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Darden to take on city manager post

By **ANDREA MEDLIN**
 Staff Writer

Tuesday's special meeting of the Big Spring City Council proved to be special indeed. Following 30- to 45-minute interviews with the remaining three city manager candidates and a lengthy deliberation, the Big Spring City Council voted unanimously late Tuesday evening to grant Todd Darden the position of city manager.

"We had 34 candidates when we started," said newly elected mayor Larry McLellan. "During the June 11 meeting that number was reduced to three."

The mayor again declined to release the names of the other two candidates but said, "I can tell you they were from

"That's what it's all about. Service, providing good service and helping as many people as I possibly can. I want to continue that service and help Big Spring continue to grow, especially now."

Todd Darden, new city manager

the Dallas area." Reportedly, they were from the Richland Hills area.

The long wait over, Darden was warmly congratulated by his family and the council members. Among the hugs

and handshakes Darden also was bestowed a little ribbing by councilman Marcus Fernandez who told the new city manager, "If you thought I called you a lot before, I'll be calling you all the time now."

"I really believe we made the best choice," said McLellan, citing Darden's 30-year career in various positions with the city.

Despite the challenge of the interview process, Darden maintained his calm and sense of humor, telling Fernandez that among the questions he was asked, the councilman's were some of the most difficult to answer.

"My stomach was in knots," said Darden in regards to



HERALD Photo/Andrea Medlin
Big Spring Mayor Larry McLellan, left, gives newly appointed City Manager Todd Darden a congratulatory embrace following the city council special meeting held Tuesday. The vote was unanimous and Darden is expected to assume the title officially in July.



Pictured at top, craps dealer Brian Tubb, left, and George Leatham watch Cheryl Click roll for a sweet six during the Legends & Legacies Casino Night held by the Heritage Museum Tuesday. At right, County Judge Mark Barr takes on dealer duties as he passes out chips before the start of the game. The annual event jump starts Rodeo Week in the city as the 80th Big Spring Cowboy Reunion and Rodeo is set to begin Thursday.



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Budget balancing act necessary for BSISD

By **STEVE REAGAN**
 Staff Writer

Big Spring school trustees will begin hammering out details of the district's next budget when they meet at 5:15 p.m. Thursday in the high school board room.

Budget crafting is never a pleasant undertaking, but it may be worse Big Spring ISD officials this year. As things stand now, the district is looking for ways to make do

with about \$1 million less in state appropriations this coming fiscal year.

Among the many factors state education officials consider when deciding on appropriations is a local district's property valuations — simply put, the higher the amount of the local tax rolls, the less state money is sent to the district.

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Forsan ISD to form projects committee

By **STEVE REAGAN**
 Staff Writer

FORSAN — Forsan school trustees will continue laying the groundwork for upcoming school construction projects when they hold a special meeting at 6 p.m. Thursday in the administration wing board room.

The board is expected to name an ad hoc committee, consisting of three trustees, which will assist Superintendent Randy Johnson with finalizing details of the upcoming building projects.

Forsan ISD voters in May

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Obituaries

Richard Gilmore



Richard Gilmore, 77, of Coahoma died Sunday, June 16, 2013, at Parkview Nursing Center. Visitation will be held Tuesday from 6 p.m. until 8 p.m. at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday at Midway Baptist Church with burial at Coahoma Cemetery.

He was born Dec. 9, 1935, in Howard County to Flossie and Lawrence Gilmore. He was a lifetime resident of Howard County and married Jane Graham on Oct. 30, 1955, in Coahoma. He worked for the City of Coahoma, Howard County and later as a truck driver and service technician in the oil field.

He was an ordained minister and also served as a youth leader. He was an active member of Midway Baptist Church. He also served as a volunteer firefighter for Coahoma and Howard County. He loved fishing and fish fries, camping, gardening, wood working and crafts. Most of all, Richard loved the Lord and his family.

He is survived by one daughter, Jana Smith and husband Earnie of Coahoma; one son, Leslie Gilmore and wife Judy of Lorenzo, Texas; five grandchildren, Shane Gilmore of Edmond, Okla., Cody Gilmore and Kelsey Gilmore, both of Smyer, Texas, Steven Smith and wife Heather of Shallowater, Keith Smith and wife Kendra of Big Spring and Maurry Powe and wife Jeton of Plainview; eight great-grandchildren, Brian Smith, MaKayla Smith, Brandon Smith, Wyatt Powe, Lexie Bennett, Beaux Bennett, Shelbi Crawford and Josh Smith; two brothers, Don Gilmore and wife Lisa of San Angelo and Melvin Gilmore and wife Dora Jane of Oklahoma; one sister, Ruby Pitzer and husband Kenneth of San Marcos; and a number of nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife Jane on Sept. 12, 2010; and one sister, Patsy May.

Pallbearers will be Joe Mansfield, Benny Mansfield, George Smith, Ben Smith, Tyler Sheppard and Stanley Phillips.

Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at www.myersandsmith.com

Paid obituary

Charles Floyd Archer

Charles Floyd Archer, 70, of Big Spring died Monday, June 17, 2013, at his residence after a lengthy illness. Graveside services will be held at 2:30 p.m. Thursday at Trinity Memorial Park with military honors.

He was born July 7, 1942, to Thelma and Floyd Archer in Dallas. He excelled at baseball and attended college on a baseball scholarship. He served in the United States military and was stationed in Germany as a Morse code interpreter. He worked in retail sales and management.

He is survived by his wife, Wanda Kay of Big Spring; two sisters, Barbara Reeves and Linda Jimerson, both of Dallas; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents. Arrangements are made by Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at www.myersandsmith.com

Police blotter

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

- BRAD WAYNE DUGAN JR., 29, of 4614 Aspen, was arrested Tuesday on a charge of possession of a dangerous drug.
- OSCAR ORTIZ, 24, of 1401 N. Highway 87 Apt. 1002, was arrested Tuesday on warrants for possession of drug paraphernalia and failure to appear.
- ASHLEY ANN TAYLOR, 33, of 1112 Sycamore, was arrested Tuesday on a warrant for parent contributing to the non-attendance of a minor.
- JACOB ELLIOTT SHUMATE, 29, of 1104 N. Nolan, was arrested Tuesday on a warrant from another agency.
- ORLANDO CASTELAN JR., 30, of 1723 Purdue, was arrested Tuesday on warrants for bail jumping – failure to appear and driving while intoxicated – second offense.
- BURGLARY OF A BUILDING was reported in the 1600 block of N. Birdwell Lane.
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Janie Fierro



Janie Fierro, 65, of Big Spring died Sunday, June 16, 2013, in Conroe, Texas. Vigil service will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral mass will be held at 10 a.m. Friday at Holy Trinity Catholic Church. Burial will be at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

She was born Dec. 13, 1947, in Mexico to Maria and Encarnacion Jauregui. She moved to Big Spring in 1966 and married Tony Fierro on March 8, 1967. He passed June 9, 1991. She was a member of the Holy Trinity Catholic Parish and DeColores. She was a Cursillista and a homemaker, working many years at LaPosada, Carlos and Casa Blanco restaurants.

She is survived by two daughters, Mary Lou Fierro of College Station and Laura Fierro and fiance Jack Paredes of Big Spring; one brother, Jose Jauregui and wife Juana of Juarez, Mexico; one sister, Alicia Gonzalez Jauregui of Juarez, Mexico; six grandsons; one granddaughter; and two step-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents and husband, she is preceded in death by one sister, Maria Naranjo; and two brothers, Antonio Jauregui and Guadalupe Jauregui.

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- BURGLARY OF A HABITATION was reported in the 3600 block of W. Highway 80.
- BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE was reported in the 3600 block of W. Highway 80.

Sheriff

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

Note — Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 83 inmates at the time of this report.

- JACOB ELLIOTT SHUMATE, 29, was arrested Tuesday by the HCSO on a Mitchell County warrant for motion to revoke probation – obstruction of highway.
- ORLANDO CASTELAN JR., 30, was arrested Tuesday by the HCSO on judgments/sentences for driving while intoxicated – second offense and bail jumping – failure to appear.
- BRAD WAYNE DUGAN JR., 29, was booked into the county detention center Tuesday by the BSPD on a charge of possession of a dangerous drug.
- OSCAR ORTIZ JR., 24, was booked into the county detention center Tuesday by the BSPD on municipal warrants for possession of drug paraphernalia and failure to appear.
- JIMMY RAY YOUNG, 51, was booked into the county detention center Wednesday by the Sterling County Sheriff's Office on a Sterling County warrant for driving while intoxicated – second offense and a Corsicana Police Department warrant for aggravated assault with a deadly weapon.
- BOBBY JO ROSS, 58, was booked into the county detention center Wednesday by the Sterling County Sheriff's Office on a Sterling County warrant for public intoxication.
- GWENDOLYN FAULKNER, 75, was booked into the county detention center Wednesday by the BSPD on a Midland County warrant for non-reportable/obtaining a controlled substance.

Fire/EMS

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

- MEDICAL was reported in the 1000 block of N. Main Street. Service refused.
- TRAUMA was reported in the 600 block of Linda Lane. One person was transported to SMMC.

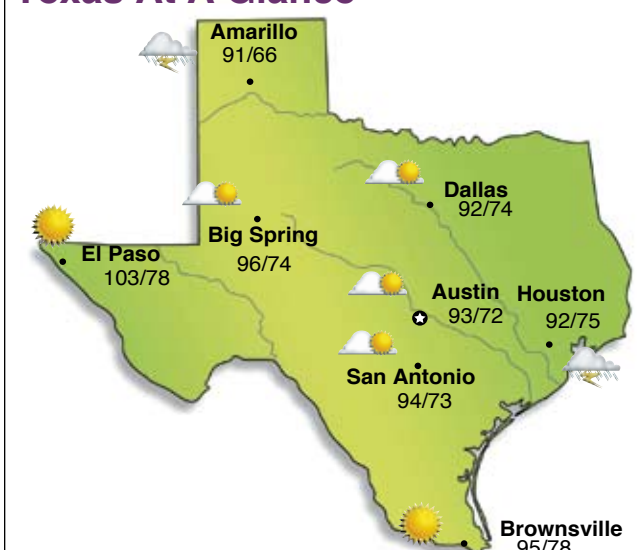
Today's Weather

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Sunrise: 6:40 AM Sunset: 8:55 PM	Sunrise: 6:40 AM Sunset: 8:56 PM	Sunrise: 6:40 AM Sunset: 8:56 PM



Texas At A Glance



Area Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Ablene	92	72	pt sunny	Kingsville	97	77	sunny
Amarillo	91	66	t-storm	Livingston	91	71	t-storm
Austin	93	72	pt sunny	Longview	89	72	t-storm
Beaumont	90	74	t-storm	Lubbock	94	70	t-storm
Brownsville	95	78	sunny	Lufkin	89	73	t-storm
Brownwood	95	72	pt sunny	Midland	97	74	pt sunny
Corpus Christi	95	79	sunny	Raymondville	96	76	pt sunny
Corsicana	90	72	pt sunny	Rosenberg	93	74	t-storm
Dallas	92	74	pt sunny	San Antonio	94	73	pt sunny
Del Rio	96	76	sunny	San Marcos	94	73	pt sunny
El Paso	103	78	sunny	Sulphur Springs	89	73	pt sunny
Fort Stockton	98	70	windy	Sweetwater	93	72	pt sunny
Gainesville	89	71	pt sunny	Tyler	90	73	t-storm
Greenville	89	72	pt sunny	Weatherford	91	72	pt sunny
Houston	92	75	t-storm	Wichita Falls	93	72	pt sunny

National Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Atlanta	87	68	pt sunny	Minneapolis	81	65	mst sunny
Boston	74	52	pt sunny	New York	75	60	pt sunny
Chicago	73	56	sunny	Phoenix	102	74	sunny
Dallas	92	74	pt sunny	San Francisco	62	51	pt sunny
Denver	92	58	sunny	Seattle	61	55	rain
Houston	92	75	t-storm	St. Louis	86	69	mst sunny
Los Angeles	81	63	sunny	Washington, DC	80	64	pt sunny
Miami	90	79	pt sunny				

Support Groups

WEDNESDAY

• "A Journey to a New Normal," a grief support network, meets from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. at 602 S. Main. For information, call 263-5999.

• RSD (Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy, a chronic pain disease), a new support and informative group meets at 213 Circle. Call Lucy at (432) 517-9207 for more information.

• Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; open 12 & 12 study meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

THURSDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, open discussion noon to 1 p.m.; women's meeting; 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. Non-smoking closed discussion meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

• MEDICAL was reported in the 1800 block of N. Highway 87. One person was transported to SMMC.

• MEDICAL was reported in the 700 block of Dealy. One person was transported to SMMC.

• MEDICAL was reported in the 2300 block of Wasson Road. One person was transported to SMMC.

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• Kid's Klub registration is open! There is a limited amount of space so sign your child up today!

• Kid's Klub will be July 8 to 12 this year. Our theme is Bombardier Boot Camp. It is going to be a wonderful opportunity for children to learn and have fun at the same time. Registration forms are due June 28.

For more information email the Hangar at hangar25@crcom.net or give us a call 432-264-1999.

• Howard County Fair Association is seeking volunteers to help with the Howard County Fair which will be held Sept. 26-28. To find out more information or to volunteer, contact Jamey Stegall at 214-717-9210 or jamey.stegall@gmail.com. The fair association is also accepting applications for exhibitors at the fair. All booths rent for \$100. Contact Stegall for more information.

• Big Spring and surrounding counties are in need of foster families. Foster parents are the caretakers for the children in the community who have been abused or neglected. For more information on becoming foster parents or adoptive families, call the Children's Protective Services office at 263-9669.

• Crossroads Hospice is in need of volunteers. Volunteers are the backbone of the hospice team, by bringing light and love into people's lives. For more information on joining, contact Eva Robison at 432-263-5300 or come by 421 S. Main.

• 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.

• Spring Tabernacle Ministries, 1209 Wright St., has a brief, inspirational message before giving away food and clothing on Thursday mornings. It's a great way to work off community service and get help, too. Be there at 9 a.m.-11 a.m. and get two for one plus a rehab meeting.

• Home Hospice is seeking volunteers. Volunteers are needed for in office duties as well as sitters, deliveries and crafts. To find out more information or to volunteer contact Manny Negron at Home Hospice by calling 264-7599.

• The Salvation Army is holding its annual fan drive and is in need of fans. Community members can donate new or used fans. Monetary donations are also welcomed.

Donations can be made at the main office, located at 811 W. Fifth St., Monday through Friday between 9 a.m.

and 5 p.m.

• The Homeownership Preservation Foundation (HPF) is an independent national nonprofit dedicated to helping distressed homeowners navigate financial challenges and avoid mortgage foreclosure.

If you want to stop foreclosure and are in need of foreclosure help, the time to call 888-995-HOPE is now. The Homeowner's HOPE hotline is a counseling service provided by HPF to work with you to find a solution to your problem.

HPF can provide counseling free of charge, in English and 170 other languages, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year. Free free foreclosure help, call the hotline.

• The mission of CASA of West Texas is to promote and support quality volunteers who speak for the best interest of abused and neglected children in court in an effort to find each child a safe, nurturing and permanent home. We need your help. If you're interested in volunteering, please contact Sara Basaldua at 1-877-316-8346 or visit www.BecomeaCASA.org or www.casawtx.org.

• Road to Recovery, sponsored by the American Cancer Society, seeks volunteers to drive cancer patients to treatment in Midland. This requires just a few hours commitment each month.

To volunteer, or to request a ride for treatment, call (877) 277-1618.

Rave Run set Friday

The second of three Moonlight Rave Runs at Big Spring State Park will be held Friday evening.

Entry fee is \$20 and can be paid prior to the run at the park, beginning at 10 p.m. The gates will close at 11:30 p.m. and the run will begin at midnight.

The final run will be held Aug. 23.

DARDEN

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the anticipation of the vote and to the wait following his interview. "Actually, it's been in knots for two days," he chuckled.

But Darden didn't have to endure the stress and anxiety alone. Accompanied by his family, he waited patiently outside the chambers as day turned to evening. Eventually, the door to

the council chambers opened and all were called in to the open session that would determine the next leg of his life's journey.

Upon the result of the final vote Darden laughed and said, "Well, I was scared, but now I'm really scared." The former interim city manager thanked the council and city employees and expressed his enthusiasm to continue to serve the citizens of Big Spring.

"That's what it's all

about," Darden said. "Service, providing good service and helping as many people as I possibly can. I want to continue that service and help Big Spring continue to grow, especially now."

Darden praised the current city leaders and said that he believes in their ability to successfully guide Big Spring throughout its current growth.

As to the reason why the meeting took so long, close to 5 hours,

the mayor laughed and said, "Well, nobody can say we make rash decisions."

Being objective and fair to all the candidates was the priority of the council during the deliberation and decision making process, explained McLellan. "There was a legal question that came up, too," that added to the deliberation time, he said.

Darden's appointment follows the recent decision of current city manager Gary Fuqua to

retire.

Fuqua's retirement will become official June 30, following almost 40 years with the city of Big Spring in various positions.

Until then, Fuqua will be unofficially retired, using his accumulated comp time. No other action was taken during the meeting.

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BSISD

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The problem for BSISD is that the state is using 2012's valuation total — \$1.6 billion — in determining this year's appropriation, while estimates of this year's tax rolls is about \$400 million less than that figure, BSISD Business Manager Debbie Green said. The result is a double whammy — the state will send the district less money, while the district will have a smaller pool of local tax dollars to collect.

If those estimates hold, and the local school dis-

trict does indeed lose \$1 million in state appropriations, BSISD trustees will face some big problems in cobbling together a budget, she conceded.

"Our expenditures look to be very much on track to what they were last year," Green said. "If (appropriation estimates hold), the trustees will have some tough decisions to make."

Raising the tax rate is out of the question — BSISD, like almost every other school district in the state, is at the maximum rate allowed by state law. So, that leaves cutting costs as the only realistic option trustees face.

Cutting costs will be a delicate operation, to say the least, because so much of the district's expenditures are figuratively set in stone — for example, salaries make up about 75 percent of BSISD's budget, and most of those figures are mandated by the state.

"We've got to pay salaries, we've got to pay utilities and we have other necessary expenses, as well," Green said. "There's only so much we can cut."

Fortunately, BSISD has healthy reserve funds, which are more than sufficient to make up a state shortfall this year, although dipping into cash reserves is not

an attractive long-term option, Green said.

If past history is any guide, however, there is another reason for BSISD officials not to hit the panic button just yet.

"By the time we have the true certified (tax roll) numbers in July, those have traditionally been healthier, stronger numbers," Green said.

The budget process will culminate in late August, when the 2013-2014 fiscal package is formally adopted.

In other business Thursday, trustees will consider:

• Discussions on the district's flagship radio status and open meeting

FISD

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approved \$23.8 million in construction projects, including a new elementary campus, extensive renovations at the secondary building and a wastewater treatment plant.

"I'll be responsible for most of the day-to-day planning on the projects, but the committee will help me with ideas and suggestions that will tie all these projects together," Johnson said.

"We're just making sure we've done our due diligence on issues such as where the new school will be located."

Also Thursday, trustees will discuss the possible hiring of a director of curriculum and instruction. This newly created post will be responsible for overseeing the district's classroom instruction policies.

"We want to have someone who's focused on curriculum and not management issues," Johnson said.

Johnson said the district has a finalist for the

position, but declined to name the person until the job has been accepted.

In other business, trustees will consider:

• Teacher contracts.
• Stipends.
• Other personnel is-

sues.

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protocols.

• Reports on new accountability ratings and state testing results for students in grades 5 and 8.

• Approval of the hiring schedule for the coming year and pay adjustment for auxiliary and paraprofessional employees.

• The annual evaluation of Superintendent Steven Saldivar.

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Frankie Joshua Rubio, III, 2, died Friday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. A fund has been established at Myers & Smith Funeral Home to help the family with funeral expenses.

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DAILY PRAYER

Thank you, oh Lord, for the rain we have dearly needed.

Amen

Stopping stress in its tracks

Stress is a killer. It is a major player in many health issues that we 21st Century citizens are coping with and that theory is validated by statistics, as well as personal experience.

We all know that we should be more stress-free, but knowing what to do with the knowledge we have isn't always easy.

Wisdom is sometimes defined as putting knowledge into action and to a large degree, I would agree. The problem is that we have all found ourselves in that proverbial place of not knowing what to do when something has to be done. We know that something has to change, but what? And where do we start?

Not knowing what to do often paralyzes us into doing nothing and stress becomes an unavoidable detrimental factor in our life as a result of inaction.

If we know what is causing our stress, the starting point for resolution is obvious. The problem is that too often the real cause of our stress isn't easily discernible or identifiable.

One thing important to accept is that knowledge is responsibility. If you accidentally or carelessly run a red light you're still going to be ticketed because you know better. You won't be guiltless by pleading ignorance of the law because every legally licensed driver is required to know what a red light means.

Similarly, there are "red lights" in life we seem to be carelessly sailing through. So, in accordance with the previously stated knowledge is responsibility concept, we start where we know what we can do to facilitate positive change.

But that's not a "one-size-fits-all" solution because many things that cause us stress are out of our control.

One thing is certain, however, and that is that stress is usually present because something needs to change.

Someone said, "Your life does not get better by chance, but by change."

Tony Robbins says, "By

changing nothing, nothing changes."

"The best thing you can do is the right thing; the next best thing you can do is the wrong thing; the worst thing you can do is nothing." So declared Theodore Roosevelt. Maybe positive change is the stress-relief you are looking for.

Most of us prepared hard for the future we expected, and yet things aren't working out as we had planned.

That's true if you have been laid off, are a recent college graduate who feels underemployed, or are a manager facing constant upheavals at work, even if you are the boss, because you are wrestling with disruptive technologies and new competitors who seemingly come out of nowhere to upend your industry.

This is not how we were told it was going to be. Growing up, we were led to believe that the future was predictable enough, and if we studied hard we could obtain the work we wanted in an environment we understood, and we would live happy and successful lives.

The experts told us the steps for dealing with a predictable universe:

1. You (or your parents, teachers, or bosses) forecast how the future will be.

2. You construct a number of plans for achieving that future, picking the optimal one.

3. You amass all the necessary resources (education, money, etc.) necessary to achieve your plan.

4. And then you go out and make that plan a reality. Simple, right?

Well, there's just one small problem. We don't live in a predictable universe anymore and that in and of itself negates the simplistic theory that tells us we have all the answers.

Truth is, the longer I live, the more I realize how few of the answers we do have. Often I am reminded of how incapable I am of changing things by myself.

With that as a launching pad, I submit a few thoughts on stress relief that may not be scientifically proven, but sure seem to be experientially valid.

First, be honest enough with yourself to acknowledge that you need change. That's threatening to some folks, but we all

have room for improvement.

Then, stop demanding perfection. Nobody is, and when we place unreasonable expectations on ourselves, or others, we will ultimately end up stressed over failure to live up to an unattainable standard.

Louise Hay said, "If I want to be loved for who I am, I have to learn to love others for who they are."

Reading a good book that has a positive and uplifting theme is always positive. No matter what society says, you will be more at peace with yourself, your circumstances, and your world if you feed your mind positive, encouraging and edifying brain food.

Surround yourself with true friends and people who will build you up with their positive outlook. It is undeniable that attitudes are contagious.

Mandy Hale said, "Sometimes you have to move on without certain people. If they're meant to be in your life, they'll catch up."

Sometimes the only difference between a bad day (experience) and a good day (experience) is one's attitude. Having a positive and optimistic perspective when you don't have all the answers takes work, but it's worth it.

It never hurts to remember that we aren't the only ones who have had to face adversity and that if we hang on we have the opportunity to be an over-comer.

As hard as it is to accept, our problems and challenges aren't unique and somebody before us has already weathered this situation. Remind yourself that if they can do it, so can you.

We aren't going to float through life on a cloud. There are just too many life situations that are unavoidable.

But we can help ourselves out by facing change and struggles with a positive view and a trust in God's strength to become perfect in our weakness. You may just find yourself dancing in the rain before you know it.

You may not agree with anything I've said, but I column as I see 'em.

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Obama is no fool on Syria

Last week, Bill Clinton warned that President Barack Obama risked looking like a "wuss" and "a total fool" for not acting sooner on Syria. Shortly thereafter — but two months after Secretary of Defense Chuck Hagel charged that strongman Bashar Assad had crossed a "red line" in using chemical weapons against his own people — the White House announced that in response to Assad's use of sarin, the administration would send small arms to help Syrian rebels.

Allow me to stand up for the president. Obama didn't look like a fool for not rushing into the Syrian mess at the behest of Beltway foreign policy do-gooders. To the contrary, Obama has shown himself to be the rare Washington leader who learned something from Egypt and Libya. No need to touch that stove too often.

In 2011, during the heady days of mass protests in Cairo's Tahrir Square, Secretary of State Hillary Clinton came forward to urge Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak — a U.S. ally — "to begin immediately serious negotiations on a peaceful and orderly transition." Now Her

Stateness looks totally foolish. Because she had Arab Spring fever, an ally is in chains, and Egypt has new leadership, the Muslim Brotherhood.

At least America had a national interest in ousting Libyan despot Moammar Gadhafi, who ordered the 1988 Pan Am Flight 103 bombing, which left 270 dead. But with the U.S. military spread thin from wars in Iraq and Afghanistan and the political ideology of Libyan rebels in question, Obama preferred to leave NATO in charge of the air war over Libya. A White House aide famously dubbed this strategy "leading from behind."

When Libyans killed Gadhafi, Madam Secretary paraphrased Julius Caesar, quipping, "We came; we saw; he died." She has shown less bluster since a terrorist attack in Benghazi left Ambassador J.

Christopher Stevens, Sean Smith, Tyrone Woods and Glen Doherty dead. The Libyan non-war doesn't feel like victory anymore.

Sen. John McCain, R-Ariz., has faulted Obama for pledging arms after 100-plus Syrians were killed by chemical weapons but not earlier in a civil war that has claimed 93,000 lives. Give this to McCain: He has the moral high ground. I felt the same way about the atrocities committed by Iraq's Saddam Hussein. Ten years after the Iraq War began, the country is more stable but at a

cost so terrible that Americans don't want to walk that path again.

The Obama administration wisely stipulates that there will be no American boots on Syrian ground. Deputy national security adviser Ben Rhodes asserted that Washington expects U.S. arms will not fall "into the hands of extremists."

The president also has resisted calls to order a "no-fly zone." He would rather spend tax dollars on nation building at home than on civil war management abroad.

There's this view among the foreign policy elite that Obama has to be tough on Syria in order to telegraph to world leaders that American outrage builds at a penalty. In Egypt, the penalty was that a terrorist organization won power, and in Libya, the penalty put more firepower into the hands of hostile militias.

By all means, Mr. President, send arms to the Syrian rebels. Do what you have to do to keep Assad — and Hezbollah and Iran and Russia — from winning. But don't feel you have to give in to the risky demands of the foreign policy scolds. Remember: "We came; we saw; he died."

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Around the area

Bryan Adams photo exhibit

MARFA — For the past 12 years, musician Bryan Adams has sharpened his skills as a professional photographer by capturing intimate images of friends and colleagues in the entertainment, fashion and art industries.

In October 2012, Adams released a comprehensive retrospective of his photographic work in a book titled, "Exposed." Twenty-nine select images from the book will be on public display at the Marfa Contemporary, as the final stop of a 3-city U.S. tour of art venues in Dallas, Oklahoma City and Marfa, Texas.

The exhibition opened May 31, and runs from 6-8 p.m. through Wednesday, July 31. The show is free to the public. Bryan Adams "Exposed" will be the third exhibition at Marfa Contemporary since its opening in October 2012.

Portraits in the exhibition include a cross-section of international celebrities and emerging stars such as Danny Trejo, Victoria Beckham, Lindsay Lohan, Amy Winehouse, Mickey Rourke, Natalia Vodianova, Pink, Mick Jagger, Sean Penn, Queen Elizabeth II, Sir Ben Kingsley and South African rave rapper Yo-Landi Visser.

A limited number of the Bryan Adams edition-images and copies of the "Exposed" coffee

table book will be available for sale at Marfa Contemporary.

Annual Squash Cook-Off

RULE — The Eighth Annual Squash Cook-Off at Village Primitives in Rule will be held Friday.

Entries with recipe must be turned in by 11:15 a.m. There will be 11 categories and winners must be in attendance.

For more information, call 940-996-2428 or 940-256-0267.

Genealogy class to benefit museum

GAIL — Curious about who's in your family tree? Come learn the basics of family history research with the Borden County Historical Commission.

A beginner's genealogy class is slated Saturday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Borden County Event Center.

Taught by Lisa Dennis Mahler, the class will cover how to begin, how to stay organized, how to use the internet to find relatives and how to find records at the county level. Lisa was raised in Borden County and now lives in San Angelo, where she serves on the board of directors of

the state award-winning San Angelo Genealogical and Historical Society and has been teaching beginner classes in San Angelo for several years.

When asked who should attend, Lisa responded "Everyone interested in their family history. Even if you don't have relatives who lived in Texas, beginning genealogists can start their search with online resources."

The class will cost \$10 per person for pre-registered and pre-paid participants. Deadline for early pre-registration is June 17. Cost will be \$20 at the door for non-registered participants.

The Historical Commission will provide coffee, iced tea and desserts. Participants should bring a sack lunch and note-taking materials.

Proceeds from the class go toward preservation of the Borden County Museum's collection. You may pick up a registration form from the following location in Big Spring: Election Administrator's Office, Room 101, Howard County Courthouse; or email bordencohistory@gmail.com to request an electronic version of the registration form.

Mail your completed registration form and payment to Borden County Historical Commission, c/o Kenny Bennett, PO Box 152, Gail, TX 79738.



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Members and friends of Templo Belen enjoy a recent Saturday morning in a 5K run at Comanche Trail Park. The run/walk helped raise funds for the church's ministries.

Coahoma reunion nears

Coahoma High School will hold an All-School Reunion on Saturday, July 20, at the Elementary School in Coahoma. Registration will begin at 9:30 a.m. Anyone who attended Coahoma schools or taught or worked in the Coahoma school system is invited to attend.

Rather than a theme this year, the emphasis will be upon visiting with old friends and renewing acquaintances. Individual classes are encouraged to utilize this opportunity for their milestone class reunions (20th, 40th, etc.). Invitations will not be mailed this year, so everyone is asked to help spread the word to all CHS alumni. E-mail information will be sent upon request to Michael Hinsley at mdhinsley@mac.com.

A barbecue lunch will be prepared by school organizations as a fundraiser, and pre-payment of \$10 per person is requested by July 1 to: CHS REUNION, PO Box 84, Coahoma, TX 79511. Include the names; tickets will be waiting at the registration desk.

The reunion is expected to last until 2 or 3 p.m. and will include an auction and drawings to raise money for college scholarships to CHS students. Attendees are asked to bring new or novelty items for the auction. That evening, a CHS Reunion social for all classes will be held in Big Spring at

Kokapelli's. Additional details will be available by e-mail, Facebook (Michael Hinsley) or at the reunion.

If you need further information, please contact any of the CHS Reunion officers:

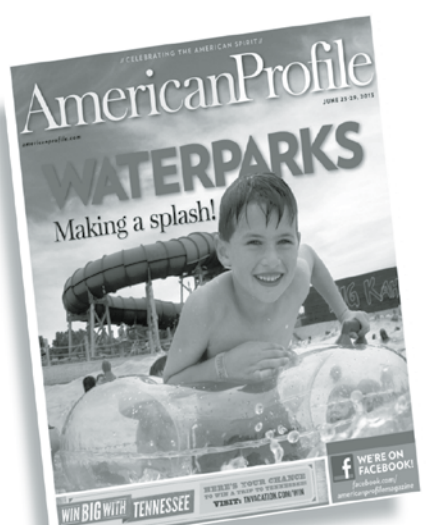
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Are you ready for some tall, broad-shouldered, slim-hipped, steely-eyed, good-looking, slow-talking Western hero to take your breath away (oh my, I'm feeling faint)? Admittedly, most of the people who check out the Westerns are men and I don't think they really pay much attention to the looks of the hero in the book, but I do, especially when there is a spirited woman who is in the story, too.

There are just over 20 new Westerns going out on the shelf today, so you Western aficionados (and you know who you are) better check the new book binder so you can be first on the block to check them out. You will recognize the authors: Robert J. Horton, Lauran Paine, Ralph Cotton, Will Henry, L.P. Holmes, Jory Sherman, Robert J. Randisi, Ralph Compton and others who may not be as familiar will be on the list in the new book binder.

I always heard Bridge is a hard game to learn. However, a slim volume has made its arrival to the library: "Play Bridge in 10 Minutes," (795.415 BYF B) by Brian Byfield. The back of the book will tell you that you will learn all the rules, how to communicate with your partner and more advanced strategies for winning the game. Try telling that to Omar Sharif!

Volume 3 of the Clifton Chronicles by Jeffrey Archer is in. The "Best Kept Secret" (F ARC J), begins in

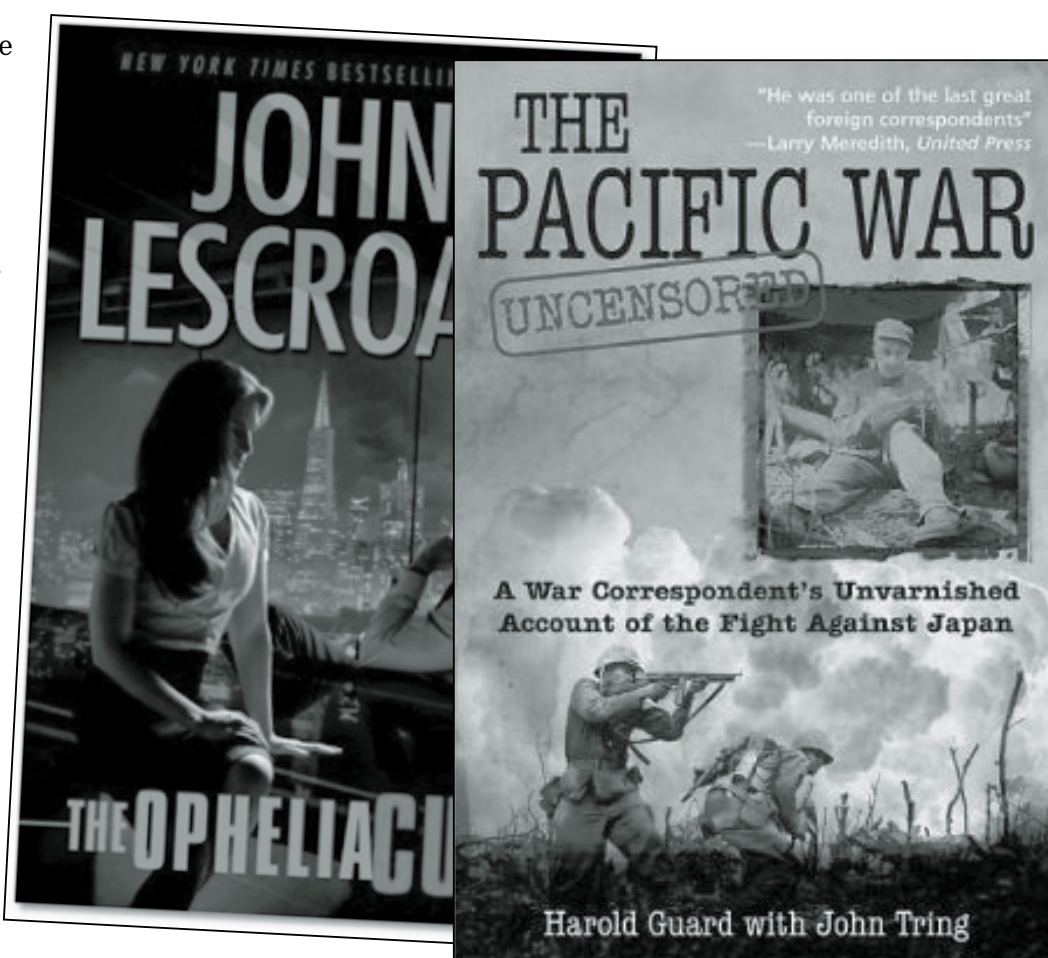
London in 1945. The vote in the House of Lords as to who should inherit the Barrington family fortune has ended in a tie. The Lord Chancellor's deciding vote will cast a long shadow on the lives of Harry Clifton and Giles Barrington. Harry returns to America to promote his latest novel, while his beloved Emma goes in search of the little girl who was found abandoned in her father's office on the night he was killed.

When the general election is called, Giles Barrington has to defend his seat in the House of Commons and is horrified to discover who the Conservatives select to stand against him. But it is Sebastian Clifton, Harry and Emma's son, who ultimately influences his uncle's fate. In 1957, Sebastian wins a scholarship to Cambridge and a new generation of the Clifton family marches onto the page.

"The Pacific War: Uncensored" (940.542 GUA H) is the frank, unfiltered views of a reporter in the thick of the Pacific War combat on land, sea and air. Harold Guard died in 1986 and John Tring is his grandson



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walk with a stiff right leg due to his Navy injury. Despite this, he often reported from perilous situations at the front line, which gained him considerable notoriety within the newspaper world. Harold Guard always endeavored to give an honest account of what was happening in the war, and this often brought him into conflict with the military censors. It is truly an

amazing story. who has spent the past nine years editing his story from a variety of public and private sources. No longer subject to censorship, these observations on how the Allies nearly failed may now be told.

Harold Guard became a war correspondent quite by chance, after he had been invalidated out of the Navy following a submarine accident. Thereafter, working for United Press, he gained a front row seat to many of the most dramatic battles and events of the century. In March 1942, Guard arrived in Australia, having narrowly escaped from Japanese forces invading Singapore and Java. His dispatches from that disastrous front prompted one observer to comment on "the crisis days when everybody except Harold Guard was trying to hush up the real situation."

At the time, he was acclaimed by the Australian press as being one of the top four newspapermen covering the war in the Pacific. Over the next three years, Guard was to have many more adventures reporting on the Pacific War, including firsthand experience of flying with the U.S. Air Force on 22 bombing missions, camping with Allied forces in the deadly jungles of New Guinea and taking part in attacks from amphibious landing craft on enemy occupied territory. He also traveled into the undeveloped areas of Australia's northern territories to report on the construction of the air bases that were being built in preparation for defending the country against the advancing Japanese.

What made Harold Guard's achievements even more remarkable was that he was disabled and had to

amazing story.

One of my favorite authors, John Lescroart, is back with Dismas Hardy and the gang. In "The Ophelia Cut," (M LES J) Moses McGuire has good reason to be concerned about his beautiful 23-year-old daughter, Brittany. She moves quickly from one boyfriend to the next, and always seems to prefer a new and mysterious stranger to a man she knows something about. But her most recent ex, Rick Jessup, isn't willing to let her go, culminating in a terrible night when Brittany is raped. Within 24 hours, Rick Jessup is dead, Moses McGuire is the prime suspect in the investigation, and Dismas Hardy has been hired to defend his brother-in-law. Making things even more complicated, McGuire has fallen off the wagon, and his stay in prison could bring to light old secrets that would destroy Hardy and his closest colleagues' careers.

As the overwhelming evidence against McGuire piles up, Dismas Hardy focuses on planting doubt in the minds of the jurors—until, in a feat of legal ingenuity that is staggering in both its implications and its simplicity, Hardy sees a new way forward that might just save them all. But at what price? I won't tell you the ending, but I was very disappointed.

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Local to compete at world's largest junior rodeo

By **BRIAN MCCORMACK**
Sports Editor

Big Spring's Canyon Atkinson, a seventh grade student and son of Shannon and Belinda Crenshaw, has been riding bulls since he was seven years old. Atkinson recently qualified for the world's largest junior rodeo, where he will compete against the best in the world.

The National Junior High Finals Rodeo will take place in Gallup, N.M., beginning June 23. Atkinson will join about 2,000 other young buckaroos at the yearly event, which features participants from 41 U.S. States, five Canadian provinces and Australia.

More than \$75,000 in prizes and \$100,000 in scholarship funds will be awarded, which Atkinson will be vying for along with his peers.

"It's a great honor," Crenshaw said of his son. "Canyon's worked real hard every day to get to where he's at. We're very proud of the accomplishments he's had. Eventually, his goal is to be on the PBR (Professional Bull Riding) — the granddaddy of bull riding."

The road to the NJHFR isn't an easy one to hoe. Atkinson, in addition to his duties as a student and son, also competes in more than 50 rodeo events per year. A 2013 state champion, the 13-year old will be one of just four junior bull riders representing Texas in Gallup.

Atkinson has won seven saddles and at least 60 buckles since he began riding.

To earn the title of NJHFR champion, Atkinson must qualify in the Top 20 in the first round, then move on to the second where he will face the other finalists in his age bracket. Each contestant will ride three times, with the average being recorded as the final score.

Saturday's championship round will be televised nationally on RFD-TV. Live broadcasts will also air on NHRATV.com. Performance times are for 7 p.m. on June 23, with 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. performances each day thereafter.

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Photo submitted by Belinda Crenshaw

Big Spring junior bull rider Canyon Atkinson, 13, earned a shot at a national title in Gallup, N.M., later this month after qualifying for the Nation Junior High Finals Rodeo. Atkinson recently won a state championship and will be just one-of-four entrants representing Texas at the event.

Heat rally, beat Spurs in OT to force Game 7



AP photo

Miami's LeBron James goes for a bucket while being guarded by San Antonio's Manu Ginobili and Tim Duncan. The Heat edged the Spurs 103-100 in OT.

MIAMI (AP) — When LeBron James' greatness almost wasn't good enough, officials began preparing for a San Antonio celebration.

Miami's championship reign would be over. Someone in Spurs black would replace James as NBA Finals MVP.

James and the Heat wouldn't let it happen.

"To be a part of something like this is something you would never be able to recreate once you're done playing the game. And I'm blessed to be a part of something like this," James said. "And I'm happy about the way we dug down and was able to get a win. It didn't look like we could muster up at some point in the game."

James powered Miami to a frantic fourth-quarter and overtime escape as the Heat beat the Spurs 103-100 on Tuesday night to extend the NBA Finals as far as they can go and keep Miami's repeat chances alive.

Losing his headband but keeping his cool while playing the entire second half and overtime, James finished with 32 points, 10 rebounds and 11 assists, making the go-ahead basket with 1:43 remaining in the extra period.

"It's by far the best game I've ever been a part of," James said.

He wouldn't let the Heat lose it — or their NBA title. If the Spurs want to take it, they'll have to fight just a little harder to get it.

One last game, winner take all.

So close to being eliminated that they noticed officials bringing yellow tape out to block off the court for the Spurs' trophy presentation, the Heat hit a couple of big 3-pointers and got some defensive stops — everything that makes a great team a champion.

"We seen the championship board already out there, the yellow tape. And you know, that's why you play the game to the final buzzer," James said. "And that's what we did tonight. We had it everything that we had and more."

Tim Duncan scored 30 points for the Spurs, his most in an NBA Finals game since Game 1 in 2003, but was shut out after the third quarter. He added 17 rebounds.

Game 7 is in Miami on Thursday, the NBA's first do-or-die matchup to crown a champion since the Lakers beat the Celtics in 2010.

"They're the best two words in sports: Game 7," Heat coach Erik Spoelstra said.

Oh-so-close to avoiding.

They looked headed to a fifth title in five chances when they built a 13-point lead with under 4 minutes left in the third quarter, then grabbed a five-point edge with 28 seconds left in regulation after blowing the lead.

But James hit a 3-pointer and Ray Allen tied it with another. Just 5.2 seconds remained in regulation. The Heat were that close to the edge.

"It's a tough moment.

We were a few seconds away from winning the championship and we let it go," Spurs veteran Manu Ginobili said. "A couple rebounds we didn't catch, a tough 3 by Ray and a couple missed free throws. It's a very tough moment."

James was just 3 of 12 after three quarters, the Heat trailing by 10 and frustration apparent among the players and the fans.

Nothing to worry about. Not with James playing like this. He finished 11 of 26, even making a

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A's top Rangers, Darvish 6-2

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — Facing Yu Darvish has been no problem for the Oakland Athletics. They have beaten the Texas Rangers' Japanese ace four times, more than any other team.

Brandon Moss and John Jaso homered, Jarrod Parker went seven strong innings for his fourth consecutive victory and the AL West-leading A's beat the Rangers 6-2 on Tuesday night.

"We may do better against him than other teams, maybe, because we see him more often being in our division and we always seem to get him," Moss said. "But at the same time, it

is really hard to face him because he's so unique and so different."

Darvish (7-3) had 10 strikeouts in his six innings, but the A's never trailed after Moss led off the second with his 13th homer. Jaso added a leadoff shot an inning later for 3-0 lead.

Parker (6-6) limited the Rangers to two runs and three hits over seven innings to improve to 4-0 his last five starts. The right-hander is 4-1 in five career starts against Texas.

And this time, he outpitched Darvish, though he tried not to

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Police visit home of Patriots TE Hernandez

NORTH ATTLEBOROUGH, Mass. (AP) — State and local police spent hours at the home of New England Patriots tight end Aaron Hernandez on Tuesday night as another group of officers searched an industrial park about a mile away where a body was discovered the day before.

Police at the scene and prosecutors would not comment on the actions while Sports Illustrated, citing an unidentified source, reported that

Hernandez was not believed to be a suspect in what was being treated as a possible homicide.

Sports Illustrated reported that the link between Hernandez and the case was a rented Chevrolet Suburban with Rhode Island plates that police had been searching for. The Sun Chronicle of Attleboro, Mass., said the SUV was registered to Enterprize and investigators wanted to analyze it for fingerprints.

The Associated Press could not independently confirm the reports.

No cause of death had been released for the body found about 5:30 p.m. Monday.

Hernandez is represented by the Athletes First agency, which said it has no comment "on the Aaron Hernandez situation." The player's mother said by telephone from Connecticut on Tuesday she had no knowledge of a case involving him.

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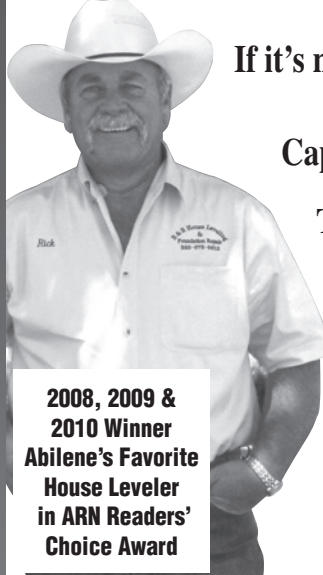
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Pet Talk: Arthritis and your pet

The Aggie family lost a beloved member when Reveille VII, the retired mascot of Texas A&M University, died recently. Ever since her arrival in Aggieland, Reveille VII, a female American Collie, had been receiving the best care available at the Small Animal Hospital at the Texas A&M College of Veterinary Medicine & Biomedical Science (CVM).

Stacy Eckman, a lecturer at the CVM, had been treating Rev for arthritis since last August, when Rev's caregivers, Tina and Paul Gardner, noticed that she was having trouble sitting down like she normally would.

"Arthritis can attack bones and joints in animals the same way the disease does in humans," said Zachary Goodrich, veterinary resident instructor at the CVM. "However some animals, especially dogs, can be affected by arthritis at a much younger age than humans generally are. Some pets will be affected by arthritis before they are even one year old."

Reveille VII was twelve and a half.

Although there is no certain way to prevent arthritis in pets, owners can help stave off arthritis by making sure their dog has a good, healthy diet and gets plenty of exercise.

"Dogs that are overweight tend to be more affected by arthritis," Eckman said.

Reveille VII did not have that problem. "Tina Gardener did a great job keeping Reveille slim and fit, even with her reduced activity level in retirement," Eckman said.

"Consistent low-impact exercise such as walking and swimming helps maintain good muscle mass as well as keeping your pet at an ideal body weight," said Goodrich. "The more extra weight your pet carries around, the higher the stress being placed across its joints which may worsen the arthritis or affect your pet's quality of life."

There are several signs for pet-owners to look for if they suspect their animal is suffering from arthritis. "The most obvious sign is decreased activity level," said Goodrich. "The animal may not want to go as far as it used to on a walk or may not want to walk at all. Other signs can include stiffness when rising, especially after sleeping, and varying degrees of lameness." It is also important to have your animal examined.

A veterinarian can take x-rays of the affected joints to diagnose arthritis. However, x-ray images can't determine the disease's severity.



"Their signs on x-rays don't necessarily coordinate with their physical findings," Eckman said. In other words, a lack of change in the x-rays doesn't mean your pet's arthritis isn't getting worse.

Although there is no cure for arthritis, there are a number of treatments available to help your arthritic pet feel better. These treatments vary depending on the severity of the case.

Early detection — before the disease has progressed too far — is important to help maintain your pet's ability to walk, run, and play.

"There are several surgical and medical treatment options available depending on which joint is affected," said Goodrich. "Joint replacements are performed on a case-by-case basis. Arthroscopy is also routinely used to evaluate and treat the joint in a minimally invasive manner."

A veterinarian may give your dog steroid injections to help relieve inflammation. Drugs, such as polysulfated glycosaminoglycan injections, help protect cartilage with minimal side effects.

"Medical options include non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs, of which there are several on the veterinary medical market," said Eckman. "Most of them are actually formulated for osteoarthritis." However, never give your pets human medications such as ibuprofen or aspirin, as they can cause serious harm to your pet's stomach, kidneys, and liver.

"When you use the drugs together, you can actually use less drug overall because they complement each other," said Eckman.

Physical therapy, such as work on a water treadmill, is very important.

"Treatment for arthritis sometimes requires multiple types of therapy," said Jacqueline Davidson, clinical

professor at the CVM. "Reveille was given several different types of oral medication for pain and inflammation and received injections of a joint lubricant and a steroid into several of the more severely affected joints. She also received injections of a medication in the muscle to help with joint pain and inflammation."

Reveille's diet was also controlled throughout her therapy to make sure that she stayed at a lean body weight, and she took several different dietary supplements for her joints, one of which was an omega-3 fatty acid, to help reduce pain associated with inflammation.

"Being overweight results in more stress on the joints because they are supporting more weight," said Davidson. "In addition, excess body fat promotes inflammation in the body and can worsen the signs of arthritis."

Reveille came to the TAMU veterinary physical rehabilitation service several times weekly. Her treatments included electro-acupuncture and laser therapy for pain and she exercised regularly in the underwater treadmill.

"Walking in water is helpful for arthritis because the buoyancy of the water reduces stress on the joints, allowing for more comfortable movement," said Davidson. "In addition, the water provides some resistance, which helps promote leg strength."

The TAMU Small Animal Hospital also provides nonmedical treatments to help with pain, such as dry needling, laser, high-energy wave therapy, therapeutic ultrasound, electrical stimulation, and electro-acupuncture.

A veterinarian can give recommendations for various dietary supplements and a home exercise plan, as well as provide dietary counseling to choose the most appropriate diet to maintain lean body weight in your pet.

"There is no one right recipe for every dog," Eckman said. "You have options, and you have to determine what works and what doesn't work."

About Pet Talk

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Tomorrow's Horoscope

Sun and Jupiter Conjunction

The merry procession of well-wishing begins with the sun and lucky Jupiter in conjunction at the last degrees of Gemini. The solar tides are about to turn, and this is a time for celebration of the new friends made, games played and agreements struck during the bright, carefree days of the Gemini sun.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Many ideas will come to you, and there is a real gem among them. Write them down so you can

scrutinize your collection later and find the truly valuable item.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). You often hear someone say, "It's not a competition." "But it is!" you reply in your mind. Take that competitive spirit and put it to good use by remembering your most important competitor: yourself.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). It might seem like a strange thing to consider, but you have a starring role in someone's memory bank, and thus you have the chance to make the story more

interesting. You'll be in just the mood to seize this opportunity.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Problems at work or at school are multiplying, but you'll stay on top of them as long as you remember to stop, take a deep breath and



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prioritize instead of worrying.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Some think that being able to entertain other points of view means your own isn't so strong — untrue! It is precisely because your worldview is so solid that you are able to entertain other ideas.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). A positive spin on an awkward situation will do wonders for flagging

morale, but resist the temptation to let your emphasis on the bright side spin out of control into a denial of problems that require attention.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). It goes something like this: You stray from the boring path, get lost, struggle, think you know where you're going, wind up worse off, try again, find your way back and are happy for the adventure of it all.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Your past pain was like a magic growing potion that escalated you quickly through many levels of knowing. Now you are wise. There's a memory, and a sadness, that will always be with you in some way.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). A wise person once said, "Those who try to be a friend to everyone often wind up not being a friend to

anyone." Remember to be fair to both parties in a dispute, but don't withhold your judgment when asked.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). When you use your talents, you excite fans and peers alike. Watching and experiencing enthrall the former, and the latter are inspired to unleash their own talent in answer to your gesture.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). After an unexpected interruption, it feels like that connection you made will never come to fruition. But don't give up. The other person is simply waiting for you to close the circuit.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). When you feel as if you're on the outside looking in, your face pressed against the glass, it's easy to forget that there's a whole vast world behind you. Don't forget to turn around and see it.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (June 19). In the past, you've had fewer options, but now you'll find yourself in a position to be discerning and selective. What happens in July makes you more interesting and also more interested in others. A certain someone or something enralls you in August. September brings a self-imposed challenge and a well-won victory. Capricorn and Sagittarius people adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 3, 22, 39, 42 and 15.

WHAT'S YOUR SUMMER THEME? Even though it seems like summer already, what happens post-summer will get to the heart of what this summer is about for you. For ARIES, the operative word is "relationships." One in particular will get the lion's share of your attention. The unfolding of this scene will open

something up in you. TAURUS is on a taste-making journey this summer, homing in on the finer things in life from a highly personal perspective. Pleasing and delighting the senses is a key to happiness in general. Taurus might be surprised to discover it's actually a lot of work figuring out exactly what brings the most pleasure! GEMINI is just coming out of the spotlight and feels ready for some behind-the-scenes activity this summer. The pressure is off at work, and it will feel like there's less to do at home and in relationships, too. Finally, real relaxation sets in — not the hectic substitute for relaxation that comes with family visits, theme parks and the like. In a word, the theme for Gemini's summer is "chillin'." CANCER, on the other hand, has a personal agenda. Energy is high, change is desired, and improvements will occur. Cancer is focused, serious and ready to make things happen.

CELEBRITY PROFILES: Chart-topper Macklemore is among several Gemini rappers. The bright energy and rapid-fire wit of the twins are expressed eloquently in the vehicle of pop music and poetry. Macklemore puts a dollop of humor and practicality into the mix with "Thrift Shop," a song whose message is not only economically and socially sound, but also green. Secondhand clothes are better for the planet.

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Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

A 90 Percent Solution

South dealer.
North-South vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ 10 9 8
♥ A K 6
♦ Q 7 5 2
♣ 10 8 3

EAST
♠ 4
♥ Q 7 3
♦ A K 8 6 3
♣ 7 6 5 2

WEST
♠ 5 3 2
♥ J 10 5 2
♦ J 10 9 4
♣ 9 4

SOUTH
♠ A K Q J 7 6
♥ 9 8 4
♦ —
♣ A K Q J

The bidding:
South West North East
2♣* Pass 2NT Pass
3♣ Pass 4♣ Pass
5♣ Pass 5♥ Pass
7♣

* strong, artificial
Opening lead — jack of diamonds.

rounds of trumps, hoping they are divided 2-2. If this proves to be the case, the rest is easy enough. Declarer cashes his four club winners, discarding a heart from dummy, and eventually ruffs a heart in dummy to finish with 13 tricks. The objection to this method of play is that it depends almost entirely on finding the trumps divided 2-2, which is only a 40 percent chance.

But the alternative line of play — a dummy reversal — will succeed about 90 percent of the time and is therefore a much better plan of attack. It allows declarer to make the contract whether the opposing trumps break 2-2 or 3-1.

Accordingly, South ruffs the first diamond high, leads a trump to the eight, ruffs another diamond high and leads a trump to the nine. He then ruffs a third diamond and leads a heart to the king, followed by a fourth diamond ruff and a heart to the ace.

At this point, South has no trumps in his hand, having ruffed four diamonds and led trumps twice. When he next cashes the ten of spades, drawing West's last trump, he at the same time gets rid of his remaining heart and winds up taking the last four tricks with the A-K-Q-J of clubs. That's all there is to it!

Tomorrow: Sylvia learns how to finesse.

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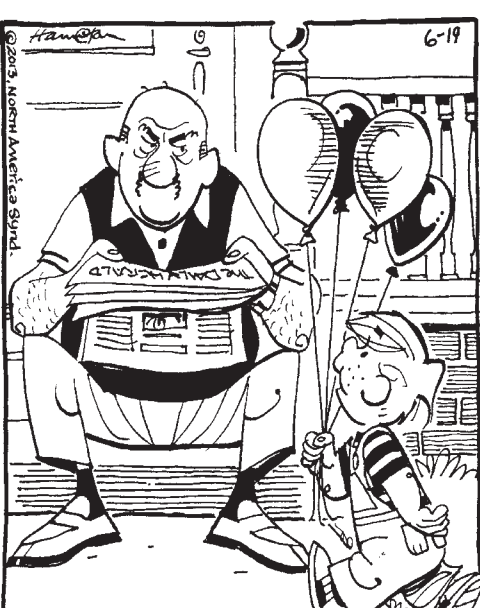
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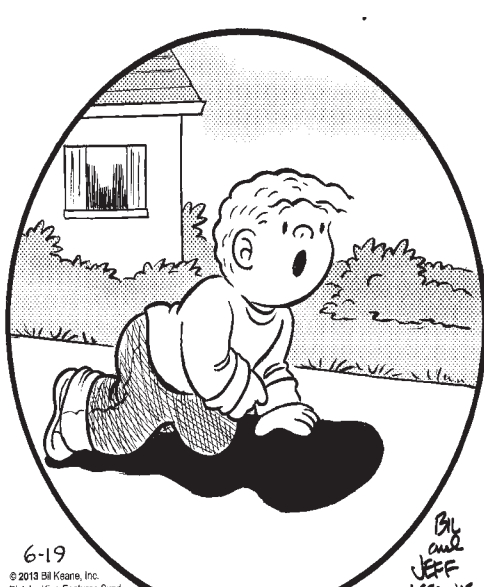
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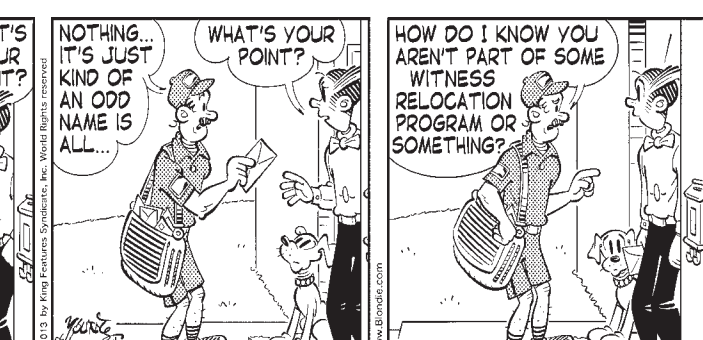


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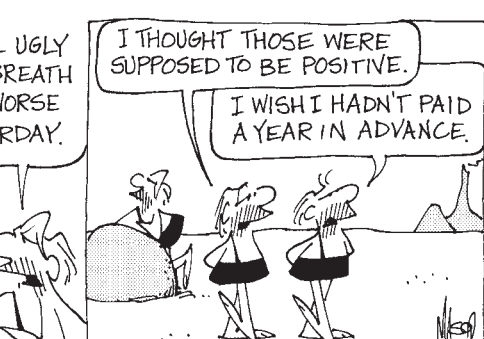
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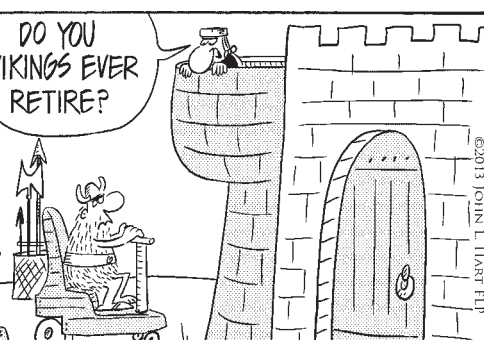
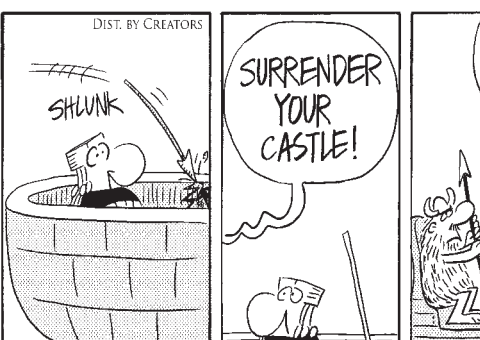
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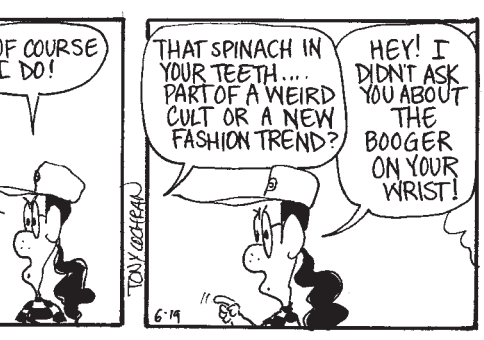
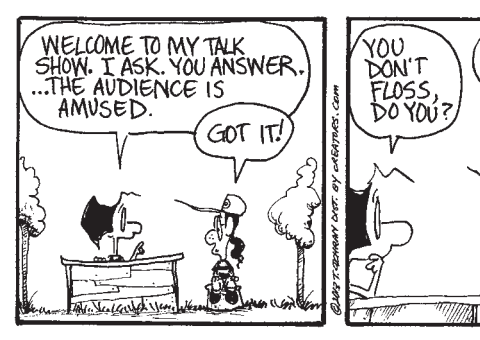
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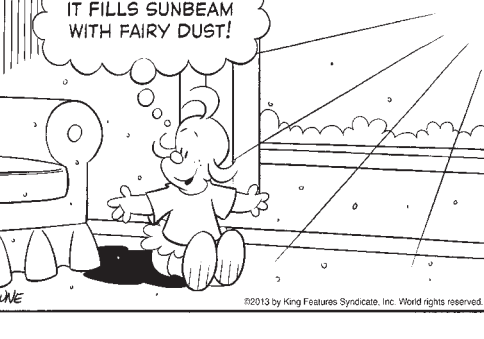
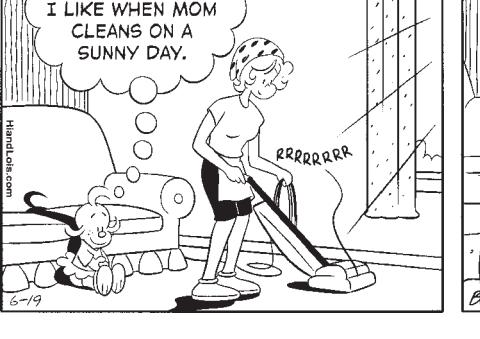
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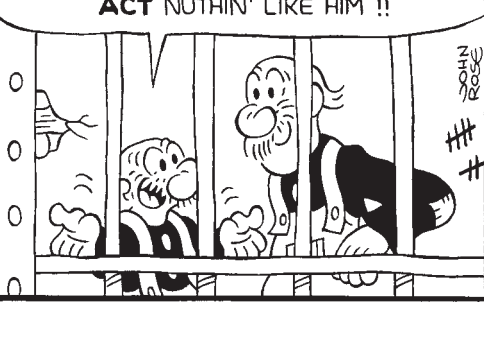
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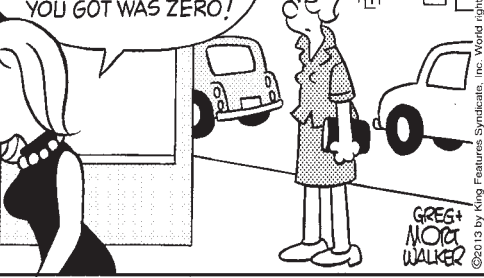
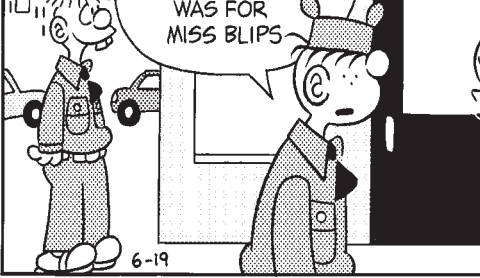
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Today's Highlight in History:

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On this date:

In 1862, Congress passed, and President Abraham Lincoln signed, a measure abolishing slavery in U.S. territories.

In 1865, Union troops commanded by Maj. Gen. Gordon Granger arrived in Galveston, Texas, with news that the Civil War was over, and that all remaining slaves in Texas were free.

In 1910, the first-ever Father's Day was celebrated in Spokane, Wash. (The idea for the observance is credited to Sonora Louise Smart Dodd.)

In 1934, the Federal

Communications Commission was created; it replaced the Federal Radio Commission.

In 1938, four dozen people were killed when a railroad bridge in Montana collapsed, sending a train known as the Olympian hurtling into Custer Creek.

In 1952, the celebrity-panel game show "I've Got A Secret" made its debut on CBS-TV with Garry Moore as host.

In 1963, President John F. Kennedy, speaking to Congress, criticized lawmakers for not acting on proposed civil rights legislation and called for passage of a single omnibus bill, the Civil Rights Act of 1963.

Soviet cosmonaut Valentina Tereshkova (teh-ruhsh-KOH'-vuh) returned to Earth after three days as the first woman in space.

In 1972, Hurricane Agnes, blamed for at least 122 deaths, made landfall over the Florida Panhandle.

In 1973, the rock musical "The Rocky Horror Show" premiered in London (it was later adapted into the movie "The Rocky Horror Picture Show").

In 1986, University of Maryland basketball star Len Bias, the first draft pick of the

Boston Celtics, suffered a fatal cocaine-induced seizure. Artificial heart recipient Murray P. Haydon died in Louisville, Ky., after 16 months on the manmade pump.

In 1987, the U.S. Supreme Court struck down a Louisiana law requiring any public school teaching the theory of evolution to teach creation science as well.

In 1999, author Stephen King was seriously injured when he was struck by a van driven by Bryan Smith in North Lovell, Maine. Britain's Prince Edward married commoner Sophie Rhys-Jones (rees johnz) in Windsor, England.

Today's Birthdays: Pop singer Tommy DeVito (The Four Seasons) is 85.

Answer to previous puzzle

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Newsday Crossword

HAVE A SEAT by Fred Piscop
Edited by Stanley Newman
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- ACROSS**
- 1 Still in force
 - 6 Quick-witted
 - 11 Unbridged area
 - 14 White Rabbit's chaser
 - 15 Barbecue locale
 - 16 Feel sorry for
 - 17 Police snitch
 - 19 Noteworthy period
 - 20 More cheap-sounding
 - 21 Science giant Newton
 - 23 Ab's neighbor
 - 25 Common bug
 - 26 Grad student's work
 - 31 Congo's former name
 - 33 Antagonizes
 - 34 Homer Simpson's boy
 - 35 Bowlers and boaters
 - 39 Military history magazine
 - 42 Nuisance
 - 43 Small band
 - 44 Field of endeavor
 - 45 Digital music players
 - 47 Double-dealing
 - 48 Tip off
 - 51 Onetime Chinese leader
 - 53 With parsley, on menus
 - 54 Solar storm
 - 60 Altar reply
 - 61 Person glued to the tube

- 65 Household appliance, for short
 - 66 Come next
 - 67 Short putt
 - 68 Antlered beast
 - 69 Pine (for)
 - 70 Clear, as a tape
- DOWN**
- 1 Wide-ranging
 - 2 Prefix meaning "height"
 - 3 Sphinx, mostly
 - 4 Clickable image
 - 5 Salad seller
 - 6 Cathedral topper
 - 7 Newsstand buy, for short
 - 8 Wolfed down
 - 9 Grande
 - 10 More posh
 - 11 Consequential
 - 12 Hearing-related
 - 13 Tranquility
 - 18 Livers (up)
 - 22 "Listen up!"
 - 24 Despotic government
 - 25 Take the bait
 - 26 Mouth, slangily
 - 27 Take on
 - 28 Hardwood trees
 - 29 Grapefruit part
 - 30 Suffix for self
 - 32 Best Picture Oscar film for 2012
 - 34 Crane or kite
 - 36 Gazetteer datum
 - 37 Armored vehicle
 - 38 Do in
 - 40 Positron's place
 - 41 Flatbread of India
 - 46 Big-ticket
 - 47 First course, maybe
 - 48 Cry of surrender
 - 49 Tennis star Rafael
 - 50 Monk's garment
 - 52 Visibly terrified
 - 55 Write down
 - 56 Play a big part
 - 57 One of the Three Bears
 - 58 Big name in elevators
 - 59 Muscular fitness
 - 62 Early afternoon
 - 63 World Baseball Classic team
 - 64 Mut

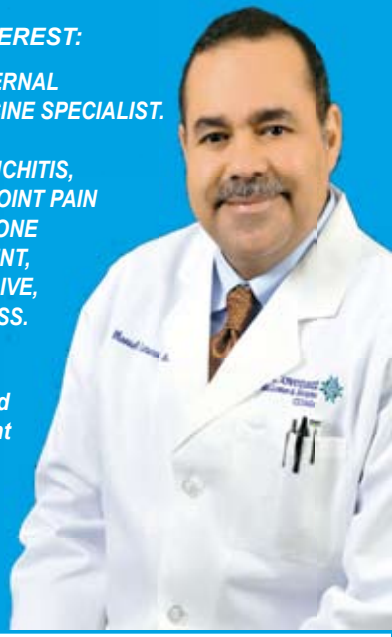
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RANGERS

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think about the opposing pitcher.

"You know who you're going up against," Parker said. "It's something you know you have to be on your game, but you don't change too much because then you catch yourself trying to do too much and not be who you are."

Oakland (43-30) has a three-game division lead and will leave Texas later this week after the

four-game series is done still in first place.

A night after breaking a six-game losing streak with a series-opening 8-7 victory in which the Rangers matched their run total during the skid, their only runs came on a play in the third when Ian Kinsler had a vicious collision at the plate.

Kinsler's face slammed into the mask of catcher Jaso while sliding feet-first. Kinsler needed three stitches near his left jaw and had blood on his jersey when he finally returned to the field to

play second base.

He scored on a two-run single by A.J. Pierzynski, having to hold up momentarily from second to make sure the ball dropped before running and then was waved home by third base coach Gary Pettis.

A's manager Bob Melvin was informed by umpires what was going on.

"No rule for it, more of a judgment. It's just like someone going to the bathroom I guess," he said. "It wouldn't have broken my heart if Kinsler came out."

RALLY

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steal after his basket had given Miami a 101-100 edge in the OT.

Somewhere in there, early in the fourth quarter, James lost his familiar headband. He couldn't remember exactly when or how. Nor was it particularly important to him.

Losing the game would have been far worse.

"I guess the headband was the least of my worries at that point," James said.

Before that, he had been 12 minutes from hearing the familiar criticisms about not being able to get it done, from having to watch a team celebrate on his home floor again.

Then he changed the game and erased that story.

The Heat, who haven't lost consecutive games since Jan. 8 and 10, had

too much defense and way too much James for the Spurs in the final 17 minutes. They are trying to become the fourth team to win the final two games at home since the NBA went to the 2-3-2 format for the finals in 1985.

This wasn't quite the 45-point performance in Game 6 of last year's Eastern Conference finals in Boston, but given the higher stakes it may go down as more important — if the Heat follow it with another victory Thursday.

"He just made play. I don't think there's any two ways to put it," Duncan said. "We were in the right position to close it out and he found a way to put his team over the top and we just didn't make enough plays to do that."

Kawhi Leonard had 22 points and 11 rebounds for the Spurs. Tony Parker had 19 points and eight assists, but shot just 6 of 23 from the field.

The Spurs had one final chance down 103-100, but Chris Bosh blocked Danny Green's 3-pointer from the corner as time expired.

Bosh had said Green wouldn't get open the way he has all series — and he didn't. Green finished 1 of 5 from behind the arc after going 25 of 38 on 3-pointers (65.8 percent) in the first five games.

The Heat, the NBA's 66-win powerhouse during the regular season, will be playing a seventh game for the second straight round, having needed to go the distance to beat the Indiana Pacers in the East finals.

Parker's 3-pointer over James tied it at 89 with 1:27 left. He then came up with a steal, spinning into the lane for a 91-89 lead with 58 seconds to go. Miami coughed it up again and Ginobili made two free throws, and he hit another after a third straight Miami turnover to put the Spurs ahead 94-89.

The Spurs went ahead by three again in overtime, but James found a cutting Allen for a basket, then scored himself to put the Heat on top.

"He just plays with great force," Allen said.

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