



# Daily Record

## Services tomorrow

**McDOWELL**, Alvin Ray — Graveside services, 2 p.m., Fairview Cemetery, Pampa.  
**SAWYER**, A.R. "Bud" — 9 a.m., Sunset Funeral Home, San Antonio.  
**WHEELER**, Tom Jim "Jigger" — Mass, 2 p.m., St. Alice Catholic Church, Plainview.

## Obituaries

**CALVIN LEE 'DITTY' DITMORE**  
 Calvin Lee "Ditty" Ditmore, 75, of Pampa, died Thursday, June 15, 1995. Services are pending under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Ditmore was born June 19, 1919 in Hydro, Okla. He moved to Pampa in 1920 from Hydro. He married Roxie Ann Richardson on Oct. 10, 1958 in Pampa; she preceded him in death in 1986. He worked for Kerr-McGee Gasoline Plant for 28 years, retiring in 1979. He was a Baptist and a veteran of the U.S. Army Air Corps, serving during World War II.

He was also preceded in death by a grandson, Brian Lee Ditmore, in 1970.

Survivors include a daughter, Diana Dee Brooks of Brentwood, Tenn.; two sons, Calvin Earl Ditmore of Baton Rouge, La., and Michael L. Ditmore of Pampa; five grandchildren; two stepchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to the Pampa Meals on Wheels program.

**ALVIN RAY McDOWELL**  
 Alvin Ray McDowell, 66, of Pampa, died Tuesday, June 13, 1995. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Friday at Fairview Cemetery with the Rev. Norman Rushing, pastor of the Central Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors.

Mr. McDowell was born Nov. 17, 1928 in Pampa, where he was raised. He lived in Pampa until 1958 and returned in 1993. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, and he was a Baptist.

He was preceded in death by two sisters, Inez Blacksher and Jean Dekle, and by three brothers, John Snuggs, Don McDowell and Robert McDowell.

Survivors include three sisters, Neva Bailey of McLean, Dorothy Cockrell of Pampa and Merle Boos of Sun City, Calif.; and several nieces and nephews.

The family will be at 712 Magnolia.

The family requests memorials be to the Crown of Texas Hospice in Amarillo.

**ERA ROBERTS**  
 AMARILLO - Era Roberts, 87, mother of a Pampa resident, died Tuesday, June 13, 1995. Graveside services were to be at 2 p.m. today in Memory Gardens Cemetery with the Rev. Rick Rice of Bykota Baptist Church officiating. Burial is to be under the direction of Schooler-Gordon • Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Directors of Amarillo.

Mrs. Roberts was born in Coleman County and moved to Amarillo more than 35 years ago from Plainview. She married Caloway Roberts in 1932 at Clarendon; he preceded her in death in 1991. She was a homemaker and attended Bykota Baptist Church.

Survivors include six daughters, Jean Clark of Pampa and Frances Lester, Bert Rickman, Jo Dysart, Sue Weathersbee and Leasa Dean, all of Amarillo; three sons, L.D. Burney of Borger and Wayne Roberts and Ray Roberts, both of Amarillo; a sister, Ruthie Forbes of Amarillo; a brother, Al Ticer of Amarillo; 43 grandchildren; 77 great-grandchildren; and 15 great-great-grandchildren.

The family will be at 3609 N.E. 20th Ave. and 203 S. Independence St.

**A.R. 'BUD' SAWYER**  
 SAN ANTONIO - A.R. "Bud" Sawyer, 64, a former Pampa resident, died Tuesday, June 13, 1995. Services will be at 9 a.m. Friday at the Sunset Funeral Home Chapel in San Antonio. Burial will be in Sunset Memorial Park. Rosary will be at 7 p.m. Thursday with visitation from 6-9 p.m.

Mr. Sawyer was born Nov. 20, 1930 in Pampa, the son of Dr. A.R. and Emma Cuff Sawyer. He completed high school in Pampa and attended the University of Texas and St. Mary's University, receiving a bachelor of business administration degree in 1954. He married Martha Ann Nichols; she preceded him in death in 1985. He later met Pat Currier in 1985 and became her companion for life until passing. He was an avid hunter and fisher. He worked for Beldon Roofing for 20 years.

Survivors include his life companion, Pat Currier; a son, Robby, and his fiancée, Jessie Keener; two daughters and sons-in-law, Kathy and Brad Burke and Kelly and Carl Fellbaum; a sister, Ann Drake; a nephew, Stan Studer; and six grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation.

**TOM JIM 'JIGGER' WHEELER**  
 PLAINVIEW - Tom Jim "Jigger" Wheeler, 74, stepfather of a Canadian resident, died Tuesday, June 13, 1995. Rosary is to be recited at 7 p.m. today in Wood-Dunning Funeral Home Colonial Chapel. Mass will be celebrated at 2 p.m. Friday in St. Alice Catholic Church with Monsignor Tim Schwertner of the church officiating. Burial will be in the Plainview Cemetery.

Mr. Wheeler was born in Plainview. He graduated from Plainview High School and attended West Texas State University on a football scholarship. He was a veteran and served as a master sergeant in the Army during World War II. He had lived in the Halfway community, where he operated Wheeler Fertilizer. He also had served as a Hale County commissioner for seven years and retired from United Farm Industries Inc. in 1990. He married Frances Elaine Butler in 1944 at Walla Walla, Wash.; she preceded him in death in 1991. He later married Kathleen McGarr in 1991 at Plainview. He was a member of the Bar-None Rodeo Association and of the Sheriff's Posse. He was an avid fan of Plainview sports teams, served as a scoutmaster in the Halfway community and volunteered with Meals on Wheels.

Survivors include his wife, Kathleen; two daughters, Elaine Krause of Annandale, Va., and Julie Wheeler of Denton; two stepdaughters, Elaine Ekmark of Dallas and Claire Bassett of Houston; a son, Newt Wheeler of Idalou; a stepson, John McGarr of Canadian; and 12 grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to the Plainview Meals on Wheels program.

## Police report

Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents in the 24-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

**WEDNESDAY, June 14**  
 Maxine Rafferty reported criminal mischief at the Salvation Army, 409 W. Brown. An unknown object was used to break the glass front door, causing \$220 damage.

John T. King and Sons, 918 S. Barnes, reported theft of three power converters valued at \$1,800.

John Lee Bell, 1800 Christine, reported theft of a concrete dog statue valued at \$150, sometime after midnight Wednesday.

Billie Phipps Phelps, 1100 Christine, reported theft of a Cadillac hood ornament valued at \$50 from 2221 Russell. The theft occurred at 2 p.m. Wednesday from her 1988 Cadillac.

L.D. Strate 1625 N. Dwight, reported \$800 damage to his garage door which occurred between 8:30 a.m. and noon Wednesday.

Ruth Amanda Collier, 1200 N. Wells, reported unauthorized use of a 1985 Ford LTD which occurred between 7 p.m. Tuesday and 10 a.m. Wednesday.

Courtney Pulatie, 2420 Charles, reported someone threw a beer bottle at her 1986 Taurus causing an estimated \$200 damage. It occurred at Neel Road and Crawford streets at 5:45 p.m. Wednesday.

Domestic disturbance - assault by contact was reported at the 900 block of Jordan at 9:15 p.m. Wednesday.

Reed Kirkpatrick of the city of Pampa reported burglary at 816 S. Hobart. Nothing was found missing.

Connie Sue Kirklin reported assault on a six-year-old boy at Optimist Club Park at 9 p.m. Wednesday. The child suffered a bloody nose.

Domestic disturbance was reported in the 1000 block of Varnon Drive at 10:35 p.m. Wednesday. Someone put their hand through a glass door, causing deep cuts to the right hand and forearm.

James Hart of C.R. Anthony, Coronado Center, reported forgery.

**THURSDAY, June 15**  
 Odilia Martinez Rodriguez, 533 N. Sumner, reported burglary which occurred between 11 a.m. Wednesday and 12:50 a.m. Thursday. Entry was made through the back door of the garage using a hammer and screw driver. Taken was a 25-inch Sony color television valued at \$500; video cassette player valued at \$175; and Pioneer stereo system valued at \$1,269.

## Ambulance

American Medical Transport responded to the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

**WEDNESDAY, June 14**  
 10:43 p.m. - A mobile ICU unit responded to the 1000 block of Varnon Drive to transport a patient to Coronado Hospital emergency room

**THURSDAY, June 15**  
 1:59 a.m. - A mobile ICU unit responded to the 1800 block of Faulkner on a medical assist and transported one patient to Coronado Hospital.

2:28 a.m. - A mobile ICU unit responded to Coronado Hospital for a transfer to High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo.

5:01 a.m. - A mobile ICU unit responded to Coronado Hospital for a transfer to St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

## Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler-Evans of Pampa.

Wheat	3.67	Cabot O&G	15 1/8	dn 1/8
Milo	4.66	Chevron	49 1/8	up 1/8
Corn	5.15	Coca-Cola	61 1/4	up 3/8
		Columbia-HCA	43 1/8	dn 1/4
		Diamond Sham	26 1/2	NC
		Enron	35 3/8	dn 1/4
		Halliburton	38 3/8	NC
		Ingersoll Rand	37 5/8	dn 1/8
		KNE	25 3/4	dn 1/8
		Kerr McGee	55 1/2	up 1 1/2
		Limited	22 3/8	up 1/4
		Mapco	57 7/8	NC
		McDonald's	37 5/8	up 3/8
		Mobil	100 3/4	up 1/4
		New Atmos	20	dn 1/4
		Parker & Parsley	20 5/8	up 1/2
		Phillips	34 3/8	dn 1/4
		SLB	64 3/8	NC
		Tenneco	46 7/8	dn 1/2
		Texaco	67 1/2	NC
		Wal-Mart	26 1/2	NC
		New York Gold	388.25	NC
		Silver	5.31	NC
		West Texas Crude	19.05	NC

The following show the prices for which these securities could have traded at the time of compilation:

NOWSCO	10	NC
Occidental	21 3/4	up 1/4

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

Amoco	69 3/8	up 1/2
Arco	1.15	dn 1/4
Cabot	42 3/4	NC

## Sheriff's Office

Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following arrest in the 24-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

**WEDNESDAY, June 14**  
 Jake Lee Griffin, 45, 617 Hazel, was arrested on a charge of theft \$1,500 to \$20,000. He was released on bond.

## Fires

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

**WEDNESDAY, June 14**  
 7:58 p.m. - One unit and two men responded to a trash bin fire at the 2100 block between Nelson and Wells. No damage was reported.

## Calendar of events

**BLOOD PRESSURE CHECK**  
 A blood pressure check is offered from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. each Friday in the Red Cross office, 108 N. Russell. Blood sugar tests are offered the first Friday of each month. A donation is accepted to cover expenses.

## Emergency numbers

Crime Stoppers	669-2222
Energas	665-5777
SPS	669-7432
Water	669-5830

# Wal-Mart gives city recycling grant

Wal-Mart Discount Store #600 in Pampa has donated a \$6,383 grant, through the Wal-Mart Foundation, to the City of Pampa for community recycling and environmental efforts.

Accepting the grant on behalf of the city was Pam Greene, Clean Pampa Inc. director.

"It is the goal of Wal-Mart to establish recycling and environmental programs in the communities where our stores are located," said James Anderson, manager of the Pampa Wal-Mart store.

"Our customers told us how important recycling is to them, and we are committed to do what we can to help provide this much needed service," he added.

In 1990, Wal-Mart began funding community recycling efforts in Wal-Mart communities. Wal-Mart's long-term goal is to be involved in and support recycling in the community. Last year, more than \$1 million was granted to Wal-Mart community recycling and environmental programs.

Wal-Mart's on-going environmental efforts include working with their vendor partners on improving the manufacturing of products and producing new, environmentally improved products.



Pam Green, left, director of Clean Pampa Inc., accepts a \$6,383 donation from Pampa Wal-Mart Assistant Manager David Shones.

Other efforts include providing information to Wal-Mart associates and customers with updates, environmental faces and product improvements; continuing support and promoting

participation in local community activities concerning the environment; and continuing to look for ways to improve the "way of doing business" with respect to the environment.

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## Chisum

"We have a lot of testimony that virtually proved to us that we have a lot of smarter criminals at a lot younger age. We have kids that can steal cars at 12 years old, and they can get your car in less than two minutes and be driving off with that."

Communities can now enforce curfews for their youth.

"It's taking a step in the right direction, something that needed to be done," he said.

One issue Chisum said that received a lot of media attention

was the right to carry a concealed weapon. Beginning in January of 1996, a person who has had 15 hours of training and a criminal background check is eligible to carry a concealed weapon.

Already, 30,000 people have applied to take the test. It will cost \$150 to carry a weapon.

Also approved was a spending bill that required no new taxes.

"That's the second year in a row we were able to do that," said Chisum. A \$80 million spending plan was made possible by state and local taxes for professional fees and grants from the federal government. He said

it was difficult to do but by shifting priorities the legislators were able to pull it off.

"I thought it was a good session," said Chisum. "We resolved some real big issues. Hopefully we made some changes that would make Texas a better place to live."

Providing food for the luncheon were the Pampa Rotary Club, Cabot Corporation and the Knights of Columbus, who provided the hall, prepared the meal and served it.

The cost was \$7.50. All proceeds went to CASA of Gray County.

## Shuttle protected from woodpeckers

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) - Discovery had extra protection when it returned to the launch pad today after repairs for woodpecker holes - a "Predator Eyes" balloon bobbed from the fuel tank to prevent bird attacks.

The four-mile trip from the hangar to the pad took more than six hours this morning. Woodpeckers wisely stayed away.

NASA installed the "Predator Eyes" balloon Wednesday atop Discovery's 15-story fuel tank, which was attacked by a pair of yellow-shafted flicker woodpeckers last month.

The yellow balloon is 46 inches in circumference and has six large red eyes with silver Mylar reflectors. It also has three reflective tails.

"We cannot afford any more damage," said NASA test director Steve Altemus.

The "Predator Eyes" was removed from Discovery after the shuttle reached the pad, which already is equipped with decoys.

Woodpeckers drilled 195 holes in the insulating foam of Discovery's fuel tank in late May, apparently in an attempt to roost and build nests.

## No Lotto winner

AUSTIN (AP) - The next Lotto Texas jackpot has risen to an estimated \$10 million after no tickets correctly matched all six numbers drawn in the latest drawing.

The numbers drawn Wednesday night from a field of 50 were: 1, 5, 8, 24, 25 and 40.

In the latest drawing, 156 tickets sold with five of the six numbers were each worth \$1,198.

Saturday's jackpot will rise to \$10 million if sales continue as expected, the state lottery said in a prepared statement.

## Weather focus

**LOCAL FORECAST**  
 Partly cloudy tonight with a low near 65. Partly cloudy and breezy Friday with a high near 90. Gusty southwest winds 15-25 mph. Wednesday's high was 96; the overnight low was 67.

**REGIONAL FORECAST**  
 West Texas - Panhandle: Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows in low to mid 60s. Friday, a slight chance of afternoon thunderstorms west. Otherwise, partly cloudy and windy. Highs around 90. South Plains: Tonight, fair. Lows from mid to upper 60s.

Friday, partly cloudy. Highs in low 90s.

North Texas - Tonight, fair with lows 66 to 70. Friday, partly cloudy with highs 86 to 92.

South Texas - Hill Country and South Central: Tonight, fair skies becoming mostly cloudy late. Lows in mid to upper 60s. Friday, partly cloudy. Highs near 90. Coastal Bend and Rio Grande Plains: Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows in mid to upper 60s inland to upper 70s coast. Friday, partly cloudy. Highs in mid to upper 90s Rio Grande plains to near 80 coast. Upper Coast: Tonight, mostly clear. Lows in mid to upper 60s inland, low 70s at the

coast. Friday, mostly sunny. Highs in mid to upper 80s.

**BORDER STATES**  
 New Mexico - Tonight, partly cloudy with widely scattered evening thunderstorms. Lows in upper 30s to mid 50s mountains and north with mid 50s to mid 60s elsewhere. Friday, partly cloudy with widely scattered thunderstorms during the afternoon and evening. Highs in upper 60s to low 80s mountains and north with mid 80s to low 90s elsewhere.

Oklahoma - Tonight through Friday, clear to partly cloudy. Lows in upper 60s and highs in mid 80s to low 90s.

## City briefs

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**COUNTRY GENERAL** petting zoo and sidewalk sale. Saturday, June 17th, 10-4, train rides, pony rides, McGruff, Czar, food booth, rope making. Register to win 2 pot belly pigs. Adv.

**FOR SALE:** 1992 Mercury Cougar LS. Low mileage. 665-6321. Adv.

**SUNSET BAR & Grill**, 600 S. Cuyler, Phoenix Rizin to play Thursday, June 15. Donating proceeds to Disaster Relief. 8 oz. Sirloin Dinner-\$6.95. Adv.

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**CARPORT SALE** - 1100 E. Foster thru Saturday. 1986 Buick LeSabre, lots more. Adv.

**MEN'S DEVOTIONAL** Bible in hardcover on sale for \$17.97. The Gift Box Christian Bookstore. 117 W. Kingsmill. Adv.

**CHANEY'S CAFE** - Chicken Dumplings, Fried Pork Chops, Bar-B-Que Polish, Chicken Fried Steak. Thursday 5-8 p.m. 716 W. Foster. Adv.

**KEVIN'S IN the Mall**, Father's Day, 11-2, Cheddar Dijon Chicken, Pot Roast, Chicken Fried Steak. Dad's eat 1/2 price. Reservations welcome. 669-1670. Adv.

**TWO FAMILY** Garage Sale. cutting torch, grinder, jointer, power roller, golf equipment, dishes, etc. Friday and Saturday 9:00. 2129 Lynn. Adv.

## Gray County 4-Hers place in state wide competition

Gray County 4-H members were among 2,000 outstanding youth from across the state competing in the 1995 Texas 4-H Roundup at Texas A&M University June 5-8.

This year 124 scholarships sponsored by the Texas 4-H



Amanda Kludt

Foundation totaling \$737,400 were awarded. Texas has the nation's largest 4-H scholarship program which receives tremendous support from private donors.

David Kludt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fran Kludt of Pampa, was awarded a \$10,000 scholarship from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. Grace Sutton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Sutton of Pampa was awarded a \$1,000 scholarship from the Raymond Dickson Foundation.

Youth applying for Texas 4-H Foundation scholarships are judged on their 4-H experiences, leadership skills, projects, community service, personal needs, and other qualifications pertaining to high school academic performance and college entrance exam scores.

Amanda Kludt of Pampa and Angie Davenport of Lefors, were among the more than 100 contestants exhibiting their knowledge and skills in clothing purchasing, construction and modeling techniques. Amanda earned third place honors in the Wool/Mohair Fiber Competition. Both girls earned sixth place in the respective categories of Construction Casual Wear and Buying Specialty Wear.

Kim McDonald of Pampa, earned second place in the Nutritious Snacks and Desserts category at the Texas 4-H Food Show. Shelly Davenport of Lefors also had a great effort in the Fruits and Vegetables category. Senior 4-H members who have won county and district 4-H Food Shows qualify to participate in the Texas 4-H Food Show where they are judged on their knowledge of nutrition, menu

planning, and food preparation skills as well as their project activities.

Eight Gray County 4-H members competed in judging events. The Consumer Decision Making team, composed of Nonnie James, Barry Brauchi, Colby Street, and Brent Story, placed ninth out of over 20 teams. Placing eleventh in the Meats Judging competition were Jessica Dawes, Jason Bliss, Shawn Dawes and Willie Gatlin.

Six 4-H members presented 4-H method demonstrations or illustrated talks. Amanda Kludt earned third place in the Clothing Educational Activity with a presentation on "Fibers from Plastic." Nonnie James competed in the Pork Demonstration with an illustrated talk on swine diseases. Personal Flotation Devices was the topic of a method demonstration given in the Safety and Accident Prevention contest by Barry Brauchi and Colby Street. Jason and Jennifer Bliss presented an illustrated talk on "Pesky Pests" in the Entomology contest.

Kim McDonald earned third place in the Textile Design competition. Shelly Davenport earned fourth place in the Garment Design competition.

Cory Jackson exhibited two photos in the State 4-H Photography contest.



Kim McDonald

Also attending Texas 4-H Roundup were Shari Davenport, Eileen and Fran Kludt, Lee and Katie McDonald, and Ken and Judy Sutton.

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## Country star expected drug rehab facility guest after arrest for indecency charge

FORT WORTH (AP) - Ty Herndon climbed out of obscurity this year in rising to the top of the charts with his country music ballad, "What Mattered Most." It remains to be seen how the 33-year-old Alabama native's budding career will be affected by an arrest this week in a park on an indecency charge.

Herndon, whose full name is Boyd T. Herndon, was taken into custody Tuesday evening by vice officers staked out in a park in east Fort Worth.

They said Herndon - wearing a gray T-shirt, red Houston Rockets shorts and white tennis shoes - invited a male undercover officer to accompany him into a wooded area of the park, where he sat on a log and began masturbating.

The arrest came only 90 minutes before Herndon was scheduled to have given a private concert downtown at a state convention of police chiefs.

The audience was told that "due to unforeseen problems," Herndon would be unable to appear. Another country and western performing artist, Woody Lee, also was on the program and did a second set in Herndon's absence.

Herndon also faces a felony charge of possession of a controlled substance. Police said they found a plastic bag containing a yellow powder inside Herndon's wallet.

Lt. Glen Bradley, a spokesman for the Fort Worth Police Department, said the bag contained 2.49 grams of powdered methamphetamine, or "speed."

Herndon, who lives with his wife of two years in Dallas, was released Tuesday night on \$500 bond on the misdemeanor exposure charge. Bradley said Herndon will be charged with possession of a controlled substance, a third-degree felony that carries a prison sentence of two to 10 years and a fine of up to \$10,000.

Herndon will be checking into a drug and alcohol rehabilitation center, said Diana Henderson, publicity director of Image Management Group, which represents the singer.

Herndon decided to seek treatment at an undisclosed location. His concert schedule will be canceled while he undergoes rehabilitation, Ms. Henderson said.

Herndon could not be reached for comment. He has an unpublished telephone number.

His arrest came as the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers was planning a reception saluting songwriters Gary Burr and Vince Malamed and the hot, new country star with his twanging guitars and thumping drums for "What Mattered Most."

## Phil Gramm allegedly helped aide via 'favor'

HOUSTON (AP) - Phil Gramm wrote a letter in 1983 asking for a "personal favor" that led to an Air Force member being discharged a year early so he could work for the U.S. senator, the Houston Chronicle reported last week in a copyright story.

The November 1983 letter written to Verne Orr, the Secretary of the Air Force at the time, requested a special discharge for Airman John Weaver.

Gramm, who was then a member of the U.S. House, wrote that he wanted Weaver to help run his campaign to join the Senate.

"I am presently involved in a statewide senatorial campaign to replace Sen. John Tower, chairman of the Armed Services Committee, who has announced he will not seek re-election as the senior senator from Texas. The expertise and dedication that John Weaver would bring to my efforts in this campaign would be invaluable."

A copy of the letter, which was signed by Gramm, also was sent to then-Joint Chiefs of Staff Chairman John W. Vessey.

The Chronicle found the letter this week in a collection of Gramm's congressional papers in the archives of Texas A&M University, where he used to teach.

Contacted Wednesday, Weaver said he needed to leave the military because his father was very ill.

"After the initial request was denied, I asked Congressman Gramm to write a letter on behalf of my application," said Weaver, who first worked for Gramm in his 1978 Congressional race.

"Following my transfer to reserve duty in 1984, I went to work for Phil Gramm's U.S. Senate campaign in Austin, which allowed me to also spend valuable time with my father, who passed away in 1990."

Gramm's letter to Orr makes no mention of Weaver's father's illness.

"I would consider it a personal favor if you would intervene on behalf of Airman Weaver," Gramm's letter said.

## Bush signs domestic violence stalking bills

AUSTIN (AP) - Victims of domestic violence and stalking will have stronger legal recourse against their assailants under a package of seven bills signed into law by Gov. George W. Bush.

"These new laws recognize domestic violence for what it is - violent crime," Bush said.

"These laws will punish those who inflict violence where Texans should feel safest, in their homes. They will also help those who are abused by a family member or live with the fear and threat of a stalker," he said.

Two of the laws enhance the penalties for repeat domestic violence offenses.

Repeated domestic assaults, and third violations of protective orders both were raised from

Class A misdemeanors to state jail felonies.

Another new law gives magistrates the authority to issue a 31-day emergency protective order for victims of domestic violence or stalking.

In addition, a law that required a stalking victim to report more than one stalking incident before authorities could respond was eliminated with a stroke of Bush's pen, and stalking victims also may now sue stalkers in civil courts.

The final two bills require law enforcement agencies to make a reasonable attempt to notify victims of domestic violence and stalking when a person charged with such an offense is released on bond.

## Eleven-year-old Texas girl victim of hit-run driver

PHOENIX (AP) - A hit-and-run driver struck and dragged an 11-year-old Texas girl who was here with her family for a Baptist convention.

Ashley Braken of Ennis, Texas, was clinging to life early today at St. Joseph's Hospital and Medical Center but was in extremely critical condition, a

hospital spokeswoman said.

Ashley is among about 8,000 young people and about 20,000 clergy and educators who are participating in the National Baptist Sunday Church School and Baptist Training Union Congress that continues through Friday.

Gina Struggs, who attends

church with the girl's family, said Ashley was among conventioners crossing a street in mid-block after their evening meal when she was hit Wednesday night.

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# Speed limit - federalism debate

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### Opinion

## Flag amendment would be violation

Americans of all classes, colors and political stripes share a common respect for our nation's flag. No matter how divided we may be on other issues, Americans almost universally acknowledge allegiance to the common ideals the flag symbolizes.

A rare few citizens have chosen to dissent, some of them expressing their views by burning the flag in public. Those who engage in this sort of protest deserve pity and even scorn. But their isolated and ultimately harmless acts do not warrant an amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

Flag burning used to be illegal in most states, but six years ago, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that desecrating the U.S. flag in public is a form of political protest and is therefore protected under the First Amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

In 1990, with the backing of then President George Bush, a bipartisan coalition in Congress tried to pass a constitutional amendment that would have allowed Congress and the states to prohibit flag burning. The effort fell short of the needed two-thirds majorities.

Now, with a change in Congress, supporters of a flag-burning amendment are about to try again. H.J. Res. 79 would amend the Constitution to read, "The Congress and the states shall have the power to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States." The amendment has already passed a House committee and will face a committee vote in the Senate. The full House could vote on it later.

This amendment is at best a wasted effort and at worst a genuine compromise of our freedoms.

It would amend the U.S. Constitution to address a "problem" that is both rare and utterly inconsequential to the life of our nation. The Supreme Court majority in 1989 was right: Flag burning is a form of political protest and, as childish and misguided as it may be, it should not be treated as such.

Ironically, passage of this constitutional amendment may lead to more flag burnings, not fewer. Flag burners love nothing more than the publicity and martyrdom that would come from an arrest. That's why, if anything, flag burning appears to be on the decline since it was declared a constitutionally protected act. The high court has taken all the fun out of it.

If some malcontents on the fringes of political life want to burn the flag, we should respond by ignoring them, not by amending our country's basic political charter.

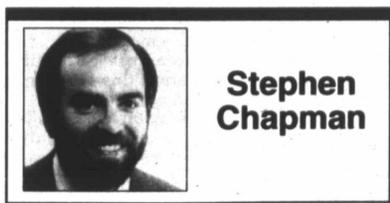
If you want to get a debate going among legal scholars about the meaning of federalism, ask them about the Supreme Court's recent decision limiting the reach of the Constitution's interstate commerce clause. But if you want to get a debate going among ordinary people, ask them about the 55 mph speed limit, which strikes some Americans the same way the Stamp Act struck Patrick Henry.

The 55 mph speed limit was mandated by the federal government in 1973 at the behest of President Nixon, who proposed it as a way to conserve fuel during the Arab oil embargo. States, which had always set the speed limits on their highways, suddenly found they had lost their authority. They may finally get it back, though, as a result of the GOP takeover of Congress. Republican Sen. Don Nickles of Oklahoma has introduced a bill to repeal the federal maximum. Other bills in Congress would simply deprive Washington of the money to enforce it.

The issue that arouses car buffs is speed. Prior to the federal intrusion, states set the limits anywhere from 65 mph to 80 mph - and Montana and Wyoming had no limit at all. Drivers with lots of pent-up horsepower have yearned for years to be able to open the throttle without fear of the highway patrol.

The passion on the other side of the issue is safety. One unforeseen result of the lower speed limit, defenders say, was a sharp decline in traffic fatalities, and one inevitable consequence of raising it will be more carnage on the roads.

The opponents of 55 are not entirely without arguments. They insist that everyone ignores it because it is ridiculously low and that higher limits would bring the law into closer conformity with the prevailing practice. Besides, they say, plenty of highways are engineered for much higher speeds than those now allowed.



Stephen Chapman

The case amounts to more than just determined rationalization of dangerous behavior, but not a lot more. The defenders of 55 say that when Washington let states raise the limit to 65 on rural interstates in 1987, the death toll on those roads jumped by 20 percent.

This validates the common-sense assumption that if people drive faster, they are more likely to get killed. "It's possible to design cars and roads for high speed, but we haven't been able to design people for high speed," says Chuck Hurley of the Insurance Institute for Highway Safety. If posted maximums rise, I somehow doubt today's speeders will start obeying the law. Higher limits may or may not mean less speeding; they will definitely mean more speed.

But to get caught up in the issue of where to set the speed limit is to miss the more important issue, which is who should set it. There are plenty of good reasons to support 55, but none to insist that it be imposed by Washington.

On this, the left and the right should have no trouble agreeing. Conservatives have always wanted to decentralize power. But last year, during the debate on the crime bill, it was liberals

who opposed Congress' grandstanding federalization of crime by noting that public safety and order have always been the province of local and state governments. If you're waiting for liberals to apply that logic to the speed limit issue, though, you'd better make yourself comfortable.

In fact, there is no reason on Earth that states should not be free to decide for themselves whether the danger of more auto accidents outweighs the advantages of faster travel. In a country that has highways as congested as New Jersey's and as empty as New Mexico's, we should be able to recognize that different tradeoffs may be appropriate in different places and that local areas are best situated to make the judgment.

Nothing about the issue warrants federal intervention. If a state ignores pollution, the state next door will suffer harm to public health; if a state slashes welfare, its neighbors may be flooded with paupers. But if Illinois chooses to let people drive 70 mph on its highways, no one in Iowa will be at risk.

Iowans who venture eastward, granted, may be exposed to more adventure than they prefer on the highway. But Iowans who set foot in Chicago endure a greater likelihood of being murdered, which doesn't give them the right to dictate the number of cops on the street.

If states and cities are competent to set the speed limits everywhere from quiet residential streets to busy six-lane boulevards, they can certainly handle highways. Those who support keeping the 55 mph maximum should make their case to state legislatures, which are not indifferent to the lives and limbs of their constituents. Legislators may not always arrive at the right policy, but one of the prerogatives of states in their proper responsibilities is the right to be wrong.

### Today in history

By The Associated Press  
Today is Thursday, June 15, the 166th day of 1995. There are 199 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:  
On June 15, 1215, King John put his seal to Magna Carta ("the Great Charter") at Runnymede, England, granting his barons more liberty.

On this date:  
In 1520, Pope Leo X threatened to excommunicate Martin Luther if he did not recant his religious beliefs.

In 1775, the Second Continental Congress voted unanimously to appoint George Washington head of the Continental Army.

In 1844, Charles Goodyear received a patent for his process to strengthen rubber. (However, Goodyear did not benefit from the invention, and died in poverty in 1860.)

In 1846, the United States and Britain signed a treaty settling the boundary between Canada and the U.S. in the Pacific Northwest.

In 1849, James Polk, the 11th president of the United States, died in Nashville, Tenn.



## Policy changes in Cuba big mistake

### Charley Reese

Cuban Americans were incensed - and rightly so - when President Clinton in the course of his usual foreign policy flip-flops suddenly reversed 30 years of American policy by cutting a deal with Fidel Castro to forcibly return Cubans attempting to flee the island.

Now, why were they incensed? Why should you also be incensed?

First, let's clear the air of straw men and red herrings. The Cuban-American community is no more eager to see another Mariel boat lift than anybody else. This is not an immigration issue.

What Clinton has done, in a very sneaky manner, is to elevate Castro from a communist dictator and tyrant to simply head of state of a foreign country. It was always, however badly enforced, U.S. policy to return people trying to enter the United States for purely economic reasons and to grant refugee status to people fleeing from political tyranny.

So Clinton, in his secret deal with Castro, is saying that Cuba is not a political tyranny; it's just a country like any other with economic problems. Therefore, Cubans who risk their lives on rickety rafts to escape are not entitled to refugee status.

If that is so, then certainly Clinton should abruptly end the practice of taking 40,000 to 50,000 people a year from Russia as political refugees. Currently, there is no evidence of government persecution of individuals in Russia because of their political beliefs or religious

beliefs. Everyone in Russia, from Jews to Pentecostal Christians, are now free to worship openly and, as far as the government is concerned, free to emigrate.

On the other hand, it is a serious crime in Cuba to attempt to leave the country without government permission.

In Russia, the government is attempting market reforms and democracy. They are having problems, naturally, but there is still a commitment to elections and to political freedom for individuals.

On the other hand, in Cuba, Castro remains as one of the world's last Stalinist-style dictators. To talk of Cuba is to talk of Fidel Castro because he still rules everything with an iron hand.

In Russia, Boris Yeltsin, whatever his faults and drinking habits, harbors no hatred for the United States and, except for those drinking habits, appears to be a mentally healthy, stable individual.

On the other hand, in Cuba, Castro is a criminal psychopath, a murderer and megalomaniac who harbors a pathological hatred for the United States. This is not my description of him. This description does not come from former Batista

people. This description comes from men, Marxists and socialists who were closely associated with Castro. This description comes from members of his own family.

One formerly high-ranking Cuban official, who grew up during the revolution and rose in the ranks to a high position before defecting, told a story which indicates how unstable Castro is: On one of his tours, Castro stopped to visit a school where children were playing ping pong. He challenged a little boy to a game, and the little boy, about 10, beat him.

What did Castro do? Laugh and pat the little boy on the back and congratulate him? No, Fidel Castro flew into a rage and sulked the rest of the morning. This monster in Havana is sick, and he is sick in a dangerous way. He is a killer and a torturer and a tyrant in every sense of the word.

I think Clinton is trying to prepare the way to lift the U.S. embargo against Castro. Otherwise, why cut a deal which in effect pronounces Castro a normal ruler of a normal country?

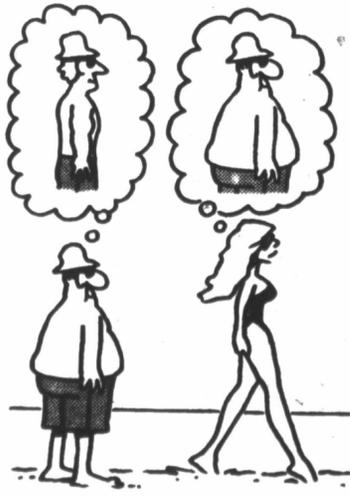
Clinton is a leftist and has surrounded himself with leftists, many of them, like himself, retreats from the New Left that grew out of the anti-war movement in the 1960s.

On this issue, the Cuban-American community is dead right, and all of us should support it in protesting Clinton's coddling one of the century's last, worst and most dangerous dictators.

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### Berry's World



First a Clinton administration task force praised the success of affirmative action but cautioned against turning "goals" for hiring into rigid "quotas."

The next day, California Gov. Pete Wilson, an unannounced candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, declared that his state henceforth would rely on merit rather than race or sex whenever making decisions about hiring, contracting or school admissions.

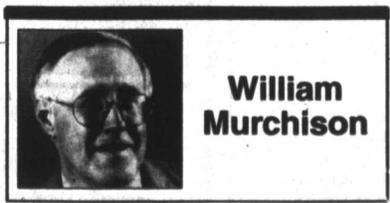
Across the country, Mel Gibson's new movie *Braveheart* turned stomachs as Scots and Englishmen - residents of the same island - sliced and diced each other.

Meanwhile, overseas, multicultural Bosnia continued its rapid decomposition, and Israelis debated whether the country's national anthem unacceptably offends citizens of Arabic background.

And that's only a couple of days worth of news stories about race, here, there and yon. Sentimentality holds that race doesn't matter, but reality suggests that it matters terribly to a lot of people, has mattered always and is sure to matter as long as the world is host to people. When the people are gone, the birds and insects and animals will have at it.

Speaking of "bravehearts," welcome Peter Brimelow to that distinguished fellowship. His book *Alien Nation* is about race. He courageously affirms that race matters. He affirms it in a way that upsets not only liberals but also a fair number of his brother conservatives.

Immigration is Brimelow's topic. The United States' cultural cohesion, he says, is threatened by



William Murchison

waves of Third World immigrants who don't necessarily share our values. The potential immigrants who do share our values can't, for the most part, get in. The immigration laws shut them out. Asians and Hispanics, rather than Europeans, are the ones whose pathway Lady Liberty lights - our government having set things up that way in 1965.

Brimelow, a distinguished conservative journalist, (as well as an English immigrant who actually got in), sees racial divisions intensifying unless immigration is restricted. He makes his case gently, with wit and cheerful buoyancy. Yet because a white man has said the magic word - "race" - he finds himself battered and beset.

Here's a nice sample from the *Miami Herald*, which serves a formerly white-and-black city controlled by Hispanic immigrants: "I have to ask myself if Brimelow's rhetoric, in less sophisticated hands, does not lead straight to the burned-out shell of the Oklahoma City federal building." Rub the race-police the wrong way, and you're godfa-

ther to a generation of mad bombers.

What better proof could one want of the dangerous effects of enforced sensitivity? The Bosnian Serbs and Moslems may dislike each other as much as the Scots and English did 700 years ago, and the Jews and Arabs may make uncomfortable neighbors, and "angry white men" may resent being shoved aside on behalf of minorities. But never mind, let's discount race and culture as factors that reasonable folk have to wrestle with as they seek social harmony. Brimelow's antagonists on both sides, liberal and conservative, imply the validity of this world view. "American," so far as they're concerned, is a race unto itself.

This is naive in the first degree. Jesus loves the little children, all the children of the world - but often the children don't love each other, for reasons book reviewers don't fathom. Racial animosity is among the oldest and most perdurable human traits. The explosions reverberating around Peter Brimelow remind us of this - reminding us, further, how dangerous racial divisions can become.

Affirmative action has undermined relations between blacks and whites whose ancestors go back hundreds of years in U.S. history. Throw millions of yellow and brown newcomers into the stew, and things truly get messy. Race matters, says Peter Brimelow; culture matters. One can agree or not agree with his immigration proposals. The thing one shouldn't do is let sentimentalists fog up our glasses with the rhetoric of race-is-irrelevant. That's an absolutely dreadful way to confront a problem you would think was tough enough already.

## Coyote Blue to play at City Limits

Oklahoma band Coyote Blue, which combines the latest country hits with some classic rock 'n' roll, will be playing Friday and Saturday nights at the City Limits, 1300 S. Barnes, in Pampa.

Coyote Blue was founded by its five members in January and has already built up quite a following in western Oklahoma. New material for an upcoming album is in the works now as the band makes plans to go into the recording studio this summer.

Members of the band, which critics say has some of the best and brightest talent in Oklahoma, include Don Bell, lead vocals, acoustic guitar and keyboard; Charles Eddy, lead guitar, slide guitar and background vocals; Kevin Eddy, rhythm guitar, lead guitar, acoustic guitar, keyboard and vocals; Monty Proffitt, bass guitar, lead and background vocals; and Matt Jones, drums, percussion, lead and background vocals.

Bell has been singing and playing professionally since 1988, beginning by performing with

Reba McEntire's opening act for two years. During that time, his band recorded a nationally released album and performed on The Nashville Network's *Nashville Now* and at Caesar's Palace Hotel in Las Vegas. He then joined other members of the band that would become Coyote Blue. His hobbies include fast cars and electronics.

Charles Eddy has been playing guitar professionally since the age of 14. He toured with bandmate Bell as part of the opening act for McEntire. In addition to playing in Nashville and Las Vegas, he also performed in Europe and Russia. His hobbies include fishing, hunting and sports.

Kevin Eddy is an accomplished guitarist who toured nationally before he was 21. During that time, his band was the opening act for Confederate Railroad. He began playing in his brother's band in 1988 and went to help form Coyote Blue earlier this year. His hobbies include bungee jumping and traveling.

Proffitt started his professional

career in 1983. He played and sang lead vocals with the band Smokin' Okie. In 1985, Proffitt led the band to be one of the top six acts in the True Value Country Showdown, winning out over 150,000 other contestants. This gave the group a national audience when they performed on Ralph Emery's *Nashville Now*. He also has performed as part of opening acts for such big names as Restless Heart, Dan Seals, Shelly West, David Frizzell and Colin Raye. In his spare time, Proffitt enjoys competing in the rodeo arena.

Jones has been playing drums and singing professionally for the past 12 years. During most of that time, he has been part of the rhythm section made up of Proffitt and himself. He performed with Smokin' Okie from 1986 through 1989 and opened for Dan Seals and Colin Raye. His hobbies include scuba diving and stand-up comedy.

Reservations may be made by calling the City Limits at 665-0438.

## Productivity up 2.7 percent in first quarter

WASHINGTON (AP) — The productivity of the American workplace increased 2.7 percent at an annual rate from January through March, better than first thought, but a measure of inflation rose less than originally estimated.

The Labor Department said Wednesday that revised seasonally adjusted non-farm productivity was much stronger than the 0.7 percent in its initial report last month.

And it also revised the fourth quarter figure to 4.3 percent from 4 percent in last month's report.

Productivity — output per number of hours worked — is a key measure of the nation's living standards and business competitiveness, since increases mean companies are making their goods more efficiently and at lower costs.

The report said unit labor costs — typically two-thirds of the cost of a product — rose a revised 1.6 percent, considerably less than the 3.4 percent advance initially reported in May.

Still, labor costs were the highest since a 2.8 percent jump in the second quarter last year. They were unchanged in the third quarter and actually fell 0.4 percent in the final three months.

Analysts contend labor costs remain low because the number of unemployed in the economy makes many workers fearful of losing their jobs if they demand higher wages and salaries and more costly benefits.

But the report suggested workers were not fully sharing in the 2.7 percent productivity gain.

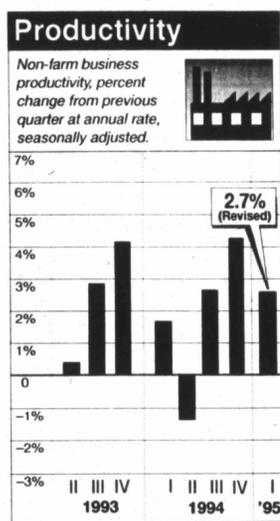
Hourly compensation, when adjusted for inflation, advanced just 1.2 percent, better than the 1 percent advance in the initial report but down from 1.5 percent during the October-December period.

Output shot up 4.7 percent in the first quarter, faster than the 3.3 percent gain initially reported but down from 7.7 percent in the final three months of 1994.

Total hours worked increased 2 percent, slower than the 2.6 percent in the May report and down from 3.3 percent from October through December.

Overall manufacturing productivity remained strong, rising 3.4 percent after a 3.7 percent gain in the fourth quarter. Productivity in the durable goods manufacturing sector was up 4.2 percent and rose 2.1 percent in the non-durable sector.

Manufacturing represents a-



about 20 percent of the U.S. business sector.

Total business productivity, including farming, increased a revised 2.2 percent, also much stronger than the 0.4 percent reported last month but down from 4.3 percent in the fourth quarter of 1994.

## Racial hate message found in high school yearbook

GREENWICH, Conn. (AP) — A series of random-looking letters tacked onto the end of yearbook photograph captions spelled out a message of racial hatred beneath the picture of five graduating seniors in this wealthy, mostly white community.

The school superintendent, John Whritner, said that the school system was investigating whether the five students at Greenwich High School were involved in getting the words into print.

He also said police had been notified.

Words and letters appearing below the pictures of the five white students, when put together,

contained the message "kill all niggers."

The message of hate was discovered after a student allegedly involved in getting it into the book bragged to friends, Whritner said.

"From there it spread like wildfire," he said. "You'd have to be a very eagle-eye proofer to pick it up."

The yearbook was released Monday.

Whritner said school officials hope to have the situation resolved before commencement next Tuesday. He said he did not know what action would be taken.

Seniors get to write their own

captions, and it is common for them to include inside jokes, or messages, that only friends will understand, school officials said.

At the end of a caption under one student's picture appeared the word "kill." Under a second was the word "ALL." The third, fourth and fifth captions end: "ni," "gg," "ERS." The pictures are on various pages of the yearbook.

Blacks make up about 3 percent of the student population in Greenwich, a bedroom community of New York that is home to many celebrities and wealthy business executives. About 2,000 students attend the high school.

## 'Congo' takes top spot at box office

By JOHN HORN  
AP Entertainment Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — *Congo*, a clunker with the critics, was a hit at the box office, debuting in first place with ticket sales of \$24.6 million, the year's best opening.

Based on a Michael Crichton novel, the film has no major stars and was savaged by reviewers, but no other new film entered the market in wide release last week.

Its reign as box-office champ should be brief: *Batman Forever* debuts this weekend.

*Casper* continued to play strongly in second place and *The Bridges of Madison County*, boosted by adult moviegoers, finished third.

In their second weekends, both *Fluke* and *The Glass Shield* fell off sharply. *Mad Love* and *Johnny Mnemonic* also slipped badly. In limited release, *Smoke* played well while *Party Girl* did not.

The top 20 movies at U.S. and Canadian theaters Friday-Sunday, followed by studio, gross, number of theater locations, receipts per location, total gross and number of weeks in release, as compiled by Exhibitor Relations Co.:

1. *Congo*, Paramount, \$24.6 million, 2,649 locations, \$9,303 per location, \$24.6 million, one week.
2. *Casper*, Universal, \$10.9 million, 2,755 locations, \$3,966 per location, \$55 million, three weeks.
3. *The Bridges of Madison County*, Warner Bros., \$9.3 million, 1,982 locations, \$4,714 per location, \$25.1 million, two weeks.
4. *Die Hard With a Vengeance*, Fox, \$6.6 million, 2,579 locations, \$2,567 per location, \$72.1 million, four weeks.
5. *Braveheart*, Paramount, \$5.5 million, 2,035 locations, \$2,697 per location, \$34.4 million, three weeks.
6. *Crimson Tide*, Disney, \$5.1 million, 2,148 locations, \$2,379 per location, \$70.6 million, five weeks.
7. *Forget Paris*, Columbia, \$2.5 million, 1,609 locations, \$1,570 per location, \$24.2 million, four weeks.
8. *While You Were Sleeping*, Disney, \$2.4 million, 1,446 locations, \$1,652 per location, \$65.5 million, eight weeks.
9. *Johnny Mnemonic*, TriStar, \$1.6 million, 1,662 locations, \$948 per location, \$15.3 million, three weeks.
10. *Mad Love*, Disney, \$1.2 million, 1,336 locations, \$906 per location, \$12.9 million, three weeks.
11. *French Kiss*, Fox, \$1.03 million, 910 locations, \$1,140 per location, \$32.9 million, six weeks.
12. *Tales from the Hood*, Savoy, \$1.01 million, 709 locations, \$1,431 per location, \$9.1 million, three weeks.
13. *Fluke*, MGM, \$702,000, 1,200 locations, \$585 per location, \$2.7 million, two weeks.
14. *A Little Princess*, Warner Bros., \$576,000, 907 locations, \$635 per location, \$7.3 million, five weeks.
15. *The Glass Shield*, Miramax, \$539,000, 294 locations, \$1,834 per location, \$2 million, two weeks.
16. *Friday*, New Line, \$532,000, 396 locations, \$1,342 per location, \$23.7 million, seven weeks.
17. *The Englishman Who Went Up a Hill But Came Down a Mountain*, Miramax, \$477,000, 318 locations, \$1,499 per location, \$8.5 million, five weeks.
18. *My Family*, New Line, \$372,000, 290 locations, \$1,282 per location, \$8.9 million, five weeks.
19. *Major Payne*, Universal, \$359,000, 413 locations, \$870 per location, \$27 million, 12 weeks.
20. *Jury Duty*, TriStar, \$342,000, 503 locations, \$679 per location, \$15.7 million, nine weeks.

## Gay elected officials met with rubber-gloves

WASHINGTON (AP) — White House police committed an "error of judgment" when they donned rubber gloves before admitting a delegation of gay elected officials, President Clinton's spokesman says.

But some gay activists are calling it an insult, contending it illustrates the insensitivity of the administration to the concerns of gay men and lesbians.

"For that to even happen at the White House shows they haven't got a clue about AIDS," said Steve Michael, a spokesman for the activist group Act Up. "It just shows where they're at."

The incident took place Tuesday at a meeting set up by the administration to reach out to homosexuals, some of whom have been critical of the administration's recent decision to stay out of a Supreme Court case on gay rights.

At the meeting, administration officials told the group that Clinton had named Marsha Scott, a deputy assistant to the president, as White House liaison officer on gay and lesbian issues. The White House also was prepared to

name a new council to advise the president on issues stemming from AIDS.

About 40 visitors, who included state senators and representatives, city council members, judges and other elected officials, were met by members of the uniformed division of the Secret Service, many of them wearing rubber gloves.

The officials raised the incident at the meeting, saying the officers told them they were trying to protect themselves from the HIV virus that causes AIDS.

Medical authorities say the virus is not transmitted by casual contact and several of the visitors said they were offended by the action.

White House press secretary Mike McCurry said: "It's safe to say the chief of staff and others were distressed by that and believe it to be an error of judgment."

McCurry said the incident did not affect the tone of the meeting, which he said was "very good and established a basis for further discussions."

## Consumer group actively seeks ban on lice drug

WASHINGTON (AP) — A consumer group asked the government today to ban a prescription drug for lice, citing cases where the drug has caused neurological damage and even killed six people, including three children.

Lindane is an insecticide on which the Environmental Protection Agency imposes strong restrictions. But less potent versions are sold as creams and shampoos to be rubbed into the scalp and skin, where it is quickly absorbed into the body, to treat both lice and scabies, a similar parasitic infection.

The World Health Organization recommends against using lindane for lice and

scabies, and two leading manufacturers voluntarily pulled their products from U.S. shelves in recent years, said Dr. Sidney Wolfe of the consumer group Public Citizen.

But the Food and Drug Administration allows the sale of at least 11 products containing lindane to continue here, totaling about 2 million prescriptions for the drug in 1992, he said.

"It's extremely neurotoxic," said Wolfe, who wrote FDA Commissioner David Kessler today to urge an immediate ban. "There can be no excuse for allowing a drug to remain on the market for which considerably safer and effective alternatives exist."

The FDA couldn't immediately comment on Wolfe's petition. But the agency has previously debated the safety of lindane and decided to leave it on the market, said spokesman Don McLearn.

In 1993, another patient-advocacy group urged that lindane be banned as cancer-causing. But a committee of scientific advisers to the FDA concluded the cancer studies were flawed and proper use of lindane was safe, McLearn said.

The drug's label does warn that neurotoxicity — destroying nerves or nerve tissue — is a possibility among certain patients, especially infants.

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This information will also be useful for possible state and federal assistance.

## Name Shared by Father and Son Can Become a Burden for Both

**DEAR ABBY:** Our first baby will be born within the next 30 days. My husband and I are very excited. We know it's a boy and have been trying to come up with a name we can agree on.

My mother-in-law wants the baby to be named after my husband.

You had a letter in your column about naming a child "Junior," which my cousin had pasted in her baby book. Would you please run it again? It may settle the argument.

EXPECTING IN JULY

**DEAR EXPECTING:** I think I know the letter — and I hope it helps you. Read on:

**DEAR ABBY:** Please print my letter so other mothers won't make the same mistake I did. After 19 years, I realize the error of naming our son after his father.

When he was a baby, it was no problem. We called him Billy and his father was Bill.

When he got older, he decided Billy was too babyish, so he asked us to call him Bill, which wasn't too bad — we called one Big Bill and the other Little Bill. That worked out fine until Little Bill got bigger than Big Bill.

Now it's worse. It's Young Bill and Old Bill, and you can imagine how thrilled Father is to be Old Bill at 44.

Not only that, but their voices



**Abigail Van Buren**

SYNDICATED COLUMNIST

are identical, and they are constantly being mistaken for each other on the telephone. Their mail also gets mixed up.

It's a pain in the neck. I should have named him Lawrence, like I wanted to. I've always loved that name. Phooey on these "Juniors."

TOO LATE NOW

**DEAR TOO:** Thanks. Expectant parents take note!

**DEAR ABBY:** "Harold" and I have been happily married for 15 years. It was a first marriage for me and a second marriage for him. Other than his daughters' weddings, we have never socialized with his ex-wife's family.

Recently, his ex-wife's grandmother, "Emma," died, so Harold sent flowers to his former mother-in-law. When I asked him why he did this, he said, "Emma was my daughters' great-grandmother, and I liked her."

Abby, given the circumstances, I

think a nice sympathy card from both of us would have been acceptable, don't you? Also, is it necessary to acknowledge such events in the lives of former in-laws?

SEMI-SYMPATHETIC SECOND WIFE

**DEAR SEMI-SYMPATHETIC:** Your husband did the right thing in sending the flowers to his former mother-in-law for the reasons he stated. However, he should have put both your names on the flowers.

When a woman marries a man with children from a prior marriage, she must accept the fact that there will always be some connection between the families.

**DEAR ABBY:** Regarding people who are always late: My "late" husband was late for everything.

Many times we would board a plane just as the doors were about to slam shut. One time he literally threw me and our luggage on a moving train, then ran alongside and hopped on! I imagine he arrived at St. Peter's gate at the last minute waving his ticket!

How I wish I could chase a few more trains and planes with that delightful guy.

TRUDE JOHNSON, WIDOW OF KENNETH C. JOHNSON, SACRAMENTO, CALIF.

## Horoscope

Friday, June 16, 1995

In the year ahead, you could be more fortunate than usual in any dealings you have with large clubs or companies. Your instincts for providing something useful will be very keen.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** Give your ideas and suggestions precedent over those of your associates today. There are indications that the concepts you perceive could be superior to theirs. Get a jump on life by understanding the influences that govern you in the year ahead. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today by mailing \$2 and SASE to Astro-Graph c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, NY 10163. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Do not hesitate to be of service to friends who need your assistance today. Your good deeds could generate untold rewards.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Try to put yourself in the other guy's shoes today. The insights you might gain could be outstanding and useful.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Substantial accomplishments are indicated today if you operate at your own pace, using your own methods. Outside interference could lessen your productivity.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Select social activities today that aren't tightly structured. Your enjoyment will decrease if you feel you have to do things in a definite way.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** Your best asset today could be your ability to effectively manage others. You will allow your associates ample latitude, but still manage to get the final say.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** Utilize your mental abilities today on endeavors of a practical nature. When your imagination and logic march in lock step, your benefits will be tremendous.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** If matters pertaining to your earnings and income run smoothly at this time, do not make any unnecessary changes. Ride the tide to profit.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** Although you're not likely to be unduly assertive or pushy today, you still won't permit others to relegate you to a subordinate role if it makes you uncomfortable.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** You'll function more efficiently today if you operate at your own, steady pace. You mustn't rush things, even if others urge you to do so.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** You are now in a constructive cycle for making new friends and helpful contacts. It will be to your advantage to mingle with groups you've previously avoided.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** Dedicate your efforts and energies today to truly significant objectives. If you're persistent, you'll do very well for yourself.



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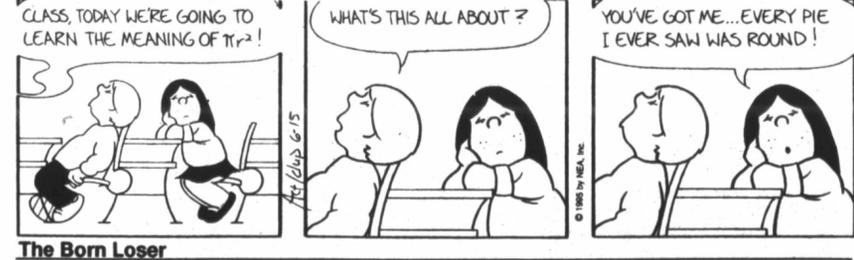
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Frank and Ernest



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"Those aren't pagers you hear, Billy. They're tree frogs."



"Before I thank you, I want to check my flower garden."

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## Sports

## Notebook

## BASKETBALL

**SPEARMAN** — A 3-on-3 basketball tournament is planned for July 8-9 in Spearman.

There will be both male and female divisions, starting with fifth and sixth grades through adult.

Interested persons can call 806-659-2524 for more information.

## BASEBALL

**DALLAS (AP)** — Doctors are focusing on treating the leftover cancer cells that remain in Mickey Mantle following last week's liver transplant.

Mantle, 63, was given a dose of chemotherapy during last Thursday's operation and more treatments were planned for today or Friday.

Mantle's recovery is going well. He's eating solid foods, taken some steps and a recent biopsy showed the new organ is functioning properly without signs of rejection.

The medicine Mantle takes to prevent organ rejection also is a supplemental tool in fighting cancer, doctors say.

The former New York Yankees slugger is still listed in serious but stable condition at Baylor University Medical Center, where he was admitted May 28.

Doctors say patients in Mantle's situation have a 50 percent chance of surviving six years.

Doctors also are monitoring the Hepatitis C that's still in Mantle's system.

## FOOTBALL

**DALLAS (AP)** — A 17-year-old topless dancer who accused Dallas Cowboys offensive lineman Erik Williams of raping her has reached a settlement and signed an affidavit asking authorities not to proceed with the criminal case, her attorney says.

"She has made it known that she does not wish to prosecute. She's decided not to pursue the matter," attorney Charles Caperton said.

Collin County District Attorney Tom O'Connell said Wednesday he saw a copy of the affidavit two weeks ago, but it won't slow his efforts to seek a grand jury indictment of Williams and college friend, Roderick Carson of Madison, Wis.

The men are charged in the alleged sexual assault of the woman at Williams' home on April 13. They claim the girl willingly had sex with them.

## HOCKEY

**EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP)** — Sometime in the wee hours of Wednesday morning, New Jersey Devils defenseman Ken Daneyko turned on the television in his home and watched a videotape of Game 6 of the Eastern Conference final.

Five hours earlier, Daneyko experienced the crowning moment of his 12-year career with the Devils, a 4-2 win over the Philadelphia Flyers that earned New Jersey its first berth in the Stanley Cup final.

Now at 3:30 a.m., he wanted to see it. But he wasn't doing it to gloat and catch another glimpse of the elation on the faces of two other long-suffering teammates, Bruce Driver and John MacLean.

Daneyko was working, already preparing for the start of the Cup final Saturday against the Detroit Red Wings.

If the season is to mean anything, it must include four more wins against the Red Wings.

Close — something Daneyko, Driver and MacLean know well — won't count. They had been close before to a Cup final, losing the seventh game of the Wales Conference final to Boston in 1988 and last year dropping the sixth and seventh games to the New York Rangers in the conference final.

When we lost in '88, we

## Rockets soar to second straight NBA title

By BOB BAUM  
AP Sports Writer

**HOUSTON (AP)** — They are the most unlikely of repeat champions and, boy, did they do it the hard way.

No team traveled a tougher road to the NBA title than the Houston Rockets, and the more they played, the harder they were to beat.

In the end, the Orlando Magic had no chance against them. They couldn't even win one game in the NBA Finals.

"The way we did it was remarkable," Clyde Drexler said. "We beat the four best teams in the league, and we basically did it in their gyms."

The triumphant conclusion came in Houston, though, where Drexler and Hakeem Olajuwon had been college teammates and failed to win the national championship expected of them.

Olajuwon capped the 113-101 victory Wednesday night by floating in a 3-pointer with 11.4 seconds to go. It seemed a fitting way to end it.

The unanimous choice as the finals' MVP for the second year in a row, Olajuwon com-

pleted an incomparable playoff performance with 35 points and 15 rebounds.

"I don't know if a player's ever played as great as Hakeem Olajuwon did all through the playoffs," Houston coach Rudy Tomjanovich said.

The Rockets are the sixth team to sweep an opponent in the finals and they earned a place alongside the repeat champions of the recent past — Michael and the Bulls, the showtime Lakers and the bad boys of Detroit.

But those teams were supposed to win again. Houston started the playoffs as No. 6 in the West, the lowest-seeded team ever to win a championship. The Rockets of 1994 won an ugly, defense-dominated finals over New York. This Houston team soared from nowhere on a barrage of clutch 3-pointers, the relentless drive of Drexler and the grace, balance and soft shooting touch of Olajuwon.

"Nobody in the history of the league has done what this team has done," Tomjanovich said.

As the game ended, Kenny Smith jumped on the scorers' table to celebrate and Sam Cassell did a victory dance. Olajuwon and Drexler, the two old Phi Slama Jama friends

from the University of Houston reunited in a Valentine's Day trade, mostly just smiled.

"We didn't do it together in college and came back and did it in the pros," Olajuwon said. "I think that is a special story. That is something I will give a chapter to in my book."

Mario Elie, a Continental Basketball Association refugee who became a starter five games into the Western Conference finals, scored eight of his 22 points in the fourth quarter as the Rockets pulled away. Elie was 9-for-11 from the field, 3-for-3 in the fourth quarter.

As the game neared an end, Elie sought out Drexler, his old Portland teammate, and gave him a hug.

"A great, classy guy," Elie said. "He deserves it."

After 12 NBA seasons, Drexler finally earned a championship ring in front of his hometown crowd. He had a tough shooting night, but still had 15 points, 9 rebounds and 8 assists.

Robert Horry, switched to power forward when Elie joined the starting lineup, completed a strong series with 21 points and 13 rebounds. He and Elie each made four 3-

pointers.

Watching the celebration, it was hard to believe this Houston team was on the brink of elimination in the first round against Utah, trailing by seven points after three quarters of the deciding game in Salt Lake City.

The Rockets were down 2-0 and 3-1 against Phoenix, only to win it on the road in Game 7 on Elie's 3-pointer 7.1 seconds from the finish.

Then it was on to San Antonio, where they won three times in the Alamodome.

Next stop, Orlando, where the Rockets came back from near-certain defeat to win Game 1, 120-118 in overtime. The Magic never recovered.

Houston won nine road games in the playoffs, the last seven in a row, both NBA records.

"Every team we beat could have won the championship," Tomjanovich said. "That's why I say this lack of respect has got to stop."

The Rockets used respect for motivation. They didn't think they got much after last year's title. They believe they've proven they deserve some now.

## Basketball camp



(Pampa News photo by L.D. Strate)

J.J. Roark shoots a jump shot during the Top O' Texas Basketball Camp being held this week at the Pampa Middle School gyms. The camp, directed by Harvesters' head coach Robert Hale, is for boys in the third through ninth grades. The camp features scrimmage games, fundamental instruction, and the presentation of special t-shirts, basketballs and other awards.

## Weather could hamper U.S. Open

By BOB GREEN  
AP Golf Writer

**SOUTHAMPTON, N.Y. (AP)** — History says the winner of the 1995 U.S. Open probably will be a home-grown hero. Don't be too sure. Authoritative sources are not always completely reliable.

Take the weatherman, for example.

For three days now the forecast has been "clearing tomorrow." That was the latest word on Wednesday, on the eve of the American national championship: Clearing tomorrow.

David Eger, director of rules and competitions for the sponsoring U.S. Golf Association, said more than three inches of rain have fallen on the Shinnecock Hills Golf Club course this week. He hinted more is expected.

Frantic grounds crews have kept the course playable — barely. But gallery walkways are muddy troughs. Pedestrian areas around concession tents, hospitality tents and comfort stations are ankle-deep quagmires.

All the factors — the weather, the conditions, the site, the situation — have combined to make this the mysterious open. No one knows quite what to expect.

While other major tournaments have, in recent years, been dominated by foreign players, the U.S. Open has remained an American plaything.

Of the 49 tournaments since World War II, only a handful have been won by foreign-borns: two South Africans (Gary Player and defender Ernie Els), an Australian (David Graham), and an Englishman (Tony Jacklin).

"I can't explain it," Greg Norman said. "Certainly the Europeans have some of the better players in the world, players

who are capable of winning the U.S. Open.

"Maybe they just haven't been coming over in time to get themselves acclimated."

But that won't wash for the centennial anniversary of the U.S. Open, which began today at historic Shinnecock.

First of all, Europe's best, Nick Faldo of England, has moved his base to the United States and now plays most of his golf in this country.

Perhaps more importantly, however, is the rain and the course, called by Els "one of the best I've played anywhere in the world."

"It's a true links course. It's going to be like playing Scottish links golf."

The vistas from Shinnecock's clubhouse and the clubhouse at Muirfield, Scotland are much the same: Fairways wending between heaving sand dunes and waving sea grasses.

Combined with the chilly drizzle, a decided British atmosphere pervaded the practice rounds. Sweaters rather than shorts were the garb of choice.

And the rains have softened and slowed both fairways and greens. Slower greens and wet conditions, of course, are common fare to European players.

In many cases, slopes around the greens have been shorn of heavy rough, allowing errant shots to run well off the green, placing greater emphasis on players' short-game skills — still another condition more common to Europe than the United States.

All of which should work to the benefit of Faldo, who scored an American tour triumph earlier this season to add to a collection that includes two Masters and three British Opens.

Bernhard Langer of Germany,

a two-time Masters winner, has played well in Europe this year, as has Colin Montgomerie of Scotland, a frequent contender in major events and a loser of the Open in a playoff in 1994.

As for a favorite, try Norman. Coming off a six-week break from competition, the Australian ace won two weeks ago and let another title slip away with a 71st hole lapse last week.

Els, the powerful young South African, won in Dallas last month and must be given a place among those most likely to succeed here.

Vijay Singh of Fiji is a two-time winner in the United States this season and could be a factor.

Nick Price of Zimbabwe, who dominated world golf for more than two years, recently has shown signs of emerging from a season-long funk. The prospect of a relatively high-scoring tournament could work in his favor, he said.

"My putting has not been up to standard recently, but I think if I just play smart and my putting is solid — I'm not looking to go from putting poorly to putting great — I'm targeting 4 or 5 under to win the championship," Price said.

Lee Janzen, the 1993 winner of this title, could be the leading American contender.

He has won twice this season, each time in the fashion that wins U.S. Opens: Getting in position, hanging tough down the stretch and letting other people make the mistakes.

Other leading Americans include Tom Lehman, Corey Pavin, former U.S. Open and PGA champ Payne Stewart, Davis Love III and Peter Jacobsen, a two-time winner earlier this season.

Of course, all bets are off if the weather changes.

## Texas Tech honors White Deer's Thomas

**LUBBOCK** — Texas Tech's Bart Thomas of White Deer and Noel Johnson of Nazareth have been selected as this year's winners of the W.W. "Windy" Nicklaus Award.

The presentation was made recently at the Amarillo Chapter of the Red Raider Club at Ross Rogers Golf Course.

The award, given annually to a Red Raider male and female student-athlete, is given in honor of the late Nicklaus, the first Texas Tech football captain. Nicklaus lettered at Tech from 1925-27. A student-athlete must come from the 28-county area of the Panhandle and must be outstanding in leadership and acad-

emics to be eligible for the award.

Thomas, a free safety, finished his collegiate career by helping lead the Red Raiders to a SWC championship last season and a berth in the Cotton Bowl. He led Tech in interceptions last season with six.

While in high school, Thomas quarterbacked the Bucks to the Class 1A state title in 1988. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Steve Thomas.

Johnson is the only repeat winner of the award. She closed her collegiate basketball career, which included an NCAA national title, as the most prolific three-point shooter in SWC history.

## Shot putter turns 101

**TURPIN, Okla.** — Margaret White, the world age-group shot put record holder, turned 101 years old today. Her birthday will be honored with a throw-a-thon Saturday at Turpin High School.

Mrs. White is the mother of Pampa's Wendell Palmer, who holds the Masters world record in the 1.5 kilo discus, 60-64 age division.

The throw-a-thon competition is open to anyone 16 years old and up. The events will start at 10:30 a.m. with the shot put, followed at 11:30 a.m. by the discus. There will be also competition in the 16, 20, 25 and 30-pound weight toss, beginning at 1 p.m.

In a special event, Mrs. White will throw the shot against her great-great grandson, Brennen Young of Pampa.

Earlier this year, Mrs. White gained national prominence by becoming the oldest athlete to ever enter Masters competition, which is track and field events for senior citizens. She threw the discus in the Sooner State Games in Oklahoma City. She later made television appearances on The Tonight Show and Donahue.

This past spring, Mrs. White was scheduled to compete in a throw-a-thon in Pampa, but the event was canceled due to cold weather.

## Rangers bow to Brewers

By ARNIE STAPLETON  
AP Sports Writer

**MILWAUKEE (AP)** — Matt Mieske isn't the type to make a fuss. He does, however, make the most of his chances.

Mieske, miffed by his lack of playing time, broke a fifth-inning tie with his first homer of the season Wednesday, leading the Brewers past the Texas Rangers 4-2.

Mieske has gone 3-for-6 with three runs and three RBIs since replacing right fielder David Hulse, who fouled a ball off his right leg during the Brewers' 14-2 victory Tuesday night.

"Even though I haven't gotten a lot of starts, I feel like I've gotten into a rhythm because I've been taking extra cuts in the cage," said Mieske, who wonders why he hasn't played more in light of left fielder Derrick May's struggles.

May is hitting .248 with one homer and nine RBIs, but he's started to shake out of his season-long slump.

"His biggest thing is he wants to get more playing time. He's frustrated by it, as any young player would be," Brewers manager Phil Garner said. "He'll get his playing time."

Garner had been reluctant to rest left-handed hitters Turner Ward — who went down with a pulled hamstring — and Hulse. When Ward got hurt on June 7, May started to shake his slump, keeping Mieske on the bench and in the batting cage.

With the score tied 2-2, Mieske connected off Darren Oliver (3-2) for his first homer since July 21, 1994.

Rangers manager Johnny Oates wasn't surprised he got beat by Mieske, who homered 10 times

for the Brewers last year but only had 66 at-bats before this week.

"He's a major leaguer, isn't he?" Oates said.

The Brewers are last in the AL with 29 homers and have offered to take disgruntled outfielder Danny Tartabull off George Steinbrenner's hands, but the Yankees balked at picking up \$4 million of his \$5 million salary next year.

"We need some more power in our lineup," Brewers general manager Sal Bando said. "We would never be able to get a guy like that at his true value. I told them, 'If you're looking for equal value, good luck. If it doesn't work out, give us a call.'"

The Brewers have reportedly offered three players for Tartabull — center fielder Darryl Hamilton and pitchers Bill Wegman and Mark Kiefer.

The Brewers' best hitter, Dave Nilsson, has missed the whole season after contracting a mosquito-borne virus in Australia, just before spring training, and DH Greg Vaughn has struggled all year. He is in the throes of a 1-for-22 slump and it hitting just .202 with five homers and 21 RBIs.

"It was a wonderful time for Mieske to get his first homer," Garner said. "That's the kind of ballgame we needed."

Rookie Sid Roberson (2-2) gave up just four hits, walked three and struck out five in six innings as the Brewers won consecutive games for the first time this month.

The Rangers mustered just two hits off four relievers. Kiefer got Juan Gonzalez, the only batter he faced, to fly out to right with two outs and a man on first in the eighth inning, and Mike Fetters pitched the ninth for his fourth save, his first since May 24.

## Scoreboard

BASEBALL				
National League				
At A Glance				
By The Associated Press				
All Times EDT				
East Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Philadelphia	28	16	636	—
Montreal	26	20	565	3
Atlanta	24	20	545	4
New York	17	28	3781 1/2	12
Florida	14	29	3261 1/2	17
Central Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Cincinnati	29	16	644	—
Chicago	23	21	523 1/2	1/2
Houston	21	22	488	7
St. Louis	19	27	4131 1/2	12
Pittsburgh	16	27	372	12
West Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Colorado	27	19	587	—
San Francisco	25	21	543	2
Los Angeles	22	23	489 1/2	5
San Diego	21	23	477	5
Wednesday's Games				
San Francisco 4, Chicago 3, 13 innings				
Colorado 10, Cincinnati 4				
Los Angeles 8, Pittsburgh 5				
Atlanta 7, Montreal 3				
Houston 9, Philadelphia 5				
Florida 4, New York 0				
San Diego 3, St. Louis 0				
Thursday's Games				
San Francisco (Leter 3-2) at Chicago (Castillo 4-2), 2:20 p.m.				
Atlanta (Maddux 4-1) at Montreal (Martinez 5-1), 7:35 p.m.				
Houston (Reynolds 2-5) at Philadelphia (Green 5-4), 7:35 p.m.				
Los Angeles (Astacio 1-4) at Pittsburgh (Neagle 5-3), 7:35 p.m.				
Florida (Witt 1-5) at New York (Harnisch 1-3), 7:40 p.m.				
San Diego (Sanders 5-1) at St. Louis (Petkovsek 1-1), 8:35 p.m.				
Friday's Games				
Los Angeles (Candiotti 2-5) at Chicago (Morgan 2-1), 3:20 p.m.				
Florida (Rapp 1-3) at Philadelphia (West 1-0), 7:35 p.m.				
Montreal (Henry 1-4) at Cincinnati (Smiley 5-0), 7:35 p.m.				
San Diego (Benes 0-5) at Pittsburgh (Loiaza 2-2), 7:35 p.m.				
Houston (Swindell 3-3) at New York (B. Jones 4-3), 7:40 p.m.				
San Francisco (Van Lanningham 0-0) at St. Louis (Palacios 1-2), 8:35 p.m.				
Atlanta (Glavine 4-3) at Colorado (Swift 1-1), 9:05 p.m.				
American League				
At A Glance				
By The Associated Press				
All Times EDT				
East Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Boston	27	17	614	—
Detroit	20	26	435	8
Baltimore	19	25	432	8
New York	18	25	4198 1/2	12
Toronto	18	25	4198 1/2	12
Central Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Cleveland	33	11	750	—
Kansas City	25	18	581 1/2	1/2
Milwaukee	20	24	455	13
Chicago	16	28	381	16
Minnesota	13	33	283	21
West Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
California	27	19	587	—
Texas	27	19	587	—

## Astros beat Phillies to extend road record to 14-7

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Brian Hunter, promoted from the minors a day earlier, hit a tiebreaking, two-run triple in the eighth inning Wednesday night that sent the Houston Astros over the Philadelphia Phillies 9-5.

Craig Biggio had four hits, including two doubles, and tied a Houston record by scoring four runs. The Astros won their sixth straight road game, making them 14-7 on the road while just 7-15 at home.

Darryl Kile (2-5) pitched seven innings for the win and Todd Jones got his second save.

The score was tied at 4 in the eighth when Orlando Miller led off the Houston eighth with a single against Norm Charlton (2-4). Pinch-hitter John Cangelosi followed with a walk and Hunter, after fouling off two bunt attempts, tripled to right field.

Hunter led the Pacific Coast League last season in batting

(.372) and stolen bases (49), and was hitting .329 for Tucson when he was called up. He is not related to the Brian Hunter who formerly played for Atlanta, Pittsburgh and Cincinnati.

After Hunter's triple, Biggio met reliever Toby Borland with a double. Biggio later scored on a grounder, and Derek Bell walked. Jeff Bagwell then scored the fifth run of the inning on reliever Kyle Abbott's wild pitch.

The Phillies scored three runs in the first on Gregg Jefferies' RBI single, Jim Eisenreich's groundout and Charlie Hayes' sacrifice fly.

Notes: Phillies right-hander Tommy Greene, on the disabled list with a shoulder problem, made his first rehabilitation start Tuesday night for Clearwater in the Florida State League. He pitched seven innings, allowed four hits and two runs, struck out six and walked three.



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- 1 - Leno
  - 4 Bank
  - 8 Dancer
  - Verdon
  - 12 Excessive love of self
  - 14 Aircraft prof.
  - 15 Weirdness
  - 16 Basketball's Archibald
  - 17 Whirl
  - 18 Grinders
  - 20 River island
  - 23 Blockhead
  - 24 Wander
  - 28 Merry
  - Widow composer
  - 31 Prepare to fire
  - 32 Many (2 wds.)
  - 34 Singer
  - 35 Cave (poet.)
  - 37 Bomb shelter
  - 39 Noun suffix
  - 40 Small fuff
  - 42 Western mountains
  - 44 Small ox
- DOWN**
- 1 Hoot
  - 2 Awry
  - 3 Long ago
  - 4 Prohibit
  - 5 Made of
  - 6 Speak imperfectly
  - 7 Emitted coherent light
  - 8 Long glove
  - 9 Richer
  - 10 Art deco
  - 11 Words of denial
  - 13 City in Italy
  - 14 The sun

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

YON CHEF CHEM  
MIL YALE VENT  
GUD NUMB CROC  
AMENITY ALONE  
ACE LIT  
THAN SARGAM  
VEN INANE YOU  
MAY VINES ADD  
ERKINE GRAD  
EEE YMA  
IDEAS ZOOLOGY  
GART DUDS YEA  
BRITO ALES ER  
MEAN DULY RED

21 Actress Lupino  
22 Layer of tissue  
24 Publications (abbr.)  
25 Emerald Isle  
26 Lack of ethics  
27 Burgles  
29 Actress Magnani  
30 Vermin  
33 Baseball's - Speaker  
36 Ringing sounds  
38 Comparative suff.  
41 - do plum  
43 - Aridge  
45 Mr. Burr  
47 Type of media or market  
48 Freshwater porpoise  
49 Nest of pheasants  
51 - gol  
52 Gumbo ingredient  
56 This instant!  
57 UK time

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## Rep. Thornberry backs defense spending bill

WASHINGTON, D.C. — The first national defense spending bill authored by a Republican majority in more than 40 years will end the decade-long decline in national defense spending, U.S. Rep. Mac Thornberry said.

The first term Congressman from Clarendon discussed the merits of H.R. 1530 during a news conference of Republican freshmen members of the National Security Committee.

"Although the Cold War is over, threats to our nation's security are as real as ever," Thornberry said. "We must make sure the United States military is prepared to meet any challenge, and I believe the defense authorization bill is a first step in doing that."

The bill calls for defense spending authority of \$267.3 billion in fiscal year 1996, a \$9.4 billion increase over President Clinton's defense request. Current year defense spending totals \$263.5 billion. House debate has begun and a final vote is expected today.

H.R. 1530 strengthens the national defense by helping maintain adequate support for enlisted military personnel, by improving core readiness, by modernizing defense systems and by reforming outdated Pentagon procedures.

All four areas are key for the

military to increase effectiveness in a time when eliminating the federal budget deficit is a top priority, Thornberry said.

Other FY 1996 appropriations included in the defense bill of particular interest to the 13th District include:

- A provision inserted at Thornberry's request that requires the Secretary of Defense to evaluate the effectiveness of the TRICARE health care program in meeting the needs of covered beneficiaries. The evaluation specifically must address the impact of TRICARE access and cost on military retirees.
- \$2.6 million in military construction at Sheppard Air Force Base, including \$1.5 million to upgrade airfield lighting; \$600,000 to replace a family housing maintenance building; and \$500,000 for a management office.
- \$2.2 million in military construction at Reese Air Force Base, including \$1.2 million for a fire training facility and \$1 million for renovation of a military facility.
- \$20 million for projects at Pantex, including a sewage treatment facility upgrade, emergency notification and security systems and environmental safety laboratory.
- \$10 million for the Amarillo National Resource Center for Plutonium.

## Nation of Islam guards arrested in beating case

DALLAS (AP) — Nation of Islam members who serve as mall security officers should have called police before they forced four children suspected of stealing to strip naked and then beat them, one parent said.

Bobby Lott, the stepfather of a 13-year-old boy who was involved in the incident, said the guards told him they didn't call the police because "we took it up in our own hands. We don't call on our brothers."

Four members of the black Muslim group who were working as security guards at the Westcliff Mall were arrested on kidnapping charges following the four-hour ordeal. They are accused of beating the boys, then forcing them to run through a gauntlet for more abuse.

The unarmed security guards told police the boys confessed to breaking into the mall and stealing \$300 and a cash register from an antiques store after the mall closed, police Sgt. Jim Chandler said. The guards rounded up the boys.

Derick Hopkins, 27, and fellow security guards Stanley Stephen, 23, Zavier McFerguson, 30, and Tyrone Miller, 31, were arrested. Each was charged with four counts of aggravated kidnapping. They were jailed on \$100,000 bail.

No assault charges have been filed, Chandler said.

"The boys can't identify anybody in the crowd in the assault. So it's very unlikely any of them will be charged. We're trying to

work on that angle," Chandler said.

Lott said he would have preferred the officers called police.

"If I had done (my stepson) like that I would have gone to jail. That's child abuse," he said.

The children involved are brothers, ages 16, 13, 12, and a 13-year-old friend. They were all treated for bruises and welts on their backs, buttocks and legs. They were released to their parents and no charges have been filed against them.

Mall owner Gaoloku Lagbara said the parents and police officers overreacted.

"I'm trying to focus on these little thieving kids," Lagbara said.

"In reality, no one gives a darn about these raggedy little underprivileged kids. We've caught them several times stealing from us. The one time they're going to get spanked everyone is in an uproar," he said.

Lagbara said the security force refrains from calling the police because of his personal philosophy.

"We handle problems internally. We try to sit these kids down and tell them, 'This is a black mall. Do you realize what you are doing? Why would you steal from a black man?'"

He said he hopes the parents will not press charges against the guards.

"I hope for a stalemate. If they bring charges against the security force I will press charges against these kids," he said.

## Manuscript looks too good to be true

HOUSTON (AP) — An aficionado on Henry Wadsworth Longfellow says he doubts the authenticity of a manuscript recently found in an old wooden frame bought at a garage sale.

"Before I removed it from the frame, I knew it to be inauthentic," Victor Gulotta, a Longfellow collector and researcher from the Boston area who examined the manuscript, said.

"The writing was clearly Longfellow's, but the ink was unlike any Longfellow ever used. It was black and had a flat, stamped appearance, which to me indicated that it was printed and not penned. Moreover, the paper lacked the quality, color and feel of 19th century paper."

Gulotta said he confirmed the manuscript was fake by comparing it with a copy at the Library of Congress. Gulotta said the manuscript in Washington has the same editing marks as does the copy bought by Holmes.

Earlier this month, an English professor at the University of Houston said she was "99.5 percent" certain that the faded blue verses are a draft of *The Village Blacksmith*. The poem, published in 1840, begins: "Under the spreading chestnut tree/The village smithy stands."

Mark Holmes bought the manuscript for about 25 or 50 cents and said he had it about six months before noticing it said "By H.W. Longfellow."

# Democrats split over Clinton's budget plan

WASHINGTON (AP) — Democrats, not Republicans, are reacting most bitterly to President Clinton's 10-year balanced-budget plan in a stark display of the conflicting priorities that exist between the administration and its erstwhile congressional allies.

Clinton unveiled his budget package Tuesday night, proposing to pull \$1.2 trillion in savings out of Medicare, Medicaid and dozens of other programs. Seeking to draw a contrast with Republicans, his cuts would be gentler than those in GOP plans that already have passed the House and Senate. Clinton's plan includes tax cuts for families with children that are smaller than those in the Republican plans, while also protecting education.

Accompanying this was a modest health-care reform package, including provisions allowing people to carry health insurance from job to job, providing coverage to the short-term jobless, and providing grants for home-based care.

Senate President Al Gore Wednesday defended Clinton's budget proposal against the sharp criticism from within his own party. "When you're getting criticized from both sides of the spectrum, that's often a pretty good sign that you're on the right course in the direction most Americans want to travel," Gore said on ABC's *Good Morning America*.

White House press secretary Mike McCurry said Clinton and House Democrats have only a tactical disagreement.

"We would say to House Democrats that we understand your anger, we understand your desire to score political points at the expense of the Republicans, but the president lives in a different house," McCurry said. "The president has different responsibilities and the president can't always say no to the Congress."

In a nationally televised White House address that lasted just over five minutes, the president gently slapped Republicans, saying the deficit could be wiped out in seven years, as Republicans propose, but insisted "the pain we would inflict on our elderly, our students and our economy just isn't worth it."

Mostly, though, he portrayed himself as transcending partisanship by offering a tough plan that would break through partisan gridlock — something voters have consistently signaled they've wanted since the 1992 elections and that he is eager to demonstrate for his re-election campaign.

But House Majority Leader Dick Armey said Wednesday he didn't hear any such effort to break through partisan politics.

"I was a little disconcerted by the tone," the Texas Republican told CBS *This Morning*. "We've got our budget balancing train moving down the track and he's running to catch up and it seems to me he could have had a little bit more courteous tone. But nevertheless, we're welcoming him aboard."

In one stroke, Clinton transformed the debate over deficits that have burdened the government since 1969 from a debate over whether to end them to a discussion about how it can be done.

"This can be a turning point for us," Clinton said.

Republicans agreed — but warily. They acidly welcomed Clinton's entry into the effort to balance the budget, but said that after months of laboring over their own plans to eliminate the deficit by 2002 and to cut taxes, they would not let Clinton's proposal slow them down. Negotiators from the House and Senate are trying to work out a compromise balanced-budget blueprint.

"The president's grabbed onto the caboose, but we're not going to let the train be derailed," Armey said.

## Clinton's budget

- Following House and Senate plans President Clinton Tuesday announced a plan to balance the budget in 10 years.
- What's lost**
    - About \$150 billion in Medicare programs
    - \$20 billion to \$25 billion in subsidies and write-offs for corporations
  - What's gained**
    - About \$20 billion for programs for the elderly, including in-home health care.
  - What stays intact**
    - A proposed \$60 billion five-year tax cut, which would make college tuition tax-deductible for families earning less than \$100,000.
    - All Cabinet departments. The House plan would close the Commerce, Education and Energy departments; the Senate plan would close Commerce.

threatens to make Medicare a political football," House Minority Leader Dick Gephardt, D-Mo., said.

"I think most of us learned some time ago that if you don't like the president's position on a particular issue, you simply need to wait a few weeks," said Rep. Dave Obey, D-Wis.

Just last week, Gephardt and Senate Minority Leader Tom Daschle, D-S.D., futilely urged Clinton to postpone presenting his package, arguing that Democrats were making political gains by portraying themselves as defenders of the middle class and Republicans as the protectors of privilege.

But Clinton declined, concluding that further delay would weaken his credibility in the deficit-reduction debate.

That won't please some Democrats.

The biggest savings under Clinton's plan would come from Medicare: nearly \$300 billion over the decade. It would save nearly \$130 billion in the first seven years, about half what Republicans are seeking. Unlike the GOP, Clinton said he would not directly trim recipients' benefits. He said the savings would come chiefly from hospitals and doctors, though he said there would be incentives for people to seek less costly managed care.

Clinton's budget also would:

- Save \$105 billion from Medicaid by limiting its growth, expanding managed care and shifting more power to states.
- Cut taxes by \$96 billion over seven years, compared with \$350 billion in the House budget and a possible \$170 billion in the Senate.
- Find savings from welfare, farm, veterans, and environment programs, but not as much as Republicans would.
- Provide extra money for his domestic priorities: education, national service, anti-crime, and technology.

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