





## Study places U.S. drivers under scrutiny

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ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER

WASHINGTON (AP) — A study found all drivers fiddle with their radios or engage in other distracting behavior, even when they're being watched as part of a study on distracted drivers.

Cell phones were not the major distraction, the study found. Only 30 percent of the subjects used a cell phone while their vehicle was moving, compared with 97 percent who leaned over to reach for something and 91 percent who fiddled with radio controls.

The study, released Wednesday by AAA, the auto club, and researchers at the University of North Carolina, tracked 70 drivers from North Carolina and Pennsylvania.

The drivers had miniature cameras placed in their cars for a week, and researchers randomly selected three hours to view their behavior. The first three hours of each tape were eliminated in the hope that drivers would act more naturally later in the week.

Drivers were distracted 16.1 percent of the time their vehicles were moving.

The study considered a wide range of behaviors to be distracting, including talking to passengers. Seventy-seven percent of drivers had conversations while driving.

"People may not realize how distracted they are," said Peter Kissinger, president of AAA's Foundation for Traffic Safety. "Talking to a passenger seems quite safe, but even something that simple takes away from the road."

Jim Champagne, a former Louisiana state trooper who heads that state's highway safety commission, said studies like AAA's are critical because researchers still have no clear idea of the extent of the driver distraction problem. But he believes drivers who participated may have changed their behavior because of the cameras.

Ultimately, studying accident data will be the best way to understand the problem, Champagne said. In June, the federal government and the Governors' Highway Safety Association asked states to start recording whether distraction played a role in accidents. Many are now making that change, Champagne said.

"We never have taken seriously that we need to be 100 percent attentive to our driving," Champagne said. "You can tell people that they shouldn't eat and drink while they're driving, but the bottom line is we're Americans, and we think we can do five or six things at a time."

## Census: California losing population

WASHINGTON (AP) — For the first time since the government started keeping track, more people are leaving California for other U.S. addresses than are moving in from other states.

Census Bureau data released Wednesday shows that New York and several other states also lost more residents than they took in during the latter half of the 1990s, but that is nothing new.

New York's net loss of residents to other states was 874,000, followed by 755,000 for California.

Illinois, New Jersey and Pennsylvania also lost more than they gained from other states but — like New York — those states have lost residents to other states for decades.

California, though, hadn't suffered such a decline since the bureau started collecting statistics on migration in 1940, bureau analyst Jason Schachter said.

The data was part of four bureau reports released Wednesday, primarily gains and losses between states.

Counting births and immigration, California's overall population still surged 14 percent, to 33.9 million, over the 1990s.

The longtime retirement destination of Florida had the biggest net increase, with 607,000 more people coming in than leaving. Warm-weather states with fast-growing economies in the late 1990s rounded out the top five gainers: Georgia, North Carolina, Arizona and Nevada.

Soaring housing prices and a slumping economy in Southern California during the 1990s may have prompted some residents to find new addresses, said Dowell Myers, professor of urban planning and demography at the University of Southern California.

Pamela Neuens, who moved from Huntington Beach, Calif., to the Phoenix area in February, said rising rent in California left her with little savings and no hope of buying her own place. She rents an apartment in suburban Chandler for nearly half as much as the \$1,400 she paid each month in California, where

she lived for 25 years.

"It's just that we keep reaching and reaching but you never get there because of the cost of living," said Neuens, a marketer for a real estate firm.

Nevada was the place of choice for the largest number of exiting Californians: 199,000 settled there.

Myers said a large part of the exodus may be due to immigrants and the state's large population of young adults simply moving to other parts of the country to find work, he said.

"California is a gateway. Some people pass on because there are not enough jobs for all these immigrants," Myers said. "I don't see this as a harbinger of doom."

California's foreign-born population rose by more than one-third to almost 8.9 million over the 1990s. Nationally, the 2000 census showed Hispanic population growth in large cities as well as small towns and rural areas across the country, especially in the Midwest and South.

California drew about 1.4 million residents from other states between 1995 and 2000 but lost 2.2 million of its residents.

"People are leaving urbanism and wanting to move where there is more space or more affordable housing," said Brookings Institution demographer William Frey.

The report was based on people's responses to a question on the 2000 census long form, which asked if the respondent had lived in the same address five years earlier. Those who responded "no" were asked where they had lived previously.

Overall, of the 262 million people 5 and older in 2000, 120 million, or 45.9 percent, had moved in the previous five years. That's about the same rate as the previous two decades.

Schachter said people in their 20s and early 30s are the most apt to move. Rates decline until retirement age, then increase, especially after age 85, when many people either are moved to nursing homes or closer to family members who can take care of them.

## ON RECORD

### POLICE

Pampa Police Department today reported the following arrests and incidents.

#### Monday, Aug. 4

A bicycle was found in the 1100 block of Cinderella.

#### Tuesday, Aug. 5

Assault with a vehicle causing minor injury was reported in the 400 block of Lefors.

A domestic assault, unknown injuries, was reported in the 2700 block of Navajo.

Damage to a business sign in the 400 block of Florida was reported. Damage was estimated at approximately \$800.

Someone entered an unlocked vehicle and took a purse and contents valued at \$80.

A water hose was cut in the 700 block of Lowry. Damage was estimated at \$25.

Credit card abuse was reported to the police department.

Simple assault with minor injury was reported in the 1400 block of Hobart.

Police conducted a welfare check in the 1000 block of Crane Road.

Telephone harassment was reported and charges filed in the 2300 block of Rosewood.

Police investigated a stabbing and arrested one person in the 500 block of Montagu. The victim was taken to Pampa Regional Medical Center for treatment. (See related story, Page 1.)

Lindsay Nicole Smith, 18, Amarillo, was arrested for possession of a controlled substance under one gram and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Detria Ray-Don McIntosh, 26, 521 Montagu #11, was arrested on two counts of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, resisting arrest, disorderly conduct and assault by threat. She is also being held on a fugitive warrant out of Beckham County, Okla., for failure to appear on a charge of conspiracy to manufacture a controlled substance.

#### Wednesday, Aug. 6

Someone entered a window of a building in the 100 block of Naida belonging to WB Supply, 200 Price Rd., and ransacked two offices. An unknown amount of quarters was taken in the break-in. Damage was estimated at \$1,000.

### FIRE

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

#### Tuesday, Aug. 5

9:46 a.m. — One unit and three firefighters responded to the 2100 block of Hobart on a call for medical assistance.

2:03 p.m. — One unit and two firefighters responded 1/2 mile west at the intersection of Gray G and 6 1/2 on a controlled burn.

7:34 p.m. — One unit and two firefighters responded north on Loop 171 on a trash fire.

11:45 p.m. — Firefighters removed a ring that was too small from a juvenile's finger. The juvenile came to Central Fire Station for help.

### SHERIFF

Gray County Sheriff's Office today reported the following arrest.

#### Tuesday, Aug. 5

Christopher Bybee, 22, McLean, was arrested on insufficient bond for possession of a controlled substance with intent to deliver.

### STOCKS

The following grain quotations are provided by Anebury Grain of Pampa:

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

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OXY	32.24	+0.08
CVX	70.67	-0.13
BP	41.31	-0.17
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Celanese	27.96	-0.10
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## WEATHER FOCUS

### PAMPA

Today's forecast is calling for partly cloudy skies, highs near 101, light and variable winds and heat index readings of 101 to 106. Tonight should see partly cloudy skies with a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, a chance of rain 20 percent, lows in the lower 70s and southeast winds 5 to 15 mph. Thursday should be partly cloudy. Highs near 101. South winds 5 to 15 mph. Thursday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the lower 70s. South winds 5 to 15

mph. Friday, partly cloudy. Highs near 102. South winds 5 to 15 mph. Friday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the lower 70s. Saturday, mostly sunny. Highs near 102. Saturday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the lower 70s. Sunday, partly cloudy. Highs near 101. Sunday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 60s. Monday, partly cloudy. Highs in the upper 90s. Monday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the lower 70s. Tuesday, partly cloudy. Highs near 100.

### STATEWIDE

Wilting heat will be the norm over Texas today. The Dallas-Fort Worth area and westward in North Texas will see near record temperatures of 105 to 108 degrees. A large swath of Southeast Texas will also see a dangerous combination of heat and humidity.

The pattern will continue for the foreseeable future. Chances of isolated afternoon and evening rain will continue today in North Texas and in northern and western West Texas.

Wink led the state Tuesday with 109 degrees. No rain was reported in major Texas cities. In West Texas, highs today should be near or above 100 except for the northern Panhandle and far west, where it should top out in the mid 90s. It will be especially hot in the upper Trans Pecos and western Permian Basin.

Rain may crop up today in the northern Permian Basin and in the region including San Angelo, a few isolated storms. The possibility of a few showers and non-severe storms will continue through Thursday in the Panhandle, South Plains, and far West Texas. The high heat will continue for the foreseeable future, with scanty rain possibilities this weekend.

South Texas will see another very hot day. A large area of Southeast Texas including Houston, Galveston and College Station will be very uncomfortable today, with the heat index in the 105 to 113 range and it will be even a touch warmer on Thursday. The pattern in the deep south will continue, with high heat and humidity. Highs through the weekend in south Central Texas will be at least in the mid 90s, and the southeast will see highs at least in the upper 90s. No rain is forecast through the weekend in South Texas except for a chance Thursday night in north central areas. Skies will be clear to partly cloudy.

Much of North Texas will see heat indices in the 105-115 range today, and the Metroplex may see the mercury hit 105 degrees or higher. A very weak cool front will move through later today, which should bring tomorrow's highs down a few degrees. Western North Texas may see some short-lived storms later today, and the rest of the region may see a few storms, especially near the Louisiana border where there may be some heavy rain later today. The weekend will continue in the current heat pattern, with no rain forecast except for a slight chance in the east.

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### Trucker convicted of smuggling people

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — The man who was driving a tractor-trailer last October when a Department of Public Safety officer discovered seven immigrants in his truck has been found guilty of two counts of transporting undocumented immigrants.

A federal jury in San Antonio took a little more than an hour on Tuesday to

find the driver, long-haul trucker Oilevy Prieto Blanco, 32, guilty.

After pulling the tractor-trailer over on Interstate 35 near Devine for a random safety inspection, the officer found the five men and two women in the hot trailer, some stripped of their shirts because the box was not refrigerated or ventilated.

## PET OF THE WEEK

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**LIBERIA**

for the first time. U.S. officials have said the Marines will work only as liaisons between the West African force and U.S. commanders on the three American warships off Liberia.

Authorized by President Bush on Tuesday, the team could grow as large as 20 in coming days but is not the beginning of a larger deployment, said a senior Bush administration official, speaking on condition of anonymity.

Monrovia's trapped people have appealed for U.S. intervention throughout two bloody months of rebel sieges of the capital — pleading for rescue from the country that oversaw Liberia's 19th-century founding by freed American slaves.

"We feel happy because we're tired of what is happening. We expect them to bring peace for us," said Andrew Sarte, a 32-year old refugee, among the crowds on the beach.

American diplomats barred journalists from inside the embassy for the landing. An official familiar with the deployment, speaking on condition of anonymity, confirmed the helicopters carried the military team. At least three members of a U.S. government humanitarian team also were on the flights.

The USS Iwo Jima amphibious assault ship and USS Carter Hall amphibious landing dock were within 100 miles of Liberia, and the amphibious transport dock USS Nashville was moving to join them. U.S. officials have spoken of the ships moving into sight of Monrovia at some point — in an intended show of force for combatants and residents.

Hundreds of thousands of refugees and residents in government-held parts of Monrovia are desperate for food, and West African and U.S. diplomats have been working — with no word of success — to negotiate access routes to the rebel-held port area, where warehouses stocked with food are located.

Nigerian Lt. Col. Sam Nudamajo said he expected to send the first troops from his force into the city later Wednesday, to head toward the port. Nigerian forces, which began arriving three days ago, were building to battalion strength of 770-men.

Rebels have besieged the capital for months with the goal of ousting President Charles Taylor, a former warlord blamed in 14 years of conflict in once-prosperous Liberia and indicted for war crimes in nearby Sierra Leone. The fighting in Monrovia has killed well over 1,000 civilians.

On Wednesday, Taylor's forces stood guard in the middle of the bridges between the port and downtown and turned back hungry civilians trying to cross into the rebel territory in search of food.

Taylor's forces allowed only journalists to cross Wednesday. On the rebel side, civilians waited anxiously for clearance to cross over to hospitals in government territory for treatment for malaria and wounds from fighting.

"We have enough food here. But there are insufficient drugs to give medical attention to our sick, and war-wounded," said Sam Van Kessel, a journalism professor.

Residents of the rebel side were tending their wounded and sick in schools, churches and rebel headquarters, with

local doctors helping as they could.

In front of journalists, rebels cracked down on looting of shops and warehouses — at one point shooting a man they said was a looter before an Associated Press Television News camera. It was unclear if the man died.

Six bodies — some naked, others with their hands tied behind their backs — lay on sidewalks and water-clogged streets among cans of orange juice, emptied boxes and other looted goods.

Rebel officers used rubber hoses to whip three crying, shirtless subordinates, also accused of looting.

On Tuesday, U.S. Ambassador John Blaney joined West African officials in a convoy to the rebel-held side, appealing to rebel commanders to open up humanitarian access to the port.

Rebel chief of staff Maj. Gen. Abdulla Seyeah Sheriff told reporters Wednesday that would happen only when Taylor resigns and leaves Liberia. "We will hold our positions," until then, said Sheriff.

Earlier, Taylor's military chief of staff, Gen. Benjamin Yeaten, warned that if rebels fail to withdraw from the port it could "tempt me" to break the cease-fire.

Bush and West African leaders have demanded that Taylor cede power and leave Liberia, taking an asylum offer in Nigeria.

Taylor has pledged to leave office Monday, but his government says he will leave the country only when an adequate number of peacekeepers are on the ground — and a U.N.-Sierra Leone war-crimes indictment against him is dropped.



(Courtesy photo)

These members of the Hoover Volunteer Fire Department recently attended the 74th annual Municipal Texas Fire School, front row from left: Joe Millican and Trent Price; back row, from left: Bud Rose, Jeffrey Sweeney, Wayne Hinds, Bill Campbell and Brian Snapp.

**Hoover Volunteer Firefighters train at 74th Texas Municipal Fire School**

Hoover Volunteer Fire Department members recently completed training in the 74th annual Municipal Texas Fire School.

Those attending the school from Hoover VFD include Joe Millican, Trent Price, Bud Rose, Jeffery Sweeney, Wayne Hinds, Bill

Campbell and Brian Snapp.

Each summer, the school, sponsored by the Texas Engineering Extension Service, is made up of five days of classroom lectures and hands on field exercises at one of the largest training facilities in the world.

More than 2,500 fire pre-

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## DEAR ABBY

written by Pauline Phillips and daughter Jeanne Phillips

### Parent's Intervention Gets Teen The Help She Needs

DEAR ABBY: I had to write after reading the letter from "No Name, City or State," the 17-year-old boy who was scared because when he tries to break up with his girlfriend, she cuts herself.

Several years ago, my teenage daughter had a slumber party. "Lynn," one of my daughter's friends, was one of the guests. During the night, Lynn began cutting herself. If and tried to attack another girl with a broken mirror. My daughter woke me, and I called the sheriff's department. They came and took Lynn to a hospital.

We didn't see her for two years, but six months ago Lynn dropped by our home. She hugged us and started to cry. She said, "Thank you so much for caring enough to do something. I see now that I was crying for help." Lynn is still in therapy and under treatment for depression.

Abby, that young man should not hesitate to do whatever needs to be done to get his girlfriend the help she needs.

A MOM  
IN THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS

DEAR MOM: The young man has already taken a giant step in the right direction. He has defined the problem and asked an adult (me) what to do about it.

Your experience clearly illustrates the benefit of taking immediate action and getting a person who is a threat to herself and others into the medical system.

DEAR ABBY: This morning my husband of five years, "Frank," called me by his ex-wife's name. It made me furious because it's something he's done from time to time. I'm still fuming and have managed to avoid him all day.

Don't get me wrong, I'm cordial to Wife No. 1. I make every effort to cooperate with her because of the children involved — but being called by her name is like a slap in the face.

If I tell Frank, I know he'll say I'm overreacting. What do you think, Abby?

WIFE NO. 2 IN TEXAS

DEAR WIFE NO. 2: Go to the stationary store and buy some "Hello, my name is ( )" stickers. Plaster one on your shoulder and one on your nightie. That should get his attention and your message across without being heavy-handed.

DEAR ABBY: I have been seeing a gentleman I'll call Clint for about a month. We are both divorced, in our early 40s and live 10 minutes apart. Clint has two children.

When Clint calls, I always make myself available — even if it's 11 p.m. or later. He usually spends the night with me, then leaves first thing in the morning. My problem is he never wants to take me out anywhere, like to dinner and a movie. If he doesn't come to my house, I'll go to his — and we always end up in bed.

Am I setting myself up for disappointment? Your thoughts, please.

WANTING MORE IN BUFFALO

DEAR WANTING MORE: It depends on what you want from this relationship. You have described a bed partner, not a life partner. Tell Clint exactly how you feel about this arrangement. You'll know where this ship is heading by his reaction.

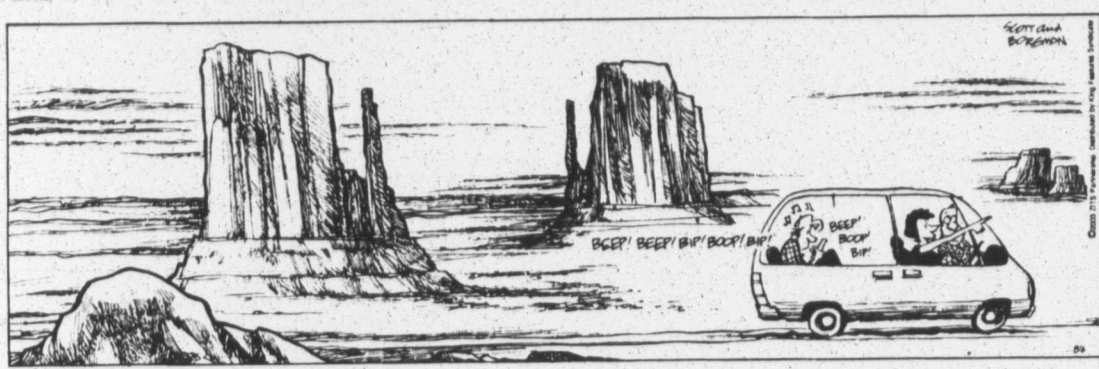
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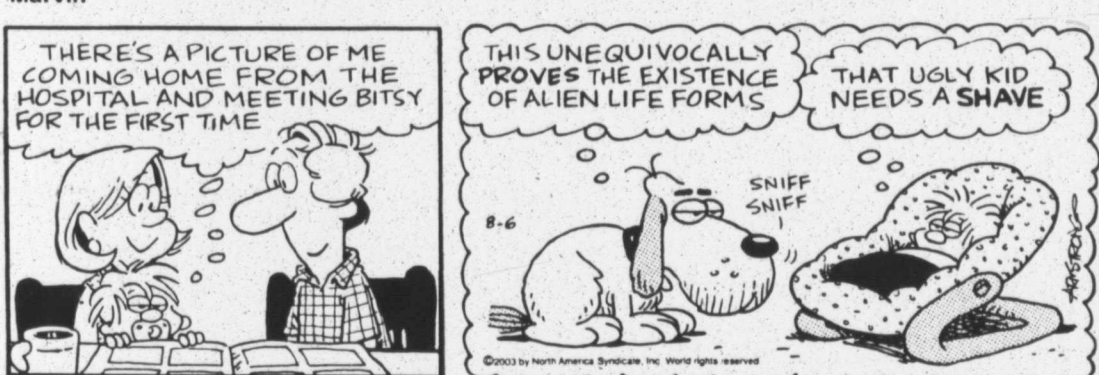
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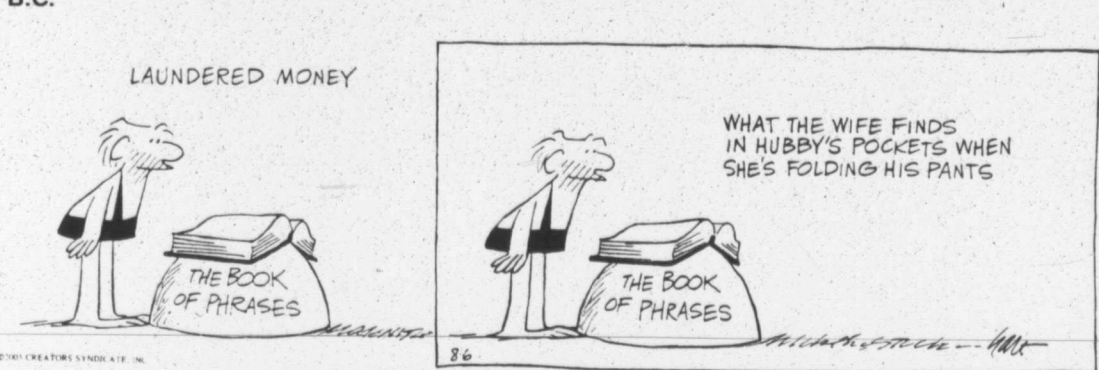
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By THOMAS JOSEPH

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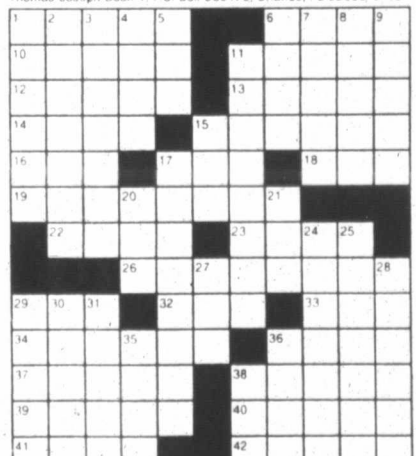
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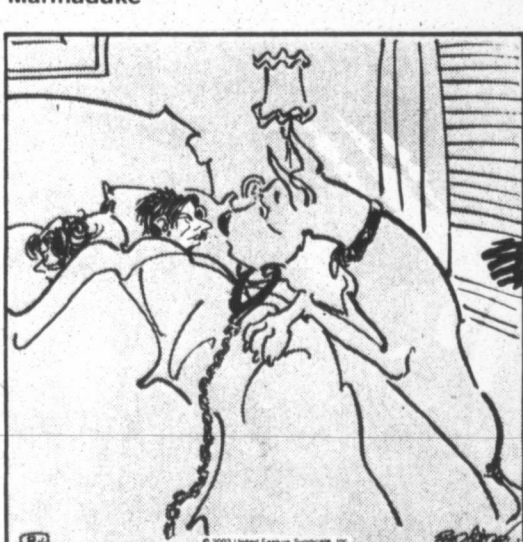
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# SPORTS

## PHS tennis players shine at Tascosa Open

Playing summer tennis is paying off for a group of Pampa High players.

Nine members of the Harvester team participated in the Tascosa Open Tennis Tournament last weekend and had another strong performance. The Pampa athletes won three championships and a consolation trophy. Britton White won the men's singles title while White and Zach Hucks won the men's open doubles title.

Hucks teamed with Tara Jordan to win the mixed open doubles championship.

Ashlee Lucas won a hard-fought consolation victory over teammate Lacie Long in the women's open consolation bracket.

These same players earlier came away with several trophies from the Amarillo Tennis Tournament of Champions.

Also participating in the tournament were Lauren

Denny, Sammie Pereira, Shauna Friend and Megan Clark.

The Harvesters start two-a-day workouts for the fall season this week. John Seal is the new head coach.

### Tascosa Open Pampa results

**Britton White:** Men's Open Singles, Champion; Men's Open Doubles, Champion; Mixed Open Doubles, won 1, lost 1.

**Zach Hucks:** Men's Open Doubles, Champion; Mixed Open Doubles, Champion.

**Tara Jordan:** Women's Open Singles, won 1, lost 1; Mixed Open Doubles, Champion.

**Lacie Long:** Mixed Open Doubles, won 1, lost 1; Women's Singles: Runnerup, Consolation Finals.

**Ashlee Lucas:** Women's Singles: Champion, Consolation Finals.

**Lauren Denny:** Women's

16 Singles, lost 1st & 2nd rounds.

**Sammie Pereira:** Women's 14 Singles: lost 1st & 2nd rounds; Women's 14 Doubles, lost 1st & 2nd Rounds.

**Shauna Friend:** Women's 14 Singles, lost 1st & 2nd rounds; Women's 14 Doubles, lost 1st & 2nd rounds.

**Megan Clark:** Women's 16 Singles, lost 1st & 2nd Rounds.

## NOTEBOOK

### HUNTING

**CLARENDON** — All American Outfitters in Clarendon will offer a unique hunter safety package for hunting families in September.

The package hunt includes a dove hunt and the Texas Hunter Safety program.

These package hunts will be Sept. 20-21 and Sept. 27-28.

Cost is \$395 per person. To schedule a hunt or discuss hunting goals, call Ken or Roseann Mayer (800) 693-2253.

### BASEBALL

**HOUSTON (AP)** — Astros second baseman Jeff Kent was suspended for two games and fined as a result of his argument with umpire Matt Hollowell during a game against the Chicago Cubs on July 26.

Kent appealed the penalty and was in Houston's lineup for against the New York Mets.

A date for a hearing has not been set. The suspension, imposed by Major League Baseball vice president Bob Watson, will not take effect until the appeal is heard.

Kent is alleged to have pushed Houston manager Jimmy Williams into Hollowell after being ejected while disputing a check swing call.

### BASKETBALL

**WACO, Texas (AP)** — Ten Baylor University officials were traveling to California to attend basketball player Patrick Dennehy's funeral, which is to include scripture readings by hip-hop artist M.C. Hammer.

The Baylor group leaving Wednesday, a day before the service at Jubilee Christian Center in San Jose, Calif., includes president Robert B. Sloan Jr., athletic director Tom Stanton and basketball coach Dave Bliss. Todd Lake, dean of university ministries, said he will stay longer than other officials so he can counsel the family.

The group will take a gift to the family from the Sacramento Kings, whose managers made a jersey emblazoned with Dennehy's name after learning that he aspired to play for the NBA team.

Lake said a similar jersey from the Baylor Bears will be presented at a memorial service on the Waco campus Aug. 28.

Dennehy, 21, had been missing about six weeks when his body was found July 25 in a field near a rock quarry several miles from Baylor. He died of gunshot wounds to the head, according to a preliminary autopsy report.

Waco police confirmed Tuesday that a 9mm pistol found under a rock at an apartment complex July 17 was not linked to the Dennehy case or used in any crime. Several Baylor athletes live at the complex near campus.

## Media circus in town for Bryant court appearance

**EAGLE, Colo. (AP)** — A day before Kobe Bryant's first scheduled court appearance to acknowledge a sexual assault charge, his lawyers sought to clamp down on apparent information leaks from law enforcement officers.

Attorneys Hal Haddon and Pamela Mackey asked Eagle County Judge Frederick Gannett to schedule a hearing so officers could be questioned under oath about any comments they made, and to punish any that violated an earlier order prohibiting such comments.

The motion came on the heels of news reports in the past week that quoted anonymous sources who described reported injuries to Bryant's accuser and the amount of time she spent in Bryant's room. The sources also said Bryant gave inconsistent statements to law enforcement officials.

Eagle County sheriff's department spokeswoman Kim Andree did not return a

call seeking comment.

The brief was filed Tuesday, one day before Bryant, 24, is scheduled to appear in court where Gannett will advise him of his rights, the charge against him and the possible penalty. The Los Angeles Lakers star is free on \$25,000 bond.

Bryant is charged with felony sexual assault against a 19-year-old woman who worked at an exclusive resort hotel in nearby Edwards when Bryant stayed there June 30. He has said the sex was consensual.

In anticipation of the hearing, a mini-community of satellite trucks and television tents has cropped up across the street from the Eagle County courthouse. Inside, final touches were being put on a security plan never seen before in this mountain community.

Tuesday evening, sheriff's deputies conducted trial runs to prepare for the roughly seven-mile trip from the airport to the courthouse.

## Aggie players arrive to begin Coach Fran era

**COLLEGE STATION, Texas** — Dennis Franchione appeared calm as he welcomed the 2003 Aggies football team Tuesday for the beginning of the Coach Fran era at Texas A&M.

But was he really? "I have a comfort level here," Franchione said. "But believe me, below the water level, I'm paddling pretty hard. I'm just anxious to get started. This is my 31st year and I don't think I've ever had a fall camp where I've been more excited to get started."

The Aggies were due on campus late Tuesday for meetings and preparations leading up to their first workout on Wednesday.

A successful spring allowed Franchione and his staff to install offensive and defensive schemes. Now, it's a matter of refining and getting ready for the season opener Aug. 30 against Arkansas State.

Last December, Franchione left Alabama to replace R.C. Slocum, who spent 14 years at A&M.

At Alabama, Franchione turned the Crimson Tide program into a 10-3 winner last season in his seventh stop as a head coach.

"First years are hard," Franchione said. "There'll be

a day or two, I'll probably throw water on (offensive line) coach (Jim Bob) Helduser and say 'Don't ever ask me to start over again.'"

Franchione is starting over with all of his staff from Alabama. Part of his plan is giving the players a sense of a fresh start from last year's 6-6 finish, which included a season ending 50-20 loss to the Texas Longhorns.

"I try to judge from right now forward," Franchione said. "Everybody started with a clean slate. I tell the ones who have been starters that they'll probably emerge again but they'll have to earn it."

"The ones" that haven't been starting, I tell them they have a chance to earn it."

Franchione has had a winning record at each of his seven head coaching stops except for New Mexico (33-36) but he took the Lobos to a conference title and a bowl game in his final season there in 1997.

The Aggies begin work this week with Dustin Long and Reggie McNeal as the team's dual quarterbacks.

But Franchione isn't as worried about choosing a quarterback as he is finding a tight end. Thomas Carriger and Patrick Fleming sat out spring drills with injuries.

## Cowboys' Woodson gets clarification from a former teammate

**SAN ANTONIO (AP)** — Darren Woodson didn't have to hear the clarification from Emmitt Smith, but the Dallas Cowboys safety got a phone call from his former teammate with three Super Bowl championships.

Smith, now with Arizona after being released by the

Cowboys last spring, said last season was the worst in his career. The comments by the NFL's career rusher included his diamond-among-trash reference that he has since tried to clarify publicly.

"He called me up and we talked for a while. He didn't have to put the record

straight," Woodson said Tuesday. "I just knew it wasn't a big deal at the beginning. I didn't take it that way."

Smith was quoted by a Sports Illustrated writer that he "felt like a diamond surrounded by trash" last season.

Andy Matakis was moved from defense to help fill the void.

"It's kind of a mystery position right now," Franchione said. "If we had to play a game today, we'd probably play without a tight end."

"We have to solidify that position or take a direction without it in fall camp. Hopefully, we'll solidify it. We'd like to have a tight end in our offense."

Helduser will try to develop depth in the offensive line, which includes returning starters Geoff Hangartner at center and Alan Reuber and Jami Hightower as tackles.

Defensive coordinator Carl Torbush is converting the "Wrecking Crew" defense to a 4-3 alignment and he's trying to find linebacker depth to support starters Archie McDaniel, Jared Morris and Nurahda Manning.

Linebacker Randall Webb, suspended by Franchione in the spring, was dismissed from the squad on Monday. Freshmen linebackers Justin Warren, Ta Ta Thompson and Lamar Mitchell might be pressed into playing time.

Under new NCAA guidelines, the Aggies will work out one time per day their first five workouts and then alternate two-a-day and single day workouts.

seeking comment. The filing catalogues numerous claims against Tyson, including millions of dollars in back taxes, lawsuits, child-support payments and more spending on luxury goods than many people make in a lifetime.

Tyson, for example, owes \$308,749.60 to CLS Transportation, a limousine company that charges about \$100 an hour for the eight-person stretch limos that Tyson favors, the company's chief operating officer, Leon Reitzenstein, said Tuesday.

The debt has been incurred since Tyson's loss to Lennox Lewis in Memphis, Tenn., last year, Reitzenstein said.

## Tyson: Millions of dollars gone

**NEW YORK (AP)** — A diamond necklace worth as much as some houses. More than \$300,000 in limousine rides. Sixty thousand dollars worth of rugs.

Mike Tyson's Manhattan bankruptcy filing lays out the surprising ease with which the former heavyweight champion burned through hundreds of millions of dollars during his career.

Tyson, 37, now has pegged much of his hope for financial resurrection on a lawsuit against Don King, according to the filings.

"There's no question that the lawsuit could potentially be the largest asset of his estate," Tyson attorney Debra Grassgreen said.

Woodson is going into his 12th NFL season, all with the Cowboys and the first without Smith as a teammate. They remain good friends.

In explaining his comment publicly, Smith said he was referring to the behavior of some players.

"That statement meaning,

## Team campers



Members of the Pampa High girls' basketball team competed last week in the South Plains Junior College Team Camp Levelland. The Lady Harvesters won 8 of 11 games, defeating teams from Petersburg, Abilene High, Spur, Vega, Whiteface, Sands, Zephyr and Clarendon. Team members are (front row, l-r) Autumn Darden, Lindsey Ammons, Jackie Gerber, and Abbi Covalt; (back row, l-r) Tara Jordan, Stacey Johnson, Jennie Waggoner, Jaclyn Spearman and Callie Cobb. The purpose of the camp was to give high school teams a chance to play a variety of teams from across the state.

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# Texans' Mack ready to prove he's an every-play guy

HOUSTON (AP) — When Stacey Mack exchanged his No. 34 Jaguars jersey for a Texans model, he knew he was claiming a hallowed number in Houston sports history. He just didn't know how hallowed.

The burly running back was aware Earl Campbell wore it for the Oilers. What he didn't know was it also belonged to Nolan Ryan and Hakeem Olajuwon.

"Wow, I didn't think of it that way," Mack said, laughing. "I just thought of it as Earl Campbell."

While 34 is retired for the Astros, Rockets and Oilers/Titans, the Texans are a new team with their own identity, and thus all uniform numbers are in play. Journeyman running

back Travis Prentice wore it in training camp last year and safety Kyries Hebert claimed it when he signed in December, but neither ever was active for a regular-season game.

Mack is shoo-in to make the team, though his goals extend far beyond that.

The 6-foot-1, 241-pound Orlando, Fla., native established himself as one of the NFL's premier short-yardage backs in his first four seasons, all in Jacksonville. He came to Houston as a free agent to show he can emerge from the shadow of Jaguars star Fred Taylor and that he, too, can be an every-down rusher.

"It is an opportunity I wanted to grab," said Mack, 28. "I enjoyed backing up Fred in

Jacksonville. He's one of my closest friends, but I told Fred I couldn't turn this down. I don't want to spend the rest of my career being a backup. I want to be a great back, not just a good one."

The closest opportunity the Temple product has had so far came in 2001, one of Taylor's many injury-plagued campaigns, when Mack started 11 games and ran for 877 yards and nine touchdowns and caught 23 passes for 165 yards and a score.

Last year, though, Taylor stayed healthy and Mack returned to his backup goal line role. He equaled his career-high nine TDs on just 98 carries for 436 yards.

The Texans know they have

a player with a nose for the toughest yards in football, offensive coordinator Chris Palmer said. They have to figure out if he can get the other yards consistently game-in, game-out.

"We're hoping he can show he can play more than short-yardage and goal-line, and we think he will," Palmer said. "I know this right now: He's a third-and-1 and short-yardage back. We're giving him an opportunity to play first and second down and see what he can do."

The running back competition is among the most spirited positional battles in camp. Mack, rookies Dominick Davis and Tony Hollings, second-year player Jonathan Wells

and veteran James Allen are in the mix, and one likely won't be on the roster when the season bows.

Davis, a fourth-round pick in the most recent draft, was slated for kick returns and third-down duty but broke his right hand last week. Hollings, who showed flashes at Georgia Tech last year before a season-ending knee injury, could be the Texans' back of the future, meaning the roster battle could come down to Allen and Wells.

Mack said the unit has developed a bond despite the competition.

"We know the running game wasn't too good last year," Mack said, referring in part to the NFL-worst 3.2 yards per carry the team averaged last

season, caused in part by the same offensive line that contributed to David Carr's record 76 sacks. "We're all focused on getting this running game going so David Carr can get the wide receivers open."

**NOTES:** The Texans, battling injuries across the offensive line, have signed Carey Clayton and Ben Lynch while waiving center Mike Newell, who suffered a left knee injury during a scrimmage Saturday against the Cowboys. Newell was unlikely to make the team. The other roster spot was opened when Houston put tackle Jimmy Herndon on injured reserve after he suffered a season-ending left knee injury in the scrimmage.

## Prior returns from disabled list, pitches Cubs past Padres, 3-0

CHICAGO (AP) — Mark Prior put on an All-Star performance, albeit a little bit late.

Prior returned from the disabled list and thrilled 100 family members and friends, pitching the Chicago Cubs past the San Diego Padres 3-0 Tuesday night.

Prior was supposed to make his first All-Star appearance this summer, but he injured his right shoulder in a frightening collision with Atlanta second baseman Marcus Giles on July 11 and missed the game.

Yet Prior showed no ill effects against the Padres, allowing two hits in six innings. He walked one and struck out six.

"The only time I would worry about it was when I got to the fifth or sixth inning, but everything felt fine and now it's just a matter now of getting the strength back up and moving my pitch count up," he said.

The Cubs sure were relieved.

"It's a big boost. That was huge, because we didn't know what we were going to get, but we knew we had a good chance of getting some quality, because that's how he is," man-

ager Dusty Baker said.

In other NL games, San Francisco blanked Pittsburgh 3-0, Arizona beat Montreal 8-5, Los Angeles defeated Cincinnati 5-2, Milwaukee downed Atlanta 4-3, New York beat Houston 10-1, Philadelphia topped Colorado 7-2, and Florida stopped St. Louis 4-0.

Prior was born and raised in San Diego, and had a big rooting section on hand. His only other appearance at Qualcomm Stadium came in junior high school in a playoff game.

"He didn't look like he hadn't pitched in three weeks," Padres star Ryan Klesko said. "He was sharp and looked like he had good command of all his pitches."

**Giants 3, Pirates 0**

Jason Schmidt won again, shutting down Pittsburgh on four hits for seven innings at Pacific Bell Park.

San Francisco has lost only once in its last 14 home games. Schmidt won his fourth straight start, breezing past his former team.

The Pirates loaded the bases in the ninth, but Tim Worrell got Jack Wilson to ground into

a game-ending double play.

**Diamondbacks 8, Expos 5**  
Shea Hillenbrand homered and drove in four runs as Arizona stopped Montreal's four-game winning streak.

Randy Johnson (2-4) took a 6-1 lead into the sixth inning, but was chased as the Expos rallied for four runs. Vladimir Guerrero began the comeback with a 463-foot home run into the second-deck restaurant in left field at Bank One Ballpark.

Despite the win, the Diamondbacks are just 6-12 since the All-Star break.

**Dodgers 5, Reds 2**

Kevin Brown won for the first time in seven starts, pitching Los Angeles past Cincinnati at Dodger Stadium. Brown, who leads the majors with a 2.13 ERA, was 0-4 since beating the Giants on June 17 for his 10th straight victory.

Alex Cora homered and doubled, and Shawn Green hit a two-run double for Los Angeles. The Dodgers played their first game since George Hendrick replaced Jack Clark as the hitting coach.

## Major League Standings

National League					American League				
W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB		
Atlanta	73	39	.652	—	New York	68	42	.618	—
Philadelphia	63	49	.563	10	Boston	65	46	.586	3 1/2
Florida	61	51	.545	12	Toronto	56	57	.496	13 1/2
Montreal	58	55	.513	15 1/2	Baltimore	53	57	.482	15
New York	46	66	.411	27	Tampa Bay	43	68	.387	25 1/2
Central Division					West Division				
W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB		
Houston	60	52	.536	—	Kansas City	60	51	.541	—
St. Louis	58	54	.518	2	Chicago	59	54	.522	2
Chicago	57	54	.514	2 1/2	Minnesota	56	56	.500	4 1/2
Pittsburgh	51	59	.464	8	Cleveland	45	67	.402	15 1/2
Cincinnati	51	61	.455	9	Detroit	29	81	.264	30 1/2
Milwaukee	45	67	.402	15	Seattle	69	43	.616	—
East Division					Central Division				
W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB		
San Francisco	70	42	.625	—	Los Angeles	66	43	.606	—
Arizona	58	54	.518	12	Colorado	57	58	.496	14 1/2
Los Angeles	56	55	.505	13 1/2	San Diego	44	70	.386	27
Colorado	57	58	.496	14 1/2	Monday's Games				
San Diego	44	70	.386	27	No games scheduled				
<b>Tuesday's Games</b>									
Milwaukee 4, Atlanta 3					Minnesota 3, Baltimore 2				
N.Y. Mets 10, Houston 1					Tampa Bay 10, Toronto 1				
Florida 4, St. Louis 0					Kansas City 13, Chicago White Sox 9				
Philadelphia 7, Colorado 2					<b>Tuesday's Games</b>				
Arizona 8, Montreal 5					Boston 10, Anaheim 9				
Chicago Cubs 3, San Diego 0					N.Y. Yankees 6, Texas 2				
Los Angeles 5, Cincinnati 2					Oakland 7, Detroit 2				
San Francisco 3, Pittsburgh 0					Seattle 2, Cleveland 1				
<b>Wednesday's Games</b>					Baltimore 3, Minnesota 2				
Atlanta (Madoux 10-8) at Milwaukee (W.Franklin 7-8), 8:05 p.m.					Tampa Bay 5, Toronto 4, 10 innings				
N.Y. Mets (Heilman 1-4) at Houston (W.Miller 7-10), 8:05 p.m.					Chicago White Sox 5, Kansas City 4				
Florida (Willis 10-2) at St. Louis (Haren 2-2), 8:10 p.m.					<b>Wednesday's Games</b>				
Philadelphia (Duckworth 4-5) at Colorado (Tsao 1-0), 9:05 p.m.					Kansas City (K.Wilson 5-1) at Chicago White Sox (Colon 9-9), 2:05 p.m.				
Montreal (Day 5-4) at Arizona (Schilling 5-6), 9:35 p.m.					Toronto (Halladay 15-3) at Tampa Bay (Kennedy 3-8), 2:15 p.m.				
Chicago Cubs (Wood 10-8) at San Diego (Eaton 6-7), 10:05 p.m.					Anaheim (Sele 6-8) at Boston (P.Martinez 7-2), 7:05 p.m.				
Cincinnati (Acevedo 2-0) at Los Angeles (Od.Perez 6-9), 10:10 p.m.					Texas (Thomson 9-10) at N.Y. Yankees (Wells 12-3), 7:05 p.m.				
Pittsburgh (Fogg 6-6) at San Francisco (Ponson 0-0), 10:15 p.m.					Oakland (Zito 8-9) at Detroit (Bonderman 4-15), 7:05 p.m.				
<b>Thursday's Games</b>					Minnesota (Lohse 7-9) at Baltimore (Hentgen 4-5), 7:05 p.m.				
Atlanta (Hampton 8-5) at Milwaukee (Obermueller 0-2), 2:05 p.m.					Seattle (Pineiro 13-5) at Cleveland (Westbrook 4-6), 7:05 p.m.				
Philadelphia (Millwood 11-7) at Colorado (Stark 1-0), 3:05 p.m.					<b>Thursday's Games</b>				
Pittsburgh (S.Torres 5-3) at San Francisco (J.Williams 5-2), 3:35 p.m.					Minnesota (Reed 5-10) at Baltimore (Lopez 4-6), 12:35 p.m.				
Chicago Cubs (Zambrano 9-8) at San Diego (Jarvis 4-3), 5:05 p.m.					Texas (Benoit 6-5) at N.Y. Yankees (Mussina 11-6), 1:05 p.m.				
					Oakland (Zito 8-9) at Detroit (Bonderman 4-15), 1:05 p.m.				
					Anaheim (Ra.Ortiz 13-8) at Boston (Burkett 8-5), 7:05 p.m.				
					Seattle (Garcia 9-11) at Cleveland (Traber 5-6), 7:05 p.m.				
					Kansas City (May 5-5) at Tampa Bay (Bell 2-2), 7:15 p.m.				

## Rodeo Money Leaders

Professional Association	Rodeo	Cowboys	Professional Rodeo Association
1. Rope Myers, Van, Texas (30), \$45,758	2. Curtis Cassidy, Donald, Alberta (33), \$42,227	3. Rod Lyman, Victor, Mont. (25), \$41,560	4. Todd Suhm, Brighton, Colo. (26), \$41,060
5. Mickey Gee, Wichita Falls, Texas (26), \$38,692	6. Joey Bell Jr., Salem, N.J. (28), \$37,417	7. Cash Myers, Athens, Texas (27), \$36,579	8. Randy Suhm, Riverton, Wyo. (25), \$35,327
9. Jesse Bail, Camp Crook, S.D., \$80,684	10. Speed Williams, Amarillo, Texas, \$79,725	11. Curtis Cassidy, Donald, Alberta, \$64,865	12. Blair Burk, Durant, Okla., \$63,197
13. Travis Tryan, Billings, Mont., \$60,926	14. Cody De Mers, Boulder, Mont., \$58,854	15. Cash Myers, Athens, Texas, \$57,807	16. Joe Beaver, Huntsville, Texas, \$55,193
17. J.D. Crouse, Canon City, Colo., \$54,563	18. Scott Snedecor, Uvalde, Texas, \$51,516	19. Chad Klein, Clinton, La., \$50,930	20. David Key, Caldwell, Texas, \$48,645
21. Tee Woolman, Llano, Texas, \$48,411	22. Kyle Hughes, Model, Colo., \$44,563	23. Brent Lewis, Pinon, N.M., \$43,982	24. Casey Branquinhó, Los Alamos, Calif., \$38,861
25. Luke Branquinhó, Los Alamos, Calif. (28), \$26,447	26. Chad Biesemeyer, Stephenville, Texas (25), \$26,116	27. Speed Williams, Amarillo, Texas (32), \$24,691	28. Travis Tryan, Billings, Mont. (25), \$53,626
29. David Key, Caldwell, Texas (29), \$39,852	30. Tee Woolman, Llano, Texas (28), \$37,522	31. Matt Tyler, Dennis, Texas (32), \$37,294	32. Trevor Brazile, Anson, Texas (27), \$37,276
33. Chad Masters, Adams, Tenn. (27), \$34,380	34. Daniel Green, Oakdale, Calif. (29), \$30,280	35. Charles Pogue, Ringling, Okla. (28), \$29,681	36. Shain Sproul, Arlee, Mont. (27), \$26,045
37. Kevin Stewart, Glen Rose, Texas (31), \$25,904	38. Steve Puroella, Hereford, Texas (30), \$25,483	39. Nick Sartain, Yukon, Okla. (24), \$23,980	40. Brady Wren, Kerrville, Texas (30), \$23,216
41. Wade Wheatley, Hughson, Calif. (23), \$23,044	42. Lance Brooks, Shandon, Calif. (24), \$22,632	43. Clay Tryan, Billings, Mont. (29), \$21,967	44. Camish Jennings, Houston, Texas (28), \$21,576
45. Rowdy Rieken, Arp, Texas (25), \$20,462	46. David Motes, Silt, Colo. (31), \$20,457	47. Rich Skelton, Llano, Texas (31), \$68,785	48. Matt Zancanella, Aurora, S.D. (25), \$60,170
49. Wayne Folmer, El Paso, Texas (29), \$31,532	50. Rance Bray, Dumas, Texas (46), \$67,201	51. Clay O'Brien Cooper, Glen Rose, Texas (30), \$46,569	52. Patrick Smith, Midland, Texas (30), \$40,455
53. Britt Bockius, Claremore, Okla. (33), \$38,592	54. Allen Bach, Weatherford, Texas (31), \$37,227	55. Cory Petska, Lexington, Okla. (28), \$36,364	56. Michael Jones, Stephenville, Texas (27), \$36,016
57. Kirt Jones, Piedmont, Okla. (29), \$31,686	58. Kory Koontz, Sudan, Texas (29), \$30,280	59. Martin Lucero, Stephenville, Texas (31), \$29,904	60. Jacky Stephenson, Tilden, Texas (29), \$25,221
61. Dugan Kelly, Paso Robles, Calif. (27), \$24,877	62. Mike Beers, Powell Butte, Ore. (31), \$24,167	63. Shannon Frascht, Alva, Okla. (24), \$23,980	64. Zane Bruce, Eldorado, Texas (30), \$23,216
65. Boogie Ray, Mabank, Texas (35), \$20,891	66. Kyle Lockett, Ivanhoe, Calif. (22), \$20,743	67. Dennis Watkins, Bakersfield, Calif. (29), \$20,688	68. Glen O'Neill, Didsbury, Alberta (46), \$91,001
69. Rod Hay, Wildwood, Alberta (41), \$75,336	70. Dan Mortensen, Billings, Mont. (47), \$72,817	71. Scott Johnston, Gustine, Texas (48), \$70,720	72. Jesse Bail, Camp Crook, S.D. (44), \$61,676
73. Rod Warren, Big Valley, Alberta (41), \$49,930	74. Cody Wright, Milford, Utah (29), \$43,948	75. Jeffery Willert, Belvidere, S.D. (33), \$40,429	76. Ira Slagowski, Carlin, Nev. (45), \$39,080
77. Mo Forbes, Kaycee, Wyo. (46), \$38,234	78. Mike Outlier, Utopia, Texas (42), \$37,619	79. Cody Demoss, Crowville, La. (43), \$36,859	80. Cody Martin, Hatfield, Ark. (52), \$36,084
81. Matt Marvel, Battle Mountain, Nev. (41), \$33,974	82. Scott Miller, Waco, Texas (48), \$33,885	83. Ryan Mapston, Geysler, Mont. (43), \$33,267	84. Charles Soileau, Stephenville, Texas (50), \$32,605
85. Steve Dolarhide, Wikieup, Ariz. (40), \$31,750	86. Dan Erickson, La Junta, Colo. (35), \$31,532	87. Kristie Peterson, Chilton, Texas (33), \$28,805	88. Kappy Allen, Austin, Texas (32), \$28,439
89. Janet Stover, Ruske, Texas (32), \$28,064	90. June Holeman, Arcadia, Neb. (30), \$28,064	91. Tammy Key, Ledbetter, Texas (30), \$28,064	92. Darlene Kasper, Bertram, Texas (30), \$28,064
93. Danyelle Campbell, Washington, Utah (28), \$28,064	94. Sherry Cervi, Marana, Ariz. (28), \$28,534	95. Brittany Pozzi, Victoria, Texas (27), \$27,070	96. McKenzie Miller, St. Anthony, Idaho (25), \$25,436
97. Jolee Lauteret, Kingman, Ariz. (24), \$25,252	98. Delores Toole, Manter, Kan. (22), \$25,026	99. Patty Jo Higdon, Terry, Miss. (21), \$21,647	100. Terry Don West, Henryetta, Okla. (39), \$130,630
101. Robey Condra, Dayton, Texas (44), \$11,889	102. Tyler Fowler, Theodore, Ala. (39), \$60,550	103. B.J. Schumacher, Hillsboro, Wis. (45), \$56,272	104. Clint Craig, Mena, Ark. (47), \$49,345
105. Logan Knibbe, Rockdale, Texas (44), \$46,257	106. Cory Melton, Keithville, La. (48), \$45,029	107. Jason McClain, Lewis, Colo. (42), \$44,910	108. Myron Duarte, Auburn, Wash. (32), \$44,669
109. Cody Hancock, Taylor, Ariz. (48), \$44,122	110. Beau Hill, West Glacier, Mont. (36), \$43,121	111. Ryan Brown, Temecula, Calif. (51), \$42,938	112. Matt Austin, Wills Point, Texas (31), \$42,699
113. Colby Yates, Fort Worth, Texas (45), \$40,678	114. Jesse Bail, Camp Crook, S.D. (45), \$40,153	115. Corey Navarre, Weatherford, Okla. (38), \$39,294	116. Greg Potter, Whitt, Texas (38), \$38,129
117. J.R. Olson, Sheridan, Utah (31), \$37,069	118. Fred Boettcher, Tomah, Wis. (39), \$36,372	119. Robert Bowers, Brooks, Alberta (43), \$36,110	120. Guy Allen, Santa Anna, Texas (21), \$40,586
121. Trevor Brazile, Anson, Texas (19), \$39,349	122. Scott Snedecor, Uvalde, Texas (14), \$38,688	123. Rocky Patterson, Pratt, Kan. (22), \$21,438	124. Kenyon Burns, Lovington, N.M. (16), \$19,097
125. Mike Chase, Beloit, Kan. (16), \$18,933	126. J.R. Olson, Sheridan, Utah (31), \$17,966	127. Buster Record Jr., Buffalo, Okla. (19), \$17,627	128. Vin Fisher Jr., Andrews, Texas (20), \$16,001
129. Dan Fisher, Andrews, Texas (17), \$15,680	130. Ora Taton, Rapid City, S.D. (2), \$15,675	131. Lawson Plomions, Chilton, Texas (13), \$15,166	132. J.P. Wickett, Sallisaw, Okla. (12), \$15,087
133. Jason Evans, Huntsville, Texas (7), \$13,883	134. Rich Skelton, Llano, Texas (18), \$13,440	135. Jay Sellers, Buffalo, Okla. (8), \$12,924	136. Jarrett Blessing, Paradise, Texas (8), \$12,374
137. Paul Williams, Ponca City, Okla. (15), \$12,097	138. Chet Herren, Pawhuska, Okla. (18), \$11,889	139. J.D. Yates, Pueblo, Colo. (5), \$10,262	

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#### D&R Transport is now taking applications for day and night shift.

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Please call 1-800-800-0697.

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### 69a Garage Sales

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Rooms \$24.50 day, \$100 wk. & up, air, tv, cable, phone. 669-3221.

### 96 Unfurn. Apts.

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### 98 Unfurn. Houses

PICK up rental list from Gray Box on front porch of Lakeview Apartments. Update each Fr.

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### EXECUTIVE Home, 3-2-2 + 2 liv. areas.

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### 103 Homes For Sale

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Sm down, owner carry. 665-4842.

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### 104 Lots

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### 105 Acreage

MEYDITH Ranch, Lipscomb County 1220 acres. See at [www.pencilscapes.com](http://www.pencilscapes.com)

### 5 acre-tracts, 2 miles from Pampa.

\$2500 per acre. Call 665-4842.

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### 106 Coml. Property

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### 114 Recre. Veh.

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### 115 Trailer Parks

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### 1995 Taurus GL

4 door \$1825.00 Call 835-2773

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**■ May Texas Top 10 Oil/Gas Producing Counties ranked by Preliminary Production**

COUNTY	CRUDE OIL (BBL)	COUNTY	TOTAL GAS (MCF)
1. GAINES	2,337,182	1. HIDALGO	23,814,171
2. ANDREWS	2,065,272	2. WEBB	22,063,367
3. YOAKUM	1,939,811	3. ZAPATA	21,630,275
4. HOCKLEY	1,846,526	4. PANOLA	19,505,691
5. ECTOR	1,714,101	5. FREESTONE	18,235,172
6. SCURRY	936,257	6. PECOS	15,915,715
7. CRANE	853,942	7. STARR	14,636,373
8. MIDLAND	846,637	8. WISE	13,030,466
9. PECOS	805,238	9. DENTON	9,627,602
10. UPTON	599,153	10. CROCKETT	9,572,970

**■ June Texas Oil/Gas Drilling Permits, Completions by District**

RAILROAD COMMISSION DISTRICT	PERMITS TO DRILL OIL/GAS HOLES	OIL COMPLETIONS	GAS COMPLETIONS
(1) SAN ANTONIO AREA	29	12	11
(2) REFUGIO AREA	94	10	33
(3) SOUTHEAST TEXAS	77	29	47
(4) DEEP SOUTH TEXAS	126	8	147
(5) EAST CENTRAL TX	47	1	38
(6) EAST TEXAS	105	8	63
(7B) WEST CENTRAL TX	42	35	11
(7C) SAN ANGELO AREA	100	40	86
(8) MIDLAND	152	92	12
(8A) LUBBOCK AREA	69	61	0
(9) NORTH TEXAS	114	23	62
(10) PANHANDLE	64	4	29

**RRC posts monthly statistics**

AUSTIN — The Texas Railroad Commission issued a total of 1,019 original drilling permits in June 2003 compared to 851 in June 2002. The June total included 808 permits to drill new oil and gas wells, 24 to re-enter existing

well bores, and 187 for re-completions. Permits issued in June 2003 included 254 oil, 297 gas, 441 oil and gas, 11 injection, one service and 15 other permits. Texas preliminary May 2003 crude oil production aver-

aged 951,317 barrels daily, down from the 969,324 barrels daily average of May 2002. The preliminary Texas crude oil production figure for May 2003 is 29,538,279 barrels, a decrease from 30,049,037 barrels reported

during May 2002.

In June 2003, operators reported 323 oil, 539 gas, 16 injection, and one other compared to 223 oil, 379 gas, 22 injection and three other permits during June 2002.

Total well completions for 2003 year to date are 4,781

down from 4,961 recorded during the same period in 2002.

Operators reported 649 holes plugged and 100 dry holes in June 2003 compared to 885 plugged and 65 dry holes in June 2002.

Texas oil and gas wells produced 453,962,616 Mcf (thou-

sand cubic feet) of gas based upon preliminary production figures for May 2003, up from the May 2002 preliminary gas production total of 436,432,724 Mcf.

Texas production in May 2003 came from 141,157 oil and 61,356 gas wells.

**Conservatives worldwide condemning gay bishop's appointment**

By MARY LONGMORE  
ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — An Anglican leader warned Wednesday that Asia's bishops might consider cutting ties with the U.S. Episcopal Church over its appointment of its first openly gay bishop.

Clergy in Asia and Africa, where churches are more conservative than in Western countries, widely denounced the election of Rev. V. Gene Robinson as bishop of New Hampshire — fueling fears of a schism in the 77 million-member global Anglican Communion.

The Anglicans' spiritual leader, Archbishop of Canterbury Rowan Williams, appealed to opponents not to react rashly, though he acknowledged the confirma-

tion would have a "significant impact" on the Communion.

He said he hoped Anglicans would "have the opportunity to consider this development before significant and irrevocable decisions are made in response."

Throughout the church's years of debate over homosexuality, Williams has stressed the need for unity in the Communion, which groups the churches founded by the Church of England in the days of the British Empire. Unlike the Catholic Church, where authority flows down from the Vatican, Anglicanism is a loose association of 38 national provinces which, in practical terms, do as they wish.

Tuesday's appointment, however, raised the shadow of a dramatic split.

The leader of the Anglican Church of West Malaysia, Bishop Dr. Lim Cheng Ean, said Southeast Asian Anglican bishops may discuss cutting ties with the U.S. church at a meeting next week, because of Robinson's appointment.

"Practicing homosexuality is culturally and legally not acceptable here," he said. There are four Southeast Asian dioceses — Kuching, Singapore, West Malaysia and Sabah.

Similar cries of alarm came from Africa.

The Episcopal church "is alienating itself from the Anglican Communion," said the Very Rev. Peter Karanja, provost of the All Saints Cathedral, in Nairobi, Kenya.

"We cannot be in fellowship with them when they vio-

late the explicit scripture that the Anglican Church subscribes to," he said. "We'd counsel they reconsider the decision. It's outrageous and uncalled for."

The bishop of the Diocese of Egypt with North Africa, Ethiopia, Eritrea, and Somalia, Rev. Dr. Mouneer Anis, said "the Communion now faces a crisis over what holds us together and indeed whether we can remain together if we hold not merely adverse but contradictory views of the Scripture and what it teaches."

"We cannot comprehend a decision to elect as bishop a man who has forsaken his wife and the vows he made to her in order to live in a sexual relationship with another man outside the bonds of his marriage," he said.

Archbishop of Perth Peter Carnley, the primate of

Australia's Anglican Church, acknowledged Robinson's appointment would have a negative impact, but doubted it would tear the denomination apart.

"I don't think it's a communion-breaking issue," said Carnley, who is considered a liberal in Australia's Anglican community. He said he hoped it would spur a moral debate on homosexuality rather than a schism.

"It's an issue upon which we are divided but it's not the kind of issue that would cause us to turn our backs on our Lord's teachings," Carnley told The Associated Press.

Britain's Lesbian and Gay Christian Movement hailed Robinson's appointment, saying New Hampshire was lucky to have him and urging Anglicans elsewhere to respect the decision.

The group praised the Episcopalians for making "an official and clear step towards creating a genuinely inclusive church."

But Anglican conservatives in Western countries decried the appointment.

Sydney Archbishop Peter Jensen called the appointment "catastrophic" and said Robinson would not be welcome in his diocese, and he urged opponents of the appointment in the United States to withhold contributions to church coffers.

"For the first time, a branch of our Anglican church has knowingly appointed a person to this senior position who lives in breach of the Bible," he said. "It impacts on all of us because when a branch of the church does this, its teachings become compromised."

**WT increasing tuition for fall 2003**

CANYON, Texas—There's good news, and there's bad news.

The bad news — During the spring 2003 semester, West Texas A&M University announced a \$2 per-semester-credit-hour increase in designated tuition, from \$28.50 to \$30.50, for fall 2003. Then the state announced its budget deficits and reduced West Texas A&M's general revenue appropriations from \$33,791,000 in 2002-2003 to \$30,240,000 for 2003-2004, a decrease of approximately 11 percent.

As budgets were being formulated, the state deregulated designated tuition and WTAMU requested a \$10 per-semester-hour increase in designated tuition from The Texas A&M University System Board of Regents. The request was recently approved.

"We asked for a \$10 increase in designated tuition based on worst-case scenarios," Dr. Russell C. Long, WTAMU president, said. "Now that we've been able to put pen

to pad we know that it's bad but not that bad."

The good news — WTAMU will only increase designated tuition by \$5 per-semester-credit-hour for a total of \$35.50 per-semester-hour, not \$10 per-semester-credit-hour as approved by the board.

According to Gary Barnes, vice president for business and finance, the increase in designated tuition will result in \$1,120,000 new dollars for WTAMU for 2003-2004.

"When we first started hearing about the projected state reductions to colleges and universities, I promised that I would do everything I could to preserve the core mission of this university," Long said. "I think we've done that for a minimal cost to our students."

A student enrolled in 15 semester-credit-hours this fall will pay approximately \$1,600, a 10.9 percent increase compared to fall 2002 figures.

**DRILLING INTENTIONS**

**Intentions to Drill**  
HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Patina Oil & Gas Corp., #5514P Carr '55', 990' from South & 1650' from West line, Sec. 55, M-1, H&GN, PD 12000'.  
HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Samson Lone Star, L.P., #8 Hobart '49', 467' from North & 625' from West line, Sec. 49, A-2, H&GN, PD 12500'.  
HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash)

Dominion Oklahoma Texas E&P, Inc., #4 Hemphill-Walser '11', 1500' from South & 467' from East line, Sec. 11, A, B&M, PD 13000'.  
WHEELER (WEST BRITT RANCH Granite Wash) Stallion Energy, Inc., #4-26 Britt, 2640' from North & 2173' from West line, Sec. 26, A-3, H&GN, PD 12550'.  
**Gas Well Completions**  
GRAY (WEST PANHANDLE) Gruy Petroleum Mgmt.

Co., #4 Darsey, Sec. 2, I, BS&F, spud 2-21-03, drlg. compl 2-23-03, tested 3-27-03, potential 2450 MCF, TD 2500' —  
WHEELER (SILVER CREEK Morrow Chert) Kaiser-Francis Oil Co., #1 Stiles-Walker, Sec. 5, A-4, H&GN, spud 12-27-02, drlg. compl 1-10-03, tested 5-21-03, potential 157 MCF, TD 16824', PBTD 14280' — Re-Entry

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