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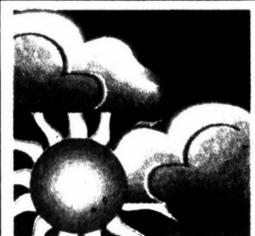
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ACT I sets pay auditions

ACT I Community Theater will be holding auditions November 20th and 21st at 7 p.m. for our next production, "Natalie Needs a Nightie". This comedy is scheduled to be performed in February. Men and women of all ages are needed to fill four men's and three women's roles. Auditions will be held at the ACT I theater in the Pampa Mall. Please use the west side service door. All questions can be directed to Gary Hartman at 665-3266.

Shriners to meet Friday, Nov. 17

PAMPA — Pampa Shrine Club will hold a covered dish meeting at 7 p.m., Friday, Nov. 17 at the Sportsman's Club on South Barnes. Blue lodge members and their wives are welcome.

PISD will give performance report

PAMPA — The 1999-00 Pampa ISD Annual Performance Report will be presented in a public hearing — scheduled in conjunction with the regular meeting of the board of trustees — at 7 p.m. Nov. 16. Superintendent Dawson Orr will review student performance as determined by the state Academic Excellence Indicator System. The report will also include demographic and descriptive data regarding student population, district financial expenditures, student disciplinary data and Safe and Drug Free School and Communities Act evaluation results.

- Oscar 'Oz' Engel, 77, former furnace operator for Cabot.
- Dorothy Mae Sorensen, 69, longtime Sunday School teacher.
- J.C. Ipton, 73, retired warehouse superintendent for Phillips.
- Julia 'Aunt Jute' Williams, 90, homemaker, farmer.

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Moore's interest in weather dated by tornadoes in 1982

By NANCY YOUNG
 Managing Editor

Cam Moore will never forget the date his interest in weather began. It was May 19, 1982. Six separate tornadoes developing west of Pampa was a sight to behold to a fourth grader in the Pampa school system. Some of the tornadoes rated at least an F4, he said.

"From then on I knew I wanted to be a weatherman," said Moore.

The native Pampa has become a familiar face presenting the televised weather reports as he recently joined Channel 7's KVII weather team at the Amarillo television station.

Moore said his parents Ladim and Thurmelda Moore always supported him in his quest to become a weatherman. "They bought me an erasable weather map, and I would practice," said Moore. "Dad



(Pampa News photo by Nancy Young)

"They bought me an erasable weather map, and I would practice. Dad helped me make a homemade barometer for a school project, and I won third place."

— Cam Moore

Cam Moore, whose hometown is Pampa, is becoming a familiar face on KVII-TV as he presents the weather forecast to the television viewers throughout the Panhandle.

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"I learned a lot from watching Len Slesick and Roy McCoy," said Moore. Slesick and McCoy are former KVII weathermen.

Weather wasn't Moore's only interest as a child growing up in Pampa. He also was involved in sports. He played offensive tackle for three years on the Pampa Harvester football team. Lettering his sophomore year.

(See MOORE, Page 2)

City gives OK to county fire pact payment

By KATE B. DICKSON
 Associate Publisher

Though expressing displeasure that Gray County Commission representatives did not meet with Pampa officials to discuss the annual fire services contract, City Commissioners nevertheless accepted the county's offer of \$130,000 for calendar year 2001.

By contract, the City of Pampa provides firefighting services to many unincorporated portions of Gray County. This year the county paid \$146,000 for the service. (See related story this page).

Within the past year the area of coverage by the city as first responder has diminished somewhat after the county opted to go with Hoover volunteers for a portion of the county.

But, the commission amended the proposal by moving the city-county meeting date from August until July in order to allow more time for negotiations earlier in the budgeting process. For that to take place, county commissioners will have to agree as well.

"The county waited until the very last minute to put the fire contract in their budget so we could not discuss it in a timely meeting," said Commissioner Jeff McCormick during Tuesday's meeting. "I don't like that."

"The next thing I know they passed their budget," McCormick said. "It's not fair but [the county] did it anyway."

McCormick, along with Commissioner Jeff Andrews, were selected to serve as the city's representatives in planned negotiations for 2001. (See CITY, Page 5)

County puts hold on final approvals Verbiage changes at issue

By NANCY YOUNG
 Managing Editor

Fire contracts were again on the agenda of the Gray County Commissioners at Tuesday morning's meeting.

A contract with the City of Pampa for an annual amount of \$130,000 is the only fire contract which has been approved for the upcoming 2001 budget year. It is to be paid in quarterly installments.

Gray County is paying the City of Pampa \$146,000 during the 2000 budget year for fire fighting. The county commission reduced the size of the area the Pampa Fire Department will be responsible for fighting fires in the 2001 year, and gave increased coverage area of Hoover Volunteer Fire Department in 2001. The amount received by Hoover VFD during 2000 was increased from an annual amount of \$10,000 received in 2000 to \$15,000 in the next budget year.

Contracts with area volunteer fire departments were tabled by commissioners court until their next meeting while the wording in the contracts is finalized. County Judge Richard Peet is working on the contracts.

Under the proposed contracts, lump sum payments by Gray County will be made. (See COUNTY, Page 5)

Gray vote totals pass muster

By NANCY YOUNG
 Managing Editor

Even though the country doesn't know who the next United States president will be eight days after the election, Gray County Commissioners Court canvassed ballots on Tuesday and found no voting irregularities.

Over 53 percent of the voters in Gray County cast ballots in the 2000 Election on Nov. 7, said Gray County Clerk Susan Winborne. Winborne said 8,397 votes were cast in the election from a possible 15,619 registered voters.

According to Texas Election laws Winborne said ballots from registered voters who are overseas due to military service or work must be post-marked by 7 p.m. on election day and must have arrived at the voting destination by Sunday evening, Nov. 12. She said she received one mail-in ballot from an overseas location when she got the mail Monday morning.

Gray County overwhelmingly voted 6,727 for George W. Bush, a Republican, to 1,376 for Democrat Al Gore.

Other presidential candidates on the ballot and (See VOTE, Page 2)

Tot murder case in hands of jury Man, 24, faces life sentence

AMARILLO — The fate of Leland R. Milburn rests with a Potter County jury today as they were to resume deliberations.

The case went to the jury at 2 p.m. yesterday and the jury deliberated until 5 p.m.

Milburn, 24, is accused killing Brendan Tyler Brown, the 2-year-old son of Milburn's girlfriend, Caryn Brown, 19, at Milburn's house in Canadian on May 25, 1999. The baby suffered a blow to the abdomen that caused internal bleeding.

Brown discovered the baby's dead body the morning of May 25, 1999, in Milburn's bed as she prepared to take him to her apartment. Milburn and Brown had spent the night on the couch in the living room.

Testimony during the trial indicated that Robi Simpson, Brown's cousin, and Danielle Ishmael, a friend, had cared for the baby the previous evening, taking young Brendan to Milburn's mother's home about 8 or 9 p.m. Milburn stopped by after work and watched wrestling on television with his parents, then took the baby to his house, according to testimony.

Caryn Brown came to Milburn's house after she got off work about 10:30 p.m. She and Milburn had a quarrel or an argument, and Caryn went to a local convenience store to get some cigarettes. Sometime during the night, possibly twice, according to testimony, (See JURY, Page 2)

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(Pampa News photo by Dee Dee Laramore)

Bill Ellis of Hoarel Sign Company, Amarillo, prepares the pole for the Advance Auto sign. The new auto parts store will be opening soon on Hobart Street next to Comet Dry Cleaners.



Board Of Directors Meeting Thursday - 10:30 A.M.
Nona Payne Room

Daily Record

Services tomorrow

SORENSEN, Dorthy Mae — Graveside services, 10 a.m., Wheeler Cemetery, Wheeler.
STRIBLING, Wayne — 2 p.m., Central Baptist Church, Pampa.
TIPTON, J.C. — 1 p.m., Riverview Baptist Church, Borger.

Obituaries

OSCAR 'OZ' ENGEL

Oscar "Oz" Engel, 77, of Pampa, died Tuesday, Nov. 14, 2000. Services are pending under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Engel was born May 18, 1923, at Meeker, Okla. He had been a Pampa resident since 1949, playing baseball with the Pampa Oilers from 1949-51. He married Erlene Matheson in 1949; she died in 1963. He later married Bernice Watson in 1966; she died in 1996.

He was a furnace operator for Cabot Corporation for 13 years and was a member St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church and Knights of Columbus.

He was a U.S. Navy veteran, serving during World War II.

Survivors include two sons, Joseph Michael Engel of Pampa and Thomas Gregory Engel of Columbia, Mo.; a stepson, Fred Epperly of Pampa; two brothers, Martin Engel of Lawndale, Calif., and Ambrose "Bodie" Engel of Meeker, Okla.; five grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

The family requests memorials be to St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, 810 W. 23rd, Pampa, TX 79065.

DORTHY MAE SORENSEN

Dorthy Mae Sorensen, 69, of Pampa, died Monday, Nov. 13, 2000. Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday in Wheeler Cemetery at Wheeler with the Rev. Barry A. Loving, pastor of First Christian Church of Pampa, officiating. Burial will be under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Miss Sorensen was born Jan. 11, 1931, at Wheeler, to Walter and Lillian Sorensen. She had been a resident of Wheeler before moving to Pampa approximately 30 years ago. She was a member of First Christian Church where she taught the 2- and 3-Year-Olds Sunday School Class for 27 years.

She was preceded in death by her parents; a brother, Bernie Sorensen; and two sisters, Laura Converse and Ruby Lee Kenny.

Survivors include a sister-in-law, Eupha Mae Sorensen of Wheeler; three nieces, LeAnn Kenny of South Carolina, Gaye Nelson of Indiana and Phyllis Sorensen of Canadian; two aunts and an uncle, Laverta and Jack Jones of Amarillo and Laverna Ruff of Lubbock; and several cousins including Joyce and Jesse Wright of Pampa.

The family requests memorials be to the Memorial Fund at First Christian Church, 1633 N. Nelson, Pampa, TX 79065.

J.C. TIPTON

BORGER — J.C. Tipton, 73, died Monday, Nov. 13, 2000, at Amarillo. Services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday in Riverview Baptist Church with the Rev. Jimmy Gilmore officiating. Burial will be in Wheeler Cemetery at Wheeler under the direction of Minton/Chatwell Funeral Directors.

Mr. Tipton was born at Canadian and had been a resident of Borger many years. He married Evelyn Lajune Johnson in 1947 at Canadian. He worked for Phillips Petroleum Company, retiring as warehouse superintendent, and belonged to First Christian Church of Hobart, Okla., and American Legion.

He was a past Exalted Ruler of the Elks Lodge. He was a U.S. Navy veteran, serving in the South Pacific during World War II aboard the USS Antietam.

He was preceded in death by a son, J.C. Tipton Jr., in 1948.

Survivors include his wife, Evelyn; three daughters, Karen Blankenship and Janet Hindman, both of Borger, and Terri Gross of Plano; two sisters, Juanita Williams of Corpus Christi and Lucille Stamps of Oklahoma City, Okla.; two brothers, Loyd Tipton of Fort Worth and Ron Tipton of Austin; seven grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

JULIA 'AUNT JUTE' WILLIAMS

Julia "Aunt Jute" Williams, 90, of Pampa, died Sunday, Nov. 12, 2000. Services will be at 10 a.m. Friday in Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Todd Dyess, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Jericho Cemetery in Donley County under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

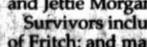
Mrs. Williams was born Sept. 2, 1910, in Gray County and attended the Wagner School in Wheeler. She married John Earl Williams on Dec. 24, 1938, at Canadian; he died Jan. 16, 1986. She was a homemaker and, for many years, a farmer in Wheeler County. She moved to Pampa from Mobeetie in 1975.

She was a member of First United Methodist Church and was active in Home Demonstration Club of Mobeetie.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Sid and Jettie Morgan.

Survivors include a sister-in-law, Betty Morgan of Fritch; and many nieces and nephews.

The family requests memorials be to BSA Hospice, 800 N. Sumner, Pampa, TX 79065; or to First United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 1981, Pampa, TX 79066-1981.



Julia Williams, 90, of Pampa, died Sunday, Nov. 12, 2000.

Sheriff's Office

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

Wednesday, Nov. 15
Bobbie Lynne Cole, 25, 1100 Terrace, was arrested by the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) for driving with a suspended license.

Police report

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

Tuesday, Nov. 14

Jose Antonio Alfaro, 17, 213 N. Starkweather, was arrested in the 400 block of East Foster on warrants for minor in possession of alcohol and failure to appear.

James Glen Miller, 40, 916 S. Banks, was arrested in the 200 block of Tuke for disorderly conduct - language, assault causing bodily injury and public intoxication.

Artemio Alfaro Jr., 19, 213 N. Starkweather, was arrested in the 1700 block of Aspen on a capias pro fine for minor in possession of alcohol.

Theft over \$50/ under \$500 was reported at Freeman's Florists, 410 E. Foster. Sometime between 1 p.m. and 5 p.m., Monday, someone took seven \$20 bills, total value \$140.

Theft over \$500/ under \$1,500 was reported in the 1500 block of North Faulkner. According to police reports, the theft occurred at 6 p.m., Nov. 4, when someone took a \$100 bill and a gold ring with diamonds valued at \$500 from the residence. The \$100 bill has been recovered. No arrests had been made by the time of the report.

Theft over \$50/ and under \$500 was reported at Eagle Radiator, 516 W. Foster. Police report stated that someone took a \$100 bill from the business at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday. No arrests had been made by the time of the report.

Simple assault was reported to have occurred in the 200 block of Starkweather at 10 p.m., Tuesday. The victim refused treatment for a bloody nose and an abrasion.

Disorderly conduct was reported at Pampa Middle School at 3:50 p.m. Nov. 10.

Accidents

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

Tuesday, Nov. 14

8 a.m. - A 1987 Pontiac Grand Am driven by Arlie Deano Boyd, 68, 1224 Finley, and a 1999 Oldsmobile Intrigue driven by Amy Michelle Davis, 25, 2112 Lynn, collided at Hobart and West 21st Avenue. Boyd was cited for failure to yield right of way at a stop sign. No injuries were reported at the scene.

12:01 p.m. - A 1995 Eagle Talon, driven by Jennifer Teresa Reed, 17, 1916 Lynn, and a 1972 Chevrolet pickup driven by Nicholas Ryan Hopkins, 16, collided in the 1000 block of West 23rd Street. Reed was cited for failure to drive in a single lane.

Ambulance

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

Tuesday, Nov. 14

9 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to a local nursing facility and transported one to PRMC.

9:36 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 200 block of West Kingsmill and transported one to PRMC.

11:49 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to PRMC and transported one to Veterans Administration Medical Center in Amarillo.

2:49 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to PRMC and transported one to a McLean nursing facility.

10:17 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to a local nursing facility and transported one to PRMC.

Fires

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

Tuesday, Nov. 14

8:25 p.m. - One unit and three firefighters responded to a standby for Lifestar helicopter at Pampa Regional Medical Center.

Correction

Graveside services for Dorthy Mae Sorensen will be at 10 a.m. Thursday at the Wheeler Cemetery in Wheeler. *The Pampa News* printed the wrong service time previously. We apologize for the error.

Votes received by Independent Party presidential candidate Pat Buchanan were inadvertently left out of the Nov. 9 edition of *The Pampa News* were not listed in the precinct-by-precinct vote count of all the candidates from the Nov. 7 General Election.

According to the tabulations from the county clerk's office, Buchanan received 27 votes in Gray County. He received five votes in voting Precinct 15, four in Precinct 5, three in Precinct eight, two each in Precincts 2, 7, 8, & 13 and one in Precinct 9.

Buchanan also reported receiving six votes during early voting. Precincts 8 and 9 reported one vote each while Precincts 11 & 14 were reported as having two votes each.

Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Attebury Grain of Pampa.

Wheat	2.54	KMI	40 15/16	up 1 1/16
Milo	3.28	Karr McGee	66	up 1 5/8
Corn	3.58	Limited	25 7/16	do 3/4
Soybeans	4.03	McDonald's	33 9/16	up 1/8
		Exxon Mobil	90 7/8	up 1
		New Atmos	24 1/8	do 1/8
		XCEL	25 15/16	up 3/16
		NOI	33	up 2/16
		OKI	41	NC
		Penney's	11 1/8	NC
		Phillips	62 11/16	up 13/16
		Pioneer Nat.	12 1/4	up 7/16
		SLB	27 1/4	up 1 5/16
		Tenneco	4 1/8	NC
		Teaco	60 3/4	up 3/8
		Ultramar	28	up 15/16
		Wal-Mart	47 3/8	up 1/2
		Williams	42	up 1/2

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

Occidental	20 13/16	NC
Fidelity Magell	126.33	OKI
Puritan	18.95	SLB

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

BP Amoco	51 1/2	up 5/8
Cabot	23 7/8	up 5/16
Cabot O&G	22 1/16	up 1/2
Chevnan	84 9/16	up 1
Coca-Cola	61 3/16	up 3/8
IBM	126 3/4	up 3/8
Microsoft	47 3/8	up 1/2
Oracle	42	up 1/2
Novartis	264.65	
Silver	4.68	
West Texas Crude	34.73	

MOORE

more, junior and senior years, he was named to the All-District team his senior year.

As a member of the Pampa High School track team, he competed by throwing the shot put his senior year.

After graduating from PHS in 1989 he attended Texas Tech University where he obtained a degree in atmospheric science.

While at Texas Tech he was on the storm chase team and participated in a wind engineering project. In the project the participants studied safety features being built into houses to try to protect occupants of the homes during tornadoes and high wind storms.

During college in Lubbock, Moore and his high school sweetheart, Katherine Price, married. They have been married nine years.

Following graduation, he went on to a weather forecasting position in Sioux City, Iowa, for a year. The Panhandle native said the weather in Iowa was quite different than what he experienced growing up in the Panhandle. During the year the couple lived in Iowa, he said it snowed more than 80 inches, and the temperature would dip way down.

After a year in Iowa, Moore said they moved to Roswell, N.M., where he was chief meteorologist at KVIM television station from 1995 to 1998. He accepted a position at an Albuquerque, N.M., station in 1998 where he reported the weather during both the morning and noon news casts for the next two years.

He joined Amarillo's KVII-TV weather team a few months ago. "This area offers a rarity in weather coverage as it can always change," said Moore. "The temperatures in the area are slightly above normal, too."

Moore recently visited the students of Ginger

Tanem's third grade classroom at Austin Elementary in Pampa, and enjoyed talking with the students about weather and forecasting.

He said the students had great questions. "I enjoy watching the children and seeing their excitement as they get interested in the weather," said Moore. "It helps them to understand the weather and, who knows, they just might go into weather themselves someday."

Moore said KVII has some of the best weather equipment available. He described the Max Radar as one of the strongest in West Texas. He said the Future Cast models help to forecast the weather activity for the area.

The building which formerly housed Horace Mann School has a School Net site which describes Pampa's weather with wind and precipitation readings. "Having this information on the weather provides more local awareness and puts our town on the map," he said. Lee Carter of Pampa keeps Channel 7 informed of the weather statistics from the site.

Lefors is among the new schools to have a School Net site installed in the next few weeks. McLean and Skellytown are among 57 schools on the waiting list.

Chief Meteorologist Steve Kersh said the new equipment the local station has acquired the past year cost \$1 million, and has almost doubled the accuracy. He said the local station's accuracy in predictions is now at 90 percent.

Kersh said he is pleased to have Moore join the weather team. Moore joins several members of the KVII staff whose family roots are in the Channel 7 viewing area.

He and Katherine are temporarily residing in Pampa until they purchase a home in Amarillo. Katherine is employed by an Amarillo dentist. Moore said their family is composed of two Pekinese dogs, a Chihuahua and a toy poodle.

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VOTE

number of votes received by Gray County voters in the Nov. 7 presidential race include Libertarian Harry Browne, 10; Green Party Ralph Nader, 40; and Independent Pat Buchanan, 27 votes.

Republicans received 2,743 votes in straight

party tickets while Democrats cast 732 straight tickets. Libertarians received 28 and the Green Party had 9 straight tickets.

Gray County Sheriff Don Copeland received the distinction of the candidate garnering the most votes in the county with 6,974 votes. He was unopposed in the election.

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JURY

Milburn and Brown sat on the back steps of the house and smoked marijuana.

In a video taped statement, Milburn told Texas Ranger Gary Henderson and District Attorney investigator Bill McMinn that he had put Brendan to bed on a pallet in a spare bedroom about 10 p.m., then moved him to the master bedroom where the air conditioner was about 11 p.m. and gave the child some Kool Aid. Milburn told the officers he heard the baby cry about 2 a.m.

With some confusion, Brown basically agreed with Milburn's statement except she said she did not remember hearing the baby cry about 2 a.m.

Medical experts testified that it most likely took Brendan from one to four hours to bleed to death internally. They placed the time of death between 1:30 and 3:30 a.m. Monday, May 25, 1999.

In his closing arguments Tuesday afternoon, District Attorney John Mann accused Milburn of losing his temper and hitting the baby, both on Sunday night and on Monday night, causing the injuries that ultimately killed the child.

Mann said that Milburn convicted himself in the

video taped statement when he admitted that he had a temper, and when he asked the Ranger and investigator about bite marks on the baby's body.

Defense Attorney Bill McKinney said that he was numb from looking at the photos of the dead baby's body and thinking about the life the child led, but he said that the state had not proved that Milburn was responsible for the child's death.

McKinney said that while he was indignant about the child's death, the state wasn't able to show that Milburn did anything to harm Brendan Brown before the night the baby died, and they didn't show that Milburn had done anything that night except come home and be with Caryn Brown.

Brown faces separate charges of endangering a child and abandoning a child.

The case went to the jury a few minutes after 2 p.m. Tuesday. Later in the afternoon the jury asked to see the evidence in the trial.

Charged with capital murder, Milburn could face life imprisonment. The state did not seek the death penalty.

Judge Steven Emmert also included the lesser charge of manslaughter in the charge to the jury, but denied including criminally negligent manslaughter.

GOV. Bush officially pardons man cleared of rape

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. George W. Bush has pardoned a man who was convicted of rape but later cleared by new DNA evidence.

Anthony Todd Robinson, 39, was convicted in 1987 of raping a University of Houston student, two years before DNA evidence was admissible in Harris County courts. He was sentenced to 27

years in prison and paroled in 1996.

When he was arrested, Robinson said he was innocent and offered a blood sample. His attorney said he was probably singled out because he is black.

He paid \$1,800 for DNA testing after he was paroled.

City Briefs

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ANYONE OPENING

early, staying late, closing during the Holidays, or any special holiday promotions, call LW McCall at the Pampa News, 669-2525, to announce it in the Holiday tabloid at no charge. Deadline Fri. Nov. 17th, 12 noon.

GRAY COUNTY 4-H Pecan and Walnut Sale. Friday, Nov. 17 (9 a.m.-3 p.m.) FirstBank South-west Lobby. Christmas orders can be placed at the bank on Friday or contact a 4-H member. For more info., contact Gray Co. Extension Service, (669-8033).

\$5 CAP Sale: Nearly every cap in the store \$5. NFL, NBA, MLB, HHL, All Colleges, NASCAR. Until we sellout! T-Shirts & More, 111 W. Kingsmill.

MASSAGE THERAPY

Gift Certificates for Christmas. The right size and the right color. Special \$30 thru Dec. 1. Call Kelly 665-4350.

OPEN HOUSE at The Hughey House, Thurs., Nov. 16th, 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Gift shop open. 321 N. West St.

PAMPA SHRINE Club Family Night Meeting, Nov. 17th, 7 p.m. Please bring a salad, vegetable, or dessert.

WILSON ELEMENTARY School, 801 E. Browning, is having a Fall Feast, Thurs., Nov. 16th, 5:30-7 p.m. Menu: stew, crackers, homemade cake, tea. Tickets \$4 ea. Everyone welcome.

PHS CHOIR presents "Cinderella." Congratulate your teen with a Balloon Bouquet from Celebrations, Coronado Center, 665-3100. Free delivery.

THANKSGIVING SHARE A Meal Volunteers needed. Meals on Wheels, 669-1007.

WANTED ELDERLY lady to live-in, do light housework & cooking. 835-2747, 665-8628

FOR RENT, Lamar Sch., 2 houses, \$250 mo. & \$350 mo., 1000 & 1004 S. Nelson. 665-6295

COMET CLEANERS dry cleaning specials: dresses \$8.95, men's suits \$9.25.

Weather focus

PAMPA — Today, partly cloudy and windy. Highs around 59. Southwest to west winds 20 to 30 mph with higher gusts.

Caution advised on area lakes. Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows around 30. West winds 10 to 20 mph becoming north. Thursday, mostly cloudy. Highs around 43. North to northeast winds 10 to 20 mph. Yesterday's high was 51; the overnight low 35.

STATEWIDE — After a frosty morning over most of the state, temperatures should be mild Wednesday ranging from the 50s in the Panhandle to the 70s along the Gulf Coast. Most of the state

should be overcast, and rain may fall lightly on a few parts Wednesday.

Partly cloudy conditions are expected in the west and central portions of North Texas and a chance of rain is forecast. High temperatures should be in the 50s and 60s.

Temperatures across North Texas Wednesday morning were mainly in the 30s, ranging from 32 degrees in Terrell to 43 degrees in Abilene. Winds were generally light over the region, out to the south and southwest at less than 10 mph.

Clouds should also cover West Texas and the Panhandle Wednesday, although the far

western parts of the region could have sunny skies. Early morning temperatures were generally in the 30s and 40s ranging from 36 in Amarillo to 50 in El Paso.

Wind and breezes are expected, but no rain is forecast for the region.

A chance of rain is forecast for much of South Texas or Wednesday, though it's not expected to be heavy.

Pre-dawn temperatures ranged from 34 in Georgetown to 66 degrees in Port Isabel and should warm to the 50s to 70s by afternoon.

Skies should be partly to mostly cloudy.

Calendar of events

WHITE DEER LAND MUSEUM

The White Deer Land Museum (112-116 S. Cuyler) visiting hours are Tuesday-Sunday, 1 p.m.- 4 p.m. There will be history of the White Deer Land Co., and the early area settlers and outstanding arrow-head collection and art gallery. Elevator.

CLARENDON COLLEGE

Clarendon College-Pampa Center will offer GED testing on the fourth Monday and Tuesday of each month. Registration will be at 9 a.m. each day. Cost will be \$45 including a \$20 deposit. For more information, call 665-8801.

LAS PAMPA WATER GARDEN AND KOI SOCIETY

Las Pampa Water Garden and Koi Society meets the second Monday of each month at 7 p.m. at Austin Elementary School. For more information, contact Sharron Andrew at 665-6138 or Lance DeFever.

PLANNED PARENTHOOD

Planned Parenthood of Amarillo and the Texas Panhandle is changing its hours. It is now open from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 408 W. Kingsmill Ave., #175-A, in Pampa. For more information or for an appointment, call 665-2291. Planned Parenthood is a not-for-profit health care organization serving women and men in 17 offices covering 26 counties in the panhandle.

HIGH PLAINS EPILEPSY ASSOCIATION

High Plains Epilepsy Association of Amarillo, funded in part by Pampa United Way, will have a licensed social worker in Pampa from 9:30-12 noon the second Tuesday of each month at Pampa Community Building, 200 N. Ballard. The program assists people with epilepsy and their families. To make an appointment, contact the Amarillo office at 1-800-806-7236.

PRE-SCHOOL STORY HOUR

Lovett Memorial Library will sponsor a pre-school story hour at 10 a.m. every Tuesday this fall beginning Sept. 5. The free program is open to children 18 months to 5 years of age and will include stories, crafts and other activities. No registration is required. For more information, call the library at 669-5780.

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.

PHS SCHOLARSHIPS

Pampa High School is seeking clubs, organizations, individuals or groups interested in establishing scholarships for high school seniors. The scholarships can be for any amount. The high school will make the scholarships available to senior students at the end of February. For more information, contact Starla Kindle or Billie Lowrey at 669-4800.

PAS DANCE

Due to the Thanksgiving holidays, Pampa Area Singles (Christian Singles) will not schedule a dance for November. The next dance will be Dec. 30. For more information, call 665-7059.

ACT I PLAY

ACT I Community Theater will present "The Musical Comedy Murders of 1940" by John Bishop

beginning with dinner at 6:30 p.m. Nov. 9-11 and 16-18 at the ACT I theater, west entrance, Pampa Mall. The meal will be catered by Clint and Sons. The performance will be held at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$8 for the dinner and \$7.50 for the play. For reservations, call 665-3266.

AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE

The November regular meeting of the Panhandle chapter of the American Petroleum Institute will be held at the Pampa Country Club, Thursday, Nov. 16 beginning with social hour at 6:30 p.m. The speaker will be Wayne Hughes with Panhandle Producers & Royalty Owners Association. The topic of the presentation will be legislative issues regarding the oil and gas industry. The turkey and dressing buffet will cost \$15 per person. Door prizes are being donated by King Well Service and Black Gold Supply, both of Canadian.

ACS LOOK GOOD ... FEEL BETTER

The American Cancer Society will present the program "Look Good ... Feel Better" from 7-9 p.m. Nov. 11 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.

SQUARE HOUSE MUSEUM

Author Dean Downey will perform at 2 p.m., Nov. 18 at Carson County Square House Museum in Panhandle. Downey has published two cowboy poetry books and a children's book, "A Horse Named Lightning." The children's book will be available for purchase and signing. For more information, contact the museum at (806) 537-3524.

RED CROSS CLASSES

Gray County Chapter of the American Red Cross will offer the following CPR courses during the month of November: Community CPR and First Aid (includes adult, child and infant CPR) 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Nov. 1, ARC office, 108 N. Russell; Community CPR class, 3-7 p.m., Nov. 14, at the ARC office; and Community CPR class, 5-9 p.m., Nov. 29 at the ARC office. To register or for more information, call 669-7121.

MIP CLASSES

Clarendon College will offer Minor in Possession classes from 7:30-10:30 p.m., Oct. 9-10, Nov. 13-14 and Dec. 11-12 in Clarendon, and Oct. 16-17 and Nov. 20-21 in Pampa. For more information, call Eddie Hankins, (806) 874-5074.

CHRISTMAS SHOW AND SALE

Holiday Productions will host the 20th annual Christmas Arts and Crafts Show and Sale from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Nov. 18 and from 12-5 p.m., Nov. 19 at the Amarillo Civic Center in Amarillo. The show will feature only hand-made crafts. Items on display will include wood crafts, clothing, jewelry, art, ceramics, quilts, decorations, floral arrangements, homemade food and more. Admission is \$3; children 14 and under are free if accompanied by an adult.

CHILDREN'S HOPE INTERNATIONAL

Trinity Fellowship Church, Family Life Center, will sponsor a Children's Hope International meeting from 7-9 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 26 at the church, 5000 Hollywood Rd., Amarillo. The meeting will pro-

vide information on adoption programs in China, Russia, India, Vietnam and Guatemala. Brenda Barker, Southeastern Regional director for Children's Hope International and mother of seven internationally adopted children, will be the presenter. For more information, call (615) 309-8109, (615) 399-0032 or e-mail brendabarker@earthlink.net.

AMERICAN LEGION E-CARDS

The American Legion is promoting free Veterans Day e-cards to celebrate Veterans Day, Nov. 11. This is the third year American Legion has offered the free, musical e-mail cards. To send a card to your special veteran simply visit the Veterans Day e-card service at the American Legion's homepage, www.legion.org on the World Wide Web.

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP

The local Alzheimer's Support Group will conduct a four-part series this fall. The series will kick-off Sept. 7 with Dr. Bruce Harrow presenting an overview of the disease. Topics will include: Communication and Activities of Daily Living, Oct. 5; and Community Resources and Caregiving Planning, Nov. 2. The series will conclude Dec. 7 with a panel discussion. The group meets regularly at 7 p.m. the first Thursday of each month at Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency, 916 N. Crest. For more information, call Dauna Wilkinson, 665-0356.

ARTS AND CRAFTS FESTIVAL

Wesley United Methodist Church will host its 20th Annual Festival of Arts and Crafts from 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Dec. 2 in the Community Center in Hereford. A limited number of booths are currently available for a \$10 rental fee. Applications may be obtained by writing: Ellen Collins, 801 Miles St., Hereford, TX 79045 or by calling (806) 364-0774.

AMERICAN GENERAL SCHOLARSHIP

American General Career Distribution Group is offering the American General Scholarship to eligible Texas high school seniors. To qualify, a student must place in the top half of their class academically (but not necessarily in the top 10 percent) and present evidence of good character (two letters of recommendation are required: one from a high school official and the other from a community leader). Students will also be evaluated on extracurricular activities and community service. For more information, call (615) 320-3149. Applications must be postmarked by March 1, 2000.

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC

The Texas Department of Health will be offering immunization clinics for vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases including polio, diphtheria, lock jaw (tetanus), whooping cough (pertussis), measles, rubella, mumps, HIB (haemophilus influenzae Type B) and chickenpox (varicella). Flu vaccines will also be offered at designated clinics. The TDH will charge money to help with the cost of keeping the clinic open. The amount charged will be based on family income and size, and the ability to pay. The following clinics will be offered: 9 a.m.-12 noon and 1-4:30 p.m., Nov. 15, Pampa Family Clinic, 700 W. Kentucky; 12-4 p.m., Nov. 27, City Hall, Canadian; 9:30 a.m.-12 noon, 1-3 p.m., Nov. 6, Groom School, Groom; 9:30

a.m.-12 noon, Nov. 7, Methodist Church, White Deer; (flu) 1:30-3:30 p.m., Nov. 7, Skellytown School, Skellytown; 1-3 p.m., Nov. 9, Illinois St., Shamrock; 10 a.m.-1 p.m., Nov. 13, Wheeler School, Wheeler.

POWER WHEELCHAIRS

Miracle on Wheels is offering Power Wheelchairs to non-ambulatory senior citizens (65 years and up) usually at no out-of-pocket expense if they qualify. No deposit is required. The chairs are provided to those who cannot walk and self-propel a manual wheelchair at their home or independent living quarters and who meet additional qualifications of the program. This service may also be available to the permanently disabled of any age. For more information, call 1-800-749-8778 or visit www.durablemedical.com on the World Wide Web.

FREE BOOKLET

The Free Enterprise Institute in Washington, D.C., is offering a new booklet, "The 100 Most Popular Government Giveaway Programs," to consumers nationwide. To obtain a copy of the booklet, send \$5 to cover cost of printing, postage and handling to: Free Enterprise Institute, 100 Government Giveaways, Dept. 100GG-0816, P.O. Box 96071, Washington, D.C. 20090-6071. For more information, call (202) 595-1031 or visit www.FreeEnterpriseInstitute.org on the Internet.

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AnimalPrints.com has dedicated \$1 from each sale of a newly released series of artist's prints to benefit animals in need. For more information or to view the prints, go to AnimalPrints.com on the Internet.

BUTTERFLY GARDEN CLUB

The Butterfly Garden Club of America is offering free butterfly garden seeds (with growing instructions). To receive a packet, send a long SASE with two stamps to: The Butterfly Garden Club of America, P.O. Box 629, Burgin, KY 40310. Limit one free packet per household. Additional packets are available for \$1 each.

FREE ENTERPRISE INSTITUTE

Free Enterprise Institute in Washington, D.C., has published "Free Money - Winning the Government Giveaway Game," a booklet which offers information concerning free money, free advice and free services from the government. Consumers may receive a copy by sending \$5 to cover the cost of printing and postage/handling to: Free Enterprise Institute, Government Giveaway Booklet Offer, Dept. GGB-407-1, P.O. Box 96071, Washington, DC 20090-6071 or at www.FreeEnterpriseInstitute.org on the World Wide Web.

TUITION ASSISTANCE

U.S. Commission for Scholastic Assistance - College Bound is an organization with a listing of over 700 different private scholarship sources for college students. Many scholarships pay the entire tuition; other can be applied towards tuition, living expenses and/or other fees. Most scholarships can be used at junior colleges, career and vocational schools, 4-year colleges, graduate schools, medical and law schools. For more information, send a SASE (business size, #10) to: The U.S. Commission for Scholastic Assistance, P.O. Box 668, O'Fallon, IL 62269.



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Administration urges Mid-Eastern leaders to honor truce

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Clinton administration implored all Middle East leaders Tuesday not to undermine an agreed truce between Israel and the Palestinians that has failed to take hold.

"We expect all sides to avoid actions and words that can escalate or contribute to the cycle of confrontation and violence," Philip Reeker, a State Department spokesman, said.

President Clinton had that confrontation in mind as he told The Associated Press that this week should make clear "whether there is going to be any kind of effort to change course" in the Middle East.

"I think there's a way to do it, and I'm going to try to see what we can do this week," he said Tuesday aboard Air Force One as he flew to Brunei for a Pacific Rim economic summit. He did not explain. "That's all I can say."

I'll do my best."

Clinton met in the White House last week with Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat and Israeli Prime Minister Ehud Barak. Dennis Ross, the State Department's Middle East specialist, left for Israel Tuesday with Hillary Rodham Clinton to attend the funeral of Leah Rabin, widow of Yitzhak Rabin, the Israeli prime minister who signed the first peace agreement with Arafat. A U.S. official said Monday that Ross might have meetings about the Palestinian impasse.

The State Department's Reeker directed the appeal for support the truce not only to the two sides but to "regional leaders," although he made no direct reference to any of them.

Israel's deputy defense minister, Ephraim Sneh, accused Syria's new president, Bashar Assad, of giving terrorists a green

light to wage a guerrilla war on Israel from southern Lebanon.

"It's not just rhetoric. It's the real policy of Bashar, which is a source of concern," Sneh said in a speech at a Washington think tank that specializes in the Middle East.

Syria is in effective control of Lebanon. Israel has withdrawn its forces from southern Lebanon and vacated a security belt that had been maintained by Israeli troops and pro-Israeli militia.

In his interview, Clinton said Israel and Syria could make peace quickly once the Israelis and the Palestinians come to terms.

"This thing can be reduced dramatically," Clinton said, "if they want to get back to the negotiating table. I think the Israelis will respond in kind if the Palestinian shootings will diminish now."

Prodded by Clinton at an emergency summit last month in

Sharm el-Sheik, Egypt, Barak and Arafat agreed to a truce.

But the violence that now has claimed more than 200 lives, mostly Palestinians, has continued into an eighth week.

In what may have been an indirect reference to Assad, who was not at the Egyptian summit and left an Islamic conference this week in Qatar when Muslim countries with ties to Israel refused to cut them off, Reeker said: "We want both sides, including all the regional leaders as well, to try to support the implementation of the Sharm agreements."

Negotiations between Israel

and Syria have been in suspension for 10 months. At U.S.-organized talks, Israel offered to give up the Golan Heights, a strategic buffer on the border with Syria, in exchange for peace. Talks broke down after Syria demanded an additional strip of land along the Sea of Galilee, a source of much of Israel's water.

Meanwhile, Barak urged again Tuesday that the violence on the West Bank and the Gaza Strip end.

In a telephone conversation, he told British Prime Minister Tony Blair that if does not stop, Israel would have to respond accordingly, Barak's spokesman Gadi

Baltiansky said in Chicago, where the prime minister spoke to a Jewish group.

He told North American Jewish leaders that he wants a peace deal with the Palestinians "through negotiations, not one that is imposed through violence or by international dictates."

"In the current round of unrest, we have until now taken a path of great restraint despite constant provocations," he said, pointing to the deaths of four Israelis on Monday. "We are trying to minimize bloodshed and prevent a widening of the confrontation, but we will know how to respond."

Convicted killer of 11-year-old girl heads to Texas death chamber

HUNTSVILLE, Texas (AP) — Mention the name of condemned killer Tony Chambers to Smith County Assistant District Attorney Ed Marty and his thoughts are with a murdered 11-year-old girl, the skin on her stomach etched more than 20 times.

"I think of carving on a little girl's stomach," Marty said. "I think of him taking a young girl out into the woods, raping her, choking her and then carving her with a scalpel and a protractor."

"Man, you talk about a dull instrument," he said of the D-shaped tool used by schoolchildren to learn how to measure angles.

Chambers, 32, was set to die Wednesday evening for the abduction and murder of Carenthia Marie Bailey, who disappeared after attending a middle school basketball game 10 years ago in Tyler.

His lethal injection, the second in as many days, would be the 37th this year in Texas, equaling the record number of executions carried out by the state in 1997. Another execution was set for Thursday night.

Chambers, born in Pageland County, S.C., had no prior prison record but testimony at his trial showed a history of arrests for public intoxication, burglary and assault. His former girlfriend testified that after they broke up, he would throw rocks at her house, ripped out the phone lines and tossed a Molotov cocktail through a window.

He declined to be interviewed by reporters in the weeks leading up to his execution.

Chambers was seen leaving the basketball game with the girl Nov. 19, 1990. Her body was found two days later in a wooded area near Tyler's Dogan Middle School.

Besides the stomach wounds, she had been raped and strangled.

"I didn't mean to hurt her," he told officers when police informed him the girl's body had been discovered.

Chambers became a suspect after two of the people who saw him leaving the game with the girl confronted him when she failed to return home. He responded with a vulgarity about her and fled, then called police to

tell them the witnesses were trying to harm him.

He made some remark that he was being chased by her cousins," Marty said. "He eventually confessed to police... He gave six different confessions, including insisting on taking police officers to the scene to hunt for the scalpel and protractor."

In his confessions, he said he raped the girl, tied her to a tree with her shoelaces, then choked her for about three minutes before untying her and then carving her stomach. Authorities said his description of the carvings contained details only the killer would know.

Chambers later recanted his statements and unsuccessfully blamed the slaying on an acquaintance.

"In this case, I think this is a just sentence for this crime against this little girl," Marty said.

On Tuesday night, another inmate condemned from Smith County, Stacey Lawton, 31, was put to death for fatally shooting Dennis Price, a Tyler-area man, while trying to break into Price's truck in the pre-dawn hours of Christmas Eve 1992.

'Cinderella'



(Special photo)

Pampa High School Choir will present Rodgers and Hammerstein's "Cinderella" at 8 p.m., Nov. 17-18 and 2:30 p.m., Nov. 19, at M.K. Brown Auditorium. Tickets are \$6 for adults and \$4.50 for students. Above: Clay Britton, Lance Burton and Richard Anderson, guards and footman.

Economy: Sales grow modestly in September

WASHINGTON (AP) — Inventories at U.S. companies edged up in September, posting the smallest gain since the beginning of 1999, while sales rose modestly.

Stockpiles of goods on shelves and backlogs nationwide rose just 0.1 percent in September to a seasonally adjusted \$1.21 trillion after posting a solid 0.7 percent increase in August, the Commerce Department reported Wednesday.

The advance, the smallest since January 1999 when inventories rose by an identical amount, was weaker than the 0.3 percent rise many analysts were expecting.

Businesses' sales rose for the second consecutive month by 0.4 percent, pushing September's sales to \$905 billion.

The inventory-to-sales ratio fell to 1.33 months in September from 1.34 months in August. The ratio had fallen to a record low of 1.31 months in March.

The Federal Reserve has boosted interest rates six times since June 1999 to slow the pace of economic growth and its main engine, consumer spending, which would serve to keep inflation in check.

Retailers' inventories fell by 0.1 percent to \$391.5 billion in September, after a strong 1.4 percent gain in August. Sales rose by a sizzling 0.9 percent to \$273 billion in September, after being flat in August.

Wholesalers increased their inventories by 0.2 percent to \$326.7 billion, down from a 0.6 percent gain the month before. Sales at wholesalers in September, rose by a solid 0.7 percent to \$251.6 billion after a 0.2 percent gain in August.

Factories' inventories rose by 0.2 percent to \$488.5 billion, down slightly from a 0.3 percent rise. Manufacturers' sales fell 0.1 percent in September to \$380.4 billion. In August, factories' sales grew by a strong 0.8 percent.

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Bush clings to 300-vote lead; struggles remain

By DAVID ESPO
AP Political Writer

After a week of suspense, a fistful of lawsuits and thousands of ballots counted, recounted, then counted again by hand in some places, George W. Bush clings to a 300-vote lead over Al Gore in Florida's decisive presidential election. But the outcome remains uncertain in a struggle that Florida Secretary of State Katherine Harris took to her state's Supreme Court on Wednesday.

Legal actions have been proliferating, each side blaming the other for attempting to thwart the will of voters by introducing delaying tactics.

"We're seeing increasing desperation and it's not pretty," GOP lawyer Theodore Olson said Wednesday of the Democratic team. On ABC's "Good Morning America," he said Democrats should stop challenging every deadline and let the results unfold.

David Boies, a prominent litigator and the newest addition to Gore's legal team, said on CBS' "The Early Show" that if Republicans had allowed recounts to go forward, "there would not be any lawyers down here."

It was left to Florida Gov. Jeb Bush, the Republican candidate's brother, to sum up the high-stakes twists. "This is a pretty intense process," he said Tuesday. "I hope this will be resolved."

On that there was no dispute.

In Harris' Supreme Court petition, filed after Tuesday's 5 p.m. deadline for Florida's 67 counties to file certified election results with her, she said local canvassing boards should stop any effort to hand count ballots "pending resolution as to whether any basis exists to modify the certified results" after the deadline.

She also asked that various legal actions around the state be transferred to a court in Tallahassee.

"Without question, this court must make it clear that the election of the president and vice president is not a matter of local pleasure," the petition said.

Of the counties where the Gore campaign has sought complete hand recounts, officials in Volusia County had completed them as of Tuesday night; Democratic Party officials said they went to court seeking to force a recount in Broward County; and Miami-Dade voted Tuesday night not to honor the request, although officials said the Gore campaign hoped to overturn that refusal.

Officials in heavily Democratic Palm Beach County delayed a full manual recount Wednesday morning after Harris' petition was filed.

The politics were intense, the legal maneuvering no less so, since the winner of Florida stands to gain an Electoral College majority and take the oath of office Jan. 20 as the nation's 43rd president.

President Clinton assured a gathering of Pacific Rim leaders in Brunei that the United States was not shaken by the impasse.

"The world can rest easy," Clinton said Wednesday.

After a few high-visibility postelection days during which he held meetings with potential Cabinet members and administration aides, Bush hasn't spoken publicly since Saturday. Aides said he might do so Wednesday.

In fast-paced developments Tuesday, Harris said Bush, the GOP presidential candidate, officially held a lead of 300 votes over the vice president out of about 6 million cast, according to totals submitted by all 67 counties in response to her 5 p.m. deadline.

An unknown number of ballots from overseas remained to be counted by midnight Friday night.

Responding to a state court ruling, Harris acknowledged that she might reopen the certified vote totals at a later date to take into account manual recounts. She gave counties until 2 p.m. EST Wednesday to make their cases for such recounts.

Both sides found something to criticize in that.

William Daley, Gore's campaign chairman, accused Harris of imposing additional "stress and strain" on county officials.

And Karen Hughes, Bush's spokeswoman, said counties controlled by Democrats are not really recounting but rather "reinventing; attempting to reinterpret the results of the election and the intentions of voters by subjective, not objective means."

There was evidence the Gore campaign hoped to muscle up the forces at its disposal. An e-mail circulated to a trial lawyers organization sought at least 500 attorney volunteers to help with recounts in selected counties. A copy of the e-mail was made available to The Associated Press.

Harris reported the totals after a state court ruled she had the right to enforce her deadline, but the counties also had the authority to keep counting.

"The secretary of state may ignore such late filed returns," ruled Leon County Circuit Court Judge Terry Lewis, "but may not do so arbitrarily, rather, only by the proper exercise of discretion after consideration of all appropriate facts and circumstances."

With the case moving through courts, Bush and Gore remained out of the public eye, leaving it to their lawyers and aides to press their cases.

That, they did.

"This is not about politics. It is about determining the will of the people fully and accurately," Daley said. He added, "The Bush campaign and Secretary Harris have engaged in a variety of tactics to slow or block this court."

Republicans were no less pointed.

"The votes in Florida have now been counted, and Governor Bush won," Hughes said. "They've been recounted, and Governor Bush won. The counties have now certified their votes to the secretary of state, and again Governor Bush won."

"Yet it appears we now have a deadline that may not be respected as a deadline at all," she said, referring to Tuesday's 5 p.m. deadline for submitting vote totals.

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COUNTY

County for the 2001 budget year to Lefors and McLean fire departments will be \$35,000 each per year. Both departments are in their respective cities that also provide funding to the volunteer services.

Contracts to provide fire protection with out-of-county fire departments — Skellytown, White Deer, Mobeettie, Groom and City of Wheeler — are being considered with Gray County. According to the proposed contracts, the out-of-county fire departments will be paid \$484 per fire run. In the event of a false alarm, the departments will receive \$50 in place of the \$484 amount.

During the 2000 budget year, Mobeettie Fire Department billed Gray County for only one fire. It was for \$100. The City of Wheeler also submitted only one bill. The amount was \$125.

The county also pays \$800 annual dues to the Sweetwater Creek Fire Association for their fire coverage. The association serves the eastern Texas Panhandle and western Oklahoma.

Precinct 3 County Commissioner Gerald Wright asked Judge Peet if he has talked with the fire departments concerning the fire departments.

Peet said he had only talked with White Deer and Skellytown concerning the proposed contracts. He told the county commissioners he thought the commissioners court wanted to work out agreement of the county's portion of the contracts before he contacted the individual entities.

Commissioners decided to add a provision with volunteer departments stating the county may lease or rent storage to them depending on the availability of such requested properties.

Another paragraph will be removed from the proposed fire contracts after commissioners court reviewed the contracts Tuesday. It is regarding the possibility of area fire departments billing insurance companies.

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Hoover VFD representative said the amount received from insurance companies in the past has been very small, saying it usually would be about \$200.

He said in years past the railroad would make donations to that department for fire fighting. "Things have changed though the past two or three years," he said, "and they don't do that anymore."

The fire contracts are to be presented for final approval at the next meeting of the county commission.

Welcome!



The Downtown Business Association recently welcomed United Medicorp to the downtown area. The company, which moved here from Dallas, is next to Texas Furniture. From left, DBA President ReDonn Woods, City Director of Community Services Bill Hildebrandt, United Medicorp's Director of Operations Dennis Bazhaw, Tarpley Music's Chase Roach and DBA Vice President Ken Rheams.

WSJ to cut jobs, six regional editions

NEW YORK (AP) — The Wall Street Journal will stop publishing its six weekly regional editions, eliminating 34 jobs, to focus on its national edition, which commands much higher advertising rates.

The paper's managing editor, Paul Steiger, announced the

decision to Journal staffers in a memo circulated Wednesday morning saying it "no longer makes economic sense" to continue the regional editions.

Steiger said the paper faced a choice of expanding the editions to cover at least 48 states or shutting them down.

The six editions, which have appeared Wednesdays as four-page additions in the paper's "Marketplace" section, cover 16 states.

"We concluded that the people, space and other resources involved were better devoted to

national news and advertising," Steiger's memo said.

The Journal launched the regional editions with a Texas version in 1993, followed by editions in Florida, California, the Southeast, the Northwest and New England.

With ad rates in the regional papers far lower than comparable spots in the national paper, the regional editions were just "modestly profitable," said Dick Tofel, a spokesman for Dow Jones & Co., which publishes the Journal.

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CITY

with county officials. The two served in the same capacity last year in working on the annual pact. Commissioners Gerald Wright and James Hefley were the county's negotiators.

"We had trouble having a meeting," Andrews said. "We never could get a meeting with the county."

After Tuesday's commission meeting, Andrews was asked for specifics about the effort to meet with the county. He said the answer given was that one of the county commissioners could not meet due to a shift he was working at Calot.

When making his motion to amend the meeting date to July, Andrews said, "It would give us some time so if we have scheduling conflicts there is more time to work it out."

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If You Can Quit for One Day, You Can Quit Smoking Forever

DEAR ABBY: Aug. 4 would have been my sister's 45th birthday. Sadly, she died in October of last year from lung cancer. She had been a smoker since she was 13.

During her illness, I promised her I would try to stop as many kids as I could from making the same deadly mistake she did in starting to smoke. I'll keep that promise, and continue to fight the tobacco industry's targeting of children with every last bit of energy I have. I will also do everything in my power to educate young people about the dangers of tobacco.

Teen-agers and pre-teens: Smoking isn't "cool"; it's deadly! If you don't smoke now, please don't ever start. If you do smoke, quit now — if you can. Tobacco products of all kinds are silent killers. By the time you find out you have a tobacco-related illness, it's usually too late.

Approximately 465,000 people in the United States die of tobacco-related diseases each year. I'm sure each and every one of them thought, "It won't happen to me." That's exactly what my sister thought. Sadly, she was wrong — dead wrong. Thanks to her addiction, she'll miss her sons' graduations, she'll never attend their weddings or see the faces of her grandchildren. She won't grow old with the husband she loved, and who adored her.

Abby, our family is devastated. We miss my sister with all our hearts. Please help me spread the word.

HEARTBROKEN SISTER

DEAR HEARTBROKEN: I'm



Abigail Van Buren

SYNDICATED COLUMNIST

pleased to do it, but first permit me to offer my condolences for the loss of your beloved sister.

Your letter is a timely one because tomorrow is the 24th Great American Smokeout. For anyone who may not know, the Smokeout is an upbeat, good-humored one-day campaign to encourage smokers to quit smoking for 24 hours — just to prove to themselves they can do it.

In 1999, 21 percent of smokers (approximately 10.8 million) participated in the Great American Smokeout. Of those participating, 11 percent (1,188,000) reported they were smoking less or not at all one to five days later.

This year, because more than half of all smokers begin smoking before age 14, the focus of the Great American Smokeout is on teen-age smokers. It's necessary because the tobacco industry spends more than \$6 billion a year — that's \$200 a second — promoting a product to young people that's lethal

when used as intended.

A majority of teen-agers who smoke have tried to quit, but find themselves "hooked." According to the experts, more than 70 percent of daily teenage smokers who "think" they won't be smoking in five years are still smoking seven years later. Tragically, of the more than 3,000 young people a day who begin to smoke, one-third will eventually die from a smoking-related disease.

While I'm on this morbid subject, I should mention that flavored cigarettes ("bidis") have recently become popular among young people. This may be due to their candylike taste, or their relatively inexpensive price (\$1.25 a pack), or the fact that they are rumored to be less harmful than tobacco. Not true! What teens don't realize is that the sweet flavor of bidis masks the harsh, cancer-causing chemicals inside. Bidis have three times more carbon monoxide and nicotine, and five times the amount of tar as American cigarettes have.

And so, dear readers, if you've been saying, "One of these days I've got to quit," why not join the Great American Smokeout and quit tomorrow? It won't be easy, but it'll be the best holiday present you can give yourself and the people who love you.

person and a financial request. Know when to say no to another. You need to establish your boundaries. If you think something is confused or not right, it is. Tonight: Your treat.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

***** You gain in strength, charisma and influence as your day wears on. You get significant information and zero in on what you want. Listen to another and ask for more information. By asking strong questions, you stabilize a project. An associate remains his generally vague self. Tonight: Whatever makes you happy.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

***** Though you like to work hard and assume a strong profile, right now a low profile helps you seek out information. Make it OK to spend money in order to make money. You still might not have a project as firm as you would like. Observe the office currents. Tonight: Get a good night's sleep.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

***** Stay focused, be it on work or a personal matter. Success greets you. Interpersonal dealings flourish in the p.m. Though you might not be as clear about an idea as another would like, discussions create more definition. Express caring to a loved one or child. Tonight: Where your friends are.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

***** Touch base with loved ones and talk about a problem that might have been on the back burner for too long. Your questions help illuminate the path to success. Question a decision that involves your career and personal life. Avoid suppressing anger. Tonight: Work late.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

***** Use the morning to clear out any pending money or interpersonal issues. Get down to basics. You discover acceptable solutions by breaking past established ideas. Creativity mixes with research. Tonight: Nothing is impossible.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

***** Discussions lead to resolutions, but be careful with your finances, as you might easily make a mistake — or better yet, another might make a mistake. Work with someone step by step. Prevent problems before they arise. Tonight: Togetherness counts.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

***** You add a quality to someone's day that sometimes confuses him and at other times inspires you. Keep discussing and tossing out ideas. Your ability to see what others might miss is one of your strongest traits. Popularity builds and takes you in new directions. Tonight: Accept an invitation.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

***** Your creative engines run on high this morning. You are unusually delightful with a loved one as you share. Saddle up your wandering mind and focus it on one task after another. News or office gossip isn't right on. Tonight: Go exercise.

BORN TODAY

Ice skater Oksana Baiul (1977), baseball player Dwight Gooden (1964), actor Burgess Meredith (1908)

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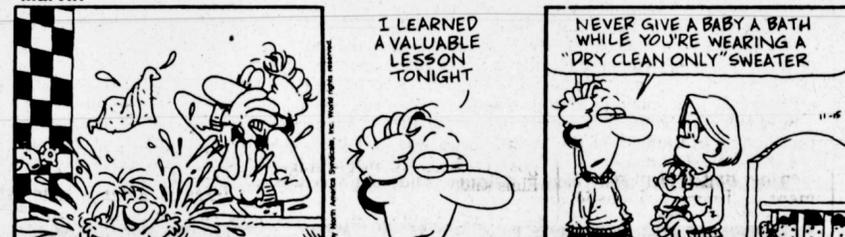
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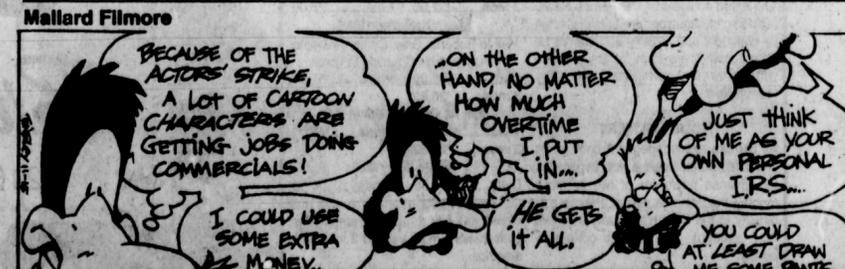
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Horoscope

THURSDAY, NOV. 16, 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)

***** Another comes on strong. This person has a lot to share. Lighten up and allow others to flow. Unusual results come from a meeting. Realize that you might need to make an adjustment later. Don't get into details. Just focus on concepts. Tonight: Get into a weekend mood.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

***** Reach out for someone at a distance. Think through decisions that involve family and funds. You work way too hard to toss away your money frivolously. Put forth an extraordinary effort to tighten up organization and make things run as you wish. Tonight: Out and about.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

***** Discuss a financial matter and delay taking strong actions. You might not see eye to eye with a contact at work. Discussions could be animated, but maintain your focus. Return calls and seek answers. Confusion surrounds a message. Make a call and find out what is going on. Tonight: At a favorite spot.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

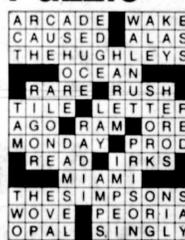
***** You get a strong start on your morning. Your instincts help you know what to do and when, especially about a

Crossword Puzzle

By THOMAS JOSEPH

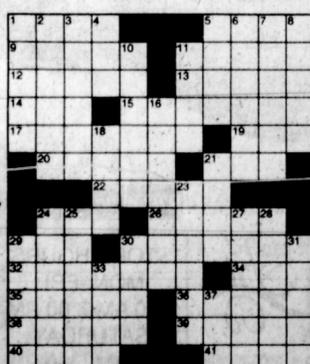
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- 9 Seasonal song
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- 12 Tolerate
- 13 Entice
- 14 Equip
- 15 Fall sign
- 17 Agitates
- 19 Foe of Clark and Lois
- 20 Villain's expression
- 21 Flower spot
- 22 Clear
- 24 Craze
- 26 Splitter groups
- 29 Skilled one, for short
- 30 Disney's Pumbaa, for one
- 32 Wowed by
- 34 "Norma"
- 35 Stories
- 36 Wed in secret
- 38 Sports shoe add-on
- 39 Old characters
- 40 Take testimony from



Yesterday's answer

- 18 Wood-wind part
- 21 Tire feature
- 23 Board rider
- 24 Last number
- 25 Showy bush
- 27 Royal seat
- 28 Lathered up
- 29 Spelling expert?
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- 31 V constituents
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"Mirror, mirror, in the water, who's the fairest little daughter?"

SPORTS

Notebook

BASKETBALL

PAMPA — Pampa freshmen girls opened the basketball season with a 48-26 win over Tascosa Red on Monday night.

Jennie Wag topped Pampa in scoring with 24 points, followed by Stacey Johnson 8, Tara Jordan 6, Amber Freeman 4, Denise Solis 3, Abbi Covalt 2 and Erika Skinner 1.

Covalt had a number of assists and Skinner had several rebounds.

HUNTING

FRITCH — Superintendent John Benjamin of Lake Meredith National Recreation Area, announced today that the Mullinaw Crossing will not be open by Saturday, the opening of deer season.

"We had hoped that conditions would allow safe travel, but hunters will not be able to drive across Mullinaw Crossing to cross the Canadian River," said Benjamin. "The recent rains have made the crossing boggy and impassable without doing major resource damage."

Benjamin said the park staff is hoping to have the crossing open by Nov. 25.

For more information, call (806) 857-3151.

FOOTBALL

MIAMI (AP) — He spends weekends at home in the Florida Keys, watching three TVs at once and rooting for his favorite teams — the Miami Dolphins, Miami Hurricanes, Washington Redskins and even the Dallas Cowboys.

In his first year of retirement, Jimmy Johnson enjoys life as a fan.

"I'm having a great season," he said. "I'm able to get all the games on TV, and I have a ball on Saturdays and Sundays."

That familiar Texas drawl on the other end of the telephone line has been strangely absent this season. Johnson has done few interviews, made few public appearances and attended no games since retiring in January as coach of the Dolphins.

But a good day in the stock market Tuesday put him in a chatty mood, he joked.

"I'm not boycotting the press," he said from his home in Islamorada. "I just kind of pick and choose — whenever the time hits me right."

The sting of last season's disappointment has faded, and Johnson can rightfully claim a share of the credit for the Dolphins' surprising 8-2 record, which matches the best in the NFL.

Close friend Dave Wannstedt deserves praise for his work as Miami's first-year coach, but the team was largely built by Johnson.

"If you'll check the teams I've coached, I leave them in pretty good shape," Johnson said. "But I don't want to take anything away from the job Dave has done. He's done a great job of assembling a coaching staff and incorporating the people we had before."

"I'm happy for everybody involved. There's no bigger Dolphins fan in the world than me, and no bigger Hurricanes fan."

Johnson notes that the University of Miami, where he coached from 1984 to 1988, is in contention for the national championship. He also roots for the Redskins — where good friend Norv Turner is the coach — and for the Cowboys, the team Johnson led to two Super Bowl titles before an acrimonious parting with owner Jerry Jones.

PHS girls set to tip off season

PAMPA — Basketball season is here for the Pampa Lady Harvesters, who tip off the season Friday night against Highland Park. Tipoff is 6:30 at Highland Park.

"I'm anxiously awaiting this first game," said Pampa coach Mark Elms. "We'll see where we are and what we need to work on."

Elms is looking at eight players — Lindsey Narron, twins Charity and Chasity Nachtigall, Jennifer Lindsey, Stephanie Cameron, Mandy Rains, Ashley Derington and Calli Covalt — to bolster Pampa's fortunes this season.

The Lady Harvesters won't have much height since 6-3 post Emily Hartman transferred to Happy for her senior season.

"We're going to miss that height since the Hartman girl left, but we've learned to play with height and to play without height," Elms said.

Newcomers like Randa Morris, Morgan White and Ashley Jordan could see quite a bit of playing time.

"We're going to try and run with the ball more and get some speed going," Elms added. "We're also going to try and score a few more points than we did last year."

The Lady Harvesters are coming off a 13-13 season, their best record in nine years. Pampa, however, is in highly-competitive District 3-4A, which becomes even tougher this season since defending state champion Canyon becomes one of two new members this season along with Randall. Palo Duro, the defending district champion, advanced to the regional quarterfinals a year ago.

"Last season our district opponents averaged around 50 points a game against us. One of our goals is to decrease that average," Elms said.

Pampa High Girls Basketball Schedule

Nov.
17-Highland Park, 6:30 away; 16-Perryton Tournament; 20-Tascosa, 6 away; 25-Nazareth, 7:30 at WTAMU; 28-Tascosa, 6 home; 30-Lake Meredith Tournament, at Fritch.

Dec.
5-Perryton, 6 home; 7-Altus Tournament; 12-Palo Duro, 6 home; 15-Hereford, 7:30 away; 21-Dumas, 6 away; 28-Ardmore Tournament.

Jan.
2-Caprock, 6 home; 5-Canyon, 6 away; 9-Randall, 6 home; 12-Borger, 6 away; 16-Palo Duro, 6 away; 19-Hereford, 6 home; 23-Dumas, 6 home; 26-Caprock, 6 away; 30-Canyon, 6 home.

Feb.
2-Randall, 6 away; 6-Borger, 6 home.

BOWLING

Harvester Lanes League High Individuals

Harvester Women's League
Ladies high scratch game: Peggy Smith 216
Ladies high scratch series: Peggy Smith 582

Caprock League
Men's high scratch game: Jimmy Vegas 258
Men's high scratch series: Barry Simmons, 672

Stars of Tomorrow
Girls high scratch game: Loraine Hess 141
Girls high scratch series: Laraine Hess 368
Boys high scratch game: Shaun Smith 244
Boys high scratch series: Zach Wilson 570

Ladies Trio League
Ladies high scratch game: Carla Schiffman 242
Ladies high scratch series: Carla Schiffman 666

Clarendon College League
Ladies high scratch game: Lesley Clark 170
Ladies high scratch series: Angie Moyer 443
Men's high scratch game: John Bolz 195
Men's high scratch series: John Bolz 522

Mutt & Jeff League
Ladies high scratch game: Judy Morris 154
Ladies high scratch series: Kim Newman 359
Men's high scratch game: Gary Winton and Ralph West 227
Men's high scratch series: Gary Winton 663
Youth boy high scratch game: Zach Wilson 182

Youth boy high scratch series: Andrew Winton 462
Youth girl high scratch game: Ashleigh Burns 200
Youth girl high scratch series: Ashleigh Burns 503

Casino League
Ladies high scratch game: Peggy Smith 235
Ladies high scratch series: Peggy Smith 619
Men's high scratch game: Ralph West 233
Men's high scratch series: Ralph West 629

Volleyball honorees



From left: Alexis Amador (Fighting Heart Award), Destiny Engel (Most Valuable Participant) and Jennifer Lindsey (Best All-Around Player) were presented with plaques during the 2000 Pampa Lady Harvesters volleyball banquet.

Pampa CC team was slowed by injuries

PAMPA — Gruelling two-a-day practices are made more bearable every fall for thousands of high school athletes by the hope and dream of advancing into post-season competition.

Texas is a huge state with fierce competition in every high school sport, but with a few returning veterans and many new faces, Pampa's cross country team was still hopeful of advancing as far as the state meet.

In cross country, the season is made up of many individual races leading up to the District Meet.

The only race that allows a runner to advance to the next level is the District meet.

The Pampa girls team went into district as the defending champions, but were riddled with nagging injuries.

Four district teams were expected to battle for the top three spots, which would earn them a trip to the regional meet.

The Pampa team came up a little short as they finished a close fourth, one place away from advancing. The Lady Harvesters did make an outstanding showing in the individual standings as junior Rebecca Fatheree and sophomore Vanessa Orr finished first and second, respectively. Fatheree and Orr surprised many fans as they upset the defending state champion from Hereford. T'Andra Holmes, also a sophomore, finished a solid eighth.

The top 10 individuals earned a trip to the regional cross country race.

The Region 1 cross country meet was held in Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock on a cold, rainy day. Pampa's three runners had an off-day where they left knowing that they had competed better in other races during the season. The only Pampa runner to advance to the state meet was Fatheree with a 9th place finish. Orr was 19th and Holmes 30th. It wasn't places they were hoping for, but still very good in a race that had the 184 best 4A runners in the region.

Old Settler's Park outside of Round Rock is the site of the state cross country meet. As is often the case, the course was saturated with recent heavy rains. Gravel was brought in and put in low places in an attempt to overcome some of the deep mud.

Fatheree again did not run up to her hopes or expectations, finishing 29th out of 102.

After the race Fatheree said: "Although I am really disappointed about my races at regional and state, I was happy just to make it this far. Making state has been one of my goals all year. It was a good way to end the season and I am look-

ing forward to next year, and hopefully the team can make it back to state."

Fatheree, Orr and Holmes were all members of the 1999 state bronze medalist team.

Pampa's cross country season officially comes to a close Thursday night at the cross country banquet. All of the

boys' and girls' team members will be recognized. Team members include: seniors John Schlewitz and Mandy Rains; juniors Chad Platt, Rebecca Fatheree, Randa Morris and Lindsey Narron; sophomores Vanessa Orr, T'Andra Holmes and Sarah Porter; freshmen Kori Dunn, Misty Ivey and Whitney Watts.

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Basketball drill



(Pampa News photo by Lance Burton)

Senior Gary Alexander (right) and sophomore Max Simon work on a one on one drill under the watchful eye of head coach Jerry Schaeffer during Pampa Harvester basketball practice this week. Pampa opens the season Saturday against Seminole with the game starting at 3:30 in the Pampa High gym. Pampa's first home game is Nov. 28 against Amarillo Tascosa.

Ewing beats NY; Brown can't beat Heat

By The Associated Press

Patrick Ewing and P.J. Brown both played against their former teams.

Ewing had better luck than Brown.

In his first game against the Knicks since his 15-year career in New York ended, Ewing's new team — the Seattle SuperSonics — rolled over the Knicks 96-75 despite Ewing being outplayed statistically by Marcus Camby.

"I'm real happy to get the game over," Ewing said. "I was tired of all the media hype and all the questions. I'm very relieved. Now all the New York media can go home."

Brown, now with the Charlotte Hornets, had a chance to beat his old team at the end of regulation. But Brown's 18-footer missed, and Miami went on to defeat Charlotte 89-86 in overtime.

Tim Hardaway hit a game-winning 3-pointer with 7.6 seconds remaining to give Miami the victory.

"You knew that was coming," said Brown, who along with Jamal Mashburn was playing his first game in Miami since the trade. "They live and die by that shot, and they lived by it tonight. I'm sure we'll see that shot down the road again. That's his favorite shot."

In other NBA games, the Los Angeles Lakers defeated Denver 119-103. San Antonio beat Utah 86-79. Sacramento stopped Orlando 96-82. Cleveland tripped Golden State 96-86. Atlanta edged Portland 99-97 and Houston routed Chicago 110-83.

Ewing warmly greeted his former teammates with hugs and handshakes just before the opening tip, which he batted to Payton. He also smiled broadly at the Knicks sideline, where his former coach, Jeff Van Gundy,

was sitting.

"I've been to war with those guys for a lot of years," Ewing said. "I wished them well and they wished me well."

Van Gundy huddled with Ewing in the hallway after the game.

Ewing missed his first four shots in the first half before connecting on a wide-open 15-foot jumper that gave the Sonics a 45-43 lead.

"I was just rushing things in the first half," said Ewing, who had five turnovers. "In the second half, I just slowed things down a little bit."

Gary Payton had 25 points and 13 assists to lead the SuperSonics.

The Sonics, off to a 3-6 start, got 10 points and nine rebounds from Ewing, 38, who played 31 minutes. Camby, Ewing's replacement at center for the Knicks, had 20 points and 17 rebounds.

"I was definitely emotional," Camby said. "I gave Patrick a hug and told him how much we miss him and stuff. Doing well against him meant nothing. If we would have gotten a win, it might have meant something."

Heat 89, Hornets 86, OT

Hardaway made two free throws with 12.4 seconds left in regulation, tying the game. Between free throws, Charlotte coach Paul Silas contemplated calling a timeout to try to ice Hardaway. He even signaled timeout at one point before changing his mind.

"He was trying to use psychology, trying to ice me. And that doesn't work on me. I'm from the 'hood," said Hardaway, who was 3-of-7 shooting from 3-point range.

After making the second free throw, Hardaway stared intently at Silas from midcourt for several seconds. Hardaway gave Silas

another look after hitting the game-winner, this one coming with his arms raised in celebration. Hardaway was surrounded by his teammates — including ailing center Alonzo Mourning — at center court.

Lakers 119, Nuggets 103

At Los Angeles, Shaquille O'Neal made 16 of 21 shots and finished with 34 points and 19 rebounds as the defending NBA champions put together their best offensive effort of the young season.

Averaging 26.7 points and making 54 percent of his shots entering the game, O'Neal has been hampered by sore thumbs.

"They're so sore I can't even wipe my nose, they're killing

me," O'Neal said. "I was just playing through it. I've been here five years, I've played through every knick-knack injury known to man. I'm not going to go into the front office and say, 'My thumbs hurt, I need a couple days off.' That's not me. I'm going to play until my thumbs fall off."

Spurs 86, Jazz 79

Host San Antonio held Utah to 39 percent shooting, and David Robinson allowed just 15 points to Karl Malone, who entered the game as the NBA's third-leading scorer with a 28.2 average.

Tim Duncan had 15 points and 10 defensive rebounds — 12 in all — and added seven assists and three blocks for the Spurs.

Pampa 8th grade girls win opening games

PAMPA — The Pampa 8th grade girls basketball teams opened the 2000-2001 season Monday against Hereford.

In the night's first game, Pampa B led throughout the first half and the entire game for a 23-13 win over Hereford B.

Pampa held Hereford to only six points through three periods of play. Leading the team in scoring were Heather Dildy and Whitney Roden with 6 points each. Others with points were Payton Baird 5, Lauren Boles 2, Ashley Parker 2 and Diedra Warden 2. Dildy and Baird pulled down 8 and 6 rebounds, respectively. Autumn Schaub had three steals to help out in the defensive effort.

In the 8th grade A game, Pampa's Erin Winegeart made

a clutch free throw late in the fourth quarter to help edge by Hereford A 39-38.

Pampa led 22-15 at the half and had a 37-23 lead at the start of the fourth quarter when the Herd began a 15-1 run to tie the game. Winegeart's shot then gave the Patriots their season-opening win. Lindsey Ammons had 11 points and Becca Gindorf 10 to lead Pampa scorers. Also scoring were Wendi Miller 6, Chera Chavedo 5, Winegeart 3, Brittany Adams 2 and Jennie Rogers 2. Rebound leaders were Gindorf and Miller 5 each, Chavedo and Spearman 4 each.

The Pampa 8th graders continue basketball action next Monday, visiting Dumas. Game times are 5:30 for the B game and 6:45 for the A game.

Pampa's Lee entered in national JUCO C-C championships

LEVELLAND — Pampa freshman Beth Lee is a member of the South Plains College Lady Texans cross country team which will be competing in the annual NJCAA Championships Saturday in Levelland.

"We're really excited to host this meet," said SPC coach James Morris. "The last time we hosted it in 1997, the men won the national title, and we have a very strong shot to win it again this year. The women's title is the best we've ever had here. So, I think we have a good shot at winning both of the races."

SPC will host the event for the second time in four years at Levelland City

Park. More than 600 male and female athletes representing more than 60 NJCAA Division 1 and Division II teams will be participating in the NJCAA Championships.

The Lady Texans, currently ranked No. 3 in the nation, will look to improve on their seventh-place performance in the 1999 meet. The SPC men's team, ranked NO. 2 in the nation, will battle for the national championship this season after finishing second the past two seasons at the national meet.

Lee helped lead Pampa to the district and regional cross country titles as a high school senior. In track, she won the 3200 at the state meet last year.

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FOOTBALL

IRVING, Texas (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys must replace more than just their punter while rookie Michael Kautz is sidelined.

Kautz, who is out three to six weeks with a fractured lower leg, also handled kickoff duties for the Cowboys (8-6) and was the holder on field goals and extra points.

"The kickoff situation may be as critical as the punter," said Dallas coach Tom Donahoe. "And Michael Kautz did a good job for us in the holding area. That's a concern because the punter is every bit as important as the kicker."

Kautz missed the halftime Wednesday game against the Redskins. Defensive end Robert Wilson ran into Kautz while trying to block a punt during the second quarter.

"I remember getting up and when I did, my leg was straight out," Kautz said. "When he hit my leg, there was so much force and the bones came together and actually bent the knee back the other way."

Bobby Cannell, a sports free agent from Fordham, got a try-out Tuesday. Campo said the Cowboys might see him at another practice Monday.

Cannell was in training camp with the Cowboys for the second time last summer, but never got on the field because of a strained hamstring. "I got all of the practice time and game action, and then went home."

Cannell is a former NFL player and is in his second year with the Cowboys. He gives the Cowboys a chance of having a

good kickoff man and is a good punter," Campo said. "He didn't really have a chance to compete in camp."

Kautz was third in the NFC with a 43.7-yard punting average. He also placed 10 of his 42 kickoffs in the end zone, with 10 touchbacks, as opponents had a starting average position of the 25.2 yard line, third-best in the NFL.

BASKETBALL

EVETTEVILLE, Ark. (AP) — Longtime Texas-El Paso basketball coach Don Haskins will be presented with the John Thompson Foundation's Outstanding Achievement Award at a reception Thursday.

The reception is part of the John Thompson Foundation's Outstanding Achievement Award ceremony hosted by Arkansas this week-end.

Haskins coached UTEP's Miners for 38 years, going 719-333 and winning the NCAA title in 1966. His teams made 14 appearances in the NCAA tournament and won seven Western Athletic Conference championships.

Haskins took over the UTEP program for the 1961-62 season and was 19-6 his first season. His second team went 19-7 and made the NCAA tournament. The Miners captured the NCAA title March 19, 1966, shocking heavily favored Kentucky, 72-65, in the championship game.

Under Haskins that year, UTEP was the first major college to start five black players.

"We couldn't think of anyone that deserves this recognition more than coach Haskins," said Arkansas coach Nolan Richardson, who played under Haskins for two years.

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Blue Jackets turn back Stars, 3-2

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — The Columbus Blue Jackets are finding out that hard work can occasionally make up for a lack of talent.

Steve Heinze scored two power-play goals, and Ron Tugnutt stopped 26 shots as the Blue Jackets extended their winning streak to three with a 3-2 victory Tuesday night over the Dallas Stars.

"I think what they did to us is the same thing they've done to some other teams," said Dallas coach Ken Hitchcock, whose team won the Western Conference last season and the Stanley Cup two seasons ago.

"If you don't come in here and work at their level and have the focus that they do in this building, you're not going to beat them. And that's exactly what happened."

Brett Hull scored twice in the third period to make it close, but Columbus controlled play for most of the game — just two weeks after being beaten 4-0 in Dallas.

Columbus' last three wins have all come at home against teams from the Pacific Division. The Blue Jackets jumped past idle Chicago and out of the basement

in the Central Division. "This is raising the bar for ourselves," Heinze said. "Now we have no excuses."

Enjoying the first winning streak in the expansion team's brief history, Columbus has won five of its last six at Nationwide Arena. After a 1-7-0-1 start, the Blue Jackets are 5-3-1-0.

Tugnutt improved to 4-1-1 in his last six starts. He turned away the routine shots and made several spectacular saves.

"I've got to do my part and the guys have to do their part," Tugnutt said. "When we do it together, we win."

Hull scored his ninth goal on the rebound of a shot by Mike Modano, closing Dallas within a goal with 3:43 left.

"These teams are pushing us to play better," Columbus coach Dave King said. "A little fear in your heart will do that."

Frantisek Kucera, the only Blue Jackets player who didn't have a point this season, finally scored a goal at 7:39 of the first period. "I was thinking about it," Kucera said of his pointless start. "I would take a look at the stats and see zero-zero. I'm glad I got my first point and that it was a goal. I knew I was playing good

defensively, but everybody likes to score."

Columbus made it 2-0 late in the first when Espen Knutsen whisked a quick pass in front and Heinze slapped it past Ed Belfour at 15:10.

The Stars, with the NHL's second best penalty-killing unit, hadn't given up a goal the last 13 times they were down a man.

A crowd of 15,732 taunted the Dallas goalie with a chant of "Bel-four! Bel-four!" for the rest of the night.

Heinze made it 3-0 early in the third period — again on the power play. Petteri Nummelin's slap shot bounced off Belfour's pad, and Heinze was there to clean up.

1985: Pampa defeated Perryton 23-20 in a high school football game. Fullback Gary Jernigan rushed for 195 yards and two touchdowns to lead the Harvesters. Michael Mitchell caught a touchdown pass from Brent Cryer for the other Pampa score.

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Connecticut, Vermont top list for women's equality, Mississippi rates low

WASHINGTON (AP) — Women in New England tend to enjoy greater degrees of economic, political and social status than those in other parts of the country, a new study suggests.

Connecticut and Vermont rated highly in the new report from the nonprofit Institute for Women's Policy Research, which gives ratings to the 50 states and the District of Columbia according to women's rights and equality, based on various economic and social indicators.

South rated poorly in the report, "women have not achieved equality with men in any state, and even those states with better policies for women do not ensure equal rights for women," the Washington-based public policy research group said in the report being released Wednesday.

"Of course there are wonderful things in every state for women," said Amy Caiazza, study director for the Institute. "But even in states that are doing better, there is a lot of room for improvement."

The Institute is affiliated with George Washington University in Washington. The report was part of a larger educational program funded primarily by the Ford Foundation, with additional donations from Motorola Corp., the Minnesota Women's Foundation and the Wallace Alexander Gerbode Foundation.

The rankings are based on women's status in the following categories: political participation, employment and earnings, economic autonomy, reproductive rights and health and well-being.

It did not produce an overall ranking of states, though a summary in the report noted that Connecticut, Vermont and Washington ranked in the top 10 in at least three of the categories, while the Mississippi, Alabama and Tennessee ranked in the bottom 10 in at least three categories. Mississippi, for example, ranked

51st in terms of women's reproductive rights, and 49th in economic autonomy, which included factors like the percent of women with health insurance and the percent of women-owned businesses.

"We've passed in one area — health and well-being. It's not a satisfactory situation," said Marianne Hill, senior economist for Mississippi's

Center for Policy Research and Planning. "The key is to get more women in leadership roles, not just in government, but in the business world and education."

Vermont ranked first for reproductive rights, and both Vermont and Connecticut were in the top 10 for political participation and economic autonomy.

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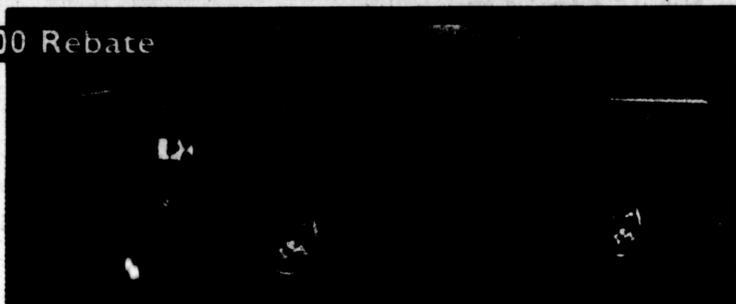
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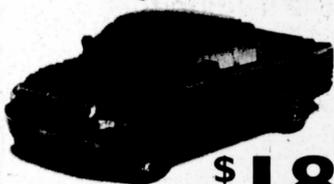
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2001 Ram 1500

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\$1,220 Disc.
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\$13,995 or \$229 mo.

2001 RAM 1500 QUAD CAB



\$24,625 MSRP
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2001 DODGE NEON



\$14,875 MSRP
\$1,000 Disc.
\$1,000 Rebate

Stk. # D9503

\$12,875

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\$33,905 MSRP
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Stk. # C9464

\$29,995

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Stk. # D8339

\$22,590 MSRP
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\$1,000 Rebate

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or **\$329 mo.**

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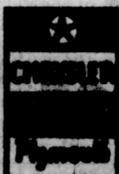


\$30,900 MSRP
\$3,405 Disc.
\$1,500 Rebate

Stk. # D5449

\$25,995

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