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## Water restrictions may get tighter

*Climatologists tell Colorado water district it will likely be a dry summer*

**By THOMAS JENKINS**  
 Staff Writer  
 Officials with the city of Big Spring say water use and conservation during the winter months has gone well; however, with little rain in the forecast this summer, mandatory restrictions will likely

be back in effect soon. The city moved from Stage 3 of its drought contingency plan to Stage 2 in mid-December, which loosened restrictions on outdoor water use and moved the plan from a mandatory enforcement to voluntary community par-

icipation. According to Big Spring Interim City Manager Todd Darden, conservation efforts during the winter have gone well, although the outlook going into the summer months isn't looking very good. "I can't say enough about

our citizens and their efforts to conserve water this winter despite the move from mandatory to voluntary restrictions," Darden said. "They really stepped up to the plate and kept the city's water consumption at a good level. "Unfortunately, going

into the spring and summer months isn't looking very good at this point. The climatologists who have been working with the Colorado River Municipal Water District (CRMWD) say it looks See **WATER**, Page 3



HERALD photo/Steve Reagan

Big Spring native Philip Ferguson, center, and his band, Texas True, perform in concert at Heritage Museum Saturday afternoon. The group performed a variety of country, bluegrass, gospel and original tunes.

## THURSDAY AT HOWARD COLLEGE

### Temple Grandin will be featured in speaker series

**By CINDY SMITH**  
 Special to the Herald  
 Dr. Temple Grandin will be making an appearance in Big Spring as part of the Howard College Foundation Speaker Series, a free event for the public Thursday. Grandin is well known, not only as an individual with autism, but also for her research and extensive work on the design of handling facilities for the cattle industry. Thanks in large part to a persistent mother, mentoring by her high school science teacher and encouragement from her aunt on a ranch in Arizona, Grandin was motivated to study and pursue a career as a scientist and livestock



Dr. Grandin

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## Zoning changes, golf carts to take center stage for city council here

**By THOMAS JENKINS**  
 Staff Writer  
 Proposed zoning changes and public hearings pertaining to the changes top the

agenda for the Tuesday meeting of the Big Spring City Council. The council is to hold public hearings concerning:

- Consideration of a zone

change from Single Family-1 (SF-1) to Light Commercial (LC) for the property located at 1901 W. 16th St., described as Section 1, Block 33, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Survey.

- Consideration of a zone change from Single Family-2 (SF-2) to Neighborhood Service (NS) for the property

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## Gasoline prices fall 1.8 cents per gallon in Texas

**Special to the Herald**

Average retail gasoline prices in Texas have fallen 1.8 cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$3.53/g Sunday, according to GasBuddy's daily survey of 13,114 gas outlets in Texas. This compares with the national average that has fallen 2.5 cents per gallon in the last week to \$3.64/g, according to gasoline price website GasBuddy.com.

Including the change in gas prices in Texas, prices Sunday were 24.2 cents per gallon lower than the same day one year ago and are 9.3 cents per gallon lower than a month ago. The national average has decreased 9.5 cents per gallon during the last month and stands 21.9 cents per gallon lower than this day one year ago. "Average gasoline prices have continued to quietly move lower in the last

week across much of the United States at a time of year when we historically are accustomed to seeing prices move higher," said GasBuddy.com Senior Petroleum Analyst Patrick DeHaan. "As of late last week, all 50 states saw lower gasoline prices than the same date last year, and the savings at the pump for motorists- while not staggering- amounts to millions of dollars a day," DeHaan said.

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## Obituaries

### Bruce Fink

Bruce Fink, 59, of Midland passed away Friday, March 22, 2013, in a local hospital. Memorial services will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, March 27, 2013, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Chapel in Midland.

Survivors include his wife, Jennifer Fink; mother, Shirley Gingras; sister, Luann Goin and husband Randy; sister, Gail Jetter and husband Tim; brother-in-law, Patrick Becker; sister-in-law Debra Wagenman; brother-in-law, Andrew Becker and Lori; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home of Midland. Online condolences can be made at: [www.npwelch.com](http://www.npwelch.com)

## Police blotter

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

- KERRY JOE HANCE, 21, of Overton, Texas, was arrested Saturday on a charge of public intoxication.
- JARROD DANIEL DALTON, 34, of Creede, Colo., was arrested Saturday on charges of public intoxication and failure to identify.
- PATRICK AARON RAMIREZ, 21, of 1601 Stadium, was arrested Saturday on charges of evading arrest or detention (two counts), driving while license invalid, failure to appear (four counts), no driver's license – when unlicensed, assault – family violence and theft – more than \$50.
- ELADIO LOPEZ ZUBIATE, 36, of 509 N. Goliad, was arrested Saturday on a warrant from another agency.
- LATICIA LANETTE RAINER, 42, of 103 Rainer Rd., was arrested Saturday on warrants for theft – more than \$1,500 and more than \$20,000 and purchasing/furnishing alcohol for a minor.
- DANNY DWAYNE ANDERSON, 49, of 5907 E. Interstate Highway 20, was arrested Saturday on a charge of theft – more than \$50 and less than \$500.
- THEFT was reported:  
In the 2600 block of Fairchild.  
In the 2500 block of Old Highway 80.  
In the 2600 block of Fairchild.  
In the 500 block of N. First Street in Coahoma.
- ASSAULT was reported:  
In the 3600 block of W. Highway 80.  
In the 2300 block of S. Gregg Street.
- HIT AND RUN was reported near the intersection of FM 700 and Goliad.
- BURGLARY OF A BUILDING was reported in the area of N. County Road 39.

## Sheriff

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

- Note — Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 84 inmates at the time of this report.
- ORLANDO CHAVEZ JR., 19, was booked into the county detention center Friday by the BSPD on a charge of possession of marijuana – two ounces or less.
  - RAMONDA LYNN JONES, 32, was arrested Friday by the HCSO on municipal capias warrants for child not secured by safety belt, failure to display or expired motor vehicle inspection certificate, displaying expired registration certificate, failure to maintain financial responsibility and violation of a promise to appear.
  - CHRISTOPHER LEE BEDFORD, 33, was booked into the county detention center Friday by the BSPD on a charge of theft of property – more than \$50 and less than \$500.
  - CHRISTOPHER TURNER, 20, was booked into the county detention center Saturday by the BSPD on a charge of possession of marijuana in a drug free zone – two ounces or less.
  - KERRY JOE HANCE, 21, was booked into the county detention center Saturday by the BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.
  - JARROD DANIEL DALTON, 34, was booked into the county detention center Saturday by the BSPD on charges of public intoxication and failure to identify.
  - LATICIA LANETTE RAINER, 42, was arrested Friday by the HCSO on charges of purchasing/furnishing alcohol to a minor and theft of property – more than \$1,500 and less than \$20,000.
  - DANNY DWAYNE ANDERSON, 49, was arrested Saturday by the HCSO on a charge of theft – more than \$50 and less than \$500.
  - PATRICK AARON RAMIREZ JR., 21, was booked into the county detention center Saturday by the BSPD on charges of evading arrest or detention (two counts) and municipal capias warrants for driving while license invalid, failure to appear (four counts), no driver's license, public intoxication, assault family violence and theft.
  - DARREN EASTERLING, 57, was booked into the county detention center Saturday by the Sterling County Sheriff's Office on a Sterling County warrant for driving while intoxicated – open container.
  - ELADIO ZUBIATE, 36, was booked into the county detention center Saturday by the BSPD on an Austin parole warrant.
  - PHILLIP DESHON MILLER, 21, was arrested Sunday by the HCSO on a charge of purchasing/furnishing alcohol to a minor.
  - CHRISTINA TAYLOR BRORMAN, 17, was arrested Sunday by the HCSO on a charge of con-

sumption of alcohol by a minor.

- TRISTAN RAMIREZ, 18, was arrested Sunday by the HCSO on a charge of consumption of alcohol by a minor.
- DARIUS LACHARLES MCCALISTER, 23, was booked into the county detention center Monday by the BSPD on a charge of possession of marijuana – two ounces or less.
- HARRISON JOHNSON, 35, was booked into the county detention center Monday by the Glasscock County Sheriff's Office on a Travis County warrant for bondsman off bond – assault causing bodily injury (family violence).
- KAMARA MARIESHAW WILLIAMS, 18, was booked into the county detention center Monday by the BSPD on charges of consumption of alcohol by a minor and possession of marijuana – two ounces or less.
- BARRY HOLLOWAY, 33, was booked into the county detention center Monday by the BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.
- JESSICA FAYE BROOKS, 25, was arrested Monday by the HCSO on municipal warrants for bondsman off bond – manufacture/delivery of a controlled substance (two counts), bondsman off bond – delivery of a dangerous drug and delivery of marijuana (two counts).

## Fire/EMS

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

- TRAFFIC ACCIDENT was reported near the intersection of Highway 350 and Hilltop Road. One person was transported to SMMC.
- MEDICAL was reported in the 2500 block of March Circle. One person was transported to SMMC.
- MEDICAL was reported near the intersection of Highway 87 and FM 700. One person was transported to SMMC.
- MEDICAL was reported in the 1800 block of N. Highway 87. One person was transported to SMMC.
- MEDICAL was reported in the 300 block of Veterans Blvd. One person was transported to SMMC.
- MEDICAL was reported in the 2700 block of Apache. Service refused.
- TRAUMA was reported in the 100 block of E. 16<sup>th</sup> Street. One person was transported to SMMC.
- GRASS FIRE was reported near the intersection of Highway 350 and County Road 35.

## Take Note

- The Prom Closet, located at Christy's Salon, 100 E. Third, is making recycled prom dresses available to young ladies who might otherwise not be able to afford one. The closet is open from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday through Friday or you may call contact Christian Fair at 432-816-3537 to make an appointment or for more information.

• March 30, 1973, all U.S. troops withdrew from Vietnam under the terms of the Treaty of Paris. March 8, 2011, the United States Senate declared March 30 as "Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans Day." The West Texas VA Health Care System is proud to host the 2013 Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans program. The program will be held at 6 p.m. March 28 at the Big Spring Country Club, 2401 Driver Road. For more information or to RSVP, contact the Office of Community Relations at the West Texas VA Health Care System, 432-264-4824.

• The Howard County A&M Club is accepting scholarship applications from high school students who are graduating this May and have been accepted at Texas A&M University for the Fall 2013 semester. Students must be Howard County residents and will enroll for at least 12 semester hours. Application deadline is April 1. More information and the application may be found on the club's web site: [www.westexags.com](http://www.westexags.com)




• Big Spring residents, past and present, are invited to a reunion picnic on the third weekend in April. On April 19, early arrivals will meet at 11:30 a.m. at the Comanche Trail Park Old Settler's Pavilion for a brown bag lunch and visiting. Around 6 p.m., participants will meet at the Wagon Wheel for burgers and more visitation. Saturday, the 20th, the reunion will move to the Eagles Lodge from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.. Entry fee to the Eagles Lodge event will be a single (more if you wish) non-perishable canned good. Proceeds to be donated to a local food bank and/or folks needing assistance. A silent auction will be going on at the lodge with donated items, proceeds to fund the group's events and assistance fund. There will be some snacks available at the lodge. However, those attending are responsible for their own meals. Bring it or come and go. It is after all a picnic.

• Howard County Master Gardeners Club business meetings take place at 6 p.m. the third Tuesday of every month at 1604 W. Fourth St., between Brown and Jones streets. The meetings are open to the public. For more information, contact the county extension office at 432-264-2236.

• Big Spring State Hospital patients are in need of warm clothing. Clean items should be taken to the Community Relations Office near the south entrance of the hospital, 1901 N. U.S. Highway 87. Clothing that cannot be used by the patients will be taken to the hospital's Chalet Resale Shop for sale to raise money for patient needs. Men's clothing and larger-sized clothing are always in need. For more information, call Melissa Adams, BSSH program coordinator, at 432 268-7730.

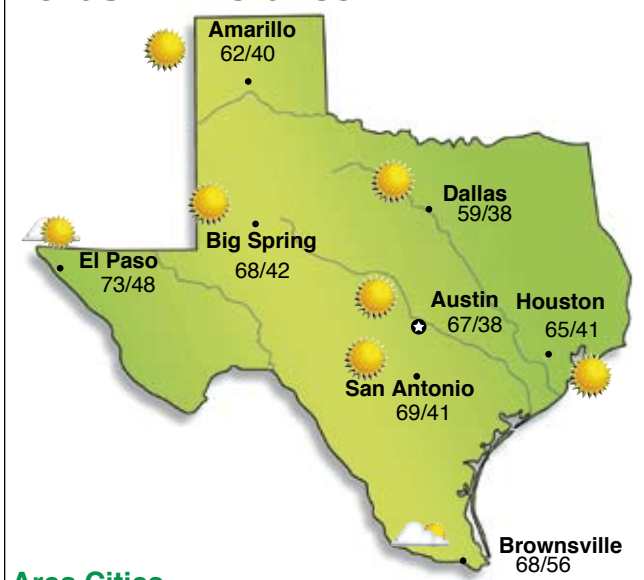
## Today's Weather

### Local 3-Day Forecast

Tue 3/26	Wed 3/27	Thu 3/28
 <b>68/42</b> Mainly sunny. High 68F. Winds SSE at 15 to 25 mph.	 <b>77/51</b> Windy with a mix of sun and clouds. Highs in the upper 70s and lows in the low 50s.	 <b>83/55</b> Times of sun and clouds. Highs in the low 80s and lows in the mid 50s.
Sunrise: 7:42 AM Sunset: 8:02 PM	Sunrise: 7:40 AM Sunset: 8:03 PM	Sunrise: 7:39 AM Sunset: 8:03 PM



### Texas At A Glance



### Area Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Abilene	63	42	sunny	Kingsville	73	52	pt sunny
Amarillo	62	40	sunny	Livingston	63	33	sunny
Austin	67	38	sunny	Longview	58	35	sunny
Beaumont	62	37	sunny	Lubbock	63	38	sunny
Brownsville	68	56	cloudy	Lufkin	63	36	sunny
Brownwood	65	40	sunny	Midland	67	45	sunny
Corpus Christi	69	54	pt sunny	Raymondville	71	55	cloudy
Corsicana	58	36	sunny	Rosenberg	65	39	sunny
Dallas	59	38	sunny	San Antonio	69	41	sunny
Del Rio	70	50	sunny	San Marcos	68	38	sunny
El Paso	73	48	mst sunny	Sulphur Springs	55	35	sunny
Fort Stockton	67	42	windy	Sweetwater	65	41	sunny
Gainesville	55	34	sunny	Tyler	58	37	sunny
Greenville	55	33	sunny	Weatherford	58	36	sunny
Houston	65	41	sunny	Wichita Falls	58	37	sunny

### National Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Atlanta	49	29	cloudy	Minneapolis	37	20	pt sunny
Boston	47	32	pt sunny	New York	49	34	pt sunny
Chicago	41	26	cloudy	Phoenix	84	58	pt sunny
Dallas	59	38	sunny	San Francisco	61	50	mst sunny
Denver	48	33	pt sunny	Seattle	61	45	cloudy
Houston	65	41	sunny	St. Louis	39	24	pt sunny
Los Angeles	68	52	pt sunny	Washington, DC	49	33	pt sunny
Miami	73	46	mst sunny				

### Moon Phases



### UV Index

Tue 3/26	Wed 3/27	Thu 3/28
8	8	9
Very High	Very High	Very High

The UV Index is measured on a 0 - 11 number scale, 0 with a higher UV Index showing the need for greater skin protection.

• The Big Spring State Hospital Volunteer Services Council needs assistance in The Chalet Resale Shoppe, 115 East Second St. The Chalet Resale Shoppe is a fast-paced retail shop specializing in gently worn clothing and small household appliance. Volunteers are needed to sort, price, check out and stock donated items. Volunteer hours are flexible. The Chalet is open 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Monday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday. For more information, contact Jamey Stegall at [james.stegall@dshs.state.tx.us](mailto:james.stegall@dshs.state.tx.us) or 432 268-7535.

• An account has been established at Wells Fargo on behalf of the Linda Rena Torres family, whose vehicle was destroyed in a fire. A purse lost in the fire contained the family's income tax returns and child support. The vehicle, which was the family's only means of transportation, was not insured except for liability. To help, contact Wells Fargo at 268-6216 and mention account 2266054432.

• An account has been established at Citizens Credit Union to help pay medical expenses for Jodi Schlipf Baird, who is being treated for Stage 4 cancer. For more information, contact the credit union at 267-6373 or Donna Whetsel at 432-466-9744.

• Do you have a minute? An hour? How about making a difference in someone's life? Become a hospice volunteer. One hour a month can make a difference. Whether it's visiting a patient or working in the office or helping with a craft, you can make a difference. We can work around your schedule. If interested, please call Kara Daniels at Compass Hospice, 432-263-5999, or apply in person at 602 S. Main St.

• Every Friday night from 7:30 p.m. until 10 p.m. is dance night at the Senior Citizen Center. The cost is \$8 per person.

• Mobile Meals is in need of volunteer delivery drivers. If you can donate one hour per week to help deliver meals to the elderly, call Macaria Cantu at 263-4016.

## Odds & Ends

### Woman sets fire to snake, which sets fire to home

TEXARKANA, Texas (AP) — Authorities say a northeast Texas woman recently learned a hard lesson: Don't try to kill a snake by setting it on fire.

The woman was cleaning the yard outside a home near Texarkana Wednesday night when she spotted a snake. Bowie County Sheriff's Capt. David Grable says she poured gasoline on the snake to try to kill it. Her son then dropped a lit match on the snake.

The engulfed snake slithered into some brush nearby the home. Grable says the brush ignited and started a fire that destroyed the home and damaged one next door.

Both homes were vacant, and no one was injured.

Grable says most snakes are harmless if left alone.

### Man finds knife in back 3 years after stabbing

YELLOWKNIFE, NORTHWEST TERRITORIES (AP) — A Canadian man was just scratching what he thought was an old itch this week when it turned out to be a knife blade that had been buried in his

back for almost three years.

Billy McNeely said it all goes back to an April, 2010, birthday party in McNeely's home town of Fort Good Hope, Northwest Territories. McNeely got into a fight over an arm-wrestling contest and was stabbed five times. A doctor stitched him up back then and never took X-Rays.

Ever since, McNeely would set off metal detector and he's had a lump in his back where the knife went in. It never stopped nagging him and grew more painful this week.

Doctors dug out a blade measuring about 2.7 inches (7 centimeters).

### Caretaker charged with drinking old whiskey

GREENSBURG, Pa. (AP) — Fifty-two bottles of well-aged whiskey disappeared between his lips, police said, and now it's time for a western Pennsylvania man to settle up.

John Saunders, the former live-in caretaker of a Pittsburgh-area mansion, faces criminal charges for allegedly drinking more than \$100,000 worth of the owner's whiskey.

Owner Patricia Hill found nine cases of whiskey hidden in the walls and stairwell of the century-old Georgian mansion built by coal and coke industrialist J.P. Brennan after she bought it in 2012. The Old Farm Pure Rye Whiskey was produced in the early 1900s by the nearby West Overton Distilling Co.

"My guess is that Mr. Brennan ordered 10 cas-

es, pre-Prohibition," said Hill, a New Yorker who bought the house to convert it into a bed-and-breakfast. "I was told by his family that family members used to greet him at the door each day with a shot of whiskey."

Scottdale police told The Pittsburgh Tribune-Review that Saunders drank dozens of bottles whiskey valued at \$102,400 by a New York auction house.

Saunders, 62, of Irwin, was charged with receiving stolen property and theft. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for Wednesday.

Hill told police Chief Barry Pritts she stored the whiskey in the original cases, which contained 12 bottles each.

### Unlucky home hit twice by two different drivers

ALOHA, Ore. (AP) — One unlucky Aloha home has been the crash-landing site of two different people suspected of drunken driving.

In the first crash, on Wednesday, Washington County sheriff's deputies came upon the crash scene and arrested the driver on DUII charges, but the home didn't sustain any damage and no one was injured.

Then, on Friday, police found 26-year-old Kimberley Veed of Portland wedged inside her 2003 Honda Accord, which was itself wedged between two homes, causing substantial damage.

Veed failed field sobriety tests and her blood-alcohol content was more than twice the legal limit.

## WATER

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like it's going to be a dry summer, which is really bad news for us and our water customers. Without a very serious influx of rain, we'll likely have to move back to Stage 3 and the mandatory restrictions sometime in April."

Darden said the expected move in drought stages doesn't come as a surprise, as officials with CRMWD have been expecting it for some time.

"Back in December, when CRMWD lifted the mandatory restrictions, John Grant (CRMWD manager) told us if we didn't get some serious rain, we'd likely have

to move back to mandatory restrictions by the early spring or summer," Darden said.

According to CRMWD officials, the O.H. Ivie Reservoir — which has been the principal source of water for water district cities since last year — is currently at 20.99 percent capacity, down almost 5 percent since October 2012. The E.V. Spence Reservoir is currently at 5.17 percent capacity, while the J.B. Thomas Reservoir currently sits at a dismal 0.83 percent.

Current water restrictions remain in place, according to Darden, on a voluntary basis.

"Water customers are requested to voluntarily limit the irrigation of landscaped areas to

Sundays and Thursdays for water customers with a street address ending in an even number," Darden said. "Saturdays and Wednesdays will be for water customers with a street address ending in an odd number and to irrigate only between the hours of midnight until 10 a.m. and 8 p.m. and midnight on designated days."

Irrigation of landscaped areas is permitted at anytime if it is by means of a hand-held hose, a faucet-filled bucket or watering can of five gallons or less, or drip irrigation system. Also, water customers are requested to refrain from washing cars and to continue to practice water conservation and to minimize or dis-

continue water use for non-essential purposes. Wasting of water is prohibited.

While the current restrictions are voluntary, Darden said how long they stay that way is directly related to how Big Spring water customers use the precious — and dwindling — resource.

"To sum it all up, conserve, conserve, conserve," Darden said. "Use the water wisely."

CRMWD has brought a number of water wells online in an effort to supplement the reservoir water which has been its base supply for many years, according to officials, and efforts to bring the recently constructed water reclamation plant online are still under way.

"The plant, which was supposed to be operational in December, should be coming online soon. That should help a little bit," Darden said of the facility, which collects and cleans reclaimed water to be mixed back into the city's water supply. "We just have to wait for it to be ready."

In the meantime, Darden said the Big Spring water treatment facility hasn't been cited for violations in the past several months, an encouraging sign.

"We're certainly knocking on wood at this point. Work on the first phase of the water and wastewater bond project is currently under way, so that part of the equation is looking

very good at this point," he said. "Water customers may have noticed a milky appearance to the water, however, that is not because of a contaminant or anything like that. It's simply air in the water. If you let it sit for a little while, you'll notice the water clears up."

"The main reason for the air in the water is the recent introduction of well water to the water delivered to us from CRMWD. However, it's just an aesthetics nuisance and not a problem as far as the water content is concerned."

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## SPEAKER

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equipment designer, defying the advice of doctors early in her life.

"We are absolutely thrilled to host an individual with the impressive credentials of Dr. Grandin, but also with a story of triumph and perseverance," said Dr. Cheryl T. Sparks, Howard College president. "We are thankful to our event sponsor, Wells Fargo Bank as well as the Howard College Foundation for bringing this special event to Howard College and Big Spring."

Grandin obtained her B.A. at Franklin Pierce College in 1970, her M.S. in Animal Science at Arizona State University in 1975 and her Ph.D. in Animal Science from the University of Illinois in 1989. She has worked as the Livestock Editor for the Arizona Farmer Ranchman and has also worked for Corral Industries on equipment design. In addition to her work on the design of handling facilities for the cattle industry, she has developed animal welfare guidelines for the meat industry and has consulted with McDonalds, Wendy's International, Burger King, and other companies on animal welfare.

Her list of publications and awards are extensive and include the Meritorious Achievement Award from the Livestock Conservation Institute, past member of the board of directors of the Autism Society of America, and an honorary doctorate from McGill University, University of Illinois, and Duke University. She has published numerous books that have landed on the New York Times best seller list that include "Animals in Translation," "Livestock Handling and Transport," "Thinking in Pictures, Emergence Labeled Autistic" and "The Way I See It," just to name a few.

"Her story is so appropriate not only for our agriculture industry here in the area, but also for individuals who are battling autism on a daily basis," said Sparks. "I know her presentation will appeal to a wide audience and is certain to both educate and entertain us all."

The industry has handed out many prestigious awards to Grandin, including the Richard L. Knowlton Award from Meat Marketing and Technology Magazine and the Industry Advancement Award from the American Meat Institute. The National Cattlemen's Beef Association gave her the Lifetime Achieve-

ment Award as well.

HBO recently premiered a movie about Temple's early life and career with the livestock industry. The movie received seven Emmy awards, a Golden Globe, and a Peabody Award. In 2011, Temple was inducted into the Cowgirl Hall of Fame.

Currently, Dr. Grandin is a professor at Colorado State University.

Thursday's event will be held in the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum on the Big Spring campus of Howard College at 7

p.m. It is free to the public and considered family friendly.

For additional information on Howard College or the speaker series, visit www.howardcollege.edu.

Cindy Smith can be reached at 432-264-5034 or csmith@howardcollege.edu.

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## COUNCIL

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located north of the Connally and Wasson intersection, described as Tract 6, Kennebeck Heights, Section 12, Block 33, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Survey.

• Consideration of the issuance of a specific use permit without term to Reliable Self Storage UC for construction and operation of a mini storage warehouse facility located north of the Connally and Wasson intersection, described as Tract 6, Kennebeck Heights, Section 12, Block 33, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Survey.

Following the hearings, the council is to consider first reading of the two zoning changes and the specific use permit. If the three agenda items are approved by

the council, they will likely receive final approval in April.

Also during Tuesday's meeting, the council is to award a bid for 15 golf carts for the Comanche Trail Golf Course to Club Car Golf Cars. The bid includes the trade-in of 15 48V EZ Go electric carts, for a total cost of \$45,325.

The council will also hear the presentation of comprehensive annual financial report for the year ended Sept. 30, 2012, from David Copeland.

First reading of a resolution authorizing the city manager or his designee to enter into an inter-local agreement with Howard County to provide for sharing of the costs of land acquisition, permitting, operation, ownership, closure and post closure of a new municipal landfill. The measure requires the

agreement to distribute the cost of the new landfill at a ratio of one-third for Howard County to two-thirds for the city of Big Spring.

Efforts to close the existing landfill and open a new location have been underway for years.

"This is something we've been talking about for quite some time," former city manager Gary Fuqua said during a previous meeting. "We've looked at several different options and formed a committee. We've looked at other properties. We know our existing landfill will last approximately three years.

"We've developed and evaluated plans for our future expansion. We're looking at purchasing the land and we're beginning to work on those negotiations. We met with TECQ to initialize the permitting

process and talked to them about the feasibility of our plan."

Tuesday's meeting is to get under way at 5:30 p.m. in the City Council Chambers, located at 307 E. Fourth Street. For more information, call 264-2401. Also, a complete copy of the meeting agenda can be found online at www.mybigspring.com

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6	1	9	5	8	2	7	3	4
7	4	8	3	9	1	2	6	5
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## News in brief

### Girl, 9, walks to get help after crash kills dad

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A 9-year-old girl crawled out of a mangled SUV, climbed out of a canyon and walked about a mile in the middle of the night to find help after surviving a highway crash that killed her father in Southern California, authorities said.

The 2010 Ford Escape was launched about 200 feet down an embankment along a semi-rural stretch of the Sierra Highway in Acton about 1 a.m. Sunday, said California Highway Patrol Officer Cheyenne Quesada. The vehicle overturned several times.

The girl managed to extricate herself and walk through rugged terrain to a nearby home, but nobody answered the door, the CHP said. Then she hiked up the steep embankment and along the road to a commuter rail station where she flagged down a passing motorist at about 2:30 a.m.

"She walked quite a distance in a very, very threatening environment. It's very black out there, very dark," CHP Sgt. Tom Lackey told KABC-TV. "It's very steep and it's brushy and there's also coyotes in the background."

Responding officers found a man in his 30s had been killed, Quesada said. His name was not released but officials said he was from Los Angeles.

A helicopter transported the girl to Children's Hospital Los Angeles. She was treated for minor injuries including bumps and bruises and a cut on her face.

Television footage showed crews removing the severely damaged black SUV from the canyon.

The CHP is investigating whether alcohol played a role in the crash.

### African likely to get prison in child labor case

DETROIT (AP) — Prosecutors are seeking at least nine years in prison for an African man who was

convicted of forcing children to work as slaves at his Ypsilanti home.

The government also is asking a judge to order Jean-Claude Toviave to pay two of the children \$60,000 each. Four victims last fall told jurors that Toviave, a native of Togo, forced them to perform household duties for nearly five years until January 2011.

Toviave will be sentenced Monday in Detroit federal court.

The four children emigrated from Togo in 2006 with fraudulent papers. They said Toviave beat them if they didn't follow his orders. One says he prayed for freedom or death.

In a court filing, defense attorney Randall Roberts acknowledges that Toviave's "family experiment went horribly off the rails."

### EU finance ministers approve Cyprus bailout

BRUSSELS (AP) — Cyprus avoided bankruptcy, and potential turmoil across the eurozone was averted, by the country securing a last-minute 10 billion euro (\$13 billion) bailout with promises to sharply cut back its oversized banking sector and make large bank account holders take losses to help pay much of the bill.

Negotiations into early Monday ended with approval of the deal by the 17-nation eurozone's finance ministers. The European Central Bank had threatened to cut off crucial emergency assistance to the country's banks by Tuesday if no agreement was reached.

Without a bailout deal by Monday night, the tiny Mediterranean nation would have faced the prospect of bankruptcy, which could have forced it to become the first country to abandon the euro currency. That would have sent the region's markets spinning.

"It's not that we won a battle, but we really have avoided a disastrous exit from the eurozone," said Cyprus Finance Minister Michalis Sarris.

The eurozone finance ministers accepted the plan after hours of negotiations in Brussels between Cypriot officials and the so-called troika of creditors — the International Monetary Fund, the European Commission and the ECB.

### Syrian activists say senior rebel leader wounded in bomb attack

BEIRUT (AP) — Syrian activists say a top rebel military leader has been wounded and possibly killed by a bomb stuck to his car.

The Britain-based Syrian Observatory for Human Rights said Monday the blast targeted Col. Riad al-Asaad during a visit to the town of Mayadeen in eastern Syria.

Col. Riad al-Asaad is a prominent army defector who became head of the Free Syrian Army, an umbrella group that tried to gather rebel fighters under a unified command.

But al-Asaad became little more than a figurehead and his group has been superseded by the Office of the Chiefs of Staff, associated with the opposition Syrian National Coalition.

The Observatory reported conflicting reports on al-Asaad's fate, with some saying he had been killed and others saying he lost a leg.

### New York's Bloomberg, NRA chief spar on gun control, say it's up to public now to press Senate

WASHINGTON (AP) — Two of the loudest voices in the gun debate say it's up to voters now to make their position known to Congress.

New York Mayor Michael Bloomberg and National Rifle Associate Executive Vice President Wayne LaPierre claim their opposing views on guns have the support of the overwhelming number of Americans. They are looking at the next two weeks as critical to the debate, when lawmakers head home to hear from constituents ahead of next month's anticipated Senate vote on gun control.

Bloomberg, a former Republican-turned-independent, has just sunk \$12 million for Mayors Against Illegal Guns to run television ads and phone banks in 13 states urging voters to tell their senators to pass legislation requiring universal background

checks for gun buyers.

"We demanded a plan and then we demanded a vote. We've got the plan, we're going to get the vote. And now it's incumbent on us to make our voices heard," said Bloomberg.

Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid said Thursday that legislation would likely be debated in his chamber next month that will include expanded federal background checks, tougher laws and stiffer sentences for gun trafficking and increased school safety grants. A ban on assault-style weapons was dropped from the bill, fearing it would sink the broader bill. But Reid has said that he would allow the ban to be voted on separately as an amendment. President Barack Obama called for a vote on the assault weapons ban in his radio and Internet address Saturday.

### 1 winning ticket for \$338M Powerball jackpot sold in N.J.

TRENTON, N.J. (AP) — The lottery fantasies of mansions, luxury boats and unlimited travel are over for most people. But for the owner — or owners — of the lone winning ticket sold in New Jersey for Powerball's \$338.3 million drawing they're just beginning.

New Jersey Lottery officials will release information on the ticket at a news conference Monday morning at the lottery's headquarters in Lawrenceville.

Details on where and when Saturday's winning ticket was purchased and other related information were not disclosed Sunday by officials, who also would not say if anyone claiming to hold the ticket had contacted them.

Lottery officials say it was the fourth-largest jackpot in Powerball history. The numbers drawn were 17, 29, 31, 52, 53 and Powerball 31. A lump sum payout would be \$221 million.

Retailers in New Jersey said the growing jackpot had spurred a big boost in ticket sales in recent days, and many people were willing to stand in long lines to get their tickets.

### Rebels overthrow Central African Republic president

BANGUI, Central African Republic (AP) — Rebels overthrew Central African Republic's president of a decade on Sunday, seizing the presidential palace and declaring that the desperately poor country has "opened a new page in its history." The country's president fled the capital, while extra French troops moved to secure the airport, officials said.

The rebels' invasion of the capital came just two months after they had signed a peace agreement that would have let President Francois Bozize serve until 2016. That deal unraveled in recent days, prompting the insurgents' advance into Bangui and Bozize's departure to a still unpublicized location.

U.N. Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon condemned the unconstitutional seizure of power and called for the swift restoration of constitutional order, U.N. spokesman Martin Nesirky said.

The U.N. chief appealed for calm and reiterated that the January peace agreements "remain the most viable framework to ensure durable peace and stability in the country," Nesirky said. Ban also expressed deep concern at reports of serious human rights violations.

Witnesses and an adviser to Bozize said rebel trucks were traveling throughout the town on Sunday hours after the palace was seized. Former colonial power France confirmed the developments, issuing a statement that said French President Francois Hollande "has taken note of the departure of President Francois Bozize."

### More hearts can be fixed without surgery

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Have a heart problem? If it's fixable, there's a good chance it can be done without surgery, using tiny tools and devices that are pushed through tubes into blood vessels.

Heart care is in the midst of a transformation. Many problems that once required sawing through the breastbone and opening up the chest for open heart surgery now can be treated with a nip, twist or patch through a tube.

These minimal procedures used to be done just to unclog arteries and correct less common heart rhythm problems. Now some patients are getting such repairs for valves, irregular heartbeats, holes in the heart and other defects — without major surgery. Doctors even are testing ways to treat high blood pressure with some of these new approaches.

All rely on catheters — hollow tubes that let doctors burn away and reshape heart tissue or correct defects through small holes in blood vessels.

"This is the replacement for the surgeon's knife. Instead of opening the chest, we're able to put catheters in through the leg, sometimes through the arm," said Dr. Spencer King of St. Joseph's Heart and Vascular Institute in Atlanta. He is former president of the American College of Cardiology. Its conference earlier this month featured research on these novel devices.

### 2 hospitalized after truck crashes into taco stand

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Authorities say several people were injured after a pickup slammed into a taco stand in Austin.

Senior Officer Virginia Higginbotham says the driver was arrested for intoxication assault after the crash in the early morning hours Monday. She says the driver left the scene but was later located by police.


## Sudoku Answers on Page 3

# sudoku

Fill in the grid so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1 through 9 with no repeats. That means no number is repeated in any row, column or box.

2		1	4		6			
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## Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

### Mandatory Procedure

South dealer.  
Both sides vulnerable.

**NORTH**  
♠ K Q J  
♥ 9 6  
♦ 9 8 7 5 3  
♣ J 8 2

**WEST**  
♠ 9 8 5  
♥ K 10 8 3  
♦ K 6 2  
♣ 10 7 4

**EAST**  
♠ 3 2  
♥ A Q 7 4  
♦ Q 10 4  
♣ 9 6 5 3

**SOUTH**  
♠ A 10 7 6 4  
♥ J 5 2  
♦ A J  
♣ A K Q

The bidding:  
South West North East  
1♠ Pass 2♠ Pass  
4♠

Opening lead — nine of spades.

The opening lead has a decisive effect on the outcome of many hands. Sometimes it defeats a contract, and sometimes it hands declarer the contract on a silver platter. Quite often it radically changes the course of play, since it might compel declarer to adopt an approach he would not normally have considered.

Take this deal where West has no clear-cut lead and decides to start with a trump. This turns out to be his best shot, because without the trump lead, South would eventually be able to ruff a heart in dummy and so acquire his 10th trick.

But the trump lead poses a direct threat to that plan and forces South to reconsider whether to try for a heart ruff in dummy. In the actual deal, if he tries for the heart ruff, he goes down against best defense.

Thus, let's say he wins the spade in dummy and leads a heart at trick two. East wins and returns a trump. When declarer then leads another heart, West wins and returns his last trump, and South eventually loses three hearts and a diamond.

However, the opening trump lead should persuade South that trying for a heart ruff is no longer a viable proposition, so he should seek another line of play. As it happens, there is one, and South should not dawdle in adopting it as his only realistic possibility.

Accordingly, after winning the first trick in dummy, he plays the A-J of diamonds, hoping to find the suit divided 3-3, in which case dummy's diamonds can be established. This counterstroke proves successful, and, in fact, if the defenders do not promptly cash two hearts, South finishes with 11 tricks.

Tomorrow: Famous Hand.  
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# Sophomore powerlifter Nairn places 10th at state

By BRIAN MCCORMACK

Sports Editor

ABILENE — Big Spring powerlifter Tyler Nairn made his debut at the state meet over the weekend, where he placed 10th out of 13 competitors — not bad for a sophomore.

Nairn, who represents the 123-pound weight class, bench pressed 205 pounds, squatted 310 pounds and dead lifted 340 pounds for a combined score of 855.

“To place 10th in the state of Texas in his weight class is pretty solid for a sophomore,” BSHS Head Coach Eric Tuttle said of Nairn’s performance.

Given that Nairn will likely be back the next two years, Tuttle hopes he will achieve his goal of becoming a state medalist before he graduates.

“He fought a lot this year,” Tuttle said. “He fought to stay on top of the region for most of the season. When you get to state, it’s a completely different story. He got some experience and hopefully next year he can try for a medal.”

Under first-year head coach Tuttle, seven lifters qualified for regionals.

Two girls — Roenisha Bell and Vanessa Alvarado went to state as alternates.

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Courtesy photo/Eric Tuttle

Big Spring’s Tyler Nairn competed at the boys state powerlifting meet over the weekend in Abilene. Nairn finished in 10th place in the 123-pound weight class as a sophomore.

HERALD file photo  
BSHS Head Softball Coach John Sparks is pictured with two seniors from the 2012 team.



# Junior high softball team to play final game of fledgling season

By BRIAN MCCORMACK

Sports Editor

If you have a daughter enrolled at Big Spring Junior High who wants to play on the softball squad, you can blame — or thank — John Sparks, head varsity softball coach at the high school.

“It was all my big idea,” Sparks said of the league’s creation this season.

Softball is a University Interscholastic League sanctioned sport, but not many junior high teams in West Texas exist, yet. In fact, there are only two in the region — Greenwood and Big Spring.

“Several coaches started talking about it and I thought, ‘why don’t we try it?’.”

It’s a UIL sport, we can do it. Coach (Phillip) Ritchey said ‘go for it’.”

According to Sparks, there was at least four teams in the area interested in softball at the junior high level, but only Big Spring and Greenwood were able to stick with it the first year, as the new program faces some challenges.

“Some teams don’t know if they can make it,” Sparks said. “It’s a tough deal with spring sports — it’s hard to make a full schedule.”

Today marks the final game between Greenwood and Big Spring. The teams will meet at Lady Steer Field at who were

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# James, Nowitzki lead Mavs past Jazz, 113-108

DALLAS (AP) — Mike James didn’t play like a 37-year-old on his last legs in the NBA on Sunday night.

James scored a season-high 19 points, Dirk Nowitzki added 17 and the Dallas Mavericks beat the slumping Utah Jazz 113-108.

The journeyman point guard scored 12 points in the third quarter, including seven in a 20-2 run which bridged the third and fourth quarters.

“I’m like a little kid in the candy store,” James said. “People don’t understand how much fun I’m having out there.”

The 11th-year point guard is probably enjoying himself more now considering he didn’t even have an NBA job three months ago. James joined Dallas on a 10-day contract on Jan. 8, and the Mavericks signed him for the rest of season three weeks later.

Rick Carlisle inserted James into the starting lineup on March 6, and the Mavericks have gone 8-3 two games to get within two games of the Los Angeles Lakers for the final playoff spot in the Western Conference.

can’t play this game anymore, I’m out there having a great time,” said James, who has played with 10 different teams.

Vince Carter and Shawn Marion each had 15 as the Mavericks improved to 2-1 on a season-long six-game homestand. Dallas has gone 21-13 since dropping 10 games under .500 on Jan. 9.

“(This season) has been so up and down,” Mavericks center Elton Brand said. “It’s been a roller coaster.”

Enes Kanter scored 17 points as the Jazz lost their ninth straight on the road, Utah’s longest such skid since losing 17 in a row away from home during the 1981-82 season. The Jazz’s last road win was Feb. 13 at Minnesota.

“We can’t get the games back that we lost,” Jazz coach Tyrone Corbin said. “We need to learn lessons from it. But we have to find a way to get better.”

Dallas had a one-point edge at halftime and the teams exchanged the lead 12 times in the third. The game was tied at 69 mid-way through the third before Dallas surged

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# West Texas Oilers traveling volleyball



Courtesy photo/Kerry Rodriguez

The West Texas Oilers are a traveling team comprised of players from the Big Spring Lady Steers and San Angelo Lady Bobcats varsity volleyball squads. In February, the Oilers took five straight wins to place first in Abilene’s Frontier Fest tournament and most recently competed in Lubbock where they won the silver bracket in the 18-under division. The Oilers are (top row, from left): Leksey Yarbar, Kelsie Guinn, Tulsi Patel, Morgan Seaton, Ebony Zavala, Jordan Kohl, Coach Brinnan Pierce, (bottom row, from left) Amanda Torres and Julianna Rodriguez.



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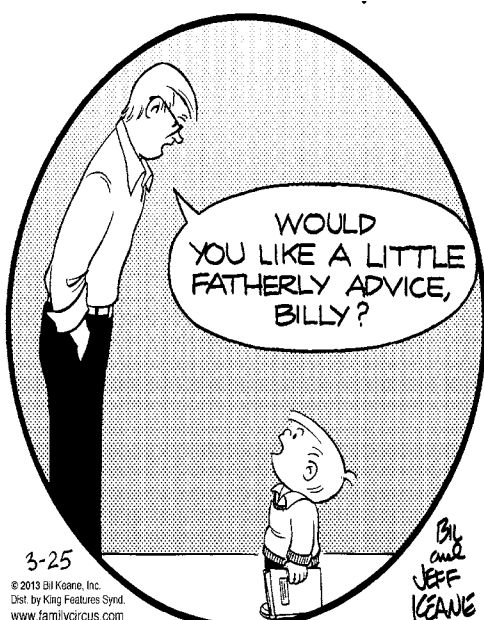


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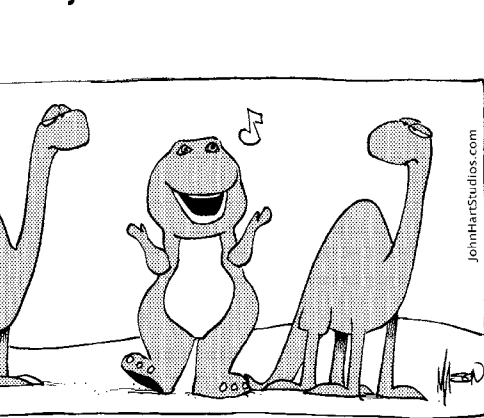
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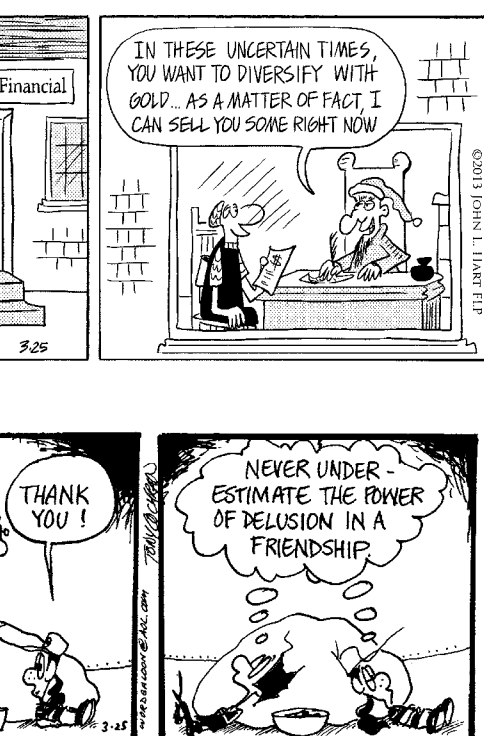
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## This Date In History

Today is Monday, March 25, the 84th day of 2013. There are 281 days left in the year. The Jewish holiday Passover begins at sunset.

Today's Highlight in History:

On March 25, 1965, the Rev. Martin Luther King Jr. led 25,000 marchers to the state capitol in Montgomery, Ala., to protest the denial of voting rights to blacks.

On this date:

- In 1306, Robert the Bruce was crowned the King of Scots.
- In 1634, English colonists sent by Lord Baltimore arrived in present-day Maryland.
- In 1776, Gen. George Washington, commander of the Continental Army, was awarded the first Congressional Gold Medal by the Continental Congress.
- In 1865, during the Civil War, Confederate forces attacked Fort Stedman in Virginia but were forced to withdraw because of counterattacking Union troops.

In 1894, Jacob S. Coxey began leading an "army" of unemployed from Massillon (MA'-suh-luh), Ohio, to Washington D.C., to demand help from the federal government.

In 1911, 146 people, mostly young female immigrants, were killed when fire broke out at the Triangle Shirtwaist Co. in New York.

In 1947, a coal mine explosion in Centralia, Ill., claimed 111 lives.

In 1957, the Treaty of Rome established the European Economic Community.

In 1963, private pilot Ralph Flores and his 21-year-old passenger, Helen Klaben, were rescued after being stranded for seven weeks in brutally cold conditions in the Yukon after their plane crashed.

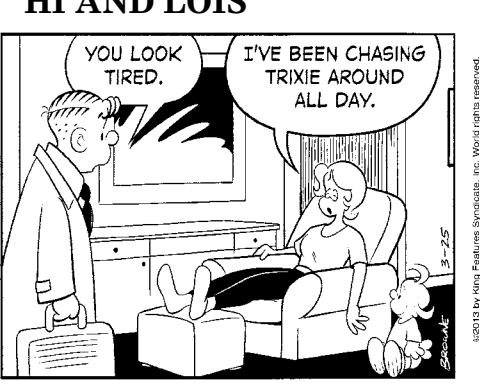
In 1975, King Faisal (FY'-suhl) of Saudi Arabia was shot to death by a nephew with a history of mental illness. (The nephew was beheaded in June 1975.)

In 1988, in New York City's so-called "Preppie Killer" case, Robert Chambers Jr. pleaded guilty to first-degree manslaughter in the death of 18-year-old Jennifer Levin. (Chambers received a sentence of 5 to 15 years in prison; he was released in 2003.)

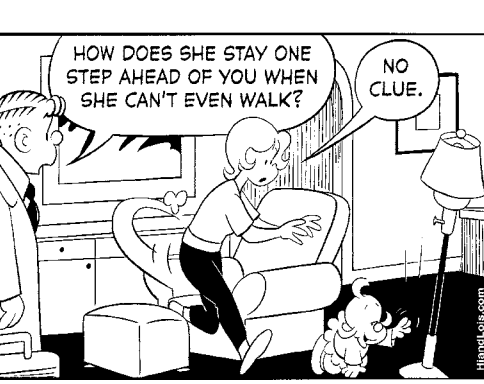
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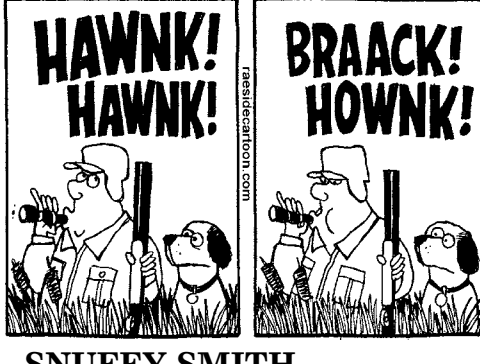
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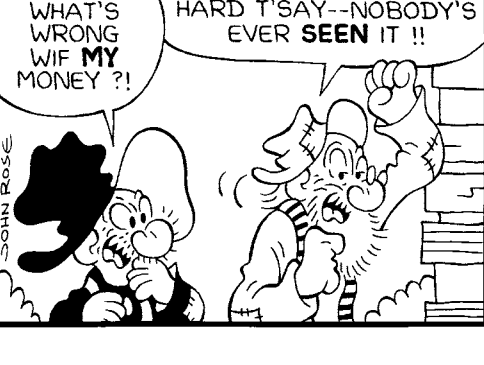
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## Newsday Crossword

## THAT'S WONDERFUL

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**ACROSS**

- Harvest yield
- Voice below alto
- Church service
- Sharpen
- Really like
- Neighborhood
- Iowa college town
- Rice with spice
- Skating surface
- Wonderful
- Escape from
- Bestow
- Escape from
- Bullfight cheer
- American language
- Instantly
- Have suspicions about
- Polynesian carving
- Skin diver's gear
- Puts to work
- Clock radio noises
- Boring
- People who rent
- Airport safety agcy.
- Try just a bite of
- Parts in a play
- Begin
- Wonderful
- Volcanic flow
- No later than
- Facts and figures
- Off ramp
- "Go away!"
- so (nevertheless)

**DOWN**

- Irritate by rubbing
- From Italy's capital
- For days (continuously)
- Basil sauce
- Touches on the shoulder
- Make corrections to
- "That's the truth!"
- Fortune teller
- Football official
- Wonderful
- Opera solo
- Mail away
- "For goodness \_!"
- Missing GI
- Competitive advantage
- Opens, as a gate
- Scottish girls
- Upper-left PC key
- Not many words
- Mushroom stalk
- Hydrant hookup
- Slanted typeface: Abbr.
- Cairo's river
- Aliases: Abbr.
- Wonderful
- Crude shelter
- Smidgen
- Butcher shop product
- British noble
- Foul odor
- For an additional cost
- Of days gone by
- Depart
- Go in
- Get to one's feet
- Whole lot
- Metered vehicle
- Enthusiastic
- Italian farewell
- Stately trees
- L.A. school

