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'A nation of patriots'

9/11 service speakers focus on the positives

By **LYNDEL MOODY**
Features Writer

Remember, honor and unite as one proud people—those were the themes threaded through the words spoken during a 9/11 memorial service Sunday afternoon at the Big Spring Mall.

"I want people to come away with a feeling of unity, of being an American, the unity of looking after the people who have lost their families, not just on 9/11 but in all the wars since 9/11, and to walk out every day and see flags flying and people being American, not a bunch of scattered around groups," said Mike Tarpley, a Vietnam veteran who has organized the memorial service for the past five years.



Ed Meiser

Services to remember victims of the attacks by terrorists on the World Trade Center in New York and the U.S. Pentagon in Arlington, Va., were held all over the nation Sunday. In Big Spring, more than 350 people gathered in the mall at the wall of honor created and maintained by Tarpley to honor local military persons who have died in the war on terror.

Before the event, military flags denoting the branch of service of each person who gave the ultimate sacrifice were draped over the permanently displayed pictures at the memorial. During the ceremony, the flags were undraped to honor St. Conrad Alvarez, U.S. Army; SPC Brandon Long, U.S. Army; Cpt. Ellery Ray Wallace, U.S. Army; Staff



HERALD photo/Lyndel Moody

Event coordinator and Vietnam veteran Mike Tarpley plays Taps during Sunday's 9/11 remembrance ceremony at the mall.

Sgt. Clinton Newman, U.S. Army, SPC Robert Volker, U.S. Army; PFC Chad Metcalf, U.S. Marine Corp; PFC Kristian Menchaca, U.S. Army; PFC Clayton Henson, U.S. Army; and civilian contractor Steven Evrard, formerly with the Big Spring Police Department.

"We commemorate the people who lost their lives in the tragedy 10 years ago today," said Ed Meiser, commander of the DAV Chapter 47 and Vietnam veteran. "We honor the many Americans who responded on that day. And we salute those who have served in harm's way over the past years. Now a decade later, we still have troops protecting the country, fighting terrorism abroad. As a nation we must continue to do everything we can to support our soldiers, sailors,



Rev. Rick Cunningham

airman, Marines and coastguardsmen as they continue their efforts against terrorism.

"And what better way to show your support than fly the American flag every day of the year or at the least every day you can. What a beautiful sight — Old Glory flying in the breeze, the fabric of our country. In the days, weeks and months immediately following 9/11, our country was bathed in American Flags as citizens mourned the incredible losses and stood united, shoulder-to-shoulder in a show of patriotism across our great nation. Sadly those flags have all but

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Show off your home!

Symphony Guild needing homes for annual fundraising tour

By **AMANDA MORENO**
Staff Writer

Have you ever wanted to open your home to the community? Here's your chance. Homes are being sought for this year's Symphony Guild

Tour of Homes, scheduled for Dec. 11. "Last year we couldn't find enough homes so we had to cancel the tour," said Eulaine McIntosh, Guild president. "Nobody wants to cancel the tour, but without the participation, we just couldn't do it."

This year, David and Marie Justice have agreed to take part in the Tour of Homes, but more homes are needed. McIntosh said it would be ideal to have four to six homes to showcase.

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WTC: Watch for suicide warning signs

Special to the Herald

Parents struggle daily with granting their adolescents enough privacy to mature but with enough supervision to keep them safe.

Mood swings caused by school and so-

cial pressures make it tough to know the difference between adolescent angst and severe problems, such as suicide.

West Texas Centers is publicizing the warning signs of adolescent suicide.

"Parenting is tough," said West Texas Centers CEO Shelley Smith, LMSW. "At

some point, we have to back away and give our children space. But how much space and when to give it is difficult and varies from child to child and family to family."

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Obituaries

Cleo Jarrell



Cleo Jarrell passed away Thursday, Sept. 8, 2011, in Big Spring, Texas.

She was born Jan. 4, 1945, to H.B. Smith and Opal Roberts Smith in Wapanucka, Okla. She moved to the West Texas area as a child.

She is survived by her mother, Opal Fuller of Antlers, Okla.; her sisters, Nancy Cox of Monahans, Texas, and Brenda Fraley of Glen Flora, Wis.; three sons, Calvin W.

Phipps and wife Leisa, Richard Phipps and wife Michelle and Clint Phipps and wife Karla, all of Monahans, Texas. She is also survived by seven grandchildren, Jenna Hawthorne, Cydnee Phipps, Spensor Phipps, Laura Phipps, Ross Phipps, Jensen Phipps and Shelbee Phipps; and a great-granddaughter, Hannah Hawthorne.

She was preceded in death by her father, H.B. Smith; her husband, Don Jarrell; her sisters, Bernice Dennis, Joan Fuller; and longtime companion, Richie Dell.

Funeral services were held Monday, Sept. 12, 2011, at Sunset Memorial Chapel.

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Sunset Funeral Home. To sign the guest book, go to our website at www.sunsetodessa.com

Paid obituary

Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity between 9 a.m. Saturday and 7 a.m. today:

- DEKIRTON DELANE GOLIGHTLY, 30, of Lubbock, was arrested Saturday on charges of public intoxication and disorderly conduct - fighting.
- ROBERT BRITO, 28, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on charges of public intoxication, disorderly conduct - fighting, assault causing bodily injury and unlawful restraint.
- ROBERT RUBEN SANCHEZ, 47, of 1405 Wood, was arrested Saturday on a charge of public intoxication with three prior convictions.
- ROBERT LOPEZ, 38, of 1018 Ridgeroad, was arrested Saturday on warrants for failure to identify as a fugitive from justice - giving false information, no driver's license - when unlicensed and a warrant from another agency.
- ANTONIA HERNANDEZ, 54, address not provided, was arrested Saturday on charges of no driver's license - when unlicensed and failure to maintain financial responsibility.
- JOE OLIVIO JR., 39, of 1109 S. Runnels, was arrested Saturday on a charge of driving while license suspended/invalid - no insurance.
- PAULA SUE BAKER, 52, of 101 E. 16th St., was arrested Sunday on a charge of criminal mischief.
- MARANDA JEAN JACKSON, 26, of 1802 Mittel, was arrested Sunday on a warrant for failure to maintain financial responsibility.
- OSCAR HERNANDEZ JR., 30, of 1010 N. Runnels, was arrested Sunday on a charge of public intoxication.
- BURGLARY OF A HABITATION was reported in the 200 block of Jefferson Street.
- CRIMINAL MISCHIEF was reported in the 200 block of W. FM 700.
- BURGLARY OF A BUILDING was reported in the 500 block of N. Aylesford.

Sheriff

The Howard County Sheriff's Office reported the following activity:

Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 78 inmates at the time of this report.

- MARY ANN RODRIGUEZ, 40, was arrested

Friday by the HCSO on a motion to revoke probation for theft - more than \$500 and less than \$1,500, failure to appear - forgery of a financial instrument and failure to appear - credit or debit card abuse.

• ELISEO SOLIS GARCIA, 46, was arrested Friday by the HCSO on Travis County warrants for theft (five counts), failure to identify - giving false information and an immigration detainer - do not bond.

• OTIS J. PORTER, 28, was arrested Friday by the HCSO on a judgment/sentence for driving while license invalid with a previous conviction or suspension and a judgment/sentence for criminal mischief.

• DENA GAYE COKER, 54, was arrested Friday by the HCSO on a judgment/sentence for driving while intoxicated.

• CAROL ANN SCAGGS, 64, was transferred to the county jail Friday by the BSPD on a municipal warrant for possession of drug paraphernalia.

• SAMMY FERRELL, 49, was transferred to the county jail Friday by the BSPD on a charge of public intoxication with three prior convictions.

• JESUS ANDRES PADILLA-CRUZ, 25, was arrested Saturday by DPS on a charge of driving while license invalid with a previous conviction or suspension.

• JARRON DAWAN VANDERBILT, 27, was transferred to the county jail Saturday by the BSPD on a charge of driving while license invalid and municipal warrants for displaying expired registration, failure to appear (three counts), failure to maintain financial responsibility and no driver's license.

• ROBERT HERNANDEZ BRITO, 28, was transferred to the county jail Saturday by the BSPD on charges of assault causing bodily injury, unlawful restraint, public intoxication and disorderly conduct - fighting.

• ROBERT RUBEN SANCHEZ, 47, was transferred to the county jail Saturday by the BSPD on a charge of public intoxication with three prior convictions.

• DEKIRTON DELANE GOLIGHTLY, 30, was transferred to the county jail Saturday by the BSPD on charges of disorderly conduct - fighting and public intoxication.

• ROBERT CHARLES JOHNSON, 48, was arrested Saturday by the HCSO on charges of public intoxication and possession of drug paraphernalia.

• ANTONIA HERNANDEZ, 54, was transferred to the county jail Saturday by the BSPD on charges of no driver's license, failure to maintain financial responsibility and immigration hold.

• ROBERT LOPEZ, 38, was transferred to the county jail Saturday by the BSPD on a charge of failure to identify as a fugitive from justice - giving false information, a municipal warrant for no driver's license and an Arkansas warrant for child neglect.

• JERRY LIN WHITE, 42, was arrested Saturday by the HCSO on charges of allowing a child to ride unsecured, speeding and violation of a promise to appear.

• DAVID MICHAEL HILL, 24, was arrested Saturday by DPS on charges of driving while license invalid, displaying an expired license plate and failure to maintain financial responsibility.

• JOE OLIVIO JR., 39, was transferred to the county jail Saturday by the BSPD on a charge of driving while license invalid with a previous conviction or suspension.

• BRANDON CHARLES LENDERMON, 25, was arrested Saturday by DPS on a charge of driving while intoxicated - third or more offense.

• MICHAEL MITCHELL GRANT, 39, was arrested Sunday by DPS on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

• RAY ALVARADO, 34, was arrested Sunday by the HCSO on municipal warrants for driving while license invalid, expired driver's license and violation of a promise to appear.

• PAULA SUE BAKER, 52, was transferred to the county jail Sunday by the BSPD on a charge of criminal mischief.

• MARANDA JEAN ALLEN, 26, was transferred to the county jail Sunday by the BSPD on municipal warrants for failure to maintain financial responsibility and violation of a promise to appear.

Today's Weather

Local 5-Day Forecast

Tue 9/13	Wed 9/14	Thu 9/15	Fri 9/16	Sat 9/17
102/72	97/70	89/68	89/69	93/70
Some clouds in the morning will give way to mainly sunny skies for the afternoon.	More sun than clouds. Highs in the upper 90s and lows in the low 70s.	Partly cloudy. Highs in the upper 80s and lows in the upper 60s.	A few thunderstorms possible.	Partly cloudy, chance of a thunderstorm.
Sunrise: 7:28 AM Sunset: 7:55 PM	Sunrise: 7:29 AM Sunset: 7:54 PM	Sunrise: 7:30 AM Sunset: 7:52 PM	Sunrise: 7:30 AM Sunset: 7:51 PM	Sunrise: 7:31 AM Sunset: 7:50 PM



• OSCAR HERNANDEZ JR., 30, was transferred to the county jail Monday by the BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

Fire/EMS

The Big Spring Fire Department and Emergency Medical Services reported the following activity:

- TRAUMA was reported in the 2000 block of S. Gregg Street. Service refused.
- TRAUMA was reported in the 1700 block of Lancaster. Service refused.
- MEDICAL was reported in the 500 block of Highland. One person was transported to SMMC.
- MEDICAL was reported in the 300 block of N.E. 10th Street. One person was transported to SMMC.
- TRAUMA was reported in the 4900 block of Blaygrane Road. One person was transported to SMMC.
- MEDICAL was reported in the 6600 block of the S. Service Road. Service refused.
- MEDICAL was reported in the 900 block of Caprock. One person was transported to SMMC.
- MEDICAL was reported in the 1500 block of Wood. One person was transported to SMMC.
- MEDICAL was reported in the 2900 block of Cherokee. One person was transported to SMMC.
- MEDICAL was reported in the 1800 block of N. Highway 87. One person was transported to SMMC.
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- MEDICAL was reported in the 500 block of Oak Glenn. One person was transported to SMMC.
- TRAUMA was reported in the 1700 block of S. Lancaster. One person was transported to SMMC.
- MEDICAL was reported in the 3200 block of Parkway. One person was transported to SMMC.
- MEDICAL was reported in the 1500 block of Hilltop Road. One person was transported to SMMC.
- TRAUMA was reported in the 1800 block of N. Highway 87. One person was transported to SMMC.
- MEDICAL was reported in the 2000 block of N. Birdwell Lane. One person was transported to SMMC.
- TRAFFIC ACCIDENT was reported in the area of S. Highway 87. Service refused.
- GRASS FIRE was reported near the intersection of Third Street and Dundee.

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Lady Steers still rolling, win two in tournament

By **ROBERT GRIFFIN**

Sports Editor

The Lady Steers continued on their winning path Saturday, defeating Monterey and Monahans in Steer Gym. Steer setter Cerbi Ritchey put up an insurmountable 33 kills in the two games to lead Big Spring.

Ritchey had 15 of her kills against Monterey, as Big Spring defeated the visitors with relative ease in three matches with scores of 25-22, 25-14 and 25-15. Ritchey also recorded 13 assists, three aces and 12 digs in the game.

Morgan Seaton added 16 assists, six kills, 10 digs and an ace for Big Spring.

Taylor Seaton and Diamond Mayes combined for 14 kills, four blocks, seven digs and two aces as well.

On defense, Carson Reibe and Clara Benavides added 32 digs between them, along with two assists, three aces

and a kill.

The Lady Steers found a tougher game against Monahans, as the game required four matches to complete. The 25-19, 26-24, 27-25 and 25-14 scores allowed for higher than normal stats from the Lady Steers.

Ritchey and Morgan Seaton dominated the net with 42 assists between them, along with 25 digs, 25 kills, seven blocks and four aces.

Taylor Seaton added 12 kills, eight blocks and five digs. Diamond Mayes had five kills, a dig and five blocks.

Defensively, Reibe grabbed 22 digs, two aces and a kill, while Benavides had 10 digs, two aces, two kills and a block. Rounding out the stat sheet for the Lady Steers was Julianna Rodriguez with seven digs, four assists, three kills, three blocks and an ace.



HERALD photo/Tony Claxton
Morgan Seaton receives the ball in the Lady Steers' winning effort against Monahans Saturday.

Dallas Cowboys can't cool Jets in loss

EAST RUTHERFORD (AP) — Rex Ryan wanted this one badly for the New York area — and his Jets delivered.

But it was far from easy.

Nick Folk kicked a 50-yard field goal with 27 seconds left, giving the Jets a 27-24 comeback victory over the Dallas Cowboys in the final game of the NFL's first full Sunday

with the commemoration of the 10-year anniversary of the 9/11 terrorist attacks as an emotional backdrop.

With the game tied at 24, the Cowboys had a chance for a winning drive with 59 seconds left, but Tony Romo was intercepted on the first play by Darrelle Revis, who returned it 20 yards to Dal-

las' 34. Four plays later, Folk kicked the go-ahead field goal against his former team.

The Jets tied it with 5 minutes left when Isaiah Trufant, promoted from the practice squad Saturday, ran in a blocked punt from 18 yards for a touchdown. Joe McKnight charged up the middle unblocked and got his hands

on Mat McBriar's kick, which bounced right into Trufant's hands.

It appeared the Cowboys were going to take a two-touchdown lead midway through the fourth quarter when Jason Witten's 64-yard catch put the ball at the Jets 3. Three plays later, Tony Romo scrambled, then tried to run

it in up the middle, but was sacked by Mike DeVito. The quarterback lost the ball — and it was recovered by nose tackle Sione Pouha.

The Jets turned the ball over a few minutes later when a blitzing Danny McCray sacked Mark Sanchez,

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HERALD photo/Amanda Moreno
Youth flag football got under way in Big Spring Saturday.

Houston Texans rout Manning-less Colts

HOUSTON (AP) — Hey, Peyton Manning. If there was ever a doubt about what you mean to Indianapolis, there isn't anymore.

Final score in Sunday's season opener: Texans 34, Colts 7.

What already looks like a long, long sea-

son ahead for the Colts might be the chance, at last, for the Texans to make a leap forward in the AFC South.

Matt Schaub threw for 220 yards and a touchdown, Ben Tate rushed for 116 yards and another score in relief of injured Arian

Foster, and Houston dominated Kerry Collins, Manning's replacement.

The Texans (1-0) weren't ready to say the win signals a change in the division. Houston beat the Colts with

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Rangers edging closer

ARLINGTON (AP) — C.J. Wilson understood why Texas manager Ron Washington wouldn't give him a shot at his second consecutive shutout.

Wilson scattered five singles over eight shut-out innings, Adrian Beltre homered twice to reach 301 for his career and the AL West-leading Rangers beat Oakland 8-1 on Sunday to eliminate the Athletics from playoff contention.

Wilson (16-6) struck out 11 and walked one, following up on his first career shutout — an 8-0 win at Tampa Bay last Tuesday.

Wilson set a career high for victories and wanted a complete game, but Washington pulled his ace after 111 pitches.

Washington is trying to avoid extra stress on Wilson's left arm down the stretch, and Wilson agreed with his manager to take a long-term approach and stay in the dugout with an 8-0 lead.

"He understands," Washington said. "He's the guy in our rotation who's going every fifth day."

Wilson threw an assortment of pitches to a lineup that included late-season call-ups and reserves.

"I threw six different pitches," Wilson said. "All of them were good. A high fastball, a sinker, a sidearm fastball that I used the last couple of innings, my curve and slider were good and my changeup. You can't just go out there and throw heaters; they'll figure that out."

Beltre was the offensive star with four hits while Craig Gentry and Ian Kinsler added three apiece for the Rangers, who have taken 10 of their last 11 from the A's this season.

Beltre has seven homers in his last eight games against Oakland and 15 RBIs against the A's this season.

Commenting on reaching 300 career homers, Beltre said, "It means I've been playing for a long time. I'm proud of that. It's something not many guys can do."

Eric Sogard homered against Koji Uehara leading off the ninth to end the shutout bid.

The Rangers extended their division lead over second-place Los Angeles to 2½ games when the Angels were beaten by the New York Yankees 6-5.

Josh Outman (3-5) got a spot start for Oakland, replacing Rich Harden,

whose turn in the rotation was pushed back to give him extra rest. Outman allowed four runs and eight hits over 4 2-3 innings.

Outman, whose previous three appearances came in relief, was making his ninth start of the season, first since July 2.

The Rangers broke up a scoreless game in the fifth when Gentry led off with his first career triple and Kinsler drove him in with a single.

Kinsler advanced to second on his 23rd straight stolen base, tying his club record, moved to third on a groundout and scored on Josh Hamilton's sacrifice fly.

Michael Young reached on an infield single and Beltre followed with a two-run homer to left field. Beltre also doubled in the second to extend his hitting streak to 16 games.

"It's always a good-hitting lineup, especially in this park, no matter what nine they throw out there," Outman said. "I battled through the first four innings, then in the fifth I was a little leg-weary. I felt like every mistake I made, they capitalized on."

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Tomorrow's Horoscope

The full moon in soulful Pisces is a healer. The phrase for Pisces is "I believe" — words that are infused with magic.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). You believe there is a well of compassion and goodness in people even when they don't seem to be drinking from it.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). It might be difficult to respond quickly or honestly in a situation if you're slightly too concerned about how the other person will take your response.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). You are learning to recognize what leads to your participation in a bad habit — for instance, overeating or staying up too late.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). In a way, you'll feel

"shut down" by someone else's authority. Perhaps you want something from this person that you could actually give to yourself, if you would only grant yourself permission to do so.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). You treat people with respect and consideration even when they don't act as though they deserve such treatment.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Once you find a way to be fine with what's going on right now, you'll have a sense of freedom from external circumstances.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). You have been thinking or doing something to cause yourself to feel unsure, under-confident or unsafe, but this is your lucky day.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Not only are you intelligent and creative, but you also happen to be mighty funky, in the best sense of the word.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). As you investigate your options, you may decide that one you chose long ago is never going to be as beneficial as what you could be investing your time and energy

in now.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Your life is a bit like baseball now. You don't have to hit a home run every time in order to be a winner.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You usually go above and beyond the call of duty. Then there are days when duty doesn't exactly "call."

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). All the creative and interesting ideas zinging around in your head make it challenging for you to carry on idle conversation.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Sept. 12). You'll have the overall feeling that things are going in your favor, and you'll be right. New friends will respond to your charms over the next four weeks.

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"Classic Ann Landers"®: A message from "Common Sense About Kids and Guns"

Editor's Note: Hundreds of Ann Landers' loyal readers have requested that newspapers continue to publish her columns.

Dear Ann Landers: I would like to ask your help in getting across an important message. Due to recent tragedies, the issue of children and guns is again in the news.

In the past, concern for children has been lost in a debate between entrenched positions. Whatever our personal views may be, it is time to move forward and do something to protect children from gun violence.

For this reason, I have co-founded an organization called Common Sense About Kids and Guns. Common Sense is unique in that it brings together gun owners

and non-gun owners, united in their desire to protect children. The organization includes both gun manufacturers and gun-control advocates.

Our message is common sense. To ensure the safety of children, all gun owners should:

unload and lock up their guns, lock and store ammunition separately, and hide keys where kids are unable to find them.

Furthermore, all parents MUST: ask the parents of their children's playmates whether they have guns in the house, and if so, ask that they be safely stored; talk to their kids about guns; and teach kids not to touch guns.

These simple yet crucial steps can drastically reduce the number of children harmed by guns. We have seen too many children injured by gun violence, and it is our duty to end this now.

Dear Victoria Reggie Kennedy: I have correspondence in my files that goes back 30 years from your husband, Sen. Ted Kennedy, on this very subject.

wMarian Wright Edelman, in her excellent book "Lanterns"

(Beacon Press), wrote, "We must act now to take guns out of the hands of children and those who kill children."

Whether you are a hunter, NRA member, gun owner or not, you will agree that we all must do everything we can to prevent children from killing and being killed by guns.

An overwhelming majority of Americans favor gun-control measures, including 80 percent of gun owners. I hope our voters will insist that our leaders protect our children instead of guns."

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HOLIDAY MATHS



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By Steve Becker

Famous Hand — Part 1

South dealer. North-South vulnerable. NORTH ♠ 5 3 2 ♥ 6 ♦ A K 10 9 4 ♣ Q 9 5 3

Probably Roudinesco hoped to find his partner with the K-J-10 or K-x, or at the very least the J-10-x-x East actually held, but whatever his thoughts, he obviously felt the low spade lead was the best play he could make.

Declarer took East's ten with the king and played three rounds of trumps, planning next to lead a diamond and let West win a trick with the queen whenever he chose to play it.

But Roudinesco, suspecting that declarer might be plotting this very play, made a second brilliant move when, on the third round of trumps, he discarded the queen of diamonds!

He recognized that the queen of diamonds was of no possible use to him — regardless of whether East or South held the jack — and that it was potentially a millstone around his neck.

At this point, the kibitzer was called to the phone and left the table, certain that Roudinesco's magnificently planned defense would prove successful. But when the kibitzer returned shortly thereafter, he learned to his surprise that South had made the contract!

Tomorrow: Famous Hand — Part 2.

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The bidding: South West North East 4♥ 2♣ 2♦ Pass

Sudoku puzzle grid and instructions. Fill in the grid so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1 through 9 with no repeats.

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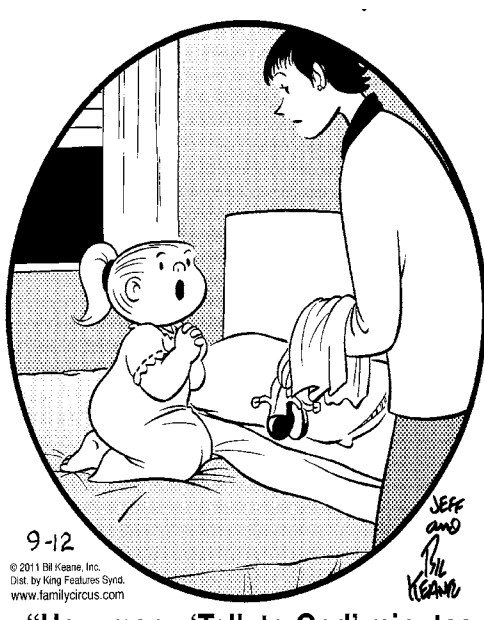
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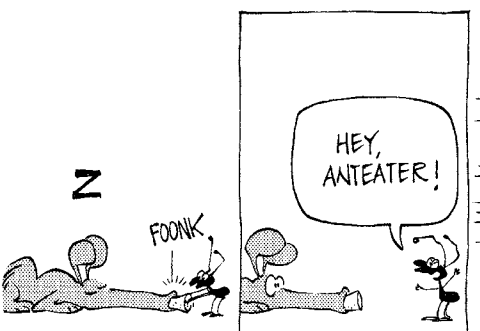
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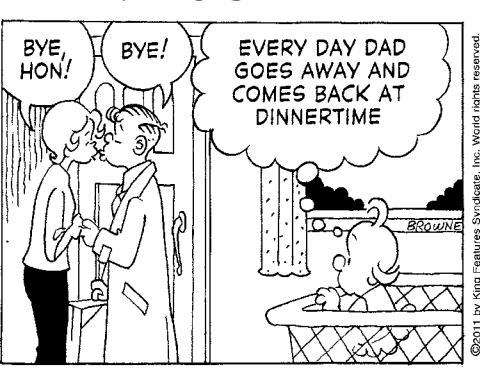
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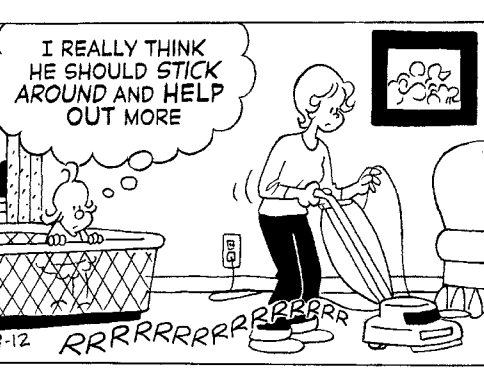
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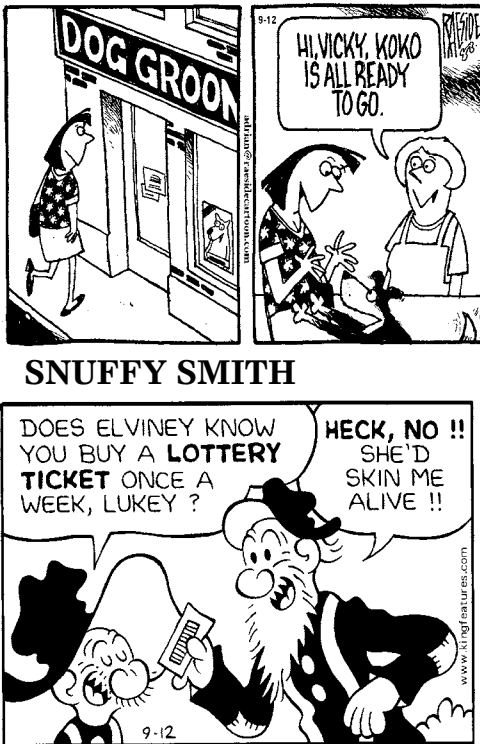
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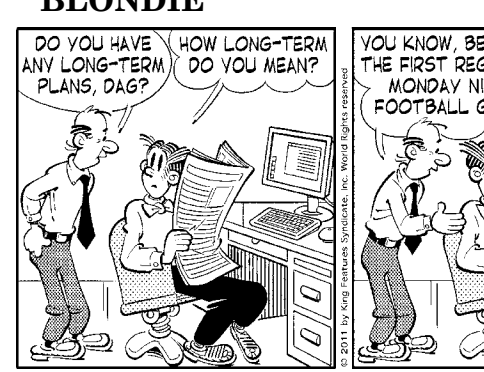
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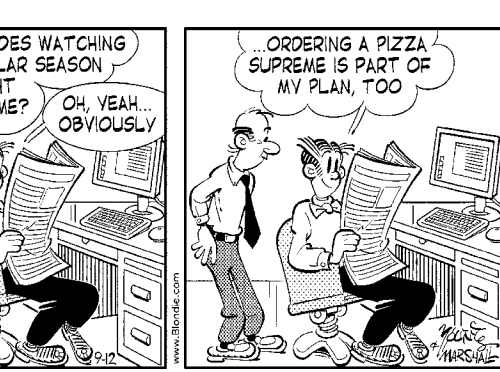
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This Date In History

Today is Monday, Sept. 12, the 255th day of 2011. There are 110 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Sept. 12, 1961, the privately funded Woman in Space Program effectively came to an end as 13 female pilots who had applied to become NASA astronauts were informed by the space agency that their space-flight simulation tests in Pensacola, Fla., would not be taking place, after all.

On this date:

In 1846, Elizabeth Barrett secretly married Robert Browning at St. Marylebone Church in London.

In 1910, Gustav Mahler's Symphony No. 8, popularly known as the "Symphony of a Thousand," had its premiere in Munich, Germany, with Mahler conducting.

In 1938, Adolf Hitler demanded the right of self-determination for the Sudeten (soo-DAYT'-un) Germans in

Czechoslovakia.

In 1943, German paratroopers took Benito Mussolini from the hotel where he was being held by the Italian government.

In 1953, Massachusetts Sen. John F. Kennedy married Jacqueline Lee Bouvier (boo-vee-AY) in Newport, R.I.

In 1960, Democratic presidential candidate John F. Kennedy addressed questions about his Roman Catholic faith, telling a Southern Baptist group, "I do not speak for my church on public matters, and the church does not speak for me."

In 1974, Emperor Haile Selassie (HY'-lee sehl-AH'-see) was deposed by Ethiopia's military after ruling for 58 years.

In 1977, South African black student leader Steve Biko (BEE'-koh) died while in police custody, triggering an international outcry.

In 1986, Joseph Cicippio (sih-SIHP'-ee-oh), the acting comptroller at the American University in Beirut, was kidnapped (he was released in December 1991).

In 1992, the space shuttle Endeavour blasted off, carrying with it Mark Lee and Jan

Davis, the first married couple in space; Mae Jemison, the first black woman in space; and Mamoru Mohri, the first Japanese citizen to fly on a U.S. spaceship.

Today's Birthdays: Actor Dickie Moore ("Our Gang") is 86. Actor Freddie Jones is 84. Country singer George Jones is 80. Actor Ian Holm is 80. Actress Linda Gray is 71. Singer Maria Muldaur is 69. Actor Joe Pantoliano is 60. Singer-musician Gerry Beckley (America) is 59. Rock musician Neil Peart (Rush) is 59. Actor Peter Scolaris is 56. Kansas Gov. Sam Brownback is 55. Actress Rachel Ward is 54. Actress Amy Yasbeck is 49. Rock musician Norwood Fisher (Fishbone) is 46.

Newsday Crossword

ACROSS

1 Metered vehicles

5 In good ___ (fit)

10 Small lake

14 Black-and-white cookie

15 Spud

16 Skin-lotion ingredient

17 Package of paper

18 Decorate

19 Sentence in a film script

20 Receiving clerk's gadget

22 Enjoy greatly

23 Songs for two

24 Not on time

25 Read a bar code

27 Omelet ingredients

30 Like overworked muscles

31 Lounging chair

34 Caviar source

35 Misfortune

36 Stumbled while walking

37 Have a meal

38 Make a mistake

39 Summer blouse

40 Salespeople, for short

41 Snake

43 Not any

44 Olden days

45 Sauce made with basil

48 Aristocratic

50 Teen's beard

54 "All right already!"

55 Latin-American dance

56 Maple or mahogany

57 Author Bombeck

58 ___ tube (tire part)

59 Change for a \$5 bill

60 Science classrooms

61 Back of a boat

62 Attention-getting sound

DOWN

1 Strong rope

2 Vicinity

3 Defeat in a match

4 Eventually

5 Oregon or Oklahoma

6 Attacked

7 Molecule parts

8 Criminal, to a cop

9 Suffix for north or south

10 Roof of the mouth

11 Army Jeep color

12 Something prohibited

13 Stag or doe

21 Solar-system center

22 Made lumber

24 Sci-fi weapon

25 Cross home plate

26 Type of firecracker

27 Ready to harvest

28 Freak out

29 Full collections

30 Amazes

31 Construction-site machine

32 Sword handle

33 Suitable

36 In that place

40 Santa's landing spot

42 Oktoberfest dances

43 Ultimate degree

45 Tube-shaped pasta

46 Raring to go

47 Treat with contempt

48 Christmas song

49 Gumbo veggie

50 Huff and puff

51 Large vases

52 Letters symbolizing sleep

53 Gusto

55 "My country, ___ of thee"

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GIL	TORONTO	NBC
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TUNING	PEG	EAGER
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COWBOYS

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hitting him from behind and knocking the ball loose. But the Cowboys couldn't take advantage when they had two penalties and were forced to punt — the play that swung the momentum in the Jets' favor.

Early in the week, Ryan said he felt a responsibility to the New York area to win on opening night, especially with the team honoring the victims of the attacks and their families before the game and at halftime. He also wanted to get the better of his twin brother, Rob, with their father Buddy in the crowd.

Sanchez was 26 of 44 for 335 yards and touchdown tosses to Dustin Keller and Plaxico Burress, who played in a regular-season game for the first time in nearly three years. He last played in 2008 for the Giants before he spent 20 months in prison on a gun charge.

The Jets also played a clean game with no penalties, compared to seven for the Cowboys, and spoiled Jason Garrett's debut as Dallas' full-time coach after he went 5-3 in an interim role last season.

A few plays after putting a bone-crunching hit on Cowboys defensive back Michael Jenkins while blocking on a 28-yard catch by Santonio Holmes, Burress had a 26-yard catch as he spun into the end zone to make it 24-17 with 11:56 left. The play was reviewed

by officials and upheld.

Burress put both arms out with the ball in one hand, yelled to the crowd in celebration and then gave the ball to his 4-year-old son Elijah in the stands.

Romo was 23 of 36 for 342 yards and two touchdowns, picking on Antonio Cromartie on both to help give Dallas a 24-10 lead early in the fourth quarter.

Romo threw for a 3-yard touchdown to Dez Bryant on the Cowboys' opening drive of the game. Miles Austin also outwrestled Cromartie for a 36-yard TD in the third period, and it appeared Romo's return after missing the final 10 games of last season with a broken left collarbone was going well — until it all fell apart in the fourth quarter.

Witten finished with six catches for 110 yards, Austin had five for 90, and Bryant caught three passes for 71 yards.

New York responded after Austin's score with a 33-yard pass to Jeff Cumberland that sparked a 64-yard drive. Folk capped it with a 34-yard field goal that made it 17-10.

Burress got his first reception with 44 seconds to go in the third quarter, an 18-yarder, but Sanchez's next pass was intercepted by Sean Lee, and the Jets missed several tackles as Lee scurried down the right sideline for 37 yards to the New York 1 as the period ended.

But after an incompleteness to Witten, Felix Jones went off left end to make it 24-10 early in the fourth quarter.

The game was played before a full MetLife Stadium, with most fans in their seats before the game for an emotionally charged pregame show featuring an a capella version of the "Star Spangled Banner" by Lady Antebellum that had a crowd of nearly 80,000 silently listening, many of the fans saluting, some crying.

Players from both sides held an American flag that blanketed the field while the anthem was sung.

At halftime, the stadium lights were turned off, with dozens gathering at midfield and forming two huge human squares — in honor of the Twin Towers. The squares were made visible by those involved holding up lights, along with three spotlights in the middle of each formation.

Five For Fighting's John Ondrasik then sat at a piano on the field and performed his song, "Superman", which became an anthem for many after the attacks.

TEXANS

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Manning in last year's home opener, but finished 6-10.

"We were in the same situation last year," star receiver Andre Johnson said. "And then, things just went bad for us."

Then again, with Manning out indefinitely, Houston has never had a better chance to earn the franchise's first postseason berth.

"Every year, you get your group together and it's your chance to do something special," Texans coach Gary Kubiak said. "So it was this group's first opportunity together and they made it happen."

No Manning on the field certainly helped.

Last year, the Colts rallied from the opening loss to finish 10-6 and win the division for the seventh time in eight seasons. In the fourth quarter on Sunday, Indy receiver Reggie Wayne gathered his teammates and reminded them of the turnaround.

"I just told them: 'We're going to be all right. It's a long season and there's no reason to worry,'" Wayne said. "We were in the same position last year and we still accomplished our goal and that's taking care of our division."

This loss definitely had a different feel, though.

The four-time MVP quarterback didn't travel with the team as he recovers from his third neck surgery in the 19 months. His streak of 227 consecutive starts, including playoffs, ended.

The Colts (0-1) lured the 38-year-old Collins out of retirement less than three weeks ago to take a crash course in the offense. Based on the opener, they may need to find a better solution.

Collins fumbled on consecutive snaps that set up Texans touchdowns in the first quarter, and he was sacked three times. He didn't throw an interception, but the offense mustered only 236 yards and 15 first downs against Houston's 3-4 defense guided by new coordinator Wade Phillips.

"This wasn't the day, obviously, that we'd hoped for, but it's a long season," Collins said. "I don't care what the situation is, we just can't do those things and expect to have a chance to be in the ball game. We've got a lot to do obviously. We'll get back to work."

The Texans sprinted to a 34-0 halftime lead, even with 2010 NFL rushing leader Foster deactivated with a left hamstring injury. Foster ran for 231 yards in the opener against the Colts last year.

Tate, a 2010 second-round draft pick who sat out last season with a broken ankle, carried 24 times and Ward scored a touchdown before leaving with an ankle injury.

Indy, meanwhile, seemed overwhelmed on both sides from the start.

Mario Williams hinted what was coming when he sacked Collins for a 9-yard loss on Indy's fourth snap. Williams, Houston's sacks leader in each of the past five seasons, made his first start at outside linebacker, one of the big changes introduced by Phillips.

Houston's defense showed improvement after ranking as one of the league's worst in 2010.

"It was obviously a good start for us," Phillips said. "We felt like we had to come out strong against that team. They had adversity with their quarterback. We had to play strong early, and I thought we did that."

The Colts' defense was just as vulnerable as the offense, allowing 259 yards and 19 first downs in the first half.

"We couldn't do anything right in all three phases," Colts defensive end Robert Mathis said.

Even after jumping to a 17-0 lead, the Texans couldn't feel comfortable just yet, recalling they'd blown 17-point leads to the Colts in Houston in 2008 and '09.

Manning wasn't here to bail out Indy, though, and Houston poured it on.

Schaub went 5 for 5 on the Texans' next series, finding Johnson open in the back of the end zone for a 24-0 lead. Johnson had seven catches for 95 yards in the game.

"That's the best half of football we have probably played as a team," Kubiak said. "It was explosive in every area."

The Colts used their timeouts at the end of the half to give the offense one more chance to do something, and even that backfired.

Jacoby Jones fielded a punt with just over a minute left and outran the Colts down the sideline for a 79-yard touchdown. It was Jones' third punt return for a TD and his first since 2008.

Tate fumbled with about 10 minutes left in the game, and the Colts averted the shutout when Wayne caught a 6-yard TD pass from Collins.

"We've got to go back to the basics and focus in on the things we did really poorly," Indy coach Jim Caldwell said. "They are all correctable. There is an old saying, 'You're never as bad as you think you are when you lose, and you're never as good as you think you are when you win.' That certainly is true for us today."

Notes: Colts LB Ernie Sims left in the first half with a knee sprain. LB Gary Brackett sprained his shoulder after an interception return in the fourth quarter. ... The Texans recognized the Sept. 11 anniversary by allowing four members of both the New York city police and fire departments to lead the team onto the field before the game.

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Beltre led off the seventh against Andrew Carignan with his 23rd homer for his 22nd career multihomer game.

Later in the seventh, Gentry and Elvis Andrus had RBI singles to make it 7-0.

NOTES: Wilson fell one short of matching his career high for strikeouts. He has six games of 10 or more strikeouts this season, the most for the Rangers since Nolan Ryan's six in 1991.

Beltre is the 13th active player with 300 homers and 2,000 hits.

The A's called up OF Jai Miller from Triple-A Sacramento and had him in the starting lineup. Miller spent the season with Sacramento, batting .276 with 32 homers and 88 RBIs in 110 games. He was acquired by Oakland off waivers in April from Kansas City.

X-rays showed no fracture in Oakland OF Coco Crisp's lower leg injury. He was out of the lineup for the second consecutive day.