later came to Pampa to be the town's first resident doctor.

Dr. von Brunow had varied interests. He was a ham operator, acquired a large collection of records he played on his victrola, was an avid photographer and bought the first car in Pampa.

He tore over the rough wagon paths in a red, one-cylinder Velie that had a steering bar instead of a steering wheel. He became so tired of fighting wagon ruts that at one time he borrowed a road grader and graded some of the country roads.

Many pioneer children were delivered by the doctor, who traveled many miles over the rough roads in Gray and neighboring counties. Laketon school teacher Florence Jones once reported that when she arrived one morning she found a fire in the stove. Dr. von Brunow had delivered a baby in the area and stopped to build a fire to warm himself.

With the oil boom in the mid-twenties, Dr. von Brunow moved his frame home at 825 West Kingsmill and had a red brick building constructed at 101 S. Cuyler. The von Brunows had a

large apartment in the building and a beautiful rooftop garden where they walked their dogs.

Dr. von Brunow liked hunting and fishing, but his real interest was in research and technology. He was also a philanthropist, but only his closest friends knew of his many gifts.

He organized the Republican Party in Gray County and was its only chairman until the time of his death. He was a member of the Elks Club, the Pampa Kiwanis Club and a big supporter of the Red Cross, but was turned down by the military because of his short height.

He had a keen interest in current events and subscribed to numerous magazines and newspapers. He was reported to have had a remarkable memory and to have been one of the best informed men in the Panhandle. He had a distinct foreign accent, distinct style and dress.

Mar. 22, 1920, the doctor married Lemuel (Lemmie) Ganell Smithers, a nurse he met in St. Anthony's Hospital while he was recuperating from an automobile accident. After she had graduated with highest honors in her nursing class at St. Anthony's, she was sent to Camp Travis near Austin as a Red Cross nurse during WWI. She was scheduled to go overseas when WWI ended Nov. 11, 1918. While in New York she caught a cold that developed into pneumonia and contributed to her ill health in later years.

Lemmie assisted the doctor in his calls. In 1924 she was elected commander of Kerley-Crossman Post 334, American Legion, the first and only woman to be elected. She became seriously ill in 1936 and died Aug. 5. She is buried in Fairview Cemetery, and Dr. von Brunow was buried beside her on May 7, 1941 after a week's illness. He died of "Cardio Renal Disease (Uremia) contributed by Prostatic hypertrophy," as filed by Dr. M.C. Overton in the County Clerk records.

He was survived by his wife, Lonna, whom he married Feb. 25, 1937, and his adopted daughter, Mrs. Bob (Vera Lee) Andis, whom he delivered. He was also survived by four children of his former marriage.

The red brick Brunow building housed the L.T. Hill store, later in Levines Department Store, and then several small businesses. An electrical short was blamed for the fire that destroyed the building in 1981, causing an estimated loss of nearly \$1 million.

November, 1996, B and N Farms, Inc., owned by the grandson of Vera Lee von Brunow Andis, sold the lots to the city of Pampa for \$10,000 with the stipulation the site would be used as a public park to be known as "the Dr. V.E. von Brunow Park."

(The continuation of this story will be printed in the Monday edition of the News.)

Pampa students put their minds to the test in regional competition

By MIRANDA G. BAILEY
Managing Editor

Students across the city were given the opportunity to display their mental strength at the regional Odyssey of the Mind competition in Lubbock earlier this month where one middle school team qualified to go to the state competition.

Some preparing for as long as six months, Pampa students were asked to come up with original ways of answering mental "problems" by constructing vehicles or performing plays to fulfill the problems' requirements the most creatively.

The middle school team placing first at regionals was asked to build a vehicle which could "get over a mountain but not touch it," one student

described.

A Lamar Elementary team took second overall in the "ratio metric structure" competition where students were asked to solve a problem within the confines of writing and performing a play — not to mention the set and costumes.

Other teams from Lamar Elementary, Austin Elementary and the middle school also competed against their peers in the mind-boggling competitions which took just as much determination, practice and talent as other sports offered school.

Each team was sponsored by parent coaches in addition to the district's gifted and talented teachers, Kay Harvey and Dana Ketchersid.

(Photographs of each of the seven teams will be run in upcoming issues of The Pampa News.)

City briefs

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CLOTHING ROOM - Mary Ellen & Harvester Church of Christ (building across the street, south of Pampa High School) Open Tue. March 23rd, 9-5 p.m. or call 665-2373, lv. msg. for appointment. Adv.

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One of seven award winning Pampa teams that participated in the regional Odyssey of the Mind competition in Lubbock, the following students are from Pampa Middle School: Zach Windhorst, Tiffani Neef, Leslie McWilliams, Vanessa Orr, Briana Russell, Julie Thompson, Mike Eskridge and Julian George. The parent coach was Colleen Eskridge.

Top O' Texas Rodeo Association to host Sixth Annual Arts and Crafts Show

A weekend of family fun will come alive on Saturday and Sunday, May 1 and 2 when the Top O' Texas Rodeo Association hosts its Sixth Annual Arts and Crafts Show, Third Annual Bar-b-que cook-off and Amateur Team Penning at the National Guard Armory and Top O' Texas Rodeo Arena in Pampa.

An arts and crafts show will be held from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday at the National Guard Armory. Indoor and outdoor booth space may be rented on a first come, first serve basis by contacting the rodeo office. Indoor pavilion space is \$25 and limited. Outdoor space is \$15 per space.

No food for drink vendors are allowed. No livestock will be permitted and vendors are required to furnish their own equipment and tables. Vendors may begin booth set-up after 4 p.m. on Friday.

The Third Annual Bar-b-que

Cook-off will be held on Saturday, May 1 north of the rodeo arena. The entry fee is \$25 per team and meat can be beef brisket, pork spare ribs or whole chicken. Trophies will be awarded to the top three places in each event. Cooks must furnish their own equipment and all meat must be cooked on the following premises. Sample plates will be sold to the public following the judging with the proceeds going to a local charity. The cook-off is being sponsored by McDonalds Restaurants of Pampa and Perryton, Holmes Gift Shop and Sports Center, and Perryton Printing.

The Third Annual Amateur Team Penning will begin at 1 p.m. on May 1 at the Top O' Texas Rodeo Arena. Books will open at 9 a.m. on Saturday, May 1 and close at the start of each class. Classes and their entry fees are as follows: Amateur-Novice - \$60 per team, Mixed - \$60 per team, and Youth - \$21 per team. Each rider is limited

to three rides. Sponsors of the team penning are North County Coors and the Top O' Texas Rodeo Association.

Registration information for booths and cooks can be

obtained at the rodeo office at 200 N. Ballard or by contacting Jane Jacobs at (806) 669-0434. (Please leave a message if no one answers.) Activity fees should accompany the completed registration form to the Top O' Texas Rodeo Association, P.O. Box 659, Pampa, TX 79066-0659.

In addition to the above events, a USSSA Mens Class E Softball Tournament will be held on Saturday, May 1 at Recreation

Park. This is a state and national tournament qualifier and berths will be awarded. The entry fee is \$125 per team and the deadline for entries is April 28. For additional information, contact Shane Stoles at (806) 669-5770 or (806) 665-6846.

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Opinion

Fence play area for safety's sake

Last week a tragic death occurred when 18-month-old Ethan Wayne Anderson died a day after falling into a rain-swollen creek bed near the Super Playground.

The parents of the youngster are placing some of the blame on the city because they believe the creek should have been fenced to prevent children at the playground from getting near it.

Many of Pampa's parks are in creek bed areas that run throughout the city providing an area not suitable for building but one that needs to be "kept up" — hence the transformation into public parks and green space.

Maybe a better idea than trying to fence such an expanse of land as to keep access from the creek areas limited, is to build a fence around the Super Playground itself. Besides, deciding just where to put fences along the creeks would be difficult because water levels rise and fall depending upon the amount of runoff.

One parent who called *The Pampa News* this week expressed interest in helping to organize a fund-raiser to pay for such a playground fence. She's praying about the matter and may go to the city council with her idea.

She has 3-year-old twins and a 5-year-old. Their first trip to the wonderful Super Playground turned out to be the only trip.

"It's so big and has so many parts," she said. "I couldn't watch them properly. It made me too nervous. We haven't been back because of that. At least if there was a fence around it, there would only be one way in and out."

She has a point. A good point.

Let's get that playground fence built now.

No one wants the tragedy of what happened to little Ethan to happen to another of Pampa's children.

From our files ...

40 years ago

Thursday, Mar. 19, 1959

SHAMROCK — A wind-whipped prairie fire caused by a careless camper burned 2,000 acres of ranch land Wednesday in a four-mile strip.

Friday, Mar. 20, 1959

Debra Dyer, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B.B. Dyer, suffered broken nose and mouth injuries Thursday when her bicycle was struck by a car.

Sunday, Mar. 22, 1959

Three men — two from Pampa — suffered serious injuries Friday afternoon when two late model cars crashed head-on in a furious snow storm nine miles southeast of Pampa on the Lefors highway.

25 years ago

Tuesday, Mar. 19, 1974

A number of local doctors and hospital employees had an opportunity to gain advance preparation and experience in dealing with disasters during an emergency drill which occurred Monday evening.

Thursday, Mar. 21, 1974

The Optimist Club of Pampa will celebrate its 20th birthday Saturday, Mar. 23, at 7 p.m. at the Optimist Club building. A buffet will be served immediately after the program.

10 years ago

Sunday, Mar. 19, 1989

Several Lady Harvesters recorded personal bests as Pampa rolled up a whopping 206 points to win the Levelland Track and Field Invitational Friday.

Wednesday, Mar. 22, 1989

U.S. Senator Phil Gramm was in Pampa at the Hoechst Celanese Chemical Co. plant this morning to address the official re-firing of the faculty, crediting the decision to rebuild as a tribute to the local community.

Wednesday, Mar. 22, 1989

Our enthusiastic Pampa Independent School District Board of Trustees unanimously voted to finance a \$110,000 project that they feel will take the district into the first stages of the computer age.

In soap opera land ...

Never say never. Or something like that.

I guess I thought I'd never watch soap operas again. Not that I have anything against them, I just don't watch them ... er, didn't may be the operative word here.

Usually I go home to lunch after we finish getting the paper out. Sometimes I run by Heard-Jones and pick up a copy of the *Dallas Morning News* and take it somewhere to lunch or eat at one of the booths there.

But lately I find myself going home more. Somehow I have gotten hooked on *One Life to Live*. It was one of those I watched eons ago because I remember Vicki and Asa and Bo. Clint, too, but they only talk about him. He's in London or somewhere.

And, I certainly am disappointed they didn't come out too hot in the recent soap opera awards.



Kate B. Dickson

Associate publisher/editor

Thinking back, I believe I quit watching soap operas not too long after Luke and Laura got married. I didn't quit for any particular reason, I just stopped watching them.

Until now, that is.

And I've learned that if I miss an episode — I am not into taping them, yet — I can go to the *One Life to Live* web site and check out the

daily happenings, what's up for tomorrow and more. The site even has a year-by-year breakdown of happenings going back 30 years.

Originally, I started watching soaps during high school ... in the summer. I especially remember my *Dark Shadows* summer. It was the summer I got my '67 Mustang and a time when several of us gathered to watch Barnabas do his vampire thing.

I digress. That Mustang, by the way, is still in the family. My nephew John, who lives in Jena, La., has it. Many years ago my mother, Sugah, decreed the car could never leave the family. And, of course, we always do what she says!

Back on track.

But, General Hospital was the biggie. Luke and Laura, you know. That was a huge deal. Wonder what ever happened to them?

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Sunday, March 21, the 80th day of 1999. There are 285 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On March 21, 1965, more than 3,000 civil rights demonstrators led by the Rev. Martin Luther King Jr. began their march from Selma to Montgomery, Ala.

On this date:

In 1685, composer Johann Sebastian Bach was born in Eisenach, Germany.

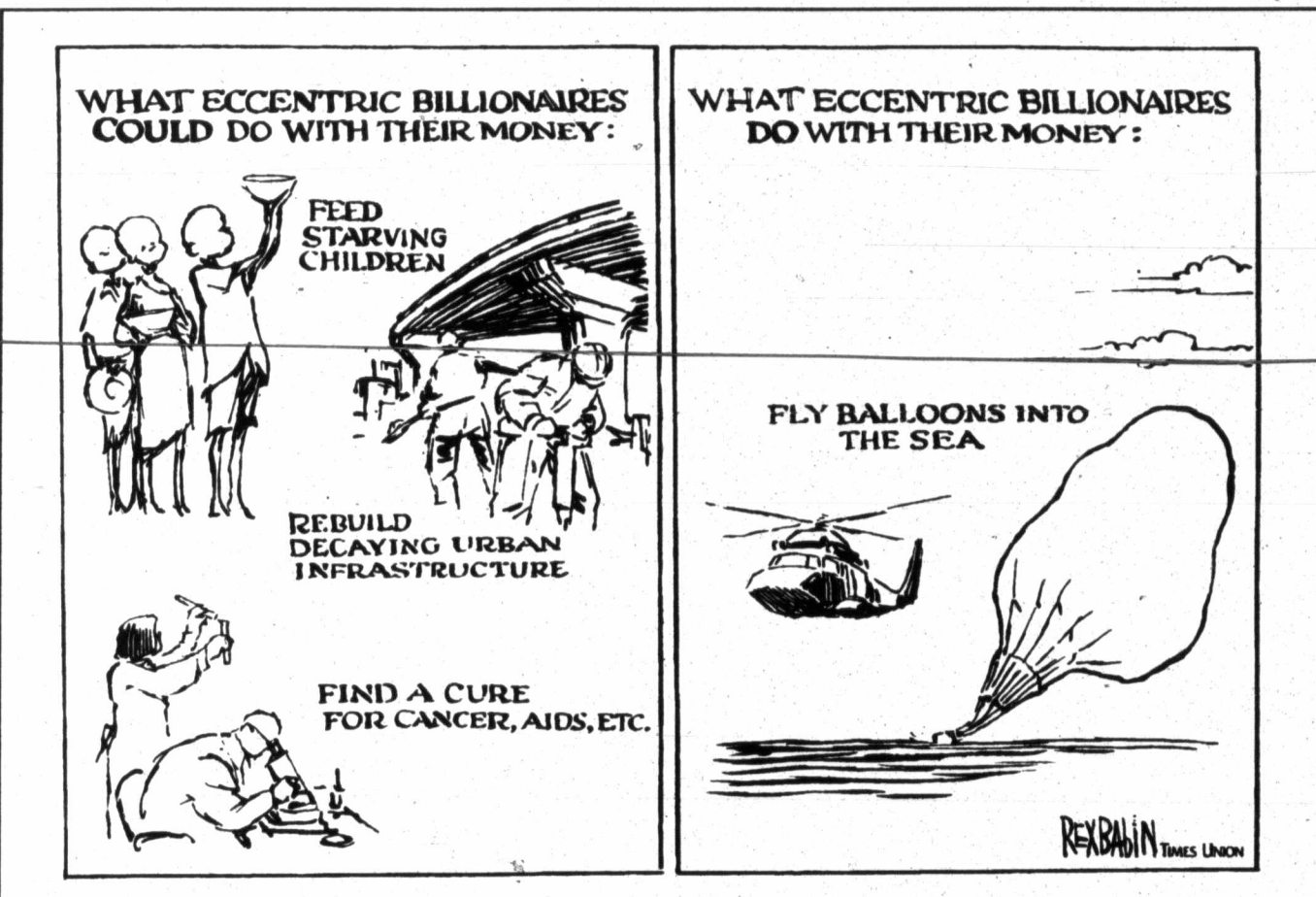
In 1790, Thomas Jefferson reported to President Washington in New York as the new secretary of state.

In 1806, Mexican statesman Benito Juarez, Mexico's first president of Indian ancestry, was born in Oaxaca.

In 1945, Allied bombers began four days of raids over Germany.

In 1946, the United Nations set up temporary headquarters at Hunter College in New York.

In 1960, some 70 people were



Playing the China Card

The headlines are about China stealing U.S. nuclear missile secrets.

Beijing denies the charges, and Washington scrambles for explanations.

Behind the headlines are these facts: A fierce fight is brewing over America's dealings with China, business and otherwise. At the core of it is a new Chinese attitude toward the United States that is harder, tougher than anything seen since Mao's time.

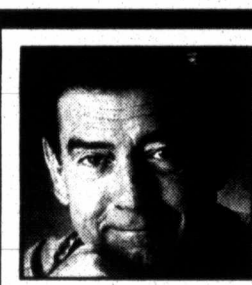
China's communist leadership is determined to make of the country first an economic, then a military superpower. To accomplish these twin goals, the Chinese have a strategic vision built for the long haul.

They sense that the United States has no such vision. They also sense weakness. They have been sensing it ever since President Richard Nixon and Secretary of State Henry Kissinger began courting Mao Tse-tung in the early 1970s.

Remember that Kissinger, in his first secret meeting with Chou Enlai, conceded that the United States would no longer support an independent Taiwan. This was a monumental concession, and the Chinese knew it.

Ever since, the Chinese have masterfully manipulated American leaders in a long series of secret concessions which, to their minds, amount to a confirmation of weakness.

Noted China scholar James Mann has a new book out about this: "About Face: A History of America's Curious Relationship With China, from Nixon to Clinton" (Knopf). It's worth reading, especially in light of the budding bat-



Dan Rather

Syndicated columnist

tle in Washington over relations with China in the 21st century.

While some may dispute some of his analysis, it's hard to argue with Mann's assertion that, time after time, the United States has given in to Chinese demands. Successive American presidents, Republicans and Democrats alike, worked to emulate the Nixon-Kissinger "breakthrough" with China.

Ultimately, the tendency of America's foreign policy has been to make China, not Japan, the primary focus of relations with Asia.

Nixon and Kissinger's justification was that the "China Card" would give the United States a strategic advantage in dealing with the Soviets during the Cold War.

That, as Mann writes, hardly proved to be the case; and besides, if the Cold War isn't actually over (the alleged Chinese espionage raises new suspicions), it certainly isn't being played by the same rules as in 1972.

More recently, American business interests have become attracted to the vast potential consumer markets in China, as well as the

country's possibilities in manufacturing and production.

"Big Business" believes that a China tilt in American foreign policy will yield tremendous economic advantages. They have used their influence to spread that belief in Washington's most powerful circles until it dominates American diplomacy — but many analysts say the economic advantages have yet to appear and aren't even visible on the farthest horizon.

All the while, China's communist leadership maneuvers and manipulates to its maximum advantage.

When it is to its advantage, the Chinese communist dictatorship loosens controls on business while strengthening the hold on the political system. Compared with the reign of Chairman Mao, China now enjoys greater economic freedoms and even a few personal freedoms (no more Mao uniforms for rank-and-file citizens, for example). But fundamental human rights of political expression and self-determination are still denied the Chinese people.

At base, China is still ruled by Maoist-Marxist-Leninists — by men, not by laws. It has retaken Hong Kong and now openly threatens the United States if it isn't allowed to retake Taiwan.

All of this raises new and serious questions with dangerous long-range implications for the defense of the United States.

Perhaps, in the end, present U.S. policy is best for our long-term interests. But debate is brewing over whether that is true or not. Not a moment too soon.

Hollywood not in Kazan's league

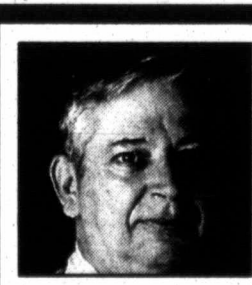
Americans are once again being propagandized by the myth of the "Hollywood Ten" as the motion picture industry belatedly prepares to give a special Oscar to one of the all-time greatest film directors, Elia Kazan. Many of Hollywood's more immature leftists are in a tizzy about it.

Kazan, who had flirted with communism in his youth, testified against fellow communists in the 1950s and thus became persona non grata when the leftists reemerged in the 1960s.

Over and over, 10 Hollywood characters who were blacklisted in the 1950s have been depicted in movies, TV specials and books as if they had been merely libertarians with a different opinion.

They were all willing puppets of Moscow, according to a new book, "Hollywood Party: How Communism Seduced the American Film Industry in the 1930s and 1940s," by Kenneth Lloyd Billingsley, director of the Pacific Research Institute in San Francisco.

They were, said Billingsley, Stalinists who supported the Soviet Union on Stalin's murderous purges, on his infamous pact with the Nazis, and on his postwar aggression. Furthermore, communists in Hollywood were trying to take over the unions and attempted their own blacklisting against actors or writers who wouldn't toe the party line. They were trying to inject Soviet propaganda into American films.



Charley Reese

Syndicated columnist

There was a terrific battle that took place, separate and apart from anything the U.S. Congress did, to root the Reds out of the unions. The leaders of this battle were people like John Wayne, Ronald Reagan, Charlton Heston, Olivia de Havilland, Robert Taylor, Adolphe Menjou and Walt Disney. A few years ago, one of the studios renamed a building that bore Taylor's name because, in the new left-wing Hollywood, Taylor — who was a fine actor and patriot — is politically incorrect.

Reagan, during his fight with the Hollywood communists, received so many threats of death and violence that he resorted to carrying a gun. It was then that Reagan came to know and to despise communism.

Kazan, who has remained unapologetic, is one of the finest directors ever to set foot on a sound stage. His films include "East of Eden," "Gentlemen's Agreement," "A Face in the Crowd," "Viva Zapata!" "A Streetcar

Named Desire," "On the Waterfront" and "America America."

If you want to see how well Andy Griffith of Mayberry fame can play a mean and scary villain, rent "A Face in the Crowd." "America America," which tells the story of a Greek boy's horrendous effort to immigrate to America at the turn of the century, ought to be shown on national television every fourth of July.

As for "On the Waterfront," it is as close to a perfect film as I've ever seen. I watched this movie 10 or 12 times, and it is seamless in its perfection. Marlon Brando plays a not-too-bright stevedore and ex-fighter whose love for a girl causes him to turn against a corrupt waterfront union. If you've ever wondered why a now-fat old man is considered such a great actor, get the tape. Brando deserves every compliment ever paid his acting ability.

The way Americans are continuously being propagandized these days makes you wonder which side won the Cold War. It's often been said that the last outpost of Marxism is the American universities, and certainly Hollywood has taken a sharp turn to the left in recent years. It's not a good career move to be known as a conservative, let alone a Christian, in the plastic surgeons' paradise of Bill Clinton camp followers.

But don't believe the hogwash about Kazan. Few in today's Hollywood are worthy of even shining the old man's shoes.

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Devil's Rope Museum



(Special photo)
Residents of the McLean Care Center Jessie Watson, Esie Knowles, Boots Phillips, Phillis Bailey, Thelma Finson, Dobbie Simmons, Eula Morrow, Bessie McClemore, Betty Lowe, enjoy an afternoon at the Devil's Rope Museum recently where they visited the Quilt Show Exhibit. The free exhibit will be on display throughout March. There are over 75 entries at the museum that have come from Pampa, McLean, Alanreed, Lefors and surrounding areas. Viewers will vote on their favorite quilt/item, and cash prizes will be given for first and second place.

Extension Service hosting community forum

What are the issues and concerns that need to be addressed in Gray County to help the citizens and our total county in the years ahead? What can be done to assure a better quality of life and prosperity in the 21st Century as we plan for the future?

Anyone interested in a better future for themselves, their family and their community is encouraged to participate in the Texas Community Futures Forum at 7 p.m. March 25 in the Heritage Room of M.K. Brown Auditorium, said Joan Gray, County Extension agent. The forum is being conducted in every county as a statewide effort of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service of the Texas A&M University System to bring together a diverse group of individuals, groups and organizations to identify issues and concerns. Once needs are identified, focus teams will be organized to develop specific plans of action.

"We want to get broad-based input into this process so that a plan can be developed for the future of each county and Texas as a whole," said Dr. Chester P. Fehlis of College Station, Extension Service deputy director. "We especially want other local, state and federal agen-

cies and organizations to participate. Many of the needs and concerns of people can best be addressed through partnerships with other groups and organizations.

The Futures Forum process will help the Extension Service develop its long range plan for the next four years — 2000-2003, Fehlis said. However, he emphasized the true goal is to facilitate the identification of common issues and define a process whereby these issues can be solved to create a better economic, environmental and social situation in communities across the state. He noted participating agencies, groups and organizations can better focus on issues and programs related to their missions and interests and the needs of the local people. "We view this as a partnership effort with all of us working together for the future of Texas," Fehlis said.

So, if you want to have a voice in the future of Gray Co. be sure to attend the Futures Forum on March 25, said Danny Nusser.

To reserve a seat, call the Extension office at 669-8033 before March 23.

The Kevin Spencer Family



(Special photo)
Jerry Smith will present the Kevin Spencer Family and Bobby Treece in concert at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 25 at Borger High School Auditorium at Borger. The Kevin Spencer Family organized in June of 1992. The gospel group has been awarded "The Singing News" Horizon Group of the Year and the Gospel Voice "Sunrise Group of the Year," the two highest honors for a new group to receive. They currently sing 230 concerts per year in 20 different states and can be seen on various Christian TV stations including Gospel Music Television. In addition, they have their own television show titled, "The Kevin Spencer Family Hour." Admission to the concert is free of charge.

Composer, worship leader to speak in Borger

BORGER — Eddie Espinosa, renowned worship leader and composer of "Change My Heart, O God," will teach at Trinity Vineyard in Borger at 503 North Main on April 9-10. Most notably, Eddie has worked extensively with "Promise Keepers" as both a speaker and worship leader. Eddie has led worship in various settings for the last 30 years. Eddie has a passion for the presence of God, and his heart's desire is to see Psalm 67 come to pass: "May the people praise you, Oh God. May all the people praise you."

Eddie and Elsie both served as pastors at the Anaheim Vineyard for 12 years. During that time

they planted La Vina. They both currently divide their time teaching on the topic of worship throughout the body of Christ.

Nigel and Lynne Morris, originally from London, will also be teaching. They were the staff at the Anaheim Vineyard where Nigel is an associate pastor of compassion and Lynne is secretary to the senior pastor. The couple worked extensively with the poor in London. They have served as a mentor for the Trinity Vineyard Compassion Ministry which has given away a littover 140,000 pounds since last June.

The conference, entitled, "Worship and Compassion," will begin at 7 p.m. Friday. Saturday's

sessions will go all day, with a general session in the morning and a selection of workshop topics in the afternoon. The conference will conclude Saturday night after the last general session. Seating is limited, so early registration is recommended.

Registration forms can be obtained at the Living Word, Betty's Christian Books, or the medical office of Dr. Steve Elston in Borger; at Tarpley's Music Store in Pampa; and at High Plains Christian Bookstore and The Family Bookstore in Amarillo.

Registration also is offered over the Internet at: <http://www.trinityvineyard.com>



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Letters to the editor

Rather is too at home in the east ...

To the editor,
Dan Rather trashed Texas by his March 3 column, and The Pampa News aided and abetted by publishing this feature. I ask the editor to read his article again.

Rather had no constructive criticism regarding Gov. George W. Bush's accomplishments, so he tried to ridicule our governor for announcing his presidential candidacy from "Cowbottom Texas." This little "joke" on Texas no doubt played well to government employees inside the beltway.

Rather is guilty of messing with Texas.

Dan Rather may be at home in the east; however, he has no rapport with the people of Texas. He does not know our people or speak our language. The Pampa News is wasting money paying for this feature.

I do not recommend that The Pampa News censor Rather's columns; I recommend that The Pampa News cancel this feature in the name of good taste.

Wm. J. Ragsdale
Pampa

Ex-Texan doing report on state

To the editor,
My name is Kaili Emmerson and my class is learning about the 50 states. I chose Texas because I lived there for three years, and I think it is beautiful. I live in Oregon now, but I think Texas is the best! Please send information to: Kaili Emmerson, Mills School, 520 East Main Street, Klamath Falls, OR 97601.

Kaili Emmerson
Klamath Falls, Ore.

Rabbit had a guardian angel, maybe

To the editor,
As everyone knows, all Easter rabbits are not white with pink ears, and since it's almost Easter again — let me tell you a true story about a local bunny that lived years ago — 64 to be exact. The same year of the big duster that every old-timer still talks about.

Now this long eared fellow was not your ordinary Easter type bunny by any means. His home was about eight feet straight above the garden produce department of Albertsons grocery store. You remember when the slop was cut away eight to 10 feet to make the floor level where the store now stands. The only building in the whole area then was the little house where the Soloman family lived, and it was 3/4 mile north of town.

This jack rabbit had it all — high I.Q., long legs and the speed like you wouldn't believe. He finally became the most sought after trophy in the area for all young nimrods. No one's fast dog could get close to him. None of the many would-be hunters could shoot fast enough to get him, or when we did get lucky we always seemed to just powder the dust behind him. You could always bet on him jumping from the same bear grass thicket and would soon be doing 50 miles per hour when we passed the spot where the youth center is today.

Some of you would recognize the name of the boys who chased this long eared trophy with me during that season — Robert Duvall, Pat Massey, Jr. Williams, Charlie Jordan, Don Foster, Mage Kaiser and I think Don Childers and Warren King.

Now, I don't think most rabbits have guardian angels, but this one had all the odds against him, yet he came out untouched the whole year.

I don't know what ever happened to him. Maybe the big duster did him in. But most likely by now he has gone to the big rabbit thicket in the sky.

Now, I'm not into rabbit reincarnation, but did you ever notice when you go by the lettuce and carrot tray in Albertsons — if you listen closely overhead you can sometimes hear a fast

crunchy sound like a rabbit chewing ...

Well anyway, it makes me wonder, but it does make a good Easter story ... Have a good Easter!

Bob Childers
Pampa

Web page is blessing for ex-Pampan

To the editor,
Just a short note to tell you how much I enjoy the Pampa News web page. Having worked and lived in Pampa for 27 years, (1985-92), I still feel as though part of me is still there. I feel very fortunate to have lived there and having help raise three children in the Pampa environment. They are all grown now with children of their own and the values they learned growing up in Pampa are still a part of their lives and the rearing of their children.

Once again, thank you so very much for the web page.
Jeff L. Anderson
jefflali@flex.net

Immunization not good for soldiers

To the editor,
The Pentagon has ordered that our military personnel be forced to take a series of six anthrax shots plus a yearly booster. The vaccine is supposed to protect them from inhaled anthrax. The FDA approved this vaccine in 1970 for cutaneous (skin) anthrax not inhaled anthrax. The Department of Defense says this vaccine has been in use for 29 years with no serious side effects. We have not been able to locate any civilian who has ever administered or received the vaccine.

No medical school, veterinary school, the Peace Corps, Sheep Ranchers Association, etc., no one could be found that had any knowledge of this vaccination. The only ones we can find who have received this vaccine are the Gulf War vets. It is believed the only GWWs that are sick took the shots.

Our son is a Marine at 29 Palms California with an impeccable record. He is facing a court martial because he refused to take the anthrax vaccinations. We feel this is an unlawful order because the vaccine is unsafe. He and two others were invited to tell their story March 22, 1999, before Congress. Their leave was denied when the Marines learned they were going to Washington, D.C. They were told they could talk to their Congressmen but not at the meeting. What are they afraid of?

Our son was going to take the shot until a friend asked him if he had heard about the side effects. I started my search to find something that would make him feel more comfortable about taking the shots. Everything I found supported his decision not to take them. These shots are like

playing Russian Roulette. You may get the empty chamber but you may get the chamber with the bullet. No one knows what the long-term effects of this vaccine will be. The product information leaflet enclosed with the vaccine plainly states that testing was NOT done to determine if the vaccine causes cancer or sterility. One of the preservatives in the vaccine is formaldehyde which, according to the U.S. government, is not approved for human consumption.

The DOD says they have proof this vaccine is safe and effective. We have repeatedly contacted the DOD, the FDA, and the Center for Disease Control asking them to produce this proof. We are still waiting.

The military states they have answered all questions and concerns of the military personnel with regards to the safety and effectiveness of this vaccine and that this vaccination is no different from all the others. In the class my son attended, the teacher could not answer any of their questions. He finally stated he knew nothing about the vaccine. They were supposed to have another class to get their questions answered but didn't. If this vaccination is no different then why the special classes? They didn't have any classes before the other immunizations.

If the idea is to make our military readily mobile so they can be deployed at a moment's notice, as the DOD states, then why are they giving the shots to personnel that have only six weeks left in the military? The DOD itself has stated that to be protected one must complete the entire six shot series.

As the vaccinations get underway, more adverse reactions are showing up, anything from flu-like symptoms, strange rashes and loss of skin pigment, breathing problems, dizziness, headaches that last for days, to blackouts and worse. One young man from Austin stationed at Fort Benning, Ga., was given four shots. He got sick after the first shot and they continued to give him three more shots. He has had bloody diarrhea, severe headaches, 21 blackouts and his heart stopped once. He is now being medically discharged at 15

percent disability so he will get no military medical benefits. There is now a complete media blackout at Fort Benning.

The only place in the U.S. to make this vaccine, the government-run Michigan Biologic Products Institute, closed down in June 1997 after the FDA cited them for multiple quality control violations. The DOD wants us to believe they closed down due to clerical errors. The violations were a little more than just clerical. They included contamination of the vaccine, reuse of outdated vaccines and re-labeling of lots that originally failed control tests. Unfortunately, the military has seven million doses of this mislabeled and contaminated vaccine. It seems that every lot given so far was in violation on the FDA inspection report of February 1998.

BioPort Corp. purchased MBPI in September 1998. One of the stockholders is former chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and Clinton Appointee as ambassador to Britain — retired Adm. William Crowe, Jr. A month after BioPort bought MBPI they were awarded a \$29 million contract from the Pentagon to produce the vaccine when Clinton expanded the immunization program to cover all 2.4 million active military, inactive Reserves and National Guard.

We need to get the word out. Even if you have no one in the military, we ask that you contact your elected representatives and let them know you are against the forced anthrax immunizations.

Bronc and Deanna Austin
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dsa@infinitytx.net

Pampa is now on the map in Alaska

To the editor,
My name is Sam Britton. Pampa is my hometown. I work in a remote part of Alaska for four weeks, then I fly home to Pampa for two weeks of R and R. I had been looking for The Pampa News for ages on the net, but never managed to locate it until now.

It's nice to see something famil-

iar way out here in the wilderness. Anyhow, I just wanted to let you know that Pampa is now on the map here in Alaska. Keep up the good work you all do and remember that someone 3,000 mile away is relying on you guys for a little piece of home.

Samuel M. Britton
slamster1@yahoo.com

Beta Sigma fund-raiser was success

To the editor,

The members of Pampa Beta Sigma Phi would like to thank all the people that attended their Mardi Gras Dance and Casino recently. It was held as a fund-raiser for the high school scholarship given each year for a Pampa High School senior. This scholarship has been given for over 35 years through the support of the community by participating in the Beta Sigma Phi fundraisers.

We would like to continue this tradition and appreciate all the help in the past especially C&S Cable Advertising, First American Bank, First Bank Southwest, Celanese Employee's Club, Beta Sigma Phi City Council, Preceptor Chi, Preceptor Theta Iota, Xi Beta Chi, Xi Phi Alpha and Beta Eta Omega Chapters.

Nancy Brogdon
Pampa

Self-righteous cast the first stone ...

To the editor,
In the wake of the recent impeachment proceedings, it is no doubt easy for the self-righteous to condemn any and all who supported the president as being without morals. Naturally, anyone who approved of the president's job performance or who voted to acquit contributed to the

moral decay of the nation as a whole. The puritan ideals upon which this country was founded certainly no longer exist — in the minds of the self-righteous — if the polls throughout the proceedings were correct. The nation is obviously becoming a hell on earth and the devil is Bill Clinton!

Although this may be a tad melodramatic, there are few who would argue that the moral fiber of a country is in question when an admitted adulterer can be allowed to hold its highest office. What those quick to condemn fail to see, however, is that one of the basic premises of Christianity was practiced — albeit unconsciously — by the American people throughout the president's ordeal.

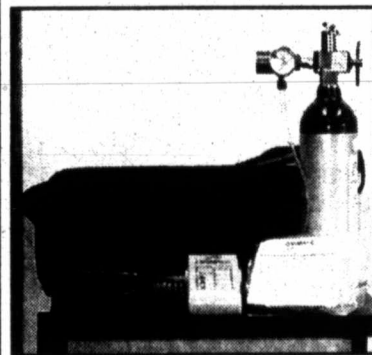
Maybe those who, while grasping firmly to their Bibles, criticize the president's actions should open those Bibles to the chapter and verse that discusses letting those without sin cast the first stone. Incidentally, the sin in question in both instances is adultery.

Those who forgave President Clinton his indiscretions were not contributing to the delinquency of a nation. They were, instead, walking the walk rather than simply talking the talk. Yes, the Good Book does condemn adultery. It also condemns judging. But perhaps more to the point with regards to the president — or any other politician for that matter — is the call to those without sin to cast the first stone. In most political arenas throughout the world — and throughout history — such a call would result in few, if any, stones being cast.

William Chaplar
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FOOTBALL

DENTON — The 8th annual Bill Bates-Darren Woodson Football Camp will be held June 6-9 on the North Texas campus at Denton.

There will be one session for boys ages 8 to 18. Troy Aikman and Chad Henning will be among several Cowboy players at the camp, as well as college coaches from Baylor, Texas Tech, TCU and SMU.

Overnight camper cost is \$350 and day camper cost is \$290.

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FISHING

OSAGE BEACH, Mo. — Jim Tutt of Longview took first place in the second Central Division event of Operation Bass' Everstart Series, with a catch of 15 pounds, 5 ounces to capture the \$35,000 first prize.

The event was held earlier this month on Lake of the Ozarks.

Tutt survived two earlier elimination rounds and 150 anglers enroute to the EverStart victory, edging out nine other finalists competing in the final round of the professional division. He received \$10,000 and an Evinrude-powered Ranger boat for the victory.

Brian Snowden of Springfield, Missouri took runner-up honors with a championship round weight of 12 pounds, 8 ounces, good for \$10,000. Mark Watson of Springfield, Illinois placed third with a 10-pound, 8-ounce catch worth \$9,000.

The winner of the co-angler division was Charles Carlie of Tulsa, Okla., who had a winning weight of 14 pounds, 7 ounces.

BASKETBALL

LAWTON, Okla. — Garrett Mantle, a nephew of former New York Yankees baseball star Mickey Mantle, has been hired as the new men's basketball coach at Cameron University.

The 32-year-old Mantle had been the head coach at Edmond North High School. He replaces Jerry Stone, whose contract was not renewed after 10 years at Cameron.

Cameron was 8-17 this season and finished seventh in the eight-team Lone Star Conference North Division.

Mantle will begin his duties immediately. He will begin recruiting after he passes an NCAA certification test.

Mantle began his career as a Southeastern Oklahoma State assistant. He coached Lawton High School for two years before taking over at Edmond North before the 1997-98 school season. He was 46-7 with the Huskies.

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — Trajan Langdon scored 24 points as top-ranked Duke beat Southwest Missouri State 78-61 Friday night to reach the NCAA East Regional final.

The Blue Devils, who won their first two NCAA tournament games by an average of 41 points, weren't as dominant against the 12th-seeded Bears. But they still managed to win their 30th straight game and reach the final eight for the second straight season.

Ramirez is named Commissioner of Optimist 9-10 Minor Bambino League

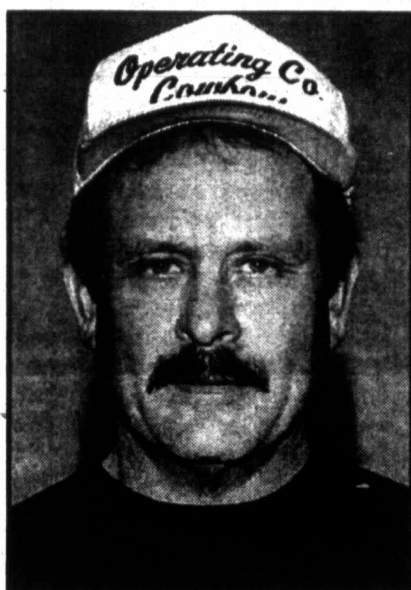
Mando Ramirez has been named Commissioner of the Optimist 9-10 Minor Bambino Baseball League for the upcoming season, according to Optimist President, Jim Davis.

Ramirez has been an Optimist member for 15 years. He and his wife, Judy, have six children and four grandchildren. He has been employed by Phillips Pipeline Co. for the last 14 years. He is a member of the Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of Christ.

"Mando is deeply committed to the youth of Pampa," Davis said in making the announcement. "He has coached in our football program for 13 years. He has also coached boys basketball, T-ball and baseball. He did a great job as commissioner for the 9 and 10's last year."

"Ramirez was honored as Optimist of the Quarter last fall for his work in helping to organize the Optimist Tiger League Football League and for his work in coaching a team in the league," Davis said.

"I believe the most important thing we can teach our baseball



Mando Ramirez

players is self discipline," Ramirez said. "We want to help these boys develop good habits at an early age. Discipline carries you throughout your life. If you are a disciplined person, you are not likely to get into problems with the law. If you have a good self discipline, you can carry

yourself through anything, such as your work and your marriage. Self-discipline helps you in your everyday life."

"We have six teams of 9 and 10 year olds last year and are expecting more this year," Ramirez said. "We have invited other towns to be a part of our program and form one or more teams to play in our league. Our players will have the opportunity that way to play some games here in Pampa and some away from home. I think that will be a fun experience for them."

"I plan to have out coaches stress this year that 'Fun is No. 1,'" Ramirez concluded.

Signups and tryouts for the league will take place at Optimist Park on Apr. 6, 7 and 8. All players will be required to sign up. Players in the league who were not on a Minor Bambino League team last year will need to attend at least two of the three tryout sessions so they can be assigned to a team, according to Optimist rules.

Dr. Mark Ford, a Pampa chiro-

practor, will speak to the managers and coaches of the Optimist baseball and softball programs Monday at 6:30 p.m. during the regular weekly meeting.

His topic is "How to Avoid Injuries in Youth Sports Programs."

Coaches in other programs are invited to attend.

PAMPA — Organizational meetings for all Pampa Optimist baseball and softball leagues are scheduled for Monday at 6:30 p.m. at the regular weekly meeting at the Optimist Club.

The Optimist program covers boys and girls from 5 to 15 years of age.

"The Board of directors of each league will elect managers of the teams for the coming season," Optimist President James Davis explained. "We need all league officials, all managers and all coaches to attend so we can get the season off to a great start."

Signups and tryouts for baseball and softball for all leagues are April 6, 7, 8.

Lady Harvesters shut out EP Ysleta

Pampa meets WF Rider on home field

MIDLAND — Pampa's Lady Harvesters advanced to the Class 4A regional soccer semifinals Friday with a 1-0 shutout of El Paso Ysleta in C.J. Kelly Park.

It was the second consecutive playoff win for the Lady Harvesters, who improved their overall record to 11-7 after the regional quarterfinal win over Ysleta. Pampa plays Wichita Falls Rider (17-7-2) in the regional semifinals at 5 p.m. Tuesday at Harvester Stadium after PHS coach Lori Patulea won a home and home coin flip.

Admission will be three dollars for adults and two dollars for students.

Rider defeated Justin Northwest, also by a 1-0 score on Friday.

Pampa's score against Ysleta came in the first minute of the match and it held up the rest of the way as the Lady Harvesters turned in some outstanding

defense. Desiree Vigil and Jessica Burns teamed up for the quick score. Vigil took a pass from Burns and put it in the goal for the 1-0 lead.

Some standout defense by freshman goalie Samantha Ford, who collected three saves for her fifth shutout of the season.

The Lady Harvesters did pay a heavy price for the victory when Jessie Maddox, one of the senior captains, suffered a leg injury in the second half. She collided with a Ysleta player while chasing a loose ball near midfield. Maddox was taken to the hospital with a broken leg.

Maddox is a four-year starter for the Lady Harvesters and a two-time all-district selection. She went into the playoffs with three goals and three assists.

The Lady Harvesters held on without Maddox and Ysleta was barely able to get past midfield during the final 30 minutes of the match.

"We weren't playing real well until Jessie got hurt," said Pampa first-year coach Lori Patulea. "The girls really pulled together after that and decided they were going to win it for Jessie. They wanted to dedicate

Mavericks fall to Pistons

AUBURN HILLS, Mich. (AP) — Jud Buechler isn't accustomed to being a hero.

After all, he spent the last few years in Chicago, home of one of the greatest dynasties in NBA history, and where players like Michael Jordan, Scottie Pippen, Toni Kukoc and Dennis Rodman took care of all the dramatic moments.

Now, though, Buechler is in Detroit, and even though Grant Hill casts a big shadow, there's still room for others to shine.

It was Buechler's turn Friday night. He scored all nine of his points on three 3-pointers in the last five minutes and added a key steal, helping the Pistons pull out a 94-87 win over the Dallas Mavericks. Detroit scored the final nine points of the game.

"Until this year, I was never the player to make the shot," he said. "In Chicago, we had Michael Scottie and Toni who were the shooters. I would have

liked to have had a couple more shots earlier in the game to warm up, but when I have the shot, I have to take it. It's just exciting to be in the game down the stretch."

Jerry Stackhouse led Detroit with 15 points, while Bison Dele added 13 and nine rebounds and Hill had 14 points and nine assists.

The Pistons led by 18 points in the third quarter, but blew the lead and needed Buechler's shooting to end a three-game losing streak.

"We won the game, so we are going to take the positives out of this," coach Alvin Gentry said. "Down the stretch, Dallas wasn't going to let Grant have the lane, so they had to help on him and leave Jud open. We got him the ball, and he stepped up and hit the shots. That's the thing with Jud — you can play him five minutes or 30, but he is always going to have confidence in his shot."

the game to Jessie."

Maddox sustained a broken fibula and tibia, and was operated on Saturday morning in Pampa.

Despite being sidelined for the remainder of the season, Maddox is still a strong candidate for all-region and all-state honors," Patulea believes.

Pampa, which defeated El Paso Parkland 2-0 in the area round on Tuesday, had never won a playoff match before this season. The Lady Harvesters have now won six matches in a row and have given up just two goals in their last eight contests.

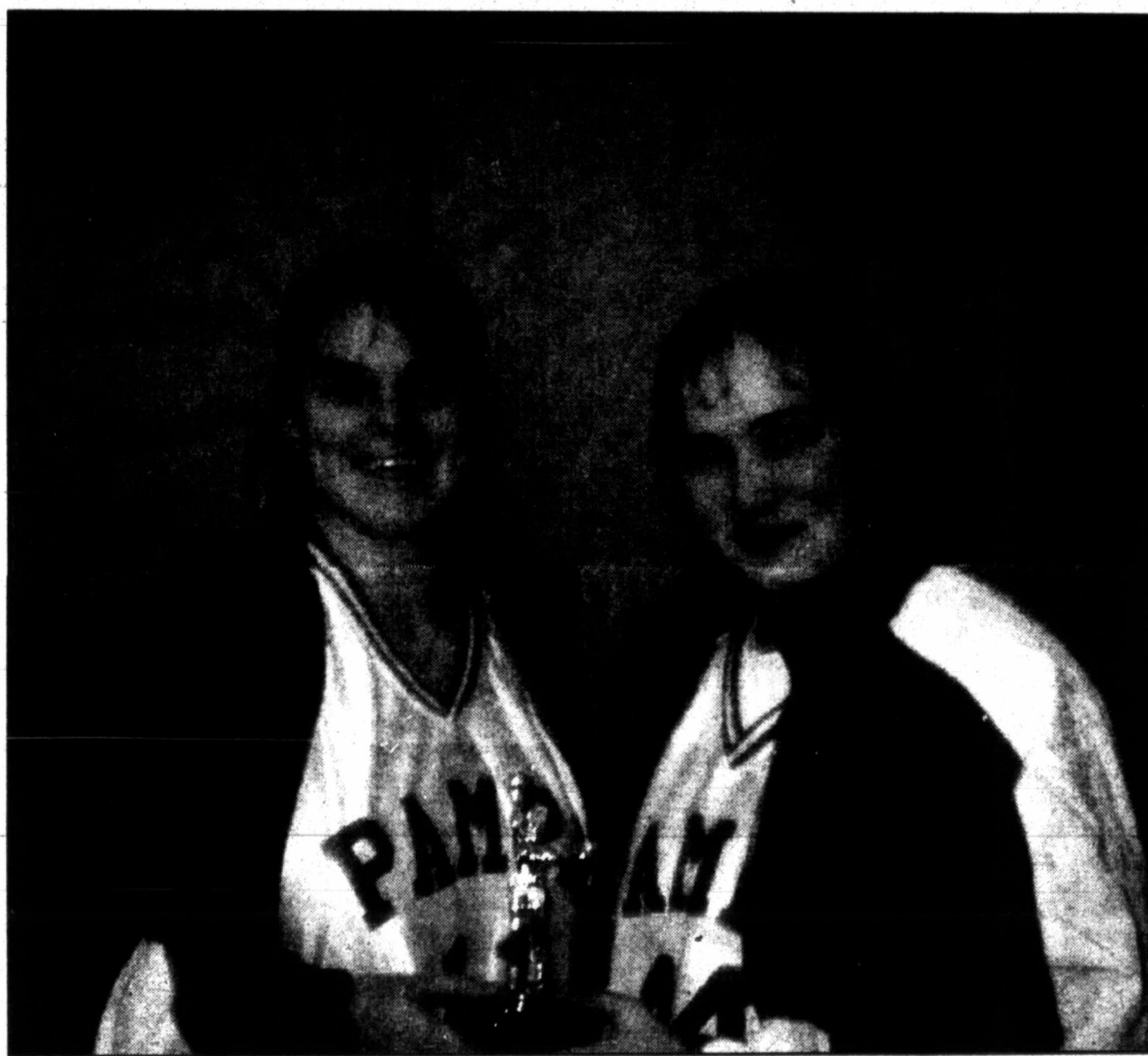
The Lady Harvesters placed

second in the District 3-4A standings to earn their first playoff spot since 1996. Randall and Canyon, Pampa's district rivals, are also still alive in the playoffs. The two teams played each other today in the regional quarterfinals.

Patulea is happy the Lady Harvesters are playing on the home turf, even though she would have gladly settled for a neutral site.

"The Rider coach wanted a home and home flip. In fact, he was adamant about it," Patulea said. "I wanted to play at a neutral site, some place where the teams would have an even distance to travel."

All-tournament players



(Special photo)

Brienna Taylor and Erin Raber (right) of the Pampa Lady Pacers were selected to the High Plains Christian Athletic Association All-Tournament Basketball Squad for the 1998-99 season. Both girls attend the Pampa Academy of Christian Education school.

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Friday, March 12

At Charlotte Coliseum

Charlotte, N.C.

Tennessee 62, Delaware 52

Southwest Missouri State 43, Wisconsin 32

Duke 96, Florida A&M 58

Tulsa 62, College of Charleston 53

At The FleetCenter

Boston

Cincinnati 72, George Mason 48

Temple 61, Kent 54

Miami 75, Lafayette 54

Purdue 58, Texas 54

Second Round

Sunday, March 14

At Charlotte Coliseum

Charlotte, N.C.

Duke 97, Tulsa 56

Southwest Missouri State 81, Tennessee 51

At The FleetCenter

Boston

Temple 64, Cincinnati 54

Purdue 73, Miami 63

At Continental Airlines Arena

East Rutherford, N.J.

Regional Semifinals

Friday, March 19

Duke 78, Southwest Missouri State 61

Temple 77, Purdue 55

Regional Championship

Sunday, March 21

Duke (35-1) vs. Temple (24-10), 2:40 p.m.

SOUTH REGIONAL

First Round

Thursday, March 11

At The RCA Dome

Indianapolis

Oklahoma State 69, Syracuse 61

Auburn 80, Winthrop 41

Ohio State 72, Murray State 58

Detroit 56, UCLA 53

At Orlando Arena

Orlando, Fla.

Maryland 82, Valparaiso 60

Cincinnati 62, Louisville 58

St. John's 69, Samford 43

Indiana 108, George Washington 88

Second Round

Saturday, March 13

At The RCA Dome

Indianapolis

Auburn 81, Oklahoma State 74

Ohio State 75, Detroit 44

At Orlando Arena

Orlando, Fla.

St. John's 88, Indiana 61

Maryland 75, Cincinnati 63

At Thompson-Boling Arena

Knoxville, Tenn.

Regional Semifinals

Thursday, March 18

St. John's 78, Maryland 62

Ohio State 72, Auburn 64

Regional Championship

Saturday, March 20

Ohio State (26-8) vs. St. John's (28-8), 6 p.m.

MIDWEST REGIONAL

First Round

Friday, March 12

At The Bradley Center

Milwaukee

North Carolina Charlotte 81, Rhode Island 70

Oklahoma 61, Arizona 60

Michigan State 74, Mount St. Mary's, Md. 53

Mississippi 72, Villanova 70

At The Superdome

New Orleans

Utah 60, Arkansas State 58

Miami, Ohio 59, Washington 58

Kansas 95, Evansville 74

Kentucky 82, New Mexico State 60

Second Round

Sunday, March 14

At The Bradley Center

Milwaukee

Oklahoma 85, North Carolina Charlotte 72

Michigan State 74, Mississippi 66

At The Superdome

New Orleans

Miami, Ohio 58, Utah 58

Kentucky 82, Kansas 88, OT

At Trans World Dome

St. Louis

Regional Semifinals

Friday, March 19

Michigan State 54, Oklahoma 48

Kentucky 68, Miami, Ohio 43

Regional Championship

Sunday, March 21

Michigan State (32-4) vs. Kentucky (28-8), 5 p.m.

WEST REGIONAL

First Round

Thursday, March 11

At McNichols Arena

Denver

Iowa 77, Alabama-Birmingham 64

Arkansas 54, Siena 80

New Mexico 61, Missouri 59

Connecticut 81, Texas-San Antonio 66

At Key Arena

Seattle

Gonzaga 75, Minnesota 63

Stanford 69, Alcorn State 57

Florida 75, Pennsylvania 61

Weber State 76, North Carolina 74

Second Round

Saturday, March 13

At McNichols Arena

Denver

Connecticut 78, New Mexico 56

Iowa 82, Arkansas 72

At Key Arena

Seattle

Gonzaga 82, Stanford 74

Florida 82, Weber State 74, OT

At America West Arena

Phoenix

Regional Semifinals

Thursday, March 18

Gonzaga 73, Florida 72

Connecticut 78, Iowa 58

Regional Championship

Saturday, March 20

Connecticut (31-2) vs. Gonzaga (28-6), 3:40 p.m.

THE FINAL FOUR

At Tropicana Field

St. Petersburg, Fla.

National Semifinals

Saturday, March 27

East champion vs. Midwest champion, 5:42 p.m.

South champion vs. West champion, 30 minutes after first game

National Championship

Monday, March 29

Semifinal winners, 9:18 p.m.

Women's NCAA Basketball

Tournament At A Glance

By The Associated Press

All Times EST

EAST REGIONAL

First Round

Friday, March 12

At ODU Fieldhouse

Norfolk, Va.

Maine 60, Stanford 58

Old Dominion 74, Tennessee Tech 48

Saturday, March 13

At Thompson-Boling Arena

Knoxville, Tenn.

Boston College 72, Ohio State 59

Tennessee 113, Appalachian State 54

At Cassell Coliseum

Blacksburg, Va.

Virginia Tech 73, St. Peter's 48

Auburn 69, Texas 61

At Cameron Indoor Stadium

Durham, N.C.

St. Joseph's 83, Tulane 72

Duke 79, Holy Cross 51

Second Round

Sunday, March 14

At ODU Fieldhouse

Norfolk, Va.

Old Dominion 72, Maine 62

Monday, March 15

At Thompson-Boling Arena

Knoxville, Tenn.

Oklahoma State 69, Boston College 62

Auburn 80, Winthrop 41

At Cassell Coliseum

Blacksburg, Va.

Virginia Tech 76, Auburn 61

At Cameron Indoor Stadium

Durham, N.C.

Duke 85, St. Joseph's 60

Regional Semifinals

Saturday, March 20

At Greensboro Coliseum

Greensboro, N.C.

Old Dominion (28-3) vs. Duke (26-6), 11:30 a.m.

Tennessee (30-2) vs. Virginia Tech (28-2), 30 minutes after

Regional Championship

Monday, March 22

Tennessee-Virginia Tech winner vs. Old Dominion-Duke winner, TBA

MIDWEST REGIONAL

First Round

Friday, March 12

At Gampel Pavilion

Storrs, Conn.

Connecticut 97, St. Francis, Pa. 46

Xavier 85, Florida International 71

At Hilton Coliseum

Ames, Iowa

Oregon 65, Cincinnati 56

Iowa State 74, Santa Clara 61

At Littlejohn Coliseum

Clemson, S.C.

Illinois 69, Louisville 67

Clemson 76, Florida A&M 45

Saturday, March 13

At Stegeman Coliseum

Athens, Ga.

Southern Methodist 91, Toledo 76

Georgia 73, Liberty 52

Second Round

Sunday, March 14

At Gampel Pavilion

Storrs, Conn.

Connecticut 86, Xavier 64

At Hilton Coliseum

Ames, Iowa

Iowa State 85, Oregon 70

At Littlejohn Coliseum

Clemson, S.C.

Clemson 63, Illinois 51

Monday, March 15

At Stegeman Coliseum

Athens, Ga.

Georgia 68, Southern Methodist 55

Regional Semifinals

Saturday, March 20

At Shoemaker Center

Cincinnati

Connecticut (29-4) vs. Iowa St. (24-7), Noon

Clemson (26-5) vs. Georgia (25-6), 30 minutes after

Regional Championship

Monday, March 22

Connecticut-Iowa St. winner vs. Clemson-Georgia winner, TBA

MIDWEST REGIONAL

First Round

Friday, March 12

At Champaign Auditorium

Champaign, Ill.

Alabama 80, Grambling State 68

North Carolina 64, Northeastern 55

At Louis Brown Athletic Center

Piscataway, N.J.

Arizona 87, Florida 84, OT

Rutgers 84, Dartmouth 70

Saturday, March 13

At Mackay Arena

West Lafayette, Ind.

Kansas 64, Marquette 58

Purdue 68, Oral Roberts 48

At Lubbock Municipal Coliseum

Lubbock, Texas

North Carolina State 76, Mississippi State 57

Texas Tech 80, Stephen F. Austin 54

Second Round

Sunday, March 14

At Champaign Auditorium

Champaign, Ill.

North Carolina 70, Alabama 56

At Louis Brown Athletic Center

Piscataway, N.J.

Rutgers 90, Arizona 47

Monday, March 15

At Mackay Arena

West Lafayette, Ind.

Purdue 55, Kansas 41

Regional Championship

Saturday, March 20

Connecticut (31-2) vs. Gonzaga (28-6), 3:40 p.m.

Saturday, March 20

At Redbird Arena

Normal, Ill.

North Carolina (28-7) vs. Purdue (30-1), 8 p.m.

Rutgers (28-5) vs. Texas Tech (30-3), 30 minutes after

Regional Championship

Monday, March 22

North Carolina-Purdue winner vs. Rutgers-Texas Tech winner, TBA

WEST REGIONAL

First Round

Friday, March 12

At Thomas Assembly Center

Ruston, La.

Penn State 82, Virginia 69

Louisiana Tech 90, Central Florida 48

At Moby Arena

Fort Collins, Colo.

Southwest Missouri State 72, UC Santa Barbara 70

Colorado State 71, Cal State Northridge 59

Saturday, March 13

At Pete Maravich Assembly Center

Baton Rouge, La.

Boston College 72, Ohio State 59

LSU 78, Evansville 69

At Pauley Pavilion

Los Angeles

Kentucky 88, Nebraska 82

UCLA 76, Wisconsin-Green Bay 69

Second Round

Sunday, March 14

At Thomas Assembly Center

Ruston, La.

Louisiana Tech 79, Penn State 62

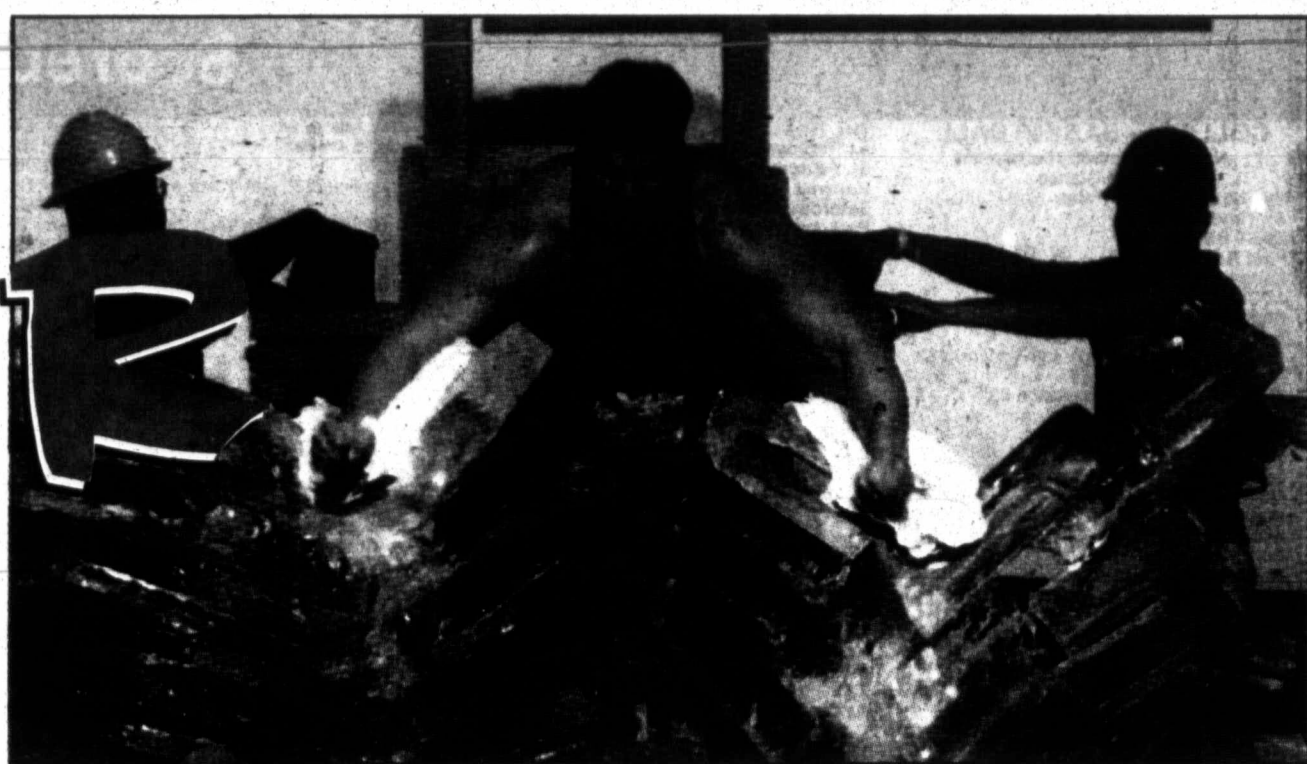
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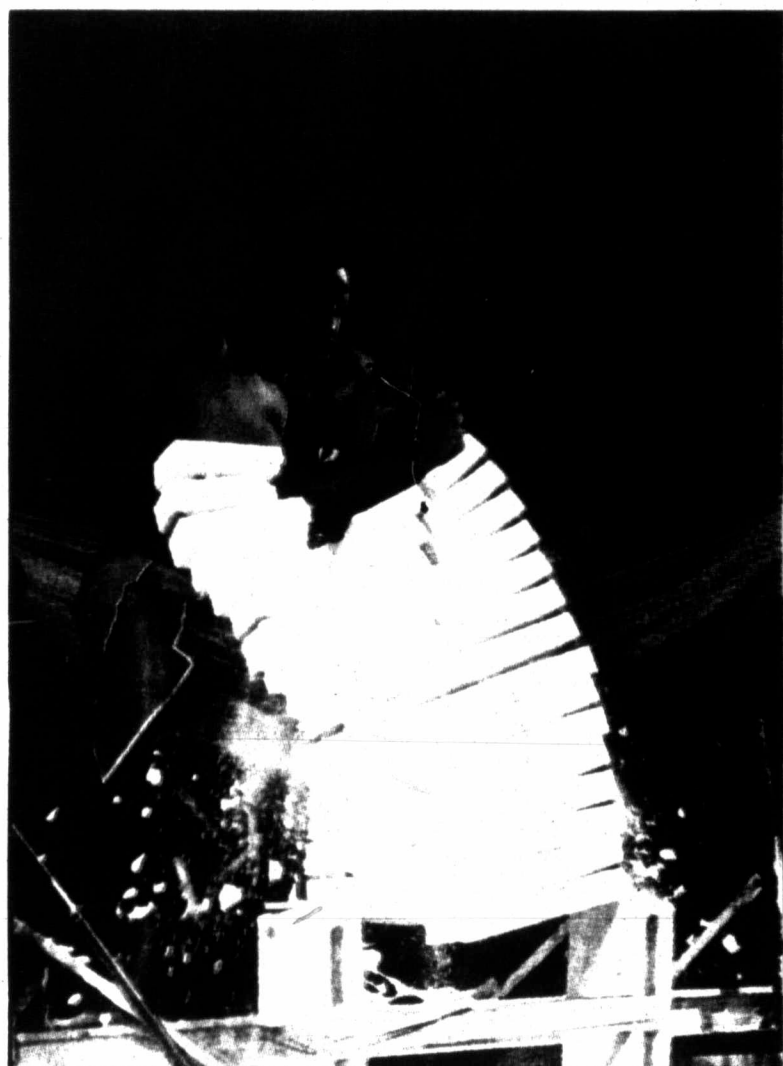
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The Promise

Just about every year Pampans can count on three things — Calvary Baptist's "Hallowed House" production in October, a Christmas presentation of "That Night," by Central Baptist, and "The Promise" Easter pageant put on by First Baptist.

This year's Easter showing of "The Promise" will happen the last weekend of the month at 7 p.m. on Friday and Saturday, March 27 and 28.

Tickets are free and can be picked up through the church or at The Gift Box Christian bookstore in Pampa. For those who are homebound or cannot drive at night, the church is providing rides to the show. Call 669-1155 for more information on this program.

This year's cast includes the following people:

Grampa — Jim Erwin; **Lisa** — Denise Mackie; **Billy** — Ben Gibson; **Jesus (adult)** — Lee Cornelison; **Jeremiah** — Larry Stephens; **Isaiah** — Ralph Peters; **Micah** — George Smith; **Zechariah** — Mark Taylor; **Mary** — Wanetta Hill; **Jesus (youth)** — Chris Burns; **Joseph** — Bob Ericson; **Gabriel** — Ben Howard; **Jesus (baby)** — Jordan Moore; **Satan** — Luis Nava; **John the Baptist** — Carl Meyer; **Peter** — Eugene Polasek; **James** — Terry Dunn; **John** — David Cory; **Andrew** — Frank McCullough; **Thomas** — Dale Ammons; **Phillip** — Rex McKay; **Simon** — Herb Smith; **Bartholomew** — Bill Giles; **Matthew** — Ron Hendericks; **James II** — Bob Muns; **Thaddaeus** — Larry Odgen; **Judas** — Bruce Ferris; **Pharisees** — Tim Hutte, Kit Grice and Mark Langford; **Nicodemus** — Bob Ericson;

Joseph of Armathea — Kirt Bell; **Soldiers** — Loney Wilson, Lance DeFever and Greg Story; **Bartimaeus** — Mike McGivern; **Barabbas** — Gary Tabor; **Man from Gadara** — Russ Alexander; **Martha** — Lynn Smith; **Pilate** — Jeff Race; **Pilate's Servant** — Stephen Nelson; **Youth** — Meredith Henricks, Carl Hinds, Stephanie Nelson, Lindsey Smith & Josh Tabor; **Children** — Alison Alexander, Micahel Alexander, Taylor Dalton, Annie Jo Day, Courtney Ericson, Garrett Ericson, Kayla Kidd, Mary Kathryn McKay, Will McKay, Landon Moreland, Jonathan Polasek, Stephanie Polasek, Jessica Tabor, Stephen Taylor and Matthew Trusty; **Three Maidens** — Janice Mackie, Kim McGivern and Shanla Brookshire; **Woman** — Becky Craddock; **Lazarus** — Dale McDaniels; **Centurion** —

John Crowell; **Thieves** — Ray Adamson & Danny Kirkpatrick; **Three Women** — Brenda Condo, Roxanne Giles and Kay Newman; **Soloist** — Lela Harris; **Simon of Cyrene** — Mike Flynt; **Moneychangers** — Gary Tabor and Larry Williams.

Production assistants include the following:

Stage Engineer — Ron Nelson; **Lighting** — Todd Blackhairst, Jerry Arrington, Cecil Newman and Jonathan Taylor; **Sound** — James Winkleblack; **Stage Assistants** — Kent and Linda Lane; **Costumes** — Pat Winkleblack and Kay Stephens; **Make-Up** — Brenda Cornelison, Ione Simmons, Roberta and Meredith Hendricks, Cindy Hinds and Pat Winkleblack; **Set Construction** — A hard working crew of men and women.



Menus

March 22-26

Pampa Schools

MONDAY

Breakfast: Cinnamon rolls.
Lunch: Pizza, potato wedges, English peas, pears.

TUESDAY

Breakfast: Toast, honey.
Lunch: Steak fingers, whipped potatoes, gravy, blackeyed peas, mixed fruit, hot rolls.

WEDNESDAY

Breakfast: Biscuits and gravy, sausage patty.
Lunch: Cornedog, French fries, tossed salad, cherry tart.

THURSDAY

Breakfast: Pancakes, syrup.
Lunch: Tacos and salsa, lettuce and tomatoes, refried beans, Spanish rice, sliced apples.

FRIDAY

Breakfast: Cereal, toast.
Lunch: Two grilled cheese sandwiches, tomato soup, corn, peaches.

Lefors Schools

MONDAY

Breakfast: Muffins, cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch: Frito pie, beans, cornbread, salad, fruit, milk.

TUESDAY

Breakfast: Waffles, toast, cereal, juice, milk.
Lunch: Barbecue wieners, green beans, macaroni, rolls, fruit, milk.

WEDNESDAY

Breakfast: Sausage, biscuit, toast, cereal, juice, milk.
Lunch: Pizza, corn, fruit, milk.

THURSDAY

Breakfast: Hot or cold cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch: Chicken nuggets, potatoes, spinach, rolls, fruit, milk.

FRIDAY

Breakfast: Breakfast burrito, toast, cereal, juice, milk.
Lunch: Hamburger and barbecue, cheese, crispy fries, salad, fruit, milk.

Meals on Wheels

MONDAY

Steak fingers, gravy, broc-

coli/rice, carrots, pineapple.

TUESDAY

Chopped sirloin, mushroom gravy, rice pilaf, green beans, plum cobbler.

WEDNESDAY

Oven-fried chicken, black-eyed peas, whole potato with cheese sauce, jello/fruit.

THURSDAY

Chicken patties, peas and carrots, squash casserole, pudding.

FRIDAY

Salmon loaf, macaroni and cheese, Harvard beets, peaches.

Senior Citizens

MONDAY

Chicken fried steak or tuna salad, mashed potatoes, California blend, spinach, beans, slaw, tossed or jello salad, Oreo cookie cake or banana creme pie, hot rolls or cornbread.

TUESDAY

Barbecue beef or fried chicken, potato salad, baked beans, chuckwagon corn, slaw, tossed or jello salad, strawberry shortcake or peach/pineapple cobbler, hot rolls or cornbread.

WEDNESDAY

Roast beef brisket with brown gravy or cook's choice, mashed potatoes, carrots, creamed peas, beans, slaw, tossed or jello salad, Boston creme pie or cheesecake, hot rolls or cornbread.

THURSDAY

Chicken strips or ham with fruit sauce, mashed potatoes, green beans, macaroni and cheese, beans, slaw, tossed or jello salad, lemon pound cake or rice pudding, hot rolls or cornbread.

FRIDAY

Fried cod fish or Salisbury steak, potato wedges, broccoli, beans, slaw, tossed or jello salad, French vanilla cake or chocolate sundae cups, garlic toast, hot rolls or cornbread.



Tiffany Renea Hall and Bryan Anthony Johnson

Hall-Johnson

Tiffany Renea Hall and Bryan Anthony Johnson were wed March 6 in Lubbock.

The bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hall of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hefley of Mobeetie.

The groom is the son of Chris and Rose Johnson of Pampa. The couple intend to make their home in Lubbock.

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. (Tuesday at 12 noon the week of Thanksgiving and Christmas) though this deadline does not guarantee publication. Thank you.

El Progreso

El Progreso Club met March 9 with President Carolyn Smith presiding. Maedell Lanehart served as hostess. Thirteen members and one guest were present.

The program was given by Linda Holt, community supervisor of the Corrective Department of Adult Probation.

The next meeting will be March 23 with Lois Strong serving as hostess.

PPQG

Panhandle Piecemakers Quilt Guild met Feb. 25 at Pampa Senior Citizens Center. Four guests and new members Pam Hiebler and Jeannie Hennig, both of Wheeler, were among those present.

The following business was conducted and announcements made:

—Completed quilts and wall-hangings were shown by 10 members.

—The guild voted to amend the by-laws to increase the Nominating Committee from three to five members. Volunteering to serve on the committee were: Susie Edwards, Teresa Wavra, Christine Griffin, Donna Reynolds and Janie VanZandt. A new slate of officers will be elected in May to serve two-year terms beginning in June.

—A permanent workday has been established on the second Tuesday and on the fourth Saturday of each month at Sand's Fabrics. Members may come and work on any project and will receive a discount on purchases at Sand's.

—Members voted to purchase and donate quilting videos to Lovett Memorial Library.

—A Quilt Seminar conducted by Jackie Reis on "Stellar Rotation" is slated April 30-May 1 at the Pampa Community Building. Guild members may attend one day only and will complete two blocks during a six-hour session. To sign up, contact Kathy White or Donna Reynolds.

—The possibility of organizing a mystery quilt and/or friendship circle was discussed. Reynolds was chosen to select a mystery quilt pattern for members wishing to participate. A friendship circle may be started at a later time.

The guild door prize was won by Cindy Theis. Mary Seedig won the Sand's Fabrics door prize.



Mr. and Mrs. Travis Johnston

Johnston anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Johnston celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary March 20, 1999, in First Christian Church of Pampa. Children of the couple hosted the reception.

Travis Johnston and JoAnn Moore were married March 20, 1949, at Grandview Church in Hutchinson, Kan. The couple have been Pampa residents for the past 25 years and belong to First Christian Church.

Mr. Johnston worked for Amoco Production, retiring May 1, 1984, after 32 years of service. He is a member of American Petroleum Institute.

Mrs. Johnston is a homemaker.

Children of the couple are Jean Gordon of Hutchinson, Kan., Jim Johnston of McPherson, Kan., Jill Osborn of Quincy, Ill., and Joe Johnston of Pampa. They have 13 grandchildren and a great-grandchild.



Janet Denise Marak and Jeffrey Ray Cowman

Marak-Cowman

Janet Denise Marak of Grand Prairie and Jeffrey Ray Cowman of Fort Worth plan to wed June 19 at the Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church in Arlington.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Clarence and Betty Lou Marak of Pampa. She received a bachelor of arts degree in history and an elementary education certification from the University of Texas at Arlington. She holds a master's of science degree in reading from Texas A&M. She is currently employed with Grand Prairie ISD and is pursuing her Ph.D. in instruction, supervision and curriculum of elementary education.

The prospective groom is the son of Michael and Lynda Cowman of Bartlesville, Okla. He received a bachelor of arts degree in English and a master's of science degree in education from the University of Tennessee. He is currently employed with Grand Prairie ISD and is attending Southern Methodist University.

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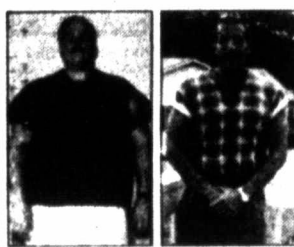


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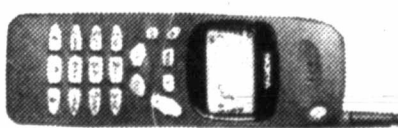
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Newsmakers



Mindy Dawn Prater and James Mitchell Heard

Prater-Heard

Mindy Dawn Prater of Austin and James Mitchell Heard of Dripping Springs plan to wed April 17 in First Baptist Church in Dripping Springs.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Donnie and Carolyn Prater of Tulia. She graduated from Tulia High School in 1990 and from Southwest Texas State University in 1998, receiving a bachelor of science degree in psychology. She is currently employed with Texas Dental Association.

The prospective groom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Larry Heard of Pampa. He graduated from Idalou High School in 1985 and from Angelo State, receiving a bachelor of business administration degree in marketing. He was president of Intra-fraternal Council at Angelo State. He is currently employed with Cooperative Computing, Inc., in Austin.



Shannon Marie Poland and William Wesley Lang

Poland-Lang

Shannon Marie Poland and William Wesley Lang, both of Canyon, plan to wed May 29 at First Baptist Church in White Deer.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Yale and Becky Poland of White Deer. She graduated from White Deer High School and is currently attending West Texas A&M University. She is presently employed with WTAMU Athletic Department.

The prospective groom is the son of Mark and Karen Lang of Pampa. He graduated from Pampa High School and is currently employed with APEX Surveying and Mapping of Amarillo.

The United States Achievement Academy recently announced Zane Powers, Kimberly Clark and Kaci Cooper, all of Pampa, were named All-American Scholars. Powers received the distinction in leadership.

The USAA established the All-American Scholar Award Program to offer deserved recognition to students who excel in the academic disciplines. All-American Scholars must earn a 3.3 or higher grade point average. Only scholars selected by a school instructor, counselor or other qualified sponsor are accepted. The scholars are also eligible for other awards given by USAA.

Powers, Clark and Cooper, students at Pampa High, were nominated for the award by PHS counselor, Starla Kindle. The scholars will appear in the All-American Scholar Yearbook published nationally.

Powers is the son of Tim and Janice Powers of Pampa and is the grandson of Nell Warren of Pampa and Sue Powers of Dothan, Ala. Clark is the daughter of Jimmie



Suzanne Parks

and Carol Clark of Pampa, is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Waggoner of Pampa and is the great-granddaughter of Ann Halford of Vernon.

Cooper is the daughter of Benny and Cindy Cooper of Pampa and is the granddaughter of James and Erma Britten of White Deer and Geneva Cooper of Pampa.

WACO — Suzanne Parks of Pampa will be competing in the

1999 Miss Texas National Pre-Teen Program March 19-21 in Waco.

The Miss National Pre-Teen Program is in its 19th year and was the first competition of its kind founded to reward girls ages 9-12, the first to include academics as a judging criteria and the first to offer opportunities for college scholarships to girls of this age.

The next titleholder will receive a cash award, crown, sash, trophy and sponsorship along with airfare to the National Program to be held in November at Orlando, Fla. Candidates will be judged on academics/achievements, interview, formal presentation and personality projection.

Miss National Pre-Teen is teamed up with "Youth Power" to encourage youth to stay drug free. State candidates can also participate in the Holiday Gift Program to benefit needy children and the "Just Chill" program to learn anger management skills projection.

Parks is being sponsored by her parents, Phyllis Parks and Scott Parks, and by her grandparents,

Barbra and Raymond Parks and Sue and James Meeks.

FORT WORTH — Tandy Corp./Radio Shack recently announced prize recipients of the 1999 Radio Shack/Tandy Scholars program. A total of \$350,000 in awards and scholarships were presented to teachers and students who have achieved excellence in areas of mathematics, science and computer science.

In addition, 42,000 certificates of recognition were bestowed on outstanding academicians across the nation.

The following students were presented a certificate of recognition: Kimberly Clark, Ronald Fernuik, Melea Mechler, Thann Scoggin and Mandy Wells, all of Pampa, all ranking in the top two percent.

The program is open to all accredited high schools and is funded by Tandy Corp./Radio Shack, administered by Texas Christian University and endorsed by National Association of Secondary School Principals.

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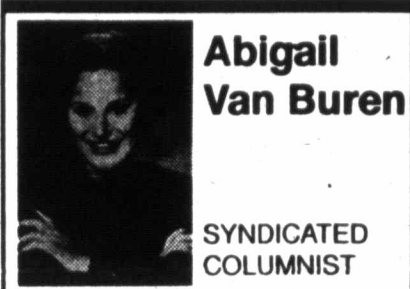
DEAR ABBY: I'm writing you on behalf of the children in this country who are in danger of losing their eyesight to amblyopia or "lazy eye." Parents are often completely unaware there is any problem with their child's vision. Because amblyopia usually affects only one eye, children can see — but have only monocular vision. Children don't realize they should be able to see through both eyes. One child was diagnosed after a bump to the eye. When he said, "I can't see the television, I hurt the eye I see with," his mom, a licensed optician, had the first indication that something was wrong!

Abby, 2 to 3 percent of the population has amblyopia. When this condition is detected before the age of 3, approximately 95 percent recover their vision. After the age of 6, it can be difficult to totally correct. Parents need to be sure their young children receive a comprehensive examination that checks the functioning of each eye.

For parents and children who are well aware of amblyopia, I am happy to report that there is a new support program for them. The Eye Patch Club offers suggestions and support for dealing with the challenges posed by amblyopia.

MARK RUTTUM, M.D.,
DEPARTMENT OF
OPHTHALMOLOGY, MEDICAL
COLLEGE OF WISCONSIN

DEAR DR. RUTTUM: I was shocked to learn that one preschooler in 20 has a vision



Abigail Van Buren

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problem that could cause permanent loss of sight if left untreated. The Eye Patch Club, sponsored by Prevent Blindness America (also known as the National Society to Prevent Blindness), is a tool that parents of children with amblyopia can use to help them strengthen their "lazy eye." Patching or covering the stronger eye forces the weaker eye to work. The patient wears the patch for a few weeks (or longer), which helps to strengthen vision.

Of course, the child must regularly visit the eye doctor to measure improvement in the amblyopic eye. And, at first, a child may feel frustrated while wearing the patch over the stronger eye. That's where the Eye Patch Club lends support.

Prevent Blindness America not only offers The Eye Patch Club, it also provides information about the warning signs of eye trouble in children, ideas on how to make a trip to the eye doctor fun and easy for children, and more detailed information about amblyopia. For free information, call 1-800-331-2020. (What an appropriate telephone number!)

DEAR ABBY: A while ago I read a letter in your column about a 17-year-old named Brandon McCoy who, every year on his birthday, has a party and asks his friends to bring gifts for charity. It inspired me to model my own attitude after Brandon's giving spirit.

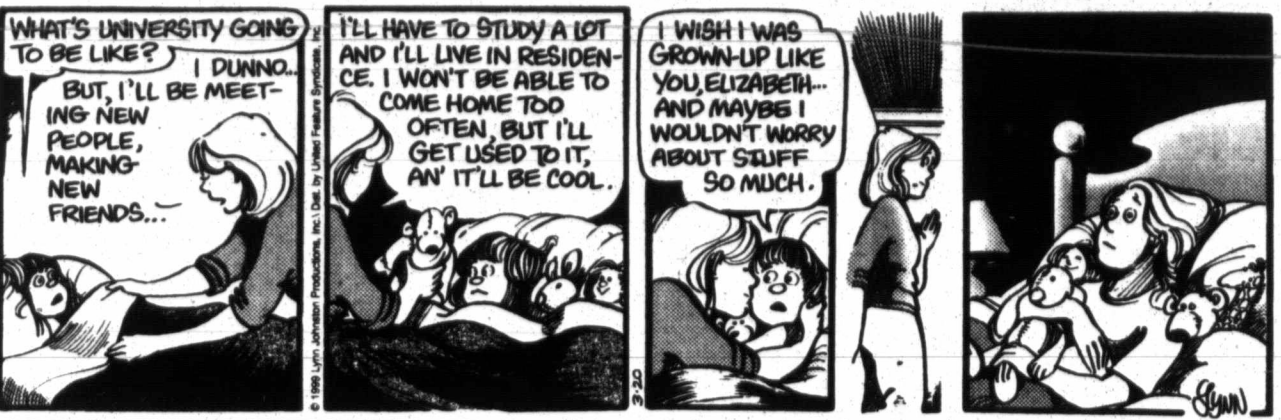
I too am 17. I love parties, so last Christmas I hosted a party and requested \$5 donations. It was a huge success! I raised more than \$100 for a local home for abused children and had a great time doing it.

I'd like to thank Brandon for the inspiration. Society tends to have a negative view of teen-agers, but he is living proof that we're not all bad. MARYBETH BARTELT, ST. LOUIS

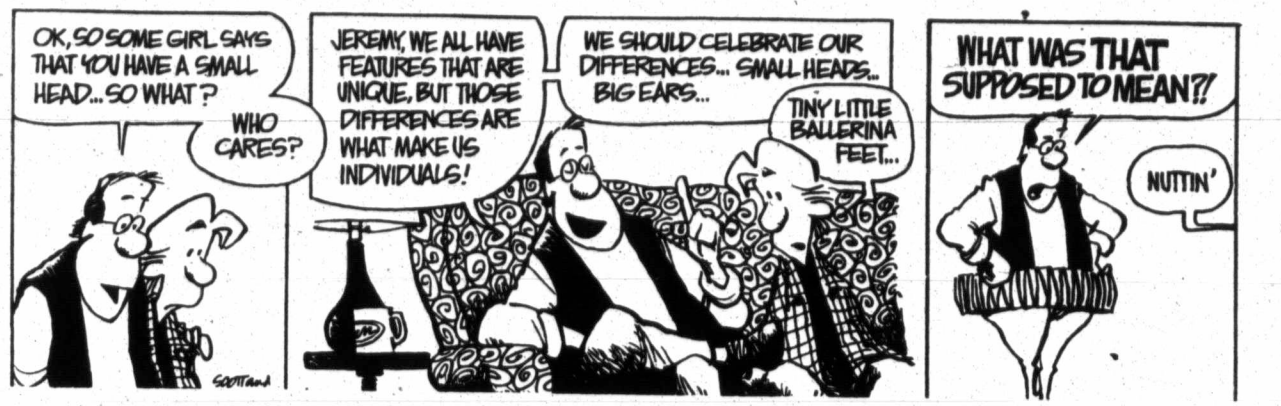
DEAR MARYBETH: I'm pleased that Brandon's story touched and inspired you. Acts of generosity, especially on the part of activist teens like you and Brandon, enhance the quality of life for all of us and deserve to be acknowledged.

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

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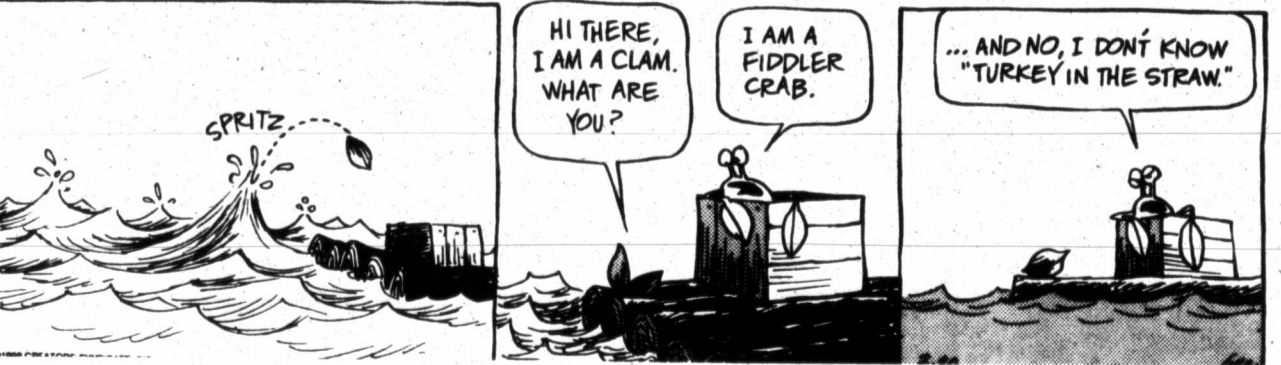
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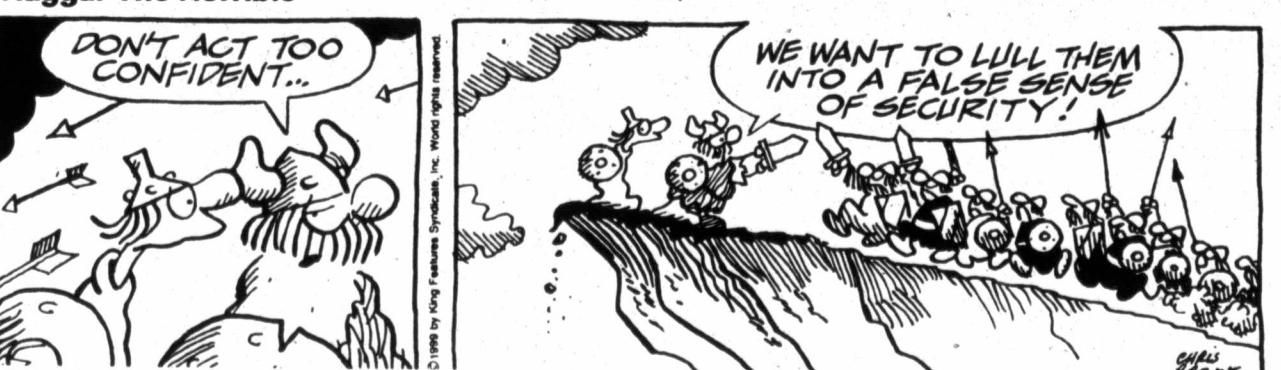
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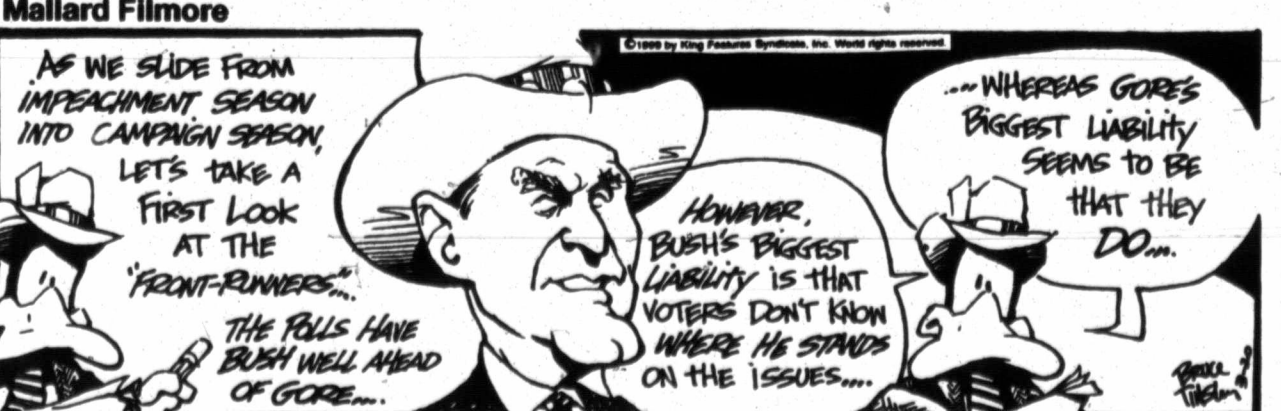
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Blondie



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Horoscope

MONDAY, MARCH 22, 1999
BY JACQUELINE BIGAR

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic, 4-Positive, 3-Average, 2-So-so, 1-Difficult

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

★★★★ Don't expect to get a moment's peace, as phone calls and visitors monopolize your time. You might feel overloaded. Handle tasks one at a time. Work alone, if you can, to avoid unnecessary distractions. Later, a friend's bright idea makes your creative juices flow. Tonight: Network and socialize.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★★ A money situation isn't critical, but you might feel that it is. A joint financial partnership has an undercurrent of unrest. You might think that another is taking unfair advantage of you or your funds. Discussions clear the air, but only after heating up uncomfortably. Hang in there! Tonight: Balance the books.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★★ Consider how going for what you want will affect a partner. You're entitled to happiness, but try not to make it at another's expense. Open up talks and find out where a key relationship is going. Remain objective as you think about long-term plans. Tonight: Show everyone how fun is done!

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★ You're overworked and feeling underpaid or underappreciated, but most of this is coming from genuine fatigue. Make

some spring health resolutions and do what you must to make them stick! Co-workers are nerve-racking. Don't take anything personally. Tonight: Find a yoga class.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★★ Life today is energized and fun. Seek new friends; you'll be happier and will be entertained by the associations you make. However, don't be surprised if a love interest tantrums, feeling left out — even if you include him fully! This is more about his love of drama than about any reality. Tonight: Chat online.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★★ Responsibilities pile up; you might be ready to scream "That's enough!" at the top of your lungs. A financial situation is of major interest to you, but you're distracted by a troublesome family member who's on a major power trip. Don't engage in this now situation. Tonight: Late at the office.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★★ Distant dreams call you, and you're only too happy to respond. Broaden your horizons; consider a trip or seminar to expand your mind. If you stay too close to home, you might regret it, as a sibling does what he can to draw you into an intrigue or argument. Tonight: Hit the highway!

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★★ Check out investments, go over tax receipts and get your financial affairs in order. A mistake could be discovered today, just in time to avoid an all-out disaster. Home life is bright and piques your creativity. Be open to different ways of decorating or arranging. Tonight: Have friends over.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★★ It's you versus a partner in a legal, contractual or image-related situation, and you're divided right down the middle about the best way to resolve it. Despite your

natural communicative abilities, be a word-miser. Another could try to manipulate you. Don't let him. Tonight: On the phone. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

★★★★ Work, co-workers and tasks are pervasive. You'll try to simplify a project while others walk behind you, complicating it again. Don't let frustration make you vulnerable to a jealous associate's games. Keep your eye on the big picture and you'll prevail. Tonight: Exhausted, falling into bed.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

★★★★ The day crackles with electric energy, just as you like it. Romance is present and at your fingertips; if single, a new friend could become much more. This is a banner day; use your wonderful imagination and ingenuity to create and achieve. Tonight: Perfect for a first date!

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★★ Home might be the best place to get work done, in spite of distractions and the attitudes of others that seep in even there. A boss' insecurity could be directed at you in the form of criticism or disapproval. If you can't steer clear, try not to take it personally. Your financial star rises. Tonight: Early to bed.

BORN TODAY

Singer George Benson (1943), actor Matthew Modine (1959), actor William Shatner (1931)

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Crossword Puzzle

Marmaduke

By THOMAS JOSEPH

- ACROSS
- Storage site
 - Skiing showoff
 - American lake
 - Sound unit
 - Car choice
 - Woodsman's tool
 - Of no use
 - Craps roll
 - Cass and
 - Michelle
 - Secret meeting
 - Extreme
 - Diver
 - Loungies
 - Nerd's kin
 - Best Picture of 1998
 - Church part
 - "Calm down!"
 - "Friends" character
 - The Joy Luck Club
 - writer
 - Advice to sinners
 - Trombone part
 - Steeple
 - Dialer's sound
 - Wager
- DOWN
- Beethoven work
 - Eyes
 - "Alice" character
 - Great weight
 - Egg-laying mammals
 - Suspect's story
 - Famous
 - Kitchen device
 - Foolish
 - London gallery
 - Small coin



Yesterday's answer



"Marm! When it's kissy time I'll let you know!"

The Family Circus



"This is the first time I've been to a real live cemetery!"

STUMPED?
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ENTERTAINMENT

Billboard music charts

By The Associated Press

Weekly charts for the nation's best-selling recorded music as they appear in next week's issue of Billboard magazine. Reprinted with permission. (Platinum signifies more than 1 million copies sold; Gold signifies more than 500,000 copies sold.)

Billboard Magazine Chart Leaders

(Compiled from national retail sales/airplay/rental charts)
HOT POP SINGLE: "Believe," Cher.
TOP POP ALBUM: "Fanmail," TLC.
HOT R&B SINGLE: "Heartbreak Hotel," Whitney Houston (feat. Faith Evans & Kelly Price).
TOP R&B ALBUM: "Bossalini," C-Murder.
HOT COUNTRY SINGLE/TRACK: "How Forever Feels," Kenny Chesney.
TOP COUNTRY ALBUM: "Come On Over," Shania Twain.
TOP VIDEO RENTAL: "There's Something About Mary."
TOP VIDEO SALE: "Ever After: A Cinderella Story."
TOP MUSIC VIDEO: "N The Mix With 'N Sync," 'N Sync.
Hot R&B Singles
 (Compiled from a national sample of sales reports and radio playlists)

1. "Heartbreak Hotel," Whitney Houston (feat. Faith Evans & Kelly Price). Arista. (Platinum)
 2. "What's It Gonna Be?!" Busta Rhymes (feat. Janet). FlipMode.
 3. "All Night Long," Faith Evans (feat. Puff Daddy). Bad Boy.
 4. "I Still Believe/Pure Imagination," Mariah Carey (feat. Krayzie Bone & Da Brat). Columbia.
 5. "You," Jesse Powell. Silas.
 6. "No Scrubs," TLC. LaFace.
 7. "If You (Lovin' Me)," Silk. Elektra.
 8. "Ex-Factor," Lauryn Hill. Ruffhouse.
 9. "Angel Of Mine," Monica. Arista. (Platinum)
 10. "Faded Pictures," Case (feat. Joe). Def Jam.

Top R&B Albums

(Compiled from a national sample of sales reports collected, compiled and provided by SoundScan)
 1. "Bossalini," C-Murder. No Limit.
 2. "Fanmail," TLC. LaFace.
 3. "The Slim Shady LP," Eminem. Web.
 4. "The Misadventure Of Lauryn Hill," Lauryn Hill. (Platinum)
 5. "The Movement," Mase Presents... Harlem World. All Out.
 6. "400 Degreaz," Juvenile. Cash Money. (Gold)
 7. "Flesh Of My Flesh Blood Of My Blood," DMX. Ruff Ryder. (Platinum)
 8. "Things Fall Apart," The Roots. MCA.
 9. Soundtrack: "The Corruptor." Jive.

10. "R," R. Kelly. Jive. (Platinum)
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Hot Rap Singles
 (Compiled from a national sample of sales reports collected, compiled, and provided by SoundScan)

1. "What's It Gonna Be?!" Busta Rhymes (feat. Janet). FlipMode.
 2. "It Ain't My Fault 1 & 2," Silk The Shocker (feat. Mystikal). No Limit.
 3. "Hard Knock Life (Ghetto Anthem)," Jay-Z. Roc-A-Fella.
 4. "Nann," Trick Daddy. Slip-N-Slide.
 5. "NAS Is Like," NAS. Columbia.
 6. "Watch For The Hook," Cool Breeze. Organized.
 7. "Woof," Snoop Dogg. No Limit.
 8. "Respiration," Mos Def & Talib Kweli Are Black Star (feat. Common). Rawkus.
 9. "Here I Go," Infamous Syndicate. Relativity.
 10. "Ghetto Cowboy," Mo Thugs Family (feat. Bone Thugs-N-Harmony) Mo Thugs. (Gold)
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Hot Dance Music — Club Play

(Compiled from a national sample of dance club playlists)
 1. "Jackie's Strength," Tori Amos. Atlantic.
 2. "Heartbreak Hotel," Whitney Houston. Arista.
 3. "Nothing Really Matters," Madonna. Maverick.
 4. "I Still Believe," Mariah Carey. Columbia.
 5. "Ecstasy (Take Your Shirts Off)," Johnny Vicious. Groovilicious.
 6. "We Like To Party," Vengaboys. Groovilicious.
 7. "Body," Funky Green Dog. Twisted.
 8. "Joy," Kathy Brown. Definity.
 9. "Baby Wants To Ride," Hani. Groovilicious.
 10. "(You Got Me) Burnin' Up," Cevin Fisher. Tommy Boy.

Hot Adult Contemporary

(Compiled from a national sample of airplay supplied by Broadcast Data Systems)
 1. "Angel," Sarah McLachlan. Warner Sunset.
 2. "Written In The Stars," Elton John & LeAnn Rimes. Curb.
 3. "Faith Of The Heart," Rod Stewart. Universal.
 4. "I'm Your Angel," R. Kelly & Celine Dion. Jive.
 5. "True Colors," Phil Collins. Face Value.
 6. "From This Moment On," Shania Twain. Mercury.
 7. "God Must Have Spent A Little More Time on You," 'N Sync. RCA.
 8. "Hands," Jewel. Atlantic.
 9. "Love Of My Life," Jim Brickman (feat. Micael W. Smith). Windham Hill.

Celebrity flashbacks

By The Associated Press

Entertainment highlights during the week of March 21-27:

60 years ago: Basil Rathbone and Nigel Bruce starred in "The Hound of the Baskervilles."

50 years ago: "Hamlet" was named best picture at the Academy Awards. Laurence Olivier, who directed and starred in the film, won the Oscar for best actor.

Ava Gardner and Elizabeth Taylor were among a group of young actresses who handed out the statuettes at the Academy Awards. Miss Taylor walked out to the strains of "Did You Ever See a Dream Walking?"

"And 'Ma and Pa Kettle' starred Marjorie Main and Percy

Kilbride. It was the first of a series of movies based on the characters that appeared in "The Egg and I."

45 years ago: "From Here to Eternity" won the best picture award at the Oscars. The film starred Burt Lancaster, Montgomery Clift, Deborah Kerr and Frank Sinatra.

35 years ago: The Beatles made their first appearance on BBC-TV's "Top of the Pops," singing "Can't Buy Me Love."

And John Lennon's book of nonsense verse and rhyme, "In His Own Write," was published in Britain.

30 years ago: Newlyweds John Lennon and Yoko Ono held their first "Bed-In for Peace" in Amsterdam.

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Miss Texas USA Pageant to be aired from Lubbock

LUBBOCK — This year's Miss Texas USA Pageant's preliminary show and competition will be held at 7 p.m. July 3 in Lubbock. A dress rehearsal and autograph party will be at 7 p.m. July 4.

A popular convention site, Lubbock will offer a picturesque and historic setting for the two-hour, live telecast to be aired from 8-10 p.m. (Central) July 5.

More than 100 young women from all over the Lone Star State will converge on the home of Texas Tech University. Lubbock features many attractions and is home of the Buddy Holly Walk of Fame and Museum, the Ranching Heritage Center outdoor museum, Lubbock Lake Landmark State Historical Park and the Lubbock Depot District.

The new Miss Texas USA will represent the state in the national televised Miss USA pageant to be held in February 2000. Miss USA then goes on to the ultimate of pageants, Miss Universe.

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AGRICULTURE

The Market Forecaster

By George Kleinman

Wheat (Bull)

Outlook: Last week we wrote, "it's not the news that counts, but rather the reaction to the news." In other words, a bullish reaction to bearish news is bullish. The bearish news was the heavy deliveries on the first delivery day for the March contract by one large commercial firm. Looking back, the market bottomed out that day with that bearish news. Subsequently, this same firm came back into the market (at higher prices) and took some of this wheat back. It was prior to Thanksgiving that the news of the Russian grain shortages, and talk of massive donations by both the U.S. and Europe, started to surface. It has taken a long time to get this program moving, and somehow the Russians muddled through the winter, but this all seems to be on track now. This is a bullish factor, as is the recent pick-up in (previously weak) export business. The market is entering the "weather scare" season for new crop winter wheat, and with seven percent lower acres than last year. In the coming months, the unexpected (weather or export) news will more likely be bullish than bearish. The bull is back in the box.

Strategy: Hedgers: It remains too early to hedge new crop at current prices, my opinion. For

those who wish to maintain ownership of previously sold cash wheat, hold onto previously recommended call options, for example, the July 270 Chicago calls suggested in past updates.

Traders: Look to be a buyer of the July Chicago on breaks under 277. Be prepared to risk to 264.

Corn (Bear)

Outlook: The corn prices have been running higher on massive commodity fund buying. Actually, it is not new buying, rather covering of short positions. Many of these funds are "trend followers" and because of this they have been short corn since last October when the trend turned down. Estimates recently suggested that as much as 150 million bushels of corn futures, a large amount, were purchased by funds. This represents one-half to two-thirds of their short position, so if they choose to continue, they have more to buy. Perhaps the fund managers feel uncomfortable being short as we approach the weather scare planting and growing season. Short covering is the weakest kind of buying, so I am reluctant to put the bull in the box. The fundamentals of large ending stocks at 1.786 are burdensome. Fundamentally and historically corn remains overpriced in relation to soybeans. Despite this, look for a more two-

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sided action in the coming weeks.

Strategy: Hedgers: New crop corn is too cheap to hedge at this time, but no reason to be a buyer. Stand aside.

Traders: Stand aside until the fund action winds down.

Soybeans (Bull/Bear)

Outlook: The well-known bearish news of poor export activity and a large South American crop should be well discounted in price at this point. After all, the bean futures did reach 24-year lows this year. Adjusted for inflation, they reached the lowest levels they have ever been in history. It does appear to me that this market hit its bottom on the last day of February. After an initial rally, the market made a classic test of the lows on March 4, but could not reach new lows. Now it is climbing a wall of worry, and the bears cannot understand why it is

going up at all. It is my belief the soybean acreage will be lower than anticipated, so the prospective planting report end of the month just might be a bullish surprise. Look for a two-sided affair into planting time, but with a more bullish bias.

Strategy: Hedgers: Selective hedgers are out. If you wish to maintain ownership, consider a purchase if the trend turns back up using a buy stop (now at 492 July).

Traders: Last week we missed our buy point in the Novembers by one penny. (The recommendation was to be a buyer at 481, but the market only reached 482.) Longer-term traders can now look to buy any breaks under 495, but should be willing to risk a close under 480.

Cattle (Bull)

Outlook: The longer-term bull trend remains intact. Last week, we discussed the disparity between high futures prices and lower cash prices. It has been my experience that the futures tend to look ahead, and they are right more often than not. With the improving cash cattle prices recently, this spread has narrowed significantly and the near-by futures contracts do not look all that expensive any more. With the much better boxed beef prices seen recently, packers should continue to pay up for dwindling supplies. Looking ahead, many analysts feel the market will peak in April and trend lower into the summer. Lower June and August futures prices tend to support this sentiment, but I would not be so sure. The economics of tight supplies should be with us for the remainder of the year.

Strategy: Feeders: Feeders have been advised to own at the money put options through August. This is a better alternative to shorting futures in a bull market and when the trend is up. This is because the puts protect your downside but never limit your upside potential.

Cow/calf operators: Cattle feeders remain buy-hedged at an average price in the 68-69 range basis the April and forward futures. Hold until you buy your replacement feeders.

Traders: We are on the sidelines again this week.

*What do you think?
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Write a letter!*

Open Forum Thursday at M.K. Brown Auditorium

A Texas Community Futures open forum is set for Thursday from 7-9:30 p.m. at M.K. Brown Auditorium.

The local agricultural extension service is hosting the event designed to listen to the people and those involved in finding solutions to local issues.

The Pampa forum is one of a number throughout the state in which Texans from all segments of the population will be asked to study, discuss and define their community's current and future needs.

Priority issues and needs, identified in all 254 counties, will be shared with all partners and used as the basis for the extension service's long-range outreach education plan for 2000-2003.

By participating in the process, the organizations represented will have access to a comprehensive needs assessment.

Top-selling human drug ok'd for horses

WASHINGTON (AP) — The top-selling prescription drug for humans is now going to the farm: The government has approved the chemical in Prilosec to treat ulcers in horses.

New Jersey-based Merck Limited will sell the horse drug under the brand name GastroGard. It's made of omeprazole, the active ingredient in the Prilosec that humans use to treat their own ulcers. For horses, omeprazole is mixed into an oral paste.

Who knew horses got ulcers? Actually, the seriousness of equine stomach ulcers is a fairly recent discovery, and today's approval by the Food and Drug Administration provides veterinarians with their first treatment.

Gastric ulcers are a common problem in foals and in horses in stressful environments, particularly racehorses and other performance horses, the FDA said.

According to Merck, up to 1.8 million performance horses may have ulcers. The most noticeable symptoms are decreased appetite, colic, poor hair coat and poor body condition. In foals, symptoms also may include intermittent nursing.

In humans, stress does not cause ulcers — a bacterium called *H. pylori* is the main culprit. Also, certain medications such as aspirin can cause ulcers by eroding the stomach lining. Most human patients are treated with a combination of antibiotics to kill *H. pylori* and anti-acid drugs such as Prilosec that shut down gastric acid production so the stomach has time to heal.

H. pylori hasn't been found in horses. Feeding practices, training and trailering, competing and even hospitalization seem to contribute to ulcer formation, Merck said.

Veterinarians tested GastroGard in 300 horses at 15 sites around the country. Used once a day for four weeks, it healed or reduced the severity of ulcers in 99 percent of treated horses, Merck said.

The FDA approved its use in foals older than 4 weeks and adult horses, by prescription only from a licensed veterinarian. FDA warned there is no proof of the drug's safety in pregnant or lactating mares.

Incentive program deadline coming up

The Natural Resources Conservation Service has set the ranking deadlines for the 1999 Environmental Quality Incentive Program. The first ranking deadline for the 1999 program year is March 31, 1999, and a second ranking deadline is set for July 1, 1999.

Applications for individual landowners interested in participating in the EQIP during the 1999 program year received before March 31 will be ranked for program eligibility during April and any received after March 31 will be ranked after the July 1 deadline. Producers who did not qualify for EQIP during the March 31 ranking period may request a deferment from their local Farm Service Agency and be eligible to be re-ranked during the July 1 ranking period.

It should be noted applications received after the July 1 deadline as part of the EQIP continuous program sign-up provisions will be held until the 2000 program year ranking period.

Private landowners should be aware EQIP provides technical, educational and financial assistance to eligible farmers and ranchers to address soil, water and related natural resource concerns on their lands in an environmentally beneficial and cost-effective manner. EQIP is a voluntary program and is designed to assist farmers and ranchers with placing natural resource conservation practices on their property.

Cost share is provided to program participants to achieve the goals of a conservation plan designed with the assistance of local NRCS staff. Cost share practices include placement of appropriate structural or vegetative practices such as animal waste management, facilities, irrigation management equipment, vegetative buffers and wildlife habitat enhancement, to name a few. Eligible practices will depend on the location of the farm or ranch on which the practice is to be installed and the major resource concern to be addressed in that particular area.

SUNDAY SNAPSHOT

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| • When I grow up I want to be: _____ | • My favorite beverage: _____ |
| • My personal hero: _____ | • My favorite restaurant is: _____ |
| • The best advice I ever got was: _____ | • My favorite pet: _____ |
| • People who knew me in High School thought: "or" _____ | • For my last meal, I would choose: "or" _____ |
| • My classmates think of me as: _____ | • My favorite meal is: _____ |
| • The best word or words to describe me: _____ | • I wish I could sing like: _____ |
| • People will remember me as being: _____ | • I'm happiest when I'm: _____ |
| • The four guests at my fantasy dinner party would be: _____ | • I regret: _____ |
| • My hobbies are: _____ | • I'm tired of: _____ |
| • My favorite sports team is: _____ | • I have a phobia about: "or" _____ |
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| • The last book I read was: _____ | • The electrical device I couldn't live without is: _____ |
| • My favorite possession is: _____ | • My most embarrassing moment: _____ |
| • The biggest honor I've ever received is: _____ | • The biggest waste of time is: _____ |
| • My favorite performer is: _____ | • If I won the lottery, the most extravagant thing I would do is: _____ |
| • I wish I knew how to: _____ | • If I had three wishes they would be: _____ |
| • My trademark cliché or expression is: _____ | • If I could change one thing about Pampa, it would be: _____ |
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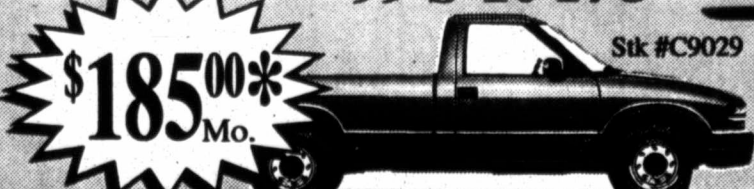
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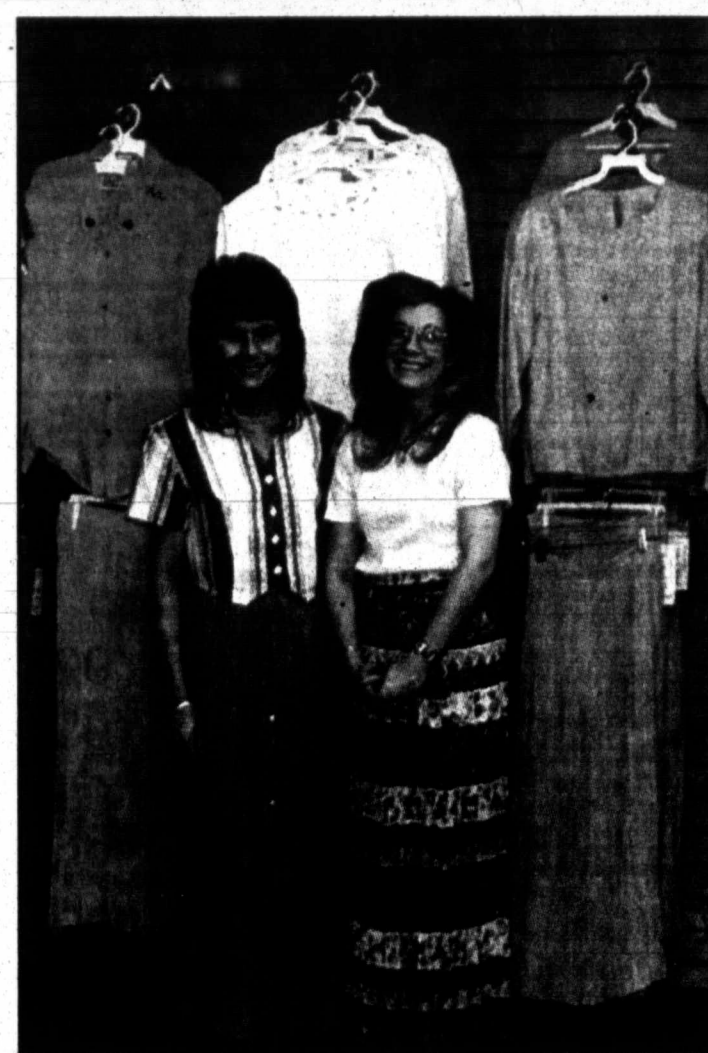
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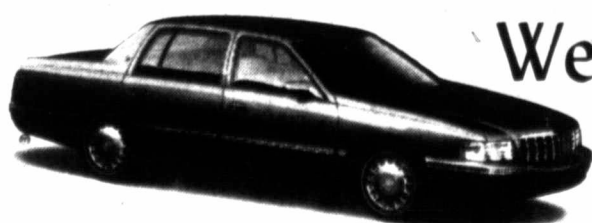


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