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'It's really happening'

TxDOT breaks ground on Hwy. 87 reliever route

BY **LYNDEL MOODY**
 Staff Writer

A ground-breaking ceremony for the largest construction project in the history of the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) Abilene District to date — the US 87 Truck Relief Route — was held Friday at the Hangar 25 Air Museum.

Local, state and federal dignitaries celebrated the moment by speaking of the project's history, economical importance and the collaborative effort by West Texas communities to bring the bypass to fruition. Yet, of all the eloquent words spoken at the podium Friday morning, one long-time advocate of the Ports-to-Plains trade corridor said it best.

"Today is one of those I-can't-really-believe-this-is-happening days," said Bill Crooker, a long-time former Howard County commissioner and an original member of the Ports to Plains Trade Corridor Coalition who left the board in 2011.

The four-lane, divided truck relief route is expected to help relieve truck traffic, especially those carrying hazardous contents from downtown Big Spring in anticipation of increased traffic from trade between the United States, Mexico and Canada.

Completion of the 8.5-mile highway, which will run from RM 33 to I-20, looping around Big Spring on the west side, is projected for early 2017. The project cost is \$44.8 million. Also included in the project is construction of an interchange that will connect the new route to I-20. That project is estimated to cost \$18.4 million.



Darby



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 In the top photo, dignitaries participate in a formal ground-breaking ceremony for the U.S. 87 truck relief route at Hangar 25 Air Museum Friday. Above, long-time Ports to Plains advocate Bill Crooker, seated, is congratulated by Ron Alton.

Facts & Figures

Project: From RM 33 to Interstate 20

Length: 8.5 miles

Type of work: Build new four-lane divided highway with overpass structures; construct interchange to connect new route with I-20.

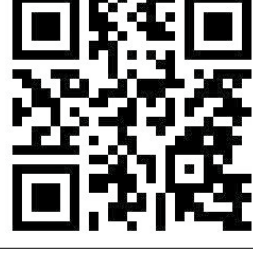
Start time: Interchange construction begins early in May 2014; highway construction begins late this year.

Estimated completion: Interchange complete in early 2016; US 87 complete early 2017

Contractors:

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Trustees to consider scholarship program

BY **LYNDEL MOODY**
 Staff Writer

Area childcare workers may be eligible for scholarship money to attend Howard College next year thanks to funds provided by the Permian Basin Workforce Center.

Howard College President Dr. Cheryl Sparks will present information about the program to college trustees Monday when they meet at 12:30 p.m. in the Tumbleweed



Sparks

Room, located in the Student Union Building, 1001 Birdwell Lane. "The Permian Basin Workforce Development Board receives child care development funds from the Texas Workforce Commission to provide subsidized childcare services to eligible families, and in the

last legislative session, they also wanted to mandate some of those funds to be used for improving the quality of child care in Texas," said Dr. Cheryl Sparks, Howard College president. "The Workforce board will be working with Howard College as well as other colleges in the region to give us scholarship money that can be awarded to individual caregivers that are already working part time

or full time to be enrolled in a certificate program leading to a Level I or Level II certification or a child development associate degree or a certified child care profession."

Sparks said the board is allocating \$75,000 in scholarship money to the district for the next academic year.

"We are trying to get the word out to prospective stu-

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County officials finalizing road improvement projects

By **STEVE REAGAN**
 Staff Writer

Howard County commissioners are close to finalizing plans for a multi-million dollar road renovation which, if all goes well, will begin this summer.

When they meet at 10:30 a.m. Monday in the county courthouse, commissioners will finalize an agreement with

the Texas Department of Transportation which will clear the way for that state agency to provide almost \$4 million in grant money for county road repair.

TxDOT has made the money available to Texas counties which have seen



Barr

road adversely affected by heavy oilfield traffic. Howard County Judge Mark Barr said this area will receive \$3.8 million in those funds.

Once Monday's final administrative hurdle is cleared, the county can turn its attention to actual road repair. Officials anticipate using the money on road repair in the northern and southwestern

parts of the county — areas where oilfield traffic has been the busiest.

Barr said TxDOT will reimburse the county for 80 percent of its road repair costs during the project, which is expected to last three years. Howard County's share has been estimated at \$750,000, he

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Obituaries

Mary and Marit Childres

Our precious daughters, Maryn Nicole and Marit DeAnn Childress, went to be with Jesus in heaven on April 18, 2014, in Houston, Texas. Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, April 25, 2014, at Grape Creek Cemetery with the Rev. Brad Winchester officiating.

Although our angels were with us just a short while, they wove their life into our hearts forever, and we will carry them in our hearts always.

Maryn Nicole and Marit DeAnn were preceded in death by their grandfather, Dwain Childress, of San Angelo and grandmother, Vicky Logsdon, of Big Spring.

They are survived by their parents, Randy and Sandy Childress, of San Angelo; grandparents, Susan Childress of San Angelo, Kathleen Childress of San Angelo and Mike and Ginger Logsdon of Big Spring; great-grandmothers, Mary Childress of San Angelo and Bonnie Logsdon of Coahoma; aunts and uncles, Marc and Erin Childress of Del Rio, Brandy and Brenden Stanislaus of Big Spring, Misty Heckler of Big Spring, Michelle and Tony Nix of Big Spring and Billy and Heather Logsdon; and numerous other cousins and family members.

Family and friends may sign an online register book at www.johnsons-funeralhome.com.

Paid obituary

Jeffrey Young

Funeral services for Jeffrey Young will be held at the First Baptist Church of Stanton at 2 p.m. Wednesday April 30, 2014. Burial will follow at the Evergreen Cemetery.

He was born April 6, 1965, in Stanton to the late Joseph II and Bobbie Young. He was the eighth of nine children. Jeffery attended public school in Stanton. He worked for Ellis & Son Plumbing and enjoyed fishing and hunting.

Jeffrey passed away in San Antonio on Wednesday April 23, 2014.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Joseph II and Bobbie Neil Young, his brother, Curtis Wal-

lace, and nephew, Little Anthony Young.

Survivors include his siblings, Willie B. from Greenwood, Faye of Midland, Joseph III and Lisa of Oklahoma City, Okla., Joe Lynn Young of Fort Stockton, Anthony Wright of Big Spring, Brenda Young and Leslie Lewis of Greenwood, twin sister Jennifer (Jan) and Jimmy Bueno of Odessa, Denise Wright and Billy Wright of Midland, and Stacey Young and wife Bernadette of Big Spring; 18 nieces, 18 nephews, 77 great-nieces and nephews and 16 great-great-nieces and nephews; and many other family members and friends.

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Stanton Memorial Funeral Home.

Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- GILBERT GONZALES, 32, of 905 E. 14th St., was arrested on a warrant from other agency.
- JAMES WENDELL TUBBS, 35, of 511 Galveston, was arrested on warrants for driving while license invalid, failure to appear (three counts), resisting arrest, search or transport; assault of a public servant; criminal trespass, property, building, aircraft, vehicle; aggravated assault with a deadly weapon and from other agency.
- COREY PRESTON HOFFPAUIR, 37, of 1100 Sycamore St., was arrested on a charge of disorderly conduct—language.
- KIMBERLY LORENA MUNIZ, 21, of 2509 Seminole Drive, was arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated.
- SABRINA VALENCIA MADRID, 29, of 1002 N. Main Street, was arrested on a warrant for parent contributing to nonattendance.

- ANIMAL PROBLEM was reported in the area of 2500 Chanute Drive.
- THEFT was reported in the 3600 block of West Highway 80 and the 600 block of East 12th Street.
- CRIMINAL MISCHIEF was reported in the 500 block of S. Aylesford and in the 2400 block of Morrison Drive.
- MINOR ACCIDENT was reported in the area of North West 7th and Aylesford streets and in the 1600 block of Tucson.
- DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE was reported in the 3600 block of Dixon St.
- ASSAULT was reported in the 900 block of Runnels St. and in the 2100 block of South Gregg St.
- INTOXICATED DRIVER was reported in the area of FM 700 and North of Interstate 20.
- DISTURBANCE was reported in the 1100 block of Sycamore St. and in the 1300 block of Fourth St.
- SHOTS FIRED was reported in the area of North-West Eighth St and San Antonio.

Support Groups

MONDAY

- Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion meeting, noon-1 p.m., 615 Settles.
- VA Alcoholics Anonymous support group, 7-8 p.m., Veterans Healing Center.
- Take Pounds Off Sensibly (TOPS) TX 0021 meets at First Christian Church at 10th and Goliad, in the dining hall on the east side of the building. Weigh-in starts at 2:50 p.m. and meeting starts at 3 p.m. We have a different program each week. For more information, please call 517-4922 or 935-6306.
- Circle of Hope, a Celebrate Recovery group, meets at 6:30-8 p.m. at Spring Creek Fellowship, located in the College Park Shopping Center. Celebrate Recovery is a Christ-centered recovery program dealing with life's hang-ups, hurts and habits, covering many areas. Circle of Hope group is a ministry of Spring Creek Fellowship. For further information, contact Dale at 432-270-8462.

- Reformers Unanimous International is a faith-based addictions program helping people find freedom from addiction. Meetings begin at 7 p.m. Mondays at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Enter at the back of the church.
- Stepping Stone Group of Narcotics Anonymous meets at Baptist Temple Church Fellowship Hall, 400 E. 11th Place. Open meeting at 7 p.m.

TUESDAY

- Noon — The Just For Today Group of Narcotics Anonymous meets in Room 3 at Spring Creek Fellowship, 501 Birdwell Lane.
- Big Spring and Snyder Parkinsons Support Group meeting at the Big Spring Senior Center at 10:30 a.m. the second Tuesday of the month. This is a group for all Parkinson's disease patients, spouses and caregivers. For more information about the support group or about Parkinson's Disease, contact Jo Bidwell at the

Lubbock APDA office at 806-785-0942.

• Special Parents for Special Children support group meets the first Tuesday of each month, 6:30 p.m. at Elbow Elementary. Contact Kerri Rosenbaum at 432-816-3320 or kerriroosenbaum9488@msn.com






• VA Alcoholics Anonymous support group, 7:30-8:30 p.m., Veterans Healing Center.

• Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; closed discussion meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

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.

Local 5-Day Forecast

Sun 4/27	Mon 4/28	Tue 4/29	Wed 4/30	Thu 5/1
				
83/54 Partly cloudy skies with gusty winds. High 83F. Winds WSW at 25 to 35 mph.	84/52 Sunny and wind. Highs in the mid 80s and lows in the low 50s.	76/47 Mainly sunny. Highs in the mid 70s and lows in the upper 40s.	73/49 Mainly sunny. Highs in the low 70s and lows in the upper 40s.	75/51 Mix of sun and clouds. Highs in the mid 70s and lows in the low 50s.
Sunrise: 7:04 AM Sunset: 8:24 PM	Sunrise: 7:03 AM Sunset: 8:25 PM	Sunrise: 7:02 AM Sunset: 8:25 PM	Sunrise: 7:01 AM Sunset: 8:26 PM	Sunrise: 7:00 AM Sunset: 8:27 PM



Texas At A Glance



Area Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Abilene	85	60	windy	Kingsville	100	71	pt sunny
Amarillo	75	45	windy	Livingston	89	69	pt sunny
Austin	97	60	pt sunny	Longview	81	66	t-storm
Beaumont	84	72	pt sunny	Lubbock	77	51	windy
Brownsville	96	73	mst sunny	Lufkin	88	69	t-storm
Brownwood	88	51	windy	Midland	80	56	windy
Corpus Christi	89	72	pt sunny	Raymondville	100	73	pt sunny
Corsicana	87	60	t-storm	Rosenberg	88	72	windy
Dallas	90	61	t-storm	San Antonio	98	66	pt sunny
Del Rio	97	65	mst sunny	San Marcos	97	62	pt sunny
El Paso	75	56	windy	Sulphur Springs	83	62	t-storm
Fort Stockton	84	57	windy	Sweetwater	84	58	windy
Gainesville	85	55	t-storm	Tyler	82	65	t-storm
Greenville	86	57	t-storm	Weatherford	88	55	pt sunny
Houston	88	72	pt sunny	Wichita Falls	85	58	windy

National Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Atlanta	83	62	mst sunny	Minneapolis	49	42	rain
Boston	54	41	rain	New York	63	45	mst sunny
Chicago	62	46	rain	Phoenix	66	49	rain
Dallas	90	61	t-storm	San Francisco	58	50	pt sunny
Denver	57	36	rain	Seattle	59	44	rain
Houston	88	72	pt sunny	St. Louis	79	64	t-storm
Los Angeles	68	51	rain	Washington, DC	67	48	sunny
Miami	85	75	sunny				

Moon Phases



UV Index

Sun 4/27	Mon 4/28	Tue 4/29	Wed 4/30	Thu 5/1
10	10	10	10	10
Very High	Very High	Very High	Very High	Very High

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

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dents so they can take advantage of this opportunity," Spark added.

To qualify, an applicant must be employed part time or full time in a child care facility in the Permian Basin Workforce Development Board Child Care Management Services program, earn less than \$15 per hour, be 18 years of age, a Texas resident and a U.S. citizen.

For more information, contact the college at 264-5000.

In other business trustees will:

- Consider a number of bids.
- Hear construction, recruiting and budget updates.
- Consider faculty contracts.
- Hear updates on meetings with the Lamesa Directorate and SWCID Advisory Council.

Early voting starts Monday

City, school board positions to be decided

BY LYNDEL MOODY

Staff Writer

Early voting for area school board and city council elections will begin 8 a.m. Monday in the Howard County Election office located in the Courthouse.

According to Howard County Election Administrator Sandra Bloom, voters need only bring an acceptable form of photo identification, but she does recommend also bringing their voter registration card. Last year, a new state voter ID law was implemented which requires voters to present a form of identification to cast a ballot.

Acceptable forms of identification include:

- Texas driver license issued by the Texas Department of Public Safe-

What: Early voting for city and school elections.

Where: Elections Administrator's office, county courthouse.

When: 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday.

ty (DPS),

- Texas Election Identification Certificate issued by DPS,
- Texas personal identification card issued by DPS,
- Texas concealed handgun license issued by DPS,
- United States military identification card containing the person's photograph,
- United States citizenship certificate containing the person's photo-

graph, or

- United States passport

Voting continues from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays through May 6, with the exception of Tuesday, April 29 and Thursday, May 1, when polls open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Election day is May 10. Polls are open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Coahoma ISD voters will vote at the Coahoma Community Center on election day while voters for the other three races will cast ballots at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

Candidates running in city/school district elections are:

- Howard College (three at large position)
 - Dr. John Freeman (I)
 - Marie Ethridge (I)

- Dr. Charles Warren (I)
- Morgan Cole

Big Spring ISD
Single-member district

- Irene Rodriguez (I)
- Thomas "T.J." Smith

Coahoma ISD (two at large positions)

- Lori Martinez (I)
- Brandon Atkins
- Kandy Alaman

City of Big Spring District 1

- Marcus Fernandez (I)
- Raul J. Marquez

 District 3

- Glen Carrigan (I)
- Justin Myers

Note: (I) indicates incumbent

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added.

"Hopefully, we'll begin road work this summer," Barr said.

In other business, commissioners will consider:

- The possible sale of real estate.
- A work session for the coming fiscal year.
- Personnel matters.
- On-Site Sewage permit pricing review.
- A presentation from the county historical commission.
- Invoices, purchase requests and budget amendments.

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ROUTE

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"This marks a time where we are bringing all this Ports to Plains corridor together," said state Rep. Drew Darby on the importance of the ground breaking ceremony. "This has been the biggest road block in trying to get a connection between Canada and Mexico. This was the last real impediment to a free flowing traffic and trade coming down this corridor. This is always been an issue — how to get through Big Spring without stopping at every (traffic) light. And this provides a great

opportunity to improve the transportation connectivity throughout this West Texas Region. This is a wonderful project."

Highway 87 is part of the the Ports-to-Plains corridor which is a designated highway that will facilitate transportation of manufactured goods from Mexico through West Texas to Colorado and ultimately on to Canada and the Pacific Northwest. The corridor is supposed to connect to Mexico from Laredo, Texas.

"If you see the traffic and congestion in the I-35 corridor and you look at a map and you say how is the best way to get through Texas

— is it to go through San Antonio and Austin and Waco and Dallas or is it to come up through Sonora and San Angelo and Big Spring and Amarillo and Lubbock?" Darby asked. "Is that the best way to go? I think it is. Hopefully, this will increase trade in this corridor and provide connectivity for everyone in the region and throughout the country."

The relief route was envisioned almost 30 years ago, and although designed plans were created and plenty of public and committee meetings held, one aspect to make the project a reality continued to be elusive — funding, ac-

cording to many of the speakers.

"It is going to be the biggest project so far date in the history of this district," said Lauren Garduno, TxDOT Chief Procurement and Deputy Administrative Officer who until recently served in the Abilene district. "We didn't really know if it would become a reality because of the funding. We know construction on existing highways is expensive. We know building new roads are even more costly."

"The community came together," he continued. "TxDOT believe the project was viable and necessary and over time, there were many

others that agreed. The support for the relief route came pretty easily but the coming up with the money was more difficult."

Garduno then recognized Darby's leadership in working with other TxDOT districts and communities to secure the needed funding from monies provided by Proposition 12. In 2011, the Texas Legislature authorized TxDOT to contract approximately \$3 billion in general obligation bonds for highway improvements. These bonds were approved by the voters in Texas.

"When Lauren mention that money is always the object, it's true," Darby said. "Never before has one district given money to another district for improvements in another

district. This was a collaboration throughout TxDOT."

Actual construction from the interchange is expected to begin in May while work on the Relief Route road is expected later this year.

"This is great day for Big Spring, but really it's a great day for Texas and really good for America," said U.S. Congressman Randy Neugebauer (R-Lubbock). "I am looking forward to this, so let's get those trucks and graders moving and let's start moving some dirt and pouring some asphalt."

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FACTS

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• **Interchange:** Delhur Industries, Inc. of Andrews, Texas

• **US 87 Truck Relief Route:** Sundt Construction Inc. of San Antonio, Texas and Price Construction, LLC of Big Spring.

• **Contract Amounts:**

• **Interchange:** \$18.4 million

• **US 87 Truck Relief Route:** \$44.8 million

• **Interesting facts:** I-20 interchange:

• **Excavation Dirt** — 487,000 cubic yards

• **Embankment** — 14,000 cubic yards

• **Base Material** — 36,000 cubic yards

• **Asphalt** — 44,000 tons

• **Soil Nails** — 18,000 linear feet

• **Retaining Wall** — 87,000 square feet

• **Drainage Pipe and Boxes** — 6200 linear feet

• **Concrete Elements and 2 Bridge Structures** — 3,500 cubic yards

US 87:

• **Excavation Dirt** — 438,000 cubic yards

• **Embankment** — 1,585,000 cubic yards

• **Base Material** — 121,000 cubic yards

• **Asphalt** — 149,000 tons

• **Retaining Wall** — 25,000 square feet

• **Drainage Pipe and**

Boxes — 6,600 linear feet

• **Concrete elements and 8 bridge structures** — 24,000 cubic yards

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Michael Brown, 64, died Monday. Memorial Services were at 11 a.m. today at First Baptist Church Chapel.

Lena H. Marquez, 58, died Tuesday. Funeral services were at 11 a.m. today at First United Methodist Church with burial following at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

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Opinion

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-FIRST AMENDMENT

Walking the Red Road Born to become an Indian

One of the first Anglos in Texas was a man known as Big Foot Wallace. Wallace was an early adventurer and explorer. He encountered the Comanche and was befriended by them. The Comanche did not fear the Anglo at this time and were curious about them. Wallace fit into the Comanche culture and lived with them at times, learning their ways. Wallace understood the Native American way of life, was comfortable with it and was welcome in their camps.

There are stories such as this all over America. Early adventurers who met the American Indian, admired and respected their way of life. They fit into the native culture better than they fit into the culture they came from. All it took to fit into the native culture was a good heart, a strong will and an understanding of the balance of life between man and the land. They took Indian wives, became members of the tribe and lived as the Native Americans lived. They were not born an Indian but became one.

There may be some of you who have been reading this column who have wondered, "Is this guy a real Indian, pretending to be an Indian or just writing about Indians?" Let me explain myself.

I am much as the men I have written about above, only a couple of centuries later than they were. Most of you have probably heard the old expressing, "I wasn't born in Texas, but I got here as soon as I could." Well, I was born in Texas. I was not born an Indian but I became one as soon as I could.

I am a fifth generation Texan, my family settled in Texas in 1830. Because of Texan heritage, I became interested in Texas history which led to an interest in Native American history. The more I learned of the native culture, the more impressed I became. I came to admire and respect the Native American culture, just as the early adventurers had.

While a member of the Vietnam Memorial Committee, we had the Moving Wall (replica) here. A Comanche medicine man, Luis, came from Odessa to do a smudge ceremony. We had a member of the committee, David, who is also Comanche; he and Luis did the ceremony together.

Afterwards I was invited to smoke the pipe with them. David and I were good friends and Luis and I would soon become good friends. Shortly afterwards, David came to my house and told me that in having smoked together, we had become brothers. He brought me a necklace he had made and said it would show that I had been absorbed into his clan of Comanche. All of this was a great honor.

The powwow committee was just forming at this time and I was asked to join. I began helping to put on our local powwow, which in turn led to dancing and the powwow and any I could attend I began meeting many Native Americans and making new friends. I also became involved in exhibitions on native culture. I was invited to attend the sweat lodge ceremonies where I learned much more of the culture and the spiritual customs and ways.

I was then invited to Tabana Yuane which is an old Comanche custom and ceremony. Tabana Yuane means sunrise wind. After two years of being part of this ceremony, my wife and I were taken into the clan; we had earned the right. We became members of the Tabana Yuane clan of Mat'o Num'pa Sake', the Sunrise wind clan of Two Bear Claws. I was given the name Waci Ki Tokecawnji Cancega, which translates to Dances to Another Drum. A name is given as to who you are and what you do. A name earned is not just made up. This name fits me and I am very proud of it.

So you see, I was not born an Indian. I was, however, born to become one. Many Native Americans have told me it is not what is in your veins that makes you an Indian, but what is in your heart. You do not have to have Native American blood in you to be an Indian. You just have to have a red heart. Many of you may not have Native American blood in you, but you may have the heart of an Indian. Look inside yourself; look into your heart. I am glad I did. Maybe in your heart you are Indian. I know I am in mine. My heart tells me I was born to be an Indian.

Randy A. McKinney is a member of the Tabana Yuane clan of Mat'o Num'pa Sake and vice president of the Powwow Committee of Big Spring.



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A yard full of turtles

Barbara Ellison of Cameron loves her back yard. It is full of flowers and birds. Occasionally a squirrel will drop in for a meal.

"I could stay out here from morning 'til night," says Barbara. "It's so pretty and we enjoy taking care of it."

She and her husband Carroll have about 30 turtles in their backyard.

"They're a lot of fun to watch and feed," says Carroll. "We've had them for over 20 years."

They got interested in turtles and terrapins when one showed up in their yard.

"We started picking them up on the highways to keep them from getting run over," says Barbara. "Carroll fixed the interior of the yard with tin so they couldn't get out."

The turtles have a varied diet and are very punctual when it comes to meal times. Carroll says they show up around 6 a.m. for breakfast.

"We feed them scrambled eggs, cantaloupe and corn kernels. They'll eat anything. Barbara

used to fix a squash casserole just for the turtles. Some come up in the evening."

In addition to fruits and vegetables, the turtles love the harvest from the bug zapper.

"We've found those turtles eating dead birds. Maybe a cat killed them or whatever. If something comes very close to them, they'll snap 'em — like lizards. They bite the lizards' tails off. We have about five species of lizards around here. The turtles eat little toad frogs, too."

Most of what they know about turtles they learned on their own.

"When I first started looking for information on the turtles," says Barbara, "I went to the library but couldn't find all that much."

Carroll says the turtles hibernate like bears in the winter.

"They go plumb under the ground. You can't find them anywhere. They bury down about four or five inches."

Not only has Carroll put tin around the edges of the yard to keep the turtles confined. He has turned his back yard into residential areas for the little creatures.

He has made houses and condos that keep the turtles

in shade. He built a ramp for them so they wouldn't have to climb over a curb to get to their back porch dining room. It's a veritable turtle paradise. A gated community for turtles.

He says the turtles have unusual characteristics.

"Sometimes Barbara will be out in the yard and they'll be looking for her. They run pretty fast. They'll see her and run for about six or eight feet, then stop with their heads straight up so they can look around and get their bearings, then here they come again."

While we were visiting, Carroll looked down to see four turtles.

"There's a brown one there. We got that one in Rockdale. I remember him."

He takes pictures of the turtles, which are about five inches across and seven inches long.

He says it just wouldn't be the same without the turtles.

"We love to get up and go to the back porch and see them out there. This morning, there were about 10 of them just waiting to eat. One morning we had 26. They get to eat before we do."

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DAILY PRAYER

Let us open our hearts in prayer to you, oh Lord, every day.

Amen

Dentists, and the judge, know for sure

Until now, it's been a teapot-sized tempest, bubbling on the edges of awareness, but when two corporate behemoths square off and a federal judge steps in, the issue heats quickly to full boil. Dentists across the fruited plane — and beyond — are smiling. They may even decide to renew their professional oaths.

In the blue corner is dental floss (Johnson and Johnson) and in the red corner is Listerine (Pfizer). After swishing for awhile, flossing hourly and considering briefs from dueling attorneys, the referee — Manhattan Federal District Judge Denny Chin — has ruled.

And the ruling is a mouthful. Contrary to claims on its labels, websites and TV ads, Listerine CANNOT claim to be "as effective as flossing." Thus sayeth the judge.

For decades, dentists have recommended regular flossing. Most of us have listened to their admonitions with "yeah-yeah, sure-sure" assurances that we'll turn over new flossing leaves. Then, we rush back to our workaday world. Flossing, performed with such grace and ease by dental professionals, quickly is out of sight and out of mind. Sadly, only 13 percent of Americans heed dentists' sermons. (Granted, most preachers would settle for this percentage.)

One hygienist figures serious flossers number in the single digits when fibs and lies are factored in. One patient, bragging that he flosses regularly, says he does so seasonally — every third

month.

What about mouthwash? Well, more people ought to use more of it more often. Pfizer contends that half of the populace has periodic bouts with bad breath. Dentists, on the receiving end of exhales daily, feel the scale weighs heavily in favor of the non-users.

Oral hygiene deserves this new spotlight; it's been ignored too long.

We used to joke about it. "Halitosis is better than no breath at all," we laughed. Dentists, miffed when patients grouse about spending \$100 for a 20-second tooth extraction, offer well-worn responses: "I can pull it slower."

A half-century ago, when vaunted all-female and all-male colleges shared the same river, a joke trickled down from New York State, where Vassar enrolled only females, and Colgate, only males. The punch line? "Surveys say Vassar women prefer Colgate men to tooth decay, four to one."...

I digress — again. Perhaps the judge took his cue from the Federal Communications Commission that recently levied hefty fines with its "you can't say that or show that" edicts.

He maintained that Listerine advertising poses a "public health risk" that could "undermine the message of dental professionals."

Pfizer heard him loud and clear. The company sprang for \$2 million to hire 4,000 workers to crisscross the United States. Their jobs? To paste over the "as effective as flossing" claims on Listerine labels in all stores. Labor Department people are smiling. For a few weeks anyway, US employment figures will be up.

It wasn't announced about wording on the stickers. Sev-

eral possibilities come to mind, including:

"The judge owns stock in Scope" or

"Our claims remain true for denture wearers or the toothless," or

"For heaven's sake, use one or the other," or

"First job I've had since temporary Santa," or

Don't expect the ultra-liberal who believes in killing nothing to endorse this suggestion: "Don't use. Help rehabilitate the germs that cause bad breath." You get the drift.

In theory, this holds true for lawmakers. They face daunting tasks, sifting through thousands of bills en route to passing a few.

One new bill calls for setting aside one day each year to honor aviation maintenance technicians. Really, this poses no problem; just slap the new day on top of one already named for special designation.

Do we really believe flags flown over the capitol in D.C. flutter there all day long? Of course not; the rope taking them up and down rarely stops.

However, let's keep oral hygiene conversations going — over backyard fences, down the block and in coffee shops. This could help reduce bad breath, improve oral hygiene and encourage dental professionals.

They'd probably stage a parade if serious flossing gets up to 15-20 percent.

And, at meals on "hug your dentist" day, we could promise to chew each bite 28 times, swish mouthwash and floss like we think it matters.

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Perry appoints new head to embattled agency

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Gov. Rick Perry on Friday tapped a Fort Worth deputy chief district attorney to head the state's embattled Office of Violent Sex Offender Management amid questions about who was running the agency. Elizabeth "Christy" Jack, who has been on the agency's board since 2011, will now head it. Her term expires at the pleasure of the governor. The agency performs functions relating to the sex offender civil commitment program. Jack replaces Dan Powers, who resigned this week citing too heavy a workload for a volunteer position. Also, the Houston Chronicle reported Friday that two other top agency officials, executive director Allison Taylor

and program manager Deborah Morgan, were on leave. Agency general counsel Celeste Blackburn said Taylor is on leave until next week, but it was unclear how long Morgan will be gone. Taylor and Morgan did not return calls seeking comment. In the meantime, five lower-level supervisors were managing agency operations. "Much work needs to be done to restore public confidence in this agency and to ensure it carries out its mission of protecting public safety," Perry said. "I want to thank Christy for taking on this role at such an important time for the agency." Even before the announcement of Jack's appointment, Perry's chief of staff, Kathy

Walt, told the Chronicle that her office is "moving to address the leadership vacuum at this agency." She said this is the latest in a series of concerns about the agency, including its past secretive placement of violent sex offenders and little advance notification to community residents and legislative leaders. All high-risk sex offenders in the program have served prison sentences but are kept in custody under a civil commitment program because they are deemed too dangerous to return to society. There are about 350 offenders being held in civil commitment, with roughly half in prison and the rest in halfway houses and jails statewide. But there is also some evi-

dence that many of the agency's 24 employees, including Taylor, might work from home. A copy of an employee list obtained by the Chronicle shows that employees work at four offices in Austin, Conroe, Arlington and El Paso in offices shared with offices of Department of State Health Services. Calls to the Austin headquarters, though, often go to voicemail. State Sen. John Whitmire, a Democrat who chairs the chamber's Criminal Justice Committee, has asked the state auditor's office and a state unit that prosecutes official corruption to examine questionable contracts for housing offenders. "At an agency that deals

with the worst of the worst, an agency that appears to have been out of control for some time with its bad decisions, having the top positions vacant or on leave is not in the public interest," Whitmire said. The agency previously has been criticized for relocating more than two dozen high-risk offenders into north Houston boarding home without any advance notice to neighbors or lawmakers who represent the area. After a public outcry, officials moved the offenders back to a minimum-security halfway house in east Harris County, which had previously demanded their removal because of security and operational concerns.

UT regent investigated

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — University of Texas System Regent Wallace Hall, already facing possible removal from office by state lawmakers, is now under criminal investigation for his efforts to force out the president of the system's flagship Austin campus. Gregg Cox, who leads the Travis County district attorney's Public Integrity Unit, said Friday his office has opened a formal investigation of Hall's actions. A Texas House committee had sent to prosecutors a report by its investigator that alleged Hall may have broken federal and state student privacy laws. Cox said his office did an initial review to determine if it had jurisdiction. "Now we're opening an investigation to gather more information," Cox said, declining further comment. Hall's attorney, Allan Van Fleet, had not been aware of the criminal investigation until contacted by The Associated Press and declined comment. Van Fleet has previously denied that Hall released any legally protected information to the public. The announcement of the criminal investigation came a day after the House Select Com-

mittee on Transparency in State Agency Operations scheduled a May 12 vote on whether it would recommend to the full House that Hall should be impeached. The House panel does not have to conclude that Hall broke the law in order for him to be impeached. If the panel votes to recommend impeachment, the matter would go before the full House and then a trial in the Senate to determine if Hall would be removed from his governor-appointed position. Hall was appointed to the board of regents in 2011 by Gov. Rick Perry and is one of nine members. Since then he has aggressively pursued efforts by several regents to push out Powers, who has clashed with Perry and some board members on tuition and graduation rates, the role of teaching and research in higher education and other issues. The House panel was charged in 2013 to investigate whether Hall abused open records laws with requests for more than 800,000 pages of documents and released private student or employee information. The panel was also charged with finding if Hall's actions amounted to malfeasance.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

No balloons, please

To the Editor:
 On Wednesday, April 23, 2014, Scenic Mountain Medical Center recognized Child Abuse Prevention Month. The idea of preventing child abuse is a laudable cause and certainly merits recognition. However the methods by which this was done could warrant some criticism. Many functions are performed with the release of helium-filled balloons to celebrate/honor certain events or people. It is obvious that the organizers do not realize, or choose to ignore the consequences. These balloons can travel long distances, but eventually return to earth. This amounts to a transfer of pollution to other people's property, perhaps several states away. Big Spring has an active drive to "Keep Big Spring Beautiful," but we seem not to care where we put some items that become trash. My main concern is that the plastic has shown to have an adverse effect on animals. Cows, sheep, goats, pigs, even coyotes have been found to have ingested these plastics, with sometimes fatal results. In some parts of the country balloon residue has been found in sea life. I do not begrudge people wanting to honor certain endeavors, but they need to do it in a more responsible way. Please, in the future, find a less destructive way to celebrate/honor events.

Ardis McCasland Jr.
 Big Spring

News in brief

Teen gets nearly 17 years in South Texas wreck

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP) — A Mexican teenager has been sentenced to nearly 17 years in prison over a South Texas wreck that killed five immigrants who were in the U.S. illegally. A federal judge in Corpus Christi on Friday sentenced 19-year-old Manuel Rendon-Lucas to 200 months in prison. Rendon-Lucas in March pleaded guilty to conspiracy to transport illegal immigrants causing serious bodily injury. Rendon-Lucas was also ordered to pay more than \$2.65 million in restitution. Prosecutors say Rendon-Lucas was fleeing law officers last November in Brooks County when the SUV he was driving hit a construction barrier and smashed into a tree. Five passengers died. Ten others in the vehicle, including Rendon-Lucas, were injured. Some remain paralyzed.

Texas Rep. Stockman says ethics inquiry underway

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republican Rep. Steve Stockman of Texas says the House Ethics Committee is investigating a complaint about a campaign finance reporting error made by a former campaign worker. The error was committed more than a year ago by an accountant who was a campaign volunteer, said Stockman, who lost a GOP primary for U.S. Senate last month. In a statement Friday, Stockman said the mistake was corrected soon after he became aware of it. The volunteer responsible for the mistake was removed from his position, and the campaign committee has been closed, Stockman said. Stockman said he is cooperating with the ethics panel and that the Federal Election Commission did not impose a fine on him or his campaign committee. He said he is confident the ethics panel "will ultimately dismiss the matter after it completes a careful review." Sen. John Cornyn, R-Texas, trounced Stockman in a primary last month to claim the Republican nomination for Senate. Stockman, who also served one term in the House in the 1990s, is not seeking re-election.

South Texas official pleads guilty, will resign

BROWNSVILLE, Texas (AP) — A South Texas county commissioner has pleaded guilty to coercing a public servant and must resign his office. Cameron County Commissioner Ernie Hernandez was indicted in January on several counts related to improper use of his influence to protect an illegal gambling establishment. The Cameron County District Attorney's office announced Friday that Hernandez agreed to enter a pretrial diversion program and to resign from of-

office immediately.

In return, prosecutors agreed to drop all but one of the counts. If he successfully completes the year-long pretrial diversion program, the remaining count will be dismissed.

Texas nuke weapons plant cited for safety concerns

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — Experts have recommended improving operating and training procedures after inspectors raised concerns about explosives safety at the nation's only nuclear weapons assembly and dismantling plant. A letter to Pantex from the U.S. Department of Energy cites six incidents since August 2012 that have heightened concerns, The Amarillo Globe-News reported Thursday. The incidents include improperly packaging explosives in containers not meant for explosives, improper packaging of special nuclear materials and improper shipping of incompatible explosive materials. Officials with plant operator B&W Pantex told the newspaper they did not want to comment on the letter from the director of enforcement and oversight in the department's Office of Health, Safety and Security. John S. Boulden, director of enforcement and oversight in that office, wrote that the letter is intended to "convey concerns about the level of rigor applied by B&W Pantex in safely executing work." The operator should examine the broader issues identified in the letter and determine whether additional corrective actions might be warranted, he wrote. "The events are significant in that they involved improper management, handling or labeling of highly hazardous materials, including explosives, which have the potential to cause serious injury or death," Boulden wrote to John Woolery, president and general manager of B&W Pantex.

Texas teacher allegedly did lap dance for boy, 15

HOUSTON (AP) — A Houston-area teacher has been charged with doing a lap dance for a boy at school on his 15th birthday. A criminal complaint says 42-year-old Felicia A. Smith of Spring was charged Thursday with having an improper relationship with a student. Online jail records do not list an attorney for Smith, who was freed on \$30,000 bond. Investigators say the teacher in the Aldine Independent School District allegedly did the suggestive dance on Feb. 26 at Stovall Middle School in front of other students. The district released a statement saying the teacher has been removed from campus amid the investigation. No publicly listed phone number could be located Friday for Smith.

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News in brief

Obama arrives in Malaysia for 1st visit by U.S. president in more than 4 decades

KUALA LUMPUR, Malaysia (AP) — President Barack Obama on Saturday opened the first visit by a U.S. president in nearly half a century to Malaysia, the third stop on Obama's weeklong goodwill trip through Asia. Stepping off his plane and onto a red carpet at an air base near Kuala Lumpur, Obama was met by an honor guard in crisp white uniforms. Malaysia's foreign minister and top envoys to the U.S. were on hand to greet Obama before he boarded his limousine for the drive to Kuala Lumpur's Parliament Square.

During the two-day state visit, Obama will meet with Prime Minister Najib Razak and be honored at a state dinner at the National Palace. He also plans to hold a town hall-style forum with young people.

Obama's long-awaited visit to Malaysia had been scheduled for last fall, but was postponed because of a U.S. government shutdown. His rescheduled visit comes as Malaysia has attracted international attention over the March 8 disappearance of a commercial airliner with 239 people on board.

Officials were preparing to widen the search area in a remote part of the ocean as Obama was arriving in Malaysia. The air base where Air Force One landed has been used as a staging ground for some of the recovery operations for the missing jet.

5 NATO troops killed in helicopter crash in southern Afghanistan

KABUL, Afghanistan (AP) — The NATO-led military coalition in Afghanistan says five of its troops have been killed in a helicopter crash in the country's south.

The coalition said it was investigating the circumstances of the crash but gave no other information. The nationalities of those killed were not released.

The U.S.-led NATO force is preparing to withdraw its troops from Afghanistan at the end of this year.

S. Korean prosecutor: 4 more of sunken ferry crew detained; all involved in navigation now held

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — All 15 people involved in navigating the South Korean ferry that sank and left more than 300 people dead or missing are now in custody after authorities on Saturday detained four more crew members, a prosecutor said.

Yang Jung-jin of the joint investigation team said two helmsmen and two members of the steering crew were taken in on preliminary arrest warrants issued late Friday. Eleven other crew members, including the captain, had been formally arrested earlier.

All are accused of negligence and of failing to help passengers in need as the ferry Sewol sank April 16. The captain initially told passengers to stay in their rooms and took half an hour to issue an evacuation order, by which time the ship was tilting too severely for many people to get out.

Ten days after the sinking, 187 bodies have been recovered and 115 people are believed to be missing, though the government-wide emergency task force has said the ship's passengers list could be inaccurate. Only 174 people survived, including 22 of the 29 crew members.

The seven surviving crew members who have not been arrested or detained held non-marine jobs such as chef or steward, Yang said in a telephone interview from Mokpo, the southern city near the wreck site where prosecutors are based. A court hearing was held Saturday to determine whether formal arrest warrants will be issued against the four newly detained crew members.

Prom-date rejection investigated in school stabbing of teen recalled as 'bright light'

HARTFORD, Conn. (AP) — The night before Maren Sanchez was fatally stabbed inside her high school, she asked to take a break from her drama group for a nail appointment. The junior prom she helped plan was the next day, and she wanted to look her best.

Sanchez, a 16-year-old junior, was attacked Friday in a school hallway, and a boy who's a student there has been charged with murder.

Instead of the prom that night, students gathered for a candlelight vigil and counselors were available for anyone who needed their help. They planned to be on hand Saturday as well, WFSB television station in Hartford reported. The prom was postponed indefinitely.

Police are investigating whether Sanchez was stabbed after turning down an invitation to the prom, an event she had been looking forward to attending with her boyfriend.

Family members and friends at the Jonathan Law High School in Milford were left reeling from the attack on Sanchez, an outgoing member of the National Honor Society who played guitar and was active in drama and other school activities.

Frontiers of Lebanon, Syria, Israel meet in tiny patch of land, site of Mideast's conflicts

CHEBAA, Lebanon (AP) — This small, scenic patch of land where the frontiers of Syria, Lebanon and Israel converge has long been a flashpoint, with Hezbollah fighters and Israeli troops positioned face to face in close quarters across undefined and disputed borders.

The Syrian civil war has made the region known as Chebaa Farms even more dangerous.

Rival sides in Syria's conflict crisscross it smuggling weapons and fighters, and sectarian tensions are rising as Chebaa's mainly Sunni residents, joined by thousands of Sunni Syrian refugees, turn against Lebanon's Shiite Hezbollah group because of its support for Syrian President Bashar Assad.

Even in a country with as many potential triggers for violence as Lebanon, Chebaa's unique geographic location brings together a collection of particularly bitter enemies. And with tempers fraying on all sides as Syria's war drags on, there are concerns that a misstep by just one of the players in this idyllic landscape of green, rocky hills could drag everyone into a wider, even nastier conflict.

No quick finish expected in Afghan elections, as preliminary results point to long process

KABUL, Afghanistan (AP) — Afghanistan is expected to release preliminary results in its crucial presi-

dential election on Saturday, but the results are only one step in a potentially long road to determine who will succeed President Hamid Karzai. Neither Abdullah Abdullah, a former foreign minister, nor ex-finance minister Ashraf Ghani Ahmadzai look set to win a majority, meaning the violence-weary country could be heading for a runoff.

Final results from this round of voting are due May 14. With no candidate likely to get a majority, a runoff must be held 15 days later. The most likely scenario appears to be a match-up between Abdullah and Ahmadzai in late May. Then, the entire process of counting, handling complaints and making revisions begins again, meaning that it could be late June or even July before a final winner is declared.

The U.S.-led military coalition is counting on Afghanistan's first democratic transfer of power as part of its plan to withdraw most troops at the end of the year, nearly 13 years after toppling the Taliban's radical Islamic regime for sheltering al-Qaida's Osama bin Laden.

Potential 2016 GOP presidential candidates discuss gun rights, court NRA at annual meeting

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Several potential Republican presidential candidates courted gun-rights supporters Friday at the National Rifle Association's annual convention, talking up their pro-gun credentials while imploring the crowd to fight not just for their Second Amendment rights but for other freedoms they say are being threatened.

U.S. Sen. Marco Rubio of Florida, former Pennsylvania U.S. Sen. Rick Santorum, Indiana Gov. Mike Pence and Louisiana Gov. Bobby Jindal addressed the NRA's annual leadership forum, a kind of political pep rally the organization considers one of its premier events. Wisconsin Gov. Scott Walker and U.S. Sens. Ted Cruz of

Texas and Kelly Ayotte of New Hampshire also recorded brief videos that were played for the crowd of more than 2,000 inside Lucas Oil Stadium.

One after another, the possible 2016 contenders thanked the NRA and its members for flexing their considerable political muscle to help push back recent gun-control efforts, including legislation following the 2012 massacre at Sandy Hook Elementary School in Connecticut that would have required background checks for gun purchases. They said that same activism will be critical heading into elections this fall.

Jindal charged that Vice President Joe Biden and former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton, both possible Democratic presidential candidates, think the Second Amendment is little more than "a phrase from a speech writer."

Shiite rally bombing ahead of parliamentary elections in Iraq sparks deadly reprisal attacks

BAGHDAD (AP) — A multiple bomb attack that killed at least 33 people at a campaign rally for a militant Shiite group likely unleashed a series of apparent sectarian attacks in Iraq, signaling the start of a new wave of Sunni-Shiite bloodletting ahead of elections next week, security officials said Saturday.

An al-Qaida breakaway group, the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant, claimed responsibility for Friday's attack on the Baghdad rally, which drew about 10,000 backers of Asaib Ahl al-Haq.

It said on a militant website that the bombings were to avenge what it called the killing of Sunnis and their forced removal from their homes by Shiite militias. The authenticity of the claim could not be independently verified.

A senior Asaib Ahl al-Haq official said the 33 dead included 10 group members who had fought in the Syrian civil war.

Something special's happening in the Circle.

May 2014 Activities

- May 1** – Mall Walking, 9:00 a.m.
Coffee @ Just Peachy's, 10:00 a.m.
Bunko, 5:00 p.m.
- May 2** – Lunch Bunch & Birthdays, "Beans World", 11:30 a.m.
- May 5** – Games, 1:00 p.m.
- May 6** – Mall Walking, 9:00 a.m.
Supper Club, 5:30 p.m. "Carlos".
- May 7** – Senior Appreciation Day, 11:30 a.m.
Movie, 1:00 p.m. "Mortal Instruments"
- May 8** – Mall Walking, 9:00 a.m.
Coffee @ Just Peachy Café, 10:00 a.m.
- May 11** – *Happy Mother's Day!*
- May 12** – Games, 1:00 p.m.
Hobbs, 9:00 a.m.
- May 13** – Mall Walking, 9:00 a.m.
Supper Club, 5:30 p.m., "China Dragon".
- May 14** – Senior Appreciation Day, 11:30 a.m.
Movie, 1:00 p.m. "Abduction."
- May 15** – Mall Walking, 9:00 a.m.
Coffee @ Just Peachy's Cafe, 10:00 a.m.
- May 16** – Pot Luck & Bingo, 11:30 a.m.
- May 19** – Games, 1:00 p.m.
- May 19** – Senior Circle Closed May 19-21
- May 20** – Mall Walking, 9:00 a.m.
Supper Club, 5:30 p.m., "Pizza Inn."
- May 21** – Senior Appreciation Day, 11:30 a.m.
Movie, 1:00 p.m., "The Host"
- May 22** – Mall Walking, 9:00 a.m.
Coffee @ Just Peachy Café, 10:00 a.m.
- May 26** – Holiday Senior Circle Office Closed.
- May 27** – Mall Walking, 9:00 a.m.
Supper Club, 5:30 p.m., "Cowboy's"
- May 28** – Senior Appreciation Day, 11:30 a.m.
Movie, 1:00 p.m., "The Lone Ranger"
- May 29** – Mall Walking, 9:00 a.m.
Coffee @ Just Peachy's, 10:00 a.m.
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Lees named new coach at Clarendon



Addie Lees ...
...new Clarendon College women's basketball coach

By TOMMY WELLS
Sports Editor

Howard College head women's basketball coach Earl Diddle knew the day would eventually come when Addie Lees would get her chance to be a collegiate basketball coach. Talented coaches eventually get their shots. For Diddle, the news that he had lost his assistant came earlier this week when Addie Lees was named the new women's basketball coach at rival Clarendon College.

The former Plainview High School and Arkansas-Monticello standout spent two seasons as an assistant at HC. She took over as the Clarendon head coach on Tuesday. "I am delighted to coach her professionally," said Diddle. "She was a great asset, not only to Howard College, but to our entire basketball program." Diddle, who has had approximately 60 former players or assistants become high school or college coaches, said he feels Lees will find

success as a head coach. "She'll do a great job at Clarendon," he said. "I think it is a great opportunity for her. She knows the game, and has a tremendous future ahead of her." Lees was a standout athlete during her career. After graduating from Plainview, she played at Midland College before moving to Arkansas-Monticello. After her playing career ended, Lees spent two seasons as a graduate assistant at Eastern New Mexico State University before join-

ing Diddle on the HC bench. "She did an outstanding job for us while she was here," said Diddle. "She added a lot to our program. She made me a better coach, and I will miss her very much, but it is great to see her get a coaching job at the college level." At Clarendon, Lees will take over a Lady Bulldog program that struggled this season. The Lady Bulldogs went 13-15 in 2013-14, and finished in a tie with the Lady Hawks for

See **COACH**, Page 10A

Steers reach 1-3A finals

By TOMMY WELLS
Sports Editor

The Big Spring High School boys' and girls' track and field teams moved a step closer to punching their tickets to the state track meet on Friday morning by getting off to a solid start at the Region I-3A Track and Field Championships in Lubbock. The BSHS thinclads qualified for the finals in eight of the 12 events they were entered.

The Big Spring Lady Steers qualified for the finals in all three relays, winning the 4x100- and 4x400-meter events, while placing third in the 4x200.

Only the top eight finishers in each advanced to the finals, which were held Saturday afternoon on Texas Tech's Fuller Track. The top two finishers in the finals will advance to the state meet on May 9-10.

The Big Spring 4x100-meter squad, running in the second heat, posted the fastest time of the meet with a time of 49.11 seconds. Kennedale finished second at 49.66.

The Lady Steers' 4x400-meter team continued to dominate the event. Big Spring turned in a time of 3:59.32 in the race and edged out Stephenville for the top spot by almost 5 seconds.

The BSHS 4x200-meter squad was third with a time of 1:43.31. They finished be-

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CLASS 3A STATE GOLF CHAMPIONSHIPS



Big Spring High School senior Devin Roberson will be competing in the Class 3A state golf tournament on Monday and Tuesday in Austin. Roberson will be making his third appearance in the state meet, but his first-ever as an individual.

'I Think I Can'

Roberson looking to turn long road to state golf tournament into special time

By TOMMY WELLS
Sports Editor

When Devin Roberson was an elementary student, he used to go to the golf course with his father, Nick, and his grandfather, the late Big Spring Junior High School coach E.C. Roberson, and dream of one day playing as well as they did. That motivation has served him

well since.

On Monday, the Big Spring High School senior will add a special page to his family's history when he begins play in the Class 3A State Golf Tournament in Austin.

"My goal is to win it all," he said. "I wouldn't set it any lower than that. If a few things go my way while I'm down there, I think I can win it."

Few people would argue that point. Roberson is one of the state's most ex-

perienced golfers attending the meet. When he steps onto the Hyatt Resort at Lost Pines course, he will be making his third straight appearance in the state tournament. As a junior, Roberson was part of the Steers' team that finished third in the final standings at the state meet. As a sophomore, he was part of the BSHS team that finished fifth.

See **GOLF**, Page 10A

Lady Buffs draw bye in first round

The Forsan High School, Lady Buffaloes will have to wait a few days longer to return to the softball action.

Forsan, fresh off capturing the District 3-A championship, earned a bye in the first round of the state playoffs.

The Lady Buffaloes, now 24-4, will face either Eldorado or Van Horn in the second round, beginning on May 3.

Eldorado and Van Horn play their bi-district game on April 29.



Herald photo/Tommy Wells

Corinna Liscaino leaps at the wall while trying to catch a ball over the fence in the Lady Hawks' 9-6 loss to Clarendon in Game 2 of their double-header on Friday.

Bulldogettes take 2A playoff opener from Post

By TOMMY WELLS
Sports Editor

Kyla Clanton struck out eight batters and Savannah Neff and Reagan Overton both pounded out two hits on Thursday and led the Coahoma Bulldogettes to a 5-0 victory over Post in the first round of the Class 2A state softball playoffs.

With the win, Coaho-

ma took a 1-0 edge in the best-of-three series. The two teams closed out the series on Saturday afternoon in Hermleigh. Results of the contests were unavailable as of press time.

Kodi Howard gave Coahoma an early lead against Post. She raced home with the first run in the third inning. Cammie Stonerook delivered the hit that score

Howard. Coahoma blew the game open in the fourth by scoring four more runs. Julia Castilaw got the CHS run started by scoring on a sacrifice fly off the bat of Taylee Miller.

The Bulldogettes added a pair of runs moments later on an error, and then closed out the scoring on a hit by Neff that sent Howard home.

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Hawks salvage split of twinbill with Clarendon

By TOMMY WELLS

Sports Editor

The Howard College Hawks moved a step closer to nailing down third place in the Western Junior College Athletic College standings on Saturday by splitting a doubleheader with the Clarendon Bulldogs at Jack Barber Field.

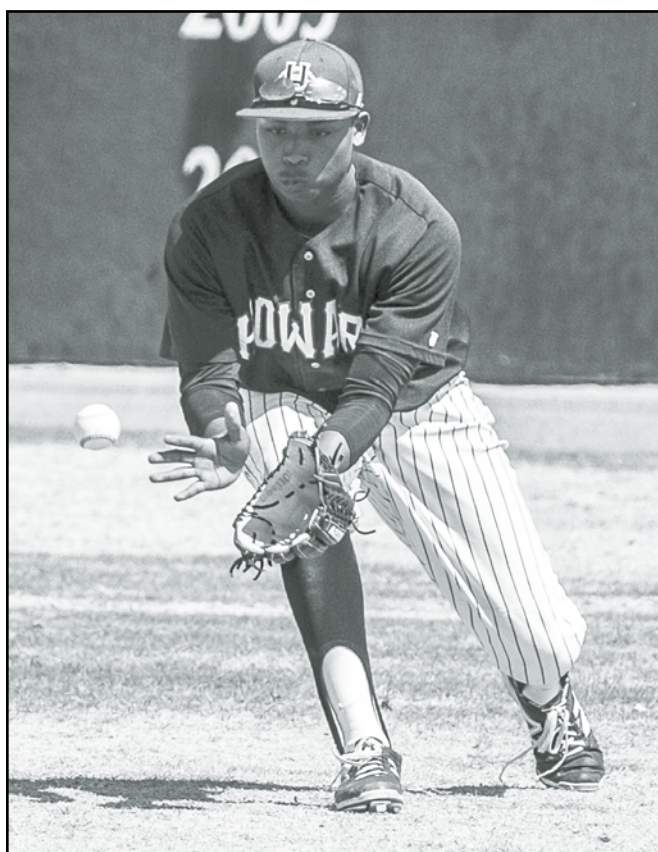
With the split, the Hawks moved to 34-15 for the season, and to 17-13 in WJCAC lay. Clarendon went to 18-21 and 12-18.

The Hawks didn't turn in one of their better performances in Game 1 of the twinbill on Friday afternoon. The Hawks squandered an early 1-0 lead and suffered a 7-2 loss.

"We just didn't play very well in the first one," said HC head coach Britt Smith. "It was terrible and that is about the best way to describe it."

Austin Solecitto, despite feeling ill prior to the game, gave the Hawks a lift in the nightcap by helping Howard roll to a 10-2 run-rule victory in the eighth inning.

"He was sick before the game," said Smith. "I just told him to go out



Tony Claxton photos (www.claxtonphotography.com)

Ishmael Edwards fields a ball in right during the Hawks' 10-2 win over Clarendon in Game 2 on Friday at Jack Barber Field.

there and give us whatever he had. He didn't have his best stuff but he only gave up two runs."

The Hawks' offense was in full swing in Game 2. Howard College pounded out 16 hits in the contest.

Howard College, which played Clarendon in another doubleheader on

Saturday, will close out the 2014 regular season on May 2-3 with games against Odessa College. The Hawks' May 2 games will be in Odessa, while the May finales will be at Jack Barber Field.

The Region V Baseball Tournament will be played on May 10-14 in Lubbock.

I-3A

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Kennedale (1:43.26) and Brownwood (1:43.27).

Martha Lewis also earned a berth in the finals in the 100-meter dash. She finished eighth overall in Friday's prelims with a time of 12.78 seconds.

The Steers' also dominated the boys' 4x400-meter relay, grabbing first place in the prelims with a blistering time of 3:23.95 in the second heat.

Ryan Lopez and Ian Gonzales continued to turn heats in the 400. The two finished first and second, respective-

ly, in the race and headed into the finals at the No. 1 and No. 2 seeds. Lopez won the race in a time of 49.81 seconds, while Gonzales was second at 50.94.

Devin Roberson and Tobyn Tannehill also qualified for the finals. Roberson placed third in the boys' 300-meter hurdles prelims with a time of 40.09 seconds. Tannehill was fourth in the 200-meter dash at 22.26 seconds.

Track season came to an end for three BSHS athletes on Friday. Steers' sprinter Jonathan Gonzalez finished 15th in the boys' 100-meter dash, while senior

Tate Kennedy was 12th in the high jump. Charles Green placed 10th in the boys' 110-meter hurdles race.

2014 Region I-3A Track and Field Championships Prelim Results

GIRLS

100 - 8. Martha Lewis, 12.78.
4x100 - 1. Big Spring, 49.11.
3. 4x200 - 1. Big Spring, 1:43.31.

4x400 - 1. Big Spring, 3:59.32.

BOYS

100 - 15. Jonathan Gonzalez, 11.53.
200 - 4. Tobyn Tannehill, 22.26.

400 1. Ryan Lopez, 49.81; 2. Ian Gonzales, 50.94.

110 Hurdles - 10. Charles Green, 15.96.

300 Hurdles - 3. Devin Roberson, 40.09.

4x400 - 1. Big Spring, 3:23.95.
High Jump - 12. Tate Kennedy, 5-8.

SCOREBOARD

NBA
FIRST ROUND
(Best-of-7; x-if necessary)
Friday, April 25
Brooklyn 102, Toronto 98,
Brooklyn leads series 2-1
Chicago 100, Washington 97,
Washington leads series 2-1
Houston 121, Portland 116, OT,
Portland leads series 2-1
Saturday, April 26
Indiana at Atlanta, 2 p.m.
San Antonio at Dallas, 4:30 p.m.
Miami at Charlotte, 7 p.m.
Oklahoma City at Memphis,
9:30 p.m.
Sunday, April 27
Chicago at Washington, 1 p.m.
L.A. Clippers at Golden State,
3:30 p.m.
Toronto at Brooklyn, 7 p.m.
Houston at Portland, 9:30 p.m.
Monday, April 28
Miami at Charlotte, 7 p.m.
Atlanta at Indiana, 8 p.m.
San Antonio at Dallas, 9:30 p.m.

BASEBALL
AMERICAN LEAGUE
East Division
W L Pct GB
New York 13 10 .565 —
Baltimore 11 11 .500 1½
Toronto 11 12 .478 2
Boston 11 13 .458 2½
Tampa Bay 10 13 .435 3

Central Division
W L Pct GB
Detroit 12 8 .600 —
Chicago 12 12 .500 2
Kansas City 11 11 .500 2
Minnesota 11 11 .500 2
Cleveland 11 12 .478 2½

West Division
W L Pct GB
Oakland 15 8 .652 —
Texas 14 9 .609 1
Los Angeles 11 11 .500 3½
Seattle 9 13 .409 5½
Houston 7 17 .292 8½

Friday's Games
Kansas City 5, Baltimore 0
L.A. Angels 13, N.Y. Yankees 1
Boston 8, Toronto 1
Detroit 10, Minnesota 6
Oakland 12, Houston 5
Chicago White Sox 9, Tampa Bay 6
Seattle 6, Texas 5
San Francisco 5, Cleveland 1
Saturday's Games
K.L.A. Angels (H.Santiago 0-3) at

N.Y. Yankees (Nuno 0-0), 1:05 p.m.
Boston (Buchholz 0-2) at Toronto
(Morrow 1-1), 1:07 p.m.
Detroit (A.Sanchez 0-2) at
Minnesota (P.Hughes 1-1), 2:10 p.m.
Cleveland (McAllister 3-0) at San
Francisco (Lincecum 1-1), 4:05 p.m.
Kansas City (Guthrie 2-1) at
Baltimore (W.Chen 3-1), 7:05 p.m.
Oakland (Straily 1-1) at Houston
(Keuchel 2-1), 7:10 p.m.
Tampa Bay (C.Ramos 0-1) at
Chicago White Sox (Joh.Danks 2-0),
7:10 p.m.
Texas (Lewis 1-1) at Seattle
(F.Hernandez 3-1), 9:10 p.m.

Sunday's Games
Boston (Lester 2-3) at Toronto
(Dickey 1-3), 1:07 p.m.
Kansas City (Shields 2-2) at
Baltimore (Mi.Gonzalez 1-1), 1:35
p.m.
Detroit (Verlander 3-1) at
Minnesota (Gibson 3-1), 2:10 p.m.
Oakland (Milone 0-1) at Houston
(McHugh 1-0), 2:10 p.m.
Tampa Bay (Price 3-1) at Chicago
White Sox (Undecided), 2:10 p.m.
Cleveland (Salazar 0-3) at San
Francisco (Vogelsong 0-1), 4:05
p.m.
Texas (Harrison 0-0) at Seattle
(Maurer 0-0), 4:10 p.m.
L.A. Angels (Richards 2-0) at N.Y.
Yankees (Tanaka 3-0), 8:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
East Division
W L Pct GB
Atlanta 15 7 .682 —
New York 13 10 .565 2½
Washington 13 11 .542 3
Philadelphia 11 12 .478 4
Miami 10 13 .435 5½

Central Division
W L Pct GB
Milwaukee 17 6 .739 —
St. Louis 13 11 .542 4½
Cincinnati 11 12 .478 6
Pittsburgh 9 15 .375 8½
Chicago 7 15 .318 9½

West Division
W L Pct GB
San Francisco 13 10 .565 —
Colorado 13 11 .542 ½
Los Angeles 13 11 .542 ½
San Diego 11 13 .458 2½
Arizona 8 18 .308 6½
Friday's Games
Washington 11, San Diego 1
N.Y. Mets 4, Miami 3

Atlanta 5, Cincinnati 4
Milwaukee 5, Chicago Cubs 2
St. Louis 1, Pittsburgh 0
Arizona 5, Philadelphia 4
Colorado 5, L.A. Dodgers 4, 11 inn.
San Francisco 5, Cleveland 1
Saturday's Games
SSan Diego (Cashner 2-2) at
Washington (Roark 1-0), 1:05 p.m.
Cleveland (McAllister 3-0) at San
Francisco (Lincecum 1-1), 4:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Liriano 0-3) at St. Louis
(Lyons 0-1), 4:05 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (T.Wood 1-2) at
Milwaukee (Estrada 1-1), 7:10 p.m.
Cincinnati (Leake 2-1) at Atlanta
(Hale 0-0), 7:10 p.m.
Miami (Slowey 0-0) at N.Y. Mets
(Mejia 3-0), 7:10 p.m.
Philadelphia (Cl.Lee 3-2) at Arizona
(Arroyo 1-2), 8:10 p.m.
Colorado (Nicasio 2-0) at L.A.
Dodgers (Maholm 0-2), 9:10 p.m.

Sunday's Games
Miami (Koehler 2-4) at N.Y. Mets
(Gee 1-1), 1:10 p.m.
Cincinnati (Cueto 2-2) at Atlanta
(Teheran 2-1), 1:35 p.m.
San Diego (Kennedy 1-3) at
Washington (Jordan 0-3), 1:35 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (Hammel 3-1) at
Milwaukee (W.Peralta 3-0), 2:10 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Volquez 1-1) at St.
Louis (Wainwright 4-1), 2:15 p.m.
Cleveland (Salazar 0-3) at San
Francisco (Vogelsong 0-1), 4:05 p.m.
Colorado (J.De La Rosa 1-3) at
L.A. Dodgers (Ryu 3-1), 4:10 p.m.
Philadelphia (Burnett 0-1) at
Arizona (McCarthy 0-4), 4:10 p.m.

TEXAS LEAGUE
North Division
W L Pct GB
Springfield 11 10 .524 —
Tulsa 10 11 .476 1
Arkansas 8 13 .381 3
NW Arkansas 7 14 .333 4

South Division
W L Pct GB
Frisco 14 7 .667 —
Corpus Christi 13 8 .619 1
Midland 12 8 .600 1½
San Antonio 8 12 .400 5½

Saturday's Games
Frisco at Corpus Christi, 2:10 p.m.
Springfield at Arkansas, 7:10 p.m.
NW Arkansas at Tulsa, 8:05 p.m.
Midland at San Antonio, 8:05 p.m.

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GOLF

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The experience he gained in his first two trips to Austin – as well as playing an individual – will only work in his favor, he said. There should be no nerves, and concerns of playing it safe for the team's benefit.

"I think it will," said Roberson, who will be playing college football on Saturdays this fall at Tarleton State University in Stephenville. "The first year I was a little nervous. The second year, there were a lot less nerves. This year, I'm just leaving the nerves out of it. I'm ready to go show what I can do."

"I'm not playing with a team this year, so I don't feel any pressure to not take chances that might hurt the team," he added. "If I need to, I can take a few more chances and do some things I wouldn't normally do."

Getting to Austin will be a long and trying experience for the 18-year-old. And one that will involve almost 14 hours and 1,000 miles in a car over a 72-hour period, beginning immediately after the girls' 4x400-meter relay at the Region I-3A Track and Field Championships Saturday evening in Lubbock.

Following the completion of the girls' 4x400-meter race – his younger sister, Faith, competes for the Lady Steers' track squad – he and his family will depart for a 6-hour drive to Austin. They expect to arrive in the state's capital shortly before 2 a.m. A few hours later, at approximately noon, he will walk onto the Lost Pines course for a practice round.

"I'll probably be a little tired when we get there, but it'll be worth it," he said. "It's kind of nice to know my last round of golf in high school will be at the state meet."

In Austin, he will be among 72 Class 3A golfers looking to win a state



Courtesy photo

Devin Roberson will be among a handful of West Texas golf standouts competing in the state golf tournament on Monday and Tuesday in Austin.

title. Among the other players slated to tee off on Monday will be Andrews' G.K. Morrison, who won the recent Region I-3A crown, and Paris' Tanner Napier, the Region II champion. Carthage's Wade Davis and Pleasanton's James Sandoval are the Region III and Region IV champions.

Roberson is one of three individual medalists from Region I earning spots in the state field. He is joined by Gatesville's Zane Washburn and Liberty Hill's Blake Elliott.

Andrews, Lampasas and Llano will be among the nine teams shooting for the state team crown. Joining the three Region I entries are Carthage, Waco Robinson, Cleveland Tarkington, Argyle, Pleasant Grove, North Lamar, Fredericksburg, El Camp and Boerne.

thing we pride ourselves in," said Diddle. "When you come here as a player, coach or student, we want you to move onto a bigger, better point in your life. That is what our role is here."

Diddle said a search for a new assistant could get under way within the next few weeks.

Did we mention Roberson also competed at the regional track meet on Saturday? He competed in the boys' 300-meter hurdles races. The finals for the event were held on Saturday, at 4:05 p.m. Should he have finished in the top two in the 300-meter hurdles race at the regional meet, he will return to Austin on May 9-10 for the state track meet.

Lady Hawks split twinbill with Clarendon

By **TOMMY WELLS**
Sports Editor

The Howard College Lady Hawks' showdown with the Clarendon College Lady Bulldogs on Friday afternoon didn't quite go the way they had hoped.

The Lady Hawks committed two errors in the fourth inning that led a stunning 10-6 Clarendon win and a split of their doubleheader at Foundation Field.

Howard College, which

heads into the Region V Softball Tournament as the Western Junior College Athletic Conference runner-up, got off to a quick start against Clarendon in Game 2. The HC women raced to a 6-2 lead through the first three innings.

Clarendon roared back on the fourth. Backed by a towering 3-run homer to center, the Lady Bulldogs reeled off four runs and tied the game at 6-6.

Clarendon, aided by

two miscues, took the lead with a run in the fifth. They added two more in the top of the sixth to close out the contest.

Howard College claimed the opener of the series with pounding out an 11-2 decision.

The Lady Hawks, who are ranked 19th in the NJCAA national poll, scored 10 of their runs via the long ball. The HC women hit two grand slams in the game, and a pair of solo shots.

CABC sports banquet to be May 19

The Coahoma High School athletes will get their due recognition next month, thanks to the Coahoma Athletic Booster Club.

Booster club officials announced they will be hosting the annual All Sports Banquet for CHS athletes on Monday, May 19, beginning at 6:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

Activities will include a barbecue dinner, athlete recognition, guest speaker Putt Choate, and recognition of the CABC Fan of the Year.

CHS high school athletes and high school coaches will be the guests of honor. All other attendees will be required to purchase a ticket in order to attend.

Tickets will go on sale beginning today, and must be purchased by

May 9, 2014. Ticket prices are \$12 for adults and \$6 for children ages 10 and under.

Ticket purchase locations are: Coahoma Elementary, Junior High and High School offices,

The Cottage in Coahoma, and Bulldog Laundry in Sand Springs.

For more information contact Cindy Smith at (432) 517-0073 or coahomaboosters@yahoo.com

HC basketball camp scheduled for June 2-5

Howard College women's basketball coach Earl Diddle will be hold his annual girls' and boys' basketball camps in June. The camps will be held June 2-5 in the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

The Little Hawk Camp, designed for youngsters in kindergarten through third grade, will be held from 9 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. each morning. The Individual Skill Camp for girls in grades 2-5 will run from 10:30 a.m. to noon. The Individual Skill

Camp for boys in grades 4-12 will be from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. each day.

A girls' shooting camp will be held on June 9-12 from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m.

The cost for each camp is \$50 per player.

All camps are fundraisers for the Howard College women's basketball program. To register send a check or money order made payable to: Earl Diddle, HC women's Basketball, 1001 Birdwell Lane, Big Spring, Texas, 79720.

COACH

Continued from Page 8A for sixth in the Western Junior College Athletic Conference standings. Both squads went 4-10 in conference play.

Lees is the second HC assistant to land a head coaching position in the WJCAC in recent years. Former HC coach Eric Rodewald now serves as the head women's coach at Frank Phillips College.

A third former HC coach, Jamie Fisher, is an assistant at Connors State University in Oklahoma.

"That (getting head coaching jobs) is some-

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Guten Tag, Coahoma



Culture differences and school activities are among the discussion items for a class of fourth grade Coahoma students to their same age pen pals in Germany

Apparently, Duck Dynasty hasn't caught on with the 9- to 10-year-old crowd in Germany yet.

Fans of the reality TV show need not worry — a Coahoma Elementary class is helping to spread that bit of American culture to at least one class of German fourth-year students.

The fourth grade gifted and talented students are participating in an electronic pen pal exchange with a group of same-age students in Bardowick, Germany, a municipality in Northern Germany in the district of Lüneburg.



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"Before we began, the students made lists of things that they would like to know about the German students and questions they could ask," said Brynn McJimsey, GT teacher. "In addition, I gave my students a run down of basic German vocabulary they could use in their emails."

The exchange came about after McJimsey saw a posting on a friend's Facebook page. McJimsey spent the summer of 2008 at the equivalent of an elementary school in Lüneburg, Germany, through a study abroad exchange program offered by Angelo State University.

"I remained friends with several of the people I met while I was there," McJimsey said. "One of them recently posted on her Facebook that she was looking for an American group of students to be pen pals with. I jumped on the opportunity for my students. She put me in contact with a student teacher, and we put the project in motion. There are 10 fourth-grade students in her class we are exchanging emails with. The students exchange one email a week, and, so far, we have received and sent three emails each."

Topics of conversation between the two classes include comparing school schedules, favorite foods, sports and pets, down to what they learn in class.

"One of the specific reasons Ms. Dana Jordan wanted to do the project was to help her students with their English," she continued. "German students are taught English in fourth grade."

The Texas students are also picking up a few German words. Nein, or No in English, is Tanner Adkins' favorite, while pfannkuchen, pancake, is Katlin Johnson's top word so far.

One of the major differences between the two school systems, the Coahoma students learned quickly, was German students only attend classes until noon, but they go all year long. No prepared lunch is served by the schools and no transportation is provided for the students to and from the school.

"I would like to go to school all summer," Johnson said. "It would be hard, but it would be fun. I do like to go to school until the end of the day. Their school system is a lot different. If they want to ride the bus, they ride the public bus.



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Coahoma Elementary School Gifted and Talented Fourth Graders are participating in a pen pal email exchange with a class of same-age children in Germany. Pictured from left are Kobe Cervantes, Grayson Jacobs, Katelyn Johnson, J.B. Mashburn and Tanner Atkins. Participating fourth graders not pictured are Maddi Wallace, Vance Ott and Serenity Watts.



They don't have a bunch of cars. Their parents picked them, up but they don't have a car. I think they walk them home."

Another startling difference for the Texas students is at the end of their fourth year, German students are placed in one of three levels of schools which may decide their future employment. Placement depends on their grades, behavior and teacher recommendation, McJimsey explained.

"The first school is called Grundschule, where first through fourth grade subjects are taught the same for everyone," Adkins said. "I don't think they change classes. After fourth grade, they are separated by academic ability. The Hauptschule school, fifth through 10th, is slow paced and teaches vocational. The Gymnasium is the high academic school."

There is a third level of school that falls between the two — Realschule — where, after graduating in the 10th year, top students can attend a higher

academic level school and other graduates can attend a vocational type trade school or seek an apprenticeship. Students at this level learn at least one other language while students at the Gymnasium learn at least three, McJimsey said.

"I think it's crazy," Adkins said. "The STAAR test is hard enough. I can't believe what it is like in Germany."

"The hardest part would be separated from my friends," Johnson added.

Culturally, the two classes have found they have several similarities in common including eating the same cereals, having the same type of video gaming equipment — PS4, which was quickly pointed out by fourth-grader Grayson Jacobs — and both students have watched *SpongeBob* and *Jesse*, a TV show on the Disney Network.

"They have *Angry Birds*," Jacobs said.

When the Coahoma class learned that *Duck Dynasty* wasn't known to the young Germans, they sent a link to the show's website to the class. The German students found it pretty amusing, McJimsey said.

"I do feel that this program has been effective with my students," McJimsey said. "After their (German students) return from Easter Holiday (Monday) Ms. Jordan and I plan on letting them discuss the different ways they celebrate Easter. It is still fairly early in the project but I have noticed through the students email conversations that they are finding they do have things in common with the German students."

"We will continue the exchange when the German students return and it will continue through the rest of this school year," she continued. "I hope we have the opportunity to continue it next year."

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The light within

Last week the small town of West, Texas marked one year since the devastating chemical explosion leveled a large section of the town killing fifteen and injuring more than 200. Those who were there, and those who witnessed the mushroom cloud rising on the horizon, will never forget.



BILL TINSLEY

This week 35,755 runners participated in the first Boston Marathon since the horrendous bombing one year ago that killed and maimed spectators and participants near the finish line.

One event was the result of a tragic accident, the other a hideous crime. But in both cases, the year past was remembered by remarkable stories of courage, faith and determination.

In West, a choir sang Amazing Grace while surrounded with flickering candles on which students wrote, "Rise Up West!" CNN reported, "Residents say their faith has been instrumental in understanding and dealing with last April's tragedy. Montgomery Irwin says the anniversary falling so close to Easter — with its message of resurrection and renewal — is especially appropriate for the people of West."

In Boston survivors and responders from last year's bombing participated

in a one mile tribute-run on Saturday. Boston Mayor, Martin J. Walsh spoke to the crowd, "As I look out on the crowd, there is a lot of inspiration. I want to thank you for your courage and your resilience." At Old South Church, near the finish line, tribute runners were given blue and yellow scarves knitted by volunteers across the country.

Perhaps John had this kind of human resilience in mind when he wrote, "That was the light which coming into the world, enlightens every man." (John 1:9). Every human being is born with a reflection of that light that is at the source of creation. In some way we are like the clouds that reflect the rising sun, streaked with crimson, purple and gold prior to the sun's entrance. Often in our moments of greatest heartache and difficulty we reflect the greater glory. But when the sun rises, its brilliance supersedes everything that has gone before.

This may be what Zecharias meant when he said, "The sunrise from on high has visited us!" (Luke 1:78). Or John, when he wrote, "And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory, glory as the only begotten Son of God." (John 1:14). All of our expressions of courage, faith and determination, mixed as they are with our shortcomings and our sins, are but dim reflections of the perfect light that is found in God.

It seems fitting that between remembering these two tragic events, the world paused to celebrate Easter and the resurrection of Jesus from the dead. Seeking comfort, consolation and inspiration, we turned our eyes toward that signal event in human history when God entered into our suffering through His Son and overcame death and the grave.

Our human resilience reflects not on our own glory, but on the glory of Him who made us in His image, Who sent His Son to forgive us our sins and transform us into children of light. He is the source of all comfort and all

Area nurses are invited to Blessing of Nurses' Hands

Special to the Herald

A Big Spring church will celebrate National Nurses Week with a special and time honored tradition.

National Nurses Week 2014 is being celebrated from May 6 through May 12. National Nurses Day will be observed May 6 and National Parish Nurse Day will be observed May 12.

Sam and Christina Segundo, senior pastors of Family Faith Center (FFC) will be hosting the fifth annual Blessing of Nurses' Hands for Big Spring nurses and those from surrounding areas.

"The church motto is 'Your Healthy Place to Be,'" Sam Segundo said and the Segundos recognize parish nurses play an important role in the health of local fellowships. A Parish Nurse is a registered nurse who specializes in matters of health and healing within a faith-based community.

Some congregations use the term faith-based nursing or faith-based nurses. The pastors have included the parish nurse ministry as one of many key faith components



available to members of the Family Faith Center congregation.

Sam Segundo added "Our Parish Nurse Ministry is known as 'The Gate Called Beautiful' and is headed by certified parish nurse Les White PhD APRN-BC."

Dr. White indicated there are many aspects of parish nursing, however the core concept is assisting church members to understand the relationship between their faith and their health and healing. He also noted that prayer is a crucial part of the ministry and he conducts a health and healing service every Sunday morning to pray for those who are ill or in-

jured.

The health and healing service is one of seven Sunday morning (Sunday school) classes the fellowship offers for the members of the congregation. Dr. White has been a member of Family Faith Center for 13 years and received his certification in parish nursing in 2003 at Belarmino University in Louisville, Ky.

He believes he may be the only certified parish nurse in Big Spring, but remarked, "One does not have to be certified to use the title of parish nurse. Any registered nurse may provide services as a parish nurse.

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Menus

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Monday Breakfast — scrambled eggs, biscuits and gravy, sausage kolache, oven roasted potatoes.

Lunch — beef and bean burrito, tortilla chips, salsa, broccoli bites, garden salad, orange smiles.

Tuesday Breakfast — cheddar omelet wrap.

Lunch — southwest chicken casserole, tortilla chips, garden salad, charro beans, salsa, cinnamon applesauce.

Wednesday Breakfast — breakfast pizza.

Lunch — salisbury steak with brown gravy, mashed potatoes, carrot coins, roll, strawberries (high school), brownie cookie.

Big Spring ISD

Monday Breakfast — assorted cereal, animal crackers, grapes, assorted fruit juice, milk.

Lunch — Sloppy Joe or beef and bean burrito, broccoli with ranch dressing, garden salad, strawberries and bananas, fresh fruit bowl, milk.

Tuesday Breakfast — mini maple pancakes, sausage patty, apples, assorted fruit juice, milk

Lunch — crispy tacos or southwest chicken casserole, tortilla chips, garden salad, charro beans, applesauce, milk.

Wednesday Breakfast — mini corn dogs, peach cup, assorted fruit juice, milk.

Lunch — chicken nuggets or salisbury steak, roll, mashed potatoes with gravy, carrots, fruity Jell-O, fresh fruit bowl, milk.

Forsan ISD

Monday Breakfast (6th-12th) — chocolate chip muffins, cereal, toast, jelly, chilled pears, whole fresh fruit.

Lunch (9th-12th) — Texas bow, chicken fried steak, popcorn chicken salad, seasoned green beans, seasoned corn, mashed potatoes, romaine garden salad, peach crisp.

Lunch (6th-8th) — Texas bowl, chicken fried steak, popcorn chicken salad, seasoned green beans, mashed potatoes, romaine garden salad, chilled mixed fruit.

Tuesday Breakfast (6th-12th) — breakfast pizza, cereal, cinnamon toast, blushing pears, whole fresh fruit.

Lunch (9th-12th) — orange chicken, beef teriyaki with steamed rice, cheeseburger basket, glazed carrots, oriental blend vegetables, romaine garden salad, chilled Mandarin oranges.

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Lunch (6th-8th) — orange chicken, beef teriyaki with steamed rice, cheeseburger basket, glazed carrots, oriental blend vegetables, romaine garden salad, rosy applesauce, fortune cookie.

Wednesday Breakfast (6th-12th) — French toast sticks, cereal, toast, baked cinnamon apples, whole fresh fruit.

Lunch (9th-12th) — big daddy pizza, beef lasagna with bread stick, chicken caesar salad, corn on cob, baked Italian zucchini and tomatoes, romaine garden salad, chilled Mandarin oranges.

Lunch (6th-8th) — big daddy pizza, beef lasagna with bread stick, chicken caesar salad, corn on cob, baked Italian zucchini and tomatoes, romaine garden salad, chilled Mandarin oranges.

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Lunch — Texas bowl, chicken fried steak, popcorn chicken salad, seasoned green beans, mashed potatoes, romaine garden salad, chilled mixed fruit.

Tuesday Breakfast — breakfast pizza, scrambled eggs, cinnamon toast, cereal, chilled peaches, fresh whole fruit, fruit juice, milk.

Lunch — chicken lo mein, chicken teriyaki with steamed rice, glazed carrots, oriental blend vegetables, romaine garden salad, applesauce, fortune cookie.

Wednesday

Breakfast — smoked sausage with cheese in flour tortilla, scrambled eggs Santa Fe, toast, cereal, chilled apricots, whole fruit, fruit juice, milk.

Lunch — spaghetti with meat sauce, beef lasagna with bread stick, chicken caesar salad, corn on cob, baked Italian zucchini and tomatoes, romaine garden salad, chilled Mandarin oranges.

New Hope Christian School

Monday Breakfast and snack — cereal, grape juice, milk; Rice Crispy bar, milk.

Lunch — hot dog on a bun, tater tots, banana halves, milk.

Tuesday Breakfast and snack

— French toast sticks, applesauce, milk; Goldfish, applesauce.

Lunch — fish sticks, hush puppies, corn salad, milk.

Wednesday Breakfast and snack — cheese quesadilla, peaches, milk; graham crackers, apple juice.

Lunch — chili mac, corn, green beans.

Big Spring Senior Center

Monday — chopped steak with gravy, buttered noodles, mixed vegetables, sugar cookies, bread, milk.

Tuesday — cheese enchiladas with green chili sauce, beans, tossed salad, yellow cake, milk.

Wednesday — Philly swiss steak, french fries, carrot and raisin salad, peaches, milk.

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Tornado shelters face dilemma with pet lovers

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — Jerry Starr thought he was taking the safe approach when a twister was reported heading toward his suburban neighborhood outside Oklahoma City last May. He grabbed his teenage daughter Dyonna and his dog and drove to the local City Hall, which serves as a public storm shelter.

But when he arrived, a police officer told him that the only way they could come in was if Tobi, his shih tzu-yorkie mix, stayed outside. No pets allowed. So Starr and Tobi rode out the storm in his car, one of the most dangerous places he could be.

no way I was going to live knowing I was abandoning her," said Starr, of Del City. Modern forecasting technology now gives residents hours of notice of threatening conditions and precise projections of a storm's likely path. Residents are bombarded with broadcast warnings to take shelter.

But as the spring storm season arrives in Tornado Alley, emergency officials are still wrestling with a dilemma posed by man's best friends. Since many public shelters won't accept animals, people wind up dashing across town to rescue their pets or staying in unprotected

houses rather than hunkering down in safety. "Pets and sheltering is always a problem," said David Grizzle, emergency management coordinator for the college town of Norman, which closed its public shelters last fall because of problems with pets and overcrowding.

"Pets come in and sometimes they're hard to control," he said, describing past scenes of dozens of frantic dogs along with snakes, chickens and even iguanas brought inside.

Access to shelters has gotten special attention in Oklahoma this year after 79 tornadoes strafed the state in 2013, the second highest total

in the nation, killing 34 people and injuring hundreds.

Most of the victims were in cars, houses or unreinforced buildings. A joint state-federal program offered up to a \$2,000 rebate to help eligible homeowners install fortified "safe rooms" or above or underground shelters.

"One of the most common injuries that people may sustain during tornadoes, storms or straight-line winds are injuries from falling or flying debris, so it's important to take shelter," said Keli Cain, spokeswoman for the Oklahoma Department of Emergency Management.

But while the number of in-home shelters is growing, most people in small towns and of modest incomes depend on sturdy public buildings like schools, hospitals and courthouses. And more than 60 percent of households have pets.

At city council and campus administration meetings this spring, officials reviewing local emergency plans are again debating the implications of turning animals away.

"People are so attached to their pets, I don't think it's even possible to ban them," said Byron Boshell, director of Security at Oklahoma City's Integris Baptist Medical Center, where

people from surrounding neighborhoods come when funnel clouds approach.

Staff members try to herd the pets to the basement garage, away from the patients. But at some shelters, 60 to 70 dogs may be packed in with the people.

Southwestern Oklahoma State University, in Weatherford, used to allow pets into the campus buildings until several bad scenes involving dozens of barking, lunging dogs and other panicked animals.

The animals "were kind of terrified from the storm and also strange people," said Rick Bolter, chief of the campus police.

Tomorrow's Horoscope

The Taurus sun energy is patient and steady, reminding us that even the softest water can cut a canyon through the mountain. Gentleness has great power indeed and always wins out in the end. The moon in Aries argues that when we do not have the benefit of thousands of years, we need to be stronger in our efforts to make a mark.



HOLIDAY MATHIS

ARIES (March 21-April 19). You'll break up a kind of bottleneck situation this afternoon. Because you're so decisive, you'll get things moving when others around you are stuck between options.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). People who look alike are in fact very different. Generalizations lead to mistakes. Go carefully and respectfully as you find out exactly whom you are dealing with.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). You feel that you have something to prove, if only to yourself. Let those inclined to worry do just that, while you concern yourself with how you can live to the fullest.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). A new area of interest opens up. The first step to a good education in the matter is to develop a sense of what is worth knowing and what is not. Trust your instincts.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Is peace something to find or to make? It depends on the moment. Today's circumstances will not represent a naturally occurring peace, but your adjustments in the name of serenity will change that.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). You may feel misunderstood, but don't mope about it. Instead, take it as a sign that you're on to something unusual and maybe even great. This is worth exploring deeper.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). If you can tolerate a

degree of social discomfort, you'll quickly see the benefit of giving your best to a highly competitive situation. Many were called, few will be chosen.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). You'll play an important role in the exchange of goods and services. You'll strike a deal when your prospect wants the close as much as or more than you do. You'll be most pleased with the way things shake out.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). The one who is talking quite a lot (presumably because he or she is in the know) is far less wise than the quiet one in the corner who admittedly knows very little.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Your timing is impeccable. You have a way of unintentionally showing up right when and where your presence will be most needed, appreciated and lauded.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Your curious mind wants to be satisfied, and yet there are many questions that will never be answered. The trick is to spend your mental energy in

rewarding places.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). What feels comfortable and right to you is very different from what another finds tolerable. You'll be astonished at what some people choose. Matters of taste will determine destiny.

T O D A Y ' S BIRTHDAY (April 27). You're not interested in what's easy. What you want will be difficult and will require a concentrated effort, which won't deter you in the least. May brings the first of many small breakthroughs that eventually will lead to an important meeting in August. The financial part picks up in September. Relax in style in November. Leo and Gemini people adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 14, 3, 38, 20 and 44.

FORECAST FOR THE WEEK AHEAD: The solar eclipse and the new moon in Taurus will be highly motivational and will favor those working on long-term goals. Maintaining the stamina it takes to go the distance will be a mental game. It will help if you do not fall prey to the evils of com-

parison. While a degree of comparison is necessary for the development of any person or project, it is easily taken too far under these skies. You'll have better luck improving when you keep your eyes on your own scene. Inappropriate demands lead to discouragement. Anyway, if you're comparing yourself to the airbrushed fake version of a human being, of course you're going to come up short. Even the real person in the picture can't compare to his or her manipulated image. And if you're comparing the work you did alone, you shouldn't expect it to measure up

to polished group efforts.

On Friday, Venus leaves the wisdom of Pisces to travel through the energetic, youthful ream of Aries. This is a rather self-centered placement for the goddess of love, but there's a great deal to be gained from a bit of selfishness. After all, kindness begins at home. Venus challenges us to find as many ways to be kind to ourselves as possible.

CELEBRITY PROFILES: "Duck Dynasty" star Si Robertson is a preacher, hunter, duck-call maker, buck commander and one of last year's hottest Halloween costumes. An earthy

Taurus born under an adventurous Sagittarius moon, he has three planets (Mars, Saturn and Pluto) in entertaining Leo and can't help but bring color (or camouflage, as the case may be) to the lives of others.

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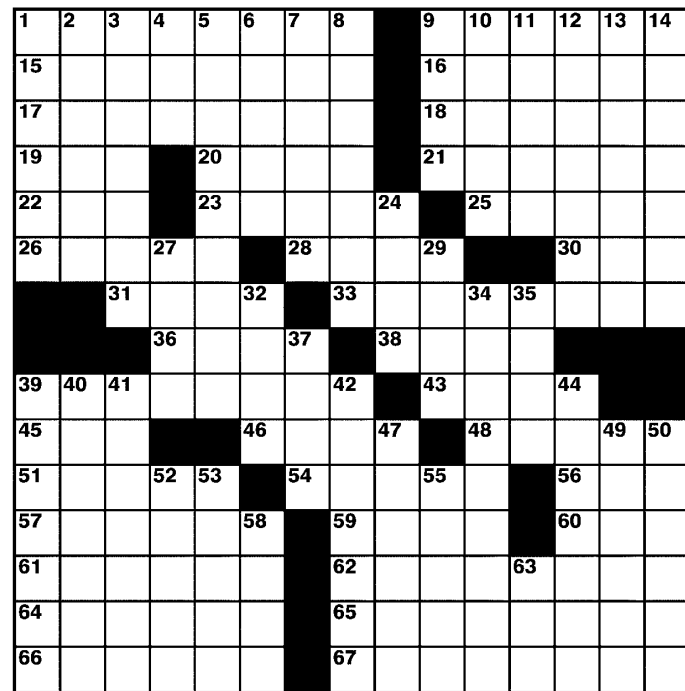
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| ACROSS | DOWN |
| 1 Unable to diversify, perhaps | 1 Yearning |
| 9 Watering hole | 2 Really fancy |
| 15 Tilt in the wind | 3 Eats without relish |
| 16 1994 black-and-white biopic | 4 Anderson Cooper, circa 1988 |
| 17 Trenchant | 5 "Are You Out of His League?", for one |
| 18 Plea for gentleness | 6 Like a hawk |
| 19 Home field of D.C. United soccer club | 7 Porcelain center |
| 20 Old school adjunct | 8 React to excitement |
| 21 Groups of runners | 9 Betrays desperation |
| 22 "Help wanted" | 10 Violations of the First Commandment |
| 23 Pax Romana year | 11 Sign of a struggle |
| 25 Certain proofs of purchase | 12 Perfectly |
| 26 Elephant charge stopper | 13 Vine growth |
| 28 Cause hysterics in | 14 Literary source of "out of sight, out of mind" |
| 30 "Tis paid with sighs a plenty, and sold for endless ___": Housman | 24 Reef toppers |
| 31 Plug | 27 Scene of runaway nuclear fusion |
| 33 Glitzy display | 29 Sight on Disneyland's Matterhorn Bobsleds ride |
| 36 Mixed it up | 32 \$100 bill background color |
| 38 How one visits a man cave | 34 One with bad table manners |
| 39 Not assured | 35 Ant-farm material |
| 43 "The Cradle of Civilization" | 37 Not very bright |
| 45 Sambadrome locale | 39 Fount of creativity |
| 46 Place to rest | 40 Severely limit |
| 48 Crushes | 41 Went deep |
| 51 Angels' spring training city | 42 Office humor source |
| 54 Yeas and nays, say | 44 Fill the bill |
| 56 Direct | 47 It's often up against the wall |
| 57 Thoreau topic | 49 Preternaturally strong |
| | 50 Fluid |
| | 52 Cicero's father |
| | 53 Subject of a '60s movie remake? |
| | 55 Dragonfruit grow on them |
| | 58 Taken in |
| | 63 Zinger |



Answer to previous puzzle

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STARMAP	PESTLE

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Alon USA presented a \$5,000 matching check to the Salvation Army for the Romack on the Roof fundraising event. The 12-hour-long campaign included Salvation Army Lt. Jeremiah Romack, members of Alon and other community leaders staying on top of the roof the 7-Eleven on Birdwell. The Salvation Army raised approximately \$7,000, not including the matching donation. All the money will be used to purchase a rock climbing wall and scoreboard for the Boys & Girls Club. Pictured from left to right is Romack, Boys and Girls Club Director Duane Shackelford and Alon representatives Jeff Brorman, vice president of refining, Big Spring Refinery; Adolph Granato, HSSE manager; Ernie Morgan, process reliability & optimization manager; Jessica Rivera, executive administrative assistant; Randy Hillman, general manager logistics & utilities; and Shelley Parker, accounting manager.

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Instead of choosing to buy a new home, many people prefer to remodel or upgrade their current one. Most home improvement projects take time and money. More importantly, they require skilled, reputable contractors that can bring your dreams to life. Better Business Bureau (BBB) received nearly 5,000 complaints against the home improvement industry nationally last year. Most complaints allege contracted work was not done properly or final costs were more than quoted. Others claimed repair or billing issues.

It's important to do your research before hiring anyone. You can find a BBB Accredited contractor at checkbbb.org. For any business, go to bbb.org to check the company's BBB Business Review for a history of complaints.



TYLER PATTON

Once you have a list of contractors to contact, it's time to ask the hard questions:

How many projects like mine have you completed in the last year? May I have a list of references?

Ask for a list of references to get an idea of how familiar the contractor is with your type of project. A contractor should be able to give you names and phone numbers of at least three clients with projects like yours. Ask each client how long ago the project was and whether it was completed on time.

What are my payment options?

Don't pay large fees up front or pay in cash. It's best to solicit bids from at least three different companies. All bids should be in writing and should provide a full description of the services to be provided and the materials to be used. Depending on the nature of work, you may wish to specify the kinds (grade or thickness) of materials that will be used, as this could affect the bid.

Will my project require a permit?

Some building projects may require permits, even for simple jobs like decks. Additions or alterations to your home may affect title transfers or insurance requirements should you ever decide to sell your home. Therefore, be cautious of contractors who state no permits or inspections are required. All contractors are required to obtain permits for their work. Also, be wary of a contractor who asks you to obtain a permit on their behalf. The party that obtains the permit is ultimately held responsible for work that does not meet city code.

What types of insurance do you carry?

The Federal Trade Commission recommends contractors have:

- personal liability
- worker's compensation
- property damage coverage

Ask for copies of insurance certificates and make sure they're current, or you could be held liable for any injuries and damages that occur during the project.

If you have an issue with a business or feel you have been scammed, file a complaint with BBB.



With the exception of a few low-lying areas, most Texas peach orchards escaped damage from the April 15 and earlier freezes in 2014. There were exceptions, however, such as this East Texas orchard in Smith County, that were subject to temperatures in the teens in early March. By late April, these trees should be filled with small peaches, according to the grower, but trees either had only a few peaches or none at all.

photo by Robert Burns

Freeze, drought taking toll on crops

By Robert Burns
Agri-Life Agent

COLLEGE STATION — There were varied reports of damage to wheat, forages and fruit and nut crops from the hard freeze on April 15 from Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service personnel throughout the Central, Rolling Plains, South Plains and Panhandle regions.

A statewide summary of damage to wheat in those areas is pending. However, Dr. Larry Stein, AgriLife Extension horticulturist for fruits, nuts and vegetable crops at Uvalde, was certain pecan and peach orchards were left most-

ly unscathed.

A large part of the reason for the lack of damage was due to preventive measures taken by orchard owners and managers, Stein said.

"After the late freezes last year, a lot of people were on guard this year and ready to do whatever they could," he said. "The big thing was watering before the freeze."

In 2013, the Texas peach crop was hammered by two exceptionally late freezes, one in late April, and for some areas, another in May.

This year, an early March freeze caused some alarm, but most peach varieties had not

yet bloomed and buds were tight enough to escape damage, Stein said. In 2013, the extreme drought meant many orchards were stressed before the freeze, making them more susceptible to damage.

Preventive measures can also include applying irrigation water to trees during a freeze, he said.

"You can run water during the time of the freeze," Stein said. "When water goes from a liquid to a solid, it's going to give off heat. And as long as that's happening, it's not going to get below 32 degrees (at the tree level.)"

Pecans were also

mostly left unharmed, he said.

"There were actually a few trees that were nipped back in a few locations, in the lower spots," Stein said. "The good news is there was only a few primary buds were forced, and there will be secondary buds that will come that will make pecans. But a lot of the primary buds hadn't forced yet."

More information on the current Texas drought and wildfire alerts can be found on the AgriLife Extension Agricultural Drought Task Force website at agrilife.tamu.edu/drought/.

McDonald's CEO: No heat from breakfast competition

NEW YORK (AP) — McDonald's apparently isn't scared by a waffle taco. Without specifying names, McDonald's CEO Don Thompson said during a conference call Tuesday that the company hasn't seen any impact from the "most recent competitor"

in the breakfast space. In apparent references to Subway and Taco Bell, he also noted that McDonald's seems to face new rivals every year in the mornings, whether they're "sandwich shops or taco shops."

The comments come after Taco Bell's launch of its national breakfast menu late last month, which generated considerable fanfare because of the chain's TV ads featuring real-life Ronald McDonalds professing love for items like its waffle taco. But Taco Bell's lineup is still fairly limited compared with McDonald's, and it's not clear whether it will be able to convince people to visit its restaurants in the mornings.

Taco Bell, which is owned by Yum Brands, has declined to say how its breakfast is faring so far. In a phone interview, the chain's chief marketing officer, Chris Brandt, didn't have much to say about the comments by McDonald's.

"Well, good for them," Brandt said. McDonald's, which has been in the breakfast business for about 30 years, counts on items like the Egg McMuffin and Sausage Biscuit to generate 25 percent of its U.S. sales. The company, based in Oak Brook, Ill., has more than 14,000 U.S. locations, compared with around 6,000 for Taco Bell.

During the earnings call Tuesday, Thompson also seemed to draw a distinction between McDonald's breakfast and its unnamed rivals, noting that McDonald's cooks its food on site.



"We crack fresh eggs, we grill sausage and bacon, we bake biscuits and we toast muffins," Thompson said. Later, he emphasized the point that



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County Court Filings
 State of Texas vs. Henry Franco, revocation of probation for interfering with an emergency call, 43 days in jail.
 State of Texas vs. Michael Wilson Carl, judgment and sentence for assault causing bodily injury to a family member, 20 days in jail, \$200 fine.
 State of Texas vs. Jennie Womack, revocation of probation for possession of marijuana under two ounces, 41 days in jail, \$500 fine.
 State of Texas vs. Donni Kay Robertson, judgment and sentence for driving with previous conviction/suspension without final resolution, 60 days in jail, \$100 fine.
 State of Texas vs. Donni Kay Robertson, judgment and sentence for criminal mischief, 60 days in jail, \$100 fine.
 State of Texas vs. Jenny Marie Lyon, probated sentence for theft over \$500/less than \$1,500, 180 days in jail/probated for six months, \$50 fine.
 State of Texas vs. Ronald Dwayne Stacy, judgment and sentence for theft over \$50/less than \$500, five days in jail.
 State of Texas vs. Ronald Dwayne Stacy, judgment and sentence for possession of marijuana under two ounces, 30 days in jail, \$200 fine.
 State of Texas vs. Linda Rena Torres, probated sentence for theft over \$50/less than \$500, 180 days in jail/probated for 12 months, \$200 fine.

State of Texas vs. Jose Leopoldo Ruiz, probated sentence for duty on striking fixture, 180 days in jail/probated for 12 months, \$200 fine.
 State of Texas vs. Gustabo Rios, judgment and sentence for driving while license invalid with previous conviction, 20 days in jail, \$200 fine.
 State of Texas vs. Dorothea Tyson, probated sentence for theft over \$50/less than \$500, 180 days in jail/probated for 12 months, \$200 fine.
 State of Texas vs. Veronica Marie Ortiz, probated sentence for possession of marijuana under two ounces, 180 days in jail/probated for 12 months, \$200 fine.
 State of Texas vs. David Lawrence Glass, judgment and sentence for terroristic threat, time served, \$200 fine.
 State of Texas vs. Haydin McMurrin, judgment and sentence for possession of marijuana under two ounces, time served, \$200 fine.

District Court Filings
 Johnny Garcia Jr. vs. Claudia Garcia, divorce
 Claudia Garcia vs. Johnny Garcia Jr., protective order
 Progressive County Mutual Insurance Co. vs. Jose Luis Zuniga, Raul Barraza dba Basin Trucking Co. and Hot Shot, injury/damage with motor vehicle.
 Andrea Venessa Valencia vs. Joe Ernest Valencia, divorce
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 Jimmy Dolloff vs. Kimberly Dolloff, divorce
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Warranty Deed with Vendor's Lien
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 Property: South 25 feet, lot 9, and all of lots 10-12, block 2, Gordon Addition
 Date: April 15, 2014

BREAKFAST

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McDonald's actually cooks fresh eggs in its restaurants, explaining that "It isn't a micro-wave deal."
 Taco Bell has said it uses frozen eggs that are thawed and cooked in the mornings. Although McDonald's cooks eggs to order for some breakfast sandwiches, it also uses frozen products in some cases. But the company has been trying to focus on improving its image as a chain that serves quality food, emphasizing words such as "restaurant" and "kitchen" in describing itself.
 In the meantime, McDonald's plans to intensify marketing around its breakfast, with a focus on its coffee. Although traditional fast-food chains are struggling to boost sales, breakfast has remained a growing category in the industry and McDonald's is apparently determined to defend its leading position.
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1107 LLOYD. 2 Bdrm, 1 bath, CH/A. Large fenced yard. \$900 month, \$500 deposit. References required. (432)270-7104

RV SPACE for Rent, Not in RV Park, Country Living. Call (432) 816-1107

2BR/1BA. Laundry room, fridge, stove, washer and dryer, carpet, large backyard with privacy fence good for large dogs, available May 4th! Rent \$975, deposit \$975. Background check required. Please call 541-292-9825.

AFFORDABLE COUNTRY Living- OASIS RV Park has Spaces & Travel Trailers for Rent. Call 432-517-0062 or 264-9907.

Real Estate for Rent

418 RYON- 3br/1ba with carport, nice house, \$1150/month with a \$900 deposit. Call 432-517-2876.

AVAILABLE NOW! 800 square foot Office Space available with 4 rooms! 1512 Scurry. Call 432-213-1112 for more info!

OFFICE SPACE for Lease Downtown Big Spring next to Settles Hotel. 6 large offices, separate restrooms, Storage rooms. Curbside and private parking, \$1,000 per month. month lease option. Call 432-354-2501

SPACIOUS, PRIVATE, furnished apartment, refrigerated air. No smoking/pets. Qualification required, lease. One person only! 432-270-0707 Broker. \$700/month

Real Estate for Sale

BEAUTIFUL CUSTOM home. 101 Cedar Rd. 2600 sq-ft. 3br/3ba, 2 living/2 dining. New appliances. Landscaped. Across from Big Spring State Park/700. \$189,000 Call 432-517-4747.

BY OWNER 2401 Merrily Drive, Kentwood area, Close to school. 3/2/2, 1700+ sq ft, attached carport. \$125,000. Call 432-264-0898

HOUSE FOR sale or rent, 3BR/1BA, 1312 Tucson, newly remodeled, \$69,500. Serious inquires only, owner finance. 432-517-2959

NEW COMMERCIAL PROPERTY LISTING- 1411 E Hwy 350 asking \$1,200,000 22,500 sq. ft. building on 12 1/2 acres. Perfect oil industry service company property. Call for details. Charles Smith 432-466-1613 or Home Realtors 432-263-1284 ask for MLS # 98731

THREE LOTS for sale for \$5,000 each. 1505-1507-1509 Main St. 432-268-3738

Services Offered

Small Engine Repair 709 Pine St. Push lawn mowers, riding lawn mowers. Come by or call at 432-270-0575. Email pherrera@suddenlink.net.

Vehicles

CASH FOR CARS/TRUCKS: Get A Top Dollar INSTANT Offer! Running or Not. Damaged? Wrecked? OK! We Pay Up To \$20,000! Call Toll Free: 1-800-871-9712

FORD ESCAPE car with 28 foot RV. Electric & Blue Ox hookup. Pull components included. Great travel combination. \$15,000. See at 611 Runnels. 432-270-3644

TRUCKS FOR SALE

-2006 Ford F250, Diesel, Runs Great, \$9,500.00
-1992 12 yard Dump Truck \$14,000
-1996 Freightliner, Runs Good \$8,000
-1998 Club Cab 8 yard Dump Truck, Diesel, Runs good \$9,500
-F350 Diesel Club Cab Flat Bed \$6,000
-Caterpillar Maintainer, Perfect for Lease Work, Good condition, Runs Perfect \$22,000
Call 432-267-8169.

Legals

NOTICE TO SURFACE COMMINGLE (P-17)

Notice is hereby given that ConocoPhillips Company, Operator 172232, has filed with the Texas Railroad Commission the following: P-17 application for the exception to SWR 26 and/or 27 to surface commingle production, allocate production and for off-lease storage, from oil and gas leases in Section 134, Block 29, W. & N. W. RR. Co. Survey, Section 159, Block 29, W. & N. W. RR. Co. Survey, the North 1/2 & the West 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 135, Block 29, W. & N. W. RR. Co. Survey, the West 1/2 & the SE 1/4 of the NW 1/4, the NE 1/4 & the SW 1/4 of Section 158, Block 29, W. & N. W. RR. Co. Survey, the SW 1/4 of Section 136, Block 29, W. & N. W. RR. Co. Survey, and the NW 1/4 of Section 157, Block 29, W. & N. W. RR. Co. Survey in Howard and Glasscock Counties, Texas under other leases. Any affected mineral interest owners who have not received written notification are advised to contact Ken Andersen of ConocoPhillips Company, in Midland, Texas at 3300 North A Street, Bldg 6-120, Midland, Texas 79705-5190, (432) 688-9020 by May 18, 2014. #8280 April 27 and May 4, 11, & 18, 2014

Legals

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS FOLLOWS:

TO: Venice Cawthron fka Venice Tolson, Defendant Lienholder

if living, and if any or all of the above named Defendants be dead, the unknown heirs of such person if he should be deceased, and any and all other person, including adverse claimants, owning or claiming or having any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the land described in Plaintiffs' petition on file in this cause; and the executors, administrators, guardians, legal representatives, legatees, devisees, trustees, officers, directors, stockholders, partners, managers, or other governing persons of the above named persons or entities, who own or claim some interest in the land described in Plaintiffs' petition on file in the cause, to-wit:

3 tracts of land out of Sc 2, Bk 33, T1S, T&P, Ry. Co. Survey, Howard County, Texas; described by metes and bounds on the attached exhibit Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiffs for taxes in the following amount: \$586.50, exclusive of interest, penalties, and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes all said interest, penalties, and costs thereon, allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein.

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL as Plaintiffs, against LARRY MOORE AKA LARRY R. MOORE and others, as Defendant(s), by petition filed on 31 March, 2014, in a certain suit styled HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL VS LARRY MOORE AKA LARRY R. MOORE, for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Howard County, Texas 118th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is 6382 that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit, are NONE. Plaintiffs and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent ad valorem taxes on the property hereinabove described, thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law. All parties to this suit, including Plaintiffs, Defendant(s), and Intervenors, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties, and cost allowed by law thereon, may upon request therefore, be recovered herein without further citation or notice

to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file in said causes by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property. You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance hereof, the same being the 19 day of May, 2014 before the Honorable District Court of Howard County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, then and there to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest, and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the Plaintiffs and the taxing unit parties hereto, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all cost of this suit. Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court in the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, this 1 day of April, A.D. 2014.

Jury Padron
Clerk of the District Court
Howard County, Texas,
118th Judicial District.
#8273 April 20 & 27 of 2014

Legals

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas
Declaration of the Invalidity of a certain document and claim:
Lot 10 Block 29,
Garden City, Texas

To: J.N. Akin, Lilla E. Akin, Gladys Akin Bryant and Ruth Akin Harris, The Unknown Heirs of J.N. Akin, Lilla Akin, Gladys Akin Bryant and Ruth Akin Harris, and all Persons claiming any title or interest in land under deed heretofore given to J.N.Akin, of the County of Glasscock, State of Texas, as grantee and covering all of Lot 10 Block 29, Garden City, Glasscock County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in Book 1, page 1, plat records Glasscock County, Texas.

Notice to defendant: "You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 am on the Monday next following the expiration of 42 days after

the date this citation was issued, a default judgement may be taken against you."

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the Monday next after the expiration of 42 days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being **Monday, May 12, 2014** before the **Honorable Judge Timothy Yeats, 118th District Court of Glasscock County**, at the Courthouse in said County in **Garden City, Texas**. Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court on the 28 day of March, 2014 in the above entitled cause.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Garden City, Texas this 28th day of March, 2014

Clerk of the Court:
Rebecca Batla
118th District Clerk
Glasscock County, Texas
#8248 April 6, 13, 20 & 27, 2014

Legals

THE STATE OF TEXAS

NOTICE OF DEFENDANT: "You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 a.m. on Monday next following the expiration of 42 days after this citation was issued, a default judgment may be taken against you."

to: Manuel Villa Jr. & Jessica Villa

Defendant greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the Monday next after the expiration of 42 days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday June 2nd, 2014, before the Honorable 118th District Court of Howard County, at 312 Scurry Street in said County in Big Spring, Texas. Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court on the 04/17/2014 in the entitled cause #49739.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: ALEJANDRA MALDONADO AND ELIAS TOVAR vs. MANUEL VILLA JR. AND JESSICA VILL as is more fully shown by the Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

Issued and given under my hand seal of said court at office this 17th day of April, 2014.

COLLEEN BARTON
District Clerk of Howard County, Texas

By: **Jury Padron**
#8272 April 27, 2014, May 4, 2014, May 11, 2014, May 18, 2014

Legals

Colleen Barton
312 Scurry
Big Spring, Texas 79720
C. Brantley Jones
P.O. Box 15008
Amarillo, Texas 79105-5008

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To: Paul Demotte, his assigns, heirs, and devisees
Defendent greeting:
You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the Monday next after expiration of 42 days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday May 12, 2014, before the Honorable 118th District Court of Howard County, at 312 Scurry Street in said County of Big Spring, Texas. Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court on the 03/24/2014 in the entitled cause LAREDO PETROLEUM, INC. vs. PAUL DEMOTTE, ET AL.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Application of Receiver as is more fully shown by the Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. Issued and given under my hand seal of said court at office this 24th day of March, 2014
COLLEEN BARTON
District Clerk of Howard County, Texas
#8241 April 6, 13, 20 & 27, 2014



Legals

CITY OF BIG SPRING BID ADVERTISEMENT

Sealed proposals addressed to City of Big Spring will be received at Big Spring City hall, 310 Nolan Street, Big Spring, Texas 79720 until May 22, 2014 at 2:00 p.m. for 2014 Water System Improvements, TxCDBG No. 713030. Immediately following the closing time for receipt of bids, proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud at Big Spring City all. Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened. Bids will be tabulated and presented to City of Big Spring for action at a later date. Information for bidders, proposal forms, specifications and plans are on file at City of Big Spring and the office of Parkhill, Smith & Cooper, Inc., Consulting Engineers, 4222 85th Street, Lubbock, Texas, 79423. Bidders must submit a Cashier's or Certified Check issued by a bank satisfactory to the Owner, or a Proposal Bond from a reliable Surety Company, payable without recourse to the order of City of Big Spring in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the bid submitted as a guaranty that the Bidder will enter into a contract and execute bonds in the forms provided within fifteen (5) days after notice of award of contract to him. Bids without the required check or Proposal Bond will not be considered.

The successful Bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and Payment Bond, each in the amount of the contract, written by a responsible Surety Company authorized to do business in the State of Texas, and satisfactory to the Owner, as required by Article 5160, V.A.T.C.S., as amended by H.B. 344, passed by the 56th Legislature, Regular Session 1959. Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all local conditions. Copies of the plans, specifications and contract documents may be secured at the office of Parkhill, Smith & Cooper, Inc., Consulting Engineers, 4222 85th Street, Lubbock, Texas, 79423 (Phone 806-473-2200) as follows:
1. Download documents (.pdf file extension format) from PSC's Info Exchange web site after registering as a plan holder with issuing PSC office. **There is no cost or deposit required for this option.**
2. One set of paper copies for a non-refundable deposit of \$50.00
3. A digital copy (.pdf file extension format) upon a non-refundable deposit of \$20.00 per each CD. Deposit shall be Company check or cashiers' check made payable to Parkhill, Smith & Cooper, Inc. No partial sets will be issued.
#8276 April 27 and May 4, 2014

Legals

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR COMMERCIAL OIL AND GAS WASTE DISPOSAL WELL PERMIT

Tall City Operating LLC,
PO Box 10729, Midland, TX 79702

is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation, which is productive of oil and gas. The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Canyon Reef formations. Middleton 38 Well Number #1. The proposed disposal well is located 5 miles North of Knott in the Middleton (Canyon Reef), in Howard County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 8570 to 8732 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of **Texas Natural Resources Code**, as amended, and the **Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas**.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512-463-6792).
#8287 April 27, 2014

Legals

Colleen Barton
312 Scurry
Big Spring, Texas 79720
C. Brantley Jones
P.O. Box 15008
Amarillo, Texas 79105-5008
THE STATE OF TEXAS

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To: Mid-Tex Corporation, assigns, heirs, and devisees
Defendent, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the Monday next after expiration of 42 days af-

ter the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday May 12, 2014, before the Honorable 118th District Court of Howard County, at 312 Scurry Street in said County of Big Spring, Texas. Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court on the 03/24/2014 in the entitled cause LAREDO PETROLEUM, INC. vs. PAUL DEMOTTE, ET AL.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Application of Receiver as is more fully shown by the Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. Issued and given under my hand seal of said court at office this 24th day of March, 2014
COLLEEN BARTON
District Clerk of Howard County, Texas
#8242 April 6, 13, 20 & 27, 2014

Legals

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of MARY L. EDENS, Deceased, were issued on April 14, 2014, in Cause No. P-14261, pending in the County Court of Howard County, Texas, to: ALBERT EDENS

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.
c/o: **ALBERT EDENS**
3301 Old Colorado City Hwy Big Spring, Texas 79720
DATED the 14th day of April, 2014.
Joshua Hamby
Attorney for ALBERT EDENS
State Bar No.: 24034471
107 W. 4th St.
PO Box 2199
Big Spring, TX 79720
Telephone: (432)263-8395
Facsimile: (432)263-4798
#8284 April 27, 2014

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
NOTICE OF DEFENDANT: "You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 a.m. on Monday next following the expiration of 42 days after this citation was issued, a default judgement may be taken against you."

To: James Wilson, his assigns, heirs, and devisees
Defendent greeting:
You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the Monday next after expiration of 42 days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday May 12, 2014, before the Honorable 118th District Court of Howard County, at 312 Scurry Street in said County of Big Spring, Texas. Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court on the 03/24/2014 in the entitled cause LAREDO PETROLEUM, INC. vs. PAUL DEMOTTE, ET AL.

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COLLEEN BARTON
District Clerk of Howard County, Texas
#8243 April 6, 13, 20 & 27, 2014

Legals

Notice of Application for Commercial Oil & Gas Waste Disposal Well Permit

Black Mountain SWD, LP, 500 Main Street, Suite 1200, Fort Worth, TX 76102 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to dispose of produced salt water or other oil and gas waste by well injection into a porous formation not productive of oil or gas.

The applicant proposes to dispose of oil and gas waste into the San Andres formations in the Texas Pacific SWD Lease, Well No. 1. The proposed disposal well is located 13.5 miles W of Garden City, TX in the McDowell (San Andres) Field, in Glasscock County. The waste water will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 3,785 feet to 4,200 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6792).
#8286 April 27, 2014

Legals

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)

To the Registered Voters of City of Big Spring, Texas:

(*A todos los votantes registrados de la ciudad de Big Spring, Texas*): Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. on Saturday, May 10, 2014, for voting in a general election to elect a City Councilmember, District 1 and City Councilmember, District 3.

(Por medio de este comunicado se les hace saber que las casillas electorales se abrirán de 7:00 a.m. a 7:00 p.m., el sábado, 10 de Mayo 2014. Estos lugares serán abiertos para votar en una elección general para elegir City Councilmember, distrito 1, City Councilmember distrito 3.)

LOCATION OF POLLING PLACES:

(*la ubicacion de estas caillas se encuentra en:*)

City District One (1) & City District Three (3)
Dorothy Garrett Coliseum, located at the corner of Birdwell Lane & Kentucky Way.
(Dorothy Garrett Coliseum, en la esquina de Birdwell y Kentucky Way de la ciudad de Big Spring, TX.)
Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday, Monday through Friday, at the

oward County Courthouse located at 300 S. Main beginning April 28, 2014 and ending May 6, 2014 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and from 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 29, 2014 and Thursday, May 1, 2014.

(*La cotacion temprana en persona scra entre semana de Lunes a Viernes, en Howard County Courthouse ubicada en 300 S. Main, cominza el 28 de Abril, 2014 y termina el 6 de Mayo de 2014, de 8:00 a.m. a 5:00 p.m. En los dias 29 de Abril y 1ro de mayo de 2014, esta votacion empieza a las 7:00 a.m. y termina a las 7:00 p.m.*)
Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:

(*Si desea enviar su voto por correo, use la siguiente direccion*):
Howard County Elections Department
Attn: Sandra Bloom, Elections Administrator
P.O. Box 1069
Big Spring, Texas 79721
Applications for early voting ballots to be voted by mail must be received no later than the close of business on May 1, 2014.

(*Las aplicaciones para votar temprano por correo deberan ser recibidas antes del cierre del dia 1ro de Mayo de 2014.*)
Issued this the 27th day of April, 2014.
(*Anuncio expedido el dia 27 de Abril 2014*)

Larry Mclellan, Mayor
#8265 April 27, 2014
#8256 April 11, 2014

Legals

NOTICE OF SALE ABANDONED VEHICLE

In compliance with article 683.02 Transportation Code. I will proceed to sell at the Glasscock County Sheriff's Office on **Thursday May 8**, at 10:00 a.m. to the highest bidder.

Abandoned Motor Vehicles at the described locations and the times listed below.

- 1997 Ford Pickup with Welder
VIN#1FTJW35H3VEA99782
TAG#BB48565
- 1994 BUICK AVENUE
VIN#1G4VCW5217R1613770
TAG#MPP736
- 1990 CADILLAC DFW
VIN#1G6CD53B1M4343557
TAG#DP3T051
- 1995 FORD MUSTANG
VIN#1FALP4441SF205541

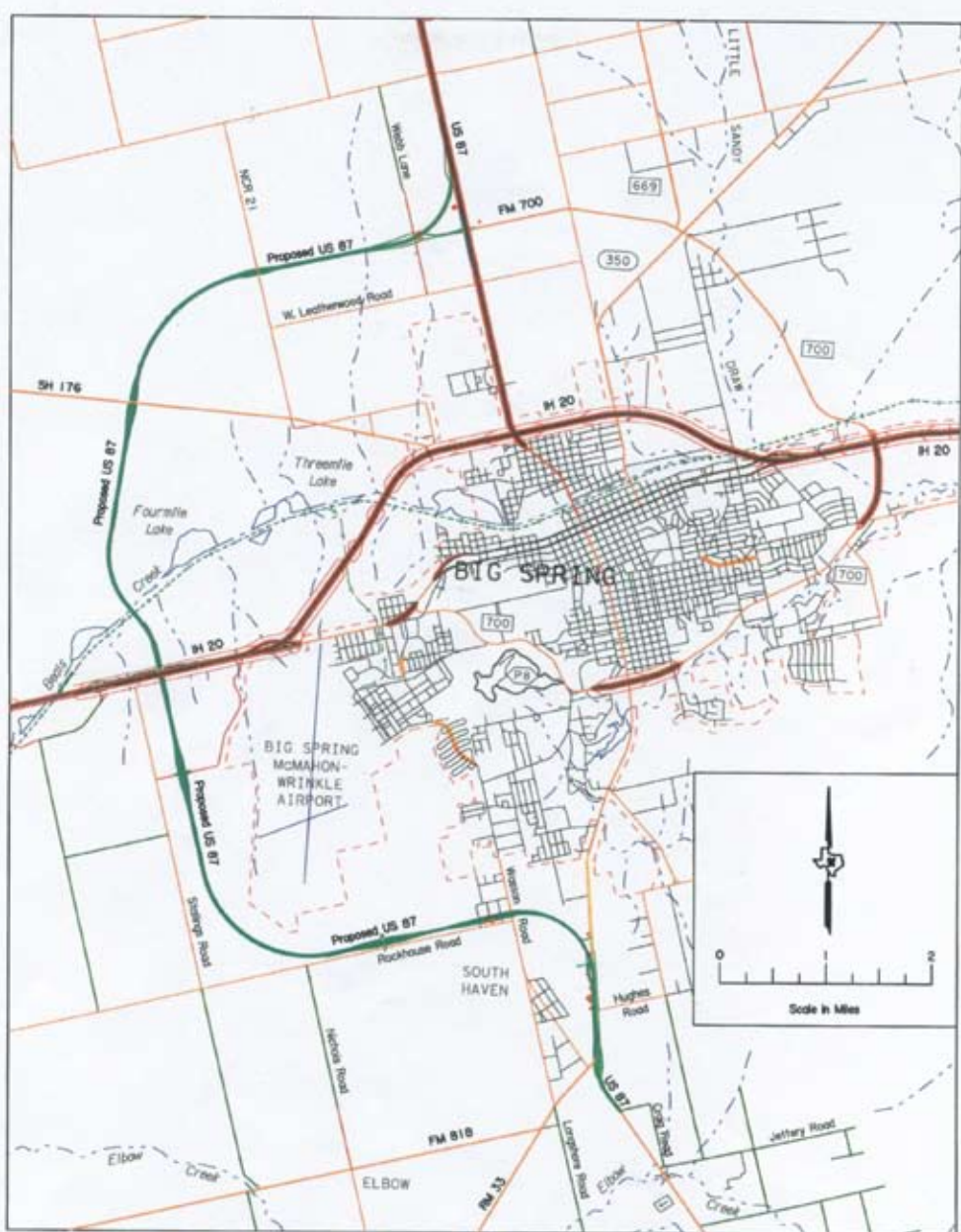
- TAG#K8M822
 - 1999 MAZDA 626
VIN#1YVGF224X5841875
 - TAG#AMD944
 - 2000 CHEVY BLAZER
VIN#1GNDT13W4Y2377694
 - TAG#BD4D293
 - 2009 CHEVY TAHOE
VIN#1GNEC0303R2961616
- Any questions, please contact the Glasscock County Sheriff's Office. The successful bidder upon payment of the money to The Glasscock County Sheriff's Office, is entitled to take possession of the vehicle and apply for a title free and clear of all liens and claims to ownership. All vehicles are sold as is, without warranty or guarantee of performance.
#8277 APRIL 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, MAY 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7

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Top photo: U.S. Congressman Randy Neugebauer, right, visits with guests and dignitaries attending Friday's Ports to Plains reliever routeg groundbreaking ceremony. Below, longtime Howard County commissioner and Ports to Plains advocate Bill Crocker, left, told those attending Friday's groundbreaking ceremonies that he was proud and pleased the reliever route was soon to be a reality. He is assisted by his son, Billy.

— Photos by Steve Reagan

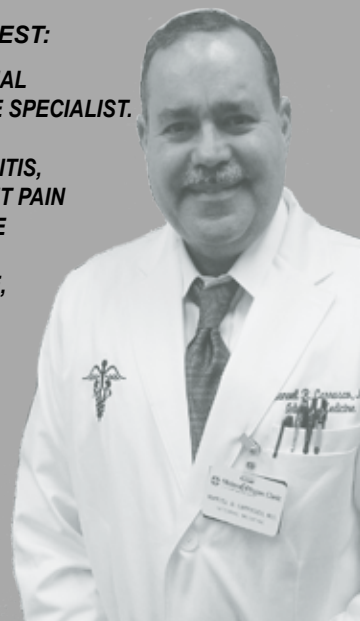
Ports-to-Plains Trade Corridor



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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.

		5	2		4	6		
	4	7	6					9
6				1			8	5
3				6			7	2
		6	1		9	5		
4	9			3				6
5	7			4				8
	6				2	3	5	
		8	5		1	7		

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Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

Shades of Robert Burns

East dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.
NORTH
♠ 7
♥ 10 8 7 2
♦ 9 7 6 3
♣ K 8 5 4

WEST EAST
♠ 8 6 2 ♠ K Q J 10 3
♥ J 5 4 ♥ 9 6 3
♦ J 10 5 2 ♦ Q 4
♣ Q 10 3 ♣ A 7 2

SOUTH
♠ A 9 5 4
♥ A K Q
♦ A K 8
♣ J 9 6

first two rounds and won the third with the ace. South then cashed the A-K-Q of hearts and A-K of diamonds, producing this five-card ending:

North
♥ 10
♦ 9 7
♣ K 8
West East
♦ J 10 ♠ J 3
♣ Q 10 3 ♣ A 7 2
South
♠ 9
♥ 8
♣ J 9 6

The bidding:
East South West North
1 ♠ 2 NT Pass 2 ♥
Opening lead — eight of spades.

Declarer's best-laid plans gang aft a-gley. So said the Scottish poet Robert Burns — if we may be permitted to paraphrase him — some two centuries ago. South surely planned his play correctly in the accompanying deal, but at the critical moment, East made an unusually good play that foiled South's plan.

West led a spade against two no-trump. Declarer held up on the

Declarer was well-aware that East had to have the ace of clubs for his opening spade bid. So he decided that his best chance to make the contract was to put East on lead with a spade at this point and force him to return a club to dummy's king. This would allow dummy to score the seventh and eighth tricks with the king of clubs and ten of hearts.

But when South led the nine of spades, West discarded a club, dummy a diamond and East, obviously a devotee of Robert Burns, followed with the three! As a result, declarer had to go down one. He unexpectedly scored a second spade trick, but it proved to be a Greek gift!

Tomorrow: Famous Hand.
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J&J says Europe clears new diabetes treatment

NEW YORK (AP) — Johnson & Johnson said Friday that European Union regulators approved a pill that combines its diabetes drug Invokana with metformin, an older treatment for the disease.

Janssen-Cilag International will market the drug under the name Vokanamet. It is intended to treat type 2 diabetes, in which the body does not use insulin efficiently.

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration approved Invokana in March 2013. European Union authorities followed suit in November.

Energy Dept. welcomes fracking chemical disclosure

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The U.S. Department of Energy is welcoming the decision by oil and gas industry supplier Baker Hughes to disclose all chemicals in hydraulic fracturing fluid. But Halliburton, a major competitor in the field, isn't committing to such disclosure.

Deputy Assistant Energy Secretary Paula Gant says Friday that the move by Baker Hughes "is an important step in building public confidence."

Environmental groups and regulators say a loophole that allows companies to hide some chemicals in frack fluids is a problem.

Houston-based Halliburton says it's studying the move by Baker Hughes, which is also based in that city. Halliburton says it had an interest in protecting "our intellectual property and the substantial investment it represents" and will examine the new Baker Hughes format for its ability to

protect such investments.

Virgin says it will fly from Dallas Love Field

DALLAS (AP) — Virgin America says it's landed at Dallas Love Field airport.

The airline said Friday that it had won the rights to fly from Love Field to New York, Washington, D.C., Los Angeles and San Francisco.

It was competing for two airport slots that American Airlines agreed to relinquish as part of its merger with US Airways. The city of Dallas has not formally signed off on the transfer, but is expected to vote Monday.

Love Field is the smaller, close-to-city alternative to Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport. Southwest Airlines Co. controls 16 of the airport's 20 gates, and Delta Air Lines has the remaining two. Both Southwest and Delta were vying for the open American gates.

Virgin America landed one of its red-painted jets at Love Field Thursday night and made its announcement Friday morning.

"Dallas is a global center of industry and it deserves more business-friendly flight options from the airport most convenient to downtown," airline CEO David Cush said in an emailed statement.

Disabled man sues McDonald's over confrontation

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — A Minneapolis man with muscular dystrophy is suing the owner of a McDonald's restaurant as well as the corporation, saying he was the victim of discrimination because he and his service dog

were kicked out of the establishment.

Robert Mingo, 52, who uses a wheelchair, is seeking unspecified damages as a result of his treatment at the Minneapolis franchise. Mingo's lawsuit says he was kicked out of the McDonald's last May after a manager

demanding documentation that his service dog was legitimate.

The Border Collie-Springer Spaniel mix named Max helps Mingo with daily activities, including opening and closing doors, picking up laundry and removing clothing, the lawsuit said.

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They would be expected to follow the Scope of Practice as outlined by the American Nurses Association."

White is not the only nurse providing spiritual nursing care through "The Gate Called Beautiful." Family Faith Center has several registered nurses who perform parish nurse

duties for the congregation. Licensed vocational nurses serve in the capacity of congregational nurses for the fellowship.

White noted that two historical events have propelled nursing to its current position: the advent of Christianity and the writings of Florence Nightingale. Miss Nightingale is considered the architect of modern nursing and the date of her birth is May 12, which traditionally

marks the close of National Nurses Week.

On Wednesday, May 7, during the evening service beginning at 7 p.m., Family Faith Center will observe its fifth annual Blessing of Nurses Hands. Parish Nurses and others who provide health care will receive a blessing upon their hands for another year of service to mankind. Pastors Sam and Christina invite nurses and healers from the community at large to attend the ceremony in the sanctuary of Family Faith Center location; 810 East 11th Place, just south of Big Spring High School.

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