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Rains give big boost to Lake Thomas

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CRMWD reservoir at highest level since 1987, officials say

By STEVE REAGAN

Staff Writer

The silver lining behind all the dark clouds that have hovered over the area the past week is that water — lots and lots of water — is pouring into Colorado River Municipal Water District reservoirs.

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ciated with the remnants of a Pahurricane dumped more than 10 inches of rain over parts of this area during the past week, and

asso- a lot of that precipitation is finding its way into Lake J.B. Thomas, the oldest and driest of CRMWD's reservoirs.

Lake Thomas, which was below 2 percent full before the storm system passed through the area, is now approaching levels CRMWD officials haven't seen in decades.

CRMWD General Manager John Grant said that, as of this morning, Lake Thomas has risen 33.8 feet and is now 42.9 percent full. More than 26 billion gallons of water have poured into the lake in the past several days, with more expected over the course of the next week.

The last time Lake Thomas had this much water was in November 1987, Grant said. Although the district's two other reservoirs were basi-

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Courtesy photos/Candy Parrish and Shaun McVicars

In the above photo, Rylie Jacobs was crowned 2014 Homecoming Queen for Coahoma High School during halftime of Friday's football game. Accompanying her was her father, Bryan. At right, Carlee Daniel was crowned 2014 Homecoming Queen at Forsan High School during Friday night halftime activities.



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Accused White House intruder to appear in court

By JESSICA GRESKO

Associated Press

WASHINGTON Following an embarrassing security breach at the White House, one of the most closely protected buildings in the world, the Secret Service is said to be considering establishing new checkpoints to screen tourists in public areas near the presidential mansion.

Meanwhile, the man accused of scaling a security fence and getting into the president's home carrying a knife is scheduled to have his initial appearance Monday in federal court.

Omar J. Gonzalez, 42, of Copperas Cove, Texas, is facing charges of unlawfully entering a restricted building or grounds while carrying a deadly or dangerous weapon. The Army says Gonzalez served from 1997 until his discharge in 2003, and again from 2005 to December 2012, when he retired due to disabil-

The Secret Service tightened its guard outside the White House after Friday's security breach. Gonzalez is accused of scaling the White House perimeter fence, sprinting across the lawn and entering the building before agents could stop him.

President Barack Obama and his family were away at the time. Obama says he still has confidence in the troubled agency's ability to protect him and his family.

Secret Service Director Julia Pierson has ordered increased surveillance and more officer patrols, and has begun an investigation into what went wrong.

The Secret Service is conduct-

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Gasoline prices continue to fall

Average retail gasoline prices in Texas have fallen 2.7 cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$3.15 a gallon Sunday, according to GasBuddy's daily survey of 13,114 gas outlets in Texas.

This compares with the national average that has fallen 3.4 cents per gallon in the last week to \$3.34 a gallon according to gasoline price website GasBuddy.com.

Including the change in gas prices in Texas during the past week, prices Sunday were 12.1 cents per gallon lower than the same day one year ago and are 10.2 cents per gallon lower than a month ago.

The national average has decreased 8.1 cents per gallon during the last month.

"As expected, fuel prices nationwide continue to decline following the expiration last week of the EPA's 'summer blend' gasoline requirement," said GasBuddy.com Senior Petroleum Analyst Gregg Laskoski.

"That's good news for consumers," Laskoski added. "We know that when gas prices rise in springtime it removes billions from the U.S. economy ... Logic dictates that the reverse is true too, and that as prices fall, it puts a little money back in consumers' pockets."



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Obituaries

Odder Johnson



Odder Johnson 91, of Big Spring died Tuesday, Sept. 16, 2014, at Parkview Nursing and Rehab. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Wednesday at Myers & Smith Chapel with Holston Banks officiating. Burial will be at Mount Olive Memorial Park with military honors. He will be in state Monday and Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. at Myers & Smith Funeral

He was born Oct. 6, 1922, in Henderson, Texas to Nora and Amos Johnson. He worked for the city of Big Spring. After retirement, he worked for Safeway in Dallas. He was a member of Mt. Bethel Baptist Church.

He is survived by one son, Wayne Johnson of Big Spring; one daughter, Janice Starling and her husband Curtis of Cypress; three brothers: J. W. Johnson of Nacogdoches, (twin) Artis Johnson of Longview; and Percy Johnson of Nacogdoches; four sisters, Annie Jewel Robertson, Annie Mae Mergerson and her husband Clifford, Rosie Lee Hart and Ida Fay Robinson and her husband Archie of Nacogdoches; four grandchildren; and eight-great grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded by his first wife. Ida Bell Johnson: his second wife. Viola Johnson; two brothers, James and Adolphus Johnson; one son, Roy Rogers Lusk; and one daughter, Corliss "Cucu" Brehm.

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

Robert Baeza

Robert Baeza, 67, of Big Spring, died Saturday Sept. 21, 2014 at Scenic Mountain Medical Center. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home and Chapel.

Verna Ashford

Verna Ashford, 81, of Big Spring, died Friday, Sept. 19, 2014 at Scenic Mountain Medical Center. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

LaVera Alexander

LaVera Alexander, 94, of San Angelo, died Saturday, Sept. 20, 2014, in San Angelo care center. Her services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory.

Jolanda Salazar Flores Jolanda Salazar Flores, 57, of Big Spring, died

Friday, Sept. 19, 2014 at University Medical Center. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral

Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity between 7 a.m. Saturday and 7 a.m. today: • SYLVIA YVETTE HINOJOS, 23, of 100 NW

- Third St., was arrest on warrants for fail to appear – three counts and driving while licesnse invalo. • ENRIQUE MARTINEZ ALVAREZ JR., 51, of 208
- S. Austin, was arrested Saturday on charges of driving while intoxicated 3rd or more offenses, criminal mischief \$500 but less than \$1,500, duty on striking fixture or landscaping less than \$200.
- CRECEHCIO VALENZUELA, 25, of 505 N. 5 t St., Brownfield, Texas, was arrested
- MICHAEL LEE MORRIS, 26, of 708 S. Nolan, was arrested Sunday on a charge of resist arrest, search or transport.
- RONALD STANLEY HASELBY, 63, of 1302 Tucson, was arrested Saturday on a charge of public intoxication.
- TAMMY HERNANDEZ, 32, of 1002 N. Main, apt. 2, was arrested Saturday on a charge of theft greater than or equal to \$50 but less than \$500
- DARRYL LEE MILLER, 39, of 1611 E. 6th St. was arrested Saturday on 3 warrants from another agency.
- BERONICA CALDERON NUNEZ, 35, of 801 FM 700 no. 30, was arrested on a warrant for dog or cat running at large and 7 warrants from another
- SAMANTHA BARBARA MUNOZ, 20, of 1212 E. 17th St., was arrested on two warrants from another agency.
- JESSIE JEAMES ALANIZ, 19, of 559 School Ave., Hermleigh, Texas, was arrested Sunday on a charge of driving while intoxicated - open container.
- JEREMY DOUGLAS WHITCOMB, 19, of 1308 Monticello.

Scurry C, was arrested Sunday on warrants for

speeding, fail to appear - 5 counts, failed to maintain financial responsibility – 3 counts and expired registration. • NATALIE RENEE TOWNSEND, 37, of 609 Bryan

- Rd., was arrested Sunday on charges of theft greater than or equal to \$50 but less than \$500 shoplifting, possession of marijuana less than or equal to 2 ounces and possession of a dangerous drug.
- DISTURBANCE was reported at the 700 block of S. Nolan and the 1500 block of Wood.
- DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE was reported at the 800 block of W. FM 700 and the 1600 block of E. 5th
- THEFT was reported at the 300 block of S. Owens, the 900 block of Lamesa Highway, the 200 block of W. FM 700 – 6 incidents and the 3600 block of W. Highway 80.
- UNWANTED SUBJECT was reported at the 1000 block of Sycamore.
- MINOR ACCIDENT reported at the 600 block of W. Interstate Highway 20, the 1000 block of W. Third, the 1000 block of Gregg, the 700 block of E. 11th Pl. and the 1500 block of E. FM 700.
- MAJOR ACCIDENT reported at the 2400 block
- BURGLARY OF A HABITATION was reported at the 1500 block of Tucson ant the 300 block of
- BURGLARY OF A BUILDING was reported at the 1600 block of E. Third St.
- CRIMINAL MISCHIEF was reported at the 2300 block of Wasson.
- SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY was reported at the
- ASSAULT was reported at the 1700 block of S.

intersection of Washington and Mt. Vernon.

Sheriff

following activity:

Note: Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 86 at the time of this report.

- DENNY RAY WANNER was booked by HCSO on a charge of possession of drug paraphernalia.
- ROBERT DWITE SCHAAF was booked by HCSO on a charge of possession of a controlled substance greater than or equal to 1 gram but less than 4 • ANGELA ANNETTE RICCOBENE was booked
- by BSPD on a charge of theft of property greater than or equal to \$50 but less than \$500.
- ROGELIO MIRANDA VACA was booked by BSPD on charges of criminal mischief less than \$50 and possession of a controlled substance greater than or equal to 1 gram but less than 4 grams.
- SYLVIA YVETTE HINOJOS was booked by BSPD on warrants for failure to appear – three counts and driving while license invalid.
- ENRIQUE MARTINEZ ALVAREZ was booked by BSPD on charges of driving while intoxicated 3rd or more offense, driving while license invalid and two counts of fail to appear.
- CRECENCIO VALENZUELA was booked by BSPD on charges of theft of property greater than or equal to \$50 but less than \$500, possession of marijuana less than 2 ounces and a warrant for engaging in criminal activity.
- RONALD HASELBY was booked by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.
- TAMMY HERNANDEZ was booked by BSPD on a charge of theft of property.
- DARRYL LEE MILLER was booked by BSPD on
- warrants for issuance of bad check, failure to appear and bail jumping and fail to appear.
- MICHAEL LEE MORRIS was booked by BSPD on charges of resist arrest search or transport and public intoxication.
- KAKOTA LEE PERSER was booked by Glasscock County on a charge of driving while intoxicated
- with BAC greater than or equal to 0.15. • VERONICA CALDERON NUNEZ was booked of Narcotics Anony-

- The Howard County Sheriffs Office reported the by BSPD on 9 warrants for parent contributing to nonattendance and animal at large/capias.
 - SAMANTHA BARBARA MUNOZ was booked by BSPD on warrants for parent contribution to nonattendance and fail to appear.
 - JESSE JAMES ALANIZ was booked by BSPD on a charge of driving while intoxicated/open con-
 - JEREMY DOUGLAS WHITCOMB was booked by BSPD on a warrant for speeding 49 miles per hour in a 40 mile per hour zone, violate promise to appear, fail to maintain financial responsibility – 3 counts, display expired registration, fail to appear-
 - NATALIE RENEE TOWNSEND was booked by BSPD on charges of theft of property greater than or equal to \$50 but less than \$500 shoplifting, possession of marijuana less than 2 ounces and possession of a dangerous drug.
 - VICTORIA HANNABASS was booked by BSPD on a motion to revoke probation for possession of a controlled substance less than 1 gram and evading arrest/detention.
 - TINA RUTH SAUCEDO was booked by BSPD on a warrant for MTAG/divert controlled substance for personal use.

Support Groups MONDAY mous meets at Spring

Reformers Unani-

mous 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

TUESDAY

7 p.m.

 Noon — Stepping Stone Group of Narcotics Anonymous meets at Spring Town Plaza (inside the mall, next to Sears).

Town Plaza (inside the

mall, across from the

movie box office, next to

Sears). Open meeting at

Today's Weather

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Local 5-Day Forecast										
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80/64 Considerable clouds early. Some decrease in clouds later in the day.	83/67 Partly cloudy. Highs in the low 80s and lows in the upper 60s.	81/63 Thunder- storms de- veloping in the after- noon.	80/60 Abundant sunshine. Highs in the low 80s and lows in the low 60s.	78/64 Mix of sun and clouds. Highs in the upper 70s and lows in the mid 60s.						
Sunrise: 7:34 AM Sunset: 7:42 PM	Sunrise: 7:34 AM Sunset: 7:41 PM	Sunrise: 7:35 AM Sunset: 7:39 PM	Sunrise: 7:35 AM Sunset: 7:38 PM	Sunrise: 7:36 AM Sunset: 7:37 PM						
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City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Abilene	82	62	pt sunny	Kingsville	92	72	mst sun
Amarillo	72	58	cloudy	Livingston	87	63	pt sunny
Austin	88	68	pt sunny	Longview	85	58	sunny
Beaumont	89	63	mst sunny	Lubbock	74	61	cloudy
Brownsville	86	76	t-storm	Lufkin	88	62	sunny
Brownwood	86	62	pt sunny	Midland	79	64	pt sunny
Corpus Christi	92	75	sunny	Raymondville	89	73	pt sunny
Corsicana	87	61	sunny	Rosenberg	90	69	mst sun
Dallas	87	63	sunny	San Antonio	91	72	mst sun
Del Rio	91	72	pt sunny	San Marcos	89	69	mst sun
El Paso	78	66	t-storm	Sulphur Springs	83	57	sunny
Fort Stockton	83	65	pt sunny	Sweetwater	80	62	pt sunny
Gainesville	82	57	sunny	Tyler	86	60	sunny
Greenville	84	57	sunny	Weatherford	85	60	sunny
Houston	90	68	mst sunny	Wichita Falls	83	58	mst sun

Brownsville

National Cities

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	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
	Atlanta	81	58	pt sunny	Minneapolis	72	52	sunny
ı	Boston	71	48	sunny	New York	69	51	sunny
	Chicago	67	50	sunny	Phoenix	96	73	sunny
	Dallas	87	63	sunny	San Francisco	69	60	pt sunn
	Denver	80	56	t-storm	Seattle	74	60	pt sunn
	Houston	90	68	mst sunny	St. Louis	71	52	sunny
	Los Angeles	82	65	pt sunny	Washington, DC	74	52	sunny
	Miami	86	78	t-storm	•			

Moon Phases



	UV Index							
	Tue 9/23	Wed 9/24	Thu 9/25	Fri 9/26	Sat 9/27			
	8	8	7	8	7			
	Very High	Very High	High	Very High	High			
The UV Index is measured on a 0 - 11 number scale, with a higher UV Index showing the need for greater skin protection.								

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Take note

The Howard County Humane Society and Sierra Animal Clinic will host a vaccine clinic Oct. 4, from 8 a.m. to noon as a fund-raiser for the United Way. The clinic will be held at the Humane Society, 5710 IH 20 West. Prices are as follows, dogs shots for Parvo, Distemper are a \$10 donation; Rabies, \$5; for cats, Rabies, \$5; for indoor cats, fvrcp, \$10, and for outdoor cats, felv/fvrcp \$15; and. Dogs must be on leashes and cats in carriers.

- The annual Disabled American Veterans (DAV) Chapter 47 Forget-Me-Not Drive will be held Oct. 10-11, at Wal-Mart. Money contributed to the annual fund-raiser stays in the area to help local military veterans.
- The Big Spring High School homecoming parade is set for 4:30 p.m. Oct. 3. If you would like to enter a float, call the BSHS main office at 432-264-3641. Parade entries are due Sept. 24.

Order of the Eastern

- Star Big Spring Chapter 67 meets the third Thursday each month at 219 Main St. Dinner begins at 6:30 p.m. Lodge meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome. For more information contact Jimmy Ruth at 270-7263.
- Howard County 4-H will have a kick off event from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 20 at the G.C. Broughton

Ag Complex on the Howard College campus.

There will be food, fun and games. Come see what we are all about. Any questions, call 432-264-2236.

• The Settles Grill is the site for this week's United Way Dine Out Days event. Each restaurant which participates in Dine Out Days makes a contribution to the United Way.

. • Signal Mountain

- Quilters and Crafters Guild will give away an all inclusive cancer quilt on Oct. 28 at 1 p.m. The quilt measures 9 feet, 7 inches long and 9 feet, 5 inches wide. The event will be hosted by the Heritage Museum and tickets are \$1. All proceeds from tickets sold will go to "Gift of Hope." The quilt will be on display at the museum Oct. 1-28. Cancer squares are being accepted to make into comfort/lap quilts, quilts you make, crochet and knitted afghans. The blankets and quilts will be placed under the Guild Christmas Tree at the Heritage Museum during the Tree of Lights. The quilts and afghans will be donated to the chemotherapy patients at the Allison Cancer Center. For more information, call Jeanne at 556-6403.
- The Howard County Fair Quilt is on display at State National Bank. Tickets are available for \$1 each or 6 tickets for \$5. Tickets can be purchased at Compass

Bank, Prosperity Bank, State National, Wells Fargo Bank.

- The Howard County Association board invites all elementary school children, prekindergarten through fifth grade, to attend the Howard County Fair without charge Thursday, Sept. 25 and Friday, Sept. 26, between the hours of 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. These hours are available only for this age-level student and are not during the regular hours of the fair. To schedule a time for your class to visit, contact Gale Pittman or Sandy Stewart at 432-267-5201, 432-935-1604 or uway@ bigspringtx.com.
- Friends of the Library of Howard County requests donations of books in good condition for the book sale to be held Oct.17-19. If you have books you wish to donate to this worthwhile cause, take them to the Howard Coun-Library, Monday through Friday during regular library hours. Please, no National Geographic magazines, other magazines, or condensed books.
- The Cross Roads Young Marines are taking applications for another boot camp. For more information, call 432-517-4791. Young Marines welcomes boys and girls ages 8 to 18 who are still attending school.
- A bank account has

been set up to help defray funeral expenses for the family of Shelly Lopez. To make a donation to the Shelly Lopez Memorial fund contact the Big Spring Educational Employee Federal Credit Union at 263-8393 located at 1110 Benton.

- Crossroads Hospice is looking for volunteers. Come and be part of our team. Contact Eva at 432-263-5300.
- The Powwow Committee of Big Spring has been restructured and is seeking new members, according to committee secretary Greg Bodin. "Please accept our invitation to attend a meeting." For more information, including meeting times and dates, contact Vice President Randy McKinney at 432-267-4843 or President Richard Lesser at 432-935-
- · Victim Services is a non-profit independent community-based program serving victims of all violent crime, including, but not limited to violent crimes of assault, sexual assault and domestic violence. Victim Services advocates are available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year to provide crisis intervention or accompaniment to the hospital and law enforcement agencies as needed. If you can commit to 30-hour training, an interview process background check and attend training. We need you. For more information, call Linda

Calvio at 432-263-3312.

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

• The mission of CASA

- of West Texas is to promote and support quality volunteers who speak for the best interest of abused and neglected children in court in an effort to find each child a safe, nurturing and permanent home. We need your help. If you're interested in volunteering, contact Sara Basaldua at 1-877-316-8346 or visit www. BecomeaCASA.org www.casawtx.org.
- Mobile Meals is in need of volunteer delivery drivers. If you can donate one hour per week to help deliver meals to the elderly, call Macaria Cantu at 263-
- Spring Tabernacle Ministries, 1209 Wright St., has a brief, inspirational message before giving away food and clothing on Thursday mornings. It's a great way to work off community service and get help, too. Be there at 9 a.m.-11 a.m. and get two for one plus a rehab meeting.

down nearby streets.

On Sunday, Secret

Service spokesman Bri-

an Leary identified the

man as Kevin Carr, 19,

There were no indica-

tions the two incidents

were connected. But

they only intensified

the scrutiny of the Se-

cret Service, which is

struggling to rehabili-

tate its image following

a series of allegations of

misconduct by agents

in recent years, includ-

ing agents on Obama's

detail.

of Shamong, N.J.

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24th & Johnson 267-8288

Reta Faught, 82, died Wednesday. Memorial services will be 10 a.m. Tuesday at Hillcrest Baptist Church.

Nadine Sparks Villareal-Geddes, 49, died Tuesday. Memorial services will be 11 a.m. Tuesday at First Baptist Church of Garden City. Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

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Funeral Home. Jolanda Salazar Flores, died Friday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Robert Baeza, died Saturday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

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ing preliminary discussions about setting up security screening checkpoints near public areas around the White House, a law enforcement official told The Associated Press on Sunday. The official insisted on anonymity because the official was not authorized to discuss in-

ternal deliberations by name. The official said the measures had been discussed previously, but the talks have taken on added urgency.

The breach triggered a rare evacuation of much of the White House. Se- Friday revealed Gonzacret Service agents drew lez had a small folding their weapons as they hurried White House staffers and journalists out of the West Wing through a side door.

Officials first said the fact that Gonzalez ap-

peared to be unarmed may have been a factor in why agents at the scene didn't shoot or have their dogs pursue him before he made it inside. But a criminal complaint issued late knife with a 3½-inch serrated blade with him

at the time of his arrest. Jerry Murphy, whose mother was married to Gonzalez for several years, said Gonzalez suffers from post-traumatic stress disorder provide for its member and needs treatment, not to be treated like a "First of all, we still criminal. He said Gonaround the country and this helps our system years, and that he altremendously ... We've ways carries his knife. received 186,000 acre He said he doesn't be-

Samantha Bell, Gonzalez's ex-wife, said she and Gonzalez married in 2006 and lived together in Copperas Cove, near Fort Hood, until she split up with him in 2010 because of his worsening mental condition. After his second tour in Iraq, Gonzalez began carrying a .45 on his hip at all times and kept three or four rifles and shotguns behind the doors in their home, said Bell, who remarried and now lives in southern Indiana.

Less than 24 hours after Gonzalez's arrest, a second man was taken into custody after he drove up to a White House gate and refused to leave, Secret Service spokesman Ed Donovan said, prompting bomb technicians in full gear to search the vehicle as agents briefly shut

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By Steve Becker Famous Hand

East dealer. Neither side vulnerable NORTH ♥K83 EAST 10863 ♥J 10 9 5 4 ♦J10983 ♣A K **SOUTH**

> South West Pass 3 NT jack of diamonds.

This deal occurred in the Canadian Trials to select a team for the 1972 world women's team championship. The hand features a sparkling defensive play — the kind you read or hear about but rarely ever see.

The heroine of the piece was Sharyn Linkovsky of Montreal, who held the East cards at the first table. Her partner led the jack of diamonds.

made the perfectly normal lead of a heart. Declarer won with dummy's queen and led the queen of clubs. make four notrump.

actually wound up with.

Canada, they don't play the game Tomorrow: Kerchoo!

the queen from dummy; in that case, Linkovsky would have taken the king and returned a diamond, leaving South in a hopeless position. But declarer, no green hand, went up with the ace on the diamond lead, and it was on this trick that

The bidding: East North Opening lead

The winning defense would have been easy to find had declarer played West took the king and shifted to the jack of diamonds, but North went up with the ace and led another club to At the second table, East could have duplicated Linkovsky's feat had she found the brilliant opening lead of the king of diamonds. But in

Linkovsky made the magnificent

play of the king! As a result, declarer

went down one. West won the club

lead at trick two, established her dia-

monds and soon afterward got in

with another club to cash her remain-

Had Linkovsky not dropped her

king of diamonds on the ace, declarer

would have made 10 tricks with

proper play instead of the eight she

At the other table, North became

declarer at three notrump, and East

ing diamonds and set the contract.

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cally untouched by the storm system, Grant and his colleagues were all smiles. "This is the kind of

rain you have reservoirs for," Grant said. "You just hope from time to time to get this kind of rainfall." While cautioning

that one tremendous storm system does not a drought break, Grant added the recent downpours have given the water district some much-needed breathing room in its struggles to

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Cowboys erase 21-point deficit in 34-31 win

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Dez Bryant had so much distance on the closest defender, it was pitch and catch. Blown coverage made it the easiest play the Dallas Cowboys made in a comeback that matched the biggest in franchise history.

"No one ever comes that wide open," quarterback Tony Romo said of the 68-yard touchdown pass that was among the big plays that helped the Cowboys erase a 21-0 deficit and stun the St. Louis Rams 34-31 on Sunday. "You want to make sure you don't do anything stupid.'

The Cowboys (2-1) had an interception 25 yards plenty of time to chip away, and no one panicked about the cushion they'd spotted the Rams.

"We never blinked, I can honestly say that," Bryant said.

Romo has 21 comeback victories in the fourth quarter or overtime, a franchise best. "Tony went out there

and did what Tony do," Bryant said. "He was poised and he knew what he wanted to do."

Terrance Williams go-ahead scored the touchdown late in the fourth quarter, and Bruce Carter returned

for a TD on the next snap, capping the rally.

DeMarco Murray's 1-yard run late in the first half began the rally. Dallas also rallied from

a 21-point deficit in 1984 against New Orleans and 1999 against Washington, although both of those wins came in overtime.

It tied the second-largest lead blown by the Rams (1-2), who slowed Murray but got burned everywhere else. Among other breakdowns was a flubbed snap by center Scott Wells, who didn't realize Austin Davis was in the shotgun, resulting in a lost fumble, and a dropped touchdown pass by Jared Cook that could have put the Rams up 28-21. They settled for a field goal.

"I feel like I let this game slip through my hands and it's my fault," Cook said.

St. Louis is 0-2 at home and was whipped 34-6 by Minnesota in the opener. Fisher said Davis played well, but that Shaun Hill would be the starter after the upcoming bye week.

"So, we've got some work to do and some time to look at what we're doing," Fisher said. "They

played very, very hard. 21-0 with 6:06 to go in the But they didn't play very smart.'

Murray had 100 yards on 24 carries and lost a fumble for the fourth straight game dating to last season, even after switching from carrying the ball on his left side to the right. Three of his 10 career 100-yard games are against the Rams and all leading to victories, with a franchise-record 253 yards in 2011 and 175 yards last season.

Janoris Jenkins' 25yard interception return, the fifth defensive touchdown in his three seasons, put the Rams up first half.

Davis cut the Cowboys lead to three points on a 4-yard pass to Austin Pettis with 2:36 to go, but Morris Claiborne's interception clinched it with 1:02 left.

Romo was 4 for 5 for 40 yards and scrambled 16 yards on third-and-13 on the go-ahead drive. His second-half play overshadowed a third costly INT of the year.

"We were able to execute under pressure or whatever you want to say, blah, blah, blah," Romo said. "We got it

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By TOMMY WELLS

Karina Alvarado may want to look into a career with the U.S. Postal Service after her performance on Saturday at the Elgen Suazo Invitational Cross Country meet. Neither rain, mud or anything else slowed the Big Spring High School stand-

Alvarado splashed her way to a medal and helped power the Big Spring Lady Steers to a second-place finish in the girls' varsity

A senior multi-sport star

at BSHS, Alvarado was

among the top runners at the meet. She covered the

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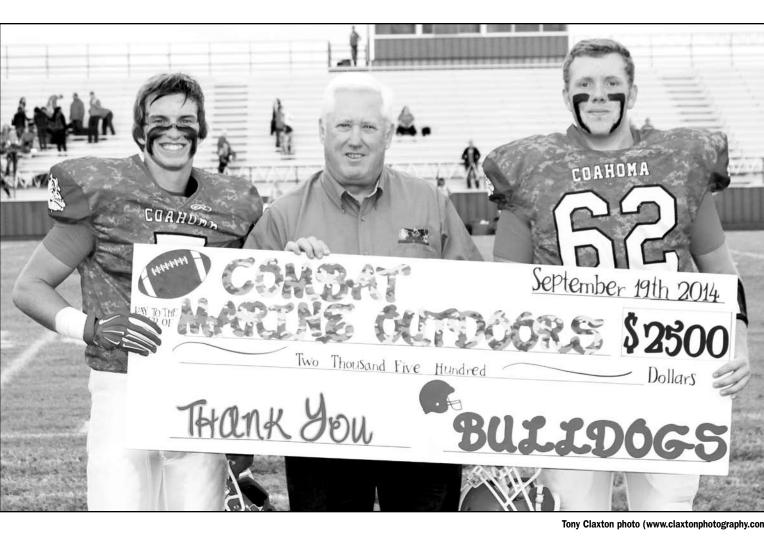
only Lady Steers runner doing well in the event. Freshman Samantha Solid finished fourth over-

all with a mark of 12:20. Teammates Hannah Also-

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Sports Editor



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Saying thanks ...

Garett Parrish (left) and Kip Williams (right) present Rusty Hicks of Combat Marines Outdoors with a check for \$2,500 as part of the Coahoma football team's pre-game ceremony on Friday to honor area combat veterans. The football team raised money by selling t-shirts and jerseys. The Bulldogs' 'Never Quit' camoflauge-style jerseys were worn to honor the area's soldiers. Combat Marine Outdoors takes amputee soldiers on hunting and fishing trips. According to officials, the football team officially raised \$4,400 for the organization.

Rua's HR lifts streaking Rangers past Angels

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — The Texas Rangers are determined to put a strong finish on a mostly miserable season.

Ryan Rua hit his first major league homer, connecting off Huston Street in the ninth inning as the Rangers beat the playoff-bound Los Angeles Angels 2-1 Sunday for their eighth win in nine games.

Tomas Telis had a bases-loaded infield single for Texas, which took two of three in the majorsleading Angels' final home series of the regular season. The late-season surge even pulled the Rangers out of the overall major league cellar, putting them a half-game ahead of the Arizona Diamondbacks with one week to

Those details might not affect much besides draft position, but interim manager Tim Bogar wants the Rangers to head into 2015 with reason for hope after wrapping up this season with a weeklong homestand.

"Everybody wants to put the persona on us as the worst team in baseball, record-wise," said Bogar, who is 9-6 since taking over for Ron Washington. "We're not the worst team in baseball. We just don't have an impressive record. We don't want to have the worst record, but we also know what comes with having the worst record.

"So it's one of those things where we're not going to try to

lose games. We're trying to win every game from here on out. And if we do that, we're definitely not going to have the worst

record." Rua broke a tie with his oneout shot to left on an inside fastball from Street (1-2), the Angels' normally reliable closer. It was the first homer in 83 at-bats for Rua, who made his Texas debut late last month.

"It came at a good time, and I'm happy about it," Rua said. "I'm still trying to process it, but it definitely felt good. They pounded me in pretty much the whole game, and I didn't really take any good swings. ... I was trying to be short and quick with an inside pitch today if I got it."

Texas' Nick Tepesch was sharp in his first start after earning his only victory since June, pitching seven innings of four-hit ball against the majors' most produc-

tive offense. Shawn Tolleson (3-1) got two outs in the eighth for Texas. Neftali Feliz struck out the side for

his 11th save. Although the AL West champion Angels (96-60) wrapped up their home schedule with a quiet loss, they still finished with a league-best 52 home victories. They have lost five of eight overall, but still lead Baltimore by 2 1/2 games for home-field advantage throughout the postseason after the Orioles' 3-2 loss to Bos-

brooks, Kaitlyn Mathews and Hope Arguello also turned in top 20 efforts. Loree Dello and Samantha Rodriguez highlighted the junior varsity's efforts in the meet. Dello was fourth in the JV stand-

Solis was sixth. The Big Spring Junior High School cross country team emerged as the top squad in the junior high division.

ings with a time of 14:50.

Chloe Bustamante paced the Lady Steers by finishing second overall with a time of 13:06. Haiven Rushing also did well, finishing at 13:20. Mackenzie Rodriguez, Mariah Chaveirria and Arianna Ornelas also did well.

Big Spring is scheduled to return to action on Saturday at the Lubbock Invitational. The race will be held at Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock.

Sands falls to Ira, 55-54

No. 1-ranked Ira scored on a 1-yard run late in the fourth quarter on Friday and rallied to claim a 55-54 win over the Sands Mustangs in six-man football action.

Sands, now 1-3 overall, rolled up 511 total yards in the game.

Marisnick's homer leads Astros over Seattle, 8-3

HOUSTON (AP) — Jake Marisnick is beginning to make quite an impression with the Houston Astros.

Seattle's playoff hopes took another hit, as Marisnick had a three-run homer for the second straight game and Alex Presley drove in two runs to lead the Astros to an 8-3 win over the Mariners on Sunday.

Marisnick was acquired in July in a trade that sent righthander Jarred Cosart to the Marlins. He hit just .167 in 14 games this season for Miami, but is batting .276 with three homers and 19 RBIs in 45 games for the Astros.

"It's on-the-job training realcomfortable out there and

the big league level for the first time," interim manager Tom Lawless said. "He's made some adjustments in his swing. He's a hard person to defend because he can drop a bunt down or he can rip it right pass the third baseman or he's got power also ... I think he's going to be a fun young man to watch in the future."

Marisnick, who has also wowed coaches with his excellent play in the outfield, attributed his recent success

to extra work he's done in the batting cage. "I'm just getting a little more finished with three hits, came

ly for him learning up here at putting good swings on good pitches," he said.

Houston took two of three from the Mariners, who entered the day a half-game back for the second AL wild card.

Rookie Collin McHugh (11-9) allowed four hits and three runs in six innings to extend his career-best winning streak to seven. He's the first Astros pitcher to win seven straight since Roy Oswalt reeled off 2006, to April 17, 2007.

nine in a row from Aug. 23, The Astros trailed 3-1 in the fifth inning before an RBI double by Jose Altuve. A tworun single by Presley, who with two outs in the inning to make it 4-3 and chase Hisashi Iwakuma (14-9).

Michael Saunders hit a tworun homer for the Mariners, who were outhit 14 to seven.

Iwakuma was trying to bounce back from his last two starts where he was 0-2 with a 12.91 ERA. Instead, he allowed six hits and four runs in 4 1-3 innings for yet another loss.

Houston was still up by one in the seventh when Marisnick padded the lead with his homer to the Crawford Boxes that made it 7-3. Two of Marisnick's three homers this season have come in the last two games.

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of Howard County, Texas. All known heirs have been served and have waived further notice of any hearing. In accordance with

Seciton 202.052 of the Texas Estates Code, any and all unknow heirs of Diane Herrera if over the age of 12 (or the parent, managing conservator, or guardian of any heir under the age 12) are hereby instructed to appear before the Court of Howard

County to provide evidence of heirship and to contest the application, should they desire to do so. Such heirs may employ an attorney. If the heir(s) or their attorney (s) do not appear, they will be represented at the heirship and adminstration hearing by an attorney ad litem.

The County Court of Howard County had authority in this suit to enter any judgement or decree in regards to the Estate of Diane Herrera, Deceased, which will be binding on all heirs, known and unknow. Issued and given

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of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, 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 **Underground Injection Control** Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Capitol Station, TX 78711. (Telephone 512-463-6792). September 22,

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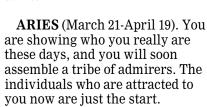
Fall Equinox

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traditionally greeted with a grateful heart. The Wiccan tradition of celebrating Mabon includes giving a nod to the harvest thus far and hopes for future bounty. Wednesday evening brings Rosh Hashanah, the Jewish New Year. which is celebrated with apples and honey to symbolize the desire for sweet blessings to



TAURUS (April 20-May 20). You have a romantic fantasy going on that may not reflect reality in all its starkness, but keep it up anyway, because it just may color reality in a rosy glow that changes everything.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). The one who can give 100 percent to a relationship and then expect nothing in return is a rare individual indeed, but this is the path to true love.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Address the things that hurt you directly. Your tendency lately has been to keep those slights to yourself or tell an outside party, but now it's better to go one-on-one with your offender.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Your mood: unpredictable. You won't do the same thing twice. You won't be the same person twice. Enjoy that band of rapt admirers watching to see what you'll do next.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Modesty and good character go together. Seek the friendship of people who aren't overtly competitive. The one who is busy

Tomorrow's Horoscope

patting himself on the back will have no hands left to applaud your success.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Don't worry about your loved ones seeing the situation differently from the way you see it. They will, of course, and that's fine for you as long as you keep communicating. You'll come to a shared consensus.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). The amateurs will be impressed by what you've accomplished recently, but those who are experts in assessing character will measure you by the consideration and tolerance you have for others.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). Feeling and giving kindness not only contributes to a better world, but it contributes to a better you. Your capacity for happiness will expand with every selfless act.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You've lived remarkable moments. People ask you to talk about what you've seen, but there's much of your experience that is powerfully beyond what can be recounted in words.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You go where you know you have something of value to add to the situation. Whenever you deprive another of solitude, you make sure to provide them with excellent company.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). Your time, energy and love are precious commodities, and you'll give them as such. You can be strong in yourself and still be there for your loved ones. That's the balance you'll work on today.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Sept. 22). Because you're grateful, you'll get much more than you asked for this year. You'll take a risk in October and be better for the unexpected outcome. The exciting commotion in November involves a new player in your life movie. December and February bring financial opportunities. Seal a deal in January. Leo and Pisces people adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 11, 3, 33, 29 and 41.

HAPPY MABON 2014: The fall equinox has been celebrated by mankind for thousands of years, and the themes are pretty much the same all over the world. The thinking goes something like this: The day and night are equal now, and that's pretty neat. But it also means that there are harsh times to come. It will get cold. The plants will die. Survival depends on our ability to get to work, gather things, store things and prepare for the worst. So let's get to work and appease the gods -- we need them on our side right now.

There are many holidays around this time of the year: Rosh Hashanah, the Jewish New Year, Oktoberfest, the feast of Saint Michael, and one of my favorites is the Chinese and Vietnamese Mooncake Festival. The legend goes that the moon has her birthday on this day. People offer up food and presents to the moon, and she is rumored to shower flowers down to Earth like lunar confetti.

However you decide to celebrate the day, you'll be in line with the feeling of this passage when you include these three things: 1. A grateful heart. 2. The spirit of sharing. 3. The intention to get to work in the weeks to come.

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KATHY MITCHELL MARCY SUGAR

Dear Annie: My brother, "Ned," worked alongside my dad for many years. Now that Dad is getting up in years, Ned has taken over the business.

Ned has had a drinking problem for a long time. Ten years ago, he landed a lucrative contract for the business, and my parents were able to put money in the bank. Since then, however, his drinking has become worse, and he has been unable to get any contracts at all. His temper has become volatile, and he briefly went to jail. He eats my parents out of house and home and ruins our family get-togethers by arguing with everyone. He threatens to sell his house, move to Hawaii and end his life if anyone tries to confront him. He refuses treatment.

We are all worried about Ned, but mostly, we are concerned about my parents' health. They don't know how to handle Ned's irrational behavior anymore and want to close the business before they lose everything. What do you suggest? --Worried Sis

Dear Sis: If your parents still own the business, they ought to sell it, unless they can

hire someone else to run it profitably. But if Ned is a part owner, your parents will need to consult an attorney. Ned's drinking, his volatile temper and his threats are not within their control. He has to want help and may need to hit rock bottom to get there. In the meantime, your parents have to protect themselves. Start by

contacting Al-Anon (al-

anon-alateen.org).

Dear Annie: I have owned all kinds of pets and have always loved them dearly and considered them "family." I can understand signing their name on birthday cards, holiday cards, etc. But I was surprised when I received a sympathy card with the signatures of the husband and wife along with the pet's name and paw print. Do you think this is appropriate? -- Still Grieving

Dear Still: The dog's paw print changes the tone of the card from sympathetic to "cute." It is not appropriate, but some folks simply don't consider how that type of card is going to be received by someone in mourning. We don't believe they meant to treat your grief lightly. Please forgive them. Our condolences on your loss.

Dear Annie: I can't believe you told "Mom" that her arriving college freshman daughter should tolerate her new roommate's boyfriend staying overnight in their dorm room.

Obviously, the mom should get in touch with the roommate's parents and tell them she vetoes this plan. The young couple can then be angry with the mom, not the

new roomie. Or if need be, call the university and request a new roommate ASAP.

This is where the sexual revolution has led us. The most shameless behavior is supposed to be tolerated by everyone for fear of "rocking the boat"! -- Mother of Two College Students

Dear Mother of Two: We didn't tell her to "tolerate" it. We told her to talk to her roommate and ask that the boyfriend spend his evenings elsewhere and also to request a new roommate as soon as it can be arranged. But here's where we disagree: We don't believe the parents should be working this out. This girl is now an adult, and part of the college experience is learning how to manage these types of situations without parental assistance. She needs to deal with this roommate on her own. We hope she will assert herself.

Dear Readers: Today is Family Day (casafamilyday.org). Studies show that children who eat dinner with their parents have a reduced risk of substance abuse. Please try to make meals a family event.

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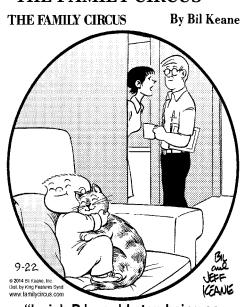


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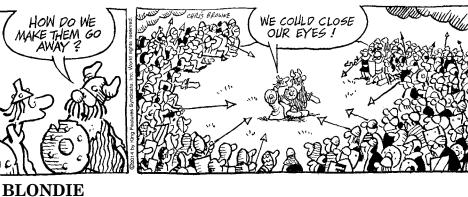
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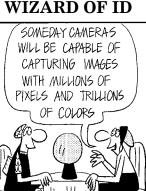
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This Date In History

Today is Monday, Sept. 22, the 265th day of 2014. There are 100 days left in the year. Autumn arrives at 10:29 p.m. Eastern time. Today's Highlight in History: On Sept. 22, 1776, during the Revolution-

ary War, Capt. Nathan Hale, 21, was hanged as a spy by the British in New York. On this date: In 1761, Britain's King George III and his wife, Charlotte, were crowned in Westminster Abbey. In 1792, the French Re-

public was proclaimed.

Abraham Lincoln issued the preliminary **Emancipation Procla**mation, declaring all slaves in rebel states should be free as of Jan. 1, 1863. In 1911, pitcher Cy Young, 44, gained his 511th and final career victory as he hurled a 1-0 shutout for the Boston Rustlers against the Pittsburgh Pirates at Forbes Field. In 1927, Gene Tunney successfully defended his heavyweight boxing title against Jack

Dempsey in the famous

"long-count" fight in

In 1938, the musi-

cal comedy revue

"Hellzapoppin',"

starring Ole (OH'-lee)

Olsen and Chic John-

Chicago.

and Henry H. "Hap" Arnold.

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39 Off-road rides.

40 List with soups

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46 Eight-piece band

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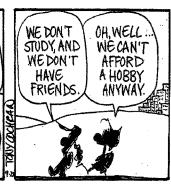
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IN THE POND by Gail Grabowski



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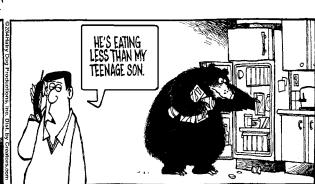


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Newsday Crossword

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- 20 Graceful plunges into pools 22 Make broader
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- 28 End-to-end measurements
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- **34** Lubricate **35** Very uncommon
- 36 Used a
- vegetable peeler
- 37 Clinton's vice
- president 38 CPR specialist
- 39 Ram of the
- zodiac
- 40 Free-for-all
- 41 Watered down
- 43 Social elite
- 44 Jealous feeling
- 45 Popeye and Bart Simpson
- 47 Paths to tollbooths
- 49 Stoop below, as
- 54 Person's

- Edited by Stanley Newman 55 Money in Italy 7 Turn red, as 56 Soft-soled tomatoes
- 57 Toward the center **58** Have a go ___

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- (try) 59 Jab with a
- finger 16 Voice-mail signal 60 Birds' homes
 - **61** Some bakery loaves

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Logano wins at New Hampshire in 2nd NASCAR championship race

LOUDON, N.H. (AP) — Raised in Connecticut. Joev Logano always considered New Hampshire his home track, the one where he dreamed of being bathed in confetti in Victory Lane and flocked by family and friends.

For Logano, the track about 75 miles outside of Boston was his version of Daytona.

Winning at New Hampshire could mean a bit more to him than a boyhood fantasy fulfilled when the season ends it could be Logano's launching pad for his first NASCAR champion-

Logano helped Team Penske strengthen its grip as the organization to beat for the championship, pulling away on an overtime restart to win Sunday at New Hampshire Motor Speedway and advance to the second round of the Chase for the Sprint Cup Championship.

"We're doing what we've got to do to win this thing right now," Logano

Logano and teammate Brad Keselowski, who won the Chase opener Chicagoland, have both advanced to the next round. Four drivers will be eliminated after every third race, and a win guarantees a driver an automatic berth into the next round. The first cutoff race is next week at Dover International

Team Penske will be playing with house money at the Monster Mile. Roger Penske's crew is rolling, winning four of the last five races dating to Bristol and snagging the early lead on the scorecard against Hendrick Motorsports.

"Confidence is high through the 22 team right now, all of Team Penske," Logano said. "All of Team Penske. We feel like we've got some championships to win, not only on the Cup side, but Nationwide side. And you've got IndyCar. We're just trying to catch up to them." Will Power won the

IndyCar Series championship for Penske last month.

Logano raced to his

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Sunday's Game

Friday, Sept. 26

Saskatchewan at Edmonton, 10

Saturday, Sept. 27

Hamilton at Winnipeg, 6:30 p.m.

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Montreal at Ottawa, 7 p.m.

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fourth victory of the season, leading 73 laps and surviving a NASCAR season-high 15 cautions that wrecked results for several Chase drivers.

He took the lead from Kevin Harvick with 27 laps left and went on to his seventh career Cup victory. Logano attended his

first NASCAR race at New Hampshire when he was 5, made his first career Cup start here and won his first race in 2009. But that was a rain-shortened win that always gnawed at Logano. Until he became a regular winner, it was considered a bit of a fluke and the rain meant Logano was denied a traditional victory celebra-

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Schumacher wins at Texas Motorplex

ENNIS, Texas (AP) Tony Schumacher raced to his second Top Fuel victory in two days at Texas Motorplex, taking the AAA Texas NHRA FallNationals Sunday.

Courtney Force topped the Funny Car field, Dave Connolly won in Pro Stock, and Andrew Hines in Pro Stock Motorcycle in the second of six playoff events in the NHRA Mello Yello Countdown to the Championship.

Schumacher J.R. Todd in the final for his 76th career Top Fuel win. Schumacher had a run of 3.891 seconds at 318.62 mph.

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Thursday's Game

Sunday's Games

Atlanta 56, Tampa Bay 14

Schumacher opened a 106-point lead over Steve Torrence in the standings.

"It's an unbelievable situation," Schumacher said. "We've won two races in less than 24 hours. My family drove up, I won a race, we went to dinner, went to bed, came back, and won another race in under 24 hours. We have a 100-point leading going into two more back-to-back races. It's brutal pressure. Going into this with this much momentum places that pressure on other people. Some will be able to handle

Scoreboard

Indianapolis

Jacksonville 0

Tennessee

Cincinnati

Baltimore

Pittsburgh

Cleveland

Denver

San Diego

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Kansas City

Philadelphia

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Washington

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Arizona

Minnesota

Carolina

New Orleans 1

Tampa Bay

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BASEBALL American League **East Division**

W L Pct GB 93 x-Baltimore 62 .600 New York 80 75 .516 Toronto 78 77 .503 75 81 .481 18½ Tampa Bay 68 88 .436 251/2 **Central Division** GB Pct w L Detroit 86 69 .555 .545 11/2 Kansas City 70

Minnesota 66 89 .426 **West Division** W L Pct x-Los Angeles 96 60 .615 .548 101/2 Oakland 85 70 Seattle 83 72 .535 121/2 Houston 69 87 .442 27 62 93 .400 331/2 x-clinched division

81 74 .523

71 84 .458

Cleveland

Chicago

Sunday's Games N.Y. Yankees 5, Toronto 2 Boston 3, Baltimore 2 Chicago White Sox 10, Tampa Bay 5

Cleveland 7, Minnesota 2 Kansas City 5, Detroit 2 Houston 8, Seattle 3 Texas 2, L.A. Angels 1 Oakland 8, Philadelphia 6, 10

Monday's Games Cleveland 4, Kansas City 2, 10

innings, comp. of susp. game, Baltimore (W.Chen 16-4) at

N.Y. Yankees (Pineda 3-5), 7:05

Kansas City (D.Duffy 8-11) at Cleveland (Carrasco 8-5), 7:05

Seattle (Paxton 6-3) at Toronto (Happ 9-11), 7:07 p.m.

Chicago White Sox (Bassitt 0-1) at Detroit (Lobstein 1-0), 7:08 p.m. Houston (Tropeano 1-1) at

Texas (D.Holland 1-0), 8:05 p.m. Arizona (Collmenter 10-8) at Minnesota (Nolasco 5-11), 8:10

L.A. Angels (C.Wilson 13-9) at Oakland (Samàrdzija 4-5), 10:05

AL Wild Card Race W L Pct GB Kansas City 84 70 .545

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Cleveland	81	74	.523	31/2
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71 .542 21/2 Pittsburgh 84 76 .513 Milwaukee 80 Cincinnati 72 84 .462 15 Chicago 69 87 .442 **West Division** W L Pct z-Los Angeles 89 67 .571

71 .542 41/2 San Francisco84 San Diego 74 81 .477 14½ Colorado 65 91 .417 24 62 94 .397 27 Arizona z-clinched playoff berth x-clinched division Sunday's Games Washington 2, Miami 1

N.Y. Mets 10, Atlanta 2 L.A. Dodgers 8, Chicago Cubs Oakland 8, Philadelphia 6, 10

Pittsburgh 1, Milwaukee 0

Colorado 8, Arizona 3 San Diego 8, San Francisco 2 Cincinnati 7, St. Louis 2

Monday's Games Pittsburgh (F.Liriano 6-10) at Atlanta (Harang 11-11), 7:10

St. Louis (Wainwright 19-9) at Chicago Cubs (T.Wood 8-12),

8:05 p.m. Arizona (Collmenter 10-8) at Minnesota (Nolasco 5-11), 8:10

Colorado (Matzek 6-10) at San Diego (Stults 7-17), 10:10 p.m. San Francisco (Peavy 6-4) at L.A. Dodgers (Haren 13-11), 10:10 p.m.

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Chicago at N.Y. Jets, 8:30

Major League Baseball MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL Reduced the six-game suspension of Toronto RHP

American League NEW YORK YANKEES — Designated RHP Chaz Roe for assignment. Reinstated RHP Masahiro Tanaka from the

Marcus Stroman to five games.

it. Some won't."

60-day DL. HOCKEY **National Hockey League** ARIZONA COYOTES Assigned Fs Dan O'Donoghue and Dyson Stevenson to

Suellentrop.

Monday's Game

TRANSACTIONS

Portland (AHL); F Ryan MacInnis to Kitchener (OHL); F Christian Dvorak to London (OHL); F Edgars Kulda to Edmonton (WHL); F Laurent Dauphin to Chicoutimi (QMJHL) and F Pavel LaPlante to Victoriaville

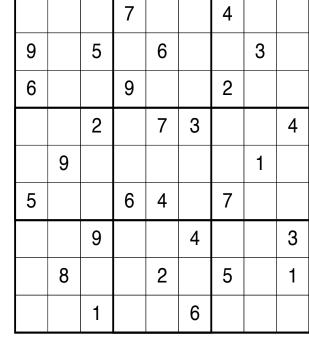
(QMJHL). Released D Colin

NASVILLE PREDATORS Assigned Fs Justin Kirkland to Kelowna (WHL), Tommy Veilleux to Victoriaville (QMJHL) and D Aaron Irving to Edmonton (WHL). Released F Mathew Campagna, D Jon Puskar and G

Sudoku Answer on Page 3

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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



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