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**PAMPA** — Two recent burglary cases have apparently been cleared with the arrest of a Pampa man who exchanged burgled items for crack cocaine, according to officials with the Gray County Sheriff's Office.

David Charles Shilinsky, 26, was arrested at the Gray County Sheriff's office about 12:30 p.m. Monday and charged with burglarizing Dyer's Bar-B-Que on May 5 and Hamburger Station on Saturday. Both are located on US 60 West.

It is believed that Shilinsky took several rolls of rib eye steaks valued at over \$350 from Dyer's and about 70 pounds of hamburger patties valued at \$139 from Hamburger Station.

Det. Jess Wallace and deputies Charlie Morris and Monty Roberts were tipped off by an informant who claimed to have seen Shilinsky trading the meat for drugs.

Shilinsky was reportedly living out of his car at the time of the arrest, officers said. His bond has been set at \$5,000 on each charge. Burglary of a building is a second degree felony.

**PAMPA** — For those interested in filing as an independent candidate for the post of Gray County tax assessor/collector, the deadline is May 21, said Gray County Clerk Wanda Carter.

Candidates must file within one month after the date the vacancy was created, in this case, on April 21, the date of Margie Gray's death, Carter explained.

Applications and petition forms are available in Carter's office. Filing is done with Gray County Judge Carl Kennedy, she said.

One hundred sixty-four signatures of registered Gray County voters are required for ballot access.

**PAMPA** — The monthly meeting of the Pampa/Gray County Local Emergency Planning Committee will be held beginning at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Heritage Room of the M.K. Brown Memorial Auditorium and Civic Center.

Items scheduled to be discussed include a policy change, Tier II reporting, the emergency generator project, filling vacancies on an advisory committee, an upcoming exercise, the mobile command post and a briefing on aerospace fuels management exercise.

The LEPC is an organization consisting of city and county officials, local business and industry representatives and emergency personnel.

By The Associated Press

Three tornadoes were sighted during the night as strong thunderstorms roared across northern portions of the Panhandle.

A brief tornado touchdown was reported near U.S. 87 about 15 miles northwest of Dalhart, another was reported just east of Perico in Dallam County and the third was near Coldwater.

Large hail pelted a vast area of Dallam County and was reported to be piled up as deep as 4-5 inches in some yards in the county. There were no reports of injuries, though apparently some vehicles were stuck in the streets because of the depth of the hail, some reportedly baseball size.

Flood warnings were issued for the northeastern sections of the Panhandle as rainfall totaled 10 inches in some places from the heavy storms.

Showers and thunderstorms were reported over the Panhandle and in portions of the Permian Basin before dawn today. The rest of West Texas had clear to partly cloudy skies.

**AUSTIN (AP)** — The officer who has headed up a special task force formed after four teenage girls were slain at an Austin yogurt shop will soon be transferred to another assignment, a police official says.

Austin police Deputy Chief Bruce Mills said Monday that Sgt. John Jones' upcoming transfer won't affect the case.

Pam Ayers, the mother of victim Amy Ayers, was not pleased about the transfer. "We want him to stay," said Mrs. Ayers. "We're worried about continuity. This is a complex case. It just can't be handed off."

Jones has led the task force since January 1992 — a month after 13-year-old Amy Ayers, Eliza Thomas, 17, Jennifer Harbison, 17, and Sarah Harbison, 15, were found dead in the I Can't Believe It's Yogurt shop. Each of the girls had been shot in the head and severely burned.

**FORT WORTH (AP)** — Seven people have filed a lawsuit against the popular nightclub Billy Bob's Texas, claiming all of them were assaulted by club security and that one man was handcuffed and beaten so badly that he needed emergency surgery. The lawsuit, filed by four men and three women Monday, came as a surprise to Pam Minick, spokeswoman for the Fort Worth establishment. "There's two sides to every story," she told the *Fort Worth Star-Telegram*.

## Palestinian police cross into Gaza Strip

By NEIL MacFARQUHAR  
Associated Press Writer

**RAFAH, Gaza Strip (AP)** — About 150 Palestinian police entered the Israeli border checkpoint for the Gaza Strip today, bringing cheers as word spread that the first police had arrived from Egypt to begin the transition to Palestinian self-rule.

Reporters watched the officers, wearing green uniforms and berets, file from their buses and head for passport control. Israeli officials said it would take more than an hour to process the men.

Despite efforts by Israel border police to limit the number of people greeting the officers, a crowd swelled into the thousands after the news spread that Palestinian police were at the border station.

When they passed through the Egyptian checkpoint on the other side of the border, the officers flashed "V" for victory signs and danced the dabka, a traditional Arab dance. "We are coming to you, Palestine," some chanted. Others sang, "Goodbye to the diaspora."

Before the convoy of buses and U.S.-donated military vehicles entered the

Israeli border station, the Palestinian police commander, Maj. Gen. Nasr Yousef, was greeted by Brig. Gen. Yom Tov Samia, the Israeli officer in charge of getting the police into place.

"This is a historic day for the Palestinian people because this will be the first day on the road to the independence of the Palestinian people," Yousef said. "We hope to have good relations with all our neighbors."

Yousef was accompanied by Marwan Kanafani, a spokesman for Palestine Liberation Organization chief Yasser Arafat.

Samia said he hoped the two sides could smoothly implement the agreement on self-rule signed in Cairo, Egypt, last week by Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin and Arafat. It calls for 9,000 Palestinian police to handle security in the Gaza Strip and West Bank town of Jericho.

On the Gaza side of the border, Palestinians ran back from the crossing shouting, "They're here, they're here!"

Some Palestinians managed to sneak close to the crossing point, but the main body of wellcomers was kept behind police lines about a mile from the border.

Israeli troops fired a water cannon, stun grenades and rubber bullets when the Palestinians tried to push toward the border. The Palestinians responded with rocks and bottles. Several injuries were reported among the crowd.

Fatmeh Abu Mohammed, 50, wearing a traditional, embroidered Palestinian dress, said she had come despite illness.

"I was in the hospital, but when they told me the Palestinian police would come, I became like iron," she said. "All the disease left me."

An Israeli soldier in a red beret tried to push the woman back, but she resisted. "What authority do you have?" she said. "You can go now. We don't need you. If you want to hit me now, go ahead."

Police were trying to keep things calm because of the rioting that erupted Monday when about 10,000 people showed up in a vain wait for the police to arrive.

A halting start also was under way toward self-rule in Jericho. Israeli and PLO officials met to begin the process of transferring power, but Israeli army officials said it would take several days to complete.

"There is no handover today, only an overlapping. We're going to show (the Palestinians) around," Maj. Elise Shazar, a spokeswoman for the Israeli military government, said in Jericho.

Brig. Gen. Gadi Zohar, head of the military government that will be yielding control in Jericho, said no Palestinian police would arrive in the town from Jordan until at least Wednesday.

Confusion has marked the process of getting the police into Gaza.

On Monday night, after the police did not show up, Samia and a Palestinian police official, Maj. Gen. Ziad al-Atrash, announced the first group would arrive within hours. But none came.

During the long day of waiting Monday, the Palestinians' mood was at first joyful, but then stone throwing started.

Israeli police used jeeps, a water cannon and rubber bullets to try to control the crowd. At least 23 people were wounded when police opened fire on stone throwers in Rafah, Deir al-Balah and another refugee camp, Nusseirat, all on the road that leads from the border crossing to Gaza City.

## New Salvation Army leaders



Lt. Tony Housley and his wife Lt. Robbye Housley, commanding officers of the Salvation Army unit, Pampa, recently took command of the unit. National Salvation Army week is being observed May 9 through May 15. On Thursday, a reception and open house is being held from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Salvation Army building, 701 S. Cuyler, to inform the public about the Salvation Army and to introduce the new commanders. (Pampa News photo by Melinda Martinez)

## Schoolchildren, scientists watch solar eclipse event

By EDUARDO MONTES  
Associated Press Writer

**EL PASO (AP)** — Excited schoolchildren spilled out of their classrooms this morning to join world-renowned astronomers in viewing a rare annular eclipse.

About 150 children from Dr. J. Leighton Green Elementary School set up on a field to conduct experiments using brightly decorated pinhole projectors to watch the eclipse. Just a few yards away, scientists using sophisticated telescopes were doing much the same.

The solar eclipse in Pampa and much of the Texas Panhandle came and went with a whimper today. Cloud coverage obscured the sun most of the time for the eclipse period, and the event occurred without most residents being aware of its effects.

The schoolchildren began to crowd around experiments excitedly as the eclipse reached its peak.

They cheered and gasped in amazement as the moon slipped completely in front of the sun.

The eclipse at its peak lit a sky that appeared slightly overcast from the its effect. It appeared to be early dusk outside.

The temperature dropped several degrees during the height of the eclipse. It was noticeably cooler, but some of the effect might have been psychological.

"It looks cool," said Ann Marie Herrera, 11, a fifth-grader at the school.

Nearby, 11-year-old Nathan Ayres was taking

detailed notes on the phases of the eclipse and the accompanying weather changes.

"It's pretty neat," said Nathan, who was watching the eclipse through a blue pinhole projector with the words "The Power, The Glory, The Earth," written on the side. Nathan said he's seen an eclipse before on television but that watching it live is better. "It's really different," Nathan said.

Astronomers, international reporters and amateur eclipse chasers set up shop under El Paso's clear blue skies this morning as they became the first people in the United States to get a glimpse of the annular eclipse.

El Paso was expected to be the nation's prime viewing location because of the region's normally clear skies.

"It was an exciting experience. It's a privilege for Dr. Green (elementary school) to have such a major part in this eclipse," said 10-year-old Brian Edgar, a fourth-grader. He was wearing a black "Eclipse Central" t-shirt that was sold at the school. Other children were wearing the special shirts.

"We loved it and we're glad to have had all the attention here," Brian said.

"I thought it was a very good experience," said David Ramos, 10, a fourth-grader.

John Peterson, director of the El Paso Planetarium, said the eclipse was "absolutely exciting. There is definitely something magic about an annular eclipse. That ring of fire up there is spectacular."

University professors were conducting experiments along with high school students, who were taking temperature readings and measuring the sun's energy output.

## Federal privacy law makes inmate drug abuse hard to fight

**DALLAS (AP)** — A new federal privacy law has made drug abuse among prison inmates harder to track and fight, state prison officials and victims' rights advocates say.

Texas began an aggressive drug-addict treatment program this year with a goal of taking 12,000 criminal addicts off the streets and sobering them up.

But the program has been stymied by the 1987 privacy law, officials said.

"It's already a major headache," said Sonja Paige, substance abuse coordinator with the prison system.

The law was intended to protect drug-treatment clients from disclosures about their condition that might hurt their jobs or insurability.

However, prison officials said the law should not apply to prison inmates.

They said the law prevents crime victims from learning if their violator is in prison, family

from getting an inmate son's address, parole officials from discussing treatment without an inmate's permission, and police from learning the treatment status of those they have arrested.

"It seems to be coming up every day," Ms. Paige said. "We're getting calls from the press, family, legislators, lawyers, everybody."

Prison system lawyers are reviewing the process to determine whether more leeway can be allowed, she said.

"We'd created a seamless order of treatment for two years, but now when a client goes from one phase of treatment to another, we have to get his permission," said Ted Sellers, associate director of the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse.

Most inmates sent into drug treatment are nonviolent, said Ellen Halbert, a crime victims' rights advocate on the Texas Criminal Justice Board.

## Tennessee man arrested after chase near Groom

By CHERYL BERZANSKIS  
News Editor

A five-minute high speed chase which left a stolen car resting in a plowed field also landed a Tennessee man in jail.

Jonathan Havron, 26, of Tennessee is in Carson County jail today charged with unauthorized use of a motor vehicle and driving while intoxicated following a hot pursuit by Sgt. Ray Davis around the Groom area Monday evening.

Carson County deputies were called to a Groom convenience store about 6:47 p.m. Monday when a clerk reported a customer stealing beer.

About 7 p.m., Davis located a 1990 Honda matching the description given by the clerk and pulled the car over. While he was calling out the car's occupants using a public address system, the driver sped off heading westbound on Interstate 40. The driver made a U-turn, bringing the Honda into

incoming traffic, and then took the car off an exit and onto a dirt road, according to a departmental press release.

Havron lost control of the car, which tore through a fence and came to rest in a plowed field.

Carson County officers and Department of Public Safety troopers discovered the car occupied by Havron, another adult male and two juvenile females.

All were transported to Northwest Texas Hospital by ambulances from Groom and Panhandle. Havron and both juveniles were treated and released.

The other male, whose name was unavailable at press time, was undergoing tests at the time the release was written.

The Honda was reportedly stolen from Chattanooga, Tenn., on Sunday. No police vehicles were damaged in the pursuit and the chase was limited to a minimal area of the interstate, the release said.

## New mayor and councilmen take oath of office in Lefors

**LEFORS** — Lefors' City Council welcomed its new mayor and two city councilmen at its regular monthly meeting Monday night at the city's civic center.

J.W. Franks won Saturday's election for mayor as he garnered 85 votes. He was running unopposed.

Derl Boyd and Jimmy Hannon joined Franks on the city as new city councilmen following Saturday's election. Boyd captured 63 votes while Hannon received 45 votes.

In other business, the council discussed holding a picnic for community clean-up crews scheduled to be held around June 30. Two other matters, a ban on smoking in city buildings and a contract with Southwestern Bell Telephone, were tabled and will be discussed at a later meeting.

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# Daily Record

## Services tomorrow

**FOSHEE, Earnest Lee** — 2 p.m., Church of Christ, McLean.  
**JEFFRIES, Clyde R.** — 2 p.m., Alexander Funeral Home's North Chapel, Evansville, Ind.  
**LISLE, Angel** — Graveside, 5 p.m., Shamrock Cemetery.  
**WEEHUNT, Lera D.** — Graveside, 10:30 a.m., Shamrock Cemetery.

## Obituaries

**CAROLYN JOYCE BOULTON**  
 Carolyn Joyce Boulton, 56, died Thursday, May 5, 1994. Memorial services were to be at noon today in Murray Memorial Gardens at Murray, Ky. Local arrangements are by Carmichael-Whitely Funeral Directors.

Ms. Boulton was born in Ardmore, Okla., and moved to Pampa in 1993 from McAllen. She graduated from Layton High School at Lawton, Okla. She had worked as a secretary and was a Lutheran.

Survivors include a son, Gordon Boulton of Hardin, Ky.; and a grandson.

**CLORIS B. CHILDRESS**  
 CANADIAN — Cloris B. Childress, 84, a former Pampa resident, died Saturday, May 7, 1994. Services were to be at 2:30 p.m. today in the Central Baptist Church with Mark Mize of Amarillo and the Rev. Rick Timmons, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Wheeler Cemetery in Wheeler by Stickley-Hill Funeral Directors.

Mr. Childress was a veteran, serving in the Army during World War II. He moved to Canadian in 1965 from Pampa and was employed by the city of Canadian Street Department for 20 years. He was active in the Pampa Senior Citizens Community.

Survivors include two sons, Clyde Murry of Lefors and Wes Childress of Canadian; four daughters, Ann VanTassel of Beloit, Wis., Claudia Taylor of Duncan, Okla., Carolyn Ehmman of Miami and Susan Welch of Nevada, Texas; a sister, Sammie Caswell of Sayre, Okla.; 23 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

**EARNEST LEE FOSHEE**  
 McLEAN — Earnest Lee Foshee, 65, died Monday, May 9, 1994. Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the McLean Church of Christ with the Rev. Richard Dickerson, pastor of Temple Baptist Church in Amarillo, and Pat Andrews, minister, officiating. Burial will be in Alanreed Cemetery by Lamb-Ferguson Funeral Home.

Mr. Foshee was born in Erick, Okla. He married Maurine Crockett in 1949 at Wheeler. He had operated a Texaco Service Station for many years and was retired from Rock Island Railroad. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Rosa Elaine Wyatt of McLean and Patricia Lynn Stilwell of Perkins, Okla.; a son, Earnest LeWayne Foshee of McLean; two sisters, Pauline Hale of Amarillo and Billie Hutto of Dallas; and eight grandchildren.

**CLYDE R. JEFFRIES**  
 EVANSVILLE, Ind. — Clyde R. Jeffries, 84, the brother-in-law of a Pampa resident, died Monday, May 9, 1994. Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Alexander Funeral Home's North Chapel in Evansville. Burial will be in Sunset Memorial Park in Evansville.

Mr. Jeffries was born in Glenpool, Okla. He was a pioneer in the oil field trucking industry. He started Jeffries Trucking with his brothers in 1939 in Evansville. He was a member of the Evansville Kennel Club and Country Club as well as Lesing Masonic Lodge #464, the Scottish Rite organization and a Shriner with the Hadi Temple. He was married for 65 years.

Survivors include his wife, Jean, of the home; a daughter, Katherine Rhodes of Evansville; a son, Robert C. Jeffries of Newburgh, Ind.; a sister-in-law, Dorothy Jeffries of Pampa; four grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be made to the Hadi Shriners' Crippled Children's Hospital.

**ANGEL LISLE**  
 SHAMROCK — Angel Lisle, infant daughter of Gifford and Debbie Lisle, died Sunday, May 8, 1994. Graveside services will be at 5 p.m. Wednesday in Shamrock Cemetery with the Rev. Joe G. Jernigan, pastor of Calvary Christian Fellowship church, officiating. Arrangements are by Wright Funeral Directors.

Survivors include her parents; three brothers, Allen Lisle, Andy Lisle and Lee Lisle, all of the home; her grandparents, Jack and Alpha Lisle and Barbara Campbell, all of Shamrock, and Alva Clark of Amarillo.

The family requests memorials be to a favorite church.

**LERA D. WEEHUNT**  
 SHAMROCK — Lera D. Weehunt, 91, a resident of Shamrock, died Sunday, May 8, 1994. Graveside services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday in Shamrock Cemetery with the Rev. Ken Cole, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, officiating. Arrangements are by Wright Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Weehunt was born and raised in Shamrock. She moved to Amarillo and then returned to Shamrock in 1971 after retiring. She married James Robert Weehunt in 1944 at Amarillo. He died in 1981. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and worked with the Ladies Auxiliary at Shamrock General Hospital.

She was preceded in death by her daughter, Billie Alexander, in 1981.

Survivors include two granddaughters, Pam Adams of Albuquerque, N.M., and Kim Watkins of Rio Rancho, N.M.; and one great-grandson.

## 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.

**MONDAY, May 9**  
 Domestic assault with bodily injury was reported in the 700 block of Davis.

Roy Feazel, 1106 Alcock, reported theft under \$20. Ailsup's, 1900 N. Hobart, reported theft under \$20. Jerry Kleinhoffer, 412 N. Somerville #5, reported criminal mischief.

A wanted by outside agency report was issued by Gray County Sheriff's Office at Gillespie and Kingsmill.

**TUESDAY, May 10**  
 Minute Mart, 1106 Alcock, reported burglary.

**Arrest**  
**MONDAY, May 9**

Lance Allen Herr, 32, US 60, was arrested at Gillespie and Kingsmill on traffic offenses and a wanted by outside agency report.

## Sheriff's Office

The Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following incident and arrests in the 24-hour reporting hour which ended at 7 a.m. today.

**MONDAY, May 9**  
 Theft was reported at Bowers Ranch.

**Arrests**  
**MONDAY, May 9**

David Charles Shilinsky, 26, was arrested on two charges of burglary of a building.  
 Eddie Joe Pitt, 724 Davis, was arrested on a warrant alleging assault with bodily injury.

## Accidents

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

**MONDAY, May 9**  
 10:33 p.m. — A 1981 Chevrolet pickup driven by Daniel Soto Mireles, 27, 509 E. Foster #1, was in collision with a 1987 Ford driven by Jose Silva, 16, 910 E. Browning, in the 900 block of East Browning. Mireles was cited for following too closely. Jose Silva was cited for having no driver's license. Natalie Silva was cited for permitting and unlicensed minor to drive.

## Fires

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

**MONDAY, May 9**  
 6:33 p.m. — Two units and three firefighters responded to a car fire at 1040 Neel Rd. The small fire was out by the time firefighters arrived at the scene.

## Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL		SHAMROCK HOSPITAL	
Admissions		Admissions	
Pampa		Shamrock	
Ollie M. Cantrell	Wayne	Mildred Cnski	
Aubrey Kitchens		Debbie Lises	
Andrew Jackson Wells	(extended care)	Lottie Harlow	
Dismissals		Dismissals	
Pampa		Shamrock	
Kimberly Kennedy	and baby boy	W.E. Marchant	
Dixie Charlene Lively		Chleo Davis	
Claudia Pearl Parker		Peoria, Ill.	
Andrew Jackson Wells		Frances Medley	
		Little Rock, Ark.	
		Albert Jackson	

## Calendar of events

**PAMPA TOASTMASTERS**  
 The Pampa Toastmasters Club meets each Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at Hi-Land Church, 18th and Banks. Those interested in improving their public speaking skills are invited to join the club.

**OES GAVEL CLUB**  
 Order of the Eastern Star Gavel Club will meet at 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Pampa Senior Citizens Center for election of officers.

**PHS CLASS OF 1969**  
 Members of the Pampa High School Class of 1969 will meet at 7:30 p.m. today in the Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of Christ Fellowship Hall to make plans for the 25-year reunion. All members of the class are invited to attend.

## Stocks

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

Wheat	3.16		
Milo	4.10		
Com	4.71		

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

Serfo	4 7/8	NC	
Occidental	17 3/8	dn 1/8	

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

Magellan	65.87		
Puritan	15.52		

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

Amoco	56 3/4	dn 1/2	
Amco	103	dn 1/2	
Cable	48 7/8	NC	
Cable O&G	22 3/8	up 1/4	

Chevron	88 3/4	up 1/8
Coca-Cola	39 3/4	up 1/4
Diamond Sham	26 1/4	up 1/8
Enron	29 5/8	dn 1/8
Halliburton	30	up 1/8
HealthTrust Inc.	29 1/2	up 1/8
Ingersoll Rand	34 7/8	up 1/4
KNE	23 1/8	up 1/4
Kerr McGee	44 3/4	up 1/4
Limited	19 1/4	up 3/8
Mapeco	63 7/8	up 3/8
Marvac	4 5/8	dn 1/8
McDonald's	57 3/4	up 3/4
Phillips	32 1/4	dn 1/8
Mobil	78 5/8	dn 1/8
New Atmos	29 3/8	up 1/8
Parker & Parsley	26 7/8	dn 1/8
Pennsylvania	51 7/8	up 1
SLB	32 1/4	dn 1/8
SPS	26 3/8	dn 1/4
Tenneco	45 7/8	up 1/4
Texasco	65 1/2	up 1/4
Wal Mart	24 1/2	NC
New York Gold		380.20
Silver		5.35
West Texas Crude		17.74

## City Council spares ducks, other fowl in Farmers Branch

**FARMERS BRANCH (AP)** — More than 80 ducks and other waterfowl have been spared from death with the City Council's decision to release them from their temporary quarantine pens.

Meanwhile, arguments may continue over how to deal with a contagious virus that has been killing waterfowl in the Dallas suburbs of Farmers Branch, Addison and Carrollton.

The virus has claimed the lives

of about 200 birds in the three cities, prompting some to call for killing the ducks.

"There was really no overriding evidence to justify euthanizing those animals," City Manager Richard Escalante said Monday.

Residents have until Thursday to claim ducks that are pets or that were in neighborhood city ponds, he said. Officials will try to place the rest of the birds near where they were found.

In Carrollton, officials said they will decide the fate of their penned birds after listening to both sides.

Federal and state wildlife specialists visited the sites where the ducks have died of the so-called "duck plague" and said another 70 ducks in quarantine must be euthanized or quarantined for life so as not to infect other birds.

Animal rights advocates, however, called for the ducks' release.

## Clinton predicts compromise health plan

By CHRISTOPHER CONNELL  
 Associated Press Writer

**NEW YORK (AP)** — President Clinton blames erosion of public support for his health plan on attacks by business lobbyists and the relative silence of ordinary Americans suffering under the present system.

"There are literally millions of individuals who live in families with pre-existing conditions, but there's no 'Pre-Existing Conditions Lobby,'" Clinton complained.

"They're basically unorganized, so if the president doesn't fight their battle for them, nobody's going to fight for them," the president said Monday in a 45-minute interview with reporters.

He took pains to underscore his openness to compromise, praised the latest Democratic attempt to help small business and added: "My gut (feeling) is that we will coalesce around an approach that will work and will pass this year."

For now, Clinton said he was content to keep speaking out and traveling the country, talking up health reform and meeting people who have written him and Hillary Rodham Clinton about their personal health insurance woes.

Clinton said he was just trying to "keep the big issues on the griddle

and ... blunt the attacks of the opponents of the bill."

He blamed the National Federation of Independent Business and other critics for what he called the public's misunderstandings about what is in his bill.

"We lost (support) in the way you lose all political campaigns. I don't have the money as president to run the kind of organized paid ad campaigns that have been run against it," he said. "And more money has been spent on the ground against it. ... We lost the battle of rhetoric on the alliances."

Even Clinton's closest Democratic allies in Congress have suggested scrapping his plan to steer most Americans into mandatory insurance purchasing pools, and relying instead on voluntary buyer alliances.

That was one of the features proposed Monday by Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., chairman of the Senate Labor and Human Resources Committee. Kennedy would exempt small businesses with five or fewer workers from having to pay 80 percent of their workers' premiums; instead they would pay a 2 percent payroll tax.

"It's a good place to start," said Clinton. "It still has coverage for everybody and even the smallest firms have to assume some responsibility."

## Meno hears input on education change proposals

By PEGGY FIKAC  
 Associated Press Writer

**AUSTIN (AP)** — Some school changes proposed by state Education Commissioner Lionel "Skip" Meno may diminish the authority local residents have over their schools, says the Texas Association of School Boards.

Billy Walker, executive director of the school board group, said Monday that under initial proposals by Meno, local boards no longer would have a say in the selection of professional staff, hiring and firing of teachers, and suspension or removal of students.

The school superintendent would make the final decision, Walker said. "This leaves the taxpayer paying the tab with no elected official to hold responsible," Walker said.

"We see a disconcerting trend toward moving authority away from duly elected representatives of the people and placing it in the hands of

hired officials," he said. "Authority taken from the local school board is authority taken from the parents and taxpayers of a community."

Meno, who presided over Monday's hearing, said he expects to make final legislative recommendations next month. The Legislature meets in regular session in January.

"When you put a topic on the table — and we've got about 60 or 70 topics on the table here — people are coming back with different ways to approach it," Meno said. "All of us together are much smarter than any of us alone."

Meno also heard from education groups about his proposal for a 5 percent raise in the state's minimum salary scale for teachers. Most teachers already make more than the state minimum.

All 10 levels on the salary schedule would rise under his proposal, with the minimum salary for a starting teacher rising to \$17,850. Two new levels also would be added.

## Pampa Fire Department releases April statistics report

April was a fairly busy month for the Pampa Fire Department as a total of 47 calls, 34 in the city and 13 in Gray County, were responded to by firefighters.

By far the most calls reported to the fire department were for medical assistance calls. Sixteen were received during the month.

The next most frequent number of calls were those classified as grass fires, with eight reported for the month. In April, the Pampa area got 2.79 inches of rainfall, double the average, and mostly late in the month.

Other fire department statistics reveal that Pampa had six structure fires, three car or truck fires and four trash fires.

As for hazardous conditions other than fires, the fire department reported one washdown of a natural gas leak.

April statistics also reveal that there were nine good intent calls, one unclassified call, three controlled burns, four smoke scares and one case with insufficient data, according to the department reports.

## City briefs

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

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## Weather focus

### LOCAL FORECAST

Tonight, showers and thunderstorms likely with locally heavy rainfall possible resulting in flash flooding. Expect a low near 50 with south winds 5 to 15 mph. Rain chance tonight is 70 percent. Wednesday, mostly cloudy with a 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms and a high near 75 with south winds 10 to 20 mph. Monday's high was 75; this morning's low was 57; 0.01 inches of moisture was received in the 24 hours ending at 7 a.m. today.

### REGIONAL FORECAST

West Texas — Panhandle: Tonight, showers and thunderstorms likely northwest with locally heavy rainfall possibly resulting in flash flooding. A chance of showers and thunderstorms elsewhere. Mostly cloudy. Lows near 50 to mid 50s. Wednesday, mostly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms. High in low to mid 70s. Wednesday night, mostly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms. Lows in the 50s. South Plains: Tonight, showers and thunderstorms likely over the South Plains, some possibly severe with locally

heavy rainfall. A chance of showers and thunderstorms over the low rolling plains. Mostly cloudy. Areas of fog possible after midnight. Lows 55-60. Wednesday, mostly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms. High near 80. Wednesday night, mostly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms. Lows in the 50s.

North Texas — Tonight and Wednesday, mostly cloudy. A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms northeast, a chance of thunderstorms elsewhere. Lows 61 to 67. High 78 to 84. Wednesday night, mostly cloudy with a slight chance of thunderstorms. Lows 62 to 68.

South Texas — Hill Country and South Central: Tonight, mostly cloudy with scattered showers or thunderstorms. Lows near 70. Wednesday, mostly cloudy with widely scattered showers or thunderstorms. High in mid 80s. Wednesday night, cloudy with scattered showers or thunderstorms. Lows near 70. Coastal Bend: Tonight, mostly cloudy with widely scattered showers or thunderstorms. Lows in mid 70s. Wednesday, mostly cloudy with scattered showers or thunderstorms. High in low 80s.

inland, upper 70s coast. Wednesday night, mostly cloudy with widely scattered showers or thunderstorms. Lows in low 70s. Lower Rio Grande Valley and Plains: Tonight, mostly cloudy. Lows in mid 70s. Wednesday, mostly cloudy with widely scattered showers or thunderstorms. High in upper 80s inland, low 80s coast. Wednesday night, mostly cloudy. Lows in mid 70s.

### BORDER STATES

New Mexico — Tonight through Wednesday night, scattered showers and thunderstorms, most numerous north and east. Snow showers possible high mountains north during the night and early morning hours. Lows both nights in upper 20s to low 40s mountains with 40s to mid 50s elsewhere. Highs from near 50s to upper 60s mountains and north with 70s to low 80s at lower elevations south.

Oklahoma — Tonight, cloudy with a chance for showers and thunderstorms. Lows from upper 50s to mid 60s. Wednesday, cloudy with a chance for showers and thunderstorms. High in the 70s. Wednesday night, mostly cloudy with a chance for showers and thunderstorms. Lows mostly in the 60s.

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# Gacy, killer of 33, executed by injection

By LINDSEY TANNER  
Associated Press Writer

JOLIET, Ill. (AP) — John Wayne Gacy was executed by injection early today, more than 15 years after the stench of bodies buried in the crawl space under his home gave police the break that led to his conviction in 33 sex murders.

Gacy, 52, was pronounced dead at 12:58 a.m., 18 minutes after two anonymous executioners tripped switches to send the chemicals into his bloodstream. The procedure was delayed by a clog in the tubing.

His last words were that "taking his life would not compensate for the loss of the others and that this was the state murdering him," said state Corrections Director Howard Peters.

"He got a much easier death than any of his victims," said William Kunkle, who prosecuted Gacy and witnessed the execution at the maximum-security Stateville Correctional Center.

Gacy confessed to strangling 33 young men and boys he had picked up for sex, and he was convicted of the murders in 1980.

With the help of a map Gacy drew

for police, 27 of the bodies were found in the crawl space under Gacy's ranch-style home outside Chicago. Two bodies were found elsewhere on his property, and four were pulled from the Des Plaines River.

To the end, Gacy was a cipher. For nearly six years, from 1972 to 1978, he methodically killed his victims as he lived an outgoing, seemingly normal life as a successful remodeling contractor, Democratic precinct captain and amateur clown named Pogo.

While Gacy was under surveillance in 1978 in connection with the disappearance of a 15-year-old boy, he invited the officers watching him into his house for dinner.

While using the bathroom, one of the officers caught a scent like rotting flesh coming from a heating duct. That was part of the evidence used to obtain the search warrant that led to the discovery of the bodies.

In more than a decade on death row Gacy recanted his confession, denying all but one of the killings, and wrote rambling letters blaming his conviction on political conspiracies. Fourteen years of appeals held

up execution. Only two dozen relatives of Gacy's victims, barred from the execution chamber as a security precaution, kept a vigil in an administration building until they received word of the execution.

"We were victims here, too," said Tim Nieder, whose brother, John Mowery, was 19 when Gacy killed him in 1977. "I feel like justice has finally been served, but it's been a long time in the making."

Gacy was the first person executed against his will in Illinois since 1962. Another condemned man, Charles Walker, dropped his appeals and won the right to have his execution carried out in 1990.

Gacy's lawyers spent Monday in a last round of frenzied appeals. His lawyers had argued that lethal injection was developed with Nazi research data and that Illinois' previous execution by injection was botched and resulted in the prisoner being tortured to death. The state denied that.

Gacy's fate was sealed late in the day when the U.S. Supreme Court refused to halt his execution. Earlier, a federal appeals court rejected Gacy's appeal.

Corrections Department spokesman Nic Howell strolled through the prison yard with Gacy hours before the execution. The two smoked cigars as Gacy reflected on his life.

Did he apologize for anything? "Not a thing," Howell said.

"He's been in a state of denial for 14 years and remains in it," defense attorney Gregory Adamski said after talking to his client Monday. "Now he's denying his own execution."

Outside the prison, vendors hawked \$10 T-shirts bearing the slogan "No Tears for the Clown." Death penalty advocates chanted, "John-nee, John-nee." Fewer than a dozen foes of the death penalty maintained a candlelight vigil.

"It's not really a question of guilt or innocence but really a question of our own humanity," said Sister Miriam Wilson, a Cook County prison chaplain. "I think we only continue the cycle of violence by killing someone else."

While Gacy was convicted of 33 killings, he was sentenced to death only for the 12 that occurred after Illinois re-enacted the death penalty in 1977. He received life sentences for the remaining 21 slayings.

## State academic champs



Pampa High School seniors Rachel Beck, left, and Ellen Steele display the medals they won last week at the University Interscholastic League's state academic competition held in Austin. Beck placed first in the newswriting while Steele came in third in poetry interpretation. Members of the PHS Academic Team advanced to state by finishing first, second or third in the regional tournament held April 23 at Angelo State University.

## Rebels advance in close-quarter fighting for capital

NAIROBI, Kenya (AP) — Rebels advanced steadily in Rwanda's capital today in fierce, close-quarter combat that appeared to be street-to-street in some parts of Kigali.

It appeared the capital would fall in a matter of days to rebels who are encircling government positions around Kigali and pushing deeper into the city center, said a U.N. official, speaking on condition of anonymity.

Rebels were gaining ground with infantry assaults behind punishing barrages of heavy artillery and mortar fire.

"There was a heavy exchange of artillery and mortar fire overnight and this morning," U.N. spokesman Abdul Kabia said by telephone from Kigali.

The intense shelling from both sides blocked delivery of food and water to thousands of refugees living under U.N. protection because of the month-long bloodbath in Rwanda between majority Hutus and minority Tutsis.

The mainly Tutsi rebels also continued to advance today on Ruhengeri, 45 miles northwest of Kigali despite stiff resistance by Hutu-led government troops.

The U.N. official said rebels have taken Bugasera, 15 miles southeast of Kigali, and the insurgent drive toward the south appears to have



Rwandan refugees collect water at the Benaco refugee camp in Tanzania, 10 miles from the Rwandan border. This small lake is the only source of water for 250,000 people who have fled the civil war. Relief agencies say the water is not fit for human consumption and will dry up in a month. (AP photo)

stalled while they consolidate their gains.

A Ghanaian U.N. soldier was killed Monday by a mortar round that hit the national stadium where 3,000 displaced people are sheltered by the United Nations.

Kabia said another round slammed into the civilian Kigali Hospital. He said the U.N. did not yet know how many were killed or injured by the blast.

Rebels lobbed mortar round after mortar round into Kanombe Camp, where three heavily armed battal-

ions of government troops were in danger of being encircled and cut off.

Kabia said an ammunition dump at the camp was hit and heavily damaged in thunderous explosions.

Brig. Gen. Romeo Dallaire, the Canadian U.N. force commander, scheduled meetings with both sides today to discuss terms for a cease-fire.

"There is hope for a cease-fire, but not immediately," said Kabia. The rebels have said they will fight on to oust what they consider

an illegal government and to end the ethnic massacre in government and militia controlled territory.

Militiamen, who are responsible for much of the ethnic butchery, still control sections of the capital.

An estimated 100,000 to 200,000 people have been killed in Rwanda, most of them civilians slaughtered because of their Hutu or Tutsi ethnicity, according to the United Nations and aid groups. About 1.3 million people have fled their homes.

The fighting and massacres began after the presidents of Rwanda and neighboring Burundi, both Hutus, died in a suspicious plane crash at Kigali on April 6.

Kabia said the chief of staff of the Tanzanian armed forces, Gen. Robert Mbomba, warned both sides in the Rwandan conflict Monday that any movement into Tanzania or any effort to damage the bridge linking the two countries at Rusumo Falls would be considered an act of war.

About a quarter of a million Rwandan refugees fled across that bridge in 24 hours late last month to escape the savagery in Rwanda.

Jacques Booh-Booh, the U.N. special representative for Rwanda, called an urgent meeting of humanitarian workers today to find ways to get food and water to thousands of

## Anti-abortion groups, leaders assessed \$1.01 million

HOUSTON (AP) — Two anti-abortion groups say they will fight a \$1.01 million judgment awarded to a woman's clinic that was the site of confrontational protests during the 1992 Republican National Convention.

A Harris County jury Monday awarded Planned Parenthood of Southeast Texas a little more than the \$1 million it had sought in punitive damages from Operation Rescue, Rescue America and leaders Don Treshman and the Rev. Keith Tucci.

Operation Rescue was ordered to pay \$350,000, Rescue America \$355,000, Treshman \$155,000 and Tucci \$150,000.

Jurors already had awarded the clinic \$204,585 in actual damages last Thursday after determining that the groups and two others — Dallas Rescue and The Lambs of Christ — conspired to hinder business at Planned Parenthood and nine other clinics.

Planned Parenthood did not seek punitive damages against the two

smaller groups.

Both sides said last week's decision was the first time a jury awarded women's clinics money damages from anti-abortion activists.

However, the abortion foes said they would appeal the case and in the meantime would pay nothing.

"We're not going to accept this," Treshman said. "This is an invalid verdict, and that's why we're going to challenge it."

Attorney Richard Schmude, who represented Treshman, said he was "shocked and outraged" by the decision.

"It's a vindictive and hateful verdict," Schmude said. "There was no evidence in this case that supports the plaintiffs."

But Judy Reiner, a spokeswoman for Planned Parenthood, said the hefty punitive award amplifies an already clear message from the jury.

"This is a very clear message that people who engage in this conduct will be held accountable," Ms. Reiner said.

Ms. Reiner said her group has been tracking the abortion opponents' assets and will try aggressively to collect on the awards.

"We will collect damages from them," she said. "We will collect all damages."

The jury of seven men and five women deliberated seven days over a 32-page charge before returning with its decision in favor of the clinics Thursday.

Jurors deliberated about nine hours before deciding on the punitive damages.

Planned Parenthood, the only plaintiff to seek monetary damages, listed extra security, fencing, vandalism and lost business as reasons for actual damages.

The anti-abortion activists staged daily demonstrations at the clinics during the GOP convention in Houston. Dozens of people were arrested as protesters confronted volunteers trying to defend the clinics.

The lawsuit was filed as part of a long effort to win permanent restrictions on the protest groups.

With the jury's decision, state District Judge Eileen O'Neill can hold a hearing to decide if such a permanent injunction is warranted.

O'Neill isn't expected to rule on that matter, however, until after the U.S. Supreme Court considers an injunction in Florida that keeps protestors at least 36 feet away from a clinic.

The injunction also created a 300-foot, protest-free zone, in which demonstrators cannot approach someone seeking clinic services without some kind of invitation to do so.

Abortion opponents argue that restrictions such as "buffer-zones" around clinics would violate their First Amendment right to free speech.

The Florida Supreme Court upheld the injunction. However, the Atlanta-based 11th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, acting on a separate case, said it probably is unconstitutional. The nation's high court is expected to decide the case before its session ends next month.

## Explosion, fire at asphalt plant

CHANNELVIEW, Texas (AP) — An explosion and ensuing fire rocked an asphalt manufacturing plant Tuesday but there were no immediate reports of injuries.

The Channelview Fire Department received a call about the blast at 8:51 a.m., a spokeswoman said. She had no further details.

A woman at the site of the explosion said no one was hurt.

"Everybody is fine," the woman, who would not provide her name, said.

The explosion occurred at the Neste Wright Asphalt Products Co., which has two facilities in the area, said Sherry Holloway, an official at the company's business office.

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## Winter wheat crop down 6 percent from 1993

By ROBERT GREENE  
AP Farm Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Agriculture Department today estimated the winter wheat harvest for this year at 1.66 billion bushels, down 6 percent from 1993, because of fewer acres planted and early weather problems.

Farmers harvested 1.7 billion bushels in 1993.

Based on May 1 field conditions, the average winter wheat yield nationally was estimated at 39.3 bushels per harvested acre, compared with 40.3 last year.

The record was 41.8 bushels in 1983.

In another report today, the Agriculture Department projected this season's corn crop at 8.7 billion bushels, up 38 percent from 1993-1994. Soybean production was estimated at 2.1 billion bushels, up 16 percent.

A source of flour for breads and other baked goods, winter wheat accounts for about three-quarters of all U.S. wheat production. Some harvesting has begun in Texas, but most wheat is harvested from the middle of June to the end of July. Today's report is the first estimate for the season.

The reports were released in the morning rather than the afternoon as part of an experiment in releasing market-sensitive reports before U.S. markets open.

The wheat report noted that reduced acreage was a factor in the lower estimated harvest than 1993. The report forecast 42.1 million acres of winter wheat, down 4 percent from last year.

The report noted scattered weath-

er problems, including cold, wet weather that had delayed growth of the South Dakota hard red crop; and dryness that has stunted western Nebraska wheat.

Dryland fields in the Texas High Plains were hurt by freezes and dryness, the report said. But there has been little visible damage from the late April freeze in Colorado or Kansas.

A separate report, based on trends and projections rather than field surveys, put total U.S. wheat production for 1994-1995 at 2.36 billion bushels, down 2 percent.

That projection includes spring as well as winter wheat, and calls for a larger spring wheat crop, including durum.

The higher projected corn crop was based on increased plantings and a return to trend yields after last season's weather disasters.

The report noted, however, that total supplies will increase only 13 percent because of lower surpluses at the start of the season, strong gains in domestic use and larger exports.

The higher projected soybean harvest reflects a return to normal yields and a 3 percent increase in acreage.

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Opinion

State courts are legislating again

Judges often are guilty of yielding to a growing tendency to step onto shaky ground where lawmakers fear to tread. Elected officials in the executive branch of the state government are not immune, either, from trying to bypass the Legislature and, in effect, make law.

The latest legislation by judicial fiat may well be justified, but it should have been achieved by law rather than by being handed down by the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals. What the state's highest criminal court did was set a new standard for introducing new evidence in death penalty cases.

The ruling came in the well-publicized appeal of Gary Graham, who faces execution for a 1981 robbery and murder committed on the parking lot of a Houston grocery store. Until this decision was handed down, state law prohibited introduction of new evidence which might be uncovered more than 30 days after the initial conviction.

This is another case where reform is likely merited. No one — judges, prosecutors, legislators, law enforcement officers — wants to see any person put to death for a crime they didn't commit. If indeed a condemned prisoner does have pertinent new evidence that might cast doubt on his or her guilt, it should be heard by the court. The 30-day limit was an artificial barrier that conceivably could have prevented a death row inmate from pursuing all legal avenues.

The five-four decision by the court is a good indication the justices were deeply divided. One of the dissenters expressed fear that condemned prisoners and their attorneys will attempt to use the new procedure as "a crowbar" for every prisoner to try to re-litigate the verdict. Although the court decision referred to a capital case, presumably the same standard could be applied in other felony cases.

In its ruling, the court adopted these procedures: New evidence will be presented to the original trial judge and it must be compelling enough to convince the judge that it likely would have changed the verdict. The appellant must then prove no rational jury, considering both old and new evidence, could have found the defendant guilty beyond a shadow of a doubt. If the court rejects the "new evidence," the defendant would be allowed a new appeal to the Court of Criminal Appeals.

The court-mandated procedures should make it more unlikely an innocent man will ever receive a fatal injection. It also undoubtedly will open the doors to more expensive legal action that is likely to drag out capital punishment cases even more. According to an Associated Press story, the 75 persons put to death in Texas since executions resumed in 1982 spent an average of eight years on death row.

The new procedures should get a fair tryout between now and next year's session of the Texas Legislature. What the court mandated may prove too much of a burden on the legal system. If so, then legislators should don their thinking caps and come up with more suitable reforms. It would seem imperative to maintain one feature: Any new evidence, whether obtained 30 days, 30 months or 10 years after a conviction, should be given a fair, impartial examination.

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On the road to assisted suicide

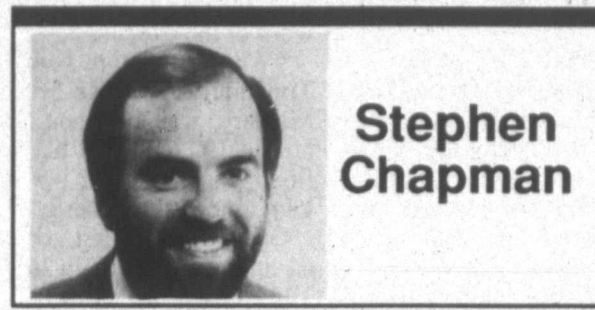
The campaign to let healers moonlight as killers is gaining momentum. Dr. Jack Kevorkian was on trial in Detroit for helping a man kill himself, but the law under which he was charged has been ruled unconstitutional by one Michigan court. [The jury acquitted him, more on a technicality as to where the individual actually died.] In Seattle, a group has filed a federal suit claiming a constitutional right to a physician's help in ending one's own life. A measure to allow assisted suicide may be on the ballot in Oregon in November.

Preserving life used to be the primary goal of medicine, but in recent years, embracing death has often become the preferred option. We have gotten used to the withdrawal of life support from the dying and the permanently comatose. We have gotten used to cutting off food and water to patients in a "persistently vegetative" state.

Now we are being asked to make a much bigger leap, one fraught with far more danger: allowing doctors not only to let nature take its course but to give nature a push. It is portrayed as the height of compassion to let physicians prescribe lethal drugs for patients who otherwise face a slow and painful death.

The progression from conceding the freedom of people to end their lives, as most of us do, to permitting a medical professional to provide them the means to do so, as the proponents of assisted suicide recommend, may sound minor. But it would fundamentally alter the nature of the doctor's role and drastically undermine the protection of human life and liberty.

Once we have accepted the idea of letting doctors give deadly pills to terminally ill patients who want them, we will be asked how we can deny blessed oblivion to those wretches who can't take such drugs on their own. For them, mercy requires letting someone else administer the drug — which is



Stephen Chapman

not assisted suicide but active euthanasia. And why limit our compassion to those with fatal illnesses? A speedy exit may also be the best option for people with persistent pain or serious disabilities. But why should physical ailments be the sole qualification? Lots of people are so miserable that they might think themselves better off dead. Is it fair to condemn them to psychic hell until death intervenes? Shouldn't they be granted the opportunity to escape, whether by their own action or by a doctor's?

And what about people in long-term comas who can't speak for themselves? Why make them linger pointlessly for years, at great expense, when they could be quietly dispatched, freeing them and their loved ones? Decisions like these will usually fall to doctors, who are increasingly susceptible to pressures to eliminate unnecessary costs.

You don't need a hyperactive imagination to expect these developments. All you need is eyes to see and ears to hear. The advocates do not really want to limit the change to allowing assisted suicide for those about to die anyway. They have bigger ambitions.

Derek Humphry, founder of the pro-suicide Hemlock Society, complains that any policy which "fails to include voluntary euthanasia will be of lit-

tle comfort to those whose disease means they cannot swallow, keep liquids down or lift a cup." The judge who ruled against Michigan's law said the constitutional right to assisted suicide includes not only the terminally ill but those suffering from chronic illnesses and serious disabilities — anyone with a "rational" basis for killing himself.

After a *New York Times* reporter attended a suicide assisted by Ralph Mero, co-founder of the organization Compassion in Dying, Mero admitted that if the woman's attempt had left her unconscious but not dead, he would have finished the job. "I was prepared, and I had the wherewithal," he said. "I would not have let her come back."

The experience in the Netherlands, where assisted suicide and voluntary euthanasia are tolerated, suggests that once physicians are allowed to participate in killing, there is no stopping some of them. A government survey found that in 1991, more than a thousand patients were killed by doctors without their consent.

Another 4,941 deaths resulted from deliberate overdoses of drugs given by doctors to unwitting patients. In nearly half the cases of people euthanized in hospitals, the doctor didn't even consult with the family first.

As University of Michigan law professor Yale Kamisar notes, the expansion of the "right to die" has been dramatic and relentless. "The one formidable distinction that remains is the one that is presently under attack — the 'historic divide' between the termination of medical treatment and the active intervention of another to promote or bring about death," he has written.

Some people want us to cross that divide and keep going. That decision, like suicide, would have great consequences that are easier to produce than to reverse.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Tuesday, May 10, the 130th day of 1994. There are 235 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On May 10, 1869, a golden spike was driven at Promontory, Utah, marking the completion of the first transcontinental railroad in the United States.

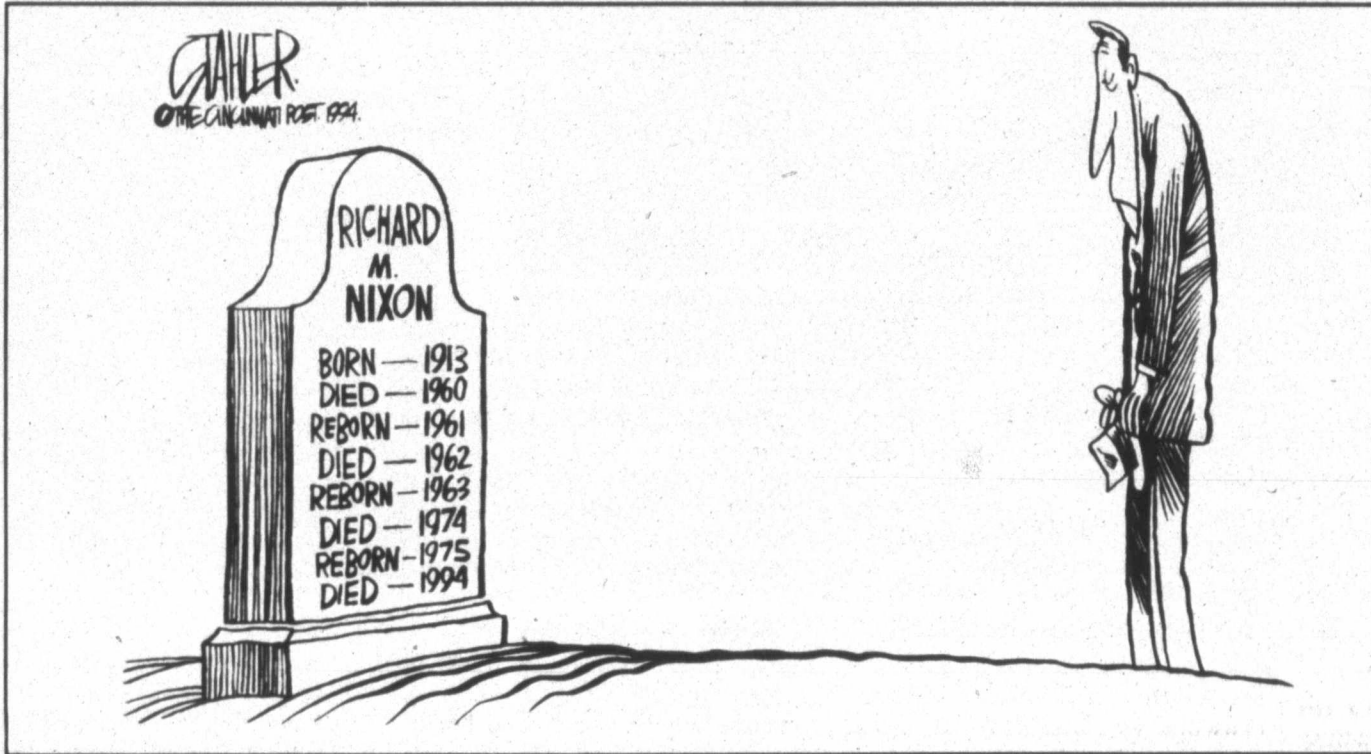
On this date:

In 1774, Louis XVI ascended the throne of France.

In 1775, Ethan Allen and his Green Mountain Boys captured the British-held fortress at Ticonderoga, N.Y.

In 1865, Union forces captured Confederate President Jefferson Davis in Irwinville, Ga.

In 1908, the first Mother's Day observance took place during church services in Grafton, W.Va., and Philadelphia.



Going to war is no easy answer

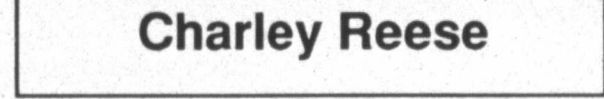
When people say, "We have to do something," as in, "Clinton should do something about Bosnia," they are generally admitting they don't know what that something is, or they do know and don't wish to take responsibility for doing it themselves.

We often talk about the power of government. Let's talk about its limits. The government has only one power, really, and that's to apply force. For example, if we defy the laws of our government, eventually men with guns will arrive to deprive us of our liberty or to kill us if we resist. When we talk about law enforcement, that's it in a nutshell.

The principal is the same when applied to nations. The present rulers of Haiti, for example, are defying the United States. The government has essentially a three-step process: 1. it can express its displeasure verbally; 2. it can apply economic sanctions by refusing to trade; and 3. it can go to war. So far, in the case of Haiti, the United States has gone through steps one and two and neither produced results.

Well, there aren't any more steps, except going to war. So far, the Clinton administration has wisely decided that reinstalling a deposed Haitian president is not worth going to war. Unless you wish to go to war against Haiti, you really should get off the president's back, because there is nothing else he can do.

The same thing applies to the Balkans. The United



Charley Reese

Nations is actually a government, and like any individual government, it must ultimately rely on force. It can express disapproval verbally. It can apply economic sanctions. If those two steps don't work — and they haven't in the Balkans civil war — then the United Nations has the choice of going to war or doing nothing.

Quite sensibly, so far, no political leader in Europe nor President Clinton has wanted to go to war in the Balkans. The terrain is mountainous, much of it heavily wooded. Measured in the former Yugoslavia as a whole, there are an estimated 5 million men of military age and fit for service. Since 35 percent of Yugoslavia's population was Serbian, you are talking about healthy numbers of Serb recruits.

Air power would not be decisive, because of the terrain and the nature of the Serb forces — mainly light infantry. Don't forget that in Vietnam, the United States had decisive air superiority from Day One. Sporadic, limited use of force wouldn't work any better in the Balkans than it did in Vietnam for the same reason. The Serbs, like the Vietnamese, are at home. They have nowhere to go. They would

know, as the Vietnamese knew, that sooner or later we'd get tired of it and leave.

NATO forces could prevail, of course, but at a high cost. Then they would have to occupy the country and, like the Germans in World War II, they would be constantly harassed and sniped at and blown up for as long as they stayed. You will make a big mistake if you underestimate the willingness of the Serbs to suffer and to inflict suffering in defense of their homeland.

War is a crime against humanity no matter who prosecutes it for whatever reason. How someone could think that adding to the number of people killed is somehow humane is beyond me. What the United Nations ought to do is step back and regroup. U.N. diplomacy failed because at the outset it was not neutral but heavily anti-Serb.

Whether you like it or not, huge numbers of Serbs found themselves being delivered to Croat or Muslim rule by the process of declarations of independence by former republics of Yugoslavia. Given the history of the area, there was no question the Serbs would fight rather than agree to become minorities at the mercy of traditional enemies. They would fight because their wishes and their welfare were ignored in the prewar diplomacy.

It may be too late to find a diplomatic solution. But I know this: Wars to end wars only end lives. They don't end wars.

Giving Richard Milhous Nixon his due

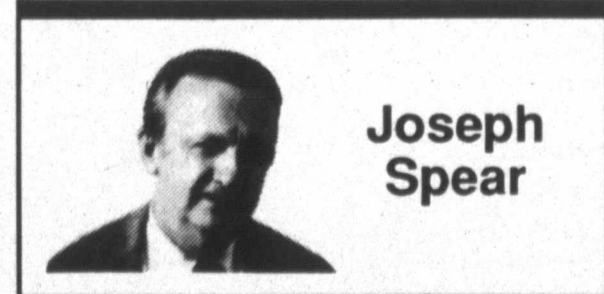
They say the dead are owed honor and a kind word.

So here is honor and some kind words: Richard Milhous Nixon was a man of superior intelligence, enormous courage and, above all, extraordinary tenacity. In the inner recesses of his soul, I believe, there was even a strain of compassion for the unfortunate and the dispossessed.

Why am I saying these things? They are true, but they are also what a lot of other people — including some of Nixon's former foes — have been saying since he suffered a stroke and passed away an April 22. "By the time he died ... something close to affection ... could be discerned, even from his enemies," wrote *Time* magazine. George McGovern admired "the dignified and disciplined manner in which he has conducted himself since withdrawing from the White House." Jimmy Carter saw him as "a brilliant man."

What I really want to say is not that Nixon was bold and brainy and beatific in his sunset years. What I really want to say is that he was, to me, the saddest political personality in recent American history. Despite his intellect and absorption with public affairs, he could not overcome the blows that bruised his psyche as a child. "What starts the process, really," he once said, talking about how he endured adversity, "are laughs and slights and snubs when you are a kid."

Born into poverty, raised by a contentious father and a pious mother, he grew up introverted and angry. He seemed to see life as a conspiracy. The



Joseph Spear

well-born and well-educated had no idea how lucky they were. He worked his way through college. At Duke law school, he studied so hard his buddies called him "Iron Butt." In 1946, a group of local businessmen in Whittier, Calif., invited him to run as their candidate for Congress. His political career was launched.

Looking back on Nixon's early campaigns, his subsequent career and ultimate disgrace seem almost predictable. He was divisive, a polarizer, a person who liked to inflict pain. In 1946, he smeared his opponent, an honorable incumbent, as a Communist sympathizer. Running for the Senate in 1950, he described his opponent, Helen Gahagan Douglas, as "pink right down to her underwear."

In each of his political crises, he saw enemies lurking everywhere, hurling "unprincipled and vicious" charges at him, conducting "whispering campaigns." His investigation of former State Department official Alger Hiss for consorting with Communists "left a residue of hatred and hostility

toward me ... among substantial segments of the press and the intellectual community." His loss in the 1962 California gubernatorial campaign "delighted" the press, which would not "have Nixon to kick around anymore."

In his eyes, his victories in 1968 and 1972 were triumphs over his enemies — the "Eastern establishment," the press, the war protesters. The Watergate scandal itself might have been disposed of in a day had he immediately explained what happened and denounced the burglars who invaded Democratic party headquarters. But no, that would have been a concession to all the Nixon-haters who lived to see him fall on his face.

So he covered up, doled out hush money, obstructed justice, posted enemies lists. The speech he gave to his staff on the day he left office could have been a sermon to himself: "Always remember, others may hate you, but those who hate you don't win unless you hate them — and then you destroy yourself."

Even in retirement, he could not let his anger go. "Over the years, I had been the victim of dirty tricks and other kinds of vicious tactics," he wrote in a 1990 memoir, *In the Arena*. The "myths of Watergate" were mostly a "smoke screen of false accusations," a "concerted political vendetta by my opponents," a "medley of 'baseless and highly sensationalistic charges.'"

The Richard Nixon story is a woeful tragedy. May his spirit find the peace that his corporeal self never knew.

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# Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: Your quote from the late S.I. Hayakawa concerning the value of good literature reminded me of how much my own life has been. I have never been "poor."

My father raised six children on \$10.50 a week (for 55 hours of work a week) until the Great Depression; and then there were weeks when only an occasional day of work could be found, and usually the pay was only 50 cents for that day.

There were times when there was no food in the house, and our father made us wash and iron our one good cotton dress or khaki suit, and wear it to church on Sunday and to school the rest of the week.

When I was 9, I discovered the public library three miles from my home, and had a wonderful experience with Alice in "Through the Looking Glass." As I grew older, I dined with Rafael Sabatini's "Scaramouche," rode with Zane Grey's "Riders of the Purple Sage," laughed with Damon Runyon's "Guys and Dolls," and traveled all over the world.

I have sat in the presence of Plato, Socrates, Jesus of Nazareth, Nietzsche, Voltaire, George Bernard Shaw and Clarence Darrow. Because I could read, I have never been poor.

HOWARD CHILDRESS,  
MURFREESBORO, TENN.

DEAR HOWARD CHILDRESS: Not only were you never "poor," you were intellectually very rich indeed. I was once asked, "If you could give children only one piece of advice, what would it be?" My response: "Read, read, read! In reading, you will open up new worlds, real and imagined. Read for information; read for pleasure. Our libraries are filled with knowledge and joy, and it's all there — free for the taking. The person who does not read is better off than the person who cannot read."

DEAR ABBY: I read the letter in your column from "Frustrated," whose wife had a low sex drive, and your response was that maybe holding down a full-time job and mothering three preteen children left her worn out, and her husband should consider giving her a day off now and then, and help her with the housework and children.

Abby, that is one of the most sexist things you have ever said! Did you consider that he might already be doing that? And did you think about the fact that he holds down a full-time job and is the father of the same three preteen children?

No, you assumed that he sits on his butt all evening, watching TV while his wife does all the work. There was nothing in his letter to suggest that he doesn't carry his share of the workload. Who knows, he may do all the housework while she does nothing.  
DAILY DALLAS READER

DEAR DALLAS READER: I stand by my answer. According to my mail, in the majority of households in which women hold outside jobs, they also shoulder the lion's share of parenting, cleaning and cooking.

DEAR ABBY: Someone gave you some bum information on the subject of in-laws.

Divorce dissolves the marriage relationship; only death dissolves the in-law relationship. This is the law, and for years, a very wealthy gentleman of my acquaintance was able to claim as dependents on his tax return both the mother of his present wife and the mother of his former wife.

While teaching a tax seminar for laymen, I made that point. The subject of taxes being rather dull, I attempted to liven things up a bit by stating, "... so when you pick your in-laws, be very careful, because they are going to be your in-laws for the rest of your life."

From the back of the room came an agonized, "Oh, my God!"  
ARLENE POLVOGT,  
CPA, DALLAS

## Exhibit honoring Bugbee opens at Panhandle Plains museum

CANYON — The historical mural cycle in Pioneer Hall at the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum in Canyon is one of the most unique in the Southwest, according to PPHM Curator of Art Michael R. Grauer.

In honor of the sixtieth anniversary of the completion of Harold Dow Bugbee's first Museum mural, *The Cattleman*, and to acknowledge Bugbee's achievements with public art, the PPHM will be open "H.D. Bugbee: Mural Painter" on Saturday, May 14. The exhibit will open in conjunction with the 73rd Annual Meeting of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society.

Bugbee's illustrations and easel paintings are well known; however, he had an equally auspicious career as a mural painter. This exhibition examines this facet of the artist's career. Using sketches, studies, and actual murals, as well as letters pertaining to various mural commissions, the exhibition will discuss murals in general and probe Bugbee's mural-making processes.

After moving to Clarendon from Massachusetts, Bugbee studied art at Texas A&M College and the Cumming School of Art in Iowa. Frequent trips to Taos resulted in friendships with most of the major Taos artists including W. Herbert Dunton, Leon Gaspard, and Frank B. Hoffman. From these artists, who often critiqued his work, Bugbee learned the lessons of a successful artist.

Easel painter and Western illustrator were two of his occupations

throughout his career, but Bugbee added mural painting to his resume beginning in 1934. The Public Works of Art Project, President Roosevelt's first New Deal art program, commissioned Bugbee to paint a mural on Pioneer Hall's east wall. Bugbee's mural, *The Cattleman*, was installed in May 1934. Five years later, under the WPA's Coronado Cuarto Centennial Commission, Bugbee painted his second Pioneer Hall mural, *Ranch Headquarters*, for the southeast corner.

Bugbee also competed for the Amarillo Post Office mural commission in 1939, but his work was rejected. Fortunately, his sketches were preserved and recently presented to the Society. These will be included in the exhibition. Bugbee also entered sketches for the El Paso Federal Courthouse competition but was again rejected.

In 1942, Guy Carlander asked Bugbee to paint seven murals for the Old Tascosa Room at the Herring Hotel, then being designed by Carlander. The next year Bugbee painted three murals for the Amarillo Army Air Field.

Appointed Curator of Art at the Museum in 1951, Bugbee painted thirteen murals on American Indian life for the original Indian Hall in the Museum's basement between 1952 and 1954. Later, Bugbee painted four additional panels of Indian dances. These have been in storage since the early 1970s and most will be included in the exhibition along with their preliminary sketches.

Plans are underway to re-install

the murals in the current Indian Hall in late 1994. As the re-installation process is complex, the Society is currently seeking sponsorships for each mural to pay for materials.

In 1956, Bugbee painted his *Hide Hunters* mural for Pioneer Hall's east wall. He added *Kiowa Hunting Buffalo* to the north wall in 1957, followed by *Working Cattle on the Open Range* above the vestibule on the south wall in 1958, thus completing the entire mural cycle originally planned in 1934.

Bugbee's work as a mural painter spanned the last thirty years of his career. "Working initially with ink or pencil sketches then moving to full-scale watercolor and oil sketches, and augmenting his preparation with studies of different parts of the murals, Bugbee created some of the finest murals in the Southwest," said Grauer.

"Through this exhibition, viewers will better understand the mural making process in general and come away with a greater appreciation for Harold D. Bugbee's contributions to the Museum, the Society, the Panhandle Plains region, and the Southwest," Grauer continued.

In honor of Ben Carleton Mead's first Pioneer Hall mural, *Coronado's Coming* (1934), the Museum will also feature its collection of Mead's work in the Alcove Gallery. This exhibition will include original illustrations, oils, and drawings of Tascosa.

Members of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society and guests can preview this exhibit at a reception

and gallery tour on the evening of the Society's Annual Meeting. The business meeting is scheduled for 5:30 p.m. in the Hazlewood Lecture Hall, the reception and gallery tour at 6:30 p.m., followed by the dinner and program at 7 p.m. in Pioneer Hall.

This year's speaker will be award-winning author John R. Erickson who will perform readings and songs from his many published books, accompanying himself on the 5-string banjo. Erickson's *Hank the Cowdog* series of books and cassette tapes are known all over the United States. His stories have won the Oppenheimer Award, "Best Audio Tape for Children Award," and a spot on "CBS Story-break."

Since he began his speaking career in 1984, Erickson has appeared at conventions, conferences, and banquets in 17 states and provinces, has been a keynote speaker at conventions attended by librarians, teachers of English, reading, special education, and drama; and has spoken at the Library of Congress, the Institute of Texas Cultures, the Houston Children's Museum, and the Witte Museum in San Antonio. Erickson has published 31 books, 19 books-on-tape, and some 500 articles.

Cost for the evening event is \$15.00 for members of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society and \$20.00 for non-members. Deadline for reservations is Wednesday, May 11. For further information, please call 806/656/2244.

### Highland Hobby Club

The Highland Hobby Club met May 2 in the home of Gloria Norris. Business was conducted by Ferline Calvert, president.

Old business was the giving of dish towels to our latest birthday girl. For new business, plans are being made for a white elephant auction and a summer get together for members and husbands for July 11.

Six members were present with Ferline Calvert winning the door prize. The next regular meeting will be in September.

### DAR

Las Pampas Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution met at the home of Mrs. Otto Mangold for lunch.

The President-General's message was read by Mangold. In this message, all members were encouraged to increase our Society's impact on educational programs. The concepts of right and wrong must be firmly instilled in our youth along with patriotism and pride in our country's history, the message said.

Mrs. P. R. Britton gave the National Defense report quoting Thomas Sowell with the Hoover Institution at Stanford University. He suggests every American should read the *Federalist Papers*. These papers explain why the kind of government that we have was set up in the United States.

Britton also spoke of an article by Casper Weinberger relating that the nation's real problem is big government.

Mrs. Dean Burger presented a program "Foodways of the 18th Century." She explained how many food items common to us were brought to this country by settlers and explorers.

## Bush, Quayle run again — in bookstores

By RON BERTHEL  
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — George Bush and Dan Quayle, who have been on the political shelf since vacating Washington, now find themselves on yet another shelf: the bookshelf.

The former president is one of several real-life characters in Frederick Forsyth's new thriller. And the erstwhile vice president hopes that readers will find his new volume of memoirs to be no small potatoes.

Both books are among the many titles making May debuts.

Bush appears in "The Fist of God" (Bantam), Forsyth's fictionalized account of what might have happened during the Persian Gulf War. A British special agent disguised as an Arab penetrates Baghdad to re-establish ties with an Israeli mole in Saddam Hussein's government. Among the agent's goals: uncover "The Fist of God," a weapon that's secret even to Saddam's top advisers.

Quayle was in office during the Persian Gulf War, and his involvement with that war, the "Murphy Brown" squabble and his bid for reelection are among the topics covered in "Standing Firm" (Harper-Collins), an account of his four years as vice president.

Recent events in the life of another world leader are chronicled in "The Struggle for Russia" (Times) by Boris Yeltsin. The first popularly elected leader in Russia's 1,000-year

history writes about the recent turmoil that saw the dismantling of the Soviet Union and the move toward democracy, as well as about his personal and family life.

Readers might find the suspense heart-stopping in "Charade" (Warner), as patients who received heart transplants on a certain day are meeting with fatal "accidents." Among those patients is a female TV personality being stalked by someone who wants to add her to the victims' list in Sandra Brown's 54th and latest novel.

In Belva Plain's new novel "Daybreak" (Delacorte), the Jewish parents of a teen-age boy learn that he is dying — and that he is not their natural child. They discover that their natural son is being raised by — and has himself become — a bigot.

It was supposed to have been a quiet summer on the Cape for a young mother tormented by guilt feelings over the death of her son. But she finds no comfort in the eerie and menacing goings-on in "Remember Me" (Simon & Schuster), the latest novel of psychological suspense by Mary Higgins Clark.

Other notable new fiction titles include "The Tangle Box" (Del Rey), Terry Brooks' return to fantasy's Kingdom of Landover, where an exiled magician tries to take over; "Dolley" (Bantam), Rita Mae Brown's novel of Dolley Madison, fourth first lady, told partly through fictionalized diary entries; "The Eye in the Door" (Dutton), Pat Barker's tale of an English army

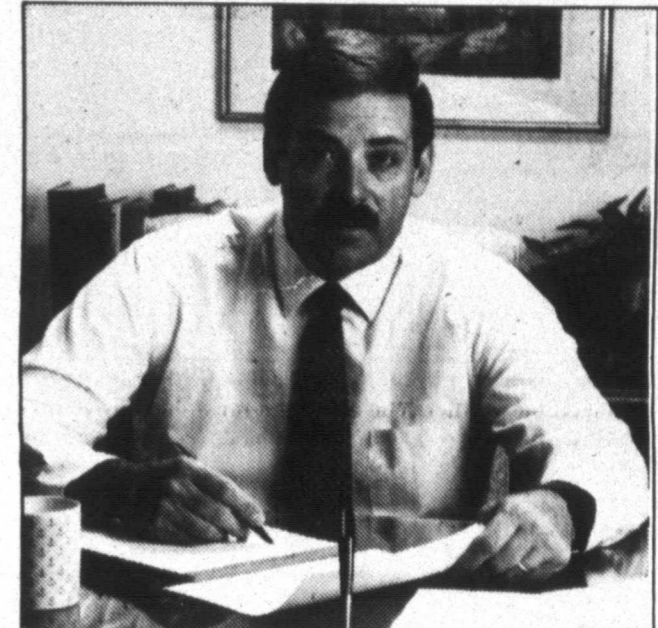
officer who is suffering from shell shock, accused of betrayal and trying to conceal his bisexuality; "Once Upon a Time" (Little, Brown), a fictionalized memoir in which author John Barth spins an operatic saga of his life while sailing on Chesapeake Bay;

"Hollywood Nocturnes" (Otto Penzler), James Ellroy's mix of fact and fiction in a novella and five stories of 1950s Los Angeles; and "Without a Hero" (Viking), 15 short stories by T. Coraghessan Boyle.

Mystery fans get a chance to figure out "whodunit" in "K' Is for Killer" (Henry Holt), Sue Grafton's 11th "alphabet mystery" for private eye Kinsey Millhone, who reluctantly takes on a case involving a young woman's mysterious death; and in "Criminal Conversation" (Warner), Evan Hunter's tale of a young district attorney who overhears a murder confession that could incriminate him.

And just in time for Mother's Day, May 8, comes "In Praise of Mothers" (Grove-Atlantic), editor Lilly Golden's anthology honoring Mom, with contributions by William Maxwell, Alice Walker, Pearl S. Buck and others.

For readers of nonfiction, there's "A Whole New Life" (Atheneum), novelist Reynolds Price's account of his bout with severe spinal cancer and his four-year ordeal of surgeries, pain, radiation treatments and uncertainty about his future.



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# The Pampa News

## NEA Crossword Puzzle

### ACROSS

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- 4 Uneven
- 9 Observe
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- 13 Feather tuft
- 14 Spoil
- 15 Printer's measures
- 16 Architecture style
- 17 Mil. school
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- 20 — and day
- 22 Bravery
- 26 Seaport in Alaska
- 29 Comedian —
- 30 — Breckinridge
- 34 E pluribus —
- 35 Composer —
- 36 Gravel ridges
- 37 — Lisa

### Answer to Previous Puzzle

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- 5 Eskimo knife
- 6 Mire

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## WALNUT COVE



By Mark Cullum

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** In matters pertaining to your financial well being you are likely to be more imaginative and clever than usual. Even if associates have constructive ideas they're not apt to be superior to yours. Taurus, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing \$2 and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, N.Y. 10163. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** Think carefully before you speak today, because your words will have more weight than you may realize. For good or ill, your comments will make a lasting impression.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Much can be learned today by quietly observing the way someone you admire successfully handles situations. What you learn can be replicated in your own affairs.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** This is a good day to sound out your latest ideas and concepts on friends. In fact, discussions with pals could put the finishing touches on what you've conceived.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** You might not deliberately seek the spotlight today, but there's a good chance it will be focused on you anyway. Be aware of this, but, by the same token, just be yourself.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Your curiosity might be high gear today, but it won't be wasted on insignificant interests. What you'll seek to understand could be profound and functional.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** Something fortuitous and profitable might develop for you today through the good auspices of another. It could eventually lead to a second source of income.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** You'll make a charming addition to social functions today because of your ability to harmonize your opinions and views to those of persons with whom you'll be talking.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** Time devoted to creative endeavors will be hours well spent today. The end result of your efforts should provide you with a sense of pride and accomplishment.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** Seek some type of stimulating social outlet today, preferable with friends who are as enthusiastic about having a good time as you are. The uninspired should be left to their own devices.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** Friends who are entertained at your place today should consider themselves lucky. As a host or hostess you'll know exactly what to do to provide guests with a memorable experience.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** Your bright disposition and quick wit are dynamic assets that'll enhance your popularity with others today. You'll know how to make serious matters appear manageable and doable.

## ARLO & JANIS



By Jimmy Johnson

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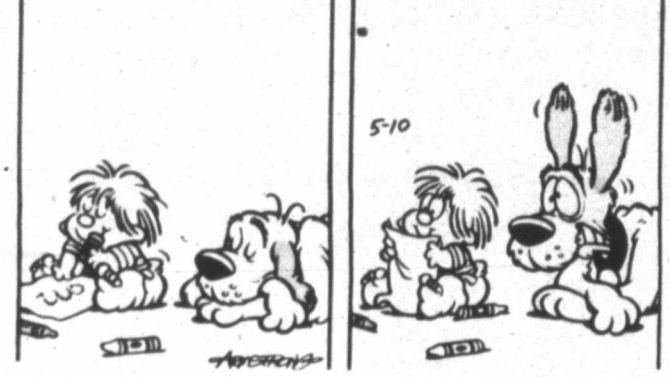
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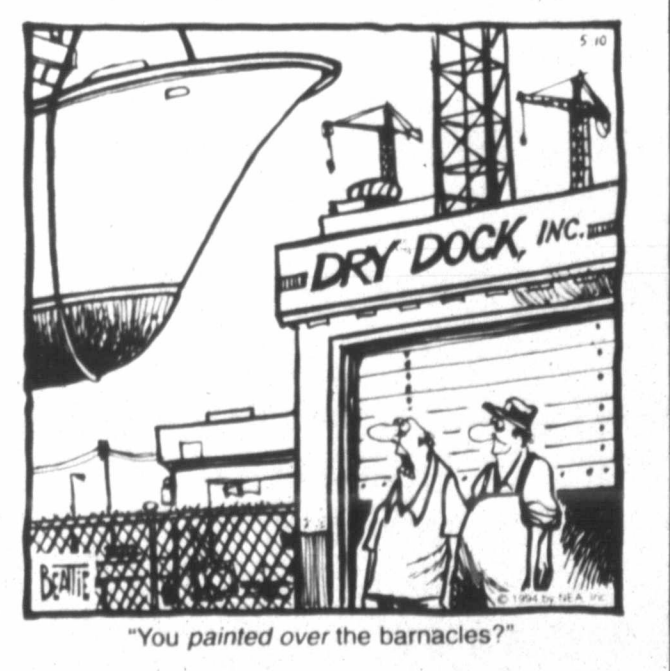
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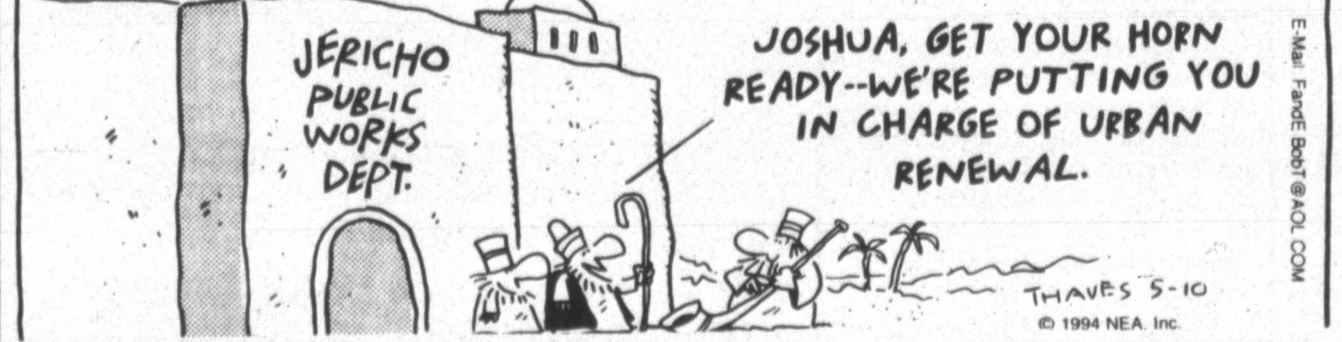
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## FRANK AND ERNEST



By Bob Thaves

## PEANUTS



By Charles M. Schulz

## GARFIELD



By Jim Davis

Sports

# Notebook

## VOLLEYBALL

**PAMPA** — Pampa varsity volleyball coach Brad Borden will be holding volleyball camp July 18-22 for girls entering grades six, seven and eight. The camp, stationed at the high school's McNeely Fieldhouse, will run from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. each day. Registration is \$50 and registration forms can be picked up from any Pampa physical education teacher or call Brad Borden at 669-4830 for more information.

## BASEBALL

**PAMPA** — The West Texas Baseball League will again be represented by the Pampa Shockers. The season is scheduled from June 1 until July 15. The Shockers will be playing area teams from Amarillo, Borger, Dumas, Frich, Hereford, Elk City, Floydada and Friona.

The league is designed for players ages 15 through 18. Anyone interested in playing should be at the organizational meeting with a parent or guardian on May 15 at 2 p.m. at Harvester Field. Coaches will be Jack Gindorf, Bob Finney and Mike Frye.

## FISHING

**PAMPA** — The High-Plains Bass Anglers recently held its second tournament of 1994 at Baylor-Childress Lakes.

First place went to Randall Williams with 22.26 pounds. Gary Carter was second (21.59 pounds) and Blake Howard was third (16.38 pounds). Gordon Blythe was fourth, Bob Bruce, fifth; Randy Hinds, sixth; Bobby Jones and Stan Miller tied for seventh, and Tim Richey, eighth.

All fish were released after being weighed. Randall Williams caught the Big Bass, a 7.16 pounder.

The club meets the first Tuesday of every month at Mr. Gatti's Pizza, starting at 7:30 p.m. All interested persons are invited to attend. The next tournament will be at White River Lake on May 14-15.

## POOL

**PAMPA** — Pool tournament results from the Pampa Athletic Club are as follows:

- 17 & under tournament**  
**Tuesday night**  
 1. Brent Welborn; 2. Jeremy Barnes; 3. Dylan Ozzello.  
**Open tournament**  
**Wednesday night**  
 1. Rod Porter; 2. Brandon Hill; 3. Chris Broad-bent.

## FOOTBALL

**NEW ORLEANS (AP)** — After surviving a challenge from Johnny Unitas for his starting quarterback's job, Jim Finks threw 26 interceptions. He promptly decided he'd be better off in the front office.

Good move. Over nearly three decades, Finks turned NFL losers at Minnesota, Chicago and New Orleans into winners before almost being hired as Pete Rozelle's successor as NFL commissioner.

The day after his death from lung cancer, Finks was remembered Monday as a visionary satisfied to do his work outside the spotlight and a leader whose success stemmed from positive thinking.

"Jim was a great man. He was a great leader," said Saints coach Jim Mora, who was hired by Finks in 1986 to improve a losing franchise best known for fans who wore bags over their heads.

Added Saints owner Tom Benson: "His influence, both in business and in life, will always be with us."

Finks, who retired as Saints president and general manager after learning of his illness in April 1993, died Sunday night at his home. He was 66.

"Jim Finks was a vision for the game that stood the test of time," said Paul Tagliabue, who replaced Rozelle five years ago after Finks was unable to gain enough votes for the job.

Rozelle said Finks' versatility was evident in 1964, when he began building the Vikings into a championship team.

"Jim Finks was one of those rare individuals in sports who could do it all, and in fact did it all very well," Rozelle said. "It wasn't a coincidence that he also subsequently built winning clubs in Chicago and New Orleans."

"Football and the NFL has lost one of its great supporters," said New York Giants general manager George Young. "Jim was admired by his peers. He was a man of his word. He had strong opinions, but he recognized the right of other people to have their own opinion."

Despite Finks' public reputation as a tough man to deal with, especially in contract negotiations, Mora said his boss had a different side.

"He was always able to come around when things were tough and pick everybody up," Mora said. "He could always bounce back quickly from adversity from a tough loss. He would always think about the positive and 'hey, let's go on to the next goal and the next objective' and I think this is something I remember him very vividly for."

Before Finks' arrival in 1986, the Saints had 19 consecutive losing seasons. By 1991, New Orleans won the NFC West with an 11-5 mark.

It wasn't the first time Finks had turned a team around. As general manager of the Vikings, he brought in Bud Grant in 1967, and the Vikings dominated the NFC Central, reaching the Super Bowl in 1969 and 1973.

"I don't think there's anybody who had a bad word to say about him," said Grant, now a consultant to the Vikings. "His integrity, his honesty, his ability — they didn't come any better than Jim. Football is going to miss Jim Finks. There are certain people in the league who come and go and nobody notices, but Jim is one of the people who will be missed."

After the Vikings, it was on to Chicago where the Bears had been rudderless since their 1963 championship. Before leaving in 1983, Finks acquired 19 of the 22 starters for a Bears' team that went 15-1 in 1985 and beat New England 46-10 in the 1986 Super Bowl.

Despite turning the Saints around, Finks never saw New Orleans reach the same level achieved at Minnesota and Chicago. The Saints lost in the first round in each of their four playoff appearances.

# Indy driver has all-American team

By STEVE HERMAN  
 AP Sports Writer

**INDIANAPOLIS (AP)** — The American flag on the shoulder of Scott Brayton's uniform says it all.

"We really have an all-American team... and we're proud of it," said Brayton, whose Menard V6 engine is an updated version of the Buick stock block he brought to the Indianapolis 500 a decade ago.

Menard builds its own engines in Indianapolis, but the similar Buicks entered in the May 29 race are manufactured by Brayton Engineering of Coldwater, Mich.

"Success comes in funny ways in racing," said Brayton, who was the fastest driver at 227.658 mph Sunday and had a

quick lap of 225.926 in his backup car Monday.

"In 1985, when I set the track record and was on the front row, I broke the transmission and it kept me from getting the pole. At that point I felt like I would be back, shortly. It's taken a long time to come back from that," he said.

"There's been times when I've been fast. There's obviously been disappointments. But I've never lost my faith in the product," he said. "The biggest thing I liked about it, it was American-made."

Brayton's teammate with Menard is Eddie Cheever, who was third-fastest on Sunday at 223.998 mph and increased that to 224.221 Monday.

The fastest in practice on Monday was Michael Andretti

at 227.038 mph, more than 3 mph better than he did on Sunday.

"I knew we could do it (Sunday), we just never got a good lap in, and then I blew an engine on my spare car," Andretti said. "Coming in today, I was confident."

"The thing that's more encouraging was the times we were running were in the middle of the day, and then also near the end of the day in the spare car," he said. "I think we could have done another mile an hour or two quicker."

Second-fastest was defending Indy winner Emerson Fittipaldi at 226.512. Andretti was third-quickest in his backup car at 226.080, and Brayton was next.

The first crash in two days of practice involved Mike Groff,

who apparently blew an engine, did a half-spin and struck the outside wall with the left side of his car. The car sustained extensive left side damage, and Groff had a bruised left foot but was cleared to drive after a checkup at the infield hospital.

Brayton set a record for a stock block engine at 204.638 mph in 1984. He also had the fastest single lap in qualifying the next year, but Pancho Carter's faster four-lap average put Brayton in the middle of the front row. He was sixth in 1989 and matched that last year driving for the Dick Simon team.

"When I had the opportunity to sign with John (Menard) in November, Larry (Curry) had joined the team (as crew chief) and Larry and I had been fast

together back in '86... and I always had a lot of confidence in his ability in giving me a car that when I wanted speed he could get it out for me," Brayton said.

"I certainly felt there was unfinished business, and I joined this team to focus on Indy, to focus on testing and to come and make the best attempt possible to rule out all possibilities of defeat and focus on victory."

"Last year, I struggled the whole first week with some things on the car that were defeating us. But then on carburetion day, we got it right, and then the race came and we missed it just a bit. I felt like this team would give me the opportunity to come here and get the job done."

## Off to the races



Kristy Fortin of Horace Mann is off to the races during the annual city-wide elementary school track meet last weekend at Randy Matson Field. (Pampa News photo)

## WT fires Marshall

**CANYON (AP)** — Former Cy Young winner Mike Marshall won't return for a second season at West Texas A&M, although the firing Monday was news to him.

Athletic director Mike Chandler announced in a news release that Marshall's contract would not be renewed when it expires June 30.

When contacted at his Amarillo home Monday night, Marshall said he hadn't heard anything from the school.

"My attorney has asked me not to say anything to anybody until we get this resolved. See, I still haven't officially heard anything about it," said Marshall, whose Buffaloes went 8-48 in his first and only season as the school's coach.

But Chandler said the school has tried repeatedly to break the news to Marshall.

"We've tried to contact him," Chandler said Monday night. "We've left him voice mail messages on his machines at home and the office and sent him a certified letter."

"We had a meeting set up yesterday and this morning and he didn't show up at either one."

Chandler said Marshall's record wasn't the reason for his dismissal, but wouldn't give specifics.

"We felt like a change in leadership was in the best interest of the baseball program and WTAMU athletics at this time," Chandler said in the statement.

The school will begin immediately looking for Marshall's replacement, Chandler said.

Marshall won the Cy Young in 1974, when he went 15-12 with a 2.42 ERA for the Los Angeles Dodgers.

# Wallach's homer lifts Dodgers past Astros

By KEN PETERS  
 AP Sports Writer

**LOS ANGELES (AP)** — Tim Wallach was asked if he watched the final game of the World Series on TV last fall.

"No comment," Wallach said. "No way am I going to get into that."

Monday night's game between Houston and Los Angeles had something in common with the closing game of the World Series — Astros reliever Mitch Williams surrendering a game-winning homer in the ninth.

This time, Wallach made Williams the goat, hitting a two-run homer that gave the Dodgers a 9-8 victory over Williams and the Astros.

Williams, dealt away by the Phillies after he gave up a ninth-inning, three-run shot to Toronto's Joe Carter that ended the World Series in six games, was left second-guessing himself again after allowing four runs in the final inning.

"He threw me a slider," Wallach said of the 1-0 pitch that he sent deep into the left-field seats. "I think it was out over the plate a little. It surprised me."

Said Williams: "I don't know why

I didn't throw my fastball. I didn't give up one hit on a fastball. Every hit was on a slider. It's called losing with your second-best pitch."

Williams, who had a club-record 43 saves for Philadelphia last season but received death threats after the season ended, was traded to the Astros in December for Doug Jones and Jeff Juden.

Williams (1-3) has a 9.45 ERA and has allowed 14 runs in 13 1-3 innings.

Although rookie Houston manager Terry Collins said Williams probably will remain the closer for the present, the left-hander wasn't so sure.

"He's already said I'm not the closer and that he's going to use different people to do that job," said Williams, who has four of the

Astros' six saves. "When you're the main guy in the bullpen, even if you struggle, you're going to get the ball again the next night in the same situation."

"But with this setup, he doesn't use the bullpen like that, so I don't know when I'll get the ball again. It probably won't be too soon, after tonight."

"Who else do you send out there?" Collins asked. "Has any-

body gotten it done late in the game for us?"

Wallach's 10th homer climaxed a comeback that saw the Dodgers score seven runs in the final two innings after trailing 8-2 since the third inning.

While Williams found himself in an all-too familiar role, Wallach — who hit in the .220s each of the past three seasons — was a somewhat unlikely hero.

"There's nothing better than getting a hit to win it like that in the ninth," said Wallach, hitting .308 with 10 homers and 27 RBIs this year.

"That was a great win. We've had a couple like this; maybe this is the one that will finally get us rolling."

The Dodgers closed within three runs in the eighth on Delino DeShields' RBI single and sacrifice flies by Henry Rodriguez and Eric Karros.

In the ninth, Carlos Hernandez and Mitch Webster opened with consecutive singles. Brett Butler took a called third strike and both runners advanced on Jose Offerman's groundout. Pinch-hitter Mike Piazza singled, pulling Los Angeles within a run, and Wallach followed with his homer.

## Softball standings

Standings as of May 5 in the Pampa Recreation Department Spring Softball Leagues are listed below:

Men's Open-Division I		
Team	Won	Lost
Harvey Mart Two	3	0
Albertsons	2	1
Pampa Machine	3	0
Brogan's Boozery	0	3
Harvesters	0	3
Specialty Compressor	1	2

Men's Open-Division II		
Team	Won	Lost
Moore Bulls	6	1
Jordan Unit I	4	1
Hoehat-Celanese	5	2
Ananda Energy	2	4
Cabot Pampa Plant	1	5
Panther Pizza	3	3
Haliberton	0	5

Men's Open-Division III		
Team	Won	Lost
O.M.I. Waterdogs	3	1
Southern Office Products	2	1
City of Pampa	2	2
Cabot R & D	2	2
Graham Furniture	3	2
Dunlap Industrial Engine	0	4

Men's Church League-Division II		
Team	Won	Lost
Zion Luthern	3	0
St. Vincent's	0	0
Calvary Baptist	1	0
New Life Assembly of God	0	1
Trinity Fellowship	0	1
First Presbyterian	0	2

Women's Open League		
Team	Won	Lost
Carter Sand & Gravel	7	0
Great Plains Financial	4	1
Hispanos Unidos	3	3
Dorman Tire	2	3
Clifton Supply	1	2
Hoehat-Celanese	1	1
Jordan Unit III	0	5

Mixed League		
Team	Won	Lost
Easy's Club	2	0
Mr. Gatti's	2	0
Great Plains Financial	2	1
Coronado Hospital	1	2
D.E. Rice	0	2
Subway	1	2

(Note: Non-conference games do not count in standings)

# Cowboys have high hopes for rookie receiver

By ED WERDER  
 The Dallas Morning News

**IRVING** — Rookie wide receiver Shelby Hill has potential and opportunity with the Cowboys.

The Cowboys have missed twice in recent seasons on wide receivers chosen with high draft choices such as Alexander Wright and Jimmy Smith. Maybe Hill represents a possible payback.

Once the top-rated receiver prospect by the National Scouting Combine, Hill cost the Cowboys nothing in terms of draft choices. He was not among the 29 receivers drafted last week and accepted a free-agent contract from the Cowboys.

"There are a lot of people who don't know what I'm capable of doing," Hill says. "I understand that some people who didn't know who I am or how I am had some bad things to say about me. I couldn't care less. I have an opportunity to come in here and do something great."

Cowboys scouting director Larry Lacey clearly appeared content as he watched from the far end of a practice field while Hill and other rookies complete their mini-camp.

"If he stays one more day, one more week or makes the team, I'd do it again because this guy could be a hell of a player," Lacey said.

The Cowboys ranked Hill comparably with fourth-round draft choice Willie Jackson, an

impressive wide receiver from Florida. Hill turned down other suitors, including the Arizona Cardinals, because the two-time Super Bowl champions offered a \$30,000 signing bonus and a legitimate opportunity to make the roster.

Starters Michael Irvin and Alvin Harper will become free agents after the upcoming season. Former second-round pick Kevin Williams averaged a meager 7.6 yards per reception last season. Smith, a former second-round pick, has been hampered for two seasons with medical problems and has produced as many NFL receptions as Hill and Jackson: none.

Hill, considered a potential first-round pick after his junior season at Syracuse, skidded completely out of the draft after

a senior season that was statistically the most productive of his career.

He had 56 receptions, averaged 16.7 yards per catch, and surpassed Art Monk and Rob Moore to become the top receiver in Syracuse history. But Syracuse had a miserable season and Hill was considered a malcontent. NFL scouts noticed he was inconsistent and failed to run hard on his routes.

Furthermore, Hill, who remains overweight, reported to the scouting combine at 207 pounds and refused to be tested because of a strained lower back.

But Lacey recalled that a former Syracuse coach told him Hill was a better receiver than Qadry Ismail, a second-round

draft choice of the Minnesota Vikings last year.

"If I were Shelby Hill, I'd be tired of all the negative things I've heard because he's very talented," Lacey said. "But it's not over for him. He still has a chance to prove himself."

The process already has started. Hill, whose father, J.D., played for the Buffalo Bills and Detroit Lions, has made plans to move to Dallas and work out at the team's facility for six weeks before training camp.

"In college, people feared me like they're afraid at this level of Michael Irvin, Jerry Rice and Sterling Sharpe," he said.

"Now, the people I line up against think I'm not capable. I have to win their respect. That's fine with me."

# NBA playoffs resume tonight

By The Associated Press

On the 12th day of the NBA playoffs, the fans — and the Chicago Bulls — rested.

Monday was not a game day for any of the eight teams remaining in the playoffs. And it was the first game-free day for all teams since the post-season started April 28. The only other scheduled day off through the first two rounds is next Monday, May 16.

Two second-round series begin tonight, with Indiana playing at Atlanta and Denver playing at Utah.

The other two series, Chicago-New York and Phoenix-Houston, resume Wednesday night. New York and Phoenix both hold 1-0 leads in the best-of-7 series.

Bulls coach Phil Jackson surprised the team Monday by loading them on a bus for practice, then taking them on a Staten Island ferry ride instead.

"Physically, we were in no position to work out," Jackson said. "This got our minds off the game so they can concentrate on the positive aspects of what happened yesterday. A thing like that can form a bitterness, and we needed to get ourselves feeling better."

"It was like a nice day in the park."

No team is more surprised to still be playing than the Denver Nuggets. The Nuggets dropped the first two games of their best-of-5 series with Seattle, then came back to win the final three — including the last two in overtime.

The three straight victories made Denver the first eighth-seeded playoff team in NBA history to beat an opponent with the best record in the conference.

Coach Dan Issel says his Nuggets already have exceeded expectations after slipping into the playoffs with a 42-40 record.

"I think what we get from here on out is just a bonus in terms of experience and our team growing up," he said.

The Jazz, while confident they can earn a trip to the Western Conference finals, are sure it won't come easy.

"I'm not thinking that far ahead right now," John Stockton said. "I'm thinking of Denver, and they just beat the best team in basketball."

"They have a lot of confidence right now," Jeff Hornacek agreed. "We have to push that back right off the bat."

Denver, the youngest team in the league, lost four of five regular-season games to Utah.

Indiana at Atlanta

It's been eight days since the Pacers finished their sweep of the Orlando Magic. More impressively, it's been a month and two days since Indiana lost a game.

Riding an 11-game winning streak dating back to April 8, the Pacers are the hottest team left. They dispatched Shaquille O'Neal's team with two tough road victories, and now they'll have to win at the Omni in order to take this series from the Hawks.

"We're going to have to beat the best teams to move on," Indiana coach Larry Brown said. "We might as well start with Atlanta."

During the regular season, the Hawks won three of five games against the Pacers, taking two of three at Atlanta and splitting two games at Indiana.

The Hawks could be tired tonight, two days after a draining five-game series against Miami ended with a 102-91 Hawks victory.

# Stars looking for more offense

VANCOUVER, British Columbia (AP) — Vancouver coach Pat Quinn can empathize with the Dallas Stars, even if he doesn't feel sorry for them.

The Stars trail the best-of-7 series 3-1 — the same deficit the Canucks faced in the first round against Calgary.

"We're always remembering there's two ways to go," said Quinn, who saw the Canucks advance by beating the Flames three straight times in overtime.

"It's obviously better being closer to the fourth victory. But always keep in mind it takes four," he said.

The defensive-minded Stars realize they'll have to come up with some offense Tuesday night to see Game 5.

"If Mike (Modano) and I score, I think we'll win," Russ Courtnall said. "If we had three goals each in this series, it'd be a different story."

Modano and Courtnall had 14 points between them in the Stars' opening-round sweep of St. Louis.

Courtnall has taken 24 shots in four games against Vancouver, including three in overtime Sunday when the Canucks won 2-1 on Sergio Momesso's sudden-death goal.

While Dallas' stars have struggled, Vancouver has eight goals from its top scorers Trevor Linden and Pavel Bure.

The Canucks, who have not advanced to the conference final since 1982, say they must keep up the defensive pressure to wrap up the series.

"Kirk McLean has played great goal," Canucks center Cliff Ronning said. "Teams have always been successful in the playoffs because of your goalie. They're like a drummer in the band. They have to keep the beat."

The Canucks are more mobile on defense since acquiring Jeff Brown and Brett Hedican from the St. Louis Blues just before the

NHL trading deadline.

"Hedican skates well and Brown moves the puck well," Courtnall said. "It takes pressure off Jyrki Lumme, who is probably their best defenseman."

Stars coach Bob Gainey said he doesn't plan any lineup changes for Game 5, meaning Andy Moog likely will be in goal for the third straight game.

"It's in most of our characters that you never think you're going to be the team that loses," Gainey said. "We don't think we will be now. It's with that kind of attitude we go into the fifth game."

**Rangers 4, Capitals 1**

NEW YORK (AP) — This time, a soft goal did not prevent the New York Rangers from advancing to the conference finals of the NHL playoffs.

Two years ago, goaltender Mike Richter gave up a 65-footer to Pittsburgh's Ron Francis that turned around their second-round series. Monday night, Richter gave up a fluke 140-footer to Washington's Kevin Hatcher that tied the game 1-1 in the first period.

Richter and the Rangers, however, shrugged that one off and went on to a 4-3 victory over the Capitals, winning the best-of-7 series 4-1.

"Those kinds of things happen," said Ranger forward Adam Graves, who scored two goals. "We didn't think anything about it. We didn't say anything in the dressing room. We just went out and worked hard."

Leading the charge was Brian Leetch, who scored the game-winning goal with 3:28 left to cap a four-point night.

The Rangers, who advanced to the conference finals for the first time since 1986 and the fourth time since the four-round format was established in 1974-75, will face the winner of the New Jersey-Boston series starting Sunday in Madison Square Garden.

Leetch, who set up the Rangers' first three goals, all in the first period, broke a 3-3 tie when he took a pass in the slot from Sergei Zubov, skated in and beat Rick Tabaracci with a forehead.

"I had to get the puck to settle down," Leetch said. "There was an opening, I had to be patient and I went in and found a shot."

It was the first goal scored against Tabaracci, who had made 24 straight saves in relief of starter Don Beaupre.

With 15 seconds left, Richter preserved the victory with a stop on Hatcher's shot through a screen from the left circle.

With the victory, the Rangers bounced back from their only loss of the playoffs — Saturday night's 4-2 loss to the Capitals. The Rangers had won a club-record seven straight before then.

"We were a little disappointed at Game 4 and we knew we had to come back here and play a heck of a lot better in all areas," Ranger captain Mark Messier said. "I thought we played pretty solid for 60 minutes."

The Capitals thought they played pretty well, too.

"We didn't quit at any point," Washington's Mike Ridley said. "We scratched to the end, but it wasn't what we were looking for."

Esa Tikkanen scored the other New York goal. Hatcher, Shawn Anderson and Sylvain Cote scored for Washington.

Graves gave the Rangers the early lead, just as he did in Saturday night's Game 4, when he deflected a shot from the left point by Leetch at 1:46 of the first.

The Capitals tied it at 5:33 on Hatcher's fluke goal that stunned the sellout crowd of 18,200 at Madison Square Garden. The Washington defenseman cleared on a Ranger power play and the puck bounced past Richter into the net, about 140 feet away.

Graves then scored from in front at 8:01 and Tikkanen at 8:56

to give the Rangers a 3-1 lead. Tikkanen scored with his back to the net, putting the puck between both his and goaltender Beaupre's legs.

Tabaracci replaced Beaupre in goal at that point and played magnificently for the Capitals, despite giving up Leetch's game-winning goal.

Anderson scored on a rebound of a shot by Dimitri Khristich at 16:20 to cut the Rangers' lead to 3-2 after one period.

Washington tied it 27 seconds into the third when Cote scored on a slap shot from the right circle.

**Devils 2, Bruins 0**

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — Jacques Lemaire has been rolling the dice all season and coming out a winner.

In the New Jersey Devils' biggest game of the season, Lemaire gambled again with a goaltending switch and couple of lineup changes. He hit the jackpot again, too.

Martin Brodeur stopped 22 shots and made his coach's goaltending gamble pay off as the Devils pushed the Boston Bruins to the brink of playoff elimination with a 2-0 victory in Game 5 Monday night.

Corey Millen, also inserted into the lineup for Game 5, and Bob Carpenter scored in the second period as the Devils won their third straight and took a 3-2 lead in the best-of-7 Eastern Conference semifinal series which had been marked by home-ice failures until Monday.

New Jersey can advance to the second conference final in its history by winning Wednesday at Boston or at home Friday night.

"Jacques has made some weird moves all season," Devils center Bernie Nicholls said. "He puts Benny (Ben Hankinson) in in Boston (Game 4) and he scores. He puts Corey in tonight and he scores a goal and Marty shuts them out."

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## Scoreboard

**BASEBALL**

**American League Standings**  
By The Associated Press

Team	All Times EDT		Pct.	GB
	W	L		
New York	20	10	.667	—
Baltimore	19	10	.655	1/2
Boston	20	11	.645	1/2
Toronto	17	15	.531	4
Detroit	12	16	.429	7

**Central Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	16	14	.533	—
Milwaukee	16	14	.533	—
Kansas City	15	14	.517	1/2
Cleveland	14	14	.500	1
Minnesota	14	18	.438	3

**West Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Seattle	13	17	.433	—
Texas	12	16	.429	—
California	13	19	.406	1
Oakland	9	22	.290	1/2

**Sunday's Games**

Seattle 4, Detroit 3  
New York 8, Boston 4  
Baltimore 8, Cleveland 6  
Toronto 3, Milwaukee 1  
Kansas City 9, Chicago 7  
Minnesota 5, Texas 2  
California 7, Oakland 0

**Monday's Games**  
Late Game Not Included

New York 4, Cleveland 3  
Milwaukee 7, Boston 4  
Seattle 3, Chicago 2  
Minnesota 9, Kansas City 5  
Baltimore 4, Toronto 1  
California at Texas, (n)

**Tuesday's Games**

Cleveland (Nagy 2-1) at New York (Kamieniecki 2-0), 7:05 p.m.  
Milwaukee (Navarro 1-2) at Boston (Finnvold 0-0), 7:05 p.m.  
Oakland (Van Poppel 0-3) at Detroit (Gullikson 1-1), 7:05 p.m.  
Toronto (Guzman 3-3) at Baltimore (Moyer 1-1), 7:35 p.m.  
Seattle (Salkeld 1-0) at Chicago (Sanderson 2-0), 8:05 p.m.  
Minnesota (Pulido 0-3) at Kansas City (Gordon 2-1), 8:05 p.m.  
California (Leftwich 1-4) at Texas (B.Hurst 0-0), 8:35 p.m.

**Wednesday's Games**

Cleveland at New York, 7:05 p.m.  
Milwaukee at Boston, 7:05 p.m.  
Oakland at Detroit, 7:05 p.m.  
Toronto at Baltimore, 7:35 p.m.  
Seattle at Chicago, 8:05 p.m.  
Minnesota at Kansas City, 8:05 p.m.  
California at Texas, 8:35 p.m.

**National League Standings**

Team	East Division		Pct.	GB
	W	L		
Atlanta	19	11	.633	—
Montreal	17	14	.548	1/2
New York	17	14	.548	1/2
Florida	17	15	.531	3
Philadelphia	12	19	.387	1/2

**Central Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cincinnati	19	11	.633	—
Houston	17	13	.567	2
Pittsburgh	16	13	.552	1/2
St. Louis	15	14	.517	1/2
Chicago	9	20	.310	1/2

**West Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Francisco	17	15	.531	—
Los Angeles	14	17	.452	1/2
Colorado	13	16	.448	1/2
San Diego	10	20	.333	6

**Sunday's Games**

Montreal 1, Atlanta 0  
Philadelphia 9, Florida 2  
Pittsburgh 9, Chicago 2, 1st game  
Pittsburgh 9, Chicago 3  
Houston 5, Cincinnati 0  
New York 3, St. Louis 2  
Colorado 1, San Diego 0  
San Francisco 5, Los Angeles 4

**Monday's Games**  
Late Games Not Included

San Francisco 12, Colorado 5  
Pittsburgh 9, Florida 5  
New York 5, Montreal 4  
Atlanta 7, Philadelphia 2  
Chicago 6, St. Louis 3  
Houston at Los Angeles, (n)  
Cincinnati at San Diego, (n)

**Tuesday's Games**

Colorado (Harris 1-1) at San Francisco (Buckett 3-2), 3:35 p.m.  
Pittsburgh (Tomlin 0-2) at Florida (Hammond 2-3), 7:35 p.m.

New York (Sabershen 4-1) at Montreal (Henry 0-0), 7:35 p.m.  
Philadelphia (Boakie 0-1) at Atlanta (Mercker 2-0), 7:40 p.m.  
Chicago (Wendell 0-1) at St. Louis (Watson 2-2), 8:05 p.m.  
Houston (Swindell 3-0) at Los Angeles (R.Martinez 1-2), 10:05 p.m.  
Cincinnati (Rijo 1-2) at San Diego (P.Martinez 0-0), 10:05 p.m.

**Wednesday's Games**

Philadelphia at Atlanta, 12:40 p.m.  
Colorado at San Francisco, 3:35 p.m.  
Pittsburgh at Florida, 7:35 p.m.  
New York at Montreal, 7:35 p.m.  
Chicago at St. Louis, 8:05 p.m.  
Houston at Los Angeles, 10:35 p.m.  
Cincinnati at San Diego, 10:35 p.m.

**HORSE RACING**

**Louisiana Downs results-Monday**  
By The Associated Press

Weather Showery, Track Good.

1st—18,700, alc, 3YO up, 1 1-16mi.  
1 Keyshack (Albarado) 7.803.80 2.80  
3 Big Time Layton (Guillory) 3.003.00  
2 Policy's Best (Lejeune) 4.40  
Off 1:00. Time 1:46 3-5. Exacta (1-3) paid \$28.40.  
2nd—6,000, cl, 4YO up, 6f.  
2 Tiny Joe (Ardoin) 7.803.40 2.60  
9 Mytobin (Poyadou) 5.003.20  
4 Cajun Gun (Emigh) 3.40  
Off 1:35. Time 1:13. Scratched—Flashy Sail. Daily Double (1-2) paid \$27.00. Exacta (2-9) paid \$33.40. \$3 Trifecta (2-9-4) paid \$194.40.  
3rd—6,000, cl, mdn 3-4YO, 6f.  
1 Tellico Taps (Cloninger) 5.80 3.60 2.40  
4 Tequila Dance (Simington) 6.603.40  
10 Exclusive Bullseye (Bourque) 2.80  
Off 2:04. Time 1:14 2-5.  
Scratched—Temerity Jake. Exacta (1-4) paid \$45.00.  
4th—6,200, cl, 4YO up, 6f.  
6 Des Bar (Patin) 16.807.20 5.20  
4 Valid Hour (Snyder) 4.403.00  
2 Snow Trick (Troscier) 4.20  
Off 2:29. Time 1:13 4-5. Exacta (6-4) paid \$71.00. \$3 Trifecta (6-4-2) paid \$661.80.  
5th—6,200, cl, 3YO up, 6 1/2f.  
4 I'm Dangerous (Bourque) 8.40 4.00 3.60  
9 Joanie's Time (Gonzalez) 3.40 3.00  
10 Amanda's Oates (Meche) 3.40  
Off 2:56. Time 1:20 2-5. Exacta (4-9) paid \$38.80.  
6th—6,000, cl, mdn 3-4YO, 6f.  
4 Apple Hommey (Guillory) 7.404.202.80  
1 Tropic Island (Troclair) 4.60 3.20  
2 Destiny's Bo (Lovelace) 2.80  
Off 3:19. Time 1:13 1-5. Scratched—Proteece's Prodigy, Southpaw. Exacta (4-1) paid \$32.20.  
7th—6,700, cl, 3YO up, 7f.  
3 Seattle Rattle (Ardoin) 7.803.803.40  
1 Bid Prospect (Albarado) 3.40 3.00  
7 Bob's Mint (Stanley) 4.20  
Off 3:46. Time 1:26 1-5. Exacta (3-1) paid \$29.60. \$3 Trifecta (3-1-7) paid \$155.60. Pick Three (4-4-3) paid \$132.20.  
8th—15,000, cl, 4YO up, 5 1/2f.  
9 Surprise K (Guillory) 7.003.60 3.20  
1 Mystical Flyer (Patin) 8.006.60  
4 My Little Lisa (Emigh) 8.20  
Off 4:13. Time 1:06. Exacta (9-1) paid \$103.00. Pick Three (4-3-9) paid \$130.20. Super Six (1-6-4-3-9) No Winners. 5 of 6 (26 tickets) paid \$270.60. Carryover \$80,417.  
9th—17,000, alc, 3YO up, 6f.  
7 Hail Society (Troclair) 5.60 3.80 3.00  
1 Azul Cielo (Simington) 6.60 3.40  
3 Mr. Ritzie (Albarado) 3.00  
Off 4:41. Time 1:12 1-5. Exacta (7-1) paid \$28.00. Pick Three (3-9-7) paid \$209.80.  
10th—6,000, cl, mdn 3-4YO, 6f.  
2 Rackensack Ladd (Guillory) 7.604.603.00  
9 Kellie's Cuz (Simington) 5.60 3.40  
7 Explosive Alert (Albarado) 2.80  
Off 5:09. Time 1:13 2-5. Late Daily Double (7-2) paid \$23.00. Exacta (2-9) paid \$38.00. \$3 Trifecta (2-9-7) paid \$163.50. Pick Three (9-7-2) paid \$134.80.  
Attendance 3,008. Handle \$373,527. OTB Handle \$485,661. Total Handle \$859,188.



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## PUBLIC NOTICE

**The Gray-Pampa Foundation, Inc.**  
The annual report of The Gray-Pampa Foundation, Inc. for its calendar year ended December 31, 1993, is available at its principal office for inspection during regular business hours by any citizen who requests it within 180 days after the date of this notice.  
The address of the Foundation's principal office is 412 Combs-Worley Building, Pampa, Texas. The principal manager of the Foundation is Floyd F. Watson, Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

FLOYD F. WATSON  
Chairman of the Board of Trustees  
A-94 May 9, 10, 11, 1994

## 2 Museums

**HUTCHINSON County Museum:** Borger. Regular hours 11 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. weekdays except Tuesday, 1-5 p.m. Sunday.

**LAKE Meredith Aquarium and Wildlife Museum:** Fritch, hours Tuesday and Sunday 2-5 p.m., 10 a.m. Wednesday thru Saturday, closed Monday.

**MUSEUM Of The Plains:** Perryton. Monday thru Friday, 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Weekends during Summer months, 1:30 p.m.-5 p.m.

**OLD Mobeetie Jail Museum:** Monday-Saturday 10-5. Sunday 1-5. Closed Wednesday.

**PANHANDLE Plains Historical Museum:** Canyon. Regular museum hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, weekends 2 p.m.-6 p.m.

## 3 Personal

**MARY Kay Cosmetics:** Supplies and deliveries. Call Dorothy Vaughn 665-4953, 665-5117.

**MARY Kay Cosmetics and Skincare:** Facials, supplies, call Theda Walin 665-8336.

**BEAUTICONTROL** Cosmetics and skincare. Offering free complete color analysis, makeover, deliveries and image updates. Call your local consultant, Lynn Allison 669-3848, 1304 Christine.

**Alcoholics Anonymous** 910 W. Kentucky 665-9702

**SHAKLEE:** Vitamins, diet, skincare, household, job opportunity. Donna Turner, 665-6065.

**WANT to lose weight?** 1 lost 40 pounds and 27 inches in 4 months. Lee Ann Stark, 669-9660.

## 5 Special Notices

**ADVERTISING Material to be placed in the Pampa News, MUST be placed through the Pampa News Office Only.**

**PAMPA Masonic Lodge #956,** Thursday 12th, Open Meeting, 6:30 p.m. for presentation of Golden Trowel. All are invited. Meal 6:30 p.m.

**TOP O Texas Lodge 1381 Meeting** Night Monday and Tuesday.

## 10 Lost and Found

**LOST** black female Scottish Terrier, 4 months old, blue collar. 664-1045, 669-6763.

**REWARD:** Lost 2 ladies rings. Close to N. Russell. Family heirlooms. 665-8244, 669-2375.

## 13 Bus. Opportunities

**VENDING Route Established-** Immediate Cash flow \$2500 per week potential. Must sell. 1-800-877-1340

## 14b Appliance Repair

**RENT TO RENT RENT TO OWN**  
We have Rental Furniture and Appliances to suit your needs. Call for estimate. Open for business in our warehouse.  
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**Ralph Baxter** Contractor & Builder Custom Homes or Remodeling 665-8248

**DEAVER Construction:** Building, remodeling and insurance repairs. Ray Deaver, 665-0447.

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**Panhandle House Leveling** Excellent Floor Leveling and Home Repairs, call 669-0958.

**ADDITIONS,** remodeling, new cabinets, ceramic tile, acoustical ceilings, paneling, painting, patio. 18 years local experience. Jerry Reagan, Karl Parks 669-2648.

**CUSTOM Cabinets,** reface; counter tops, etc. Ron's Construction 669-3172.

**ADDITIONS,** remodeling, roofing, cabinets, painting, all types repairs. No job too small. Mike Albus, 665-4774.

**KURT Foster Construction.** Carpenter and cement work. 20 years experience. 665-0300.

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## 14e Carpet Service

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## 14h General Services

**COX Fence Company.** Repair old fence or build new. Free estimates. 669-7769.

**CONCRETE-** Storm cellars, drives, walks, footings, etc. New construction, remodel, repair and demolition. Ron's Construction 669-3172.

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**ORNAMENTAL Iron.** Hand rails, window guards, columns, fencing, etc. Ron's Construction 669-3172.

**ALL types of Mobile Home Repairs and Service.** Denny's Mobile Home Service, 665-1539.

**Commercial/Residential Mowing** Chuck Morgan 669-0511

## 14i General Repair

**IF it's broken or won't turn off,** call the Fix It Shop, 669-3434. Lamps repaired.

**EAGLE Radiator Shop,** open for business, 516 W. Foster, 669-6321.

**PAMPA Lawnmower Repair.** Repairs on all makes of mowers and chainsaws. Pick up and delivery available. 665-8843, 501 S. Cuyler.

## 14n Painting

**PAINTING** and sheetrock finishing. 35 years. David and Joe, 665-2903, 669-7885.

**PAINTING** done reasonable, interior, exterior. Minor repairs. Free estimates. Bob Gorson 665-0033.

**CALDER Painting:** Interior/exterior, mud, tape, acoustic, 30 years in Pampa. 665-4840, 669-2215.

**EXPERIENCED Painters:** Cars, furniture, interior, exterior. Free estimates, call 848-2002.

## 14r Plowing, Yard Work

**PAR-3 Lawn Care Service.** Complete Lawn and sprinkler service. 665-1633.

**Troy-Bilt Rototilling** Free Estimates 669-6180

**MOWING,** Trimming, edging, tree trimming, removal. Free estimates. Please call 665-6642.

## 14s Plumbing & Heating

**Builders Plumbing Supply** 535 S. Cuyler 665-3711

**LARRY BAKER PLUMBING** Heating Air Conditioning Borger Highway 665-4392

**CHIEF** Plastics has steel and PVC pipe, pipe fittings, water heaters and plumbing needs. 1237 S. Barnes.

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**Jim's Sewer and Sinkline Cleaning** 665-4307

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**D&D Roofing, 665-6298** Roofing, all types.

**14z Siding**

**STEEL siding,** windows, storm doors, carports, RV covers and patio covers. Free estimates. Pampa Home Improvement, 669-3600.

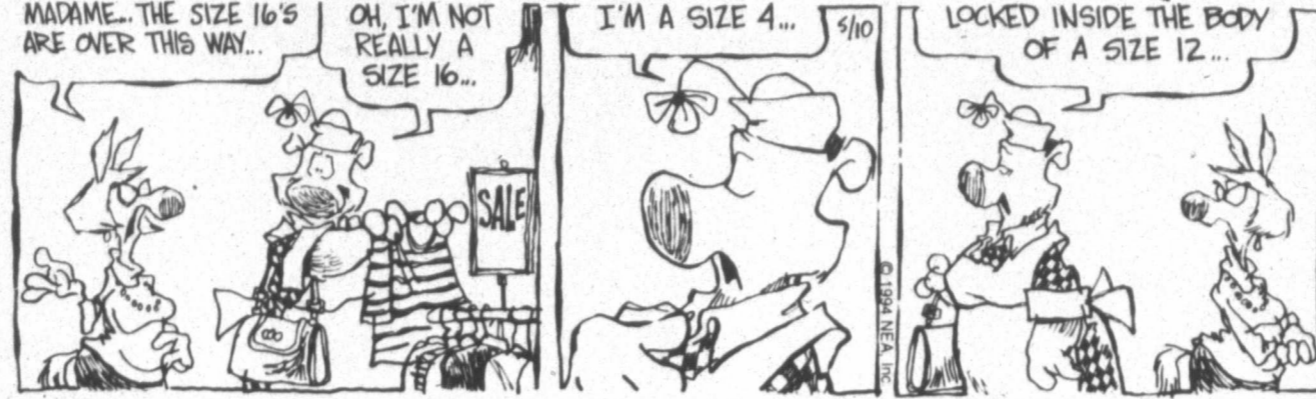
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## 19 Situations

**Top O' Texas Maid Service** Bonded, Jeanie Samples 883-5331

## 21 Help Wanted

**NOTICE** Readers are urged to fully investigate advertisements which require payment in advance for information, services or goods.

**SUMMER Work,** \$9.25 full time/part time positions. College students apply. Interview now in Amarillo, start after finals, work in Pampa. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. 356-7188.

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**WANTED: Part Time Bookkeeper** with experience and some computer skills, flexible hours. Send resume to 1920 N. Zimmers, or call 665-4726.

**La Fiesta** Now Taking Applications For Waitress/Waiters/Cooks

**OPERATE a Fireworks Stand** outside Pampa June 24 thru July 4. Make up to \$1500. Must be over 20. 1-800-364-0136 or 1-210-429-3808 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

**NEED part time help,** Monday thru Thursday, 1-5 p.m. for filing and answering the phone. Reply to Box 11 c/o Pampa News, P.O. Drawer 2198, Pampa, Tx. 79066.

**SECRETARY** needed for small oilfield service company. Resumes, P.O. Box 1394, Pampa.

**DRIVERS** needed. Must be 18, valid drivers license and insurance. Apply 1500 N. Banks.

**CERTIFIED Nurse aides** or Nurse aides with at least 1 year experience needed, call for applications, 669-1046.

**RN** needed for Home Healthcare agency, part time. Send resume to Box 12 c/o Pampa News, P.O. Drawer 2198, Pampa, Tx. 79066.

**RN's** needed, special people for a special kind of caring. Nursing management and case management. Hospice of the Panhandle, P.O. Box 2782, Pampa.

**DELIVERY** drivers needed. Must have clean driving record. Apply at Long John Silvers.

**30 Sewing Machines**

**WE** service all makes and models of sewing machines and vacuum cleaners. Sanders Sewing Center. 214 N. Cuyler, 665-2383.

**50 Building Supplies**

**HOUSTON LUMBER CO.** 420 W. Foster 669-6881

**White House Lumber Co.** 101 S. Ballard 669-3291

**Grooming and Boarding** Jo Ann's Pet Salon 1033 Terry Rd., 669-1410

**GENTLE** natured, perfect pets. AKC Shelties (miniature-Collies) Born March 18. Females \$180, males \$160. 883-2461 after 6.

**Lee Ann's Grooming** All Breeds-Reasonable Rates 669-9660

**89 Wanted To Buy**

**OLD** toys, spurs, badges, old jewelry, knives, marbles, quilts, etc. 669-2605.

**WANTED** to buy used 14 foot mobile home. Will pay cash. Amarillo, 383-9783.

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**WANTED** used gas cook stove and refrigerator. Call 835-2309.

**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.

**130 Yards of Carpet** 669-9834

**MAGIC** Chef refrigerator, deep freeze, 27 inch TV, divan and chair. 665-1934.

**All Bills Paid**

**1 bedrooms - \$80/wk. \$300 month** nice, clean, cable available, ref. a/c, good location.

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**Barrington Apts.** EHO  
1030 N. Sumner 669-9712

## 62 Medical Equipment

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## 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.

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**CALL** me for products Herbalife Independent Distributor, Carolyn Stroud, 669-6979.

**PAULA'S Custom Cakes,** in Canadian. Catering, all types of receptions, weddings, parties, etc. References available. 323-9825.

**2 chest freezers,** rocker recliner loveseat, 48 gallon fish tank, 3 foot dorm refrigerator/freezer, 7 foot chest of drawers. 665-7353.

**CRAFTSMAN** 2600 Watt generator, \$275. Call 669-7858.

## 69a Garage Sales

**Garage Sale** 943 S. Dwight Wednesday-Friday

**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.

**Wheeler Evans Feed** Full line of Aco feeds We appreciate your business Hwy-60 Kingsmill 665-5881

**ALFALFA** Hay, \$3 bale and up. Can arrange delivery. 806-447-2271 Wellington, leave message.

**77 Livestock & Equip.**

**3 HOGS FOR SALE** 665-6435

**BABY CALVES** for sale. 835-2904

**80 Pets And Supplies**

**GROOMING,** exotic birds, pets, full line pet supplies, lams and Science Diet dog and cat food. Pets Unique, 407 W. Foster. 665-5102.

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**Small 1 bedroom with appliances.** M.K. Brown area. \$165. 665-4705.

**VERY Clean 2 bedroom,** fully carpeted. \$300 rent, \$150 deposit. 1131 E. Francis. 669-7858.

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**CHUCK'S SELF STORAGE** Some commercial units. 24 hour access. Security lights. 665-1150 or 669-7705.

**TUMBLEWEED ACRES SELF STORAGE UNITS** Various sizes 665-0079, 665-2450.

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**NBC PLAZA** Office Space 665-4100

**Action Realty Plaza 101.** Best location. 107 W. Foster. \$265 rent, utilities paid. 669-1221.

**OFFICE** Space, 600-1150 square feet. Call Randall 806-293-4413.

**RENT OR LEASE:** Retail, high traffic location. Reasonable rent. Will remodel for tenant, 116 W. Foster, 120 W. Foster. See Ted or John at 114 W. Foster. 669-9137.

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**HAMILTON** Nice 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 baths. Nearly new neutral carpet. Unusual contemporary design. Large building and smaller storage building, detached garage. Very clean and ready to move into. MLS 2798.

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## Kids tell of brushes with death, urge injury prevention priority

By LAURAN NEERGAARD  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Their bicycles were hit by cars or they were in wrecks or their houses burned.

Now 102 children who have had brushes with death from preventable injuries — the No. 1 killer of children — are headed to Capitol Hill today as part of a campaign to make injury prevention a national priority.

"The bottom line is that prevention works. It saves families untold suffering as well as millions of dollars," said Heather Paul, director of the National Safe Kids Campaign. "No one can tell that better than the kids themselves."

Some 8,000 children under 15 die from what officials say are preventable injuries every year, more than die from all childhood diseases combined. An additional 50,000 suffer permanent disabilities. Treating the 13 million children injured each year costs \$13.8 billion.

Simple strategies, from bicycle helmets and car seats to anti-scald faucets, could prevent 90 percent of injuries, but they're not used enough, experts say. For example, only 10 states mandate bike helmets.

A Senate Labor and Human Resources subcommittee arranged to hear the 102 children tell their experiences with near-fatal injuries — or how they prevented such injuries — as part of Safe Kids' campaign.

One is an Oregon boy whose bike helmet saved his life even though it cracked in half when a car hit him. Another is a Rhode Island boy shot while playing with a gun and left partially blind.

And 11-year-old Misty Kimsey will explain that children can even educate adults.

The Blacksburg, S.C., girl saw a school film on fire safety last Octo-

ber and immediately asked her parents to install a smoke detector.

"I bugged and bugged," Misty said. "They said, 'We'll get it later,' but they kept forgetting."

Misty's father installed an alarm on Nov. 7. That very night, their house burned down, but the family heard the alarm and escaped minutes before their blazing ceiling collapsed.

"I basically never thought anything like that would ever happen," said Misty's mother, Karen Kimsey.

"This is how our kids are dying, and we have things in hand we can do about it if we try," said Dr. Mark Rosenberg of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

Safe Kids wants Congress to: — Subsidize child safety devices for low-income families. Currently, only 25 percent of infants and toddlers on Medicaid use child car seats, compared with 75 percent of other children.

— Provide grants to states that pass comprehensive injury prevention laws.

— Finance community health centers to educate low-income parents about injury prevention.

Congress already is listening. This week, the Senate is expected to pass a bill requiring toy labeling and manufacturing standards for bike helmets.

And CDC is pushing innovative research such as Wayne State University's development of guns that won't fire unless they recognize the owner's palm print.

But the government needs to take more action during health reform, when the nation is trying to cut its health care bills, said former Surgeon General C. Everett Koop.

He cites estimates that every \$15 bike helmet saves the country \$450 in direct and indirect medical costs, and every \$40 child car seat saves \$1,280.

"There's no better example of cost-effective health care," he said.

## From prisoner to president: Mandela inaugurated today

By TINA SUSMAN  
Associated Press Writer

PRETORIA, South Africa (AP) — Nelson Mandela was sworn in as South Africa's first black president today in a joyous celebration ending the agony of apartheid and marking the country's return to the world community. "Let freedom reign!" he proclaimed.

Completing his transformation from political prisoner to president of Africa's richest country, Mandela eagerly began his oath of office even before the chief justice asked him.

"I do hereby swear to be faithful to the Republic of South Africa," he declared, standing on an outdoor podium enclosed in seven tons of bulletproof glass. Shouts of "Viva!" rang out from the crowd, which included heads of state and heroes of the liberation struggle.

Mandela took over from F.W. de Klerk, who dismantled apartheid, the harsh racial separation system his National Party codified four decades ago. Mandela's African National Congress won a landslide victory last month in the country's first election to include the black majority.

In his inaugural speech, the 75-year-old president called apartheid "an extraordinary human disaster that lasted too long."

"We shall build the society in which all South Africans, both black and white, will be able to walk tall, without any fear in their hearts,



Nelson Mandela

assured of their inalienable right to human dignity — a rainbow nation at peace with itself and the world," Mandela vowed.

"Never, never and never again shall it be that this beautiful land will again experience the oppression of one by another and suffer the indignity of being the skunk of the world."

The new 400-member multiracial parliament chose him president, unopposed, at its first session Monday.

Moments before his swearing-in, de Klerk and ANC national chairman Thabo Mbeki took oaths of office as Mandela's deputy presidents in a

government of national unity.

The inauguration finished with a thunderous cannon salute, warplanes trailing smoke in the new national colors of red, white, blue, black, green and gold, and helicopters carrying the redesigned flag. The president, estranged from his wife, Winnie, held the hand of his daughter, Zenani Dlamini, as he left.

Mandela walked down among the 50,000 ordinary South Africans who had watched the ceremony on giant TV screens on the lawns below. He waved, moved to the music and thanked them for their struggle.

"It has been costly in human lives but let us forget the past," he said. "Now we have won ... We are now busy healing the wounds of the past and it is for you to support us in that task."

Mandela has vowed to provide housing, jobs, education and health care to the millions of blacks impoverished under white rule. He must

also end the political violence that has killed more than 11,000 people since 1990.

If he keeps enough of his promises to satisfy blacks, and maintains economic prosperity to assuage whites, Mandela's 5-year term will be seen as a near miracle in a continent filled with black-ruled nations struggling to overcome the effects of colonialism.

Mandela has warned constituents it will take time to undo the inequities of a system that deprived the nation's 30 million blacks of the right to vote, to own property in most of the country and to travel freely.

Mandela's swearing-in marked something more than an inauguration — it was the coming out party for South Africa after decades of international isolation.

Representatives of more than 200 governments and organizations, who five years ago would either have been barred from visiting or would not have considered it, were invited.



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### Small town postmaster shot by robber

DEWEYVILLE, Texas (AP) — The postmaster of a small Newton County town is recovering from three gunshot wounds he received when a 61-year-old man tried to rob him, officials say.

Jeff Hale, 42, was in stable condition late Monday night following surgery at Baptist Hospital-Orange.

Hale was shot three times Monday morning at the post office in Deweyville, population 1,200.

A would-be robber entered the post office, muttered something about wanting to be executed then fired what appeared to be a .38-caliber pistol, said Newton County Sheriff Wayne Powell.

The man shot the postmaster twice in the arm and once in the lower part of the chest, Powell said. A postal clerk, who was the only other person in the post office during the shooting, fled to a day care center behind the post office and called the sheriff's office.

About 4 1/2 hours after the inci-

dent, John P. Anger of Orange turned himself in at the Huntsville Police Department, Lt. Gary Howze said.


"He came into the building and advised one of the deputies what he had done," Howze said. Anger carried three handguns in a bag and gave them to police, Howze said.

Anger was being held without bond in the Huntsville jail late Monday night on a federal charge of attempted murder on a postal employee, said police spokesman Ross Hovey.

Postal Service spokesman Roy Betts said the shooting was apparently the result of a botched robbery.


Anger appeared calm, but somewhat "affected" by the shooting, Howze said. He has not given police a motive for the shooting.

Members of the Postal Service's law enforcement arm, the Postal Inspection Service, were dispatched from Houston and were on the scene investigating, Betts said.



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