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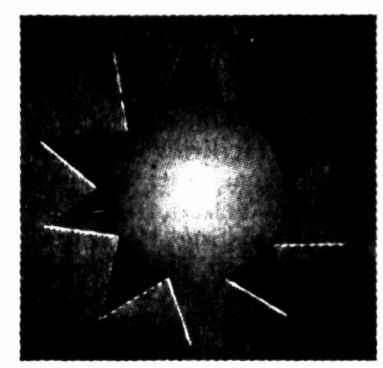
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Pampa, Gray County Commissions to meet

A special joint meeting between the Gray County Commissioners Court and the Pampa City Commission to discuss economic development negotiations will be at 3 p.m. Monday, July 9, in the county courtroom of the Gray County Courthouse.

The meeting will be behind closed doors, according to the meeting agenda. County Commission members will also meet in executive session regarding pending or contemplated litigation.

ACT I children's show auditions

PAMPA — ACT I Community Theatre will hold auditions for its Children's Summer Show presentation "The Prince and the Pauper" from 4-6 p.m., Monday, July 9 and from 5-7 p.m., Tuesday, July 10 at its theater in the Pampa Mall.

Free pap tests Thursday at Planned Parenthood

Planned Parenthood of Pampa is offering a free pap smear day for eligible women, ages 45 to 65. Appointments encouraged but not necessary. Walk-ins welcome. The free tests will be at Planned Parenthood of Pampa, 408 West Kingsmill all day on Thursday.

- Lucille Clothier, 81, served in the WAVES in WW II.
- Ruby Lankford, 89, musician, piano teacher.
- Rosamond Allen Reeves, 70, former director Pampa United Way.

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Hog research facility plans to locate here

Public meeting with firm officials set Tuesday night

By KATE B. DICKSON
Associate Publisher

A hog operation — in the form of a swine genetics research facility — is planned for Gray County and representatives of the company will meet with the public Tuesday night at 7 at M.K. Brown Civic Auditorium.

The Pampa Economic Development Commission will host the meeting where National Pig Development (USA) officials will make a presentation and answer questions from area residents, according to a joint PEDC-NPD news release issued Friday.

Contacted at NPD offices in Roanoke Rapids, N.C.,

spokesman Tyler Bishop told *The Pampa News* that facility plans call for 3,700 sows from farrow to finish. He said the operation would develop breeding stock for other farms.

Founded in 1969 in Yorkshire, England, NPD has grown to become one of the world's leaders in swine genetics, the release said. NPD genetics research has produced the leanest hog in large-scale commercial production in the United States.

In the release, PEDC Executive Director Susan Triplehorn said, "I encourage everyone to attend the public information meeting to hear about this exciting project."

Triplehorn spoke to the Pampa Kiwanis Club on Friday and told *The Pampa News* she read the news release to the civic club members.

"I told them NPD on Tuesday night will address the issues that are on everyone's mind ... odor, water and the environment," Triplehorn said.

To date, NPD has not filed for a permit with the Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission, company spokesman Bishop said. He said NPD representatives typically have a public hearing with members of the community involved before making application.

"We find (the meetings) helpful," he said.

Earlier this year, Agri-Waste Technology, Inc., a Raleigh, N.C., agricultural production waste

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PEDC Executive Director Susan Triplehorn talks about the project Friday with members of the Pampa Kiwanis Club.

Hutchinson-Moore Co. hog farm permit nears approval

By NANCY YOUNG
Managing Editor

Gray County isn't the only proposed location for a hog facility.

A hog farm operation is also in the works in the northwest corner of Hutchinson County and the northeast corner of Moore County.

Seaboard Corporation has applied for a permit with the Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission to construct a facility to feed up to 88,300 pigs in the neighboring counties of Hutchinson and Moore.

A spokeswoman in the TNRC office in Austin said Friday afternoon that the permit "is close to being approved." She said that by state law the state office must respond by mail to all comments,

which have been made regarding the proposed pig operation.

If the TNRC grants the permit to Seaboard, the public will have 20 days to ask the state agency for reconsideration. She also said the agency will mail a copy of the comments, either for or against, to anyone who has asked to be placed on that list.

Seaboard Corporation is a domestic pork production and processing corporation.

A Seaboard pork processing plant has been in operation at Gaymon, Okla., since the mid-90s.

The proposed construction of a 7,560 cow dairy facility by M.T. McCloy Farms in the northern edge of the county is also hoped to be a lifeline to the sagging economic conditions in the county. The farming family has applied to the TNRC to operate the dairy in Hutchinson County.

Chautauqua seeks exhibits, crafts

By DARLENE BIRKES
Pampa Fine Arts Association

Have a favorite hobby to share? The Pampa Fine Arts 20th annual Chautauqua is looking for new exhibits and craft demonstrations for its Labor Day event in Central Park, slated from 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Monday, Sept. 3.

This family-oriented celebration is planned so that families can enjoy a day in the park at a minimum expense to learn, visit and participate in the tradition of the first Chautauquas held throughout the U.S. until the early 1920s.

A variety of vocalists, bands and choral groups will perform

from the free stage, which will have a special opening ceremony at 9 a.m., and Chautauqua's traditional closing at 4 p.m.

Those wishing to have a sales booth must pay the \$20 registration fee postmarked by July 27. Afterwards the fee is \$25. Artists and crafts people donating an item for the PFAA raffle are excluded from the 10 percent gross sales fee due from sales booths at check-in time, 4 p.m.

Food booths are limited to non-profit organizations. Food booths will be limited to 20, in accordance with the original ruling, and no food booths may sell more than one type of item except for the lemonade-cookie

booth. Returning organizations have the choice of their same one-item this year. There is no charge for exhibits, demonstrations and displays.

For additional information, contact Pampa Fine Arts Association, (806) 665-0343, weekdays from 9-11:30 a.m. or leave a message. Charlene Morris is the general chairman and food chairman, 665-4866; Kay Crouch will head Arts and Crafts, 665-4624; Sandy Crosswhite, 665-7393, and Evelyn Epps, 665-8362, will head the Children's Games section. The exhibits will be organized by Suzie Wilkinson, 665-2833. Loralee Cooley will chair the stage activities, 665-7321.

Anthrax erupts in South Texas

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Officials are urging South Texas ranchers to be on the alert for anthrax after hundreds of deer and several horses and cattle have died in an outbreak of the disease in the last week.

The Texas Animal Health Commission said exposures to the disease have been reported in Uvalde, Edwards and Val Verde counties.

In Del Rio, a ranch worker who skinned an animal that may have died from the disease is believed to have contracted anthrax, and was being treated Friday, said Dr. James Lenarduzzi, area director for the Texas Animal Health Commission. The man is responding to treatment and was expected to be released soon.

(See ANTHRAX, Page 3)

Senior snapshot



Name: Francis McCracken.
Birth Date & Place: April, 18, 1928, Cherokee, Okla.
Family: Husband Aurthur McCracken; son, Tommy Ray.
Favorite Childhood Memory: Last day of school.
When I Grew Up I Wanted To Be: Nurse.
My Best Friend was: R.Z. Ford.
People Remember Me As Being: A brat.
My Favorite Toy: Knitting machine.
My Favorite Game: Jacks.
My Favorite Radio Show: "I Love Lucy."

The First Movie I Ever Saw & The Cost: "Gone With the Wind," 15-cents.
The First Phone I Ever Used Belonged To: Did not have a phone.
The Person That Most Influenced My Life: Uncle Walter Sharp.
The Historical Event That Most Affected My Life & Why: World War II. That is when the bottom fell out. Kaput.
The Thing I Remember Most About The Depression Was: Being hungry.
The Biggest Honor I've Ever Received Is: Won a street draw-

ing and got \$15.
If I Could Change One Thing About My Past It Would Be: I would not change anything.
My Whole Family Enjoyed: Christmas and Thanksgiving get-togethers.
The Person From My Childhood I Wish I Could Visit With Today Is: Uncle Walter, and he has been dead a long time.
My First Job Was: Waitress at a restaurant.
Year & Make of The First Vehicle I Drove: Model A.
Cost of Gasoline When I First Drove: 15-cents a gallon.

On My First Date I Went To: The movies with Tom Walker, my uncle's stepson.
My Favorite Hang Out Spot Was: I wasn't allowed to hang out.
The Fashion Trend Was: Hand-me-downs. I wore my brother's jeans or overalls that he outgrew.
My Favorite Saying Was: "Okay, I'll do it."
My Favorite Song Was: "Long Gone Lonesome Blues."
Another Memory I Want To Share Is: My brother and I used to play in the horse tank during the summer.



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Daily Record

Services

CLOTHIER, Lucille — 2 p.m., Sayre Church of Christ, Sayre, Okla.

Obituaries

LUCILLE CLOTHIER

SAYRE, Okla. — Lucille "Leigh" Clothier, 81, died Thursday, July 5, 2001. Services will be at 2 p.m. today in Sayre Church of Christ with Kevin Ballard officiating. Burial will be in Wellington Cemetery at Wellington, Texas, under the direction of Rose Chapel Funeral Service of Sayre.

Mrs. Clothier was born Jan. 27, 1920, in Collingsworth County, Texas, to Exa Lena Anderson and Sidney Barton Jackson. She was a member of the WAVES stationed at a Navy Medical Supply in Brooklyn during World War II.

Survivors include her husband, Jay B; three daughters, Beth Shelton of Wheeler, Alice L. Nece of Oklahoma City and Kathleen Leonard of Prescott, Ariz.; three sons, Chris Clothier of Oklahoma City, Paul Clothier of Crowley, Texas, and Kerry Clothier of Orlando, Fla.; four sisters, Irene Readour of Gage, Okla., Ruth Derryberry of Wellington, Ellen Donley of Fulton, Mo., and Edyth Jackson of Amarillo; 11 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

RUBY LANKFORD

WELLINGTON — Ruby James Smith Lankford, 89, died Thursday, July 5, 2001, at Shamrock. Graveside services were Saturday in Fairview Cemetery with the Rev. Calvin Stalter, pastor of St. Patrick's Catholic Church of Shamrock, officiating. Burial was under the direction of Adams Funeral Home.

Mrs. Lankford was born July 9, 1911, at Wellington, to William Shelby James and Lora Lewis James. She was an accomplished musician and piano teacher for several years.

Survivors include two daughters, Judy Cooney of Choctaw, Okla., and Jan Garrison of Shamrock; six grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Wellington Cemetery Association.

ROSAMOND ALLEN REEVES

BOULDER, Colo. — Rosamond Allen Reeves, 70, a former Pampa resident, died Friday, July 6, 2001. Memorial services will be July 2, 2002. Cremation was under the direction of Ahlberg Funeral Chapel and Crematory of Longmont, Colo.

Mrs. Reeves was born Nov. 28, 1930, at

Obituaries cont.

Quitique, to Thomas Houston and Pearl Magnola Graham Allen, and attended West Texas State College in Canyon. She married Chet L. Reeves, Jr., on July 2, 1950, at Pampa; he died in 1996.

In Pampa, she was very involved as a volunteer for many organizations and served as director for the United Way, assisting in many UW-sponsored programs including Meals on Wheels and Good Samaritan. She also taught tennis to underprivileged children.

She was a Texas resident most of her life, relocating to Colorado in 1993.

She was preceded in death by her parents and by a brother.

Survivors include a son, Chet L. Reeves III of Albuquerque, N.M.; three daughters, Julia Reeves of Dacona, Colo., Carla Cunningham of Tatum, N.M., and Sandra Caldwell of Boulder; seven grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

The family requests memorials be to Hospice of Boulder County, 2594 Trailridge Dr. East, Suite A. Lafayette, CO 80026; or Meals on Wheels of Pampa.

Police report

The Pampa Police Department made the following arrest during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Saturday.

Friday, July 6

Ira Don Hicks, 30, charged with assault causing bodily injury.

Sheriff's Office

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

Friday, July 6

David E. Dominguez, 38, 730 Roberta, charged with driving while intoxicated.

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Energas.....	1-888-Energas
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Police (emergency).....	911
Police (non-emergency).....	669-5700
SPS.....	1-800-750-2520
Water.....	669-5830

Texas round up ...

'Hug Lady' shows power of touch

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Approaching her 93rd birthday, Irene Hahn remains a coveted fixture at Northeast Methodist Hospital.

More than a dozen doctors, therapists, nurses and volunteers at the hospital celebrated her birthday on Friday, affectionately referring to Hahn as "The Hug Lady."

For the past few years, Hahn has roamed the hospital halls on a motorized wheelchair that sports a license plate that reads "Hugmobile." She offers hope through a warm, hearty embrace for patients and staff facing hopelessness.

"It makes me feel good and makes people feel good, so I'm glad," said Hahn, whose birthday is Tuesday. "There are a lot of patients who need encouragement and need to know someone cares about them."

"If they're too sick to hug, I'll give them a kiss on the forehead or a pat on the leg."

Audit: Clients' money used to pad some county accounts

HOUSTON (AP) — Harris County officials responsible for managing the finances of poor and mentally disabled people used more than \$600,000 of their clients' money during the past three years to pad diminishing accounts for unrelated programs, according to a recent audit.

Social Security checks for some of the 1,200 clients, who are wards of the state, were sent to a depleted fund that provides relief for the county's unemployed, according to the review conducted by County Auditor Tommy Tompkins.

Though the findings reveal no criminal wrongdoing by county officials, the money transfers show that the agency's finances have suffered from a "general lack of management oversight," Tompkins said.

Although the money was eventually returned to the proper accounts, Tompkins said Commissioners Court should review how the agency handles its finances.

"The money was put back, yes," Tompkins said in Friday's editions of the Houston Chronicle. "And, it's not as if we're saying someone was trying to steal it. This was just poor management, and what's so sensitive about this is that wards of the state are involved, and this is a department that is supposed to take care of them."

Anti-Defamation League leader: Hate group numbers down, threat remains

DALLAS (AP) — Hate groups are on the decline, but individuals like Timothy McVeigh still pose a threat, said the regional director of the Anti-Defamation League in Dallas.

"The good news is that we are probably at a historic low in terms of historic hate groups, looking back over the last 100 years," said Mark Briskman. "Members of the Ku Klux Klan used to parade openly down the streets of many communities. And at night, law-enforcement officers, many of them members of the Klan themselves, looked the other way."

"That's not the case today," Briskman said, speaking Friday to several hundred Mensa members attending their annual convention in Dallas.

In terms of what they stand for, hate groups are as anti-American as ever, but they are losing numbers now instead of gaining them, he said.

After McVeigh bombed the federal building in Oklahoma City on April 19, 1995, militia groups began to decline, Briskman said, because most people in the groups felt he went too far.

East Texas is home of the world's biggest balloons

PALESTINE, Texas (AP) — Far from major commercial air routes in sparsely populated East Texas, NASA's National Scientific Balloon Facility has been called the Cape Canaveral of the nation's balloon-borne research program.

Key elements of theories about how the universe expanded and developed after the earliest moments of the cosmos have been confirmed by data from high-flying balloons launched from Palestine and from balloon-launched instruments in other corners of the world, scientists say.

Sensors carried aloft by these balloons have detected minute variations in the cosmic microwave background radiation, a faint glow that fills the sky in all directions and is believed to be the fading remnants of the Big Bang 12 billion to 15 billion years ago.

The stratospheric balloons launched by NSBF are made of plastic, similar in thickness to a sandwich bag.

Compared with expensive, heavy fuel-sucking rockets, balloons offer a cheap alternative to satel-

lites for sending large, unwieldy sensors above the atmosphere for months at a time. Lower costs also make balloons an ideal testbed for new technologies.

DPS using portable breath testers

GARLAND, Texas (AP) — Good news for drivers, bad news for drunken drivers.

Every state trooper in Texas is now equipped with a portable breath tester to determine blood-alcohol levels on the spot, said Department of Public Safety spokesman Tom Vinger.

In Texas, a driver with a blood alcohol concentration level of .08 is legally intoxicated. The devices began being distributed to the officers several years ago.

The lightweight, handheld devices won't replace the sobriety test or the certified breath test back at the station. Results of the portable test aren't even generally admissible as evidence in court.

Health and human services secretary tours hospitals damaged by floods

HOUSTON (AP) — U.S. Health and Human Services Secretary Tommy Thompson announced Friday that his agency will make it easier for Texas Medical Center hospitals devastated by Tropical Storm Allison to get federal money to replace lost equipment and research.

"The hospitals of the Texas Medical Center are not only a central medical resource for the entire Gulf region, but also a great national treasure for biomedical research," Thompson said after touring basements of three facilities deluged by Allison's remnants.

Thompson said that the National Institutes of Health will supplement existing HHS funding this year to replace damaged or lost research equipment, such as a pricey electron microscope at Baylor College of Medicine.

He said hospitals and medical schools have until Sept. 1 to apply for grants to build new research facilities, and HHS will waive requirements for matching funds.

Thompson declined to estimate how much money would be set aside for the medical center, but he said researchers in other states who depend on NIH dollars won't lose funding to Southeast Texas' flood recovery.

Veterans thank Fort Worth for support

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — From a jungle battleground on the other side of the world, a homesick teen-age soldier's letter to his mayor tugged on this town's heartstrings.

Church groups, school classes and other residents forgot about the controversy and focused on the sons, brothers and friends who were fighting in the Vietnam War. People in Fort Worth sent hundreds of well-wishing notes to weary troops overseas for months.

Three decades later, members of the Charlie Company of the 1st Battalion, 503rd Infantry of the 173rd Airborne Brigade are thanking Fort Worth with a new monument in the city's Botanic Gardens.

"No one in Charlie Company expected the kind of support we were going to get," said John Rolfe, who was wounded in Vietnam. "At an unpopular time ... this city stood up for Charlie Company."

About 100 people attended the ceremony Friday, and many wiped away tears as the plaque atop a granite podium was unveiled.

Seashore on bombing practice list

PADRE ISLAND NATIONAL SEASHORE, Texas (AP) — Few local residents gave credence to initial news reports the military was considering moving the controversial Vieques Island bombing exercises here, a seashore so protected a tire tread on a dune can bring a \$5,000 fine.

But once the Navy confirmed it was on the list of possible sites, it started to make sense. It is the longest undeveloped barrier island in the world, separating a narrow bay from Kennedy County, a hot, breezy mainland of mesquite trees and grazing cattle averaging three square miles per human resident.

It matches the qualities that made Vieques Island in Puerto Rico ideal for joint Navy-Marine military practice more closely than any site the military has considered. It's near the sea and free from commercial air traffic. On a map, there's nothing there.

Nothing, environmentalists say, but one of the planet's last havens for a host of endangered species.

Their barrage of awareness about Kemp's Ridley sea turtles, piping plovers, and redhead ducks appears to have worked.

People in the news ...

LONDON (AP) — Prince Charles made a rare public comment on his relationship with longtime friend Camilla Parker Bowles — by telling a British newspaper he is uncertain he will ever marry.

In an interview published Saturday in the Daily Mail, Charles was asked whether he expected to marry again.

"Who knows what the good Lord has planned? You can't be certain about anything," he responded.

Charles, 52, has not spoken publicly of his relationship with Parker Bowles since he admitted in a television interview in 1994 that he had been unfaithful to his wife, Princess Diana. They divorced in 1996, and Diana died the following year.

Previous questions about wedding plans have elicited terse statements from Charles' office saying the heir to the throne had no intention of marrying. The relationship between the prince and Parker Bowles has become increasingly open, however. Last month, he greeted Parker Bowles at a charity reception with a kiss on each cheek.

A spokeswoman for Charles's St. James's Palace office said she interpreted the prince's statement to mean: "I'm not going to talk about that or the future, which is unknown to all of us."

In the interview, Charles also asked the media to let Diana rest in peace: "The truth is that the children mind about the way in which she is dealt with."

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A court ruled that a magazine's computer-altered image of Dustin Hoffman in an evening gown and heels is a protected form of speech, whether the actor authorized it or not.

The federal appeals court on Friday reversed a \$3 million award Hoffman had won against Los Angeles Magazine.

The three-judge panel of the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals said the photo, published in 1997, was not an "exploitative commercial" use as the actor claimed and a federal judge ruled two years ago.

Hoffman had complained he was being turned into an unpaid fashion model. His photo, and similarly altered images of other actors, included the cost of the clothes and where they could be purchased. While it is unlawful to use a celebrity's identity "entirely and directly for the purpose of selling a product," the court said the illustration wasn't necessarily an advertisement.

The court said that the photo was editorial speech protected under the First Amendment. "Viewed in context, the article as a whole was a combination of fashion photography, humor and visual and verbal editorial comment on classic films and famous actors," Judge Robert Boochever wrote.

The magazine, published by Emmis Communications Inc., argued the computerized picture portrayed Hoffman's character in the 1982 cross-dressing comedy "Tootsie" rather than the actor himself.

MONTAUK, N.Y. (AP) — The priciest piece in Andy Warhol's collection wasn't on a canvas — it was on the Atlantic Ocean.

The pale prince of Pop Art's house on Long

Island's east end, an ultraprivate oceanfront estate, is on the market for a record \$50 million. Among its guests over the years: Mick Jagger and Jacqueline Onassis.

"There's been a lot of buzz, you know?" said real estate broker Lee Minetree of Allan M. Schneider Associates, which listed the property. "We're hoping the right person will come along and appreciate it."

The property was put up for sale by independent filmmaker Paul Morrissey, Warhol's collaborator on several movies. The pair purchased the 5.7-acre Montauk estate for \$220,000 in the 1970s. Warhol died in 1987.

Dubbed "Eothen" — Greek for "toward the east" — the main house includes seven bedrooms, four and one-half baths and four fireplaces. Another four additional houses are spread across the property, along with a three-car garage and a large stable.

If the price is met, it would be a record sale for the notoriously pricey region, where Jerry Seinfeld plunked down \$32 million last year for Billy Joel's East Hampton digs.

The house is surrounded by 122 acres of undeveloped land to the east and another 15 acres to the west. The property's buildings date back to 1931.

"It's like you're in the middle of a national park," Minetree said. "And out here in the Hamptons, that's unheard of."

NOLENSVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Every light on the squad car was on when country singer Trace Adkins got pulled over for speeding south of Nashville.

The singer was released early Friday on \$1,000 bond but is charged with driving under the influence of alcohol, speeding, violating the open container law, and refusing to take a breath alcohol test.

He has a July 23 court date in Williamson County General Sessions.

Adkins was pulled over on Thursday night while driving to his Williamson County home, said Schatz Hageman, his publicist.

"There was an opened beer bottle in his truck," Hageman said in a statement. "Due to the officer's assumption on the issue of sobriety, Adkins declined to take further tests and he was automatically charged with driving under the influence as provided by Tennessee's implied consent statutes." Hageman said "Adkins feels embarrassed and concerned about the incident. However, as this is a pending matter, he declined to further comment at the request of counsel."

Adkins, a native of Springhill, La., has scored hits like "(This Ain't No) Thinkin' Thing" and "Every Light in the House."

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Former Miss America Heather French Henry has a new title — Mom.

The wife of Kentucky Lt. Gov. Steve Henry gave birth Friday to daughter Harper Renee Henry, the couple's first child, who weighed 8 pounds, 10 ounces. Information about the birth was released by Baptist Hospital East.

The name is drawn from the maiden name of her paternal grandmother, Wanda Harper Henry, and her mother's middle name, Renee.

Mrs. Henry's reign as Miss America ended the week before her marriage in October 2000.

Tough day for running with bulls

PAMPLONA, Spain (AP) — Racing through medieval streets with six three-quarter-ton bulls at your back is seldom dull, but with rain-slickened cobblestones and a sozzled weekend crowd, Saturday was something else.

"That's about as interesting as it gets," said Tom Gowen, 55, chuckling at his understatement, and he has been running for 29 years. He ended up on the ground, dodging the broken horn of a giant bull named Lunatic.

Six people were badly gored. Although Ernest Hemingway popularized Pamplona's running of the bulls in 1927, the San Fermin fiesta is 400 years old.

Weather focus

Today, mostly sunny with

highs near 102. South winds 15 to 20 mph.

Tonight, mostly clear with

lows 70 to 75. Monday, mostly clear. Lows 70 to 75. Highs 100 to 105.



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

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consulting company working for NPDP, sought groundwater resource information on three sections (Nos. 185, 186, 187) of land about five miles east of Pampa. The land is owned by the estate of the late Bill Stockstill who died in December 1999, according to sources who say NPDP holds an option to buy approximately 2.5 sections.

The information was sought from the Panhandle Groundwater Conservation

District in White Deer where geologist Ray Brady said he reviewed the Agri-Waste report. He said the report was prepared by an engineer and geologist hired to look at the land and determine where there might be recharge into the ground water. Recharge is water or other material, including waste lagoon contents, that potentially can reenter the aquifer. A recharge area is one in which the geological makeup is such where infiltration can occur.

In his comments to Agri-Waste, Brady said the recharge area

should be bigger than Agri-Waste proposes and should be expanded to include all of the surface reservoirs. By expanding the recharge area, Brady said, "it will give them less room (on which) to build."

The review said in part: "Surface runoff from the proposed project will infiltrate into the aquifer from the creek bottoms and from the reservoirs after it is caught behind the dams. In addition, there is a known significant recharge area on Red Deer Creek approximately two miles northeast of the

northeast corner of the property. Surface water flow in Red Deer Creek ends in this area due to infiltration through the creek beds."

In addition, Brady said four existing wells on the land are old-style gravel pack wells, the kind he says that can serve as a conduit for material to the groundwater below.

Regarding Brady's comments, Bishop told *The Pampa News*, "As a courtesy," NPDP supplied the Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District with a copy of the draft recharge report. Mr. Brady responded with some

specific recommendations. Our engineers at Agri-Waste Technology have taken these recommendations into account and will address them at the time when we submit a permit application."

Told Bishop's comments, Brady said, "It was a little more than that," making reference to use of the word "courtesy."

"They asked for information and we sent it to them," Brady said. "We sent them a report back to be reviewed."

Since sending NPDP his review of the report, Brady said he has not heard from Agri-Waste or

NPDP. "We only permit wells," Brady said the the district's role. "But we would address our concerns about groundwater pollution" when NPDP applies to the TNRC for a hog operation permit.

"Occasionally" the TNRC asks the District for its opinions and comments with regard to permits, Brady said. But even if the TNRC does not, he said the District will be on the watch for the permit application filing in order to make its findings known.

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of additional taxes raised to fund such a renovation to Austin, he added.

A bond election can be used to obtain funding for any capital outlay expense connected with the school buildings and education of students, Dinsmore said.

Also listed on the agenda for Monday are super-

intendent reports regarding the 2001-2002 budget, school board member training, a hazardous bus route, and fixed asset minimums.

Board members will take action on a secondary student handbook for 2001-2002 and consider personnel matters.

Financial reports to be presented at the meeting include a list of bills for payment, fund balances, and the tax collector's report.

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ANTHRAX

In reported cases, ranchers have been ordered to quarantine their livestock until vaccinated, and to burn the carcasses of exposed animals.

"We've had reports of 30, 40, and 50 deer discovered dead. One ranch reported 200 to 300 dead deer," Lenarduzzi told the San Antonio Express-News. "We expect to get more cases, but we don't know how many. Usually, it starts to decline after the first arrival of cooler weather."

Lenarduzzi said the anthrax epidemic is the worst outbreak since the late 1970s, when the disease killed large numbers of livestock. The wet

spring in South Texas was the primary culprit behind the outbreak, he said.

Anthrax is a bacteria sometimes used in biological warfare. It rapidly produces toxins that cause severe damage to the respiratory system and brain. Untreated patients usually die within days.

Animals contract the disease by ingesting spores from the soil, he said.

Human exposure can result from an infected animal's blood or other bodily fluid getting into an exposed cut or abrasion.

In humans, symptoms of the disease usually occur within seven days. Anthrax can cause respiratory failure and death within a week.

DNA gives clue; man charged in family of five 1999 murders

HOUSTON (AP) — Three years after a young couple was brutally shot to death in their home and their three children died in a fire set to cover the crime, DNA evidence has led officials to file charges against a suspect.

Three charges of capital murder were filed against Ronald Jeffery Prible, 29, in connection with the five deaths, the Harris County Sheriff's Department said Friday. Prible is currently serving time in prison for a string of bank robberies.

Killed in the 1999 slayings were Esteban Herrera Jr., 29; his fiancée, Nilda Tirado, 24; Tirado's daughter Rachel Elizabeth Cumpian, 7; Herrera's daughter

Valerie, 7, and Jade Herrera, the couple's 22-month-old.

The charges came as a result of witness testimony suggesting Prible and Herrera had intended to open a nightclub together as well as DNA evidence found on Tirado's body, said Harris County Sheriff Tommy Thomas. Thomas would not specify the nature of the DNA evidence.

Prible is scheduled to be released in 2003. He's expected to be arraigned next week. Prible has denied the murders and is not cooperating with investigators, Thomas said.

Annie Aguirre, a family friend, said all of the deaths were tragic, but that the hardest for the fami-

lies to accept have been the children's.

"Little children do not deserve to die this way and this man is going to pay for this," Aguirre said. "We need to have justice done for them."



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Courthouse to be smoke-free

As one of those "reformed smokers" and one who works where paper is bought by the ton and ink by the barrel I think I'll just spout off a bit in print.

Last week, with County Judge Richard Peet casting the deciding vote, the decision was made to ban smoking in the courthouse when it reopens after the restoration is complete.

Actually, I was caught by surprise there would even be controversy these days about the issue of banning smoking in public places. I find it strange today when I go in a public place where the smoking is obvious.

Somebody told me about a Pampa restaurant that has great cheeseburgers. So I went one day at lunch. The food was good but I can't go back — too much smoke plus that smell of stale smoke.

Now, I was once a smoker. And as is my nature, I overdid it. Though I've heard that someone who only smokes a few cigarettes a day can have as hard a time quitting as a hard core chain smoker.

Once more showing my age ... I remember working at the Memphis Press-Scimitar in Memphis, Tenn., which had an old large



Kate B. Dickson

associate publisher/editor

open newsroom where the majority of people smoked. (We had manual typewriters, too.) One older lady, her name was Ada, kept dumping her ash tray and setting her waste basket contents on fire. She'd be oblivious to it until someone called her attention to it. Then she'd pour part of her ever present Co' Cola on it to extinguish the fire.

Maybe that was one of those "you had to be there" humor things, but it is still funny to me as I see it in my mind.

I digressed. While I did have some health concerns, not to mention knowing that my father died from smoking (lung cancer), my primary reason for quitting was a social one. Most of my

friends didn't want to be around a smoker.

So, I quit. Cold turkey more or less ... with the help of that nicotine gum. Tapering off wasn't an option. I don't do moderation.

Although quitting did make my battle with weight worse, I'm still glad I don't smoke anymore.

Though I admit I do feel sorry for many smokers. The drug nicotine is so very addicting that to be without a smoke for very long is torture. I know.

In Pampa City Hall there is a designated smoking room and that's the only place anyone can smoke in that building.

When the courthouse reopens there'll be no such room. Does this mean employees who smoke will come outside, stand around the building and get a few puffs several times a day? Probably.

I can assure them if they do, some Pampans are going to want to know why they aren't working ... even if they're on a legitimate break.

Am I right, or what?

Of course I am. Right, that is.

(Kate B. Dickson can be reached at kbd@pan-tex.net)

Economy: The seen and the unseen

I buy more from my grocer than he buys from me. I buy more from my auto dealer than he buys from me. The trade imbalance doesn't stop there. My grocer and auto dealer both buy more from their wholesaler than the wholesaler buys from them.

These are examples of trade deficits. What should President Bush and Congress do to eliminate these trade deficits to ensure a level playing field?

You say: "Williams, have you lost your marbles? There'll always be trade deficits like you describe. What's wrong with it?" You're absolutely right.

But, what would you say if one seller, say Costco, had cheaper prices than another seller, say Food Giant? What action would you have Bush and Congress take against Costco? How about taxing Costco's products so as to level the playing field between Costco and Food Giant?

You say: "Williams, that's a trick! The only thing that taxing Costco will do is to enable Food Giant to charge customers higher prices, earn higher profits and pay employees higher wages. Consumers will be worse off." You're right again. Now let's apply your reasoning to a real-world example.

A few weeks ago, some teachers, students, retirees and steelworkers gathered on Capitol Hill to press Congress and the Bush administration to use U.S. trade laws to address a problem described by Leo Gerard, president of



Walter Williams

Syndicated columnist

United Steelworkers of America. He said, "Illegal foreign dumping of steel in the United States is devastating American families and communities."

Gerard claims that as a result of illegal dumping, more than 23,000 American steelworkers have lost their jobs since 1998 and 18 companies have been forced into bankruptcy. The Bush administration announced that actions will be initiated under Section 201 of U.S. trade laws. Let's analyze this by substituting Timken Stahl, a German steel producer, for Costco; U.S. Steel, an American company, for Food Giant; and John Deere & Company, a manufacturer of heavy farm and construction equipment, for you and me as customers.

Suppose American steel companies and their unions are successful in getting Bush and Congress to enact retaliatory measures against foreign steel producers for "illegal dumping." By the way, the real definition of dumping is when your competitor

charges a price you think is too low.

To see the effect of trade restrictions, we need only to go back to the Reagan administration's "voluntary restraints" on steel imports. Professor Arthur T. Denzau of the Center for the Study of American Business found that the import restrictions saved nearly 17,000 jobs in the steel industry by enabling them to charge higher prices. Politicians love this; the beneficiaries are visible and seen. However, higher steel prices made American steel-using industries, such as John Deere, less competitive in domestic and international markets, leading to a loss of 52,400 jobs — a net job loss of 35,400 jobs. These are the invisible and unseen victims of steel import restrictions. Politicians love invisible and unseen victims of their policies.

Maybe there's a case for helping those 23,000 American steelworkers who lost their jobs. But let's recognize that costs of restrictions are always higher than the benefits going to the beneficiaries. Saving a \$45,000-a-year steelworker's job, in terms of higher prices in the rest of the economy, might cost as much as \$125,000. It would be better if Congress enacted an Aid to Dependent Steelworkers bill, where each unemployed steelworker is simply handed a \$45,000 check each year.

As a nation we'd surely come out ahead, but Congress would never do that. Why? The handout would be visible, and it wouldn't politically fly.

Texas Editorials

By The Associated Press

A sampling of editorial opinion around Texas:

Houston Chronicle on AIDS and TB epidemic:

Around the world, tuberculosis is the biggest killer of people infected with the AIDS virus, and AIDS makes a body highly susceptible to TB. Worldwide, half those suffering with AIDS will contract TB, a disease that can kill in weeks if the immune system is weakened. But while a cure for AIDS remains elusive, TB treatment is inexpensive and can extend the life of an AIDS-infected child, parent or breadwinner for two to five years. Many Americans, who generally consider TB to be a disease of Third World poverty, may wonder what the spread of tuberculosis and its relationship to AIDS have to do with them. Many will be surprised to learn that Houston is a TB hotspot in this country and that TB infection rates in Texas are higher than the national average — which are arguments for adequate spending on controlling the disease at home. China, Russia, Mexico, the Philippines, Vietnam, India, Haiti and South Korea all have high TB rates and are within 24 hours' travel distance to anywhere in the United States. "We can't be xenophobic about this because we can't control who comes in and out of the country," says Dr. Lee Reichman, who is with the International Union Against Tuberculosis and Lung Disease. Reichman and South Africa's Archbishop Desmond Tutu are working to raise awareness of the deadly combination of AIDS and TB in the days leading up to the United Nations General Assembly Special Session on HIV/AIDS in New York today through Wednesday. Some Washington lawmakers have recognized the need to stop not only the spread of TB, especially in its drug-resistant forms, but also to avoid hastening the death of AIDS patients through the contraction of TB. The Stop TB Now Act, a version of which is pending in both houses of Congress, calls for \$200 million to be used in fiscal 2002 for global TB control programs. Much of the money will be used for highly effective directly observed TB therapies and as the U.S. contribution to financing a World Health Organization-based Global TB Drug Facility, which will supply TB drugs to poor countries implementing directly observed therapy programs. TB is a disease that does not respect national borders. To do nothing to combat this killer would needlessly shorten the lives of people around the world living with HIV/AIDS and risk exposing Americans to levels of tuberculosis infection now seen only in the poorest parts of the globe.

From our files

40 years ago

SUNDAY, JULY 9, 1961. LEFORS (Spl) — "Treasure Chest USA," has been the theme of the Cub Scouts for the month of June, and they presented a program concerning the theme for parents at the monthly meeting of Pack 19, recently, in the scout house.

MONDAY, JULY 10, 1961. Pampa's City Hall, built 32 years ago, will have its first flagpole soon.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 12, 1961. CANADIAN (Spl) — The Grace Class of the First Baptist Church met recently with Mrs. Pat Roberts for a coffee.

25 years ago

THURSDAY, JULY 8, 1976. The 1976 chairman of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation campaign is Mrs. Tommy Owens of Skellytown.

FRIDAY, JULY 9, 1976. Larry Coyle, 52, who formerly owned and operated his own packing plant in Omaha, has assumed duties as general manager of the Packerland Packing Company of Texas Inc., Pampa plant.

SUNDAY, JULY 11, 1976. Open house at the newly-completed building trades home will be from 2 to 5 p.m. today at 1936 Lea St., according to Area Vocational School Coordinator Don Nelson.

10 years ago

MONDAY, JULY 8, 1991. Anthony's stores in 11 states, including the Pampa store, announce the kick-off of the new "We Buy the Shirt Off Your Back" promotion to collect clothing for charity.

TUESDAY, JULY 9, 1991. LEFORS — Lefors City Council conducted the first reading Monday evening on an ordinance prohibiting the burning of trash or garbage.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 1991. McLEAN — McLean Independent School District Board of Trustees on Tuesday approved the establishment of a darkroom for the high school yearbook class.

By The Associated Press

Today is Sunday, July 8, the 189th day of 2001. There are 176 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On July 8, 1950, Gen. Douglas MacArthur was named commander in chief of United Nations forces in Korea.

On this date: In 1663, King Charles II of England granted a charter to Rhode Island.

In 1776, Col. John Nixon gave the first public reading of the Declaration of Independence, in Philadelphia.

In 1853, an expedition led by

Commodore Matthew Perry arrived in Yedo Bay, Japan, on a mission to seek diplomatic and trade relations with the Japanese.

In 1889, The Wall Street Journal was first published.

In 1891, Warren G. Harding married Florence K. DeWolfe in Marion, Ohio.

In 1907, Florenz Ziegfeld staged his first "Follies," on the roof of the New York Theater.

In 1919, President Wilson received a tumultuous welcome in New York City after his return from the Versailles Peace

Conference in France.

In 1947, demolition work began in New York City to make way for the new permanent headquarters of the United Nations.

In 1975, President Ford announced he would seek the Republican nomination for the presidency in 1976.

In 1994, Kim Il Sung, North Korea's communist leader since 1948, died at age 82.

Ten years ago: Reversing earlier denials, Iraq disclosed for the first time that it was carrying out a nuclear weapons program, including the production of enriched uranium.

Five years ago: Hurricane Bertha slammed into the Virgin Islands with torrential rains and winds that gusted to 105 mph.

One year ago: Venus Williams beat Lindsay Davenport 6-3, 7-6 (3) for her first Grand Slam title, becoming the first black woman's champion at Wimbledon since Althea Gibson in 1957-58. The Pentagon's missile defense project suffered its latest setback when a rocket that had taken off from Kwajalein Atoll in the Pacific failed to intercept a target missile launched from Vandenberg Air Force Base in California.

Peace: Real issue rests with Israelis

It's the occupation.

That's the complete summation of the Palestinian-Israeli conflict. In 1967, Israel occupied the West Bank, East Jerusalem and the Gaza Strip. For 34 years, Palestinians have lived under Israeli military rule. They are now determined to be free of it.

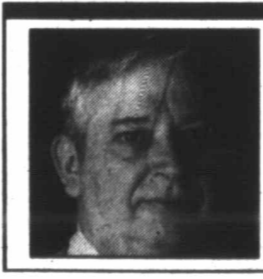
Unfortunately, the Palestinians have only the facts, morality and international law on their side. The Israelis have a powerful army and the U.S. government, which not only gives Israel an annual \$3 billion subsidy but also blocks any and all international efforts to make Israel comply with United Nations resolutions and the Geneva Convention.

(Americans ought to ask themselves why their children are expected to die to enforce U.N. Security Council resolutions directed at other countries if the United States is going to block enforcement of all those directed at Israel.)

Right now the Israelis are spinning the line that they made a generous offer and that, because the Palestinians rejected it, why they must not want peace. The fly drowning in that glob of salad dressing is that it wasn't a generous offer. It was, in fact, an offer that no Palestinian could have accepted.

First, Palestinians would have had to kiss goodbye West Bank and Gaza land already confiscated by the Israelis. They would have had no control over their borders or the water under their feet. They would have had to endure Israeli "military supervision" for an indefinite period. They would have had to write off the rights of Palestinian refugees, acknowledge Jewish ownership of the land underneath the third holiest site in Islam, and they would have gotten, in return, a non-viable country cut into gullets and at the mercy of the Israelis.

In fact, the only thing to be negotiated is the timetable for Israel's complete withdrawal and



Charley Reese

Syndicated columnist

dismantling of all the Jewish settlements. Palestinians already have conceded 78 percent of their country. They are not going to concede hunks of the remaining 22 percent.

Furthermore, the Palestinians are daily victims of war crimes. The score card, according to Dr. Mustafa Barghouti, director of the Health, Development, Information and Policy Institute, runs thus since the intifada started:

More than 500 Palestinians killed, a third of them children; 27,000 trees uprooted; 12,000 dunams of land (a dunum is 1,000 square meters) leveled in the Gaza Strip; 3,200 buildings destroyed, of which 1,200 were homes; and 23,000 Palestinians wounded. In comparison, he said, 106 Israelis have been killed and 760 injured. The numbers may have changed since he addressed the Center for Policy Analysis on Palestine, a Washington think tank.

It's not fair to call Palestinians terrorists. It is not they who have used tanks, advanced war planes and helicopter gunships against civilians; it is not they who use death squads and assassinations; it is not they who imposed collective punishments on innocent civilians. The Israelis are doing all of these things, which are war crimes, to the Palestinians with American-made military equipment.

I know that it's hard for Americans to undo so many years of pro-Israeli brainwashing. Just remember that the Palestinians, like the Founding Fathers of this country, are trying to throw off a foreign occupier of their homeland.

They are resisting a powerful military government with the only means they have. They want liberty. They want the right to govern themselves. If we believe our own Declaration of Independence and our own Bill of Rights, then we must support them and not their oppressor.

It is equally absurd to say the Palestinians don't want an end to the conflict. It is they, not the Israelis, who are suffering. Israel has become a rich country; the West Bank and Gaza are incredibly poor. Some of the Jewish settlements have lush lawns, gardens and even a swimming pool while, at the bottom of the hill, Palestinians have to get water from a communal pump.

Israelis live in houses, apartments and villas. Millions of Palestinians are jammed in sordid refugee camps. Other than the loss of tourist business, a loss they deserve given the destruction they've laid on the Palestinians, Israelis are leading normal lives behind the green line. If they're nervous because of an occasional suicide bomber, they should think how nervous they would be if they had to face tanks, helicopter gunships and assassins.

I'm sorry our government is an accessory to war crimes and is such a world-class hypocrite. So long as we ignore the terrible plight of the Palestinians, no American should open his or her mouth about human rights, the rule of law or democracy. Such hypocrisy stinks in the nostrils of every sensible man and woman in the world.

It bothers me that in our nation of 260 million people, we don't seem to be able to elect 535 to the House and Senate who have some integrity and courage. With few exceptions, they have sold out to the Israeli lobby.

One day a just God will give the Palestinians their freedom. I wonder what will have happened to ours by then? We certainly are not earning it.

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Calendar of events

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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 work session.

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

PANHANDLE ALLIANCE FOR THE MENTALLY ILL
A support group for the mentally ill and family members meet the second Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. at 218 N. Russell. This week we are dis-

cussing the negative symptoms of paranoid schizophrenia. There is no charge. For more information or if you need a ride call Sharon King, 665-2818.

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.

CLASS OF 1961
Pampa High School Class of 1961 will hold its 40th class reunion this year. Anyone interested in helping plan and organize the event should contact Zip Swaney at 665-5532.

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.

AMERICAN RED CROSS
Gray County Chapter of the American Red Cross is seeking volunteers from the community to respond during times of crisis in Pampa and other parts of the county. As well as personal satisfaction, volunteers learn how to protect themselves and cope with disaster by planning ahead, particularly essential during tornado season. In addition, ARC is willing to deliver informational discussions on disaster preparedness to area church or community organizations. For more information, call (806) 669-7121.

PAP SMEAR DAY
On Thursday, July 12, Planned Parenthood of Pampa is offering a free pap smear day for eligible women, ages 45 to 65. Appointments encouraged but not necessary. Walk-ins welcome. The free tests will be conducted at Planned Parenthood of Pampa, 408 W. Kingsmill. For more information, call the Pampa Planned Parenthood clinic at 665-2291.

BSA TRAINING
BSA Hospice is sponsoring a volunteer training class from 5:50-8:30 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays and again from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturdays, July 16-28. Volunteers are the "heart and soul" of the Hospice team. Volunteers visit patients, work in the in-patient and home care division, help with mailings, transport patients and provide clerical and spiritual support. For more information or to register, call Deborah Andrews, LSW, at BSA (806) 212-8715.

CPC LUNCHEON
The Contract Procurement Center in Amarillo will sponsor a business luncheon for small, minority and women entrepreneurs from 11:45-1 p.m. Tuesday, July 17 at Luby's Cafeteria, 4530 Canyon Dr., Amarillo. The guest speaker will be Taylor Norman, assistant purchasing agent, City of Amarillo. For reservations or for more information, contact

VETERANS HALL OF FAME
The Panhandle Veterans Hall of Fame is currently accepting nominations for induction into its ranks through July 20. Send all nominations to: Panhandle Hall of Fame, 600 N. Hobart, Pampa TX 79065. Chairman of the organization is John L. Tripplehorn.

STORY TIME
Lovett Memorial Library will offer story time for children 18-months to six years of age at 10 a.m., Monday's and Tuesdays, throughout the month of June.

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.

TOP O' TEXAS RODEO ASSOCIATION
Top O' Texas Rodeo Association will host a Kid Pony Show July 8-10 and the PRCA Rodeo and Top O' Texas Queen Pageant July 12-14 at the rodeo arena in Pampa. The annual Rodeo Parade is scheduled to begin at 10 a.m. July 14. For more information on any of these upcoming events, contact the rodeo office at 669-0434.

COOP OF WOMEN ARTISTS
Cooperative of Women Artists is seeking participants for its 2001 annual National Multimedia Juried Art Show slated Oct. 5-26 at the Katy and E. Don Walker Education Center, Sam Houston Memorial Museum in Huntsville. The entry deadline is Aug. 10. Cash awards will be given in various categories. For more information, call Golda Rich at (936) 295-5377 or write: CWA Multimedia, 266 Elkins

WATER GARDEN TOUR
The Fourth Annual Las Pampas Koi and Water Garden Tour is slated from 10 a.m.-5 p.m., July 21 in Pampa. Admission is \$5 per person. Children under 10 accompanied by an adult are free. Advance tickets may be purchased at Watson's-Lazy S. Feed and Garden Center, Culberson-Stowers or Pondering Thoughts. For more information, contact Loyd Waters at 665-1665 or 665-6466.

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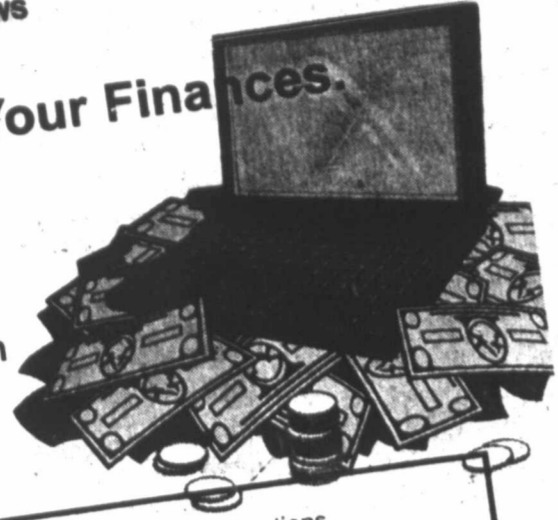
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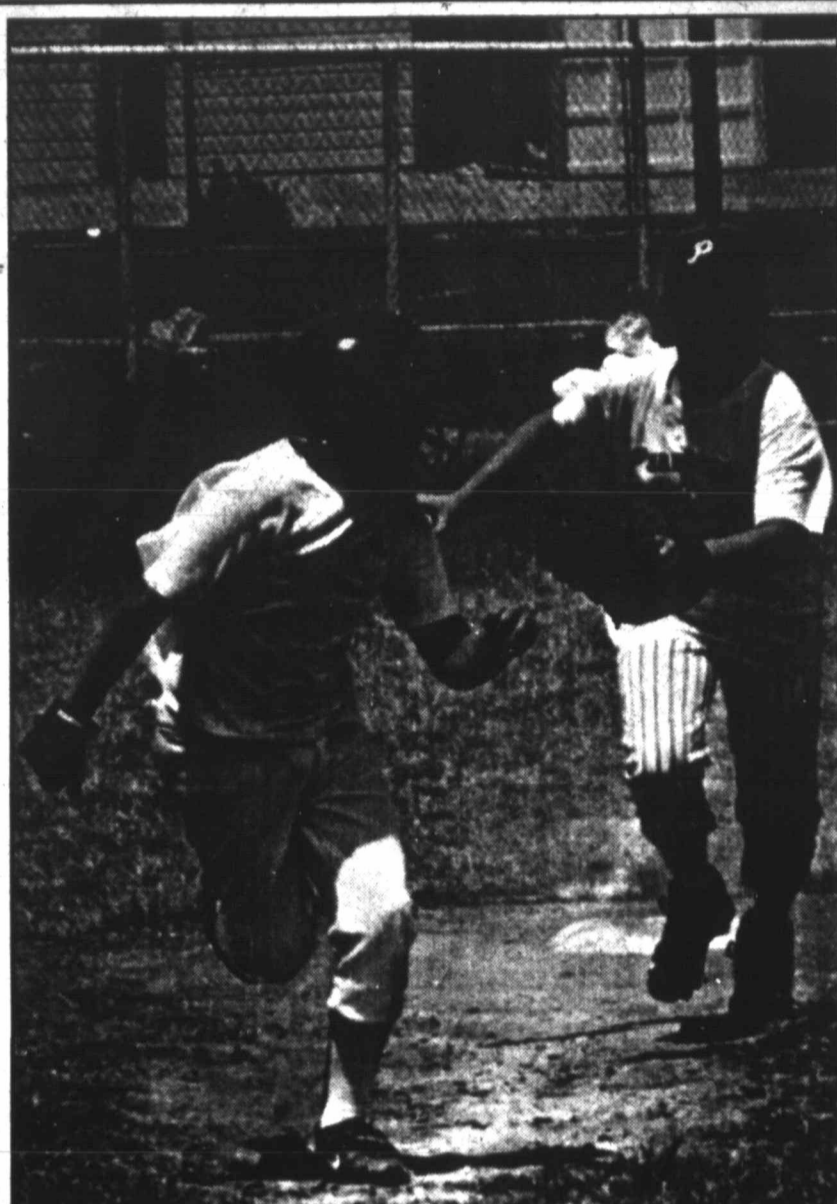
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SPORTS

All-Star Practice



The Pampa 11-12 All-Star team is getting ready for post-season tournament play with daily workouts at Optimist Park. Above photo: Pitcher Brett Ferrell throws batting practice. Top photo: Third baseman Colby Copeland tries to put the tag on Colby Copeland during a rundown. Right photo: Infielder Matt Trusty attempts to turn a double play. All-Star coaches are John Warner, Danny Nusser and Ed Ferrell. The Pampa All-Stars are entered in the West Texas State Tournament in Lockney, which starts July 14. Pampa is tentatively scheduled to play Tulia in the tournament opener.



Pampa hosts Dumas in 11-12 District girls Softball Tournament

PAMPA — Pampa hosts Dumas at 7 Monday night at Optimist Park in the Major 11-12 Girls' Softball District Tournament.

Listed on the Pampa All-Star roster are Meredith Coutts, Chandon Wilson, Nicole Clark, Erika Silva, Alyssa Kelsey, Stephanie McVay, Halei Skinner, Logan Boles, Maggie Hopkins, Britteni Rice, Cassy Tice and Kenzi Nickell. Randell Tice is manager of the team. Coaches are Mark McVay and Layne Clark.

Pampa is the Area 1 champion. Dumas is the Area 2 champion. Pampa is unbeaten in post-tournament competition while Dumas has one loss.

Pampa is coming off a 29-9 win over Childress on Tuesday for the Area 1

Tournament title. Pampa had 21 hits in the game, which was called after four innings due to the run rule.

In a previous contest, which also just went four innings, Pampa posted a 24-6 win over Childress to set up the championship tilt.

Pampa had opened the Area Tournament with a 30-7 win over Wellington. Tice and Nickell each had home runs.

Pitching has been particularly strong for Pampa in tournament play. Against Wellington, McVay, Hopkins, Tice and Clark combined to hold Wellington to only one hit. Pampa used the same four pitchers to throw a two-hitter in the first outing against Childress. Clark, Hopkins, Rice and Tice combined for a two-hitter in the championship game.

No fun at Fenway for Braves and Red Sox

By MIKE FITZPATRICK
Associated Press Writer

Pedro Martinez won't pitch for the Boston Red Sox this month. The Atlanta Braves just hope Rafael Furcal will play again this season.

Martinez, baseball's most dominant pitcher, said Friday he will sit out all of July to rest his ailing right shoulder.

Furcal dislocated his left shoulder stealing second base as Atlanta beat Boston 6-5 in 10 innings at Fenway Park on a night that turned out to be no fun for either team.

"The reality is that I will need 30 full days of rest instead of 15," Martinez told the Dominican newspaper Ultima Hora. "I prefer to wait a bit more and return with my arm in good shape."

The Braves said there was a chance Furcal, the 2000 NL Rookie of the Year, would miss the rest of the season.

"He had a complete dislocation of the shoulder," team doctor Joe Chandler said. "That makes it more serious."

In other interleague games, it was Montreal 10, Toronto 7; the Chicago Cubs 15, Detroit 9; the New York Yankees 8, New York Mets 3; Cleveland 14, St. Louis 2; Philadelphia 3, Baltimore 2 in 10 innings; Tampa Bay 5, Florida 4 in 11 innings; Minnesota 5, Cincinnati 4; Houston 8, Kansas City 3; Pittsburgh 10, the Chicago White Sox 6; Oakland 3, Arizona 0; Anaheim 6, Colorado 5; San Diego 8, Texas 3; and Seattle 13, Los Angeles 0.

In the only National League game, San Francisco beat Milwaukee 3-2 in 11 innings.

Martinez, who has won three Cy Young Awards, including the last two in the AL, was placed on the disabled list June 27. He is 7-2 and leads the league with a 2.26 ERA and 150 strikeouts.

The right-hander said doctors have told him there will be no need for surgery.

"I just need to rest and recover strength," Martinez said. Martinez, who has recently been home in the Dominican Republic, will rejoin the Red Sox in New York next week when they begin a series against the Mets.

"He'll be in New York on Thursday and he'll meet with our doctors there," Red Sox general manager Dan Duquette said. "He's in the resting phase of his rehab right now. He'll start the exercise program on Thursday."

Martinez has been on the DL in each of the last three seasons. Furcal, the Braves' speedy shortstop and offensive spark plug, was holding his left arm at a right angle in the clubhouse after the game.

He was not in a sling or cast, but said the arm was popped back into the socket on the field, then iced afterward.

"It's still in pain," he said, making an anguished expression.

With the score tied at 3, Furcal

led off the ninth with a walk. He stole second, but slid awkwardly and remained on the dirt after the play in obvious pain.

"When I went past the base, I tried to hold on," Furcal said. "I slid a little late and covered the whole base."

Furcal was batting .275 this season with four homers, 30 RBIs and 22 stolen bases. He has made 11 errors.

Brian Jordan drove in the go-ahead run for the Braves with a bases-loaded single in the 10th.

Boston was down to its last out when Trot Nixon and Manny Ramirez hit consecutive homers off Steve Karsay (1-0) to send the game into extra innings tied 5-5.

Sun Woo Kim (0-1) took the loss despite working 1 1/3 hitless innings.

Expos 10, Blue Jays 7
Lee Stevens hit a tying, three-run double in the seventh inning, and Vladimir Guerrero homered for the visiting Expos, who won their third straight.

Cubs 15, Tigers 9
Roosevelt Brown homered, doubled and went 5-for-6 as the Cubs posted their first win in Detroit since Game 3 of the 1945 World Series.

Yankees 8, Mets 3
Alfonso Soriano hit a three-run homer as the World Series champions extended their longest winning streak in three years to nine games.

Andy Pettitte (9-4), among the seven Yankees All-Stars manager Joe Torre is taking to Seattle, beat Al Leiter (4-8) at Yankee Stadium in a rematch of last year's World Series finale.

The Mets lost for the 11th time in 15 games and dropped into last place in the NL East.

Indians 14, Cardinals 2
Jim Thome hit three two-run homers as the host Indians roughed up All-Star Matt Morris (10-5) in their highest-scoring game of the season.

St. Louis slugger Mark McGwire, who before the game refuted a newspaper report that he was contemplating retirement after this season, singled to snap an 0-for-29 slump, the worst of his career.

Phillies 3, Orioles 2, 10 innings
Travis Lee homered in the 10th inning as NL East-leading Philadelphia handed host Baltimore its fourth straight loss.

Devil Rays 5, Marlins 4, 11 innings
Russ Johnson singled home the winning run in the 11th inning for Tampa Bay, and All-Star Greg Vaughn hit a three-run homer.

Florida's Derrek Lee forced extra innings with a two-out homer in the ninth. The Marlins are 1-8 on their 11-game road trip.

Twins 5, Reds 4
Jacques Jones doubled in the go-ahead run in the eighth inning for host Minnesota (53-32), which has won 11 of 13 to go 21 games over .500 for the first time since 1992.

Flashback

1986: Brad Cryer and Colby Harris scored 12 points apiece to lead Pampa Red to a 35-29 win over Dumas White in a 7th grade basketball game.

Cards' McGwire not going, going gone yet

CLEVELAND (AP) — Mark McGwire is embarrassed. He's disappointed, frustrated and annoyed that he's not hitting tape-measure home runs or even bloop singles these days.

It's tearing the St. Louis slugger up. "I'm not who I am right now," he said.

But while McGwire may be nearing the warning track of his career, he said he isn't going, going, gone just yet.

On Friday, McGwire refuted a front-page story in Friday's St. Louis Post-Dispatch that he is contemplating retirement at the end of this season.

"I'm struggling," he said before the Cardinals lost 14-2 to the Cleveland Indians. "The question was asked, 'Do I think about it (retirement)? Well, when you're 37 years old and you've played as long as I have, you always think about it."

"Who doesn't think about it? ... It doesn't take a rocket scientist to

figure out I'm at the end of my career. It's going to happen one of these days."

McGwire, who hasn't been the same since undergoing knee surgery in October, snapped a career-long 0-for-29 slump with a single in his first at-bat Friday night and finished 1-for-2 with two walks.

McGwire, batting just .188 with seven homers, was benched for Thursday's game in Milwaukee. In an interview beforehand, he told Cardinals beat writer Rick Hummel of the Post-Dispatch that he was "embarrassed" by his production and hoped to turn things around in the second half.

"I sure hope it's not the last half of my career," McGwire told Hummel.

Friday's Post ran a front-page headline that said: "Frustrated McGwire Wonders if End is Near."

McGwire said he wasn't expecting a simple interview to turn into big news.

"Every word and every thing I do in the city of St. Louis is unfor-

tunately huge news and somebody decided to take it and make it headlines," McGwire said. "Unfortunately, it was taken very much out of context."

"... There is a headline person who saw the word 'retirement' and decided to use that as a headline. Maybe there was nothing going on in St. Louis yesterday."

McGwire said he first realized the story had taken on a life of its own when he got a call from his

girlfriend early Friday morning.

"She said, 'You're the talk of the town,'" McGwire said. "And I said, 'For what?' She read me the headlines, and it really blows me away how the article was turned around."

Brad Hainje, the Cardinals' assistant media relations director, said that by 10 a.m. his hotel voice mail was filled with dozens of questions about McGwire's future.

McCaslin third in bullriding at Range Riders Rodeo in Amarillo

AMARILLO — Lane McCaslin of Wheeler and Melody Seely of Lefors are among the Pampa area contestants entered in the Range Riders Rodeo at the Range Riders Arena.

In Wednesday's results, McCaslin was third in bull riding with 64 points. Bowdy Peach of Morgan, Okla. was first with 72 points and Casey Upchurch

of Blossom was second with 66. Randus London of Freedom, Okla. was Thursday's winner with a time of 3.6.

In Thursday's results, Seely was fifth in breakaway roping with a time of 4.7. The overall leader is Angel Christian with a time of 3.6.

Jessi Waite of Higgins was fourth in Thursday's go-round with a time of 4.5.

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Rafter reaches final; darkness suspends Wimbledon semis

By HOWARD ULMAN
AP Sports Writer

WIMBLEDON, England (AP) — Two points from defeat, Patrick Rafter came back to shock Andre Agassi in five sets Friday and reach his second consecutive Wimbledon final.

Rafter beat Agassi 2-6, 6-3, 3-6, 6-2, 8-6 in their third straight semifinal meeting at Wimbledon. And this time, Rafter won't even have to face seven-time winner Pete Sampras in the championship match Sunday.

Instead, the Australian will play three-time runner-up Goran Ivanisevic or crowd favorite Tim Henman of Britain but he'll have to wait until Saturday to learn which one.

Their match was suspended by darkness with Henman leading 5-7, 7-6 (6), 6-0. He was ahead 2-1 in the fourth set with Ivanisevic serving. Rain delayed play for two hours and, when it stopped, referee Alan Mills decided to resume the match Saturday.

In the women's final Saturday, defending champion Venus Williams plays 19-year-old Belgian Justine Henin, who ended Jennifer Capriati's bid to win the Grand Slam this year.

Agassi was headed for a chance to add to his 1992 Wimbledon title, leading 5-3 in the fifth set. Serving for the match at 5-4, Agassi went up 30-15 — putting him two points away from winning the semifinal.

But the American hit a forehand into the net, then sent a backhand wide and lost the game when he couldn't get Rafter's cross-court volley.

Suddenly, the match was even at 5-5. Rafter had the momentum and Agassi, who had criticized two calls that went against him in the fourth set, was about to lose his cool.

At 6-6, Agassi was a point away from breaking Rafter's serve. Then Agassi hit a service return wide and uttered an obscenity. A lineswoman reported him to umpire Mike Morrissey, who issued a code violation warning.

Agassi lost the next point, giving Rafter a 7-6 lead — there are no fifth-set tiebreakers at this grass-court event — then dropped the next three points on his serve in the final game to go 0-40.

That gave Rafter three match points. "Big time" Agassi said when asked if he felt the code violation was unfair.

He did win the next two points but wouldn't get another.

"I think it was that lady that really got to him in the end," said Rafter, who agreed that the warning was wrong. "Just let it go. Only one person heard it."

Rafter won the match when he lofted a backhand from his left corner over Agassi's

head that dropped into the far corner. "It was floating high. It was not very pretty," Rafter said. "I said, 'Just get in the court, please.' It was a total surprise when it did."

Agassi was stunned.

"Right now nothing comes to mind except kicking myself," he said.

When the match was over, Agassi went to the net and, just before shaking Rafter's hand, smacked a ball in the direction of the lineswoman, who dodged out of the way.

"I meant to hit the ball into the net," Agassi said.

Rafter's victory guarantees that the tournament will have a first-time champion for the first time since Richard Krajicek in 1996. Sampras had won every Wimbledon since then, but lost in the fourth round to Roger Federer this year.

The semifinal was a contrast in styles — Agassi's patient and effective baseline game against Rafter's aggressive serve-and-volley strategy.

Agassi was sharp most of the fifth set. But after being a point away from breaking Rafter's serve in the next to last game — the game in which he cursed — Agassi lost seven of the last nine points.

"I was just very, very fortunate to get through," Rafter said. "Nothing really went his way today — even the line judge giving him the code violation. Probably a couple of line calls didn't go his way either. You know, I just feel sort of sad for him but I have to enjoy the moment as well."

Last year, Rafter beat Agassi in the semis in five sets, then lost to Sampras in four sets.

In 1999, Agassi beat Rafter in straight sets, then was beaten in straight sets by Sampras.

On Friday, Agassi dealt with a bright sun that required a mid-match application of sunscreen to his bald head. He also was frustrated by two calls in the second set.

During a changeover, Agassi complained to Morrissey.

"You got plenty of people — get rid of him," Agassi said. "How many does he have to miss before you get him off, two more?"

He seemed most upset about a call for Rafter in the sixth game. Rafter's backhand shot appeared to land just wide to the left but it was called in. Agassi smiled, dropped his racket and went on to lose the game.

He also lost his serve in the eighth game, forcing a fifth set. That's when the poise he had shown most of the match — and the effective if not overpowering serve — returned, at least for a while.

"That gave him the break and, ultimately, the fourth set," Agassi said. "You can't let that get the best of you."

In the end, Rafter took care of that.

"Very lucky," he said. "It hasn't sunk in yet."

Senior League champs



Personnel Services are the 2001 champions of the Pampa Optimist Senior Girls Softball League. Team members are (front row, from left) Meysha Stevens, Emi Lea Greer, Chera Chavedo, Jennie Rogers, Ashlee Lucus and Morgan Meharg; (back row, from left) coach Jamie Cenicerros, Erin Norris, Samantha Cerncerros, Brittany Adams, Kylie Winegeart, Haley Bowen, Kendall Stokes and Abbi Covalt.

Love takes three-stroke lead at Western Open

LEMONT, Ill. (AP) — As Davis Love III got ready to leave for the Western Open last Sunday, his 7-year-old son started crying.

A bulging disc has kept the elder Love home more than usual this year, and his son has gotten used to having him around.

"I spoiled him, I guess," Love said. "Bringing home a big, shiny trophy might make the younger Love feel better, and dad is halfway there. Love shot a 5-under-par 67 Friday to take a three-stroke lead after the second round of the Western Open.

He's at 11-under 133 for the tournament, which is sponsored by Advil.

"I'm very happy with the way I'm

playing," Love said. "It's fun to not only be hitting it good and scoring well, but then to also have the chip-ins and the fun putts go in."

Brandel Chamblee was second at 8-under, and Scott Hoch (68) and Frank Nobilo (69) were another stroke behind at 137. Phil Mickelson, one shot off the lead after the first round, was seven strokes back after double-bogeying the 18th and finishing with a 2-over 74.

Tiger Woods, who was in danger of missing the cut after finishing the first round tied for 92nd, rebounded with a 4-under 68 and is eight strokes back.

"I don't really think about the cut," Woods said. "I'm trying to get back in the tournament, at least give myself a chance going into the weekend. At least now, I'm

somewhat within striking distance going into the weekend."

With the wind swirling in the morning, no one made a good run at the leaderboard. But conditions had calmed by the time Love teed off in the afternoon, and he took advantage.

He eagled the par-5 5th when he made a 35-foot downhill putt, and made the turn at 9 under. He just missed birdie putts on Nos. 10, 11 and 12, but came through with the shot of the day on the par-4 13th.

After his drive landed in a bunker on the right side, Love blasted out — and flew right into another trap, this one on the side of the green. His sand shot from about 15 yards hit the green and rolled ever so slowly toward the cup.

Scoreboard

BASEBALL

National League

By The Associated Press

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East Division

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
Philadelphia	49	36	.576	—
Atlanta	48	37	.565	—
Florida	42	44	.488	7 1/2
Montreal	37	49	.430	12 1/2
New York	37	50	.425	13

Central Division

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
Chicago	50	34	.595	—
Houston	46	38	.548	4
St. Louis	42	42	.500	8
Milwaukee	40	44	.476	10
Pittsburgh	33	51	.393	17
Cincinnati	33	52	.388	17 1/2

West Division

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
Arizona	51	34	.600	—
Los Angeles	47	39	.547	4 1/2
San Francisco	46	40	.535	5 1/2
San Diego	40	46	.465	11 1/2
Colorado	39	46	.459	12

Thursday's Games

Cincinnati 7, Pittsburgh 1
Montreal 9, Florida 6
St. Louis 5, Milwaukee 2
Colorado 4, San Diego 0
Chicago Cubs 13, N.Y. Mets 4
Atlanta 9, Philadelphia 5
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Tampa Bay	26	60	.302	26

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Gray
 TO: ARTHUR LEE WILSON, Respondent(s)
 GREETINGS:
 YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court, 223rd Judicial District, Gray County, Texas, at the Courthouse thereof, in Pampa, Texas, by filing a written answer, at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of twenty days from the date of service of this citation then and there to answer the Petition of TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PROTECTIVE AND REGULATORY SERVICES filed in said Court on the 24th day of April, 2001, against ARTHUR LEE WILSON, Respondent(s) and said suit being numbered 31563-A on the docket of said Court, and entitled:
 IN THE INTEREST OF PATRICE BALLARD, ITAVIA BALLARD AND MERCEDES LANDERS, CHILDREN OF THE NATURE OF WHICH SUIT IS A REQUEST FOR PROTECTION OF A CHILD, FOR CONSERVATORSHIP, AND FOR TERMINATION
 Said child PATRICE BALLARD was born on the 14th day of January, 1988, in AMARILLO, TEXAS
 Said child ITAVIA BALLARD was born on the 24th day of May, 1992, in PAMPA, TEXAS
 Said child MERCEDES LANDERS, was born on the 3rd day of April, 1997, in AMARILLO, TEXAS
 The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment, decree or order in the child's interest including the termination of the parent-child relationship, the determination of paternity and the appointment of a conservator with authority to consent to the child's

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GAYE HONDERICH, Clerk
 223rd District Court
 Gray County, Texas
 P.O. Box 1139
 Pampa, Tx. 79066-1139
KAREN MCGAHAN, Deputy

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 J-45 July 8, 2001

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 A Proposer's questionnaire may be obtained from the City's consultant Robert V. Reim Company, 4200 Turkey Creek Drive, Austin, TX 78730, Fax (512)345-3907. Questionnaires must be returned to the consultant no later than July 12, 2001. All proposer's will be qualified and insurance companies will be assigned. Proposals must be delivered to the City Secretary's Office, 200 W. Foster, City Hall, Pampa, Texas 79065 or mailed to P.O. Box 2499, Pampa, Texas 79066-2499. Sealed envelope should be plainly marked "HEALTH INSURANCE PROPOSAL NO. 01.10.D". Facsimile proposals will not be accepted.

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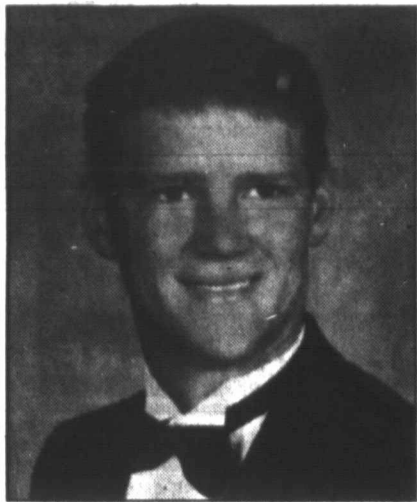
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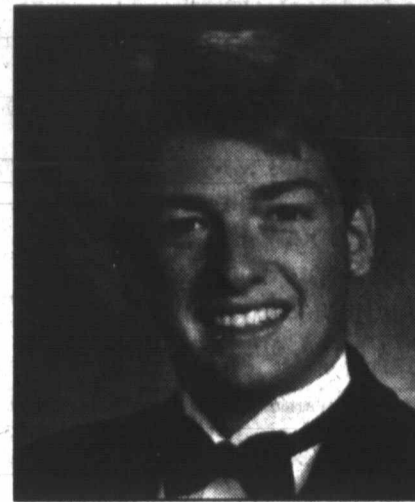
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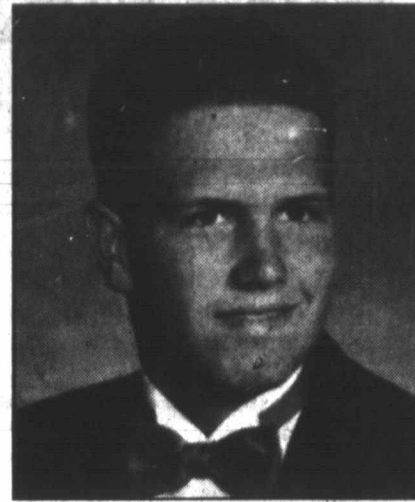
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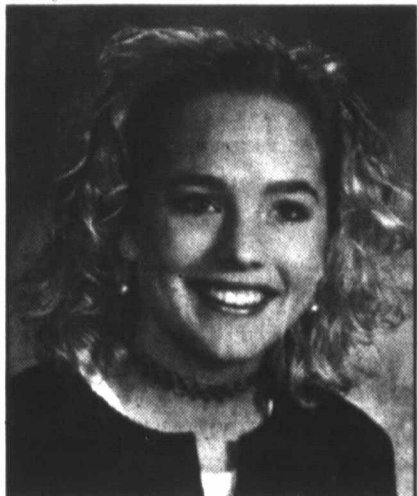
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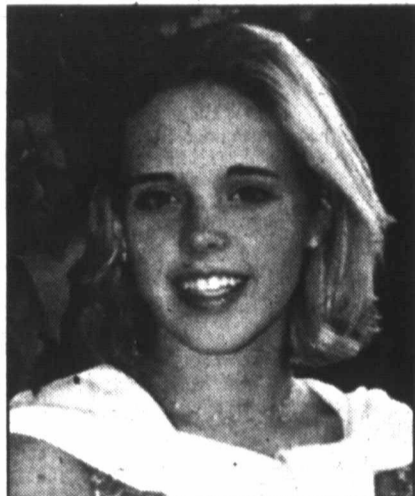
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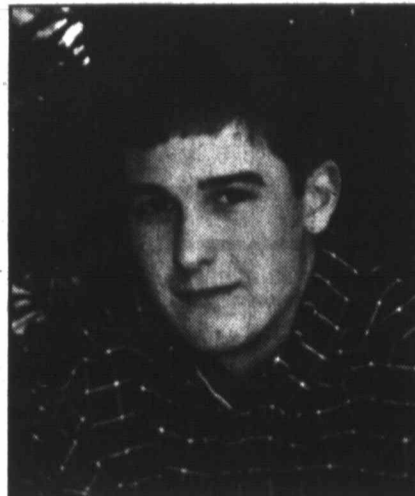
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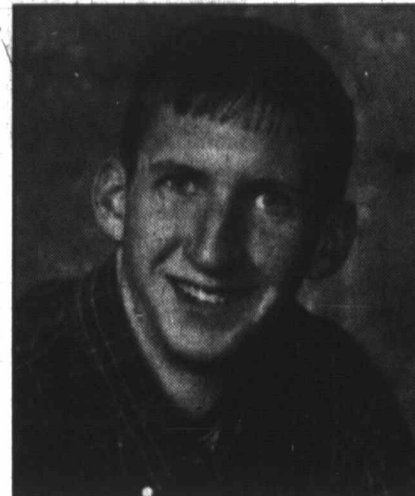
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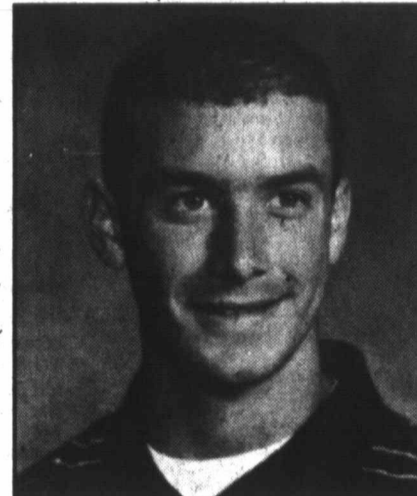
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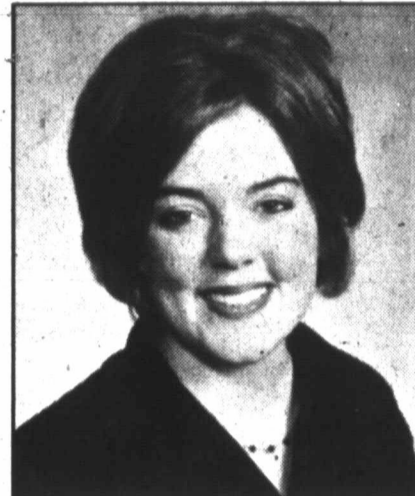
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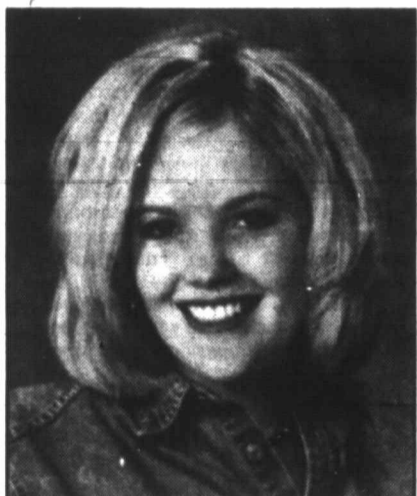
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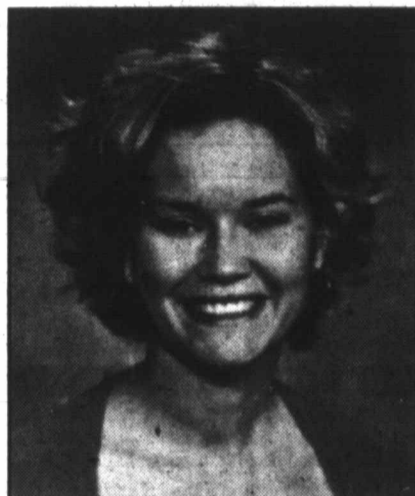
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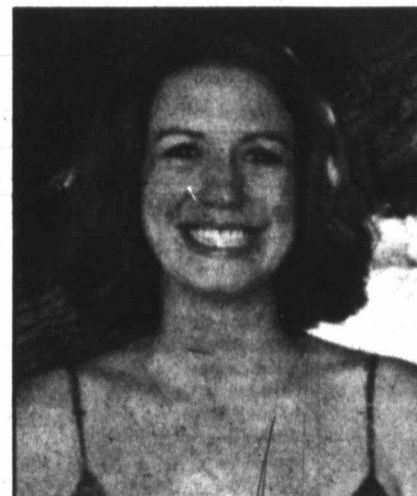
Kelsey Yowell



Amanda Freeman



Molly Painter



Heather Robben



Amanda Hall

The Panhandle Chapter of the American Petroleum Institute recently awarded scholarships totaling \$11,000 to area 2000-01 high school graduates. The scholarships were bestowed upon children of current API members on the basis of academic achievement and need. Recipients are required to

enter as full-time college students in the fall and maintain good academic standing throughout the year. The 2001-02 scholarship recipients include: Justin Freeman, son of Tonya and John Homen and Johnny and Mona Freeman, all of White Deer (Frank Phillips Junior College); Lindsay Kerr,

daughter of Mike and Julia Kerr of Amarillo (Texas Tech University); Heidi McKinney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Mathias and Mr. and Mrs. David McKinney, all of Borger (West Texas A&M University); Robert Belcher, son of John and Nancy Kritser of Amarillo (Texas Tech); Lindsey Earl, daughter of

Melvin and Velma Earl of Pampa and granddaughter of Lucille Cozart (St. Gregory's University, \$600); Jason Hall, son of Randy and Susie Hall of Pampa (Amarillo College); Jodi Homen, daughter of John and Tonya Homen of White Deer and Brenda and Randy Broom of Groom (Amarillo College). Ashley Laycock and Dustin Laycock, children of Dennis and Kim Laycock of Pampa (Texas A&M University); Cory Pittman, son of Burl and Melanie Pittman of Canadian (West Texas A&M University); Russell Robben, daughter of Bill and Paula Robben of Pampa (Texas A&M University); Carmen Terry, daughter Tam and Shela Terry of

White Deer (Texas Tech University); Cara Swart, daughter of Ron and Kay Swart of Miami (Texas Tech); Kelsey Yowell, daughter of Paul and Joan Yowell of Pampa (West Texas A&M). Amanda Freeman, daughter of Tonya and John Homen and Johnny and Monda Freeman, all of White Deer (Texas Tech); Levi Lunsford, son of Joe and Billie Lunsford of Miami (Texas Tech); Molly Painter, daughter of Keith Painter of White Deer and Maggie Painter of Amarillo (West Texas A&M University); Heather Robben, daughter of Bill and Paula Robben of Pampa (Texas A&M); and Amanda Hall, daughter of Randy and Sue Hall

of Pampa (West Texas A&M). API Panhandle Chapter has over 300 members from throughout the panhandle and is a non-profit organization consisting of professionals engaged in all aspects of exploration, production and marketing of oil and gas. The organization has awarded over \$203,000 in past years to students who are relatives of API members. Scholarship funds were raised through the annual golf tournament. Monthly meetings are held in Pampa and are open to individuals involved in the oil and gas industry. A shrimp boil and membership drive are slated in September.

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Summer art on display at library

Pampa Summer Fine Arts Program

Text by Judy Elliott
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Pampa Fine Arts Association recently offered its Summer Arts Program for a fifth consecutive year. Under the direction of local artist Kay Crouch, six youth classes and two adult classes were conducted at Travis Elementary School the week of June 18-22.

Pampa Artist of the Year Linda Nowell taught three pottery classes—two for youth and one for adults. Students created trays, pressed bowls, night-lights, wall pockets, and vases using coil, slab and pinch pot methods.

Ruth Barrett taught beading to a class of young people. Students designed unique Indian patterns and then wove the designs with beads using a loom. They then framed their artwork to make beautiful pictures.

Kay Crouch taught a youth class on watercolor and another on pastels. Watercolor students learned basic watercolor techniques and experimented with the use of salt, alcohol, and water resistant material to create unusual pictures of a variety of subjects. Students in the pastel class worked with pastels and mixed media to produce numerous creative drawings.

Different methods of printing were the subject of

James Hinkley's class for youth. Students created prints using leaves, flowers and other found objects. They also experimented with mono printing and embossing to make a one-of-a-kind print.

For the second year in a row, Madeline Gawthrop and Pat Kindle taught an adult basket weaving class. Students learned basic techniques of basket weaving while learning to weave a catchall basket and a market basket with curls.

An art exhibit on the final day of classes displayed the students' work for family and friends to see. Selected items are now on exhibit at Lovett Memorial Library. The artwork will be in the display window at the library throughout the month of July. The library is open Monday to Thursday, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. For additional information about Pampa Fine Arts Association, call 665-0343.



Emily Nickles works hard on a pastel drawing that she created in Kay Crouch's pastel class.



Printing instructor James Hinkley gives suggestions to Mallorie Parry and Samantha Kelly as they create painted designs for printing.



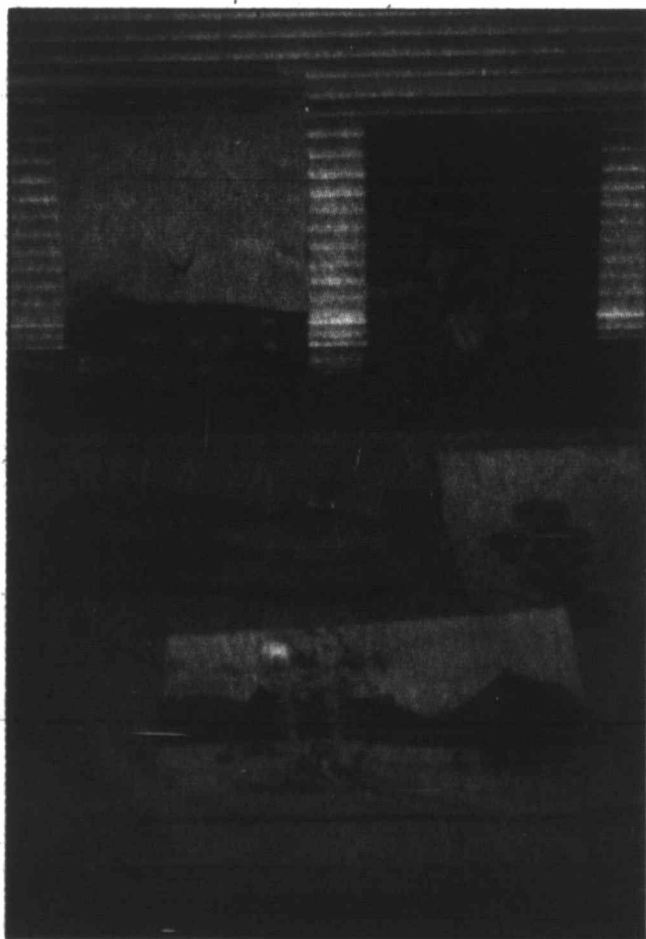
Basket weaving instructor Pat Kindle watches as Karen Newkirk adjusts the handle on the market basket she created in Kindle and Madeline Gawthrop's basket weaving class.



Pottery instructor Linda Nowell shows Jacob Day how to finish the edges of his pottery vase.



Lynn Smith puts the finishing touches on her house-shaped night-light in Linda Nowell's adult pottery class.



Student Dustin Neef created this collection of artwork in Kay Crouch's watercolor class.



Students in Ruth Barrett's beading class were (left to right) Haley Smith, Kristen Dunn, Samantha Turley, Lexi Summers, Benjamin Thompson, and Kimberly Smith. At right, examples of designs and beading created by the students.



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Carrie Lamberth and Brad Cochran

Lamberth-Cochran

Carrie Lamberth and Brad Cochran, both of Pampa, were wed May 26, 2001, in First Christian Church of Pampa with Barry Loving, of the church, officiating.

The matron of honor was Laura Kotara, sister of the bride of Amarillo. The flower girls were Sarah Kotara of Amarillo and Lexi Hernandez of Pampa.

The best man was Chad Cochran, brother of the groom of Oklahoma City, Okla. The ring bearer was Blake McClelland of Pampa.

The ushers were Adam Lamberth of Amarillo and Mark Henderson of Pampa. The candlelighters were Nicole Kotara of Amarillo and Krista McClelland of Pampa.

Registering the guests was Rene Hall of Amarillo. Music was provided by organist Doris Goad.

A reception was held following the service in the parlor of the church with Wendy Henderson and Amy Hernandez, both of Pampa, Mandy Longan of Lubbock, Rebecca Cochran of Oklahoma City, Tina Burns of Gore, Okla., and Rene Hall of Amarillo serving the guests.

The bride is the daughter of Terry and Diana Strickland of Pampa and Jay Lamberth of Taos, N.M. She graduated from Pampa High School in 1993 and holds a master's degree in professional accounting from West Texas A&M University. In August, she will begin working for Arthur Andersen in Dallas.

The groom is the son of Kirby and Rita Cochran of Pampa. He graduated from Pampa High School in 1992 and is currently employed at FMC Energy Systems.

The couple planned a honeymoon trip to Cozumel, Mexico, and intend to make their home in Dallas.



Mr. and Mrs. Willis Price

Price anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Price celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Saturday with their family.

Willis Davidson Price and Ida Ruth Taylor were married July 7, 1951, in Pampa.

Children of the couple are Mary Bagby of Jacksonville, Fla., Jane Paul of Carlsbad, N.M., and Willis Price of Midland. They have eight grandchildren.



Mr. and Mrs. Don Emmons

Emmons anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Don Emmons will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary from 2-4 p.m. on July 14, 2001, at Highland Baptist Church. Children of the couple will host the reception.

Don Emmons and Minnie Atwood were married July 14, 1951, at Clovis, N.M. They have been Pampa residents for 31 years and are members of Highland Baptist.

Mr. Emmons worked for the U.S. Postal Service prior to retiring in January 1979 after 30 years of service.

Children of the couple are Debra Nicewarmer of Sulphur Springs, Donna Beason of Kilgore and Kelly Pricer of Plainview. They have seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Menus

July 9-13

Pampa Schools	
MONDAY	Breakfast: Breakfast pizza. Lunch: Taco Bell burrito or macaroni and cheese, green beans, mixed fruit.
TUESDAY	Breakfast: Waffle sticks. Lunch: Breaded pork cutlet or macaroni and cheese, western beans, fresh fruit.
WEDNESDAY	Breakfast: Scrambled eggs, flour tortilla. Lunch: Chicken fried steak or macaroni and cheese, whipped potatoes, salad, pineapple rolls.
THURSDAY	Breakfast: Cinnamon toast. Lunch: Chicken fajitas or macaroni and cheese, refried beans, flour tortilla, sliced apples.
FRIDAY	Breakfast: Cereal, toast. Lunch: Sub sandwich or macaroni and cheese, French fries, lettuce and tomatoes, peaches.
Senior Citizens	
MONDAY	Chicken fried steak or chicken over wild rice, mashed potatoes, spinach, cream corn, northern beans, German chocolate cake or lemon icebox pie, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread.
TUESDAY	Chili rellenos with cheese sauce or chicken spaghetti, curly fries, green beans, beets, pinto beans, banana nut cake or chocolate pie, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread.
WEDNESDAY	Roast beef brisket with brown gravy or cook's choice, mashed potatoes, California blend, squash casserole, beans, black forest cake or blackberry cobbler, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread.
THURSDAY	Chicken strips or hamburger steak, cheese potatoes, turnip greens, blackeyed peas, strawberry cake or banana cream pie, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread.
FRIDAY	Catfish and hushpuppies or pasta with meat sauce, potato wedges, English peas, brownies or tapioca cups, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls, garlic toast or cornbread.
Meals On Wheels	
MONDAY	Chicken chow-mein, egg rolls, hominy, sugarless cake.
TUESDAY	Catfish, pinto beans, potato salad, pineapple.
WEDNESDAY	Hamburgers, tater toters, jello.
THURSDAY	Beef stroganoff, broccoli, carrots, peaches.
FRIDAY	Chicken, rice pilaf, green beans, sliced apples.

Lifestyles Policies

- The Pampa News will not be responsible for photographs used in announcing weddings, engagements or anniversaries. We reserve the right to refuse publication of photographs of poor quality. Photographs cannot be returned unless they are accompanied by a self-addressed, stamped envelope. They may be picked up in the office after appearing in the paper.
- All information must be submitted by 5 p.m. Wednesday (12 noon Tuesday before Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Year's), prior to Sunday insertion.
- Engagement, wedding and anniversary news only will be printed on Sunday.
- Engagement announcements will be published if the announcement is submitted at least one month before the wedding, but not more than three months before the wedding.
- Bridal photos and information will not be accepted in The Pampa News office later than one month past the date of the wedding.
- Anniversary announcements will be published for celebrations only of 25 years or more and will not be published more than four weeks after the anniversary date.
- Information that appears on engagement, wedding and anniversary forms will be used at the discretion of the editor. Forms are available from the office 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday thru Friday, or by sending a SASE to The Pampa News, P.O. Box 2198, Pampa, TX 79066-2198.

Joy, delight, beauty — all are reasons for gardening

Recently I moved my office to the opposite side of the house. This street-side nook contains all

Excess water produces splits in ripening fruit. Cut back on the water. Sun scorch forms pale yellow or white splotches on the tomato skin. Provide some shade for the fruit.



Kathy Davis Morris
GARDEN WISE

the paraphernalia for writing and playing solitaire.

Through the glass I see a lawn in perpetual need of a haircut, the Cat Brothers napping in the shade and plants that need a drink.

On the inside looking out, a myriad of life's little dramas unfold. It is a fascinating arena full of unbridled joy, temper tantrums, pedestrians and speeding cars.

Across the street is a small frame house, a childcare center. The lawn, covered in playground equipment and a sandbox, welcomes children to play. And play they do!

One hot afternoon, I was sweating (literally and figuratively) a deadline. Hearing squeals and screams, I peeked outside. Unruly children ran excitedly from the building to the fence. A young man watched over this pandemonium.

He stood on the porch poised for attack. The children danced in anticipation. With the fluid, underhand movement of a softball pitcher, he gently lobbed a water balloon toward the children. Pig-tailed girls and ruddy-faced boys scurried wildly to avoid the wet missile.

When children caught the balloon intact, the man became the target. Slowly running in fear, the man twisted and turned through the short crowd. Those children were a wily, accurate lot. Drenched and squealing, they played this happy game until it was time for milk and cookies.

Awestruck by this glorious scene, my heart beat with delight. In days filled with work and worry, joy lurks unsuspect-

ingly outside the windows of our world.

These observations have little to do with work of gardening; they are the reason for gardening: Joy. Delight. Beauty. Nourishment. Today when I trudge out to water, I shall splash for the fun of it.

For tomato growers: Tomato productivity wanes in the heat. Bloom set decreases in temperatures above 90 degrees. Blossom end rot, a black spot at the tomato's base, is caused from a calcium deficiency. Treat with Fertillome Blossom End Rot Spray.

Excess water produces splits in ripening fruit. Cut back on the water. Sun scorch forms pale yellow or white splotches on the tomato skin. Provide some shade for the fruit.

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"Blessings on thee, little man, barefoot boy with cheeks of tan! ... From my heart I give thee joy, I was once a barefoot boy." — John Greenleaf Whittier

Anyone wanting to reserve a Sunday gallery page in the lifestyles section should contact Nancy Young at The Pampa News.

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Additional information may be obtained by contacting Nancy Young at 669-2525.

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Newsmakers

CANYON — Degrees were officially conferred on 575 students at West Texas A&M University during spring commencement exercises held recently at the Cal Farley Coliseum in Amarillo. The University awarded 429 baccalaureate and 146 master's degrees.

Graduates with an overall grade point average of 3.50 or higher were recognized as honor graduates and wore gold honor cords. The three levels of honor recognition are summa cum laude (3.90-4.00), magna cum laude (3.75-3.89) and cum laude (3.50-3.74).

The WTAMU Class of 2001 included 25 graduates with summa cum laude honors, 33 students graduated with magna cum laude honors and 57 earned cum laude honors.

The graduating class represented three countries, 11 states and 79 Texas cities and towns. Students receiving diplomas included: **Tami R. Brookshire**, bachelor of science degree (BS), magna cum laude; **Derrell D. DeLoach**, master of science in nursing; **Katherine E. Devoll**, BS; **Erika D. Gibson**, BS; **Carrie D. Lamberth**, bachelor of business administration/master of professional accounting degree; **James K. Wade**, master of education degree (MED); and **Brenda V. Zedlitz**, bachelor of arts (BA), all of Pampa.

Kay E. Case, BS; **Stacy J. Fields**, master of science, both of Groom.

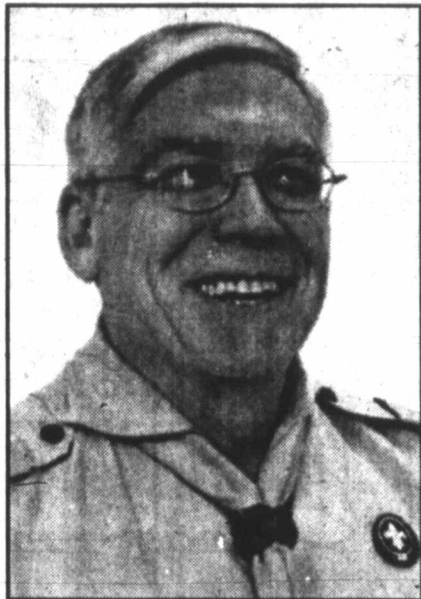
David L. Fuller, BAAS, bachelor of applied arts and sciences; and **Jonathan D. Galley**, BA, both of McLean.

Sidney L. Whiteley, MED, of Shamrock.

Peggy J. Chaney, bachelor of business administration degree (BBA), summa cum laude; and **Cathryn F. Pesch**, BA, cum laude, both of Skellytown.

Kasey J. Jaco, BS; and **Monty R. Long**, BBA, summa cum laude, both of Wheeler.

Jacqueline A. Hill, BS, of White Deer.



Glen R. Henderson

Glen R. Henderson recently received the Silver Beaver Presentation, National Capital Area Council, Boy Scouts of America. The class had 27 Silver

Beavers awarded from a council numbering over 27,000 volunteers.

This Ph.D. began his scouting career in Pampa at the age of 8 with his den leader mother, Genevieve Henderson, Cubmaster father, Willard "Blackie" Henderson, and den chief brother, J.W. "Jay" Henderson. He was a member of Troop 22 sponsored by First Baptist Church of Pampa. He received his Eagle Scout in 1960. His fondest memory was a troop trip from Pampa by train to the National Scout Jamboree in Valley Forge, Pa., in July 1957.

Henderson became a volunteer leader when his daughter, Melissa, joined Brownies. He and wife Jan were Girl Scout leaders in North Carolina and Maryland. He started his adult Boy Scout service as an executive board member for the Daniel Boone Council, N.C. When his son Justin joined Cub Scouts in Laurel, Md., Henderson joined scouting in the Patuxent District of the National Capital Area Council where he has been den leader, Cubmaster and commissioner for 17 years.

He has served on the staff of basic Cub Scout Leader Training, Scoutmastership Fundamentals program and the district health and safety committee. He is a member of the Council Health and Safety Committee, dean of Health and Safety in the University of Scouting and a staff member of the Webelos Leader Outdoor Training. He has also served as dean of the Bachelor Program in the College of Commissioner Science, been a staff member of Train the Trainer and participated in the Wood Badge experience.

In addition to scouting, Henderson is an instructor for the American Red Cross. Each summer he teaches swimming

and life guarding with one of his scouting buddies. He teaches CPR and first aid to scouts, life guards, day care providers and offers classes for those people he works with. He has been very active with the Laurel Swim League and high school swim team.

He has been a parent representative, taught stroke and turn to swim meet officials and acted as announcer, timer, stroke and turn judge and referee at swim meets. He is an avid supporter of the arts in high schools and has hosted the Tennessee Tech Tuba Ensemble for concerts in his area and when they played at Carnegie Hall. He has coached baseball and basketball for the Laurel Boys and Girls Club and, as co-committee chairman, spearheaded the effort which established the Fairland Aquatic Center in Laurel.

Professionally, Henderson is a Supervisory Consumer Safety Officer for the Food and Drug Administration. He works closely with the national experts in retail Food, Milk and Shellfish to keep our nation's food supply the safest and most nutritious in the world. He was trained as a biochemical nutritionist at Texas A&M University and prior to his current position spent 20-plus years in research.

Henderson and his family attend the Laurel Presbyterian Church. He and wife, Jan (Joyce) of 37 years, have a daughter Melissa, a son-in-law Rick, and an Eagle Scout son, Justin.

BOZEMAN, Mont. — **Hugh Craddock** was recently named to the College of Letters and Science Dean's List at Montana State University for the 2001 spring semester. He was also awarded a bachelor's degree in bio-medical sciences from MSU.

He is the son of Mark and Becky Craddock of Pampa.



Amy Renée Dietz and Jay David Wright

Dietz-Wright

Amy Renée Dietz and Jay David Wright, both of Canyon, plan to wed Dec. 22, 2001, in First Baptist Church of Borger.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Dietz of Borger and is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lindon Sanders of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dietz of Borger. She graduated from Borger High School in 1997 and attended West Texas A&M University.

The prospective groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wright of Canyon. He graduated from Canyon High School in 1999 and is currently attending West Texas A&M University. He is presently worship leader at First Baptist Church in Canyon.

The couple plan to make their home in Canyon after the wedding.

Pioneer Flour Mills resurrects commemorative plate custom

By CARMINA DANINI
San Antonio Express-News

SAN ANTONIO — In 1909, eight years after the death of its founder, German immigrant Carl Hilmar Guenther, Pioneer Flour Mills began distributing commemorative dinner plates as Christmas gifts to its customers.

The colorful plates were called "calendar plates" because the months of the year were featured around the rim. Made of fine china, the plates were produced in Dresden, Germany, and shipped to San Antonio.

The tradition was discontinued in 1951. A new plate was not issued until 1988 for the opening of the Guenther House restaurant located in Carl Hilmar Guenther's residence in the King William Historic District.

Now, in honor of the 150th anniversary of C.H. Guenther & Son Inc. — the privately held Pioneer Flour Mills reverted to its corporate name in 1999 — a new commemorative plate is making its debut.

The limited edition plate by Lenox — only 400 were made — is on sale at Guenther House, 205 E. Guenther St. Each plate costs \$75.

Last month marked the unveiling of five bronze historical markers on the grounds of Guenther House and a family reunion.

Other commemorative items specially made for the sesquicentennial also are on sale, including hand-carved breadboards from England, throws, mugs, cookbooks and coin banks in the form of a truck.

The plate, however, is what collectors are really after, said Donna Vaughan, director of Guenther House.

The design on the sesquicentennial plate is from World War I-era advertising art never used by the Guenther company and recently discovered in its archives, she said.

Under the heading "Not to be beaten," the design on the gold-rimmed dinner plate features a dark-haired young woman swathed in pale yellow and holding a royal flush poker hand.

The sesquicentennial plates contain this quote from C.H. Guenther: "To make money is not given to everyone. It is accomplished by those who are industrious, have a good

insight into things and have natural wit and are willing to take a chance."

In a way, said Vaughan, the series of commemorative plates reflect the evolution of the company since its founding in 1851 to its position as one of the largest milling companies in the United States and the oldest family-owned business in Texas.

The company makes a variety of edible products, including biscuit, cornbread, muffin, pancake and waffle mixes, flour tortilla and gravy mixes, frozen foods and Pioneer brand wheat and corn flour. It also makes the White Wings and White Lily brands.

During some years, the plates featured a new slogan. The phrase on the 1916 plate was "Pioneer flour is pure and not bleached." By 1923, the slogan on the plate had changed to "Pioneer flour is pure and nutritious."

Although the plates were given annually, there were several years when two plates were issued. In 1917, the company gave out four variations of a plate featuring two women, Vaughan said.

America's entry in World War II ended the company's association with Germany and forced it to look elsewhere for a manufacturer for the plates. For the 1942 edition, the company turned to the Indiana Glass Company.

"Those were the only commemorative plates made of glass," Vaughan said. Many of the plates distributed by the company can be seen at the Guenther House. Notably missing from the collection is the plate from 1909, the first year Pioneer Flour Mills began giving them as gifts.

Some of the plates have made it into the company's collection serendipitously, said Vaughan, such as last year when a woman walked in carrying a plate from 1917.

Four designs were given out that year, but the museum did not have a complete set until Shirley Sanders of San Antonio donated a plate she purchased at an estate sale for \$20.

"It was chipped, but I figured they might want it," Sanders said. "They were thrilled when I walked in and gave it to them."

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Lisa Marie Gillispie and Matthew Anderson Dietz

Gillispie-Dietz

Lisa Marie Gillispie and Matthew Anderson Dietz, both of Amarillo, plan to wed Aug. 25, 2001, in Southwest Baptist Church of Amarillo.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gillispie of Amarillo. She graduated from Amarillo High School in 1999 and attended Amarillo College.

The prospective groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Dietz of Borger and is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Lindon Sanders of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dietz of Borger. He graduated from Borger High School in 1996 and is currently attending West Texas A&M University. He is presently worship leader at Grace Baptist Church of Canyon.

The couple plan to make their home in Canyon after the wedding.

Turpen-Barker

Angie Turpen and Justin Barker, both of Las Vegas, Nev., plan to wed Aug. 4, 2001, in First Baptist Church of Lefors.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Ron and Molly Turpen of Lefors. She graduated from Lefors High School in 1996 and served in the U.S. Army for 2 1/2 years. She is currently living in Las Vegas and working at Mountain View Hospital in Radiology.

The prospective groom is the son of Robert Barker of Demming, N.M., and Justina Dawkins of La Mesa, N.M. He graduated from Gadsden High School in Anthony, N.M., in 1995 and served in the U.S. Army for six years. He currently resides in Las Vegas and is employed by Sunrise Airlines as a flight dispatcher.



In Memory Of
Brandon Andrew Wolfe
July 11, 1977

September 9, 2000

"I'll lend you for a little while, a child of mine," he said. For you to love the while he lives, and mourn for when he's dead. It may be six or seven years or twenty-two or three. But will you till I call him back, take care of him for me? He'll bring his charms to gladden you, and should his stay be brief. You'll have his lovely memories as solace for your grief. I cannot promise he will stay, since all from Earth return. But there are lessons down there. I want this child to learn. I've looked the wide world over, in my search for teachers true. And from the throngs, that crowd life's lanes, I have selected you. Now, will you give him all your love, nor think the labor vain, nor hate me when I come to call to take him home again? I fancied that I've heard them say Dear Lord, thy will be done. For all the joy thy child shall bring, the risk of grief we'll run. We'll shelter him with tenderness, we'll love him while we may. And for the happiness we've known, forever grateful stay. But should the Angels call for him, much sooner than we've planned. We'll brave the bitter grief that comes and try to understand.
Dad, Mom, Zachery, Mark, Chris & Families and Grandma Doan



April Michelle Marburger and Phillips Brooks Gentry

Marburger-Gentry

April Michelle Marburger of Lubbock and Phillips Brooks Gentry IV of Amarillo plan to wed Aug. 25, 2001, in First Presbyterian Church of Pampa.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Harold and Helen Marburger of Houston. She is majoring in finance at Texas Tech University and plans to graduate from TTU in August 2001.

The prospective groom is the son of Phil and Pat Gentry of Pampa. He graduated from Pampa High School in 1996 and from Texas Tech University in the fall of 2000, earning a degree in petroleum engineering, summa cum laude. He is a member of Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity and is currently employed as a petroleum engineer with Anadarko Petroleum Corporation in Amarillo.

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Daughter Blinded By Love Needs To Open Her Eyes

DEAR ABBY: More than a year ago, my daughter's boyfriend was thrown out of his parents' house. My husband and I opened our home to him because we felt sorry for him. The deal was, he could stay with us until he got on his own feet.

The problem is, he's still here, and we now have a grandchild from him. He barely supports the baby, let alone himself, and I have reason to believe he is cheating on my daughter. He has even put the moves on me. (They were halted promptly.) We have kicked him out several times, but he keeps returning.

How can I open my daughter's eyes to this person? No matter what I or her friends say, she still loves him and believes in him.

UPSET MOM IN MINNESOTA

DEAR MOM: It's time for the gray train to stop and your daughter's boyfriend to disembark until he can provide a home and support for your daughter and the baby. You are doing no one a favor by allowing him to continue to be a parasite.

Explain to your daughter that until this man gets settled, it would be better for the baby — and her — to remain with you. Common sense tells me that could be a long, long-time. She should also prepare herself to support her child, because the father is showing all the signs of being a deadbeat dad. Then pray that while concentrating on the practicalities of life, she will grow up and realize that the responsibility for her and her child's future rests entirely on her shoulders.

As much as you love your daughter, you can protect her

Dear Abby

Is written by Pauline Phillips and daughter Jeanne Phillips.

from reality no longer. I anticipate a bumpy ride ahead and wish you luck.

DEAR ABBY: In your reply to "Still Laughing in Short Hills, N.J.," you said, "Perhaps those who think of a wedding as a fund-raiser should consider charging admission. (Only kidding!)"

Well, that's exactly what my husband and I did. Our wedding took place at a historical ranch that was being restored. It was held in conjunction with an annual event hosted in part by our local historical society. While it was in the planning stages, it was suggested that we be married at the ranch in period clothing. The catch was that our wedding would be considered the "entertainment" for that day, and anyone who attended the event would be welcome to witness the marriage ceremony and have cake. The entrance fee/donation was \$1.

We sent 50 invitations to family and friends, and everyone came. The event made money (some of our friends donated more than the \$1 entrance fee), and our wedding was held in beautiful surroundings with loving friends. Everyone had a great time. It was a win-win situation. It's still the talk of the town five years later.

So, you see, you can have a tasteful wedding/fund-raiser — if it's done right.

HAPPILY MARRIED,
RIO LINDA, CALIF.

DEAR HAPPILY MARRIED: So I see. However, if it's done "wrong," it can appear to be a fund-raiser for the bride and groom — who should be self-supporting — and not for such a worthy cause.

DEAR ABBY: I read with interest the letters about pennies, but I have always wondered, if someone says, "A penny for your thoughts," and you put in your "2 cents worth," where does the other penny go?

TOM W., MILWAUKEE

DEAR TOM W: The other penny covers the rate of inflation since that saying was "coined."

Dear Abby is written by Pauline Phillips and daughter Jeanne Phillips.

Have A Story Idea...

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Wildwood

UP HERE IS MY DESIRE TO CATCH THE WORLD'S BIGGEST CATFISH.

DOWN HERE, THE REALITY OF A MUDDY BOOT.

JUST REMEMBER, MOST OF LIFE IS LIVED HERE IN THE MIDDLE.

LIKE A BLUEGILL IN SPORT SANDALS.

Crossword Puzzle

CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

ACROSS

- 1 Casino tykes
- 5 Choir member
- 9 Discussion group
- 10 Othello and others
- 12 Pond growth
- 13 Nixon's veep
- 14 Hungarian dance
- 16 Yale player
- 17 Play-ground game
- 18 Creator of the Zax
- 20 Play parts
- 22 Mimics
- 23 Put up
- 25 Linen source
- 28 Absentee
- 32 Dilapidated building
- 34 "Exodus" hero
- 35 Ump's cry
- 36 Wide-spread
- 38 "Peer Gynt" composer
- 40 Saw
- 41 Start a match

DOWN

- 1 "The Human Comedy" author
- 2 Hire
- 3 Shred
- 4 Toboggan
- 5 Stockpile
- 6 Captain's record
- 7 Get into shape
- 8 Ultimatum
- 9 Treaties
- 11 Cheese choice
- 15 Arms collection
- 19 Chow
- 21 Waiting room call
- 24 "Rodeo" composer
- 25 Pad
- 26 Mountain shrub
- 27 Duds
- 29 Fidel's home
- 30 Salem setting
- 31 Tele-grams
- 33 is furious
- 37 "Garfield" pooch
- 39 Time before

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Yesterday's answer

- 2 Hire
- 3 Shred
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- 6 Captain's record
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Marmaduke

"Then all of a sudden he just lost interest."

The Family Circus

"Why do we hafta learn about heaven? I want it to be a surprise."

For Better or For Worse

EVERYONE HAS DOUBTS ABOUT THEIR CAREERS, CANDACE. I'M GOING TO TEACHER'S COLLEGE, BUT I DON'T KNOW IF I'LL LIKE TEACHING!

SERIOUSLY? YOU ALWAYS SEEM SO SURE OF YOURSELF!

ME? I'M THE MOST UNSURE PERSON I KNOW!!

I'M NOT SURE I SHOULD BE LIVING WITH ERIC, OR WORKING HERE. I'M BROKE AND HOME SICK. I LOOK AND SOUND OK, BUT I'M A REAL MESS!!

WOW, THAT MAKES ME FEEL SO MUCH BETTER!

Zits

BRAAAP!

URP!

BELCH! FRAAP!

FRIP!

BUURP!

GAS SHORTAGE. HA!

AHHH...

Garfield

DOES THIS OUTFIT MAKE ME LOOK MYSTERIOUS?

ABSOLUTELY!

I THINK PORKS ARE VERY MYSTERIOUS

Beetle Bailey

SEE YOU IN CHURCH TOMORROW!

WE ARE COUNTING ON YOU!

SEE YOU IN CHURCH TOMORROW

IT'S HIS WEEKLY "GUILT TRIP"

Marvin

YOU KNOW IT'S TIME TO HAVE THE WATER IN YOUR WADING POOL CHANGED

...WHEN ENVIRONMENTALISTS HAVE IT DECLARED A PROTECTED WETLAND

B.C.

SHOW ME A COP WHO PATROLS THE WHITE HOUSE

AND I'LL SHOW YOU A COP WHOSE BEATS AROUND THE BUSH.

Hagar The Horrible

WHEN HAGAR WAS YOUNG HE STAYED OUT ALL NIGHT AND RAIDED AND PILLAGED ALL DAY...

HAS HE CHANGED HIS WAYS?

WELL, NOT THE STAYING OUT ALL NIGHT PART...

Peanuts

I WONDER WHY I'M GOING TO THIS MOVIE

I WAS THINKING THE SAME THING

THOSE TWO GUYS ON TV HATED IT

WELL, WHO KNOWS?

MAYBE THERE'LL BE SOMETHING GOOD IN IT...

LIKE THE DOG TURNS OUT TO BE THE HERO

Blondie

I WON'T BE CUTTING THE GRASS TODAY, HONEY. JUST LOOK AT THAT RAIN!

IT'S BARELY SPRINKLING

LAST WEEKEND YOU PLAYED GOLF IN A DOWNPOUR

YES, BUT ONLY FOR NINE HOLES

Mallard Filmore

IT'S JUST NOT FAIR!

THE "WORLD WAR TWO GENERATION" IS GETTING ALL THE ATTENTION LATELY, AND IT'S MAKING US BABY BOOMERS LOOK BAD!

HOW?!

WELL, ALL WE HEAR ABOUT IS "BRAVERY," "PATRIOTISM," "SELF-RELIANCE," "SACRIFICE," BLAH, BLAH, BLAH...

...FIRST THING YOU KNOW, PEOPLE WILL GO BACK TO THINKING THOSE ARE GOOD THINGS.

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- * Makes it easier to get back into shape after the baby is born
- * Improves mood and self image
- * Improves sleeping patterns
- * Decreases fewer pregnancy-related discomforts
- * Lowers weight gain and fat accumulation
- * Increases speed of recovery after delivery

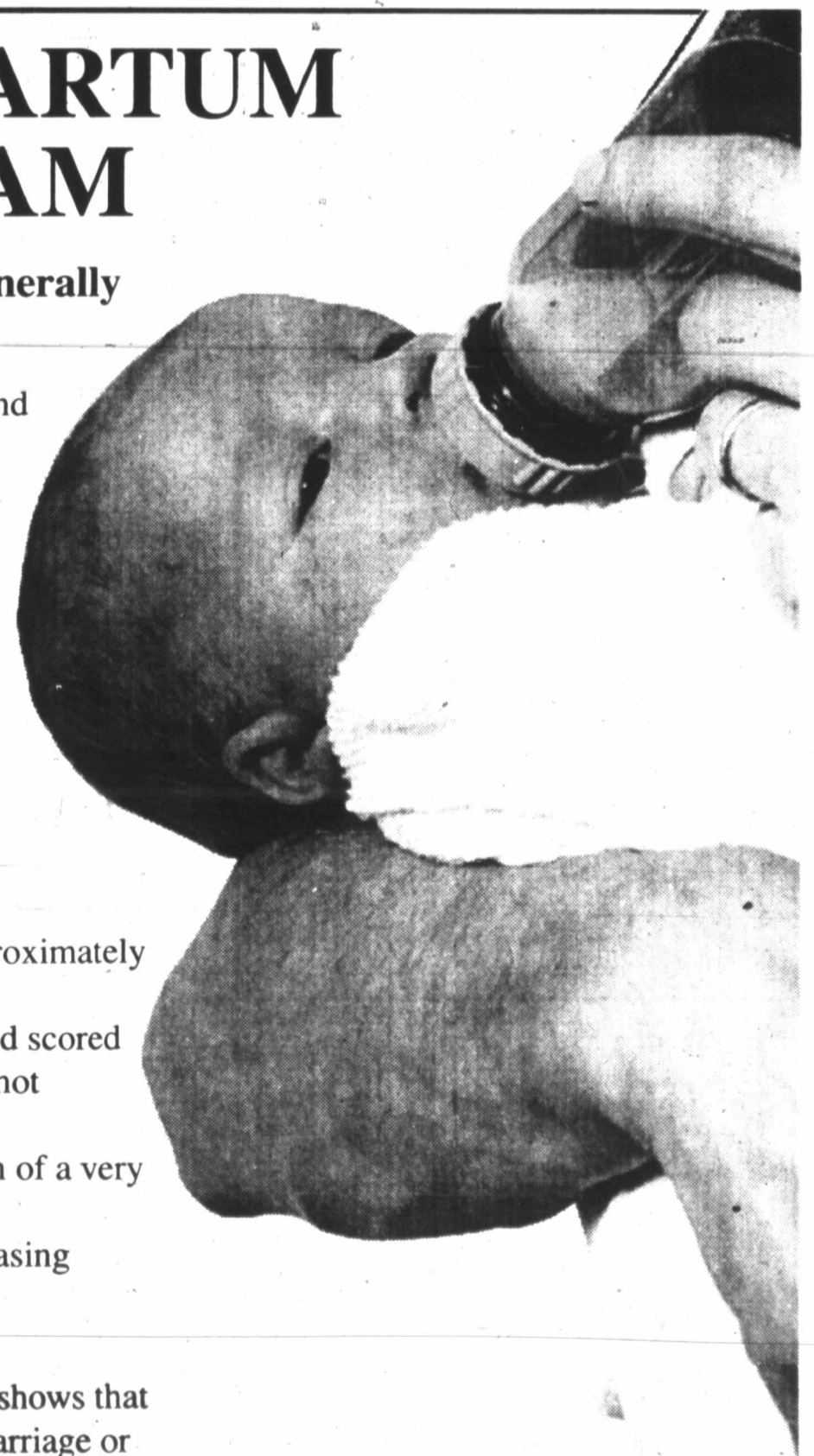
What are the benefits of exercise during pregnancy for the baby?

- * Studies have shown that women who exercised strenuously during pregnancy had babies approximately 8 ounces lighter than fit mothers who stopped exercising during pregnancy.
- * Studies show that children of mothers who exercised during pregnancy tended to be leaner and scored significantly higher on intelligence and language skill, test, than children whose mothers did not exercise during pregnancy.
- * Recreational exercise may actually decrease the chances of both premature labor and the birth of a very small baby.
- * Continuing regular, vigorous exercise throughout pregnancy decreases fetal fat without decreasing overall growth.

Does exercise hurt the baby?

- * According to the American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology, there is **NO** evidence that shows that exercise during pregnancy has any harmful effects on the baby or increases the risk of a miscarriage or birth defects.
- * Exercise does not increase the chance of premature labor or membrane rupture.

The program is held for a total of twelve (12) sessions and will meet bi-weekly. PRMC will also be offering a postpartum exercise program that consists of four (4) sessions and will meet bi-weekly. Exercise sessions will begin January 2, 2001. For more information, Contact Pampa Regional Medical Center Rehabilitation team at (806) 663-5566 Monday - Friday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.



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Billboard music charts

By The Associated Press

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Billboard Hot100: Top10

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

1. "U Remind Me," Usher. Arista.
 2. "Hanging By A Moment," Lifehouse. DreamWorks.
 3. "Lady Marmalade," Christina Aguilera, Lil' Kim, Mya & Pink. Interscope.
 4. "Let Me Blow Ya Mind," Eve (feat. Gwen Stefani). Ruff Ryders.
 5. "Hit 'Em Up Style (Oops!)," Blu Cantrell. RedZone.
 6. "Peaches & Cream," 112. Bad Boy.
 7. "Drops Of Jupiter (Tell Me)," Train. Columbia.
 8. "Bootylicious," Destiny's Child. Columbia.
 9. "Ride Wit Me," Nelly (feat. City Spud). Fo' Reel.
 10. "Drive," Incubus. Immortal.
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The Billboard200TopAlbums:Top10

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

1. "Songs In A Minor," Alicia Keys. J.
 2. "Devil's Night," D-12. Shady.
 3. "Jagged Little Thrill," Jagged Edge. So So Def/Columbia.
 4. "Break The Cycle," Staind. Flip/Elektra. (Platinum — certified sales of 1 million units)
 5. "The Reason," Beanie Sigel. Roc-A-Fella/Def Jam.
 6. "Survivor," Destiny's Child. Columbia. (Platinum)
 7. Soundtrack: "Moulin Rouge." Twentieth Century Fox Film Corp. (Platinum)
 8. "Take Off Your Pants And Jacket," Blink-182. MCA.
 9. "I'm Already There," Lonestar. BNA.
 10. Soundtrack: "The Fast And The Furious." Murder Inc./Def Jam.
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Hot AdultContemporary

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

1. "Thank You," Dido. Arista.
 2. "There You'll Be," Faith Hill. Warner Bros.
 3. "I Hope You Dance," Lee Ann Womack With Sons Of The Desert. MCA Nashville.
 4. "If You're Gone," matchbox twenty. Lava.
 5. "Only Time," Enya. Warner Sunset.
 6. "Angel," Lionel Richie. Island.
 7. "This I Promise You," N Sync. Jive.
 8. "One More Day," Diamond Rio. Arista Nashville.
 9. "More Than That," Backstreet Boys. Jive.
 10. "Ghost Of You And Me," BBMak. Hollywood.
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Mainstream RockTracks

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

1. "It's Been Awhile," Staind. Flip/Elektra.
 2. "Schism," Tool. Tool Dissectional.
 3. "Rise," The Cult. Lava.
 4. "Your Disease," Saliva. Island.
 5. "Days Of The Week," Stone Temple Pilots. Atlantic.
 6. "Crawling," Linkin Park. Warner Bros.
 7. "Greed," Godsmack. Republic.
 8. "Wait," Seven Mary Three. Mammoth.
 9. "Rexall," Dave Navarro. Capitol.
 10. "Pain," Stereomud. Loud.
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Modern RockTracks

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

1. "It's Been Awhile," Staind. Flip/Elektra.
 2. "The Rock Show," Blink-182. MCA.
 3. "Hash Pipe," Weezer. Geffen.
 4. "Schism," Tool. Tool Dissectional.
 5. "Days Of The Week," Stone Temple Pilots. Atlantic.
 6. "Fat Lip," Sum 41. Island.
 7. "Crawling," Linkin Park. Warner Bros.
 8. "You Wouldn't Believe," 311. Volcano.
 9. "Your Disease," Saliva. Island.
 10. "Short Skirt/Long Jacket," Cake. Columbia.
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Hot CountrySinglesandTracks

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

1. "I'm Already There," Lonestar. BNA.
 2. "I Could Not Ask For More," Sara Evans. RCA.
 3. "She Couldn't Change Me," Montgomery Gentry. Columbia.
 4. "When I Think About Angels," Jamie O'Neal. Mercury.
 5. "When Somebody Loves You," Alan Jackson. Arista Nashville.
 6. "If You Can Do Anything Else," George Strait. MCA Nashville.
 7. "Two People Fell In Love," Brad Paisley. Arista Nashville.
 8. "Grown Men Don't Cry," Tim McGraw. Curb.
 9. "Ain't Nothing 'Bout You," Brooks & Dunn. Arista Nashville.
 10. "Austin," Blake Shelton. Giant.
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Top CountryAlbums

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

1. "I'm Already There," Lonestar. BNA.
 2. Soundtrack: "O Brother, Where Art Thou?" Mercury. (Platinum)
 3. Soundtrack: "Coyote Ugly," Curb. (Platinum)
 4. "Set This Circus Down," Tim McGraw. Curb. (Platinum)
 5. "I Hope You Dance," Lee Ann Womack. MCA Nashville. (Platinum)
 6. "Greatest Hits," Kenny Chesney. BNA. (Gold)
 7. "Born To Fly," Sara-Evans. RCA. (Gold)
 8. "Inside Out," Trisha Yearwood. MCA Nashville.
 9. "Greatest Hits," Tim McGraw. Curb. (Platinum)
 10. "Steers & Stripes," Brooks & Dunn. Arista Nashville. (Gold)
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Hot R&B/Hip-HopSinglesandTracks

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

1. "U Remind Me," Usher. Arista.
 2. "Peaches & Cream," 112. Bad Boy.
 3. "Fiesta," R. Kelly (feat. Jay-Z). Jive.
 4. "Music," Erick Sermon (feat. Marvin Gaye). NY/LA/Def Squad.
 5. "She's All I Got," Jimmy Cozier. J.
 6. "Hit 'Em Up Style (Oops!)," Blu Cantrell. RedZone.
 7. "Superwoman Pt. II," Lil' Mo (feat. Fabolous). EastWest.
 8. "Where the Party At," Jagged Edge with Nelly. So So Def.
 9. "Wait A Minute," Ray J (feat. Lil' Kim). Atlantic.
 10. "Fallin'," Alicia Keys. J.
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Top R&B/Hip-HopAlbums

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1. "Songs In A Minor," Alicia Keys. J.

Hot DanceMusic—ClubPlay

(Compiled from a national sample of dance club playlists)

1. "Keep Control," Sono. Groovilicious.
 2. "Play," Jennifer Lopez. Epic.
 3. "Lady Marmalade," Christina Aguilera, Lil' Kim, Mya & Pink. Interscope.
 4. "Bumpin' & Jumpin' (The Michael T. Diamond Mix)," Kim English. Nervous.
 5. "Never Enough," Boris Dlugosch (feat. Roisin). MSU.
 6. "Hide U," Suzanne Palmer. Star 69.
 7. "Drums Come Alive," Tomba Vira. Dotdotdot.
 8. "It's Gonna Be Alright," Pussy 2000. V2.
 9. "Survivor," Destiny's Child. Columbia.
 10. "You're The Worst Thing For Me," Pusaka (feat. Thea Austin). Tommy Boy Silver Label.
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Hot RapSingles

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

1. "My Baby," Lil' Romeo. Soulja/No Limit.
 2. "Purple Hills," D-12. Shady.
 3. "Bigacts Littleacts," Afu-Ra (feat. GZA). D&D/In the Paint/Fat Beats.
 4. "Take That," Da Beatminerz (feat. Flipmode Squad & Vinia Mojica). Rawkus.
 5. "Call Me E.S.," 7L & Esoteric. Direct.
 6. "The Sun God," Hi-Tek (feat. Common & Vinia Mojica). Rawkus.
 7. "None Tonight," Lil' Zane. Worldwide.
 8. "All I Wanna Do," The Young Millionaires (feat. Lil' One — The Young Millionaires). Urban Spears.
 9. "Torture," Screwball (feat. M.O.P.). Hydra.
 10. "Music," Erick Sermon (feat. Marvin Gaye). NY/LA/Def Squad.
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Billboard video charts

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Top MusicVideo Sales

(Compiled from a national sample of sales reports)

1. "Encore," Old Friends Quartet.
 2. "The Up In Smoke Tour," Various Artists. (Platinum)
 3. "Touring Band 2000," Pearl Jam. (Platinum)
 4. "Salival," Tool.
 5. "Britney In Hawaii: Live & More," Britney Spears. (Platinum)
 6. "My Reflection," Christina Aguilera.
 7. "Live At Madison Square Garden," N Sync.
 8. "Hell Freezes Over," Eagles. (Platinum)
 9. "On Broadway," Mark Lowry.
 10. "Aaron's Party (Come Get It) — The Video," Aaron Carter.
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Top Video Rentals

(Compiled from a national sample of rental reports)

1. "Traffic," USA Home Entertainment.
 2. "Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon," Columbia TriStar Home Video.
 3. "O Brother, Where Art Thou?" Touchstone Home Video.
 4. "Cast Away," FoxVideo.
 5. "Miss Congeniality," Warner Home Video.
 6. "Best In Show," Warner Home Video.
 7. "What Women Want," Paramount Home Video.
 8. "Shadow Of The Vampire," Universal Studios Home Video.
 9. "Quills," FoxVideo.
 10. "Billy Elliot," Universal Studios Home Video.
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Top Video Sales

(Compiled from a national sample of sales reports)

1. "Coyote Ugly," Touchstone Home Video.
2. "The Emperor's New Groove," Walt Disney Home Video.
3. "Me, Myself & Irene," FoxVideo.
4. "Miss Congeniality," Warner Home Video.

Hot LatinTracks

(Compiled from national Latin radio airplay reports)

1. "Azul," Cristian Ariola.
 2. "O Me Voy O Te Vas," Marco Antonio Solis. Fonovisa.
 3. "Abrazame Muy Fuerte," Juan Gabriel. Ariola.
 4. "Besame," Ricardo Montaner. WEA Latina.
 5. "No Te Podias Quedar," Conjunto Primavera. Fonovisa.
 6. "Y Yo Sigo Aqui," Paulina Rubio. Universal Latino.
 7. "Y Llegaste Tu," Banda El Recodo. Fonovisa.
 8. "La Bomba," Azul Azul. Sony Discos.
 9. "Me Vas A Extranar," Pepe Aguilar. Musart.
 10. "Como Se Cura Una Herida," Jaci Velasquez. Sony Discos.
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Top DVDSales

(Compiled from a national sample of sales reports)

1. "Cast Away," FoxVideo.
 2. "Save The Last Dance," Paramount Home Video.
 3. "Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon," Columbia TriStar Home Video.
 4. "Proof Of Life," Warner Home Video.
 5. "O Brother, Where Art Thou?" Touchstone Home Video.
 6. "Traffic," USA Home Entertainment.
 7. "The Pledge," Warner Home Video.
 8. "Vertical Limit," Columbia TriStar Home Video.
 9. "Gladiator," DreamWorks Home Entertainment.
 10. "What Women Want," Paramount Home Video.
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Billboard MagazineChartLeaders

(Compiled from national retail sales/airplay/rental charts)

- Hot Pop Single: "U Remind Me," Usher. Arista.
 Hot Pop Album: "Songs In A Minor," Alicia Keys.
 Hot R&B/Hip-Hop Single: "U Remind Me," Usher.
 Hot R&B/Hip-Hop Album: "Songs In A Minor," Alicia Keys.
 Hot Country Single/Track: "I'm Already There," Lonestar.
 Top Country Album: "I'm Already There," Lonestar.
 Top Video Rental: "Traffic."
 Top Video Sale: "Coyote Ugly."
 Top Dvd Sale: "Cast Away."
 Top Music Video: "Encore," Old Friends Quartet.
 Further information is available at Billboard Online on the World Wide Web at <http://www.billboard.com>.

Celebrity birthdays

Celebrity birthdays for the week of July 8-14:
 July 8: Singer Jerry Vale is 69. Singer Steve Lawrence is 66. Singer Jeffrey Tambor ("The Larry Sanders Show") is 57. Actress Anjelica Huston is 50. Actor Kevin Bacon is 43. Keyboardist Andy Fletcher of Depeche Mode is 40. Singer Joan Osborne is 39. Actor Billy Crudup ("Almost Famous") is 33. Actor Michael Weatherly ("Dark Angel") is 33. Singer Beck is 31.
 July 9: Actor Brian Dennehy is 63. Actor Richard Roundtree is 59. Actor Chris Cooper is 50. TV personality-turned-musician John Tesh is 49. Actor Jimmy Smits is 46. Actor Tom Hanks is 45. Actress Kelly McGillis is 44. Singer Jim Kerr of Simple Minds is 42. Singer Courtney Love of Hole is 37. Actor Scott Grimes ("Party of Five") is 30. Actor Fred Savage is 25.
 July 10: "Mr. Wizard" Don Herbert is 84. News correspondent David Brinkley is 81. Actor Ron Glass ("Barney Miller") is 56. Folk singer Arlo Guthrie is 54. Singer Neil Tennant of the Pet Shop Boys is 47. Banjo player Bela Fleck of Bela Fleck and the Flecktones is 43. Actor Thomas Ian Nicholas ("American Pie") is 21. Singer Jessica Simpson is 21.



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AGRICULTURE

Farmers look for piece of state's own ethanol market

GRIDLEY, Calif. (AP) — While traditional ethanol-producing states have been salivating at the prospect of a huge new market in California, farmers here are working hard on ways to grab a share of the potential profits.

Long before the Bush administration refused to waive California's requirement to oxygenate its gasoline to cut air pollution, a handful of rice farmers began working on a plan to turn their harvest leftovers into ethanol.

If the project is successful, its backers say thousands of the state's farmers, who have been struggling with disastrously low crop prices, will likely follow suit. But the Californians will have to race to get into the ethanol business before the well-established Midwestern processors divvy up California's market among themselves.

"It's a new industry, and if California doesn't get off its butt and get going with it, the Midwest is going to have the market," said Butte County rice farmer Ken Collin, president of the Rice Straw Cooperative.

The cooperative's members will sell agricultural waste to a \$100 million ethanol refinery near the small farm town of Gridley after its planned opening in early 2003. The city has agreed to help buy the land and build the refinery. It will team with BC

International Corp. of Dedham, Mass., to run the facility, which will produce about 30 million gallons of ethanol a year, said Tom Sanford, Gridley's energy commissioner.

The California ethanol market is projected at 580 million gallons, which would be about a 20 percent increase in the worldwide market. The state could someday produce 200 million gallons, said Bob Krauter, a spokesman for the California Farm Bureau Federation.

Gov. Gray Davis and the Legislature laid the foundation for California's fledgling ethanol industry when they banned the use of the suspected carcinogenic water pollutant MTBE as a fuel additive by the end of 2002. MTBE and ethanol are oxygenates that help gas burn cleaner. Federal law requires that areas with severe smog problems use the additives to help keep pollution in check.

State energy officials are still considering ways to get around the recent Environmental Protection Agency order to continue using oxygenates in its gas. Using Midwestern ethanol could raise gas prices by 5 cents to as much as 50 cents a gallon, said California Air Resources Board spokesman William Rukeyser.

If the EPA order stands, the need for more ethanol would require more than a dozen new refineries,

many of which California farm leaders hope to see built inside the state.

While Midwestern ethanol is produced from corn, the West Coast product will likely be made from agricultural waste including orchard clippings, wood chips from lumber mills and lawn and garden trimmings from urban areas, Krauter said.

Two Southern California plants already make ethanol, one using whey left over from cheese manufacturing and the other using waste from breweries and soft drink factories. Together they churn out between 5 million and 7 million gallons annually, Krauter said.

California projects already in the works include a plan to convert a bankrupt beet sugar refinery in Woodland into ethanol production and a plan to build a plant alongside a lumber mill in Chester.

Besides producing ethanol, the Gridley plant will generate about 20 megawatts of electricity, half of which will be used by the refinery and half sold to Gridley residents through the city-owned utility company, Sanford said.

The farmers using the Gridley plant are hoping simply to get enough for their rice straw to cover the cost of baling and trucking it to the plant.

They're currently paying about \$40 an acre to plow the stubble under because state law prevents

them from burning it, and rice prices have been at break-even or less for the last couple of years.

"It's a chance for us to get back to revenue-neutral. About 35 to 40 percent of our profits every year are invested in getting rid of rice straw," Collin, the cooperative president, said.

To encourage California's infant ethanol industry, a bill in the Legislature would allow producers and local air quality districts to apply for state grants. Other pending legislation would give a tax credit to ethanol producers.

U.S. Department of Agriculture grants are available to help ethanol producers buy crops or farm waste, with the condition the fuel is used to expand existing production capacity.

On the Net:
 American Coalition for Ethanol:
<http://www.ethanol.org>
 U.S. Department of Agriculture:
<http://www.usda.gov>
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency:
<http://www.epa.gov>
 California Farm Bureau Federation:
<http://www.cfbf.com>
 California Air Resources Board:
<http://www.arb.ca.gov/homepage.htm>

Wheat producers will meet officials, seek Karnal bunt relief

AMARILLO — On July 10, representatives from Texas Wheat Producers Association, Texas Grain and Feed Association and other key industry leaders will meet with officials in the office of USDA Sec. Ann Veneman, along with Congressmen Stenholm and Thornberry, at the nation's capitol to request assistance in expeditiously moving to provide compensation for producers and handlers facing economic hardship due to Karnal bunt found in Young, Throckmorton, Archer, Baylor, San Saba and McCullough Counties.

TPWA was notified in late May of the existence of Karnal bunt in San Saba and McCullough. The two counties have been regulated for Karnal bunt since 1997 when it was found in hard red winter wheat — the first ever detection in this class of wheat.

The infested fields, along with a three-mile radius, were quarantined for a period of five years. In June, TPWA was notified an elevator operator in Young Co. had detected what he believed to be Karnal bunt in a load of grain brought into his facility. He immediately notified APHIS officials. Upon further investigation, the counties of Throckmorton and Young were added to the quarantined area soon followed by Archer

and Baylor Counties. Baylor was placed under temporary regulated status while testing was conducted.

"USDA Secretary, Ann Veneman, has the authority to compensate producers and grain handlers for losses incurred and we are asking that she do so in a timely manner," TWP President Tommy Womack recently commented.

TPWA and other industry representatives plan to stress to USDA Undersecretary of Marketing and Regulatory Programs, William T. "Bill" Hawks and other USDA officials, the importance of containment in the areas Karnal bunt has been discovered. TPWA wants to ensure those affected by the disease receive the compensation they need quickly. Also, issues such as future regulation that could be imposed on grazing and haying of wheat in those areas are concerns for TPWA. Wheat is a dual-purpose crop for many areas and APHIS regulation on these practices adds more economic hardship to an already tough situation.

TPWA is a non-profit organization representing Texas wheat growers who, by combining their strengths, voices, and ideas, are working to ensure a better wheat industry for today and tomorrow.

USDA Farm Service Agency committee

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. Department of Agriculture has named five people to serve as state Farm Service Agency committee members.

The committee members are responsible for overseeing state Farm Service Agency programs, keeping farmers informed of program activities and resolving appeals and complaints. Committee members also maintain relationships with agribusiness.

The committee members will serve through the end of this year.

They are:

— Jerry D. Harris, of Lamesa, chairman. He is a

self-employed producer growing wheat, grain sorghum, peanuts and cotton.

— Dario Vidal Guerra Jr. of Edinburg. He operates a 4,500-acre cattle ranch.

— Willie Fred "Red" Kitchen of Crockett. He operates a 1,565-acre hay and cattle ranch in east Central Texas.

— Dennis Scott McGarraugh, Perryton. He operates a 6,400-acre Panhandle farm.

— Linda Clapp Raun of El Campo. She grows, packages, and markets specialty rice under her own brand name, and produces conventional rice.

Makers of multi-flavored kettle-cooked potato chips making market inroads

PHOENIX (AP) — Jay Poore and his older brother, Don, got into the potato chip business at the ground level, installing and servicing bagging machines at snack food plants across the country.

After several years of back-breaking work, the Poores had a revolutionary idea: Why not make their own brand of chips?

They developed a kettle-cooked chip cut thicker than conventional varieties and packing a bigger crunch and bolder taste. The idea eventually evolved into Poore Brothers Inc., now a multi-million-dollar business based in suburban Goodyear.

"I never anticipated the company would get this size," said Jay Poore. "Back when we started, we just saw a void in the market."

"A lot of people were making chips by cooking them in lard. We didn't think that would go over good with everybody, so we went with vegetable oil. We came out with a little different product — one with a harder bite, deeper taste and a lot of flavors."

Poore Brothers now boasts 10 different seasoned chips, ranging from dill pickle to jalapeno, and markets them in 30 states and over the Internet. It is a publicly traded company with first-quarter revenues this year of \$14.2 million and a revenue growth goal of 30 to 40 percent in fiscal 2001.

"Last year, we had \$41.7 million in revenue. Our goal is to build a \$100 million-a-year business," said Eric Kufel, president and CEO of Poore Brothers.

Fifty-four-year-old Jay Poore

has been the company's vice president since June 1995 and still works at the Goodyear plant, overseeing the quality of the chips which are hand-crafted and cooked one batch at a time. Don Poore, seven years older, is semi-retired but helps out in the engineering department.

The brothers grew up in Arkansas and first started a small chip manufacturing company in Brookshire, Texas, in 1983. Within three years, Bob's Texas Style Potato Chips were selling well enough that the brothers sold their interest in the business and moved to Arizona to launch their namesake brand.

"In 1986, we started with one kettle and one delivery truck," Jay Poore recalled. "We didn't have a marketing budget so we relied on sampling and word of mouth."

Grocery stores and supermarkets around Arizona soon were stocking their shelves with Poore Brothers' distinctive colored bags that sport a cactus logo and a roadrunner and coyote scampering across a desert under a full moon.

And the different flavors kept coming: unsalted chips, barbecue, steak-and-onion, salt-and-vinegar, parmesan-and-garlic.

By May 1995, the chip company was getting too large for the brothers to handle and they sold the business for roughly \$4.5 million to a private investment group that Jay Poore said "saw bigger and better things for us."

That group took the company public in December 1996 and the added revenue helped build a 60,000-square-foot, state-of-the-art manufacturing plant in Goodyear.

Poore Brothers also has a 140,000-square-foot plant in Bluffton, Ind., that was part of its May 1999 acquisition of some Keebler Co. snack brands for about \$12 million.

Besides making, marketing and distributing the Poore Brothers' line of chips, the company also manufactures several other products including T.G.I. Friday's brand of salted snacks under a marketing agreement with the restaurant chain.

"The company has done great under Eric's leadership," Jay Poore said.

But even if it reaches the \$100 million-a-year level, Poore Brothers still would lag far behind Plano, Texas-based Frito-Lay, which is an \$11 billion snack food division of PepsiCo Inc., and has nearly a 68 percent share of the salty-snacks market.

"For potato chips, there's Frito-Lay and everybody else. They're the gold standard of the industry," said Dan Malovany, editor of Snack Food & Wholesale Bakery, a trade magazine based in Deerfield, Ill.

National Angus Conference Tour set

NORTH PLATTE, Neb. — North Platte will be the site of the 2001 National Angus Conference Tour slated Sept. 30-Oct. 3. Angus breeders and commercial cattle producers from across the United States will gather for the four-day event entitled, "Leading the Angus Advance." The keynote address will be delivered by Dr. Bill Mies, Future Beef Operations, formerly of Texas A&M University.

On Sunday, Sept. 30, Scott Johnson, director of Angus Information Management Software, will conduct a workshop from 1-4 p.m. at the

Sandhills Convention Center. Angie Denton, director of web marketing for Angus Productions Inc., will offer a web marketing workshop from 4:30-5:30 p.m., highlighting services API offers producers who market their herd on the World Wide Web. Both workshops are free and open to the public.

In addition to Mies, other speakers will include: John Crouch, director of performance programs; Bryce Schumann, director of member services; Dr. Bill Beal, Virginia Tech; Dr. Twig Marston, Kansas State University; and Dr. Dan Moser, Kansas State University.

Participants will also be treated to a two-day tour, visiting such operations as Darr Feedlot in Cozad, Neb., Summitcrest Angus, Custer County, Fairgrounds, Wm. Zutavern Cattle Co. and Haythorn Ranch near Arthur.

Cost of pre-registration is \$65 prior to Sept. 1 and \$80 afterwards. To request a registration packet, contact Linda Campbell at (816) 383-5143 or via e-mail at lcampbell@angus.org. Participants may also register online at www.angus.org with a Visa or Mastercard.

Wheat producers elect new slate of officers

The biennial election of the Texas Wheat Producers Board recently announced its new slate of officers. Re-elected to serve additional six-year terms were: District I: (North Plains) Cagle Kendrick, Stratford; District II: (South Plains) Tommy Womack, Panhandle; District III: (Rolling Plains) Fred Dwyer, Wichita Falls and District IV: (all other counties in Texas) Jack Norman, Howe and Kenneth Davis, Grandview.

All names on the ballot were

requested by the applicant with support of 10 other producers. Ballots were sent to over 40,000 commercial wheat producers in the state, with available space for write-in candidates. Of the write-in names on the returned ballots, none generated sufficient votes for election.

The Texas Agricultural Commodity Referendum Law directs the make-up of and requires the appointment of a ballot canvassing committee. Those

appointed by TWPB Chairman David Cleavinger were: Kathy Ware, Representative for Potter County Judge Arthur Ware, Amarillo; Ronald Bertrand, Producer Relations, Texas Department of Agriculture, Lubbock; Jim Allison, CEA-AG Potter County Extension Service, Amarillo; and C.L. Edwards, Treasurer, TWPB, Panhandle.

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Man who claims air bag killed wife drops suit against Ford; company suggests he's killer

CAMDEN, N.J. (AP) — A dentist who claimed his wife was killed by a deploying air bag dropped his lawsuit against Ford Motor Co. on Friday. The company has suggested that the dentist himself is the killer.

Eric V. Thomas agreed not to bring any future claims against the automaker in the February 1997 death of his wife, Tracy. Ford

agreed not to seek any damage costs.

Thomas' lawyer, Carl Poplar, said he urged his client to drop the case because it would cost him more to pursue it than a jury might award.

But Ford's lawyer, William J. Conroy, said U.S. Magistrate Joel Rosen was about to rule on whether Thomas should be sanc-

tioned for lying under oath in denying that he and his current wife were having an affair at the time of his first wife's death.

"Let people who review the facts draw their own conclusions as to why this happened," Conroy said.

The Cape May County prosecutor's office reopened the investigation into the death last year

after questions were raised by Ford. Prosecutor David E. Blaker did not immediately return phone calls Friday to comment on whether Thomas is considered a suspect in his wife's death.

Conroy said prosecutors recently subpoenaed all his records on the case, including depositions and information gleaned in Ford's own investigation.

Thomas declined to comment after the brief court hearing.

Thomas' suit maintained his wife, six months pregnant at the time, was killed by an air bag when she drove their Explorer into a pole on a snowy night.

When a passing motorist stopped nearly an hour later, she had no pulse, and she and the unborn child were pronounced dead at the scene. Eric Thomas was unconscious; their 18-month-old daughter was not seriously

injured. Cape May County's medical examiner said Tracy Thomas' death was caused by blunt force trauma consistent with a motor vehicle accident.

But forensic pathologist Dr. Michael M. Baden, one of several experts retained by Ford, said hemorrhages in her eyes and neck were inconsistent with air bag injuries, but consistent with the manual compression of the neck.

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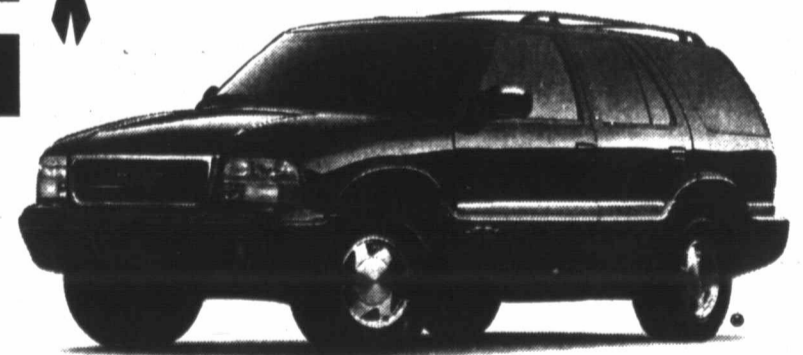
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Hereford craftsman toils away at dying art of gunsmithing

By DIANNA F. DANDRIDGE
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HEREFORD, Texas — Not everyone likes jigsaw puzzles. Not everyone likes history and math. Even fewer people enjoy this trio enough to turn it into a career.

But a love which began when his father took him shooting as a child has carried Wesley Taylor into the dying art known as gunsmithing.

"Daddy let me fire a pistol when I was little bitty," Taylor said, indicating a short height. "Since then I've just always been interested in repairing guns."

Taylor, who grew up with guns, said the small intricate detail work is what he enjoys.

"There are lots of things about repairing or rebuilding a gun that some people consider tedious and time consuming. But, I enjoy doing it and don't mind taking my time to get it done right," he said. "I don't know how true it is, but I've been told I am one of only three people who can put together a Remington Nylon."

A Remington Nylon has numerous springs and

levers and can leave a person confused and discouraged, he said.

Even though Taylor is licensed and certified to work on or sell guns, he said that most of his experience has come from personal experience.

"You can take two- and four-year courses, but most of what I've learned I've picked up on my own and from some of the courses I've taken at Trinidad College," he said. "I've taken a number of summer classes there and I've got my federal firearms license."

Without meaning to give a history lesson, Taylor rattles off the reasons why first-generation Colts, in the right condition, are worth so much more than the third-generation or other makes.

"The name has a lot to do with it," he said. "Everyone associates Sam Colts revolver with the West and famous Western characters, like Wild Bill Hickock."

He also recognizes the value of weapon and how a poor repair or rebuild job can detract from its value.

"Guns are opposite of cars," he said. "You rebuild an old car back to its original condition and it gains

quality, but if you have to rebuild an old gun, it loses value."

He said a lot of math comes in especially with some of the newer guns.

"Some of them have to be timed, just like a car or they won't fire correctly," he said.

Taylor's favorite type of gun to work on is the single-action revolver, so much so that he has built a gun for his own use, that really needs to be seen to be understood.

He calls it a varmint gun, but it looks like it could handle some good-size varmints.

Even though he prefers single-action handguns, Taylor doesn't want to limit himself in any way. He said he has worked on everything from high-powered semiautomatics to antique Winchesters.

Beyond even his enjoyment of working with firearms, Taylor has another reason behind his career choice: a deep-seated belief that fathers and grandfathers ought to be able to hand their guns down to their children.

"You know people have some wrong ideas about guns and kids. It's not that we should be taking them away from the kids, but instead teaching them the

respect and proper use," Taylor said.

He believes that if more people believed and practiced this there would be fewer young people harming others.

Taylor has been working on guns for nearly as long as he can remember, but only recently has he been given the opportunity to run a shop as a gunsmith.

"I probably wouldn't have ever gotten this far without the encouragement and help of James Hull, Jerry Curtis, who paid for some of my classes, Eddie Morton, Raul Briones and Barry Friemel. Or my folks and my wife for putting up with me. I thank God for giving me this talent and putting me together with people who wanted me to do well," he said.

His opportunity to work as a gunsmith came when Friemel and Briones approached him about taking over the Hollowpoint Gun Shop.

"They say a gunsmith is only as good as his tools," Taylor said. "With a little bit of luck, I'll get to prove how good I am and be able to purchase a few more tools that will let me do my job just a little better."

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West Texas A&M names new head of Department of English

CANYON — Administrators at West Texas A&M University have named Dr. Shearle Furnish as the new head of the University's Department of English and Modern Languages. Furnish, professor of English at WTAMU, will begin his new duties July 16.

He fills the position vacated by Dr. Jerry Bradley, who now serves as graduate dean at Lamar

University in Beaumont, Texas. Furnish's responsibilities as head of the department will include teaching as well as handling administrative duties such as schedules, budgets and evaluations.

"A national search was conducted and Dr. Furnish emerged as the candidate of choice," Dr. Sue Park, dean of the Sybil B. Harrington

College of Fine Arts and Humanities, said. "I think he will do a good job, and I look forward to working with him."

Furnish received his bachelor's degree in English literature in 1975 from Transylvania University in Lexington, Ky. He earned his master's and doctorate degrees in English literature from the University of Kentucky in 1978

and 1984, respectively. He joined the WTAMU faculty in 1989, and has served as director of freshman English since 1996. His area of specialization is in medieval literature.

He served from 1994-97 as the original chairperson of the annual Student Research Conference at WTAMU and is the immediate

past president of the Texas College English Association (TCEA).

"Dr. Bradley led the department in strengthening faculty, scholarship and graduate programs. The coming school year, however, finds the department in a significant moment of transition, welcoming fine new colleagues, but at the same time bidding farewell to

others," Furnish said. "This year, more than any I remember, we will present a new and different look to our students and the University."

"It is an exciting period to begin a new chapter of service, a period that challenges us, but also provides opportunities to refresh and redefine English and Modern Languages at WTAMU."

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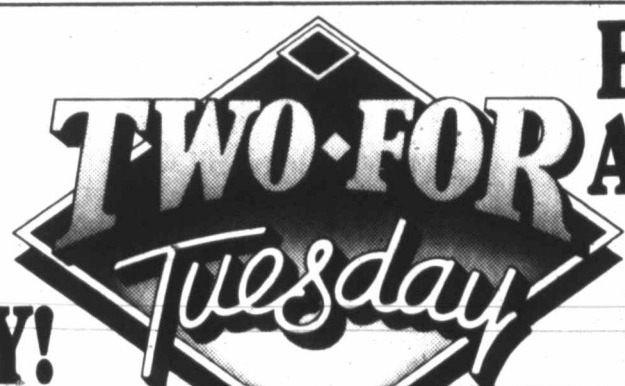
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