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DPS traffic stop leads to drug seizure in Mitchell County

Special to the Herald

An El Paso man celebrated his Fourth of July in jail after a traffic stop by a Texas Department of Public Safety trooper led to the confiscation of more than 100 pounds of marijuana.

At approximately 9:45 a.m. Tuesday, a DPS trooper stopped a white Chevrolet passenger car, traveling east on I-20 in Mitchell County for a traffic violation, according to a news release from the DPS.

"A search of the vehicle was conducted," the release stated. "During

the search, the trooper discovered several individually wrapped packages of marijuana inside a compartment located in the rear passenger area, worth approximately \$42,000."

The trooper found more than 100 pounds of marijuana which were allegedly being transported from El Paso to Dallas, the release stated.

The driver, Alvaro Valdez, 46, of El Paso, was arrested and charged with felony possession of marijuana, the release stated. He was transported and booked into the Mitchell County jail.

Courtesy photo

A traffic stop in Mitchell County yesterday morning around 9:45 a.m. led to a drug seizure of over 100 pounds of marijuana, worth approximately \$42,000. The driver was arrested and charged.



Pops lights up the park



Vocal Trash energized the crowd at the 2017 Pops in the Park concert held Monday, July 3, 2017. The group's high energy performance included a mixture of music genres while promoting the message of recycling.

By LYNDEL MOODY
 Staff Writer

Neither lightning, wind, nor threat of rain could stop the 2017 Pops in the Park patriotic celebration from going off with a big bang Monday night at the city amphitheater in Comanche Trail Park.

Signs of inclement weather showed up early Monday evening when gray clouds drifted in bringing flashes of lightning. As pre-show entertainers Vocal Trash started to wrap up their performance on stage at the amphitheater, drops of rain began to fall and the wind began to gust strongly.

However, Pops in the Park Chairwoman Emily McCann assured the crowd the stormy-looking weather was going to dissi-



Photo by Tony Claxton (www.claxtonphotography.com)
The fireworks were a big hit during the 20th Pops In The Park show on Monday, July 3, 2017.

pate and the Independence Day celebration and fireworks show would go on.

And it did. Thousands of people packed the park, filling it to capacity.

"We were concerned about the weather," McCann said. "Unfortunately the CAF (Commemorative Air Force) was not able to perform a flyover."

Strong winds also kept a skydiver from free falling over the audience while trailing an American flag before landing on the park's golf course.

"As soon as he was going to jump, the winds picked up, so next year we will look forward to the flyover and a skydiver," McCann said.

Although the rain quickly disappeared by the time the Big Spring Symphony took the stage at 8 p.m., strong wind gusts continued on for the next couple of hours.

"We were very worried

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Little Joe to play benefit concert in Big Spring

By ROGER CLINE
 Staff Writer

In April, Big Spring residents listened to the musical stylings of Little Joe y La Familia, as the popular Latin singer and his band joined the Big Spring Symphony Orchestra to pack the Municipal Auditorium. July 15, Little Joe and the gang are coming back to Big Spring – this time, to help raise money for a good cause.

"We know that Little Joe is extremely popular there in Big Spring," said Becky Justice, owner of the Coyote Store in Gail, which is organizing the concert.

"He's got a lot of hometown ties, we felt like that would be a great show. He was absolutely willing to work with us and come out and do that."

Justice said proceeds from the show will benefit Victim Services in Big Spring, a non-profit organization which provides support and advocacy for victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, and all other forms of violent crime.

"Everyone across the area, including friends in Big Spring, have been so good to us to support what we do

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Trump expresses frustration with China over NKorea support

By JOSH LEDERMAN and CATHERINE LUCEY
 Associated Press

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Donald Trump expressed frustration with China on Wednesday for failing to do more to cut off support to North Korea and exert pressure to curb its nuclear pursuits.

North Korea's intercontinental ballistic missile test this week demonstrated a dangerous new reach for weapons it hopes to top with nuclear warheads one day. The launch is spurring U.S. demands for global action to counter the threat.

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Obituaries

Evelyn Stallings Adkins



Evelyn Stallings Adkins, 92, of Stanton died Sunday, July 2, 2017, in a Midland hospital.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, July 6, 2017, at the First United Methodist Church in Stanton. Interment will follow at Evergreen Cemetery. The family will receive friends and family from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Wednesday, July 5, 2017, at Gilbreath Funeral Home in Stanton.

She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Stanton. Evelyn was the Proverbs 31 woman. She was born Aug. 28, 1924, in Lomax, Texas, which was named for her grandfather. She attended school in Lomax. In 1937, she met Lawrence Adkins while visiting her aunt at West Texas A&M. She graduated as the Stanton High School valedictorian in the class of 1940. She attended McMurray College for two years and went to Southern Methodist University for a year. She was about 30 hours shy of her accounting degree when she married Lawrence Adkins during World War 2. They

married April 10, 1943, in Yakima, Washington. He preceded her in death March 17, 2005. Lawrence was sent overseas with the 96th Infantry Division for 16 months. Evelyn went home to await the birth of their first son, Larry Adkins. After serving our country, they started farming in Lomax in 1946. They went on to have four other children: Bob, David, Mollie, and Dee Dee. Their lives centered around family, church, and community. She was involved in leading 4H, football, band, and F.F.A. She taught Sunday School, was the church pianist, and served on various committees at church.

Evelyn is survived by two sons, Robert L. Adkins and wife Deborah of Lubbock, and David M. Adkins of Odessa; two daughters, Mollie Madison and husband Jack of Stanton, and Dee Dee Colwell and husband Barry of Marysville, Wash.; daughter-in-law, Lila Adkins; 11 grandchildren; 17 great grandchildren; two brothers, Jimmy Stallings of Stanton, and Louis Stallings and wife, Luan of Big Spring.

In addition to her husband, she is preceded in death by her parents; and a son, Larry Adkins.

Arrangements are under the direction of Gilbreath Funeral Home. Online condolences may be made at www.npwelch.com.

Paid obituary

Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **RAFAEL JESUS HERNANDEZ JR.**, 19, of 1404 Lexington Ave. was arrested on charges of unlawfully carrying a weapon, possession of a controlled substance (1 to 4 grams), and possession of marijuana (less than 2

oz.).

- **ANDRES NIETO SOLIS**, 22, of 1404 Lexington Ave. was arrested on charges of possession of a controlled substance (1 to 4 grams) and possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.).

- **LYDIA MARIE HERNANDEZ**, 23, of 1501 Lincoln St. Apt. A was arrested on charges of pos-

session of a controlled substance (1 to 4 grams) and possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.).

- **JOSE ANTONIO NIETO**, 36, of 610 E. 15th St. was arrested on a charge of criminal trespassing.

- **DISTURBANCE** was reported at the intersection of Centerpoint Road and County Road 35.

Sheriff

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

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

- **BRYCE TAVIN GARZA**, 18, was booked by HCSO on warrants for failure to maintain financial responsibility, no driver's license, and violation of promise to appear.

- **LYDIA MARIE HERNANDEZ**, 23, was booked by BSPD on charges of possession of a controlled substance (1 to 4 grams) and possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.).

- **RAFAEL JESUS HERNANDEZ JR.**, 19, was booked by

BSPD on charges of unlawfully carrying a weapon, possession of a controlled substance (1 to 4 grams), and possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.).

- **ALLEN TRISTAN JACKSON**, 33, was booked by BSPD on a warrant for dogs prohibited from running at large.

- **JOSE ALFREDO MELENDEZ**, 34, was booked by BSPD on a charge of driving with an invalid license with a previous conviction or suspension.

- **JOSE ANTHONY NIETO**, 36, was booked by BSPD on a charge of criminal trespassing.

- **ANDRES NIETO SOLIS**, 22, was booked by BSPD on charges of possession of a controlled substance (1 to 4 grams) and posses-

sion of marijuana (less than 2 oz.).

- **BENJAMIN ISAAC WHERRY**, 23, was booked by DPS on a charge of possession of a controlled substance (4 to 400 grams).

- **JODY LEE WHITESIDES**, 49, was booked by HCSO on warrants for driving with an invalid license, failure to maintain financial responsibility, expired registration, and driving while intoxicated (third or more).

- **TORON EUGENE WILLIAMS**, 28, was booked by DPS on charges of money laundering (\$2,500 to \$30,000), possession of a controlled substance (1 to 4 grams), and possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.).

Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1300 block of Stanford. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported on Golf Course Road. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 300 block of Veterans Boulevard. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1400 block of Mesquite. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 600 block of George Street. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1900 block of Runnels. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was report-

ed in the 2300 block of Wasson Road. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3200 block of Parkway. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1100 block of 12th Street. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1100 block of East 12th Street.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 200 block of Texas Road. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1700 block of North FM 350. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 4300 block of North FM 820. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was report-

ed in the 1800 block of Wallace. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1800 block of North Highway 87. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3200 block of Parkway. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1700 block of Purdue. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **BUILDING FIRE** was reported in the 3200 block of Parkway.
- **ELECTRICAL WIRING/EQUIPMENT PROBLEM** was reported in the 100 block of North Johnson.

- **VEHICLE FIRE** was reported in the 400 block of South Gregg Street.

- **GRASS/BRUSH FIRE** was reported on North First Street.

- **OUTSIDE EQUIPMENT FIRE** was reported in the 600 block of Linda.

Take Note

- "Getting Back to School Ready" will be presented – at Scenic Mountain Medical Center - by Dr. Joseph Chavez for the next Lunch 'n' Learn, July 13 at 11:30 a.m.

The presentation is free to attend and will focus on immunizations and getting kids ready to go back to school.

To RSVP, call 432-268-4699.

- Maranatha Baptist Academy has open enrollment for the 2017-2018 school year; the enrollment is underway and lasts through July 13, 2017.

Office hours are 8 to 10:30 a.m. Come in and pre-register for the new year. The Academy uses the Accelerated Christian Education curriculum, and is open to age four years through high school.

Please contact Dr. Lillian Bohannon at 432-213-1046 for an appointment.

- Big Spring's Centennial Lions Club is holding a drive to collect books for the Salvation Army Boys and Girls Club. Books for kids in kindergarten through about 10th grade will be accepted, with special preference for books for younger children in kindergarten through third grade. Cash donations to allow the Lions to purchase additional books are also appreciated. Books or donations can be taken to the Salvation Army, 811 W. Fifth St., or to the home of Lions member Ken Lawhon at 1707 E. 15th St. For more information, contact Lawhon at 214-998-9716 or Lions member David Stives at 432-270-2251.

Scottie Welch

Scottie Welch, 41, of Colorado City died Saturday, July 1, 2017, at his residence.

Funeral services will be 11 a.m. Thursday, July 6, 2017, at the Nalley-Pickle and Welch Rosewood Chapel in Big Spring. The family will receive friends from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., Wednesday, July 5, 2017, at the funeral home.

Scottie was born March 6, 1976, in Big Spring, and married Holli Burns Jan. 3, 1998, in Stanton.

Scottie graduated from Grady High School and attended Cisco Junior College. He graduated from the West Central Texas Law Enforcement Academy in Abilene. He worked as a peace officer for the Scurry County Adult Probation Office, as a Deputy Sheriff for Mitchell County, and as an officer for the Big Spring Police Department. For the last 10 years, Scottie has worked for Endeavor Energy Resources, and was currently a production superintendent.

He was a member of the Lenora Baptist Church, and had served on the Grady ISD School Board. Scottie was an avid hunter.

Survivors include his wife, Holli Welch of Colorado City; two sons, Peyton Welch and Jackson Welch both of Colorado City; his mother, Charlotte Welch of Tarzan; the father-in-law and mother-in-law, Dale and Linda Burns of Midland; a sister, Terri Killinen of Tarzan; a sister-in-law, Hailey Hurst and husband C.J. of Schulenburg; two nieces, Bethany Killinen and June Hurst; and a nephew, Ryan Hurst.

He was preceded in death by his father, Jerry Welch; a brother, L.V. Welch II; a brother-in-law, Charles Killinen; and a nephew, Andrew Hurst.

The family suggests memorials to the Multiple Sclerosis Society at www.nationalmssociety.org/donate.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home and Crematory in Big Spring. Online condolences can be made at www.npwelch.com.

Paid obituary

Wayne Bartlett

Wayne Bartlett, 86, of Big Spring died Tuesday, July 4, 2017, at his home. Memorial services are pending for Friday, July 7, 2017, and are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home and Crematory.

Support Groups

WEDNESDAY

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

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

THURSDAY

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

- **Weight Watchers** meets at 6 p.m. at St. Paul Lutheran Church. Weigh-in is at 5:30 p.m. Weigh-in is confidential and you don't have to talk if you don't want to. Flexible payment options.

- **A Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder support group** meeting is at 6:30 p.m. at the VA Medical Center Veteran's Healing Center.

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

- **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.

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TRUMP

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Since he entered the White House, Trump has talked about confronting Pyongyang and pushing China to increase pressure on the North, but neither strategy has produced fast results. Trump had expressed optimism after his first meeting with China's President Xi Jinping that the two would work together to curb North Korea's nuclear program.

Moments before he departed for Poland, Trump chastised China on Twitter.

"Trade between China and North Korea grew almost 40% in the first quarter," the president tweeted. "So much for China working with us - but we had to give it a try!"

In his initial response to the launch on Monday evening, Trump urged China on Twitter to "put a heavy move on North Korea and end this nonsense once and for all!" But he also said it was "hard to believe" that South Korea and Japan, the two U.S. treaty allies most at risk from North Korea, would "put up with this much longer."

North Korea conducts about 90 percent of its trade through China. China has long resisted intensifying economic pressure on neighboring North Korea, in part out of fear of the instability that could mount on its doorstep, and Trump has not found a way to break through Beijing's old habits.

Trump spoke with Xi and Japanese Prime Minister Shinzo Abe on Monday, discussing North Korea and its nuclear program with both leaders. He will meet them both this week at the Group of 20 meeting in Germany, as well as have his first meeting with Russian President Vladimir Putin.

U.S. officials joined South Korea and Japan in requesting an emergency meeting of the U.N. Security Council, scheduled Wednesday afternoon.

Previously, North Korea had demonstrated missiles of short and medium range.

In a show of force directly responding to North Korea's provocation, U.S. and South Korean soldiers fired "deep strike" precision missiles into South Korean territorial waters on Tuesday, U.S.

military officials in Seoul said. The missile firings demonstrated U.S.-South Korean solidarity, the U.S. Eighth Army said in a statement.

Secretary of State Rex Tillerson vowed "stronger measures to hold the DPRK accountable," using an acronym for the isolated nation's formal name, and said: "Global action is required to stop a global threat." Any country helping North Korea militarily or economically, taking in its guest workers or falling short on Security Council resolutions, he said, "is aiding and abetting a dangerous regime."

Tillerson's statement, issued Tuesday evening as most Americans were celebrating the Fourth of July holiday, notably did not mention China, whose help the Trump administration has been aggressively seeking to press Pyongyang over its nuclear weapons program.

In recent days, as the North has continued to test missiles in defiance of global pressure, President Donald Trump has started voicing doubt that Beijing is up to the task. His administration has taken a number of steps

against China's interests that have suggested its patience has run short.

Tillerson's comments were the first public confirmation by the United States that the missile was indeed an ICBM, constituting a major technological advancement for the North and its most successful missile test yet.

The prime danger from the U.S. viewpoint is the prospect of North Korea pairing a nuclear warhead with an ICBM. The latest US intelligence assessment is that the North probably does not yet have that capability — putting a small-enough nuclear warhead atop an ICBM.

Initial U.S. military assessments had been that it was an intermediate-range missile. NORAD, or the North American Aerospace Defense Command, said the missile did not pose a threat to North America.

The launch was not wholly unexpected. Daniel Coats, director of national intelligence, testified to Congress in May that the U.S. anticipated an ICBM test before the end of this year.

The Pentagon has spent tens of billions of dollars de-

veloping a missile defense system tailored to the North Korean ambition of attaining the eventual capability to attack the U.S. with a nuclear-armed missile. On May 30 the Pentagon successfully shot down a mock warhead designed to replicate the North Korean threat.

Pentagon spokeswoman Dana W. White said the U.S.-South Korea missile exercise Tuesday was meant to show "our precision fire capability."

"We remain prepared to defend ourselves and our allies and to use the full range of capabilities at our disposal against the growing threat from North Korea," she said in a statement. "The United States seeks only the peaceful denuclearization of the Korean Peninsula. Our commitment to the defense of our allies, the Republic of Korea and Japan, in the face of these threats, remains ironclad."

Patrick Cronin, an Asia expert with the Center for a New American Security, said Trump was probably "coming to the point of no return" with North Korea, adding that the upshot could be diplomatic overtures or military action.

JOE

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here at the store, and so we made a point to do a quarterly charity benefit with the shows that we've been doing here at the Coyote Store," Justice said. "We designate one for a special cause. The one that we chose this time was Victim's Services, because they serve Borden County and five other counties, so we're included in that. They don't operate on state or federal funding; they solely rely on private donations from us, the public. That right there prompted us to decide that this would be a good place for money from a good show to go."

The performer was immediately on board with the benefit concert, Justice said.

"Little Joe loves Big Spring, of course, and when he saw it was an opportunity to help women and children who are from abusive relationships — or anybody who finds themselves in an abusive situation, Victim's Services are there to help them — when he found out that is what this is going to benefit, he knew he wanted to be on that ticket," she said. "We're very pleased to have him."

The concert, which will take start at 6 p.m. at the newly renovated Howard County Fair Barn, also features a couple of other acts.

"Big Spring's own A.C. and the Heaters will be there, along with the Monty Dawson Band, which is a band which has dedicated a lot of years to helping the public with their playing, and they have quite a big following as well," Justice said. "We'll have A.C. and the Heaters come on, they'll play for an hour, and then the Monty Dawson Band will play for an hour. We're going to look at 30 minute transition times."

Established in 1985, the Coyote Store cafe and local grocery store has served Borden County and the surrounding communities for more than 30 years.

Tickets for the show are \$20 in advance or \$25 at the door. The event is "B.Y.O.B.," but no glass containers will be allowed. For tickets, call 432-816-4122 or 432-816-2718, or visit the Big Spring Convention and Visitors Bureau at 113 E. Third St. or the United Way of Big Spring and Howard County at 215 W. Third St.

Contact Staff Writer Roger Cline at 432-263-7331 ext. 232, or by email at lif@bigspringherald.com.

POPS

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(about the weather) up until right at 8 p.m.," said Dr. Keith Graumann, conductor and musical director of the Big Spring Symphony. "We were not sure if it would rain us out and then the wind particularly got bad for us."

"The rain was never a problem but the wind, as many in the audience could see, was terrible," Graumann continued. "My music was blowing all over. I just tried to hold it down with one hand as well as I could. At one point half our strings were playing and the other half was holding the music stands."

Yet, the audience waited out the weather with thousands streaming to the park to enjoy the fireworks and music. Around 8 p.m., a busload of spectators who made the trip from Dallas filed into the Amphitheater, brought to West Texas by nationally known chef Stephen Pyles. Pyles is a Big Spring native who was celebrating his birthday that night.

"The turnout has been phenomenal," McCann said. "After the rain cleared out and the symphony started, the crowd really increased, and we were happy with that. It was one of the biggest crowds we've had."

Vocal Trash kicked off the evening, providing a high energy performance of a mixture of musical genres while promoting the message to recycle. After group's performance, Howard County Judge Kathryn Wiseman helped to start the main entertainment for the evening by giving the invocation.

The Big Spring Symphony and Chorus then provided patriotic music as the Howard County

Honor Guard brought the colors onstage. U.S. Veterans, Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, along with the Young Marines paraded down from the top of the Amphitheater to the stage area carrying military service flags or U.S. flags.

U.S. Congressman Jodey Arrington, who attended the event with his family, led the crowd in the Pledge of Allegiance.

This year, the orchestra and chorus played a mixture of patriotic, Broadway, and film music during the first half of the program. After the intermission in which a video tribute to veterans was shown, the orchestra retook the stage to provide music for the main event, a large fireworks display.

Pops in the Park is a yearly production funded through major contributors such as the Dora Roberts Foundation and SM Energy, as well as community donations. The volunteer committee members meet throughout the year to prepare for the event.

"I like to say if every person who entered the park gave us one dollar that would pay for the fireworks, so anything helps," McCann said.

To donate to the Pops in the Park, call the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce at 263-7641.

"Overall I would call this a success and look forward to next year being bigger and better," McCann said.

Contact Staff Writer Lyndel Moody at 263-7331, ext. 234, or email citydesk@bigspringherald.com.

Volvo is first major carmaker to forgo traditional engines

By MATTI HUUHTANEN

Associated Press

HELSINKI (AP) — Volvo will begin producing electric motors on all its cars from 2019, becoming the first major automaker to forgo traditional engines that rely exclusively on internal combustion. The Swedish company, which has been making cars since 1927 and in recent decades became famous for its station wagons and safety features, said Wednesday that the decision was prompted by the wishes of customers, describing it as "one of the most significant moves by any car maker."

CEO Hakan Samuelsson said the shift to electric motors would "strengthen our brand image, which is a lot about protecting what is important for you (customers)." Volvo Cars said it aims to reach its target of selling 1 million electrified cars by 2025, with a range of models, including fully electric vehicles and hybrid cars. "This announcement marks the end of the solely combustion engine-powered car," Samuelsson said. "People increasingly

demand electrified cars and we want to respond to our customers' current and future needs."

Volvo said its long range models could travel 500 kilometers (310 miles) on a single charge using current technology, but it is looking for suppliers for new and better batteries.

"We are looking at more suppliers in the market today and that will be a key part of being competitive going forward — to always stick with the most successful and innovative supplier" at the time, said Henrik Green, senior vice president in research and development. Samuelsson, who acknowledged that the company had been skeptical about electrification only two years ago, said things had changed. "Things have moved faster; customer demand is increasing. This is an attractive car people want to have," he said.

He also saw Volvo's announcement as "an invitation to anybody that's interested in investing in battery manufacturing ... and of course also to anybody interested in investing in charging infrastruc-

ture."

"I think that's good, they can now count on Volvo as customers," Samuelsson said. "We need new players, we need more competition."

Volvo, which since 2010 has been owned by Chinese firm Geely, will launch five fully electric cars between 2019 and 2021. Three of them will be Volvo models and two will be electrified cars from Polestar, Volvo Cars' performance car arm.

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Roger's Retro Reviews: *E.T.*



About a year ago, the series "Stranger Things" came out on Netflix. Certain elements in "Stranger Things" – a kitchen-table D&D game, kids riding bikes all around the neighborhood, a character with telekinesis, etc. – strongly evoked a sense of nostalgia in me for a certain '80s film that I had to watch it. This week, I watched it again for the Retro Review: "E.T.: The Extra-Terrestrial."

As "E.T." opens, a group of strange creatures with glowing orange hearts are exploring a dark forest around a fantastic-looking spaceship. One of these aliens wanders away from the main group to peek at the nearby town, and is surprised by a group of government alien hunters. They give chase with flashlights and trucks, and the other aliens quickly close up shop and lift off, stranding the lone extraterrestrial to fend for himself.

Meanwhile, in a nearby neighborhood, young Elliott (Henry Thomas) is trying to wrangle his way into a D&D game with his older brother Michael (Robert MacNaughton) and Michael's friends Greg



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introduce Michael to it. They decide to keep it secret from their mother. The creature exhibits some extraordinary abilities by rejuvenating a dying flower in a flowerpot, and levitating lumps of clay to imitate planets whirling in orbit.

Elliott heads to school the next day, where apparently the assignment is to dissect a live frog (this always puzzled me; I never dissected a live frog, and only got my hands on a dead one in high school biology, a good bit older than Elliott). Meanwhile, the alien is home alone, and begins exploring. He discovers the refrigerator, where he tries (and dislikes) some potato salad. He then discovers beer. As he consumes several beers, it becomes clear that he has some sort of psychic connection with Elliott, who begins acting intoxicated himself. He suddenly equates the frogs being anesthetized in their jars with his new alien friend, and goes on a rampage, freeing as many frogs as he can. Other kids begin freeing their own frogs, and soon chaos ensues. As the alien watches John Wayne kiss Maureen O'Hara in "The Quiet Man" on T.V., Elliott, acting out the scene, plants a smooch on his dream girl (Erika Eleniak, pre-"Baywatch"), and is sent to the principal's office.

When Gertie returns home (earlier than the boys, I guess because she's younger,



(K.C. Martel), Steve (Sean Frye), and Tyler (C. Thomas Howell). They send him out to wait for the pizza man. On his way back to the house with the pizza, Elliott hears strange sounds coming from the backyard storage shed. Thinking it might be the family dog Harvey, he tosses a ball into the shed. Something within the shed tosses the ball back out, scaring Elliott. He drops the pizza and runs into the house, raving about some kind of creature in the shed. The family, including mom Mary (Dee Wallace) and younger sister Gertie (a very young Drew Barrymore), head out to investigate. They find an empty shed and the discarded pizza, leading Michael and his friends to mock Elliott's overactive imagination.

Elliott sneaks back out after everyone has gone to sleep to search for the shed-dweller, and discovers the lone extraterrestrial, who he mistakes for a goblin. The creature flees.

The next day, Elliott goes out hunting for the "goblin" on his bike. He tosses some Reese's Pieces around, trying to lure the creature out, and he discovers a weird guy also exploring the woods, searching for something.

That night at dinner, we learn that Elliott's parents have recently separated, and his dad is, according to Elliott, cavorting in Mexico with his girlfriend. This mention deeply saddens Mary. That night, Elliott heads to the back yard to wait for the "goblin," but falls asleep. He wakes to spot the creature standing near the shed. Remaining still (frozen in fear), he watches as it approaches and returns a small pile of Reese's Pieces to Elliott, who realizes it's not dangerous. Elliott lures it indoors to his room using the Pieces, and realizes that is mimicking his actions in an attempt to communicate.

The next day, Elliott feigns illness to stay home and play with the alien. He shows it his toys and pet fish, and feeds it. When they return home, first Gertie discovers the creature, and then they in-

maybe on half-days?) she begins watching "Sesame Street," from which the alien learns English (he's voiced by Pat Welsh). The alien also finds a "Buck Rogers" comic strip in which Buck builds a communications device with a parabolic dish, and gets the idea to "phone home" to his people.

When Elliott and Michael return home and learn that the alien can now talk, they name him E.T., short for "extra-terrestrial," and learn about the plan to "phone home."

I'll stop the narrative there, but the kids and E.T. have to deal with a strange illness that affects the alien and Elliott, and the nosy government agents. Look for Peter Coyote as the head agent, distinguishable by his jangling keys.

"E.T." is a high-octane dose of nostalgia for me, coming out in the middle of my teenage years. It encapsulates a lot of the flavor of the '80s that I lived through. The whole "looking at Earth through alien eyes" meme is well-trodden (e.g. previously Retro-Reviewed "The Day the Earth Stood Still") but effective fare.

There are a couple of things that don't quite hold up – the story line of Mary and her estranged husband feels dated. The kids' D&D game doesn't quite use real D&D language but rather an outsider's concept of how D&D should be. The whole glowing heart light thing is a little bit...sugary. But then it always has been.

Overall, "E.T." is a great movie about childlike acceptance of other cultures; about looking beyond appearances to see the true value in others; and about the power of friendship. Eight and a half stars out of 10.

E.T. the Extraterrestrial
Director: Steven Spielberg
Writer: Melissa Mathison
Production company: Universal Pictures
PG; 1 hr. 55 min.; Family/Sci-Fi;
June 11, 1982

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This week I will finish up the western books. "Fighting Man" by Wayne D. Overholser (LP W OVE W) is a Western Duo. "Hate in His Holster" is the story of Dave Lanning, an orphan rescued by Bert Haney, ramrod of the YT ranch. Haney is old and ailing, and the YT is beset by problems, most of them spearheaded by Justin Tucker, who has been gathering homesteaders with the intention of moving onto YT range. Lanning is determined to protect the YT from incursion, but is taken aback when



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the new owner arrives, a woman who does not understand why the ranch hasn't been making the kind of profit it used to make and is determined to make some changes. In "Fighting Man," Tully Bain returns after a three-year absence to assume his half ownership in Broken Bell ranch. He hopes this time to renew his courtship of Beth Carradine. Bain finds that much has changed. Sheriff Bob Hoven has been beaten up and lives in hiding. Rocky and Pete Knapp of the Box K are making trouble for other ranchers, and there have been five murders. Judge Carradine, Beth's father, holds mortgages on a number of ranches, including Broken Bell, and intends to foreclose. The change that means the most to Tully is that now Beth wants to marry him, in spite of her father's intention that she should marry Pete Knapp of the Box K.

"The Teton Bunch" by Les Savage, Jr. (LP W SAV L) is a Circle V Western Trio. In "Town of Twenty Triggers," Joker, a man with an amazing ability to make a deck of cards perform any trick he desired, and his traveling

companion Emmet Pierce, arrive determined to take the small ranching town over. After winning ownership of The Palace, a gambling hall in town, the Joker has Pierce hire gunslingers to enforce his hold on the town. Things are going according to the Joker's fiendish plans until Emmet Pierce discovers a conscience.

In "Where Hell's Coyotes Howl," the Pacific Railroad wants to build their spur line from Santa Fe to Tucson through Apache Gap. Laramie Drake, owner of the Double Deuces Ranch, saves Midge Lawrence from her abusive guardian and takes on the job of keeping her safe, a situation complicated when Midge becomes the focus of all the factions because they believe she owns the deed to Apache Gap.

"The Teton Bunch" tells the story of a daring robbery in 1882 where Gordon Hammer was captured, but the gold was never found. Having served his time, Hammer is now a small rancher. Everyone believes Hammer has the money hidden, and matters get worse when former gang members show up looking for their share.

That's all the western books this week. Hope you were able to enjoy the fourth of July holiday. In honor of Independence Day, I leave you with a few quotes: "Freedom is never voluntarily given by the oppressor; it must be demanded by the oppressed." Martin Luther King, Jr.

"We must be free not because we claim freedom, but because we practice it." William Faulkner

"When we lose the right to be different, we lose the privilege to be free." Charles Evans Hughes

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Midland man charged in death of 5-month-old

MIDLAND, Texas (AP) — Authorities say a 28-year-old Midland man has been charged with capital murder in the death of a 5-month-old baby.

Midland police say Timothy Allen Penn was charged with capital murder Monday after the baby died Sunday. The baby had been hospitalized since June 21.

Police have said Penn was arrested June 22 after telling of officers he struck

the child multiple times. At that time, he was charged with injury to a child with intent to cause serious injury. He remained in Midland County jail Tuesday. Bond on the injury to a child charge was set at \$250,000. Bond hadn't been set yet for the capital murder charge.

A message could not be left at a number listed for his attorney.

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Dallas police seek suspects after man killed, pickup stolen

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas police say an 18-year-old man was fatally shot as two men stole his pickup at an apartment complex.

Police said Wednesday that they are still searching for the suspects following the shooting early Tuesday morning of Oziel Garcia.

Garcia's brother, 19-year-old Isaar Garcia, said he heard the gunshot that killed his younger brother outside their home.

He said he found his brother in the apartment complex's breezeway, suffering from a gunshot wound to the neck. He said his brother was coming home after going to watch a Fourth of July fireworks celebration in nearby Addison.

Isaar Garcia says his brother was always there for him. He says, "I feel heartbroken."

Officer wounded in shootout released from hospital

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — San Antonio police say an officer involved in a shootout with a suspect that left his partner dead has been released from the hospital.

The San Antonio Express-News (<http://bit.ly/2so6NX8>) reports Officer Julio Cavazos was released Tuesday, five days after he was shot while investigating a reported vehicle break-in. His partner, Officer Miguel Moreno, was killed and the gunman died of a self-inflicted gunshot wound.

Police spokesman Sgt. Jesse Salame says Cavazos and his family thank everyone for their "support during this difficult time." Police officials previously said that Cavazos faces a long recovery.

Army band at Fort Sam Houston to be deactivated in 2018

Eds: APNewsNow. With AP Photos. Links photos. SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A historic Texas military band is preparing to play its final note.

The 323rd Army Band at Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio is one of four bands nationwide being deactivated next year. The band called Fort Sam's Own performs roughly 350 times a year at military funerals, command changes and parades.

The San Antonio Express-News reports the band will continue to play for months, but the 30-year-old unit will end its tour with San Antonio's Fiesta festival in April 2018. The unit's 54 members will then be scattered to army posts across the country.

Army bands have decreased from 99 to 91 in recent years amid cost cutting.

Fort Sam's Own is the last in a continuous line of Fort Sam bands stretching back to the 1890s.

Texas man wins Florida key lime pie-eating contest

KEY WEST, Fla. (AP) — An attorney from Texas won a Key lime pie-eating contest in the Florida Keys.

Trey Bergman of Houston devoured a 9-inch pie smothered with whipped cream in 51.92 seconds during Tuesday's Mile-High Key Lime Pie Eatin' Contest in Key West. The rules prohibit contestants from using their hands.

Bergman wore a yellow bathing cap, saying it helped him cut through the whipped cream and pie to get to the crust faster.

Grand Prairie police chief doesn't want top spot in Dallas

DALLAS (AP) — The Grand Prairie police chief who was among the finalists for the police chief job in neighboring Dallas has withdrawn himself from consideration, saying he wants to stay at his current job.

Chief Steve Dye said in a statement Monday that while he was confident he'd be a "great fit" in Dallas, he would no longer pursue the job there because of his "deep devotion" to Grand Prairie and its police department. He said he felt the decision was in his family's best interest.

Dye's decision means there are now seven finalists for the Dallas job, including three candidates from within the Dallas police department. The other four finalists are from Detroit, Seattle, Los Angeles and a county just outside Washington, D.C.

David Brown retired as Dallas chief in October.

State Police: Texas couple's deaths were murder-suicide

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — New Mexico authorities have concluded that a Texas married couple found fatally shot in a pickup parked along Interstate 40 west of Albuquerque died from a murder-suicide.

A New Mexico State Police statement did not specify which of 31-year-old Jacob Kokotkiewicz and 32-year-old Ursula Tammy Kokotkiewicz killed the other Thursday, but the statement said Jacob Kokotkiewicz was found with a handgun between his legs.

The statement said there was no evidence that anybody else was involved and that investigators will check electronic devices found in the vehicle as they try to determine a motive.

Texas House speaker didn't want suicide over 'bathroom bill'



AP photo

In this April 19, 2017, file photo, Texas Speaker of the House Joe Straus, R-San Antonio, talks with fellow lawmakers on the House floor at the Texas Capitol in Austin. Straus says he doesn't want a "suicide" on his hands over a so-called bathroom bill that Gov. Greg Abbott is ordering lawmakers to revive later this month. LGBT rights groups say efforts to restrict which bathrooms transgender people can use are discriminatory and could elevate the risk of suicides. Backers of the bill say privacy protections are needed.

By PAUL J. WEBER

Associated Press AUSTIN, Texas (AP)

— The driving force in Texas behind a "bathroom bill" pushed back Monday after the Republican House speaker was quoted as saying he didn't want a "suicide" on his hands over efforts to restrict which restrooms transgender people can use.

LGBT rights groups and other opponents, meanwhile, praised House Speaker Joe Straus over comments published in The New Yorker that signaled a moral opposition to a "bathroom bill" alongside his repeated condemnation of the measure as bad for the Texas economy.

In the story published Monday, author Lawrence Wright wrote that Straus told him about a senator coming to his office with a proposed compromise just before the bill collapsed in May.

"I'm not a lawyer, but I am a Texan," said Straus, according to the magazine. "I'm disgusted by all this. Tell

the lieutenant governor I don't want the suicide of a single Texan on my hands."

Aides to Straus did not return emails Monday.

The comment appeared to echo concerns raised by LGBT rights groups that efforts to restrict which bathrooms transgender people can use further marginalize a group of people who at least one recent survey has shown attempt suicide at a higher-than-average rate.

Republican Lt Gov. Dan Patrick has spearheaded the push for a North Carolina-style "bathroom bill" in Texas, and a spokeswoman said Monday he did not send any senators to Straus' office. She said the bill has never been about discrimination and that if Straus' comments were accurate, it would be "the latest of his reasons" for opposing the bill.

"The Lt. Governor hopes the Speaker did not make these comments. Obviously no one wants to see harm to anyone as a result of any legislation that is

passed," Patrick spokeswoman Sherry Sylvester said in an email to The Associated Press.

Straus is the powerful leader of the GOP-controlled House and for months has gone against Abbott and Patrick — as well as most Texas Republican lawmakers — in his public rejection of efforts to impose bathroom restrictions on transgender people. Patrick has blamed Straus for sinking the measure and forcing a special legislative session that will begin July 18.

In December, the largest survey of transgender Americans painted a grim picture of pervasive discrimination and harassment, finding that 40 percent of respondents said they had attempted suicide at some point. The survey by the National Center for Transgender Equality assessed input received in 2015 from 27, 715 respondents in all 50 states. Researchers have estimated that the overall attempted suicide rate in the U.S. is less than 5 percent.

Leaders of Equality

Texas, an LGBT rights group, and Texas Competes, which says it has gathered signed opposition from more than 1,000 companies including Amazon and American Airlines, said they were glad to see a leading Republican share concerns that opponents have voiced for months.

"I'm pleased to see he said that. It's true that literally people's lives are at stake here," said Chuck Smith, executive director of Equality Texas.

Abbott made what he calls "privacy protection legislation" part of a lengthy special legislative session agenda. He said last week that Texas needs bathroom regulations for "protecting the privacy of women and children" to avoid what he described as a patchwork of conflicting regulations across the state.

Some of Texas' biggest cities, including Dallas and Austin, have anti-discrimination ordinances that extend protections to transgender people in public spaces.

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DC appeals court orders EPA to move ahead with methane rule

By MICHAEL
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Associated Press

WASHINGTON (AP) — A federal appeals court in Washington ruled Monday that the head of the Environmental Protection Agency overstepped his authority in trying to delay implementation of an Obama administration rule requiring oil and gas companies to monitor and reduce methane leaks.

In a split decision, the three-judge panel from the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit ordered the EPA to move forward with the new requirement that aims to reduce planet-warming emissions from oil and gas operations.

EPA Administrator Scott Pruitt announced in April that he would delay by 90 days the deadline for oil and gas companies to follow the new rule, so that the agency could reconsider the measure. The American Petroleum Institute, the Texas Oil and Gas Association and other industry groups had petitioned Pruitt to scrap the requirement, which had been set to take effect in June.

Last month, Pruitt announced he intended to extend the 90-day stay for two years. A coalition of six environmental groups opposed the delay in court, urging the appeals judges to block

Pruitt's decision.

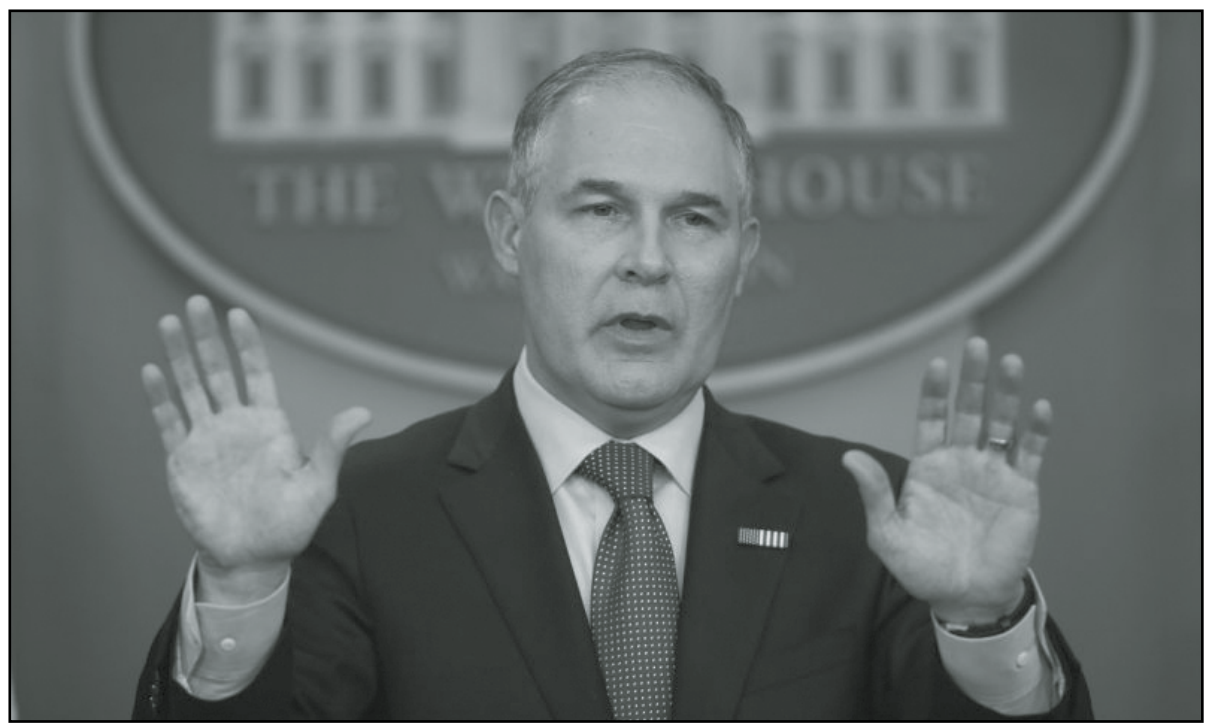
In a detailed 31-page ruling, the court disagreed with Pruitt's contention that industry groups had not had sufficient opportunity to comment before the 2016 rule was enacted. The judges also said Pruitt lacked the legal authority to delay the rule from taking effect.

"This ruling declares EPA's action illegal — and slams the brakes on Trump Administration's brazen efforts to put the interests of corporate polluters ahead of protecting the public and the environment," said David Doniger, director of climate and clean air program for the Natural Resources Defense Council.

EPA spokeswoman Amy Graham said the agency was reviewing the court's opinion and examining its options. The EPA could seek to appeal the matter to the Supreme Court.

Natural gas is largely made up of methane, a potent greenhouse gas that traps dozens of times more heat in the planet's atmosphere than the same amount of carbon dioxide. Environmental groups contend that actual methane emissions from leaks and intentional venting at fossil-fuel operations are many times greater than what is now publicly reported.

Oil and gas companies say they were already working to reduce methane emissions



AP photo

In this June 2, 2017, file photo, EPA Administrator Scott Pruitt speaks to the media during the daily briefing in the Brady Press Briefing Room of the White House in Washington. A federal appeals court in Washington says Pruitt overstepped his authority in trying to delay implementation of a 2016 rule requiring oil and gas companies to monitor and reduce methane leaks. In a split decision, the three-judge panel from the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit ruled Monday, July 3, that EPA must move forward with the Obama-era requirement that aims to reduce the planet-warming emissions from oil and gas operations. Pruitt announced in April that he would delay by 90 days the deadline for oil and gas companies to follow the new rule, which they were required to comply with starting last month.

and that complying with the new rules would make many low-production wells unprofitable.

Pruitt has repeatedly moved in recent months to block or delay environmental regulations opposed by cor-

porate interests.

Prior to his appointment by President Donald Trump to serve as the nation's chief environmental regulator, Pruitt was attorney general of Oklahoma and closely aligned with the state's oil and gas

industry. In recent weeks, Pruitt has moved to scrap or delay numerous EPA regulations enacted during the Obama administration to curb air and water pollution from fossil fuel operations.

NYC officer shot to death in command post RV; gunman killed

By COLLEEN LONG

Associated Press

NEW YORK (AP) — A police officer was shot to death early Wednesday, ambushed inside her command post RV by an ex-convict who once ranted online about his treatment in prison and about police getting away with killing people, authorities said. He was later killed after pulling a gun on police. Officer Miosotis Familia, a 12-year member of the New York Police Department, was wrapping up her shift when the man fired one round through the passenger-side window and struck her in the head.

"This was an unprovoked direct attack on police officers who were assigned to keep the people of this city safe," Police Commissioner James O'Neill said, calling it an assassination. Her partner radioed for help.

"Shots fired! 10-85!" the officer is heard frantically shouting after the gunfire, including the code for an officer down. "My partner's shot! My partner's shot! My partner's shot! My partner's shot! Hurry up, central!"

Officers responded quickly and caught up to 34-year-old Alexander Bonds about a block away, police said. As they confronted him, he pulled a revolver, and police fired, killing him. A silver revolver was found at the scene. A bystander was hit in the stomach by a bullet and is in stable condition, police said.

Familia, 48, had been stationed in a mobile command post, an RV-sized truck used as a communications hub during major events, like the Fourth of July. She had been writing in her memo book, a police log where officers record their shift activity, when Bonds walked up.

Bonds, who also went by the name John Bonds, was sentenced to six years in prison on an armed robbery case in Syracuse and had been released on parole in 2013. His supervision was set to end next May. He also had a sealed arrest for assaulting a police officer using brass knuckles, but the date of that arrest wasn't im-

mediately clear.

Bonds was seen in surveillance footage marching up to the post "with purpose," officials said, but it's not clear what provoked the attack.

In a video posted on Facebook in September, the Bronx man ranted about the treatment of civilians by officers and talked about how hard life was behind bars. The photos of Bonds posted on the page match a police mugshot.

"Don't think every brother, cousin, uncle you got that get killed in jail is because of a Blood or Crip or Latin King killing them. Nah, police be killing them and saying that an inmate killed them," he said in the video.

Aside from the police rant, Bonds' Facebook page mostly consisted of inspirational quotes and quizzes.

The shooting recalled the Dec. 20, 2014, killing of patrol officers Wenjian Liu and Rafael Ramos, who were ambushed and shot to death in their vehicle by a man who approached the passenger window of their marked police car. The suspect, 28-year-old

Ismaaiyl Brinsley, then fatally shot himself. Brinsley announced online in the moments before the shooting that he was planning to shoot two "pigs" in retaliation for the police chokehold death of Eric Garner.

Last month, a man pleaded guilty to killing two police officers in patrol cars in Iowa and said he simply disliked law enforcement.

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Houston Astros blowout Atlanta Braves

By **GEORGE HENRY**
Associated Press

ATLANTA — Houston Astros manager A.J. Hinch loves what he's seeing from his hitters this season.

There's not a weak link in the lineup.

"We really don't have a part in our order right now that's too comfortable for the opponent," Hinch said. "I'm proud of the at-bats we're putting up."

Jose Altuve homered and drove in four runs, Josh Reddick hit a grand slam and the Astros pounded the Atlanta Braves 16-4 on Tuesday night.

Showing why they're the major leagues' best team at 57-27, the Astros banged out 19 hits to tie a season high and led 12-0 before Atlanta scratched out some late runs.

Yuli Gurriel doubled twice to drive in four runs, Brad Peacock (6-1) won his third straight start, and George Springer went 4

for 5 with a homer, helping Houston improve to 30-9 on the road and overshadow the return of Braves slugger Freddie Freeman.

Houston has won 11 of 14 overall, thanks in part to Altuve and Gurriel, who are hitting a combined .462 with 16 RBIs in the last seven games.

Reddick's fifth career grand slam put the Astros up 16-4 in the ninth.

"I think we were all pretty excited to get in there once we realized that we were going to be moving around the bases pretty much a lot tonight," Reddick said.

The Braves began the night one game shy of .500 after winning 11 of 15, but Sean Newcomb (1-3) struggled with pitch location in his first career start against a potent major league lineup. The rookie gave up 10 hits and seven runs in 3 1/3

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Houston Astros' George Springer celebrates a run with Astros Triple-A manager Tony DeFrancesco during the third inning of a baseball game against the Atlanta Braves, Tuesday, July 4, 2017, in Atlanta.

AP photo

Benintendi leads Red Sox past Rangers 11-4 for 6th straight



AP photo

Boston Red Sox left fielder Andrew Benintendi (16) is congratulated by teammate Hanley Ramirez (13) on his three-run home run against the Texas Rangers during the fifth inning of a baseball game Tuesday, July 4, 2017, in Arlington, Texas.

By **STEPHEN HAWKINS**
AP Sports Writer

ARLINGTON, Texas — Red Sox rookie Andrew Benintendi opened the series in Texas with a winning bloop. His impressive encore included a couple of big blasts.

Benintendi homered twice in a five-hit game, drove in six runs and made a spectacular catch in left field — backing up six-plus scoreless innings by David Price — as Boston stretched the longest winning streak in the majors to six games with an 11-4 victory over the Rangers on Tuesday night.

"Huge night," manager John Farrell said. "Offensively, obviously the five base hits, the two homers. He makes one heck of a catch at a pivotal time going up against the wall."

The first Red Sox rookie with two five-hit games in a season, Benintendi had a three-run homer in the fifth that chased All-Star pitcher Yu Darvish (6-7), who matched career highs by allowing seven runs and 11 hits.

Benintendi led off the eighth by going the opposite way for his 12th homer, with the ball hitting on top of the 14-foot wall down the left-field line. Jackie Bradley Jr. followed with his 11th home run.

"The win, that's what I liked the most," Benintendi said.

A night after his two-run, bloop single in the 11th inning was the difference in a 7-5 win, Benintendi put the Red Sox up to stay with a dribbler through the middle of the infield for an RBI single in the second.

"To see one kind of fall like that, it

kind of built me up a little bit," Benintendi said, referring to his decisive hit Monday. "It definitely doesn't hurt."

Price (4-2) struck out nine while finishing 70 of 106 pitches for strikes in his eighth start since missing the season's first seven weeks with an elbow strain. The lefty departed after his second walk started the seventh.

"He had all of his pitches working," Farrell said. "He was able to get quite a few number of swing-and-misses."

Adrian Beltre has 2,974 career hits after a three-hit night for Texas that included his 600th career double. Mike Napoli went deep for the fourth straight game, his 18th homer being a three-run drive in the eighth after the Rangers trailed 11-0, and before Delino DeShields homered to start the Texas ninth.

Napoli also had a deep drive in the fourth, but Benintendi ran a long way, leaped and extended his glove to make the catch before hitting the padded left-field wall while still in the air.

Darvish, selected Sunday to his fourth AL All-Star team, struck out four with no walks while his season ERA rose from 3.11 to 3.56 over 4 1/3 innings.

"All the bloopers and then all the ground balls that I thought I'd get an out found a hole and that became a hit. I think momentum went their way," Darvish said through a translator. "The home run and the double I

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Woods, Spieth compare lists of runners-up in early career



AP photo

In this Sunday, Feb. 12, 2017 file photo, Jordan Spieth reacts on the 18th green of the Pebble Beach Golf Links after winning the AT&T Pebble Beach National Pro-Am golf tournament, in Pebble Beach, Calif. Spieth says he wants to build a reputation for being a good closer in golf.

By **DOUG FERGUSON**
AP Golf Writer

Tiger Woods has found a way to stay competitive without having played for five months.

Woods, who said Monday that he has checked out of a clinic where he was getting help with managing pain medications, still managed to keep in touch with players.

Jason Day told Golf Channel that Woods sent him a text after the opening round of the U.S. Open asking that he call him because Woods saw something in his swing. Day shot 79 and said he was so angry he never called. Presidents Cup captain Steve Stricker told Golf Digest that Woods

sounded good when they spoke on the phone. Woods is an assistant captain, and being around players in team settings has become some of his favorite moments.

And then there was the text to Jordan Spieth.

Spieth said Woods saw a statistic on Twitter that listed the players who finished runner-up to him in his first four PGA Tour victories — Davis Love III (Las Vegas), Payne Stewart (Disney), Tom Lehman (Mercedes Championship) and Tom Kite (Masters).

The text exchange came one day after Spieth had won the Travelers

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Lamah scores 2 goals, FC Dallas beats DC United 4-2

FRISCO, Texas (AP) — Roland Lamah had two goals, Maximiliano Urruti scored for the fourth straight game and FC Dallas beat D.C. United 4-2 on Tuesday night to move into a tie for first in the Western Conference.

Lamah's eight MLS goals have come in his past seven matches and Urruti's career-high 11 goals this season are the most by a FC Dallas player since Jeff Cun-

ningham in 2009. FC Dallas (8-3-7) scored twice in the closing minutes of the first half for a 2-1 lead. Atiba Harris headed in Victor Ulloa's corner kick in the 41st minute for his first goal of the season. Lamah tapped in a loose ball seven minutes later.

Two minutes after halftime, Urruti chased down Michael Barrios' through ball near the baseline and sent a shot

from a difficult angle through the legs of Travis Worra. Lamah added another goal eight minutes later on a counter attack with Barrios.

D.C. United (5-11-3), without goalkeeper Bill Hamid, lost its fifth consecutive road game. Rookie Ian Harkes opened the scoring in the 30th minute with his first MLS goal. Deshorn Brown capped the scoring in the 57th with a breakaway shot.

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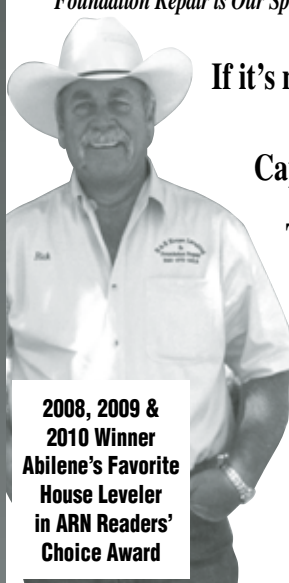
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Tomorrow's Horoscope



HOLIDAY MATHIS

their advantages and disadvantages, so whichever it is, embrace it.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Our minds are so subjective that the idea of reality can be a squirrely one. If you ignore it and it doesn't go away, it's probably reality. That's good news. Reality can be much more easily dealt with than non-reality.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Just as the Greek hero Odysseus found a way to resist the song of the sirens, you will find a way to resist the temptations on the sidelines today. Odysseus had help from his crew, and so will you if you call on yours.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Anyone can connect all of the wrong things and come to some pretty dismal conclusions. You'll connect the shining dots of rightness, and the conclusion that naturally follows will be bright and welcoming.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). To be selfless and remain calm is the aim of people

everywhere (especially women). And then one day (today) you're simply not in the mood. Rage on.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Part of you will engage; the other part watches. Which is real? You're the sky, not the weather. The clouds may decorate or menace, but don't be bothered; clouds pass. You're the constant.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Any path you commit to will get you there. So the better question isn't, "Which one will get me there?" It's, "Which path might I commit to with pleasure?"

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Solitude has a transcendent power, and so does unity. Too much of either state is diminishing, though. Your balance of social time and alone time may need some tweaking.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). You can't think your way to peace, because thinking doesn't bring peace. Peace exists between the thoughts, also around them. Music will be an

easy and interesting way to organize mental clutter.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). If you feel you have to inflate your confidence or brag or otherwise stuff your "resume," the situation is already doomed. Go where the love is instead! Who you are isn't what you have, own or do.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). People will say that "something has to be done," but does it? If nothing were done, what then? If you put it to the test and "something" still "has to be done," then you're the one to do it.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). There's the unknowable, and then there's the not-worth-knowing, and both may seem to be unworthy of the chase. However, pursuing the first category will bring many revelations.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (July 5). Your loved ones come to know more of you, and indeed, you grow in new ways, so there is more to know. To be understood and

celebrated for your uniqueness is both a comfort and a thrill. September and February are your luckiest financial months. New relationships and deals will be established in October. Libra and Capricorn adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 27, 43, 9, 22 and 15.

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Mercury's Change of Heart

When it comes to love, people have different strengths. Some people's strength is in listening; others are protectors. Some serve; others delight. Figure out what their love strength is before you accuse them of not loving you just because they show it differently than you like to get it. This message is sponsored by Mercury's entrance into Leo.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Sometimes you're charged with being a cog in the wheel, and other times your job is to hold the handlebars, steer and balance. Both jobs can have

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Annie's Mailbox

Aftermath of an Attempted Sexual Assault

Dear Annie: Shortly, I will shower and prepare to spend the day with my ex-boyfriend. "Pat" is 60, and I am 67. He started drinking when he was 14 and has always been a drinker, but it didn't interfere too much with our lives until last spring, when he started drinking heavily and stayed drunk for weeks.

It was about a month into his bender when I invited my grown daughter "Elizabeth" to stay while her apartment was being fumigated. That night, Pat went downstairs to the sofa and attempted to sexually assault her. She left screaming. I was in shock. An hour later,

my other daughter, "Samantha," called and told me to leave and get to her house, that I should not stay with Pat.

By the time I got to Samantha's house, the police were there to interview Elizabeth. She had called them. (I did not have any say in this, but I was OK with it.) They arrested Pat that night.

The next morning, Pat called to ask me to bail him out. I said no. I started moving my stuff out, and I moved in with my daughter.

Now comes the hard part. He wants me to be his support while he recovers from all his years of drinking. He does not have any friends. I don't have any friends anymore, either.

My girls have told

me not to see him or talk to him. They have made very clear that if I do, I won't be part of this family. But I feel so bad for him. Is there a way to open dialogue with my daughters so I can do this? I will not return to him as his girlfriend. I will not move back to that house or spend a night there. I am seeing a counselor, and so is he. Should I try, or should I walk away for good? -- "Margaret"

Dear Margaret: If you've written to me looking for the answer your counselor won't give you, I'll have to disappoint you. You must run, not walk, away from this man and into the arms of your loving daughters. It sounds as if those two can offer the clearheaded

perspective you so badly need right now. Do not alienate them by spending more time with the man who attempted to assault Elizabeth. What he did is unforgivable.

Your desire to rescue him, your belief that you're responsible for his happiness -- these are classic traits of people who live with alcoholics. Please seriously consider attending an Al-Anon meeting. You can find one in your area by visiting <http://www.al-anon.org>.

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By Steve Becker
A logical inference

North dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

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♠ K Q 3
♥ 8 6
♦ A 9 8 7 5
♣ A J 10

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

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

SOUTH
♠ A J 5
♥ 7 2
♦ Q 10
♣ K Q 9 7 4 2

The bidding:
North East South West
1 ♦ Pass 2 ♣ Pass
3 ♣ Pass 3 ♣ Pass
4 ♣ Pass 5 ♣ Pass

Opening lead — ten of spades.

trumps, cashes two more spades and exits with a heart.

Let's say East wins the first heart with the ten and the second one with the king. He must then return a diamond; otherwise, declarer gets a ruff-and-discard and makes the contract.

After East returns a low diamond, South has a crucial decision to make. He must guess whether to play the ten or the queen. If he guesses right, he makes the contract; if he guesses wrong, he goes down.

If declarer thinks East has the jack and West the king, he should play the ten. If he thinks East has the king and West the jack, he should play the queen. (If either defender has both honors, declarer's play does not matter.)

South does not have a difficult guess if he is on the ball. He should play the ten. Playing the ten is simply a matter of logic. Declarer assumes that if East had the king of diamonds, the defenders would have arranged for West to win the second heart in order to lead a diamond.

Since they failed to do so, it follows that West must have the king. Once declarer reaches this conclusion, he realizes he cannot gain by playing the queen, so he plays the ten and hopes for the best.

Tomorrow: A delicate countermeasure.
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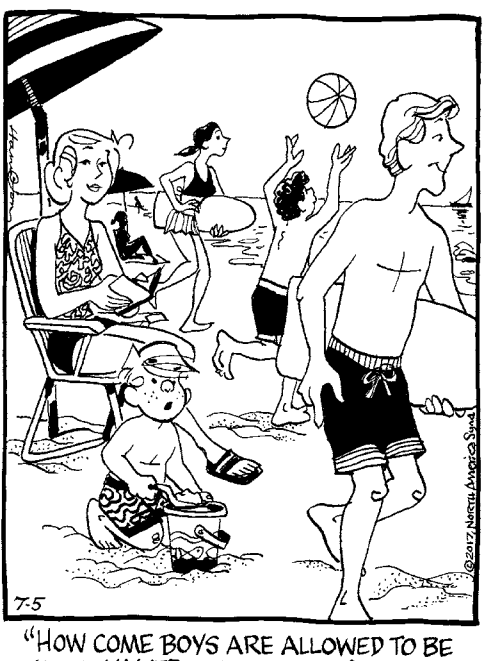
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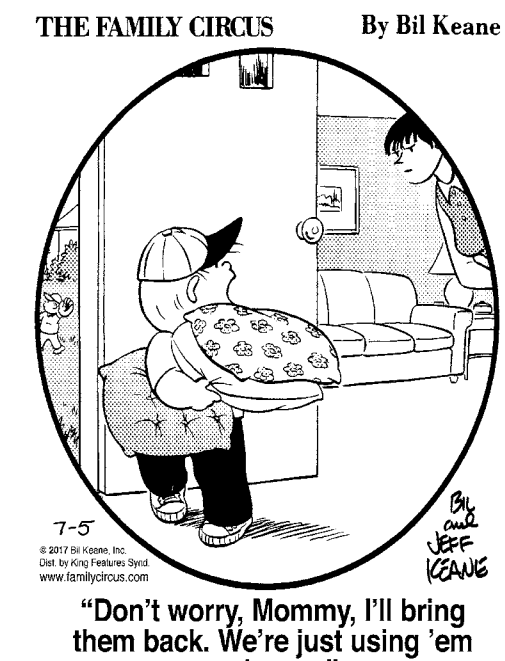
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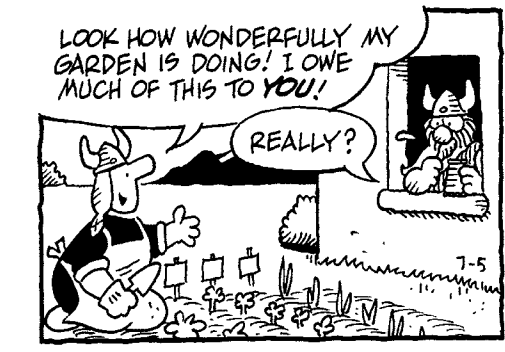
"How come boys are allowed to be more naked than girls?"

THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane

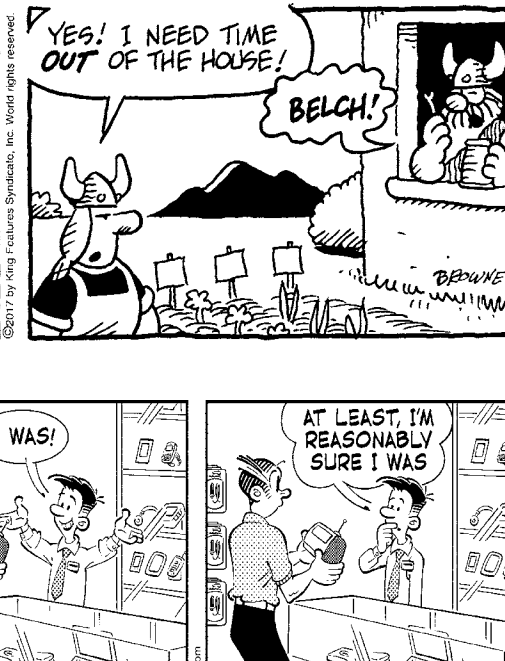


"Don't worry, Mommy, I'll bring them back. We're just using 'em as bases."

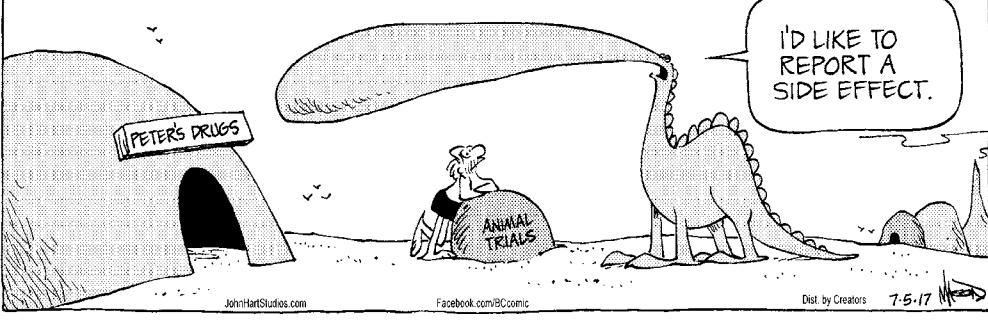
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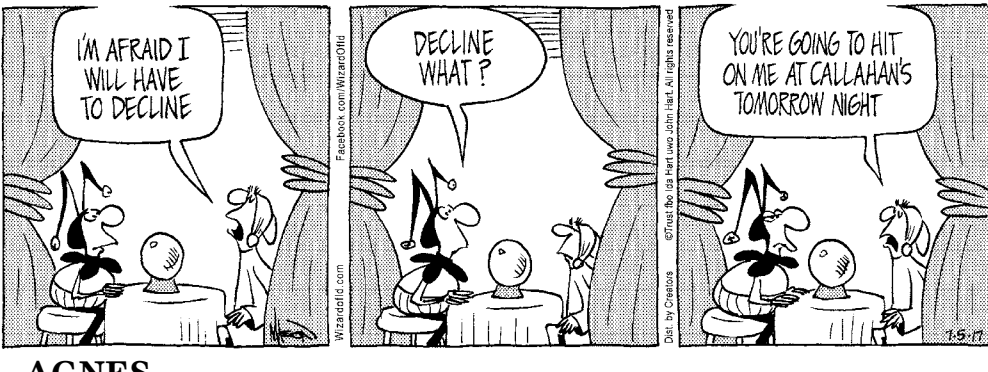
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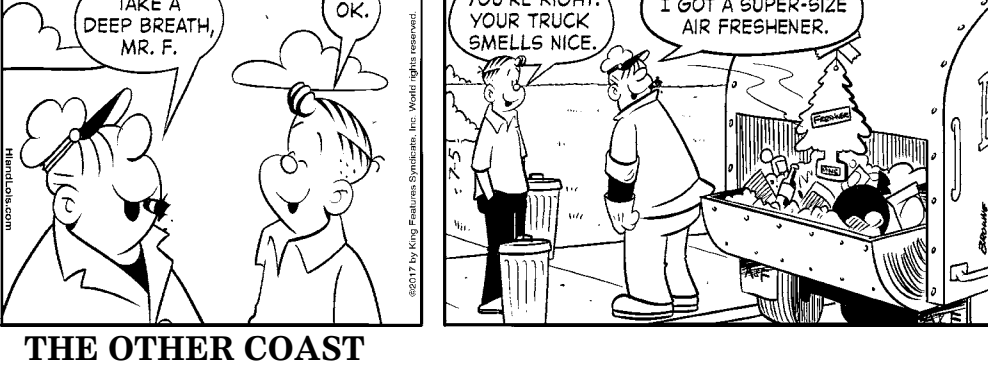
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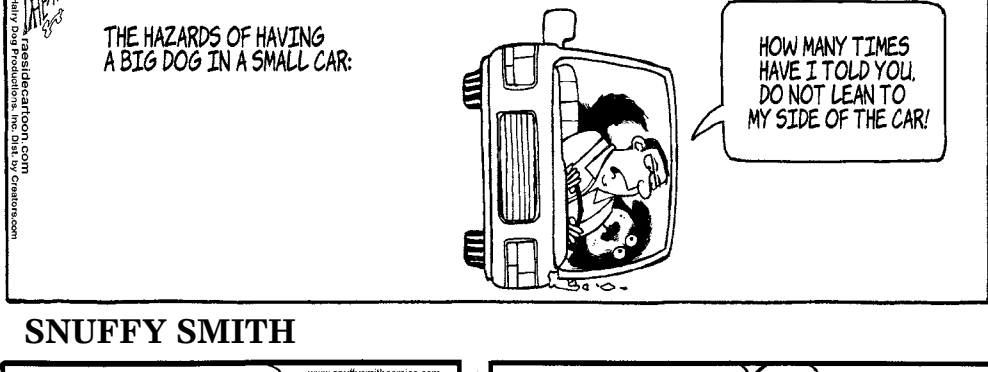
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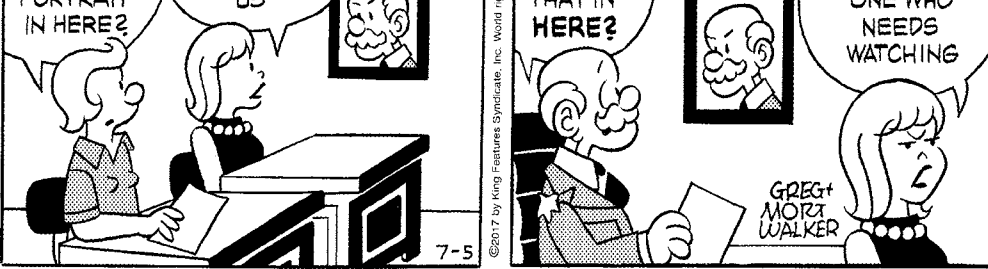
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This Date In History

Today is Wednesday, July 5, the 186th day of 2017. There are 179 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:
On July 5, 1947, Larry Doby made his debut with the Cleveland Indians, becoming the first black player in the American League three months after Jackie Robinson broke the color barrier in the National League. In the game against the Chicago White Sox at Comiskey Park, Doby, pinch-hitting for Bryan Stephens, struck out in his first at-bat during the seventh inning; Chicago won 6-5.

On this date:
In 1687, Isaac Newton first published his Principia Mathematica, a three-volume work setting out his mathematical principles of natural philosophy.
In 1811, Venezuela became the first South American country to declare independence from Spain.
In 1865, the Secret Service Division of the U.S. Treasury Department was founded in Washington, D.C. with the mission of suppressing counterfeit currency.
In 1935, President Franklin D. Roosevelt signed the National Labor Relations Act.

In 1940, during World War II, Britain and the Vichy government in France broke off diplomatic relations.
In 1946, the bikini, created by Louis Reard (ray-AHRD'), was modeled by Micheline Bernardini during a poolside fashion show in Paris.
In 1954, Elvis Presley's first commercial recording session took place at Sun Records in Memphis, Tennessee; the song he recorded was "That's All Right."
In 1962, independence took effect in Algeria; the same day, civilians of European descent, mostly French, came under attack by extremists in the port city of Oran.
In 1977, Pakistan's army, led by General Mohammad Zia ul-Haq, seized power from President Zulfikar Ali Bhutto (ZUL'fih-kahr ah-LEE' BOO'toh). (Bhutto was executed in 1979.)
In 1984, the Supreme Court weakened the 70-year-old "exclusionary rule," deciding that evidence seized in good faith with defective court warrants could be used against defendants in criminal trials.
In 1991, a worldwide financial scandal erupted as regulators in eight countries shut down the Bank of Credit and Commerce International. Actress Mildred Dunnock died in Oak Bluffs, Massachusetts, at age 90.

In 2011, a jury in Orlando, Florida, found Casey Anthony, 25, not guilty of murder, manslaughter and child abuse in the 2008 disappearance and death of her 2-year-old daughter, Caylee.
Ten years ago: In a setback for President George W. Bush, GOP stalwart Sen. Pete Domenici withdrew his support for the president's Iraq war policy and embraced a proposal to bring home most troops by March 2008. French opera soprano Regine Crespin died in Paris at age 80.
Five years ago: Trucks carrying NATO supplies rolled into Afghanistan for the first time in more than seven months, ending a painful chapter in U.S.-Pakistan relations that saw the border closed until Washington apologized for an airstrike that killed 24 Pakistani soldiers.

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Answer to previous puzzle

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Newsday Crossword

GET A RAISE by Carolyn Stewart
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- 1 Shredded cabbage
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 - 9 Composer Johann Sebastian
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 - 15 Actor Baldwin
 - 16 Diarist Frank
 - 17 Arctic dome home
 - 18 Voice-mail sound
 - 19 Short-tailed wildcat
 - 20 TV aerials of old
 - 23 Suffix for consist
 - 24 Chum
 - 25 "In other words..."
 - 29 Preoccupy greatly
 - 32 Frigidaire rival
 - 33 Houston baseballers
 - 36 Castaway's dwelling
 - 38 Baseball great Ripken
 - 39 Would-be lawyers' hurdles
 - 43 __Baba
 - 44 Large coffee brewer
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 - 63 S&L device

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AP photo

Houston Astros relief pitcher Brad Peacock delivers during the fourth inning of a baseball game against the Atlanta Braves, Tuesday, July 4, 2017, in Atlanta.



AP photo

Houston Astros Carlos Correa avoids a close pitch during the fifth inning of a baseball game against the Atlanta Braves, Tuesday, July 4, 2017, in Atlanta.

ASTROS

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innings. He walked two and struck out two.

Freeman, returning from a broken left wrist, was reinstated from the disabled list after meeting early in the day with a team physician. He came back as the Braves' starting third baseman, moving from first base to a position he hadn't played since high school.

Freeman singled in his first at-bat and easily handled his first chance at the hot corner, fielding a grounder and throwing sharply to first in the second. It was an uneventful debut, just what he wanted.

"I felt like I was in good position, had good first step and felt pretty good over there," Freeman said.

Peacock gave up seven hits and three runs and struck out seven in six-plus innings. He had plenty of run support early.

Houston went up 1-0 in the second on Gurriel's

double and 5-0 in the third on Springer's 25th homer and Gurriel's three-run double.

Altuve hit his 12th homer, a two-run shot, to make it 12-0 in the seventh.

"They're pretty good, they're athletic, they really hit," Braves manager Brian Snitker said. "They did that the last time we played them. Look at box scores, and that's the reason they're the best team in baseball."

STREAKING

Springer's 25 homers are Houston's most before the All-Star break since Lance Berkman had 24 in 2006.

TRAINER'S ROOM

Astros: All-Star SS Carlos Correa left the game before the start of the fifth with left thumb discomfort. Correa was hurt sliding headfirst into home as catcher Tyler Flowers tagged him to end the fourth inning. X-rays were negative and he is listed as day-to-day. ... RHP Charlie Morton, sidelined since late May with a lat strain, is expected to

return from the DL and start Friday at Toronto.

Braves: INF-OF Sean Rodriguez made his third straight rehab start and first with Single-A Rome. Rodriguez, in his first year with the Braves after signing last November as a free agent, was expected to miss the season after car accident in February required shoulder surgery.

LOOKING AHEAD

With Morton back in the rotation, Hinch said RHP Lance McCullers will start Thursday at Toronto. RHP Mike Fiers goes Saturday and either Peacock or RHP Francis Martes on Sunday.

BIG LETDOWN

The Braves announced a sellout of 41,456, the biggest crowd yet in their first season at SunTrust Park.

UP NEXT

Astros: RHP Joe Musgrove (4-7) will get called up from Triple-A Fresno and make his 14th start. Musgrove, with a 6.01 ERA, has allowed 14 homers.

end the second inning.

SHORT HOPS

The Rangers' seventh loss in nine games took 3 hours, 56 minutes to play. ... Boston also beat the Rangers on the Fourth of July last year, a 12-5 win at Fenway Park when every Red Sox player had a hit and scored a run.

TRAINER'S ROOM

Red Sox: SS Xander Bogaerts was back in the lineup after missing two games with tightness in his groin. He finished 0 for 5 with a walk.

Rangers: RHP Jeremy Jeffress, who hasn't pitched since June 20 because of a lower back muscle strain, was activated from the DL without a rehab assignment. RHP Ernesto Frieri, the loser Monday, was designated for assignment.

UP NEXT

The Red Sox go for a sweep of the season series when RHP Doug Fister (0-1) makes his third start since being claimed off waivers from the Angels. RHP Andrew Cashner (3-7) was struck in the stomach and forearm by a shattered bat when he last pitched Thursday for Texas

GOLF

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Championship, joining Woods as the only players to win at least 10 times before turning 24 (Woods won 15 times in 40 fewer starts).

Woods wanted to know who were the players to finish runner-up in Spieth's first four PGA Tour victories.

Spieth said he gave him the list — Zach Johnson (John Deere Classic), Patrick Reed (Valspar Championship), Phil Mickelson (Masters) and Dustin Johnson (U.S. Open).

"Tiger sent me a text back that said, 'Not bad,' with a winking face and then, 'Mine is still better,'" Spieth said with a laugh.

Spieth conveniently left out a few names. David Hearn also was in that playoff that Spieth won at the John Deere Classic in 2013. Sean O'Hair also was in the playoff he won at the Valspar Championship. Justin Rose tied for second with Mickelson at the 2015 Masters.

Even so, those are two impressive lists.

And in their fifth victory? Woods won the Byron Nelson Classic by two shots over Lee Rinker. Spieth won the John Deere Classic in a playoff over Tom Gillis.

OPEN SEASON: A pair of former Oklahoma State golfers found consolation in a runner-up finish last week — Peter Uihlein (French Open) and Charles Howell III (Quicken Loans National) earned spots in the British Open through the Open Qualifying Series.

The European Tour has a three-week stretch of offering three British Open spots to players not already eligible who finish among the top 10 at the French, Irish and Scottish Opens. The PGA Tour is staggered differently — four spots at the Quicken Loans National, four this week at the Greenbrier Classic and one from the John Deere Classic (provided they finish among the top 12).

Uihlein, who finished one shot behind Tommy Fleetwood, will be playing in his second straight major. He qualified in a playoff for the U.S. Open (and missed the cut by one shot), and his runner-up finish in France moved him to No. 91 in the world, boosting his chances for an invitation to the PGA Championship.

Also qualifying for the Open out of France were Mike Lorenzo-Vera and Alexander Bjork. From the Quicken Loans National, the qualifiers were Kyle Stanley, Howell, Martin Laird and Sung Kang.

Narrowly missing — again — was Geoff Ogilvy.

Late last year, Ogilvy was in position to win the Australian Open, which offered three spots to Royal Birkdale. But he took a double bogey on the 16th hole that not only cost him the tournament, he was bumped from the British Open. Ties go to the player with the best world ranking, so Aaron Baddeley got the final spot.

At the Quicken Loans National,

Ogilvy ran off three straight birdies and was two behind with two to play. He came up short of the flag on the par-3 17th and into the water, and his bogey-bogey finish meant he missed by two shots getting into the Open.

Meanwhile, Webb Simpson and Scott Piercy were added to the field at Royal Birkdale when it became clear that at least two spots would be available after all the allotments from the Open Qualifying Series.

After this week, the world ranking will be used to determine alternates. Anirban Lahiri, Tony Finau and James Hahn currently hold those spots; Lahiri is the only one not playing this week.

BACK TO BIRKDALE: Few players can claim a home game at a major, and Tommy Fleetwood is an exception.

But not really. Fleetwood, who rose to No. 15 in the world with his victory in the French Open, grew up near Royal Birkdale in Southport. That's not to suggest he knows the links course better than Phil Mickelson, who will be making his fourth appearance at Birkdale. "It's the one course in the area that I've probably got the least experience on, just because of the exclusivity of it — it's Royal Birkdale," Fleetwood said. "But I think looking at it and people wishing me good luck and people talking about it, it's going to be an experience that I've never had in my life. And I think very few people get the chance to have a home crowd that's massively in your favor."

He has played at Birkdale, just not for very long.

After his tie for fourth in the U.S. Open, Fleetwood said his father would walk the dog past the links every day.

"When I was 7 or 8, we used to sneak on and hit a few shots when nobody was looking," he said.

They'll be watching now.

DIVOTS: Tommy Fleetwood has earned the second-most world ranking points this year behind Dustin Johnson. ... In the six years of The Greenbrier Classic, none of the 54-hole leaders has gone on to win. Three of the champions have started the final round at least four shots out of the lead. ... The UL International Crowd is going outside the United States for first time next year. It will be played Oct. 4-7 in South Korea, right about the time the LPGA Tour begins its late-season Asian swing. ... Lexi Thompson, Inbee Park and Amy Yang are the only players to finish in the top 10 at both LPGA Tour majors this year. No one on the PGA Tour has managed top 10s in both majors. ... Wisconsin is hosting its third tournament in four weeks — the U.S. Open at Erin Hills, followed by the American Family Insurance Classic in Madison, and this week the Thornberry Creek LPGA Classic near Green Bay.

STAT OF THE WEEK: Bubba Watson has shot in the 60s every round in his three previous times playing the Greenbrier Classic. He has not finished better than 13th.

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gave up (to Benintendi), I just didn't locate my pitches."

FIRST TWO

Benintendi scored for the first time after a single in the second by No. 9 hitter Tzu-Wei Lin. That was the first career RBI for the Taiwan-born player, who added another RBI single in the fourth to put Boston up 4-0.

THAT'S A LOT OF HITS

The Red Sox finished with 19 hits, two short of their season high and matching the most allowed by Texas. The bottom four batters in their lineup were 8 for 9 against Darvish, while the top four went 1 for 12.

HE SLIDES — AND MAKES THE CATCH

All-Star outfielder Mookie Betts went 0 for 6 and was the only Red Sox starter who didn't reach base. But the right fielder had a defensive highlight. He ran about 120 feet to make a sliding catch on his knees in foul territory on Robinson Chirinos' popup to

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Pops in the Park fireworks display

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