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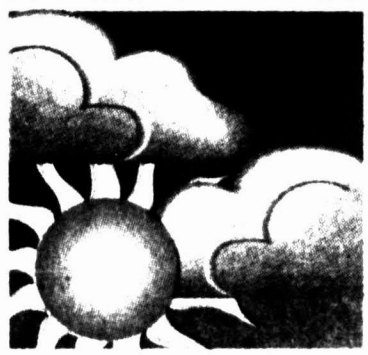
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**PAMPA** — Gray County Commissioners Court had a brief meeting Thursday in which paying bills and approving judicial continuing education credits were the only new business. A closed door session involving personnel matters resulted in no action.

**MCLEAN** — Pampa Fine Art Association classes begin today here.

Scheduled from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. at the McLean elementary school, the classes are designed for students from second grade through high school.

Classes are being offered in drama, pottery, print making, water colors, charcoal and making plaster miniatures.

**MOBETTIE** — The Panhandle Bluegrass and Old-Time Music Association in conjunction with the Old Mobeetie Association will hold its 20th annual Bluegrass Music Festival on July 23, 24 and 25 in Old Mobeetie.

It begins at 6 p.m. Friday and continues until noon Sunday.

**Edward "Ed" Henry Brainard II**, 72, Texas Panhandle rancher.

**Doris L. Stribling**, 63, lifelong resident of Miami.

**Maud Whiteley**, 92, former Pampa resident.

**Anna Mae Ross**, 86, former Pampa resident.

**Joe Frank Roberson Sr.**, 81, retired production manager with Celanese Corporation.

**Laura Wimberly Guthrie**, 98, former owner of Rogue Theater and Mustang Drive Inn in Wheeler.

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## Warrants issued in near riot

By JEFF WEST  
Staff Writer

Arrest warrants have been issued for four individuals allegedly connected to a civil disturbance Thursday afternoon in Pampa.

Pampa Police officers are reviewing video tapes to identify individuals they believe were instrumental in hindering an arrest and

aggravating a near-riot that occurred when Officer Corey Powell stopped Andrea Burnley, 18, 1040 Huff, for a traffic violation.

When Powell approached the car he said he saw an open container of beer.

A crowd gathered and started taunting Powell and encouraging the suspect to resist when Powell administered field sobriety tests. After backup units

arrived Powell attempted to arrest Burnley for driving while intoxicated. She ran from the scene.

After she was captured, Powell along with Officers Anthony Wooley and Beverly Chace found themselves trapped by a large crowd that advanced on the trio even after being told to back up. Over a dozen law enforcement personnel from four dif-

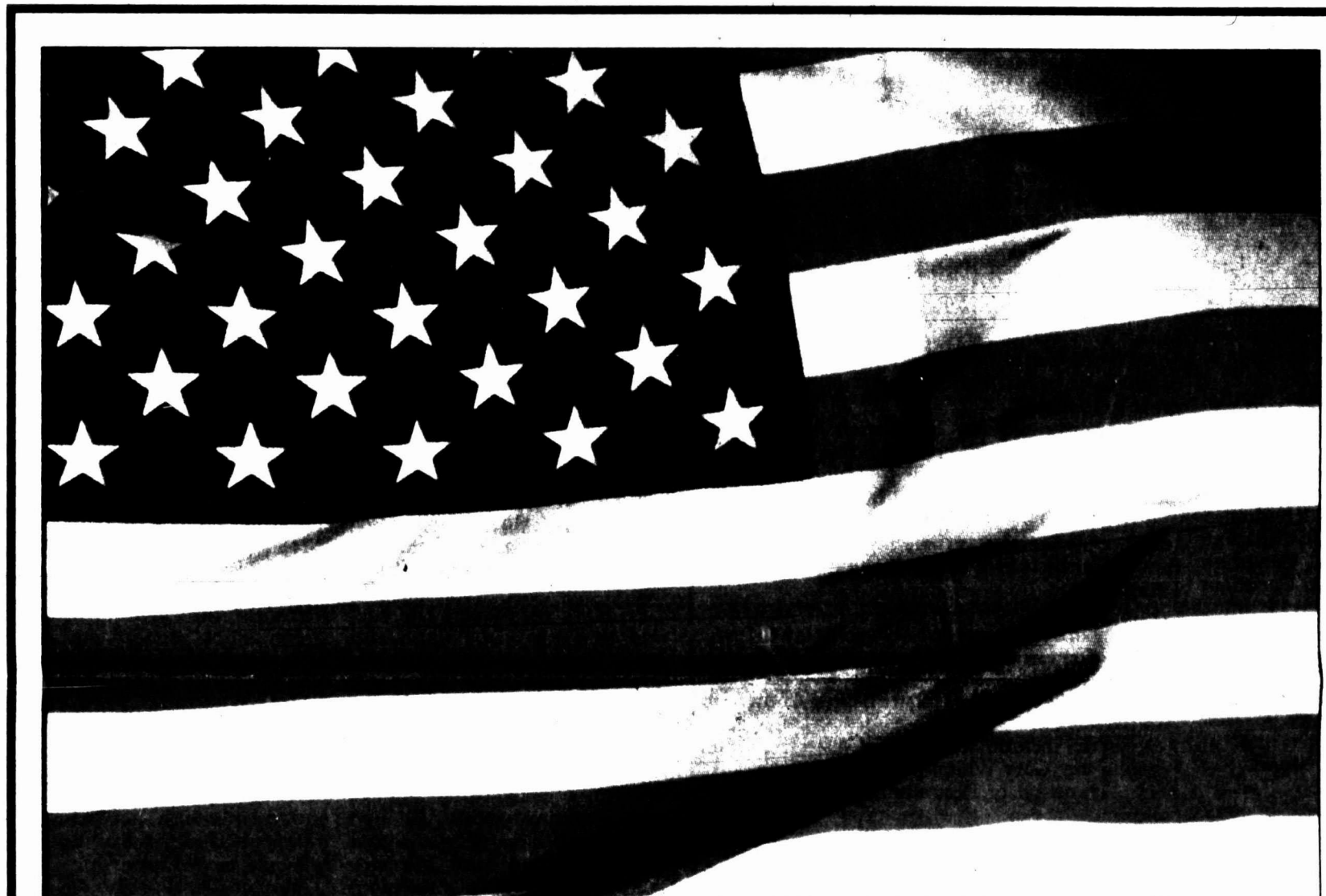
ferent agencies arrived. Three people were arrested for inciting a riot and disorderly conduct.

Burnley was arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated and having an open container, evading arrest, possession of a controlled substance and felony escape.

Pampa Police Chief Charlie Morris said there were at least two video tapes made Thursday

from police units. Some of the suspects have been identified, but police are still attempting to find the names of others.

Nine different warrants were sworn out against the four individuals with charges ranging from evading and resisting arrest to participation in a riot and hindering apprehension. The four that were arrested Thursday have all been released on bond.



Happy Fourth of July -- Two third of all Americans will do something special this weekend. A North Carolina researcher found that 61 percent plan to watch some fireworks, 34 percent will sing the National Anthem or other patriotic songs, 31 percent expect to watch a parade and 23 percent plan to launch their own fireworks. Have a happy Independence Day!

## PISD votes to have standing committees

By NANCY YOUNG  
Managing Editor

Pampa ISD trustees approved deleting a school policy Thursday night to allow standing committees of board members.

Pampa ISD Superintendent Dawson Orr recommended to the board of trustees a three member committee be created for facilities planning at the Thursday night board meeting.

A local board policy prohibiting the establishment of standing board committees was reviewed at the May 28 meeting. Trustees discussed deleting the policy to create a Facilities Committee which would allow more efficient and effective study of facility needs and issues. Final approval of capital improvements would require the action of the board as a whole.

Board president Jay Johnson, DDS, asked school trustees to consider appointment to the board and he would be contacting each member of the board to discuss the matter.

The committee was established due to the extensive fact finding coordination with third parties, and long lead-times. Dr. Orr's recommendation of a creation of a standing committee for facilities would provide for more effective and efficient planning presentation of facility proposals of board of trustees.

Orr, as school superintendent, will serve as an ex-officio member of the committee.

## Thornberry plans Pampa meeting

Congressman Mac Thornberry will hold a town meeting in Pampa on Thursday, July 8.

Thornberry said he will be at Lovett Memorial Library's meeting room, 111 N. Houston, at 5 p.m. to discuss retirement and Social Security.

Thornberry said this is part of a series of town meetings he is holding across the 13th Congressional District.

## Services set for pioneer rancher

Services for a Texas Panhandle rancher, killed in a head-on collision Thursday night, will be Monday afternoon in Canadian.

Edward "Ed" Henry Brainard II, 72, of 2125 Mary Ellen, was killed in a collision Thursday night in the 500 block of North Price Road.

Department of Public Safety officers said a wheel came off a 1956 Franks oil rig truck driven by Jose Miranda, 24, of 509 Warren, about 9:25 p.m. Thursday. The truck swerved into the north bound lanes of Price Road, meeting Brainard's 1982 Blazer head on.

Services for Mr. Brainard will be at 3 p.m. Monday at the First Presbyterian Church of Canadian with Reverend Brad Walker and Reverend Robin Gantz officiating. Interment will be at the Edith Ford Cemetery in Canadian.

Edward Henry "Ed" Brainard II was born on Jan. 17, 1927, to Texas Panhandle pioneer families of Sallie Lee Exum Brainard and Edward Swasey Fullerton "Bud" Brainard in Canadian.

Mr. Brainard grew up at John's Creek on the Canadian River and attended Blodgett School and Crouch Creek School, in Roberts County. He attended New

Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, N.M., and graduated from Canadian High School.

He served in the United States Army at Fort Knox, Ky., Governor's Island, New York, and Occupied Germany from 1954 until 1956.

After his tour in the army, he returned to the family ranches in the Texas Panhandle and married Lillian Manzell Martin on Nov. 29, 1958, in Pampa. They

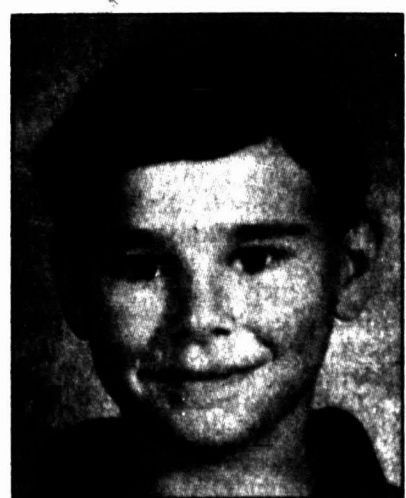
lived on the John's Creek ranch until 1973 when they moved to Pampa.

Mr. Brainard was a member of the first Presbyterian Church of Canadian and was a member and past-president of the Panhandle Livestock Association. He is a director of Texas Hereford Association, a member of the Annual Health Committee of Texas, and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, and a member of the National Cattlemen's Beef Association. He was active in various community and area projects and activities.

The family will be at 601 Kinsman Street in Canadian.



## Sunday snapshot



Name: Brent Roberson  
Occupation/Activities: 4th grade student-Letors.  
Birth date and place: 3-13-89.

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**Family:** Dad Keith, Mom Susan, and brother Trent.  
**If I had a different job, I'd be a:**  
or  
**When I grow up I want to be:** a singer.  
**My personal hero:** my Dad.  
**The best advice I ever got was:** just be yourself.  
**People who knew me in High School thought:**  
or  
**My classmates think of me as:** a good friend.  
**The best word or words to describe me:** funny.  
**People will remember me as being:**  
**The four guests at my fantasy dinner party would be:** Jesus,

James Bond, my Peepaw & Rocketman.  
**My hobbies are:** football.  
**My favorite sports team is:** Letors Pirates.  
**My favorite author is:** Mary Pope Osborne.  
**The last book I read was:** "Socks".  
**My favorite possession is:** my family.  
**The biggest honor I've ever received is:** Hunting Dog Award.  
**My favorite performer is:** My Dad & Northfork Band.  
**I wish I knew how to:** Fly.  
**My trademark cliché or expression is:** "that's cool".  
**My worst habit is:** say "I know" to my Mom.  
**The last good movie I saw**

was: Small Soldiers.  
**I stay home to watch:** wrestling.  
**Nobody knows:** I collect Beanie Babies.  
**Someday I want to drive a:** Red convertible.  
**My favorite junk food is:** Candy.  
**My favorite beverage:** Dr Pepper.  
**My favorite restaurant is:** Long John Silvers.  
**My favorite pet:** Laz, the Siamese cat.  
**My favorite meal is:** Fetticme Alfredo.  
**I wish I could sing like:** My Dad.  
**I'm happiest when I'm:** I'm with my family.  
**I regret:** Being too young to

play football.  
**I'm tired of:** Taking out the trash.  
**My biggest fear is:** Rollercoasters.  
**The electrical device I couldn't live without is:** Television.  
**My most embarrassing moment:** When I almost forgot the spirit stick at a pep rally.  
**If I won the lottery, the most extravagant thing I would do is:** Buy a mansion with a swimming pool.  
**If I had three wishes they would be:** Peace on Earth, A chair that would do everything, and that Cameron was in my class.  
**If I could change one thing about Pampa, it would be:** More places to eat.

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### Trivia Tracking



(Special photo)

Participating in the Superintendent Enrichment Program "Trivia Tracking: Session II" for incoming freshmen at Pampa High School were Rebecca Moore, Shay Chapman, Tamra Henthorn and Kandi Garrison. The students looked up what life was like on the day they were born.

### Calendar of events

**T.O.P.S. #149**  
Take Off Pounds Sensibly (T.O.P.S.) #149 meets at 6 p.m. Monday at 513 E. Francis. Call 669-2389 for more information.

**T.O.P.S. #41**  
Take Off Pounds Sensibly (T.O.P.S.) #41 meets at noon Monday at 511 N. Hobart. For more information, call 665-3024.

**AL-ANON**  
Al-Anon will hold weekly meetings on Mondays and Wednesdays at 8 p.m. at 910 W. Kentucky.

**VFW CHARITY BINGO**  
The Pampa Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #1657, 105 S. Cuyler, will be having Charity Bingo every Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Doors open at 12 noon. The public is welcome. License No. 1-75-6037422-9.

**CELEBRATION OF LIGHTS**  
The Celebration of Lights project will hold regular workshop meetings at 6:30 p.m. on Monday nights at Warren Chisum's Office, 100 N. Price Road. Anyone wishing to help with the project is invited to attend any work session.

**PAMPA DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB**  
The Pampa Duplicate Bridge Club plays Monday at 1:30 p.m. and Thursdays at 10 a.m. at Clarendon College. For a partner, or more information, please call Marie Jamieson at 669-2945.

**PANHANDLE ALLIANCE FOR THE MENTALLY ILL**  
A support group for the mentally ill and family members meet the second Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. at 218 N. Russell. This week we are discussing the negative symptoms of paranoid schizophrenia. There is no charge. For more information or if you need a ride call Sharon King, 665-2818.

**DON AND SYBIL HARRINGTON CANCER CENTER**  
The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and BSA Health System will conduct a breast cancer screening clinic July 26 at Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency, Inc., 916 N. Crest, in Pampa. Participants will receive a low-cost self-exam mammogram and a breast health appraisal along with

individual instruction by a registered nurse in breast self-examination. Funding is available through the Texas Department of Health for Texas residents who qualify for assistance. All exams are by appointment only. For more information, call (806) 359-1905 or 1-800-377-4673.

**FPC HANDGUN CLASS**  
Frank Phillips College will offer a concealed handgun class from 6-10 p.m. Monday-Wednesday beginning July 26 in the Classroom Learning Complex, Room CLC-4, and from 9-11 a.m. Saturday, July 31 at the gun range. The instructor for the course will be Randy Duval of Hutchinson County Sheriff Department. Cost of the class is \$5. Registration will be at the Office of Admissions and Records in the Classroom Learning Complex. For more information, call (806) 274-5311 or 1-800-687-2056, ext. 741.

**CLARENDON COLLEGE**  
The final day to register for Summer II classes at Clarendon College is July 5. The Summer II session will be held July 5-Aug. 12 in Clarendon, Pampa, Childress, McLean, Memphis, Shamrock and Wellington. To enroll, students must provide a copy of their high school transcript or GED certificate, ACT/SAT scores, TASP scores, official transcripts from other colleges and admission forms from CC. Current high school students must submit proof

of approval from their principal or counselor. Payment is due upon registration. For more information, call CC at 1-800-687-9737.

**AMARILLO FINE ARTS ASSOCIATION**  
Amarillo Fine Arts Association will hold its Best of the Southwest Fall Art Show Sept. 30-Oct. 8 at Amarillo National Bank in Amarillo. Judging will take place Sept. 29 and a reception and awards presentation will be from 7-9 p.m. Sept. 30. The juror for the

competition will be Judi Betts of Baton Rouge, La. Betts will also be conducting a demonstration and a workshop. Fee for her two-day

course on Sept. 27-28 will be \$100. The workshop is limited to the first 20 people. To register, send fee to Jo Bryan, 3501 Ruston, Amarillo, TX

79109. For more information, call Cindy Kelleher, chairman, at (806) 358-4880 or Bryan at (806) 374-1070.

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## New federal rule could spur biodiesel fuel from soybeans

ST. LOUIS — A rule recently announced by the Department of Energy could spur sales of soy-based biodiesel fuel developed by the soybean checkoff.

The rule allows operators of vehicle fleets to receive alternative fueled vehicle (AFV) requirement credits for using blended alternative fuels that contain at least 20 percent biodiesel. The soy-based alternative fuel is a nontoxic, biodegradable fuel that burns cleaner than petroleum-based fuel.

"More fleets will likely start using blended biodiesel fuels like B20 as a result of this ruling," says United Soybean Board (USB) Domestic Marketing Chair David Durham, a soybean farmer from Hardin, Mo. "That could translate into more soybeans being used to power fleet vehicles. This could help increase domestic soy utilization and the value of the U.S. soybean crop, while potentially improving profit opportunities for U.S. soybean farmers."

The federal government rule allows vehicle fleets using B20, a blended fuel of 20 percent biodiesel and 80 percent diesel fuel, to be eligible for AFV acquisition credits to help meet federal clean air standards. The rule states fleets will receive one credit for every 450 gallons of biodiesel purchased and used at levels of 20 percent or higher in vehicles over 8,500 pounds.

The Congressional Budget office estimates that \$10 million a year could be saved if federal government vehicle fleets alone use biodiesel instead of purchasing alternative fueled vehicles. An independent study conducted last year shows that using biodiesel is a low-cost option for vehicle fleet operators who must comply with AFV rules. Soy-based biodiesel is the only alternative fuel that can be used in existing diesel engines and storage tanks without major modifications. USDA claims a nationwide market for biodiesel of 50 million gallons a year could increase farm income by \$160 million annually.

## Cattlemen's world trade efforts

FORT WORTH — Rural America's demand for protection, warned cattleman Dudley, Texas, and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association first vice president, "The last week on behalf of ISCA, the National Cattlemen's Beef Association meeting is one in a series of regional meetings to be held across the nation by the Trade Policy Staff Committee of the Office of the U.S. Trade Representative. The committee is getting input on a number of issues expected to be discussed at the World Trade Organization meeting in Seattle in November."

"Many, many individual agricultural producers view NAFTA (North American Free Trade Agreement, GATT (General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade) and WTO (World Trade Organization) as the alphabet soup that gave them an economic stomachache," Dudley said. "They believe they are trying to market their products on an unlevel playing field with the other side not playing cricket."

Dudley told the committee many producers think U.S. negotiators and regulators are more interested in allowing foreign countries to get into the U.S. than getting U.S. goods into other countries.

"Good information, straightforward negotiations and a no-nonsense approach to the facts of escape and evasion as practiced by some of our current and prospective trade partners," he said.

## Beef exports

he said. "The administration must work on trade issues and physical protection of our domestic markets."

"Introduction of diseases from other countries are a threat to our domestic industry," Dudley said. "We are exposed to diseases of foot-and-mouth and other animal health issues."

"U.S. Trade Representative must work against the WTO and GATT to comply with the rules of trade and get U.S. products to the international markets."

"The U.S. exports 1998 exports of 10 percent of beef's production," Dudley said. "Only 10 percent of beef lives in the U.S. and 10 percent of beef products to the U.S. are imported."

## Weed on CRP land weeds must be controlled

Good moisture this year is causing weed problems on the U.S. Department of Conservation Reserve Program land.

The Farm Services Administration is warning producers that it is their responsibility to control weeds on CRP land. Failure to control weeds, especially thistle and Kocia, will result in reduction of annual payments, either part or all, this fall, the U.S. Department of Agriculture said.

It can also result in termination of CRP contracts including all annual rental payments plus interest and liquidated damages. The USDA said FSA personnel would be spot-checking CRP land throughout the year to make sure there are no weed problems.

## September is National Western Heritage Month

AMARILLO — September has been proclaimed National Western Heritage Month. Cindy Perez of the American Quarter Horse Association.

A comprehensive project of the Western and English Marketing Council, National Western Heritage Month is an industry-wide celebration, according to Perez of the American Quarter Horse Association. It will feature a national trivia contest with cash and prizes including trip, products and educational materials, Perez said.

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These new rules strengthen state requirements for CAFOs and makes those requirements consistent with rules under the federal Clean Water Act. The new

provisions make it possible for the state to implement the Texas version of the federal permitting program — the Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination Program — either through a permit-by-rule system or by individual permits for CAFOs.

Commissioner John Baker said of the new rules, "With the adoption of these rules we have some of the strongest, common-sense regulations in the nation for CAFOs under the NPDES permit-

ting program. Today's action will put us in an even better position to protect Texas' water quality."

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# SPORTS

## Notebook

### GOLF

**PAMPA** — Deck Woldt shot a 77, two strokes better than his age, on Thursday at the Pampa Country Club course. Witnesses were Harold Salmon, Gene Hall and Carlton Freeman.

### CORRECTION

**PAMPA** — Regarding the article on page 9 of Friday's issue about Pampa track athletes Jenny Fatheree and Beth Lee, there was a mixup concerning the all-state track team and the track all-stars.

Only Fatheree was named a 1998-99 track all-star by the Texas Girls Coaches Association. The honor is for seniors only.

Both Fatheree and Lee were earlier named to the 1999 Girls' Track & Field All-State Team. Lee was a junior this school year.

### BASKETBALL

**PAMPA** — Youngsters, both male and female, can participate in the Harvester Basketball Camp on Tuesday, beginning at 8:30 a.m. at McNeely Fieldhouse.

Youngsters can either register at the gym on Tuesday morning or contact Robert Hale at 669-6447 today or Monday.

"We've had some calls from girls who want to take part in the camp," Hale said. "They can either come to the gym Tuesday morning or get hold of me this weekend."

The camp is for youngsters going into the third through fourth grades.

The camp runs through Friday. Camp times are 8:30 until 1.

## City champions



Glo-Valve Service won its eighth City Tournament championship in the Major Bambino League this year. Team members are (front, from left) Eric Willingham, Mitchell Crow, Craig Stone, Keaton Hutto and Tyson Hickman; (second row, from left) Eric Kingcade, Mateo Campos, Christopher Moody, Ryan Hansen and Matt Parks; (back row, from left) coaches Tim Hutto, Billy Willingham and John Warner.

### Football boosters to meet Monday

**PAMPA** — There will be a Harvester Football Booster Club meeting at 7 Monday night at the Ready Room in the high school athletic building.

The 1999 Pampa High School football schedules will be passed out at the meeting.

## Rockets draft picks visit Houston

**HOUSTON (AP)** — With three of the NBA's 50 greatest players possibly roaming Houston's front court again this fall, the three big players drafted this week by the Rockets say they aren't fancying themselves as starters just yet.

Unlike last season, when guards Michael Dickerson and Cuttino Mobley formed a rookie starting back court, the newest Rockets say they're just happy to have a chance to prove themselves.

"I want to be aggressive in rebounding and just try to play team ball — that's my specialty," said Kenny Thomas, the former New Mexico star who hopes to be tutored by Charles Barkley, if Barkley chooses to stick around.

Second-round picks Tyrone Washington of Mississippi State and Venson Hamilton of Nebraska, drafted 44th and 50th on Wednesday, simply say they're grateful for a chance to prove their worth.

Each is bolstered by the success of Mobley, the former Rhode Island star who ascended from 41st pick last summer to

starting point guard for much of the lockout-shortened season.

"In this business, there aren't very many people that get this kind of opportunity," Washington said. "Whether it's me at the 44th pick or Elton Brand at No. 1 (for Chicago), it doesn't matter."

Carroll Dawson, the team's vice president for basketball operations, echoed his young player's sentiments.

"What you need is a chance; that's what everybody's looking for," Cuttino showed that," Dawson said.

If the future Hall of Fame triumvirate of Barkley, Hakeem Olajuwon and Scottie Pippen indeed returns, Hamilton hopes they'll rub off on the young crop of forwards.

"They want me to come in and rebound and block shots," Hamilton said. "Hopefully, (the veterans) will take me under their wing and make me a lot better."

Thomas fits most immediately into the Rockets' plans. He would be behind Barkley and fourth-year pro Othella

## Greer delivers as Texas nips Mariners

**ARLINGTON, Texas (AP)** — Rusty Greer singled home the winning run with one out in the ninth inning and the Texas Rangers beat the Seattle Mariners 7-6 Friday night for their fourth win in a row.

Texas overcame a 5-2 deficit and won a game in which the lead changed four times.

After Seattle scored the tying run in the ninth on Alex Rodriguez's sacrifice fly off John Wetteland (2-2), the Rangers came right back.

Royce Clayton led off with a double against reliever Ken Cloude (3-4) and Mark McLemore was intentionally walked.

Ivan Rodriguez lined out and Jordan Zimmerman, brother of Texas reliever Jeff Zimmerman, took over and gave up Greer's single.

Jeff Zimmerman pitched a scoreless eighth, extending his shutout streak to 17 1-3 innings in 15 outings. It was the first time brothers had pitched against each other in the majors since May 27, 1998, when Greg and Mike Maddux did it.

The Rangers took a 6-5 lead in the eighth when Roberto Kelly hit a solo homer off Cloude.

Mariners starter Jamie Moyer had won his last seven decisions, but blew a 5-2 lead in the sixth.

Greer led off with his league-leading 25th double and Juan Gonzalez followed with a run-

scoring double to the same spot in left-center field. Todd Zeile and Lee Stevens hit RBI singles.

Rangers starter Rick Helling had pitched at least six innings in 10 of his last 11 starts, but was chased with two outs in the sixth when he allowed three runs on four hits.

Alex Rodriguez led off with a single to left field, then reached second on Greer's error. Edgar Martinez followed with a run-scoring single to give Seattle its first lead at 3-2.

Russ Davis had a sacrifice fly to center and Brian Hunter chased Helling with a run-scoring single.

Helling's exit ended a five-game streak in which Rangers starters had lasted at least six innings. The five runs allowed by Helling matched the staff's total in the previous 27 innings.

Notes: Rangers manager Johnny Oates and second baseman Luis Alcega were both ejected at the end of the sixth inning when they argued a called third strike. Oates and Alcega complained about a called third strike to end the fifth inning, and they were ejected by plate umpire Marty Foster for arguing a similar pitch to end the sixth. ... Zeile extended his hitting streak to 11 games. ... Texas OF Juan Gonzalez officially told the AL on Friday that he does not want to go to the All-Star game unless he's elected by fans to start.

## Fall softball leagues are organizing

**PAMPA** — The City of Pampa Recreation Department will be offering the following leagues for Fall Softball: Men's Open, Women's Open and Mixed Open.

Entry fees or sponsor's fees for teams are \$200 per team (\$185 if team is already sanctioned).

The player's fee is \$12 per player with a minimum of 11 persons for Men's Open, Women's Open and 12 persons for Mixed Open.

Entry deadline is July 9 at 5 p.m. and there will be no teams added after this date.

Schedules will be available after 1 p.m. on July 15 at the Recreation Office.

Play will begin on July 19, for Men's Open and Women's Open and July 20, for Mixed Open.

Roster forms, fact sheets and by-laws are available at the Recreation Office at 816 S. Hobart between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

If you have any questions or would like more information on the Fall Softball League, contact the Recreation Office at 669-5770 during business hours.

Harrington at the power forward slot; Barkley's departure would make him even more important.

Thomas was hampered by injury at a pre-draft camp in Chicago, but interviewed with the Rockets there and again Tuesday in Houston. Dawson believes Thomas' inability to play in Chicago helped Houston.

"Probably, if Kenny hadn't gotten hurt in Chicago, he wouldn't have been there for us (at No. 22)," Dawson said. "His misfortune turned out to be to our benefit."

The three are the only drafted rookies slated to play for Texas teams this year.

The late picks by the Dallas Mavericks and world champion San Antonio Spurs are expected to play overseas for a season or two.

### Red Sox win

**CHICAGO (AP)** — Pedro Martinez got his major league-leading 15th victory and the Boston Red Sox scored four runs in the sixth inning to beat the Chicago White Sox 6-1 Friday night.

Martinez (15-2) went eight innings to tie Roger Clemens' Red Sox record for most wins by the All-Star break.

He allowed one run and seven hits, struck out five and walked none to win his fourth straight start

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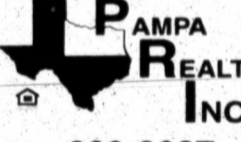
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# LET FREEDOM RING!



By NANCY YOUNG  
Managing Editor

A unique museum is located in Pampa. Freedom Museum, USA was founded jointly by Pampa Army Air Field Reunion Association and the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Post 1657, in Pampa.

The mission of the Freedom Museum USA is to establish, build and maintain a regional military museum of superior quality, and with it, honor and commemorate the men and women who dedicated their lives that the people of the United States of America might live in peace and freedom.

The young museum is telling the story of the military, as well as conflicts and wars in which the USA has engaged. A strong focus is upon World War II artifacts and pictures.

Museum volunteer James Baird said one objective of the museum is to teach young students the realities of war. He said we want to show these students what went on—"the hell the terribleness"—during wars.

Mike Porter, who is also a volunteer, serves as curator of the local facility. He is frequently found working at the museum and has been involved in the museum since the planning.

His duties are varied and also answers inquiries from people concerning the museum and the one-time Pampa Army Air base.

The story of the Pampa Army Air base where the B-25 bomber training was held during World War II is told at the museum. Construction began June 1, 1942, on the base. The first aircraft arrived at the field in Nov., 1942, with the arrival of ten AT-10s. The first class of aviation cadets arrived Dec. 14, 1942 with 174 cadets. These cadets graduated Feb. 16, 1943. The primary emphasis at the base was on pilot training, but there were also training facilities for aircraft mechanics at the base.

Intensity of training continued at a high peak throughout the life of the base. During the three years and three months of operation, there were 6,292 aviation cadets graduates and 3,500 aircraft mechanics trained.

Retired Lt. Col. Kenneth A. Kienlen said a great deal of the success of the base must be credited to the people of Pampa. "The civilian population opened their arms to the base personnel to make them feel welcome. The

businesses provided jobs for the wives of base personnel. Recreation facilities were available at several locations in and around the city," said Kienlen. "It was an example of the very best cooperation between base and city for the common good."

The grounds of the museum on North Hobart include a Veterans Memorial Monument listing the names of the Gray County veterans who gave their lives in combat for the United States. The names of the deceased veterans from World War I, World War II, Korea and Vietnam are listed on the monument. Benches are available for visitors in the area as well as attractive flowering plants.

Also included on the grounds are a Vietnam era helicopter, a U. S. army tank, as well as army trucks.

Established in 1994, the museum is already outgrowing the facility. The group has a restored B-25 and is seeking funding to be utilized to adequately display the bomber. The group is seeking grant monies to assist with the expansion.

The suggestion for a museum was made by Marvin and Loretta Ray of Rossburg, Ohio, on Aug. 16, 1986, while at a PAAFRA annual business meeting.

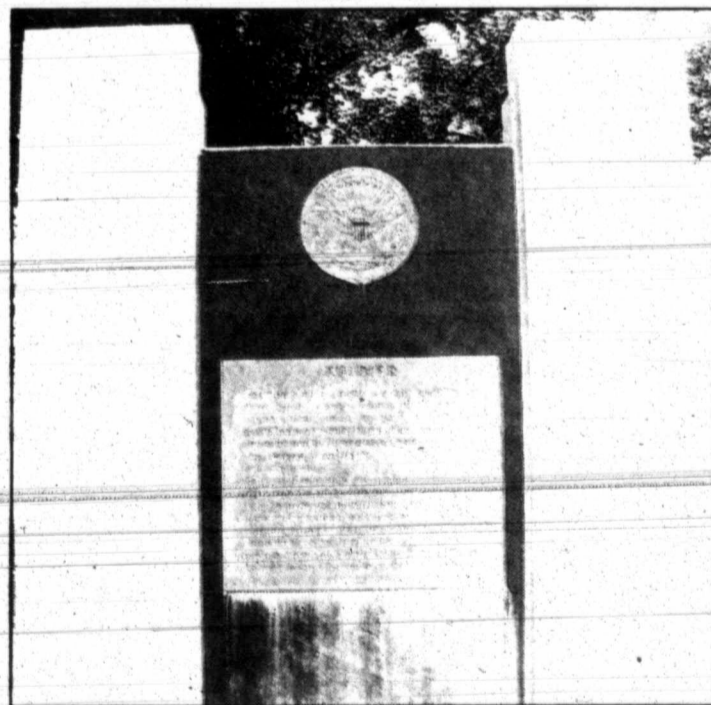
Pampa and Gray County veterans join veterans around the world in the 223rd celebration of Independence Day. Being grate-

ful for the country's independence, there is always hope that someday there will be continued peace.

It is only a few days over 85 years that World War I began. On June 28, 1914, the Archduke of Austria-Hungary at Sarajevo in Bosnia was murdered. Austria-Hungary declared war and immediately all Europe was at war, and war is again raging in Bosnia.

Pampa residents will join free people across the country celebrate the Fourth of July today with trips to the lake, fireworks displays, family gatherings and many other forms of entertainment which are often taken for granted in the United States of America.

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July 5-9

<p><b>Pampa Schools</b> <b>MONDAY</b> Holiday. <b>TUESDAY</b> Breakfast: French toast sticks, syrup. Lunch: Beef and cheese burrito, pinto beans, corn, pineapple. <b>WEDNESDAY</b> Breakfast: Scrambled eggs, sausage patty, biscuits. Lunch: Burgers, French fries, burger salad, sliced pickles, pears. <b>THURSDAY</b> Breakfast: Oatmeal, toast. Lunch: Chicken nuggets, whipped potatoes, green beans, mixed fruit, hot rolls. <b>FRIDAY</b> Breakfast: Cereal, toast. Lunch: Bologna or peanut butter and jelly sandwiches with cheese portion, vegetarian beans, fresh fruit. <b>Meals on Wheels</b> <b>MONDAY</b> Holiday. <b>TUESDAY</b> Chicken patties, macaroni and cheese, pickled beets, plum cake. <b>WEDNESDAY</b> Barbecue beef, baked beans, potato salad, apricots. <b>THURSDAY</b> Sausage spaghetti, green</p>	<p>beans, cauliflower, banana. <b>FRIDAY</b> Baked ham, mixed greens, sweet potatoes, applesauce. <b>Senior Citizens</b> <b>MONDAY</b> Holiday. <b>TUESDAY</b> Chicken fried steak or chicken spaghetti, mashed potatoes, green beans, beets, pinto beans, fudge marble cake or butterscotch pudding cups, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread. <b>WEDNESDAY</b> Roast beef brisket with brown gravy or cook's choice, mashed potatoes, spinach, creme corn, butter beans, carrot cake or coconut creme pie, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread. <b>THURSDAY</b> Chicken strips or ham with fruit sauce, potato salad, yams, peas and carrots, beans, black forest cake or peach/pineapple cobbler, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread. <b>FRIDAY</b> Fried cod fish or sausage and kraut, potato wedges, broccoli casserole, beans, brownies or tapioca, slaw, tossed or jello salad, garlic toast, hot rolls or cornbread.</p>
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Misti McGee and Anthony Shelton

## McGee-Shelton

Misti McGee and Anthony Shelton of Fort Worth were wed June 19 in First Baptist Church of Amarillo with the Rev. Dr. Howard Batson, of the church, officiating.

The matron of honor was Karen Talley of Farmers Branch. The bridesmaids were Keri Byrd of Abilene, Sunny Deaton of Athens, Ga., Elizabeth Elkins of Dallas, April Menasco of Fort Worth and Kimberly Zimmerman of St. Paul, Minn. The flower girl was Jessica McGee of Amarillo.

The best man was Nate Anderson of Tulsa, Okla. The groomsmen were Jeff Byrd of Orlando, Fla., Dana Carrier and Christian Ellis, both of Fort Worth, Chad Copeland of Arlington and Troy McGee of Virginia Beach, Va. The ring bearer was Dillon McGee of Virginia Beach.

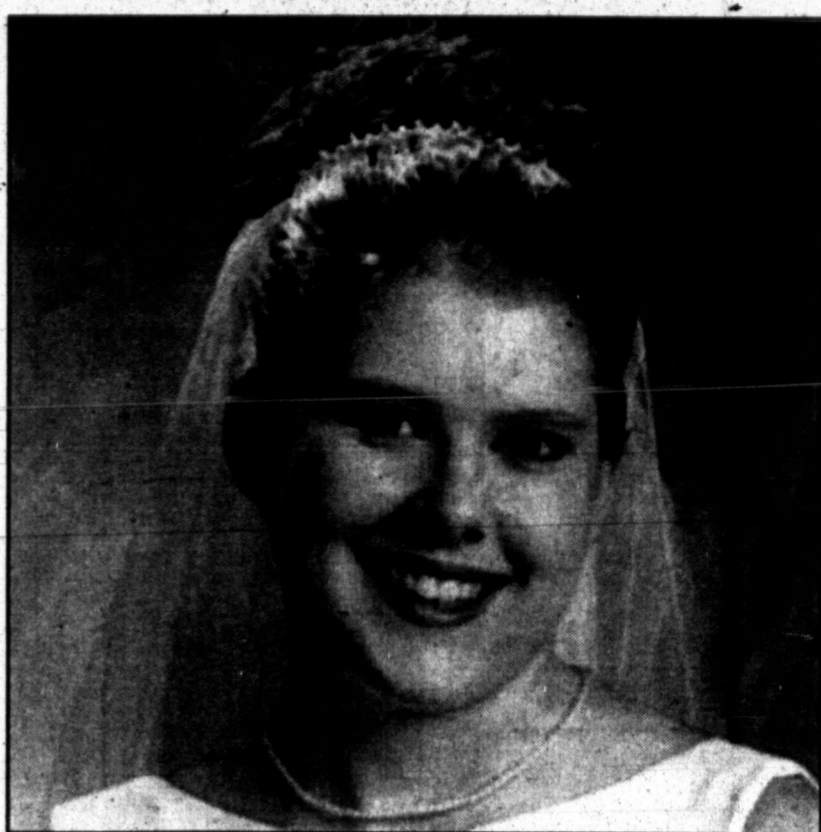
The ushers were Jerry Fife of Austin and Don Shelton of Keller. Registering guests was Jennifer McGee of Virginia Beach, Daniel Edwards of Plainview and Donna Kempf of Cross Plains.

Music was provided by the Talleys of Farmers Branch.

The bride is the daughter of Lynn and Sue McGee of Amarillo, formerly of Pampa, and is the granddaughter of J.B. and Dorothy Fife of Pampa and Elma Jenkins of Amarillo. She graduated from Amarillo High School and from Wayland Baptist University in Plainview. She is currently employed as an elementary school teacher for Birdville School District.

The groom is the son of Beth Shelton of North Richland Hills and Kim Shelton of Grapevine and is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Shelton of Keller and Mr. and Mrs. Rex O'Dell of Jackson, Mich.

The couple planned a honeymoon trip to Florida, the Bahamas and Uganda, East Africa, and intend to make their home in Fort Worth.



Kay Lynn Britten and Ashley Scott McLaughlin

## Britten-McLaughlin

Kay Lynn Britten and Ashley Scott McLaughlin, both of Groom, were wed July 3 in Immaculate Heart of Mary Church in Groom with Father Neal Dee officiating.

The maid of honor was Annet Waxler of Amarillo. The bridesmaids were Tami Ashford and Dara Whatley, both of Groom, and Revonna Barrett of White Deer. The flower girl was Niki Merrill of Gulfbreeze, Fla.

The best man was Nick Ashford of Groom. The groomsmen were Leo Britten and Cody Britten, both of Groom, and Paul McLaughlin of Hobbs, N.M. The ring bearers were Jack and Colton Waxler of Amarillo.

The ushers were Andy Waxler of Amarillo and Ty Lambert and Toby Burgin, both of Groom.

Registering guests was Cassie Ashford of Groom.

Music was provided by vocalist Melanie Britten and organist Debbie Ollinger, both of Groom.

A reception was held following the service in American Legion Hall in Groom with Callie Bichsel of Claude, Casey Major of Levelland, Kristi Homfeld of Adrian, Aimee Lyles of Canyon, and Darcee Lyles and Rebecca Ashford, both of Amarillo, serving the guests.

The bride is the daughter of Lynn Britten of Groom. She has attended South Plains College for one year and is pursuing a degree in business administration.

The groom is the son of Forrest and Patti McLaughlin of Groom. He graduated from Amarillo College with a degree in electronic instrumentation. He is currently employed with El Paso National Gas in Jal, N.M.

The couple intend to make their home in Kermit.

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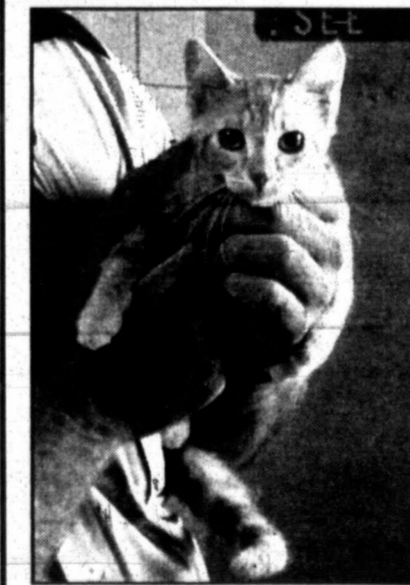
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- The Pampa News will not be responsible for photographs used in announcing weddings, engagements or anniversaries. We reserve the right to refuse publication of photographs of poor quality. Photographs cannot be returned unless they are accompanied by a self-addressed, stamped envelope. They may be picked up in the office after appearing in the paper.
- All information must be submitted by 5 p.m. Wednesday (12 noon Tuesday before Thanksgiving and Christmas), prior to Sunday insertion.
- Engagement, wedding and anniversary news only will be printed on Sunday.
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- Information that appears on engagement, wedding and anniversary forms will be used at the discretion of the editor. Forms are available from the office 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday thru Friday, or by sending a SASE to The Pampa News, P.O. Box 2198, Pampa, TX 79066-2198.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Olson

### Olson anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Olson will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary on July 6, 1999. Cecil Olson and Bernice Y. Benbow were married July 6, 1939, at Stockton, Kan. The couple have been Pampa residents for the past 35 years and are Methodists. Mr. Olson owned-operated his own business, Tubing Testers, prior to retiring in 1987. Mrs. Olson is a homemaker. Children of the couple are Kent C. Olson of Pampa, Sonya Ray of Florida, Pamela Sue Brown of Midland and Tim A. Olson of Fort Smith. They have seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.



Shaylee Joyce Richardson and Gary Brian Burling

### Richardson-Burling

Shaylee Joyce Richardson and Gary Brian Burling, both of Abilene, were wed July 3 in First Baptist Church of Pampa with the Rev. John Glover, of the church, officiating. The maid of honor was Julie Noles of College Station. The bridesmaids were Whitney Flowers, cousin of the bride of Shreveport, La., and Laynie Adkins, Ginny Thompson and Brook Culbertson, all of Abilene. The flower girls were Kamie and Kelby Doughty of Pampa. The best man was Chris Burling, brother of the groom of Waco. The groomsmen were Mick Watson of Humble, Barry Campbell of Stafford, Dave Rausch of Abilene and Jody Richardson, brother of the bride of Pampa. The ring bearer was Garrett Sewell, cousin of the bride of Pampa. The ushers were Manny Serrata and Justin Culbertson, both of Abilene, Chip Mayfield of Waco and Matthew Epperson, cousin of the bride of Amarillo. The candlelighters were Matthew Epperson and Monte Epperson, both cousins of the bride of Amarillo. Registering guests was Soni Clement of Oklahoma City, Okla. Music was provided by vocalist Erika Sparks of Abilene, organist Doris Goad of Pampa and violinist Elizabeth Davis of Channing. A reception was held following the service in the parlor of the church with Laura Miller of Stillwater, Okla., Rachel Whelan of Denton, Kathryn White of Dallas and Jessica Cutes of Abilene serving the guests. The bride is the daughter of Mickey and Zindi Richardson of Pampa. She is currently a senior at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene and is employed in Hardin-Simmons Accounting Office. The groom is the son of Bill and Linda Burling of Sugarland. He is currently pursuing a master's degree in environmental management at Hardin-Simmons and is employed by the City of Abilene in the Environmental Laboratory. The couple planned a honeymoon trip to Cancun, Mexico, and intend to make their home in Abilene.



Kari Marie Beicker and Kevin Savage

### Beicker-Savage

Kari Marie Beicker of San Antonio and Kevin Savage of Lubbock were wed July 3 in Baker Building in Lubbock. The matron of honor was Samantha Friesenhahn of San Antonio and the maid of honor was Krista Beicker of San Antonio. The bridal attendants were Natalie Ferris, Tammi Sine and Michelle Ross, all of San Antonio, Sharleen Pape, Amy Pape and Kara Lindsey, all of Dallas, Alisha Jefferis of Pampa and Elizabeth Sullivan of Galveston. The flower girl was Keara Park of Bay City. The best man was Guy Conley Savage of Austin. The groomsmen were Kevin Jefferis, Andy Anderson and Jason Dyer, all of Pampa, Chris Johnson and Jesse Hernandez, both of Amarillo, Chad Giles of Weatherford, Okla., Cody Anderson of Lexington, Okla., Charlie Rogers of Lubbock and Steven Menkhoff of Dallas. The ring bearer was Kolton Jerris of Pampa. The ushers and candlelighters were Matt Ellif of Plainview, Jeremy Lennox of Dallas and Brent Beicker and Clint Beicker, both of Seguin. Registering guests were Brooke Pozey of Victoria and Lacy Beicker of San Antonio. Music was provided by Shaun Smith of San Antonio and Anna Ruth D'Spain of Lubbock. A reception was held following the service with John Wayne and Ann Stepp of Port Lavaca, Carol and Jean Stepp of Eden, Ron and Janet Pape of Dallas and Donnie and Cathy Beicker of Seguin serving the guests. The bride is the daughter of Jim and Mary Beicker of San Antonio. She graduated from James Madison High School in 1995 and from Texas Tech University in 1999, receiving a degree in elementary education. The groom is the son of Phil and Nelda Savage of Pampa. He graduated from Pampa High School in 1993 and from Texas Tech University in 1999, receiving a degree in business administration with a minor in communication. The couple planned a honeymoon cruise to Grand Cayman Island, Cozamel and Montego Bay and intend to make their home in Lubbock.



Darla Dawn McClendon and Heath Wayne Gaines

### McClendon-Gaines

Darla Dawn McClendon of Canyon and Heath Wayne Gaines of Perryton plan to wed Aug. 21 in United Methodist Church of White Deer. The bride-elect is the daughter of Steve and Jody McClendon of White Deer. She graduated from White Deer High School in 1995 and plans to graduate from West Texas A&M University in the fall with a bachelor of general studies degree. The prospective groom is the son of Stephen and Marilyn Gaines of Stinnett. He graduated from Gruver High School in 1993 and from West Texas A&M University in 1997 with a bachelor of science degree in physics. He is currently youth minister at First United Methodist Church in Perryton.

### Girl Scouts offering Adventures Program

AMARILLO — Texas Plains Girl Scout Council is offering summer activities to all girls who are entering the seventh, eighth or ninth grades next fall. Girls participating in the Adventures Program will become registered Girl Scouts. The membership fee is \$7 per year. Some of the activities have a small charge. Financial assistance is available. Girls choose the sessions they would like to attend. They may select as many or as few as they want. Girls need to sign up the Friday before the session. Sessions include: —Climbing Wall at the

Maverick Club, Monday, July 12, \$3, from 6:30-8:30 p.m. —Creative Hemp Jewelry, Monday, July 19, \$3, from 6:30-8:30 p.m. —Create Your Own Style, Monday, July 26, no cost, from 6:30-8:30 p.m. —Beads and More Beads, Monday, Aug. 2, \$3, from 6:30-8:30 p.m. —I Can Take Care of Myself - Self-defense, Monday, Aug. 9, no cost, from 6:30-9 p.m. For more information, or to obtain registration form, call Texas Plains Girl Scout Council at 1-806-356-0096 or 1-800-687-4475.

## 4-H Futures & Features

**Dates**  
July 5 - Extension Office closed for holiday; Horse Project, 6:30 p.m., Arena, Pampa.  
7-9 - Camp Creative, Texas Tech.  
8 - Exploring Summer 4-H, 10 a.m., City Park.  
16 - Recordbooks due to Extension Office.  
17 - Top O' Texas Rodeo Parade.  
**Horse Project**  
The Horse Project is riding at 6:30 p.m. each Monday night at the arena with the exception of Monday, July 12. Horse Project members should meet behind Alco's no later than 9:30 a.m. Saturday, July 17. If you are interested in riding in the parade, call 669-7125 for more information.  
**Breads Project**  
The summer 4-H breads workshop will be held again this year in July. All project meetings will be held at 2 p.m. at the Gray County Annex. There will be a cost of \$1.50/person, and anyone interested in attending should call the office by 12 noon the day before each workshop. Topics will include: Cheddar Cheese Bread, July 20; Praline Pecan

Loaf, July 22; and Quick Breads, July 27.  
**Recordbooks**  
The final plans should be underway for recordbooks to be turned in by 5 p.m. July 16. District recordbook judging is July 20 in Amarillo. Any leaders interested in judging at district are welcome and should let the Extension Office know. It is a great way to learn new ideas. Remember, in order to be eligible for Rookie of the Year, Gold Star or I Dare You, you must do a recordbook. If you have any questions, call the annex.

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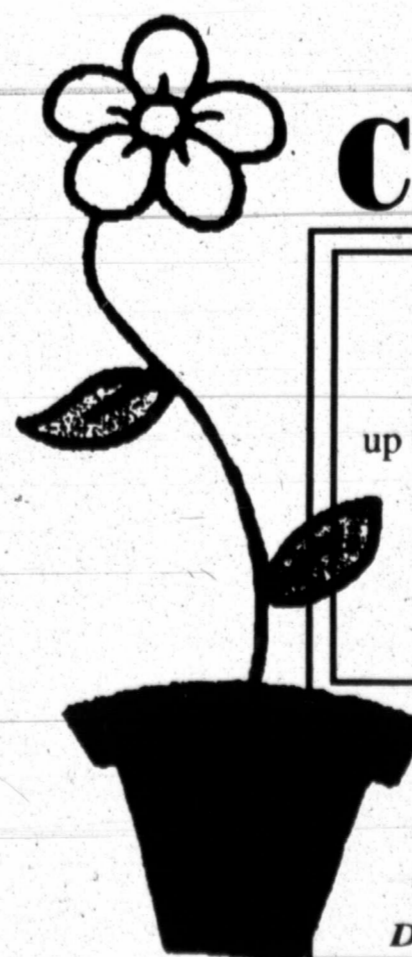
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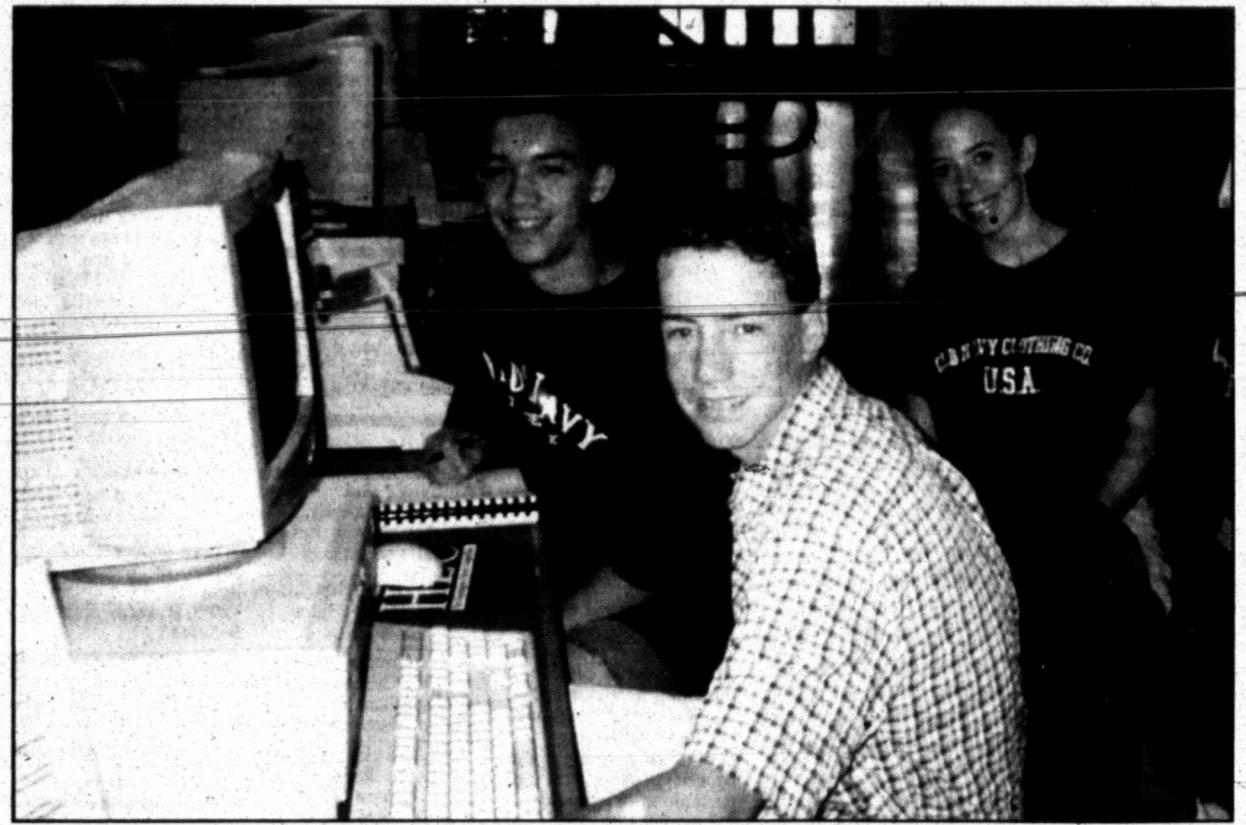
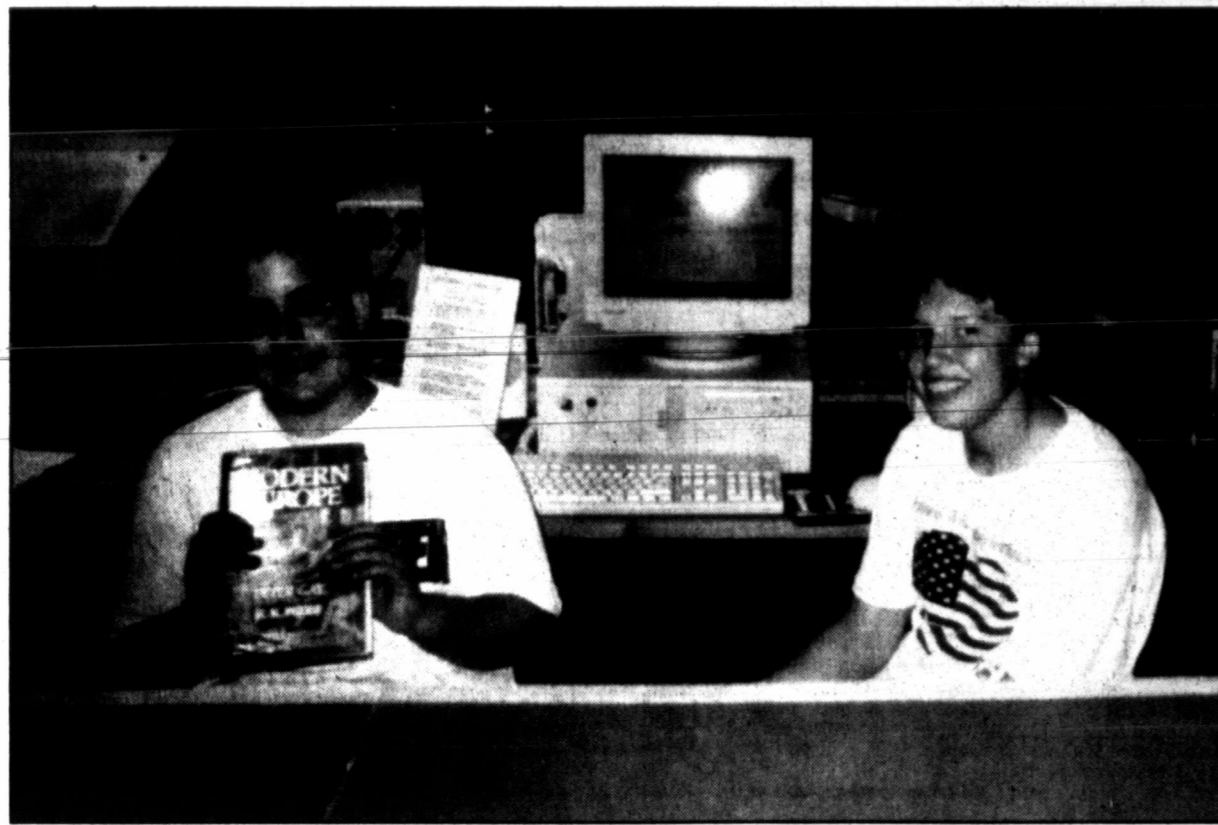
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## Trivia Tracking



(Special photo)

Participating in the Superintendent Enrichment Program "Trivia Tracking: Session II" for incoming freshmen at Pampa High School were (left) Jonathon Kilhoffer and

Tamra Henthorn and (right, l-r) Justin Haddock, Alex Slaybaugh and Shay Chapman.

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## LETTERS

### One 'freedom' I can will live without ...

To the editor,  
In response to the Opinion article in the Sunday paper, I strongly disagreed with what was said about flag desecration. I started to just forget what was said and go my merry way but there was one statement toward the end of the article that prompted me to write this. It said, to support the right to desecrate the flag is not unpatriotic — it is simply a recognition of all the wonderful freedoms our country provides us.  
There is a little sign that hangs on the wall of a business in Borger that I always thought a lot of. It is short and to the point and I thought it was quite appropriate for those who think flag desecration is OK. It's been several years since I read it and I know this will not be word for word but I think you will get the point.  
It says, "If you work for a man then by God work for him, and if you cannot without murmuring against him then curse the very ground on which his establishment stands as you walk away."  
I think this applies to those who would desecrate the flag of this country. If you don't like what goes

on in this country to the point you feel you must desecrate the flag, then why not walk away? In my opinion, flag desecration is unpatriotic and one "freedom" I can live without.  
**Joe Smith**  
Wheeler  
honda@centramedia.net

### House Bill 1516 clear miscarriage of justice

To the editor,  
On the front page of the Monday, June 21, 1999, issue, the headline reads "Governor gives convicted Pampa killer another chance."  
I have been out of state and when I saw the headline I knew the wrath of Hank Skinner, tightening my throat muscles and my hands clench, was thrown in our faces once again.  
If George Bush, Jr., can sign hundreds of bills in one weekend, he should be elected because he wouldn't have time to be chasing interns. He must have a computer for a brain. Did he study them? Does he read them or count the cost, both mentally, physically or financially?  
I wonder what kind of response he would get from any parent of any deceased child, from birth to 90, what they would say about House Bill 1516. Please pray Skinner is punished as a jury of his

peers has deemed so they can find peace. So we, both family and friends, can finally start to grieve. We haven't had time because we've had to fight for justice since New Year's Eve, 1993.  
If you want to know how much Gray County has spent, call the Gray Co. treasurer. We're still fighting. If you are against HB 1516, please call Beverly Clark at 665-4188.  
State Rep. Warren Chisum was quoted as saying

he didn't know about the bill — shows that he ought to pay attention to the serial killers from his hometown. What is his job? What does he do to earn his salary? Sen. Teel Bevins can, at least, claim he didn't get a phone message. After all, he lives over 50-miles. I will still fight for three very special. We miss you Twila, Elwin and Randy.  
**Evarene Fritz**  
Pampa

## Community Calendar

**FREEDOM MUSEUM USA**, 600 North Hobart, Open Tuesday-Saturday, Noon to 4 p.m. Revolutionary War to Bosnia. All branches of service are represented. **AL-ANON** will hold weekly meetings on Mondays and Wednesdays at 8 p.m. at 910 W. Kentucky. For more information, call 669-3988. **CLEAN AIR AL-ANON** will hold weekly meetings on Tuesdays and Thursdays at noon at 810 W. 23rd. For more information, call 669-7501. **CLEAN AIR AL-ATEEN** will hold weekly meetings on Mondays at 7 p.m. at 810 W. 23rd. For more information, contact 669-7501. **VFW POST #1657**, 105 S. Cuyler. Charity Bingo every Wednesday at 7 p.m. and Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Doors open at 12 noon. No one under 18 allowed. Public is welcome. License No. 1-75-6037422-9. For more information contact Edgar D. Carson, 669-0853 or 669-1264. **WOMEN OF THE MOOSE CHARITY BINGO** every Monday at 7 p.m. at the Moose Lodge, 403 E. Brown. Doors open at 6 p.m. Public welcome. License #1-751616469-0. **THE ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP** will have regularly scheduled meetings the first Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. at Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency, Inc. For more information contact Chrys Smith at 665-0356. **OUTREACH HEALTH SERVICES/WIC** Program nutrition

education classes. Open to the public. For more information call 665-1182. **FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN COWBOYS** meet the 4th Saturday of each month at the Clyde Carruth Livestock Pavilion, 6:30 p.m. Pot luck supper. For more information contact Kevin Romines, 665-8547 or Jim Greene, 665-8067. **MEET YOUR NEIGHBORS** will meet the second Tuesday of each month at the Family Life Center at First Christian Church at 18th and Nelson from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m. There will be a light meal and then play cards and get acquainted. Under aged school children can be taken to the First Christian Church Mother's Day out by calling 665-8689. For more information please call 665-1188. **TRALEE CRISIS CENTER** in-house support group for victims of family violence. Meetings on Tuesdays 11 a.m. - 12 p.m. and one on Thursdays 7 p.m. - 8 p.m. For more information call 669-1131. All calls are kept confidential. **WHITE DEER LAND MUSEUM** will present an exhibit June 1-Sept. 1 on the Red River War to commemorate the war's 125th anniversary. The museum is open to the public from 1-4 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday, 112-116 S. Cuyler. For more information, call 669-8041. **PANHANDLE ALLIANCE FOR THE MENTALLY ILL** will meet the second Thursday of the month at 7 p.m. at 218 North

Russell. For more information call Sharon King, 665-2818. **THE LAS PAMPAS KOI AND WATERGARDEN SOCIETY** cordially invites anyone interested in the hobby of waterglass or ponds to join us on the second Monday of every month. For more information call Sharon Andrews, 665-6138. **PANHANDLE COMMUNITY SERVICE** would like to help you "Own Your Own Home". For more information call Claire Ann Edwards 665-0081 or Linda C. Daniels 669-2799 pr 662-5756. **PAMPA AREA LITERACY COUNCIL** office will be open from 9 a.m.-3 p.m., Tuesday and Thursday. For more information call 665-2331.  
**JULY**  
4 - **CITY OF PAMPA** "July 4th Fireworks" at Recreation Park starting at dark. For more information, call 669-5750.  
4, 11, 18, 25 - **NARCOTIC ANONYMOUS** will meet at 7 p.m. in the Conference Room in Columbia Medical Center Office Building. For more information, call 669-7546.  
7 - **LOVETT MEMORIAL LIBRARY**, 111 N. Houston, will host guest speaker Mandy Poole, Miss Teen Rodeo. She will talk about rodeo competitions. Suggested for children in second grade or older. The program is free and does not require registration. For more information, call 669-5780.

## Newsmakers

Captain **Jason Utzman**, son of Wayne and Sherrill Utzman formerly of Pampa, recently graduated from Special Forces Detachment Officer Qualification Course and was awarded a green beret.  
The seven-month course consisted of an individual skills phase, a specialty-training phase and a collective unconventional warfare exercise.  
His next assignment is foreign language training in Korean at Fort Bragg, N.C. Upon completion of the training, Utzman, accompanied by wife Kellie and daughters Morgyn and Aidan, will be stationed at Fort Lewis,

Wash., with the 1st Special Forces Group. The group's primary area of operation is the Pacific Rim.  
The United States Achievement Academy recently announced **Amanda White**, a Pampa High School student, was named a United States National Award Winner in "Honor Roll" and "Leadership and Service."  
The awards are bestowed on fewer than 10 percent of all American high school students and USAA winners are selected based on academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability and recommendation from a teacher or director.  
White was nominated for the awards by Starla Kindle, a counselor at Pampa High School. She is the daughter of Pam Spangler of Pampa and is the granddaughter of June Spangler of Pampa.  
She will appear in the USAA Official Yearbook, published nationally.

President's List, a student must maintain a 4.0 grade point average while enrolled in 12 or more semester hours. Students named to the list include **Shelbie Allison** of Pampa.  
**COLUMBIA, S.C.** — Army Private **Cassie R. Peercy**, 1998 graduate of White Deer High School and daughter of Kelly and Curtis Peercy of Pampa, recently entered basic military training at Fort Jackson, Columbia.  
During the eight weeks of training, Peercy will study Army mission and will receive instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, physical fitness, first aid, Army history and traditions and special training in human relations.

**YOKOSUKA, Japan** — Navy Airman **Ethar R. Robertson**, a 1997 Shamrock High School graduate, is halfway through a three month deployment to the Arabian Gulf while assigned to the aircraft carrier USS Kitty Hawk, based in Yokosuka.  
Robertson and fellow sailors are participating in Operation Southern Watch, enforcing U.N. resolutions levied against Iraq after the 1991 Gulf War.  
Robertson joined the Navy in August 1997.

**TYLER** — Tyler Junior College recently announced its President's List for the 1999 spring semester.  
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