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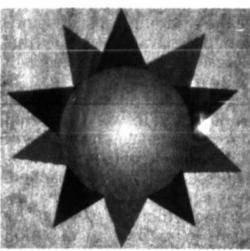
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PAMPA — Show your support for "Building Pampa's Future" — a new building for Clarendon College-Pampa Center by attending the community rally Tuesday, July 21, at 11:45 a.m. in the Heritage Room, M.K. Brown Auditorium. Call in your luncheon reservations to the Chamber (669-3241) by tomorrow.

No ticket matched all six numbers drawn Wednesday night for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas game, state lottery officials said.
The jackpot was worth an estimated \$10 million.
The numbers drawn Wednesday were: 3, 12, 23, 32, 36 and 39.
Saturday night's drawing will be worth an estimated \$14 million.

GALVESTON (AP) — A Houston man has been sentenced to four years in prison on charges of intoxication manslaughter because he was driving drunk when two Galveston County teens died in a fiery car crash.
William Walton Glauser, 27, must spend at least two years in prison before he is eligible for parole, according to assistant Galveston County District Attorney Larry Drosnes.

- Ray Christenson, 71, retired traveling evangelist.
- William "Pete" Kinslow, 65, retired employee of Lewis Construction Company.
- Dorothy C. Stephens, 74, retired dental assistant for Dr. Joe Pieratt.
- Neal Clifford Teakell, 66, former prison guard.

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Up, up and away...



Mary Maguire, Paul Hinton and Jacob Maguire visit the site near Skellytown where the helium balloons landed.
(Special photo by Iris Ragsdale)

Balloon odyssey... Proof of a small world

By IRIS RAGSDALE
For the News

Daniel and Merry Maguire of Rapid City, S.D., made new friends in the Top O' Texas in a most unusual way after exactly nine years, four months, and 10 days.
It started with a marriage.
The Maguires, who were married in Jackson Hole, Wyo., in September, 1989, had their wedding reception two months later on November 18, 1989, at the Stratosphere Bowl near Rockerville, S.D., where Dan had also proposed to Merry.
At the wedding reception, after giving balloons to all of the children present, the Maguires tied the balance of the 40 or 50 pink,

blue and purple helium-filled balloons together and attached their name, date and telephone number.
They released the wedding balloons that day from the same location as the 1932 Stratosphere Balloon Flight where Orvil Anderson and Albert W. Stevens set a new altitude world record for the first successful Stratosphere Balloon flight.
This group of balloons made it all the way to Skellytown and landed 24-hours and 700 miles later safely near the home of Paul and Sonya Hinton on the morning of November 19, 1989.
Sonya Hinton then contacted the couple to let them know that the balloons had made a successful trip and Paul had found them in the
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New members, plays selected for ACT I season

Area Community Theatre, Inc. Board of Directors met recently to plan the 1998-99 season. New members welcomed to the board are Kayla Pursley, John McKeon and Miranda Bailey.
ACT I will produce four shows this season. Pursley will direct the first show set for Sept. 24-25 at the Heritage Room at M.K. Brown Auditorium. The Thursday-Friday performance dates are a matter of availability. ACT I will only offer one weekend of shows as opposed to double weekends this season.
ACT I's primary goal this year is to find a new "home" for storage and rehearsal space. No productions will be scheduled for performance at their Pampa Mall location. Auditions will be announced in August. Pursley, one of the original founders of ACT I, is still reviewing possible scripts for her show. The first production will be a reader's theatre production, cast size open to as many who audition.
"I guess I'm coming out of retirement," Pursley says about
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Arrests start as undercover operation ends

Local and area law enforcement officials have started arresting people named in warrants issued yesterday as part of a two-year undercover operation.
The operation involved officers from the Gray County Sheriff's Office, Pampa Police Department and the Panhandle Regional Narcotics Task Force. Officials say it lasted longer than originally planned because of early success.
The 26 warrants were issued Tuesday and yesterday the first six suspects were arrested. More arrests are expected today.
Those arrested by the Gray County Sheriff's Deputies and Pampa Police were:
Adrian I. Martinez, 23, 412 Crest, was arrested on two charges of delivery of marijuana over one-fourth ounce and under five pounds and one charge of delivery cocaine, over one gram.
Joseph Anthony Moneyhan, 48, Davis Motel, was arrested on charges of delivery of cocaine under one gram.
Michael John Ray, 18, 424 N. Sumner, was arrested on charges of delivery of marijuana over one-fourth ounce and under five pounds.
Roberto Perez, 51, 200 W. Craven, was arrested on charges of delivery of cocaine under four grams.
Charles Wayne Jones, 25, 704 E. Browning, Two charges of delivering cocaine and two charges of delivering methamphetamines.
Leslie LeRoy Strahan, unknown age and address, was arrested in Miami by the Roberts County Sheriff's Office. He was arrested on a Gray County warrant for on charges of delivery of marijuana over one-fourth ounce and under five pounds.

City funding for playground gains approval

By JEFF WEST
Staff Writer

The Pampa City Commission agreed with the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board and authorized using nearly \$10,000 in water bill donations for playground equipment and giving another \$10,000 to help kick off the fund raiser for the Superplayground.
The advisory board has selected the equipment and recommends the commission approve buying a climbing apparatus, a slide and a six-place swing set. One of the swings, and other equipment, will be handicapped accessible.
The commission also appropriated \$5,000 from this year's Parks and Recreation budget and \$5,000 from next year's budget to the Superplayground project.
Commissioners also approved a final reading of new rules and guidelines for the various city boards. The rules standardize the length of terms and how often members can be absent. The regulations state appointments will be made in September and take effect Oct. 1.
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Celanese recently gave one of its pickups to the Red Cross so the charity could get needed supplies and aid to a disaster faster. Helping hand over the keys and the title are Safety Engineer Norman Guest, Safety Specialist Don Wommack, Plant Manager Riley Kothmann, and Pampa Red Cross Director (and Norman's wife) Stephanie Guest.
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Daily Record

Services tomorrow

HENDERSON, Ama Lee — 10:30 a.m., First Baptist Church, Shamrock.

Obituaries

REV. RAY CHRISTENSON

The Rev. Ray Christenson of Pampa died Friday, July 10, 1998. Memorial services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in Briarwood Church.

The Rev. Christenson was born June 13, 1926. He pastored at Olathe, Colo., Paonia, Colo., Colby, Kan., and Spearman. He was a traveling evangelist from 1980-89 and was a radio missionary at KJNP, North Pole, Alaska, for three years, KUOA in Siloam Springs, Ark., KDTA at Delta, Colo., and KXXX at Colby. He ministered to American Indians via Indian Bible schools, camp meetings and revival services.



He and his wife, Elsie, had been Pampa residents since 1984.

Survivors include his wife, Elsie; four sons, Tim Christenson of Pampa, Dan Christenson of Gresham, Ore., Wendel Christenson of Borger and Van Christenson of Everett, Wash.; a sister; two brothers; and nine grandchildren.

The family will be at 324 N. Dwight.

WILLIAM 'PETE' KINSLOW

William "Pete" Kinslow, 65, of Pampa, died Thursday, July 16, 1998, at Amarillo Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Jim Teeter, pastor of St. Paul United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Kinslow was born May 7, 1933, at Paris, Texas. He grew up in Tulia. He married Malenda Faye Durham on Aug. 8, 1954, at Crowell. He had been a Pampa resident since 1964. He was a heavy equipment operator and mechanic with Lewis Construction Company, retiring in 1992 after 26 years of service.

Survivors include his wife, Malenda, of the home; two daughters, Belinda Nolte and Vickie Long, both of Pampa; a son, Jerry Kinslow of Happy; his father, Bobby Kinslow of Tulia; two sisters, Ellen Airehart and Cordie Johnston, both of Tulia; six grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Hospice of the Panhandle, Box 2795, Pampa, TX 79066-2795.

DOROTHY C. STEPHENS

Dorothy C. Stephens, 74, of Pampa, died Thursday, July 16, 1998. Services are pending under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mrs. Stephens was born June 1, 1924, at Memphis, Texas. She married Don R. Stephens on March 28, 1942, at Memphis. She has been a Pampa resident since 1957, moving from Plainview. She as a dental assistant for Dr. Joe Pieratt, retiring in 1984 after 22 years of service. She was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Don, of the home; a daughter, Judy Riley of Pampa; two sons, Roy Don Stephens of Pampa and Larry V. Stephens of Plano; two sisters, Jerri Sears of Austin and Irene Vehon of Dallas; four brothers, C.B. Francis of Austin, Jim Francis of Birmingham, Ala., Doug Francis of Garland and Joe L. Francis of Las Vegas, Nev.; nine grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Pampa Sheltered Workshop.

NEAL CLIFFORD TEAKELL

WHEELER - Neal Clifford Teakell, 66, died Tuesday, July 14, 1998. Graveside services were to be at 2 p.m. today in Wheeler Cemetery with Bill Morrison, minister of Wheeler Church of Christ, officiating. Burial will be in Wheeler Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Home of Wheeler.

Mr. Teakell was born Aug. 28, 1931, at Wheeler, to Archie and Cora Teakell. He had been a life-long Wheeler resident. He had been previously employed as a prison guard by the State of Oklahoma. He was a Baptist and a U.S. Army veteran, serving during the Korean War.

Survivors include two nieces, Teresa Seuh of Miami and Alisa Lansaw of Waynesboro, Ky.; and three nephews, David Trimble of Pampa, Archie Trimble of Amarillo and Dan Trimble of Wheeler.

Emergency numbers

Ambulance	911
Crime Stoppers	669-2222
Energas	665-5777
Fire	911
Police (emergency)	911
Police (non-emergency)	669-5700
SPS	669-7432
Water	669-5830

Police report

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

Wednesday, July 15

Michael John Ray, 18, 424 N. Sumner, was arrested on charges of delivery of marijuana. Burglary was reported in the 300 block North Ballard.

Theft of a bicycle was reported in the 700 block of Browning. A gas drive-off was reported in the 1300 block of N. Hobart.

Theft of a bicycle was reported in the 1100 block of E. Francis.

Sheriff's Office

The Gray County Sheriff's Department reported the following arrests during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Wednesday, July 15

Roberto Perez, 51, 200 W. Craven, was arrested on charges of delivery of a controlled substance. Charles Wayne Jones, 25, 704 E. Browning, was arrested on charges of delivery of controlled substances.

Adriano I. Martinez, 23, 412 N. Crest, was arrested on charges of delivery of a controlled substance and delivery of marijuana.

Joseph Anthony Moneyhan, 48, Davis Motel, was arrested on charges of delivery of a controlled substance.

Ambulance

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

Wednesday, July 15

1:29 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 600 block of S. Ballard and transported one to Ochiltree County Hospital in Perryton.

8:35 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 800 block of W. 25th and transported one to Columbia Medical Center.

Fires

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

Wednesday, July 15

10:21 p.m. — One unit and one personnel responded to the 1300 block of Hamilton on a smoke scare.

Calendar of events

PAMPA AREA LITERACY COUNCIL

Pampa Area Literacy Council office will be open from 1 to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday. For more information, call 665-2331.

THEE PLACE

Thee Place for Singles is open 7-10:30 p.m. Saturdays at 520 W. Kingsmill.

ADHD/ADD SUPPORT GROUP

Efforts are under way to form a support group for parents of children with attention deficit disorder/hyperactivity disorder or attention deficit disorder. Those interested are asked to call Connie after 6 p.m. and weekends, 669-9364.

EMMAUS REUNION

Emmanuel Reunion Group meets the second Thursday of each month. For more information, call 669-3426 or 669-9226.

PANHANDLE PIECEMAKERS QUILT GUILD

Regular meeting, 6:30 p.m. at Pampa Senior Citizens Center, 500 W. Francis. Visitors welcome. For more information, please call 669-0568 or 665-4718.

SHAMROCK YOUTH RALLY

City-wide set for July 17, at Shamrock High School Auditorium. Scott Gordon and Craig Allen will minister along with Kiya Young of Canadian, Tx. Local youth will entertain the audience with music and song. A fellowship time will follow.

Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Atterbury Grain of Pampa		
Wheat	2.57	dn 3/16
Milo	3.48	up 1/16
Corn	3.90	dn 1/16
Soybeans	5.64	dn 1/8
The following show the prices for which these securities could have traded at the time of compilation:		
Occidental	25 7/16	dn 1/8
The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation:		
Magellan	114.65	dn 13/16
Puritan	21.63	dn 1/4
The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock Market quotations are furnished by Edward Jones & Co. of Pampa		
Amoco	40 1/2	dn 7/16
Arco	73 15/16	dn 5/16
Cabot	31 7/8	dn 1/16
Cabot O&G	18 13/16	dn 3/16
Chevron	82 3/4	dn 3/16
Coca-Cola	86	up 1 13/16
Columbia/HCA	30 11/16	dn 1/16
Enron	57	up 15/16
Halliburton	42 5/16	dn 1/16
IBR	11 7/8	dn 1/8
KME	52 5/8	dn 1/8
Kerr McGee	57 1/4	dn 3/8
Limited	30 3/4	dn 1
McDonald's	70 15/16	dn 3/16
Mobil	75 1/4	dn 1/8
New Atmos	29 3/8	NC
NCE	45 15/16	NC
Penney's	67 5/16	dn 1/16
Phillips	47 5/16	dn 1/16
Pioneer Nat. Res.	22 7/16	dn 1/8
SLB	68 3/4	dn 13/16
Tenneco	35	dn 1/4
Texaco	58	dn 7/16
Ulramar	29 1/2	NC
Wal-Mart	66	up 1/8
Williams	35 15/16	dn 3/16
New York Gold	293.30	
Silver	5.28	
West Texas Crude	14.85	

Court report

Marriage licenses

James Douglas Allan and Janetta Nicole Watson Wil Shane Phillee and Manda Don Randolph
Roy Dale Blaylock and Christy Joann Steward
Melvin Dale Haynes and Holly Ruth Crutcher
Lyle Garton Halliburton and Brandy Blalock
John Mark Topper and Shirlene Rene Bowles
Homer Wayne Crouch and Kimberly Lynn McGivern
William Iyvell Gardner and Brenda Louise Stokes
Allen Lee Baumgardner and Irma Joyce Coker
David Michael Woeffle and Melba Mae Summers
Eddy Gene Pickett and Ktzi Dean Weller
James Ray Armbrister, Jr. and Tammye Gayle Cole
Benjamin Jeffery Schiffman and Cathy Sue Taylor

Christian Edward Bruce and Amanda Delynn Free
Dana Lee Knaub and Tammy Louise Watson
Robert Louis Underwood and Roseann Youngblood
Christopher Thomas Kirby and April Elaine Marcum
Clinton Dean Hinds and Thelma Suzanne Jennings
James Coleman Woodruff and Deborah Sue Moody
Robert Dwayne Dryden, Jr. and Stacey Ronae Loter
Jeremy Don Medley and Mandy Lynn Thomas
Michael Eugene Horton, Jr. and Maricella Chavez
Miles Shanhon Cook and Tonia Lee Welster
Guy Matthew McKissick and Carrie Dawn Caswell

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CITY

They gave the Pampa Police Department approval to seek a Department of Justice grant for just over \$20,000 to help purchase a computerized archiving system. The rest of the funds would come from next year's police budget.

The commission also approved on first reading a zoning change, from multi-family to light commercial, for Hamilton Street property behind Franks Foods on Hobart. Commissioners kept the Planning and Zoning Commission's recommendation that an eight-foot block fence be built despite a request from Frank Morrison to lower the fence to six feet. Commissioners did not agree with some area resi-

dents' request to make streets around the site one way. Eskridge said the traffic patterns do not justify such a move.

The commission went into executive session to discuss appointments for two seats on the Pampa Economic Development Corporation and one on the Planning and Zoning Commission.

They reappointed Roger David to the PEDC for another two-year term and to replace retiring Wayne Stribling with Riley Kothmann, manager of Celanese. The commission praised Stribling for his work on the PEDC board since its inception.

John Haesle, a section leader at Celanese, was selected to fill Ray Boring's seat on the Planning and Zoning Commission.

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BALLOON

pasture near their home.

It had always been the dream of this couple to come and one day to meet these Texans who received their wedding balloons. The dream, in part, became a reality earlier this month when Merry Maguire and her 6-year-old son Jacob arrived to visit the panhandle.

Maguire, along with her nieces Shawna, Mandi, and Melissa Hicks, and her grandparents, Harry and Lola Ellwein of Gordon, Neb., made a stop on their way to Wichita Falls to take Merry's nieces to their new home.

Paul Hinton was the host for the special luncheon

that was followed by a trip out to his former home near Skellytown to see the wedding balloons' landing site. Sonya Hinton passed away earlier this year, but Iris and Bill Ragsdale, long-time friends of the Hintons, met the new friends.

The families' meeting provided another unusual twist to the already ironic story: It was discovered that Pampa's Iris Morris Ragsdale, formerly of Rapid City, S.D., and Lola Ellwein of Gordon, Neb., by chance were both present at the Stratosphere Bowl more than 60 years ago in 1932 to see the historic flight, "as their parents thought it would be more beneficial for them to see history in action than being in school that day," according to Ragsdale.

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ACT I

her decision to join the theatre group.

"ACT I members have been asking me to get involved since I moved back to town in 1996. It is much more fun for me to be a part of production rather than sitting in the audience. But it's more than just doing a show. With the closing of Pampa Mall, ACT I desperately needs a new home if it is to survive another year. I hope whatever experience and influence I bring to the board can make a difference."

Bailey, a newcomer, will direct the second show of the season set for Nov. 5-6 also in the Heritage Room at M.K. Brown Auditorium. Her background in theatre comes primarily from her college years where she said she obtained two degrees with, "the most fun of the two in Theatre Arts." Her selection,

"Eleemosynary" by Lee Blessing, is a humorous, sensitive piece about the relationship of a young girl, her mother and her grandmother, according to Bailey. Auditions will be in early September.

The remaining two shows have tentative dates in February and April. The season will be officially announced when the membership drive begins in August. The board of directors also discussed plans for the annual awards banquet postponed from earlier in the year. Current members will be receiving ballots next month for voting Best Actors and Best of Season shows.

The banquet is scheduled for Aug. 21. The next board meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, July 22 at 7:30 p.m. at The Four Poster, 300 W. Foster. For information about auditioning, season ticket information or program advertising contact Pursley at 665-8848.

Taylor Mart hit by burglars

A second break-in occurred last night at the Taylor Mart at 324 N. Ballard. The thief or thieves broke the glass in front door as well as the lock. Another break-in at that location had occurred a few months ago.

The thieves got away with about \$90 in cash according to police reports and also took some lot-

tery tickets as well.

Police say they have no leads at the present but are continuing to investigate.

Anyone who has information on the break-in can call Crime Stoppers at 669-2222. All callers will remain anonymous.

Re-enactor pleads guilty to shooting

GETTYSBURG, Pa. (AP) — A Civil War buff from France pleaded guilty to charges he shot and wounded a man during a re-enactment of the Battle of Gettysburg.

Christian Evo, 52, of Muret, France, pleaded guilty Wednesday to one count of recklessly endangering another person. A charge of assault was dropped. He was sentenced to two days in jail, ordered to pay more than \$28,550 to cover his victim's medical bills, and fined \$2,000.

Evo, who had already spent two days in jail, paid part of his fine and headed back to France.

"I don't want to return to the United States," he said.

Prosecutors said Evo shot Clinton Wakefield Epps, 22, of Charlottesville, Va., in the neck during a re-enactment of the Battle of Gettysburg on July 3. Authorities have called the shooting an accident.

Evo did not know that the revolver was loaded with live ammunition, said his attorney, Joseph Metz. Evo didn't even realize that he had hurt anyone until later.

Evo, who was riding a horse, pointed the gun directly at Epps when he pulled the trigger despite rules specifically banning the use of live ammunition in the re-enactment, prosecutors said.

Adams County District Attorney Michael George argued that Evo could have taken more precautions.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

Sunny, hot and humid today with a high in the mid 90s and variable winds at 5-15 mph. Scattered thunderstorms possible this evening then turning fair with a low of 72 and southeast winds at 5-15 mph. Tomorrow, sunny, hot, and humid with a high of 98 and south winds from 10-20 mph. Yesterday's high was 96; the overnight low 65.

REGIONAL FORECAST

WEST TEXAS — Panhandle — Tonight, partly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of thunderstorms. Low in the mid 60s. Light and variable wind. Friday, partly sunny with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. High in the mid 90s. Southeast to south wind 5-15 mph. Low Rolling Plains — Tonight, slight chance of thunderstorms. Low 65-70. Friday, partly cloudy. Slight chance of thunderstorms west. High 95-100. Concho Valley/Edwards Plateau — Tonight, slight chance of thunderstorms. Low 70-75. Friday, partly cloudy. A slight chance of thunderstorms. High 95-100. Far West Texas —

Tonight, widely scattered showers/Thunderstorms. Lows near 70. Friday, partly cloudy. Isolated afternoon thunderstorms. Highs mid 90s. Guadalupe Mountains/Big Bend Area — Tonight, slight chance of thunderstorms. Lows 60s mountains to around 80 along the Rio Grande. Friday, partly cloudy. Slight chance of thunderstorms. Highs upper 80s to around 107.

NORTH TEXAS — Heat advisory for central parts of north Texas through Friday. Tonight, clear to partly cloudy with a slight chance of thunderstorms east and south central. Low 74 northeast to 78 central. Friday, partly cloudy and hot with a chance of thunderstorms southeast and a slight chance elsewhere. High 100 northeast to 102 south central.

SOUTH TEXAS — Hill Country and South Central Texas — Tonight, partly cloudy with isolated evening showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the 70s. Friday, partly cloudy with widely scattered afternoon showers and thunderstorms. Highs in the upper 90s to near 105. Southeast Texas and Upper Texas Coast — Tonight, partly cloudy with mainly scattered

evening showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the mid 70s inland to near 80 coast. Friday, partly cloudy with widely scattered afternoon showers and thunderstorms. Highs near 100 inland to near 90 coast. Coastal Bend and the Rio Grande Plains — Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows near 80 coast to mid 70s inland. Friday, partly cloudy with isolated to widely scattered showers and thunderstorms. Highs near 90 coast to near 105 inland west.

BORDER STATES

NEW MEXICO — Tonight, scattered showers and thunderstorms, diminishing by midnight. Otherwise partly cloudy. Lows in the 40s and 50s mountains with upper 50s and 60s at lower elevations. Friday, partly to mostly cloudy with scattered mainly afternoon and early nighttime thunderstorms. Highs in the mid 70s and 80s mountains with mid 80s and 90s lower elevations. Lows in the 40s and 50s mountains with mid 50s and 60s at lower elevations.

OKLAHOMA — Tonight, mostly clear. Lows middle 60s to lower 70s. Friday, mostly sunny. Highs middle 90s to near 103.

City briefs

The Pampa News is not responsible for the content of paid advertisement

BAIT SHOP at GT Mini Mart 17th & Duncan. Giant Night Crawlers \$1.99 doz. Frozen bait & tackle, boat supplies. 304 E. 17th. Adv.

6 FAMILY Garage Sale: Thurs. 5 p.m.-7 Fri. 9 a.m.-7 2338 Fir. Baby items, table/chairs. Adv.

CHRISTMAS IN July (17th-25th) at Joy's. See our ad in Sunday's paper, 2218 N. Hobart. Adv.

GARAGE SALE - Furniture, shirts, lots of misc. 1001 S. Banks, 7:30-12:30 Fri. & Sat. Adv.

PAMPA SENIOR Citizen's Dance, live band, Fri. night. Adv.

RHEAMS DIAMOND Shop - July Savings - Gold Chains 60% off, 1 Carat Tennis Bracelet \$149.95, Watches \$5 & up. 1 week only. Adv.

DIXIE DOG: Come by 725 N. Hobart & try our hand dipped mushrooms & zucchini. Adv.

PAMPA SHRINE Club meet- ing, Fri. 7 p.m. Covered dish. Adv.

Church picnic



Calvary Baptist Church recently held its annual church picnic at Recreation Park. The picnic included a worship service and watermelon spitting contest.

Don't let William, Harry be 'shadows' of Princess Di, says her mother

LONDON (AP) — Princess Diana's sons should not be forced to become her "shadows," the princess' mother says in a television interview to be aired tonight in the United States.

In the documentary "The Real Diana," to be broadcast by Fox, Frances Shand Kydd also says she spent the three nights before the funeral among mourners outside Diana's Kensington Palace home, drawing strength from their grief, according to a transcript published in The Mirror tabloid.

Mrs. Shand Kydd said her hope for Prince William, 16, and Prince Harry, 13, was "that they grow up to be themselves."

"I wouldn't want them to be, or expect them to be, pointed in the direction of being a shadow of their mother, because they are themselves," she said.

Several times, Mrs. Shand Kydd deflected probing personal questions. And she abruptly ended the interview when interviewer Cathy Crier tried to ask about the occasion last month when Mohamed Al Fayed, father of Diana's boyfriend Dodi, who also died in the Aug. 31 Paris car crash, called her a snob and a poor mother.

Earlier in the interview, Mrs. Shand Kydd professed surprise at the mass grieving that followed Diana's death. "There aren't words to describe it, and Diana above all would have had no concept of what has happened because of her," she said.

She reaffirmed her faith in the French investigation of the crash and said "whatever the findings

"I wouldn't want them to be, or expect them to be, pointed in the direction of being a shadow of their mother, because they are themselves," she said.

are I will accept them." Speaking in the library at the Spencer family's ancestral home, Althorp House, she commended her son Charles, the 9th Earl Spencer, for setting up a museum in memory of his sister.

The exhibition, which is open to the public for two months this summer, is a personal tribute to the princess and includes mementos from her childhood and home video footage of the young Diana.

Mrs. Shand Kydd called it "really quite simply, breathtaking" and said some of the media coverage of it had been "very harsh and very hurtful at times." Some newspaper articles had accused Spencer of profiting from his sister's death.

"I had qualms about it, nerves about it, wondering how I'd feel," Mrs. Shand Kydd said. "It is beautiful. It just flows from beginning to end. It's very quiet, poignant, powerful," she said.

Judge unseals affidavits in child porno investigation at newspaper's prodding

TYLER, Texas (AP) — A multi-agency investigation into pornography and abuse involving children that targeted a former East Texas radio personality could lead to more arrests, according to the Tyler Morning Telegraph.

A state district judge has unsealed arrest and search warrant affidavits in the case against Mike Harris after a newspaper attorney filed a motion.

The newspaper's attorney, Mike Jones of Tyler, contested an order signed Monday by Judge Diane DeVasto that had sealed all records in the case against Harris.

Ms. DeVasto rescinded her previous decision, but ordered some identifying information blacked out from public view. The records were released Tuesday.

Harris, 51, was arrested Friday. Warrants charge him with two counts of sexual assault of a child; providing harmful material to minors; providing alcoholic beverages to minors; selling alcoholic beverages in a dry area; and possession of marijuana.

Tyler Police Capt. Greg Grigg told the newspaper Wednesday that authorities plan to arrest two other men and are discussing charges to be filed against them.

Harris continued to maintain

his innocence Wednesday.

"I just hope everyone will wait until all the evidence and facts are in and until this goes to trial," Harris told the paper. "It would be a shame in this case or any case to judge prematurely."

Prosecutors say Harris has been involved in sexual activity with children for more than two decades.

"This has been going on for at least 25 years and that's not an estimate, not a guess — that's what our evidence shows," Smith County Assistant District Attorney Alicia Cashell told the paper.

Harris' attorney questioned why his client was arrested just last week, if authorities believe he has been involved in illegal activities for a quarter of a century.

"They investigated him in 1984 and they had nothing on him and that's why he was never prosecuted," Bobby Mims said. "They don't have a case yet and they know they will not get one."

The paper said that a police report dated May 24, 1984, shows Tyler police detectives and a Child Protective Services worker investigated allegations made by a 5-year-old boy, who told them Harris and another man sexually abused him.

However, police and prosecutors contend the 1984 case fell apart when the victim couldn't bring himself to testify.

Mims contends his client never engaged in sexual activity with juveniles and told the paper Harris "may have performed homosexual acts, but that's not against the law."

The affidavits show another possible suspect may have been involved in similar activity near Robert E. Lee High School in 1977.

The newspaper said a grand jury is expected to hear the case this week. Ms. DeVasto had granted the state's request on Monday to seal documents pending indictment "to protect the integrity of the investigation, to insure the safety of persons listed within the affidavits and to prevent potential co-defendants from fleeing the jurisdiction."

But Jones contended that a state law mandating the release of search and arrest warrant affidavits was unambiguous and the court must comply.

The documents include accusations that the men made trips to Florida during the spring break of 1995 to meet teen-age victims. Search warrants executed last week at two homes in Tyler, a

business where Harris works as an advertising agent and a house in Grand Prairie produced videotapes, drugs and magazines.

Cosby shot for being too slow, witness says

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP) — Moments before he was shot to death, a frightened Ennis Cosby told his killer that "he never had a gun to his face before and to kick back, to hold on," a grand jury witness said.

But Cosby took too long to hand over money so the killer "just blasted him," Michael Chang said in newly released grand jury testimony.

The transcripts unsealed late Tuesday were reviewed Wednesday by The Associated Press. The testimony was not included at the trial of Mikail Markhasev, 19, who was convicted July 7 of murdering Cosby last year.

Chang, a convict, refused to cooperate with prosecutors at trial out of fear that he would be targeted for retribution in prison.

First Baptist women to present program, luncheon

Women's Fellowship Ministry at First Baptist Church will hold a luncheon from 11:45 a.m.-1 p.m., July 21 in fellowship hall of the church. Patsy Lucas, from Woodward, Okla., will present the program. Lucas uses her family's heirloom quilts to illustrate the difficulties of her life and how she has learned to cope with the highs and lows of her Christian journey. She will have her quilts on display after the program.



Patsy Lucas

The program will be during the lunch hour. The noon meal will be prepared by Kevin Wade for \$5 a plate (includes dessert). Call Deanna at 669-1155 for reservations by Friday, July 17. Guests may bring a friend. To display a favorite quilt, call Cesali Ericson, 669-3388. Display tables will be provided for those willing to share their quilts.

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Opinion

Voucher questions should get answers

■ The constitutionality of using school vouchers at religious institutions is closer to being resolved. We welcome the 4-2 decision by the Wisconsin Supreme Court to allow parents of low-income children in Milwaukee to use education vouchers at religious or church-sponsored schools. The determination of voucher opponents to appeal this decision to the U.S. Supreme Court is welcome, also. It will be helpful to have this issue resolved.

The concern of some civil libertarians about using taxpayer money to pay for tuition at religious schools is understandable. It could be interpreted as tax support for religious institutions.

As long as vouchers can be used at any educational institution, not just at those of one denomination or another, however, it is difficult to see how they would violate the First Amendment, which simply says that "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof."

Allowing parents to use vouchers on a non-discriminatory basis does not constitute establishing a religion as that term is understood in countries with established, tax-supported churches.

The government provides numerous services to all residents of the territory it governs. If a fire breaks out at a church, the government fire department wouldn't refuse to put it out on the grounds that to do so would constitute a subsidy to the church that would violate the separation of church and state. The police would not refuse to answer a call about a robbery or a shooting on church property.

These and other government services are available to all citizens on approximately equal, or at least non-discriminatory terms. If the fire department or police discriminated — responding to calls from Lutherans but not from Episcopalians, for example — then you might have a First Amendment problem.

If a Social Security recipient decides to endorse her check and drop it directly into the church collection plate, does that constitute a government subsidy that violates the establishment clause? Few would so argue. Once a person has received a Social Security check, it belongs to her, not to the government, and he or she may spend it as she pleases.

It could be argued, then; that if the government decides to provide vouchers to the parents of students who fit certain categories (in Milwaukee vouchers go to low-income parents), there's no problem if those parents choose to spend those vouchers at religious schools. In fact, prohibiting parents from using them at a religious institution could be said to constitute anti-religious discrimination.

The G.I. Bill after World War II gave veterans the functional equivalent of a voucher that could be used to acquire a college education. The G.I. Bill could be used at both religious and non-religious institutions. No serious challenge was raised that the policy violated the First Amendment.

Whether such arguments would carry the day in the U.S. Supreme Court, of course, can't be predicted. And the converse question about vouchers — whether they would give the government an excuse to justify regulating private schools in ways that reduced their effectiveness, efficiency or independence — remains troubling.

But the Wisconsin decision — especially if followed by an appeal to the U.S. Supreme Court — goes a long way toward settling the question of whether or not educational vouchers violate the First Amendment.

—Odessa American

Guns as the solution?

Sensing that he must introduce some government initiative to respond to the recent shootings at public schools, President Clinton recently proposed to make parents criminally responsible if their children obtain access to guns.

Some liberal commentators protest that this is an anemic response to a dreadful scourge. Columnist Mary McGrory, a gun-control advocate, observes bitterly that "it might be simpler to go after guns than to try to make adults responsible."

Gun control is one of the defining issues between liberals and conservatives, and the recent school shootings illustrate the divide very well.

Gun-control advocates really think that they are more deeply concerned about schoolyard violence than gun defenders. They think that they are more peaceable folks than conservatives, more civil and more concerned for children's safety. Proof of their concern is their eagerness to ban handguns.

Those who oppose gun control, they assume, are willing to see a few dozen teenagers mowed down on the way to wood shop as the price to pay for the Second Amendment. (Very similar reasoning motivated liberals' enthusiasm for the nuclear freeze in the early '80s. Peaceable folks must oppose nuclear weapons, they reasoned. And those unwilling to engage in nuclear arms control must be warmongers.)

Personally, I would love to write columns in praise of gun control. I know it would bring me prestige as an "independent thinker" not shackled by any particular ideology — and I would be given credit for concern about children.

But one cannot adopt a policy position based



Mona Charen

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upon emotion alone. The facts are more important than how one feels. In the Cold War context, it turned out that those who adopted a realistic view of the need for nuclear weapons did far more to make the world a safer place than those who indulged the vain conceit that good people oppose nukes.

And the facts do not support gun control either. In fact, according to research by John R. Lott Jr., former chief economist for the U.S. Sentencing Commission and a professor of law at the University of Chicago Law School, the very best way to stop mass shootings at schools or anywhere else is to adopt "concealed carry" laws.

Lott acknowledges that his own research results shocked him. Nevertheless, a survey of all multiple-victim public shootings in the United States between 1977 and 1995 (excluding gang wars, organized crime hits and shootings in the course of a robbery or other crime) showed quite conclusively that nothing else works.

Lott and his research partner William Landes examined many other state attempts to reduce shootings. They found that enacting death-penalty statutes had no effect. Neither did rais-

ing arrest rates for murder, imposing waiting periods before gun purchases, or performing background checks for gun purchasers. Only one kind of law proved to have a dramatic effect on public shootings, and that was the enactment of "concealed carry" laws.

Five years after permitting law-abiding citizens to carry guns, 10 states found that their murder rates had dropped by an average of 15 percent, rape by 9 percent, and robberies by 11 percent. The likelihood of a mass shooting in those states dropped from nearly 75 percent to zero.

Concealed-carry laws help deter crime in two ways. They keep criminals off balance because they cannot be sure which of their intended victims is armed, and they save lives when an armed citizen is able to subdue a criminal before the police arrive. In Jacksonville, Fla., recently, a criminal brandished a gun in a restaurant and threatened to start shooting people at the count of 10 unless the cash register were opened. At the count of 8, two armed citizens with handgun permits stood up and shot him.

Not only do concealed-carry laws deter crime, they do not increase suicide rates, swell accidental shootings or result in citizens turning their guns on police officers — all dangers that opponents of concealed-carry laws cite. By contrast, several police officers have had their lives saved by permit-holding citizens.

In Pearl, Miss., an assistant principal was able to subdue the young murderer who opened fire at a high school because he carried a gun in his car. It's hard to be enthusiastic about a weapon of death, but facts are facts: Guns save lives.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Thursday, July 16, the 197th day of 1998. There are 168 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On July 16, 1945, the United States exploded its first experimental atomic bomb, in the desert of Alamogordo, N.M.

On this date:

In 1790, the District of Columbia was established as the seat of the U.S. government.

In 1862, David G. Farragut became the first rear admiral in the U.S. Navy.

In 1918, Russia's Czar Nicholas II, his empress and their five children were executed by the Bolsheviks.

In 1935, the first parking meters were installed, in Oklahoma City.

In 1951, J.D. Salinger's novel, "The Catcher in the Rye," was first published.

In 1957, Marine Maj. John Glenn set a transcontinental speed record

when he flew a jet from California to New York in three hours, 23 minutes and eight seconds.

In 1964, in accepting the Republican presidential nomination in San Francisco, Barry M. Goldwater said "extremism in the defense of liberty is no vice" and that "moderation in the pursuit of justice is no virtue."

In 1969, Apollo XI blasted off from Cape Kennedy on the first

manned mission to the surface of the moon.

In 1973, during the Senate Watergate hearings, former White House aide Alexander P. Butterfield publicly revealed the existence of President Nixon's secret taping system.

In 1979, Saddam Hussein became president of Iraq.

In 1980, Ronald Reagan won the Republican presidential nomination at the party's convention in Detroit.

Book makes history come alive

Charley Reese
 Syndicated columnist

Padding through the stream of public discourse, polluted as it is by lies, half-truths, statistical nonsense, clichés, sophistries and demagoguery, makes a person thirsty for authenticity.

Maybe that's why I was first attracted to a new book, "Neptunus Rex: Naval Stories of the Normandy Invasion" (Presidio Press). It is a collection of testimonials of Navy enlisted men and officers who participated in the invasion of Normandy.

(Quick note for the victims of public education: The Normandy invasion took place on June 6, 1944, in a war called World War II. About 5,000 ships and other craft loaded with 200,000 troops crossed the English Channel to invade German-occupied France. On account of nuclear weapons making concentration of forces unhealthy, no one alive today will ever see its likes again.)

The individual accounts are separated by drawings and excerpts from letters from the artist, Lt. Tracy Sugarman, an amphibious officer during the invasion who was on Utah Beach from June until it was secured in November. Sugarman is an eloquent man. The letters were to his wife.

"This spring of '44 will be engraved on my mind. What a strange and terrible time this is. Someday our kids will read about the spring of '44 and it will be dusty and meaningless to

them. Yet how very vivid and momentous to live through it. To see the weight, to sense the power, to speculate on, where, when, how — to be a tiny insignificant part of it all and yet to have so much at stake in the game. You've placed your bet and somebody else is rolling the dice."

Some of the men who tell their stories are better at words than others. Some write as well as any professional. But they all deal in facts, in truth, in the reality they themselves experienced in the midst of the one of the world's mightiest battles.

One of the men who spent weeks on the beach in heavy combat ended his account by saying, "When I realized that I was going to survive this thing, I had a feeling that was new to me. I was depressed and sad. I wondered how men could do these things to other men. I wondered why I was alive and not buried with all those other men on the beach. I crawled into some thick bushes in front of a house and stayed there all day. My buddy wondered what had happened to me that day. I told him that I just went for a long walk."

"There are those long twilights here now," Sugarman tells his wife about the immensity of the sea. "The sky is billions of miles away and you feel very much alone. The water stretches away forever. The ships sit alone in the water, each in its own pool of loneliness. It's big and empty and very quiet. The emptiness comes off the water and crawls light into you."

These personal accounts are the best way to get a sense of what it was really like. And they have other uses. The next time you feel sorry for yourself you can read the account of a young man who is blinded by shrapnel shredding the back of his head. He lies on the beach all night listening to tanks, artillery and machine gun fire. Four of the other wounded men die from bleeding to death.

The next morning a passing soldier gives him a sip of water and tells him it will be late afternoon before he can get any medical help. So he lies there still, in pain and blind, surrounded by threatening noises and helpless.

"What rotten times these are — unfair, blundering, wasteful," Sugarman writes his wife. "And yet you believe in the ultimate light of our struggle, the fundamental justness of the sacrifices. So you file away your desires and do your job. How ardently I wish to do that job and end it. I reserve the right to bitch at what is, and work for, pray for and believe in what ought and will be."

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Meredith House



(Special photos)

Tenants at Meredith House Lois Turcotte, top, front to back, Alice O'toole, Georgia Corse and Mary Graham were visited by two professional bullfighters during the Top O' Texas Rodeo held recently in Pampa. Meanwhile, Laverne Collis wished Nancy King, seated, a happy 96th birthday. Friends and family held a birthday bash in honor of the occasion.

Administration unsuccessfully opposes Secret Service subpoenas in Monica Lewinsky investigation

WASHINGTON (AP) — The head of President Clinton's Secret Service security detail arrived at the federal courthouse today under subpoena requiring his testimony in the Monica Lewinsky investigation.

Special Agent Larry L. Cockell entered the courthouse after the Clinton administration unsuccessfully attempted to gain him a last-minute reprieve from testifying. Justice Department lawyers were expected to carry the challenge to a higher court.

Cockell was surrounded by law enforcement officers as he entered an elevator for the grand jury floor of the courthouse.

Clinton's lawyers opened another line of defense in the case — declaring prosecutor Kenneth Starr's subpoenas are a "backdoor attempt" to find out about Clinton's confidential conversations with his lawyers.

Starr is moving toward a new and sensitive area of his investigation — questioning the head of Clinton's Secret Service detail and eight uniformed officers about what they saw or heard about the president and Ms. Lewinsky, a former White House intern.

U.S. District Judge Norma Holloway Johnson, who oversees Starr's grand jury probe, refused to quash Starr's subpoenas and didn't immediately issue a stay Wednesday, which would have stymied Starr in getting testimony from Special Agent Larry Cockell and the uniformed officers.

The judge's decision left the Justice Department with few options except to bow to the subpoenas or seek an emergency order from a higher court.

A government official indicated Justice lawyers had appealed Johnson's decision to the Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia but that that court had refused to accept it. Another possible avenue was an appeal to the Supreme Court but a spokeswoman said nothing had been filed there.

Starr subpoenaed the Secret Service personnel to appear today before the grand jury probing possible suborning of perjury, witness tampering and obstruction in an alleged sexual relationship between Clinton and the former White House intern.

"Our position has always been to use all available legal means

to gather full and truthful testimony for the grand jury as expeditiously as possible," said Starr's spokesman, Charles

intrude on that relationship," Clinton lawyers Robert Bennett and David Kendall said in a statement.

two court victories on Secret Service testimony. Johnson and three appeals court judges ruled in Starr's favor. The Justice Department and Secret Service want the full appeals court to review the case.

Senate Judiciary Committee Chairman Orrin Hatch criticized Attorney General Janet Reno for pressing ahead with court appeals that could block Starr's access to Secret Service testimony and delay his investigation.

"The decision to appeal at this time calls into serious question the real motivations of both the Department of Justice and the Secret Service," Hatch, R-Utah, told Reno at a hearing.

"I tell you ... with all my heart" the court appeal "is not done for delay," Reno replied.

Hatch declared the department had "concocted" the argument that Secret Service personnel don't have to testify because of a protective function privilege, but Reno said the case warrants further review because the safety of the president is at stake.

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Bakaly. Bakaly said he would not comment on any sealed court proceeding.

While fighting the battle over Secret Service testimony, Starr's office also is trying to complete the grand jury testimony of Linda Tripp, whose 20 hours of secretly tape-recorded phone calls of Ms. Lewinsky triggered the criminal investigation of the president.

Regarding the subpoenas to the Secret Service, Starr "appears to be tracking private counsel's meetings and conversations with the president in an effort to

"Any backdoor attempt by this prosecutor to invade the president's right to consult with personal counsel will be aggressively and firmly resisted," they added.

Officials said privately that the administration suspects Starr wants Cockell to testify about what he heard in the limousine with Clinton's attorneys after the president's Jan. 17 deposition in the Paula Jones sexual harassment case, in which he was questioned extensively about Ms. Lewinsky.

Starr's subpoenas followed

Rodeo Clown Contest



(Community Calendar photo)

Ethan Oxley, 2 (left) and his cousin Yancie McCuiston, 13 months participated in the Rodeo Clown Contest held recently at Waynes Western Wear.

Israeli businessman receives 16-years for sales to Iran

TEL AVIV, Israel (AP) — In a high-profile treason case tinged with scandal, an Israeli businessman was sentenced to 16 years in prison today for selling chemical weapons materials to Iran.

Judge Amnon Straschnov said the defendant, former paratrooper Nachum Manbar, sacrificed Israel's security "on the altar of unfettered greed." Iran is one of Israel's most implacable foes.

Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu said he was pleased with the verdict, saying Manbar had committed "heinous crimes" by supplying Iran with material "to rain down chemical death on Israel's cities — on our citizens and children."

Manbar, who faced life in prison, sat stone-faced as he heard the decision. When he was walked out of Tel Aviv District Court, he shouted: "There will be an appeal."

Earlier this week, Manbar's lead defense attorney, Amnon Zichroni, had alleged that Straschnov had secretly maintained a "close, intensive" relationship with Pnina Yanai, a female member of the defense team who was eventually fired.

Straschnov has denied the allegations and rejected defense demands that he withdraw from the case before passing sentence.

Despite his earlier charges against the judge, Zichroni was evasive today when asked whether he would make alleged improper judicial conduct a key element of his appeal.

The story has dominated Israeli media since it broke Tuesday and at certain points it became political.

It began with a legislator from the opposition Labor Party, Nissim Zvili, calling for an investigation of allegations that Netanyahu discussed the case with Straschnov and tried to influence him. Zvili has since withdrawn the demand, saying he accepted the judge's denial. Netanyahu has also denied having had any contact with Straschnov.

Netanyahu today accused the opposition of taking advantage of the Manbar affair to raise "baseless claims" in order to defame him and the integrity of Israel's justice system.

"If I ever thought there was a limit to how low my opponents were willing to go, it turns out I was wrong," he said.

Manbar's trial was held behind closed doors for security reasons and testimony was not made public.

Yossi Melman, a journalist who covers the intelligence services for the Haaretz daily, said Manbar started out selling defensive equipment, such as gas masks and gas detectors, to Iran with the knowledge of the Israeli defense establishment in the early 1990s.

At some point Manbar began selling chemicals that can be used both in agriculture and in making poison gas, Melman said. Manbar was warned by Israeli intelligence in late 1993 to stop those sales, he said.

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Fearful Mom Finally Learns It Takes Being Loved to Love

DEAR ABBY: I had to write after reading the letter from "Mom in Denver," who asked for input from other mothers on how to be a good mother.

When I married at 17, I swore I would never have children for fear of abusing them as my mother had abused me. I love my mother, but I may never understand why there had to be so much hurt and pain while I was growing up.

Then I received the greatest gift of all from my mother-in-law: her unconditional love. Abby, she is my angel here on Earth. She has given me all the things I never received from my own mother: patience, understanding, confidence in myself. Without her, I would not be half the person or parent that I am. My mother-in-law is not only one of my best friends, but also the most wonderful "Grammie" to my daughter. I could not love her more if she had given birth to me.

I was 29 before I finally felt secure enough in myself to have a child. Then I realized that I am my own person with an abundance of love in my heart. I now have a beautiful 2-year-old daughter, and my only regret is that I waited so long to have her.

I know I am not perfect, but I believe that if you know love, you can show love. After all, isn't love the most important ingredient in raising a child? After that, the rest will fall into place.

MOM IN DENVER, TOO

DEAR MOM IN DENVER,



Abigail Van Buren

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TOO: If anyone ever doubted the healing power of love, your relationship with your angel of a mother-in-law should dispel it. What a wonderful testimonial you have written to a remarkable woman. Your letter proves that, although children may be scarred by the bad examples set for them in childhood, the situation is never hopeless, and it's never too late to learn. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: In defense of the mother who did a poor job of raising the 32-year-old woman in Denver: My own mother (now gone, bless her soul) was overwhelmed and undereducated, raising six of us on a skinny shoestring budget. Both my parents had problems with alcohol. So I grew up with little real parenting, except that I had the same parents all my life, a big family, and we had a home to call our own.

I married, had three children, and then faced raising them alone, for I was one of the early single moms. My three are remarkably

loving human beings. Looking back, we had our share of challenges, most of which related to dysfunction, substance abuse and fear of intimacy. My three always tell me they know I did my best. They also tell me when they feel I'm "off the mark," but we all know we have each other and are family.

Kids are remarkably forgiving when they know you're trying to be the best parent you can be. Probably the most important thing is to always say "I'm sorry" and "I love you." It seems to me that those little words go a long way.

DARBY, MONT., MOM

DEAR MONTANA MOM: I couldn't agree more. No one is infallible. May I add to your generous comments the importance of teaching young children, by one's own example, to respect authority figures such as teachers and police? Children learn volumes not only from what parents say and do — but from what they don't say and do.

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up your day. Be more in sync with someone's expectations. Realize that you might be sensitive about someone's comments. Awareness is key. Tonight: With your friends.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

Take the lead at work. You can energize others and make a difference where it counts. Unexpected financial developments tend to cast a much more positive light on life, in general. Again, unpredictability runs high concerning a partner. Tonight: Step out on the town.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

Reach out for others. Nerves are frayed; you have taken on more than your fair share. Visualize the big picture; don't get too mired in the details. Developing this attitude tests you yet provides tremendous gain. New information about an associate arrives. Tonight: A weekend escape.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

The profile of your work varies. What seemed like a piece of cake suddenly becomes a challenge. Think before leaping into action. A new friend does the unexpected. Do not be naive about what is going on here. Make a resolution about paying bills. Tonight: Formulate a new budget.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

Others give you more information than you need. Your reaction to a loved one surprises you. Though you adore this person, you might be seeing him in a new light. Your intensity makes you want to go overboard. And why shouldn't you? Tonight: A good time to be had by all.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

Determination distinguishes you from others. Now, you need to bypass someone else's irresponsibility and take charge. Indulge a family member. Togetherness marks your personal relationships. Check out an investment that involves real estate. Tonight: Get that massage.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

Creativity surges. Listen to a child who has some amazing suggestions. Someone is aggressive because he wants you to honor his creativity. Do not invest money just yet; simply listen. You're likely to reverse your stand, once you gather feedback. Tonight: Naughty and nice.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

You are a live wire as usual, jolting others with your unexpected actions. Evaluate someone's work proposal. You hear only one side; take in the other. Financial news is on the horizon. You experience a turnabout in your luck. Tonight: Happy at home.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

You hear much more than what is being said. Read between the lines. An opportunity comes from someone you respect. You are delighted. Celebration is in order. Touch base with someone, and share insights. You might need to reverse course. Tonight: Make phone calls.

BORN TODAY

Actor David Hasselhoff (1952), singer Phoebe Snow (1952), actor Donald Sutherland (1935)

For Better or For Worse



Zits



Garfield



Beetle Bailey



Marvin



B.C.



Hagar The Horrible



Peanuts



Blondie



Mallard Filmore



Horoscope

FRIDAY, JULY 17, 1998

BY JACQUELINE BIGAR

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

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

Demonstrate what a money wizard you can be. You make landmark decisions. But a friend is still creating an uproar. Indulgence mixes well with events later in the day. Use instincts; perhaps turn a talk into a dinner. Someone is amenable to your wishes. Tonight: After business, play.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

The unexpected runs rampant at work, but you should be used to it by now. Pull back, then start up talks. Polish your investigative skills, as you seek out answers. Someone tempts you to join him after work; accept the invitation. Tonight: Do precisely what you want.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

Follow instincts, and listen to your inner voice. A boss compliments you. Be more direct about money; establish your limits. Reconsider a business proposition. It might not come your way again in the same form. It is a now-or-never situation. Tonight: Catch your breath.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

Go for what you want. Surprises surround partnerships and funds. News from a distance perks

Crossword Puzzle

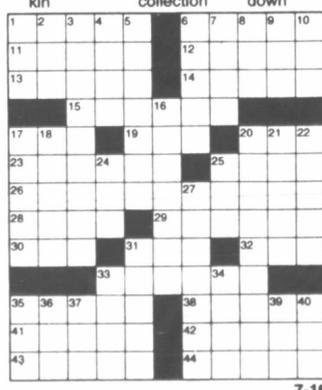
by THOMAS JOSEPH

ACROSS

- 1 Resort lake
- 6 Spicy dish
- 11 Molecule makeup
- 12 Fido's pal
- 13 Chess and checkers
- 14 Portly
- 15 Boxing combo
- 17 Spring
- 19 Homer's neighbor
- 20 Greek letters
- 23 City on Cayuga Lake
- 25 Firebug, for short
- 26 Radio-show guest
- 28 Confined
- 29 Whoever
- 30 Mine find
- 31 Museum fill
- 32 A pop
- 33 Fasten
- 35 Afghani capital
- 38 1977 miniseries
- 41 Fight site
- 42 Bert's pal
- 43 They're pitched outdoors
- 44 Actor Ulrich

DOWN

- 1 Price spot
- 2 One-time link
- 3 Won, for one
- 4 Portent
- 5 Gist
- 6 Three, in a saying
- 7 Vagabond
- 8 "got it!"
- 9 Guitarist Paul
- 10 Anger
- 16 Serving aid
- 17 African mammal
- 18 Different
- 20 Marimba's kin
- 21 Worth of the stage
- 22 More ticked off
- 24 Hill resident
- 25 Layer
- 27 Star in Scorpio
- 31 Map collection
- 33 Reunion attendee
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- 36 Exist
- 37 Actor
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- 39 Draw
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SPORTS

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BOXING

NEW YORK (AP) — George Foreman keeps looking for something in the mirror that he doesn't see.

"I'd like to wake up one morning and be old like everybody else," Foreman said. "But I keep looking in the mirror and saying, 'Go for it, George.'"

But when he looks across the ring Jan. 23, 13 days after his 50th birthday, Foreman will be looking at a mirror image of himself. His opponent for a scheduled 12-round fight that night will be Larry Holmes, who turns 49 Nov. 3.

Promoter Roger Levitt of Boxing International said a site for the bout, dubbed "The Birthday Bash," would be announced in September. He said the possibilities are three unidentified Las Vegas hotels or Madison Square Garden in New York.

GOLF

MCKINNEY, Texas (AP) — Stuart Wallace of Houston leads the Liberty Mutual Texas State Open after 36 holes.

He fired a second consecutive round of 66 — 6 under par — Wednesday at Stonebridge Country Club. Wallace earned an exemption into this year's Texas State Open due to his fourth-place finish in 1997.

Wallace leads first round leader Cameron Beckman of San Antonio by one shot going into the third round. Seventy-five players, including five amateurs, survived the cut of 145 — 1 over par.

The 75 players will compete for a share of the \$100,000.00 purse, with the winner receiving \$18,000.00.

BASEBALL

HILLSBORO, Tex. — Hill College is planning a baseball camp July 21 for ages 13-20.

The camp will be operated by college coaches and professional baseball scouts.

For more information, call Trent Petrie at 254-582-2555.

COOPERSTOWN, N.Y. (AP) — Juan Gonzalez of the Texas Rangers may break major league baseball's RBI record. But a baseball historian is trying to change the mark before the power-hitting outfielder does.

Clifford Kachline, a former historian with the National Baseball Hall of Fame, says the RBI record currently on the books — 190 set by the Chicago Cubs' Hack Wilson — is one off, citing an official scorekeeper's mistake.

Kachline claims a scorekeeper shortchanged the Cub slugger of one run-batted-in during a game between Chicago and the Cincinnati Reds on July 28, 1930. Researchers say that newspaper accounts verify the mystery RBI.

Kachline and other historians say they researched all off Wilson's other RBIs that year the same way, and came up with 191. He will present the information to official Major League Baseball statisticians.

Gonzalez had a major-league leading 101 RBIs before the All-Star break.

DENVER (AP) — Kevin Brown won his eighth straight decision and tied a career-high by striking out 10, and Steve Finley hit a three-run homer as the San Diego Padres beat the Colorado Rockies 6-2 Wednesday night.

Greg Vaughn and Wally Joyner added three hits apiece for the Padres, who improved to 22-6 against NL West opponents and a franchise-high 27 games over .500 (61-34).

Brown (11-3), whose last loss came May 21 at Pittsburgh, gave up a season-high 12 hits but pitched around several broken-bat bloopers. He walked one in his third complete game of the year.

Finley's homer off Jamey Wright (5-9) was his seventh of season and gave San Diego a 5-2 lead in the fourth. Joyner added a run-scoring single to chase Wright in the fifth.

Harvesters complete two off-season "seasons" at New Mexico cage camp

By **JERRY HEASLEY**
Pampa News correspondent

Imagine this. It's Tuesday night. No, actually, it's Wednesday morning because it's past midnight, 12:20 AM to be exact, in the middle of June, in the middle of the great American desert, in Portales, New Mexico, on the campus of ENMU, and Pampa is about to play Borger, in basketball. Most of the players on both squads are directly from the varsity, so what we have here is a classic Pampa-Borger match, only hardly anybody knows about it.

That's what happened this past July 1st, at the basketball team camp at Eastern New Mexico University. The Pampa/Borger match was the first tournament game. Already, the 24 high school teams had played 13 games from Sunday night through Tuesday night.

The idea of this camp is to create an entire season in microcosm, where the first 13 games are the district contest and the last 3 games are the playoffs. Each game consists of two 15 minute halves with the clock running continuously except during the final two minutes of each half.

In June, the Harvesters attended two such ENMU camps on succeeding weekends, the first beginning for "small high schools" and the second for "large high schools". The first group of Harvesters were largely made up of junior varsity players, with some varsity in attendance. The second group of Harvesters were largely made up of varsity players.

Players ate breakfast, lunch and dinner in the school cafeteria and stayed in the Lincoln dormitory on campus. Richard Leger was elected activities director for night time dorm functions for the junior varsity. Because six basketball games a day didn't tire the boys out quite enough, team tag wrestling finished off each day. There was also more rivalry when the various teams on each floor competed to see who could keep their rooms the cleanest. No clear cut winner was declared, however.

For the record, Pampa did beat Borger in the past-midnight playoff tournament game.



(Special photo)

Members of the Small School Varsity Team were (l-r) Jarod Allen, Adam Rogers, Colby Hale, Russell Robben, Jonathan Munn, Richard Leger, Bryce Jordan, Matt Driscoll, Stephen Vanderpool and Casey Owens.

Earlier in the "season" at ENMU, they faced off against powerhouse Randall and beat them, too, racking up a 31-21 lead before having to pull the game out in the final seconds on a buzzer-beater by Jesse Francis.

The most exciting game of the varsity camp season came against Laguna Acoma, a much bigger team who played in the championship game. The Harvesters won this game in a double overtime-double fire alarm. The building had to be evacuated two times during the overtime due to two fire alarms. We spotted no fire, but the play sure was hot in the gym. Francis also shot the buzzer beater in this game. Trapped by three taller and heavier players, Jesse

told the Pampa News, "I did a spin move, then pushed one guy away with my body and got the shot off." The 12-footer swished the net just as the buzzer sounded and Pampa won by a point.

The "small school team" had even more success, starting off their season 1-1 on Sunday night. They went 6-0 on Monday, then ended up 9-4. This record gave them the third ranked "seed" in tournament play. After winning their first game, they dropped the second by a couple points before winning the last game, ending up with a record of 11-5 and fourth overall. The Harvesters that competed against the large high schools earned an 8-8 record. Everybody came home with

plenty of sore muscles.

Both Pampa's two new high school basketball coaches, Ryan Dykes and Rick German, attended the second camp. Head coach Robert Hale arrived after picking up his younger son from a camp in Missouri. By UIL rules, the Texas high school coaches were not allowed to coach their teams in the off season. This author and Bill Robben turned this assignment into a fantasy camp of their own, coaching both teams. At various times, they were actually mistaken for REAL COACHES, hearing such phrases as, "How's your team looking this year, coach?", "How many returning letterman do you have?", and "What kind of socks are those?" Answers were

"Fantastic", "Three", and "Cotton".

The Harvesters plan to go back to this camp next year. It's that good and fun at the same time.

Small School Varsity Team Attendees
Jarod Allen
Matt Driscoll
Colby Hale
Bryce Jordan
Richard Leger
Jonathan Munn
Casey Owens
Russell Robben
Adam Rogers
Stephen Vanderpool

Large School Varsity Team Attendees
Gary Alexander
Jesse Francis
Colby Hale
Kevin Osborn
Casey Owens
Zane Powers
Russell Robben
Jeremy Silva
Stephen Vanderpool

Pampa Harvester Tennis Open Results

Pampa Harvester Open at high school courts

Mixed Open Doubles
Finals: Emily Waters-Russ Dubose, Pampa, def. McKinley Quarles-Kyle Easley, Pampa, 8-6.

Consolation: David Temur, Pampa, Kate Peiroe, Miami, def. James Roach-Regan Meadows, Miami, 8-5.

Mixed 14 & Under
Finals: Matt Vrrutia-Daucy Hopping, Memphis def. Eric Scroggins-Callie Veal, Pampa, 8-3.

Consolation: Clark Hale-Ashlei Jordan, Pampa def. Andrew Curtis-Tara Jordan, Pampa, 8-6.

Girls 14 Singles
Semis: Casey McClellan, Borger, def. Kate Peirce, Miami, 1-6, 7-6, 6-11 Abby Fleming, Borger def. Brittany Kindle, Pampa, 6-1, 6-3.

Finals: Pending
Consolation: Ashlei Jordan, Pampa def. Stephanie Peoples, Pampa, 8-4.

Girls 12 Singles
Semis: Dancy Hopping, Memphis def. Talley Ragsdale,

Perryton, 6-3, 6-0; Tara Jordan, Pampa def. Stephanie Nelson, Pampa, 6-3, 6-1.

Finals: Hopping def. Jordan, 6-3, 6-3.
Consolation: Stephanie Peoples def. Anna Schaffer, default.

Girls 16 Singles
Semis: Jeannie Fewell, Dumas def. Kate Peirce, Miami, 6-2, 1-6-6-2; Tassy Ragsdale, Perryton def. Brittany Mitchell, Dumas, 6-4, 6-2.

Finals: Ragsdale def. Fewell, 6-4, 6-2.
Consolation: Jennifer Muns, Pampa def. Michelle Lee, Pampa, 8-2.

Boys 12 Singles
Round robin: 1. Caleb Coffman, Borger; 2. Tyler Dubose, Pampa.

Boys 14 Singles
Semis: Mark Milner, Borger def. Curt Phillips, 6-1, 7-5; Matt Orretia, Memphis def. Tyson Kessler, Canyon, 6-4, 6-4.

Finals: Milner def. Orretia, 6-1, 6-1.
Consolation: Eric Scroggins, Pampa def. Tyler Howard, Pampa, 8-3.

Boys 16 Singles

Semis: Curt Smith, Fort Elliott def. David Phillips, Pampa, 6-3, 6-2; Ryan Mills, Pampa def. Jason Hughes, Borger, 6-3, 6-0.

Finals: Smith def. Mills, 6-0, 6-0.
Consolation: Richard Roe, Fort Elliott def. Matt Cook, Pampa, 8-6.

Boys 18 Singles
Semis: Blake Hurst, Miami def. Michael Cornelison, Pampa, 6-3; Nathan Milner, Borger def. Russ Dubose, Pampa, 7-5, 3-6, 6-4.

Finals: Milner def. Hurst, 6-1, 4-6, 7-6 (8-6).
Consolation: Tanner Smith, Fort Elliott, def. Richard Hilburn, 8-1.

Girls 14 Doubles
Semis: Ashlei Jordan-Stephanie Clark, Pampa def. Brittany Brazil-Tara Jordan, Pampa, default; Abby Fleming-Casey McClellan, Borger def. Callie Veal-Shay Garner, Pampa, 6-2, 6-1.

Finals: Fleming-McClellan def. Jordan-Clark, 6-1, 6-3.
Consolation: S. People-A.

Everson, Pampa def. Dancy Hopping-Allison Hutcherson, Memphis, 9-8 (8-6).

Girls 16 Doubles
Semis: Jennifer Muns, Pampa, Brittany Mitchell, Dumas def. Krissy Nies-Jeannie Fewell, Dumas 6-1, 7-5; Randi Powell-Whitney Robbins, Vernon def. Brittany Kindle-Michelle Lee, Pampa, 6-4, 6-2.

Finals: Muns-Mitchell def. Powell-Robbins, 6-2, 7-5.

Girls 18 Doubles (Round robin)
1. Mandy Wells-Michelle Lee, Pampa; 2. Kellen Waters-Emily Waters, Pampa.

Boys 14 Doubles
Semis: Vrrutia-Phillips, Memphis def. Scroggins-Howard, 6-4, 6-2; Kessler-Milner def. Coffman-Colt Braden, 6-3, 7-5.

Finals: Phillips-Vrrutia def. Kessler-Milner, 6-7, 6-4, 7-5.
Consolation: Scroggins-Howard def. Jay Gerber-Tyler Dubose, 4-5, default.

Boys 16 Doubles
Semis: Kerry Turner-Shawn Stone, Pampa def. Cody Crouch-Matt Austin, Dumas, 7-

5, 6-3; Nathan Hefley-Kurt Smith, Fort Elliott def. Ryan Mills-Chance Williamson, Pampa, 7-5, 6-4.

Finals: Hefley-Smith def. Stone-Turner, 6-1, 5-7, 7-5.
Consolation: David Phillips-Matt Cook, Pampa def. Jerrod Spearman-Greg Easley, Pampa, 9-7.

Boys 18 Open Doubles
Semis: Michael Cornelison-Bryce Jordan, Pampa def. Kurt Smith-Tanner Smith, Fort Elliott, 6-4, 6-2; Russ Dubose-Blake Hurst, Pampa def. Greg Easley-Kyle Easley, Pampa, 6-4, 6-3.

Finals: Dubose-Hurst def. Cornelison-Jordan, 6-3, 6-2.
Consolation: Coffee-Coffee def. Rose-Hilburn, 8-5.

Men's Open Doubles
Semis: Ted Phillips-Nick Lowry def. Blake Hurst-Irene Hurst, Craig Schaffer-Cliff Hopping, Lubbock def. Turner-L.W. Vandiver, Amarillo, 6-0, 6-2.

Finals: Phillips-Lowry def. Schaffer-Hopping, 6-3, 6-3.
Consolation: Hurst-Hurst def. Turner-Vandiver, 8-0.

Woods, Huston move into early lead at British Open

SOUTHPORT, England (AP) — Tiger Woods took advantage of his length and hot putter today to shoot a 5-under 65 and tie John Huston for the early lead in the British Open.

Woods, looking to contend in a major for the first time since winning the Masters, nearly drove the 411-yard ninth hole and reached the only two par-5s on the course with irons on his second shot, the putter, which has betrayed him in recent major championships, may have been the key on a warm and nearly

windless day at Royal Birkdale.

Woods would have had the early lead to himself, but his 5-foot par putt on the final hole hit the left lip and kicked out. It was a rare mistake on a day where he made seven birdies against two bogeys.

Woods, who made four birdie putts within 12 feet on the front side, sank a curling 35-footer on the 13th hole to offset a bogey a hole earlier. He then birdied the par-5 15th and 17th holes before closing with the bogey 5.

With more than half the field

still out on a course that played much simpler than expected because of the fair weather, Woods and Huston were a shot better than 1994 Open winner Nick Price in the opening round.

Another shot back at 67 were Brad Faxon and Sweden's Fredrik Jacobson.

Woods played nearly perfect golf on the front side, taking advantage of light winds and soft greens that tamed the links on the Irish Sea. He moved into the lead with a 3-foot birdie after chipping to the ninth green, and

had three more birdies on the back nine.

At the par-3 12th, Woods misclubbed and hit the ball over the green. He chipped to within 2-feet, but lipped out his par putt.

Woods, whose putter kept him from contending in the U.S. Open and the Masters this year, hasn't won a major since the 1997 Masters and has won only once on the PGA Tour this year, in the BellSouth Classic.

He insisted coming into the Open that he was striking the ball well, and he showed it with

some long drives and precise irons before a massive gallery that cheered every shot.

Jacobson, playing in the first group of the day, used an eagle on the par-5 17th to take the early clubhouse lead.

It didn't last long as Huston made a 40-footer for eagle on the 17th hole, then hit a spectacular shot out of the deep rough on the final hole that hopped up on the green and rolled to within 3-feet of the hole for a finishing birdie and a 5-under 65.

Back in Los Angeles, Hershiser beats Dodgers, 5-3

By TOM WITHERS
AP Sports Writer

Sitting in the opposite dugout at Dodger Stadium for the first time, Orel Hershiser could barely contain his emotions.

"It was just another game 'til the Dodgers went out on the field," Hershiser, who played with Los Angeles for 12 years, said after pitching six strong innings to lead the San Francisco Giants to a 5-3 victory Wednesday night.

"Then I went into the dugout tunnel, so I couldn't see it. I don't know what it was, but it felt different. There were times when I had to step back and take some deep breaths."

Hershiser, who left the Dodgers after the 1994 season, was pitching at Dodger Stadium for a team other than the Dodgers for the first time in his career.

He was the beloved "Bulldog" while playing for Los Angeles from 1983-94, and ranks 10th on the franchise's victory list with 134 wins.

Hershiser (8-7) allowed five hits and three runs — two earned — before being removed for a pinch-hitter.

"It is special to win," the 39-year-old said. "I've been away from here for 3 1/2 years. Baseball moves on. I still think I can pitch. I continue on, that's

the way the game goes. My stuff, my location tonight was outstanding."

Backup catcher Brent Mayne had two hits, including his third homer, and drove in three runs as the Giants snapped a five-game losing streak.

Elsewhere in the NL, it was Arizona 9, Houston 8; Cincinnati 4, St. Louis 2 in 11 innings; San Diego 6, Colorado 2; Atlanta 12, Montreal 1; Pittsburgh 3, Chicago 0; Milwaukee 3, Philadelphia 2; and Montreal 9, Florida 5.

Mayne's RBI single in the sixth snapped a 3-3 tie. Snow opened the inning with a double off Darren Dreifort (5-8), and took third on Stan Javier's sacrifice bunt.

When the lineups were announced 15 minutes before the game, only a small percentage of the announced crowd of 34,596 was on hand, due in part to the 5:08 p.m. local starting time.

Kent and Mayne both said they had trouble seeing Dreifort's pitches.

"It's a joke," Kent said. "I don't know why the Dodgers have a stinking 5 o'clock game. You can't pick up the pitches. It's tough to do that, especially when you have a nasty guy like Dreifort out there."

Diamondbacks 9, Astros 8
At Phoenix, Houston reliever

Billy Wagner was struck in the head by a line drive hit by Kelly Stinnett in the bottom of the ninth inning and was carried off the field on a stretcher.

Wagner never lost consciousness, and his vital signs were OK when he left the ballpark, Diamondbacks doctors said. Wagner was taken to a neurological center for further tests. Wagner sustained a lacerated ear canal, and was to undergo a CAT scan today.

Stinnett would later score the winning run in the 11th on rookie Danny Klassen's two-out single.

The Diamondbacks had been 0-54 when trailing after eight innings before the victory.

Reds 4, Cardinals 2

Mark McGwire's throwing error in the 11th inning gave Cincinnati its 10th straight victory overall and its 10th in a row on the road.

The Reds' winning streak is their longest since a 10-game run in July 1975. The club record is 12 in a row in 1957 and 1939.

McGwire made two nice fielding plays at first base earlier in the game. But in the 11th, Bret Boone beat out an infield hit and McGwire, trying to get Sean Casey at home, threw the ball wide of the plate. Eddie Taubensee also scored from second on the play.

Padres 6, Rockies 2

Kevin Brown (11-3) won his eighth straight decision and tied a career high by striking out 10 Colorado batters at Coors Field.

Steve Finley hit a three-run homer and Greg Vaughn and Wally Joyner added three hits apiece for San Diego, which improved to 22-6 against NL West opponents and a franchise-high 27 games over .500 (61-34).

Brown gave up a season-high 12 hits, but pitched around several broken-bat bloopers.

Braves 12, Expos 1

At New York, Andres Galarraga hit a pair of long home runs and Ryan Klesko also connected for Atlanta.

Denny Neagle (10-7) allowed four hits through six innings, winning for just the second time since June 21.

Galarraga hit a two-run homer in the first off Masato Yoshii (4-5), and had a three-run shot in the fourth off Bill Pulsipher.

Pirates 3, Cubs 0

At Pittsburgh, Francisco Cordova (7-8) pitched eight shutout innings to outduel Kerry Wood and stop a five-game losing streak.

Wood (8-5) took a two-hit shutout into the sixth, only to lose it on Jason Kendall's lead-off walk and Kevin Young's first-pitch homer over the left-

field wall.

Brewers 3, Phillies 2

At Milwaukee, Scott Karl (7-4) won the first time in a month, allowing one earned run in seven innings.

Curt Schilling (9-9) allowed three runs and eight hits for his major league-best ninth complete game.

Schilling struck out four to push his total to a major league leading 189.

Expos 9, Marlins 5

At Miami, Rondell White went 4-for-4 and Carlos Perez (7-9) won for the first time in eight starts.

Perez allowed four runs and nine hits in 6 2-3 innings to snap a career-high six-game losing streak.

Mark Grudzielanek went 3-for-4 with two doubles and three RBIs before leaving the game in the seventh with heat exhaustion.

NL Standings

By The Associated Press				
All Times EDT				
East Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Atlanta	62	82	.660	—
New York	46	43	.517	13 1/2
Philadelphia	47	44	.516	13 1/2
Montreal	38	55	.409	23 1/2
Florida	36	58	.383	26
Central Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Houston	55	39	.585	—
Chicago	51	43	.543	4
Milwaukee	47	45	.511	7
Cincinnati	45	50	.474	10 1/2
St. Louis	43	50	.462	11 1/2
Pittsburgh	42	52	.447	13
West Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
San Diego	61	34	.642	—
San Francisco	53	42	.558	8
Los Angeles	47	47	.500	13 1/2
Colorado	41	54	.432	20
Arizona	32	62	.340	28 1/2
Tuesday's Games				
Chicago Cubs 7, Pittsburgh 4				
Atlanta 4, N.Y. Mets 2				
Cincinnati 7, St. Louis 4				
Montreal 2, Florida 1				
Philadelphia 4, Milwaukee 2				
San Diego 8, Colorado 7				
Los Angeles 2, San Francisco 1				
Houston 4, Arizona 2				
Wednesday's Games				
Atlanta 12, N.Y. Mets 1				
Milwaukee 3, Philadelphia 2				
Montreal 9, Florida 5				
Pittsburgh 3, Chicago Cubs 0				
San Francisco 5, Los Angeles 3				
Cincinnati 4, St. Louis 2, 11 innings				
San Diego 6, Colorado 2				
Arizona 9, Houston 8, 11 innings				
Thursday's Games				
Pittsburgh (Schmidt 8-5) at Montreal (Pavano 2-3), 7:05 p.m.				
Philadelphia (Portugal 4-2) at N.Y. Mets (Reed 10-5), 7:40 p.m.				
Milwaukee (Eldred 4-7) at Atlanta (Maddux 12-3), 7:40 p.m.				
Los Angeles (Valdez 6-9) at St. Louis (Mercker 5-6), 8:10 p.m.				
Friday's Games				
Pittsburgh (Loatza 6-5) at Montreal (Vazquez 3-7), 7:05 p.m.				
Chicago Cubs (Traschel 8-6) at Florida (Dempsler 1-3), 7:05 p.m.				
San Diego (Ashby 12-5) at Cincinnati (Remlinger 6-9), 7:05 p.m.				
Philadelphia (Lower 4-1) at N.Y. Mets (Normo 2-8), 7:40 p.m.				
Milwaukee (Woodall 4-4) at Atlanta (Glavine 12-4), 7:40 p.m.				
San Francisco (Lima 7-5) at Houston (Rueter 10-4), 8:05 p.m.				
Los Angeles (Bohanon 2-5) at St. Louis (Acevedo 4-2), 8:10 p.m.				
Colorado (Astacio 7-9) at Arizona (Blair 3-12), 10:05 p.m.				



(Special photo)

The Lions and Tigers Kindergarten basketball teams at the Kids Club are learning how to play the game. Basketball games are all day Saturday from 10 a.m. until 9 p.m. at the MPAC building.

Cowboys' Bates is now a coach

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
AP Sports Writer

WICHITA FALLS, Texas (AP) — Year after year, Bill Bates managed to extend an improbable NFL career by starring on special teams for the Dallas Cowboys.

On Wednesday, the first day of training camp, the over-achieving 15-year veteran figured the time was right to try something new. He became an assistant coach to help new head coach Chan Gailey turn the Cowboys back into a Super Bowl contender.

Bates will assist Joe Avezzano on special teams.

"He's been a coach on the field in that department for

years anyway," Gailey said. Bates will also help Mike Zimmer coach the secondary.

Cowboys owner Jerry Jones left open the possibility Bates could play this year if the team needs him, but said he'll be "a full-time coach, not a player coach."

"In my mind, Bill Bates can beat out rookies and second-year players, but that might not be the best things in the long run for this team," Jones said.

Bates, 36, who made the Cowboys as a rookie free agent, had hoped to set a club record by playing 16 years. Offensive lineman Mark Tuinei, who was not invited to camp, and Ed Jones also played 15 years for the team.

Bates earned three Super

Bowl rings playing special teams, linebacker in the nickel defense and also in the secondary. On Wednesday, he was so emotional that he had to read from a prepared statement.

"This is a close as you can get to a retirement speech," Bates said, wiping away the tears. "I was blessed to get the chance to play for coach (Tom) Landry, coach (Jimmy) Johnson, and coach (Barry) Switzer. I was hoping to play for coach Gailey. But I'm willing to take any part for this organization that I was asked."

"Each year I kept trying to stretch it out one more year. There had to be a time when I didn't play," Bates said. "Now is the right time. I accept the challenge."

Colon is outdueled by idol as Indians bow to Red Sox

By The Associated Press

Cleveland's Bartolo Colon got to watch his idol pitch up close. The result was just what the Boston Red Sox needed.

Pedro Martinez pitched a four-hitter to outduel Colon in a matchup of All-Star pitchers as Boston beat the Cleveland Indians 1-0 Wednesday night.

"I talked to him a lot when we were both at the All-Star game," Colon said. "It was an honor to pitch against him. He was one of my idols. I always wanted to be able to pitch against him to see how that would feel."

It didn't feel good for the Cleveland hitters, who failed to get an extra-base hit for the first time in 138 games. Martinez (12-3) struck out nine and walked two in his second shutout this season as he improved to 6-1 in his last seven starts.

"He's getting in a real nice groove," Boston catcher Scott Hatteberg said. "He had a good fastball from inning one to inning nine. He gets in a groove where he's in total command of every at-bat."

Going up against the AL ERA leader, Martinez (12-3) knew he would have little room for error if he wanted to break the Red Sox out of their recent funk. Boston lost five of its previous six since putting together its best first half in 12 years.

"I had to step it up a little bit and pick up my teammates. They were struggling," Martinez said after pitching Boston's first 1-0 complete-game win at Fenway Park since Roger Clemens did it against Cleveland in 1987. "We need these types of games to turn things around."

The game's only extra-base hit came from an unlikely source. Seldom-used Midre Cummings, making a rare start in place of the injured Reggie Jefferson, led off the fifth with a homer off Colon (9-5).

"Once I saw Midre hit that ball, I said I have to win with this one (run), and if we score more, that's a plus," Martinez said.

Elsewhere in the AL, Chicago swept Toronto in a doubleheader, 9-3 and 5-2. In other games, it was New York 11, Detroit 0; Baltimore 14, Texas 3; Seattle 4, Minnesota 1; Kansas City 5, Oakland 1; and Anaheim 4, Tampa Bay 2.

The Indians barely mounted a threat against Martinez. They had two singles in the second before Martinez fanned Jeff Branson.

The right-hander retired the next 14 before Brian Giles singled with two outs in the seventh. But he was thrown out trying to steal by Hatteberg. Martinez walked two in the eighth, but got Kenny Lofton to pop to third, ending the inning.

Colon wasn't much worse as he gave up seven hits in eight innings after going 5-0 in his six previous starts.

"He feels he did a good job, too," bullpen coach Luis Isaac said. "But he made a mistake and had to pay for his mistake."

White Sox 9, Blue Jays 3, 1st Game
White Sox 5, Blue Jays 2, 2nd Game

At Chicago, Albert Belle hit a two-run homer in both games, giving the White Sox slugger nine in his last eight games. He has 27 homers this year and 299 in his career.

Robin Ventura and Ray Durham also homered in the first game to support Jaime Navarro (8-10). Pat Hentgen (9-6) took the loss.

In the second game, Mike Caruso hit a tiebreaking two-run homer in the fifth to spoil Dave Stieb's first start since 1993 and give Chicago its sixth victory in seven games. Carlos Castillo (4-4) was the winner.

Yankees 11, Tigers 0
Hideki Irabu pitched eight strong innings and New York hit three home runs in the eighth inning at Tiger Stadium.

Chuck Knoblauch hit a three-run homer, Jorge Posada had a two-run drive and Paul O'Neill added a solo shot off Doug Bochler.

Irabu (8-3) gave up five hits as New York won for the 12th time in 13 games. At 67-21, the Yankees matched the 1902 Pittsburgh Pirates for the best 88-game record this century. Seth Greisinger (1-4) took the loss.

Orioles 14, Rangers 3
Rafael Palmeiro homered as Baltimore won its seventh straight and for the first time on the road in 11 games.

Mike Bordick and Lenny Webster both went 3-for-5 and drove in two runs, and Sidney Ponson (3-6) took advantage of Baltimore's season-high 19 hits. The Orioles scored five runs in the second off Rick Helling (12-5).

Mariners 4, Twins 1
Edgar Martinez and Dan Wilson homered in the sixth inning off LaTroy Hawkins (6-8) and Jamie Moyer (6-7) pitched four-hit ball for eight innings to lead host Seattle.

Mike Timlin got his fourth save for the last-place Mariners, who won for the fifth time in seven games since the All-Star break.

Ken Griffey Jr. was 0-for-4 and remained one behind Mark McGwire's major league-leading 40 homers.

Royals 5, Athletics 1
At Oakland, Jose Rosado matched a career-high with nine strikeouts, and Jeff King homered for Kansas City.

Rosado (4-7) allowed one run and two hits — both by Rickey Henderson — in 6 1-3 innings.

Tom Candiotti (5-11) took the loss.

Angels 4, Devil Rays 2
Cecil Fielder homered for the first time in nearly three weeks to lead host Anaheim.

Shigetoshi Hasegawa (4-1) earned the victory in relief of starter Chuck Finley, who didn't allow an earned run before leaving the game in the fifth inning with a cut just below his right knee. He tried to make a sliding tag on Tampa Bay's Dwight Winn.

Wilson Alvarez (4-7) took the loss.

Houston Astros' Bell and Everett quietly pursue battling title

PHOENIX — Derek Bell and Carl Everett say they're not thinking about it.

Hitting instructor Tom McCraw said he wasn't even aware of it.

They'd all love to see it happen, but it's early. Way early.

Nevertheless, the Houston Astros have two players in the thick of the National League batting race, and it doesn't appear to be a fluke.

Bell is hovering among the top five league's hitters in the .330-plus neighborhood, and outfield mate Carl Everett is right with him.

"To be honest with you, I don't get into that, and I really don't want my hitters getting into it, either," McCraw said.

"The minute you start getting wrapped up in that, you tend to put pressure on yourself. You go up to the plate thinking, 'OK, I need to do such-and-such to have this average.' I'd rather the guys not even think about that."

So far, that doesn't seem to be a problem. If the production of Bell and Everett is the result of pressure, every player should succumb. Bell's average hasn't dipped below .311 at any point during the season, and Everett hasn't been a sub-.300 hitter since April 11. That's the type of consistency any hitter who contends for the batting crown must exhibit.

"I know where I am in the race but only because I saw it

on ESPN the other day," Bell said. "All of that is nice, but I'm really not worried about it. If I just concentrate on being consistent, everything else will take care of itself."

"I might have thought about that kind of stuff earlier in my career, but ever since (McCraw) came here, he's taught me that you don't have to be hitting .330 to be happy. The main thing is just doing whatever it's going to take to help us win."

"It would be nice to win the batting title, but I would sacrifice that in a minute for a chance to help Craig Biggio and Jeff Bagwell get past the first round of the playoffs and have a chance to go to the World Series. That's what it's

all about."

Bell hit .334 in 1995 and finished fourth in the NL batting race, although his season ended early because of an injury. But this is new territory for Everett, who was a career .245 hitter entering this season. His high-water mark is .260 in 79 games for the Mets in 1995.

"If it happens, it happens," said Everett, who like Bell is a native of Tampa, Fla. "I don't go to the plate thinking about my batting average. Half the time, I don't even know what it is until someone tells me. I've always thought of myself as a good hitter. But whether I'm hitting .330 or .280, none of it matters if I'm not helping the team, and I think I've done

that. I'm most proud of that, not my batting average."

Perhaps they're being modest, or maybe just realistic. But the Tampa Twosome aren't giving themselves much of a chance to win the NL batting crown. Both players predict eight-time batting champion Tony Gwynn will be No. 1 at the end, although he has slumped lately.

Everett believes the race will come down to Gwynn and New York's John Olerud, while Bell's bet is Gwynn and Dante Bichette of the Colorado Rockies.

"Don't get me wrong," Bell said. "It's not that I don't have confidence in myself or Carl. But you've got to look at some

of the other factors involved. Tony Gwynn goes right down to the wire every year, so why wouldn't he be there this year, too?"

"Playing half of his games at Coors Field definitely gives Dante an advantage. He's going to get a lot of balls to drop in for singles that might be outs in some other parks. The only chance I have is to catch a hot streak and ride it all the way. I guess that's possible, but I'm more concerned with being consistent and doing the same things I've been doing all year."

If Bell and Everett can do just that, they might both have a better chance at the batting title than they think.

Suspect accused of killing four members of wife's family, dumping bodies in northern California

WILMINGTON, Calif. (AP) — A ranch hand suspected of killing four members of his wife's family — including two young children — surrendered to the FBI after phone records revealed his hiding place.

Arturo Juarez Suarez, 30, was arrested Wednesday evening near Long Beach, some 500 miles south of where the bodies were discovered. He

was charged with four counts of murder, sexual assault and kidnapping. Suarez is accused of luring five members of his estranged wife's family to a remote ranch north of Auburn, in northern California, on Sunday. Authorities said he raped his wife's sister, who managed to free herself and summon help.

In a 3-foot grave under a blackberry thicket, search dogs uncovered the bodies of the sister-in-law's husband, Jose Luis Martinez, 37; their children, Jack Martinez, 5, and Arele Martinez, 3; and Martinez's brother, Juan Manuel Martinez, 28. The men had been shot in the head, and the children showed signs of having been hit with a blunt object.

1 Public Notice

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR WASTE DISCHARGE PERMIT AMENDMENT
 Celanese Ltd., P.O. Box 937, Pampa, Texas 79066-0937, has applied to the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission for a major amendment with renewal of Permit No. 02891 to acknowledge the practice of the land application of waste activated sludge through the irrigation system or directly from Pond A. The draft permit authorities (1) the discharge of stormwater from non-process areas via Outfalls 001 and 002 on an intermittent and flow variable basis; (2) the discharge of stormwater from the closure caps of fly ash pits nos. 1 and 2 via Outfall 003 on an intermittent and flow variable basis; and (3) the disposal of treated process wastewater from cooling tower blowdown (CTB), and reverse osmosis reject water (RO) via irrigation. The CTB may be used to irrigate an 81 acre tract of land and/or for dust suppression on company property. The TPW and the RO may be used to irrigate a 394 acre tract of land. The application rate shall not exceed either an annual average of 4 acre-feet/year or a daily maximum rate of 13,000 gal/acre/day for each irrigation system. The applicant operates an organic chemicals production facility. The plant site is located southwest of the intersection of U.S. Highway 60 and Farm-to-Market Road 2300, approximately 3 1/2 miles southwest of the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas. Outfalls 001 and 002 discharge to drainage ditches thence to Red Deer Creek, thence to the Canadian River below Lake Meredith, Segment No. 0101 in the Canadian River Basin; Outfall 003 discharges to a ditch, thence to Bell Lake, thence to an unnamed tributary of the North Fork Red River, Segment No. 0224 in the Red River Basin; land application tracts are located in the watersheds of the Canadian River below Lake Meredith, Segment No. 0101 in the Canadian River Basin, and the North Fork Red River, Segment No. 0224 in the Red River Basin. The unclassified receiving waters uses are no significant aquatic life uses for the drainage ditches and unnamed tributary. The designated uses for Segment Nos. 0101 and 0224 are high quality aquatic habitat and contact recreation.

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Square House remembers Red River War

PANHANDLE — At 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 1, author James Haley of Austin will be presenting a talk on the Red River Indian War at the Square House Museum in Panhandle. This date marks the 124th anniversary of the War Department's directive ordering federal troops into the field against the combined tribes of the Texas Panhandle.

The Red River War of 1874-75 was one of the largest and most significant Indian wars in U.S. history, and yet it remains one of the least known. It involved three tribes: the Cheyenne, Comanche and Kiowa; federal troops from four states: Kansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas; hostilities continued almost uninterrupted for a six-month period; and at least 30 engagements, seven of them major, were fought across the entire Texas Panhandle, an area larger than the state of West Virginia. The resolution of this conflict had national significance, in that it opened a safe corridor for travel which ultimately led to the settlement and economic development of the West.

The Red River War began on June 27, 1874, with an attack on the buffalo hunter camp at Adobe Walls. Twenty-eight hunters held off an estimated 700 Cheyenne, Comanche and Kiowa for three days. On Aug. 1, the War Department in Washington ordered the U.S. Army into the field against the three tribes. Infantry and cavalry from forts in four states converged on the Texas Panhandle, and from Aug. 30 through the end of the year there were almost constant clashes of various sizes between the Indians and the military. The war officially

ended with the surrender of the Cheyenne on March 6, 1875.

The war lasted nine months. During this period, there were new military tactics such as the use of wagons as an offensive weapon, and Congressional Medals of Honor were awarded to an entire unit for the first time. When the war ended, the power of the tribes in the Texas Panhandle was broken. Buffalo hunters returned immediately and killed millions of animals within a 10-year period. The Southern Plains were opened for the railroad, for the development of the cattle industry and for agriculture, economic bases of the region today.

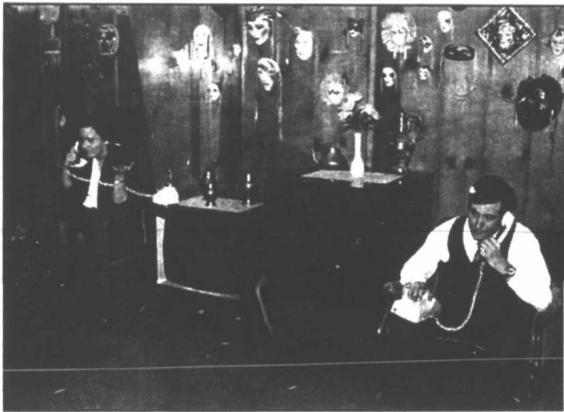
Until the appearance in 1976 of James Haley's "The Buffalo War: The History of the Red River Indian Uprising," that conflict was the last major campaign against the American natives never to have had a book written about it. Today, as many of the battlegrounds are being studied by historians and archaeologists, the book has been reprinted in a commemorative fourth edition by State House Press.

Haley's talk will deal as much about researching the Red River War as it will with the details of the various engagements. Titled "The Red River War: Some Things We Didn't Know," Haley will recount some of the obstacles and surprises — not to mention nautical characters — he

encountered in his research; and how the book has changed the accepted history of the conflict. His humorous and easy speaking style promises to provide an entertaining as well as informative presentation.

Haley is a prolific and accomplished author of both fiction and non-fiction. He has written a number of adventure novels, most recently one called "Ghost Pod" for Busch Entertainment. In addition to "The Buffalo War," his non-fiction includes "Apaches: A History and Culture Portrait" (Doubleday, 1981), several books about Texas history, and he is just completing a biography of Sam Houston. For the next two years he will be researching and writing a comprehensive history of Texas, the first since T.R. Fehrenbach published "Lone Star: A History of Texas and the Texans" in 1968.

"Art of the Red River Warriors," a special exhibit of paintings by 20th century Cheyenne, Comanche, and Kiowa artists, is hanging in the auditorium where Haley will speak. This is in the Hazlewood Arts and Education Building on the south side of the intersection of TX Hwy. 207 and Fifth Street in Panhandle. Admission is free. For more information, call the Square House Museum at (806) 537-3524.



(Special photo)

Danie Lay and Billy Swinney perform a scene from "How the Other Half Loves." The play will run from July 16, 17 and 18 at Boomtown Community Theatre in Borger.

Boomtown Community Theatre to present Ayckbourn comedy

BORGER — Boomtown Community Theatre will present Alan Ayckbourn's adult comedy "How the Other Half Loves" on July 16, 17 and 18.

A plot built around an affair between Bob Phillips and Fiona Foster is complicated when they lie about their whereabouts to their respective spouses, claiming to be consoling a third couple, the Detweilers, whose marriage is supposedly falling apart. This complicated set contains the Foster as well as the Phillip residence where action takes place simultaneously. One of the funniest scenes finds the Detweilers dining at the Fosters on Thursday and the Phillips on Friday at the same time. Tom Phelan, a St. Louis native and an engineer for Phillips will portray Frank Foster. Danie Lay, a real trooper who fell and broke her nose on July 1, is Fiona Foster.

Billy Swinney, owner of a local Taekwondo school, is Bob Phillips. Robyn Rodriguez, a lifetime resident of Borger, is Teresa Phillips. Nathan Vickers, a six year veteran of Boomtown productions, is William Detweiler. Roxan Alexander, a Borger native, is Mary Detweiler. Robin and Roxan are proud of their involvement in school choir.

Director Bill Everly has been involved in community theatre for over 20 years at several locations. Assistant Director J. Scott Glenn is a familiar face having retired from teaching at the high school. Stage Manager Beverly Cranfill divides her time between Borger and Oklahoma. Set Decorator Mar Kay Ooley-Immel was the villainess in last year's "Curse You, Jack Dalton." President and set designer Sam Cornelius is the founder of BCT.

Doors will open at 6:30 p.m. and the show will begin at 7:30 p.m. Late seating is not permitted. Admission is \$10, refreshments will be available but no dinner will be served. For more information, call (806) 273-8451. Reservations can be made by calling (806) 274-7011.

Comedy musical 'The Cowboy Ain't Dead Yet' to appear at Gem Theatre in Claude

CLAUDE — Center Stage Productions, Southmayd, Texas, will bring to the Gem Theatre, July 18 at 7:30 p.m. the comedy musical, "The Cowboy Ain't Dead Yet." This play looks at the life of the American hero, the cowboy, from the late 1860's to modern times. The character, Jo Texas, has heard he is a dying breed and decides to come to town to prove the cowboy is alive and well. The life of the cowboy unfolds through songs, stories and poems of the old west.

The audience will see Joe Texas transform on stage from a trail hand of the late 1800's to a ranch hand of the early 1900's working the great spreads and then he becomes the modern educated cowboy. The audience will smell the campfires on the trail from Texas to Kansas. They'll learn what it was like to cross the raging waters of the Red River into Indian Territory and on to the cow towns of Kansas. They'll feel the spirit of men like Chisum, Loving and Goodnight.

Also appearing will be the "Gospel Chords" from Pampa. This group will be appearing on the Gem Theatre Stage with musical introduction to the main performance by "Joe Texas."

Tickets for this performance are \$9 for adults, \$7 for seniors, \$3 for children under 12 back row balcony \$5. For reservation call (806) 944-5383 or (806) 226-2187.

Teen to be tried in juvenile court

FORT WORTH (AP) — A teenager could be sentenced to 40 years behind bars for an incident that started when a neighbor reported he stole a lingerie catalog from her mailbox.

Visiting State District Judge Maryellen Hicks denied prosecutors' petition to have the 15-year-old certified to stand trial as an adult on a charge of aggravated kidnapping.

Prosecutor Mitch Poe said he will seek to have the boy punished under determinate sentencing if convicted in juvenile court. That means he could be sentenced up to 40 years.

Robin Hurdle testified the boy took a Victoria's Secret catalog after rifling through her and other neighbors' mailboxes in her west Fort Worth neighborhood June 15.

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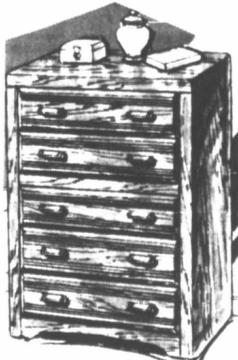
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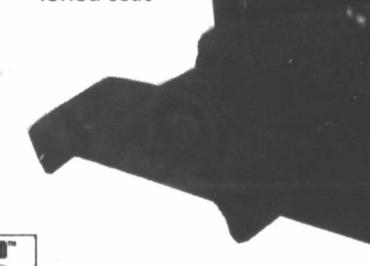
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