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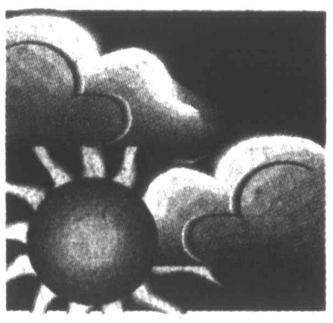
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PAMPA — The Social Security offices in Pampa are being remodeled and new furniture is being installed June 10.

The agency said the office will be in disarray from June 5 until June 10 with the removal of the old furniture and arrival of the new. They suggest that anyone who has business with the agency take care of it before that date or wait until after the June 10 date. They also suggest using the toll-free number 1-800-772-1213 instead of visiting the office whenever possible.

They said walk-in customers will be helped during those dates but the waits will be longer due to having to work around the furniture changes.

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Smugglers of toucans, macaws, spider monkeys and other exotic animals sometimes destroy precious wildlife habitat while committing their crimes.

A three-year investigation of trafficking in such exotics has ended the smuggling operation, the U.S. Customs Service announced Friday.

Before the bust, a lynx was bound and gagged and dragged across the Rio Grande. Baby parrots were stuffed inside a cardboard box and hidden beneath a car's floorboard carpet.

"The motive, of course, is money," said Customs special agent Leonard Lindheim.

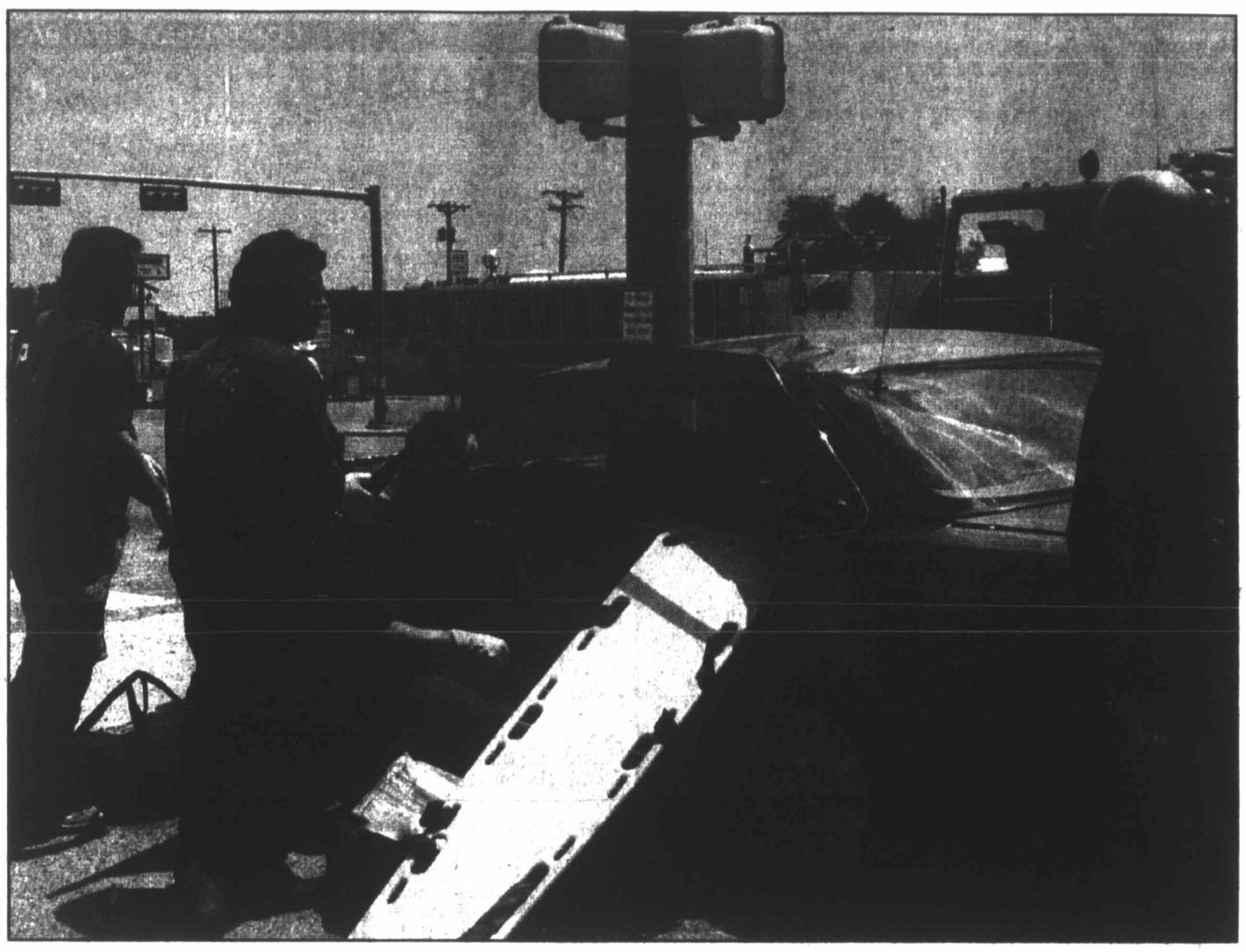
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Price Road and Highway 152 crash...



(Pampa News photo by Jeff West)

A Ford Taurus driven by Rhea Hill, 24, of Pampa, and a White Deer Ambulance that was running lights and sirens en route with a patient to Columbia Medical Center collided Friday afternoon at Price Road and Highway 152. No serious injuries were reported in the crash.

Ambulance on emergency run, car collide at intersection

A Ford Taurus was completely destroyed and a White Deer Volunteer Ambulance damaged when the two vehicles collided early Friday afternoon at Price Road and Highway 152.

The ambulance was making an emergency run from White Deer carrying Nick Ball, an eighth-grader who had fallen out of a pickup in White Deer. The ambulance was heading north on Price Road with lights and sirens on.

The driver, Ray Pipes, 26, said at the scene he slowed at the intersection and everyone he saw was stopped. He then started to cross the intersection.

The Taurus, driven by Rhea Hill, 24, was headed west on 152 went through the intersection where she collided with the ambulance. The force of the impact sent the Taurus into a signal light pole where the car ended up facing east.

Hill apparently was wearing a seat belt and the air bag in the Ford deployed. Hill apparently suffered only minor injuries according to witnesses. Pipes was uninjured. A spokesman at Columbia Medical Center said Ball was released Friday afternoon.

There was some concern because a child safety seat was in the rear seat where the impact occurred but no child was in the car.

DPS Trooper John Nelson, who investigated the accident, advised afterwards that the DPS recommends keeping a child safety seat secured in the middle of the rear seat to avoid injuries from a side collision.

Tax contracts, telephone plan on agenda

The Gray County Commissioners Court will discuss renewing tax collection contracts and helping out the town of McLean and Lake McClellan during their meeting Monday.

Tax Assessor/Collector Sammi Morris will ask to renew contracts for tax collection for the city of Pampa, PISD, and the city of Lefors.

McLean is scheduled to ask for assistance to remove a building that was damaged in the recent wind storm that hit the city. Park Ranger Reggie Blackwell is on the agenda to discuss the Challenge-Cost Share needs to complete several projects at Lake McClellan. The county has helped with such projects before usually giving assistance in the form of labor and use of equipment rather than money.

The Court will also hear from a Southwestern Bell representative on a proposal to extend area calling services from Pampa to Amarillo.

The commissioners will also give recognition to Auditor Elaine Morris and Assistant Auditor Carla Carter for completing some continuing education courses from the University of Texas.

Museum exhibits undergo a facelift

The White Deer Land Museum will soon be exhibiting a facelift.

The museum is undergoing renovations in some of its permanent collection that are scheduled to be completed by about the second week of June, according to the museum's curator, Anne Davidson.

A large arrowhead collection, one the most extensive of its kind in the Southwest, Davidson said, is being moved to a new location in the building. Donated by the family of Mr. R.J. Sailor after his death in 1977, the collection has been moved to an area with "new lighting and new design courtesy of a grant from the Amarillo Area Foundation," said Davidson.

New wall cases are also being constructed for the Holland Wing Gallery, "where we can better tell the story of Ft. Elliot which originated in Gray County," she said.

See **MUSEUM**, Page 2

Some will get notice of appraisal

The Gray County Appraisal District is sending out notices of appraised value to some Gray County residents.

The appraisal district sends out notices about this time of year to property owners whose property values have changed with reappraisal. The properties include those that have changed ownership, lost an exemption, been reappraised or had other changes that affect value will receive notice.

Other notices are being sent due to changes mandated by the legislature for this year. The legislature said properties located in a school district that overlaps into one of the surrounding counties has to receive notice.

Chief Appraiser Pat Bagley said since school districts within Gray County extend the appraisal district into four surrounding counties there will be a sizable number of notices mailed to satisfy the new law.

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Sunday snapshot



Name: Hope Michelle Baker
Occupation/Activities: Student.
Birth date and place: 6-2-84 in Lubbock.
Family: Mother, Linda; Sister, Jennifer; Godfather, Jim Teeter.
When I grow up I want to be: A foreign missionary.
My personal hero: Reverend Jim Teeter.
The best advice I ever got was: "All you must do is believe and your plan will succeed."
My classmates think of me as: faithful.
The best word or words to describe me: sweet smile and bright blue eyes.
People will remember me as being: a Christian who loves the Lord.
The four guests at my fantasy dinner party would be: my dad, Gordon, Princess Diana, Mother Teresa and Jim Teeter.
My hobbies are: volleyball and listening to music.
My favorite sports team is: Chicago White Sox.
My favorite author is: Andrew Morton.
The last book I read was: "Diana: Her True Story"
My favorite possession is: my Bible.
The biggest honor I've ever received is: my medallion I won in volleyball.
My favorite performer is: Whoopi Goldberg
I wish I knew how to: play the organ.
My trademark cliche or expression is: "Sunday's never gonna get here."
My worst habit is: drowning the bathroom floor.
I would never: kiss a boy.
The last good movie I saw was: "Dances With Wolves"
I stay home to watch: "Home Improvement"
Nobody knows: "Right, like I'd tell you!"
Someday I want to drive a: red Lincoln Towncar.
My favorite junk food is: pizza.
My favorite beverage: Dr. Pepper.
My favorite restaurant is: El Vaquero.
My favorite pet: Mike, my grandparent's cat.
My favorite meal is: pizza and breadsticks.
I wish I could sing like: Reba McEntire.
I'm happiest when I'm: at church.
I regret: ever listening to Satan.
I'm tired of: getting blamed for everything.
My biggest fear is: dying
The electrical device I couldn't live without is: my stereo.
The biggest waste of time is: doing my homework.
If I won the lottery, the most extravagant thing I would do is: pay all our bills and pay all of the church's bills.
If I had three wishes they would be: All our bills would be paid, St. Paul Methodist Church would have all the money they need for the building fund and never have to do homework again.
If I could change one thing about Pampa, it would be: Don't even ask.

(Would you or someone you know like to be featured in Sunday Snapshot? All you have to do is answer the above questions or pick up a handy form at The Pampa News. You may supply a photo or we'll take one.)

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Services tomorrow

WOOD, Helen Rhea — 2 p.m., Minton/Chatwell Funeral Directors Memorial Chapel, Borger.

Obituaries

RICHARD LEE DHANE

SHAMROCK – Richard Lee Dhane, 49, died Thursday, May 28, 1998. Graveside services were Saturday in Lela Cemetery at Lela with Sid Smith, minister of the Church of Christ of Shamrock, officiating. Burial was in Lela Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Directors of Shamrock.

Mr. Dhane was a farm laborer and had been a Lela resident for the past nine years. He married Joyce Crosby on May 14, 1990, at Shamrock. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife, Joyce, of Lela; two daughters, Teresa Harker of Sherman and Sally Dhane of Durant, Okla.; two sons, Shannon Dhane and Richard Dhane, both of Sherman; his parents, G.W. and Jean Dhane of Whitewright; three sisters, Joyce Harris of Sweetwater and Irene Dhane and Martha Wheeler, both of Sherman; and five brothers, Geroge Dhane, Time Dhane and Johnny Dhane, all of Sherman, and Jim Dhane and Andy Dhane, both of Whitewright.

HELEN RHEA WOOD

BORGER – Helen Rhea Wood, 94, died Thursday, May 28, 1998. Services will be at 2 p.m. Monday in Minton/Chatwell Funeral Directors Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Leonard Forsythe, pastor of Bible Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery at Pampa.

Mrs. Wood was born at Chicago, Ill. She married Claud Wood in 1924 at Newkirk, Okla.; he died in 1994. She had been a Borger resident since 1939, moving from Wewoka, Okla. She was a homemaker and a Baptist.

Survivors include a daughter, Lois Gene Newman of Springdale, Ark.; three sons, William Henson Wood of Skellytown and Thomas Claude Wood and Roy Wood, both of Fritch; 13 grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren; and 11 great-great-grandchildren.

Fires

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

Friday, May 29

1:48 p.m. - Three units and seven personnel responded to a motor vehicle accident at Price Road and Highway 152.

10:07 p.m. - Two units and three personnel responded to a cooking oil spill in the 1400 block of N. Hobart.

Police report

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

Thursday, May 28

Allsups, 1025 W. Wilks, reported the theft of a six pack of beer, six ball caps and two pair of sunglasses.

Friday, May 29

A theft at 500 W. Browning was reported in which a .25-caliber automatic, two pair tennis shoes, a grinder and two shed doors were taken. Total value of goods is $360.

Saturday, May 30

Steven Lee Cook, 41, 723 Malone, charged with theft valued over $50 and under $500.

Gary Lee Payne, 46, Baton Rouge, La., driving while intoxicated first offense.

Joseph W. Barton, 57, 804 N. West, charged with no liability insurance, violation of promise to appear, fictitious license plate.

Sheriff's Office

The following arrests were made by the Gray County Sheriff's Department during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Saturday.

Friday, May 29

Ronald Proby Jr., 19, 701 Octavus, charged with burglary of a habitation.

Camma Evone Rogers, 29, Amarillo, charged with unlawful use of a motor vehicle.

Ambulance

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

Friday, May 29

11 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to 16E on Highway 152 on a medical call and transported one patient to Columbia Medical Center.

1:27 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 500 block of Short on a medical call and transported one patient to Columbia Medical Center.

1:50 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to Highway 152 and Price Road on a motor vehicle accident and transported to patients to Columbia Medical Center.

3:24 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 500 block of N. Ward on an injury and transported one patient to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

6:27 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to Columbia Medical Center and transported one patient to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

8:55 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 600 block of N. Wells on a medical call and transported one patient to Columbia Medical Center.

Saturday, May 30

12:25 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 800 block of W. 25th on a medical call and transported one patient to Columbia Medical Center.

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MUSEUM

"It was the only military post in the Texas Panhandle," added Davidson.

These cases were funded by a Southwestern Bell Telephone Company grant and information for the grant was submitted by Mary Fatheree. The cases are being built by Jim Davidson.

"The Holland Wing Exhibit is being carpeted by the White Deer and Museum Foundation Board Chaired by Bill Arrington," according to Anne Davidson.

"The board holds fundraisers each year to help with museum capitol improvements. The 1998 fundraiser will be held just before Labor Day and we are very grateful to this board and hope the public will support their fundraising events."

The Exhibits Committee of the museum's advisory board is opening a new summer exhibit during the first week in June in the Holland Wing, said Davidson.

The exhibit will be a wildflower theme and will feature local artists along with varieties of panhandle flowers and grasses. The committee working on this display is headed by Howard Graham and serving with him is Donna Burger, Mary Sturgeon, Cynthia West, Helen Wilson and Gerald Wright.

"These improvements are being made in order to collect and preserve our history more efficiently," said Davidson. "We encourage local and area people to bring their families and summer guests to the museum during their stay in Pampa."

The museum Art Gallery will be exhibiting works by Liz Shipman of Wheeler until August.

"It is because of the generosity of Pioneer families and friends of them museum that the displays have maintained authenticity and professionalism for the past 28 years. Don't miss a trip to you local museum this summer," Davidson said.

Summer hours are Tues.-Fri., 10 to 4 p.m., Sat-Sun, 1 to 4 p.m. The museum is located at 112-116 S. Cuyler.

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APPRAISAL

Property owners who receive a notice should make sure the description of their properties is correct and that applications for any exemptions and special values are filed in both appraisal districts. Bagley said property owners may call the Gray County Appraisal District to see if all applicable exemptions are properly filed.

The notices will look different this year. They will come in a standard appraisal district envelope rather than the "snap" mailers of years past. They will also include a second sheet listing taxpayers' rights. A Notice of Protest will also be in the envelope but Bagley asks people with questions to come by or call the office rather than just fill out the protest form. Since all letters of protest have to be acknowledged by certified mail answering simple questions that way could be expensive for the county.

Bagley said answers to many questions property owners have may be answered in an advertisement the district has in the Sunday *Pampa News*.

Kenneth Starr arouses ire with bookstore subpoena

WASHINGTON (AP) — In 1987, when conservative judge Robert Bork was a nominee for the Supreme Court, an alternative weekly paper published a list of the videos he had rented.

Conservatives and liberals alike were outraged, and ever since then Washington has been sensitive to the disclosure of that sort of private information.

On Friday, customers applauded when Bill Kramer stood in the trendy bookstore-eatery he founded 22 years ago and announced he intends to fight Kenneth Starr's subpoena for Monica Lewinsky's book purchases.

While Kramer spoke, some members of his store's staff wore their sentiments on their backs. Their black T-shirts read "Subpoenaed for Book Selling."

Said customer Lauren Dame, "I buy books once a week here and the idea that my reading list — not that it is something I'm ashamed of — would be subpoenaed strikes me as quite an invasion."

A few months ago Kramer got some dirty looks from customers — and drew a picket line from librarians — when his initial reaction to Starr's subpoena suggested that he would comply. But he said he was misunderstood.

"We educated ourselves on these issues after that first week," Kramer told reporters at Friday's bookstore news conference.

However, victory is by no means certain. A sympathetic First Amendment lawyer says he doubts the bookstore has legal grounds for resistance.

"My gut feeling is that bookstores are not in a good position," said Steven Shiffrin, a Cornell University law professor.

In decisions since the 1970s the Supreme Court "has allowed police and prosecutors without a search warrant, without a subpoena, to go through your trash, to get your mailman to look at outgoing and incoming mail, to get the bank to give up your credit records, get the telephone company to give up a list of calls you receive or make," Shiffrin said. "A bookstore might as well be a fertilizer factory so far as the law is concerned."

Starr, investigating whether President Clinton engaged in sexual activity with Ms. Lewinsky and then asked her to lie about it, has been trying to reconstruct all her activities, which suggests his interest in her book list.

According to sources familiar with the investigation, Ms. Lewinsky received a copy of Walt Whitman's classic poem, "Leaves of Grass," from Clinton, and prosecutors are trying to determine if her own purchases included Nicholson Baker's steamy novel about phone sex, "Vox."

In Chicago, where Book Expo America, the world's largest convention of English language book publishers and sellers is about to begin, Topic A was the Starr subpoena of Ms. Lewinsky's purchases from the Barnes & Noble store in Georgetown and from Kramerbooks & Afterwords near Washington's DuPont Circle, a store that offers latte along with literature.

"This is the biggest controversy in the nine years of this foundation's existence," said Chris Finan, president of the American Bookseller Foundation for Free Expression. "This strikes close to home."

He said the fight against Starr's subpoena has drawn support from the American Library Association, Association of American Publishers, Freedom to Read Foundation, National Association of College Stores, American Bookseller Association and other groups.

After the Bork video rental list was published, Congress and a number of states enacted laws making such disclosures illegal. But they apply only to video records, not book purchases.

Kramer said that, despite a partial victory last month, he would fight "the government's invasion of our customers' privacy" and appeal a federal judge's ruling. He said legal costs so far exceed $100,000 and he is getting financial help from others in the industry.

The hat will be passed at the Chicago convention, Finan said.

The partial victory came in an order from Judge Norma Holloway Johnson narrowing Starr's broad original subpoena, which apparently sought a list of books charged to Ms. Lewinsky's credit card since November 1995.

The judge quoted Supreme Court Justice William Douglas' 1963 opinion that "once the government can demand of a publisher the names of the purchasers of his publications, the free press as we know it disappears."

On Friday, when Kramer announced plans to appeal, some customers broke into applause. In the children's book corner, two preschoolers sat on the wooded floor and buried themselves in oversized kids' book, indifferent to the adults.

First Texas Million game

AUSTIN (AP) — The first Texas Million prize was worth ... $1 million. Four Texans won it.

The numbers drawn Friday night for the new weekly Texas Lottery game were, in order, 5, 28, 16 and 27. The winning tickets were sold in Farmers Branch, Paris, San Antonio and Victoria.

"We spent about two years working on this game," said Pam Udall, the lottery's on-line product manager. "Our players say they like the game because they have multiple ways to win on one ticket, that they can play for a $1 million cash prize and that the odds were only 1 in 3.9 million."

The dynamics of the game may take some getting used to, however.

The $2 game ticket, which is similar to those used for Lotto Texas, Cash 5 and Pick 3, is divided into three categories.

The top section is for the $1 million prize. The second section is for a top prize of $25,000; and a third is for a $10,000 prize.

Players, by choice or Quick Pick, get four numbers from 0 to 99 that could win $1 million.

They also receive six additional sets of four numbers that are automatically generated. Two sets of those numbers are in the $25,000 category, while the other four sets are in the $10,000 category.

Weather

We apologize that the weather wasn't available from the source.

Hartman family plans funerals; tell concern for two children

By LYNN ELBER
AP Television Writer

In their statement, the Hartman and Omdahl families — Mrs. Hartman's maiden name — said they have one goal: "to protect, shelter and serve the children."

Family friend Joel Diamond said the children were reacting to the tragedy in their own way. Diamond said he and his wife, Andrea, and Hartman's brother tried to comfort the children with a visit to a park.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The deaths of Phil Hartman and his wife cannot erase the fact they were a loving and devoted couple, their families said, dismissing "unbridled speculation" that the marriage was in trouble.

"This tragedy is not indicative of who she was or who they were together," said a statement issued Friday on behalf of Phil and Brynn Hartman's relatives. "Our sadness is beyond words and beyond understanding."

An autopsy performed Friday showed that Hartman, who won fame on "Saturday Night Live" and later on "NewsRadio," died of multiple gunshot wounds to the head. His wife died of a single, self-inflicted shot to the head, coroner's spokesman Scott Carrier said.

Test results for drugs and alcohol were not expected for a week to 10 days. Police were withholding comment on the case, Officer Eduardo Funes said Friday, noting that rumors were rampant.

Mrs. Hartman, 40, apparently shot her husband Thursday morning in the family's Encino home, then shot herself as officers arrived to investigate.

The Los Angeles Times reported today that Mrs. Hartman left the home after the shooting, leaving behind one or both of the children.

Unidentified police sources told the newspaper that Mrs. Hartman spent several hours at a male friend's house early Thursday before returning home and killing herself.

The friend, who was not identified, did not initially believe the story told by Mrs. Hartman, who was nearly incoherent, as she confessed to the killing. She soon fell asleep and he searched her purse, finding a gun which he confiscated, police sources told the newspaper.

The man called 911 and escorted 9-year-old Sean Hartman from the home as police arrived. Six-year-old Birgen was being removed from the home by authorities when Mrs. Hartman killed herself.

Private funeral services were pending, relatives said Friday.

Outside the Hartmans' gate, flowers, candles and notes were spread out on the sidewalk.

Judee Regan, 30, dropped off a basket of yellow daisies for the Hartmans' children. "I have two children of my own and I feel really bad that something like this can happen."

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"I don't think the little girl can comprehend what happened, except for the fact she's never going to see her mommy and daddy again," said Diamond said.

"I was on the swings with Sean, and it was so sad. I asked him, 'Is there anyplace I can take you? Can I take you to Disneyland, can I take you somewhere?'

"He said 'It's really very nice of you, but my mommy promised, she was telling me how many places we're going to be going. I don't think we'll be able to go now.' Then he started to cry," Diamond said.

To Diamond and others, the Hartmans were the picture of success and a contented home life.

Hartman, 49, focused on his work as an actor, co-starring in the sitcom "NewsRadio," contributing voices to "The Simpsons" animated series and working in movies, while Mrs. Hartman, 40, was a devoted mother and wife, a "wonderful, upbeat person," Diamond said.

Film director Joe Dante recalled Hartman telling him recently, "I have a plane. I have a boat. I have a great house. I have a great family. In fact, I have everything I ever wanted. It feels great."

But others contend there was turmoil in the Hartman home. Mrs. Hartman was grappling with a substance abuse problem and had trouble controlling her temper, some said.

Steve Small, a Northern California attorney who handled Hartman's 1985 divorce and stayed in touch with the actor, told the Los Angeles Times in today's newspaper that the couple "had a pattern of arguing at night, and he would go to sleep and everything would be OK in the morning.

"I think he felt safe going to sleep, and he just shouldn't have," he said. "I think she just lost control."

Other reports quoted unidentified sources as saying Mrs. Hartman had been in a Malibu rehabilitation center five months ago but had returned to cocaine use in the past couple of weeks, prompting arguments with Hartman.

Another newspaper report, citing an unnamed NBC publicist, said Hartman was ready to end his marriage.

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Tots-n-Training







(Special photos)
Sue Thorton with the Tots-n-Training program extends her appreciation to all those who participated in the program this year. A recent "Fair" of information at the Chamber of Commerce Building provided children and their parents with informational activities and recognition for participants: (bottom left photo) Christopher Turlington and Danielle Wall; (top right photo, top, left) Chelsee Whinery, Destaney Vasquez, Makayla Hampton, Wendy Galaviz, Celby Snapp, Ryan Weeden and Austin Rodgers; (top left photo, left) Carlton Adams, Madyson Martinez and Angela Carlton. Students with perfect attendance are Angela Carlton and Madyson Martinez. The following students are recognized for outstanding participation: Colten Adams, Wendy Galaviz, Makayla Hampton, Candida Jimenez, Austin Rodgeers, Ceby Snapp, Caylee Steward, Clinton Taylor, Christopher Turlington, Destaney Vasquex, Danielle Wall, Ryan Weeden and Shane White II.

'Cybersex' defendant gets 15 years to life

NEW YORK (AP) — A Columbia University graduate student was spared the maximum penalty for his conviction in the kidnapping and sex torture of a college student he met on the Internet.

Oliver Jovanovic, 31, was sentenced Friday to 15 years to life. He was convicted last month on kidnapping, sodomy, sex abuse and assault charges for luring a Barnard College sophomore to his apartment on Nov. 22, 1996, and keeping her there for some 20 hours.

The maximum sentence would have been 25 years to life.

Jovanovic told the judge, "I am innocent of these charges. I did not kidnap (the victim). She came to my apartment of her own free will and she left when she wanted to."

"(The victim) fabricated these charges," Jovanovic said. "Everything that occurred was not only consensual, but occurred at her request."

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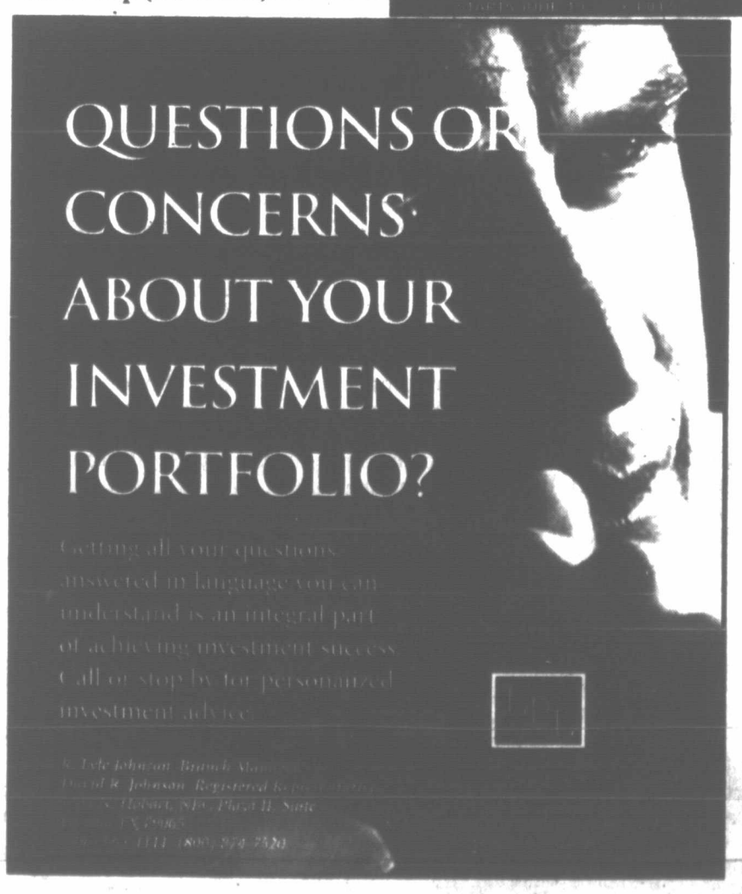
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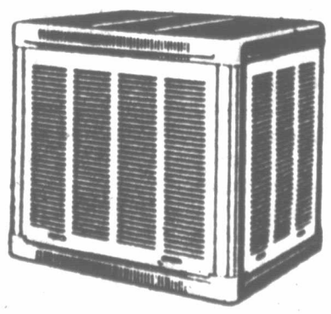
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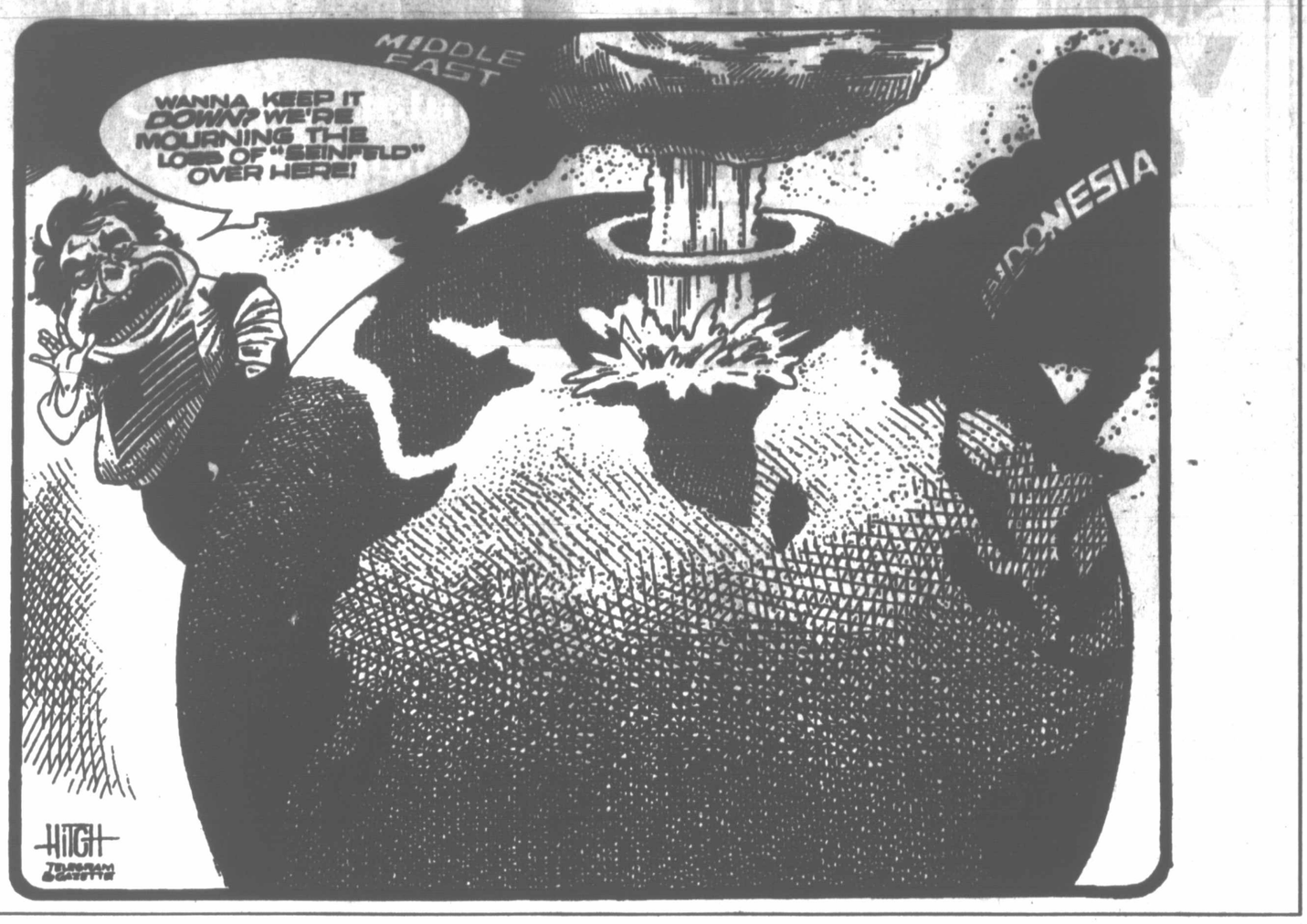
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Inside the Beltway
with
Sen. Hutchison

Honorable Bosnia withdrawal

One day after returning from my seventh trip to visit U.S. troops in the Balkans, I introduced legislation to curtail the continuing and open-ended commitment of U.S. ground forces there.

What I saw in the Balkans was a well-trained, professional force capable of performing any mission assigned – as long as they are given the support they need.

But I also saw a force on a mission with no clear direction and no defined exit strategy.

Bosnia, as originally described to Congress, was to be a temporary mission – not a permanent assignment. When Congress narrowly voted to support this mission in 1995, I voted against it because I was afraid that would happen. My reservations turned out to be fully justified.

This was sold to Congress as a one-year commitment. That deadline was missed and the next deadline was missed as well. It is now clear we are involved in an ongoing mission with no end in sight.

I am more convinced than ever that it is time to set a schedule and begin an orderly, honorable withdrawal of U.S. ground forces from the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina. As time has passed, it has become even more important that the United States have an exit strategy that our troops, our allies and the people of the Balkans know and understand.

Our former Secretary of Defense and the former Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff both told Congress prior to the original deployment that an exit strategy and an exit date is most important if we are going to avoid what is called "mission creep," the gradual expansion of a mission beyond its original parameters.

Mission creep means that our forces are asked to undertake inappropriate tasks. And it also can mean they are exposed to greater uncertainty and risk.

Increasingly, our forces in Bosnia are carrying out police activities not normally assigned to military troops. Our forces are not trained to serve as police officers. They are trained to fight wars.

This is not fair. It is not fair to our soldiers, and it is not fair to the American people. Our U.S. forces in Bosnia have accomplished the military mission assigned to them. They were sent to enforce the Dayton peace accords by keeping the warring factions separated. We all owe them a debt of gratitude for accomplishing this with no combat loss of life to any American.

But during my travels I have talked to U.S. troops at home and abroad. A pattern is emerging: We are losing too many experienced, trained men and women because year after year they're being asked to leave their families, too often for these non-traditional operations. We are wearing out our troops on missions that reduce their readiness and cost money that should go toward modernization.

Gradually, we are putting ourselves – and rest of the world – in peril. The United States can respond in dangerous situations where our allies cannot, or will not, and where we are the only power capable of acting. We cannot allow that capability to be eroded.

The bill I introduced this month sets a gradual, phased timetable for reducing the level of U.S. troops, 8,500 of which are deployed in Bosnia and Herzegovina today. Written into law would be a requirement that those troops be reduced to 6,900 by June 30, 1998, to 5,000 by Feb. 2, 1999, to 3,500 by June 30, 1999 and to 2,500 by Feb. 2, 2000. The United States' European allies could gradually take over those responsibilities.

In late April, Congress approved an additional $478.8 million to sustain our forces in Bosnia. Of course we are going to provide our troops with the support they need to do the job – but the money must come from somewhere.

Right now it is coming out of our future readiness, missile defense and modernization. We are borrowing from the future to pay for a mission that, clearly, others could perform. This is unwise and imprudent. And in the long run, will not serve America's vital national interests.

Growth and government



Walter Williams

Williams is an economist and syndicated columnist.

James Gwartney and Randall Holcombe, economics professors at Florida State University, and Robert Lawson, an economics professor at Capital University in Columbus, Ohio, have just completed a report for Congress' Joint Economic Committee. The title is "The Size and Function of Government and Economic Growth."

The report points out, as just about every American knows, the expansion of the U.S. economy has now moved into its eighth year. It's been 15 years since a major recession. That's the good news.

Despite this performance, the real rate of economic growth during the 1990s is less than half that achieved in the 1960s. In fact, our average rate of growth has fallen during each of the last three decades.

Greater economic stability, but less rapid growth, has also been the pattern of other developed nations. Gwartney, Holcombe and Lawson, using data from 60 nations, produce convincing evidence that there's a strong negative relationship between the size of government, increases in government expenditures and economic growth.

In the case of our country, the authors conclude: If government expenditures, as a percent of gross domestic product, had remained at their 1960 level, the 1996 GDP would have been $9.16 trillion instead of $7.64 trillion. That translates into $23,440 in additional income for the average family of four.

The authors also compared developed countries with the smallest increases in the size of government between 1960 and 1996 to those with the largest increases and looked at their growth rates. In 1960, government spending as a percentage of GDP in the United States, Iceland, Ireland, United Kingdom and New Zealand averaged 28.9 percent. The growth rate for those countries in 1960 averaged 4.3 percent. In 1996, government spending in those countries rose, averaging 39.1 percent, and their growth rates fell, averaging 2.7 percent.

Developed nations with the largest increases in government size between 1960 and 1996 were Portugal, Spain, Greece, Finland, Sweden and Denmark. In 1960, those governments spent an average of 28.1 percent of their GDP, and their growth rates averaged 6.4 percent. In 1996, government spending averaged 54.5 percent of GDP, and their growth rates fell to an average of 1.2 percent. From their statistical estimates, Gwartney, Holcombe and Lawson show that for each 10 percent increase in government spending, there's a one percent decrease in the rate of growth.

The authors are not anarchists; they acknowledge an important critical role for government, namely that of providing the legal and physical infrastructure for the operation of the market and a limited set of public goods to provide a framework conducive to economic growth.

As governments move beyond these core functions, however, they adversely affect economic growth through the disincentive effects of taxation, diminishing returns as government takes on activities for which it is ill-suited and government interference with the wealth-creation process. Governments aren't as effective as markets in adjusting to changing circumstances and discovering innovative production methods.

The Gwartney, Holcombe and Lawson study understates government size because it doesn't take into account its regulatory burden. But even with this minor shortcoming, will the study's persuasive argument and evidence lead Congress to reduce government size? I doubt it.

The reason is that it is impossible for any of us to know or appreciate how much wealthier we would have been had government expenditures remained where they were when John Kennedy was president. In other words, how can a family of four know that it is $23,440 poorer because of Washington and its state and local governments?

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Sunday, May 31, the 151st day of 1998. There are 214 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On May 31, 1889, more than 2,000 people perished when a dam break sent water rushing through Johnstown, Penn.

On this date:

In 1809, composer Franz Joseph Haydn died in Vienna, Austria.

In 1819, poet Walt Whitman was born in West Hill, N.Y.

In 1910, the Union of South Africa was founded.

In 1913, the 17th amendment to the Constitution, providing for the popular election of U.S. senators, was declared in effect.

In 1916, during World War I, British and German fleets fought the Battle of Jutland off Denmark.

In 1961, South Africa became an independent republic.

In 1962, World War II Gestapo official Adolf Eichmann was hanged in Israel for his role in the Nazi Holocaust.

In 1970, tens of thousands of people died in an earthquake in Peru.

In 1976, Martha Mitchell, the estranged wife of former Attorney General John N. Mitchell, died in New York.

In 1977, the trans-Alaska oil pipeline, three years in the making, was completed.

In 1989, House Speaker Jim Wright, dogged by questions about his ethics, announced he would resign. Thomas Foley later succeeded him.

In 1994, the United States announced it was no longer aiming long-range nuclear missiles at targets in the former Soviet Union.

Ten years ago: On the third day of the Moscow superpower summit, Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev said maybe it was "time to bang our fists on the table" to complete work on a strategic arms treaty. President Reagan responded: "I'll do anything that works."

Five years ago: President Clinton paid a Memorial Day visit to the Vietnam Veterans Memorial, where some in the crowd jeered him for avoiding military service. "Disagreement is freedom's privilege," Clinton exhorted critics.

One year ago: Pope John Paul II began an 11-day tour of his native Poland, his seventh visit since assuming the papacy.

Today's Birthdays: Prince Rainier of Monaco is 75. Actress Elaine Stewart is 69. Actor-director Clint Eastwood is 68. Opera singer Shirley Verrett is 65. Actor Keir Dullea is 62. Singer Peter Yarrow is 60. Singer Johnny Paycheck is 60. Former Anglican Church envoy Terry Waite is 59. Singer-musician Augie Myers is 58.

Americans celebrate selfishness

Charley Reese
Syndicated columnist

It's no wonder the TV show "Seinfeld," which celebrates dysfunctional and selfish people, is popular. A lot of Americans are, too.

It amuses me to watch the reaction to India's nuclear tests, for example. Many of the most outraged people don't give a rat's toenail, of course, if 50 million Indians and Pakistanis die in a nuclear war, but they are indignant at the prospect that a bit of radioactive dust might drift their way from the battlefields.

They seem to think it's just awful that people in South Asia aren't content to kill each other in a way that would not inconvenience them.

You see similar American outrage about the Brazilian rain forests. How dare those Brazilians, many of them half-starving, develop their own land when we Americans need their rain forests to replenish oxygen in "our" atmosphere and to serve as an occasional tourist destination. Besides, there might even be some plant down there that would yield a drug useful to us.

How inconsiderate of those Brazilians to develop their own country for their own benefit. Don't they know how important our comfort is?

I have even run into young Americans coldly indifferent to the loss of life among American servicemen. "They volunteered. That's what they get paid to do," some say dismissively, as if speaking of hired hands or inconsequential servants.

And what about those Japanese? They buy more American stuff than anybody but Canada, but it's not enough. Listen, you Japanese, even if you don't have room, buy more big American cars. You can always store them underground.

Many of these Americans, usually college graduates if not educated, would be interchangeable on any of the sitcoms in which the characters endlessly pursue their own material comfort and sexual gratification without a thought for another human being.

I would include also those libertarians who write expansively on the theoretical virtues of unlimited immigration while hiring dirt-poor illegals for a pittance to do their yard work and housework. Their version of the American dream matches that of many CEOs'– an endless supply of cheap, docile labor.

The problem is, I think, that many foreigners and poor people don't understand the rules. They live under the mistaken idea that they are human beings, created by God, and have the same worth as any other.

So, here, for the benefit of foreigners and poor people, are rules written by the "Seinfeld' interchangeables:

Do not die or suffer in any way that might inconvenience us. Unless you live in an area with gold, diamonds, oil or cobalt, please suffer and die off camera so we will not be reminded of your existence. (An American TV crew in Iraq, in refusing to accompany a Christian missionary into a children's hospital, said, "We've already done the kids.")

Do not make the mistake of thinking that any valuable resources in your country should be used for your benefit. If you do, we may have to send the Army or the CIA to straighten out your thinking.

When American corporations set up plants in your country, work hard, work cheap and keep your mouths shut. Above all, do not even think about unionizing.

Don't try to overthrow or resist any government that we declare is an American ally or we will call you a terrorist. On the other hand, if the CIA asks you to overthrow a government, give it a try. When the deal goes sour – as it always does – we can still make good propaganda out of your deaths.

And if you've ever wondered what "yada, yada, yada" means, the translation is, if you aren't me, you don't count.

Letters to the editor

Nominations being accepted for upcoming VFW banquet

To the editor:

Once again, it is springtime in the Texas Panhandle, and plans are already being made for the Annual Panhandle Veterans Hall of Fame Banquet. This project was started in 1990 and was initiated to recognize and honor those outstanding Panhandle veterans who have distinguished themselves in the service of their country. Over the years, we have inducted individuals from Pampa, Amarillo, Canyon Claude and other area towns. These honored inductees have been recipients of such awards as the Silver Star, Distinguished Flying Cross and even the Congressional Medal of Honor.

We can never completely show our appreciation to these individuals for their bravery, love of country and unselfish sacrifices; however, in this small gesture, we hope to let the living and deceased know they are not forgotten and their sacrifices were not in vain. Unfortunately, some of those we honor have gone on to their final resting places. However, we feel confident where ever they are, they will hear their names called and know they have not been forgotten.

To nominate an individual, we need a short narrative on their life, branch of the service they were in, the awards they received and if possible a copy of the citations plus any copies of newspaper clippings pertaining to the nominee. In the narrative, we are encouraging the writer to tell about the nominee's contributions to his community following his years of service in the military. This will give our selection committee a better idea as to the overall merit of the individual. We need to have all the nominations in no later than July 20. After the selection committee has made their selection, the new inductees will be notified as to the time and place of the banquet which will be held at 7 p. m. Aug. 21 at the Pampa VFW Post Home, 105 S. Cuyler. Please address all nominations to: Panhandle Veterans Hall of Fame, P.O. Box 657, Pampa, TX 79066, ATTN: John L. Tripplehorn.

I will look forward to receiving all nominations, and it is truly an honor for me to be associated with such outstanding veterans.

John L. Tripplehorn
President

Pampa High School Class party was a success!

To the editor:

Thanks to the generous and caring citizens of Pampa, the Pampa High School Class of 1998 drug-free, alcohol-free All-Night Party was an enormous success. Two hundred and forty high school students danced and played the night away, many of them for the last time together. Their enjoyment of each other was contagious.

This party was made possible by the people of Pampa who donated $7,660 in cash and over $5,000 in gifts and food. The parents were able to give the party with no cost to the seniors. The cash donations were used to purchase prizes such as televisions, microwave ovens and stereos which were given away, as well as funding cash giveaways of up to $500 and entertainment for the night.

We extend a sincere "thank you" to all who helped make this a safe and fun-filled graduation night.

Parents of the Class of 1998
Ken and Carol Fields, chairmen
Committee Chairs: Jeannie Parks, Dale and Lynn Moreland, Renee' McCullough, Becky Crawford, Vicky Velez, Teri Leggett, Duane and Anita Harp and Vance and Linda Bruce.

Quit being so negative about Pampa Optimist Club!

To the editor:

In response to Sunday's letter to the editor, I have some questions of my own and some advice for the Haskins. I am a member and also a baseball coach at the Optimist Club. I agree with the Haskins that some things need to be changed to benefit our kids and the club, but I do not agree with the way they're going about it!

Because of my type of employment, we have traveled and my son has played in leagues in several large cities and numerous tournaments. I don't know about other sports, but believe me, in baseball, if a child is not an average player he is not encouraged to return the following year. During city tournaments and important games he not only sits on the bench but is encouraged not to show up!

If a parent like yourself wrote one letter to the newspaper, they would be asked by the board to take their child and go elsewhere, instead of being asked to join and bring in some new ideas. I have seen all of these things happen. As for the good ol' boys, I guess these folks haven't noticed that there are women involved in coaching and attending meetings.

I also don't understand the scholarship thing. I have only been here two seasons, and I have helped several kids receive them. As for playing time, I guess these folks don't understand what it's like to have to make that decision. They don't understand that some kids play at a different level than others and that little piece of cork wrapped in leather can cause serious damage to a little one if he gets hit. They must not know how it makes you yourself hurt when you see a 10-year-old kid crying when he has to bat because he's afraid!

Come on folks, if you want to join and help, do it, but quit getting free kid's club advertisement by beating up on the Optimist club. This isn't a political race. With the exception of not having paid umpires, which causes problems between parents and coaches, the club is a pretty good place for our kids, but instead of cutting the club down for it, we're trying to work together and solve the problems. Run for a board position, get involved, but quit being so negative every week! Every week you bring up what God wants from us. Do you really think God wants us to be so negative? God wants us to be positive and help our neighbors, not tear them down in public!

All you see is the outside, you don't know there are people like myself and others that are trying to help make a place where our kids

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WOODWARD, Okla. — Five Pampa-area athletes will be playing in the annual 101 Classic Bowl May 26-30 in Woodward, Okla.

Quarterback John Ashley and center-tackle Chad Carr will represent Canadian. Running back-safety Bryan Judd and running back-linebacker Jeremy Davis will represent Wheeler. All four will be playing for the West team.

Albert Lusby, a 6-0 forward from Canadian, will be playing in the all-star basketball game.

The 101 Classic consists of seniors from the tri-state area of Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas.

HORSE RACING

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — Trainer Rodney Reed has matched his own Remington Park single-season record for victories of 41.

Reed's Buddy Bullion started the streak on Friday by winning the second race. Dueling Maid then captured the fourth race, and Reed achieved a tie for the record with sixth race winner, Milk Money, which is owned by his wife, Sheila.

The races were part of a card that kicked off the park's closing weekend to the 1998 Quarter Horse season.

Jockey Tome Rae Green rode three winners on the 10-race card and became the second female jockey ever to post a riding triple on a Remington Park Quarter Horse program.

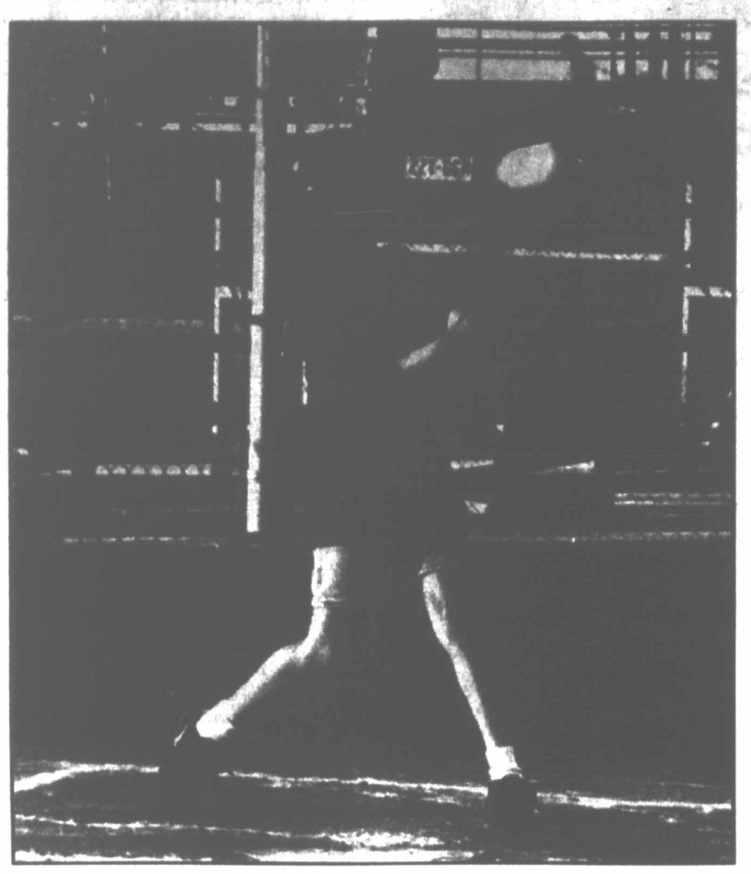
TENNIS

PARIS (AP) — Serena Williams, slamming serves at up to 104 mph, won 10 straight games on her way to a 6-1, 6-1 victory over 15th-seeded Dominique Van Roost at the French Open today.

Williams, making her French Open debut, joined older sister Venus in the fourth round. Her next match will be against No. 4 Arantxa Sanchez Vicario, a 6-2, 6-1 winner over Alexandra Fusai.

Russian qualifier Marat Safin continued his unlikely run with a third-round victory over Daniel Vacek of the Czech Republic.

Safin's powerful serves and effective returns had Vacek muttering to himself all through the 6-3, 3-6, 6-3, 7-5 encounter.



(Pampa News photo by Danny Cowan)

Jessica Palmitier of the Phil-Pet team connects with the bat during Optimist action. Jessica plays in the pitching machine division (6-8 year-olds).

Cree pushes Babe Ruth League record to 4-0 with win over Bankers

By MATT HUTCHISON
Sports Writer

PAMPA — After surviving a late-inning comeback attempt by Nations Bank, the Cree Oil ballplayers can still say they're undefeated. Led by the near-perfect pitching of starter Adam Jones and the timely hitting of Travis Lancaster, Cree was able to survive a six-run sixth and seventh inning drive by Nations Bank to lay claim to a 10-6 victory and remain in first place in the Babe Ruth standings at 4-0.

After an uneventful first two innings that showcased the talents of Nations Bank pitcher Casey Meharg and Cree's Jones, the Cree Oil squad was finally able to post a couple of runs on the board in the third inning.

Shortstop Tanner Hucks led off the inning's offense by drawing a walk and stealing second base shortly thereafter. Jared Snelgrooes, Cree's catcher, followed Hucks by drawing a walk of his own.

A passed ball in the dirt allowed the runners to advance to third and second base. Adam Wright later loaded the bases, drawing the third walk of the inning. Jones capitalized on the bases-loaded situation for Cree, sending a shot into the outfield for a standup double that cleared the bases and put Nations Bank down three runs.

Cree added another two runs in the fourth inning, increasing its lead to five runs. Trevor Allen nailed an RBI double in the fifth to increase the lead to six runs.

Michael Cochran took control of the mound in the third inning for Nations Bank, but fared no better than Meharg had, as Cree Oil's bats continued to pound out the hits.

Lancaster provided the nail-in-the-coffin for Cree Oil in the top of the sixth, sending one deep over the right centerfield fence for a two-run homer that increased the lead to eight runs. Jones followed later in the inning with his second RBI double of the contest.

Pitching duties were traded off between Jones, Adam Wright, and Lancaster for Cree Oil, with Jones pitching a near-flawless first half with 1-2-3 innings in the second and third.

Chasing 61

Attention builds as McGwire keeps hitting homers

By BEN WALKER
AP Baseball Writer

Reggie made a run at Roger Maris. Schmitty took a shot. Junior had a chance.

Now batting, Mark McGwire.

Sure, Big Mac hit 25 home runs faster than anyone in history. Yes, his performance projects to 80 homers. Plus, he's on a pace to break Maris' mark of 61 sometime in mid-August.

So, is this the year the record falls?

"I played with Reggie, I played with Mac. I played against Killebrew, Frank Robinson, all the great home-run hitters," Colorado manager Don Baylor said. "But I haven't seen anything like a frenzy like this."

All around, the attention is building. ESPN began to show his at-bats live this week, and Fox plans to do the same every Saturday this summer.

McGwire wants no part of such talk.

"It's great for historians," McGwire said when he hit his 25th home run in the St. Louis Cardinals' 49th game. "So for all you historians, take it. Records are no good to you while you're still playing the game. Period."

Besides, he's not the first slugger to get baseball fans buzzing about Maris. Others have put on early season power shows, only to run into problems down the stretch.

Reggie Jackson had 37 home runs at the All-Star break in 1969, also an expansion year. He finished with just 47 for Oakland despite playing a full season.

Mike Schmidt hit 31 before the break in 1976, but only seven in the second half. Ken Griffey Jr. had 33 at the break in 1994 — he wound up with 40, robbed of his chance because of a season-ending strike in mid-August.

Frank Howard, Harmon Killebrew, Willie Stargell and even McGwire himself are among those who have hit 30 or more by the All-Star break.

Last year, McGwire stood at 31 and Griffey at 30 in the first week of July. Both gave it a good run in the second half, with McGwire finishing at 58 and Griffey at 56.

McGwire has already broken the major league record for most home runs by the end of May (Griffey, 24 in 1997) and is closing in on the June mark (Griffey, 32 in 1994).

"He's an advance scout's nightmare," Cardinals manager Tony La Russa said. "He'll swing at Mr. High Fastball, and so you report that, and the next time you throw a high fastball, there it goes. Throw a breaking ball, swing and miss, next time you throw a breaking ball, there it goes."

La Russa refuses to look far into the future.

"Out of fear of ruining my relationship with McGwire and respect for him, he's not going to talk about it. So I'm not going to say anything that has to do with long-range ... , " La Russa said. "I just know he's unbelievable, he's incredible and he's off to a good start."

That said, what can stop him? Plenty, such as:

— Walks. Unlike many power hitters, McGwire is willing to take a pitch. He went into the weekend with 58 walks, most in the majors. Yet each stroll means one less shot to hit a home run. And more and more, teams will make sure McGwire does not beat them; last weekend, the Giants intentionally walked him in the bottom of the 14th inning with two outs and nobody on base.

— Injuries. McGwire is no stranger to the disabled list. He was sidelined for a portion of every season from 1992-96 because of problems with his heel, foot, back and ribs. Even at his pace, he'll likely need to play as much as possible to pass Maris.

— Protection. Brian Jordan and Ray Lankford both have done well batting behind McGwire in the lineup, and each could reach 100 RBIs. But if the player swinging in back of McGwire slumps, Big Mac will see even fewer pitches to hit.

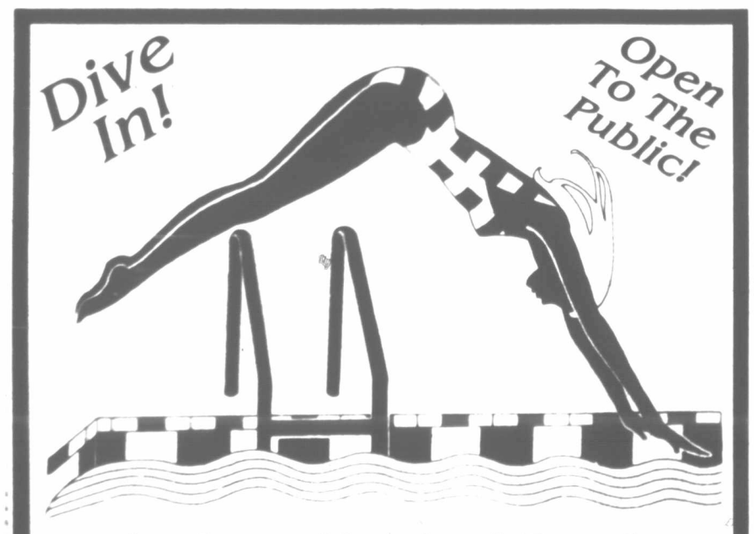
— Pressure. The story is well-known: Maris' hair began falling out as he chased Babe Ruth's record in 1961. These days, the media scrutiny would be a million times more intense. How would McGwire handle it? He is barely tolerant of such questions now, and would find little room to hide if he starts getting close to history.

It's now 26!

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Mark McGwire hit his major league-leading 26th homer and also had a two-run double as the St. Louis Cardinals beat the San Diego Padres 8-3 Friday night.

All the Cardinals' scoring came in the final two innings. McGwire's homer, his first in three games, came on an 0-1 pitch from reliever Dan Miceli with one out in the ninth and Delino DeShields on base after third baseman Ken Caminiti's two-base error.

McGwire finished 2-for-4 with a walk and four RBIs, giving him a major league-leading 65. He hit a bases-loaded double in the eighth, when the Cardinals sent 11 batters to the plate and scored six runs.



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Silver Bullett Shootout June 13-14

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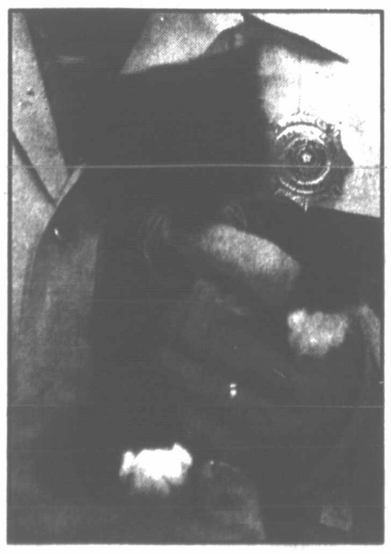
The tournament is for Class C-D-E Men's Divisions and Class C-D Mixed Divisions.

Entry fee is $125 and payments should be made to North Country Distribution.

Prizes and trophies will be awarded to the top three teams in each division.

For more information, call Shane Stokes at 665-6848, Mike Kilgo at 665-1983 or Oscar Hernandez at 273-6453.

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Pamcel Golf Club to host 4-man scramble

PAMPA — Pamcel Golf Club will be hosting its annual 4-man scramble golf tournament June 6-7.

Tournament official Jim Bob Mitchell said the scramble is open to the public and features 100 percent payback of entry fees, terrific door prizes provided by tournament sponsors. There will be free beverages on the course and a free practice round the preceding Friday. There will be a complete steak dinner and entertainment on Saturday night.

The course, adjacent to the Celanese Pampa Plant, is in terrific playing condition and keeps improving under second-year Superintendent Kenneth Norris and his staff, Mitchell said.

"The greens are among the best in the area and various other course enhancements will provide for a great tournament," Mitchell said.

Interested persons are encouraged to sign up their teams as the tournament will be limited to the first 36 entries. Entry deadline is Thursday, June 4 at 4 p.m. Carts will be available for rental both days and a choice of tee times is available on Saturday.

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Scoreboard

BASEBALL

National League
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East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlanta	39	16	.709	—
New York	29	20	.592	7
Philadelphia	25	26	.490	12
Montreal	20	33	.377	18
Florida	17	36	.321	21
Central Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	33	20	.623	—
Chicago	29	24	.547	4
St. Louis	28	24	.538	4 1/2
Milwaukee	26	25	.510	6
Cincinnati	25	30	.455	9
Pittsburgh	24	30	.444	9 1/2
West Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Diego	33	21	.611	—
San Francisco	31	24	.564	2 1/2
Los Angeles	27	27	.500	6
Colorado	22	32	.407	11
Arizona	17	37	.315	16

Thursday's Games
St. Louis 4, Colorado 1
Philadelphia 8, Chicago Cubs 7
Montreal 9, Atlanta 5
Los Angeles 4, Cincinnati 3
Arizona 8, San Francisco 7
Only games scheduled
Friday's Games
Chicago Cubs 5, Atlanta 3, 11 innings
N.Y. Mets 11, Philadelphia 0
Montreal 4, Pittsburgh 1
Milwaukee 4, Florida 3, 11 innings
Houston 7, Colorado 6
Cincinnati 8, Los Angeles 4, 12 innings
St. Louis 8, San Diego 3
San Francisco 3, Arizona 1
Saturday's Games
Atlanta (Millwood 7-1) at Chicago Cubs (Trachsel 5-1), 1:15 p.m.
Houston (Schourek 2-2) at Colorado (Thomson 3-5), 4:05 p.m.
Arizona (Daal 1-2) at San Francisco (Hershiser 4-3), 4:05 p.m.
Cincinnati (Harnisch 4-1) at Los Angeles (Nomo 2-6), 4:05 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Leiter 4-3) at Philadelphia (Green 3-3), 7:05 p.m.
Montreal (Moore 2-5) at Pittsburgh (Silva 5-3), 7:05 p.m.
Florida (Fontenot 0-1) at Milwaukee (Eldred 0-4), 8:05 p.m.
St. Louis (Acevedo 1-1) at San Diego (Ashby 5-4), 10:05 p.m.
Sunday's Games
N.Y. Mets (Jones 4-3) at Philadelphia (Portugal 2-1), 1:35 p.m.
Montreal (Batista 1-2) at Pittsburgh (Cordova 5-3), 1:35 p.m.
Florida (Sanchez 3-1) at Milwaukee (Karl 5-2), 2:05 p.m.
Houston (Lima 6-2) at Colorado (Jones 1-0), 3:05 p.m.
Cincinnati (Remlinger 3-6) at Los Angeles (Valdes 4-6), 4:05 p.m.
St. Louis (Lowe 0-0) at San Diego (Brown 4-3), 4:05 p.m.
Arizona (Suppan 1-5) at San Francisco (Rueter 6-3), 4:05 p.m.
Atlanta (Neagle 7-1) at Chicago Cubs (Tapani 6-3), 8:05 p.m.

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East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	37	11	.771	—
Boston	29	22	.569	9 1/2
Toronto	27	26	.509	12 1/2
Baltimore	25	28	.472	14 1/2
Tampa Bay	23	29	.442	16
Central Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cleveland	31	21	.596	—
Minnesota	23	28	.451	7 1/2
Chicago	21	30	.412	9 1/2
Detroit	20	29	.408	9 1/2
Kansas City	20	31	.392	10 1/2
West Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Texas	31	21	.596	—
Anaheim	26	25	.510	4 1/2
Seattle	25	29	.472	6 1/2
Oakland	21	30	.412	9 1/2

Thursday's Games
Chicago White Sox 11, Detroit 7, 10 innings
Cleveland 6, Toronto 2
Seattle 5, Tampa Bay 2
Baltimore 5, Texas 2
N.Y. Yankees 8, Boston 3
Only games scheduled
Friday's Games
Detroit 8, Chicago White Sox 7
Cleveland 7, Toronto 3
Seattle 6, Tampa Bay 2
Baltimore 6, Texas 3
N.Y. Yankees 6, Boston 2
Anaheim 3, Minnesota 1
Kansas City 5, Oakland 3
Saturday's Games
Boston (Saberhagen 5-3) at N.Y. Yankees (Irabu 4-0), 1:15 p.m.
Cleveland (Gooden 0-1) at Toronto (Williams 5-2), 4:05 p.m.
Seattle (Cloude 3-2) at Tampa Bay (Springer 1-6), 6:35 p.m.
Texas (Helling 7-2) at Baltimore (Munoz 0-0), 7:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Navarro 4-5) at Detroit (Moehler 4-4), 7:05 p.m.
Anaheim (Hill 7-3) at Minnesota (Radke 6-3), 8:05 p.m.
Oakland (Haynes 3-2) at Kansas City (Rusch 3-7), 8:20 p.m.
Sunday's Games
Chicago White Sox (Parque 0-0) at Detroit (F.Castillo 2-2), 1:05 p.m.
Cleveland (Nagy 6-2) at Toronto (Hentgen 7-3), 1:05 p.m.
Boston (Martinez 5-1) at N.Y. Yankees (Pettitte 6-4), 1:15 p.m.
Seattle (Fassero 5-2) at Tampa Bay (Ruebel 0-1), 1:35 p.m.
Texas (Oliver 2-5) at Baltimore (Erickson 5-5), 1:35 p.m.
Oakland (Rogers 6-2) at Kansas City (Belcher 3-6), 2:05 p.m.
Anaheim (McDowell 1-2) at Minnesota (Morgan 2-1), 2:05 p.m.

TODAY'S MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS
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AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING—IRodriguez, Texas, .372; Broeius, New York, .346; Easley, Detroit, .337; BWilliams, New York, .332; Segui, Seattle, .330; DJeter, New York, .329; Edmonds, Anaheim, .326.
RUNS—DJeter, New York, 50; Griffey Jr, Seattle, 44; Grieve, Oakland, 42; Durham, Chicago, 41; ARodriguez, Seattle, 41; Lofton, Cleveland, 41; Thome, Cleveland, 41; Knoblauch, New York, 41.
RBI—JuGonzalez, Texas, 62; Easley, Detroit, 47; Griffey Jr, Seattle, 45; ARodriguez, Seattle, 42; Thome, Cleveland, 41; O'Neill, New York, 41; Belle, Chicago, 40; Justice, Cleveland, 40.
HITS—ARodriguez, Seattle, 71; IRodriguez, Texas, 70; McCracken, Tampa Bay, 69; DJeter, New York, 69; Erstad, Anaheim, 68; JuGonzalez, Texas, 66; MVaughn, Boston, 64.
DOUBLES—IRodriguez, Texas, 20; Thome, Cleveland, 19; JuGonzalez, Texas, 18; Belle, Chicago, 18; EMartinez, Seattle, 18; Grieve, Oakland, 17; Erstad, Anaheim, 17; Edmonds, Anaheim, 17; Justice, Cleveland, 17.
TRIPLES—Durham, Chicago, 5; BWilliams, New York, 5; Garciaparra, Boston, 4; Damon, Kansas City, 4; DJeter, New York, 4; GAnderson, Anaheim, 4; Greer, Texas, 4; Lofton, Cleveland, 4; Offerman, Kansas City, 4.
HOME RUNS—ARodriguez, Seattle, 20; Griffey Jr, Seattle, 18; Canseco, Toronto, 17; Easley, Detroit, 16; MVaughn, Boston, 14; JuGonzalez, Texas, 13; O'Leary, Boston, 12.
STOLEN BASES—TGoodwin, Texas, 20; Henderson, Oakland, 19; BLHunter, Detroit, 16; Lofton, Cleveland, 15; Stewart, Toronto, 14; DJeter, New York, 13; Canseco, Toronto, 13.
PITCHING (7 Decisions)—DWells, New York, 7-1, .875, 4.34; Cone, New York, 7-1, .875, 5.59; Helling, Texas, 7-2, .778, 4.43; Wakefield, Boston, 6-2, .750, 4.46; Nagy, Cleveland, 6-2, .750, 5.84; Rogers, Oakland, 6-2, .750, 3.55; Sele, Texas, 8-3, .727, 3.03.
STRIKEOUTS—RJohnson, Seattle, 100; PMartinez, Boston, 96; CFinley, Anaheim, 88; Colon, Cleveland, 70; Clemens, Toronto, 69; Sele, Texas, 63; Saunders, Tampa Bay, 62; Guzman, Toronto, 62.
SAVES—Gordon, Boston, 16; Percival, Anaheim, 13; Wetteland, Texas, 13; MJackson, Cleveland, 12; RaMyers, Toronto, 12; MRivera, New York, 10; ToJones, Detroit, 9; RHernandez, Tampa Bay, 9; JMontgomery, Kansas City, 9; Aguilera, Minnesota, 9.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

BATTING—BJordan, St. Louis, .375; Olerud, New York, .366; Taubensee, Cincinnati, .361; Gwynn, San Diego, .354; JGuillen, Pittsburgh, .344; Sosa, Chicago, .343; Kendall, Pittsburgh, .342.
RUNS—Biggio, Houston, 47; ChJones, Atlanta, 46; McGwire, St. Louis, 44; Galarraga, Atlanta, 44; Glanville, Philadelphia, 43; Mueller, San Francisco, 42; LWalker, Colorado, 40.
RBI—McGwire, St. Louis, 65; Castilla, Colorado, 48; Galarraga, Atlanta, 48; ChJones, Atlanta, 45; Alou, Houston, 45; GVaughn, San Diego, 44; Bonds, San Francisco, 44.
HITS—Bichette, Colorado, 77; ChJones, Atlanta, 70; Sosa, Chicago, 70; Glanville, Philadelphia, 69; MaGrace, Chicago, 69; Mueller, San Francisco, 67; Biggio, Houston, 66.
DOUBLES—Fullmer, Montreal, 23; LWalker, Colorado, 23; BBoone, Cincinnati, 19; JKent, San Francisco, 19; DYoung, Cincinnati, 18; Biggio, Houston, 18; Bichette, Colorado, 18; Bonds, San Francisco, 18.
TRIPLES—DeShields, St. Louis, 6; Glanville, Philadelphia, 5; Collier, Pittsburgh, 4; NPerez, Colorado, 4; Hollandsworth, Los Angeles, 4; Vina, Milwaukee, 4; Alou, Houston, 4; SFinley, San Diego, 4.
HOME RUNS—McGwire, St. Louis, 26; Castilla, Colorado, 18; Galarraga, Atlanta, 18; GVaughn, San Diego, 17; ChJones, Atlanta, 14; Bonds, San Francisco, 14; Mondesi, Los Angeles, 13; Sosa, Chicago, 13.
STOLEN BASES—EcYoung, Los Angeles, 21; Womack, Pittsburgh, 20; Biggio, Houston, 20; Renteria, Florida, 18; Stynes, Cincinnati, 13; Clayton, St. Louis, 12; DeShields, St. Louis, 12; BLarkin, Cincinnati, 12.
PITCHING (7 Decisions)—Millwood, Atlanta, 7-1, .875, 3.27; Schmidt, Pittsburgh, 7-1, .875, 3.75; Neagle, Atlanta, 7-1, .875, 2.82; Hampton, Houston, 7-2, .778, 2.52; Glavine, Atlanta, 7-2, .778, 2.16; GMaddux, Atlanta, 7-2, .778, 1.83; Lima, Houston, 6-2, .750, 3.01; RReed, New York, 6-2, .750, 2.44; RMartinez, Los Angeles, 6-2, .750, 2.82.
STRIKEOUTS—Schilling, Philadelphia, 119; Wood, Chicago, 85; Stottlemyre, St. Louis, 81; RMartinez, Los Angeles, 74; Nomo, Los Angeles, 70; Reynolds, Houston, 70; Estes, San Francisco, 65; KBrown, San Diego, 65.
SAVES—Hoffman, San Diego, 15; Shaw, Cincinnati, 15; BWagner, Houston, 14; Beck, Chicago, 14; Nen, San Francisco, 13; Urbina, Montreal, 12; Loiselle, Pittsburgh, 11; Dipoto, Colorado, 11; DJones, Milwaukee, 11.

BASKETBALL

NBA Day-By-Day Playoff Glance
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FIRST ROUND
(Best-of-5)
Thursday, April 23
Charlotte 97, Atlanta 87
Indiana 106, Cleveland 77
Houston 103, Utah 90
San Antonio 102, Phoenix 96
Friday, April 24
Miami 94, New York 79
Chicago 9 New Jersey 93, OT
Seattle 108, Minnesota 83
L.A. Lakers 104, Portland 102
Saturday, April 25
Indiana 92, Cleveland 86
Phoenix 108, San Antonio 101
Charlotte 92, Atlanta 85
Utah 105, Houston 90
Sunday, April 26
New York 98, Miami 88
L.A. Lakers 108, Portland 99
Chicago 96, New Jersey 91
Minnesota 98, Seattle 93
Monday, April 27
Cleveland 88, Indiana 77
San Antonio 100, Phoenix 88
Tuesday, April 28
Miami 91, New York 85
Atlanta 98, Charlotte 84
Minnesota 98, Seattle 90
Portland 99, L.A. Lakers 94
Wednesday, April 29
Chicago 115, New Jersey 101, Chicago wins series 3-0
San Antonio 99, Phoenix 80, San Antonio wins series 3-1
Houston 89, Utah 85
Thursday, April 30
Indiana 80, Cleveland 74, Indiana wins series 3-1
New York 90, Miami 85
Seattle 92, Minnesota 88
L.A. Lakers 110, Portland 99, L.A. Lakers win series 3-1
Friday, May 1
Charlotte 91, Atlanta 82, Charlotte wins series 3-1
Utah 93, Houston 71
Saturday, May 2
Seattle 97, Minnesota 84, Seattle wins series 3-2
Sunday, May 3
New York 98, Miami 81, New York wins series 3-2
Utah 84, Houston 70, Utah wins series 3-2

CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS
(Best-of-7)
Sunday, May 3
Chicago 83, Charlotte 70
Monday, May 4
Seattle 106, L.A. Lakers 92
Tuesday, May 5
Indiana 93, New York 83
Utah 83, San Antonio 82
Wednesday, May 6
Charlotte 78, Chicago 76
L.A. Lakers 92, Seattle 88
Thursday, May 7
Indiana 85, New York 77
Utah 109, San Antonio 106, OT
Friday, May 8
Chicago 103, Charlotte 89
L.A. Lakers 119, Seattle 103
Saturday, May 9
New York 83, Indiana 76
San Antonio 86, Utah 84
Sunday, May 10
Indiana 118, New York 107, OT
L.A. Lakers 112, Seattle 100
Chicago 94, Charlotte 80
Utah 82, San Antonio 73
Monday, May 11
No games scheduled
Tuesday, May 12
Utah 87, San Antonio 77, Utah wins series 4-1
L.A. Lakers 110, Seattle 95, L.A. Lakers win series 4-1
Wednesday, May 13
Indiana 99, New York 88, Indiana wins series 4-1
Chicago 93, Charlotte 84, Chicago wins series 4-1

CONFERENCE FINALS
(Best-of-7)
Saturday, May 16
Utah 112, L.A. Lakers 77
Sunday, May 17
Chicago 85, Indiana 79
Monday, May 18
Utah 99, L.A. Lakers 95
Tuesday, May 19
Chicago 104, Indiana 98
Friday, May 22
Utah 109, L.A. Lakers 98
Saturday, May 23
Indiana 107, Chicago 105
Sunday, May 24
Utah 96, L.A. Lakers 92, Utah wins series 4-0
Monday, May 25
Indiana 96, Chicago 94
Tuesday, May 26
No games scheduled
Wednesday, May 27
Chicago 108, Indiana 87
Thursday, May 28
No games scheduled
Friday, May 29
Indiana 92, Chicago 89, series tied 3-3
Saturday, May 30
No games scheduled
Sunday, May 31
Indiana at Chicago, 7:30 p.m. (NBC)

HOCKEY

NHL Playoff Glance
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CONFERENCE FINALS
Saturday, May 23
Buffalo 2, Washington 0
Sunday, May 24
Detroit 2, Dallas 0
Monday, May 25
Washington 3, Buffalo 2, OT
Tuesday, May 26
Dallas 3, Detroit 1
Thursday, May 28
Washington 4, Buffalo 3, OT, Washington leads series 2-1
Friday, May 29
Detroit 5, Dallas 3, Detroit leads series 2-1
Saturday, May 30
Washington at Buffalo, 7:30 p.m. (ESPN)
Sunday, May 31
Dallas at Detroit, 2 p.m. (FOX)
Tuesday, June 2
Buffalo at Washington, 7:30 p.m. (ESPN)
Wednesday, June 3
Detroit at Dallas, 7:30 p.m. (ESPN)
Thursday, June 4
Washington at Buffalo, 7:30 p.m., if necessary (ESPN)
Friday, June 5
Dallas at Detroit, 7:30 p.m., if necessary (ESPN)
Saturday, June 6
Buffalo at Washington, 7:30 p.m., if necessary (ESPN)
Sunday, June 7
Detroit at Dallas, 2:30 p.m., if necessary (FOX)

TRANSACTIONS

Friday's Sports Transactions
By The Associated Press
BASEBALL
American League
BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Signed LHP Matt Riley.
DETROIT TIGERS—Placed LHP Roberto Duran on the 15-day disabled list. Recalled RHP Dean Crow from Toledo of the International League.
NEW YORK YANKEES—Signed OF Mike Vento.
TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Claimed LHP Ben VanRyn off waivers from the San Diego Padres. Designated 1B Ryan Jones for assignment.
National League
COLORADO ROCKIES—Acquired LHP Tom Doyle from Duluth-Superior of the Northern League for a player to be named.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
ATLANTA FALCONS—Signed RB Ken Oxendine to a two-year contract.
CLEVELAND BROWNS—Named Les Miller AFC pro scout, Steve Sabo NFC pro scout, and Bobby Burns scout.
NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS—Terminated the contract of RB Dave Meggett.
NEW YORK JETS—Signed WR Hason Graham and WR Chris Brazzell.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
BUFFALO SABRES—Signed D Cory Sarich to a multi-year contract.
COLLEGE
CORNELL—Named Desmond Oliver men's assistant basketball coach.
SOUTH FLORIDA—Named Russ McNickle men's pitching coach.
SOUTHERN CONNECTICUT—Announced the resignation of Tony Barone, women's basketball coach.
MICHIGAN—Named Kurtis Townsend men's assistant basketball coach.
NORTH CAROLINA—Named John Inman men's golf coach.
PORTLAND STATE—Announced it will eliminate baseball and wrestling programs.
PURDUE—Named Doug Schreiber baseball coach.
WEST VIRGINIA STATE—Named Sean McAndrews men's and women's tennis coach.

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Major League Soccer
At A Glance
By The Associated Press
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Eastern Conference

	W	L	SOW	Pts	GF	GA
D.C.	10	3	3	24	29	20
Columbus	6	5	0	18	20	15
NY-NJ	5	5	0	15	18	19
Miami	5	7	2	11	11	25
New England	4	6	1	10	16	19
Tampa Bay	2	10	0	6	13	25
Western Conference						
	W	L	SOW	Pts	GF	GA
Los Angeles	10	1	1	28	35	19
Chicago	5	5	0	15	19	12
San Jose	5	6	0	15	21	20
Dallas	6	4	2	14	15	16
Kansas City	5	7	2	11	14	17
Colorado	4	8	2	8	25	31

NOTE: Three points for victory, one point for shootout win and zero points for loss. Shootout (SOW) is a subset of wins.
Friday's Games
No games scheduled
Saturday's Games
Washington D.C. at Tampa Bay, 7:30 p.m.
San Jose at Columbus, 7:30 p.m.
Chicago at Los Angeles, 10:30 p.m.
Sunday's Games
Miami at Dallas, 3 p.m.
New York-New Jersey at New England, 3 p.m.
Kansas City at Colorado, 5 p.m.

FISHING

LA CROSSE, Wis. (AP) — Standings Friday after two days of the three-day Red Man All-American Bass Fishing Championship (the top 10 advance to Saturday's finals):
1. Kim Carver, Milledgeville, Ga., 22 pounds, 8 ounces; 2. Chris Baldwin, Lexington, N.C., 21-9; 3. Sam Henry, Murray, Ky., 21-8; 4. Sterling Williams, Pine Bluff, Ark., 20-11; 5. Curtis Samo, Creston, Ill., 20-3; 6. Bob Dillow, Blue Creek, Ohio, 19-6; 7. Steve Floyd, Sabina, Ohio, 19-2; 8. Mike Felderman, Galena, Ill., 18-6; 9. Skeet Reese, Cotati, Calif., 17-9; 10. Steve Kendrick, San Jose, Calif., 17-5. 11. Preston Davis, Bartlett, Tenn., 16-9; 12. David Reault, Livonia, Mich., 16-5; 13. Jeff Kriet, Ardmore, Okla., 16-3; 14. Joel Richardson, Kernersville, N.C., 15-4; 15. Taylor Hutchings, Phoenix, Ariz., 14-14; 16. Jeffery Carman, Liberty, Ky., 13-14; 17. David Walker, Cannon, Ky., 13-6; 18. Ben Kron, Jr., Maryville, Tenn., 13-0; 19. Sheldon Gentry, Lohman, Mo., 12-11; 20. Bill Nance, Jackson, Miss., 11-13. 21. Eric Bozeman, Silver Springs, Fla., 11-11; 22. Rick Miller, Blue Grass, Iowa, 11-9; 23. Steve Kennedy, Dadeville, Ala., 11-6; 24. Stephen Browning, Hot Springs, Ark., 10-9; 25. Chris Byars, Pine Bluff, Ark., 10-7; 26. Jim Dopp, Kimberling City, Mo., 10-6; 27. Carl Graham, Collierville, Tenn., 10-6; 28. Tommy Pickett, Bartlett, Tenn., 9-14; 29. Terry Thomas, Nixa, Mo., 7-6; 30. Tad Richards, Glendale, Mo., 7-1. 31. Jim Bryant, Jr., Lancaster, Ky., 6-8; 32. (tie) Jesse Dfalma, Long Beach, Miss.; George Taylor, Dresden, Tenn., 6-3; 34. Tony Butts, Selma, Ala., 6-1; 35. Tom Tischer, La Crosse, 5-15; 36. Robert Henz, Dayton, Ohio, 5-8; 37. James Stricklin, Jr., Alexander, Ark., 4-12; 38. Steve Wieniewski, Arlin, N.J., 4-0; 39. John Murray, Phoenix, Ariz., 3-12; 40. (tie) Dwaine Williams, Greenup, Ky.; Jeffrey Thomas, Broadway, N.C.; Jim Forshee, Lexington, Ky., 3-10. 43. Keith Monson, Burgin, Ky., 3-0; 44. Dale Greene, Mount Vernon, Ill., 2-10; 45. Ronnie Tapp, Boiling Springs, S.C., 2-6; 46. (tie) Jim Tutt, Longview, Texas, 1-8; 47. Harmon Davis, Marlow, Okla.; Thomas Bellucci, Long Branch, N.J., 1-7; 49. Richard Carpenter, Kansas City, Mo., 1-4; 50. Alexander Nowyorkas, Burton, Mich., 0-0.

Jr. Ranch Rodeo coming to Pampa

PAMPA — The High Country Chevrolet Junior Ranch Rodeo will welcome area residents to Pampa on June 20. The Junior Ranch Rodeo is a new concept using the"rodeo ranch style" for youngsters ages 4 to 15.

The Junior Ranch Rodeo is the brain child of Doug Smith, alias "Pokey" the Clown, for the entertainment of children and adults, spectators or participants. The main idea being to teach teamwork among differing age groups and, of course, to have fun.

The Junior Ranch Rodeo consists of four events. Barrel racing and pony express are the standard events. Then comes "Pokey's" special new events: cow doctoring and wild cow milking using "wooden" cows." Each contestant must ride a special stick horse furnished by the rodeo.

"Pokey" and his crew are Brenda and Lane Hill, Todd Baker and Jeff Smith manage the activities. Participants are urged to bring a team and have fun. Entry fee for each team is $20. Individuals may sign up for five dollars and a team will be put together.

The winning Junior and Senior teams will qualify to participate at the Working Ranch Cowboys Association World Finals to be held Nov. 14 at the Amarillo Civic Center.

Come to Wayne's Western Wear, 1504 N. Hobart, on June 4 or June 11 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. to see "Pokey" and find out how you can become part of the Junior Ranch Rodeo. The Jr. Ranch Rodeo is being held in conjunction with the Pampa Street Fair on June 20, hosted by Celebration of Lights. Pokey will be autographing pictures.

On June 20, a special horse auction will be held prior to the rodeo.

Shamrock beats Petrolia in 1-1A baseball playoffs

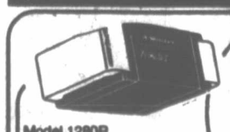
VERNON — Shamrock continues to advance through the baseball playoffs. The Irish eliminated Petrolia, 9-5, in a Region 1-1A area playoff game last week.

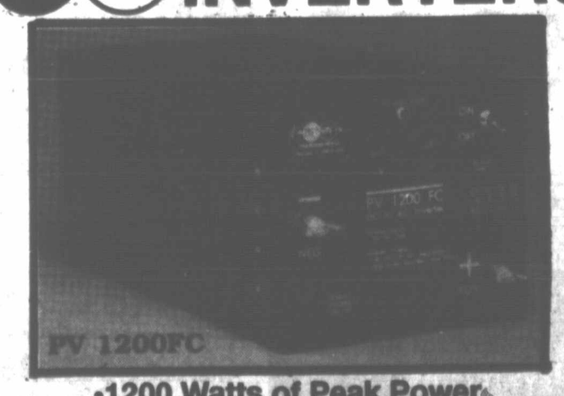
Ty Owens (7-2) went the distance on the mound for the win.

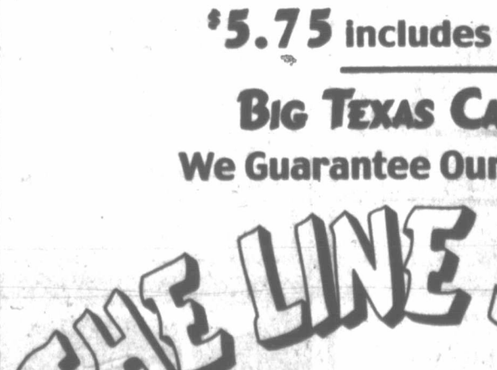
Jason Rushing and Cole Vinyard each had doubles to lead Shamrock's rushing attack.

Shamrock improved to 13-6 for the season.


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Dog bites nationwide problem

If you're a dog owner or one of the 47 million Americans who fell victim to dog attacks last year, the United States Postal Service and the Humane Society of the United States have good news for you: Dog bites are a nationwide problem we all can solve through responsible pet ownership.

The USPS and HSUS have joined together in sponsoring Dog Bit Prevention Week, June 1-6.

"This clearly is a nationwide problem and not just a postal issue," said Pampa Postmaster James Pridmore, "and our partnership locally with the Pampa Animal Control Office will help us convey this message."

The Humane Society reports that small children, the elderly and letter carriers, in that order, are the most frequent victims.

Dog attacks are the most commonly reported childhood public health problem in the United Sates. HSUS reports the number of dog attacks exceeds the reported instances of measles, whooping cough and mumps combined. Dog bite victims account for up to five percent of emergency room visits.

Many of the bites reported by 2,708 letter carriers last year came from dogs that, according to their owners, "wouldn't hurt a fly."

USPS and HSUS are offering advice for dog owners on how to restrain their pets and, for nonowners, tips on how to avoid dog bites.

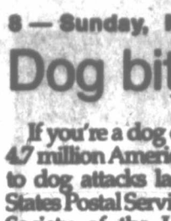
How to avoid being bitten:

- Don't run past a dog. The dog's natural instinct is to chase and catch prey.
- If a dog threatens you, don't scream. Avoid eye contact, try to remain motionless until the dog leaves, then back away slowly until the dog is out of sight.
- Don't approach a strange dog, especially one that's tethered or confined.
- Always let a dog see and sniff you before you pet the animal.

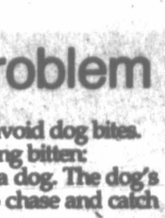
How to be a responsible dog owner:

- Obedience training can teach your dog proper behavior and help you control your dog in any situation.
- When your letter carrier comes to your home, keep your dog inside, away from the door, in another room, or on a leash.
- Don't let your child take mail from the letter carrier in the presence of your dog. Your dogs instinct is to protect the family.
- Spay or neuter your dog – unneutered dogs are more likely to bite.

Pridmore said that the Post Office and Animal Control in Pampa agree that, in most cases, dog bites are caused more often by irresponsible dog owners than by bad dogs.


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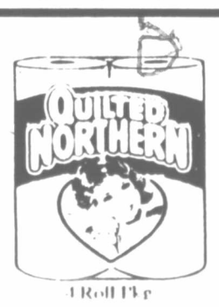
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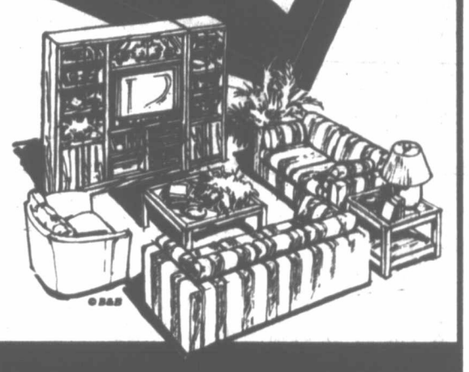
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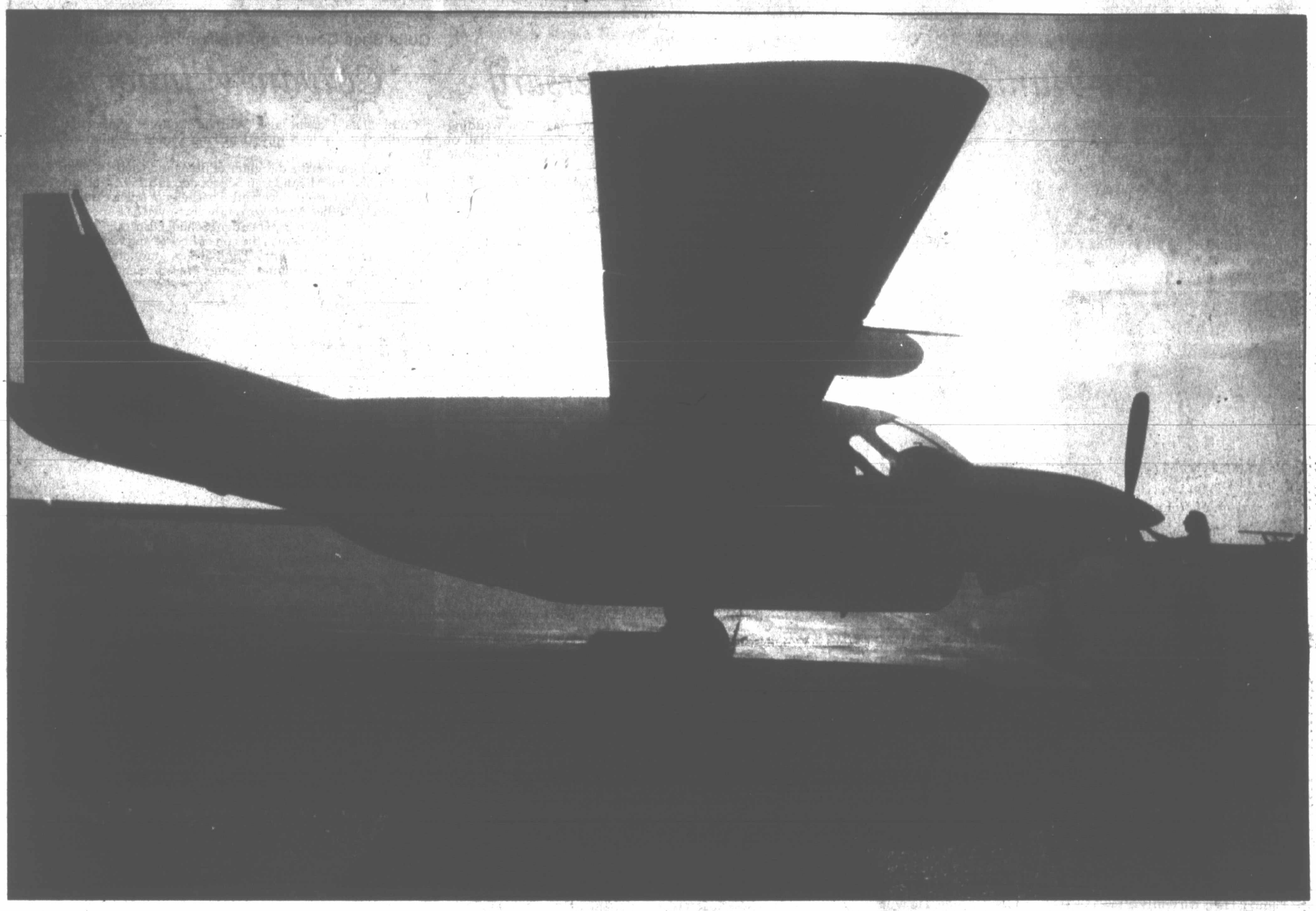
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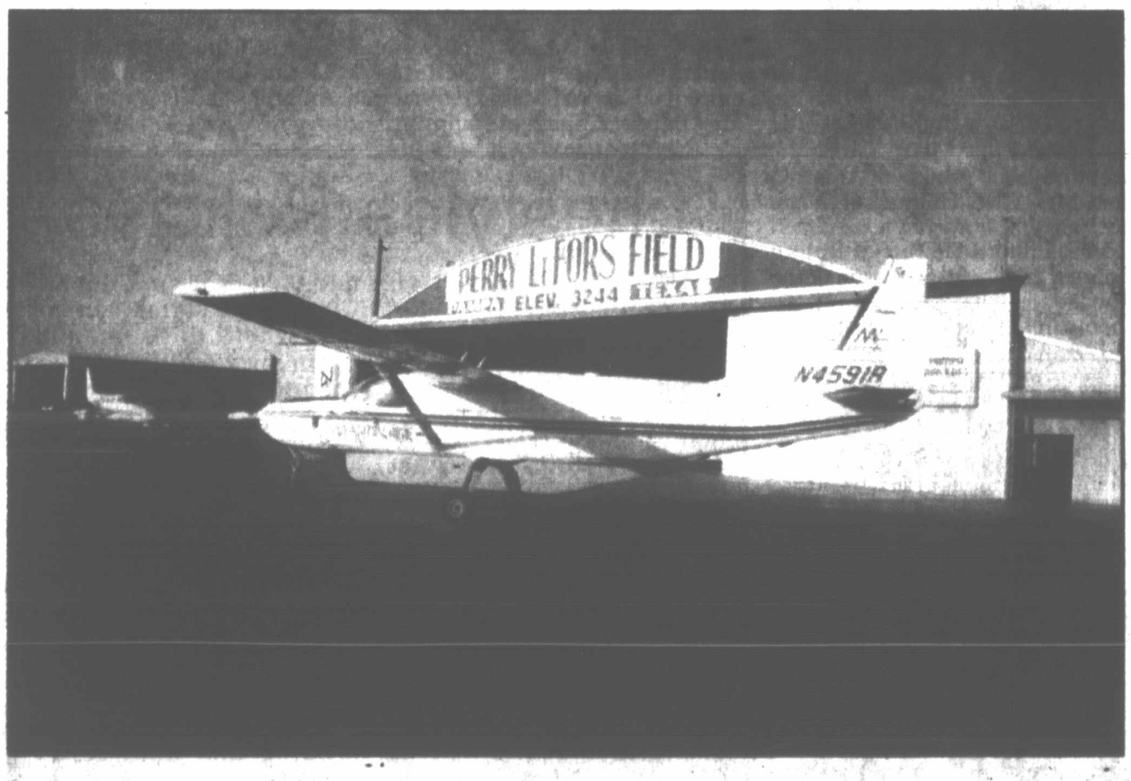
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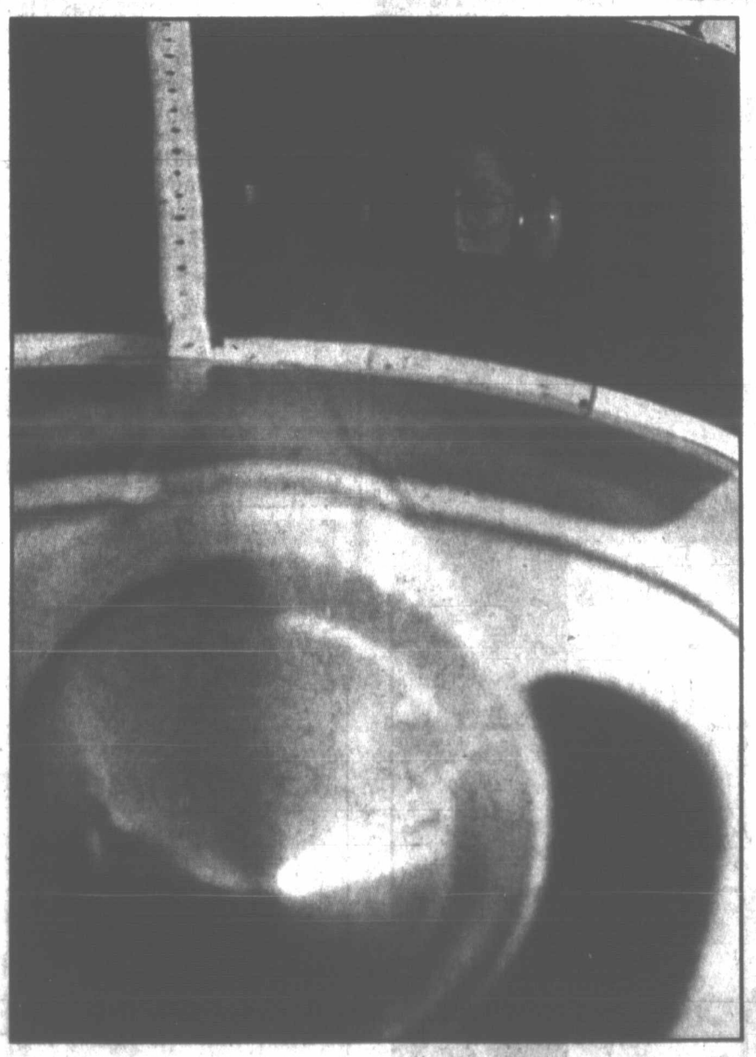


Sitting silhouetted in her office at the controls of a Cessna Caravan, right, Capt. Janie Rorick preflights her plane before making her daily trip to Dallas. The Oklahoma native flies for a company under contract for United Parcel Service. Once a nutritionist at a hospital and later a diet consultant, she finally decided to follow her passion for flying.

Wings of passion







Each evening as the sun begins its descent in the west, Rorick loads her plane with the cargo of the day and rolls out to the runway of Perry Lefors Field northwest of Pampa, far left. Taking to the air, she peers over the turboprop engine of her cargo craft, left, delivering her load to Dallas and returning the next morning with cargo for the Texas Panhandle.

The 600 horsepower turboprop screamed as the Cessna Caravan rolled down the runway.

Lifting off, the plane loaded with several hundred pounds of cargo assumed a heading of 120 and was soon a dot in the blue sky southwest of Pampa.

With the setting sun behind her and a good tail wind, the pilot will be in Dallas for supper and a good night's sleep at the company "bunkhouse" before returning to Gray County in the morning, the Caravan's belly loaded with packages to be delivered the next day.

Janie Rorick, with her long soft brown hair and slender build, wears the four gold stripes of Captain on her shoulders. She is a pilot for a Dallas-based company, Martinaire, that flies overnight packages for UPS.

There is a slight bump as she hits an updraft where the caprock drops off to the rolling plains that will lead her into Wichita Falls then on to Dallas with its bright lights. Ten thousand feet beneath her, lengthening shadows mark the change in terrain, the end of a day and the beginning of another flight.

Born in Stillwater, Okla., Rorick graduated from high school in 1977 and then went to Oklahoma State University. Married in college, she moved to Indiana with her husband her senior year and finished her bachelor of science degree in nutrition at Purdue.

Later divorced, a friend from Wisconsin began flying down in his small plane to see her. At his suggestion, she took flying lessons and got her pilot's license. Rorick says she has always wanted to fly.

"When I was in college, a friend of mine gave me an hour of flying as a birthday present one year," she says.

Working as a nutritionist, she bought her own plane, a 1941 Stinson, a broad, fat, underpowered three-seater.

"It was beautiful," she says.

Soon, she had a house, a job, a plane and a new husband, but there was something missing.

Her husband, realizing she didn't like what she was doing for a living, asked her what she wanted to do. She said she wanted to fly.

At his urging, she quit her job, they took a second mortgage on the house, and she began pursuing a new career.

"I will always be greatful to him for that," she says.

Sitting in the waiting room at Perry Lefors Airfield, Rorick speaks impassively about her marriages, but when she talks of flying, her soft brown eyes sparkle, her speech becomes animated.

Divorced again, she worked as a flying instructor, but the hours were long and the money was lacking. She took a job flying freight in New Mexico and moved to Albuquerque for a couple of years, then joined Martinaire last August and flew out of Tennessee. In March, she moved to Pampa and began flying the Pampa to Dallas run, all the while working on her multi-engine license.

Where she goes from Pampa, she says she has no idea. What she'll do in the future, she doesn't know...except that it will involve flying.

Can she imagine living without flying?

"Absolutely not!" she says emphatically. "Absolutely not."



Tonja Jo Walker and Gregory Neal Hanlon

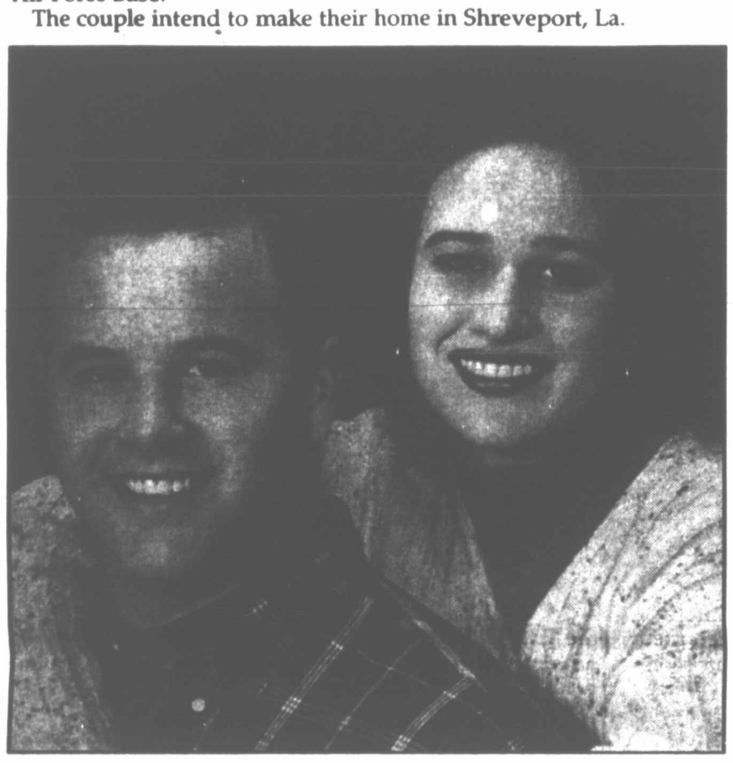
Walker-Hanlon

Tonja Jo Walker and Gregory Neal Hanlon were wed May 9 at the home of Ronnie and Betty Parsley of Pampa with Delbert White, pastor, of Fellowship Baptist Church of Pampa, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Ronnie K. and Betty Parsley and James R. Walker, all of Pampa. She is a 1993 Pampa High School graduate.

The groom is the son of Joyce Hanlon of Wichita, Kan. He is a graduate of Meade High School at Meade, Kan., and is currently a staff sergeant in the United States military currently stationed at Barksdale Air Force Base.

The couple intend to make their home in Shreveport, La.



Erica Dawn Puryear and Adam Aaron Clark

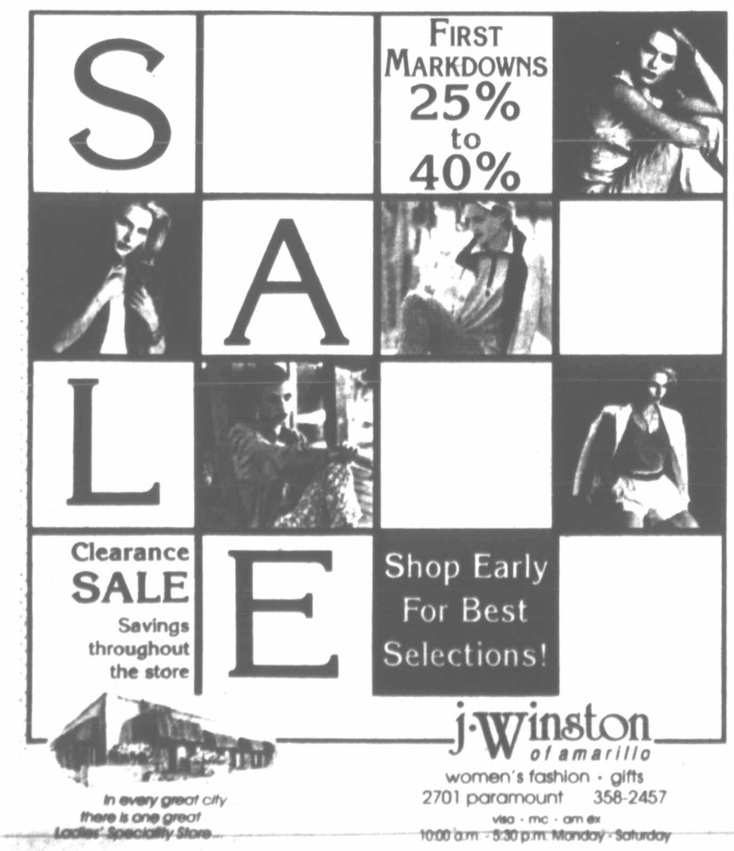
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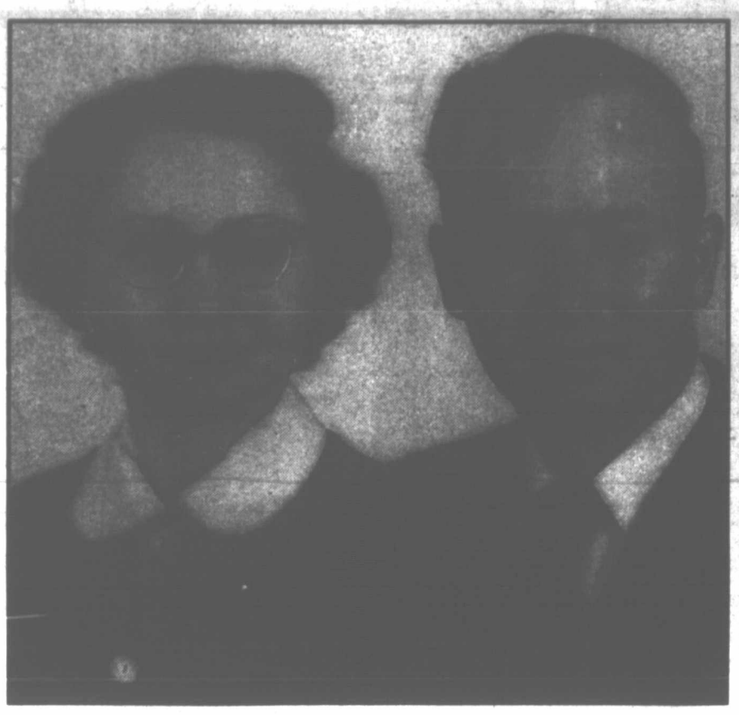
Erica Dawn Puryear and Adam Aaron Clark of Pampa plan to wed Aug. 8.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Puryear of Wheeler. She is currently a junior at Southwestern Oklahoma State University, where she is pursuing a degree in psychology.

The prospective groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Clark of Pampa. He is currently a student at Clarendon College. He will continue his education at Southwestern Oklahoma State University.







Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris

Harris anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary from 2:30-4:30 p.m. June 7, 1998, in Fellowship Hall of Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of Christ. Children of the couple will host the reception.

Charles E. Harris and Lois May were married June 6, 1948, in First Baptist Church of Wheeler. The couple have been Pampa residents since 1954 and are members of Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of Christ.

Each worked for Cabot after moving to Pampa and owned-operated Harris Transfer and Storage for 23 years, beginning in 1960. They later opened West Side Lawn Mower Shop which they ran until 1992.

Mr. Harris retired in 1992.

Mrs. Harris worked for the Department of Public Safety in the drivers license department from 1983 until retiring in 1994.

Children of the couple are Andy and Wendy Harris of Amarillo and Lisa Darden of Pampa. They have three grandchildren.



Gina Michelle Rankin and Jeremy Shad Stewart

Rankin-Stewart

Gina Michelle Rankin of Amarillo and Jeremy Shad Stewart of Lubbock were wed May 23 in Paramount Christian Church of Amarillo with the Rev. Earnest Stewart officiating.

The maid of honor was Heather Faught of San Antonio. The bridesmaid was Anissa Sims of Amarillo. The flower girl was Katelyn Packard.

The best man was Clint Stewart of Lubbock. The groomsman was Brian Sheridan of Lubbock.

The ushers were Brian Rankin of Lubbock and Chris Rogers of Canyon. The candlelighter was Leah Packard.

The bride is the daughter of Frances and Jacob Rankin of Amarillo and is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hillman of White Deer and Glenn Rankin of Lubbock.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stewart of Roscoe and Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Kellar of Coppell and is the grandson of the Rev. and Mrs. Earnest Stewart of Floydada.

The couple intend to make their home in Lubbock.

Books: A rich diet of food for thought





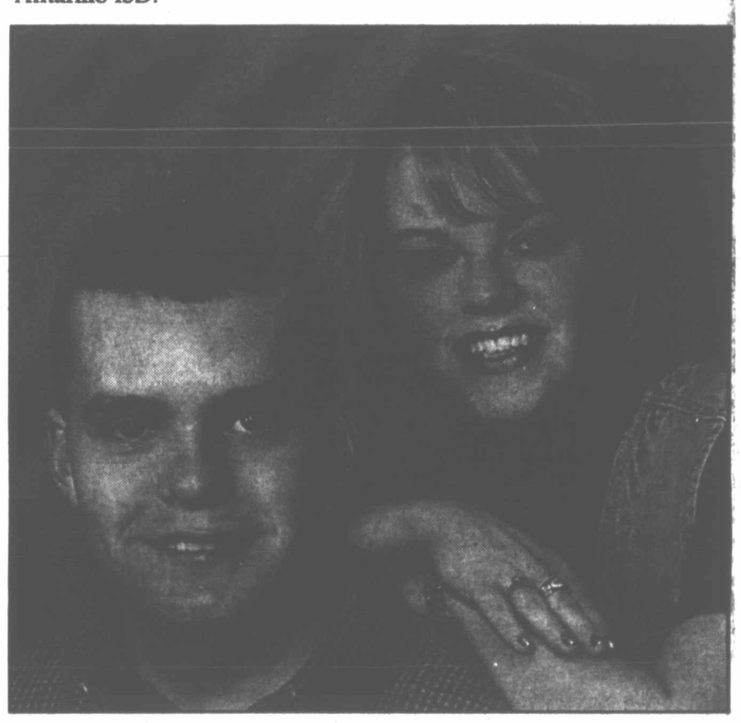
Colbi Shea Cowan and William Rodnie Winborne

Cowan-Winborne

Colbi Shea Cowan and William Rodnie Winborne, both of Amarillo, plan to wed July 11 at First United Methodist Church of Pampa.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Brent and Cindy Cowan. She is a 1992 graduate of Miami High School and is a 1997 graduate of West Texas A&M University, receiving a bachelor of science degree in interdisciplinary studies. She is currently employed as a special education teacher with Amarillo Independent School District.

The prospective groom is the son of Rodnie and Kathy Winborne of Pampa. He is a 1993 Pampa High School graduate and is currently attending Amarillo Technical Center. He is presently employed with Amarillo ISD.



Jo Nell Parsley and Billy Ray Parker

Parker-Parsley

Jo Nell Parsley and Billy Ray Parker, both of Amarillo, plan to wed July 10 at Country Home Bed and Breakfast in Canyon.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Ronnie and Betty Parsley of Pampa. She is a Pampa High School graduate and is a member of Fellowship Baptist Church of Pampa. She is currently employed at Wal-Mart Vision Center in Amarillo and is a consultant for Mary Kay Cosmetics.

The prospective groom is the son of Johnny and Lou Parker of Happy. He is currently pursuing a degree in business finance at Amarillo College and West Texas A&M University. He is presently employed at Wal-Mart Pharmacy in Amarillo and is a member of First Baptist Church of Happy.

Lifestyles Policies

1. *The Pampa News* will not be responsible for photographs used in announcing weddings, engagements or anniversaries. We reserve the right to refuse publication of photographs of poor quality. Photographs cannot be returned unless they are accompanied by a self-addressed, stamped envelope. They may be picked up in the office after appearing in the paper.

2. All information must be submitted by 5 p.m. Wednesday (12 noon before a holiday such as Thanksgiving or Christmas), prior to Sunday insertion.

3. Engagement, wedding and anniversary news only will be printed on Sunday.

4. Engagement announcements will be published if the announcement is submitted at least one month before the wedding, but not more than three months before the wedding.

5. Bridal photos and information will not be accepted in *The Pampa News* office later than one month past the date of the wedding.

6. Anniversary announcements will be published for celebrations only of 25 years or more and will not be published more than four weeks after the anniversary date.

7. Information that appears on engagement, wedding and anniversary forms will be used at the discretion of the editor. Forms are available from the office 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday thru Friday, or by sending a SASE to *The Pampa News*, P.O. Box 2198, Pampa, TX 79066-2198.

The children and grandchildren of
Mr. & Mrs. Charles E. Harris
would like to invite friends and family to a come and go reception in honor of their 50th Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, June 7th, 2:00 to 4:30 p.m. in the Mary Ellen & Harvester Church of Christ Fellowship Hall
~ no gifts please ~



Sarah Landry and Andrew Spaulding

Landry-Spaulding

Sarah Landry of Pampa and Andrew Spaulding of Odessa plan to wed June 20 in First United Methodist Church Chapel of Pampa.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Rivest and Nancy Landry of Pampa. She is a 1998 Pampa High School graduate and plans to attend the University of Texas-Permian Basin.

The prospective groom is the son of Thomas and Carol Spaulding of Pampa and June and Bill Vernon of Houston. He is a 1995 graduate of McKinley High School at Baton Rouge, La. He is currently employed with Drug Screen Compliance of West Texas and Lou's Lab in Odessa.



Mr. and Mrs. Merle Terrell

Terrell anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Terrell will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary from 2-4 p.m. today at 623 N. Somerville. Children of the couple will host the reception.

Merle Terrell and Joan Chance were married May 31, 1958, at Central Baptist Church in Pampa. The couple have spent their married life in Pampa and are members of First Baptist Church.

Mr. Terrell has worked for Texaco for the past 17 years.

Mrs. Terrell has worked for Brown, Graham and Company – formerly Chambless, Wilson and Ruff – for the past five years.

Children of the couple are Rod and Brenda Donaldson and Barry and Staci Terrell, all of Pampa. They have three grandchildren.



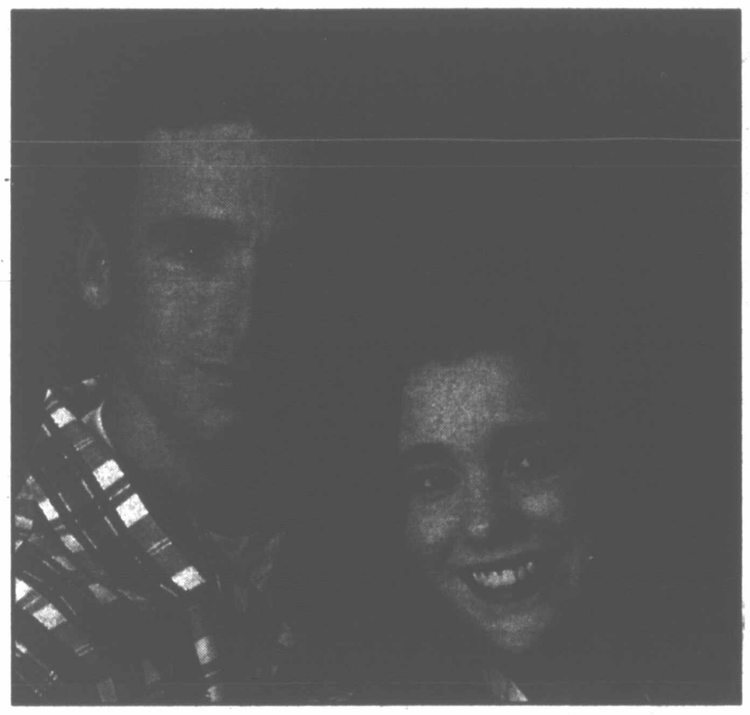
Misty Dawn Meadows and John Speir

Meadows-Speir

Misty Dawn Meadows and John Speir plan to wed June 13 in Immanuel Baptist Church in Sallisaw, Okla., with the Rev. Carl Page and the Rev. John Ewart officiating.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Clayton and Tana Meadows of Sallisaw, formerly of Pampa, and is the granddaughter of Lafoy and Catherine Vise, the late Johnnie Meadows, and Leona Rhodes and the late Arthur Rhodes, all of Pampa. She is a 1995 graduate of Sallisaw High School and is a graduate of Carl Albert State College, receiving an associate of arts degree. She is currently employed by Dobbs Eye Clinic in Sallisaw.

The prospective groom is the son of Curtis and Fontreba Bias and the late Bill Speir of Sallisaw and is the grandson of Mary Padgett of Sallisaw, the late Willie Padgett and the late Hubert Speir and Jessie Speir of Short, Okla. He is a 1989 graduate of Sallisaw High School and graduated from Northeastern State University, receiving a bachelor's degree in secondary education in math. He is currently employed by Stilwell High School.



Halley Lauren Bell and Dustin Shawn Roberson

Bell-Roberson

Halley Lauren Bell of Pampa and Dustin Shawn Roberson of Lefors plan to wed July 18 in Bible Church of Pampa.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Bret and Cathey Bell of Pampa. She is a Pampa High School graduate and currently attends Clarendon College-Pampa Center.

The prospective groom is the son of Garrel and Donna Roberson of Lefors. He is a graduate of Oklahoma Panhandle State University, receiving a bachelor's degree in animal science.



Heather Michelle Shepard and Michael Leslie Weatherly

Shepard-Weatherly

Heather Michelle Shepard and Michael Leslie Weatherly, both of Pampa, plan to wed June 20 in First Baptist Church of Pampa.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mike and Pam Moorehead of Pampa. She is a 1998 Pampa High School graduate and is currently employed with the accounting group at Celanese.

The prospective groom is the son of Les and Billie Weatherly of Pampa. He is a 1997 Pampa High School graduate and is currently employed with B&G Electric.

4-H Futures & Features

4-H Rodeo Survey

On May 8, the Extension Office sent a survey form to all enrolled 4-Hers and their family members as to whether to continue or discontinue the Gray County 4-H Youth Rodeo and what areas each individual is willing to work.

These surveys need to be returned to the Extension Office as soon as possible. A decision will need to be made immediately following State 4-H Roundup which is being held June 1-5 at College Station. Therefore, the deadline to have the surveys in is 5 p.m., Friday, June 5 so a decision can be made the following week.

State 4-H Roundup

Six Gray County 4-H members will be competing in the Texas 4-H Roundup June 1-5. Representing Gray County will be: Angie Davenport, Fabric and Fashion Design-Textile Design and Food Show-Nutritious Snacks; Sarah Myers, Fabric and Fashion Design-Accessory Design and Fashion Show-Construction-Casual; Alan Parker and Lori Stephens, Agronomy Demonstration; Barry Brauchi, Consumer Life Skills Educational Demonstration; and Jessica Fish, Sheep and/or Goat Demonstration.

Good luck to all these deserving 4-Hers.

MDA seeking volunteer camp counselors

AMARILLO – The Muscular Dystrophy Association is currently seeking applications from people who would like to volunteer for a week as counselors at the MDA summer camp in Happy.

Volunteers act as companions to children or teenagers with neuromuscular diseases during the camp session to be held May 31-June 5. Counselors must be at least 16 years old and able to lift a child. They will be called upon to push wheelchairs and assist with grooming, dressing and feeding, plus help kids participate in the fun activities that come with summer camp: including swimming, horseback riding, arts and crafts and canoeing.

"Camp is the highlight of the summer for the campers and many volunteers. It is one week of the year when youngsters with muscle-wasting disorders are fully able to participate in a wide range of group outdoor activities that are tailored for their limited mobility," says Donna Veach, MDA staff camp coordinator. "This camp has a relaxed atmosphere which allows campers to develop self-confidence and form lifelong friendships."

More than 4,000 campers are expected to attend MDA camps this year. With the help of one-on-one volunteers, campers will enjoy arts, crafts, sports, recreation and nature activities.

MDA is a national voluntary health agency dedicated to finding treatments and cures for 40 neuromuscular diseases affecting more than a million Americans. The Association receives no governmental grants, nor does it seek fees from the families it serves.

For more information or to volunteer, call the local MDA office at (806) 359-3141 or MDA national headquarters at 1-800-572-1717. Information about MDA programs and research advances is also available electronically through its home-page on the Internet (http://www.mdausa.org.).

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Menus June 1-5

Pampa Schools
MONDAY
Breakfast: Cook's choice.
Lunch: Chicken strips, whipped potatoes, spinach, mixed fruit, hot rolls.
TUESDAY
Breakfast: Cook's choice.
Lunch: Spaghetti, meatballs, green beans, corn, pineapple, bread sticks.
WEDNESDAY
Breakfast: Cook's choice.
Lunch: Cook's choice.
THURSDAY
Breakfast: Cook's choice.
Lunch: Hot dogs, French fries, vegetarian beans, cookies.
FRIDAY
Summer vacation begins.

Meals on Wheels
MONDAY
Chicken chow mein, hominy, egg rolls, cake.
TUESDAY
Hamburgers, tator tots, pineapple.
WEDNESDAY
Chili bake, pinto beans, cornbread, peanut butter bars.
THURSDAY
Oven-fried chicken, hashbrowns, green beans, pudding.
FRIDAY
Chopped sirloin, mushroom gravy, rice pilaf, English peas, pears.

Senior Citizens
MONDAY
Chicken fried steak or chicken enchiladas, mashed potatoes, spinach, beets, pinto beans, slaw, tossed or jello salad, chocolate chip cake or butterscotch pudding cups, hot rolls or cornbread.
TUESDAY
Swedish meatballs or chicken strips, creamed sliced potatoes, green beans, squash, beans, slaw, tossed or jello salad, strawberry cake or lemon cheesecake, hot rolls or cornbread.
WEDNESDAY
Roast beef brisket with brown gravy or cook's choice, mashed potatoes, peans, carrots, beans, slaw, tossed or jello salad, carrot cake or chocolate icebox pie, hot rolls or cornbread.
THURSDAY
Hamburger steak or chicken chow mein with oriental noodles, mashed potatoes, corn, cabbage, beans, slaw, tossed or jello salad, banana cake or coconut creme pie, hot rolls or cornbread.
FRIDAY
Fried cod fish or beef tips with noodles, potato wedges, broccoli florettes, beans, slaw, tossed or jello salad, chocolate mocha cake or tapioca, garlic breadsticks, hot rolls or cornbread.

Palo Duro Metro Chorus member



(Special photo)

Veronica Kirkwood of Pampa, (front row, second from right) member of the Palo Duro Metro Chorus of Sweet Adelines International, recently competed with the group in the Region 25 competition in Tulsa. The chorus won first place in the Small Chorus Division and earned the Most Improved Chorus Award. Kirkwood is a member of First Baptist Church of Pampa and the Gospel Chords. She is currently employed with Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency.

Newsmakers

PLAINVIEW – Wayland Baptist University has announced its graduating students for the 1998 spring semester. Among students awarded degrees was **Christopher Jaramillo** of Pampa. Jaramillo graduated magna cum lauda, receiving a bachelor of science degree in math.

During his time at Wayland, Jaramillo was active in Pi Sigma Sigma, was founder and president of World Wide Witness and served as vice president of Division of Business Student Advisory Council. In 1998, he was recognized and awarded the Management Information Systems, Who's Who and a Pioneer Scholarship.

PLAINVIEW – **Peter Roberts**, son of Dr. and Mrs. Peter Roberts of Amarillo and Ms. Roberts of Pampa, was recently recognized during Wayland Baptist University's annual Awards Chapel. Roberts, a senior at Wayland, was named to Who's Who Among American College Students. He has been active in Student Body, serving as president of the junior class, and is a past Pioneer Scholar.

BORGER – Frank Phillips College has announced its President's and Dean's List for the 1998 spring semester.

To be eligible for the President's List, a student must maintain a 4.0 grade point average while enrolled in 12 or more semester hours. Students named to the list include: **Amy Crafton** and **Valeri Morse**, both of Pampa; **Jenny Thurmond** of Skellytown; and **Anna Johnston** of White Deer.



Brandy Kemph



Rebecca Hope Richmond

To be eligible for the Dean's List, a student must maintain a 3.5 GPA while enrolled in 12 or more semester hours. Students named to the list include: **Kate Devoll, Melanie Hamel** and **Toni Norris**, all of Pampa; **Jenifer Slatten** of Lefors; **Andy Wilson** of Skellytown; and **Kory Dunn** of White Deer.

TULSA, Okla. – Veronica Kirkwood of Pampa, member of the Palo Duro Metro Chorus of Sweet Adelines International, recently competed with the group in the Region 25 competition in Tulsa. The chorus won first place in the Small Chorus Division and earned the Most Improved Chorus Award.

Kirkwood is a member of First Baptist Church of Pampa and the Gospel Chords. She is currently employed with Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency.

The United States Achievement Academy recently announced **Brandy Kemph**, daughter of Doug and Cindy Kemph of Pampa, has been named a United States National Award Winner in business education.

The award is an honor few students attain as the academy recognizes fewer than 10 percent of all American high school students.

Kemph, a Pampa High School student, was nominated for the award by Sherrell Wheeler, a teacher at PHS.

Kemph will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook which is published nationally.

The academy selects USAA winners upon the following criteria: academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability and recommendation from a teacher or director.

Kemph is the granddaughter of Billy and Colleen Neal of Pampa and Wilbur and Betty Kemph of Lefors.

BUIES CREEK, N.C. – Campbell University recently awarding 11,1655 degrees during spring commencement ceremonies. Among the graduates was **Charles E. Gilbert** of Pampa. Gilbert received an associate of arts degree.

NORFOLK, Va. – Navy Seaman **John Dawson**, 1990 Pampa High School graduate, is currently halfway through a six month deployment to the Western Pacific Ocean aboard the amphibious transport dock USS Dubuque.

Dawson joined the Navy in January 1996.

DALLAS – Executive Secretarial School's College of Business recently announced **Cassie Turner**, 1996 Pampa High School graduate and daughter of Bill Turner Jr. and Barbara Turner, was recently awarded an associate of applied science degree in office administration/administrative assisting.

Turner received perfect attendance and perfect typist awards while at the school. She is currently employed as an administrative assistant at Avtax, Inc., in Dallas.

ABILENE – Hardin-Simmons University recently announced its President's List for the 1998 spring semester.

To be eligible for the honor a student must maintain a 4.0 grade point average while enrolled in 12 or more semester hours. Students named to the list include **Shaylee Richardson** of Pampa.

BRISCOE – **Rebecca Hope Richmond**, 17-year-old daughter of Phil and Carol Richmond of Briscoe, was named co-valedictorian of her graduating class at Fort Elliott High School in Briscoe.

Her honors and accomplishments include: National Honor Society, Future Farmers of America, Future Homemakers of America and honorable mention All-District Volleyball. She has also served as a mentor.

She is the granddaughter of Bo and Helen Dyer and the late G.F. and Nina Richmond, all of Pampa.

THE LAST ARTICLE

For the past several years I have written a weekly article which has been published in The Pampa News. I appreciate their willingness to publish my articles without censorship or criticism. The articles have been paid for by the Westside Church of Christ here in Pampa. I appreciate also the many words of encouragement and commendation I have received from those who have read the articles. There have been very few negative criticisms although I am sure there have been those who have disagreed with the content of many of the articles.

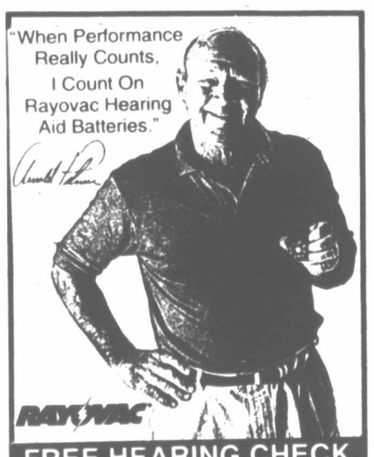
I have tried to present articles of a religious and moral nature based upon plain Bible teaching. I believe the Bible is the inspired Word of God (2 Tim. 3:16-17.) I believe it stands as its own best proof of its inspiration. There is no other way to explain the accuracy of the prophecies, made hundreds and even thousands of years before their fulfillment except by the inspiration of Almighty God. Also, since the scriptures claim to be inspired of God and no one has ever successfully proven otherwise, then their claim stands as authentic.

The scriptures are plain in their teaching. For instance, "And He said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to the whole creation. He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that disbelieveth shall be condemned." (Mk. 16:15-16) is very plain. Nothing could be any plainer than these basic truths.

Again, I take this means of saying "thank you" to all the readers of my articles for your words of encouragement through the years.

-Billy T. Jones

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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.):

TOP SINGLES
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1. "The Boy Is Mine," Brandy & Monica (Atlantic)
2. "Too Close," Next (Arista) (Platinum)
3. "You're Still the One," Shania Twain (Mercury) (Platinum)
4. "My All," Mariah Carey (Columbia)
5. "I Get Lonely," Janet featuring Blackstreet (Virgin)
6. "Everybody (Backstreet's Back)," Backstreet Boys (Jive) (Gold)
7. "The Arms of the One Who Loves You," Xscape (So So Def)
8. "All My Life," K-Ci & Jojo (MCA)
9. "Truly Madly Deeply," Savage Garden (Columbia) (Gold)
10. "It's All About Me," Mya & Sisqo (Interscope)

TOP ALBUMS
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1. "It's Dark and Hell Is Hot," DMX (Def Jam)
2. "'City of Angels' Soundtrack," (Warner Sunset)
3. "Sparkle," Sparkle (Rock Land)
4. "Godzilla - The Album," Soundtrack (Epic)
5. "Lost," Eightball (Suave House)
6. "The Limited Series," Garth Brooks (Capitol Nashville)
7. "Before These Crowded Streets," Dave Matthews Band (RCA)
8. "Ophelia," Natalie Merchant (Elektra)
9. "Songs from Ally McBeal (TV Soundtrack)," Vonda Shepard (550 Music)
10. "Sittin' on Top of the World," LeAnn Rimes (Curb)

COUNTRY SINGLES
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1. "I Just Want to Dance With You," George Strait (MCA)
2. "Holes in the Floor of Heaven," Steve Wariner (Capitol Nashville)
3. "I'm From the Country," Tracy Byrd (MCA Nashville)
4. "One of These Days," Tim McGraw (Curb)
5. "This Kiss," Faith Hill (Warner Bros.)
6. "I Do Cherish You," Mark Wills (Mercury)
7. "If You See Him-If You See Her," Reba, Brooks & Dunn (MCA Nashville-Arista Nashville)
8. "Commitment," LeAnn Rimes (Curb)
9. "Out of My Bones," Randy Travis (DreamWorks)
10. "That's Why I'm Here," Kenny Chesney (BNA)

ADULT CONTEMPORARY SINGLES
Copyright 1998, Billboard
1. "Truly Madly Deeply," Savage Garden (Columbia)
2. "You're Still The One," Shania Twain (Mercury)
3. "My Father's Eyes," Eric Clapton (Reprise)
4. "As Long As You Love Me," Backstreet Boys (Jive)
5. "Recover Your Soul," Elton John (Rocket)
6. "My Heart Will Go On," Celine Dion (Music)
7. "Give Me Forever (I Do)," John Tesh featuring James Ingram (GTSP-Mercury)
8. "Frozen," Madonna (Maverick)
9. "I Don't Want to Wait," Paula Cole (Imago)
10. "Something About the Way You Look Tonight," Elton John (Rocket)

'Larry Sanders' says farewell ... brilliantly

NEW YORK (AP) – Larry Sanders has come to the end of his last show.

Alone before millions, he is seated on his stool. The way Jack Paar did it at the end. The way Johnny Carson did it at the end. The way all talk-show hosts stage their last goodbye.

"To tell you the truth," Larry tells his viewers between pauses to regain his composure, "I don't know exactly what I'm going to do without you. Thank you so much. God bless you. And you may now flip."

And that's all for "The Larry Sanders Show."

It's not really all. It never was. Not with this glorious show-within-a-show.

For six years Garry Shandling has starred as Larry Sanders, a neurotic and very funny host who always cautioned his viewers to holster their remote controls and not "flip around."

Shandling's grand concept called for interlacing Larry's late-night talk show with his behind-the-scenes obsessions. That was the full power of "Larry Sanders" – that is, the HBO comedy saying goodbye for real Sunday at 10 p.m. EDT. From its start through this, its 88th episode, "Larry" has riotously teetered between dual realities: public and private; pretend and painfully true.

Now Garry, like Larry, has decided to call it quits. This hour-long finale-within-a-finale displays much of Larry's swan song – the highly charged last night of a 10-year run – along with plenty of off-camera funny business.

And plenty of real-life celebrities. Warren Beatty nixes Larry's invitation. David Duchovny, agreeing to come on, also comes on to Larry (or is it just Larry's addled imagination?). Tom Petty, Clint Black and Greg Kinnear go at it in a green-room scuffle over who gets to sing Larry a good-bye song.

Jim Carrey delivers a rip-roaring comic tribute to his host, then, during a commercial break, turns on him in rage over a long-ago slight.

"Are you doing a bit, now?" asks Larry, perplexed.

"We're off the air," Carrey hisses. "This is real life now."

Finally, at the end (the REAL end), after taping has wrapped in the now-empty studio, Larry shares a bittersweet moment with his Napoleonic producer, Artie (played by Rip Torn), and his chronically insecure announcer Hank (Jeffrey Tambor).

The two people who mean the most to him, Artie and Hank, henceforth will have no role in Larry's life, and they all know it. But won't admit it. Or can't. The unstated question: What will Larry do without them? Funny and touching, this is the perfect way to drop the final curtain.

Wednesday, the threesome was briefly reunited. Joined by Torn and Tambor, the press-shy Shandling met with reporters at HBO headquarters.

"I marvel at the acting ability of these gentlemen," he said, turning to his co-stars. "It's an honor to work with you. And I certainly learned a lot from you."

Said Tambor of Shandling, "This guy really cares, heaping praise on everyone else and taking very little for himself."

"You were always my director," Torn said to Shandling. Then, breaking his promise not to get choked up, he added, "There was a sense of what we were doing as the great time of our lives."

A great time for viewers began in August 1992, three months after Carson had retired from "Tonight," when Shandling, a stand-up comic and occasional Carson stand-in, launched "Larry Sanders."

"The show is about the darker side of our emotions that we try to conceal," Shandling explained in an interview with The AP when "Larry" premiered. "Jealousy, insecurity, competitiveness – characters on this show feel these things in a real way, and they attempt to cover their emotions in the same ways that people do in real life."



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Houseguests Are Expected To Pay Their Fair Share



Abigail Van Buren

SYNDICATED COLUMNIST

DEAR ABBY: When we have out-of-town guests, what are our responsibilities?

We provide luxurious private accommodations and meals, which is to be expected. But are we supposed to pay for *all* their entertainment — such as the ballet, symphony, concert and golf fees?

We invited a couple to stay with us, but where do we draw the line? They will be houseguests for three weeks because they will be coming from a great distance, and this was planned nearly a year ago.

If they offer to pay for anything, should we accept their offer?

NO NAME OR CITY, PLEASE

DEAR NO NAME: The symphony, concert, ballet and golfing? Your guests appear to be accustomed to the best. The financial arrangements for these activities should be discussed with your invited guests before they arrive and before the reservations are made. If you are purchasing tickets in advance, you can easily ask for their seating preferences — and which credit card number you should give the box office. Also, if the visitors play golf, with or without you, they should pay their own way.

Since they are staying for an extended period, your guests should reciprocate your hospitality by taking you to dinner at least once a week. You should not have to pay for everything, nor should they expect it.

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DEAR ABBY: I read your column regularly and find you to be the voice of reason. On many occasions I thought about writing to you for advice — and now I am. An invitation to an upcoming bridal shower is what put me over the edge.

Is it appropriate for the bride's mother to throw her daughter a bridal shower? And, more important to me, to include in the invitation a three-page history of the bride and groom, along with the bride's panty and bra sizes?

HORRIFIED IN THE HAMPTONS

DEAR HORRIFIED: According to the etiquette books, bridal showers may be given for the bride by her friends or relatives — but never by members of either her immediate family or her fiance's.

I see nothing wrong with including information about the bridal couple for guests who might not have met one of them. However, to include the bride's bra and panty sizes is disclosing far more information than necessary.

I've heard of blushing brides — but it should be a flush of happiness, not embarrassment.

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DEAR ABBY: I would like to add an act of kindness to your collection.

About two years ago, we moved to Alta Laguna Mobile Home Park in Alta Loma, Calif. We had our newspaper subscription transferred.

After three or four mornings, I commented to my wife that the new delivery person was doing an excellent job of getting the paper on the top of our steps right by the door.

Later I discovered that a widow in the park arises at 5:30 every morning and walks around the park picking up newspapers and putting them at the door of all 50 homes.

Abby, the widow is Vernon Stotts, and she just celebrated her 93rd birthday. What a wonderful person.

I hope when I reach her age I am as spry and alert as she is.

ROBERT J. WATSON JR., U.S. NAVY (RET.)

DEAR ROBERT: So do I. Thanks for writing!

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Horoscope

MONDAY, JUNE 1, 1998
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)
★★★ You start the day with the best of intentions, so you are baffled by what happens. You get easily annoyed when matters don't fall into place as you think they should. In business, another attempts to push you around. Take a stand. Tonight: Work off stress.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
★★★★ Try as you might to please people, they are bent on creating an uproar. Your point of view causes someone to tell you off. Be careful with spending. Maintain control, despite any pressure. You know when enough is enough. Tonight: Let your happiness radiate.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
★★ Tension is high, even though you put your best foot forward. Feelings are sensitive and tend to go to extremes. Listen carefully to someone's opinion. Domestic matters are up for consideration. Someone is testy. Tonight: Vanish quickly!

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
★★★ Talks reveal that others think differently than you. On some level, you take a situation personally. Watch your temper; it comes out in spite of your attempt to control it. Work is unnerving. Read between the lines, and learn more about new technology. Tonight: Dote on a friend.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
★★★ Carefully handle finances. Others have different ideas about how you spend your money. You don't agree, but there is no reason for conflict. The answer is a simple "no." A boss respects your opinions, and a pay raise is possible. Tonight: Don't let someone push you!

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
★★★★ Pressure to perform is intense. Listen carefully to feedback from someone with expertise in the field. A family member decides it is time to go on the warpath. You do the ultimate juggling act. Stay detached for now. Tonight: Whatever pleases you!

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
★★ Take a back seat. Be direct in your dealings. Someone is in touch with your feelings. Spend time sharing on a deep level with this special person. Caring flows. Ask for the support you need. Communications run awry; keep inquiring. Tonight: Do your own thing.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
★★★★ Aim for what you want financially. Reverse gears, if you need to gain more control of your finances. Listen carefully to key associates; they are there because they want to be. A partner has distinctly different ideas about spending. Tonight: Where your friends are!

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
★★★ Accepting responsibility comes with leadership and its rewards. For now, though, disagreements seem inevitable at work. Co-workers chip in, and you can count on their support. A partner is testy, informing you how wrong he thinks you are. Tonight: Work late.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
★★★★ Take an overview. You get a lot done quickly. Trust information, despite someone's harsh delivery. Emphasize creativity, dynamic thinking and different points of view. A new friend flirts. Are you interested? Be careful about value judgments. Tonight: Run errands.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
★★★ You are taken back by someone's temper and resistance. You don't always agree with a child or new friend. Let him vent. Focus on security and serenity. Someone is out of sorts. Evaluate recent developments; change goals if need be. Tonight: With a special friend.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
★★★★ Others are on the rampage, and you think all this negativity is directed toward you. Not so! Stay calm, and express your love in a way that others can hear. You are on top of a problem. A boss is testy; it's best to let him air out his problems. Family is cranky. Tonight: Join friends.

BORN TODAY
Actress Lisa Hartman Black (1956), actor Andy Griffith (1926), musician Ron Wood (1947)

Crossword Puzzle

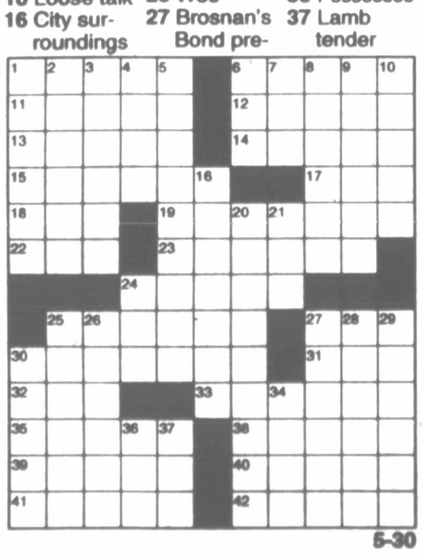
by THOMAS JOSEPH

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6 Chinwags
11 River feeder
12 Heard
13 Stair part
14 Refrain bit
15 Team originally called the Colt .45s
17 Chess pieces
18 Pod item
19 Health profession
22 Superlative suffix
23 Orchestra member
24 Dolt
25 Bloom on screen
27 Pair
30 Kenya capital
31 Police-radio item
32 Fitting
33 Stable sections
35 "— Right Thing"
38 Bandleader Shaw
39 Acquired relative
40 Detroit team
41 Actress Della
42 Rebs' foes

DOWN
1 Abrade
2 Stands
3 Anne Rice's vampire
4 Visionary
5 The Rubber Capital
6 Alley resident
7 Half an Oscar-winning movie
8 Friend of Athos
9 Gift
10 Loose talk
16 City surroundings
20 The Eternal City
21 Taste the wine
24 Train unit
25 De Niro role of 1987
26 Wee
27 Brosnan's Bond predecessor
28 Satellite connection
29 Become fixated
30 Low point
34 La Scala song
36 Possesses
37 Lamb tender

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Yesterday's Answer



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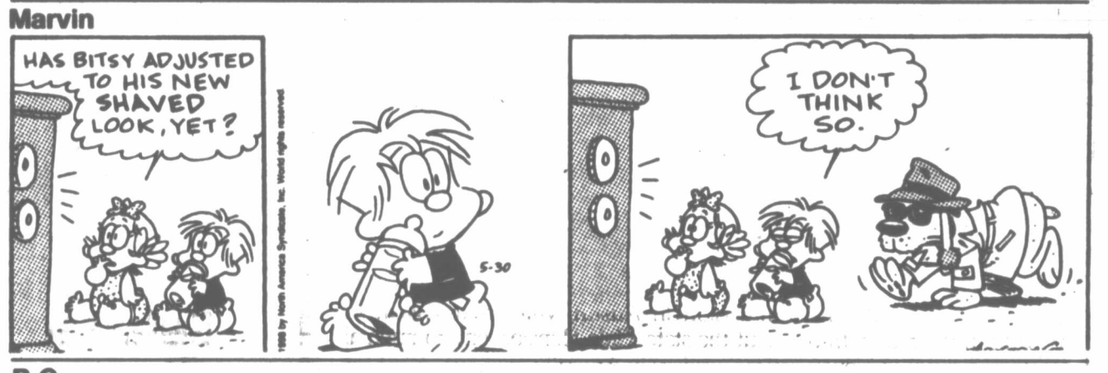
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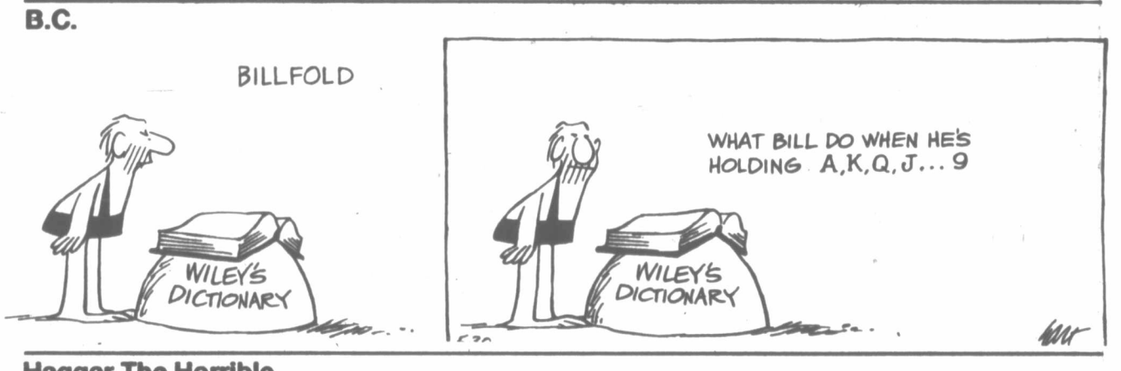
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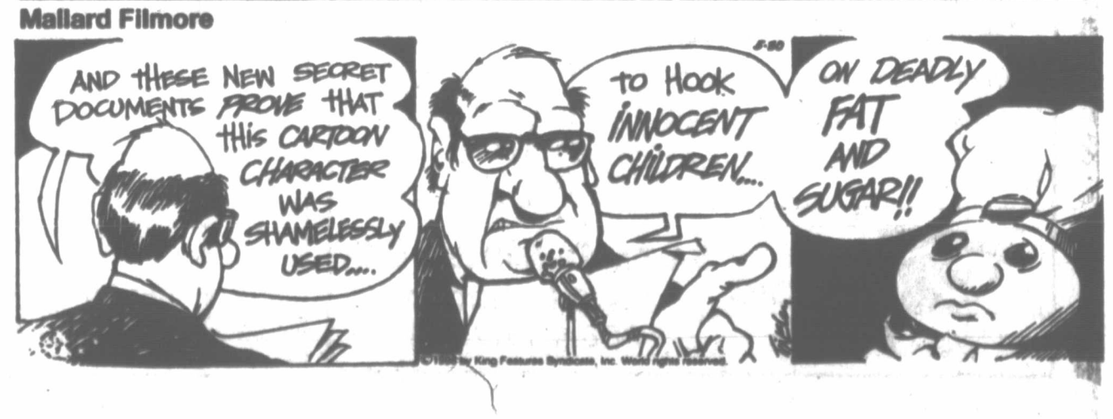
Peanuts



Blondie



Mallard Filmore



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LETTERS

can get a positive experience in life. Have you stopped to think how much of your negativity gets out to the kids, not your own kids, but the kids of the parents that read your articles and talk about it. Come help, get involved and make a difference! If it is advertisement you're after, "pay for it!"

Special needs children require special care

To the editor:

I have always been proud to be a native Texan, but recently I have had second thoughts. My husband and I have four adopted children. All of these children were considered "special needs" children due to their biological backgrounds. We were informed that Texas has Post Adoptive Services to help with resources for any future needs of these children. What we were not told is that Post Adoptive Services is almost a "Name Only" entity. Their funding to help these children is extremely limited.

Our eldest son is now in a residential treatment center. We have exhausted our own resources and insurance with other hospitalizations and counselors. Now PAS states "the money is running out" and we have to find other resources for our son.

Children's Protective Services has stated that our son cannot come home due to the danger to the other children. CPS and the counselors at the treatment center both agree that our son is not ready to leave this placement and that changing programs at this time could be detrimental to his recovery. He is making some progress at this time.

At a recent Community Resource Coordination Group meeting, I was told that the only way to continue with this treatment for our son is to give CPS custody of him by refusing to accept responsibility for his care. This could precipitate CPS filing charges against us for abandonment and result in fines and/or jail time for my husband and I or, at the very least, termination of our parental rights and child support paid to the state of Texas.

I was also told that we should have pressed charges against our son and let the State Judicial System deal with him. This also could have resulted in the same charges being levied against us and would probably not have gotten our son any psychological help.

Our other three children also have problems and are working hard to resolve them. What is going to happen when and if they need more help than we can provide? Will they also become a "judiciary problem" with no hope for reprieve?

Why are we being punished for trying to help these children we struggled so hard to get in the first place? Why are our children being punished for a background they had no control over? Why should they have to give up a family that loves them so that they can get the help they need? Why should their family have to give them up?

Texas, I don't understand, and I'm very hurt. After all the struggle and heartache, after hours, days, weeks, months and years of fighting for these children we stand to lose them because the state laws don't take into account the kinds of problems these "Special Needs Children" really have. The laws, written to prevent abuse and abandonment of adopted children, are working against the children who desperately need more help than any family could possibly provide.

My husband and I are desolate at the thought of losing our son, but can see no other options at this time. We can only hope that he will understand that we love him and will always love him and consider him our son. That we do the things we have to in order to get him the help he needs.

Texas, please don't forget these special kids. They need all our support and love so desperately.

La Vone Miles
Winnie, Texas

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Soil and water conservation chapters to hold state convention

AMARILLO – "Water in the 21st Century: Rights and Realities" will be the theme of the 32nd annual state meeting of the Texas Council of Chapters, Soil and Water Conservation Society to be held in Amarillo June 17-19.

The day-long technical session will begin at 8:30 a.m. June 18 at the Radisson Inn and will feature 10 speakers from throughout the state. Exhibits from state and local sponsors will also be on display. Five continuing education units in Certified Crop Advisor soil and water management may be earned by attending the technical session.

The future of water use from the Edwards Aquifer will be discussed by Gregory Ellis, general manager of the aquifer in San Antonio. "The Ogallala: Past, Present and Future" will be examined by Dr. Lloyd Urban, director of the Water Resources Center in Lubbock. John C. Williams, general manager of the Canadian River Municipal Water Authority in Sanford, will talk about future water use from Lake Meredith.

Regional water supply planning will be the topic of Comer Tuck, regional planning team leader, Texas Water Development Board, Austin. George Bomar, weather modification specialist with Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission in Austin, will discuss weather modification projects throughout the state. Gale Henslee, environmental projects director at New Century Services in Amarillo, will talk about his company's utilization of Amarillo's waste water.

The future for irrigation will be examined by Dr. Ron Lacewell, assistant vice chancellor at Texas A&M University at College Station. The impact on the Texas economy of conversion to dryland farming will be evaluated by Dr. Steve Amossen, agricultural economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Amarillo. Marketing water rights will also be discussed.

The keynote address will be given at noon by Dr. Wayne Jordan, director of the Texas Water Resources Center at Texas A&M.

A technical tour focusing on equipment and techniques for efficient use and management of precipitation and irrigation water resources for crop production will be conducted June 17 at the USDA Agricultural Research Service at Bushland, west of Amarillo. Tour participants will see world-class evapotranspiration facilities, where accurate measurements of water loss are made so cropping systems and various production strategies can be evaluated.

Additional tour stops will show the latest technology in center pivot irrigation including above and within-canopy sprinklers and low energy spray application as well as subsurface and surface drip irrigation systems. Participants will see an eight span center pivot using sprinkler management methods to reduce or control plant diseases and dryland water management systems. Two Certified Crop Advisor CEUs in soil and water management may be earned by attending the tour.

Registration for the technical tour is $5. Registration for the technical session is $35. Any registrations which include lunch at the technical session must be made by June 12. For more information, call Carole Perryman at (806) 356-5749 or e-mail cperryma@ag. gov.

Neighborhood Watch works!

Club News

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

Pampa Garden Club

The Pampa Garden Club met May 12 at the Pampa Country Club with President Alice Gray presiding.

Business conducted during the meeting included:

—Installation of officers for the 1998-99 club year: Thelma Bray, president; Clara Quary, vice president; Mary Ann Bailey, secretary; Marilyn Butler, treasurer; Gray, parliamentarian.

—Ruth Barrett presented the Gardener of the Year award to member Dale Grayum.

—A thank you gift was presented to outgoing President Gray.

Gray and Christine Campaigne served as hostesses.

The next meeting will be at 2 p.m. Sept. 14 at TBA.

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AGRICULTURE

The Market Forecaster

By George Kleinman

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George Kleinman is president of Commodity Resource Corporation (CRC), a licensed brokerage firm which specializes in marketing strategies using agricultural futures and options. CRC welcomes questions – they can be reached at 1-800-233-4445.

Wheat (Bull)

Outlook: There is a profound and well delineated division of opinion regarding wheat prices for the coming weeks and into the thick of the winter wheat harvest. No doubt, weather will play a key role here (supply), as well as export activity (demand). Keep in mind, we are dealing with the unknown, and we must be flexible in our outlook. The bear case is simple. The markets are looking at lackluster export performance. They are anticipating a very good winter wheat crop. They may be right. Here is my bull case: Exports have been poor and as a result prices have come down over 50 cents a bushel in the last few months. Low prices stimulate demand, and with Canadian wheat stocks at their lowest levels in 20 years, U.S. export prospects should improve this year. In other words, a huge winter wheat crop is already discounted in current low prices months prior to the actual harvest. Spring wheat weather conditions have been less than ideal at this early stage. The unexpected weather and export news in the coming weeks will be bullish.

Strategy: *Hedgers:* At five year lows, if you have not previously hedged, I suggest (instead of locking in a loss) accept the risk of the marketplace. Look for a better level to hedge. If we do not see better prices by harvest, at that time, you can sell cash wheat and simultaneously buy call options to maintain ownership.

Traders: Last week, we suggested the purchase of Minneapolis September 370 calls as a limited risk, high potential way to speculate for higher wheat prices. You should have been easily able to purchase these at 14 cents a bushel or less.

Corn (Bull/Bear)

Outlook: The Western corn belt is planted, and the Eastern Corn belt, even the previously wet areas, appears to be coming along well at press time. Getting the crop in the ground is the first big hurdle, and this accomplishment has taken at least 10 cents "risk premium," maybe up to 15, out of the futures prices. So the "wet" scare is past, and now I'll tell you what the next "weather scare" will be – hot and dry. We can never forget that this is an El Nino year and still a strong one. El Nino years are associated with hot and dry, crop-hurting type conditions in the six major Midwestern growing states. El Nino never really hurt the South American crop this year, and the North American crop may get by just fine. However, I would not want to be too short the futures at this time of year. The funds are now, and they possibly could get burned!

Strategy: *Hedgers:* We are 35 percent hedged new crop production, 10 percent at 275 in the December futures and 25 percent in the December 260 puts. Look to add 25 percent more on rallies above 270 using put options (which will protect the downside, but not limit upside potential.)

Traders: Gamblers can look to buy December futures under 259, looking for a weather rally of 15 cents or more. I would not risk more than 10 cents a bushel on this trade.

Soybeans (Bull/Bear)

Outlook: It does not matter if you are a farmer or a trader. The soybean market is a tough call for the coming months. The supply situation looks potentially very bearish. The South Americans just harvested a record large crop, and here in the U.S. with record large acres, the potential is for an absolutely huge crop, too. However, the crop is only in the bin after harvest is over, and we are a long way from that. The demand side of the equation looks a bit more promising, but the real key in the coming months will be weather. It would be unusual not to have at least one good old-fashioned weather rally in this year of the El Nino. Bottom line, I do not want us to get prematurely bearish at this time, but there is no reason to become a soybean bull at this point either.

Strategy: *Hedgers:* Look to obtain 33 percent new crop hedge coverage (using either futures or put options, whichever you are most comfortable with) above 640 in the November contract.

Traders: Based on a previous recommendation, we are long November futures at 620 or below. Risk to 605, looking for a rally above 640 to take profits.

Cattle (Bull/Bear)

Outlook: There is a problem in this cattle market right now. Cattle feeders have experienced a lack of profitability for about one year straight and have been desperate for good news. The good news, as I have reported, is reduced supply. The total cattle inventory is estimated at only 99,501,000 head in 1998 – the lowest in five years. The bad news is this bull supply outlook caused the June futures to trade at a large premium to cash. This encouraged too many feeders to feed too long, and the weights remain, on average, way too high. While I still look for futures to be trading in the mid-70s, or higher by year end, the near term remains difficult.

Strategy: *Feeders:* Remain unhedged in August forward at this time looking for higher prices. We just missed out June hedge price earlier, and now lower it to 6700 or better.

Cow/calf operators: The fundamentals of tight supplies should result in shallow breaks in price. Remain unhedged anticipating higher prices down the road.

Traders: Based on a previous recommendation we own October cattle futures from under 6925. Gamblers double up under 6750. Be prepared to risk 6622 for an ultimate longer term profit objective above 7250.

Extension In Progress



Danny Nusser
Gray. County Extension Agent-Agriculture

News Column Returns

Thank you to *The Pampa News* for allowing this space to provide you with information concerning all Extension educational activities. It is my intention to inform you about timely happenings and provide educational information about agriculture, horticulture, and subjects pertaining to our county. Anytime you have questions pertaining to any topic discussed in this column, please feel free to call.

Agri-Partners Update

Currently we are working on several agriculture demonstrations or field tests that are part of a program called AgriPartners. These field tests include: Irrigation Demonstrations in wheat, corn, sorghum, soybeans, and sunflowers; insect monitoring for Southwestern and European Corn Borer, Corn Rootworm, Banks Grass Mite, Sunflower Moth, Corn Earworm, and Greenbugs; surge irrigation; CRP fertility and Forage Clippings; and much more as needed.

I will keep you updated weekly with what we are seeing and what these numbers might indicate. Currently we have irrigation test on wheat and corn and are monitoring insects such as Southwestern Corn Borer, European corn Borer, Banks Grass Mites and Corn Rootworm.

Irrigation Tests

These tests are monitoring moisture availability of the crops mentioned above by using gypsum blocks. These blocks identify soil moisture changes, locate the depth of water penetration and desirable crop rooting. They are read twice per week and give a reading of 0-100 with 0 being dry and 100 being wet. They are placed at 1,2 and 3 feet depths.

Other information obtained from these tests will be crop growth state, rainfall, inches of irrigation, water applied, and any other information pertinent to the information needed to determine water used.

Readings on the three corn fields last Monday read in the 90's at all three depths. This corn was in the 2-3 leaf stages of development and has ample moisture.

When moisture blocks for corn indicate 70-80 water gypsum blocks than soil moisture is good, 50-60 is fair moisture and 30-40 is low. On high water use crops such as corn, producers try to maintain soil moisture levels at 70 or above.

As of Thursday, May 21, readings on wheat fields have measured in the 90's for both fields. These fields were irrigated with 3" and 5.2 inches during late joint and early boot stages. Tuesday, May 26, these fields were in soft dough stages and the readings had dropped in the 60's at the 1 foot levels. Wheat fields are beginning to use available soil moisture in the top foot because of hot, dry weather this past week and grain development. Wheat is in good shape from readings of 60-70.

This information is helpful in making decisions related to irrigation. The available moisture in these wheat fields at all three depths indicate enough moisture to finish the development of this crop. If the wheat was earlier in development, a producer would consider irrigating. A good rain will help yields in the coming week but the increase in yield won't justify the cost of irrigation.

Corn Borer Moths

Southwestern Corn Borer Moths are showing up in traps. As of Monday, May 25, we dumped seven adult moths from these traps which indicate moderate movement in these moths.

By monitoring these traps, we can determine when the corn borer adults become present in numbers which indicate possible infestation of corn fields by their larvae. Corn borer larvae are very destructive to corn fields in our area and cost producers thousands of dollars each year to treat.

European Corn Borer, Adult Banks Grass Mites, and Corn Rootworm larvae numbers have not been found as of the May 25. These will be monitored weekly throughout the growing season.

Producers who would like more details on actual insects found and readings of gypsum blocks can call me anytime. If I can help you with identification or economic thresholds of insects or more information about gypsum blocks, give me a call at the Extension Office.

Next Week

We will discuss Potential Evapotranspiration rates for each crop and how this is determined. We will also talk about controlling bagworms on area trees and shrubs.

Kentucky farmer says hemp meal makes healthy animals

WILLISBURG, Ky. (AP) — One Washington County farmer is convinced his feed makes happier, shinier animals. He says his horses and cattle have more energy and seem less stressed.

His secret is hemp meal.

Donnie Colter has been testing hemp meal as a feed supplement on his 1,000-acre farm near Willisburg with the help of Kentucky Industrial Hemp Association.

"We've fed it to everything from guppies on up. I've never fed it to nothing that won't eat it," Colter said.

His wife, Cheryl, uses the hemp as well to make breakfast muffins.

"Even folks that eat my wife's muffins — they'll just stand right over the box," Colter said.

Colter's farm grew hemp in the 1940s, but today it's illegal to grow the product in the United States because it is closely related to marijuana. He says he'd like to grow certified seed for the world market.

Colter uses hemp meal from seed grown in China. The seeds are imported by an Ohio company, which crushes them to extract the oil. Colter buys what is left and grinds it into meal for mixing into animal feed.

Colter markets the feed supplement — either as meal or lumps — under the name Nutrahemp from Circle C Farm Enterprises. He has customers in Alabama, Florida, Tennessee and Indiana.

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Community Calendar

MISS TOP O' TEXAS RODEO now taking entries for the 1998 Pageant to be held July 9-11, 1998, Pampa, Texas. Deadline is June 1, 1998. For more information contact Sonja Daniel, 665-1413 or Jamie Greene, 665-8850.

FREEDOM MUSEUM USA, 600 North Hobart, Open Tuesday-Saturday, Noon to 4 p.m. Revolutionary War to Bosnia. All branches of service are represented.

AL-ANON will hold weekly meetings on Mondays and Wednesdays at 8 p.m. at 910 W. Kentucky. For more information, call 669-0407 or 669-3988.

CLEAN AIR AL-ANON will hold weekly meetings on Tuesdays and Thursdays at noon at 810 W. 23rd. For more information, call 665-5938 or 669-3988.

CLEAN AIR AL-ATEEN will hold weekly meetings on Mondays at 7 p.m. at 810 W. 23rd. For more information, contact 669-0407 or 669-3988.

VFW POST #1657, 105 S. Cuyler. Charity Bingo every Wednesday at 7 p.m. and Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Doors open at 12 noon. No one under 18 allowed. Public is welcome. License No. 1-75-6037422-9. For more information contact Edgar D. Carson, 669—0853 or 669-1264.

WOMEN OF THE MOOSE CHARITY BINGO every Monday at 7 p.m. at the Moose Lodge, 403 E. Brown. Doors open at 6 p.m. Public welcome. License #1-751616469-0.

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

OUTREACH HEALTH SERVICES/WIC Program nutrition education classes. Open to the public. For more information call 665-1182.

PAMPA FINE ARTS ASSOCIATION will sponsor "Junior Fine Arts" summer program June 22-26, 1998 to be held at the Tzravis Elementary School. Registration forms available through Pampa Fine Arts Association. For more information call 664-0343.

MAY

31 - PAMPA AREA UNIFIED MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE (PAUMA) 5th Sunday Community Worship, 6 p.m. in the Heritage Room of the M. K. Brown Auditorium.

JUNE

1 - HIDDEN HILLS WOMEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION will have their "Play Day" at Hidden Golf Course starting at 6 p.m. For more information call Robbie Pepper, 669-9710.

3 - NARCOTIC ANONYMOUS will meet at 7 p.m. in the Conference Room or the Columbia Medical Center Office Bldg. For more information call 669-2665.

4 - ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS LAST DAY OF SCHOOL.

4-7 - 16TH ANNUAL SOUTHWEST MEMORIAL DAYS are bing hosted in San Antonio, Tx. on June 4-7. Veterans from many areas will be there. Airborne is the only requirement. For complete details, call Shirley Gossett (WWII) at (937) 898-5977 or write to Texas Airborne, 5459 North cutt Pl, Dayton, OH 45414-3742.

5 - NARCOTIC ANONYMOUS will meet at 8 p.m. at the Highland Christian Church, 1615 North Banks. For more information call 669-6700.

5-7 - NATIONAL COW CALLING FESTIVITIES in Miami, Texas. Musical program, parade, bar-b-que, cow calling contest, dance and church service. For more information call Marla Jackson, 868-3721.

Girl of the Year



(Pampa News photo)

(left) Angie Cotton, City Council Girl of the Year; Pat Kindle, Preceptor Theta Iota Girl of the Year; Valerie Miller, Beta Eta Omega Girl of the Year; Charlene Morriss, Preceptor Chi Co-Girl of the Year; Sandy Clark, Xi Beta Chi Girl of the Year. (Not pictured, Ottoline Jones, Preceptor Chi Co-Girl of the Year and Starla Tracey, Xi Phi Alpha Girl of the Year.)

Outdoor musical drama 'TEXAS' celebrates 33rd season

CANYON – The "TEXAS" Musical Drama will celebrate 33 seasons of entertaining world-wide audiences June 10 through Aug. 22, 1998. Palo Duro Canyon, near Amarillo, is the setting for the Texas-sized musical drama that features 80 professional singers, actors and dancers. Performances begin at 8:30 p.m. each evening except Sundays.

On Opening Night, "Texas" will celebrate the gifts from generous contributors who have helped make evenings beneath the stars in the Pioneer Amphitheatre a reality. A historical photograph will be taken of the donors whose names are engraved on the star or wall surrounding the Paul Green patio, adjacent to the 1,724-seat theatre.

"We want to have a photograph of all the donors standing on or near the spot where their family or business name is etched into the patio rock," said "Texas" President Patty A. Bryant. "It's because of these generous people that guests from around the world can experience a wonderfully entertaining evening and learn the 1800's history of the Texas Panhandle."

The "Texas" script is a fictional account, based on historical facts about the cattlemen and farmers who settled in the Texas Panhandle. As the West developed, so did the challenges facing the individuals who laid claim to the land. Through drama, song and dance, the characters' pride gives way to progress as a new Panhandle town is established.

Light and sound technology enhances the Palo Duro Canyon experience as thunder booms and echoes off the 600 foot canyon wall that serves as the backdrop for the stage. A spectacular fireworks display concludes each performance bringing audience members to their feet as horsemen run across the backstage waving the six flags of Texas.

Norwest Bank Texas will join "Texas" for a week-long fourth of July celebration this season. From June 29 through July 4, Norwest will sponsor an expanded version of the fireworks display and holiday tribute at the show's conclusion. Local musicians, including past "Texas" Manager Raymond Raillard with the Fabulous Five Band, will join in the choreographed patriotic program to be presented.

"We're pleased to have the support of Norwest Bank Texas to offer this spectacular 4th of July celebration for a full week," said Bryant. "The crowds on the 3rd and 4th of July in past years indicated that we should make the special presentation available for more people to enjoy."

PROPERTY TAX PROTEST AND APPEALS PROCEDURES

The law gives property owners the right to protest actions concerning their property tax appraisals. You may follow these appeals procedures if you have a concern about:

- *the values placed on your property
- *any exemptions that may apply to you
- *the cancellation of an agricultural exemption
- *the taxable status of your property
- *the local governments which should be taxing your property
- *any action taken by the appraisal district that adversely affects you

Informal Review

The first option a taxpayer may use to protest a value is to visit with the chief appraiser or a staff member. Records on individual properties are available for review by every taxpayer. This informal review is to the benefit of the taxpayer, as many protest are resolved at this level.

Review by the Appraisal Review Board

If you cannot resolve your problem with the appraisal district staff, you may have your case heard by the Appraisal Review Board (ARB).

The ARB is an independent board of citizens that reviews problems with appraisals or other concerns listed above. It has the power to order the appraisal district to make necessary changes to solve problems. If you file a written request for an ARB hearing (called a notice of protest) before the deadline the ARB will set your case for a hearing. You will receive written notice of the time, date and place of the hearing. The hearing will be informal. You and the appraisal district representative will be asked to present evidence about your case. The ARB will make a decision based on the presented evidence.

NOTE: You should not try to contact ARB members prior to the meeting. The law requires ARB members to sign and affidavit saying that they have not discussed your case prior to the ARB meeting.

Review by District Court

After the ARB decides your case you will be sent a copy of its order by certified mail. If you are not satisfied with the decision, you have the right to appeal to district court. If you choose to go to court, you must start the process by filing a petition within 45 days of the date you receive the ARB's order. If the appraisal district has appraised your property at $1,000,000 or more you must file a notice of appeal with the chief appraiser within 15 days of the date you receive the ARB's decision.

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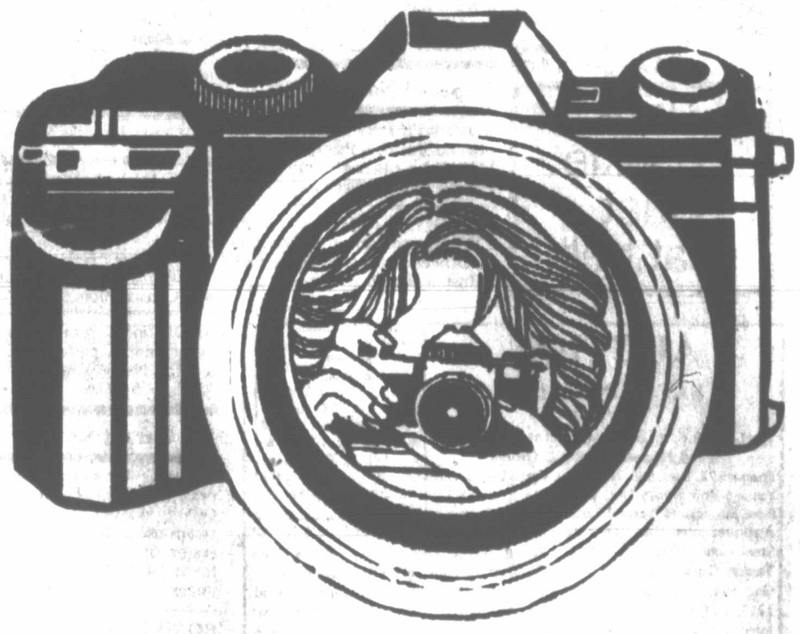
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Will to love: Owners' legacies provide care for pets' lifetimes

By LINDA HELSER
The Arizona Republic

PHOENIX (AP) — Even in death, Ellen Pilcher intends to be the best of mothers.

"I sense that I'll not be around a lot longer," said the Peoria woman, who suffers from a lung illness and uses a wheelchair. "But because they're my kids, not to provide for them after I'm gone would be a sin."

Consequently, Ciska, Benjamin, Garth, Nikki and Lakota, her mixed-breed brood of pooches, will not be left in the lurch. Now they're included in her will.

Pilcher isn't the only one making provisions in case she should precede her pets in death.

"Pet owners need to plan ahead, just as they would for another family member," said Kim Hicks, spokesperson for the Arizona Humane Society. "Make your wishes known. If you have a pet that means the world to you, make sure someone is willing to take it if you die."

Also make certain the person can afford the burden of another mouth to feed. Hicks estimates that it costs about $500 annually to properly care for the average cat or dog. She suggests that pet owners set up a trust fund or some other kind of account to help meet the pet's financial needs in the event the owner dies.

By naming a trusted guardian in her will and arming that guardian with an interest-earning IRA account, Pilcher feels assured her "kids" will continue to live safe and happy lives once she's moved on.

"I have more people telling me I'm morbid and negative to do this," she said. "Then others think it's a great idea and they intend to do it, too."

Personally, it's given Pilcher, 49, the peace of mind to continue with whatever time she has left. "They're my reason for still being alive, so their well-being is part of my well-being," she said. "They have taught me so much about life."

What most surprised him was not the amount of money she was willing to set aside for her horses but rather the support she received from her husband.

David Weiss, a Phoenix attorney who specializes in estate planning, said he recently put another woman's mind at ease by doing something he's never done before.

"I had a client who set up a trust fund for her two horses," he said. "She was the architect and the designer, and I just put her thoughts on a piece of paper."

Weiss said his client, a healthy woman in her 30s, was very serious about the future of her three Arabian horses.

"They're a very important part of her life," he said, "and she wants to make sure they maintain the same quality of life in the event something would happen to her."

What most surprised him was not the amount of money she was willing to set aside for her horses but rather the support she received from her husband.

"Taking care of horses is a very expensive proposition, and in order to maintain these horses, which could cost $15,000 to $30,000 a year, for another 10 to 15 years, you're talking about a significant amount," he said.

Most of that cost would be earmarked for boarding.

"I want to have someone exercise them, I want them to have access to a grass pasture and they should a have a place to go where it's cool in the summer," said the owner, who asked not to be identified.

Hicks said her organization frequently sees what happens when pet owners fail to make provisions for their animals.

"Just Wednesday night (May 6), we had a beautiful cat die here because she had been left in a house for a month after her owner died," she said. "No one knew the elderly man had a cat, and it wasn't until a family member went back to the house that they found the cat hiding."

Emaciated and dehydrated, the 5-year-old Himalayan was brought to the shelter because no one in the family wanted it.

"She should have weighed 8 to 10 pounds, but she only weighed 2," Hicks said. "We had our fingers crossed, but just too much damage had been done to her internal organs because of the starvation, and she died."

Fear of having a pet outlive an owner is no reason to give up the companionship of a pet.

"We certainly never discourage elderly people from having pets, and we even give pets to them free through our PALS (Partnering Animals With Loving Seniors) program," Hicks said. "They just have to think of who will take them when they die."

For those who have no likely guardian, the Humane Society often becomes the choice of some.

"We're a place of last resort, and we'd rather see them go to a loving home," Hicks said.

The threat of death is not the only reason, however, to make a contingency plan for a pet.

Many people go away for a weekend and leave their pets behind with a supply of food and water.

"But they need to make sure that someone will assume responsibility for their pet if they're delayed because something traumatic happens," Hicks said.

Jann Kemp, owner of Pampered Pets & Plants, a pet-sitting service, said she always requires the name and number of someone who would be willing to take the pet if necessary.

"We've had people go on vacation and be hospitalized," she said. "But they were able to call us and let us know."

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The residence of the Independent Executrix is 973 Cinderella, Pampa, Gray County, Texas; the post office address is:
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Law Offices of Rick Roach
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Summer Arts Program Class chedule

For Additional Information Contact:
Martha Kothmann 665-5272 or 665-0171 "or" Marilyn Shepperd 669-9486
All classes will be held at Travis Elementary School, 2300 Primrose
with the exception of Guitar, which will be held at Tarpley's.

June 22-26 Morning Session 9-11 a.m.

Storytelling (Ages: 9-14) — **Instructor: Loralee Cooley**
Supply Cost: None — **Assistant: TBA**
Each student will leave with at least one story ready to tell at a family picnic, a church group, school class, or other public venue. Opportunities for telling at the annual Chautauqua Festival on Labor Day will be discussed. **Emphasis will be on: 1.** Finding stories to tell **2.** Learning how to use breathing to help the voice **3.** Discovering what the body does during storytelling **4.** Playing with words **5.** Practicing storytelling. The coach will be Loralee Cooley, a professional storyteller since 1977, and founder of the Atlanta-based storytelling organization, Southern Order of Storytellers. She is also on the Artist Roster of South Carolina Arts Commission and is one of the Texas Touring Artists with Texas Commission on the arts.

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Watercolor (Ages 7-9) — **Instructor: Kay Crouch**
Supply Cost: Watercolor materials required — **Assistant: TBA**
Students will be taught watercolor techniques and produce pictures using these techniques. Fun experiences by combining watercolor with other liquids and solids. Also learn basic drawing techniques.

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Pottery (Ages 7-10) — **Instructor: Denise Downs**
Supply Cost: None — **Assistant: TBA**
A hands-on exploration into the artistic as well as the functional world of clay. Class will include hand building and wheel work.

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Turkish Marbling/Bookmaking (Ages: 10-14) — **Instructor: Martha Kothmann**
Supply Cost: None — **Assistant: Evelyn Warner**
Students will learn the 13th century Turkish technique of Marbling paper. Marbled paper will be used in the construction of handmade books. Each student will write and illustrate an 8 page book.

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Drawing/Painting (Ages: 7-10) — **Instructor: Amy Winton**
Supply Cost: $8.00 — **Assistant: TBA**
Art as discovery of both the inside and outside world of the young artist student. Beginning the week with black and white media - and then gradually adding color with other media (pastel and water media) at the discretion of the teacher. The student will be exposed to ART HISTORY throughout the week.

June 22-26 Afternoon Session 1-3 p.m.

Watercolor (Ages 10-14) — **Instructor: Kay Crouch**
Supply Cost: Watercolor supplies required — **Assistant: TBA**
Watercolor techniques will be taught individually according to student's painting experiences. Student may select their own subject matter to produce a picture. Pen and ink techniques combined with watercolor will also be introduced.

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Pottery (Ages: 11-14) — **Instructor: Denise Downs**
Supply Cost: None — **Assistant: TBA**
A hands-on exploration into the artistic as well as the functional world of clay. Class will include hand building and wheel work.

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Recorder (Ages 7-9) — **Instructor: Katrina Hildenbrandt**
Supply Cost: $6.00 covers the recorder and book — **Assistant: John Hildebrandt**
Learn to play the soprano recorder and learn beginning music theory. We will have rhythm contests and some music history too!!! Students will be provided their own recorder and booklet that they may take home at the end of the week.

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Femo Clay (Ages 7-10) — **Instructor: Evelyn Epps**
Supply Cost: None — **Assistant: Francis Hall**
Students will use Femo clay to construct jewelry, Christmas ornaments and animals. Come and try your hand at the oldest of art forms - Clay.

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Reed Basket Weaving (Ages: 10-14) — **Instructor: Pat Kindle**
Supply Cost: Materials will be required — **Assistant: Madaline Gawthrop**
Learn the basics of basket weaving and how to read patterns. Students will weave a muffin basket with a braid and a Jelly Jar.

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Guitar (Ages: 10-15) — **Instructor: Chase Roach**
Supply Cost: None — **Assistant: Wes Lang**
Introductory lessons for the beginning guitarist. Guitars will be provided. This class will be held at Tarpley's.

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Drawing/Painting (Ages: 11-14) — **Instructor: Amy Winton**
Supply Cost: $8.00 — **Assistant: TBA**
Art as discovery of both the inside and outside world of the young artist/student. Beginning the week with black and white media - and then gradually adding color with other media (pastels and water media) at the discretion of the teacher. The student will be exposed to ART HISTORY throughout the week.

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Purpose: Organized classes to expose students to a variety of art including visual and performing art. Students ages 7-15 eligible to participate.
Registration: Mail registration forms to:
Summer Arts Program
% Pampa Fine Arts Association
P.O. Box 818
Pampa, Texas 79065
Deadline: June 12, 1998 (Registration forms must be signed by a parent or legal guardian. Fee must be sent with registration.)
Time: June 22-26, Monday-Friday, Morning Session - 9-11 a.m., and afternoon Session - 1-3 p.m.
Fee: $20.00 registration fee per student per session. Make checks payable to Pampa Fine Arts Association. Scholarships available, inquire before June 12. Some classes may have additional supply costs.
Classes: Each participant will be taught by a skilled artist and one assistant. Classes are scheduled for two hours per session, Monday-Friday. Classes may be subject to substitution depending upon registration. They will be filled on a first come, first serve basis. Classes will be limited to 10 students to provide more individualized instruction (20 students will be accepted in the guitar class only). Students may select two classes (1) one morning session and (1) afternoon session, and one alternate should the class not make or be full. Confirmation notices will be sent to those students who have registered, verifying their chosen class.

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Parents are encouraged to attend a reception on Friday, June 26th from 3:00 to 4:00 p.m. at Travis Elementary Media Center, so they may see what the students have accomplished during the class. Refreshments will be served. Upon completion of the class, each student will receive a certificate for the Summer Arts Program.
Note: PFAA cannot be held liable for accidents.

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CLIP AND MAIL IN TO PAMPA FINE ARTS ASSOCIATION

Name_____ **Age**_____ **Grade**_____

Address_____ **Telephone**_____

Parent/Legal Guardian to Contact in case of emergency

_____ **Telephone**_____

Students may choose (2) Sessions, one morning, one afternoon. Select one alternate class

Morning session (9-11 a.m.)_____

Afternoon session (1-3 p.m.)_____

Alternate session_____

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