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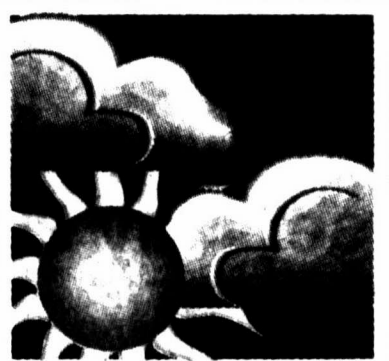
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An open house for the public to view the new offices of the Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services (DPRS) at 1517 N. Banks is set for 12 noon to 2 p.m., Wednesday, May 17.

The public is invited to come by and tour the new facility.

Texas DPRS houses both Child Protective Services and Adult Protective Services.

Registration for Pre-Kindergarten and Head Start is set for May 19 at Lamar Elementary School, 1234 S. Nelson.

Eligible children are four years old on or before Sept. 1, 2000. Qualifiers include the family meets income guidelines or is on public assistance, or the child has a documented disability or is a foster child.

Parents are asked to bring the child's birth certificate, two month's income verification or tax return, child's immunization record, social security numbers, documentation of child's disability (if applicable), proof of public assistance, and health insurance card (if applicable).

By The Associated Press

At least one person died and another was injured when severe storms marched through North Texas and spawned a tornado Friday evening, destroying a dozen homes and damaging others as it swirled to the southwest.

A 70-year-old unidentified man died when the twister struck his home in rural Hill County on the west side of Lake Whitney, said Cpl. Charlie Morgan with the Texas Department of Public Safety in Waco. A second person in the home was critically injured, he said.

• J.R. "Dick" Yinger, 75, World War II veteran.

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Jury selection for Sober trial starts Monday

By DEE DEE LARAMORE
Staff Writer

After almost a year of legal maneuvering, the trial begins Monday to decide whether Justin Davis Sober is guilty or innocent of intoxication manslaughter charges in the death of Stacey Kaye Sehorn.

Sober's trial is set to begin at 9 a.m., Monday, May 15, two weeks short of a year since the tragic graduation weekend wreck in which Sehorn, 19, died and Nakisha Horton and Shawn Reames were seriously injured. Sehorn had graduated from Pampa High School two days earlier.

On May 5, 450 jury summons were issued by the Gray County Sheriff's Office to potential jurors for the trial, District Clerk Gaye Honderich said Friday.

Judge Steven Emmert ordered that 450 potential jurors be summoned to the trial, more than double the number of jury summons normally issued in a trial.

The trial is to take place in 31st District Court, third floor courtroom, at the Gray County

Courthouse.

"I look for around 100 to 150 to show up," Honderich said, explaining that many who are sent summons have moved or have been legally excused from jury duty.

Honderich said she expects the courtroom will be filled with prospective jurors for at least the time it takes to pick a jury.

"It will take about a day, I imagine," she said.

There were no indications from the District Attorney's office or the District Clerk records by late Friday that would keep the trial from beginning Monday.

Honderich said persons who received a jury summons can call 669-8046 any time this weekend to find out if there had been any change.

The original date for the trial had been set for Feb. 28 set at a change of venue hearing on Jan. 25. The date was then changed to April 17. On that date, Judge Emmert granted a last-minute motion for continuance filed by defense attorney Mike Warner.

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(Special photo)

Pampa Middle School's Destination Imagination Team, from left: Nicole Fernuik, Christopher Smith, Kellen Ketchersid, Briana Russell, Max Vinson and Myca Vinson, is the first from Pampa to advance to the world finals set for May 24-27 at Iowa State University in Ames, Iowa.

Pampa kids destined for 'world' challenge

By DEE DEE LARAMORE
Staff Writer

What do Eleanor Roosevelt, Roswell, New Mexico in the summer of 1947; Sneezy and the Seven Dwarfs; and being lost in the woods all have in common?

Probably not much, says Mary Ann Vinson, unless you're a member of the Pampa Middle School Destination Imagination (DI) team.

For the first time ever, a DI team from Pampa will compete

at the Global Destination Imagination at Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa, May 24-27.

Team members Nicole Fernuik, Christopher Smith, Kellen Ketchersid, Briana Russell, Max Vinson and Myca Vinson won first place in the Instant Pudding at the State DI tournament at Texas Tech University on April 29, earning the right to compete against 60 teams from around the world at the world finals.

Fernuik is the daughter of Ron and Taci Fernuik. Smith is the son of Charles and Karen Smith. Russell's parents are Richard and Bobbye Russell. Max and Myca Vinson are the son and daughter of Mike and Mary Ann Vinson.

Pampa's DI team also won first place and the "Spirit of DI" award for outstanding spirit, teamwork, volunteerism and sportsmanship at the regional DI tournament in Lubbock on

(See KIDS, Page 2)

Officials: Date not firm for DA election lawsuit

By DAVE BOWSER
Staff Writer

Authorities said Friday that that no firm court date has been set for 31st District Attorney John Mann's lawsuit against Roberts County Attorney Rick Roach.

"I have been told it will be on the 31st," Donna Goodman, District Clerk in Roberts County, said Friday.

Court officials noted, however, that the May 31 date was tentative.

Court date for the suit over the 31st District Attorney's runoff race in April was initially set for Monday in Miami, but last Wednesday, Roach and

his attorney, John McKinney of Austin, had requested a continuance in the case. Roach said both he and McKinney had prior commitments on Monday.

Mann also faces other commitments. He is scheduled to be in 31st District Court in Pampa Monday for the intoxication-manslaughter trial of Justin Sober. Sober is charged with the death of Stacey Sehorn, whom prosecutors said was a 19-year-old passenger in a pickup driven by Sober in May 1999.

Lawyers for Roach and Mann were to get together with Senior Judge John T. Forbis of Childress and decide on a date before Monday.

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Chisum seeks place for radioactive trash

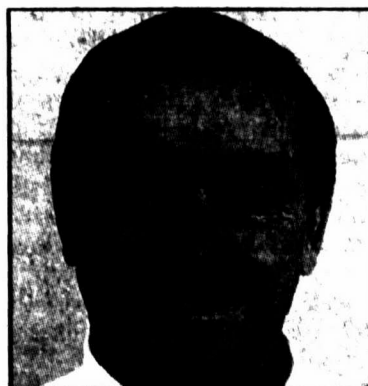
By DAVE BOWSER
Staff Writer

Pampa's state representative is looking for a landfill in which he can stash some trash.

"The State of Texas, like every other state, is charged with taking care of low level radioactive waste," said State Representative Warren Chisum of Pampa.

As chairman of the House Environmental Regulation Committee, Chisum is looking for a place the state can put low level radioactive waste now being stored in 1,000 separate sites around the state.

"It's a sizable task," Chisum said. "The state really should take care of this waste stream because it will out last all of us. I've always thought government shouldn't do very many things because they typically don't do them as well as the private sector, but in this case, the state is the only one that is going to be around for the next



Warren Chisum

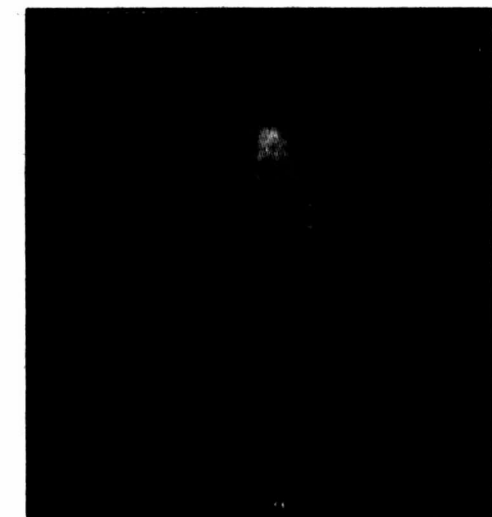
500 years. They have to be involved in this. You can't just turn it over to the low bidder. You have to do this right."

Chisum said the state started 19 years ago creating a fund to establish a low level radioactive waste site and searching for a place to put it.

In 1985, the U.S. Congress passed legislation requiring the formation of compacts among states to take care of the growing problem of low level radio-

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Sunday Snapshot



Name: Steve Thomas.
Occupation/activities: Engineer/oil and gas/Cross Ministries.
Birth date and place: Aug. 13, 1949, Amarillo

Family: Wife - Bobby/Bart, Zach and Katina.
If I had a different job, I'd be a: Doctor.
My personal hero: Pope John Paul II.
The best advice I ever got was: Not to file suit, write it off as a learning experience.
People who knew me in high school: I was the class clown.
The best word or words to describe me: Determined.
People will remember me as being: Hard-headed.
The four guests at my fantasy dinner party would be: Moses, Mother Teresa, Jim Thorpe, Red Skelton.
My hobbies are: Evangelizing, volley ball, softball, track, music, tennis, nutrition.
My favorite sports team is: Miami Dolphins.
My favorite author is: Saint Paul.
The last book I read was: "Book of

John."
My favorite possession is: Bible.
The biggest honor I've ever received is: Becoming a father.
My favorite performer is: Phil Collins.
I wish I knew how to: Speak Spanish.
My worst habit is: Exaggeration.
I would never: Sky dive.
The last good movie I saw was: "Sixth Sense."
I stay home to watch: Quail, pheasant, turkey and deer.
Nobody knows: How goosie I am.
I drive a: 55 Chevy two-door hard-top.
My favorite junk food is: Sour cream and onion potato chips.
My favorite beverage: Strawberry, coconut, pineapple smoothie.
My favorite restaurant is: My-Thai in Amarillo.
My favorite pet: Border Collie.
My favorite meal is: Filet mignon served Japanese-style.
I wish I could sing like: Lou Ralls.

I'm happiest when I'm: Surrounded by happy, energetic people.
I regret: Not playing professional baseball.
I'm tired of: All the liberal politicians.
My biggest fear is: Falling short of the Kingdom of God.
The electrical device I couldn't live without is: Stereo.
My most embarrassing moment: Pushed into goal post during a football game, losing my helmet and senses.
The biggest waste of time is: Worrying.
If I won the lottery, the most extravagant thing I would do is: I do not believe in lottery.
If I had three wishes they would be: 1) Eradicate alcohol and drugs; 2) turn Hollywood industry around; 3) reverse Roe vs. Wade.
If I could change one thing about Pampa, it would be: To spark spiritual revival.

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Daily Record

Services tomorrow

No services for tomorrow were reported to *The Pampa News* by press time Saturday.

Obituaries

J.R. 'DICK' YINGER

J.R. "Dick" Yinger, 75, of Pampa, died Friday, May 12, 2000. Services are pending under the direction of Carmichael-Whitely Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Yinger was born May 17, 1924, at Zanesville, Ohio. He married Mary Eileen Brinker on July 1, 1950, at Cincinnati, Ohio; she died Jan. 28, 1999. He lived at Dayton, Ohio, prior to moving to Pampa in 1998. He belonged to Incarnation Catholic Church in Dayton, Veterans of Foreign Wars, I.B.E.W. Union and was a life member of American Legion Post #675 in Dayton.

He was a U.S. Navy veteran, serving as radioman first class aboard the USS Bainbridge and the USS Sumter during World War II.

Survivors include four children, Jeanne Ann Gould of Dallas, Richard Joseph Yinger of Dayton, Mary Julia Long of Pampa and John Carl Yinger of Del City, Okla.; a sister, Carolyn Kastelic of Stow, Ohio; a brother, James Yinger of Margate, Fla.; 12 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to BSA Hospice, P.O. Box 950, Amarillo, TX 79176.

Fires

Pampa Fire Department responded to the following call during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Saturday.

Friday, May 12

9:13 a.m. — Two units and five firefighters responded to a wreck at Kentucky and Sumner streets.

Accidents

No accidents were reported by the Pampa Police Department during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Police report

Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Saturday.

Friday, May 12

A theft of a four-head VCR valued at \$80 was reported in the 1300 block of Coffee. The theft reportedly occurred on Wednesday, May 10.

An aggravated assault with serious bodily injury was reported in the 600 block of West Foster.

Two assaults by contact were reported in the 600 block of West Foster.

Disruption of classes was reported at Pampa Middle School, 2401 Charles.

Sheriff's Office

No arrests or incidents were reported by the Gray County Sheriff's Office during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Saturday.

Ambulance

Rural Metro Ambulance responded to the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Saturday.

Friday, May 12

9:13 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to Sumner and Kentucky streets on a motor vehicle accident. One patient was transported to Pampa Regional Medical Center (PRMC).

12:07 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to PRMC and transported one to BSA - West, Amarillo.

2:59 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to 1.5 miles east of Panhandle on a motor vehicle accident. No one was transported.

3:40 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 800 block of East Craven and transported one to PRMC.

10 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 400 block of Pitts and transported one to PRMC.

Saturday, May 13

2:29 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 800 block of West 25th and transported one to PRMC.

5:42 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to PRMC and transported one to the 800 block of West 25th.

6:41 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to Texas Highway 273 and transported one to PRMC.

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KIDS

March 25.

Approximately 7,000 students from throughout the United States and such countries as Australia, England, South America, Japan and Korea are expected to attend the world competition later this month, Vinson said.

On the state level, the Pampa team not only won first place in a competition of 21 teams, but also received the "DaVinci" award for outstanding creativity, she said. The "DaVinci Award" is given to the team who most clearly demonstrates the spirit of adventurous risk in their solutions. The state trophy, almost three feet tall, is now displayed at Pampa Middle School. The students each received medals and certificates for their achievements, she added.

Karen Smith serves as co-coach of the team, Vinson said. Dana Ketchersid heads Pampa Middle School's Gifted & Talented program.

IBM Corporation officials developed Destination Imagination, formerly called Odyssey of the Mind, as a way to encourage students to work together as a team on a scholastic level, Vinson explained.

"Kids had been used to team work in sports, but corporations

were discovering that they were graduating without knowing how to work as a team to solve corporate problems. They were used to working alone," Vinson explained. "So you can see it got a lot of corporate support and continues to be supported by corporations."

So what does Eleanor Roosevelt, Roswell, Sneezzy and being lost in the woods have in common and what do they have to do with this article about Destination Imagination?

These were the four subjects the Pampa DI team drew at state competition — a historic person, a historic place, a fictitious character and a conflict or issue. From these four subjects, according to Vinson, the team had 30 minutes to improvise a skit to be presented to a panel of judges.

The team had been given a list of historic names and places on which to do research prior to the competition, Vinson explained. Once the specific names were drawn, the students withdrew into a room and, while a judge watched, they took their research, went over the major facts, developed a storyline and outline, and then used a box of "junk" to make costumes and props for their skit.

Included in this box was a sports ball, a flat sheet, a roll of tape, one cardboard tube, one umbrella, one 2-liter bottle, one

paper sack, one coat hanger, one towel and five sheets of paper. The students are provided markers and scissors to use in designing props to integrate into their skit — all within 30 minutes.

When the half-hour ended, the students performed a skit in which Eleanor Roosevelt was campaigning in Roswell, N.M., in 1947. She wanted to find Sneezzy and the Seven Dwarfs, who were quite influential in Roswell, to help with her campaign. However, Mrs. Roosevelt gets lost in the woods while trying to find the Seven Dwarfs' house. Using an umbrella as a spaceship, the students have an alien land to help the former First Lady find her way to the Dwarfs. The students spiced up their skit by singing "Bye, Bye Mr. Alien Guy," to the tune of Don McLean's hit, "American Pie."

A special character developed by the students, Dictionary Dan, explained to the judges that although everyone knows there are no woods in Roswell, N.M., anything is possible in a town where aliens land.

Smith said Pampa's skit had the added bonus of humor. "The skit had the state judges laughing through most of the production," she said.

"It's so amazing to watch them and see what they'll come up with," Vinson said.

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active waste.

Texas joined with Maine and Vermont. As host state, Texas would take the low level radioactive waste for storage. The New England states would put up \$25 million each to fund the project.

In addition to the money from Maine and Vermont, the State of Texas assesses each of the two nuclear power plants in the Lone Star State, South Texas Nuclear and Comanche Peak, to the tune of \$5 million a year.

In searching for a site, the veteran lawmaker said they've looked in Childress County, in Ward County and in Andrews County.

"There are a lot of technical issues about whether you bury the low level radioactive waste

underground or keep it above ground," Chisum said.

It was during the last legislative session that Chisum decreed that the storage should be above ground, at least initially.

"The obvious thing is that

Possible sites are Ward or Andrews counties.

above ground, it is easily monitored and easily contained," he said.

"I use for example the ammunition storage facilities at Pantex as well as the way we store plutonium at Pantex which is virtually a facility that is easily monitored. That's what you do with it above ground."

Chisum said he has relied heavily on experienced scientists

at the University of Texas and Texas A&M University.

Fortunately, Chisum said his committee projects that a low level radio active waste site can be established within the budget of the \$50 million from Maine and Vermont, the two compact states, and a fee from people who transfer the waste into the storage facility.

"We're still relatively confident that we can do this and do it above ground," Chisum said, "and make everything work just fine no matter where we locate it."

At the moment, the selection for the site has been narrowed to near Monohans in Ward County or Andrews County near the New Mexico stateline.

"One of those two counties seem to be the best," he said.

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TRIAL

A tentative trial date of May 8 was set at the hearing, but a final confirmed date of May 15 was set in late April.

The intoxication manslaughter charges stem from a one-vehicle

accident at Loop 171 and Texas Highway 273, south of Pampa.

According to DPS reports, a pickup truck owned by Sober failed to stop at a stop sign and traveled through the intersection, hitting a bar ditch and becoming airborne. The vehicle reportedly flipped in the air, but landed on

its wheels 144 feet from the roadway.

Sober was pronounced dead at the scene. Horton and Reames were airlifted to an Amarillo hospital in critical condition. Sober suffered abrasions and a broken leg and was treated at a Pampa hospital.

Plans begin for Miss Rodeo contest

Top O' Texas Rodeo Association is now accepting entries for the Miss Rodeo Top O' Texas and Miss Rodeo Top O' Texas Teen pageants, organizers announce.

A luncheon and style show will be Thursday, July 13 in Pampa Community Building, 200 N. Ballard. Due to limited space, reservations are recommended as early as possible.

Winners will receive prizes including saddles, buckles, tiaras and more. Saddles are being donated by Ace Transportation and JLB Ranch.

Buckles are being sponsored by The Clark Carr & Sons Memorial, Carla and Randy Norris, Pampa Chamber of Commerce Tourism Committee and Brenda and Mike Guess.

Tiaras are being provided courtesy of Uniglobe Complete Travel and Bob Clements, Inc.

In addition, a scholarship will be presented to Miss Rodeo Top O' Texas by Amanda Jacobs Memorial Fund, Celanese and others. Miss Rodeo will also receive spurs donated by Doug and Cindy Kempf in memory of Amanda Jacobs.

Former Miss Rodeo Top O' Texas Brandy Kempf-Adamson and her husband, Ray, will present a hand-tooled appointment book crafted by Will Daniel of Custom Leatherworks to winners of the Appearance competition.

Other prizes totaling more than \$2,000 will be awarded winners in the Appearance, Personality, Horsemanship and Ticket Sales



Top O' Texas Rodeo Association President Buck Arrington presents a saddle blanket to Stacy Huddleston, winner of Horsemanship - Senior Division of the 1999 Miss Top O' Texas Rodeo contest.

categories. Winner of Senior Division Personality will receive a custom-made leather handbag courtesy of Paul Clay of Farmers Insurance. Ticket Sales winners will receive embroidered jackets from Top O' Texas Rodeo Association board of directors. Ogle's Western Tack will donate clothing, jewelry, horse products and tack to winners of personality, appearance and horsemanship.

Past winners of Miss Rodeo Top O' Texas and Miss Rodeo Top O' Texas Teen events have gone on to participate and win at the state and national level.

Entry forms, pictures and fees are due at the rodeo office by May 30. Girls age 13-23 are eligible to enter. Information packets, entry forms, rules and general information are available through the rodeo office, 200 N. Ballard, 669-0434.

Psychiatrist: Resendiz thinks he's on 'mission'

HOUSTON (AP) — A prosecutor in the trial of Angel Maturino Resendiz questioned the credibility of a psychiatrist who contends the railroad drifter cannot be held responsible for the slayings because he is schizophrenic.

During cross-examination Friday afternoon, prosecutor Lyn McLellan repeatedly accused Dr. Bruce Cohen of molding his opinion to fit Maturino Resendiz' insanity defense. Cohen, a forensic psychiatrist, said he had found only 10 percent of the several hundred defendants he has evaluated for sanity to be insane.

McLellan asked Cohen how he could be certain Maturino Resendiz was insane at the time of the killings since Cohen did not interview him until nine months later. Cohen responded that a disease like paranoid schizophrenia develops over time, and that Maturino Resendiz showed symptoms well before the killings.

"You can have symptoms of diabetes at one time or another, but you still have diabetes," Cohen said.

Maturino Resendiz, 40, has pleaded innocent by reason of insanity in the 1998 rape, bludgeoning and stabbing of a Houston-area physician, Dr. Claudia Benton. He has admitted to eight other killings — five in Texas, two in Illinois and one in Kentucky — over a two-year period starting in 1997.

Under Texas law, a person can only be found innocent by reason of insanity if the defense can prove the person was suffering from a mental disease and couldn't discern right from wrong. Cohen, who interviewed the defendant and reviewed dozens of his letters from jail, spent his second day on the stand as testimony in the capital murder trial was winding up its first week. He was to return to the stand for a third day Monday for further cross-examination.

Maturino Resendiz has no remorse and no awareness that he committed any horrendous crimes because he believes he is on a divine mission to eliminate evil, Cohen testified.

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LAWSUIT

Forbis was appointed to hear the lawsuit after 31st District Judge Steven Emmert recused himself.

Selden Hale, one of Mann's Amarillo attorneys, was out of his office Friday morning and was unavailable for comment.

Mann filed suit on May 1, in connection with the Republican runoff held April 11 for the 31st District Attorney's job.

The incumbent district attorney, Mann said he had supporters in Lipscomb County who told him they were unable to get to the polls because the only ballot box in the county was too far away.

Mann said that under state law, there should have been a ballot box located in each of the precincts in the county. He said that ballot boxes were not placed in each of the precincts in Wheeler County and that three voters did not meet residency

requirements in Roberts County. Mann also said that six people who voted in the Democratic Party Primary in Gray County, voted in the Republican Party Primary runoff, a violation of state law.

Roach said he is asking Mann to be more specific in his lawsuit and name the voters who are accused of voting illegally.

Election records show Mann lost to Roach in the runoff by six votes.

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Weather

PAMPA — Partly cloudy and breezy today with a high

of 80 and southeast winds at 15 to 25 mph. Lake wind advisories will be in effect. Low tonight in the upper 50s.

Monday, partly cloudy with a high near 90. Tuesday and Wednesday, highs will be in the 90s and lows in the 60s.



A seriously injured Texas Parahandle woman represented by Amarillo Attorney Jack Hazlewood and his Dallas Co-Counsel awarded \$8.2 million Jury Verdict in Products Liability lawsuit against major automobile manufacturer (Case No. 93-10141, 116th District Court, Dallas County). Results obtained depend on the facts of each case.

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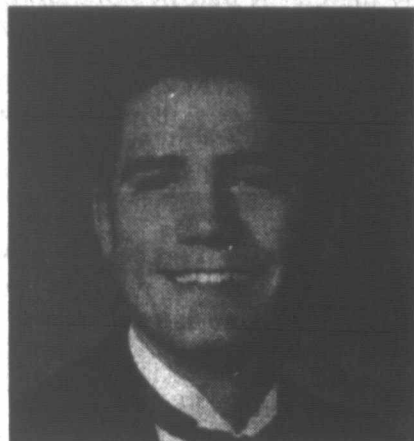
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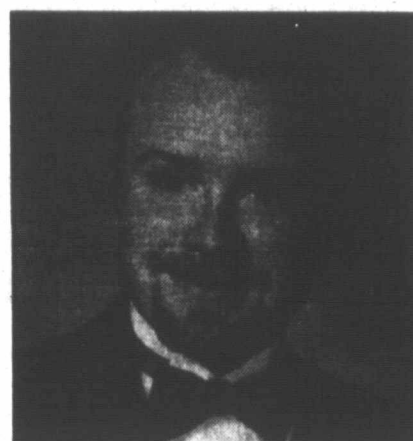
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Pampa High School announces 1999-00 honor graduates

Pampa High School recently announced its honor graduates for the Class of 2000. The honor graduates are as follows:

Kevin Ray Osborn, son of Steve and Judy Osborn, ranks third in his class with a 4.17 grade point average. His honors, activities and accomplishments include: Superintendent Scholar; PHS Honor Graduate; Eugene and Daniela Anderson Scholarship; Colorado School of Mines Medal of Achievement; USAA National Leadership Merit Award; USAA All-American Scholar; PHS Pre-Calculus Award; PHS Chemistry Award; basketball; Texas Technology Students Association treasurer; and HOSTS Mentor Program. He plans to pursue a degree in aerospace engineering at Texas A&M University and hopes to one day work for NASA as a design engineer. He is employed at Hastings as a floor associate in charge of software and candy.

Samantha Hurst, daughter of Ron and Sharon Hurst, ranks fourth in her class with a 4.160 GPA. Her honors, activities and accomplishments include: Superintendent Scholar; PHS Honor Graduate; Eugene and Daniela Anderson Scholarship; Girls' Cross County Team State medalist, 1996, 1997, 1999; track state qualifier - 2-mile, 1999; Biology II AP award; National Honor Society; varsity cross country and track; Southside Community Center of San Marcos mission trip, three years; First United Methodist Church youth group; D-Fy-It. She plans to pursue a civil engineering and architecture degree at Texas Tech University and hopes to eventually work with an engineering or architecture firm in south Texas.

Emily Diane Waters, daughter of Lee and Diane Waters, ranks fifth in her class with a 4.129 GPA. Her honors, activities and accomplishments include: PHS Honor Graduate; Wendy's High School Heisman Award; Rotary Youth Leadership Award; five-time Tennis District Champion; Senior Class Best Personality; Lion's Club January Sweetheart of the Month; varsity tennis, four years; varsity basketball, two years; D-Fy-It Activities chairman; National Honor Society vice president; and Student Council Student Body Treasurer. Waters plans to pursue a degree in either biochemistry or biology at Texas Christian University and hopes to become a neonatologist. She works part-time at Putt-A-Round and Hawaiian Shave Ice Cream, running the golf

course and making snow cones.

Tiffany L. Bruce, daughter of Tommy and Theresa Bruce, ranks sixth in her class with a 4.127 GPA. Her honors, activities and accomplishments include: PHS Honor Graduate; First Chair Texas All State Choir 2000; Show Choir, two years; Academic Achievement Recognition; Student Awards in Choir, Biology, History and Business Computer; Who's Who Among American High School Students, two years; National Honor Society, two years; golf team; Choir; Show Choir, two years; 4-H Club; and Count the Cost Bible Study Class. Bruce plans to pursue a degree in physical therapy and a minor in music at Angelo State University and hopes to eventually work with children as a physical therapist.

Kristen L. Stephens, daughter of Clay and Rita Stephens, ranks seventh in her class with a 4.1 GPA. Her honors, activities and accomplishments include: Superintendent Scholar; PHS Honor Graduate; National Leadership Merit Award; National Honor Society; Who's Who Among American High School Students; United States Achievement Academy National Honor Roll; USAA All American Scholar; Concert Choir, two years; D-Fy-It; and Pampa Civic Ballet. Stephens plans to pursue a degree in pre-law at the University of Iowa in Iowa City and hopes to attend law school at the university.

Helen Orr, daughter of Dawson and Carol Orr, ranks eighth in her class with a 4.075 GPA. Her honors, activities and accomplishments include: PHS Honor Graduate; PHS Varsity Tennis team; varsity tennis co-captain; 100 Career Tennis Wins; Outstanding Student Awards in English III AP and U.S. History AP; National Honor Society; Peer Tutor; Concert Choir; and Women's Choir. Orr plans to pursue a degree at Trinity University and study humanities, literature and psychology.

Amanda White, daughter of Pam Spangler, ranks ninth in her class with a 4.068 GPA. Her honors, activities and accomplishments include: PHS Honor Graduate; Who's Who Among American High School Students; Who's Who in Sports; All American Scholar; National Honor Roll; Interior Design Award; Introduction to Business Award; track; cross country; and mixed league softball. White plans to pursue a degree in psychology and a minor in interior design at Texas Tech University. She is currently employed at Chicken Express in Pampa.

Dillon R. Hill, son of Edward Hill, Jr. and Kim Hill, ranks 10th in his class with a 4.067 GPA. His honors, activities and accomplishments include: PHS Honor Graduate; three-time Texas All-State Choir; National Honor Society, two years; Outstanding Mixed Choir; Outstanding Latin I, II and IV Student; freshmen football; Latin Club; Latin Club president, two years; and Show Choir, three years. Hill plans to pursue a degree in music education at Texas Tech University and hopes to eventually earn his master's degree and teach.

Michalla Marie Mechler, daughter of Tom and Becky Mechler, ranks 11th in her class with a 4.060 GPA. Her honors, activities and accomplishments include: Superintendent Scholar; PHS Honor Graduate; Latin Club president; National Honor Society; 32 on ACT; Creative Writing Club vice president; first division ratings in Solo and Ensemble Band competitions; PHS Leadership Awards; band; geometry/Saxon math tutor; and UIL contests in Computer Science, Spelling

and Poetry. Mechler plans to pursue a degree in computer science at West Texas A&M University and Texas A&M University and hopes to eventually own-operate a ranch.

Rebekah Warner, daughter of Cay and Mark Warner, ranks 11th in her class with a 4.060 GPA. Her honors, activities and accomplishments include: PHS Honor Graduate; 2000 DAR Good Citizen; Miss Dance Novice Award; Homecoming Queen Nominee; National Honor Society president; Peer Tutor; Lion's Club March Sweetheart of the Month; Choir; Show Choir; dance; Student Council; junior varsity tennis; D-Fy-It; Student Crimestoppers; and First Methodist Youth Group. Warner plans to pursue a degree in business information systems at Southwestern Oklahoma State University and hopes to eventually establish a career in the business world.

Angela Renee Klein, daughter of Janet and Louis Klein, ranks 13th in her class with a 4.057 GPA. Her honors, activities and accomplishments include: Superintendent Scholar;

PHS Honor Graduate; All-Region Band; National Honor Society; National Merit Commended Scholar; Sunday school teacher, 5- and 6-year-olds; Percussion leader, pit section, PHS Band, three years; band, four years; jazz band, two years; Speech and Debate, one year; Latin Club, four years; UIL English, one year; and Count the Cost Bible Study Class. Klein plans to pursue a degree in education with an emphasis on English and a minor in music at the University of North Texas. She is currently employed as a clerk at

Hastings where she has worked for a year-and-a-half.

Lacy Anne Plunk, daughter of Forest and Patty Plunk, ranks 14th in her class with a 4.051 GPA. Her honors, activities and accomplishments include: PHS Honor Graduate; Eugene and Daniela Anderson Scholarship; Pampa Chamber of Commerce Student of the Year 2000; Best Actress, UIL One-Act Play District Competition 2000; All Star Cast, UIL One-Act Play Area Competition 1999; UIL

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Maybe some fish stories are true

Among fishermen, fish stories abound. You know about the one that got away, etc. But, frankly, one of the best fish stories going around right now is my brother's. It's pretty wild.

A couple of weeks back Dick and his son, John, were bass fishing in a lake near Ruston, La. On Dick's first cast he caught what turned out to be a big one — a five and one-half pound bass.

I wrote about Dick and fishing once before after he admitted to me that he "takes notes" sometimes while watching fishing shows.

When Dick was telling me about his latest catch, I thought catching the fish was the story. It would be to me. I've never caught a fish that big except when I was deep sea fishing in Acapulco and caught a huge swordfish. Well, caught isn't exactly the right



Kate B. Dickson

associate publisher/editor

word, got away after about 15 minutes of fighting it is the truth. And that's probably just was well. I would have had it mounted and possibly would still be dragging it around with me wondering where in the heck to put it.

I digressed. This isn't my fish story, it's Dick's.

The big bass went into the live well and I don't know how the rest of the trip went or if John caught anything. I forgot to ask once I heard the real fish story.

It seems that when Dick cleaned the fish he found seven plastic worms and two plastic lizards inside the creature's stomach! There were no hooks or sinkers.

One would think the fish would not be healthy but Dick said she was very healthy and was carrying a large number of eggs.

He did say the plastic bait was discolored, however. And he's made of keepsake of them by putting them in a plastic bag.

I can't help but wonder just how many times the big bass Dick caught was to other fishermen "the one that got away."

Maybe there's some truth to all those fish stories after all.

Today in history

By The Associated Press
 Today is Sunday, May 14, the 135th day of 2000. There are 231 days left in the year. This is Mother's Day.

Today's Highlight in History:
 On May 14, 1980, President Carter inaugurated the Department of Health and Human Services.

On this date:
 In 1643, Louis XIV became King of France at age 4 upon the death of his father, Louis XIII.

In 1804, the Lewis and Clark expedition to explore the Louisiana Territory left St. Louis.

In 1904, the first Olympic games to be held in the United States opened in St. Louis.

In 1942, Aaron Copland's "Lincoln Portrait" was first performed by the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra.

In 1942, the Women's Auxiliary Army Corps was established.

In 1948, the independent state of Israel was proclaimed in Tel Aviv.

Opinion

OSHA meddling should be quelled

The government should stay out of ergonomic decisions for individuals.

Americans, from business owners to rank-and-file workers, have been complaining about the oppressive nature of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration for years.

But now OSHA wants to place a heavier thumb on private enterprise and we are thankful that a critic with a louder voice is being heard.

U.S. Rep. Henry Bonilla, a Republican who represents part of Ector County and other areas of West Texas, said the latest proposed workplace regulations are "onerous" and he conducted a whirlwind tour of his district to whip up opposition.

The intended regulations involve ergonomics, the "science" that seeks to adapt working conditions to suit the worker, thus reducing workplace injuries such as repetitive-task problems.

Bonilla claimed that such regulations would cost businesses billions of dollars, but nobody can put an exact figure on the potential damage. "One of the problems is that the federal agencies can't say how much it will cost," said Bonilla during a stop in Odessa. "The bottom line is employers will have to assign employees full time to ask what this means."

Bonilla made another good point when he said, "There apparently is some kind of feeling at OSHA that people aren't smart enough to deal with work-related injuries themselves."

That cuts to the crux of the issue. How can anyone or any agency create regulations that will address all the individual situations that can arise in today's computer-driven world?

Besides, it's in the best interest of businesses to keep employees healthy and productive. So it stands to reason that each employer would be concerned about dealing on a case-by-case basis with the ergonomic problems that might be plaguing individual workers.

Uncle Sam simply doesn't need to be in the business of trying to regulate the kind of chair, desk or computer mouse that is "best" for every single worker in the land.

And trying to apply one-size-fits-all rules would be a tremendous waste of time, effort and money.

The proposal itself runs 1,200 pages, an indication that a "finished product" that would oppress 1.6 million companies across the nation could put the mind-boggling tax code to shame.

We applaud Bonilla for pointing out the obvious — that private initiative makes the proposed government regulations unnecessary.

Plus, he used his 10-stop tour as a chance to gather information through a six-question survey handed out to business owners. The accumulated data will be presented to OSHA. And that's good since the agency claimed it would do everything possible to gather public opinion from every segment of the workplace and then did not hold any hearings south of Washington, D.C.

If the regulations are allowed to be railroaded through Congress, there will be even more reasons to complain about OSHA nonsense.

We can only hope that Bonilla and others who share his realistic views will somehow manage to prevail.

—Odessa American



Elian: U.S. action was disgraceful

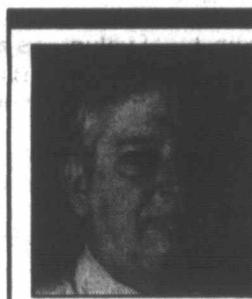
I had thought that there was nothing Bill Clinton could do that would make me think less of him than I already do. That was a mistake on my part.

The comic-book raid on Elian Gonzalez's Miami family is a new low, even for the federal government. Pointing machine guns and screaming obscenities seem to be standard operating procedure for federal law-enforcement officers even when the only people to scream at and point guns at are unarmed Christian men and women and small children.

The truth is that two unarmed female officers could have gone to that home during any normal hour and removed Elian Gonzalez without any danger to the child, to themselves or to bystanders. T' at Miami family has never once said it would resist. It has always tried to follow the law, which, I should point out, is not the same as Attorney General Janet Reno's whim. Instead, the feds chose to act as if they were raiding the hideout of Colombian drug dealers.

The U.S. action was disgraceful. You don't transfer children at gunpoint. And I, for one American, am getting tired of federal cops screaming profanity, pointing guns and shoving around people who have not been convicted of any crime. That is not how a free society operates. It's how dictatorships and authoritarian governments act.

The real message of this raid is how estranged the federal government is from the



Charley Reese

Syndicated columnist

American people. The government apparently fears the people, and people who are feared are soon hated. The federal government has increasingly acted as if it has merely to speak and all of us must lock heels and shout "Sieg Heil." Horse manure.

Sovereignty in this country resides with the people. The government is our servant, not our master. The American people had better pull their heads out of that place where they can't see and reassert their sovereignty before it's too late. There aren't any trends in Washington moving toward respect for the law and liberty. The trends are moving toward arbitrary and authoritarian government.

Reno's poor decision-making notwithstanding, the issue of custody is not as clear-cut as she makes it out to be. One of the points to be settled by the appeals court is: Can someone else speak for a child when the child's interest and that of the parent is in conflict?

The heel-clickers are now pointing to pictures of Elian with his father as if that proves their point. It doesn't. Nobody in Miami has tried to estrange Elian from his father. Their concern all along has been to keep Elian from being forcibly returned to Cuba without having his day in court, which Reno tried to deny him.

It's the boy's father who has refused to go to Miami, refused to meet with the boy and the family at any neutral site. Whether that's his decision, or his instructions from the Cuban or American or both governments, I don't know. But I do know that nobody in Miami ever suggested that Elian wouldn't be happy to see his father. They had talked several times on the telephone while Elian was in Miami.

Once more the Clinton administration has shown its contempt for the law and contempt for the American people — especially conservative Americans. It has, from day one, taken exactly the same position as the communist dictator Fidel Castro. Those who think that Castro really cares about Elian should ask the old greybeard why he ordered his goons to drown more than a dozen children and their parents when they tried to escape Cuba in 1994.

This administration has slapped in the face and insulted one of the finest groups of Americans within the United States, the Cuban exile community. I expect that a lot of Florida Democrats will regret that in November.

AG: May is Older American Month

May is Older American Month. I would like to take this opportunity to educate the public about services available to senior Texans through the Office of the Attorney General.

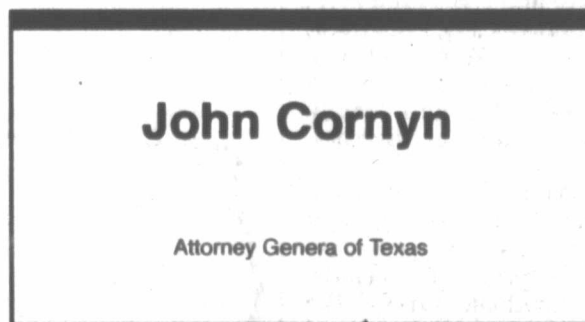
Protecting the health, safety and well-being of our state's most vulnerable citizens, especially children and seniors is a top priority for my administration. Several divisions in the Office of the Attorney General focus specifically on helping seniors.

The Consumer Protection Division works to identify and aggressively prosecute those who cheat or deceive Texas seniors. The Division files lawsuits under the Deceptive Trade Practices Act and offers a dispute resolution service for consumers.

In order to assist seniors, the division works to halt business practices that directly affect them. Recently, my office has taken aim at sweepstakes companies that target seniors in their advertising practices.

In April, 47 other attorneys general and I reached a \$35 million settlement with United States Purchasing Exchange (USPE) to end misleading advertising practices. USPE will now have to include a fact sheet with every mailing and provide reimbursement to consumers who spent more than \$1,870 on entries in the past three years. Approximately 4,000 Texas consumers will be eligible for restitution.

In April, my Insurance Practices Section sued Seniors Security Services, a company that sent mailers designed to look like official government notices concerning Social Security or Medicare to senior citizens around the state.



John Cornyn

Attorney Genera of Texas

Instead, these mailers were merely a ruse to solicit leads for insurance salesmen.

The Office of the Attorney General actively participates in one of the nation's best community policing programs for preventing crime against seniors. Triads unite seniors with local law enforcement agencies to work together for safety. There are currently 103 Triads in Texas, and we are working to double that number.

The Elder Law and Public Health Division works to protect senior Texans and other health-care service consumers. The Division's primary focus is ensuring quality treatment for patients in nursing homes, personal care homes and psychiatric facilities.

The Division also works to promote my policy of protecting senior Texans by conducting Senior Fraud Conferences and speaking to senior service organizations across the state.

The Texas Department of Human Services inspects nursing homes and investigates alleged violations of state and federal nursing home standards. When that agency refers a

case to us, we take legal action to enforce the law and put an end to violations.

The Medicaid Fraud Control Division investigates allegations of criminal abuse and neglect in facilities that serve Medicaid patients and in non-Medicaid board and care facilities. The Division can refer cases to prosecutors for legal action. The Division's investigators also conduct in-service training to nursing home staff and administrators.

The Office of the Attorney General also has a number of publications that address senior issues. Our centerpiece is "Elder Alert," a quarterly newsletter that provides information on consumer, health and fraud issues. Brochures on the rights of seniors and nursing home selection are also available. All publications are posted on the Office of the Attorney General website at www.oag.state.tx.us and are available by calling (512) 475-4413.

Seniors with a consumer complaint can request a complaint form by calling 1-800-621-0508. Complaints can also be filed on-line through the agency's website.

To file a complaint against a nursing home, assisted living facility or psychiatric facility, call the Texas Department of Human Services at 1-800-458-9858. To report suspected Medicaid provider fraud or abuse by a provider, contact the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit at (512) 463-2011.

For information on Triad programs, contact Nancy Gresham in Elder Law and Public Health at (512) 936-1317 or by e-mail at nsq@oag.state.tx.us.

From our files ...

40 years ago

—The Pampa Harvesters started their second week of spring football drills as Coach Bate Curfman gets a line on the material he will have on hand to face a tough 10-game schedule in the fall.

—Mrs. Earl Golden of Herimer N.Y., who is a frequent Pampan visitor and the sister of Mrs. D.A. Finkelstein was named Woman of the Year by Herkimer Zonta Club.

—James Blair will serve as student body president of Lefors High School. He defeated Junior Taylor in a recent school election for the honor.

25 year ago

—Bill Kretz a retired oil field worker hopes to see Pampa's continued growth for at least 23 more years when he will be 100. He recalls the oil boom days when men worked by the sweat of the brow.

—Officials from the Texas Aeronautics Commission were in Pampa to meet with representatives from Gray, Hemphill, Roberts and Wheeler counties and discuss airport needs.

—Pampa was the host city for the Panhandle square Dance Association Jamboree May 3. The program was at St. Vincent DePaul School gymnasium, Jerry Sims welcomed the group.

10 years ago

—Pampa News Managing Editor Larry Hollis explains how newspapers are created to a group of third graders from Horace Mann Elementary School as pressman, Paul Goldthrite, prepares to demonstrate the press.

—A Pampa News investigation of Gray County Sheriff's Department has revealed extensive problems on several levels—legal, ethical and moral. A simmering cauldron of professional jealousy, political ambition and self-gratification bubbled over into the public when Sheriff Jim Free suspended four employees with pay in connection with tow separate allegations of wrongdoing.

—Gray County received a \$2,588.65 check and the city of Pampa received a \$1,164.50 check for their share of the state's 12 percent mixed drink tax collected during January, February and March.

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 822 E. Foster. 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 1:00 p.m. and Thursdays at 10 a.m. at The Senior Citizens. 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.

HEAD START

Head Start applications for enrollment will be available May 19 at Lamar Elementary School. The program is open to children who will be 4-years-old on or before Sept. 1, 2000. Acceptance in the program is based upon: 1) family income guidelines; 2) public assistance; 3) child with documented disability; 4) foster child. The following documentation must be provided: child's birth certificate; 2-months income verification or tax return; immunization records; Social Security numbers; documentation of disability (if applicable); proof of public assistance, i.e. food stamp card, TANF benefits, Medicaid; and health insurance card (if applicable).

GED TESTING

Clarendon College-Pampa Center conducts GED testing the fourth Monday and Tuesday of every month except for May and June. Test dates for these two months are May 22 and 23 and June 19 and 20. Those taking the full test must attend both days. Preregistration is required. For more information, call Jana Wesson-Martin at 665-8801.

CATTLEWOMEN SCHOLARSHIPS

Top O' Texas CattleWomen scholarships are available for the fall semester for qualifying college junior, senior or graduate students. Applicants should come from a ranching family and should plan to pursue a career associated with the beef industry. This scholarship is one of several made through Ivomec Generations of Excellence program sponsored by Merial and administered by the Texas Cattle Women. The local organization covers the following counties: Carson, Collingsworth, Gray, Hutchison, Lipscomb, Ochiltree, Roberts and Wheeler. For more information, an application or rules write: Sandra Christner, P.O. Box 522, Wheeler, TX 79096; or call (806) 826-3572. The deadline is June 15.

YOUNG RANCHER'S SCHOLARSHIP

Top O' Texas CattleWomen is seeking applicants for the Ivomec Generations of Excellence Program's Young Rancher's Scholarship to Texas A&M's Beef Cattle Short Course slated Aug. 7-9. Deadline for applications is June 15.

PPQG

Panhandle Piecemakers Quilt Guild will meet at 6:30 p.m. May 25 at Pampa Senior Citizens Center, 500 W. Francis. The program "Borders" will be presented by Elaine Johnson. For more information, call (806) 779-2115. Visitors are welcome.

MAKE-A-WISH TRUCK SHOW

The Third Annual Make-A-Wish Truck Show is slated to begin at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 27 at the Radisson Inn, Lakeside and I-40 East, Amarillo. A truck accessory auction is scheduled at 2 p.m. Mobil 1 Nascar Jeremy Mayfield and his Nascar 18-wheel diesel rig will make an appearance. All makes and models of trucks will be featured and participants are encouraged to bring their spare change and make a donation while casting votes for their favorite truck. The fund-raiser is free and open to the public. For more information, call Texas Plains office, Make-A-Wish

Foundation, (806) 358-9943.

PDHG
Palo Duro Handweaver's Guild will meet at 7:30 p.m. May 25 at Amarillo. Anyone interested in weaving, spinning, dyeing or fiber arts is welcome. For more information, call (806) 355-6220.

ACS LOOK GOOD ... FEEL BETTER

The American Cancer Society will present the program "Look Good ... Feel Better" from 7-9 p.m. May 22 at the ACS office at 3915 Bell Street in Amarillo. The program is aimed at helping cancer patients cope with the unpleasant side effects of cancer treatments. Cosmetology professionals will demonstrate techniques how to compensate for hair loss through the use of turbans and scarves. To register or for more information, call the ACS at (806) 353-4306.

GREEN THUMB

Green Thumb, Inc., the country's oldest and largest provider of mature worker training and employment, launched its statewide search for Texas' Outstanding Older Worker for Year 2000. Texas employers are urged to join this initiative by nominating their outstanding older employees. Nominees must be at least 65, a Texas resident, and work 20 or more hours a week. To nominate a supervisor or co-worker, you must provide a brief narrative covering the overall contribution to their employer, a description of skills the nominee has learned since beginning of employment, any disabilities the nominee has overcome to perform his/her job and other community involvement. Nominations will be evaluated by a state-wide selection committee and the winner announced mid July. In October, the winner will attend the national Prime Time Awards in Washington, DC., in conjunction with Presidentially-proclaimed Employ the Older Worker Week. For more information, call 1-800-880-5292. The deadline for nominations is June 15.

SKELLYTOWN FUND-RAISER

Skellytown Volunteer Fire Department will present "The Shelia Helton Country Music Show" at 7 p.m., Saturday, May 20, at Skellytown Elementary School. Tickets are \$6 in advance or \$7.50 at the door. For more information, call (806) 848-2478.

SKIN CANCER SCREENING

The Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center will hold a free skin cancer screening clinic from 9 a.m.-12 p.m., Saturday, May 20 at the cancer center, 1500 Wallace Blvd., Amarillo. For more information, call Cinda Courtney, director of Community Relations, at (806) 356-1913.

TCA WEBSITE

A list of "10 Hot Summer Cultural Events" can be accessed via the Texas Commission on the Arts website at www.artsonart.com — the most comprehensive arts calendar on the Internet in Texas. Visitors to the site can search the database by city, region, date, topic or organization name as well as access a travel

planner section that allows visitors to hyperlink to vendors to rent a car, make airline reservations or book hotel rooms.

AMERICAN RED CROSS

The Gray County Chapter of the American Red Cross recently released its schedule of upcoming classes. The following three courses will be offered from 6-10 p.m.: May 8, Adult CPR; May 9, First Aid; and May 11, Infant and Child CPR. The cost of each course will be \$20. To preregister or for more information, call the local Red Cross at 669-7121.

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Clarendon College has a limited number of spaces available in its Elderhostel program slated June 4-10. Cost of the one-week program is \$368 and includes room and board. Participants will learn about the Clarendonian Age and the ranching industry in pioneer days versus modern ranching practices. Activities will include various expert speakers, museum visits, dancing and an opening night barbecue dinner and performance of the musical drama "TEXAS." The program is open to adults 55 and older and their spouses or adult companions. For more information, call Nena Hunt, (806) 874-3571.

AMARILLO COLLEGE

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VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

Sign-up for the summer Junior Volunteer Program at Pampa Regional Medical Center is currently under way this month after school at the Volunteer Front Lobby desk at PRMC. Students must be 13 or older. An application must be completed and returned to Nancy Paronto, coordinator of volunteers at the hospital; complete with parents' or guardian's written permission on form. Participants will be notified of all-day orientation in June. Normal schedules during the summer are four to eight hours per week. Learn about health care, accounting, business office, human resource office, dietary department, material management, medical surgical unit, skilled bed unit, information services desk and outpatient desk. Older students may want to try emergency department, surgery department and pharmacy department. For more information, call 663-5577.

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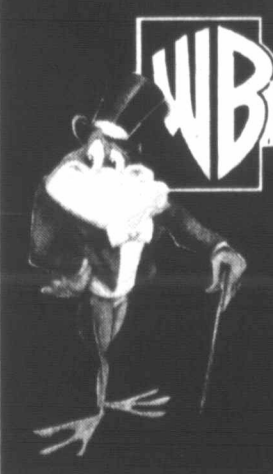
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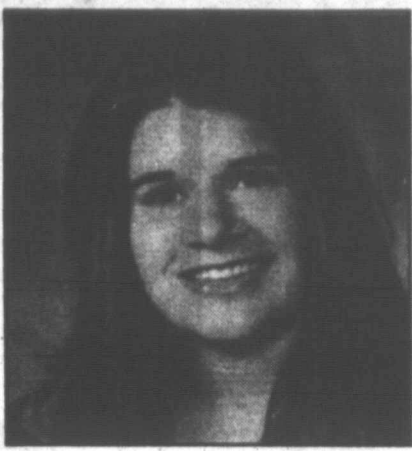
To the editor,
I recently submitted an article concerning building/fire code violations at the Jordan Unit Factory (TCI). Due to this "safety" related complaint and other like issues, I have faced various forms of retaliation from TCI and Jordan Unit personnel.
Due to this harassment, I exercised my right to the grievance process. The purpose of this procedure is to offer inmates applicable recourse when challenging policy, disciplinary action, threats, etc. However, in lieu of alleviating or investigating my complaints, the aforementioned parties have chosen intimidation as their method of operation.
These actions have destroyed the constitutionality of the grievance system as it was designed. Inmates, such as myself, are at the mercy of erroneous allegations and related threats. Hence, the grievance system is flawed and invites corruption.
Ronald Graning
Jordan Unit

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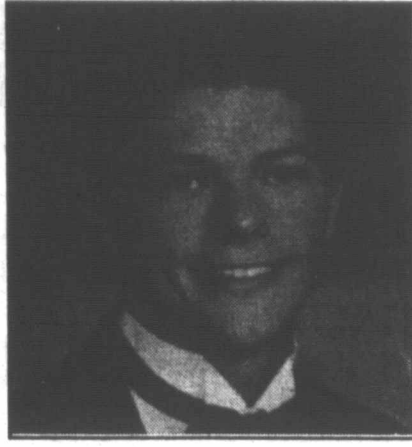
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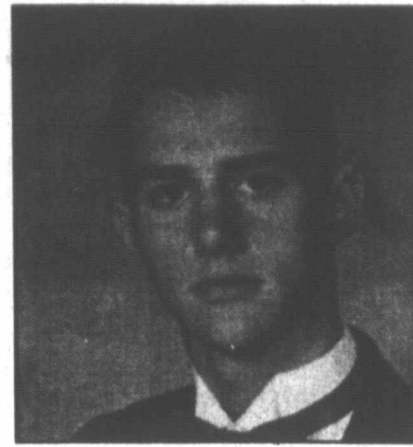
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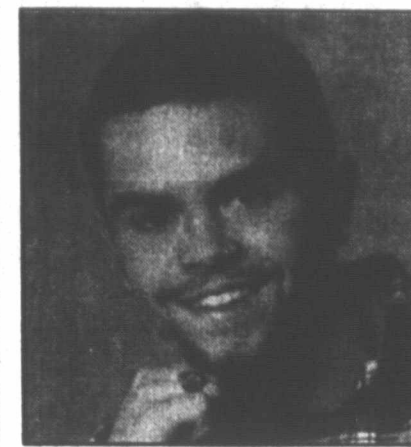
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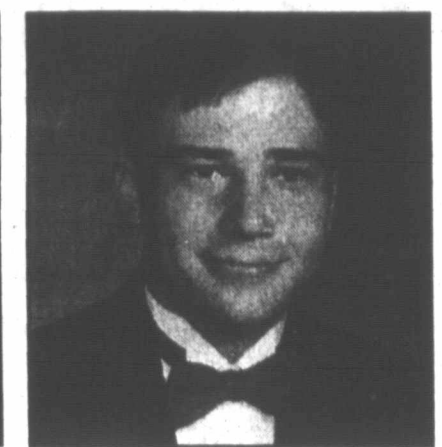
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GRADS

Regionals in Journalism Writing, 1997-99; Speech and Debate State Competition, 1998-99; editor of "The Little Harvester," 1997-00; Speech and Debate, 1997-00; Theatre, 1998-00; Sports photographer (school yearbook, newspaper and "The Pampa News," 1997-00); Worth the Wait; and PHS Band, 1997. Plunk plans to pursue a degree in radio/television/film at the University of Texas at Austin and hopes to one day act in feature films. She is currently employed part-time in the Sports Department at "The Pampa News."

Stephen Harrison Vanderpool, son of Phil and Gladys Vanderpool, ranks 15th in his class with a 4.019 GPA. His honors, activities and accomplishments include: PHS Honor Graduate; Who's Who Among American High School Students; National Honor Society, two years; basketball; cross country; and Business Professionals of America. He plans to pursue a degree in pre-med at Southern Methodist University and hopes to eventually attend medical school and become a cardiologist.

Mary Grace Fields, daughter of Ken and Carol Fields, ranks 16th in her class with a 4.013 GPA. Her honors, activities and accomplishments include: Superintendent Scholar; PHS Honor Graduate; Student Body Vice President; National Honor Society; First Team All-District in Soccer; Homecoming Queen Nominee; Hall of Fame Selection Committee; soccer team captain; volleyball; soccer; D-Fy-It vice president; and Fellowship of Christian Athletes. Fields belongs to First Presbyterian Church. She plans to attend Rhodes College in Memphis, Tenn., and hopes to eventually earn her master's degree.

Rebecca Nolte, daughter of Dwaine and Darlene Nolte, ranks 17th in her class with a 4.005 GPA. Her honors, activities and accomplishments include: PHS Honor Graduate; Eugene and Daniela Anderson Scholarship; District UIL Editorial Writing, second place;

Outstanding Photography Student; Outstanding Visual Media Student; Outstanding Advanced Theatre Student; Pampa Chamber of Commerce Student of the Year 2000; District UIL Theatre All Star Cast; theatre, two years; newspaper staff, three years; yearbook staff, two years; and D-Fy-It, four years. Nolte plans to pursue a degree in film production at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth and hopes to eventually write/direct a full-length movie.

Courtney Marie Lang, daughter of Mark and Karen Lang, ranks 18th in her class with a 4.00 GPA. Her honors, activities and accomplishments include: PHS Honor Graduate; National Honor Society; National Dance Association dance instructor; Show Choir, three years; Miss Teen Lake Meredith; Miss Dance Texas Chapter 35; All-American Cheerleader, two years; volleyball; cheerleading; and dance. Lang plans to attend the University of Oklahoma and eventually earn a master's degree. She is currently employed as a cashier and hostess at Texas Rose.

Jacob A. Lewis, son of John and Rebecca Lewis, ranks 19th in his class with a 3.966 GPA. His honors, activities and accomplishments include: PHS Honor Graduate; National Honor Society; Who's Who Among American High School Students; PHS Wall of Fame; National Honor Roll; Baylor Presidential Scholarship; Student of the Year Awards-winner; football; power-lifting; Fellowship of Christian Athletes; soccer; Student Council; Concert Choir; Show Choir; UIL Academics and Choral; All Region Choir; and Sidewalk Art Show. Lewis plans to pursue a degree in pre-med at Baylor University and eventually attend medical school. He was employed at Cinema IV for two years.

Brent Coffee, son of Sam and Kenda Coffee, ranks 20th in his class with a 3.962 GPA. His honors, activities and accomplishments include: PHS Honor Graduate; National Honor Society; varsity baseball; South American youth mission trip to Guyana; basketball; golf; baseball; and Latin Club.

Coffee plans to pursue a degree in law at either Lubbock Christian University or Abilene Christian University.

Phillip Joe "P.J." Reed Jr., son of Toni Kay Reed, ranks 21st in his class with a 3.959 GPA. His honors, activities and accomplishments include: Superintendent Scholar; PHS Honor Graduate; Technology Students Association Best in State Award; National Merit Scholars Semi-finalist; Best Movie Award for American Studies movie; PHS Band drill instructor; Letter in Band; Red Cross volunteer; PHS literary magazine "Prairie Gold" staff; PHS Marching Band; ACT I community theatre; Technology Students Association; National Honor Society; and German Club. Reed plans to pursue a degree in computer science at Texas Tech University and eventually work as a computer programmer.

Kerry Turner, son of Greg and Donna Turner, ranks 22nd in his class with a 3.944 GPA. His honors, activities and accomplishments include: Superintendent Scholar; PHS Honor Graduate; National Merit Scholarship Commended Student; Eugene and Daniela Anderson Scholarship; Rotary Youth Leadership Award; first team All-District in Tennis; State Geography Bee qualifier; Presidential Academic Fitness Award; National Honor Society; D-Fy-It Advisory Board; tennis co-captain; UIL Academics; and Central Baptist Church youth group. Turner plans to pursue a degree in mechanical engineering at Oklahoma State University and eventually earn his master's degree. He is currently employed with Centramedia Online Services, providing technical support and computer service work.

Patrick O'Neal Parsons, son of Russell Parsons and Kathy Gee, ranks 23rd in his class with a 3.937 GPA. His honors, activities and accomplishments include: PHS Honor Graduate; National Honor Society; Leadership Award; Who's Who Among American High School Students; lead in PHS Choir musical; Choir; Show Choir; off-season football; and golf. Parsons

plans to pursue a degree in computer networking management at Westwood Technologic College in Denver, Colo. He is currently employed as a retail salesman at Tarpley Music Store.

Kristi Walling, daughter of Jerry and Andrea Walling, ranks 24th in her class with a 3.925 GPA. Her honors, activities and accomplishments include: PHS Honor Graduate; National Honor Society; Who's Who Among American High School Students; National Honor Roll; U.S. National Leadership Merit Award; TAAS Math Buddy; volleyball, three years; basketball, two years; softball, two years; varsity basketball manager, one year; and D-Fy-It. Walling plans to pursue a degree in mass communications and a minor in public relations at Oklahoma State University and hopes to eventually land a job as public relations director for a business or company.

Jesse Dale Francis, son of Dale and Cindy Francis, ranks 24th in his class with a 3.925 GPA. His honors, activities and accomplishments include: PHS Honor Graduate; Hustling Harvester in Basketball, 1999-00; Wendy's High School Heisman Award nominee, 1999-00; United States Achievement Academy Student Council; USAA Leadership Award; Who's Who Among American High School Students; National Honor Society, two years; NHS Historian, one year; Student Council, two years; Student Council Parliamentarian, one year; varsity baseball, three years; D-Fy-It; and First Christian Church Youth Group. Francis plans to attend Howard County Junior College of Big Spring on a baseball scholarship and hopes to eventually earn a degree in forensic psychology.

Wesley Warren, son of Ronald and Barbara Warren, is a Superintendent Scholar. His honors, activities and accomplishments include: Area Band; All-Region Jazz Band; first division rating; UIL Class One Trombone Solo

Contest; National Honor Society; Who's Who Among American High School Students; PHS Band vice president; D-Fy-It; Latin Club; and Science Team. Warren plans to

pursue a degree in chemical engineering at Oklahoma State University and gives trombone lessons to elementary and middle school students.

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GOLF

PAMPA — The 2000 Texas Tech Coaches Golf Day will be held Tuesday, May 23 at the Pampa Country Club.

The golf day is sponsored by the Ex-Students Association and the Red Raider Club.

An 18-hole scramble starts at 1 p.m. Cost is \$50 per player, which includes the cart, prizes, green fees, the evening meal and program. For more information or to make a reservation, call Mickey Piersall at Pampa Country Club 665-8431 or Dr. Joe Donaldson at 665-5914.

There will be a poolside meal at 6 p.m. and the cost is \$10 per person. Brian Norwood, Texas Tech assistant football coach, will be a guest speaker. Curt Langford of the Ex-Students Association will also be on the program.

Checks should be made payable to Texas Tech University and mailed to Dr. Joe Donaldson, 2530 Duncan, Pampa, Tex. 79065.

Proceeds will go to benefit Texas Tech scholarships.

TENNIS

AUSTIN — White Deer sisters Suni Jo Petty and Cassie Petty defeated Pepper Jimbriel and Janice Moore of Mason 6-3, 6-0 in first-round action earlier this week at the Class 2A girls doubles tournament at World of Tennis in Lakeway.

The Pettys lost to Kim Jordan and Jayme Holmstrom of Thrall 7-6 (4), 6-1 in the semifinals.

The Pettys had a 14-0 record and were regional champions going into the tournament.

Jordan and Holmstrom advanced to beat Ashley Boles and Lindsey Zirlax of Manson 6-1, 6-2 for the championship.

In Class 1A boys singles, John Dauselt of Lefors defeated Michael Jimenez of Rocksprings 7-5, 6-2, in the first round of play. Dauselt fell to Robert Brown of Overton, 6-2, 6-2, in the semifinals.

Brown lost to John Dennison of Irion County 7-5, 0-6, 6-4 in the finals.

BASKETBALL

PHOENIX (AP) — Another close call for Shaq & Co., and another victory. Now the Lakers are one win away from a four-game sweep of the Phoenix Suns in the Western Conference semifinals.

Shaquille O'Neal scored 11 of his 37 points in the fourth quarter and grabbed 17 rebounds as the Lakers won their first road game of the playoffs 105-99 Friday night for a 3-0 lead over the Suns in the best-of-seven series.

Los Angeles, which won Game 2 Thursday 97-96 on Kobe Bryant's tough 15-footer with 2.6 seconds to go, can complete its first playoff sweep since 1991 and first sweep of a seven-game series since 1989 with a victory on Sunday.

Penny Hardaway scored 31 for the Suns on 11-for-15 shooting, but missed a 3-pointer with 46 seconds to go and the Suns down 100-97. Cliff Robinson scored 23, but only two after leaving to have his sprained right ankle taped late in the third quarter.

Jason Kidd had 12 assists, but was only 1-for-9 from the field for four points.

The Lakers outscored the Suns 11-4 over the last 2:33, including 9-for-12 on free throws. Bryant scored 26 and Robert Horry had 15 off the bench.

O'Neal's stuff, the Lakers' last field goal, put Los Angeles up for good 96-95 with 2:33 to go. Bryant's two free throws with 1:34 remaining made it 98-95, but Hardaway made two free throws with 1:15 remaining to cut it to 98-97.

On the Lakers' next possession, Rice broke free to the basket and took a pass from Brian Shaw. Rice was fouled by Luc Longley and sank both free throws. After Hardaway missed the 3-pointer, Shaw sank two free throws to make it 102-97 with 26.4 seconds remaining.

Pampa's Lee wins gold medal in Class 4A state track meet

AUSTIN — State champion. That prestigious title goes to Pampa High School senior Beth Lee, who claimed the Class 4A 3200-meter run Friday at Mike Myers Stadium.

Lee, who received a gold medal for her outstanding accomplishment, ran an 11:17.26 for the eight-lap victory.

The time wasn't her personal best, but it more than good enough to win. Lee broke away from Jessa Vacek of Southlake Carroll with just a little more than 200 meters remaining and won the race by 25 meters. Vacek, last year's state runnerup, placed second at 11:22.37.

Lee, also entered in the 1600, finished seventh with a time of 5:29.69. She won the bronze medal in the that event a year ago.

Chris Hansen, who coaches the distance runners in high school and middle school, says Lee's victory was a fitting climax to her career.

"It's just an incredible feat," Hansen said. "I coached Beth when she was in middle school and she was one of the slowest ones. She was discouraged and hated running. Now look at her, she's the only one left standing."

Lee became the first Lady



Beth Lee

Harvester to win an individual goal medal at state since Tanya Lidy in 1988.

"Beth was such a hard worker. She ran seven days a week, 365 days a year," Hansen said. "She just kept working hard."

Other Lady Harvesters who qualified for the state meet were Angela Phillips, Tandi Morton and LeVonne Evans. Phillips was fifth in the shot put (38-10), Morton was sixth in the 100 hurdles (15.04) and Evans was seventh in the 200 (5:29.69).

Love in the hunt again at Byron Nelson Golf Classic

IRVING, Texas (AP) — The problem for Davis Love III is finishing second.

In more than two years and 53 tournaments since his last victory, Love has been a runner-up six times. On two other occasions, he had a chance on Sunday afternoon until fading. Twice he has finished second behind Tiger Woods.

This weekend in the Byron Nelson Classic presents a different challenge for Love. This time, it's his tournament to lose.

By shaking off a bogey-bogey start and taking advantage of calmer afternoon conditions Friday, Love made nine birdies over his last 16 holes for a 7-under 63 at Cottonwood Valley that gave him a four-stroke lead over John Huston.

True, Woods beat him twice, but both times Love has faced at least a two-stroke deficit against a player who hasn't given up a final-round lead in 13 straight PGA Tour events.

"I've always been trying to catch somebody playing well," Love said Friday afternoon. "I would shoot a 63 or 64 on Saturday to be two back, and I've thrown away so many strokes that it's hard to catch up. I've been in good positions, but not as good as this."

Love, who was at 11-under 129, built the largest 36-hole lead in tournament history by showing why he has been such a steady performer throughout his career. He drove the ball beautifully, struck his irons crisply and holed about every putt he saw.

"He's driving the ball really as pretty as I've seen the ball driven," said Brandel Chamblee, who played with Love the past

two days. "The guy is in a zone." Where Love would rather be is the winner's circle, and there is still plenty of golf left.

Huston had a bogey-free round of 65 on the TPC at Las Colinas and was at 133. The six players at 135 included Jesper Parnevik (65) and 1996 PGA champion Mark Brooks (66).

And Love hasn't forgotten about Woods.

Maybe the best way to keep Woods out of the hunt is for him to go home on Friday. That appeared a possibility when Woods scattered the gallery with his first tee shot and made bogey on the opening hole.

In danger of missing only the second cut of his career, he rallied with two birdies on the back nine of Cottonwood Valley for a 3-under 67 that left him at even-par 140.

He was 11 strokes back, in need of a major comeback.

"I don't know if he's ever far enough behind," Love said. "But I'm playing my game."

Woods didn't count himself out, either.

"I turned a 62 into a 67. That takes talent," Woods said, managing a smile after a round in which he missed six putts inside 12 feet. "I just have to post a low one tomorrow and see what happens. I'm capable of that. I could have done that today."

That kind of score belonged only to Love and Phil Mickelson, who also had a 63 to get to 136, a score that looked pretty good until Love birdied four of the last five holes.

"One guy has separated himself from the field," said Mickelson, a two-time winner on tour this year. "There's a bunch of us that have a chance to make a run, or he had to come back. I doubt that will happen, so I anticipate having to shoot a good round tomorrow."

Love looked as though he might stumble early on Friday, before the winds laid down. He hit a 7-iron over the flag to the Texas-shaped green on No. 1 and, instead of trying to make the 35-footer from the fringe, he lagged it some 6 feet short and missed the par putt.

Another bogey from the bunker followed, but then Love warmed up with birdies on four of the next five holes, none longer than 10 feet.

Reed honored

PLAINVIEW — Bessie Ann Reed of Canadian and a junior on the Wayland Baptist University cross country and track teams, received four honors last week at the WBU Athletic Awards Banquet.

Reed received the prestigious Scholar-Athlete Award, presented to the student athlete with the highest grade point average, the Coach's Award for track and field, and the Newcomer of the Year Award for cross country. She was also given an Award of Merit as a junior athlete with a 3.5 grade point average or better.

A bronze-medal winner in the 400-meter relay at the NAIA National Indoor Track and Field Championships, Reed will also be participating at the Outdoor Championships to be held in Abbotsford, British Columbia later this month.

Bessie Ann is the daughter of Danny Reed and Lodema Reed.

Pecos claims Area opener

LUBBOCK — Pampa lost to Pecos 8-6 Friday night in the opening game of a Class 4A best-of-3 area round baseball playoff series.

Pampa had problems handling senior lefthander Josh Casillas, who struck out 10 Harvesters in going the distance on the mound. He gave up seven hits, walked six and hit two batters.

Pecos scored at least one run in every inning and never trailed in the game. Casillas helped his own cause with three hits, including a pair of runs-batted-in.

Alex Garcia added four hits to the Eagles' 15-hit attack.

Brent Coffee started on the mound for Pampa and was relieved in the fourth inning by Greg Lindsey,

who went the rest of the way. Coffee was tagged with the loss.

Kaleb Snelgroes led the Harvesters at bat with a pair of base hits. Justin Barnes, Randy Tice, Jesse Francis, Casey Owens and Cody Shepard added one

hit each.

Three of Pampa's six runs scored on Pecos throwing errors.

Francis, Owens and Shepard each had an RBI.

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Rangers outlast Angels

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — On a night of firsts for Royce Clayton and Doug Davis, John Wetteland reached No. 300.

Wetteland became the 12th reliever to get 300 saves, Clayton hit his first grand slam, and rookie Doug Davis got his first major league win as the Texas Rangers outslugged the Anaheim Angels 13-11 on Friday night.

Wetteland, 33 years, eight months and 21 days old, matched Lee Smith to the day as the youngest pitcher ever to

reach the plateau.

The Angels, meanwhile, were reeling from the news that pitcher Kent Mercker, who left the previous night's game because of a headache and dizziness, was in intensive care. He entered UC-Irvine Medical Center on Thursday night and tests revealed there was bleeding in his brain.

However, the Angels' physician, Dr. Lewis Yocum, said after visiting Mercker early Friday evening that the pitcher was alert.

Suntrol blanks Team Four in Optimist girls' softball action

PAMPA — Suntrol defeated Team Four 13-0 Thursday night in 13-15 girls' fastpitch softball action at Optimist Park.

It was total domination by Suntrol pitchers Stephanie Clark and Chelsey Davis as they teamed up to pitch a no-hitter in a run-rule shortened five-inning contest.

Clark, pitching the first three innings, struck out eight and issued just one base on balls. With Suntrol leading 6-0 after three innings, Davis came on in relief of Clark. Davis pitched the final two innings, striking out four and not allowing a baserunner.

In addition to the outstanding pitching performances, solid defense and timely hitting allowed Suntrol to build on its lead. Karissa Intemann led Suntrol at the plate with a single and a two-run RBI double. Casey Fisher and Patricia Jones each collected two hits, followed by Hollie Gattis and Autumn Schaub with singles. Schaub's hit also drove in two runs.

Teryn Stowers made an outstanding catch on a sharply-hit

ball to shallow right center field in the bottom of the third to help preserve the no-hitter. Suntrol did not commit an error in the contest.

Team Four also played stingy defense, committing just two errors, one fielding and the other a throwing error, but was never able to threaten offensively as only one batter reached base during the game.

Clark reached and scored three runs for Suntrol. Jones, Gattis and Intemann scored twice each

and Tatum Butler, Cara Pryor and Davis each scored once.

Shelley Smith, April Amador and Jessica White each had a solid defensive outing. Suntrol was without the services of catcher Wendi Miller, who has been hospitalized with pneumonia.

Stefani Goldsmith struck out seven batters in four and one-third innings of work.

With the win, Suntrol improved to 2-0 on the season.

SA Churchill wins golf title

AUSTIN (AP) — San Antonio Churchill High School's girls kept a firm grip on the Class 5A state team golf title Friday by winning their fourth consecutive championship at the Roy Kizer Golf Course.

Churchill placed three of its four players among the top 12 to post a two-day total of 624 on the par-71, 5,339-yard public course. Mansfield was second 19 strokes back.

Ashley Knoll of Conroe The Woodlands won state medalist honors when she carded a second round

5-over-par 75 and beat Georgetown's Brooke Tull in a play-off.

Knoll and Tull finished the regulations rounds at 9-over 151.

In the boys' competition, J. J. Killeen of Lubbock Coronado beat Mansfield's Martin Flores in a play-off for medalist honors. Killeen started the day a stroke behind but shot 2-under 69 on Friday to Flores at 1-under 141 after two rounds.

Lubbock Coronado also won the boys' team title with a two-day total of 595.

It's a hit



(Photo by Grover Black)

Stacey Smith of First Christian Church gets a hit off pitcher John East of Trinity during city softball action last week at Recreation Park. Summer softball leagues are scheduled to start June 26. For more information, contact Shane Stokes at 669-5770 during business hours at the City of Pampa Recreation Department.

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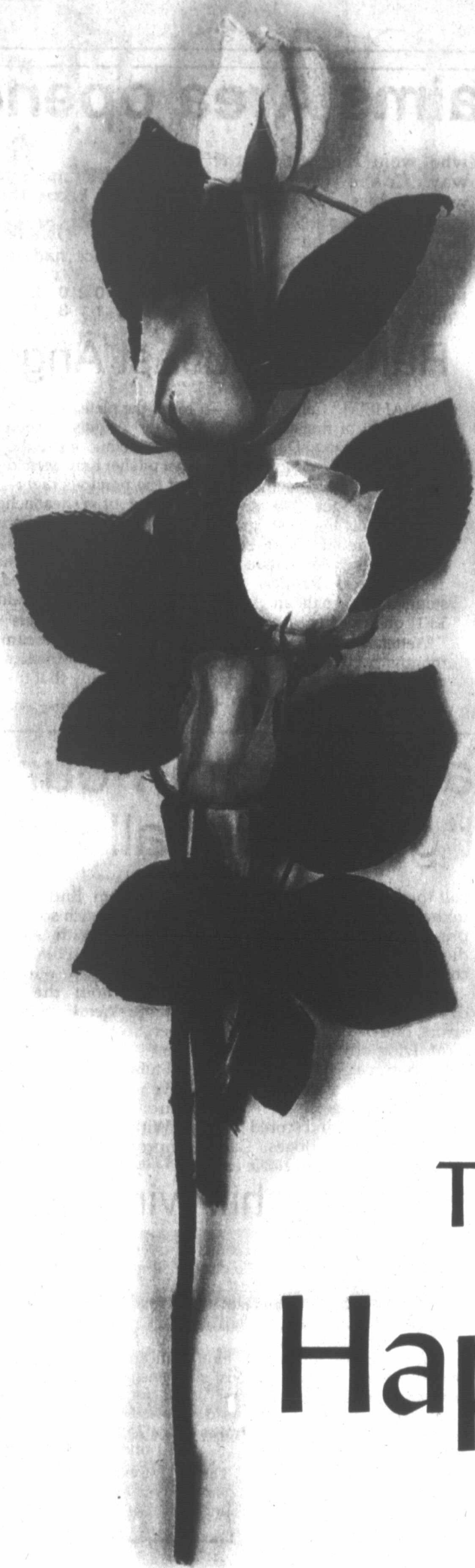
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Happy Mother's Day



Kim Ma works fulltime as a mail carrier for the U. S. Postal Service in Pampa. She delivers mail to many homes and residences in the local community and then cares for a family which includes her husband, William, and six children. She has been busy delivering many Mothers' Day Cards and presents to all local mothers to wish them a very Happy Mothers Day.



The Ma family gathered to congratulate Kim on being Pampa's Pampered Mother for 2000 as well as showing pride in Tiffany for writing the winning letter concerning her mom deserving to be pampered. Front row from left, Lindsey, 8; Stephanie, 12; Chelsea, 9; and Brandon, 14. Husband William holds Courtney, 3; Kim, and Tiffany, 16.

Local merchants sponsor Pampa Pampers Mom

Sponsors for the Pampa Pampers Mom contest are A Cut Above, Avon, Best Kept Secrets, Framewonders, Hi-Plains Hypnosis, Joy's Unlimited, Nu-Way Cleaning Service, Rheams Diamond Shop, The Coffee Shop, United Supermarket, All Its Charm, Carousel Expressions, Celebrations, Freeman's Flowers, Images, M & H Leasing, Petal Pushers, Sweet Dreams, Twice is Nice and Wayne's Western Wear.

Dear Pampa Chamber of Commerce:

My name is Tiffany Boyd. I am a 16-year-old junior at Pampa High School. My mother, Kimbarlee Lorraine Ma, is an outstanding, hardworking, time-devoted mother.

Although there is not a combination, or near enough, of words to describe how much my mother deserves a "Special Day of Pampering," I will do my best to convince you that she needs this break from her busy schedule.

First of all, my mother, who is 30, has had six children. I am the oldest. She works at the local post office where mail-delivering is very hard work. Not only does she have a full-time job, she is also enrolled in college to become an EMT.

With this schedule, my mom and I have not had much time to talk to each other for the past six months. We have lost our mother-daughter friendship and relationship as a result of her busy schedule.

My mother would also be so surprised to know that I took the time out of my life to write a good enough essay describing my love for her that it won her "A Special Day of Pampering."

Thank you for your time and consideration, and for reading what I had to say about my mother who is very dear to my heart.

Please consider her for a "Special Day of Pampering." It would mean a great deal to me for my mom to be rewarded so that it might represent the smallest percent of my love for her. Thank you once again.

Sincerely,

Tiffany Boyd

Tiffany Boyd is very proud of her mother, Kim Ma, and felt strongly she deserved to be the mother to be pampered by Pampa Chamber of Commerce.

"Most teenagers and moms don't talk, but I feel like I could talk to my mom more than anyone else," said Tiffany.

After being notified that her mom was to be Pampa's Pampered Mom, Tiffany made arrangements with her mom's supervisor, Tim McNair, to make the surprise presentation at the Pampa Post Office.

Tiffany, her sisters and brother are all proud of their mom as she works full time, takes an EMT class and cares for them.

Kim, totally surprised at her designation, said her immediate response was the cry tears of joy. "I feel very honored," she said.

She will have lunch with chamber members, a beauty makeover including cut and or style, makeup, a reception and dinner with immediate family and chamber members. She will also be recognized at the monthly Chamber of Commerce Luncheon to be held at the Chamber Office at noon on May 16. Several additional gifts will be presented to her.



Mother and daughter are very proud of each other. Kim is pleased her oldest daughter, Tiffany, is a member of the Pampa High Band, an honor student, in color guard and a member of FHA as well as being active in her church youth group. Tiffany loves to spend time with her mom and feels her mother is a very deserving winner of Pampa Pampers Mom contest sponsored by The Greater Pampa Chamber of Commerce Retail Trade Committee.

Menus

May 15-19

Pampa Schools
MONDAY
 Breakfast: Waffle sticks, syrup, sausage patty.
 Lunch: Chicken fried steak or pizza, whipped potatoes, English peas, mixed fruit, hot rolls.
TUESDAY
 Breakfast: Biscuits, gravy, sausage patty.
 Lunch: Spaghetti and meat sauce or chicken nuggets, green beans, fresh fruit, hot rolls.
WEDNESDAY
 Breakfast: Scrambled eggs, chorizo, toast.
 Lunch: Pigs in a blanket or burrito, corn, tossed salad, pineapple.
THURSDAY
 Breakfast: Toast, peanut butter and jelly.
 Lunch: Sub sandwich or chef salad, potato round, lettuce and tomatoes, peach par-fait.
FRIDAY
 Breakfast: Cereal, toast, sausage patty.

Lunch: Chicken fajitas or hamburgers, refried beans, tossed salad, pears, four tortilla.

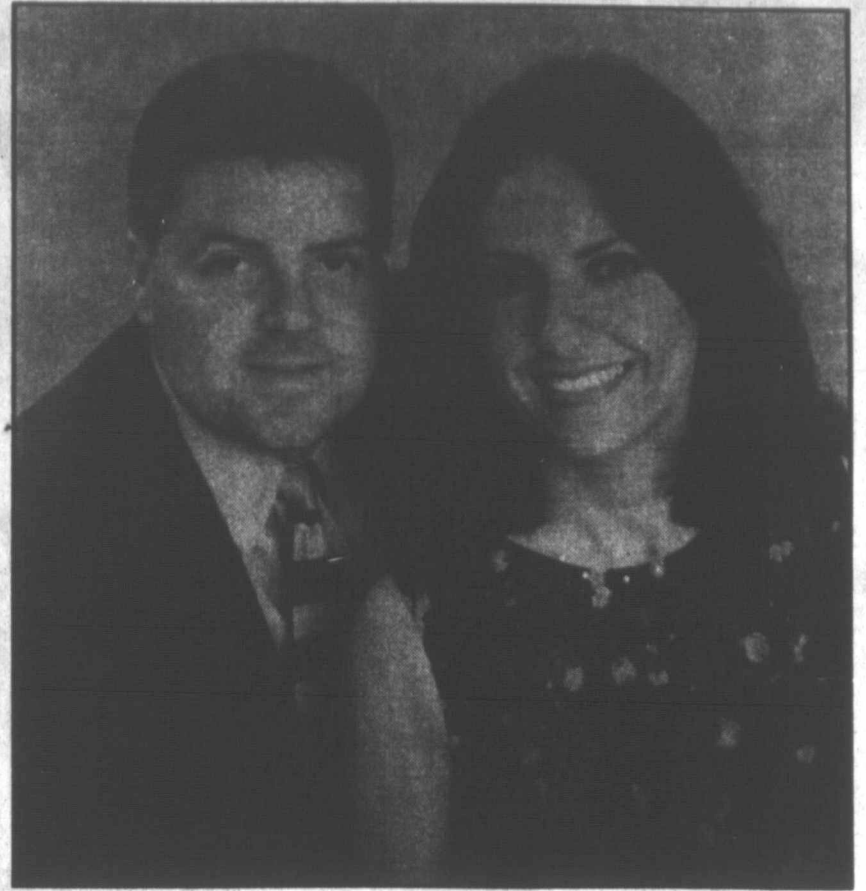
Lefors Schools
MONDAY
 Breakfast: Pancake on a stick, cereal, toast, juice, milk.
 Lunch: Soft tacos, taco salad, cheese, beans, salad, fruit, milk.
TUESDAY
 Breakfast: Sausage, biscuits, toast, cereal, juice, milk.
 Lunch: Beef stew, grilled cheese sandwiches, coleslaw, cornbread, crackers, fruit, milk.
WEDNESDAY
 Breakfast: Muffins, cereal, toast, juice, milk.
 Lunch: Pizza, corn, salad, fruit, milk.
THURSDAY
 Breakfast: Breakfast pocket, cereal, toast, juice, milk.
 Lunch: Hot turkey sandwiches, green beans, whipped potatoes, gravy, fruit, milk.

FRIDAY
 Breakfast: Waffles, toast, cereal, juice, milk.
 Lunch: Hamburgers, barbecue, hamburger salad, crispy fries, fruit, milk.

Senior Citizens
MONDAY
 Chicken fried steak or chicken salad, mashed potatoes, spinach, beets, northern beans, German chocolate cake or vanilla pudding cups, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls, cornbread or crackers.
TUESDAY
 Salisbury steak or mushroom gravy with angel hair pasta, onion potatoes, green beans, buttered squash, beans, rainbow cake or chocolate pie, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread.
WEDNESDAY
 Roast beef brisket with brown gravy or cook's choice, mashed potatoes, creme corn, broccoli casserole, beans, black forest cake or banana pudding, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread.

THURSDAY
 Chicken strips or taco salad, mashed potatoes, Spanish rice, California blend, beans, lemon pound cake or butterscotch ice-box pie, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls, jalapeno cornbread or cornbread.
FRIDAY
 Fried cod fish or spaghetti and meat sauce, potato wedges, turnip greens, beans, brownies or tapioca, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls, garlic toast or cornbread.

Meals On Wheels
MONDAY
 Salmon loaf, macaroni and cheese, Harvard beets, pears.
TUESDAY
 Chopped sirloin, rice pilaf, green beans, plum cobbler.
WEDNESDAY
 Stew, cornbread, pineapple.
THURSDAY
 Chicken patties, peas and carrots, squash casserole, pudding.
FRIDAY
 Pork roast, cream corn, baked apples, graham crackers.



Lisa Lindsey of Arlington and Jayme Farina
Lindsey-Farina

Lisa Lindsey of Arlington and Jayme Farina of Grapevine plan to wed July 14 in Fort Worth.
 The bride-elect is the daughter of Tommy and Susie Lindsey of Pampa. She graduated from Pampa High School in 1988 and holds a bachelor's degree in biology from Texas Tech University. She is currently employed with Dr. C.E. Spencer of Grand Prairie.
 The prospective groom is the son of the Rev. and Mrs. John Farina of Buffalo, Minn. He graduated from Pampa High School in 1989 and holds a bachelor's degree in human development from Texas Tech University. He is currently employed with Cardene Industries of Philadelphia, Pa.



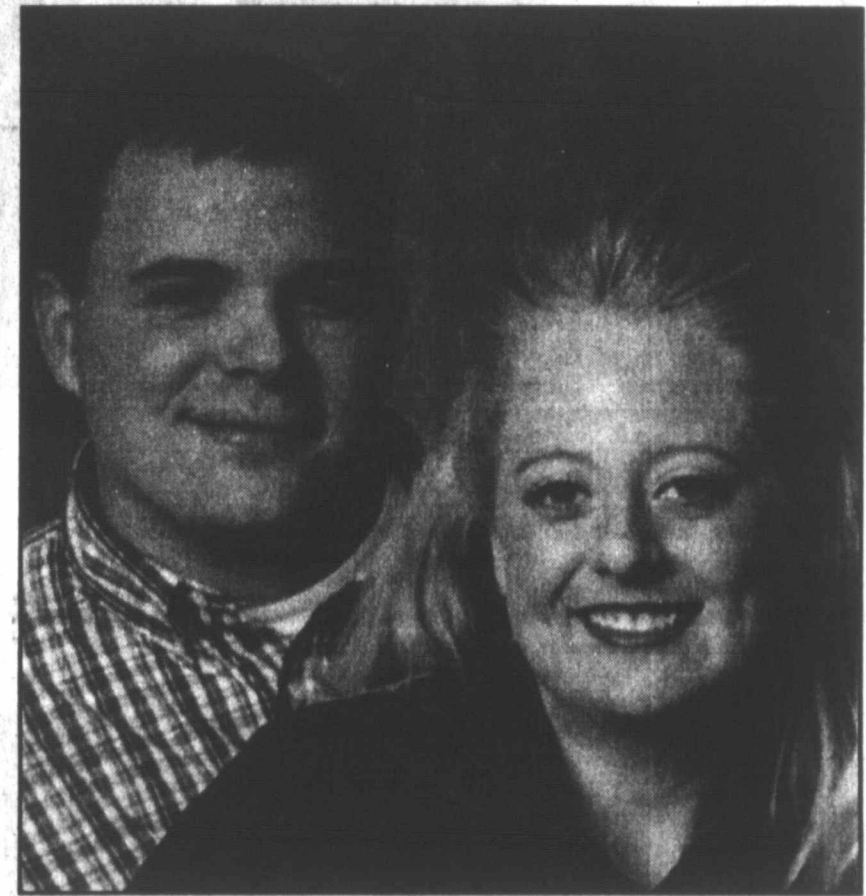
Anna Kate Morris and Clinton Wesley Stribling
Morris-Stribling

Anna Kate Morris and Clinton Wesley Stribling plan to wed Aug. 12 in First United Methodist Church of Dumas.
 The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Keith and Cheryl Morris of Dumas and is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Morris of Dumas and Colleen Schaeffer of Canyon. She graduated from Dumas High School in 1998 and is currently pursuing a degree in nursing at West Texas A&M University. She is presently employed by the City of Canyon.
 The prospective groom is the son of Tom and Debbie Stribling of Miami, is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin May of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Stribling of Mobeetie and is the great-grandson of Edward Bush of Wheeler. He graduated from Miami High School in 1996 and is currently pursuing a degree in animal science at West Texas A&M University. He is presently employed with Baker Farms in Oklahoma.



Tawnie Nichole Clem and Joseph Robert Crain
Clem-Crain

Tawnie Nichole Clem and Joseph Robert Crain, both of Pampa, were wed April 29 in Carpenter's Church of Pampa with Jim Sinyard, of the church, officiating.
 The maid of honor was Taria Beckham, cousin of the bride of Lubbock. The bridesmaids were Kisha Crain, cousin of the groom of Lefors, and Charlene Velasquez of Pampa. The flower girl was Amanda Beckham, cousin of the bride of Shallowater.
 The best man was Scott Grubitz of Pampa. The groomsmen were Justin Moler, Jarred Moler and Chance Crain, all brothers of the groom of Pampa. The ring bearer was Austin Miranda, the couple's son, of Pampa.
 The ushers were Greg Edmondson, cousin of the bride of Pampa, and Cory Harris of Lubbock. The candlelighters were Kaylee Greenhouse, cousin of the bride of Miami, and JaLee Villarreal, sister of the bride of Pampa. Villarreal also registered the guests.
 A reception was held following the service at the church with Audrey Beckham, aunt of the bride of Shallowater, Becky Gouge, cousin of the bride of Oklahoma City, Okla., and Charlene Velasquez serving the guests.
 The bride is the daughter of Roy and Mary Villarreal of Pampa and Eddie and Pam Clem of Amarillo and is a graduate of Pampa High School.
 The groom is the son of Wayne and Pam Moler and Mike and LeighAnn Crain, all of Pampa. He is currently employed by McCollum Construction.
 The couple planned a honeymoon trip to Ramada Inn in Amarillo and intend to make their home in Pampa.



Misty Brooke Scribner and Henry John Gindorf
Scribner-Gindorf

Misty Brooke Scribner and Henry John Gindorf, both of Houston, plan to wed July 22 in First Christian Church of Pampa.
 The bride-elect is the daughter of Billy and Cathy Scribner of Pampa. She graduated from Pampa High School in 1995 and from Texas Tech University in 1999, receiving a bachelor of science degree in chemistry. While at TTU, she was a Student Senate representative and belonged to Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority and Golden Key National Honor Society. She is currently attending the University of Houston College of Optometry and plans to graduate in 2003.
 The prospective groom is the son of Jack and Cindy Gindorf of Pampa. He graduated from Pampa High School in 1995 and from Texas Tech University in 1999, receiving a bachelor of science degree in business administration. He worked at Gould's Pumps in Lubbock and is currently employed as senior account specialist for Williams Communications in Houston.

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Club news

Club news is published strictly on a first come, first serve basis due to space limitations. The deadline each week for Sunday's paper is Wednesday at 5 p.m. (Tuesday at 12 noon on holidays such as

Thanksgiving and Christmas.) The deadline does not guarantee publication. Thank you.

Heritage Art Club
 Heritage Art Club met recently at the home of Polly Benton with President Ruth Barrett presiding. Benton and Dianna Sanders

served as hostesses. Thirteen members were present.

The following new officers were installed for the new club year: Johnnie Price, president; Margie Holland, first vice president; Francis Hall, second vice president; Renee Stout, secretary; Theresa Maness, treasurer.

Secret Pal gifts were exchanged and Bonnie Schaub won the door prize.

The next meeting will be Aug. 28.

PPQG
 Panhandle Piecemakers Quilt Guild met April 27 at the Pampa Senior Citizens Center. Three guests were present.

The following business was conducted and announcements made:

—Ten members participated in show-and-tell. The PPQG door prize was won by Penny Jones and the Sand's Fabric and Quilt Corner door prize was won by Thelma Matthews.

—A PPQG Quilting Day was held May 3 at the home of Donna Reynolds. Several members participated with the specific purpose of hand quilting on the 2000 Raffle Quilt. The goal is to have the quilt entirely finished before summer. Those members still wishing to hand quilt on the Raffle Quilt should contact Brenda Donelson.

—Members returned boy/girl appliqué blocks for Joyce Taylor in the Friendship Block Exchange. Jeannie Hennig distributed her blocks (along with selected fabrics) in the Friendship Block Exchange.

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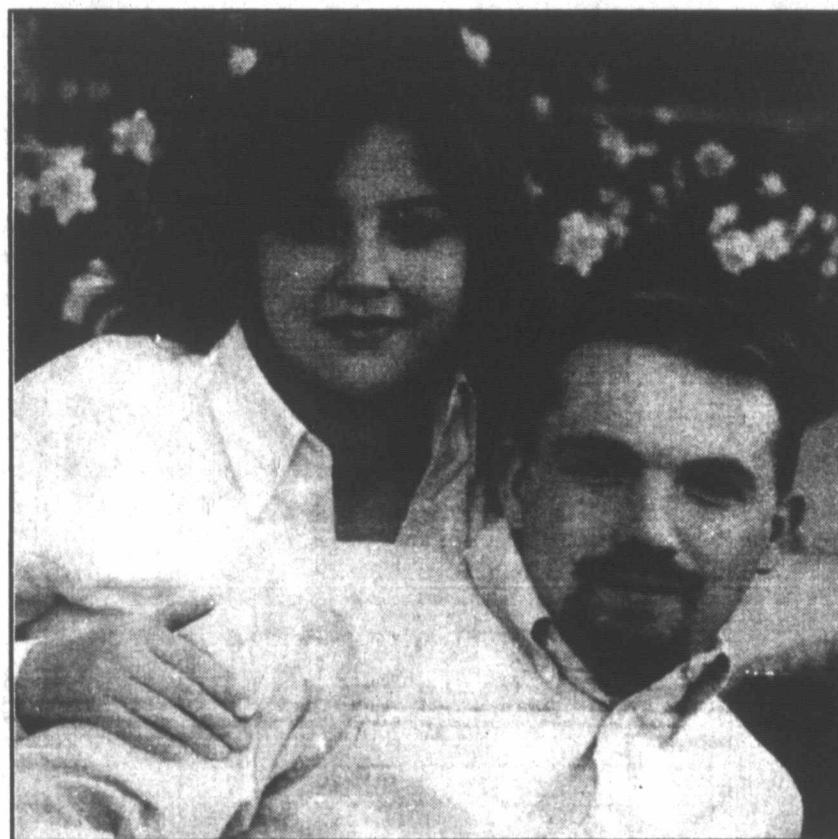
Newsmakers



Anne-Janett Geiser and Bryan Keith Harper

Geiser-Harper

Anne-Janett Geiser and Bryan Keith Harper, both of Abilene, plan to wed July 1 in First United Methodist Church of Pampa. The bride-elect is the daughter of Janetta and Bob Frazier of Pampa and Paul and Paula Geiser of Bridgeport. She graduated from Pampa High School in 1997 and is currently a senior special education major at McMurry University in Abilene. She is presently employed in the Education Department on campus. The prospective groom is the son of Angie and Frank Gould of Scio, N.Y., and Rodney Harper of Ocilla, Ga. He graduated from Irwin County High School at Ocilla in 1996 and is currently a senior business management major at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene. He is presently employed at Rick and Carolyn's Burgers and Fries in Abilene.



Kim Rock and Jeremy Fowler

Rock-Fowler

Kim Rock and Jeremy Fowler, both of Perryton, plan to wed July 1 at First Baptist Church in Perryton. The bride-elect is the daughter of Leelyn and Shelia Rock of Perryton. She graduated from Perryton High School in 1998 and is currently employed at Edna's Flowers. The prospective groom is the son of Danny and UnaJo Fowler of Perryton and Donny and Janet Campbell of Pampa. He graduated from Perryton High School in 1996 and is currently employed at Bartlett's Ace Hardware.

Lifestyles Policies

1. The Pampa News will not be responsible for photographs used in announcing weddings, engagements or anniversaries. We reserve the right to refuse publication of photographs of poor quality. Photographs cannot be returned unless they are accompanied by a self-addressed, stamped envelope. They may be picked up in the office after appearing in the paper.
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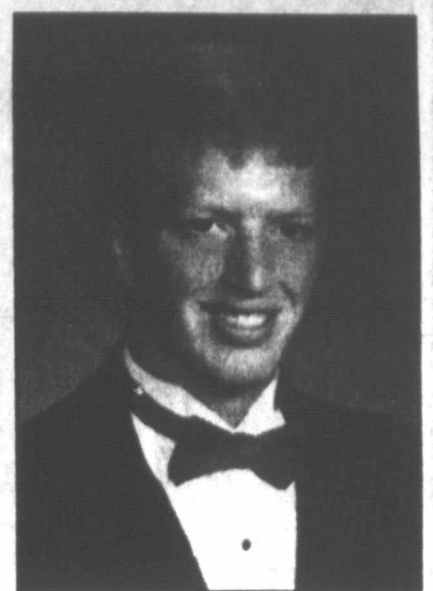
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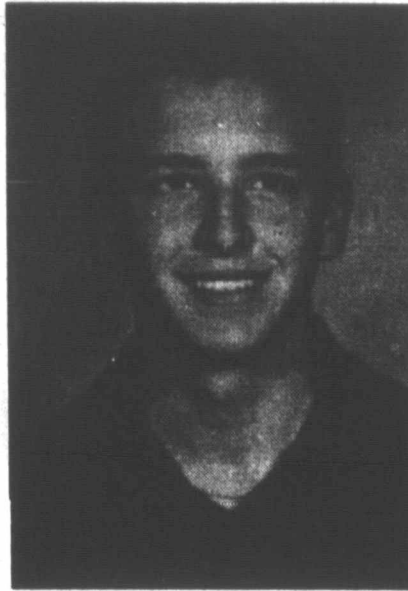
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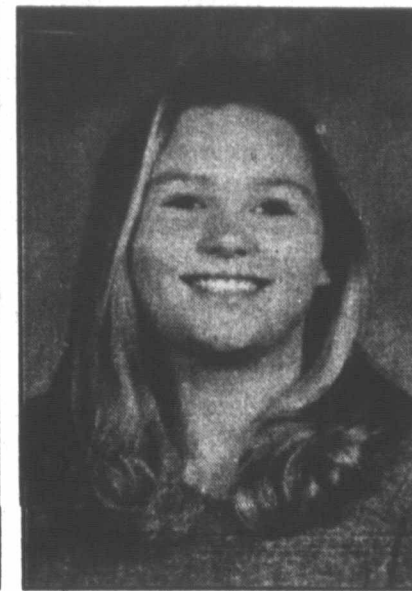
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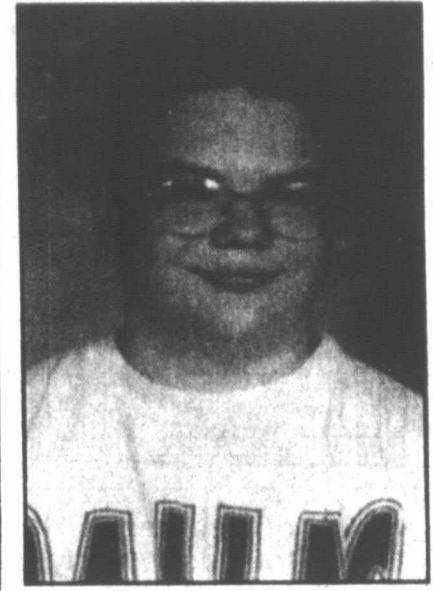
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The United States Achievement Academy recently announced United States National Award Winners from Pampa High School.

The following students were named USAA award winners in various categories: Charley Jo Hill, Sara Scott, Jessica Blandford, Sean Stowers, Shawn Strate, Cari Walker and Tiffany Boyd, Honor Roll; Blandford and Boyd, Leadership; Jeremy Bryan, Danielle Martinez and Stowers, Leadership and Service; Boyd, Band; and Hill, Art.

The Academy recognizes fewer than 10 percent of all American high school students. Scott, Blandford, Bryan, Martinez, Walker, Strate, Boyd and Stowers were nominated for the award by Starla Kindle, a counselor at PHS. Hill was nominated by counselor Karla Howell and teacher June Dirickson. All will appear in the USAA Official Yearbook, published nationally.

The Academy selects USAA winners based upon the exclusive recommendation of teachers, coaches, counselors and other qualified sponsors and upon academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit and dependability.

Hill is the daughter of Jodie and Charles Hill of Pampa and is the granddaughter of Betty Jo Panches of White Deer and Veora Hill of Colorado Springs, Colo.

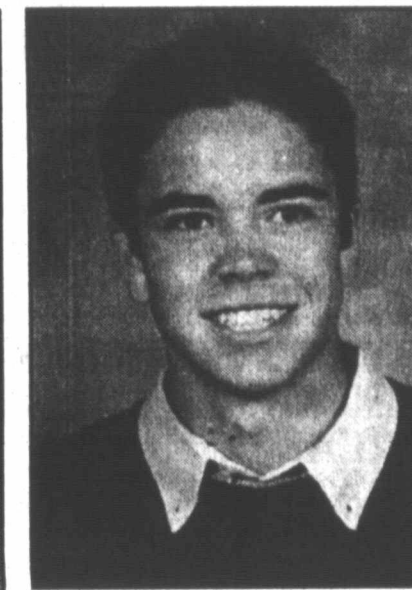
Scott is the daughter of Gary and Joan Scott of Pampa and is the granddaughter of Charles and Mary Ann Scott of Mustang, Okla., and Louis and Tina Ross of Hays, Kan.

Blandford is the daughter of Lisa and Larry Blandford of Pampa and is the granddaughter of Harvey and Irene Oatman of Clarendon, Bob and Mona Blandford of Arvada, Colo., and Leola Moxon of Lefors.

Bryan is the son of Mr. and



Danielle Martinez



Colby Stowers Brazile

Mrs. Billy Bryant of Pampa and is the grandson of Louise McHenry of Pampa and Walter Williams of Abington, Ill.

Stowers is the son of Richard and Janet Stowers of Pampa and is the grandson of Dot and Dick Stowers of Pampa and Guy and Patti Leach of Amarillo.

Martinez is the daughter of Joe and Charlene of Pampa and is the granddaughter of Alex and Juanita Martinez of San Antonio and Jerry and Mary Dominguez of Clovis, N.M.

Strate is the son of L.D. and Lois Strate of Pampa and is the grandson of Dorothy McCaslin of Sharon, Okla.

Walker, a senior at PHS, is the daughter of Gary and LaGwenda Walker of Pampa and is the granddaughter of Lester and Opal Cochran and Ruth Walker, all of Pampa.

Boyd is the daughter of Kim Ma of Pampa and is the granddaughter of Freda Boyd and Robert and Judy Herring, all of Pampa.

The United States Achievement Academy recently announced Pampa High School students Charley Jo Hill, Colby Stowers Brazile, Sara Scott and Sean Stowers were named All-American Scholars.

USA established the All-American Scholar program to offer deserved recognition to superior students who excel in the academic disciplines. The be eligible for the honor, students must earn a 3.3 or higher grade point average. Only scholars selected by a school instructor, counselor or other qualified sponsor are accepted.

Scott and Stowers were nom-

inated for the award by PHS Counselor Starla Kindle. Hill was nominated for the award by Linda Crook. All will appear in the All-American Scholar Yearbook, published nationally.

Hill is the daughter of Jodie and Charles Hill of Pampa and is the granddaughter of Betty Jo Panches of White Deer and Veora Hill of Colorado Springs, Colo.

Brazile is the son of Michael and Kim Trimble and is the grandson of Betty and Vernon Stowers of Pampa and Bobbie and Charles Brazile of Amarillo.

Scott is the daughter of Gary and Joan Scott of Pampa and is the granddaughter of Charles and Mary Ann Scott of Mustang, Okla., and Louis and Tina Ross of Hays, Kan.

Stowers is the son of Richard and Janet Stowers of Pampa and is the grandson of Dot and Dick Stowers of Pampa and Guy and Patti Leach of Amarillo.

BORGER — Frank Phillips College in Borger recently held its Honors Banquet.

During the banquet, the following students were named United States Achievement Academy All American Scholars: Cal Ferguson and Brandon Helms, both of Pampa. (See, NEWSMAKERS, Page 14)

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Pampa Rodeo Club



(Community Camera photo)

(Left-right) Jeremy Harper, Sean O'Neal and Cody Douglas recently qualified to compete in the Tri State High School Rodeo finals slated June 16-18 in Amarillo. They are all members of Pampa Rodeo Club and each qualified to compete in bareback riding.

NEWSMAKERS

The following students were named to Who's Who Among Students in American Community Colleges: Cal Ferguson, Dana Gage, Melissa Price and Geri Shaw, all of Pampa; Shannon Pogue of Skellytown; and Linda Moore of White Deer.

Minority Leaders Awardees included: Synetta Conley and Kristal Lee, both of Pampa; and Sylvia Quinones of Canadian.

CANYON — Kelley Ford, daughter of Ben and Pat Ford, graduated from West Texas A&M University with a master's of science degree in sport and exercise science.

PLAINVIEW — Patty Dinges, daughter of Ken and Debbie Dinges, was recently awarded the Joachim Foundation Scholarship during Wayland Baptist University Business Division's annual "Celebration of Excellence" recognition and award assembly.

ABILENE — Tyson Alexander of Pampa was recently awarded the Cal C. Wright Ministerial Scholarship, Religion and Philosophy Department, during the annual Spring Academic



Kelley Ford



Kristi Tidwell

Awards Banquet at McMurry University.

PLAINVIEW — Serenity King, daughter of Dennis and Dorris King, and Zane Powers, son of Tim and Janice Powers, were recently honored during Wayland Baptist University's annual Recognition Chapel which honors outstanding students.

King received the Who's Who Award and the Pioneer Scholarship Award and Powers took the Outstanding Freshman Award.

Wilson, a junior sports and exercise sciences major of Canadian; Tami Brookshire, a junior math education major, Christopher McKean, a junior environmental science major, and Brenda Zedlitz, a senior psychology major, all of Pampa; Cindy Pruitt, a senior reading education major of Shamrock; and Monty Long, a junior finance major of Wheeler.

CANYON — West Texas A&M University's Third Annual Honors Banquet for the College of Education and Social Sciences was held recently in Alumni Banquet Facility. Outstanding students and faculty from the college were recognized along with scholarship donors and recipients.

Among students honored during the banquet were: Kristi Tidwell, a junior math education major of Alanreed; and Tami Brookshire, a junior math education major, and Lisa Gibson, a junior sociology major, both of Pampa.

All received scholarships — Tidwell the Betsy Dickerson Memorial Scholarship and Division of Education Scholarship, Brookshire the Jim L. and Sue Carole Kidd Scholarship and Gibson the Nona Moore Scholarship.

Amarillo Opera to hold Mad Hatter luncheon

AMARILLO — Amarillo Opera's support organization BRAVO! will host the fifth annual Mad Hatter Luncheon at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, May 17 at the Tascosa Country Club.

The event is an annual fundraiser as well as a volunteer appreciation luncheon. The event will have an "Alice in Wonderland" theme with special appearances by Alice,

White Rabbit and the Mad Hatter.

"We want this year's event to be fun and entertaining for all who attend," says Amarillo Opera's founder and General Director Mila Gibson. Several awards, including the Bill and Louise Dee Outstanding Volunteer Award for exemplary and distinguished service, will be presented at the luncheon.

The 1999-00 Bill and Louise Dee Volunteer Award winners are Cathleen Baldauf, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Balliett, Joyce McBroom, Helen Neal and the Lynn Tyler/Marshall Wilson family.

Other awards to be presented at the Mad Hatter luncheon include the "Golden Needle" Award for outstanding costume service to Mary Mager. The "Lifesaver" Award for extraordinary administrative volunteer service will be presented to Mildred Everett. The "Open Door" Award for hosting Amarillo Opera guest artists and artist/teacher apprentices will be presented to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Freeman and Dr. Victoria Thompson.

The "Rookies of the Year" Award for excellent service as chairmen of the golf tournament will go to Steve Moran and Shawn Williams. For "Building Community," awards will be presented to Betty Swarm and Mr. and Mrs. Clemon Whitaker. The "Spotlight on the Opera" Award will be presented to KAMR-TV and to Henry Ortega, photographer. The "Business Volunteer" Award will be presented to Modern Cleaners.

The "Starfish" Award, which recognizes volunteers who make a difference in students' lives, will be presented to Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Fulton.

The luncheon will feature a silent auction at which patrons



(Special photo)

Mad Hatter Chairman Judi Smith and the White Rabbit prepare for the Mad Hatter Luncheon set for 11:30 a.m. May 17.

can bid on works by local artists. A drawing for a prize package including two tickets to Santa Fe Opera's opening night production of Verdi's "Rigoletto," lodging at Las Casitas, and \$100 in spending money, will be conducted during the luncheon.

The luncheon will be catered by Tascosa Country Club. Judi Smith serves as the event's chairman. Cost for the luncheon is \$25 per person or \$200 per table, and anyone interested in attending is welcome. For more information, call (806) 355-0242 or (806) 372-7464.

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—Due to Laura Davis' absence at this April meeting, Chapters Five and Six in the Millennium Mystery Quilt Project will be distributed at the May 25 meeting.

—The program for the evening was a demonstration on making chenille presented by PPQG President Pat Stubbs.

Reminder to all PPQG members that the deadline for the monthly newsletter is the 10th of the month. All information

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should be given to Christine Griffin, Newsletter editor.

The next meeting will be at 6:30 p.m. on May 25 at the Pampa Senior Citizens' Center, 500 W. Francis. The scheduled program is on "Borders" to be presented by Elaine Johnson. For more information, call (806) 779-2115.

Altrusa

Altrusa International Inc., of Pampa met May 9 at Pampa Country Club with President Kadda Schale presiding. Chantelle Jennings and

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Cameron McDonald attended as guests. Cinda Jennings and Diann Birdsell served as greeters.

The following business was conducted and announcements made:

—The accent "Why We are Altrusans" was given by Mayda King.

—Birthday greetings went out to the following: King, Tresa Miller, Bilie Sue Evans, Marian Stroup and Pat Johnson.

—Make-up meeting at the Bar H in Clarendon, May 12.

—Lamar Accelerated Reader Store is scheduled to begin at 8:30 a.m. on May 23. Volunteers are needed.

—King, immediate past president, presented Perfect Attendance Awards to 17 members.

—Diane Birdsell, Myrna Orr, Mattie Norton and Jeanne Mitchell received "Heart of an Angel Awards" for outstanding service to the club.

—Resignations were accepted for Arlene Kirchoff, Nancy Hahn and Leona Willis. Lori Fulton was approved for membership.

The next meeting will be at 7 p.m. May 23 at Pampa Country Club.

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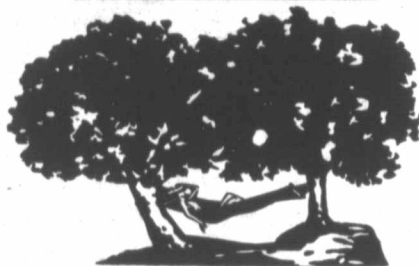
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Renita is a certified, licensed Speech-Language Pathologist or Speech Therapist. She is a 1987 graduate of Pampa High School. She attended Clarendon College and then moved to Oklahoma City where she received an Associates Degree in Psychology in 1991. Pursuing her interest Renita then attended The University of Oklahoma where she received a Bachelors Degree in Communication Sciences and Disorders in 1993. While obtaining her Masters Degree in Speech-Language Pathology Renita completed her internship at The Veteran's Administration Hospital in Oklahoma City. She then moved to Las Vegas, Nevada where she practiced as a Speech Therapist in a rehabilitation hospital for 3 years. Returning to Pampa Renita is currently providing speech therapy services in the following Panhandle areas:

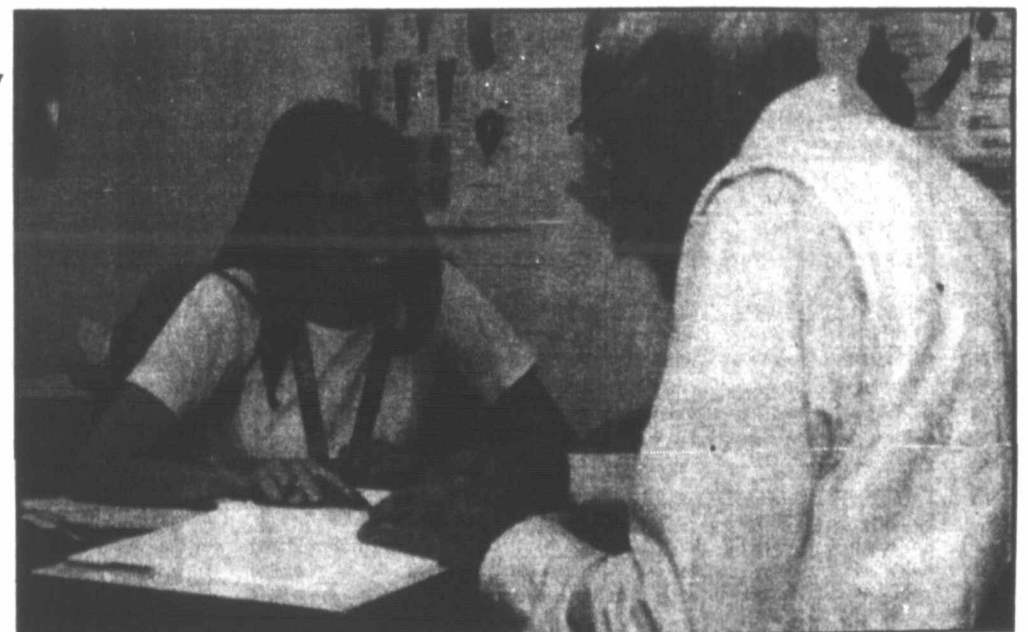
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If you or someone you know exhibits any of the above difficulty, please contact your physician to initiate speech therapy. Renita is happy to be back home in the Panhandle area and providing speech therapy services.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS PLEASE CONTACT RENITA LOGAN AT THE PAMPA REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER PHONE 806-663-5566 FAX 806-663-5748

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What's up next season? TV's 'upfronts' have the lowdown

By FRAZIER MOORE
AP Television Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — Next week, the networks get down for the upfronts. Starting Monday with NBC's presentation at the Metropolitan Opera House, through Thursday's windings thrown by Fox and UPN, each network will be touting its fall schedule for an exclusive audience: advertisers. This kickoff of the "upfront" market (meaning: ad time for next season now on sale!) is a special week. Indeed, it's the one week in the TV calendar when everybody is happy. The networks are happy because each is unveiling a lineup of shows sure to win the hearts (and eyeballs) of the nation's viewers. Each show's producers and cast members are happy because they won a place on the schedule. Once the glad tidings reach them, viewers will be happy anticipating TV's new fall treats. And the advertisers will get happy at the party that follows each presentation. There they can enjoy an open bar while hobnobbing with the network's biggest stars. Even so, there's a downside to the upfronts. Certain shows now on the air — shows that you may count among your favorites — will be axed to make room for newcomers. Among those series whose fate hangs in the balance (they, in TV-speak,

are "on the bubble"), many will soon find the bubble has burst. Are you a fan of "Sports Night"? "City of Angels"? "Felicity"? "Now and Again"? On the bubble, all of them. And what about "Get Real"? "I don't know if we're on the bubble. I don't know if we're even on the radar screen," said Clyde Phillips, sounding disheartened. If he is, it's understandable. He created Fox's splendid "Get Real," a multigenerational drama about the Green family that, in between its frequent pre-emptions, has struggled in a cutthroat Wednesday time slot. In the season finale, high school valedictorian Meghan Green addresses her graduating class, and the message she puts forward is even truer than Phillips intended. "We have to live in the moment," Meghan declares, "because our plans can change in an instant." Plans changed in an instant for Phillips last month. Six weeks into a promised eight-week, give-the-show-a-chance-to-get-discovered run, Fox yanked "Get Real" yet again, this time possibly forever. The last two episodes, including Meghan's speech, were never aired. "We're baffled," said Phillips. "The message we get from Fox is, this is a show they need, a show they want. The (ratings) numbers haven't been

what we wanted, but I think Fox — with its clumsy scheduling — "readily admits their part." (Maybe so, but not for print. Fox had no comment on the prospects for "Get Real.") Taking leave from Los Angeles on Martha's Vineyard, Mass., Phillips this week has been working on his novel as he waits for that not-so-likely phone call granting "Get Real" a reprieve. "We've already got stories to go next year," Phillips said. "All we need is to come back and get a little traction." All producer Judd Apatow needs is a new network. "Freaks and Geeks," the drama he created about youth on the fringes, was canceled weeks ago by NBC. Destined to be aired just 12 times over six months, "Freaks and Geeks" was an instant cause celebre among critics (who had the luxury of pre-view cassettes) and viewers quick enough to catch it when it surfaced. "The show was created to be different than all the other high school shows," Apatow said Wednesday from Los Angeles. "But for NBC, that created an immediate marketing challenge: How do you tell people that this isn't another dumb high school show — especially when you're removing it from the schedule 60 percent of the time?" Now Apatow hopes that, in the final hours of concocting its fall schedule, another network might salvage "Freaks and Geeks." He hopes some other

network will see it as a safer bet than launching a new series sketched out only in a pilot. For the upcoming season, more than 120 pilots — each a would-be series — were ordered by the six broadcast networks. Among them is "Blind Men," a CBS comedy about a man who sells window treatments. There's a Fox sitcom about the mafia called "Whacked!" Yasmine Bleeth and Victoria Principal star in an NBC soap set in Beverly Hills. A few of the 120-plus will go to series. But by next week, most will be history. Judd Apatow is pretty familiar with the so-called development process — those frantic few months when each pilot is produced and delivered to the network, which then renders its verdict as an arcane accretion of "yes" or "no" cues. A year ago, remember, Apatow became one of the lucky few who, with "Freaks and Geeks," heard his network say "yes." Sort of. "For weeks, you hear positive rumors," he recalled. "Then you get more and more positive phone calls." Fine, but what convinced him his series was really a go? What does he consider the pivotal clue? Apatow laughed. But, of course: "When you get the airline ticket to New York for the upfront." EDITOR'S NOTE — Frazier Moore can be reached at fmoore@ap.org

ENTERTAINMENT

Billboard Music Charts

By The Associated Press

Weekly charts for the nation's best-selling recorded music as they appear in next week's issue of Billboard magazine. Reprinted with permission. (Platinum signifies more than 1 million copies sold; Gold signifies more than 500,000 copies sold.)

Billboard Hot 100: Top 10

(Compiled from a national sample of sales reports collected, compiled and provided by SoundScan; radio playlists; and monitored radio by Broadcast Data Systems)

1. "Maria Maria," Santana (feat. The Product G&B). Arista. (Platinum)
2. "Breathe," Faith Hill. Warner Bros. (Nashville)
3. "Thong Song," Sisqo. Dragon/Def Sot.I.
4. "He Wasn't Man Enough," Toni Braxton. LaFace.
5. "I Try," Macy Gray. Epic.
6. "Everything You Want," Vertical Horizon. RCA.
7. "Say My Name," Destiny's Child. Columbia. (Gold)
8. "Be With You," Enrique Iglesias. Interscope.
9. "Bye Bye Bye," 'N Sync. Jive.
10. "Try Again," Aaliyah. Blackground.

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The Billboard 200 Top Albums: Top 10

(Compiled from a national sample of sales reports collected, compiled and provided by SoundScan)

1. "No Strings Attached," 'N Sync. Jive. (Platinum)
2. "Goodfellas," 504 Boyz. No Limit.
3. "Unleash The Dragon," Sisqo. Dragon. (Platinum)
4. "My Name Is Joe," Joe. Jive.
5. "The Heat," Toni Braxton. LaFace.
6. "Supernatural," Santana. Arista. (Platinum)
7. "Human Clay," Creed. Wind-up. (Platinum)
8. "Skull & Bones," Cypress Hill. Columbia.

9. "The Writing's On The Wall," Destiny's Child. (Platinum)
 10. "Vol. 3... The Life And Times Of S. Carter," Jay-Z. Roc-A-Fella/Def Jam. (Platinum)
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Hot Adult Contemporary

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1. "Breathe," Faith Hill. Warner Bros.
2. "I Knew I Loved You," Savage Garden. Columbia. (Gold)
3. "Amazed," Lonestar. BNA. (Gold)
4. "Show Me The Meaning of Being Lonely," Backstreet Boys. Jive.
5. "You Sang To Me," Marc Anthony. Columbia.
6. "Someday Out Of The Blue," Elton John. DreamWorks.
7. "That's The Way It Is," Celine Dion. 550 Music.
8. "Back At One," Brian McKnight. Motown.
9. "I Need You," LeAnn Rimes. Sparrow/Capitol/Curb.
10. "You'll Be In My Heart," Phil Collins. Walt Disney.

Top Gospel Albums

(Compiled from a national sample of sales reports collected, compiled and provided by SoundScan)

1. "God Is Working — Live," The Brooklyn Tabernacle Choir. M2 Communications/Word.
2. "Thankful," Mary Mary. C2/Columbia.
3. "Purpose By Design," Fred Hammond & Radical For Christ. Verity
4. "Mountain High... Valley Low," Yolanda Adams. Elektra.
5. "WoW Gospel 2000 — The Year's 30 Top Gospel Artists And Songs," Various Artists. EMI/Word. (Gold)
6. "Spiritual Love," Trin-i-tee 5:7. B-Rite.
7. "Alabaster Box," CeCe Winans. Wellspring Gospel.

8. "Family Affair," Hezekiah Walker & The Love Fellowship Crusade Choir. Verity.
 9. "The Nu Nation Project," Kirk Franklin. Gospo Centric. (Platinum)
 10. "Shout Hallelujah," Bishop Clarence E. McClendon Presents The Harvest Fire Mega Mass Choir. Integrity/Word.
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Mainstream Rock Tracks

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1. "Kryptonite," 3 Doors Down. Republic.
2. "I Disappear," Metallica. Hollywood.
3. "Otherside," Red Hot Chili Peppers. Warner Bros.
4. "Nothing As It Seems," Pearl Jam. Epic.
5. "With Arms Wide Open," Creed. Wind-up.
6. "Sour Girl," Stone Temple Pilots. Atlantic.
7. "Judith," A Perfect Circle. Virgin.
8. "Voodoo," Godsmack. Republic.
9. "Leader Of Men," Nickelback. Roadrunner.
10. "Stiff Upper Lip," AC/DC. EastWest.

Modern Rock Tracks

(Compiled from a national sample of airplay supplied by Broadcast Data Systems)

1. "Kryptonite," 3 Doors Down. Republic.
2. "Adam's Song," Blink-182. MCA.
3. "Otherside," Red Hot Chili Peppers. Warner Bros.
4. "Pardon Me," Incubus. Immortal.
5. "With Arms Wide Open," Creed. Wind-up.
6. "Sour Girl," Stone Temple Pilots. Atlantic.
7. "Voodoo," Godsmack. Republic.
8. "Make Me Bad," Korn. Immortal.
9. "Miserable," Lit. RCA.
10. "Breakout," Foo Fighters. Roswell.

Hot Country Singles and Tracks

(Compiled from a national sample of monitored country radio by Broadcast Data Systems)

1. "The Way You Love Me," Faith Hill. Warner Bros.
 2. "She's More," Andy Griggs. RCA.
 3. "Buy Me A Rose," Kenny Rogers (w/Alison Krauss & Billy Dean). Dreamcatcher.
 4. "The Chain of Love," Clay Walker. Giant.
 5. "The Best Day," George Strait. MCA Nashville.
 6. "Carlene," Phil Vassar. Arista Nashville.
 7. "How Do You Like Me Now?!" Toby Keith. DreamWorks.
 8. "Yes!" Chad Brock. Warner Bros.
 9. "Been There," Clint Black (w/Steve Wariner). RCA.
 10. "Couldn't Last A Moment," Collin Raye. Epic.
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Top Country Albums

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1. "Fly," Dixie Chicks. Monument. (Platinum)
2. "Breathe," Faith Hill. Warner Bros. (Platinum)
3. "Latest Greatest Straitest Hits," George Strait. MCA Nashville. (Platinum)
4. "Lonely Grill," Lonestar. BNA. (Platinum)
5. "Come On Over," Shania Twain. Mercury. (Platinum)
6. "A Place In The Sun," Tim McGraw. Curb. (Platinum)

7. "Wide Open Spaces," Dixie Chicks. Monument. (Platinum)
 8. "Let's Make Sure We Kiss Goodbye," Vince Gill. MCA Nashville.
 9. "Tracks," Collin Raye. Epic.
 10. "Real Live Woman," Trisha Yearwood. MCA Nashville. (Gold)
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Hot R&B/Hip-Hop Singles and Tracks

(Compiled from a national sample of sales reports and radio playlists)

1. "He Wasn't Man Enough," Toni Braxton. LaFace.
 2. "Separated," Avant. Magic Johnson.
 3. "I Wish," Carl Thomas. Bad Boy.
 4. "Maria Maria," Santana (feat. The Product G&B). Arista. (Platinum)
 5. "I Wanna Know," Joe. Jive.
 6. "Wobble Wobble," 504 Boyz. No Limit.
 7. "Try Again," Aaliyah. Blackground.
 8. "Where I Wanna Be," Donell Jones. Untouchables/LaFace.
 9. "Shackles (Praise You)," Mary Mary. C2.
 10. "Big Pimpin'," Jay-Z (feat. UGK). Roc-A-Fella/Def Jam.
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1. "Goodfellas," 504 Boyz. No Limit.
 2. "My Name Is Joe," Joe. Jive.
 3. "The Heat," Toni Braxton. LaFace.
 4. "Emotional," Carl Thomas. Bad Boy.
 5. "Unrestricted," Da Brat. So So Def/Columbia.
 6. Soundtrack: "Romeo Must Die." Blackground. (Platinum)
 7. "...And Then There Was X," DMX. Ruff Ryders. (Platinum)
 8. "Unleash The Dragon," Sisqo. Dragon. (Platinum)
 9. "Vol. 3... The Life And Times Of S. Carter," Jay-Z. Roc-A-Fella/Def Jam. (Platinum)
 10. "Where I Wanna Be," Donell Jones. Untouchables/LaFace.
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Hot Rap Singles

(Compiled from a national sample of sales reports collected, compiled, and Provided by SoundScan)

1. "Wobble Wobble," 504 Boyz. No Limit.
 2. "(Hot St) Country Grammar," Nelly. Fo' Real.
 3. "Whistle While You Twurk," Ying Yang Twins. ColliPark.
 4. "One Four Love Pt. 1," Hip Hop For Respect. Rawkus.
 5. "I Like Dem," Lil Jon & The East Side Boyz. Short.
 6. "Bounce," Miracle. Sound Of Atlanta.
 7. "Hot Boyz," Missy "Misdemeanor" Elliot (feat. NAS, Eve & Q-Tip) The Gold Mind. (Platinum)
 8. "Do It," Rasheeda (feat. Pastor Troy & Re Re). D-Lo.
 9. "Got Your Money," Ol' Dirty Bastard (feat. Kelis). Elektra.
 10. "Fabulous," Da Fat Cat Clique (feat. May B). DFCC/.447.
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DEAR READERS: It's Mother's Day, a fitting occasion to share a toast to all mothers, submitted by June Cotner, author of "Family Celebrations, Prayers, Poems and Toasts for Every Occasion" (Andrews McMeel, 1999).

To all mothers, stepmothers, foster mothers, surrogate mothers, grandmothers and mothers-in-law, and to all female citizens of the global village who help to raise children, a salute! Read on:

A MOTHER'S DAY TOAST
SuzAnne C. Cole, Houston

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DEAR ABBY: You recently printed a letter from someone who implied that there's something wrong with a man in his 40s who is still single. May I offer my opinion?

Four years ago, I married a 38-year-old man who had never been married, never been engaged, never lived with anyone and never fathered a child. We had dated for almost three years. I was 38 with three children, two still living at home.

While we were dating, our "dates" generally consisted of attending my children's sporting events, going places with my children, or watching television because it was a school night and the kids had to get to bed early.

He was an avid hunter, fisherman, roper, etc. He did these things on a daily basis and spent his time and money on these sports. However, he came to a time in his life when he wanted a family.
My husband is not perfect; how-

ever, he is a devoted husband and father. He is completely unselfish with his time and money. We spend 90 percent of our time on functions relating to the children, who are teen-agers now.

One more thing: He was never very popular with the girls or women in this area. That is their loss. They were looking on the outside. I looked on the inside and found a man who loves unconditionally and buys me beautiful, thoughtful gifts even when working 10- to 12-hour days. He never raises his voice to me or complains if the housework is not completed or if supper is not on the table when he gets home. He also supports me in my interests.

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Horoscope

MONDAY, MAY 15, 2000

BY JACQUELINE BIGAR

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

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

***** You deliver when others don't, handling a hairpin curve with your customary aplomb. Make odd situations and events work in your favor. A partner stands back and salutes your ingenuity and strength. Tonight: Quality time with a special friend.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

***** Charge into work, knowing what you need to do. It's important to remain centered but not rigid when facing an associate's or co-worker's unpredictability. You might see a boss's strength as a liability. Tonight: Off to the gym.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

***** You adjust to new ideas, a change in venue or another's quirkiness as no one else can. Though others don't understand your flexibility, they certainly admire it. Good comes through communication, even if you believe that another has an odd response. Tonight: Willingly work late.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

***** You don't always see eye to eye with others, and a partner jolts your very foundation. Sometimes you get locked into rigid thinking, but opportunities that are presented today allow you to grow.

Tonight: Bring extra work home.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

***** Don't hold back. Be spontaneous. Return calls. Get into the thick of things. Much is happening quickly. A neighbor or sibling is quirky but creative. Work with what is available, then let creativity kick in. Tonight: Errands, then home.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

***** Indulge yourself. You can be quite the martyr if you want. Another gives you important feedback. Work provides diverse opportunities if you flex with change. Remain open, and success will kiss you. Tonight: Nap, then decide.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

***** Beam in what you want. Understand why a child or loved one might be hesitant or unpredictable. There is more going on here than meets the eye. Be willing to risk. Make an attempt to be more truthful with yourself. Tonight: You're in charge.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

***** Much that is important to you might be swept under the rug. You could easily feel uncomfortable with the present situation. Remain open. You know what is workable: try changing your approach. Old ways need revising if they don't work. Tonight: It gets better and better.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

***** Attend meetings; schedule get-togethers. Though you could easily be taken back by someone's ideas, you understand where he is coming from. Surprises surround messages and news. Work with what is, and dream about what could be. Tonight: Make it an early night.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

***** Build on what you know to be, not what you would like. Others seek you out for advice; in the midst, you get interesting information. You have many choices to make. Be careful how much you invest in a career project. Tonight: Zoom in on what you want.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

***** Your abilities to visualize and to not stay stuck in the same old set of circumstances separate you from others. Evaluate what is and make choices accordingly. See how you can make everyone right and succeed. Detachment is everything. Tonight: A must show.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

***** Build with a partner. As a result, you gain new insights. Another doesn't agree with you. Think through a decision before leaping into action. Money and emotional matters intertwine. Understand the ins and outs of a problem. Tonight: Answer e-mail.

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By THOMAS JOSEPH

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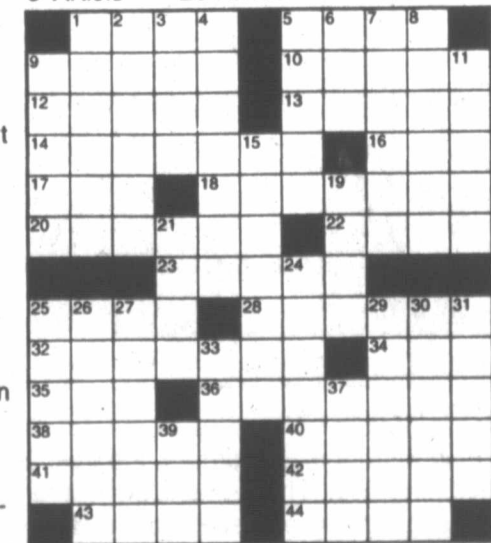
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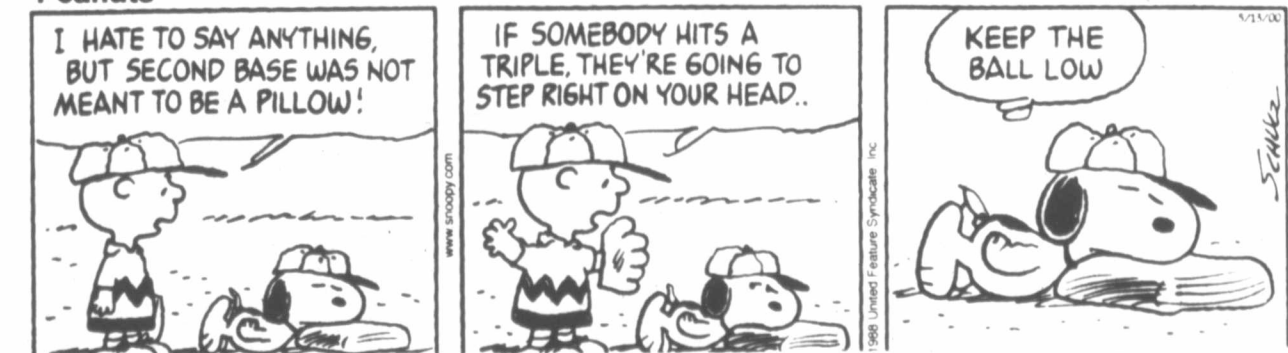
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Officials ponder: Should campus officers have guns?

IOWA CITY, Iowa (AP) — Professors go to class with briefcase and books. The football coach would be lost without a whistle. Then why must officers at Iowa's three state universities go to work without guns?

Public safety officials at the University of Iowa, Iowa State University and the University of Northern Iowa say their officers sometimes feel overmatched, making traffic stops and arrests armed with just a nightstick and a can of pepper spray.

"Being an armed agency would provide another level of service for the people we serve," insists Loras Jaeger, director of the Department of Public Safety at Iowa State.

"Those officers could be thrust into a situation in which they are inappropriately equipped, and that's wrong," says John King, president of the International Association of Campus Law Enforcement Administrators. He is director of public safety at Tufts University, whose 40 officers are armed.

The association, King says, has about 1,400 members at about 950 schools nationwide — about half with armed public safety officers.

Jaeger notes that Iowa State officers are able, and certified. They attend the Iowa Law Enforcement Academy and receive the same training — weapons included — as police officers.

Nearly all are highly educated. Iowa State boasts a lawyer, a clinical psychologist and an aerospace engineer among its 34 public safety officers. "I don't believe competence is an issue," Jaeger says.

But university presidents and the Iowa Board of Regents, which oversees the state schools, balk at arming officers on campus.

"The campus is, in fact, enhanced by not having security officers armed," says Iowa State President Martin Jischke. "It has an effect on the atmosphere of the campus and the relationship of those security officers to students."

Ann Rhodes, vice president of university relations at Iowa, says armed officers might be too tempted. "There's concern that if people have guns or firearms, they would move to use those firearms fairly quickly without trying to use alternative ways of handling problems," she says.

Regents have felt the same way for years, approving in 1969 a no-firearm policy unless authorized by the president "in assignments of extreme danger."

And "that has never been done to my knowledge," says Frank Stork, executive secretary to the regents. Though the issue surfaces once or twice a year, Stork says the board has never had to cast a vote in the past decade.

Not even in 1991 when graduate student Gang Lu fatally shot five people on campus and wounded a

sixth before killing himself.

"We have the local municipal police in all three cities that can be there within a minute's notice and can handle situations. We rely on them to do that," says Owne Newlin, president of the Board of Regents. "I'm in concurrence with our current policy."

Security officials, however, say today's world is more dangerous than ever. Earlier this year, unarmed officers at Iowa encountered a student running from an apartment in a building owned by the university.

He told police of a roommate armed with shotgun, assault rifle, semiautomatic pistol and a couple of knives. "He apparently wanted to kill himself by 'suicide-by-cop,'" recalls Chuck Green, safety director there.

Iowa City Police handled the call. "You can have a myriad of near-misses like that," says Green. "One of those times, one of these officers is going to get unnecessarily harmed or, because we're not fully equipped, we won't be able to aid one of our constituents."

Nick Arnold, student body president at Northern Iowa, sees no reason why security officers should not be armed.

"If we're going to be introducing guns into a situation anyway with police officers, then why not arm our security officers? They can respond quicker than

police and hopefully stop it," he says.

The student senate at UNI went on record last fall, voting 31-5-1 to ask the regents to change its policy. "It really came down to the safety of the students," Arnold says. "It's not what we know would happen, it's what we don't know is going to happen."

Lana Zak, Arnold's counterpart at Iowa, opposes arming officers, saying it would turn campuses into police states.

"The Iowa City Police Department does a good job. Although the University of Iowa public safety officers are real officers, I don't think they need to be carrying guns in order to prove that," she says.

"The idea of having somebody with a gun walking past your living space or walking through your buildings and office spaces is uncomfortable."

Iowa students, however, offer a mix of opinions. "I have two friends going through counseling because they have been raped. That might not have happened if people knew public safety officers here could carry guns," says freshman Kyle Hunter of Iowa City. "I also think it's a good idea for the officers so that they can protect themselves if they have to."

Scott Mullen, a junior and quarterback for the Iowa football team, disagrees.

"Public safety is there to help police," he says. "They don't need to have guns. There are too many guns in this town as it is."



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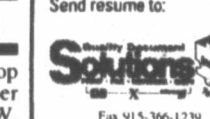
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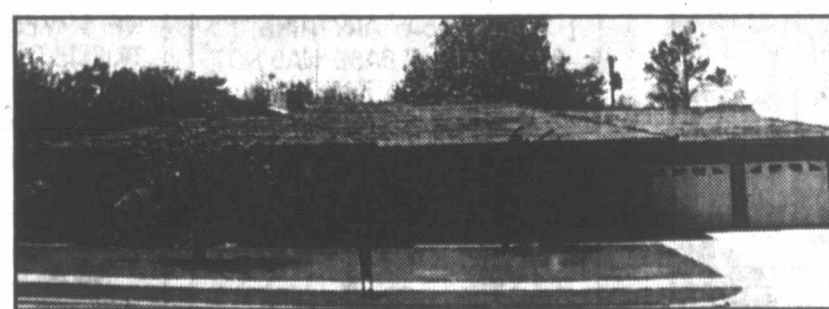
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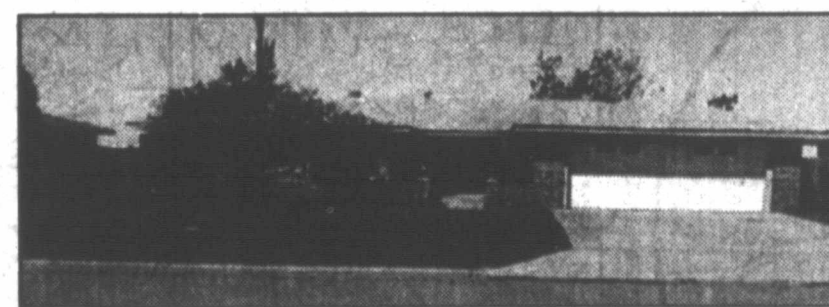
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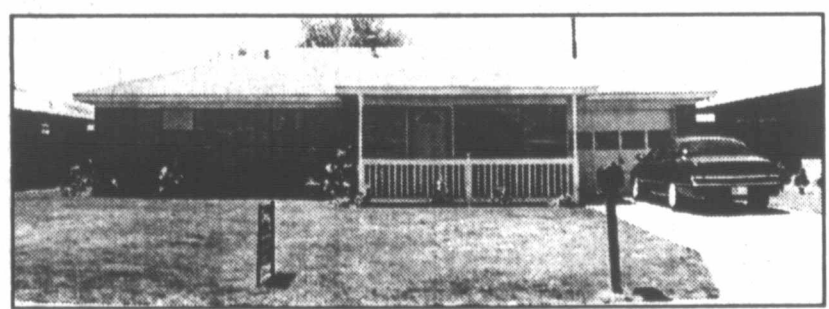
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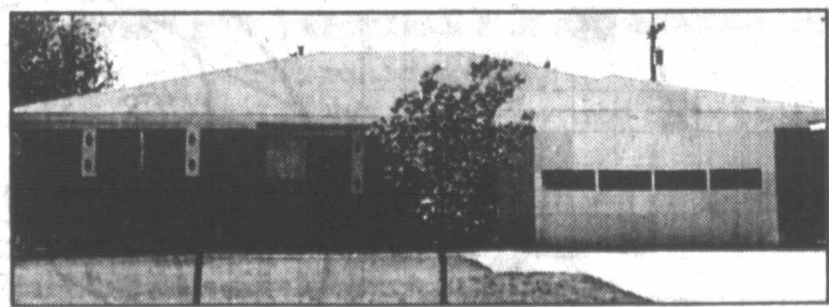
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April Lions Club Sweetheart



(Special photo) Christi Lee, daughter of Julie Breuer and Jim Lee, is Pampa Lions Club April Sweetheart of the Month. Her honors, activities and accomplishments include: D-Fy-It; National Honor Society; Peer Tutor; Business Coop; Business Professionals of America; BPA National Leadership Conference; BPA National vice president; and 13th Entrepreneur, national level. Lee is currently employed in Project Engineering at Celanese through the Business Coop program. She plans to pursue a degree in dentistry.

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Community Calendar

FREEDOM MUSEUM, USA, 600 N. Hobart is open from 12-4 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday. Revolutionary War to Kocovo. All branches of service are represented. For more information, call 669-6066.

LOVETT MEMORIAL LIBRARY announces a children's program at 10 a.m. each Tuesday from Jan. 11-May 16. Open to all children ages 18-months to five years. Programs include crafts and stories.

FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN COWBOYS meet the fourth 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.

RETIRED TEACHERS ASSOCIATION meets at 2 p.m. the third Monday of every month at the Senior Citizens Center. For more information, contact Carolyn Smith, 665-5158.

FIRST PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH hosts "Second Sunday Singing" from 2-4 p.m. the second Sunday of each month. Singers and musicians from all over perform congregational singing. The public is cordially invited to attend. For more information, call Mina Towey, 665-8529.

WHITE DEER LAND MUSEUM will celebrate its 30th anniversary in the Year 2000. A new exhibit, "A Season of Change, 1900-200," will go up in January to celebrate the anniversary and the millennium. The exhibit will run from January-September.

WHITE DEER LAND MUSEUM will be selling leaves and rocks to go on the new bronze Heritage which is in the Holland Wing. The items may be purchased all year as memorials and tributes to families, family members and friends.

TRALEE CRISIS CENTER support groups for victims of family violence — both women and children — meet every Thursday evening. For more information, call Diane about the adult support groups, 669-1788, and Nita about the children's support groups, 669-1131.

Coordinating Council meets once a month. For more information, call Ann, 669-1131.

MEALS ON WHEELS Garage Sale, 900 N. Frost, will be every Monday throughout February and April. For more information, call Cindy Gindorf, 669-1007.

PAMPA YOUTH AND COMMUNITY CENTER Water Aerobics class will be from 6-7 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. For more information, call Frankie Hildenbrand, 669-3713, or Lee, Betty or Liz at Pampa Youth Center, 665-0748.

PAMPA AREA LITERACY COUNCIL office will be open from 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Monday-Friday. PALC volunteers work with people who need basic reading/writing skills as well as English as a second language. For more information, call 665-2331.

GRAY COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY HEADQUARTERS located in the Combs-Worley Building, 120 W. Kingsmill, Suite 202. Open Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. For more information, call 669-1276.

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

PANHANDLE ALLIANCE FOR THE MENTALLY ILL will meet the second Thursday of the month at 7 p.m. at 218 N. Russell. For more information call Sharon King, 665-2818.

AL-ANON will hold weekly meetings on Mondays and Wednesdays at 8 p.m. at 910 W. Kentucky. For more information, call 669-7501.

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 669-3988.

VFW POST #1657, 105 S. Cuyler. Charity Bingo every Wednesday at 7 p.m. and Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Doors open one hour early. 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 W. 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.

MEALS ON WHEELS Garage Sale will be every Monday through April at 900 N. Frost. For more information, call Cindy Gindorf at 669-1007.

MISS TOP O' TEXAS RODEO 2000 pageant entries are currently being accepted. The pageant will be held July 13-15. The deadline for entries is May 30. For more information, call the Rodeo office at 669-0434.

HIDDEN HILLS Women's Golf Association will hold its "Play Day" at 6 p.m. each Monday from May-September. For more information, call 669-0434.

GRAY COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY regular meetings will be at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Monday of each month at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church Parish Hall, 727 W. Browning. For more information, call Harley Madison at 669-6294.

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15 - GREATER PAMPA AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE Top O' Texan Goldcoats will

meet at 12 noon in the M.K. Brown Room of Pampa Community Building. Simple Simons Pizzas will cater.

16 - THE GREATER PAMPA AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE monthly luncheon will be held at 11:45 a.m. in M.K. Brown Room of Pampa Community Building, 200 N. Ballard. M&H Leasing will be the sponsor. Dyer's will be catering and Mike Munnerlyn and Terry Barnes with Pampa Regional Medical Center will be guest speakers. For more information or for reservations, call no later than 9:30 a.m. on the 16th, 669-3241.

18 - GREATER PAMPA AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE Board Committee will meet at 10:30 a.m. in the Nona S. Payne Room of Pampa Community Building.

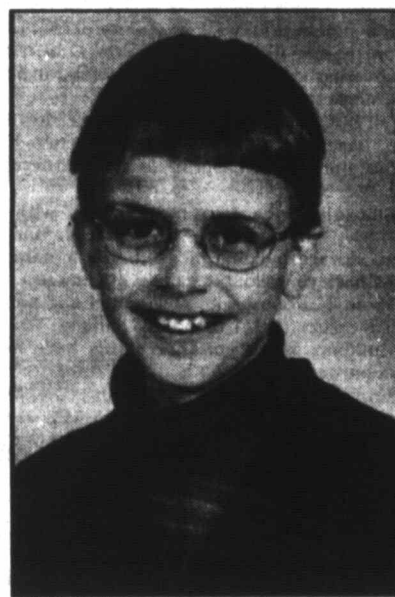
20-21 - PAMPA PARTNERSHIP GOLF TOURNAMENT will be held. For more information, call Mickey Piersall, Mickey Piersall's Golf Shop, 665-8431, or David Teichmann, David's Golf Shop, 669-8866.

21 - KAY'S KREATIVE KIDS ART EXHIBIT will be at Lovett Memorial Library. For more information, call Kay Crouch at 665-4624.

23 - GREATER PAMPA AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE Tourism Committee will meet at 2 p.m. in the Nona S. Payne Room of Pampa Community Building.

25 - PANHANDLE PIECE-MAKERS QUILT GUILD will meet at 6:30 p.m. at Pampa Senior Citizens Center, 500 W. Francis. The program "Borders" will be presented by Elaine Johnson. For more information, call (806) 779-2115. Visitors are welcome.

27 - BEAUX ART DANCE RECITAL will be at 7:30 p.m. at M.K. Brown Auditorium. For more information, call 669-6361.



Jon Hildebrandt



Therese Haiduk and Rebecca Rapstine

Area youth participate in festival

Three piano students from Pampa and White Deer performed at the 30th Annual Greater Southwest Music Festival held recently in Amarillo.

Participating in the festival were seventh grader Therese Haiduk and fifth grader Rebecca Rapstine, both students at White Deer schools, and Jon Hildebrandt, a fifth grader at Community

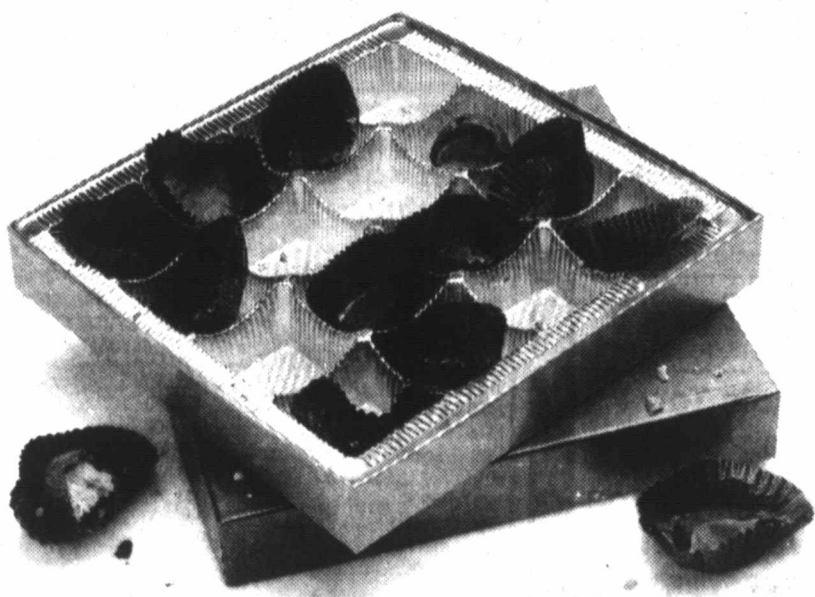
Christian School in Pampa.

Entered through the Jerry Whitten Studio at Tarpely's Music in Pampa, Hildebrandt studies with Jerry Whitten while Haiduk and Rapstine are students of Loralee Cooley.

Hildebrandt, making his second appearance at the annual festival, received a first rating, comparable to an "A." This rating is an evaluation by the judge on the student's presen-

tation, musicality and technical achievement. The students do not compete against each other; rather, they are competing against a standard.

Rapstine and Haiduk were making their first appearance at the festival. Rapstine received the very commendable first rating. Haiduk earned the highest accolade of "Outstanding" (comparable to an A+).



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