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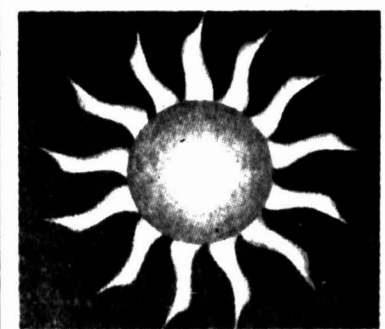
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PAMPA -- Bicycles seem to be an increasing target of thieves in Pampa.

Pampa police officers reported two stolen over the weekend. One may have been recovered.

Daniel Clay Beaver, 12, 720 E. Browning, reported he was missing a Magnum dirt bike valued at \$115.

Mandy Kay Rippetoe, 13, 716 E. Browning, reported a Mongoose dirt bike missing. Her bike is valued at \$110.

Officers said a bicycle matching the description of Rippetoe's bike was found in the 100 block of South Frost over the weekend but couldn't say it was the same one.

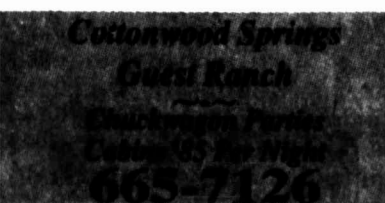
NEW ORLEANS (AP) -- Many moderate Baptists are shunning the two-day Southern Baptist Convention, America's largest Protestant denomination, starting today. Some have been busy forming alternative fellowships, reacting to the denomination's conservative shift.

The year-old Mainstream Baptist Network has chapters in 12 states. The Cooperative Baptist Fellowship has 14 state and four regional chapters.

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City commission to discuss concealed weapons

Extension of the city's cable television contract and a prohibition against entering city buildings with concealed handguns highlight tonight's agenda for the Pampa City Commission.

The city commission will also consider canceling their June 26, regularly scheduled meeting. The Pampa City Commission

is slated to consider a draft of an appointment process policy in dealing with the appointment of people to city boards and commissions, during their regular meeting scheduled for 6 p.m. today in the city commission chambers of city hall.

The are also expected to consider adopting a resolution to approve sending an application,

nominating a project in Pampa for the Texas Department of Transportation's statewide transportation enhancement program.

The commission will consider two ordinances on second and final reading.

The first is an ordinance extending until July 30, the cable franchise now held by Cable One.

The second ordinance prohibits entering city buildings with a concealed handgun.

At 5 p.m. today, the city commission will meet in a work session to discuss an extension of a contract with OMI.

The management company requested a six month extension of their agreement with the city

after the city requested modifications to the water treatment plant, implementation of the new disinfection procedures and changes to the new effluent system will have on the wastewater treatment plant.

The will also discuss negotiations for a new five-year contract.



IT'S THAT TIME OF YEAR AGAIN -- The city's gardener, Ruth Williams, is busy setting out plants in Von Brunow Park at Cuyler and Foster. Taking advantage of the warm, sunny days, the plants stand to be well watered toward the end of the week as weather forecasters predict a chance of thunderstorms.

Gray County grand jury indicts Pampa man for abandoning a child

By NANCY YOUNG Managing Editor

Matthew Lynn Schiffman was indicted Monday by the 31st

District Grand Jury on the charge of abandoning a child, a second degree felony.

Schiffman was arrested at a local bar around midnight May

31 on the abandonment charge and an endangering a child charge after Gray County deputies found a 19-month-old (See CHILD, Page 2)

Police investigating assault and theft

Pampa police today were searching for the driver of a sports utility vehicle who took a skateboard away from a 15-year-old.

Police said two 15-year-old boys were skateboarding in the street in the 1800 block of Beech about 3 p.m. Friday when a sports utility vehicle drove by.

The driver of the SUV reportedly made a rude gesture and the skateboarders yelled at him.

Officers said the driver then apparently backed up and an argument ensued.

The skateboarders said a woman in the passenger's seat of the SUV encouraged the driver to get out and hit the skateboarders.

Officers said the driver apparently grabbed one of the 15-year-olds. When the driver grabbed the youth, officers said, witnesses told them the 15-year-old hit the driver in the knee with a skateboard.

The driver reportedly took the skateboard from the youth and left with it.

Televisions taken in string of Pampa burglaries

Pampa police were investigating series of burglaries today.

Authorities said the main items stolen in the burglaries seemed to be electronic entertainment equipment.

Jerami Lee Myneer, 19, 610 N. Carr, reported more than a \$1,000 worth of entertainment gear missing from her home over the weekend.

Officers said that some time between 9 p.m. Saturday and 11 a.m. Sunday, someone apparently broke in and took a Sony Playstation valued at \$200, Playstation games valued at \$30, a video tape recorder valued at \$65, CDs valued at \$450, an air conditioner valued at \$200 and a Cowboy jacket valued at \$200.

Jackie Ray Marshal, 40, 808 Reid, reported a handgun taken from his home between 7:30 p.m., Saturday, June 2, and 7 p.m. Sunday. The weapon was valued at \$125.

Linda Sickler, 47, 313 N. Dwight, reported almost \$1,300 in appliances and electronic equipment taken from her home.

Officers said her house was broken into between 5 p.m. Saturday and 5 a.m. Sunday. Sickler reported two television sets, a video tape recorder, home stereo and washer and dryer missing. The total amount of the items stolen was put at \$1,275.

Erik Dale Barnett, 20, 216 N. Houston, told officers that a television set valued at \$300 and a video tape recorder valued at \$200 was taken from his home either Thursday or Friday.

Missing truck turns up in alley

Law enforcement officers were today trying to find out why a tractor-trailer rig left in Pampa for repair was found in an alley of a residential neighborhood.

Officers said a tractor-trailer belonging to Mission Petroleum was found Saturday in an alley between the 1200 block of Dwight and

the 1200 block of Christy. According to Johnny Duane Luttrell, 43, of Giddings, Tex., the tanker truck was left at a Pampa business for repairs to be made to it.

Officers said there is no apparently reason for the truck to have been where it was found in the alley.

It appeared to be repaired.

Quite frankly...Why is gasoline so much higher in Pampa?



"The gas stations here have no competition and they know it. So we have to pay the prices they set. Like it or not."
—Renae Johnson



"Because we are a small town and they don't have enough business."
—Gloria Lozano



"They think that because everybody here drives a new car that they can afford to pay high prices for gasoline."
—Natalie Williams



"I have just moved here from Oklahoma City and haven't had time to check the prices here."
—Nino Cabrales Soto



"I really don't understand the reason why it's higher here, but it is getting out of hand."
—Jesus Davila

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Daily Record

Services tomorrow

ROBBEN, Richard E. — 10 a.m., St. Fidelis Catholic Church, Victoria, Kan.
THRASHER, Ray William — 11 a.m., Church of Christ, Stratford.

Obituaries

LOLA E. HOLCOMB
WHEELER — Lola E. Holcomb, 86, died Monday, June 11, 2001, at Amarillo. Services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Toby Henson officiating. Burial will be in Wheeler Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Home of Wheeler.

Mrs. Holcomb was born Oct. 23, 1914, in Vernon, to William J. and Edna Stacy Warren. She moved to Wheeler at the age of 3. Mrs. Holcomb owned and operated the Vogue Beauty Shop and Vogue Fashions from 1956 until retiring in 1985.

Mrs. Holcomb was a member of First Baptist Church. She was a member of the 54 Study club and the Wheeler Care Center Volunteers.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, J.C. Holcomb, on March 15, 1981; a son, Doyle Brown; and by a granddaughter, Joni Andrews.

Survivors include two daughters and sons-in-law, Carmaleta and Edwin Sims of Richardson and Sondra and Andy Andrews of Cameron; grandchildren, Janan Reid, Karen Dodson, Lisa Wells, Merrie Jeanne Nisbeth, Karen Ogier, Darryn Andrews and Jarrett Andrews; 16 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to First Baptist Church of Wheeler.

RICHARD E. ROBBEN

WALKER, Kan. — Richard E. Robben, 81, father of a Pampa resident, died Sunday, June 10, 2001, at St. John's Rest Home in Victoria, Kan. Vigil services are scheduled at 7 p.m. today followed at 7:30 p.m. by a Knights of Columbus rosary service, both at Cline's Mortuary in Victoria. Services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday in St. Fidelis Catholic Church in Victoria with Father John Lager, Father Frank X. Grinko, Father Michael Suchnicki and Father Francis Fugini officiating. Burial will be in St. Ann's Cemetery at Walker under the direction of Cline's Mortuary of Hays and Victoria.

Mr. Robben was born Jan. 22, 1920, at Walker, to William and Christina Goetz Robben. He married Verna A. Roth on April 24, 1947, at Victoria; she died Dec. 19, 1999.

He was a farmer, a lifelong Walker area resident and a member of St. Ann's Catholic Church of Walker. He also belonged to Victoria Knights of Columbus third and fourth degree.

He had been a resident of St. John's Rest Home for one month.

He was preceded in death by his parents; four brothers, William, Leo, John and Daniel; and two sisters, Anna Cain and Wilburga Vonfeldt.

Survivors include three sons, Steve Robben and Rick Robben, both of Victoria, and Bill Robben of Pampa; two daughters, Carrie Schwerdtfager of Lincoln, Kan., and Annie Schmidtberger of Hays, Kan.; two sisters, Lucy Dortmund of Russell, Kan., and Alma Dreiling of Hays; 15 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be from 3-9 p.m. today and from 8:30-9:45 a.m. Wednesday at Cline's Mortuary. Honor Guard will stand from 6:30-7:30 p.m. today at the mortuary.

The family requests memorials be to St. Ann's Cemetery, Capuchin Province of Mid-America or Masses.

MARY ELLA JOSLYN ROSE

WHEELER — Mary Ella Joslyn Rose, 63, died Saturday, June 9, 2001, in Shamrock. Services were to be at 2 p.m. today in First Baptist Church of Allison with the Rev. Johnny Crawford, her nephew, and Matt Crawford, of Matador, officiating. Burial will be in Kelton Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Home of Wheeler.

Mrs. Rose was a member of First Baptist Church in Blue, Okla.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Clifford Rose, in 1999; her parents, Frank and Frankie Joslyn; and a sister, Nancy Roberts.

Survivors include a sister, Helen Crawford of

Allison; and five brothers, Olen Joslyn of Enid, Okla., Sid Joslyn of Pineville, Mo., Earl Joslyn of Lefors, David Joslyn of Fayetteville, Ark., and Jim Joslyn of Mathis.

Police report

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

Monday, June 11
 Almost \$400 worth of tools were taken from a truck in the 400 block of South Cuyler.

A1999 GMC pickup was scratched, causing about \$800 in damages, in the 2400 block of North Charles.

A coin operated machine was broken into in the 1100 block of Alcock.

A window was broken in the 1800 block of North Banks.

A purse was stolen in the 1300 block of North Duncan.

A bicycle was stolen in the 2200 block of North Christine.

Sheriff's Office

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

Monday, June 11
 Lee Curtis, 43, 1057 Varnon, was arrested on a charge of possession of a controlled substance.

Albert Tambunga, 42, 217 N. Faulkner, was arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated.

Jana Elizabeth Turlington, 26, 513 N. Faulkner, was arrested on a bond forfeiture.

Ambulance

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

Monday, June 11
 8:13 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 200 block of North Russell. No patient was transported.

10:06 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to Pampa Regional Medical Center for a patient transport to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

10:55 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 600 block of Christy. One patient was transported to PRMC.

4:55 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to a local nursing center and transported a patient to PRMC.

Fires

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

Monday, June 11
 9:05 a.m. — Two units and six firefighters responded to 1504 W. Kentucky on a fire alarm malfunction.

4:58 p.m. — One unit and three firefighters responded to 1321 W. Kentucky on a medical assist.

7:16 p.m. — Two units and six firefighters responded to 2537 Perryton Parkway on a fire alarm malfunction.

Stocks

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

Wheat	2.85	Columbia/HCA	41.72	up 0.14
Milo	3.01	Enron	50.20	dn 0.80
Corn	3.33	Halliburton	44.91	up 0.84
Soybeans	3.92	KMI	54.98	dn 0.22
		Kerr McGee	71.50	up 0.65
		Limbed	15.51	dn 0.21
		McDonald's	29.60	dn 0.31
		Exxon Mobil	40.05	up 0.35
		New Atmos	23.10	up 0.10
		XCEL	29.26	dn 0.04
		NOI	31.70	up 0.44
		OKE	41.95	up 0.52
		Penney's	21.22	up 0.07
		Phillips	62.72	up 0.36
		Pioneer Nat.	20.82	up 0.03
		SLB	60.62	up 0.82
		Tenneco	3.70	dn 0.05
		Texas	73.20	up 0.10
		Ultramar	50.81	up 0.34
		Wal Mart	49.89	dn 0.06
		Williams	36.81	dn 1.13

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

Occidental	29.96	up 0.32
Fidelity Mageln	113.48	up 0.36
Puritan	18.91	up 0.03

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

BP Amoco	53.21	up 0.31
Celanese	22.29	dn 0.31
Cabot	37.65	dn 0.59
Cabot O&G	29.10	dn 0.92
Chevron	97.59	up 0.09
Coca-Cola	45.55	dn 0.38
New York Gold	268.15	
Silver	4.35	
West Texas Crude	29.04	

Bush's Social Security Commission meets

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush's new Social Security commission is getting down to work on overhauling the massive entitlement program, with stock market investing on the panel's list of potential fixes.

"There has been a very remarkable change in the approach Americans take to the thought of owning a mutual fund or some other saving system that's connected with the markets," former Democratic Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan of New York, co-chairman of the commission, said at the panel's first meeting Monday.

All 16 commission members — both Republicans and Democrats — have supported privatizing the system to some degree. Critics charged that Bush stacked the commission with supporters that would provide political weight with a bipartisan label to his campaign pledge of creating personal investment accounts.

The commission "is astonishingly unrepresentative of the array of views held by most Americans concerning Social Security's future," said Roger Hickey, co-director of the

Institute for America's Future. Hickey noted that members include corporate executives and financial investment officials, but no representatives or advocates for Social Security beneficiaries. But, said Estelle James, a Democratic member and World Bank consultant, "The system has to change, everyone agrees."

Any change must be approved by Congress. Clouding the reality of any recommendations the commission makes are next year's congressional election, a newly Democratic-controlled Senate and stock-market queasiness in a softening economy.

The commission also must devise a way to pay for the private investment accounts without cutting benefits for current recipients when most of the government's projected surplus has been dedicated to Bush's \$1.35 trillion tax cut.

"One of the advantages of being an advisory commission is that you advise," said Dick Parsons, co-chairman, a Republican and co-chief operating officer of AOL Time Warner. "As Senator Moynihan likes to say, he's a recovering politician

and I never was one, so both of us have the luxury of not having to worry about the politics and just try to do what is right," he said.

During breaks of the four-hour commission meeting, both Moynihan and Parsons told reporters that things like increasing the retirement age and restraining cost-of-living raises for future retirees could be among the recommendations eventually made by the group.

Social Security will start paying out more in benefits than workers pay into the system starting in 2016. Benefits will have to be cut, taxes increased or the system overhauled to meet future demand, especially as the large baby boomer generation nears retirement and starts to deplete the Social Security fund.

The commission will hold two to four public hearings across the country, starting in September, to talk about private investment accounts.

The commission will issue an initial report that will identify problems with the system and make the case for change. A final report will be issued to the president this fall.

Advocates say drug-price increases hitting seniors hard

By ANJETTA McQUEEN
 Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The prices of medicines used by the elderly have been rising more rapidly than their other normal living costs, says a group that advocates federal aid for prescription drugs.

The average price of the top 50 medicines most often prescribed to the elderly rose 6.1 percent last year, Families USA says in a report.

The inflation rate was 2.4 percent in 2000. "For seniors living on fixed incomes and often paying for drugs out of pocket, consistent price increases force them to make dangerous, even life-threatening, choices," the report said.

A group of drug makers criticized the report, saying it implies that all seniors pay the same prices for each drug.

"The retail prices of the same medicine can vary by more than 100 percent within the same city block," said Alan F. Holmer, president of

Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America.

The study examined prices that drug makers suggested pharmacies charge at the counter.

This summer, Congress plans to debate how to help 40 million elderly and disabled Americans in the federal health insurance program pay for expensive, but beneficial, medicines. Only a third have such coverage, mainly through their own retirement plans or through the HMOs that participate in Medicare.

The 50 medicines in the report were ranked by number of prescriptions issued in the Pennsylvania Pharmaceutical Assistance Contract for the Elderly, which the group says is the largest U.S. outpatient prescription drug program for older Americans.

Families USA contends that seniors without prescription drug coverage often pay the suggested prices out of pocket, because they cannot take advantage of deep discounts that private insurers can negotiate.

Supreme Court rules religious clubs can meet at public schools

By ANNE GEARAN
 Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court lowered the wall between church and state Monday, ruling that if the Boy Scouts and 4-H can use a public school as a meeting hall, a children's Bible study class can, too.

The ruling is part of the court's ongoing examination of the proper place for religion in public schools, a constitutional balancing act that has found school-room display of the Ten Commandments inappropriate but an evening series of Christian movies acceptable.

Once the Milford Central School opened its doors to after-school civic meetings with a moral theme, the upstate New York school district could not

exclude an evangelism club without violating First Amendment free-speech rights, the court ruled.

"We can see no logical difference in kind between the invocation of Christianity by the club and the invocation of teamwork, loyalty or patriotism by other associations" that use the school building after hours, Justice Clarence Thomas wrote for a 6-3 majority.

The majority rejected the school's argument that allowing the Good News Club to meet in the school cafeteria would be an unconstitutional government promotion or establishment of religion.

Justice Stephen Breyer, usually a moderate-to-liberal vote on the court, joined five more conservative members — Chief Justice William Rehnquist, and Justices Thomas, Sandra Day O'Connor, Antonin Scalia and Anthony Kennedy — in partial support of the religious club's request.

Justices John Paul Stevens, Ruth Bader Ginsburg and David Souter dissented.

Souter, writing for himself and Ginsburg, said the majority glossed over the club's intense focus on religious conversion. Leaders specifically invite children to be "saved," Souter wrote. "The majority avoids this reality only by resorting to the bland

and general characterization of Good News' activity," as moral instruction, Souter wrote.

The Milford school has allowed various outside groups to use its building since 1992, the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts and 4-H Club among them.

Parents Stephen and Darleen Fournier sued the school in 1997, after they were denied permission to use the cafeteria for weekly meetings of 6- to 12-year-olds.

The meetings, featuring a Bible lesson, prayer and memorization games using Scripture, were tantamount to religious worship and thus inappropriate for a public school building, the school superintendent said then.

The school district's lawyers also argued that very young children attending the 3 p.m. Good News Club meetings on school grounds might believe the school endorsed the club's religious outlook.

The club first won and then lost federal court permission to use school space. Last year, the 2nd U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals ruled against the club, calling its activities "quintessentially religious."

As a practical matter, the high court's ruling means schools will have to be evenhanded when allowing outside groups to use school buildings, administrators said.

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CHILD

female at approximately 10:15 p.m. home alone.

31st District Attorney Richard Roach said Tuesday morning that the abandoning a child charge is the highest grade felony of the charges. He also said 31st District Judge Stephen Emmert raised Schiffman's bond to \$8,000.

Roach said the May 31 incident was not the first time the child had been left alone, according to statements given to law enforcement. Apparently, he said, the 19-month old toddler had been left alone on several occasions.

Justice of the Peace Joe Martinez set bonds of \$1,000 on each charge on June 1. He remains in Gray County Jail in lieu of bond.

Acting on an anonymous tip that a child had been left alone,

Gray County deputies responded to the residence at 401 N. Banks. After shining flashlights through the windows and viewing the toddler laying on the couch naked, the deputies kicked in the door.

Child Protective Services was called and took the child to Pampa Regional Medical Center where she was given medical care. She was placed in foster care.

According to a divorce decree granted on April 24, 2001, Schiffman was given exclusive right to "establish the child's primary residence without regard to geographical location."

The divorce decree was granted to Schiffman and Alma Blanco Schiffman in the 223rd District Court. According to the decree, both parents were named joint conservators to a female child, born Sept. 19, 1999.

Deputy Randy Langwell said when the officers entered the residence at 401 N. Banks the home was in disarray and that there was old and molded food in the kitchen.

Also indicted by the 31st Grand Jury Monday were: Alfred Shane Bromlow of 405 Doyle for burglary of a habitation; Martha Jane Childers of 321 N. Dwight, intoxication assault; David Hope Cook, Tucson, Ariz., criminal nonsupport; Gabriel Mora, Jr., 712 N. Bradley, aggravated assault; Richard Glenn O'Gorman, Stinnett, driving while intoxicated-subsequent offense; Clarence Reed, Jr., 1156 Varnon, aggravated assault and delivery of a controlled substance; Barney Earl Sawyer, Lefors, possession of controlled substance; and William Craig Stephens, 808 N. Christy, burglary of habitation, enhanced.

Superman marries, but not Lois Lane

METROPOLIS, Ill. (AP) — In the end, Superman didn't marry Lois Lane. He married Marcella Encinas.

Actor Scott Cranford dressed in a full Superman costume to wed his bride in an outdoor ceremony at this small town's Superman Festival.

"Every little girl has dreamed

of a Superman of her own, and I've got mine," Encinas said.

The two put their wedding plans on hold last year so Cranford, 33, of Glendale, Calif., could play Superman at the festival. They plan a traditional church service Saturday in California.

Encinas had only a small Superman emblem on her dress but Wonder Woman was the matron of honor and Batman's sidekick, Robin, was the best man.

About 400 people attended, along with a dog dressed in a cape.

City Briefs

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HELP NEEDED, waitresses & hostess. Waitresses must be 18 yrs. of age. Apply at Dyer's BBQ.

Weather focus

PAMPA — The high today could reach the century mark.

The thermometer is expected to push 100 degrees with clear skies and lots of sunshine. The low tonight will be down to 68 degrees.

Wednesday will be slightly cooler at 95 degrees with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. The low Wednesday night under skies with variable clouds is expected to be 62 degrees.

Thunderstorms on in the forecast for Thursday. Some of them could be severe going into Friday. The high Thursday is expected to be 85 degrees.

Monday's high was 96. The overnight low was 70.

STATEWIDE — Warm to hot

temperatures were in store for Texas through midweek as a high-pressure system gained control of state weather patterns.

Patchy light fog formed over Southeast Texas early Tuesday, along with some low clouds in the Beaumont area.

Patchy mid- and high-level clouds moved into the Big Bend and far West Texas in the wake of showers and thunderstorms.

Skies elsewhere around the state were mostly clear.

Early-morning temperatures ranged from the 60s to 80s.

It was 62 degrees at Dalhart and 83 at El Paso and Del Rio.

Other readings were 66 degrees at Nacogdoches, 79 at Abilene and 71 at Conroe.

Tuesday's high was 108

degrees at Wink. El Paso had 102.

Winds were mainly southeasterly at 5 to 10 mph over the eastern three-fourths of the state. Winds were light and variable in the Big Bend and the northwest Panhandle, with westerly conditions at 10 to 15 mph in the El Paso area.

Isolated showers and thunderstorms could move into far western sections of South Texas by Wednesday.

Daytime highs should be in the upper 80s and 90s, with the normally warmer interior sections over 100 and near-record highs possible in the deep south. Highest readings could be about 110 degrees.

Lows overnight were expected in the 70s for most sections, with some low 80s in the deep south.

Calendar of events

PAMPA PRISON MINISTRY
The Pampa Prison Ministry meets the first Tuesday of every month at Central Baptist Church located at Francis and Starkweather at 7 p.m. sharp. For further information call Bob Andersen 665-4252 or J.B. Walker at 669-2266.

PANHANDLE ALLIANCE FOR THE MENTALLY ILL
A support group for the mentally ill and family members meet the second Thursday of the month at 7 p.m. at 218 N. Russell. There is no charge. For more information or if you need a ride all Sharon King, 665-2818.

TOP O' TEXAS RODEO ASSOCIATION
Top O' Texas Rodeo Association meets at 7:30 p.m. the first Monday of every month in the Nona S. Payne Room of Pampa Community Building.

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR
Pampa Chapter No. 65, Order of the Eastern Star meets the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. Meeting starts at 7:30 p.m. at 420 West Kingsmill.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST
Macedonia Baptist Church, 441 Elm, conducts prayer services at 7:30 a.m., 12 p.m. and 6 p.m. daily for the citizens of Pampa — the churches, the schools, etc. All are cordially invited to come and pray. For more information, call 665-4926.

OPEN DOOR AA
Open Door Alcoholics Anonymous at 910 Kentucky (across from Albertson's) meeting schedule - seven days a week - two meetings a day - noon till 1 p.m. no smoking, and Tuesday and Thursday 8-9 p.m. call 665-9702 for information.

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

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

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

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

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

CELEBRATION OF LIGHTS
The Celebration of Lights project will hold regular workshop meetings at 6:30 p.m. on Monday nights at 822 E. Foster. Anyone wishing to help with the project is invited to attend any workshop.

PAMPA DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB
The Pampa Duplicate Bridge Club plays

Monday at 1 p.m. and Thursdays at 10 a.m. at The Senior Citizen

BOY SCOUTS
Pampa Boy Scouts meet at 6:30 p.m. the first Thursday of each month at Caprock Apartments Clubhouse.

TRALEE CRISIS CENTER
Women's Support Group for Child Management offers parenting skills to assist parents and children in dealing with anger and behavioral issues resulting from peer pressure, sibling rivalry, family violence and/or sexual abuse from 7-8 p.m. Thursdays. For more information, call Tralee Crisis Center, 669-1131.

PAMPA ROTARY CLUB
Pampa Rotary Club meets at 12 noon every Wednesday at Pampa Country Club.

PAMPA CITIZENS PATROL ASSOCIATION
Pampa Citizens Patrol Association meets at 8 p.m. the second Saturday of each month at 1224 E. Francis.

NOTICE TO ALL VETERANS
To recognize the contributions Texas veterans have made to the liberty we enjoy, Memory Gardens Cemetery is assigning grave spaces to honorably discharged veterans of the U.S. Armed Forces. If you are a veteran, you may be qualified for free burial space. However, you must register to obtain the free plot and you must show proof of honorable discharge. A number of veterans' spaces are available. Certificates will be issued on a first come, first serve basis. For more information, call (806) 665-8921.

MONTHLY GOSPEL SINGING
First Pentecostal Holiness Church, 1700 Alcock, hosts a Gospel Singing from 2-4 p.m. every second Sunday of the month. Pastor Albert Maggard and the congregation of First Pentecostal cordially invites the public to attend. Singers and musicians from area churches participate in this informal congregational singing and enjoy various special vocal and instrumental presentations.

BEEF AMBASSADOR CONTEST
Top O' Texas CattleWomen is seeking youth between the ages of 15-19 to compete for the Beef Ambassador Award. For more information, contact Amy Brainard at (806) 323-6397.

BOOKMARK CONTEST
Lovett Memorial Library is sponsoring a bookmark contest this summer. The two winning bookmarks will be printed and used by the library in the future. **Deadline for entries is June 30.** Entry forms are available at the library. For more information, call 669-5780.

ARC SWIM LESSONS
Gray County Chapter of the American Red Cross will sponsor swim lessons June 4 through Aug. 3 at M.K. Brown Outdoor Pool. The classes will include Levels I, II, III, IV and V and will be offered in four sessions: June 4-15, June 18-29, July 9-20 and July 23-Aug. 3. Cost is \$35 and all fees are due prior to the session. Participants are encouraged to register now. For more information or to enroll, contact the local ARC office, 108 N. Russell, at 669-7121.

PY&C
Pampa Youth and Community Center will begin offering swim lessons June 4. The hour-long lessons will be conducted in two-week sessions, Monday through Friday, throughout the summer and include Levels I, II, III, IV and V. Payment is due upon registration. Enroll at 1005 W. Harvester. For more information, call 665-0748.

TRUE HERO CONTEST
YourTrueHero Website is sponsoring an essay competition, open to high school and college students, for the best story of a true hero. The grand prize will be a \$1,000 scholarship. The essays should be between 500 and 1,250 words, preferably detailing a non-famous hero (independently verifiable) and must not contain pornographic, obscene or hateful comments or passages. **Entry deadline is June 15, 2001.** For more information, write "Your True Hero, P.O. Box 4048, Amity Station, New Haven, CT 06525, call (203) 735-8117 or visit <http://www.yourtruehero.org> on the Internet or e-mail gary@www.yourtruehero.org on the World Wide Web.

FAPL BOOK SALE
Friends of the Amarillo Public Library will hold its annual Used Book Sale fund-raiser June 22-24 in the basement of Central Library, 4th and Buchanan. A preview for members only will be at 4 p.m., Friday, June 22. For more information or to join FAPL, call (806) 378-3051.

CROWN OF TEXAS HOSPICE
Crown of Texas Hospice will sponsor a "Sunshine Bereavement Lunch" at 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, June 27 at Furr's Cafeteria. Cost of the meal will range between \$5 and \$8. For more information, call 1-800-572-6365.

HCC DIALOGUE
The Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center will hold "Dialogue," a patient/family education support group sponsored by the cancer center and the American Cancer Society, Thursdays from 12 noon-1:30 p.m. this month. For more information, call Gerry Kelly at (806) 359-4673, ext. 235 or Stan McKeever at (806) 359-4673, ext. 141 or toll-free at 1-800-274-4673.

HARRINGTON CANCER CENTER
The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center has announced the following upcoming breast cancer screening clinics: June 11, First United Methodist Church Educational Building, 201 E. Foster, and June 26, Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency, 916 N. Crest, Pampa; June 6, 20 and 21, Hemphill County Hospital, Canadian; June 6, Family Care Center, Shamrock; June 11, Parkview Hospital, Wheeler; and June 13, First Baptist Church, White Deer. Participants will receive a low-cost self-exam mammogram and a breast health appraisal along with individual instruction by a registered nurse in breast self-examination. Funding is available through the Texas Department of Health for Texas residents who qualify for assistance. All exams are by appointment only. For more information, call (806) 356-1905 or 1-800-377-4673.

3D PROGRAM
Free weekly classes for the Christ-centered 3D program featuring the three Ds — Diet, Discipline and Discipleship — will begin soon.

The program will tailor an eating plan to suit the individual tastes and lifestyles of each participant. For more information, contact Judith Loyd, 665-6127; Jamee McCarty, 669-7869; or Frankie Hildenbrand, 669-3713.

HEIFER PROJECT INTERNATIONAL
First Presbyterian Church, 525 N. Gray, is currently accepting aluminum cans for recycling. Proceeds will benefit Heifer Project International, an Arkansas-based service organization which provides livestock (chickens, pigs, sheep, cattle) along with training and support services to families and communities worldwide. For a limited time, donations will be matched 3-1 by a private foundation. HPI is a non-denominational not-for-profit agency. For more information, call the church office at 665-1031. Office hours are 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Monday-Thursday, 9 a.m.-12 noon, Friday and before 10:45 a.m. Sunday. For more information about HPI, call 1-800-422-0474 or visit <http://www.heifer.org> on the Internet.

TEXAS FAN BOOKLET
Texas Financial Assistance Network booklet "How to Get Government Help to Pay Your Energy Bills" is currently available. The booklet gives information on how and where to obtain government help paying high utility bills. Consumers can receive a copy by sending \$5 to cover the cost of printing, postage and handling to: TX Financial Assistance Network, Government Help for Energy Bills Dept. GHEB-0108, P.O. Box 60848, Washington, DC 20039-0848. Information is also available at www.FinancialAssistanceNetwork.org on the Internet or by calling (202) 595-1027.

RX PROGRAM
The 2001 Rx Program makes available breathing medications and Nebulizers to patients who may have asthma, emphysema or COPD at no cost to qualifying recipients. For more information, call Dennis Karnes toll-free at 1-800-344-5764.

HOSPICELINK
Hospice Education Institute, a non-profit organization, has established HOSPICELINK, a national toll-free telephone hotline for people seeking information and education regarding hospice care. The service offers referrals to hospices in all 50 states and the District of Columbia and is available to consumers free of charge. HOSPICELINK maintains a continually updated computer database of all hospices, national and internationally, so referrals are accurate and appropriate to each patient's needs. For more information about HEL, call 1-800-331-1620. HOSPICELINK lines are open from 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m., weekdays, Eastern time.

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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Texas Editorials

By The Associated Press

A sampling of editorial opinion around Texas: Corpus Christi Caller-Times on victory for free press: Justices had misgivings about airing of taped phone conversation, but acted correctly in ruling for news organizations.

When a newspaper applauds a court decision as a victory for press freedom, there may be a suspicion in some quarters that such expressions of gratification are a bit self-serving.

That's hardly surprising. When such a ruling comes down — and especially when it comes down from the nation's highest court — it makes life easier for those who collect, report, interpret and publish the news.

There is, however, a home truth to which we must cling: When the free press wins a round, it wins not only for itself, but for those it serves.

Such was the case last week when a divided U.S. Supreme Court found the public's right to know should under certain circumstances take precedence over personal privacy.

This case was not a free-press slam-dunk, as indicated by the 6-3 vote on the case. It was shot through with tones of gray rather than stark blacks and whites.

The case came from Pennsylvania, where a cell phone conversation between two Philadelphia teachers' union officials involved in contentious labor negotiations was intercepted and taped by an unknown party. Copies of that tape found their way to newspapers and radio stations, and were subsequently made public.

The two parties to the call brought suit, claiming the recording of their conversation and the publishing thereof violated the federal wiretap statute. That law criminalizes the release of information gleaned from illegally taped conversations.

It was a tough call. For the majority, Justice John Paul Stevens wrote that the case embodied a clash between "the interest in full and free dissemination of information concerning public issues" and individuals' right to privacy.

Stevens pointed out that the framers of the Constitution could not have anticipated the technologies that made possible the recording of this material. And, he continued, in this instance a finding for the plaintiffs would have imposed "sanctions on the publication of truthful information of public concern."

This did not, then, represent carte blanche for news operations. It was a close call, and two justices from the majority — Stephen G. Breyer and Sandra Day O'Connor — hinted that had the facts been slightly different, they might have voted the other way.

On balance, though, this was an important victory for the media and the public. At the end of the day, the justice system must be very, very wary of tampering with the free flow of information and the free expression of opinions: That is what the Supreme Court affirmed in an admirable, fair-minded decision.

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PEDC is working hard for Pampa

In answer to your questions and comments: Having read Tuesday's Pampa News with the question, "What can be done to create more jobs in Pampa?", I feel compelled to provide some information that may be of interest.

Pampa's unemployment rate is currently 2.9 percent. That means with a workforce of 7,256, we have 211 people unemployed. Looking each Sunday, as I do, at the Help Wanted ads in the paper, you will notice that there are now some four or five columns with ads from companies looking for workers.

In addition to the ads, if you are unemployed, I encourage you to make a trip to the Texas Workforce Commission office, where I think you will find many jobs to choose from. The staff there will be glad to assist you and can even fill you in on the available re-training programs if you need them. Many of these programs consist of schooling, free of charge, which will make you a more viable employee to our various industries. Some even provide you a wage while you're re-training.

Addressing the comment that we need to help our local industries, PEDC has spent many dollars advertising and visiting with local employers about ways we can help. I invite any that we haven't visited with to come by and



Susan Tripplehorn

Guest column

learn about these programs.

As to the comment that we need to stop spending money on out-of-state companies that "can't make it on their own," we have, in our 10-year history, only assisted two out-of-state companies. Guardian Corrosion, one that made it, is doing quite well. And, one that didn't make it. We regret very much that those 100 jobs were not created and that lots of money was spent, yet they did employ over 50 for almost a year, and that 50 returned over \$700,000 to our economy. That was four years ago, and it's time to move past that. If we could take it back, we would. Unfortunately, most of the time in life, you don't get "overs."

The comment that there are rumors circulat-

ing that industries want to come to Pampa but are discouraged, is just NOT true. The Pampa Chamber and PEDC constantly work to recruit industry and we discourage no one. We could not survive in the economic development world if we were known as a town that is selective. We simply can't afford to refuse jobs when they're offered!

Economic development is a tough business and with 430-plus cities in Texas, as well as every state in the United States doing the same thing, the competition is severe. I encourage you to drop by my office and visit any time with your questions and concerns. If you can't come by, please give me a call at 665-5553. I welcome your input and advice.

On a positive note, before I close, I consider Pampa's economy to be stronger now than at any time over the last six years (that's how long I've been doing economic development). Our unemployment rate has never been lower, and our sales tax revenue is on the rise. With your positive attitudes and your encouragement, there's no stopping us from growth and prosperity! I believe in a "Can Do attitude and I'm Positive About Pampa!" (Thank you Dr. Joe!)

—Susan Tripplehorn is executive director of Pampa Economic Development Corp.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Tuesday, June 12, the 163rd day of 2001. There are 202 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On June 12, 1939, the National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum was dedicated in Cooperstown, N.Y.

On this date:
 In 1776, Virginia's colonial legislature became the first to adopt a Bill of Rights.

In 1838, the Iowa Territory was organized.

In 1898, Philippine nationalists declared independence from Spain.

In 1963, civil rights leader Medgar Evers was fatally shot in front of his home in Jackson, Miss.

In 1963, one of Hollywood's most notoriously expensive productions, "Cleopatra," starring Elizabeth Taylor, Richard Burton and Rex Harrison, premiered in

New York.

In 1967, the Supreme Court struck down state laws prohibiting interracial marriages.

In 1971, Tricia Nixon and Edward F. Cox were married in the White House Rose Garden.

In 1979, 26-year-old cyclist Bryan Allen flew the man-powered Gossamer Albatross across the English Channel.

In 1981, major league baseball players began a 49-day strike over the issue of free-agent compensation. (The season did not resume until Aug. 10.)

In 1987, President Reagan, during a visit to the divided German city of Berlin, publicly challenged Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev to "tear down this wall."

Ten years ago: Russians went to the polls to elect Boris N. Yeltsin president of their republic. The Mount Pinatubo volcano in the

Philippines began erupting. The Chicago Bulls won their first NBA championship, defeating the Los Angeles Lakers four games to one.

Five years ago: A panel of federal judges in Philadelphia blocked a law against indecency on the Internet, saying the 1996 Communications Decency Act would unlawfully chill adults' free-speech rights. Senate Republicans overwhelmingly chose Trent Lott to succeed Bob Dole as majority leader.

One year ago: The Supreme Court, in a unanimous ruling, said patients cannot use a federal law to sue HMOs for giving doctors a financial incentive to cut treatment costs.

Today's Birthdays: Banker David Rockefeller is 86. Movie producer Samuel Z. Arkoff is 83. Actress Uta Hagen is 82. Former President George Bush is 77. Singer Vic Damone is 73. Actor-

singer Jim Nabors is 71. Jazz musician Chick Corea is 60. Sportscaster Marv Albert is 60. Rock singer Reg Presley (The Troggs) is 58. Rock singer-musician Brad Delp (Boston) is 50. Rock musician Bun E. Carlos (Cheap Trick) is 50. Country singer-musician Junior Brown is 49. Singer-songwriter Rocky Burnette is 48. Actor Timothy Busfield is 44. Actress Jenilee Harrison is 42. Rock musician John Linnell (They Might Be Giants) is 42. Rapper Grandmaster Dee (Whodini) is 39. Actress Paula Marshall ("The Weber Show") is 37. Blues musician Kenny Wayne Shepherd is 24. Actor Wil Horneff is 22. Singer Robyn is 22.

Thought for Today: "Whoever wants to know the heart and mind of America had better learn baseball, the rules and realities of the game." — Jacques Barzun, French-born American author.

Education can be defined by its content

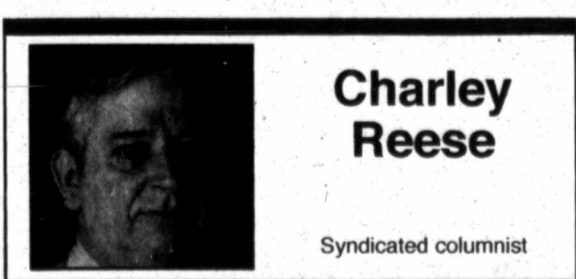
In all the hoopla and babble about education these days, the single most important point is being completely ignored.

That's content. Education is good or evil depending on the content. An educational system designed to graduate semiliterate, young socialists who are atheistic and hostile to their own country, to capitalism and to liberty is not a system sensible Americans would want their children involved in.

Let's do a bit of clarifying on this subject.

Slate-controlled education is a high priority of every totalitarian state now or in the past. V.I. Lenin said it plainly: "Give me four years to teach the children, and the seed I have sown will never be uprooted." In fact, even democracies and liberal monarchies saw public schools as a means of indoctrinating and training citizens. The point is simply this: Government schools are by design established and run to serve government purposes. These purposes will change as the people who control the government change.

Though France set up the first central education system, the model most admired and adopted in America was the Prussian one. In 19th-century America, there were many bitter battles fought as government-education proponents sought to impose a system incorporating three points: tax-supported, government-controlled, and the absence of all religious instruction.



Charley Reese

Syndicated columnist

As opponents of the government school system argued in the 1800s, if you remove Christianity from the schools, then inevitably it will be replaced by the state religion of secular humanism. History has proven them correct.

So it's important to remember that education is not a synonym for the government's educational system. There are many ways to educate children. The government-funded, government-controlled secular system is only one of them.

And whether you wish your children to be a part of that government system should depend on what it is teaching as well as its ability to provide a healthy and safe environment. Good luck trying to find out. Most educational bureaucrats take the position that they are the high priests and that peasant parents should not interfere or ask too many questions. Just supply kids and money and keep your mouth shut.

Based on my observation of the products of

this government system, I think all who can should withdraw their children and their support from it. I recognize, of course, that with 15,000 separate school districts, there are some government schools that do a good job. My own children attended public schools. Still, the trend is toward even more indoctrination rather than true education, and if I had to start over today, I'd find a way to keep them in private schools.

In 19th-century America, education was targeted, as it ought to be, to fit the needs of the people. There was no need for a young man who intended to be a blacksmith to learn Greek and Latin. He was apprenticed to a blacksmith and taught enough reading and arithmetic to run his business. One of the most successful and intellectually esteemed individuals in American history was a product of this system — Benjamin Franklin.

Franklin received no more than two years of formal schooling, but at an age when Americans today are graduating from high school, Franklin was already successful and well-established in his chosen field.

To pad their own jobs, the government bureaucrats have stretched the length of time required to earn education certificates. A young American today has already wasted nearly a third or more of his life sitting in government institutions before he can even begin his vocation.

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Residents return home to devastation; at least 20 die as result of flood

By PAM EASTON
Associated Press Writer

HOUSTON (AP) — While Mike Sickles saved many of his neighbors from a deadly flood over the weekend, he could only watch Monday as his two rare tropical fish gasped for oxygen after storm waters filled their home and his.

"I got a lot of people out of their second stories," Sickles said after spending Saturday trolling his neighborhood in his boat to rescue those trapped by the flood. "I basically was trying to get everybody out. We could hear the air-boats elsewhere, but no one from the rescue crews came down here."

Many of Sickles' East Houston neighbors returned to their flood ravaged homes Monday, some of which were almost completely submerged a day earlier.

Drownings claimed most of the lives lost in the storm and its aftermath, with a death toll of at least 20.

Kathy Vossler found insulation from her second floor hanging down into the first. Her ceiling is now the floor. Her double-door refrigerator is on its side in the middle of the kitchen floor, one of the doors folded beneath it.

"It's amazing what the power of water can do," Vossler said, holding back tears as she sat on the back of a pickup truck, waiting for insurance adjusters to show up at her home not far from Greens Bayou. "You walk in and the ceiling insulation hits you in the face and it smells like bad fish."

The Houston attorney is not alone.

Some 20,000 Houston-area families also faced the same heartache, as they returned home to pick up the pieces. Mattresses, computers, televisions, carpeting and bookshelves quickly piled up on previously flooded residential streets.

"When you get 28 inches of rain like most areas of Houston got and you live by one of the creeks or bayous you're, well, up

a creek," said John Siggins, manager of Eagle Transmission in Friendswood, a repair shop that has taken in a number of flooded out cars.

Dayon Kane's family missed the first round when Allison flooded Friendswood, south of Houston, a week ago. They weren't so lucky when the storm returned Friday night.

"In less than two hours, the whole neighborhood went," Kane said. "We were lucky to get our cars out."

That's about all he saved. Kane spent Monday spraying his home with disinfectant, pulling out carpets and carrying flood-soaked clothes, furniture and electronics to the curb. He also punched holes in his walls to allow them to dry out.

"Mud is just everywhere," he said. "All of our furniture is in different rooms of the house. I don't know how to describe it. It's eerie."

The bulk of the residential damage was on Houston's east side where Greens Bayou and Halls Bayou had strayed far from their banks and swamped neighborhoods, like Sickles'.

Most of the rest of the nation's fourth-largest city, however, appeared near normal on what Mayor Lee Brown declared a "day of recovery." Freeways were open. Water was back within the banks of bayous.

At least 20 deaths in Texas were blamed on the deluges brought by Allison, which first came ashore in Southeast Texas seven days ago as the first named storm of the new Atlantic hurricane season. After flooding coastal areas, it drifted into East Texas, then returned Friday to the Houston-area where as much as 3 feet of rain fell in some parts of the city.

"This is the most devastating widespread flooding we've seen in recent history," said Harris County Judge Robert Eckels.

As many as 17 of the deaths appear to be from drowning, and three others were electrocutions, the Harris County Medical Examiner's Office said.

Salvation Army Home League



(Special photo)
Pampa's Salvation Army Home League ladies recently participated in Women's Camp 2001. The camp, entitled "Recipe for Joy," was attended by 700 women including nine members from Pampa. Above: (left-right) Margie Turner won second place in the camp's Taster's Choice Bake Off for her banana nut bread and Margaret Balay received third place for her peanut brittle; Joann Franklin took home the prestigious "Spotlight on Women" award; and Captain Delores Watts accepted a plaque honoring the local Salvation Army for 1999-2000.

BRIEFS

Bush opens first European trip with pledge to be loyal ally

MADRID, Spain (AP) — President Bush began his first official trip to Europe eager to sell his missile defense system, support NATO expansion and assure U.S. allies that despite trans-Atlantic tensions, they have a "trustworthy friend" in Washington. Upon landing at Madrid's airport Tuesday, the president and first lady Laura Bush were greeted by a few Spanish dignitaries, then headed to Zarzuela Palace to meet with King Juan Carlos and Queen Sofia. Bush was meeting later with Spanish Prime Minister Jose Maria Aznar at Aznar's ranch. European leaders have criticized Bush's condemnation of the 1997 Kyoto treaty on global warming and expect to raise the issue with him. The president also faces questions on his proposed missile-defense plan, trade disputes, peacekeeping troops in the Balkans and expanding NATO's membership.

Philippine rebels claim American captive executed

ZAMBOANGA, Philippines (AP) — Muslim rebels claimed Tuesday that they beheaded one of three American hostages and threatened to kill more of their captives on a jungle-covered island despite a concession by the Philippine government. Abu Sabaya, the leader of the Abu Sayyaf separatist group, said the rebels killed Guillermo Sobero, of Corona, Calif., because they doubted the sincerity of a government offer to give in to the single demand they have made during a violent hostage crisis now in its third week. "We've chopped off his head because we ... can see that the government wants to outsmart us with these negotiators. What are we stupid?" Sabaya said over Radio Mindanao Network. "So we've cut off negotiations. We will call again when we've beheaded another to let them know." Military officials at first expressed doubt that Sabaya was telling the truth. But Chief of Staff Diomedio Villanueva said later Tuesday that military intelligence reports suggested Sobero was killed.

Former dictator Suharto admitted to hospital

JAKARTA, Indonesia (AP) — Indonesia's former President Suharto was admitted to a Jakarta hospital Tuesday. No details were released about his condition. Unconfirmed reports said the longtime dictator collapsed at his central Jakarta home. Suharto was admitted to a VIP ward at the state-run Pertamina Hospital after he was brought in by two of his six children, his son Bambang and daughter Mami, said hospital spokeswoman Tuti Dwi

Patmayanti. Suharto's lawyer, Mohammad Assegaf confirmed that Suharto, who turned 80 on Friday, was being treated by doctors, but refused to disclose details. Suharto, who has suffered several strokes in recent years, has been treated regularly and undergone checkups at Pertamina Hospital.

Overnight shooting shatters truce in Macedonia

SKOPJE, Macedonia (AP) — An intense exchange of gunfire

early Tuesday in northwestern Macedonia threatened to scuttle the shaky truce that government forces and ethnic Albanian rebels declared a day earlier. On the outskirts of Macedonia's second-largest city, Tetovo, a truck carrying policemen to a checkpoint in the battle area came under machine-gun fire from rebel positions late Monday. Two policemen were shot and several others were injured when they fell off the truck, police spokesman Stevo Pendarovski

said. The ensuing shootout lasted until dawn Tuesday, Pendarovski said, despite the warring sides' pledge to hold their fire to avoid deepening the crisis. As the separate ceasefire announcements were made Monday, the government said it would use the lull in fighting to allow food to reach thousands of civilians in battered villages and alleviate water shortages in Kumanovo, a government-controlled city where rebels took control of its nearby reservoir more than a week ago.

Orr students perform in spring piano recital

Piano students of Myrna Orr were presented in a Spring Recital held recently at Tarpleys' Recital Hall. Some of the numbers played in the First Recital were: "When the Saints Go Marching In" by Garrett Coutts, "Black Cat Boogie" by Emily Hart, "Southampton" by Sara Hall, "Memory" by Abbey Parker, "In This Life" by Stacie Carter and "Musette" by Caitlin Walker.

Others performing were Tate Collis, Katie Barnes, Kira Chumbley, Valerie Rushing, Ashley Knipp, Billy Hightower, Samantha Turley, Consuelo Hacker, Hannah Hopkins, Maggie Hopkins, Kelly Smith and Maggie Hopkins.

Duets performed were "Beauty and the Beast" by Katie Barnes and Mrs. Orr and "Anchors Aweigh" by Ashley Knipp and Orr.

Some of the piano group numbers played were "Syncopated Flute" by Consuelo Hacker, Ashley Knipp, Kira Chumbley and Orr and "Ruben and Rachel" by Knipp, Chumbley, Hacker, Sara Hall, Abbey Parker, Billy Hightower, Stacie Carter and Mrs. Orr.

Three seniors were presented in the First and Second Recital. They were Kira Chumbley playing "Butterfly Kisses," "The Day He Wore My Crown" and "The Greatest Love of All"; Consuelo Hacker playing "If I Never Knew You," "Everything I Do" and "Kissing You"; and Ashley Knipp performing "Cherish The Moment," "Hungary" and "Time To Say Goodbye."

Some of the numbers rendered in the Second Recital were "Dixieland Jam" by Monica Schepp, "My Heart Will Go" by Rachel Heuston, "Little Indian Brave" by Samantha Kelly, "Fur Elise" by Luke Bailey and "A Whole New World" by Gabby Lindsay. Others playing were: Kelly Smith, Marisela Rodriguez, Alex Ragsdale, Bobby Haley, Jenee Norris, Cama Niccum, Gabby Powell, Bill Haley, Jerry Tice, Kylee Wyatt, Shauna Friend, Landon Powell, Michelle Cox, Scott Kelly and Malorie Tice.

Some of the duets played were "Monkey Business" by Monica Schepp and Orr, "The Silly Scarecrow" by Rachel Heuston and Orr; and "Ode To Joy" by Jerry Tice and Orr.

Group numbers performed were "Stars and Stripes Forever" by Consuelo Hacker, Kira Chumbley, Ashley Knipp, Abbey Parker, Malorie Tice, Stacie Carter and Mrs. Orr; "Rueben and Rachel" by Cama Niccum, Carter, Parker and Orr; "La Fiesta" by Tice, Luke Bailey, Parker, Gabby Lindsay, Carter and Orr.

Parents arrested after authorities find 8-year-old daughter in closet

HUTCHINS, Texas (AP) — A suburban South Dallas couple has been charged with felonies after authorities found the woman's 8-year-old daughter kept in a closet, officials said Tuesday.

Hutchins police say the girl was just three feet tall and weighed just 25 pounds. They believe the girl had been kept in the closet for at least four months.

"They showed her a TV monitor, and she didn't know what a TV was. They showed her a picture of a son, and she said she

didn't know what the sun was. She told them she was two years old when they asked her how old she was, so it's very obvious that she's been neglected for awhile," Assistant Police Chief David Landers told Dallas television station WFAA.

Police Chief Gregory Griffin said the girl was found in the filthy 4- by 8-foot closet, wearing soiled clothing. The girl was taken to Children's Medical Center of Dallas for treatment of malnutrition, Griffin said. No identities had been released as of Tuesday.

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PAMPA — The KGRO-KOMX City Golf Tournament will be held June 23-24 at Hidden Hills.

The tournament is open to all local residents with a handicap card. Entry fee is \$45.

There will be flights for men, women and seniors. There will be a separate flight for seniors over 60.

Stop by Hidden Hills or call 669-5866 to enter.

TENNIS

PARIS (AP) — Tennis' Grand Slam tournaments will double the number of seeded players to 32, with the order determined using a formula that assesses past performance on the event's playing surface.

The changes by Wimbledon and the French, Australian and U.S. Open were announced following four days of meetings at Roland Garros. The Grand Slam committee approved the moves partly in response to complaints by clay-court specialists that Wimbledon's previous seeding system was unfair.

The new system, to be implemented immediately, ensures that the top 32 players in the ATP and WTA rankings will be seeded.

The order of the 32 seeded women at Wimbledon again will be determined by the seeding committee. A surface-based system for women will be adopted starting next year.

BASEBALL

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Texas Rangers manager Jerry Narron received a vote of confidence from the front office, then got another one from his power-packed lineup.

The Rangers hit four home runs Monday night in a 12-7 interleague victory over the Los Angeles Dodgers. Rafael Palmeiro hit two of them, Ivan Rodriguez homered for the fourth straight game and Mike Young had his first in the majors.

"We definitely have a very good offensive club," Narron said. "We just haven't been able to put it together for any length of time, but we've been playing better over the last couple of weeks. It was great to see Palmeiro have a big night."

Narron, 11-23 since replacing Johnny Oates as manager on May 4, signed a contract extension Monday that will go through 2003. Despite the victory, the Rangers are 26 1/2 games behind Seattle in the AL West.

In Monday night's only other interleague game, Toronto defeated Atlanta 9-4.

A 22-40 record wasn't what Alex Rodriguez had in mind when he signed a 10-year, \$252 contract with the Rangers on Dec. 11. During his five full seasons in Seattle, the Mariners finished a combined 26 1/2 games off the pace — subtracting the six games they won the division by in 1997.

"We never expected to play this poorly so early on," Rodriguez said. "And I don't think anyone expected Seattle to be so dominant and have the best record in the history of the game, at this point. So even if we were playing great, we'd probably be 14 or 15 games out."

Ruben Sierra added to the rout of Luke Prokopec (6-3) and three relievers with an RBI single in the fourth, a sacrifice fly in the sixth and a two-run double in the eighth. He entered the game in the second after Rusty Greer strained his left hamstring.

Flashback

1992: Groom advanced to the playoffs by defeating Miami 52-6 in a six-man football game.

Paul McLaughlin ran for two touchdowns and Wes Hall caught two touchdown passes from Bo Burgin.

PAMPA — Robbie Dixon and Brett Ferrell combined for a two-hit shutout of Triangle Well Servicing Monday in Miami in the Pampa Optimist 11-12 City Tournament as Glo-Valve prevailed 8-0.

Dixon entered the game in the third inning and allowed only two base runners the rest of the game, one by a hit and one by a walk. He struck out four. Ferrell struck out three and allowed one hit in two innings.

Triangle hit the ball, but generally right at somebody as Glo-Valve had nine assists in a well-played defensive game. Ferrell had five assists. Bobby Sikes made seven putouts at first base.

Garrett Eggleston made the defensive play of the game for Glo-Valve with a running catch in right field.

Glo-Valve lost the coin flip and batted first as the visiting team. Jonathan Carr lashed a double with one out. He came around to score on a single by Ferrell. Ferrell went to second on a wild pitch and to third on an infield single by Dixon. Dixon was permitted to take second base. Sikes cracked a double to right field to bring in both runners. Glo-Valve led 3-0.

In the second inning, Travis Marsh beat out an infield single and was forced at second by Carr. Ferrell tripled him home

and scored on Dixon's second infield single for a 5-0 Glo-Valve advantage.

With two outs in the third inning, Marsh was safe on an error. LaKeith Towles smashed a triple and was awarded home when the throw to third bounced out of play. In the fourth inning, Dixon was safe on a fielder's choice by forcing Ferrell at second. He advanced two bases on wild pitches and scored the final run of the game on a passed ball.

Ferrell, with two runs, two hits, including a triple, and two RBI, was Glo-Valve's leading hitter. Dixon had two runs, two hits and one RBI. Billy Bryan

and Blake Nusser had Triangle's hits.

Colden Fortenberry, Nusser and Jake Diggs pitched for Triangle. Fortenberry allowed five earned runs and seven hits. He struck out six and hit a batter. Nusser surrendered one unearned run and two hits with one hit batter. He struck out three. Diggs struck out one and walked one allowing no runs or hits.

Cameron Swarb tossed to Nusser to catch a runner trying to steal home for the defensive play of the game for Triangle.

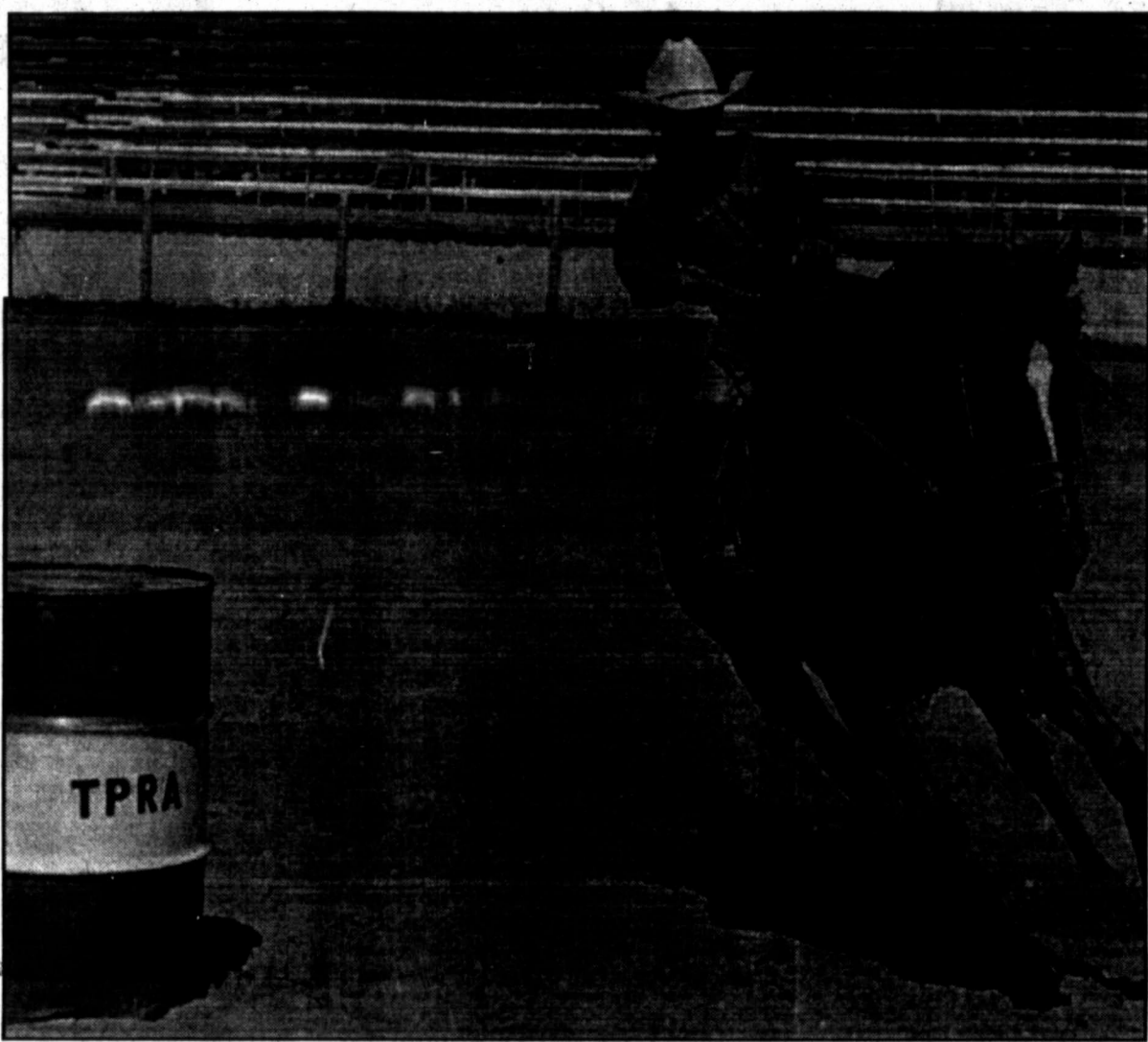
In the early game, Rotary Club edged Bill Allison Auto Sales 8-5. Marcos Campos took over pitching for Rotary with the game tied at five in the fifth inning. He shut out Allison the rest of the way. He led off the bottom of the fifth with a cannon shot over the head of the left fielder and cir-

led the bases before the ball got back to the infield. The home run ignited a three-run rally. Brandon Ball followed with a double and scored on an inside the park home run by Kenny Hightower to provide the final margin of victory for Rotary.

The City Tournament will continue this week with each team playing every day. The field at Miami has been utilized to provide the opportunity for each team to play every other team in the league in the first round of the tournament.

Tonight, Rotary and Triangle will clash at 5:45 p.m. in Pampa. The late game will feature Celanese and Pampa Cyber Net. In Miami, Bill Allison and Glo-Valve play the first game while Cabot Corporation plays Duncan, Fraser, & Bridges in the second game.

Little barrel racer



(Pampa News photo)

Kelby Chace of Cherokee, Okla. competes in barrel racing at the Northwest Oklahoma Junior Rodeo held recently in Pampa. Young cowboys and cowgirls will be competing again during the Kid Pony Show July 8-10. The Kid Pony Show is held in conjunction with the Top O' Texas Rodeo.

Major League standings

National League At A Glance					American League At A Glance								
By The Associated Press All Times EDT					By The Associated Press All Times EDT								
East Division					East Division								
W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB		
Philadelphia	37	24	.607	—	Atlanta	36	25	.590	—	Boston	36	25	.590
Atlanta	34	28	.548	1/2	New York	34	27	.557	2	Toronto	30	33	.476
Florida	30	31	.492	7	Toronto	30	33	.476	7	Baltimore	29	32	.475
New York	27	36	.429	11	Baltimore	29	32	.475	7	Tampa Bay	18	44	.290
Montreal	24	39	.381	14	Tampa Bay	18	44	.290	1/2	Central Division			
Central Division					W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB	
Chicago	37	23	.617	—	Cleveland	39	21	.650	—	Cleveland	39	21	.650
St. Louis	33	29	.532	5	Houston	31	29	.517	6	Minnesota	39	22	.639
Houston	31	29	.517	6	Chicago	27	32	.458	11/2	Chicago	27	32	.458
Milwaukee	30	30	.500	7	Cincinnati	25	34	.424	13/2	Detroit	25	34	.424
Cincinnati	25	36	.410	12 1/2	Pittsburgh	19	41	.317	18	Kansas City	22	40	.355
Pittsburgh	19	41	.317	18	West Division			W	L	Pct	GB		
West Division					W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB	
Arizona	38	25	.603	—	Seattle	48	13	.787	—	Seattle	48	13	.787
Los Angeles	34	30	.531	1/2	Anaheim	31	30	.508	17	Anaheim	31	30	.508
Colorado	32	30	.516	1/2	Oakland	30	31	.492	18	Oakland	30	31	.492
San Francisco	31	32	.492	7	Texas	22	40	.355	1/2	Texas	22	40	.355
San Diego	29	34	.460	9	Sunday's Games			Florida	7	Toronto	2		
Sunday's Games					Florida	7	Toronto	2	Boston	5	Philadelphia	4	
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Boston	5	Philadelphia	4	Milwaukee	8	Detroit	3	Cincinnati	9	Cleveland	3		
Milwaukee	8	Detroit	3	Cincinnati	9	Cleveland	3	N.Y. Mets	10	Tampa Bay	0		
Cincinnati	9	Cleveland	3	N.Y. Mets	10	Tampa Bay	0	Baltimore	3	Montreal	2		
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Colorado	12	St. Louis	3	Anaheim	6	Los Angeles	5	Los Angeles	5	Los Angeles	5		
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Seattle	8	San Diego	1	Los Angeles	5	Los Angeles	5	Los Angeles	5	Los Angeles	5		
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Atlanta	4	N.Y. Yankees	1	Los Angeles	5	Los Angeles	5	Los Angeles	5	Los Angeles	5		
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Celanese wins last two regular-season games in 11-12 play

PAMPA — Celanese finished the regular season in the Optimist Cal Ripken League by winning its last two games.

Celanese posted an 18-9 win over Bill Allison Auto despite having only eight players from the second inning on. Celanese was left one player short when Josh Rios suffered an eye injury in the bottom of the second inning. He was treated at the hospital emergency room.

Tyler Hall picked up the mound win for Celanese. He didn't allow a hit while giving up two runs, striking out three, walking three, and hitting two batters.

Colby Copeland knocked in four runs for Celanese with a double and three singles. Jad McGuire had two doubles, a single and one RBI while Hall had two singles and one RBI. Taylor Smith had a double and two RBI, and Justin Sealman had a single and one RBI. Drayton Roberts and Tory Combs were Allison's leading hitters. Roberts had a double, single and one RBI, while Combs had two singles and one RBI.

Celanese defeated Rotary 9-6 in the other game. Tanner Dyson was the winning pitcher, giving up two runs on one hit while walking one.

Colby Copeland and Tyler Hall led the Celanese hitting attack. Copeland had a triple, single and one RBI, while Hall had a pair of singles. Others with hits were Dyson (single, 2 RBI); Taylor Smith (single, RBI) and Justin Sealman (single). Jad McGuire had an RBI. Copeland and Dyson each scored two runs.

Marcos Campos and Coltan Barton led Rotary at the plate. Campos had a triple, single and one RBI, while Barton had a double, single and one RBI. Mark

Stone, Kenny Hightower and Rusty Snider each had a single.

In other 11-12 action, Rotary won over Cabot 13-6.

Rusty Snider got the mound win after coming on in relief in the third inning. He didn't allow a run while giving up three hits and striking out four.

Snider and Marcos Campos led their team in hitting. Snider had a triple and two singles, and Campos had a triple and two singles. Campos, Stone and Michael Robinson scored three runs apiece.

Mark Stone batted in three runs with a home run and triple, while Michael Robinson had a single and two RBI, and Kenny Hightower, a double.

Shane Davis, Alex Torres and Nick Dudley each had a double for Cabot. Ray McIntyre had a single. Davis also scored two runs.

Triangle downed Duncan, Fraser & Bridges 7-1 in more 11-12 league action.

Blake Nusser, the winning pitcher, struck out 14 DFB batters while giving up one run on four hits and walking two.

For Triangle, Matt Furgason batted in three runs with three singles. Colden Fortenberry had a double, two singles, and two RBI. Fortenberry also scored three times. Jake Diggs had three singles and two RBI. Other Triangle players with hits were Cameron Swarb (two singles), Jon Maciel (one single, one RBI) and Nusser (one single).

Drew Williams had two singles and an RBI to lead DFB. Chase Harris, Colby Greenhouse and Jerrod Bivens had one single apiece.

Openings are still available for Dean Weese Basketball Camp

PAMPA — Several openings are still available for the Dean Weese Basketball Camp June 18-21 at Pampa High's McNeely Fieldhouse.

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putting high school girls' basketball on the map in Texas. He combined for 10 state titles while coaching at Levelland and Spearman. As a collegiate coach at Wayland Baptist University, Weese led the Flying Queens to several national championships.

Weese, who is now retired, finished his career with a combined record of 1,207 wins and 197 losses.

The camp is for incoming 3rd through 5th graders (9

a.m.-11 a.m. camp times) and incoming 6th through 8th graders (12:30 p.m.-2:30 p.m. camp times).

The fee is \$60 per camper.

In conjunction with this regular camp, Weese will also conduct a Shooting Camp June 18, 19 and 21 for incoming 9th through 12th graders, both boys and girls.

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Dallas Stars expect decision on Brett Hull, potential free agents

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas Stars forward Brett Hull is in a waiting game with the Dallas Stars, who plan to contact the team's potential unrestricted free agents after reviewing their needs.

The Stars hold options for next season on Hull, who scored 39 goals, and 39-year-old defenseman Grant Ledyard. The team has spent the past several weeks on evaluation and planning. Stars general

manager Bob Gainey said Monday that he will now be contacting potential unrestricted free agents. Those unrestricted on July 1 include Mike Keane, Kirk Muller and John MacLean — the

Grumpy Old Men line. "I haven't spoken to any of them, but now we have a little clearer picture of what we want to do," said Gainey. However, he indicated that the Stars do not plan to alter the

core of their team through trades, despite their second-round elimination by the St. Louis Blues. "I can't say that will happen," said Gainey. "I haven't had a conversation, or don't have any

reason to believe the core of our team will change. It isn't something that we're pursuing." That would mean the return of goaltender Ed Belfour, the top four defensemen and the team's top six forwards.

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~ Business Review ~

Moore's creativity talents displayed

An exceedingly talented woman, Lynne Moore displays her creativity in her two businesses. Expressively Yours is a catering business while Lynne Moore Interiors concentrates on interior design.

A Pampa native, Moore graduated from Texas Tech in May, 1985 with a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Interior Design. She was one of the first designers to be licensed by the state in Feb., 1993. She moved back to her home-

town in 1988. While one of her first projects in the local community was to redesign Dos Caballeros when it was remodeled in 1993, she works extensively in home design.

"Good design never goes out of style," said Moore, "and the home should be a reflection of the owners, not the designer. It's not just a house- it's a home."

She has a background of space planning, lighting and construction. Among the classes she took

during her formal training are art history, floor plans, lighting, construction and space planning. She also has a background of training in meeting the requirements of the American Disabilities Act for handicapped people.

Moore completes eight hours continuous education studies each year to maintain her license while also keeping up to date on the latest changes in the industry. Expressively Yours is a catering

business which specializes in finger foods. She has been involved in the catering business since 1988.

Weddings and anniversaries are a specialty of the young woman.

"It is a blessing to me to be involved with couples on such a special day," said Moore. "I want the day to be special for the couple."

Moore is always willing to do special concoctions for the occa-

sions. A special talent of hers is food carvings and unique creations for the special times.

"We have catered many, many weddings in Pampa and in area towns," she said.

Her creative talent is revealed in the unique, unusual cakes she creates for weddings, anniversaries and other special occasions. She also has unique table settings, which include brass and silver.

"We try to make the couples day as perfect as possible, and to make their reception as unique as they are," she said.

She said some people just rent the equipment while others want her to cater the entire occasion.

Moore said her catering does not include sit-down affairs.

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