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Officials: Fire lane means no parking

By LYNDEL MOODY
 Staff Writer

A recent incident involving a parked vehicle which obstructed firefighters' response to a fire alarm call has prompted the Big Spring Fire Marshal's Office and Big Spring ISD to team up to remind the public that parking in a fire lane is not only illegal, but a public safety issue.

"We were responding to a fire alarm over at one of the

schools," said Big Spring Fire Marshal Dan Hendricks. "We had to maneuver around parked cars to get access to the building. I felt we needed to get a refresher out in people's minds. I've noticed this has been happening more often for some time. I see this all over town not just at the schools."

Hendricks requested help from Big Spring ISD to inform parents that parking

in a fire zone is not allowed at anytime and those who do can be issued a fine ranging from \$250 to \$2,000. Darryl Ryan, Big Spring ISD Director of School Safety, said he would be sending home letters to help bring awareness to the issue.

"You can pull into a fire zone and let kids out but the moment you get out of the

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Schools, city, county offices closed Monday



Area government and school district offices will be closed Monday for the Labor Day holiday.

Both the city of Big Spring and Howard County announced their offices will be closed Monday. Emergency and law enforcement services will operate as normal, officials said.

In addition, all Howard County public school districts, as well as Howard College, will be closed Monday. Classes will resume Tuesday.

Steers return to action tonight



Big Spring's Davian Moore tackles an Amarillo Caprock ball carrier during the Steers' season-opening game last Friday. The Steers host the Sweetwater Mustangs at 7:30 p.m. tonight at Memorial Stadium.

You can be a Warrior

Applications being accepted for 9th annual triathlon

By LYNDEL MOODY
 Staff Writer

Online registration is now ongoing for the 9th Annual Comanche Warrior Triathlon.

"The Comanche Warrior Triathlon is one of the only times that you are allowed to swim in the Comanche Trail Lake," said Hayley Lewis, tourism director for the Big Spring Convention and Visitor's Bureau. "The triathlon begins with a 500 meter open water swim in Comanche Trail Lake, followed by a 30k out and back bike ride on city and county roads and concludes with a 5k run on closed trails and roads in the Comanche Trail Park."

The event is set for Saturday, Sept. 10, and draws athletes from around Texas and as well as out of state.

The triathlon will be held 8 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 10. Registration is available at www.permianbasinevents.com.

Last week, volunteers with Keep Big Spring Beautiful were out at the lake and

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Rogers, 5, finalist in West Texas Talent Search

By ROGER CLINE
 Staff Writer

West Texas has talent, and 5-year-old Brittanie Rogers is using her dance skills to represent Big Spring as a finalist in a West Texas talent show.

The event is the West Texas Talent Search, and the finals will be held Sept. 24 at Odessa College's Deadrick Hall. Rogers made it to the finals of the competition based on her performance as a living Barbie doll to the song "I'm a Barbie Girl" during the competition's semi-finals Aug. 27 at the MCM Grande FUNDome.

"I'm really proud of her," said Brittanie's mom Mary Rogers. "She's really brave for doing it. I don't think I could get up and compete against adults that are five times her age."

The routine included a combination of

jazz, hip-hop, and ballet dance styles that Brittanie enjoys performing, she said. "She loves to do it," she said. "Ballet, not so much...she doesn't like to stretch."

Brittanie, a kindergartener at Sands Elementary School, has been a student at Big Spring's Dance Gallery under the direction of Stevi McKinnon since she was three years old.

Event organizer Daniel Ryan said this is the eighth year of the West Texas Talent Search.

"This is the most finalists from the most cities we've ever had," Ryan said. "We're fortunate this year to have not just singers, but we have dancers, and we have comedians, so there will be something for everyone."

Tickets will be available at the door, or online at www.westtexasalent.com.



Rogers

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Obituaries

Vernia Haley

Vernia Haley, 89, of Big Spring died Thursday, Sept. 1, 2016, at her home. Services are pending at Myers and Smith Funeral Home.

Jimmy Massingil

Jimmy Massingil, 49, of Big Spring died Friday, Sept. 2, 2016, at his home. Services are pending at Myers and Smith Funeral Home.

Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **JUSTICE T. CAMPBELL**, 21, of the 800 block of South Lancaster Street was arrested on an outstanding warrant.
- **TOMMY MANUEL**, 43, of 1306 Harding St. was arrested on a charge of driving with an invalid license.
- **KIMBERLY JO KENNEMUR**, 42, of 3805 Hamilton St. was arrested on

a warrant for theft of property (\$750 to \$2,500).

- **JOHNNY LEE JOHNSON**, 44, of 1706 1/2 W. Third St. was arrested on an outstanding warrant.
- **FRANK HERNANDEZ**, 46, of 311 N. Aylesford St. was arrested on charges of public intoxication and possession of a controlled substance (less than one gram).
- **MONICA BASSETT**, 46, of 2912 Cherokee St. was arrested

on a warrant for evading arrest or detention with a vehicle.

- **BURGLARY OF A HABITATION** was reported in the 2100 block of Grace Street.
- **BURGLARY OF A BUILDING** was reported in the 4700 block of Callahan Road.
- **HARASSMENT** was reported in the 2300 block of Brent Drive.
- **DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE** was reported on Third Street.

Sheriff

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

Note – Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 87 inmates at the time of this report.

- **JOMAR DEMOND ADAMS**, 33, was booked by HCSO on a charge of possession of a controlled substance.
- **DAVONTE DASHUM ANDERSON**, 23, was booked by HCSO on warrants for theft of property (\$100 to \$750); and on motions to revoke probation for burglary of a habitation and robbery.
- **MONICA LYNN BASSETT**,

46, was booked by HCSO on a warrant for evading arrest or detention with a vehicle.

- **JUSTICE CAMPBELL**, 21, was booked by BSPD on a warrant for theft of property (\$50 to \$500).
- **JESSIE CASTRUITO DELEON JR.**, 47, was booked by HCSO on a warrant for possession of a controlled substance.
- **FRANK HERNANDEZ**, 46, was booked by BSPD on charges of public intoxication and possession of a controlled substance (less than 1 gram).
- **AUDOM JADE JOHNSON**,

27, was booked by HCSO on warrants for failure to maintain financial responsibility and failure to appear; and on a charge of possession of a dangerous drug.

- **JOHNNY LEE JOHNSON**, 44, was booked by BSPD on a warrant for bail jumping/failure to appear.
- **KIMBERLY JO KENNEMUR**, 42, of 3805 Hamilton St. was arrested on a warrant for theft of property (\$750 to \$2,500).
- **TOMMY MANUEL**, 43, was booked by BSPD on a charge of driving with an invalid license.

Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1200 block of East 11th Place.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3200 block of

Parkway Road. One person was taken to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 800 block of West Interstate 20.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 2000 block of

Gregg Street. One person was taken to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 600 block of Circle Drive. Service was refused.

Take Note

- The Howard County Fair is now accepting entries for the Howard County Fair queen contest to be held in the entertainment tent, 5:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 22 .
- Anyone enrolled in an area high schools or college is eligible to enter. Go to the Howard County Fair website www.hcfair.org to print entry forms. Deadline for entries is 4 p.m., Sept. 21.
- There is a \$35 entry fee that may be paid by a sponsor or the contestant. Prizes include Howard College scholarships and items donated by local and area businesses.
- For additional information, contact: Cindy Jones 432-517-9115 or Sandy Stewart 432-935-1604.

- Food 2 Kids Big Spring needs you! It is time to start sacking food for Big Spring elementary students who do not receive adequate food over the weekends. Members of the community can be a part by volunteering to sack the food. It just takes a couple hours of your time and the work is very rewarding. To volunteer, just show up at the time and dates listed. For more information, call, 432-935-3998.
- Sacking dates are as follows (please note the group starts at 5:30 p.m.) September 5 and 6.
- Sacking locations is at the old Lakeview High School gym located at 1107 NW Seventh St. To get there take Gregg Street north and turn left on Delaney which is the block just past the Salvation Army retail store. Delaney turns into Seventh Street, you will go over the railroad tracks and the school is on the left.
- If you want additional information about getting your child on this program please contact your child's school.

- The Big Spring ISD is now accepting free/reduced lunch applications on line. To apply, go to the Big Spring Independent School District website www.bsisd.esc.18.net and click on the quick link "Meal App Now." Fill out the forms and then submit. You will be notified by mail or e-mail

of the status of your lunch application. If you do not have access to a computer, please bring all of your income information, TANF or SNAP EDG number and come to the Food Service Department located at 708 Eleventh Place.

- Seniors and mature adults are invited to a dance on the first, third and fifth Friday of each month at the Dora Roberts Community Center. Dances are from 7:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. with live bands. No alcohol or smoking permitted. There will be a pot luck as well so bring a dish if you want to eat. Cost is \$8 per person.

Meetings

- The Big Spring Symphony Board of Directors meets every first Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. at the symphony office, 808 Scurry Street.
- The Kiwanis Club of Big Spring meets at noon every Thursday in the Cactus Room at Howard College. Visitors are welcome.
- Order of the Eastern Star Big Spring Chapter 67 meets the third Tuesday of 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 271-2176.
- Staked Plains Masonic Lodge No. 598 meets the second Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. (dinner is at 6 p.m.) at 219 1/2 Main St. All Masons are welcome.

- Membership to the Big Spring Native American Association is open to the public. People interested in Native American culture are encouraged to find out more about the organization by calling Richard "Indio" Lesser at 432-935-0125.

Local 5-Day Forecast				
Sat 9/3	Sun 9/4	Mon 9/5	Tue 9/6	Wed 9/7
88/71	90/71	90/72	88/73	91/73
Isolated t-storms in the morning, then partly cloudy late. High 88F. Winds SE at 5 to 10 mph. Chance of rain 30%.	Plenty of sun. Highs in the low 90s and lows in the low 70s.	Times of sun and clouds. Highs in the low 90s and lows in the low 70s.	Mix of sun and clouds. Highs in the upper 80s and lows in the low 70s.	Clouds giving way to sun. Highs in the low 90s and lows in the low 70s.
Sunrise: 7:22 AM Sunset: 8:07 PM	Sunrise: 7:23 AM Sunset: 8:05 PM	Sunrise: 7:23 AM Sunset: 8:04 PM	Sunrise: 7:24 AM Sunset: 8:03 PM	Sunrise: 7:24 AM Sunset: 8:01 PM

Texas at a Glance



Area Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Abilene	83	69	Cloudy	Kingsville	94	74	Sunny
Amarillo	79	63	Cloudy	Livingston	91	71	Sunny
Austin	90	74	P Cloudy	Longview	87	64	M Sunny
Beaumont	94	73	Sunny	Lubbock	80	65	Cloudy
Brownsville	95	77	Sunny	Lufkin	90	69	M Sunny
Brownwood	85	69	P Cloudy	Midland	85	69	P Cloudy
Corpus Christi	89	71	M Cloudy	Raymondville	97	75	Sunny
Corsicana	89	71	M Cloudy	Rosenberg	91	74	Sunny
Dallas	88	71	M Cloudy	San Antonio	92	75	P Cloudy
Del Rio	89	74	P Cloudy	San Marcos	89	72	P Cloudy
El Paso	87	70	P Cloudy	Sulphur Springs	87	65	P Cloudy
Fort Stockton	85	67	P Cloudy	Sweetwater	85	68	Cloudy
Gainesville	83	65	M Cloudy	Tyler	88	65	P Cloudy
Greenville	87	66	P Cloudy	Weatherford	85	69	M Cloudy
Houston	94	76	Sunny	Wichita Falls	85	68	Cloudy

National Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Atlanta	82	66	Cloudy	Miami	89	80	M Cloudy
Boston	72	60	P Cloudy	Minneapolis	76	59	Sunny
Chicago	72	60	Sunny	New York	83	68	Sunny
Dallas	88	71	M Cloudy	Phoenix	103	82	Sunny
Denver	80	60	M Cloudy	San Francisco	67	56	Sunny
Houston	94	76	Sunny	Seattle	67	55	Cloudy
Los Angeles	79	63	Cloudy	Saint Louis	80	60	Sunny

Moon Phases

First Sep 9	Full Sep 16	Last Sep 23	New Oct 1

UV Index

Sat 9/3	Sun 9/4	Mon 9/5	Tue 9/6	Wed 9/7
9	10	10	8	10
Very High	Very High	Very High	Very High	Very 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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Support Groups

FRIDAY

- AA open discussion meeting from noon until 1 p.m. at 605 Settles. Open Big Book study meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

SATURDAY

- Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion meeting, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. Open podium/speakers meeting 8 p.m. until 9 p.m. Open birthday night, no smoking meeting the last Saturday of each month at 8 p.m. Covered dish supper at 7 p.m.

SUNDAY

- Alcoholics Anonymous closed meeting from 11 a.m. to noon at 615 Settles. Open meeting 7 p.m. until 8 p.m.

MONDAY

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

- 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 main entrance of the church.

- Alcoholics Anonymous, As Bill Sees it, 615 Settles, 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

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Raise the flag

HERALD photo/Lyndel Moody
Big Spring city employees posted U.S. flags along Gregg St. this morning in advance of the Labor Day holiday weekend. Labor Day is Monday and many area schools along with federal, county, and city offices will be closed for the national holiday.

News in brief

Hermine hits Florida coast as 1st hurricane in a decade

CARRABELLE, Fla. (AP) — Hurricane Hermine made landfall in Florida's Big Bend area early Friday as the first hurricane to hit the state in more than a decade.

The Category 1 storm hit just east of St. Marks around 1:30 a.m. EDT with winds around 80 mph, according to the U.S. National Hurricane Center. Hermine later weakened to a tropical storm as it moved farther inland.

Projected storm surges of up to 12 feet menaced a wide swath of the coast and an expected drenching of up to 10 inches of rain carried the danger of flooding along the storm's path over land, including the state capital Tallahassee, which hadn't been hit by a hurricane since Kate in 1985.

As of 5 a.m. EDT Friday, Hermine was weakening as it moved into southern Georgia, the Hurricane Center said. It was centered about 20 miles west of Valdosta, Georgia, and was moving north-northeast near 14 mph.

After pushing through Georgia, Hermine was expected to move into the Carolinas and up the East Coast with the potential for drenching rain and deadly flooding.

Cuba reports remarkable success in containing Zika virus

HAVANA (AP) — Six months after President Raul Castro declared war on the Zika virus in Cuba, a militarized nationwide campaign of intensive mosquito spraying, monitoring and quarantine appears to be working.

Cuba is among the few countries in the Western Hemisphere that have so far prevented significant spread of the disease blamed for birth defects in thousands of children. Only three people have caught Zika in Cuba. Thirty have been diagnosed with cases of the virus they got outside the island, according to Cuban officials.

Many are now watching to see whether Cuba is able to maintain control of Zika or will drop its guard and see widening infection like so many of its neighbors. The battle against Zika is testing what Cuba calls a signal accomplishment of its

single-party socialist revolution — a free health-care system that assigns a family doctor to every neighborhood, with a focus on preventive care and maternal and pediatric health. That system has come under strain in recent years as thousands of specialists emigrate to the U.S., Europe and South America for higher pay and the allied government of Venezuela reduces the flow of subsidized oil that has been keeping Cuba solvent.

U.S. government scientists fly to Havana in November for a two-day meeting on animal-borne viruses such as Zika, the first conference of its kind since the re-establishment of diplomatic relations a year ago. American researchers say they are eager to learn more and help incorporate Cuba into U.S.-backed international health programs after a half-century without significant professional interaction.

Turkey's president says Kurds have not withdrawn as US says

ISTANBUL (AP) — Turkey's president denies claims by U.S. officials that Syrian Kurdish rebels fighting Turkish forces in northern Syria have withdrawn east of the Euphrates River.

President Recep Tayyip Erdogan said Friday as he departed for the G20 meeting in China, "they tell us that YPG (a Syrian Kurdish force) has crossed east of the Euphrates. And we say: no they did not."

Erdogan is apparently referring to U.S. officials saying earlier this week that the Kurds have mostly moved to the east of the river, as demanded by Turkey.

Last week, Turkey sent troops across the border to help Syrian rebels capture the town of Jarablus. But then clashes broke out with the Kurds. Turkey does not want the rebels it considers terrorists to form a corridor on its border.

Myanmar forest-cutting continues despite government efforts

PINLEBU, Myanmar (AP) — The hills of northern Myanmar's Sagaing region were so legendarily thick with forests that in the days of kings, condemned criminals were ordered into the woods

as a death sentence. Today illegal logging has left vast swaths of bare patches, with only a handful of old-growth stands.

Despite a temporary ban on all logging by the Southeast Asian country's new government, the Associated Press found in a trip to the remote region that loggers are still cutting down some of the remaining old trees. The AP also saw loggers illegally chopping up the wood from already felled trees for transportation and sale. Piles of such wood have been confiscated by the government.

Massive amounts of teak, rosewood and other hardwoods have been illegally cut and exported from Myanmar since 2011. Much of that wood was stripped from the Sagaing region, floated on the Irrawaddy River and transported to neighboring China and India.

FIRE

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vehicle, you are parked. It become illegal," Hendricks stressed. "You need to be in the vehicle in order to move out of the way quickly."

Fire zones are marked with signs and painted with red markings on the ground.

"If a vehicle is parked in a fire zone, at anytime, they can be cited and risk having their vehicle towed," Ryan said in a news release. "Please do not park in fire zones; it is a public safety issue. Please park in a normal parking area, even for those short 'run ins' and out."

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TRIATHLON

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surrounding area removing trash and debris for the annual Love our Lake event, which is apart of the statewide Keep Texas Water Ways Clean. The group focused heavily on the lake to help prepare the area for the popular athletic competition.

Registration and packet pick up will be held from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 9 at the Dora Roberts Community Center, 100 Whipkey Drive located in the park. At 6 p.m., competitors will have a opportunity for a practice swim in the lake, according to Craig Felty, owner of Permian Basin Events.

"Lifeguards will be on duty during the practice swim," Lewis noted.

Day of race registration and packet pickup will begin at 6 a.m. until 7 a.m. at the Dora Roberts Community Center. A pre-race meeting will start at 7:30

a.m. and an awards ceremony will conclude the event.

Competitors who wait until Saturday to register will not be eligible for awards but their race will be timed and will count toward USA Triathlon rankings, Felty clarified.

"We serve a delicious fajita meal to all participants and volunteers," Lewis said.

To volunteer, contact Debbye Valverde at the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce 432-263-7641.

"For the safety of all those involved in the event the Comanche Trail Park will be closed on Sept.10 from 7 a.m. until 1 p.m.," Lewis said.

For more information about the event, contact Lewis at 432-263-8235

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1 John 4:18

The Lord says, "I will rescue those who love me. I will protect those who trust in my name. When they call on me, I will answer; I will be with them in trouble. I will rescue them and honor them. I will satisfy them with a long life and give them my salvation."
Psalm 91: 14-16

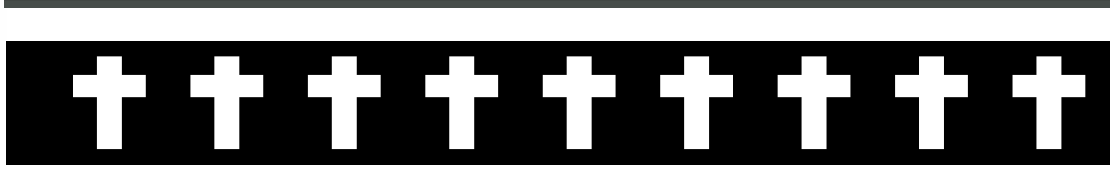
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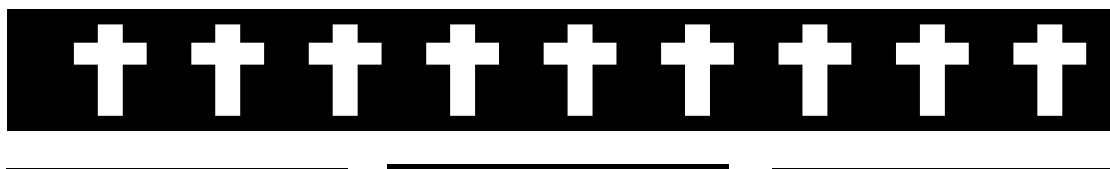
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Did you ever wonder? *The wilderness trek*

Because of their unbelief, the Hebrews spent 40 years in the Arabian Desert until all the people above 20 years old had died. They had refused their God. He did not kill them; he provided for them until they died of old age. The only two people from that generation who survived were Joshua and Caleb.

God swore by Himself that all those who had seen His Glory and His miracles and had refused to believe on Him, would not enter the Promised Land. However, God did not give up on the Hebrews or forsake them. He declared that the next generation, those who were twenty years and below would enter and possess the Land.

Now the Israelites turned east and wandered in the desert for 38 more years.

Since the Romans conquered Israel about 200 BCE and Greek and Latin became the dominant languages, our understanding of the Bible has become skewed. All of this time we have assumed that the desert mentioned here was the Sinai Desert.

However, courageous explorers and archeologists have recently uncovered monumental evidence that this referred to the

Arabian Desert. Lennart Moller, a Swedish archeologist, and Dr. Kim from Korea, and Jim and Penny Caldwell from Texas have created Split Rock Research Foundation. They have compiled a very large collection of pictures from the Saudi Arabian Peninsula.

This includes film and still pictures documenting mountains mentioned in the Bible. They have pictures of the remains of the Hebrew camps and graveyards in the desert.

One astonishing discovery is the many hieroglyphics of the soles of sandals etched deeply into rocks. There is a route marked around the perimeter of the Arabian Peninsula that is documented by these sandal etchings. Deut 11:24 says, "Every place where the sole of your foot will tread shall be yours - from the Wilderness and the Lebanon, from the river, the Euphrates River, until the Western Sea shall be your boundary."

God's idea of the size of Israel seems to be much larger than the size of the nation of Israel today.

Dr. Kim made another wonderful discovery in lower Saudi Arabia. On one large boulder that was covered with etchings of Ancient Hebrew writing, Dr. Kim found a Menorah, the seven-branched candlestick of the Tabernacle, about the size of a man's hand.

Lennart Moller has a collection of ancient maps. One of these is a map which was made for

the royalty of France in the 1500s. It shows large areas in the Arabian Desert marked as territory of Reuben, Gad and Asher.

The territory of Asher is exactly where the largest Arabian oil field is located. In Deut 33:24 Moses said, "The most blessed of children is Asher; he shall be pleasing to his brothers, and dip his feet in oil."

While the Israelites were traveling in this harsh, dry land, God gave Moses a detailed description of the sacrifices that He wanted them to offer. Did you notice the words I chose here? God "wanted" the Hebrews to "offer" certain sacrifices to Him.

I think a lot of people think of this as a demand for sacrifices to appease an angry god. I agree with the sages who interpret this as a gift given to thank their gracious God for His endless forgiveness when they truly repent. In several instances God refers to the smoke rising from the altar as a 'sweet savor and a pleasing aroma.'

These instructions about the sacrifices were specifically intended for when they eventually conquered Canaan. They were given at this time to show that although they had sinned, they were forgiven. This would encourage the second generation Israelites. They needed to know and believe that God was with them and they were destined to fight and win this land.

This is a forgiving God!



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Church News

Birdwell Lane Church of Christ

Services at Birdwell Lane Church of Christ are Sundays with Bible study at 9 a.m. and worship at 10 a.m. and 5 p.m.; and Wednesday with Ladies' Class at 9:30 a.m. and Bible study and devotional at 7 p.m.

Birdwell Lane Church of Christ is located at the corner of 11th Place and Birdwell Lane.

First United Methodist Church

First United Methodist Church is located just off Gregg Street at the corner of Fourth and Scurry in downtown Big Spring.

Each Sunday morning, the 9 a.m. Traditions service features the church's pipe organ, the Celebration Choir, and classic hymns of the faith. The Bridge service at 11 a.m. is led by the church's worship band and includes contemporary, upbeat music. Worship at The Bridge is led by Adrian Calvio and many others. The Bridge service is broadcast live each Sunday on radio station KXCS-105.5 FM.

This Sunday during both services, Pastor Bill Ivins will share a message entitled "Anatomy 101." The message is taken from I Corinthians 12:12-31a.

On Wednesday, Pastor Ivins will launch a new study at the Noon Bible Study in Garrett Hall. Over the next several weeks, the Pastor will teach an overview series of the entire Bible. A meal will be served beginning at 11:50 a.m. for a small fee. All are welcome.

The music ministry is in full swing on Wednesdays. The Bridge Worship Band gathers for rehearsal each Wednesday at 6 p.m. in the Sanctuary. The Celebration Choir rehearses each Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Music Suite on the second floor.

The church's Fall Rally Day will be Sunday, Sept. 11. The church will also honor first responders in Howard County during a combined worship service at 11 a.m. First responders and their families will be guests of honor during a meal to follow the service at noon.

With school back in full swing, First Methodist is launching the fall semester of "Real Life on

Wednesdays" on Sept. 14. A meal is served from 5:30 p.m. to 6:15 p.m. in Garrett Hall. Groups for all ages kick off at 6 p.m.

On Sept. 25, Dr. Charles Webb will be the guest organist during the 9 a.m. worship service. He will also present an organ concert that evening at 5 p.m. in the sanctuary. Dr. Webb served as organist at First United Methodist Church during the 1960s. He was also instrumental in the design and installation of the church's 1966 Reuter pipe organ.

Webb was long-time dean of the Jacobs School of Music at Indiana University in Bloomington; the school of music grew to be one of the world's largest during his tenure. Webb has written numerous hymns and hymn arrangements for the United Methodist hymnal. Now retired, he continues to make his home in Bloomington, Ind.

Also just around the corner is the biannual Lord's Acre. Slated for Saturday, Oct. 1, the Lord's Acre is a day-long event in Garrett Hall which includes a bake sale, a live auction, a silent auction, and a delicious steak dinner at noon. A "Kids Korner" will also be available for children. All proceeds will fund various missions supported by First United Methodist Church.

For more information on any activity, please visit the FUMC website at www.fumcbs.com or phone the church office at 267-6394.

First Christian Church

First Christian Church is located at 911 Goliad St. in Big Spring.

Services at First Christian begin each Sunday with a fellowship hour with coffee and donuts that begins at 9:15 a.m. Sunday school starts at 9:45 a.m. and worship is at 10:50 a.m.

This Sunday's guest minister will be the Rev. Joel Miller, who will be preaching a sermon called "God's Authority" taken from Romans 14:1-4. The Liturgist for this Sunday will be Shirley Burgess, and helping to serve at the Lord's Table will be Wanda Brock and Shirley Lee.

First Christian Church's choir director Tara Trowbridge and music director Lawrence Thibeault are working on special music for Sunday including "In the Bull There Is a Flower", "Marching to Zion" and "Softly and Tenderly".

If you are searching for a new church home, First Christian welcomes you to stop by and pay them a visit.

Blessed Hands Deaf Church

Pastor Jim Walterhouse invites you to join the people of Blessed Hands Deaf Church in praise and worship Sunday at 10:50 a.m. or 2 p.m. Select a service time that fits your schedule, and join them as they glorify the Savior Jesus Christ, and receive a message from God's Word. Currently, BHDC meets inside First Baptist Church at 705 W. FM 700. For detailed information about Blessed Hands Deaf Church, including Wednesday night schedule and activities, contact Pastor Jim at jwalterhouse@gmail.com.

First Baptist Church

The people of FBC invite you to join them in worshipping Jesus Christ Sunday at 10:50 a.m. Pastor Mark Lindsey will deliver the sermon, titled "Who Killed Jesus?"

Drawn from Mark 15:21-39, the message will guide listeners to ponder the sufferings of Jesus on the cross, while examining the truth that He submitted to the greatest degradation and disgrace heaped upon Him, and that our sins crucified the Lord of all creation.

Music Minister Alan Schantz will lead worshippers in songs of praise and thanks to God.

If you have mobility issues, use the west circle drive, and someone will be happy to assist you inside and park your vehicle. You can join the service online through the church website at fbcbigspring.org if you are unable to attend.

At 9:30 a.m., Pastor Lindsey starts a 4-week study titled "New Beginnings". This class is designed for new church members and those interested in learning more about FBC and its beliefs, practices, and structure; the class will meet in room 240.

Sunday School groups also gather at 9:30 throughout the building, with children meeting on the first floor in the Good News Garage, and youth, college students, and adults meeting in second floor classrooms. Greeters are available to help you find your class.

There will be no evening activities due to the Labor Day holiday. Church offices will be closed Monday.

The Triple LLL(Living Longer & Loving It) group invites you to a fun time Tuesday at noon in the Family Life Center. Bring a friend and enjoy a tasty lunch and some great fellowship; enter through the east kitchen doors.

The Food Pantry will be open Thursday, Sept. 8 at 9 a.m. It is located on Lancaster one block behind H-E-B.

FBC Mother's Day Out program is open each Tuesday and Thursday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Contact Tracy Boeker at 267-8223 to find out about available openings.

Upward Basketball online registration begins Monday. This faith-based program is for children who will be five by Jan. 1, through those who are currently sixth graders. Go to fbcbigspring.org for more information.

Wednesday evening activities begin with a meal served in the Family Life Center from 5-6 p.m., followed by adult Bible study and prayer time, Saturate Youth group, Real LYF for children, and adult worship choir practice.

FBC is located at 705 W. FM 700.

First Church of the Nazarene

This week's NazFamily service will have an emphasis on small groups. Then coming up on Sept. 18, the opening of the church's Cedar Road campus inside New Hope Christian School will take place. NazFamily will also host Back to Church Sunday that day. A potluck lunch will be held at both campuses following the worship service.

Small group information can be found by visiting the website at nazfamily.org.

Sunday morning at 9 a.m., youth, adult, and children's classes will be held throughout the campus.

Sunday service begins at 10 a.m. in the sanctuary. Children's Church is at 10 a.m. Sunday in the Fellowship Hall.

Wednesday night's weekly prayer starts at 6:30 p.m. in the sanctuary while children and youth classes are in other classrooms.

You can also listen each Sunday to KBST 95.7 at 10 a.m. for a live broadcast of the service.

Contact the church office at 432-267-7015. First Church of the Nazarene is located at 1400 Lancaster.

First Presbyterian Church

On Wednesday the Lectionary Bible Study, led by Craig Holstedt and Tom Koger, meets at 5:17 p.m. in the church library. The Chancel Choir will rehearse Wednesday at 6 p.m.

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MyVersion

Technology can be wonderful. I was speaking with someone just the other day about a passage of Scripture. I couldn't recall the specific details (a game my mind more frequently plays with me), so I pulled my phone out of my pocket and, within a few taps on the screen, I was reading the passage under discussion. It is truly amazing to have that ability.



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Not too long ago, I would have had to retrieve my Bible (if I had it with me at the time) and flip to the appropriate spot. The particular app that I use on my phone for English translations is called "YouVersion." While it is a very good program and makes it convenient to have the Scriptures with you wherever you are, I have been thinking about its name. I know it is "catchy." I understand what the designers are trying to convey by the name – it gives you more opportunity to read the Bible; it gives you many translations from which to choose (and I think studying multiple translations is a good thing); it helps you with different daily reading programs. All of those things are good and useful when used properly.

People today, however, want to do things their way, and that mentality is brought into Bible study as well. We want the short and quick "verse of the day" Bible study. And when we read these often taken-out-of-context passages, we translate them into MyVersion.

Some time back, one of my daughters had to read Deuteronomy 11:18-20 for her schoolwork: "You shall therefore lay up these words of mine in your heart and in your soul, and you shall bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes. You shall teach them to your children, talking of them when you are sitting in your house, and when you are walking by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise. You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates."

What a great responsibility we have in regards to God's word. Let us take that responsibility seriously. Don't allow things of this life to lead you away from God and the study of His word. And don't translate this passage into a MyVersion that may sound something like, "You shall therefore lay up these words of mine on your bookcase or on your coffee table, and you shall bind a cross necklace around your neck or have it dangling before your eyes from your rear-view mirror. You shall let the Bible class teacher teach them to your children (if you take them), and talk to them about it as long as your favorite TV show is not on. You shall buy them t-shirts with Scripture on them and hang pretty decorations in your home with Bible verses on them."

Reflections: Labor Day

This is Labor Day weekend. The scorching heat of summer has broken. The air is alive with the first hint of fall. Kids are back in school. Friday night football is here. NCAA stadiums vibrate with the first games of fall. The Cowboys have renewed hope and the Rangers are leading the league. In the parks, frisbees fly while hamburgers sizzle on the grill. The lakes are still warm enough for skiing. Fishing is good. It is a great weekend to gather with friends and family and relax.

Underneath all this lies the significance of the day, a time to step back and celebrate the importance of labor. It is the core of our culture: the value of hard

work, perseverance and discipline. Most of the time we fawn over celebrities. But on this day, the common laborer takes the stage.

I think of my father, a blue-collar worker who started out trimming grass around telephone poles and worked 35 years for Bell Telephone

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CHURCH

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John Ferguson's Covenant Class begins a new fall quarter study called Sovereignty of God. It focuses on themes from Isaiah, Matthew, Hebrews, and Revelation. Unit I for September is "Sovereignty of God"; Unit II for October is "Sovereignty of Jesus"; Unit III for November is "Alpha and Omega."

The Discovery Class is examining a DVD study called "Half Truths" by Adam Hamilton, pastor of a large church in Kansas City. He looks at simple phrases that "sound Christian," like something that might be found in the Bible, capturing some element of truth, yet missing the point in important ways. Christine Chakolan, cohort of covenant Bible study, says of this study, "Adan Hamilton exposes well-worn clichés that lead us down unfaithful and sometimes dangerous paths. Most importantly, he points to what Scripture really says, and how that truth can set us free."

Susan Holstedt is in charge of Take Ten for this Sunday. Communion servers for September are Lucy and Paschal Odom, Ellen Austin, Patti Horton, and Susan Wilson. Helen and Lynn Glass and Vicki and Mark McLean are ushers for the month, and Jenn Patterson is lector.

The lectionary for the 16th Sunday after Pentecost (or 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time) is Jeremiah 18:1-11; Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18; Philemon 1-21; Luke 14:25-33. The Rev. Craig Holstedt will deliver the sermon and officiate at communion. The Chancel Choir will present "Soon and Very Soon," by Andre Crouch as the anthem, and "One Bread, One Body," by John Foley as the offertory anthem.

The worship service begins at 10:50 a.m. for announcements and parish concerns, and the radio broadcast starts at 11.

If you cannot attend worship, you can listen in on KBST 1490 AM at 11 a.m. If you wish to have a printed bulletin for Sunday services, please call the church office at 263-4211. You can also see what's happening at the church by visiting our website www.fpcbs.org. On our website, you can find a link to several recent sermons by the Rev. Craig Holstedt.

Alive in Christ Lutheran Church LCMS

Bible study and Sunday school begin at 9:30 a.m., and Sunday service begins at 10:30 a.m. Alive in Christ extends a particular invitation to those who are new to the area, and those who haven't been to church before or recently.

Bobby Roever will present the scripture readings this week.

Wednesday night Bible study will begin again soon; watch Church News for more information.

On Sept. 17 at 8 p.m. will be "Movie Under the Stars." It is a special showing of Disney's "Zootopia." Bring the family for a night of food, fun and laughs. Bring your lawn chairs and blankets. There will be hot dogs, popcorn, and water. Everything is free.

Tune in to KBYG on 106.3 FM or 1400 AM between 6:45 and 6:50 every morning for a devotional entitled "Morning Meditation Thoughts" sponsored in part by the Lutheran Hour. Also tune in every Sun-

day morning at 8:30 to listen to the Lutheran Hour.

Alive in Christ Lutheran Church is located at 2805 Lynn Drive in the Kentwood neighborhood of Big Spring. To connect with the church call 432-264-7818 or e-mail at aliveinchristtx@gmail.com.

Spring Creek Fellowship

New Connection Groups will begin Sept. 11. The new offerings include "Blending Families," a class for re-married couples with children; "Ready to Launch," for parents; and "Hebrews," a study of the book of Hebrews.

Oct. 9 to 11 will be the fall youth event "Choices" with guest speaker Ken Freeman.

"People Caring for People" is a ministry serving widows in our area with small projects and "honey do" kinds of things.

This ministry has no operating budget, so repairs are made with donations. If you would like to be a part of this ministry, either in a "hands on" way or by donation, please contact Bob Abendshan at 432-528-7397.

Some recent projects include a wheelchair ramp, kitchen repair/cabinet installation and minor electrical repair/outlet installation.

Check out our Operation Christmas Child Store in the foyer. Items that will be placed into the Christmas shoe boxes are available for purchase, or you can make a donation towards the purchase of items.

The goal is to send 120 boxes to children overseas this year. Contact Sue Smith or Dana Tompkins for more information.

Men's Bible study meets on Thursday nights from 7 to 9 p.m. The title of the study is "To Live is Christ, To Die is Gain".

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College football begins with marquee games

By RALPH D. RUSSO
AP College Football Writer

Now this is the way to start the college football season.

The usual steady stream of games from Thursday through Monday night this year includes four matchups of ranked teams and six more ranked teams facing Power Five opposition, four of those away from home.

In some cases, regardless of the quality of the competition, the names alone scream big-time college football game. Alabama vs. USC. Texas vs. Notre Dame.

Since the NFL moved to the start of its season to the week following Labor Day in 2001, college football has turned summer's last hurrah weekend into a delightful opening act. But it tended to be quantity — lots of games on TV spread out over five games — over high quality. Most top teams were playing cupcakes.

The College Football Playoff has encouraged teams to play step-up nonconference scheduling since one loss early won't kill a team's national championship hopes. The demands of television networks

and fans — who are paying the bills in college football — also pushed schools to accept more challenging games.

This opening weekend is not quite the greatest in college football history. In 1998, eight games matched Top 25 teams. But it is better than most.

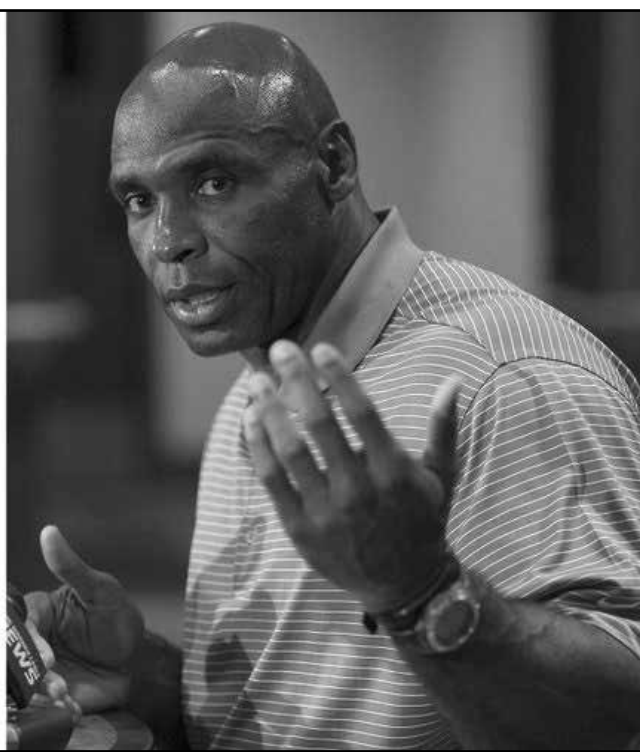
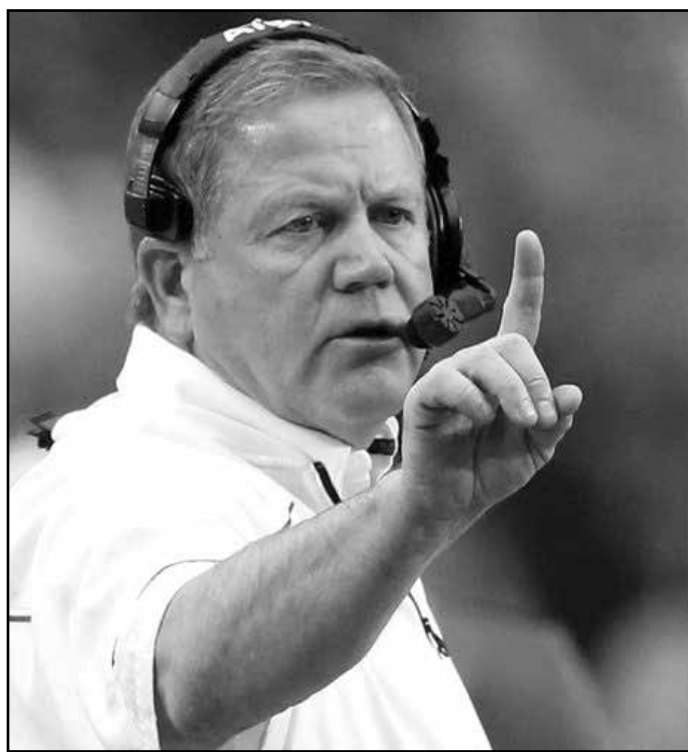
The last time four games paired ranked teams in the first week of the season was 2009. The opening slate that year included a top-10 matchup in Atlanta between No. 5 Alabama and No. 7 Virginia Tech, won by the Crimson Tide, and No. 20 BYU upsetting No. 3 Oklahoma at the Dallas Cowboys' stadium in Arlington, Texas.

A third-ranked Sooners team losing in an NFL stadium to a school from outside the power conferences? Houston fans would like to see a repeat of that Saturday.

The picks:
THURSDAY KICK-OFF

Appalachian State (plus 20) at No. 9 Tennessee

Vols offensive coordinator Mike DeBord was Michigan's OC when it lost to App State in 2007. Bad omen? ... TENNES-



Ralph Barrera/Austin American-Statesman via AP

At left, in a Jan. 1, 2016, file photo, Notre Dame head coach Brian Kelly makes a call during the first half of the Fiesta Bowl NCAA College football game against Ohio State in Glendale, Ariz. At right, in an Aug. 5, 2016, file photo, Texas football coach Charlie Strong talks about the upcoming season, in Austin, Texas. Now this is the way to start the college football season. Texas vs. Notre Dame.

SEE 38-14.

Charlottesville (plus 40) at No. 19 Louisville

A fun full season of Lamar Jackson at quarterback for the Cardinals should start with one big half and then some work for the backup ... LOUISVILLE 58-14.

FRIDAY NIGHT AT THE FARM

Kansas State (plus 15 1/2) at No. 8 Stanford

Wildcats coach Bill

Snyder begins season with 193 victories. Getting to 200 might be a nice way for the 76-year-old Hall of Famer to head into retirement ... STANFORD 38-20.

SATURDAY MAIN EVENTS

No. 1 Alabama (minus 11 1/2) vs. No. 20 Southern California at AT&T Stadium in Arlington, Texas

The thought of losing

to the defending national champion for USC fans. The thought of losing to former Trojans coach Lane Kiffin, now the Tide's offensive coordinator, probably won't be as easy to take ... ALABAMA 27-14.

No. 3 Oklahoma (minus 11) vs. No. 15 Houston at NRG Stadium in Houston

The last time the Cou-

gars went into a highly ranked game this year was 1991 against Miami, and it did not turn out well for Houston. Can another much-hyped bunch of Coogs be heading for a similar fate? ... OKLAHOMA 38-24.

No. 18 Georgia (minus 2 1/2) vs. No. 22 North Carolina at the Georgia

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5 things to know about college football's opening weekend

By RALPH D. RUSSO
AP College Football Writer

The first weekend of the college football season is loaded. Here are five things to know as you prepare to immerse yourself in football.

BEST GAME

No. 1 Alabama vs. No. 20 USC? No. 10 Notre Dame at Texas? No. 18 Georgia vs. No. 22 North Carolina. No. 5 LSU vs. Wisconsin at Lambeau Field. And that's just to name a few. Lots of interesting matchups from which to choose, but the best looks as if it will be the last.

No. 11 Mississippi faces No. 4 Florida State in Orlando, Florida, on Monday night. The Rebels are in a bit of a reload season after losing three first-round draft picks that were the heart of a team coming off two straight New Year's Six bowl appearances. There is still plenty for the Ole Miss fans to be excited about, starting with Chad Kelly, one of the best quarterbacks in



AP Photo/John Raoux, File

In this Oct. 24, 2015, file photo, Houston quarterback Greg Ward Jr. looks for a receiver against Central Florida during an NCAA college football game in Orlando, Fla. If Ward, who passed for 2,828 yards, ran for 1,108 yards and accounted for 38 touchdowns last season, has a big game and leads the Cougars to an upset, he can vault himself into the heart of a crowded field of Heisman contenders that includes three of the top four vote-getters from last season.

the country, throwing to a bunch of speedy receivers.

Florida State seems set everywhere but quarterback. Redshirt Deondre Francois takes

over a team with national title hopes. Dalvin Cook is one of the best running backs in the country and safety Derwin James is a versatile playmaker on defense.

Add in some SEC-ACC bragging rights and you have the game of the week.

HEISMAN WATCH

No player could do more for his Heisman Trophy hopes in Week 1 than Houston quarterback Greg Ward Jr. The 15th-ranked Cougars open against No. 3 Oklahoma at NRG Stadium, the home of the Houston Texans. If Ward, who passed for 2,828 yards, ran for 1,108 yards and accounted for 38 touchdowns last season, has a big game and leads the Cougars to an upset, he can vault himself into the heart of a crowded field of Heisman contenders that includes three of the top four vote-getters from last season.

If Ward and the Cougars play a clunker, you can probably scratch him off the list of possible winners.

NUMBERS TO KNOW

Longest current season-opener winning streaks:

Sports Calendar

TODAY

Volleyball — Abilene Cooper at Big Spring, 4:30 p.m.
Football — Sweetwater at Big Spring, 7:30 p.m.
Football — McCamey at Coahoma, 7:30 p.m.
Football — Eldorado at Forsan, 7:30 p.m.

SATURDAY

Volleyball — Loraine at Coahoma, 10 a.m.

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Florida - 26. The Gators play UMass at the Swamp.

USC - 17. The Trojans face Alabama in Arlington, Texas.

Ohio State - 16. The Buckeyes host Bowling Green.

Nebraska coach Mike Riley and Virginia coach Bronco Mendenhall each enter the season with 99 victories. The Cornhuskers open the season at home against Fresno State. Mendenhall's first game as Cavaliers coach is home against FCS power Richmond.

(SLIGHTLY) OFF THE RADAR

BYU opens against Arizona at University of Phoenix Stadium in Glendale, Arizona, marking the return of Cougars QB Taysom Hill for a sixth season of eligibility.

Hill lost most of each of the last two seasons to injuries. He also did a storm of his career. So now at 26, a quarterback who was in the same recruiting class in 2009 as Matt Barkley, gets one more chance to lead the Cougars. When healthy Hill drew comparisons to Tim Tebow. He won

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Thursday night Texas high school scoreboard

6A

Cypress Lakes 33, Katy Mayde Creek 21
Duncanville 38, Arlington Houston 23
Fort Bend Dulles 40, Rosenberg Terry 27
Fort Bend Ridge Point 49, Rosenberg Lamar 0
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Harlingen South 35, PSJA 27
Houston Spring Woods 7, Houston Waltrip 0
Houston Stratford 17, Alief Elsik 7
Humble Atascocita 14, Spring Dekaney 6
Justin Northwest 69, McKinney North 46
Katy Cinco Ranch 42, Houston Jersey Village 30
Killeen Ellison 45, Round Rock Stony Point 34
Killeen Harker Heights 28, Round Rock McNeil 7
McAllen 28, PSJA Memorial 0
McKinney 38, Keller 36
PSJA North 27, Donna 6
Rockwall-Heath 29, West Mesquite 7
SA Lee 47, SA Jefferson 10
SA Roosevelt 45, SA Northside Clark 21

The Woodlands 36, Spring 7

5A

Amarillo Caprock 49, Bushland 42
Austin McCallum 35, Kyle Lehman 10
Boerne-Champion 49, SA Northside Stevens 28
Brownsville Lopez 20, Edinburg 15
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Cleburne 54, Wichita Falls 21
Dallas Hillcrest 28, Dallas Pinkston 6
Dallas Samuell 55, FW Polytechnic 0
Frisco Reedy 43, FW Eaton 38
FW Western Hills 55, Dallas Jefferson 2
Houston Lee 32, Houston Scarborough 8
Hutto 41, Bryan Rudder 0
Laredo Nixon 33, Laredo Alexander 14
Magnolia 52, Aldine Davis 20
Mansfield Summit 33, FW Chisholm Trail 0
Manvel 26, Galena Park North Shore 13
North Forney 33, Carrollton Creekview 14
Port Neches-Groves 42, Baytown Goose Creek 7

Saginaw Boswell 39, FW Dunbar 7
Vidor 21, Pasadena Memorial 0

4A

Andrews 28, Lubbock 16
Dallas Lincoln 19, Wilmer-Hutchins 0
Houston Worthing 7, Houston Sharpstown 3
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3A
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2A
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1A
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By: Jury Padron, Deputy

#9140 August 19, 26 September 2, 9, 2016

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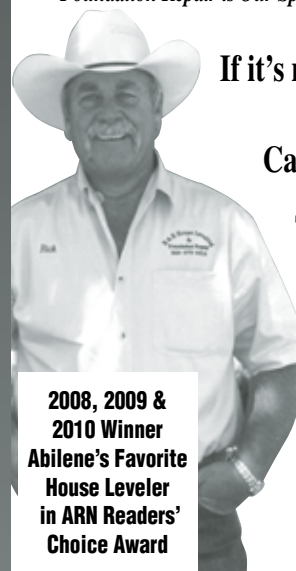


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Tomorrow's Horoscope



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Cosmic Jam-Up

The sun, Neptune and Saturn get into a cosmic jam-up that goes against the spirit of reciprocity. There are those who will take anything given, no qualms, and never be inspired to give back. If you expect a return, spell it out clearly in a way that embodies the spirit of the transaction. If it's friendly, keep it light. If it's business, put it in writing.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Ideas have value, even if they never come into fruition. Not all ideas should come to fruition anyhow. Some are best left in their ethereal form, from which they can still lead us to the next better idea.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). You

don't agree with some aspects of a certain group's philosophy, and you never will. But there's likely enough beneficial stuff there to warrant your involvement. Be of service and reap the benefits of belonging.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). It's the little things. Who should pay the check? And if you have a feeling it's not going to be you, should you make a move anyway? Anticipate these kinds of details and make a game plan beforehand.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). There is a reason for the current distribution of power, but that doesn't mean it should stay this way. If you choose to challenge the old guard, expect resistance and know that these things won't be resolved in a day.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). No one likes to make mistakes, and repeat mistakes are particularly hard to take. Then again, after getting it wrong a few times, getting it right finally is spectacularly satisfying.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). There will be blips, interruptions, shuffling and

reshuffling. What is temporarily uprooting will be fortuitous in the long-term. Detach. Flow with it. Remain unconcerned with the flotsam and jetsam.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Unfortunately, not everyone has developed the part of their brains that keeps them from saying aloud things that ought to be contained inside a head. When mistakes are made, you'll be the one to smooth it over.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Whatever your project, you'll save yourself time and trouble by doing more research. The advice you seek will give you a good excuse to network, thus expanding your contacts and influence simultaneously.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). There will be a lot of busywork in the early part of the day, and as tedious as it may seem, each task can be counted as a step forward. Anyway, the evening fun will make a dim remembrance of all a.m. tasks.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). The loved one who mainly causes you

irritation and exasperation really needs your patience and understanding now. This will require huge, nearly saintly amounts of self-control and emotional restraint, but you're up to it.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Your air-sign levity will help you mentally rise above the situation and then float backward in time, returning to a more childish view of the world. From this place, your problems will be met with more imaginative answers.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). You're not being asked to jump to the moon, though you are being asked to jump higher than you want to. No need to take offense; in all likelihood they are just ignorant of the current standards. Can't blame them for trying!

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Sept. 2). Your way has typically been to dream big and then work backward to construct a framework for building that dream. This year works in pretty much the opposite way. You'll start with a small, very cool interest and it will snowball

into a venture that has a powerfully transformative influence on everything else you do. Libra and Pisces adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 4, 13, 2, 28 and 41.

WEEKEND LOVE FORECAST: ARIES: You've given too much, and now it's time to pull back and see where the line for "too little" is drawn. TAURUS: In relationships, you never stop learning, and there is always room for improvement. GEMINI: Your personality will sing out, attracting harmonious counterparts. CANCER: You are worthy of love whether or not you are fulfilling another person's needs. LEO: While many fuss over the details of making themselves attractive, you feel best when you're not working so hard at it. VIRGO: You'll see into the future of a relationship in vivid detail. LIBRA: You've preferences pertaining to personal space, and you'll be particularly impressed with those who naturally reflect these preferences. SCORPIO: You've no desire to run another

person's life; you have your own beautiful chaos to control. SAGITTARIUS: Be who you are, and that will prove to be more than enough to attract exciting love prospects to you. CAPRICORN: When things aren't quite right, just noticing what's off is not enough. Notice and take action. AQUARIUS: You lift hearts and moods just by showing up. PISCES: The wisest and most loving message cannot be verbalized.

COUPLE OF THE WEEKEND: Virgo and Libra bump up against one another on the zodiac wheel in such a way that can prove irritating for both. Is it because they are too much alike that they tend to find nuanced faults in one another? Or is it because these earth and air signs are so different from one another that they sometimes can't relate? Both are true, and neither will matter when they tumble hard into love this weekend.

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Unwanted Parenting Advice

Dear Annie: A year ago, I became a new mom to a beautiful baby girl. My husband and I live in Chicago, but we are both originally from Idaho. For Christmas last year, we went back to Idaho to visit my parents. When we got there, it was so nice to be home. We enjoyed showing our baby girl all of the beautiful nature that surrounds my parents' house.

My mom was being very helpful at first -- encouraging us to go to dinner alone and helping out with the baby so that we could take a rest. But by the fifth day, she was telling me how to feed my daughter. She said the baby food from the jar is not nearly so good as the homemade kind in the blender. Then she told me I should not hold my baby till she falls asleep but rather just put her in her crib awake and let her fall asleep on her own. Those are just a few

of the examples that were starting to drive me crazy.

I know that she raised three children (including me), but I have my own opinions about how to be a mom. I really want to keep visiting my parents, but I don't want to feel as if I'm being judged and condescended to with this air of "mother knows best." After all, I'm a mother, too. -- Young Mom

Dear Young: You have to understand that it is probably a little difficult for your mother to see you as a mom more than a daughter. It sounds as if she's coming from a place of truly wanting to help. She's bound to have some great advice, with all her years of experience, so don't let defensive-

ness plug your ears and keep you from hearing what she has to say.

But that doesn't mean it's always the right advice for you and your family. Stand your ground and make your own decisions (along with your husband). You're starting your own family now, and you will have your own way of doing things that may be different from the way your mother did them. She'll have to respect that.

Dear Annie: My then-boyfriend's (we married a month ago) mom died a year ago, and his dad died four months ago. Neither he nor his brothers acknowledged any of the memorial gifts, some of which came from my family members and close friends. At the time,

I didn't think it was acceptable for me to take over doing it, because we weren't married and they were not my parents. My husband kept saying that he'd do the thank-you notes, but now a lot of time has passed and no attempts have been made.

I feel guilty whenever we see these people that no thank-you notes have been sent. (When my parents passed away, I sent timely thank-yous.)

After all this time, what do you suggest I do? Should I just try to forget it, as he has done, or should I write thank-yous on behalf of their family? If so, how I do I word things after so much time has passed? -- On My Mind

Dear On My Mind: I think thank-yous are always better late than never. In the case of memorial gifts, it's especially understandable. Your

husband and his family were grieving. I'm fairly certain no one would hold it against them if they never got around to sending thank-yous. But for peace of mind, you may do so if you wish. I wouldn't send out thank-yous on behalf of his whole family unless the family members ask you to, but it would be fine for you to send them out on behalf of you and your husband.

One additional tip: Don't start each one with an apology. A few brief sentences expressing your gratitude will suffice. Keep it simple.

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Annie's Mailbox



By Steve Becker

Bidding quiz

You're South in each of the following four hands. What would you bid where the question mark appears?

1. ♠ K95 ♥ 872 ♦ AQ4 ♣ AJ7
South West North East
1 ♠ Pass 2 ♣ Pass
?
2. ♠ 62 ♥ AQJ93 ♦ Q874 ♣ KJ
North East South West
1 ♦ Pass 1 ♥ Pass
1 NT Pass ?
3. ♠ 8 ♥ AQ96 ♦ KJ7 ♣ AKQ92
South West North East
1 ♠ Pass 1 ♦ Pass
?
4. ♠ AKJ5 ♥ 10 ♦ AQJ973 ♣ Q4
South West North East
1 ♦ Pass 1 ♥ Pass
1 ♠ Pass 2 ♣ Pass
?

1. Pass. Hands containing 14 high-card points are mandatory opening bids, even though they might contain no attractive suit to name. Here, you had no choice but to start by bidding a three-card club suit. When partner raises to two clubs, indicating six to 10 points, it is obvious that there is no game in the offing. Since partner has guaranteed at least four clubs for his raise and at the same time denied possession of a four-card major, you have no better alternative than to settle for a partscore with clubs as trump. To bid again at this point would indicate

game-going aspirations and would probably result in a minus score. **2. Three diamonds.** You can't be certain whether the best game contract is in hearts, diamonds or notrump, so you jump to three diamonds (forcing) to compel partner to help make the choice. You plan to bid four hearts over three hearts, five diamonds over four diamonds, and to pass if partner bids three notrump. **3. Two hearts.** The jump-shift tells partner there is a game in the combined hands and forces partner to bid again, which you can well afford to do even though partner might have only six points. Game, and very possibly a slam, is very likely, but you have no idea whether it is in clubs, diamonds, hearts or notrump. If you were to bid only one heart (not forcing) and partner passed, you'd almost surely have missed a game in hearts or some other denomination. **4. Three diamonds.** You have values well above a minimum opening bid, and it is now time to let partner know. Although you have the high-card values for a jump to three notrump, you don't have the balanced distribution that this would indicate. Three diamonds strongly suggests a 6-4-2-1 pattern and might pave the way to a good slam. You might still wind up in three notrump, if that is what partner bids next, but at least he will know the type of dummy to expect when it appears.

Tomorrow: Vanishing act.
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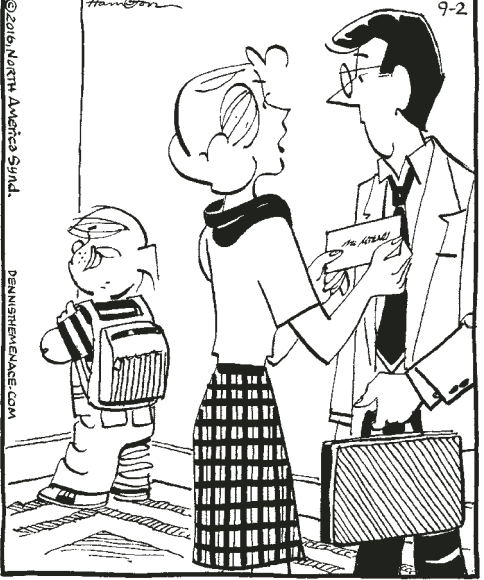
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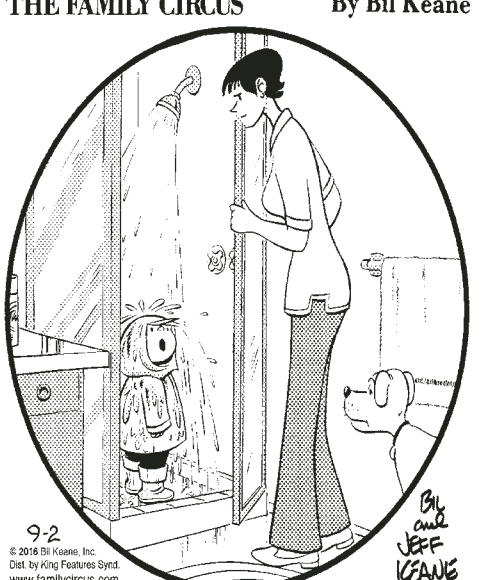
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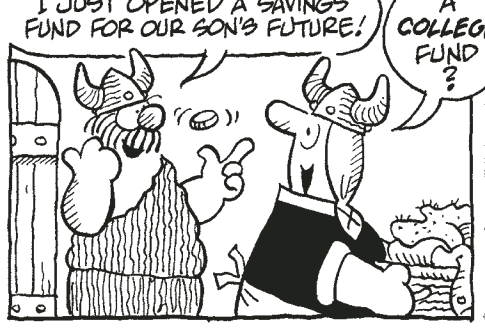
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THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane



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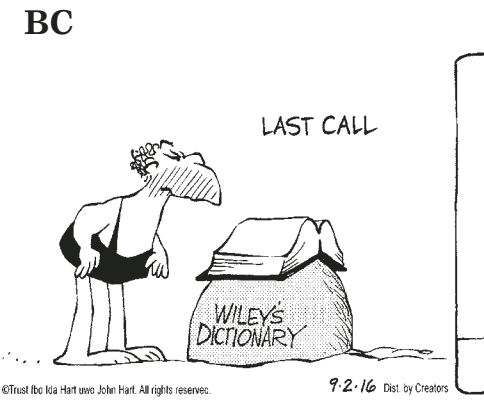


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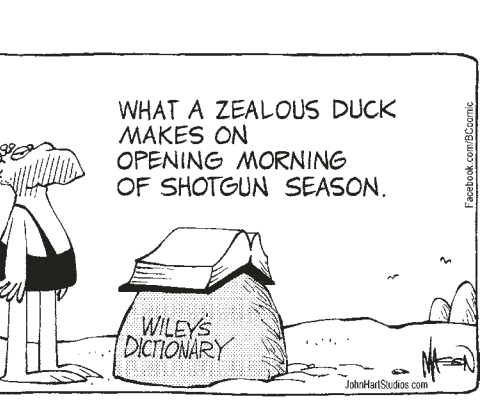
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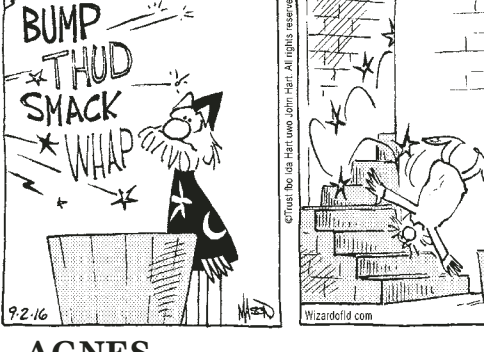
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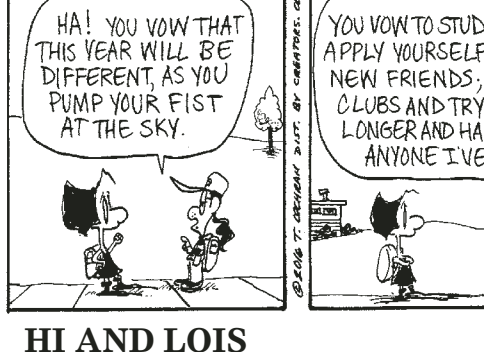
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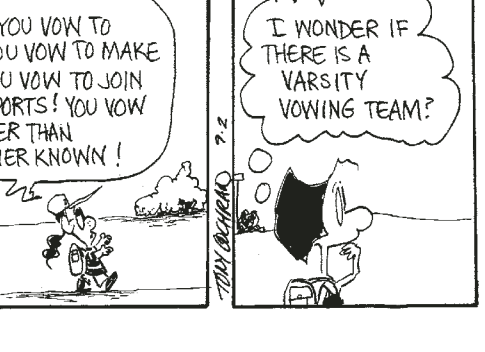
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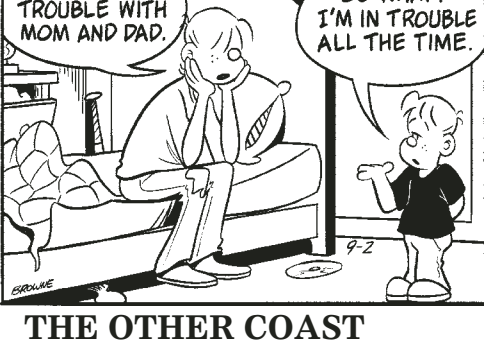
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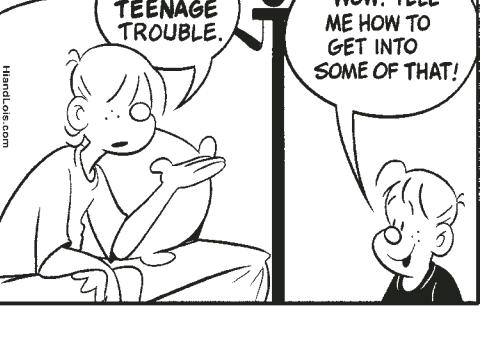
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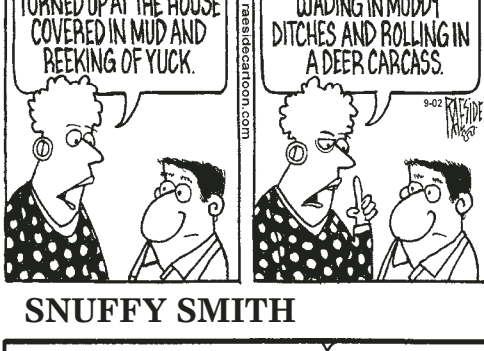
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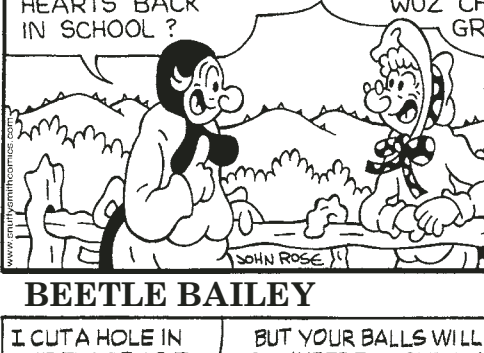
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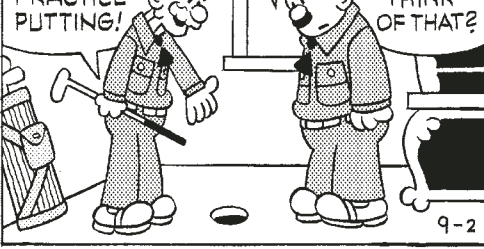
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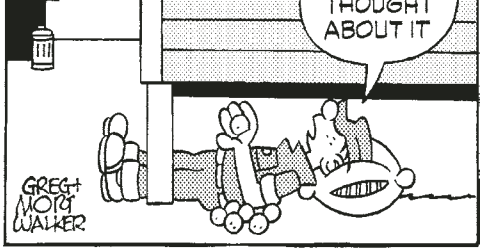
GRANNY, WERE YOU AN' GRAMPY SWEET-HEARTS BACK IN SCHOOL?



I LET GRAMPY CHASE 'EM ALL 'TIL HE COULDN'T RUN NO MORE--THEN I LET HIM CATCH ME !!



I CUT A HOLE IN THE FLOOR SO I CAN PRACTICE PUTTING!



YEAH, HE THOUGHT ABOUT IT

This Date In History

Today is Friday, Sept. 2, the 246th day of 2016. There are 120 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On Sept. 2, 1945, Japan formally surrendered in ceremonies aboard the USS Missouri in Tokyo Bay, ending World War II.

On this date: In 1666, the Great Fire of London broke out. In 1789, the United States Treasury Department was established. In 1864, during the Civil War, Union Gen. William T. Sherman's forces occupied Atlanta. In 1901, Vice President Theodore Roosevelt offered the advice, "Speak softly and carry a big stick" in a speech at the Minnesota State Fair. In 1924, the Rudolf Friml operetta "Rose Marie" opened on Broadway. In 1935, a Labor Day hurricane slammed into the Florida Keys, claiming more than 400 lives. In 1945, Ho Chi Minh declared Vietnam an independent republic. (Ho died on this date in 1969.) In 1963, Alabama Gov. George C. Wallace prevented

the integration of Tuskegee High School by encircling the building with state troopers. "The CBS Evening News" with Walter Cronkite was lengthened from 15 to 30 minutes, becoming network television's first half-hour nightly newscast.

In 1969, in what some regard as the birth of the Internet, two connected computers at the University of California, Los Angeles, passed test data through a 15-foot cable.

In 1972, Dave Wottle of the United States won the men's 800-meter race at the Munich Summer Olympics.

In 1986, a judge in Los Angeles sentenced Cathy Evelyn Smith to three years in prison for involuntary manslaughter for her role in the 1982 drug overdose death of comedian John Belushi. (Smith served 18 months.)

In 1998, a Swissair MD-11 jetliner crashed off Nova Scotia, killing all 229 people aboard.

Ten years ago: Afghan and NATO forces launched Operation Medusa, aimed at flushing out Taliban fighters in southern Afghanistan; 14 British servicemen were killed when their patrol plane crashed.

Five years ago: In a dramatic reversal, President Barack Obama scrubbed a proposed clean-air regulation aimed at reducing smog, yielding to bit-

terly protesting businesses and congressional Republicans who complained the rule would kill jobs in America's ailing economy. Turkey expelled Israel's ambassador and cut military ties over Israel's refusal to apologize for a deadly 2010 raid on a Gaza-bound aid flotilla.

One year ago: Overcoming ferocious opposition, President Barack Obama secured a legacy-defining foreign policy victory as Senate Democrats clinched the necessary votes to ensure the Iran nuclear agreement survived in Congress. President Obama crossed the Arctic Circle in a first by a sitting U.S. president, telling residents in the far-flung Alaska village of Kotzebue (KAHT'-zih-byoo) that their plight resulting from climate change should be the world's wake-up call on global warming.

Answer to previous puzzle

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Newsday Crossword

EASY ON THE 65 ACROSS by S.N.

- Edited by Stanley Newman
www.stanxwords.com
- ACROSS**
- 1 "Outta here!"
 - 5 Great joy
 - 9 "Yes we can" sloganer
 - 14 SpaceX CEO
 - 15 Survey component: Abbr.
 - 16 Health-care breakthroughs
 - 17 Gawp at
 - 18 Not-so-fast pace
 - 19 Curmudgeon
 - 20 Roth novella
 - 23 Stereo software
 - 24 Superfund org.
 - 25 Be added gradually
 - 29 Procter and Gamble brand
 - 31 Well-chosen
 - 34 Sweeney Todd prop
 - 35 Trojan War ally
 - 36 Burger topper
 - 37 Travel to dreamland
 - 40 Bad-tempered boss
 - 41 Supposedly seen saucers
 - 42 1969 French Open champ
 - 43 Refusals
 - 44 NCR products
 - 45 Allen's Manhattan ex
 - 46 L'Oréal spokesperson, for short
 - 47 56 Down's frequent task
 - 48 Blow a gasket
 - 57 Madagascar mammal
 - 58 Former New York mayor, to pals
 - 59 Motherless man
 - 60 "No more, please"
- DOWN**
- 1 Urban woe
 - 2 Valjean creator
 - 3 Where Heyerdahl went to college
 - 4 Let pass
 - 5 Dapper Dan
 - 6 Decoys, for example
 - 7 Workplace law enforcer: Abbr.
 - 8 Pamplona pronoun
 - 9 Take over
 - 10 Rangoon's land
 - 11 Anwar Sadat, e.g.
 - 12 Chef's concern
 - 13 Calls upon
 - 21 Makes fuzzy
 - 22 Setter fetter
 - 25 About 1% of the atmosphere
 - 26 What holds carry
 - 27 Moguls
 - 28 Wrap of a sort
 - 29 Double Stuff snacks
 - 30 Marked down
 - 31 Jeopardy! sponsor
 - 32 Cash getter
 - 33 Pesky person
 - 35 Boom-box toggle
 - 36 Paparazzo subject
 - 38 Beyond short on
 - 39 Sound starter
 - 44 Bruce's butler
 - 45 Coatless cat breed
 - 46 One watt-second
 - 47 Tree on Lebanon's flag
 - 48 Blunder
 - 49 Dunham seen on HBO
 - 50 Where many learn 47 Across
 - 51 EPCOT shuttle
 - 52 Dance that tells a story
 - 53 County east of Sonoma
 - 54 When the Battle of Normandy began
 - 55 Oxford accessory
 - 56 Rescue team

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NCAA

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Dome in Atlanta

The Kirby Smart era begins for the Bulldogs. More importantly, the Nick Chubb era continues after last year's knee injury put it on hold ... GEORGIA 28-23.

UNDERCARD

No. 2 Clemson (minus 7 1/2) at Auburn

QB DeShaun Watson was last seen putting up 478 total yards against Alabama's defense. Auburn does not have Alabama's defense. ... CLEMSON 35-21, BEST BET.

No. 5 LSU (minus 10) vs. Wisconsin at Lambeau Field in Green Bay, Wisconsin

Badgers best bet to stop RB Leonard Fournette was defensive coordinator Dave Aranda, but he is with the Tigers now ... LSU 28-10.

No. 16 UCLA (plus 3) at Texas A&M

Pac-12-SEC matchup could feature the No. 1 pick in this year's NFL draft, Aggies DE Myles Garrett, and next year's, Bruins QB Josh Rosen ... UCLA 27-24, UPSET SPECIAL

EASY OPENERS

Bowling Green (plus 28) at No. 6 Ohio State Urban Meyer gets to ease in a bunch of new Buckeyes ... OHIO STATE 45-14.

Hawaii (plus 40) at No. 7 Michigan

Back-to-back road trips to Australia and Ann Arbor. The Rain-

bow Warriors might need a new travel agent ... MICHIGAN 48-7.

Rutgers (plus 26 1/2) at No. 14 Washington

The Huskies' hype machine is not likely to be interrupted by a visit from the rebuilding Scarlet Knights ... WASHINGTON 31-7.

Miami of Ohio (plus 27) at No. 17 Iowa

Kirk Ferentz begins his 18th season at Iowa, tied with Bob Stoops of Oklahoma as the longest tenured coach in major college football ... IOWA 45-10.

UMass (plus 35) at No. 25 Florida

The first of three SEC opponents for the Minutemen. Only SEC teams play more ... FLORIDA 56-13.

SUNDAY SHOWDOWN

No. 10 Notre Dame (minus 3) at Texas

The first of many referendum games for Longhorns coach Charlie Strong ... NOTRE DAME 24-20.

MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL

No. 4 Florida State (minus 4) vs. No. 11 Mississippi at Camping World Stadium in Orlando, Florida

Among running backs with at least 100 carries, the Seminoles' Dalvin Cook had the highest average per carry against Power Five opponents at 7.69 ... FLORIDA STATE 27-17.

TWITTER REQUESTS

BYU (plus 1) vs. Arizona at University of Phoenix Stadium in Glendale, Arizona — @

RustyHink

QB Taysom Hill, who was in the same recruiting class as former USC quarterback Matt Barkley, is starting again for the Cougars after two seasons lost to injuries ... ARIZONA 28-24.

Missouri (plus 10) at West Virginia — @watt11

It's been a few years since realignment, but this still qualifies as an odd SEC-Big 12 matchup ... WEST VIRGINIA 23-17.

Colorado (minus 7 1/2) vs. Colorado State at Sports Authority Field in Denver, Colorado — @MackinnonisGod

An often entertaining rivalry game ... COLORADO 30-24.

South Carolina (plus 4 1/2) at Vanderbilt — @BCrawford247

Will Muschamp's first season as Gamecocks coach is going to be a long one if it starts with a loss to Vandy ... SOUTH CAROLINA 15-12.

Western Michigan (plus 5) at Northwestern — @MatthewHLeach

Broncos were second in the nation in time of possession per game last season at 34:33 ... NORTHWESTERN 24-21.

Georgia Tech (minus 3) vs. Boston College at Aviva Stadium in Dublin, Ireland — @RustyHink

Two teams coming off awful seasons, open in Ireland hoping to change their (wait for it) luck ... GEORGIA TECH 24-17.

FIVE

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a tight competition with Tanner Mangum to win the starting job.

The Arizona game is the first in a string of high-level opponents for the independent BYU. Also on the schedule: Utah, UCLA, West Virginia, Toledo, Michigan State, Mississippi State, Boise State and Cincinnati. All of those teams played in bowl games last season. All but Cincinnati spent at least one week ranked.

Regardless of how well the Cougars do, a full season from Hill will be

a victory.

COACH IN NEED OF A WIN

It's never too early to start the hot seat watch.

Texas A&M's Kevin Sumlin and Auburn's Gus Malzahn enter the season with pressure to change the trajectory of their programs. Both start with huge home openers. The Aggies take on No. 16 UCLA and Auburn host No. 2 Clemson and Deshaun Watson.

Big challenges and great opportunities to show things are headed in the right direction. Also, a chance to start 0-1 in front of the home crowd.

For Auburn, a solid

showing against a team that pushed Alabama in the championship game could make a loss in the opener palatable to Malzahn's critics. That's not necessarily the case for Sumlin. UCLA has the ranking and the star quarterback in Josh Rosen, but the Aggies are favored at home by a couple points. It is a winnable game. The Aggies are 1-6 at Kyle Field against ranked teams under Sumlin. Fall to 1-7, with an always tough slate of SEC West games still ahead, and things almost immediately get uncomfortable in College Station, Texas.

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CHURCH

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The current session of the Pain Management Group meets Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. Contact Steve Purdy for more information.

Spring Creek continues taking donations for the new kitchen. If you would like to contribute or would like more information, please contact the church office or stop by Sunday morning.

The Mother's Day Out program is now in session on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. for children ages 6 weeks through 4 years. Contact Donna Sue Looney for more information.

Check out the Spring Creek smartphone app. With this app you can make tithes/donations, leave messages, send prayer requests, follow prayer chains and learn about upcoming events. There will also be a Bible reading plan, "Baby On Board" for new babies coming to our church family, and Vacation Bible School information.

Search your app store for Spring Creek Fellowship and download. Be sure to allow notifications; those messages are generated by the church office to keep you updated about upcoming events and much more.

Weekly Happenings:

Sunday-
8:15 a.m.-Classical Worship Service
9:15-10:15 a.m.-Sunday School/Connection Groups
10:15 a.m.-10:45 a.m.- "Holy Grounds Café" is open with snacks and fellowship.

10:45 a.m.-12 p.m.-Worship Service

Tuesday-

12 noon- Narcotics Anonymous

6:30 p.m.-Pain Management Group

Wednesday-

Community Groups-various times and places

Thursday

7 p.m.-"To Live is Christ, To Die is Gain" Men's Bible Study (begins July 28th)

Friday-

7-8 p.m.- Narcotics Anonymous

Saturday-

7:30 a.m.-Weekly Men's Prayer Breakfast & Fellowship

10 a.m.-"Sowing Seeds of Hope" Crafting fellowship

Spring Creek Fellowship meets at the Spring Town Plaza at 1801 E. FM 700. Contact the church at 432-714-4584 or visit the website at www.springcreekfellowship.org



Cornerstone Covenant Church

Cornerstone Covenant Church would like to invite you to worship with them this Sunday at 10:30 a.m. for a time of fellowship, praise and worship, and the Word of God.

Mid-week worship service is Wednesday at 7 p.m. Ladies will meet in the Main Sanctuary with First Lady Bella Willard, and the men will join Pastor Willard in the Academic Resource Center.

The church's "Receiving the Vision" course will take place this Sunday, as well as Sept. 11, 18, and 25 at 9 a.m.

The course connects attendees to CCC and explains the church's purpose, values, and vision.

Those in attendance will also be given the opportunity to become a member of CCC, and explore the many ways to get involved in ministry.

This course will be held in the A.R.C. To register contact Valerie at the church office.

Tuesday, the 50 & Over group will be gathering at 7 p.m. For location and more information please call the Cornerstone Covenant Church office.

Save the date Oct. 22 and 23 for CCC's 9th annual church anniversary weekend.

The church will celebrate with a banquet and special Sunday service.

CCC is located at 706

E. 12th Street. For office hours or other question about the ministry contact our Administrative Office at 432-264-0015.

You can also visit facebook.com/CCCBigSpring or at www.cccbigspring.org if you would like more information.

Forsan Baptist Church

This Sunday morning Quinton Burton will be the guest speaker. He will also lead the Sunday evening Bible study.

Wednesday children's and youth activities have resumed for the fall. Kids of ages pre-k to 6th grade will have a light afternoon snack at 3:30 p.m., followed by age-appropriate classes from 4 to 5.

Vans will then run to take those age groups home. Youth activities begin with a meal at 5:30, followed by IMPACT at 6.

The current Wednesday evening adult Bible study is the Book of Daniel.

Sunday evenings the group is currently examining the topic, "Does This Mean Me?" Each Sunday evening the class will dig deeper into the topic from Sunday morning's message.

Forsan Baptist Church is located at 201 Main in Forsan. Sunday services begin with Sunday School at 9:50 a.m., morning worship at 10:50 a.m., and evening Bible study at 6 p.m.

Rides for any children's or youth activities, or more information about church activities and ministries, are available by calling the church at 432-457-2342 or pastor Darren Weaver at 432-213-2348.

TINSLEY

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before his death at age 53. I always admired his example of honesty, generosity and hard work. He taught me something about Jesus, who chose to spend most of his adult life working in a simple carpenter's shop in Nazareth.

In our current economy, many are taking jobs that are not their first choice. Some who have trained and studied for years to launch a professional career are finding themselves in the position of accepting jobs that differ from their dreams. It is important that whatever job we find, that we give our best. The Bible says, "Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for men, since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ you are serving" (Colossians 3:23-24).

Alexis de Toqueville visited America in the 1830s in search of the secret that enabled the young democracy to succeed. At its root, he discovered what would come to be known as the American work ethic founded upon Christian faith. It was not, he observed, merely

hard work that made American Democracy successful. It was the other values along with it that made work meaningful: honesty, integrity and generosity.

Many Americans are discovering, after decades dominated by greed and materialism, that the value of labor is never truly measured in monetary return. The way we choose to invest the labor of our minds, our hands, our hearts and our energy will produce fulfillment when the object is not our own self gratification but the service of others.

Jesus said, "Whoever wishes to become great among you shall be your servant ... just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many" (Matthew 20:28). Paul exhorted us, "Make it your ambition to lead a quiet life and attend to your own business and work with your hands, just as we commanded you" (1 Thessalonians 4:11).

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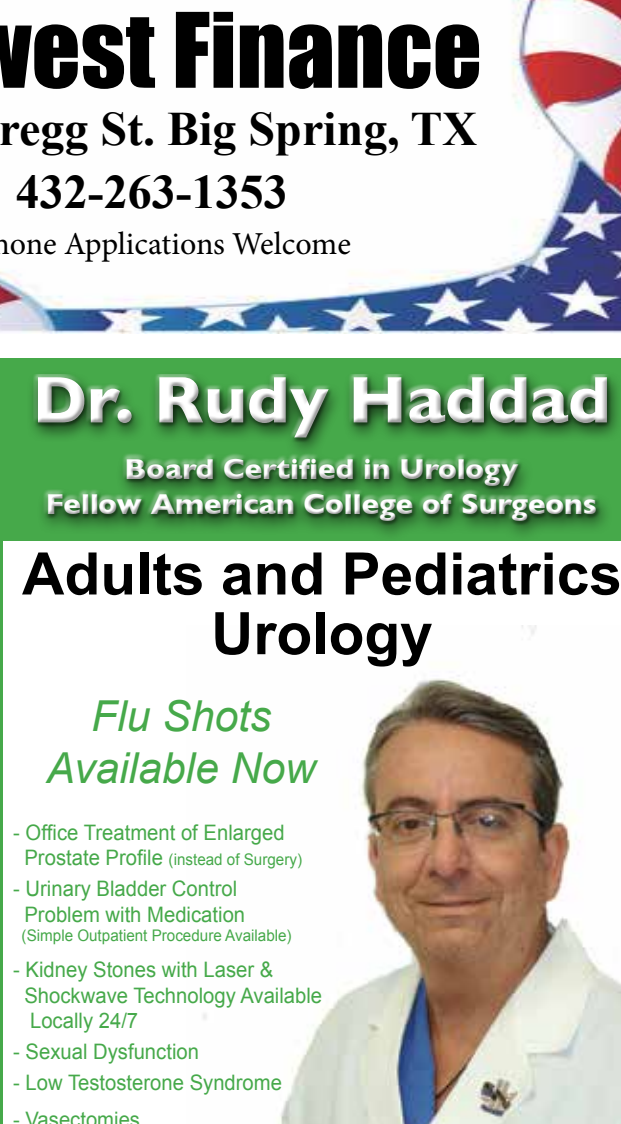
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