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**PAMPA** — The head of the Texas Railroad Commission office in Pampa confirmed today that officials from the agency's Austin office were here with regard to personnel matters.

"There were some people from Austin here," said Frank Groves, head of the Pampa office of the Texas Railroad Commission, "and we were discussing policy and other things up here in the office."

Amid allegations of employee harassment and discrimination, Groves said he had no comment.

"I wouldn't call it an investigation," Groves said. "I don't think anything to my knowledge has been filed. I don't think until something has been filed, you can call it a case."

Telephone calls to the Austin office of the Texas Railroad Commission were not returned today.

**PAMPA** -- A hearing on an application for a writ of habeas corpus filed by accused killer Henry Watkins Skinner is set for 2 p.m. Monday.

The petition asks that a "reasonable bond" be set by District Judge Lee Waters.

Bond was denied Skinner on Jan. 4 after he was charged with the New Year's Eve murders of Twila Busby, 40, and her sons, Elwin Caler, 22, and Randolph Busby, 20. Skinner is in administrative segregation at Gray County Jail awaiting trial on charges of capital murder and murder for their deaths.

The burden of proof is on the state, said District Attorney John Mann. It is the job of the prosecution to produce enough evidence that the accused is the one who committed the crime to keep him in jail, he said.

**PAMPA** — A Pampa man is free on bond today following an arrest in which he claims he was injured.

Mark Lamar, 33, 1913 N. Faulkner, was treated and released from Coronado Hospital following a fracas with a police officer early today.

Officer Morse Burroughs stopped Lamar about 1 a.m. today in the 1900 block of North Faulkner, said Col. John Ellen of the Pampa Police Department, and asked Lamar to take a standard field sobriety test.

As Burroughs attempted to arrest Lamar, a wrestling match between the two ensued, Ellen said. When officer Cpl. Stephanie Raymond arrived, the two handcuffed Lamar. At that point he told officers that his ankle was broken and he was taken to Coronado Hospital. According to Ellen, there is no determination about how serious any injury might be.

"We really don't know if he was injured in the wrestling match," Ellen said. "We always review any use of force to determine whether it was proper or not."

Justice of the Peace Margie Prestidge set bond at \$3,000 on the charge of felony driving while intoxicated and \$2,000 on a charge of resisting arrest.

**WASHINGTON (AP)** — President Clinton, taking stock of his presidency at the one-year mark, said he hopes an independent investigation of his real estate dealings a decade ago will quiet the controversy and allow him to "just go back to work." He shrugged off the bad days, saying, "that's part of life."

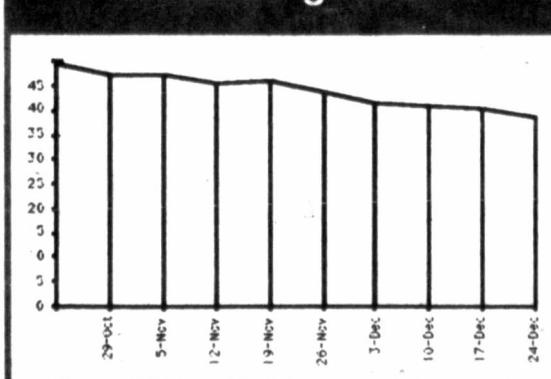
A sometimes somber Clinton, clearly tired after a grueling start to the new year, appeared Thursday on CNN's *Larry King Live* program and fielded questions from a national TV audience that reflected the achievements and setbacks of his first year.

He touched on subjects from the earthquake in California to the bloodshed in Bosnia. "I like the job," he said in a simple summation. "I'm grateful for the opportunity to serve. The bad days are part of it."

**WASHINGTON (AP)** — There will be more acronyms — this time GATT and NATO — and more conundrums — Bosnia, China to name just two — on Capitol Hill's foreign affairs plate when Congress returns for its 1994 session.

It's not meant to be a foreign policy year: President Clinton will be focusing on some major domestic issues, such as health care, crime and welfare reform. Midterm elections also will occupy official Washington.

## Unleaded gasoline



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## Frigid weather extends to South Plains

Compiled from staff reports and the Associated Press

Panhandle residents awoke in a fog for the second morning in a row as cold, arctic weather spread south through Lubbock.

Law enforcement officials reported slick spots on highways in the south and eastern portions of the Texas Panhandle extending to the South Plains.

Highway officials warned of icy overpasses on Interstate 40 early today. Randall County officials reported slick spots on Interstate 27 around Canyon.

Several weather-related accidents were reported along I-40 between Amarillo and the Oklahoma state line Thursday.

Pampa recorded a high Thursday of 24 degrees. It is expected to reach into the 40-degree range today.

School openings were delayed in Tulia and Muleshoe today because of the weather.

According to the Associated Press, residents in parts of the South Plains were cursing the same cold weather system that's been the bane of Northeasterners for the past few weeks.

In a three-hour span Thursday, 94 traffic accidents were blamed on the chilling conditions that left roads glazed by a fine layer of ice. None of the accidents were fatal.

Other problems caused by the cold blast included sporadic power failures on the west side of Lubbock.

More bad news was forecast as freezing drizzle and fog were expected early today.

"We've had to bring in extra officers from the midnight shift to work wrecks because we've got so many," police Sgt. Shane

Bulls said. "We've got wrecks with injuries we can't even get to."

One of the worst incidents occurred around 5:22 p.m. when 11 cars collided into one another at U.S. 82 and East Loop 289, according to Emergency Medical Systems officials.

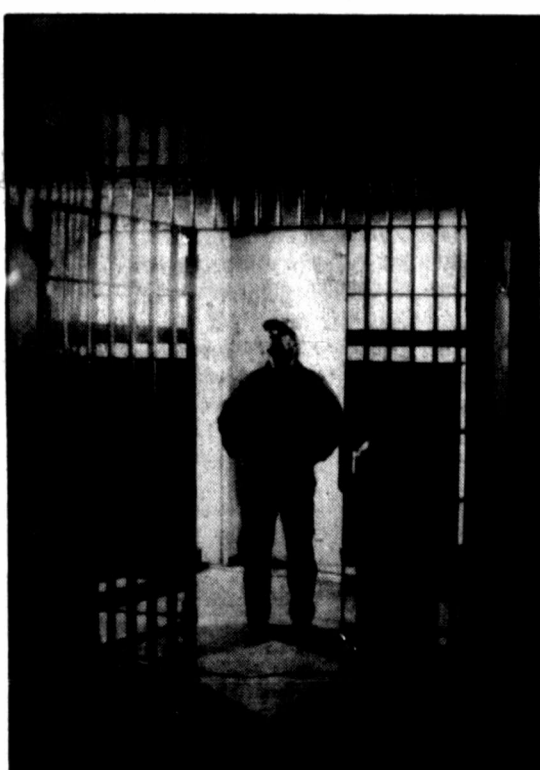
About 14 accident victims had crowded the University Medical Center emergency room by 7:30 p.m., a hospital spokeswoman said.

The power outages suffered in West Lubbock lasted for only a few minutes, according to Allan

Lundberg, senior engineer at Southwestern Public Service.

Today's forecast calls for fog in the morning and possible freezing drizzle with a low around 20 degrees. The wind will blow to the southwest and west, bringing warmer temperatures by the afternoon, according to the National Weather Service.

On Friday night, the forecast calls for possible fog with a low in the upper 20s. Things should clear up on Saturday when temperatures may climb to the low 60s.



Foreman James Gatlin confers with Gray County Commissioner Joe Wheeley atop the courthouse as Gatlin, lower right, tries to figure out the best way of removing the steel cages that were the county's jail for over half a century. County employees like Kenneth Nickel, lower left, cut up the steel walls to be hauled away for scrap. (Pampa News photos)

## Era ends as jail is sold for scrap

By CHERYL BERZANSKIS  
News Editor

An era of Gray County history is going out the window piece by piece as the retired courthouse jail is being dismantled.

The steel "box in a box" jail housed on the fourth floor of Gray County Courthouse is being torched apart this week by Gray County precinct employees and sold for scrap.

On Wednesday pieces of 2-by-5 foot sheet steel were being fed out an east side window and lowered by crane to the ground. On Thursday, crews knocked off at noon due to north winds blowing into the fourth floor area where the acetylene torch was operating and blowing smoke into other parts of the courthouse.

Commissioners decided to let county crews complete the work after receiving two contractor's bids to dismantle the jail — \$22,000 and \$38,000 plus scrap.

Precinct 1 Commissioner Joe Wheeley explained that \$400 has been spent on acetylene and oxygen plus a few dollars for incidentals like masks, gloves and chisels.

This year's mild, dry weather has freed up county employees to spend time on the project. "Last year at this time our men had probably gathered two to three weeks of comp time pushing snow," Wheeley said.

In Precinct 1, machinery maintenance is current, the roads are too dry to work and Wheeley said he figured he could save the county money and keep his men busy by turning them loose on the former jail.

Precinct 1 foreman James Gatlin estimates that 80 hours labor have gone into the project

and he anticipates another 80 to dismantle the jail. "It's gone a little faster than I thought it would," he said.

Some plumbing will be left unsealed to allow for expansion, Wheeley said. The two story space once occupied by the jail might be used for offices or storage, though a specific use has not been determined.

The early jail was assembled using rivets not welds. As the crews have cut apart the steel none of the pieces have "popped" or appeared to be under stress, Wheeley said. Very little rust is apparent.

"What I'm in awe about is the quality of workmanship in 1929," he said. "I think it is asinine we had to do away with it," Wheeley said.

By state standards, however the jail was crowded, unsafe and outdated. Only the "utmost defense" by former sheriff, the late Rufe Jordan kept the jail operational, Wheeley said.

"And all this is added features that the people like William Wayne Justice instigated in these penitentiaries and jails giving the prisoners extra rights," he said.

Modern jail construction is an unnecessary burden on the taxpayer, Wheeley said.

"This jail was actually a deterrent," he said.

The jail was built in 1929 by Pauly Jail Building Co., of St. Louis, Mo. Iron beds are cantilevered on steel walls. A toilet/sink combination is in each four man cell with a built in desk and seat. Prisoners could open or shut courthouse windows by pushing or pulling rods attached to the windows extending into the cells.

Gray County opened a new 72-prisoner jail in the fall of 1992 at a cost of \$2 million.

## Abortion foes target Clinton's health care proposal on Roe anniversary

By NITA LELYVELD  
Associated Press Writer

**WASHINGTON (AP)** — Twenty-one years after the Supreme Court's landmark Roe vs. Wade decision, abortion foes are attacking President Clinton's health care plan, which they say would cover abortion on demand.

Opposition to Clinton's health plan was the rallying cry for the annual anti-abortion march on the Supreme Court today.

"We're deeply concerned about the health care package because we believe that any plan that is put forth in the name of health and of the federal government cannot include the murdering of innocent unborn children," said Nellie Gray, president of the March for Life.

The group has organized anniversary anti-abortion marches from the White House to the Supreme Court since

1974. The court, in Roe vs. Wade, ruled on Jan. 22, 1973, that abortion was constitutional.

Organizers were expecting fewer marchers than usual because of subfreezing weather, and the traditional pre-march rally was to last no longer than 30 minutes to avoid overexposure to the cold.

But Gray said that by braving subfreezing temperatures those taking part would demonstrate their seriousness.

"We're not out on a lark," she said. "Official Washington needs to listen to us."

Clinton's health reform proposal does not mention abortion, and speaks only of "pregnancy-related services." But he has stated repeatedly that abortion would be included in the basic benefits all Americans would be guaranteed. A "conscience clause" would allow doctors and hospitals to refuse to perform abortions.

## Long lines, confusion surround relief centers in quake aftermath

By NIKO PRICE  
Associated Press Writer

**LOS ANGELES (AP)** — Thousands of tired, desperate and sometimes angry earthquake victims stood in line and waited, waited and waited some more to apply for government help.

At Northridge, the killer quake's epicenter, lines were so long Thursday that some people were bused to other Federal Emergency Management Agency centers. Hundreds of those who showed up got nothing more than an appointment, days or even weeks from now.

When the center finally closed for the day late Thursday, 40 people were still waiting.

"Give us some information!" Tom Fiore yelled, banging on a door. "That's all we're asking! Don't shut the door on

us and treat us like cattle!"

As National Guard members in riot gear edged closer, a worker took names and promised a place on the front of today's line.

Inside the center earlier Thursday, those needing help were interviewed by FEMA workers, a process that takes 20 to 30 minutes.

No one got a check on the spot, but the interviews put applicants in the pipeline for loans and grants. Applications must be verified, and in some cases an inspector will have to visit damaged property.

At the housing desk, workers weren't even accepting applications, just handing them out. Earlier Thursday, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development Henry Cisneros backed off a pledge to issue housing vouchers immediately.

## Pampa man charged in assault



A Pampa man is in Gray County jail today in lieu of \$3,000 bond following a stabbing Wednesday. Kevin Wayne Young, 33, was charged with aggravated assault after being arrested Wednesday by Pampa Police at his West Albert Street home, above. Officials said an argument between Young and his brother Carter Richard Young, 39, led to a stabbing in which Carter Young was cut three times in the left leg by a knife. (Pampa News photo by Julian Chen)



# Daily Record

## Services tomorrow

**DUNN, Thelmus (Tiger)** — 10 a.m., Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel.  
**GREER, Leona Johnson Barnett** — 2 p.m., Crawford-A. Crim Chapel, Henderson.  
**HODGES, Johnny** — 2 p.m., First Baptist Church, Olton.  
**NEAL, Clara** — Graveside, 2 p.m., Memory Gardens Cemetery.

## Obituaries

**THELMUS (TIGER) DUNN**  
 Thelmus (Tiger) Dunn, 93, died Wednesday, Jan. 19, 1994. Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel, with the Rev. Hubert Kelley, pastor of the Open Door Church of God in Christ, officiating. Burial will be at Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Dunn was born on Aug. 28, 1900, at Henderson. He had been a resident of Pampa for 70 years. He was a member of the Open Door Church of God in Christ.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Helen Dunn, and two sons, John Henry Dunn and Charlie Jean Dunn.

Survivors include his wife, Alice, of Pampa; three sons, Ray Dunn and Ronald Dunn, both of Pampa, and Donald Dunn of Amarillo; two daughters, Laura Jernigan and Josephine Payne, both of Pampa; 11 grandchildren; and 21 great-grandchildren.

**LEONA JOHNSON BARNETT GREER**  
**HENDERSON** — Leona Johnson Barnett Greer, 72, died Friday, Jan. 21, 1994, at Dallas. Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Crawford-A. Crim Chapel in Henderson. Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Monday at Fairview Cemetery at Pampa. Arrangements are by Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home in Henderson.

Mrs. Greer was born on May 24, 1921, in the Panhandle. She had lived in Pampa and Amarillo before moving to Henderson, where she had lived for the past 12 years. She was a Baptist. She was preceded in death by her husband, Ralph Barnett.

Survivors include a son and daughter-in-law, Ralph and Terry Barnett Jr. of Paige; a daughter and son-in-law, Sue and John Carlson of Duncanville; a brother, H.J. Johnson of Pampa; a sister, Lois DeMerit of El Paso; six grandsons; three granddaughters; and six great-grandchildren.

The family requests that memorials be to the American Heart Association.

The family will receive friends at Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Saturday.

**JOHNNY HODGES**  
 OLTON — Johnny Hodges, 61, father of a Miami resident, died Wednesday, Jan. 19, 1994. Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Mike Wilcox, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Olton Cemetery by Foskey Funeral Homes.

Mr. Hodges was born in Saint Jo and graduated from Saint Jo High School. He moved to Olton in 1947. He married Mattie Belle Light in 1953 at Olton. He started farming in 1954 and retired in 1988. The Olton Chamber of Commerce named him Farmer of the Year in 1978. He later worked for the U.S. Postal Service in Plainview as a rural carrier.

Mr. Hodges was a member of First Baptist Church and was a former Sunday school teacher. He was past president of the Olton Independent School District Board of Trustees and was a member of Olton Grain Co-Op. He was past president and longtime coach for the Olton Baseball Association. He also was a member of the Plainview Promenaders and the American and Texas Shorthorn Association. He was a military veteran.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Mark Hodges and Mike Hodges, both of Olton; two daughters, Rebecca May of Canyon and Donna Francis of Miami; and two brothers, Bob Hodges of Fritch and Eugene Hodges of Pensacola, Fla.

The family requests memorials be to Jo Marie Pinkerton Medical Trust Fund, in care of Olton State Bank, P.O. Drawer X, Olton, Texas 79064, or Plainview Christian Academy Building Fund, 310 S. Ennis St., Plainview, Texas 79072.

**PERRY DALE WILLINGHAM**  
 PLAINVIEW — Perry Dale Willingham, 73, a former resident of Pampa, died Wednesday, Jan. 19, 1994. Services were to be at 3 p.m. today in First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Kenneth Coats, minister of education, and Dr. Fred Meeks of Wayland Baptist University officiating. Burial will be in Plainview Memorial Park by Wood-Dunning Funeral Home.

Mr. Willingham was born in Lenora. He graduated with the first four-year class of Wayland Baptist University. He was a veteran of the Army, having served during World War II in the European Theater. He received a master's degree from Texas Tech University. He moved to Plainview in 1946 from Pampa and taught sixth grade in the Plainview Independent School District for 31 years, retiring in 1981. He married Dorothy Tipton in 1947 at Plainview. Mr. Willingham was a member of the First Baptist Church and belonged to the pastor's class. He also was a member of Senior Citizens, Plainview Retired Teachers Association and Masonic Lodge No. 709.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Marilyn Gilbert of Lubbock; and three grandsons.

The family requests memorials be to the Alzheimer's Association or First Baptist Church of Plainview.

## Fires

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

**THURSDAY, Jan. 21**  
 2:58 p.m. — Two units and four firefighters responded to a medical assistance call at 320 N. Banks.

## Police report

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents and arrests in the 24-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

**THURSDAY, Jan. 20**  
 Carmen Michelle Hopkins, 1113 Crane, reported theft at 1031 N. Sumner.

Alco, 1207 N. Hobart, reported theft.  
 David Hunter Bressler, 2222 N. Russell, reported information and criminal mischief which occurred at Hardee's, 2505 Perryton Parkway.

Tina Michelle Bellow, 1432 N. Russell, reported criminal mischief.

**FRIDAY, Jan. 21**  
 City of Pampa reported resisting arrest which occurred at 1913 N. Faulkner.

Virgil Malone, 842 1/2 N. Sumner, reported burglary of a habitation which occurred at 410 N. Warren.

**Arrest**  
**FRIDAY, Jan. 21**

Mark Lamar, 33, 1913 N. Faulkner, was arrested in the 1900 block of North Faulkner on driving while intoxicated, fourth offense, and evading arrest.

## Sheriff's Office

The Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following arrests in the 24-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today. No incidents were reported.

**Arrests**  
**THURSDAY, Jan. 20**

Angela Moreno, 20, was arrested on a capias pro fine. She was released to pay the fine later.

Chester Winborne, 21, 1121 S. Sumner, was arrested on a charge of unauthorized use of motor vehicle.

**DPS - Arrest**  
**THURSDAY, Jan. 20**

Raul Salinas Jr., 23, Perryton, was arrested on three DPS warrants. He was released to pay later.

## Accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported the following accident in the 24-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

**THURSDAY, Jan. 20**

9:15 a.m. — A 1985 Chevrolet driven by city of Pampa employee Reed Kirkpatrick, 43, struck a reflecting post at Recreation Park. The vehicle is owned by the city of Pampa. Damage to the post is estimated at \$75. No injuries were reported and no citations were issued. The accident report states that Kirkpatrick was forced off a Recreation Park road by a Ford pickup traveling down the center of the road at a high rate of speed.

**DPS - Accident**  
**THURSDAY, Jan. 21**

2:55 p.m. — A 1992 Ford driven by Suzanne Rogers Alford, 31, 1013 E. Kingsmill, collided with a 1984 Chevrolet pickup truck driven by James Dennis Norris, 35, Route 1, Pampa, at the intersection of Gray County Road 12 and Gray County Road E. Norris, who had been traveling east on Gray County Road E, failed to stop at a stop sign at the intersection with Gray County Road 12, and his vehicle struck Alford's vehicle, which had been traveling south on Gray County Road 12, in its right fender, according to DPS reports. There were no injuries reported from the accident; citations were issued. Damage to each vehicle was moderate.

## Hospital

<b>CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions Pampa</b>	Gerald Dean Parker Orban Scott Epperson (extended care)
Jessie Bailey	Canadian
Juanita Bell	Relipa Montano and baby boy
Lucille M. Carney	
Kerrick Warner Horton	<b>SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions</b>
Carol Salos Melanson	No admissions were reported.
<b>Birth</b>	<b>Dismissals</b>
To Carol Salos Melanson of Pampa, a girl.	No dismissals were reported.
<b>Dismissals</b>	
<b>Pampa</b>	
Cecil James Bryan	

## Calendar of events

- PAMPA BRIDGE CLUB**  
Pampa Bridge Club meets at 2 p.m. Sunday in Room 11 at Clarendon College. For a partner, contact Marie Jamieson at 669-2945.
- THEE PLACE**  
Thee Place for Singles is open 7-10:30 p.m. Saturdays at 520 W. Kingsmill.
- SOUTHSIDE SENIOR CITIZENS MOBILE MEALS**  
Southside mobile meals menu for Saturday is beans and ham, cabbage, carrots, cornbread and cake.

## Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler-Evans of Pampa.

Wheat	3.33
Milo	4.81
Com.	5.30

The following show the prices for which these securities could have traded at the time of compilation:

Serfo	4.14	up 1/8
Occidental	18	NC

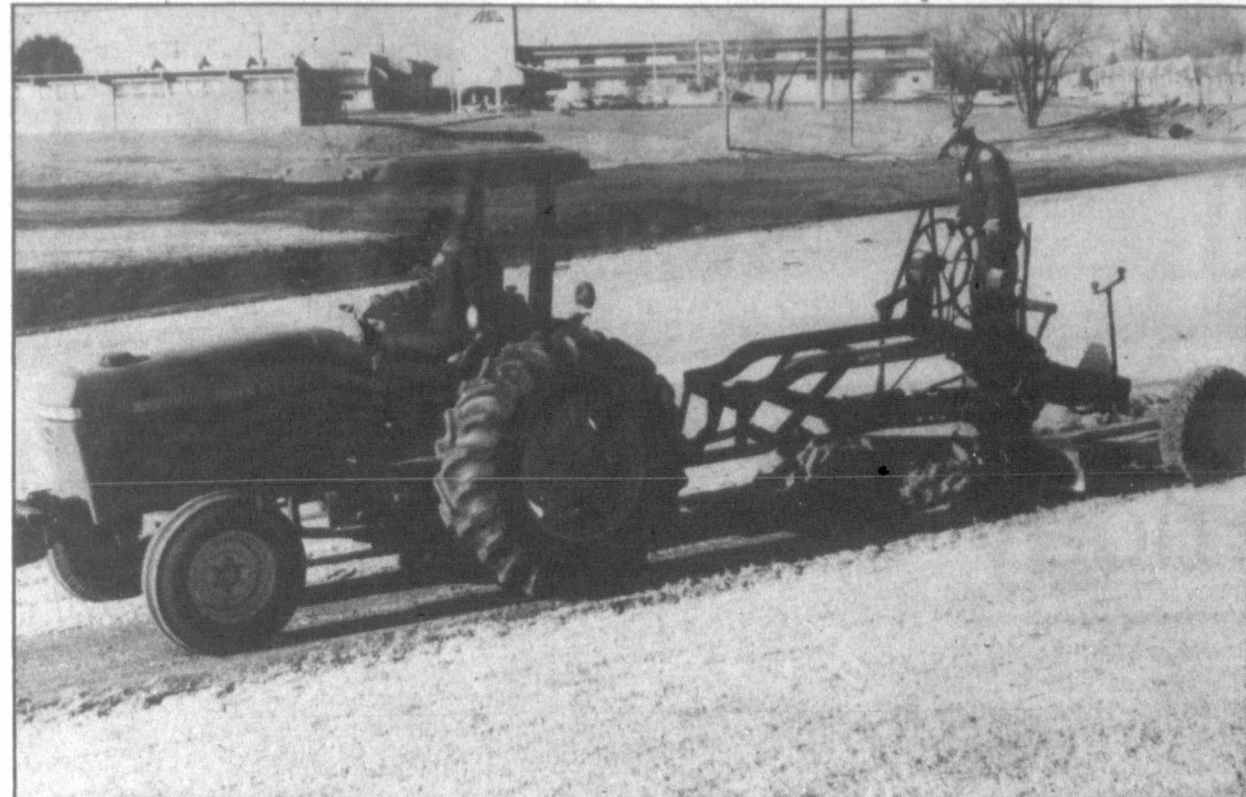
The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation:

Magellan	72.93
Puntian	16.22

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

Amoco	54 1/8	dn 5/8
Arco	106 3/4	dn 1/4
Cabot	54	up 1/8
Cabot O&G	21 1/4	NC
Chevron	91	up 1/2
Coca-Cola	41	dn 3/8
Diamond Sham	26 3/8	NC
Enron	31 3/4	dn 1/8
Halliburton	33 3/4	dn 3/8
HealthTrust Inc.	27 7/8	NC
Ingersoll Rand	39 7/8	dn 1/8
KNE	24	up 1/8
Kerr McGee	46 3/8	NC
Limited	17 3/4	NC
Mappco	63 5/8	up 5/8
Maxus	5 1/4	NC
McDonald's	58 5/8	dn 1/4
Mobil	79 7/8	NC
New Atmos	27 1/2	up 1/8
Parker & Parsley	26 5/8	dn 1/4
Penney's	51 1/8	NC
Phillips	29 1/8	NC
SLB	59 7/8	up 1/8
SPS	29 3/8	up 1/8
Tenneco	55 5/8	up 3/4
Texaco	65 3/4	NC
Wal-Mart	25 1/4	dn 1/8
New York Cold	386.00	
Silver	5.19	
West Texas Crude	14.98	

## Trail maintenance



City of Pampa employee Israel Ulloa, on tractor, pulls Darrin Eakin on a 1948 maintainer grader along the hike and bike trail in Highland Park on Wednesday afternoon as they scrape grass and weeds from the asphalt surface. Parks Department Director Reed Kirkpatrick said city crews will be spending about two weeks with the tractor and maintainer along the 3 1/2 miles of hike and bike trails in city parks, including Recreation Park. The project is designed to remove the grass and weeds which have taken root in the asphalt surface of the trails, thus adding to the longevity of the trails by keeping the plants from cracking the trail surfaces. (Pampa News photo by Darlene Holmes)

## Trustees updated on Middle School Concept plan

By RANDAL K. MCGAVOCK  
 Staff Writer

During Thursday's meeting of the Pampa Independent School District's Board of Trustees, board members were updated on a program that its supporter not only thinks helps students but their teachers.

The program is called the Middle School Concept and has been in existence for one semester at Pampa's Middle School. Currently, only the school's sixth graders and their teachers are participating in the program.

"If it's good for students and good for teachers, it's definitely something I would encourage," said Jerome Stewart, middle school principal, about the Middle School Concept.

In brief, the sixth grade teachers have broken into three groups in which teamwork among the teachers and interdisciplinary teaching is emphasized.

Among other things, the teachers in each group meet once a day to discuss students' progress and upcoming projects. At times, they also meet with parents.

"This is my 11th year to teach and

I'm 100 percent sold on this because it's a great way to teach," said Randy Milligan, a teacher at the middle school. "This has been one of my best years."

The program was first presented to Stewart by teachers at the school just after his arrival, he said. From there, Stewart said he took it before the superintendent, Dr. Dawson Orr, and then to the school board, which finally approved the program.

Implementing the new program seemed to come easy, Stewart said.

"It has been exceptionally smooth and that has a lot to do with how the teachers put in a lot of time during the summer and during the spring semester of last year to make it work," he said.

Considering the apparent success of the program, Stewart said he is working on possibly implementing the program at the seventh grade level in the future.

In other business, the school board approved three items dealing with the May election of two board members, Phil Vanderpool and James Frugé.

The board members agreed to hold an election on May 7, and then canvass the votes on May 10 at 6 p.m. at the Carver Center. Board members

voted unanimously to conduct a runoff election, if needed, on June 6.

Following the vote on the election issues, the board voted unanimously to approve to sale of four delinquent tax properties located at 404 W. Crawford, 400 W. Crawford, 530 S. Somerville and 532 S. Somerville.

In other business, board members recognized the work of two PISD employees, Kent Jones and Ernie Mathis, and awarded each man a certificate for completing an advanced supervisors course.

Finally, the board dedicated an addition to the main building of the school. In addition to a tour of the structure, which holds six classrooms — four sixth grade, one seventh grade and one eighth grade — a plaque recognizing the school board and administrators was presented and hung at the entrance of the building.

"Last night was an attempt to say thank you to all the people that were involved in the process to give us the additional space we needed," Stewart said today.

The building was constructed last summer and cost the school district approximately \$130,000.

## Visiting couple seeks help in finding their stolen vehicle

A woman whose Suburban was taken in a car heist Monday is asking for help finding the vehicle.

A 1992 GMC Suburban was driven away from 1713 Fir while its owners, Ruby and Phil Meek of Rock Springs, Wyo., drank early morning coffee with Mrs. Meek's sister, Vivian Keough. The engine had been left running and the car unlocked while the family visited.

The baby blue Suburban has pin-stripes which form a wave pattern, running boards, is four-wheel drive and bears Wyoming license plate 4 874-AC, Mrs. Meek said.

Inside the vehicle were Mrs. Meek's

check books, credit cards, glasses and identification. Also stored in the Suburban were items used to fix up the home they recently purchased on Grape.

So far, Mrs. Meek said, the police have no leads on the whereabouts of the vehicle.

"By the time 24 hours passed, I was really giving up hope," Mrs. Meek said Thursday.

While she doesn't believe the theft is directed at them personally, Mrs. Meek said she would like her car and personal items returned.

"Not even in my whole life have I had anything stolen," she said.

The inconvenience of borrowing a car and having no means to pay for things is frustrating, she said.

"You feel like there's nowhere to turn or no one to help," Mrs. Meek said.

The couple towed a trailer from Wyoming to Pampa, and without the heavy vehicle, getting the trailer back to Wyoming will be a problem.

"We lived a lot of places and thought we'd go back to Pampa, home to retire," she said.

While the Meeks have no second thoughts about returning to their home town, the timing is "unbelievable," she said.

## City briefs

**BRICK REPAIR**, Harley Knutson, 665-4237. Adv.

**TAX SERVICE**: Mary Jane Mynear and Mary McBee, 669-9910, 421 N. Perry, 1040A \$25, 1040EZ \$15. Electronic filing. Adv.

**IMAGES, ALL** Fall and Winter merchandise, 1/2 price, large selection of belts marked to \$15 and below. 123 N. Cuyler, 669-1091. Adv.

**LIKE TO KNOW** more about weight loss and nutrition? Come to my meeting Friday, 21st, at 7 p.m., Lovett Library, La Jona Reeves, 665-3437. Adv.

**PAM APARTMENTS** Gigantic Garage Sale, 1200 N. Wells, Friday, Saturday 8-6. Adv.

**FAITH CHRISTIAN** Center hosting Jerry Phillips, 10:30 and 6 p.m. Sunday, Monday and Tuesday at 7 p.m. Adv.

**BRUSH FIRE** at City Limits, Friday and Saturday. 669-9171. Adv.

**GARAGE SALE**: Friday and Saturday 9 to 5, 712 W. Foster. Inside, nice and warm. Adv.

**HOUSECLEANING** \$6 per hour also ironing. 669-9818. Adv.

**UPRIGHT BALDWIN** Studio piano, \$1100. 669-9474 after 3 p.m. Adv.

**DANCE AT McLean** Country Club, Saturday, 22nd. Music by Smokey Valley Boys. 8-12. Everyone welcome. Adv.

**TAX SERVICE**, Glenda Brownlee, 614 Davis, 665-8074, 274-2142. Adv.

**AMERICA'S BEST** Thrift & Discount, 318 N. Cuyler. Every Saturday is Clothing Clearance Day, an additional 50% Off all previously reduced clothing. Adv.

**HEARD FROM IRS?** Your friends at America's #1 income tax preparation firm are here year round to help you. 1301 N. Hobart, 665-2161. Adv.

**PORK SPARE** Ribs 99¢ lb., fryer leg quarters 39¢ lb., ground beef 99¢ lb., homemade sausage, hickory smoked hams and bacon. 1/2 beef, 1/2 hog, beef packs, pork packs and more. Clint and Sons, 115 W. 3rd, White Deer, 883-7831. Adv.

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## Weather focus

**LOCAL FORECAST**  
 Tonight, variable cloudiness, 25 for the low. Saturday, sunny and warmer, high of 60, southwest winds 10 to 15 mph. Thursday's high was 22; the overnight low was 22.

**REGIONAL FORECAST**  
 West Texas — Panhandle: Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows 25-30. Saturday, mostly sunny and warmer. Highs around 60. Saturday night, fair. Lows in upper 20s to low 30s. South Plains: Tonight, cloudy with fog. Lows around 30. Saturday, cloudy with fog in the morning. Decreasing clouds in the afternoon. Highs 55-60. Saturday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the 30s.  
 North Texas — Tonight through Saturday night, continued cloudy

with a chance of light rain. Lows tonight in mid 30s north to near 40 south. Highs Saturday in upper 40s north to mid 50s west. Lows Saturday night in low to mid 40s.

South Texas — Hill Country and South Central: Tonight and Saturday, cloudy and cold with a chance of rain. Lows in the 30s Hill Country to 40s south central. Highs in low 50s. Saturday night, cloudy and cooler with a chance of rain or showers. Lows in the 40s to near 50. Highs in mid to upper 50s. Saturday night, cloudy and cool with widely scattered rain. Lows near 50. Sunday, cloudy. Highs in the 60s. Lower Rio Grande Valley and Plains: Tonight and Saturday,

cloudy with a chance of rain or showers. Lows in the 50s. Highs in mid 60s. Saturday night, cloudy with widely scattered rain. Lows in the 50s.

**BORDER STATES**  
 New Mexico — Tonight, mostly cloudy southeast, fair west and north. Lows 5 to the 20s mountains and northwest, 20s and low 30s east and south. Saturday, partly cloudy west and south. Sunny northeast. Warmer east. Highs mid 40s to 50s mountains and northwest, upper 50s and 60s east and south. Saturday night, partly cloudy. Lows teens and 20s mountains and northwest, 20s to mid 30s east and south.

Oklahoma — Tonight, partly cloudy north and mostly cloudy south. Lows in low to mid 30s. Saturday, partly cloudy north and mostly cloudy south. Highs in 50s.

## Punishment phase begins for couple convicted of starving child

LUBBOCK (AP) — Former neighbors of a couple convicted of starving their 7-year-old daughter say the pair had a reputation for mistreating the girl.

The punishment phase of Steven and Patricia Carman's trial began Thursday with testimony from three witnesses who knew the couple in New Mexico

before they moved to Lubbock.

The Carmans were convicted Wednesday of causing bodily injury to Stephanie Danielle Carman. Stephanie died June 8, 1992. She weighed 43 pounds, 11 pounds less than the amount listed on a doctor's record 18 months earlier.

Mrs. Carman was found guilty of

intentionally causing serious bodily injury to her stepdaughter. The offense is a first-degree felony and carries a punishment of five to 99 years in prison.

Carman was convicted of recklessly causing serious bodily injury, a third-degree felony. He faces two to 10 years in prison.

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## Emergency personnel use training exercise to better plan local response needs

By RANDAL K. McGAVOCK  
Staff Writer

What happens if a handful of intentionally set fires are tearing through Pampa, an explosion destroys the emergency room of the hospital, someone is shot, a kidnapping takes place and someone is holding a hostage in City Hall — all at the same time?

That's the question about 20 representatives from the Community Awareness and Emergency Response Committee and the Local Emergency Planning Committee were trying to figure out as they met in a table-top training exercise Tuesday at Coronado Hospital.

"We pretty well taxed everyone's resources," said Ken Hall, Pampa/Gray County's emergency management coordinator.

In brief, the exercise is designed to put Pampa and Gray County emergency response personnel through their paces while not putting anyone life or property in danger.

"The table-top exercise is not designed to be a timed exercise. It's to allow people to discuss their own situation. A side benefit of this is to educate the other people present about the capabilities and operations of other agencies and departments, and that is exactly what took place there," said Hall.

"We learned about other agencies, and when it comes down to an actual incident, we'll have a lot better idea of what they are capable of doing."

The exercise was conceived by a six-member committee made up of members of the LEPC and CAER committees, Hall said.

As is evident from the scenario, one of the many agencies most dramatically effected was the Pampa Fire Department. In real life and on a daily basis, the fire department often serves a dual role, responding to fires as well as to medical assistance calls.

"We put a lot on them and taxed virtually all of their resources and manpower and then threw more on them," Hall said. "Until they could activate their mutual aid system and get some help in there, (we discovered) they are going to have to prioritize calls and just let some fires burn."

In addition to the exercise, plans for the annual mock disaster were discussed at the meeting, Hall said.

The mock disaster is conducted once a year and is kept confidential until the day it happens in order to catch emergency responders as off guard as possible.

Last year's mock disaster included a car accident, a train wreck and a chemical spill. Items ranging from an actual wrecked vehicle to living people acting as victims to a train car to smoke bombs were used in that training exercise.

## Reporter testifies Davidians fired first shots during attack

By KELLEY SHANNON  
Associated Press Writer

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A newspaper reporter who witnessed a federal raid and shootout with Branch Davidians says he believes the first shots were fired from inside the sprawling home ruled by David Koresh.

"Based on what I saw and heard, I believe whoever was inside the building fired first," said Marc Masferrer, a reporter for the *Waco Tribune-Herald*.

Masferrer testified he, another reporter and a photographer from the newspaper observed the start of the firefight from a country road about 225 yards from the compound.

Defense attorneys, who claim their clients acted in self-defense, attempted to show the reporter was too far away to get a good look and had no training in determining bullet direction.

The reporter's testimony Thursday in the federal murder trial of 11 Branch Davidians was the first from a witness who is not a law officer.

Prosecutors followed up by calling three agents of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms who described a barrage of gunfire that killed and wounded their fellow agents.

The defendants are accused of killing four federal agents in the Feb. 28, 1993, gun battle in which 16 agents were wounded and six Branch Davidians are believed to have died.

Koresh and about 80 followers died April 19 after a 51-day standoff amidst a fire that engulfed the compound.

The 11 defendants face up to life in prison if convicted.

## Slain Scottish businessman was not drunk

HOUSTON (AP) — A prosecutor says the case of a Houston resident who killed a Scottish businessman probably won't be affected by a toxicology report showing that the victim, contrary to police statements, was not drunk.

The Harris County medical examiner's office said Thursday that Andrew De Vries, 28, had a blood alcohol content of 0.08, just below the 0.10 level for legal intoxication, when he was shot to death before dawn on Jan. 7.

The report refutes statements from police that De Vries was drunk when he climbed over a fence and knocked on the back door of a home in the upscale Memorial neighborhood of Houston.

Homeowner Jeffrey Agee, 40, fired a .25-caliber pistol three times through French doors, striking De Vries in the arm and chest. Agee told officials he feared De Vries was a burglar.

Agee was not charged and police turned the case over to prosecutors without recommending any charges.

Assistant district attorney Casey O'Brien said the toxicology report

probably would not affect a grand jury's decision on whether to indict Agee in the death.

"The grand jury will be investigating the state of mind of the shooter, not the level of intoxication of the victim," O'Brien said.

The prosecutor said he likely will turn the case over to a grand jury after he obtains a copy of De Vries' autopsy report.

Sydney Graves, De Vries' fellow businessman from Scotland, has denied that either he or his friend was drunk at the time.

Police spokesman Alvin Wright said officials based their assumption that De Vries was drunk on Graves' statements and conduct.



U.S. figure skating champion Tonya Harding holds an impromptu news conference after her practice session Thursday in Portland, Ore. (AP photo)

## Legal issues surround efforts to bar Harding from Olympics

By RICK HAMPSON  
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Tonya Harding's right to skate in the Olympics next month could hinge on a set of legal issues as slippery as ice.

Assuming Harding doesn't confess to involvement in the attack on Nancy Kerrigan, and the U.S. Olympic Committee still tries to leave her behind, Harding might sue.

A judge or arbitrator would have to balance her right to skate against the USOC's right to pursue its avowed goals of good sportsmanship and gold medals.

Shepard Goldfein of the New York Bar Association's sports law committee said the dispute may boil down to this: "As evidence of her culpability increases, so does the weight given to the USOC's interests."

As for what those interests are, Dr. Leroy Walker, USOC president, has worried publicly about the effect of Harding's presence at the Olympics on the ideal of sportsmanship, on public opinion and on her teammates — particularly Kerrigan.

But in the whole hypothetical legal mess, Harding's actual legal status — whether she is the "subject" of an investigation, the "target" of one, or actually indicted — is by far the most important variable.

Harding's first hurdle will be the U.S. Figure Skating Association, which will formally determine the U.S. Olympic team, then submit the list to the USOC. If the USFSA bars Harding, she can appeal directly to the USOC.

The USOC — which submits the roster of the American team to the International Olympic Committee — must make its decision on Harding by Feb. 21, two days before the women's figure skating competition starts.

"Timing doesn't permit us to say, 'We can't take any position because she has not had her day in court,'" Walker said last week. "We have to make a decision without the consideration of whether or not her rights have been abridged."

But he said something else would be considered: "I'm sure we'll take into account how the public is clamoring."

Legal experts said the abridgment of an athlete's rights — especially by a quasi-monopolistic sports organization that admits to considering public relations — is not likely to be treated sympathetically in federal court.

"If this looks like Big Brother vs. Little Bitty Skater, a court might step in" and grant the skater an injunction, said Philip Cowan, a specialist in entertainment and sports law.

To obtain such an order, Harding would have to show she was likely to suffer "irreparable injury." That is not that onerous of a burden for an athlete in her prime who would

have to wait four years until the next Olympics.

Recent court rulings and Olympic practice provide Harding with some support:

— 1988: Despite facing charges that his drunken driving killed two people, diver Bruce Kimball was allowed to compete in the Olympic trials. (He did not do well enough to make the Olympics.)

— 1992: Shot-putter Jim Doehring won a silver medal after pleading guilty the year before to attempted drug distribution. He was sentenced to six months in a halfway house.

— 1992: Sprinter Butch Reynolds won a \$27.3 million judgment against track and field's international governing body after a federal judge upheld his claim that a drug test he failed was flawed. Earlier in the year, Reynolds ran in the Olympic trials under a Supreme Court order.

In the Reynolds case, U.S. District Judge Joseph Kinneary ruled that sports organizations must accord due process of law to an athlete whose livelihood is jeopardized. That means notice of charges, formal rules of evidence, a hearing and the right to appeal.

## Pampa Lions Club sponsors health care plan for children

While the federal government considers a national health care program, the Pampa Lions Club is sponsoring a local program to provide some health care insurance to children of working parents who can't afford such coverage.

"Here's the dilemma," said Pampa Lions Club President Ray Boring: "This week's groceries or medical care? The plan would be made available on a sponsorship basis to local children whose parents make too much money to qualify their children for free government insurance like Medicaid, but not enough to buy medical insurance."

"Often, their parents must choose between getting medical attention for their children or buying this week's groceries. They simply cannot afford to do both. So these children end up waiting for hours in a hospital emergency room."

The children must be ages six to eight, he said, and enrolled in school. Boring said the program is inexpensive and simple. For \$26 a month per child, the Caring for Children Foundation of Texas Inc., a tax exempt, charitable organization, turns contributions from businesses, community groups and individuals into basic outpatient coverage for primary, preventive and emergency health care.

The program is a private sector initiative in which local people are helping kids, Boring said.

"It requires no regulations or taxes and receives no government funds," said Boring. "We will identify the children in our community who need assistance and get them enrolled in the Caring Program. Then we will find a local sponsor for each child. This is really neighbors helping neighbors."

If a child enrolled in the Pampa Lions Club Caring Program needs to be hospitalized, High Plains Baptist Hospital will take care of the child and designate the bill as charity, said John McKissack, a representative of the Amarillo hospital involved in the program.

High Plains has also announced an initial contribution of \$31,200 to provide sponsorship for 100 children for one year.

Through the work of local school officials and other service agencies, the first children could be enrolled by March 1, said Boring.

Information about the Lions Club Caring Program will be made available in English and Spanish from Lions Club members or through the office of the Gray County coordinator for the Caring for Children Foundation, M. David Webster, at 669-2233.

## Officers cleared in elderly man's death

FORT WORTH (AP) — A Tarrant County grand jury has cleared two Fort Worth police officers in the fatal shooting of an elderly man during a drug raid last August.

Relatives said Archie Terral, 67, was partially deaf and partially paralyzed, had failing eyesight and was recovering from a stroke when he was shot five times Aug. 14 at his home.

Two officers with the police department's Weed and Seed program, Bryan Newell and Frederick Myers, were involved in the shooting. They could not be reached for comment following Thursday's grand jury section, the *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* reported today.

Darryl Terral, son of the victim, said he was shocked by the grand jury's decision.

"It's blowing my mind," he said. "They say you can be in the wrong place at the wrong time, but my daddy was home asleep."

Darryl Terral, an engineer at a Dallas television station, said he still does not understand how police did not know that his father was in the house. Several agencies, including Meals on Wheels and an agency providing medical care, stopped at the home daily, he said.

"How could they have not known? I'm confused," he said. "This doesn't get any easier. This makes it harder."

Officers said that the elder Terral, who was in his bedroom when officers entered the house, stood up and pointed a gun at the officers, ignoring their calls to drop the weapon.

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Louise Fletcher  
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## Texas Editorials

### El Paso Herald-Post on attacks on athletes:

A certain type of kook slashes Monet or throws acid on Rembrandt. Not the artists themselves, but their paintings. Alas, the mania to mar the beautiful is evolving. Now live athletes — artists of motion — are targets.

In April, a spectator stabbed tennis star Monica Seles during tournament play. Then champion figure skater Nancy Kerrigan was fired in the leg at a Detroit practice session Jan. 6....

Seles' assailant was a fan of her rival Steffi Graf, and the timing of the attack on Kerrigan — hours before the U.S. championships — suggest some demented devotion to another skater as a motive....

Surely our justice system won't too quickly swallow the lunacy line, as did the German judge who gave Seles' knifer probation.

The personal trait these attacks must vivify isn't craziness — in any clinical sense — but cowardice....

Some sulking nobodies will ambush the renowned for a moment on center stage — if the cost isn't too high.

Society must raise the cost. Enough outrages. Kerrigan's assailant must spend more time on ice than she ever will.

### Beaumont Enterprise on Whitewater Development

Janet Reno, once the darling of the Clinton administration — a woman admired for her courage and forthrightness in the face of intense public scrutiny — is embarrassing herself.

Worse, the attorney general is embarrassing the president of the United States.

Reno not only continues to refuse to call for an independent counsel to look into the Whitewater Development matter involving Bill and Hillary Clinton, she is offering some mighty lame reasons for her refusal to do so.

The attorney general's dawdling has given the White House team time to "catalogue" the Whitewater records before releasing them — in bits and pieces — to the Justice Department. What's going on here?

History teaches a bitter lesson about these kinds of scandals. The longer the White House refuses to release all the records, either to the public or to an independent counsel, the greater the suspicion grows across the country. And the more widespread it becomes, the harder it becomes to quell.

### Houston Chronicle on Vidor Integration

Hope springs eternal, the saying goes. In the case of the formerly all-white public housing complex in Vidor there may be good reason for hope, at least from initial indications.

Federal housing officials felt it was wise to move four black families into the complex under the cover of darkness... in an attempt to avoid any unpleasantness from the whites living there or elsewhere in the community.

The fact that some 18 white families in the complex gathered to welcome the new black residents around midday of their arrival gives hope that these families will now be accepted by their neighbors and be allowed to lead normal lives.

The racial hatred that has been exhibited in Vidor in the past does not have to be repeated. The unexpected welcome the new black families were given by some white residents in the complex gives reason to think that things may be changing for the better in Vidor.

As one white resident of the complex said, "We're all Americans." That sort of attitude is encouraging.

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# Is Clinton culturally integrated?

My ex-colleague Garry Wills (he was on the right side for the first 10 years of his public life, whereupon he grew sideburns and took a doctorate in radicalization) writes in *The New York Times* about President Clinton in order to discover the meaning of the president's first year.

He does so with the enthusiasm of a discoverer who sets eye for the first time on a new world and, self-evidently, does not heed the signs that warn that it would be both prudent and wise to turn back. He says it in a single paragraph:

"The Republicans' hold on the White House was a cultural fact of odd significance. It occurred at the very time when the country was undergoing a profound social revolution. Look, today, at the status of achieving women, elected black officials, open homosexuals, single mothers, unwed couples, women having legal abortions, uncensored movies and magazines. There is no one who does not have friends or family members engaged in what, a quarter of a century ago, was a rare or embarrassing social activity. Yet term after term we elected presidents who tried to ignore or turn back this avalanche of social change."

The difficulty in this planted axiom — that the president of the United States ought to be acculturated by major trends within the country over which he presides as chief executive — would appear to be obvious. Surely a nation isn't really better off hospitable to social trends unless such trends are wholesome.

Wills dumps a great deal into his basket of social reality, and by no means should it be supposed that all of it is unwelcome or unwholesome. There is no case whatever to be made against "achieving women," and it strains the memory to come up with any evidence that Nixon-Reagan-Bush opposed



William F. Buckley Jr.

encouraging women's achievements.

But two distinctions are in order. The first is that we should not encourage a society in which only women who work, and who achieve public recognition, are women who are thought of as living admirable or full lives. Those who do not choose to work, and who live in families that do not require them to work, should not be thought of as parasites or underachievers. And women who are brought into office, whether to Congress or the Supreme Court, primarily because they are women, can legitimately be criticized as out of place.

Elected black officials are welcome — provided they exercise their responsibilities effectively and conscientiously. Exactly as much can be said for elected white officials.

There are two important developments in this field in the years in question: the advent of black officials, and the solidarity of the enfranchised black vote. It is fine when a black prevails in a robust election, not fine when the voters are drawn to him primarily, or exclusively, because he is black.

It is bad news, not good news, that 97 percent of black New Yorkers voted for former Mayor David Dinkins. Such phenomena breed not democratic confidence in the rise of the political strength of a minor-

ity, but despair and even contempt for the superstitions of tribalism.

Is the "open homosexual" a welcome development? It is probably too soon to pass final judgment on the point. The events of the past 20 years reflect imbalances on both sides.

One was the kind of gay-bashing one associates with the bullying instinct in human nature that once indulged itself with such revelry associated with the Ku Klux Klan. The complementary balance is the exorbitant demands here and there of gay lobbies, e.g., insisting on their right to march as discrete units in the St. Patrick's Day parade, presuming to override a code generally accepted as rooted in biological nature. The handicapped ought to be treated with dignity and with compassion, but it cannot be concealed that they are handicapped.

What exactly is it that one is grateful to Clinton for, on the matter of single mothers, unwed couples and women having legal abortions? The riot of illegitimacy is the capital disorder of modern times, and it is not unrelated to the riot of crime. What is it that Clinton does or is associated with that marks him as hospitable to this trend? Surely his enthusiasts do not mean to suggest that his own behavior as a libertine makes him an integrated member of the new social order?

Or is that what they are saying? That to be a modern, convincing, unstuffy, un-Republican president, one needs to be a disciple of the *Playboy* philosophy? To expect the leader of a country to be a saint is angelism — dumb, a waste of time, unrealistic. But to hail a leader to the extent that he considers himself a part of the culture that disdains or ignores or flouts higher counsels of behavior tells us only something about the undeveloped thought of the enthusiast, and the undeveloped morals of the intended honoree.

## Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Friday, Jan. 21, the 21st day of 1994. There are 344 days left in the year.

### Today's Highlight in History:

On Jan. 21, 1793, during the French Revolution, King Louis XVI, condemned for treason by the National Convention, was executed on the guillotine.

### On this date:

In 1861, Jefferson Davis of Mississippi and four other Southerners resigned from the U.S. Senate.

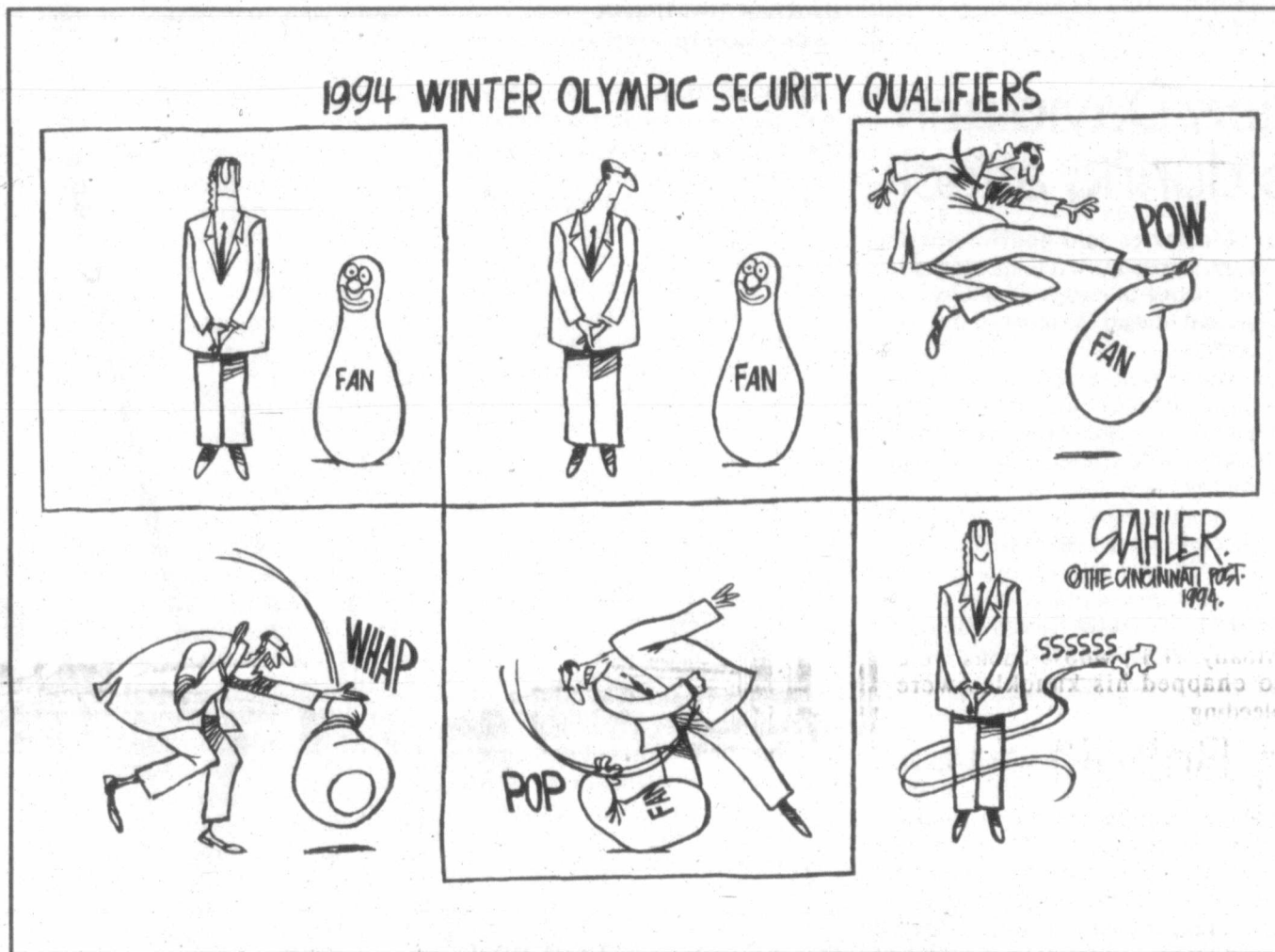
In 1908, New York City's Board of Aldermen passed an ordinance that effectively prohibited women from smoking in public (however, the measure was vetoed by Mayor George B. McClellan Junior).

In 1915, the first Kiwanis Club was founded; in Detroit.

In 1924, Russian revolutionary Vladimir Ilyich Lenin died at age 54.

In 1942, Count Basie and His Orchestra recorded "One O'Clock Jump" in New York for Okeh Records.

In 1950, a federal jury in New York found former State Department official Alger Hiss guilty of perjury.



# On, Wisconsin! Change welfare

Politicians, baiting their hooks with "something for nothing," have misled us on a downhill road of deficits.

It's a tedious road back.

The gallant governor of Wisconsin is trying to reverse our welfare overload, but the best he has been able to manage so far is federal government permission to try it in two counties.

Congress can blunder with a single vote, but efforts to recover our fumbles take years.

Aid to Families with Dependent Children was intended to ease the burden on mothers without husbands. What it has done is to encourage women to have babies "as a business."

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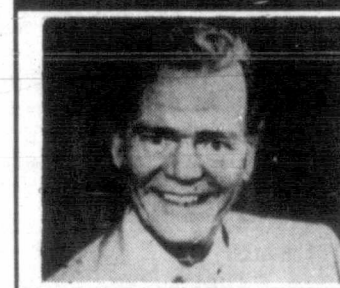
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Paul Harvey

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# Why all presidents prefer foreign policy

WASHINGTON — At the summit with Boris Yeltsin, President Clinton joked that it was nice to be where another leader was having trouble with his parliament, instead of facing problems with Congress himself.

Clinton will be, soon enough.

But his quip in Moscow points to one of the assets of a president on an overseas mission. Presidential diplomacy is scripted for success. Bargains usually are made in advance, problems often left until later.

Former President George Bush once said foreign policy was the best part of the job, because it wasn't subject to the congressional bargaining that applied to home-front topics like budgets and taxes.

Democrats, Clinton among them, made Bush's speciality a political target, saying he was preoccupied with foreign policy when he should have been doing something about the slumping economy at home.

Clinton reversed the emphasis; he ran, won, and has governed with his focus on domestic issues. That was clear even in the weekly radio address he broadcast from Moscow.

"Despite the challenges we face at home, from health care reform to fighting crime to retraining our work force and creating more jobs, we still must remain engaged in world affairs," he said.

When there was a Cold War on, the challenges abroad came first. While Bush's one term lasted through the end of the Cold War, his background and temperament kept his interest and attention on foreign policy. "I love coping with the problems in foreign

Walter Mears  
AP Special Correspondent

affairs," he said, calling it the most satisfying part of the job.

Clinton's landmark issues are domestic, to the point that he knew when he went to Europe some U.S. allies there had been worried about his view of things overseas. He described their concerns himself: "Was America going to become isolationist? This guy got elected president on a domestic platform. They've got their own worries."

He said he meant to clearly reestablish the U.S. commitment to Europe, with the eight days of personal diplomacy he concluded on Sunday, and with two more European journeys this year, in the spring, centered on the 50th anniversary of D-Day, and next summer, for an economic summit conference.

Returning from that first mission, Clinton said he had met all of his objectives. "Everything that we hoped would happen did," he said.

"The president's had an extraordinary week in foreign policy," cheered Secretary of State Warren Christopher. "A flawless, virtuoso performance," said Vice President Al Gore.

"It was a good effort," Sen. Bob Dole, the Republican leader, said.

Those reviews, in Sunday TV talk shows, were as predictable as the Republican reminders that the arms

agreements celebrated in Ukraine and in Russia were fragile ones, and had been concluded in advance, not because of Clinton's summitry.

Fair enough, but that was no less true when Republican presidents were the summit diplomats signing the arms deals. With rare exceptions, that's simply the way it works. Presidents and their counterparts don't go to the summit to argue or fail. It has happened — a belligerent Nikita Khrushchev threatening John F. Kennedy over Berlin at their Vienna summit in 1961, for example. A year earlier, the Soviet leader had canceled a summit because of the U-2 spy plane episode. In 1986, Ronald Reagan overstated his own policy on nuclear disarmament to Mikhail Gorbachev, and the administration had to back off, after a summit that ended in dispute over the Star Wars missile defense plan.

Top-level diplomacy, like Clinton's at NATO and in Moscow, customarily ratifies what has been settled. Outcomes seldom are in doubt, as they can be at home, when Congress deals with issues like Clinton's centerpiece economic plan, passed without a vote to spare.

"It's nice to be in a place where some other president's having trouble with his parliament instead of me," Clinton said in Moscow.

None of that is going to change Clinton's emphasis. His economic promises and performance remain central. But the laser he said he'd keep on that topic may be broadened a bit now. Christopher said he hopes the president will be spending more time on foreign policy.

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# Russian prime minister emerges from crisis with go-slow cabinet

By LARRY RYCKMAN  
Associated Press Writer

MOSCOW (AP) — Prime Minister Viktor Chernomyrdin this week managed to accomplish what Russia's hard-line lawmakers failed to do: dismantle the government of pro-Western free-market advocates.

In its place is a Cabinet dominated by conservative advocates of a go-slow, no-shock economic policy. The new government immediately went to work this morning, discussing its economic plans.

Some Russian newspapers today predicted Chernomyrdin's new Cabinet might even enjoy close relations with the newly elected parliament.

"It is quite possible that as a result of the kinship of the government members and the members of the Federation Council (parliament's upper house) ... the conflicts between the Cabinet and parliament will soon be

reduced to naught," the daily *Commersant* said.

Following two days of talks with Chernomyrdin, President Boris Yeltsin on Thursday signed a decree appointing the Cabinet and demoting or dumping most of Russia's bold young reformers.

Chernomyrdin said today the shake-up wouldn't dramatically alter the government's course, even as two Western advisers associated with the reforms from the beginning were quitting in protest.

"I see no tragedy in some people leaving the government and other coming to replace them," he said. "I think it is a natural process."

One of the main reformers, Boris Fyodorov, rejected an offer to keep his post as finance minister. "This is a turn back," he told reporters. "I do not want to be part of the change in economic policy."

"Whoever is placed at the head of the Finance Ministry, with the present feelings in the government, a col-

lapse is inevitable," he said today.

Another major reformer, First Deputy Prime Minister Yegor Gaidar, stepped down last Sunday and warned that reforms were threatened.

*Commersant* predicted other reformers would soon follow.

"It is not hard to forecast that the power struggle in the Cabinet will continue with even greater intensity, and the reform-minded ministers will not keep their jobs long," it said.

Top Western economists Jeffrey Sachs of Harvard University and Anders Aslund of Sweden resigned today as consultants.

"We can no longer assist the Russian government. The aims and policies announced by the prime minister are strongly contrary to our own views," they said in a joint statement.

Aides said Yeltsin made the changes reluctantly, at

Chernomyrdin's prodding, after last month's surprising victory by ultranationalist Vladimir Zhirinovskiy and other extremists in parliamentary elections. The results showed many voters were angry about the sorry state of the economy, rising crime and the loss of the Soviet empire.

Yeltsin had called those elections after dissolving the previous, Communist-dominated parliament in September. He had battled with that body for nearly two years over the course of reforms.

Chernomyrdin said Thursday the government would pursue "corrections" in economic policies and said it was time to "make people's lives easier."

"The period of market romanticism has ended for us," he said.

He also promised to continue economic reforms, something Yeltsin had pledged to President Clinton last week.

## Killer cold wave eases its grip a bit; thaw on the way

By DOINA CHIACU  
Associated Press Writer

The mercury took a final dip below zero today before an expected weekend "thaw" in the 20s and 30s that will bring some relief to Easterners trapped by ice and numbed by cold.

"You could say we're suffering from a little cabin fever," said Scranton, Pa., Mayor Patrick Loughney, who has four children, ages 4 to 16. "There's only so much you can do. The videos are just going around and around."

The cold wave has been blamed for at least 130 deaths since last weekend. Many of the victims died in accidents on icy roads, some suffered heart attacks while shoveling snow, and others froze to death.

The National Weather Service said temperatures will shoot up by Monday — to a balmy 40 degrees in some spots — as a high-pressure center associated with the record-breaking cold weakens.

"It's going to be very gradual," said meteorologist Bob Stalker in New York.

Temperatures in the Midwest and Northeast were expected to reach about 20 today, rise into the upper 20s on Saturday and hit the low 30s on Sunday.

The Northeast was the coldest part of the country early today. It was minus 13 in Albany, minus 8 in Pittsburgh and five below in Portland, Maine.

Snow and ice have closed schools, highways and airports in the past week. About 362,000 non-

essential federal employees in Washington were told to go home Wednesday and stay home Thursday. Federal offices were expected to reopen today.

Utilities resorted to "rolling blackouts," briefly cutting off power to certain areas for fear the unprecedented demand for electricity would cause far more crippling outages. People were urged to turn down their thermostats.

Forecasters blame the cold on high pressure hanging over the western United States and Canada. Like a boulder in a stream, it has forced the eastbound jet stream from the Pacific to go around it by taking a detour up into Canada.

In Canada, the jet stream has been picking up air masses originating in Siberia, then flowing down into the eastern United States.

As a result, Steve Knee's houseboat, the USS Bullwinkle, has been icebound all week in the Hudson River at a New York City marina.

"Yesterday we set up a table on the ice and had coffee, and then we went roller-skating on the ice," he said. "Ice-skating would have been too easy."

But plenty of other Easterners have had enough of the most skin-numbing, pipe-bursting, battery-freezing, road-glazing cold they've seen in years.

"The last two days have been really testing my resolve," said Michael Savosky, a toll-taker at the Rip Van Winkle Bridge near Albany, N.Y., whose hands were so chapped his knuckles were bleeding.

## Jury deliberating Bobbitt case

MANASSAS, Va. (AP) — A jury resumed deliberations today in the Lorena Bobbitt case, trying to decide whether she cut off her husband's penis in a calculated act of revenge or in a moment of temporary insanity for which she cannot be held responsible.

The seven women and five men got the case late Thursday and met for less than an hour.

Mrs. Bobbitt's lawyers argued that Mrs. Bobbitt was a battered wife who was seized by an "irresistible impulse" to emasculate John Bobbitt on June 23 after he came home from a night of drinking and raped her.

"I can think of no greater provocation than the act of rape," Blair Howard said. "She broke, she snapped. When you're in this unhealthy state of mind can there be any question she could not control this impulsive act?"

But prosecutor Mary Grace O'Brien said Mrs. Bobbitt attacked her husband in "a calculated and malicious act of revenge."

Prince William County Commonwealth's Attorney Paul B. Ebert agreed Bobbitt raped his wife but told the jury: "You can't take the law in your own hands. ... That doesn't make it right."

Bobbitt, whose penis was reattached, was acquitted in November of sexually assaulting his wife. He denied ever beating or raping her.

Mrs. Bobbitt, a 24-year-old manicurist, could get up to 20 years in prison if convicted of malicious wounding. The Ecuadorian-born woman could also be deported.

The jury was told it could also consider a lesser charge of unlawful wounding, which carries up to five years behind bars.

During the trial, the defense portrayed Bobbitt as a brutish womanizer who tormented his wife with assaults and insults, telling her she was ugly and unworthy of him.

Prosecutors assailed Mrs. Bobbitt's credibility, pointing out that she stole from her employer, a department store and a houseguest.

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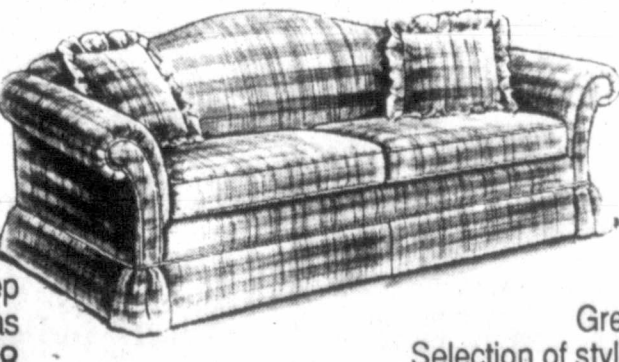


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## Government issues guidelines on HIV care

By CHRISTOPHER CONNELL  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — People infected with the AIDS virus can live better and longer if primary care doctors follow new government guidelines stressing early counseling and treatment, a federal agency said Thursday.

"There are simply not enough infectious disease specialists to care adequately for the growing numbers of people living with HIV," the virus that leads to AIDS, said Dr. Philip R. Lee, the assistant U.S. secretary for health.

The guidelines recommend that even symptom-free HIV patients be given daily doses of a sulfa drug to ward off a deadly pneumonia when their CD4 cell count falls below 200. A low count indicates a compromised immune system.

An outside panel of experts convened by the Public Health Service also urged that patients be offered the AIDS drug zidovudine, or AZT, when their CD4 count drops below 500.

Lee, director of the Public Health Service, said half the estimated 1 million Americans who carry the deadly virus do not know they are infected.

Some family doctors shrink from probing patients about their sexual history or drug use that might lead

to testing and early detection of HIV, he lamented.

And too often, primary care doctors refer patients who test positive to "costly and distant" specialists, Lee said in prepared remarks.

Primary care physicians can often manage the care of HIV patients "at less cost and with greater convenience."

In addition to the guidelines for physicians, the federal Agency for Health Care Policy and Research also released two booklets for people living with HIV and for parents of children infected by the virus.

The 19-member panel of physicians, nurses, social workers and other experts that prepared the guidelines included two people living with the infection themselves.

The American Medical Association applauded the federal guidance but is also sending its own 25-page booklet of advice on early HIV intervention to all 192,000 primary care doctors across the country.

The federal guidelines say: — A detailed medical history, including sexual and substance abuse history, is crucial.

— Doctors should closely monitor patients' count of CD4 cells.

— HIV patients should be screened for tuberculosis and checked regularly for syphilis and other sexually transmitted diseases.

— Women should be given regular

pelvic exams, including Pap smears.

— The doctor should conduct both an oral exam and an eye exam, and urge the patient to see a dentist every six months.

— Patients should be offered zidovudine, or AZT, when their CD4 count falls below 500.

— To prevent pneumocystis carinii pneumonia, oral doses of Bactrim, Septra or generic sulfa drugs should be given daily when CD4 counts fall below 200.

That last recommendation alone "if universally applied can result in immense benefit to thousands, perhaps tens of thousands of people with HIV," Lee said.

"Early detection and management of HIV can delay onset of life-threatening infections ... (and) improve quality of life," said Lee.

The outside panel that drew up the guidelines was chaired by Dr. Wafaa El-Sadr of Harlem Hospital Center in New York and Dr. James M. Oleske of the New Jersey Medical School in Newark.

EDITOR'S NOTE — Free copies of the guideline, "Early Evaluation and Management of HIV Infection," and consumer booklets are available by calling 1-800-342-2437. Copies in Spanish are available by calling 1-800-344-7432. Information is also available by fax by calling 1-301-594-2800.

## Scientists piecing together quake jigsaw puzzle

By NIKO PRICE  
Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Underneath the skyscrapers, the hillside homes, the bungalows and the boardwalks, this city is laid out like a 3-D geologic jigsaw puzzle.

Its hundreds of pieces, ranging from a few hundred feet to tens of miles across, jostle for position as monstrous chunks of the Earth push together.

That's why geologists like James F. Dolan at the California Institute of Technology are having so much trouble figuring out precisely what happened in Monday's 6.6 earthquake — and what that means for the future.

But they're coming closer every hour.

On a helicopter ride over the San Fernando Valley and on a walk through the suburb of Granada Hills this week, Dolan and his colleagues found clues:

— In a gaping hole at Balboa Boulevard, Dolan found a gas line compacted like an accordion, yet perfectly straight. The quake — whose epicenter was below nearby Northridge — moved north-to-south, in the pipe's exact direction.

— On Amestoy Avenue, Dolan found Cindy Carter's house a foot closer to Harold O'Hallorn's across the street. The street lies on a half-mile crack that was the quake's only surface appearance. "Ground

zero," Dolan calls it.

— South of the valley in west Los Angeles, colleagues examined three fallen sections of the nation's busiest freeway, directly over what used to be La Cienega Swamp. Developers paved it over 75 years ago, leaving a wet glob of soil under the neighborhood. The extensive freeway damage could be explained by the soil underneath, the scientists say. Some soils and rocks are better than others at amplifying, damping or transmitting earthquake energy.

Altogether, the extent of the damage from Monday's quake reinforced scientists' belief that a quake not nearly as powerful as the long-feared Big One could also be catastrophic.

The Earth's crust is made of vast pieces called "plates." Basically, metropolitan Los Angeles — situated at a bend in the border between the Pacific Plate to the south and the North American Plate to the north — was crushed.

That's been going on for millions of years. The Santa Monica Mountains, for example, were formed like a bump on a carpet when one side of the rug is pushed.

On average, Los Angeles is being compacted, north-south, at a rate of about a half-inch a year. What Dolan must do is understand how the abrupt, deadly shaking Monday is related to the Pacific Plate's long and slow journey — 2 inches a year — past Los Angeles toward Alaska.

Scientists have tentatively blamed Monday's quake on the Frew Fault. It starts 15 miles underneath the San Fernando Valley and runs 10 to 15 miles toward the San Gabriel Mountains.

On Tuesday, when aftershocks hit as far as 100 miles north of the initial tremor, scientists also began to line up other suspects — faults directly below the San Gabriel Mountains.

The faults involved are relatively minor. If the Frew was responsible for Monday's quake, this was about as big a shake as it was capable of.

The scary part is that there are dozens of other faults just as big as the Frew directly under Los Angeles. And there are three tremendous, deep fault systems in the same region that were only discovered in 1987. They are capable of even bigger shakes, although not as big as the San Andreas Fault in the desert east of Los Angeles.

Scientists have said there is a 60 percent chance that the Big One — a catastrophic quake of 8 or more on the Richter scale — will occur within 30 years on the huge San Andreas Fault in the desert east of Los Angeles.

But the seismologists said that if a 6.6 along a lesser fault can cause this much damage, it reinforces their belief that a smaller quake — say, a 7.5 directly beneath Los Angeles along one of the lesser faults — could also be catastrophic.

## Housing starts up 7.1 percent, highest in four years

WASHINGTON (AP) — Housing starts shot up 7.1 percent last year to the highest level in four years, the government said Thursday. It was the second annual advance in a row following five straight years of decline.

The advance was boosted by a 6.2 percent jump in December, the fifth consecutive monthly gain. Activity in all regions increased in 1993 except for the Northeast, which slipped slightly.

The Commerce Department said construction of new single-family homes and apartments totaled 1.29 million, up from 1.20 million in 1992 when starts rose for the first time since 1986.

It was the highest annual level since foundations were laid for 1.38 million units in 1989.

Analysts attributed the increase to sales sparked by an improving econo-

my and by mortgage rates that fell from more than 8 percent as the year began to a 25-year low of 6.74 percent in October. Rates averaged 6.99 percent last week.

Many expect continued growth in the housing industry in 1994. The National Association of Home Builders, for example, is forecasting 1.39 million starts this year. If so, it would be the highest since 1.49 million units in 1988.

Residential construction reached its 1980s peak of 1.81 million in 1986, but then began an annual decline as the economy weakened and construction of apartments outpaced demand in many areas of the country.

Then, as the economy went into recession, starts plunged in 1991 to 1.01 million — lowest since they

totalled 326,000 in 1945, the final year of World War II. They rose to 1.2 million in 1946.

The housing industry began its recovery in 1992, when starts jumped 18.5 percent. Although builders experienced a slow and erratic beginning last year, starts have risen every month since July.

Single-family starts shot up 9.1 percent last year, to 1.12 million, highest since 1.15 million in 1987. The Home Builders expect another 1.18 million this year.

But apartment construction, still held back by late-1980s overbuilding, fell 4.7 percent, to 161,700. The Home Builders believe the multi-family sector has bottomed out and are forecasting 202,000 starts this year, highest since 297,000 in 1990.

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# Whitewater special counsel respected on Wall Street, at Justice Department

By TIM SULLIVAN  
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — The lawyer chosen to investigate President Clinton's failed Arkansas real estate investment is a high-powered Wall Street attorney who once held the prestigious post of chief federal prosecutor in Manhattan.

Robert B. Fiske Jr., Attorney General Janet Reno's choice as special counsel, is a Republican, but a relatively liberal one.

Fiske withdrew from consideration for the No. 2 post in George Bush's Justice Department after Senate conservatives complained that the American Bar Association's committee on federal judicial appointments that he chaired from 1984 to 1987 was too hard on President Reagan's nominees.

But in a variety of other posts, notably U.S. Attorney for Manhattan's high-profile Southern District of New York, the man who will look into Bill Clinton's ties to a failed Arkansas savings and loan has carved out a reputation for integrity.

Fiske's work defending the executive of a development company in a Florida real estate fraud case may have brought him to the attention of Reno, who was chief local prosecutor in Miami at the time.

Fiske represented David Brown, chairman of General Development Corp. in a lengthy 1992 federal court trial in Miami.

Popular among colleagues at the



Robert Fiske Jr.

Justice Department and in his Manhattan law firm, Fiske is known as an intelligent, modest man who makes his case by breaking down an issue to its essence and by arguing persuasively yet calmly.

Robert Abrams, a Democrat and a former New York state attorney general, described Fiske Wednesday night as a "thoughtful, fair and highly competent person. If he's appointed, he can be counted on to do a responsible job."

And U.S. Sen. Alfonse D'Amato, the New York Republican, called Fiske "one of the most honorable, most skilled" lawyers he knew.

Fiske, 63, is a native of Brooklyn. His father, also a lawyer, was

appointed by President Eisenhower as an assistant secretary general of NATO. The younger Fiske graduated from Yale and the University of Michigan Law School.

Fiske was appointed federal prosecutor in Manhattan by President Ford, but stayed on under his Democratic successor, Jimmy Carter.

During his term the office obtained thousands of indictments, with convictions of at least one defendant in 95 percent of the cases, among them a powerful racketeer, waterfront boss Tony Scotto, and a notorious drug dealer, Nicky Barnes.

Fiske later joined the prestigious law firm of Davis, Polk & Wardwell. His clients have included the manufacturers of Three Mile Island's nuclear reactors and Robert Freeman of Goldman, Sachs & Co., who pleaded guilty to insider trading and got a four-month sentence.

Fiske made a 1989 remark that could have won him the wrath of feminists, but his record of hiring women may have saved him from harsher criticism.

As chairman of a judicial conference, Fiske reviewed the next day's events from the podium. He told the audience, which included many female attorneys, that there would be a shopping bus "for the women."

The most notable thing about the episode was the low-key nature of the criticism. That was probably because as U.S. attorney, Fiske had increased the number of women in the office from six to 45.

# How much scrutiny is too much for politicians?

By JILL LAWRENCE  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Bobby Inman exited public life complaining bitterly of "modern McCarthyism." But public officials are more likely to be subjected to intense scrutiny than unfounded attacks like those mounted by the notorious Sen. Joseph McCarthy.

And there is a difference. Let's go to William Safire's New Political Dictionary for a definition of McCarthyism. "Now applied to any investigation that flouts the rights of individuals," writes *The New York Times* columnist, the very one Inman has accused of same.

McCarthyism dates from the Wisconsin senator's 1950s attempts to ferret out communists in America using rumor, innuendo and guilt by association. A number of careers were ruined before prominent Americans began speaking out against him.

In the 30 years since, the term McCarthyism has been flung around plenty, including in the last two presidential campaigns. Both Michael Dukakis and Bill Clinton made that complaint against President Bush.

But analysts say what public officials contend with is mostly super-intense and sometimes unwarranted scrutiny — from opposition political parties, interest groups and the press.

McCarthyism "in its most insidious form" probably could not recur today because people have many ways to get their side of the story out, said Ted Windt, a specialist in the modern presidency at the University of Pittsburgh.

Inman didn't think so. At a press conference announcing his withdrawal as defense secretary nominee, Inman blasted Safire for

columns he said distorted his record and allowed no balancing response — a common phenomenon among columnists, he said, in "this era of modern McCarthyism."

*New York Times* Publisher Arthur Sulzberger Jr. defended Safire as "a tough-minded journalist and a fair one."

No one is suggesting that public figures who set policy that affects millions of Americans should not be scrutinized. The question is how much and about what.

The range of activities subject to examination keeps growing wider and wider: Health, marital and dating history, drinking habits, draft records, drug abuse, business associates, financial investments, club memberships, sexual orientation, treatment of women, and — now — hiring of illegal aliens and payment of Social Security taxes on household help.

Some of the practices of the past seem incredible in today's find-all, tell-all environment. People weren't reminded that Franklin D. Roosevelt was crippled; he was never shown in his wheelchair or in braces. Most never knew John F. Kennedy strayed during his marriage; it was almost never mentioned in newspapers of the time or even in early biographies.

And political enemies or interest groups trying to expose public figures rarely were able to force the issues into the public eye.

But things started changing in the 1970s. The Watergate scandal unleashed investigative journalism. And, in a hint of trends to come, former Rep. Wilbur Mills' off-hours escapades with stripper Fanne Fox made news.

Interest groups and their congressional allies became pivotal in ideologically charged confirmation battles, digging up and circulating all kinds of facts and gossip on Supreme Court justices and Cabinet secretaries. These trends grew throughout the 1980s.

Over the years, the public has adjusted to many flaws and characteristics once deemed fatal.

"It used to be you couldn't have somebody (in politics) who was divorced or Catholic. Now you have a person repeatedly accused of extramarital affairs as president of the United States," said Stephen Borelli, a political scientist at the University of Alabama.

"But I'm not sure we've caught up yet. For every new thing we're forgiving, there's a new thing that we're not." Alexander George, a professor emeritus at Stanford University, said the ever-expanding catalogue of transgressions is a bad trend.

"What we really want to know about the character of our political leaders is much broader and more fundamental than whether they've engaged in peccadillos of one kind or another," said George, a presidential scholar. "The demands and expectations are out of hand..."

The current climate will produce either resilient leaders with very thick skin, which applies to Clinton, or stealth candidates without a controversy to their names. Windt, the Pittsburgh presidential scholar, does not like the latter prospect.

"If you found a person who didn't have a skeleton of one sort or another, my God, have they ever lived?" he asks. "This intense scrutiny may give us a bunch of vanilla politicians out there who have never scrambled and fallen, known what it means to be embarrassed, to have a failure on their hands, to have made a mistake."

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Waitress Doreen Johnson, stands by a rack of tapes at the Happy Landings restaurant in Eastport, Me., in December. Dozens of cassette tapes that offer counseling for problems confronting teenagers and their parents hang from pegs at the entrance of the local eatery.

Tapes counsel troubled teens, parents

By GLENN ADAMS  
Associated Press Writer

EASTPORT, Maine (AP) — The first menu that comes into view in the Happy Landings restaurant isn't what you would expect to see in the otherwise typical small-town eatery. Instead of hamburger and haddock, the choices are "I Might Stop Using Drugs" and "My Teen-ager May Be Suicidal."

They are topics of cassette tapes that offer counseling for problems confronting teen-agers and parents. The tapes are neatly hung along a wall entering the tidy seaside diner.

Those who want to take a tape and leave without drawing attention to themselves don't have to go all the way inside. There's no need to leave money, because the tapes are free. And there are plenty of takers.

"I've seen a lot of tapes go, so somebody's doing something with them," said cook-waitress Doreen Johnson. "I think it's a great idea."

The tapes are provided by the Bible and Prayer Educational Association, a local, nondenominational religious group that is more dedicated to social services than Sunday services.

The Rev. Roger Asselin, who heads the ministry, got the idea from a publication that featured the Southern Baptist Convention's creative approach to reaching troubled souls.

The Nashville, Tenn.-based convention sells packages of master tapes to churches of any denomination. The churches are free to reproduce as many copies as they need, said Richard Ross, who picked the topics and lined up the professional counselors for the "24 Hour Counselor" series offered at the Happy Landings.

Despite Eastport's clean, small-town atmosphere, the 2,000 residents who make up this close-knit

community are not without their problems. Between last April and the end of 1993, Asselin said he had distributed 1,700 tapes in this town alone.

At the Passamaquoddy Indian tribe's nearby Pleasant Point reservation, 200 tapes were taken from the teen tape board within the first two months it was put up.

Stories are similar in many of the other places where 17,000 volumes of the six-tape package have been distributed by 5,000 churches around the country, Ross said in a telephone interview from Nashville.

"So many folk will say, 'We had 300 tapes picked up' ... 'We had 500 tapes picked up.' Those kinds of reports come in routinely," said Ross, who is also a national spokesman for the teen-age celibacy movement True Love Waits.

In one mall where a batch of tapes had been set up, groups of teen-agers joked and poked fun at some of the titles. But later, Ross was told, some of the same youths returned alone to take copies.

Part of their allure is that the tapes provide counseling to an age group whose members often avoid discussing sensitive subjects with adults, said Ross. They also enable youths to help each other by making copies for troubled friends.

"They are really powerful. They really work," said Asselin. An expert in psychology of religion at the University of Denver agrees.

"It's very possible they've gotten onto something that has considerable meaning" to listeners, said Professor Bernard Spilka. "It certainly sounds creative and different from anything I'm familiar with."

The tapes are also a sign that religious leaders' longstanding suspicion of psychology is fading, said Spilka.

Asselin, who describes his ministry as "basically evangelical in nature," said the tapes are light on religion. In a typical format, a troubled teen states a problem involving a friend, and then introduces and engages in a dialogue with a professional counselor.

Tapes geared to young audiences urge listeners to seek advice from school officials, counselors, parents or ministers. Those addressed to adults advocate professional counseling among other options.

"We don't cram religion down their throats," said Asselin, adding that the tapes only "offer God as an option." Ross said the counselors' views "are consistent with those held by most mental health professionals."

Marye Moreshead of Baring, Maine, said she found two tapes "extremely helpful" in improving communications with her teen-age son.

While the tapes mention religious approaches, "they don't tell you that's the only avenue," said Moreshead.

"They helped me see that at different times my son was trying to tell me something without coming out and telling me," said Moreshead.

The most popular among the 11 tapes for parents in Eastport is "My Teen-ager Rejects My Discipline." The tapes teen-agers go for most often include, "I'm Failing at School" and "I Hate How I Look." Also high on teens' list among the 14 tapes are those that discuss alcohol and drug abuse.

Among teens, "self-esteem seems to be among the biggest problems," said Asselin.

He said he chose the Happy Landings to serve as a distribution point because it does not serve alcohol and he likes its family atmosphere.

Religious movements under fire in Eastern Europe

By DAVID BRIGGS  
Associated Press Writer

Unification Church groups in the Baltics are offering language lessons to attract converts, while Hare Krishnas reportedly now have more members in Hungary than the United States.

New religious movements and sects have established footholds in eastern Europe, but their influence may be measured more in terms of the backlash they have engendered than converts won.

Traditional religious groups that suffered under communist oppression are trying to solidify their privileged position in the new era of religious freedom. Although conservative Christian missionaries are reporting the greatest success in converting eastern Europeans, it is religious sects and cults who have made easy targets for groups lobbying for laws to limit religious freedom in several east European countries, according to two scholars who have traveled throughout the region.

"The visibility and fear is put on the new religious movements, who are really statistically insignificant," said Eileen Barker of the London School of Economics. "Nobody gets any bad points for attacking cults. They're really fair game."

Barker and J. Gordon Melton, director of the Institute for the Study of American Religion in Santa Barbara, Calif., addressed a recent seminar of the American Academy of Religion on new religious movements.

Groups from the Church of Scientology to Hare Krishnas are trying to take advantage of the new religious freedom to spread their teachings throughout eastern Europe, they said in interviews.

In a recent trip, Barker observed that several groups are offering people ways to succeed in capitalist ventures as a means of attracting new members.

For example, she said, Church of Scientology groups offer communication courses and Unification Church groups offer language lessons and trips to the West to potential converts in Russia and the Baltics.

But while there are no hard numbers, researchers say, new religious movements seem to be having little success.

Some eastern Europeans are taking advantage of the classes offered and then are returning to their traditional religious homes. And critics of many new religious movements, helped by anticult organizations from the West, have left many eastern Europeans forewarned, Barker said.

"On the whole, they're not particularly interested," Barker said. "They know, the cults are bad, and that's got through to them."

The groups that are successful are evangelical Christian organizations who are flooding eastern Europe with missionaries. Researchers report massive revivals, large churches being built and some evangelists, in a strategy used successfully in the United States, taking to the airwaves.

Some 40 million Bibles have been distributed in Russia alone, Melton said. Among the groups doing well, there may be as many as tens of thousands of Pentecostals in eastern Europe, he said. Baptists also have been particularly successful.

In another sign of the times, 3,000 Russians became Jehovah's Witnesses in a mass baptism. But the flood of foreign missionaries is not sitting well with religious groups who struggled to sur-

vive during the years of socialist rule. Many groups emerged weak, disorganized and badly financed, and argue members should not be stolen from them by better-financed groups from outside.

"We should have the first chance of regaining our faithful" is the claim made by faiths native to the region, Barker said.

In Russia, Russian Orthodox leaders have been trying to restore the church's traditional role as one of the main pillars of society. Patriarch Alexy II, head of the church, administered the oath of office when Boris Yeltsin was sworn in as Russia's first president in June 1991, and it has become common practice for the patriarch to bless major political events, including praying for success at U.S.-Russian summits.

The "turf war" is evident in part in legislation that would limit religious freedom in various stages of consideration in Armenia, Russia, Hungary, Poland and Romania. In Hungary, legislation is being considered to change the religious registration laws to limit the apportionment of state taxes for religion to groups that have been in the country for a certain length of time.

"There's not only resentment, but there's money at stake," Melton said.

In Russia, President Yeltsin forced lawmakers to drop the idea of a total ban on foreign missionaries, but parliament passed a law in the summer that would have granted the Ministry of Justice the right to deny permission for foreign religious groups to operate if they engage in "coercive" proselytizing or "offend the religious feelings of Russian citizens." In part because of an appeal from President Clinton, Yeltsin did not sign the legislation.

Bible-science lectures scheduled

A series of six free lectures on "The Bible, Science and Evolution" are scheduled at Westside Church of Christ, 1612 W. Kentucky, for Jan. 27-30.

At 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 27, will be "Astronomy, Geology, Oceanography and the Bible." At 7:30 p.m. Friday, Jan. 28, will be "Meteorology, Physics, Biology and the Bible." At 10 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 29, will be "The Earth's Age" and at 7:30 p.m., "God's Account of Creation."

Scheduled for Sunday, Jan. 30, at 10:40 a.m. will be "Science

versus Evolution" and at 6:30 p.m. will be "Archaeology and Bible Prophecy."

The speaker is Arnold O. Schnabel, a recommended speaker of the Creation Research Society, the Institute for Creation Research and the Bible-Science Association.

Schnabel earned a degree in aeronautical engineering from Auburn University. He worked in preliminary design and research for the Boeing Corp. in Seattle, Wash. After leaving the engineering field, he worked as

a minister and talk show host on daily radio programs in Oregon and Florida. He recently returned from Moscow, Russia, where he preached for several weeks.

Schnabel disagrees with the theory of evolution which holds that human beings and all other forms of life evolved into their present shapes over millions of years. He says this theory is incompatible with the Bible and science provides evidence that events actually happened as described in the Bible.

Promise Keepers set organizational meet

An organizational meeting for Promise Keepers is scheduled for 7 p.m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church in Shamrock.

Organizers are especially interested in having men who have attended a Promise Keepers convention come to the meeting to share their experience, said J.C. Burt.

Promise Keepers is a Christ-centered ministry dedicated to uniting men through vital relationships to become godly men who influence their world, according to informa-

tion from the group.

It originated with Bill McCartney, head football coach of Colorado University, who wanted to see men come together to reclaim moral and Christian ethics beginning in the home.

In the summer of 1993, Folsom Stadium on the Colorado University campus was the site of a 50,000-man Promise Keeper convention.

Men who wish to become Promise Keepers are asked to commit to: honoring Christ through

prayer, worship and obedience; spiritual, moral, ethical and sexual purity; building strong marriages and families through love, protection and biblical values; support the mission of their church; reaching beyond racial and denominational barriers to demonstrate the power of biblical unity; influencing their world by being obedient to the commandments of Mark 12:30-31 and Matthew 28:19-20; and pursuing relationships with other men to provide accountability in promise keeping.

Phillips to speak at Faith Christian Center

The Rev. Jerry Phillips is scheduled to present "Carrying Forth the Elijah Task" at Faith Christian Center, 118 N. Cuyler at 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. Sunday and at 7 p.m. Monday and Tuesday.

Rev. Jerry Phillips is a founding pastor of Trinity Fellowship Church in Amarillo and now travels worldwide holding evangelistic meetings and seminars," said Ed Barker, pas-

tor of Faith Christian Center.

"The ministry Jerry Phillips is bringing to churches across America is turning parents' hearts toward their children," Barker said.

Barker and Phillips traveled to Jamaica in 1993 for a week of intense teaching ministry and saw hundreds come to Christ during that time, Barker said.

Phillips' travels have taken him to

world areas including a recent trip to Aalsmeer, Holland.

"It was a unique experience to have the local Dutch people serve as ministry assistants to translate English words-of-knowledge into Dutch language and then witness the Holy Spirit's power setting captives free," according to a Phillips' newsletter.

The public is invited.

'Caravans' to be sponsored by Nazarene Church

The First Church of the Nazarene in Pampa is starting a CARAVANS program.

The first meeting for the Christain scouting program will be

from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. Feb. 2, at the church, according to spokesman Cindy Brown.

"It is for boys and girls ages three through sixth grade,"

Brown said. Registration will be from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 29, at the church, she said. The cost is two dollars per child.

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# Procter & Gamble's curriculum kits on environment provoke criticism

By DAVID E. KALISH  
AP Business Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — It seemed like corporate philanthropy to thousands of money-starved public schools: free teaching kits with lessons on environmentalism, a subject many students embrace.

But the curriculum, funded by Procter & Gamble Co., is drawing bad marks from some environmentalists who say it contains misinformation designed to further the interests of the leading consumer products company.

Among the lessons: timber clear-cutting stimulates growth and feeds animals, disposable diapers are as environmentally sound as cloth, and incineration is like recycling.

Critics have asked attorneys general in 11 states to investigate the kits.

Those disputing parts of the curriculum include several members of an advisory panel that reviewed it. They said P&G ignored some of their advice.

Cincinnati-based P&G owns leading household brands ranging from Crest toothpaste to Scope mouthwash to Tide detergent. Its Pampers and Luvs dominate the disposable diaper market.

The company denied suggestions it has tried to mislead teachers and students. It said the "Decision: Earth" kit builds critical thinking skills and taps experience dating to 1912, when students used Crisco oil lessons to learn cooking.

"Clearly in this case we don't believe it's marketing materials and don't believe there's any inherent conflict with existing regulatory guidelines," P&G spokesman Scott Stewart said.

Companies have long tried to influence classroom thinking. But in recent years, businesses have intensified their presence in public schools.

One company, Whittle Communications of Knoxville, Tenn., has aroused a major debate by giving schools free TV gear if they show its regular program of news and ads. Schools themselves have appealed for corporate help because of budget problems. Businesses also are drawn by kids' spending power, which has doubled since the mid-1980s.

"Schools are just about broke, so they welcome bona fide teaching assistance," said James McNeal, a Texas A&M University professor specializing in children's marketing.

Stewart said that the P&G material is popular with teachers and that some concerns may stem from outdated information, though there are no immediate plans to revise it.

Distributed to 70,000 teachers via mail and conventions for the past two years, the material introduces the "life-cycle" of consumer goods, or their environmental impact from manufacture to disposal.

"Clear cutting removes all trees within a stand of a few species to create new habitat for wildlife," one passage asserts. "Procter & Gamble uses this economically and environmentally sound method because it most closely mimics nature's own processes."

Most environmental experts say any ecological benefits to clear-cutting, which denudes swaths of forest, are overshadowed by erosion, loss of wildlife habitat and the replacement of diverse vegetation with single-species tree "farms." The P&G material doesn't mention this.

Thomas Shimalla, one of six people on the P&G advisory panel, said he didn't remember the clear-cutting depiction and expressed surprise upon hearing it.

"Oh my God," said Shimalla, assistant director of the Pocono Environmental Educational Center in Dingmans Ferry, Pa. "I don't think I would have let something like that slip by."

Panel member Anthea Maton, a curriculum consultant in Oklahoma City, said she had told P&G the passage was inaccurate.

"I was surprised when I saw that in there, and I put a little note in there saying this was not necessarily believed by many people," Maton said.

A science teacher who uses the P&G kit, Kathy Lynch of Glen-Este High School in Cincinnati, said she found sections on composting and other topics useful.

But Joan Borovatz, a science teacher at Santa Cruz High in California, said she wouldn't use the kit, partly because of what she called its emphasis on consumerism.

"They leave out and they include statements I would not think would be included in any science program I ever did," she said.

Lance King of Californians Against Waste, a Sacramento-based environmental group, said he thought much of the curriculum favors P&G's interests.

"We believe these materials do end up constituting promotional materials, and that they are an inducement to the sale of products," King said.

One worksheet asks students to "calculate" the effects of disposable vs. cloth diapers using a study that examined emissions such as washing machine wastewater. Disposables score better in all five categories but one —

"industrial and post-consumer solid waste."

Environmentalists say the worksheet is misleading because it doesn't explain P&G paid for the study or mention another study financed by cloth diaper makers that concluded disposables are worse. P&G also does not mention it's the biggest maker of disposable diapers.

Bruce Jones, P&G associate director of professional and regulatory services, said the company-financed study underwent "the most extensive scientific and technical review."

One member of the advisory panel reviewing the P&G materials said he had "red-marked" the diaper section but his suggestion was ignored.

"My concern was that I'm not sure that's correct. The landfill problem definitely is there," said Robert E. Roth, a professor and acting director of the School of Natural Resources at Ohio State University. Disposable diapers represent about 2 percent of landfill garbage.

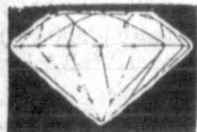
Another disputed passage describes garbage-fueled incineration, which produces energy, as "thermal recycling." Environmentalists complain there is no direct mention of the resulting toxic ash, one of incineration's drawbacks.

Some educators use the material in ways P&G may not have intended. Teacher Gary Nunnelee, who runs an environmental club at Seattle's Shorewood Senior High, said the material helps students recognize subtle company promotions.

Shorewood 10th-grader Van Diep, 15, said that "by promoting their products now as safe and environmentally sound, it will create more consumers."

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## Lifestyles

## Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: Recently a family member married a woman from a different part of the country. I mention this because perhaps the region she comes from may have some bearing on the answer to this question.

They visit us twice a year and we like them both, but the husband always asks on the side if I have washed the bananas I serve with breakfast, as his wife insists on having the bananas washed.

The first time he asked me, I asked him if his wife eats the peel, because I have never heard of washing a banana. (He said "No.") I have since asked around and have found nobody who washes bananas. I wash apples, pears, grapes and melons, which I will be cutting through, but I see no reason to wash bananas.

Some people told me to wash only the bananas being used that day, because there is a natural protective coating on the skin and washing it away will cause it to spoil quicker.

My husband gets annoyed when he sees me washing a banana because he thinks it's silly. Abby, are we in danger by not washing our bananas on a regular basis? If you eat bananas, do you wash them before eating them?

CURIOS IN HARRISBURG, PA.

DEAR CURIOUS: This is a first, and even though it isn't of earthshaking importance, it is a refreshingly new question. No one in my household has ever thought it necessary to wash a banana. Most fruit, si; bananas, no. We just peel them and eat them.

DEAR ABBY: I have never seen this in your column, and I would like your comments:

I have a friend who, in most ways, is a lovely, good person. The problem is that no matter what you're going through, she has it worse.

If you say you've had a rough day, well, you don't work as many hours as she does. She works more hours so she is more tired and has had a rougher day. If your child is sick, her child had it, only worse. If you mention you are low on cash, well, you don't know what that means until you have her bills. (Meanwhile, her kids are playing in \$135 sneakers!)

I'm sure you get the picture. No one has a rougher life. Everything you go through is practically nothing compared to what she goes through. It is not enough to break up a friendship. In most other ways, she's a very nice person.

Why do people do that? Thanks for letting me unload.

FRUSTRATED FRIEND IN CONNECTICUT

DEAR FRUSTRATED FRIEND: They do it because they have a compulsion to top you.

CONFIDENTIAL TO 'DISCOURAGED AT WORK AND AT HOME': Charles M. Schwab once offered some powerful advice with these words: "A man who trims himself to suit everybody will soon whittle himself away."

## All about tools

WILLIAMSBURG, Va. (AP) — When George William Cartwright II emigrated from London to Ossining, N.Y., in 1819 he brought his woodworking tool kit, packed in a fitted chest. It was a large, carefully chosen collection: planes, saws, chisels and sharpening stones.

Negro Jack was a slave who did odd jobs for a storekeeper in Colchester, Va., during the years 1764-1766. He earned credit that he used to buy gimlets, a file for sharpening saws, and glue.

Such details of early artisans' working lives are part of an exhibition, "Tools: Working Wood in 18th Century America," that offers a detailed view of craftsmanship in America when hand tools were the primary means of production. It will be on show at Colonial Williamsburg through June, 1995.

On show are upwards of 1,500 woodworking tools.

## Art collectors don't always give museums expected legacy

By TOWN &amp; COUNTRY A Hearst Magazine For AP Special Feature

Wealthy art collectors seem to enjoy dangling their works of art before eager museums — then leaving their collections elsewhere when they die.

Important collectors, Paul Jeromack wrote in an article in the current issue of *Town & Country*, are often capricious creatures with strident demands and egos larger than the worth of their possessions.

New York's Metropolitan Museum of Art, for instance, can point with pride to the support and donations of Jayne Wrightsman and Walter Annenberg's pledge to bequeath his splendid Impressionists.

But for each Wrightsman or Annenberg, there are a dozen Peter

Jay Sharps. Sharp was a real estate mogul and art collector. In appreciation of his generosity, he was elected to the board of trustees in 1986 and made a benefactor and member of the select Acquisitions Committee thereafter.

It was widely assumed that Sharp would reward the museum with a bequest from his collection of Old Master paintings, drawings and sculptures. But when Sharp died after a brief illness in April 1991, he left his collection, worth an estimated \$10 million, to his children, who put them up for auction at Sotheby's.

This is hardly the first collection that got away from the Met. During the 1930s, dime-store magnate Samuel Kress had given the Met several fine but secondary pictures. But the Met didn't pursue him hard enough at first. Only after his col-

lection had notably improved did the museum name him a trustee. It was too late — Kress was wooed and won by the just-established National Gallery in Washington, D.C.

The National Gallery can bill itself as America's National Collector, which has enticed patriotic collectors away from their hometowns.

Joseph E. Widener's collection of Old Masters was slated for the Philadelphia Museum of Art; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harmon Booth's paintings were earmarked for the Detroit Institute of Arts. Both went to the National Gallery. Chester Dale's superb Impressionists were lured away from the Met.

Even the National Gallery has lost on occasion. In 1954, Armenian oil magnate Calouste Gulbenkian was ready to leave the museum his mar-

velous and varied collection — paintings, silver, glass, carpets — if the museum would get the McCarran Act changed so one of his Armenian-born cousins could reside in France without losing his U.S. citizenship. The National Gallery couldn't; the collection went to a Lisbon foundation.

When Walter Chrysler offered his collection to a number of institutions with the stipulation they rename themselves "The Chrysler Museum," only the Museum of Norfolk, Va., accepted. It eventually received 90 percent of the collection, but the other 10 percent — including paintings by Gericault, Lucas Cranach and Fragonard — went to a nephew, who sold them at auction.

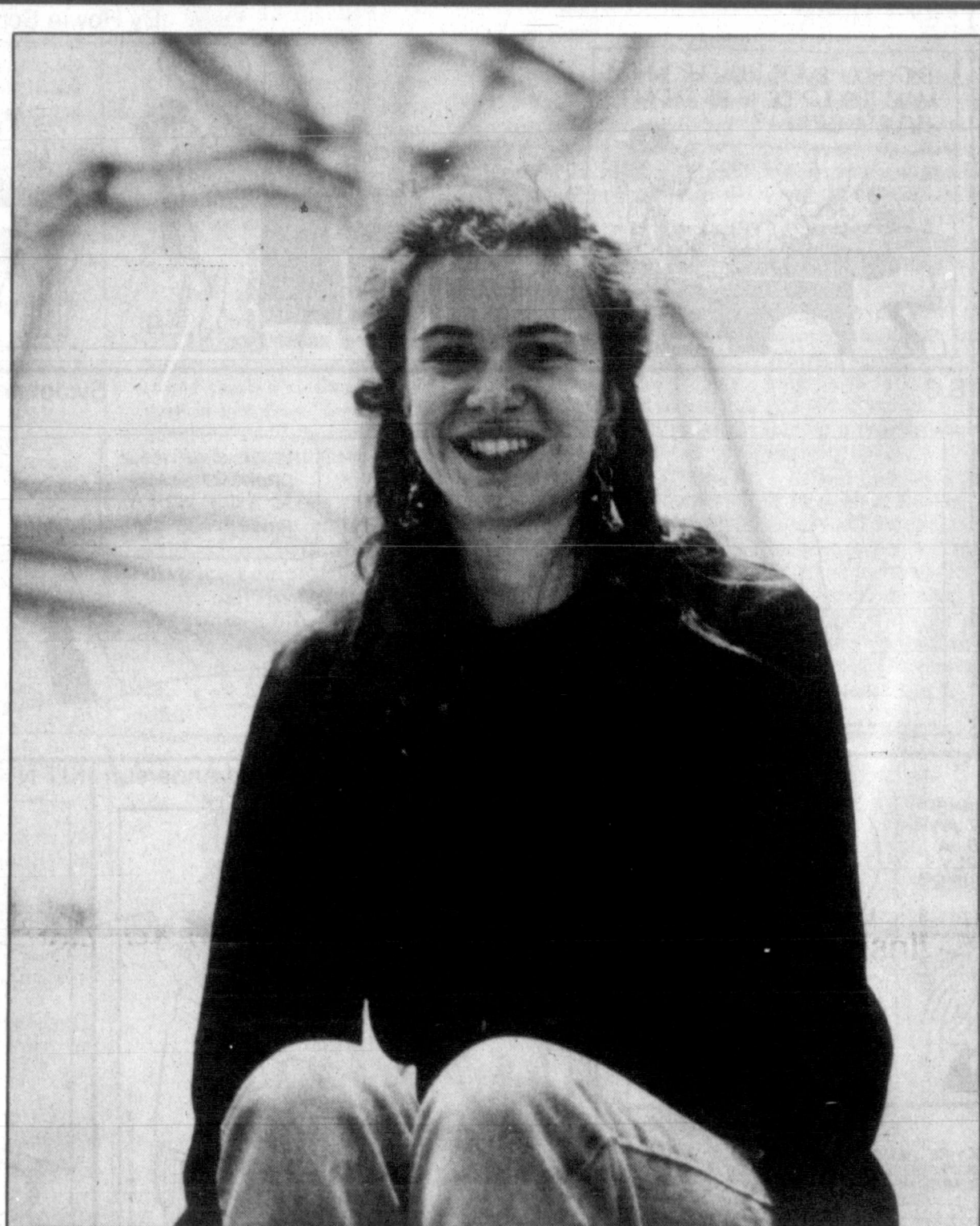
More recently, Norton Simon tweaked the National Gallery, the Met, the Princeton Museum and the

Los Angeles County Museum with the possibility of getting his extraordinary collection. Instead he set up his own museum in Pasadena.

His example apparently inspired two fellow Californians, Fred Wise and Armand Hammer, who pulled their pictures from the Los Angeles County Museum, where they were expected to go, to establish their respective private foundations/museums.

In the case of Sharp, Ashton Hawkins, vice president of the Met, believes the museum lost out because Sharp just didn't have time to make a new will. But George Wachter of Sotheby's had a different explanation, saying:

"When people are sick, at the end, often they think that institutions don't matter so much. ... They think of their families instead."



Alessia Guilevich, a 25-year-old Byelorussian educator, is staying with members of the First Baptist Church congregation as part of her first trip to the United States. (Pampa News photo by Darlene Holmes)

## Byelorussian visits Pampa baptists

By JOHN McMILLAN Staff Writer

A Byelorussian visitor has been in the panhandle since late December, and she's reached the conclusion that it would not make sense to carry the Palo Duro Canyon with her when she returns to her home country.

Asked which items from the panhandle she would most like to import on behalf of the Byelorussian republic, the visitor, Alessia (Alice) Guilevich, replied with a smile on her face: "The canyon in Amarillo — just a piece of it."

If the entire Palo Duro Canyon were relocated in Byelorussia, Guilevich explained with an apparent blend of whimsicality and earnestness, the heavy rainfall in that republic might cause an uncontrollable expansion of the canyon that would destroy farmland and other productive land in the area.

Guilevich, a 25-year-old resi-

dent of Minsk, has been staying in Pampa as a guest of the First Baptist Church congregation.

Guilevich, a public school teacher in Byelorussia, served last summer as a professional translator for Dr. Darrell Rains, pastor of First Baptist Church, during an evangelical and humanitarian group visit to Byelorussia in which a total of 24 members of that church and nine members of the First Baptist Church of Canadian were among the Texan visitors.

"We met Alice last summer and loved her so much that we wanted her to see our country," said Suzanne Rains, wife of Pastor Rains. Mrs. Rains said Guilevich had offered Pastor Rains "excellent translations" from English into Russian during his presentations in Belarussia.

Guilevich, who is staying with several families from the First Baptist congregation during her visit in town, gave a five-minute testimonial during the First Baptist

service on Sunday. In her speech, she alluded to the Book of John's statement about light coming into one's life. The Belarussian woman said she pledged herself to Christianity in 1992 while attending to a Billy Graham crusade in Moscow.

Guilevich, who arrived in the United States on Dec. 22, said the primary purpose of her first visit to the United States is "just to see a new country for me and to discover America." Among her discoveries has been the joy of snowskiing; she partook of that activity for the first time in her life during a visit earlier this month to Taos, N.M., with the Rainses and Fred and Dana Epperly of Pampa, Guilevich said.

This week, the Byelorussian woman will join an interdenominational Christian group from Amarillo for a three-day visit to Mexico, then visit Houston before returning to Pampa in early February. She plans to leave the Pampa area on Feb. 20, she said.

## Annual talent search begins for musical drama

The search will begin soon for 140 talented actors, singers, dancers and technicians to fill salaried positions for the 1994 season of the musical drama "TEXAS." Auditions are scheduled from late January through early March in six cities across the Southwestern United States.

Entering into its 29th year of production, "TEXAS" is recognized by the National Institute of Outdoor Drama in Chapel Hill, N.C., as the best attended outdoor drama in the nation.

Pioneer Amphitheatre, located beneath the towering cliffs of panoramic Palo Duro Canyon State Park, has been filled to an average of more than 90 percent of its capacity over the last five years. Audiences come from around the world to see this exciting saga of the men and women who tamed the Texas Panhandle in the late 1800s. Almost 2.5 million people have seen "TEXAS" since 1966.

Written by Pulitzer Prize winning author Paul Green, "TEXAS" is directed by Neil Hess. Widely recognized for his own talent, Hess offers expert instruction and valuable exposure to cast members who hail from all

across the United States. "TEXAS" cast members also have ample opportunity to earn college credit on the nearby campus of West Texas A&M University.

This outstanding summer performance opportunity is open to anyone 18 years or older. In addition to actors, singers, dancers and technical crew, positions also are available on the "TEXAS" hospitality staff.

The first audition is scheduled on Saturday, January 29 in Lubbock. The second audition will be held in Norman, Oklahoma on Saturday, February 5.

Hess and members of the "TEXAS" staff will conduct auditions in San Antonio, Texas on Saturday, February 12. Dallas, Texas will be the site of auditions on Sunday, February 13.

West Texas A&M University in Canyon, Texas, near the headquarters for "TEXAS," will host auditions on Saturday, February 19. Dancers will register from 10:30 a.m. All others must register between 10:30 and 11:15 a.m. Individual auditions will begin as soon as the dance auditions are completed.

The last audition for the 1994 season will be held in Tucson, Arizona on Sunday March 6.

## Auld Lang Syne rings out for Scottish poet 200 years later

By DONALD SMITH National Geographic For AP Special Features

ALLOWAY, Scotland — On a wintry evening, fat snowflakes fall on the thatched roof of a three-room stone cottage by a country road. Inside, a cow and some chickens rustle in their stalls. In the adjacent room a family gathers around a fire to hear father read scripture by candlelight.

Listening with an expression of rapt attention is a curly-haired 8-year-old boy who is destined to become the national poet of Scotland — and among the most intensely adored figures in English literature.

The 18th-century people and animals are replicas in wax. But the cottage is the real birthplace of Robert Burns, whose advocates hold to be of the greatest writers in the language — and whose reputation for genius, passion and excess continues to intrigue fans to this day.

The recently installed tableau of Burns' early life is complete with sound effects and some of the cottage's original furnishings, including the bed in which Burns was born in 1759 and the chair in which he was nursed.

This refurbishment of the poet's childhood home is only one of an outpouring of commemorations now being readied in Scotland and around the world in anticipation of the 1996 bicentennial of Burns' death at age 37.

Devotees annually observe "Burns Nights" on or about the date of the poet's birth, Jan. 25. During these events, his works are recited, sung and discussed amid the playing of bagpipes, eating of traditional Scottish dishes such as haggis (a meat pudding) and, typically, much drinking of Scotch whisky.

At least two international conferences are being planned for the bicentennial to reassess the poet's life, works and legacy. One will be held at the University of Strathclyde. The other will be at the University of South Carolina in Columbia, site of the most extensive collection of printed Burns materials in North America.

The National Library of Scotland will open a major traveling exhibition of Burns memorabilia in Edinburgh; and a motion picture about the poet's life is being planned.

Around the world, about 600 Burns societies are expected to hold special observances of the bicentennial.

"It's totally remarkable," says Burns scholar G. Ross Roy of the University of South Carolina, of the poet's near-cult status. "How many Milton clubs are there?"

John Manson, curator of the Burns cottage and adjacent museum in Alloway, attributes the fascination to the mystique that surrounds the poet.

"It's partly the popularity of his marvelous songs and poems," Manson tells National Geographic, "and partly the fact that he had a short,

full, rich life. He had a lot of bad press about being a hard drinker and womanizer, which is not really strictly true."

The matter of Burns' passions is one of continuing controversy. Although he evidently went through a succession of lovers, for each of whom he professed undying devotion, some scholars now believe his reputation as a rouser was somewhat contrived.

"Burns was a theatrical personality," says J. Derrick McClure of the University of Aberdeen. "He himself exaggerated some of these things. But at core he was thoroughly honest and very sincere about his fondness for his home, his family and the common people. He was very sincerely a champion of the rights of oppressed people."

Son of a tenant farmer, young Burns came under the influence of a gifted teacher, John Murdoch, who awakened his interest in language and literature. Betty Davidson, an elderly woman who lived with the family, stimulated his imagination with her stories and songs of Scottish history and folklore.

Burns began writing poems at age 14. Prophetically, his first began with the line, "Once I loved a bonnie lass."

By 26, his talent matured and he was writing some of his finest work, including "The Jolly Beggar," "The Cotter's Saturday Night," "To a Mouse" and the acclaimed satire on religious hypocrisy, "Holy Willie's Prayer."

Burns' themes of egalitarianism and the natural nobility of the common man, exemplified in "A man's a man for a' that," earned him a halcyon place in popular political movements throughout the world, including revolutionary Russia. Whether he would have approved of the Soviet government, however, is debatable. An early supporter of the French Revolution — he once tried to donate a cannon to the cause — he later turned against what it became and railed against its excesses.

Modern readers find some of Burns' poetry tough going, since he wrote much of his best work in the lowland Scots dialect he grew up speaking. A glossary is advised.

But many poems, like "My love is like a red, red rose," are perfectly accessible and timeless.

"I think that is one of the greatest songs in English," says Roy. "It's 16 lines long, with one three-syllable word, seven two-syllable words, and the rest all one-syllable words. To make an immortal song out of that simple material is something that has always appealed to people."

After a period of deteriorating health, Burns died July 21, 1796, of rheumatic fever, surrounded by his wife ("Bonnie Jean") and five children.

One of the songs he left behind has become a New Year's tradition around the world:

"For auld lang syne, my dear,  
For auld lang syne,  
We'll tak' a cup o' kindness yet,  
For auld lang syne."

## Porn star wins right to see baby

NEW YORK (AP) — Porn star Ilona "Ciccilina" Staller won the right to see her 14-month-old son in a custody battle imported from Italy.

Staller, also a former member of the Italian Parliament, is fighting her estranged husband, artist Jeffrey Koons, for the child. Koons snatched him from Staller's home in Rome on Christmas Eve and brought him to New York.

A state Supreme Court justice ruled Friday that Staller can visit the boy, Ludwig, while the couple await

a Jan. 26 custody hearing. Koons has filed for divorce. The two married in 1991.

Koons said he took the boy because Staller broke a promise not to make any more X-rated movies and because he found a sex toy among Ludwig's playthings. Staller's lawyer denied the allegations.

Staller was a member of Parliament from 1987 to 1992 and once offered Saddam Hussein an evening of sex in exchange for hostages.



# The Pampa News

## NEA Crossword Puzzle

**ACROSS**

- Group of three
- Kind of math
- Federal environment agency
- Long heroic poem
- Facilitate
- Russian village
- Dutch capital
- So far
- Chaney
- Remove moisture from
- Ox harnesses
- Skin ailment
- Copper ore
- "Doll's House" author
- Turf
- Actor Robert De —
- Actress —

**DOWN**

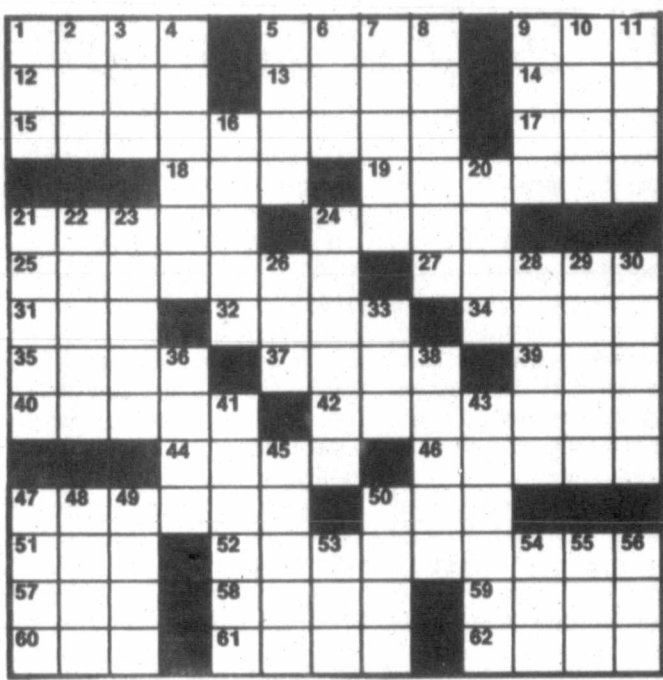
- Magnani
- the ground floor
- Resort of New Mexico
- Commercial
- Adjust again
- Area of dense shrubbery
- Christmas —
- Poor
- Affirmed
- A month
- Spire ornament
- Attacker
- Permit to
- Golf pegs
- Sign of the future
- General Robert E. —
- Narrow, flat board
- Russian's "no"

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

BAT	FLATS	YAP
ALI	IONIC	OLE
AEROSPACE	YAK	
SEERS	NOOSE	
OUTWITS		
XII	REED	SPRY
ROM	ENTE	ALIE
AWAY	TRAM	OMA
YAMS	HOTE	YES
EASTERN		
FEARS	CREME	
OMY	HOTHEAD	
UMA	ERROR	ARE
RAH	READY	MEN

**1 Beverage**  
**2 LP speed**  
**3 Greek island**  
**4 Worker in a stable**  
**5 Gull-like bird**  
**6 Radiation**

**7 measure**  
**8 Zodiac sign**  
**9 Freshwater tortoise**  
**10 Dock**  
**11 Bohemian**  
**16 Chemical dye**  
**20 Entertainer — McEntire**  
**21 — Arafat**  
**22 Pure air (sl.)**  
**23 Praline**  
**24 Fill with air**  
**26 Small bird**  
**28 Reptile**  
**29 Finished**  
**30 Unpleasant**  
**33 Companion of ash**  
**36 Meshes**  
**38 Middle East peninsula**  
**41 Handles**  
**43 Sri Lanka's former name**  
**45 Unsuccessful car**  
**47 Shout**  
**48 Fencer's sword**  
**49 Location**  
**50 Ship's pole**  
**53 Ocean**  
**54 Jimmy Carter's daughter**  
**55 Born**  
**56 An explosive**



### WALNUT COVE

By Mark Cullum

Mary says she's going to be busy every night over the next five years.

But I worked it out with a calendar, and it just leaves room for my college graduation dinner.

So I'm going to call her up and see if she is available.

Hope is the thing with feathers.

And love is the thing with a shotgun.

### ARLO & JANIS

By Jimmy Johnson

HEY, HEY!

MY MUTUAL FUND DID GREAT THIS WEEK!

WE DON'T HAVE MONEY IN MUTUAL FUNDS!

I KNOW

I JUST PICK ONE AND ROOT FOR IT!

### ECK & MEEK

By Howie Schneider

DID YOU EVER WONDER WHERE MAN WOULD BE IF HE DIDN'T HAVE A BRAIN?

YES

### B.C.

By Johnny Hart

NEVER GIVE YOUR DRINKING GLASS TO A COP WITH A FINGERPRINT KIT.

ADVICE

### MARVIN

By Tom Armstrong

OKAY, BITSY, TO PRACTICE FOR YOUR TV AUDITION, I WANT YOU TO HURDLE THE SOFA, ROLL UNDER THE COFFEE TABLE, THEN LEAP THROUGH THIS HOOP!

WHAT'S IN IT FOR ME?

WELL, THE WINNER ON "THAT'S MY MUTT!" GETS A LIFETIME SUPPLY OF POOCH MUNCHIES® AND A DATE WITH LASSIE!

HOLD THAT HOOP A LITTLE HIGHER, WILL YOU?!

### ALLEY OOP

By Dave Graue

YOU OFFER TH' BOYS THESE GOODIES, AND YOU'LL GET ALL TH' HELP YOU WANT! I...

WHAT IS ALL THAT RACKET...?

WHAT'S GOING ON OUT HERE?

THEY'RE HERE FOR TH' JOB, YER HIGHNESS!

HAAAA! YOU DIDN'T HAVE ANYTHING TO DO WITH THIS, DID YOU?

WHO? ME, SIR?

### BEATTIE BLVD.

By Bruce Beattie

I have to wear a bungee cord...I've always been afraid of commitment.

### THE FAMILY CIRCUS

By Bil Keane

Could I pet your new baby?

### THE BORN LOSER

By Art and Chip Sansom

I HAVE A THREE O'CLOCK DENTAL APPOINTMENT.

YES, MR. THORNAPPLE, THE DOCTOR WILL SEE YOU NEXT.

WHIRRRRRRRR

AIEEE!

DON'T WORRY, THAT'S MR. COLUMBO... HIS BARK IS WORSE THAN HIS BITE!

### PEANUTS

By Charles M. Schulz

IT SAYS HERE THAT THE AVERAGE CHILD WEARS DOWN 730 CRAYONS BEFORE HE OR SHE IS TEN YEARS OLD.

AND THAT COLORING PROMOTES UNDERSTANDING, AND BRINGS CHILDREN CLOSER TOGETHER...

WHAT COLOR SHOULD I MAKE THE SKY?

BLUE, YOU BLOCKHEAD!

### MARMADUKE

By Brad Anderson

NON SKID SHOES SOLD HERE

"They're not doing their job. He dragged me through 22 stop signs."

### KIT N' CARLYLE

By Larry Wright

THIS ISN'T GOING TO WORK, IS IT...?

### WINTHROP

By Dick Cavalli

I WAS CLEANING UP MY ROOM ALL DAY YESTERDAY.

DID YOU GET IT ALL CLEANED UP?

NO, THEY HAD TO SEND A RESCUE PARTY IN AFTER ME.

### CALVIN AND HOBBS

By Bill Watterson

I COULDN'T STAND BEING A GIRL.

I CAN'T STAND YOU EITHER WAY.

WHEN GUYS GROW UP, THEY GET TO PLAY WITH CARS, SPORTS EQUIPMENT, CAMERAS, STEREOS, ELECTRIC TOOLS... YOU NAME IT.

BUT GIRLS DON'T GET ANY TOYS WHEN THEY GROW UP. WOMEN JUST BUY CLOTHES AND SHOES. HOW BORING. HOW SAD.

I GUESS GIRLS ACTUALLY MATURE AS THEY GET OLDER.

I CAN'T WAIT UNTIL I'M OLD ENOUGH TO "PUTTER AROUND."

### FRANK AND ERNEST

By Bob Thaves

HOW DO YOU EXPECT ME TO MAKE A DIAGNOSIS IF YOU DON'T BRING A COPY OF YOUR INSURANCE POLICY?

### GARFIELD

By Jim Davis

CATS ARE MORE POPULAR THAN EVER

AND OUR HIDDEN CAMERA SHOWS WHY!

PAYOFFS TO PET OWNERS FROM THE POWERFUL CAT LOBBY!

LIES! ALL LIES!

### Astro-Graph

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** In dealing with persons you love, let your heart rule your head today, even if you go a bit overboard to spoil them. So what? Who's keeping score? Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail \$2 and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, N.Y. 10163.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** Today if you are working on something important, try to do it as secretly as possible and restrict it to persons who are directly involved. Don't tip your hand prematurely.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** Both fun and good things could happen for you today through your social involvements, so don't be a stay-at-home. Target a friendly group and play out your string.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** Conditions in general appear rather favorable for you today with the best breaks developing where your material interests are concerned. Be enterprising and expectant.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** Today if you don't handle things properly, there's a chance you might repeat an old mistake. Conversely, if you profit from past experiences, your road to success will not be strewn with obstacles.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Someone whose performances you've always admired might give you valuable information today on ways to improve an endeavor in which you're involved. It'll be advice worth heeding.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Make it a point today to be thoughtfully attentive to the person you came with to a social gathering, especially if there is another in the crowd who appeals to you.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Tasks you previously felt were too tough to tackle could prove surprisingly easy for you today. If you'll give them a try, you'll discover the barriers you anticipated were mythical.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** This is a unique day where you could be successful in all of your endeavors if you treat whatever transpires philosophically. Know this too shall pass, be it good or ill.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** Something you've been negatively anticipating could collapse of its own weight today. There is a big lesson here and that is don't fear things that will probably never occur.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** Your intuition and your logic will both be working at full steam today. This should help provide you with some ideas or concepts that could be artistic or ingenious.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** You may become involved in an endeavor today that will have good possibilities for success, provided you are patient and first build a strong foundation for it.



Sports

# Notebook

## OLYMPICS

**COPENHAGEN, Denmark (AP)** — Olympic champion Viktor Petrenko captured the men's final at European Figure Skating Championships for the third time.

Petrenko won a spot on the Ukrainian team for next month's Lillehammer Games. He was followed by teammate Viacheslav Zagorodniuk while Russia's Alexei Urmanov took third.

In ice dance, Jayne Torvill and Christopher Dean moved into a virtual tie with Maya Usova and Aleksandr Zhulin of Russia to set the stage for a winner-take-all free dance final. Torvill and Dean won original dance worth 30 percent and tied for second behind the Russians in compulsory dances.

## FOOTBALL

**PHOENIX (AP)** — Joe Bugel will remain Phoenix Cardinals coach at least one more season, according to sources.

The Phoenix Gazette reported an announcement ending speculation over Bugel's future was expected.

Owner Bill Bidwill suggested the Cardinals would need a winning season for Bugel to keep his job. They finished 7-9, but won five of their last eight games, including three straight to finish the season.

Bugel was scheduled to return to Phoenix from Mobile, Ala., where he was scouting college players for the Senior Bowl.

## HOCKEY

**NEW YORK (AP)** — St. Louis Blues defenseman Rick Zombo has suspended 10 games without pay, the NHL announced.

Zombo slashed and shoved linesman Kevin Collins Jan. 9 in Dallas, after Collins collided with him. The collision caused Zombo to lose control of the puck, which was retrieved by a Dallas player who scored what proved to be the winning goal. Zombo has already served four games of the suspension.

## BASKETBALL

**CHICAGO (AP)** — Chicago Bulls star Scottie Pippen was charged with unlawful possession of a weapon after police noticed a handgun in his car.

He was arrested shortly after midnight Thursday after a police officer checking his illegally parked car noticed the loaded semiautomatic weapon.

Unlawful possession of a weapon is a misdemeanor. Pippen spent 45 minutes behind bars before his release on \$100 cash bond.

## BASEBALL

**NEW YORK (AP)** — Bill White plans to resign as National League president, baseball officials said, and Northwestern University president Arnold Weber withdrew his name from consideration as commissioner.

White, who took over from A. Bartlett Giamatti April 1, 1989, is highest-ranking black official in professional sports.

He has been unhappy with his job several years. Although his term was to end 11 months ago, he grudgingly agreed to stay until a successor was found.

Instead of being solely responsible to league owners, league presidents will now be responsible to the commissioner, who will have power to hire them.

**CHICAGO (AP)** — Michael Jordan, acknowledging his improbable attempt to join the Chicago White Sox "as off the wall," said his skills are improving but not yet ready for the majors.

The White Sox will determine in a couple of weeks whether to invite Jordan to spring training. He's been working on hitting and fielding five days a week at an indoor facility, and manager Gene Lamont watched earlier this week.

If the White Sox thought he showed enough promise, Jordan would be willing to go to the minors for seasoning.

**NEW YORK (AP)** — Bob Murphy, New York Mets television and radio announcer the past 32 years, was chosen 1994 recipient of Ford C. Frick broadcasting award and will be enshrined into Baseball's Hall of Fame.

Murphy came to the Mets their expansion year of 1962 after two years as Baltimore Orioles broadcaster. He is considered one of the country's premier radio play-by-play announcers.

The Frick Award will be presented at induction ceremonies July 31 at Cooperstown, N.Y. The only player voted into the hall this year was former Philadelphia Phillies and St. Louis Cardinals pitcher Steve Carlton.

## GOLF

**TUCSON, Ariz. (AP)** — Dillard Pruitt shot an 8-under-par 64 for a one-stroke lead over Gary McCord and Larry Nelson after the first round of the Northern Telecom Open.

Pruitt, McCord and Nelson played the 7,148-yard Tucson National course. Robert Gamez led Starr Pass course with a sparkling 66. He and Joe Ozaki were tied for third.

Vijay Singh, who also played Starr Pass, was at 67, along with Fred Funk, defending champion Larry Mize, and Brett Ogle.

Michael Allen, Jay Delsing, Jay Don Blake, Loren Roberts, Chris DiMarco, John Flannery, James Furyk, Steve Stricker, Christian Pena and John Huston were at 68.

## HORSE RACING

**NEW YORK (AP)** — Prairie Bayou was chosen best 3-year-old colt or gelding in Eclipse Award voting by the Thoroughbred Racing Associations.

Prairie Bayou won five of eight starts, with two seconds. He won four straight races before finishing second to Sea Hero in Kentucky Derby, then won the Preakness.

Prairie Bayou was in 11th early in the Belmont Stakes when he broke down and was humanely destroyed. Prairie Bayou was unanimous 30-point winner. Sea Hero, who also won Travers, finished second with 15 points.

Kotoshan was older male turf horse with 30 points to 15 for Lure. 2-year-old champion Dehere got 25 points to 20 for Brocco.

# Kelton boys may be back in the groove

**Kelton\* (2-1, 18-2 boys; 0-3, 5-12 girls) vs. Samnorwood (2-1, 13-7 boys; 0-3, 4-14 girls)** - Kelton boys may be back in a groove again, as proved by Tuesday's 20-point victory over Hedley. Powered by Brian Kirkland's 32 points, the Lions looked like the district threat of a month ago.

"We finally started playing a little bit like we need to," Kelton coach Brad Slatton said. "In district play, you have to pick it up a notch."

Four Lions are averaging over 10 points per game, including Kirkland, who averages 27 ppg in district play. Danny Buckingham is helping out with an average of nine assists per game, while J.W. Ray grabs 13 rebounds per game.

Tonight Kelton will go head-to-head with its nemesis, Samnorwood, the team which handed the Lions three of their six losses last year. In their two matchups this season, both of which happened in tournament championship rounds, Kelton pulled out one win and suffered one loss.

"They usually play real well against us. They're the team that knocked us out last year," Slatton said, adding that both teams share a similar style of play in that they "both like to go up and down the court. I feel like we're ready to have a good game."

The girls' teams should be pretty evenly-matched as well, since both are 0-3 in district competition. Last week, only five Kelton players were able to suit up against Hedley.

"They played hard and that's all I can ask," Slatton said.

**Canadian (1-2, 7-10 boys; 1-2, 6-12 girls) at Memphis (0-3, 4-14 boys; 0-3, 2-16 girls)** - Both Wildcat teams expect to have an easier go of it tonight, given Memphis' dual status at the bottom of the district.

"We should win," Canadian girls' coach Don Drinnon said. "We're playing a little better now."

## Area basketball preview

"We had a great first half against Clarendon the other night," he added, noting that the team exhibited great shooting and defense in the 73-48 Wildcat win.

Canadian is led by Adrienne Vanhooser, who is averaging 14 points per game.

**Lefors (0-3, 8-9 boys; 1-2, 2-12 girls) at McLean (0-3, 2-17 boys; 3-0, 17-5)** - McLean girls are expected to continue barrelling through district competition tonight, in spite of players moonlighting at the county livestock show.

The Tiger girls are coming off a 69-36 win over Samnorwood, during which Mindy Magee racked up 29 points.

"We did a real good job," McLean coach Cheryl Eldredge said. "Everybody got to play. Our defense looked a whole lot better than it did when we were playing Kelton."

The boys' matchup tonight is promised to be a barnburner of sorts, since both teams are winless in the district.

"It ought to be a pretty good game," Lefors coach Richard Moore said. "Both are pretty evenly matched."

Lefors boasts four players averaging points in the double digits - Tommy Green (18 ppg),

Dennis Williams (14 ppg), Keith Franks (12 ppg) and Tommy Cox (10 ppg).

**White Deer (0-0, 2-13 boys; 0-0, 5-12 girls) at Happy (non-district)** - After an off day Tuesday, White Deer will face the same opponent as last Friday. The boys will be looking for vengeance, as Happy took a close one last week.

"I'll be the third time this year we've played them," White Deer coach Clay Richerson said, noting that the first time saw the Bucks beat the Cowboys by four points and the last was Happy's eight-point victory last week.

"We had a five-point lead in the mid-fourth quarter," he added. "We're looking forward to playing them."

The girls, on the other hand, have to endure another harrowing session with the Cowgirls, who are ranked third in the state. But don't expect White Deer to give up, as there was glimmer of a chance seen in last Friday's game.

"We played them to a five-point game the second half," White Deer coach Mona Jennings said. "It just depends on how we come out. We've been having a problem keeping our intensity up."

**Miami (3-0, 16-6 boys; 0-1, 8-10 girls) at Booker (non-district)** - Tonight Miami can breathe a tiny sigh of relief as the Warriors travel to Booker for a non-district matchup. With the pressure of trying to remain undefeated in the district alleviated, both Warrior teams can concentrate on just a plain game.

"I was very pleased with the girls," coach Dwight Rice said of Tuesday's 13-point loss to Follett. "We played very well."

Meanwhile, the boys dished it out for Follett, 64-49, but not so well, according to Rice.

"We didn't play extremely well," he said. "Follett's got a decent team, but they're not a real strong team. We were ahead the whole game - we had some mental lapses that kind of hurt us."

While tonight should be a bit more challenging for the Warriors, Miami has its lineup ready. Andrew Neighbors is averaging 22 ppg and Brock Mayberry 18 ppg, while they and Nick Bryant are all getting eight rebounds per game.

"It's awful hard to go to Booker and win," Rice warned. "I look for a couple of close games."

**Wheeler (3-0, 9-10 boys; 1-2, 11-11 girls) vs. Clarendon (3-0, 17-2 boys; 1-2, 7-11 girls)** - While Wheeler and Clarendon boys are both undefeated in district competition, only one of these teams is ranked in seventh in the state. And it's not the Mustangs. But starter coach Shawn Read isn't intimidated, and neither is his team.

"We're looking at it like we'll be able to compete with them," he said. "It's not a make-or-break for us. We're just going to come out and play hard. Good things have happened to us because we've played hard, and we hope it's going to carry over."

Last week the 'Stangs socked it to Wellington, 59-47.

"We've been playing very well," Read said. "I'm pleased with the effort of all the kids -

they're playing with super effort. We're getting a lead early and we're holding onto it. I feel we've come a long way."

**Fort Elliott (2-0, 15-6 boys; 1-0, 15-5 girls) at Follett (1-1, 3-15 boys; 2-0, 18-3 girls)** - The Cougar boys, with four players averaging over 10 points per game, will be going for top billing in district 3-1A tonight.

The girls, meanwhile, will battle it out with an also-undefeated-in-district team. The Cougars are led by Andrea Dukes (18.1 ppg), Lindsey Fillingim (17.3 ppg), and April Purcell (11.2 ppg). Fillingim is averaging 12.1 rebounds in district competition, while Misty Mumford is averaging 10.2 rpg and Purcell has 7.2 assists per game.

**Groom (3-0, 13-9 boys; 3-0, 21-1 girls) at Hedley (2-1, 9-12 boys; 2-1, 11-9 girls)** - After Tuesday's two easy victories over Lefors, The Tigers are primed for more even competition tonight.

The girls will attempt to extend their huge win streak and claim sole possession of the district lead as well. With starter Melanie Friemel, who averages 16 points and 14 rebounds per game, back from the chicken pox and Kay Case returned from a bout of tonsillitis, Groom is in the pink. Led by Misty Homen's 18 ppg, 10 rpg and 7 assists per game, the Tigers' consistency is ever-improving.

"Hopefully we'll do well," Groom coach Terry O'Dell said. "Everybody looks healthy."

\* - record includes one forfeit win.



Misty Scribner (left) scored eight points in Pampa's 58-49 win over the Caprock girls Tuesday night. Pampa News photo

## Lady Harvesters go against Herd tonight

The Pampa Lady Harvesters go after their second District 1-4A tonight, taking on Hereford with the game starting at 6 in the Whitefaces' gym.

The Lady Harvesters downed Caprock, 58-49, Wednesday to pick up their first district win after two setbacks. For the season, the Pampa girls are 3-16.

Hereford, 1-3 in district fell to Dumas, 58-39, Tuesday night.

The Lady Whitefaces do have the experience edge on Pampa with four starters back from last season's 3-22 club. Top returnee is 5-6 guard Stephanie Wilcox, who averaged 10.5 points per game a year ago.

"Hereford is a much improved team over last year," said Pampa coach Mike Jones. "Pampa had two close games with them last year and we won both of them. They're going to be a formidable opponent."

The Lady Harvesters turned things

around in the second quarter against Caprock. Trailing 15-13 at the end of the first quarter, Pampa went on a 17-5 run against Caprock.

Pampa junior Misty Scribner completed a three-point play to give Pampa its first lead of second quarter at 18-15. The Lady Harvesters never trailed again as Elisha Calloway tallied eight of the next 12 points to help give Pampa a 10-point lead at halftime. Calloway finished with 19 points and Jamey Davis followed with 17. Scribner chipped in 8.

"It felt great to get that first district win, especially with all the adversity we've had. We had a couple of kids quit, which canceled our junior varsity schedule. It caused us to change up our roster, but the kids are sticking with it and we'll go to Hereford tonight and just do the best we can," said Jones.

## Showcasing Lone Star rivalry

**LUBBOCK (AP)** — No Southwest Conference women's basketball team has beaten No. 4 Texas Tech since Jan. 20, 1993, when the Lady Longhorns escaped Lubbock with a 75-74 edge.

The rematch Saturday in Austin — pitting last year's national champions against perennial powerhouse Texas — will showcase a Lone Star State rivalry that draws national attention.

"It's as good a rivalry as between anyone in the country," Tech coach Marsha Sharp said Thursday.

"That's just a credit to them — for a long time they were the standard-bearer and the team everybody chased," Sharp said. "Finally, we got to a point where we could compete with them game and game out."

## Kickers present an odd couple in NFC title game

**IRVING (AP)** — Eddie Murray, once one of the NFL's best kickers, has found himself for the last few years on what he calls the "kicker carousel."

Mike Cofer, a San Francisco 49er for five years, hasn't been on the carousel. Judging by the statistics, he probably should be.

The kickers in Sunday's NFC championship game present an odd couple.

Murray spent 12 years with Detroit, playing on only two winning teams during that period before bouncing through a bunch of camps — Kansas City, Tampa Bay, Philadelphia, even San Francisco. The only time he was in the playoffs before this season, he missed a 43-yard field goal that could have won a 1983 playoff game ...

Against the 49ers. Cofer, on the other hand, has been on two Super Bowl winners. But unlike Murray, a model of consistency

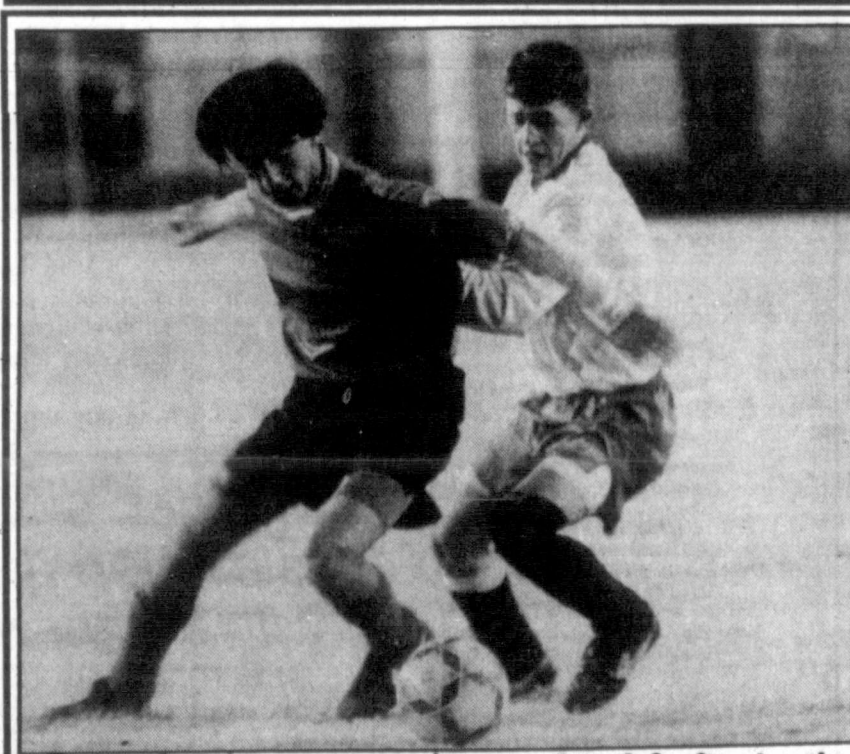
during his time in Detroit, he has been consistent only in his inconsistency.

Murray, who signed with Dallas after the second game this season, was 30 of 35 on field goals this season, or 83 percent.

He also kicked what he considers the biggest one of his career, a 41-yarder in overtime that beat the New York Giants in the final regular-season game. That gave Dallas the NFC East title and home field for the Cowboys.

Cofer, on the other hand, was 16 of 26, just 61 percent — 26th best in the 28-team league — and missed an extra point last week in the 44-3 playoff win over the Giants. Fortunately, it didn't matter.

Yet the Niners chose Cofer over Murray last season after Murray was released by the Lions — largely because Cofer had just kicked a game-winning field goal in an exhibition.



Pampa boys' soccer team improved to 2-0 after beating out Borger, 1-0, last night. The game's lone goal was scored in the second half by Harvester Scott Johnson, with Greg McDaniel on the assist. (Pampa News photo by Susasn Ad eletti)

## PHS boys post second shutout

Pampa boys' soccer registered its second win and its second shutout last night, with a chilly 1-0 home win over Borger. Scott Johnson netted the goal, and Greg McDaniel assisted in the 45th minute.

"Despite the cold, I thought Borger gave us a very competitive game," Pampa coach Daniel Barker said. "I think we have continued to improve each week."

The Harvesters will travel to Amarillo today and tomorrow for the

second annual Amarillo Invitational. Scheduled for today are games against Caprock and Canyon.

"I think we'll have a fair chance," Barker said. "The competition this year is very, very developed."

Barker noted that so far the Harvesters have experienced a "flawless season," meaning that no penalties have been called on them.

"That's something that we've worked on, is our discipline," he said.



# Scoreboard

## BOWLING

**HARVESTER LANES-LEAGUE RESULTS**  
**LONG STAR LEAGUE**

Team	Won	Lost
Mary's Ceramics	47	21
Harvester Cafe	40	28
Jo Anne Beauty Supplies	39	29
Hamburger Station	39	29
Coney Island	36	32
Chas' Pro Shop	35	33
Cabot Oil & Gas	35	33
Domus Tire	35	33
Albertson's	32	35
Hall's Sound Center	31	37
Hiway Package Store	31	37
Cabot	30	37
Richardson's Texaco	29	38
John Anthony Coors	29	39
Citizens Bank & Trust	28	39
Peggy's Place	24	44

Week's High Scores  
High game: Toni Whitney, 225; High series: Carrie Dunny, 591; High handicap series: Geneva Schiffman, 716; High handicap game: Marian Allen, 263.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT MIXED LEAGUE**

Team	Won	Lost
Warner Horton Supply	48	20
Respon	41	27
Derrick Club	39	12
Don's Pro Shop	39	22
Harvester Lanes	35	33
Cox Enterprise	34 1/2	33 1/2
Graham Furniture	34	34
Showcase KTO	33	35
Carte's Automotive	33	35
Mc-A-Doodles	32	36
Panhandle Equipment	24	44
Harbison-Fischer	15	53

Men: High series — Warren Dahn, 688; High game: Duane Mansel, 279; Women: High series — Donna Robertson, 565; High game: Sue Baehler, 224.

**HARVESTER WOMEN'S LEAGUE**

Team	Won	Lost
Gas & Go	43	29
H & H Sporting	43	29
Locke Cattle Co.	42	30
Play More Music	32	40
Keyes Pharmacy	29 1/2	42 1/2
Graham Furniture	26 1/5	45 1/2

High game: Lois Rogers, 202; High series: Lois Rogers, 541; High handicap game: Lois Rogers, 237; High handicap series: Lois Rogers, 646.

## BASKETBALL

NBA STANDINGS  
By The Associated Press

**EASTERN CONFERENCE**

**Atlantic Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	21	16	.568	—
Orlando	16	19	.457	10
Miami	16	20	.444	10 1/2
New Jersey	16	23	.410	12
Boston	15	22	.405	12
Philadelphia	12	24	.333	14 1/2

**Central Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlanta	25	9	.735	—
Chicago	25	11	.694	1
Charlotte	21	16	.568	5 1/2
Cleveland	17	19	.472	9
Indiana	16	18	.471	9
Milwaukee	10	26	.278	16
Detroit	8	27	.229	17 1/2

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**Midwest Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	28	9	.757	—
Utah	25	13	.658	3 1/2
San Antonio	26	14	.650	3 1/2
Denver	17	21	.447	11 1/2
Minnesota	13	24	.351	15
Dallas	2	34	.056	25 1/2

**Pacific Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Seattle	29	5	.853	—
Phoenix	26	9	.743	3 1/2
Golden State	21	14	.600	8 1/2
Portland	22	15	.595	8 1/2
LA Clippers	13	23	.361	17
Sacramento	12	24	.333	18
LA Lakers	11	25	.306	19

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# Young players advance to fourth round of Australian Open

By ROB GLOSTER  
AP Sports Writer

MELBOURNE, Australia (AP) — Chanda Rubin and Lindsay Davenport, whose young careers have been overshadowed by Jennifer Capriati, won in straight sets Friday to reach the fourth round of the Australian Open.

Rubin, whose only other appearance in the fourth round of a Grand Slam tournament was at the 1992 U.S. Open, ignored swirling winds to defeat Kristine Radford 6-3, 7-6 (7-1) in a match interrupted twice by rain.

Davenport, seeded 16th, won 6-1, 6-2 over Elena Makarova. Her only other fourth-round appearance in a Grand Slam was at last year's U.S. Open.

With Capriati taking a sabbatical from tennis to fight burnout and finish high school, the Australian Open could give Rubin and Davenport a chance to step from her shadow. All three Americans are 17 years old, but their careers have followed vastly different paths.

While Capriati has been a media and fan darling since turning pro at

age 13, Rubin and Davenport have quietly developed their tennis while finishing high school. Rubin of Lafayette, La., graduated from high school last summer. Davenport of Murrieta, Calif., will finish in June.

"I guess it's nice to get attention, but I don't really care about getting all the focus," Rubin said. "I just like to do my own thing."

Rubin's next opponent will be third-seeded Conchita Martinez of Spain, a 6-3, 6-0 winner Friday over American Amy Frazier. Davenport will play No. 6 Mary Joe Fernandez, who won 6-4, 6-1 over Caroline Kuhlman.

Also winning were top-seeded Steffi Graf, who defeated German compatriot Barbara Rittner 6-2, 6-4, and No. 14 Magdalena Maleeva. But No. 13 Helena Sukova, a finalist at the U.S. Open last year, lost 6-4, 6-3 to Sandrine Testud.

Ivan Lendl, seeded 15th, defeated Paul Haarhuis in four sets and No. 10 Magnus Gustafsson dropped just six games while winning his third-round match Friday, but No. 11 Marc Rosset was upset 3-6, 6-2, 6-2, 6-1 by Grant Stafford.

MaliVai Washington, who upset

No. 2 Michael Stich in the first round, needed five sets to complete a second-round victory over Andrei Cherkasov that was halted Thursday evening by rain and darkness.

"I guess it's nice to get attention, but I don't really care about getting all the focus. I just like to do my own thing."

— Chanda Rubin

On Thursday, Gabriela Sabatini wasted five match points but managed to avoid another Grand Slam collapse. She had blown a huge lead at the French Open and failed to wrap up a Wimbledon final, but this time she survived.

Sabatini, who led 5-1 in the final set before losing four straight games, struggled to a 6-1, 3-6, 7-5 victory over Natalia Medvedeva in the second round.

"I had some difficult moments," the fourth-seeded Argentine said. "It felt like I couldn't finish the match. For a moment at 5-all, I was thinking I could lose this match. I

had match point and I couldn't win, and finally I did it. I felt like I broke that wall."

Sabatini twice served for the match against Graf in the 1991 Wimbledon final, but failed both times and lost 6-4, 3-6, 8-6. In the quarterfinals of the 1993 French Open, she led Fernandez 6-1, 5-1 and had five match points — but eventually lost.

"I thought about that," Sabatini said. "I've been in this situation before and I was going to do everything, anything I could, to make sure it would not happen again."

Medvedeva was wild in the first set, when she made many of her 51 unforced errors, and had trouble with her serve throughout the match. The Ukrainian, her eyes red and puffy, took no consolation from the match.

"Coming close is no good anymore," she said, a baseball cap pulled partly over her eyes. "I know I can beat players like her."

No. 2 Arantxa Sanchez Vicario needed eight match points Thursday to finish off Taiwan's Shi-ting Wang 6-2, 6-4. Wang slammed

shots all over the court, but Sanchez Vicario used her speed to run them all down. Wang often stared in amazement as the Spaniard knocked back what appeared to be sure winners.

"She was so fast," Wang said. "And she's smart. She knows how to play you, and how to beat you."

Sanchez often lunges into the corners of the court to return shots — frequently hitting high defensive lobbs to give herself time to get back into position.

Like a center fielder, she roams the court from side to side to run down shots. And even when she's at a disadvantage, she manages to get her racket on the ball.

In the second set, Wang slammed a ball down the middle of the court. As Sanchez Vicario sped from left to right, she shifted her racket from right hand to left, reached behind her and lofted a lob.

"I thought I could not get it with the left hand and so I just hit it with the left," she said. "Even with the left, I won the point."

The Australian Open, played on Rebound Ace hard courts, is sponsored by Ford.

# Bandits capture soccer title



The Pampa Bandits captured first place in the Under 12 A Division of the Amarillo Indoor Soccer League this season. Team members are (kneeling, l-r) Tanner Hucks, Rodney Mendoza, Bryce Jordan, Jeffrey Rowe and Michael Cornelison; (back row, l-r) coach George Mendoza, Eric Lemons, Greg Lindsey, Jeffrey Warren, Jesse Francis, Caleb Snelgrooves, Trully Deeds and coach Rick Lemons. On the front row is mascot Aaron Willaims. Four Pampa teams and six Amarillo teams competed in the league. The Bandits, who also won the Lubbock Happy Holiday Tournament, compiled a 9-0 record. (Courtesy photo)

# Rockets lose to Nuggets

By JOHN MOSSMAN  
AP Sports Writer

DENVER (AP) — Reggie Williams and Brian Williams hit baskets in the final minute of the second overtime Thursday night, lifting Denver past the Houston Rockets 111-106 as the Nuggets snapped a four-game losing streak.

Houston, suffering its fourth loss in a row, rebounded from an 18-point first-quarter deficit to draw into a 92-92 tie at the end of regulation.

The Rockets ran off seven straight points early in the first overtime, but Denver countered with a 7-0 run of its own. A tip-in by Dikembe Mutombo with 11.6 seconds left made it 103-103, forcing a second extra session.

After an exchange of turnovers and missed shots early in the second overtime, Mutombo hit a hook shot, and Reggie Williams followed with a layup on a pass from Brian Williams for a 107-103 advantage with 56 seconds left.

After Mario Elie's 3-pointer made it 107-106, Brian Williams put back a missed shot for a Reggie Williams missed a pair of free throws with 15 seconds left, but the Rockets' Scott Brooks lost an inbound pass, and Bryant Stith sank two clinching free throws.

Reggie Williams finished with 25 points, while Mutombo had 19 points and 14 rebounds. Otis Thorpe led Houston with 24 points and 20 rebounds. Hakeem Olajuwon had 22 points and Vernon Maxwell 21. Elie had 19 points, 15 of them in the fourth quarter and two overtimes.

The Rockets hit just 1-of-7 field goals in the final overtime, finishing the way they started. They shot 36 percent in the first quarter, compared to Denver's 65 percent, and saw the Nuggets have runs of 7-0 and 11-0 to open up a 29-11 lead.

Houston cut the deficit to 48-39 at the half, even though Olajuwon, who came into the game averaging 27 points per game, was 2-for-12 at the half and had just four points.

Houston outscored the Nuggets 16-6 early in the third quarter to take its first lead of the game.

55-54, five minutes into the quarter. Mahmoud Abdul-Rauf's jumper put Denver ahead 89-87 with 37 seconds left. Elie then hit a free throw and missed the second, but Olajuwon tipped in the miss for a 90-89 lead with 28 seconds left.

Reggie Williams sank a baseline jumper and Robert Pack hit a free throw to put Denver ahead 92-90, but Brooks sank two free throws with seven seconds to go.

Olajuwon fouled out late in the first overtime, and the Nuggets lost LaPhonso Ellis to fouls in the fourth period. Houston has gone 6-8 in its last 14 games after opening the season at 22-1.

The loss deprived coach Rudy Tomjanovich of his 100th career victory.

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# Reserves lift Timberwolves past Spurs, 93-83

By MIKE NADEL  
AP Sports Writer

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — The San Antonio Spurs didn't take the Minnesota Timberwolves seriously. Who could have blamed them?

Chris Smith was running Minnesota's offense. Mike Brown was guarding David Robinson. Tellis Frank was battling Dennis Rodman on the boards. And the Spurs had a 20-2 record in the series since Minnesota entered the NBA in 1989-90.

"We didn't have any respect for that team," San Antonio coach John Lucas said after his starters were outplayed by Minnesota's reserves and lost 93-83 Thursday night.

"We thought at any time we'd be

able to turn it up and win," he said. "In this league, you have to play every night. We let the game get away, and you have to have more character than that."

Said Robinson: "I thought we were past losing games like this. We had been playing well together. This puts us back a step. We need to regroup."

Robinson returned after missing two games with soreness in his right knee and scored 25 points. But he was only 9-for-24 as San Antonio shot just 41 percent to Minnesota's 50 percent.

The Timberwolves did most of their damage with starters Micheal Williams, Christian Laettner and Luc Longley on the bench and sixth man Chuck Person in the hospital.

"You can't say enough about our bench," said Williams, who had 12 points and 14 assists before spraining his ankle with 3:43 left in the third quarter. "The way Tellis played

defense, Mike got offensive rebounds and Smitty went to the basket, we didn't miss a beat."

Smith replaced Williams and had 10 points, all in the fourth quarter, and four assists.

Person checked into a hospital earlier Thursday with a foot infection; his status for Saturday's game against Atlanta was unknown. Thurl Bailey assumed Person's role and scored the first six points of a 14-3 second-half run that broke open a one-point game.

Longley and Laettner each picked up a fourth foul in the third quarter

and didn't return. Brown replaced Longley and had six points and six rebounds. Frank grabbed 10 rebounds in Laettner's place.

"I had plans to get the starters back in with about 7 or 8 minutes to go," Timberwolves coach Sidney Lowe said. "But we had a lead and the unit that was in there was doing pretty good, so I didn't want to outcoach myself."

"I mean, those guys were doing it, so why make a change? All I needed to do there was make a change when those guys were going good and we'd turn around and lose and I'd be asking myself, 'Why did I take those first six points of a 14-3 second-half run that broke open a one-point game?'" So I decided to ride them until they got tired or San Antonio made a run at us, and they never did."

# Madden signs television pact with Fox network

NEW YORK (AP) — NFL television analyst John Madden has signed a \$30 million, four-year contract and will join the Fox network next season, according to USA Today.

The newspaper said in today's editions that Pat Summerall also has agreed to join Fox when it begins its first NFL telecasts.

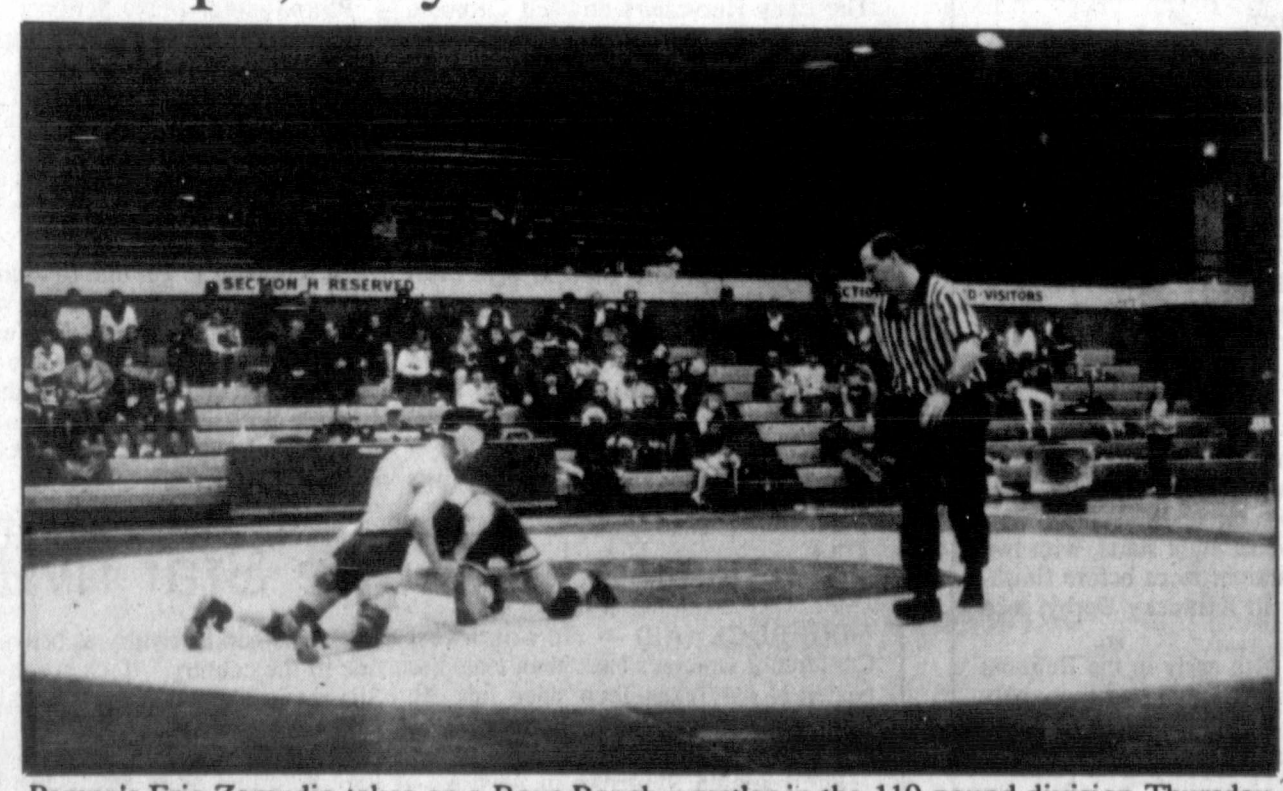
Summerall and Madden, who have been partners for 13 years, will broadcast their final NFL game for CBS Sunday in Dallas.

According to USA Today, the two announcers agreed Thursday to accept the offers from the Fox network.

By signing with Fox, Summerall would have to give up his golf and tennis duties at CBS.

The newspaper said figures for Summerall's contract were not available.

# Pampa, Boys Ranch take to the mat



Pampa's Eric Zamudio takes on a Boys Ranch wrestler in the 119-pound division Thursday night at McNeely Fieldhouse. Zamudio won a 7-6 decision. Team results were not available. (Pampa News photo by Julian Chen)



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**HEALTHSTAR Medical, Oxygen, Beds, Wheelchairs, rental and Sales.** Medicare provider 24 hour service. Free delivery. 1541 N. Hobart, 669-0000.

### 69 Miscellaneous

**RENT IT**  
When you have tried everywhere and can't find it, come see me, I probably got it! H. C. Eubanks Tool Rental, 1320 S. Barnes, phone 665-3213.

**CHIMNEY Fire can be prevented.** Queen Sweep Chimney Cleaning. 665-4686 or 665-5364.

**ADVERTISING Material to be placed in the Pampa News MUST be placed through the Pampa News Office Only.**

**OVER weight? Lose-pounds-inches-now!** Body toning cream. Carolyn Stroud 669-6979.

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**286 IBM computer with 20 meg hard drive and paper white monitor.** 665-2294.

**ALMOND Gas stove \$200, Queen size waterbed with headboard \$175.** After 5 665-3262.

**DISHWASHER \$120, microwave \$65, guitar \$175.** 669-2225 after 5.

**CONSOLE old 78 record player/radio, \$50. Floral sleeper sofa, good condition, full size, \$125.** 1-779-2115.

**CROSS bed tool box, \$50. Chrome bumper fits 38 inch frame \$50. 1987 Dodge longwide bed, like new \$300.** 665-1100.

**PANASONIC 24 pin color printer,** \$200. 665-1264 after 5.

**69a Garage Sales**  
J&J Flea Market. Sale. Open 9-5 Friday and Saturday. 409 W. Brown.

**GARAGE Sale: Friday and Saturday 9 to 5, 712 W. Foster.** Inside nice and warm. Bicycles, tapes, books, clothes, exercise equipment and so forth.

**MOVING Sale:** Furniture, clothes, toys, lots of miscellaneous. Friday and Saturday 9 to 4, 2570 Beech. No checks please.

**PAM Apartments Gigantic Garage Sale,** 1200 N. Wells, Friday, Saturday, 8-6.

**WOMEN of the Moose Garage Sale and Bake Sale,** 401 E. Brown. Public invited. Proceeds from Garage Sale goes to Pampa Meals on Wheels. 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday.

### 70 Musical Instruments

**PIANOS FOR RENT**  
New and used pianos. Starting at \$40 per month. Up to 6 months of rent will apply to purchase. It's all right here in Pampa at Tarpley Music. 665-1251.

### 75 Feeds and Seeds

**Wheeler Evans Feed**  
Full line of Acco feeds  
We appreciate your business  
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**GOOD cattle hay-shedded.** Call 669-8040, after 5 p.m. 665-8525.

### 77 Livestock & Equip.

**CROSSBRED Commercial bull.** 18 months old. 669-6022 evenings.

### 80 Pets And Supplies

**GROOMING, exotic birds, pets, full line pet supplies.** Iams and Science Diet dog and cat food. Lots Unique, 407 W. Foster. 665-5102.

**CANINE and Feline grooming.** Also, boarding and Science diets. Roysie Animal Hospital, 665-2223.

### 80 Pets and Supplies

**Grooming and Boarding**  
Jo Ann's Pet Salon  
1033 Terry Rd., 669-1410

**Lee Ann's Grooming**  
All Breeds-Reasonable rates  
669-9660

**FOR sale, male AKC registered German Shepherd puppy,** 4 months. Leave message 665-3427.

### 89 Wanted To Buy

**WILL buy good used furniture and appliances.** 669-9654 after 5 p.m.

**SPURS, pocket watches, old toys, marbles, old jewelry, pocket knives, miscellaneous.** 669-2605.

**INTERESTED in buying a travel trailer 24 to 25 foot.** 665-2790 leave message.

### 95 Furnished Apartments

**ROOMS for rent.** Showers, clean, quiet, \$35, a week. Davis Hotel. 116 1/2 W. Foster. 669-9115, or 669-9137.

**DOGWOOD Apartments, 1 or 2 bedrooms, furnished or unfurnished.** 669-9817, 669-9952.

**1 bedroom, bills paid, \$55 a week.** 669-1459, 669-3743.

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**BEAUTIFULLY furnished one bedroom apartments and townhouses.** All bills paid. \$395 per month. Caprock Apartments, 1601 W. Somerville, 665-7149. Open 7 days.

**LARGE 1 bedroom duplex, like new in inside, 431 Wynne,** \$200. 665-6604.

**1 bedroom furnished apartment, 911 1/2 N. Somerville.** 669-7885.

**CLEAN 1 bedroom furnished apartment.** Inquire 712 W. Francis.

### 96 Unfurnished Apts.

**1 or 2 bedroom furnished or unfurnished, covered parking.** Gwendolyn Plaza Apartments, 800 N. Nelson, 665-1875.

**1 bedroom, covered parking, appliances.** 1-883-2461, 663-7522, 669-8870.

**CAPROCK Apartments-1,2,3 bedrooms.** Swimming pool, huge closets, appliances, beautiful lawns. Rent starting at \$275. Open 7 days. 1601 W. Somerville, 665-7149.

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### 97 Furnished Houses

**1 bedroom, \$225 month, \$100 deposit.** Bills paid. 669-9475.

**2 bedroom house**  
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**LARGE 2 bedroom and FHA mobile home spaces in White Deer.** 883-2015, 665-1193.

**NICE clean 1 bedroom house, \$175 plus deposit.** 665-1193.

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**SMALL 1 bedroom, 221 Lefors,** \$100. 665-6604.

### 98 Unfurnished Houses

**1,2, and 3 bedroom houses for rent.** 665-2383.

**2 bedroom mobile home on private lot.** HUD approved. \$275. 665-4842.

**2 bedroom, fenced yard, plumbed for washer-dryer, 1125 Garland.** 669-2346.

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\$275 month  
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**HUD Approved, 2 bedroom.** Hamilton St. \$325 month, \$150 deposit. Inquire at 524 N. Faulkner.

**NICE house, 2118 Williston,** \$325 month, \$150 deposit. HUD. Inquire 524 N. Faulkner.

### 99 Storage Buildings

**TUMBLEWEED ACRES SELF STORAGE UNITS**  
Various sizes  
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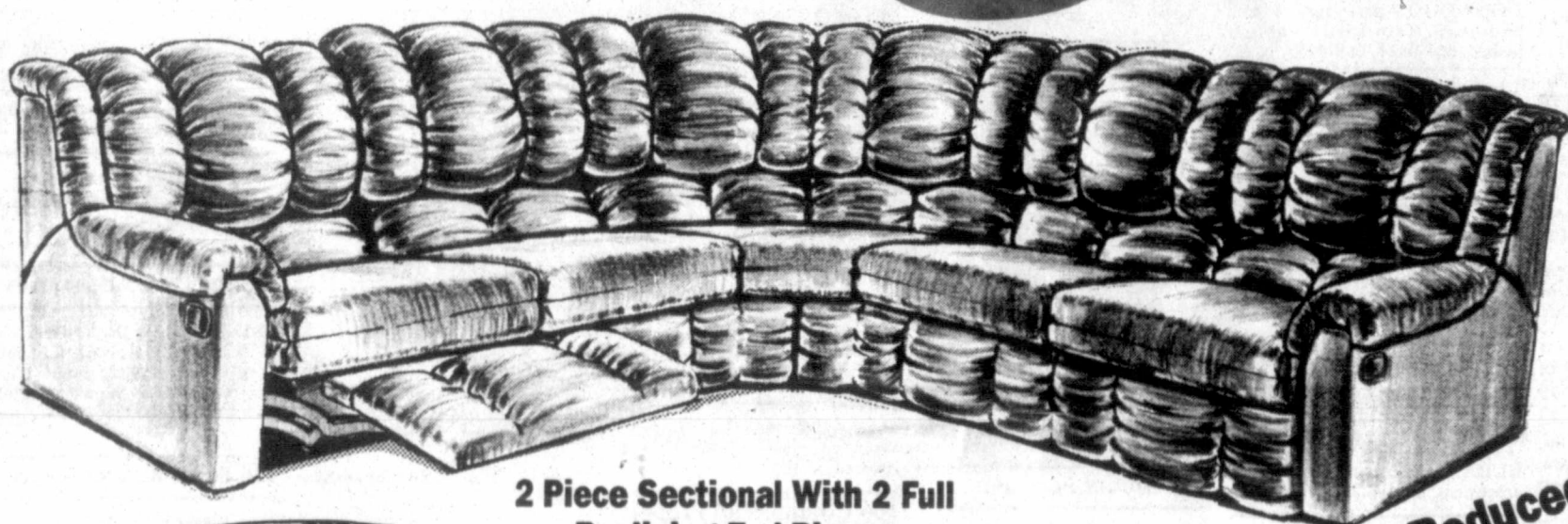


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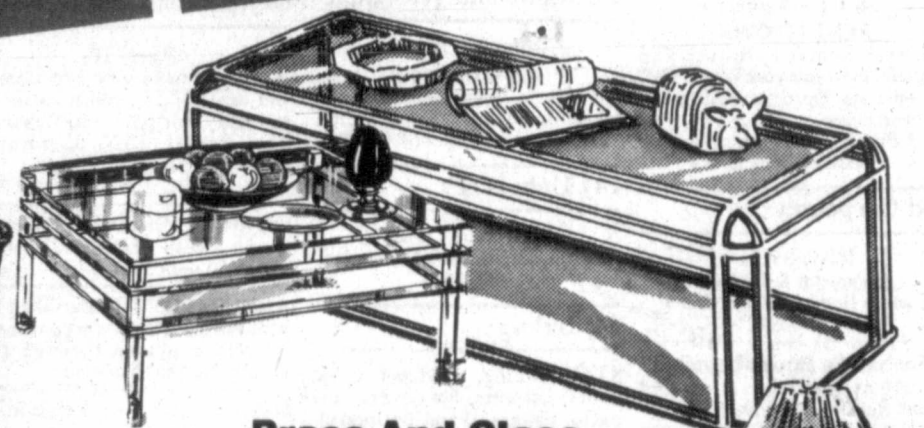
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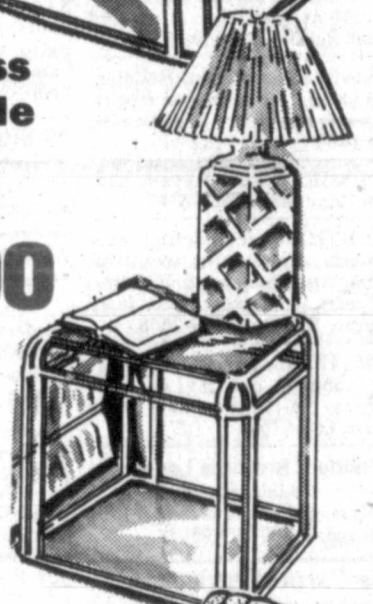


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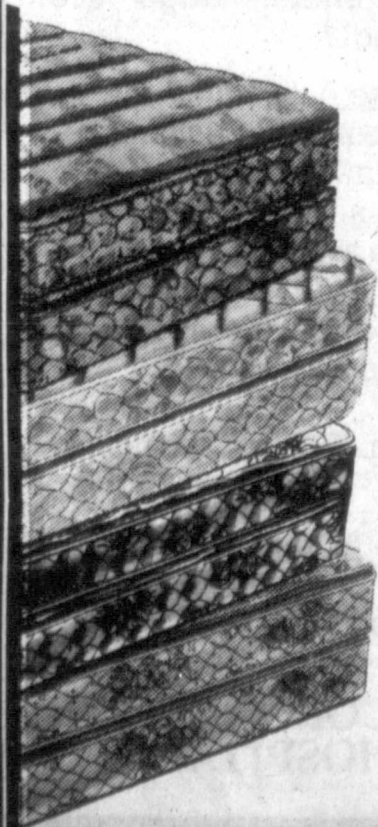


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