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## Hartman and Miller take Big Spring City Council, School Trustee seats

**By ROGER CLINE**  
Staff Writer

With only one precinct seat each up for grabs, only 67 voters cast ballots in each of the Big Spring City Council District 2 election and the Big Spring Independent School District's District 4 race.

179 votes were cast in the Coahoma City Council election, and 735 votes were cast in the Coahoma ISD race; in each of those two contests, there were three open at-large seats available, and voters got to cast three votes.

Oilfield rig supervisor Doug Hartman took a majority (68.66 percent) of the votes cast in the Big Spring City Council race. Hartman will replace incumbent Carmen Harbour, who did not run for re-election in the race because she has reached the end of her term limit, having

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## Lords and Ladies of Bonwicke

**By AMBER MANSFIELD**  
Staff Writer

Hear ye, hear ye, to all of Big Spring as the Society for Creative Anachronism (SCA) all gathered at the Howard County Library to commemorate the lost but not forgotten Middle Ages era on Saturday, May 5.

From the cities of Lubbock, Midland, Odessa, San Angelo and other surrounding areas in Texas, the SCA is a worldwide, non-profit organization dedicated to recreating the Middle Ages in our modern day world and offers an educated and fun way to learn and experience the Medieval era.

"Bonwicke is our chapter, or community, of the SCA and our mission is to recreate the best parts of the middle ages from 600-1600 C.E., all while having a good time and not having to face the hardships from that era, such as plagues and the common cold," said Chris Varner, a Lady of the Bonwicke Chapter. "We gathered in Big Spring today because it's a central location and an ideal spot as far as everyone traveling the same."

At the Howard County Library, the Bonwicke community was not only lively and inviting, but also very educating.

"We don't just get together like some Live Action Role Players do and beat each other with sticks," said Varner. "We get together to teach and learn about actual events of the times during the Middle Ages."

Along with the history and culture of the Medieval times being taught, you will also find the people wearing authentic costuming, demonstrating scroll scribing and painting, and even little ones crafting mini catapults out of everyday household items.

"We teach and educate anyone who wants to learn whatever interests them," said Varner. "We do also do the fight reenactments, and while we do value the historical aspect of it, we also think it's fun to duel it out."

According to Varner, Bonwicke has had weekly, monthly and annual events. If this sparks interest, she also welcomes everyone



*HERALD photo/Amber Mansfield*  
Shown above are two Lords dueling and showcasing their sword skills at the SCA- Medieval Reenactment, which was held at the Howard County Library on Saturday, May 5. The SCA makes all of their own clothing, weapons and armor.



*HERALD photo/Amber Mansfield*  
A young Lord of SCA's Bonwicke Chapter creates a mini catapult.

## City Council to canvass election, swear in new Council member

**By ROGER CLINE**  
Staff Writer

Canvassing votes from Saturday's City Council District 2 election, recognizing outgoing incumbent Carmen Harbour, and swearing in the winner of the race, Doug Hartman, are on the agenda of the Big Spring City Council meeting Tuesday.

With only 67 people casting ballots in the single-district election, Hartman – an oilfield rig supervisor – prevailed with 68.66 percent of the vote, defeating runners up Eric Escamilla (25.37 percent) and Johnnie Rawls Jr. (5.97 percent).

Harbour did not run for re-election as she has already served two three-year terms, which is the legal term limit for Big Spring council members.

There is a provision on the agenda to approve a runoff election, but that should not be necessary since Hartman received a majority of the total votes.

In other business, the council plans to officially approve on first reading an ordinance renaming the stage and plaza at the Historic Spring the "Marie Hall Plaza and Performance Stage," in honor of F. Marie Hall, creator of Midland's FMH Foundation, which made significant donations to the project's completion; and the pavilion being built in Phase Two of the Historic Spring Restoration Project to the "SM Energy Pavilion" after another prominent donor to the project.

The Council will also:

- Award an RFQ for engineering services at the McMahon-Wrinkle Airpark. A committee interviewed two firms out of the applications received, and has recommended the firm Freese and Nichols of Lubbock for the job.
- Discuss and consider approval to re-establish Howard County Teen Court.
- Consider approving the purchase of 43.34 acres of land located between the Airpark and the old Webb Air Force

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## Lady Hawks are Regional Champs!



*Tony Claxton (www.claxtonphotography.com)*  
The Howard College softball team, along with family and fans, pose with the Region V West tournament trophy after winning the championship game which was held on Sunday, May 6, 2018. See story on Page 5.

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## Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **ISMAEL LOPEZ**, 40, of 1019 Easter Lily Dr. in Los Fresnos, Texas, was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.
- **ANTAVIUS JAQUAN TOLER**, 19, of 810 Cherry St. was arrested on a charge of criminal mischief (\$100 to \$750).
- **ROQUE RODRIGUEZ**, 19, of 2614 Ent Dr. was arrested on a charge of possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.).
- **KARISSA RICQUEL**

**MITCHELL**, 32, of 1512 Tucson Rd. was arrested on outstanding warrants.

- **CARLOS HERNANDEZ**, 63, of 2707 Hernandez Rd. was arrested on outstanding warrants.
- **BRIANNA NICOLE PENA**, 18, of 1003 E. 14th St. was arrested on warrants for public intoxication and theft of property (\$100 to \$750).
- **ROWDY ANDRES CHAVEZ**, 18, of 703 Creighton St. was arrested on a warrant for terroristic threat (family or household

member).

- **AMBER LEONOR DAVIS**, 33, of 610 E. 15th St. was arrested on several outstanding warrants.
- **CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** was reported in the 2600 block of Langley Drive.
- **DISTURBANCE** was reported in the 2600 block of Ent Drive and the 2600 block of Coronado Avenue.
- **MINOR ACCIDENT** was reported at the intersection of Third and Lancaster, and on U.S. Highway 87 south of Wildfire Road.

## Take Note

• Big Spring and surrounding counties are in need of foster families. Foster parents are the caretakers for the children in the community who have been abused or neglected. For more information on becoming foster parents or adoptive families, call the Children's Protective Services office at 432-263-9669.

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

• The Crossroads Young Marines is taking applications for another boot camp. For more information, call 432-517-4791. Young Marines welcomes boys and girls ages 8 to 18 who are still attending school.

• The Homeownership Preservation Foundation (HPF) is an independent national nonprofit dedicated to helping distressed homeowners navigate financial challenges and avoid mortgage foreclosure. If you want to stop mortgage foreclosure and are need of help, the time to call 888-995-HOPE is now. HPF can provide counseling free of charge, in English and 170 other languages, 24 hours a day, seven days a week, 365 days a year. For free foreclosure help, call the hotline.

• Legal Aid of NorthWest Texas, handles legal issues affecting Veterans, Retirees, and their family members. They will have clinics that provides volunteer attorneys that will provide free legal advice (up to 25 minutes depending on the issue). A pro bono attorney may be assigned to handle some cases that include: bankruptcy, consumer issues/contract, child supper and custody, divorce, employment, foreclosure, housing, landlord/tenant, probate and guardianship, real estate, social security/SSI, Veterans benefits/issues, wills and estate planning. The Clinic dates are on May 24, Aug. 23, Nov. 1 from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Northside Community Center on 110 N.E 8th St. Applicants must be financially eligible to obtain services. Please bring a copy of your DD215 and/or Veterans ID card. Appointments are required. For more information or to make an appointment, please contact Pete Fierro at 432-332-1207, ext. 4511.

• The Howard County Democrats meet the second and fourth Mondays of each month, at 5:30 p.m. in the Howard College Library.

• The Emergency Services Chaplains Corps is seeking volunteer chaplains. The corps provides spiritual services to Howard County residents and visitors in crisis situations. Prospective chaplains don't require any specific experience or education to qualify for the position, just a calling from God and a willingness to devote time to the program, which requires a 24- to 30-week training program and dedication of one day per week for emergency call-outs. Those interested should contact Senior Chaplain Joel Miller at 432-213-1221.

• 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.

• 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.

If you want additional information about getting your child on this program please contact your child's school.

• Each week Kindred offers free health checks from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. at the Corner House Coffee Shop, 1701 Scurry St.

• 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 has dropped to \$5 per person thanks to a sponsor Marcy House, 2301 Wasson Road.

• Howard County Republicans meet the second Monday of each month. Club members meet in the Cactus Room at Howard College at 11:30 a.m. for Dutch treat lunch and meeting at 12 p.m.

• The Big Spring Art Association meets the third Tuesday of each month a 7 p.m. in the basement of the Howard County Library.

• Big Spring Centennial Lion's Club has changed its meeting time. The club now meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday and the fourth Thursday of each month. Meetings are still held at the Big Spring TA Truck Stop. Visitors are welcome.

• The Christensen-Tucker Post-2013 Veterans of Foreign Wars meets the first Tuesday of every month at 7 pm at 500 Driver Road. For more information, contact David Leonard, Post Commander, at 432-816-6004. All combat veterans of foreign wars are invited to come.

• The Big Spring Symphony Board of Directors meets every first Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. at the symphony office, 808 Scurry Street.

• 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 432-271-2138.

• 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 ½ 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,

• Scenic Mountain Medical Center Auxiliary Group is looking to expand. Positions are available for the Auxiliary group and the Teen Volunteer program. Must be 15 years of age to take part in the teen volunteer program. If you would like to volunteer please contact Heath White at 268-4850.

• The Big Spring State Hospital Volunteer Services Council is in need of volunteers to fill a variety of needs to assist the hospital's patients. Applications to become a volunteer can be picked up at The Chalet, 115 E. Second St., Tuesday through Saturday between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. or at the Big Spring State Hospital Community Relations Department, 1901 N. Hwy 87, Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Volunteers can assist with a variety of functions, including The Chalet Resale Shop, various fund-raisers and patient events. For more information, contact Dee Lindsey, Big Spring State Hospital Director of Community Relations, (432) 268-7535 or [danielle.lindsey@dshs.state.tx.us](mailto:danielle.lindsey@dshs.state.tx.us)

• Home Hospice is in need of volunteers of all ages. The organization is requesting volunteers to visit patients. Volunteers set their own hours. For more information, contact Beverly Grant at 264-7599 or 432-967-0901.

• Mobile meals is in need of volunteer delivery drivers. If you would like to donate one hour per week to help deliver meals to the elderly, call Maria at 816-6474.

• Crossroads Hospice needs volunteers for patient care. Contact Eva at 263-5300.

• Victim Services is a non-profit independent community-based program serving victims of all violent crime, including, but not limited to, assault, sexual assault and domestic violence. Victim Services advocates are available 24 hours of day, 365 days a year to provide crisis intervention or accompaniment to the hospital and law enforcement agencies as needed. If you can commit to 30-hour training, an interview process and a background check, we need you. For more information, call Linda Calvio at 432-263-3312.

## Sheriff

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

Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 75 inmates at the time of this report.

- **ZACHARY RYAN BROWN**, 26, was booked by BSPD on a charge of driving while intoxicated (second offense).
- **ROWDY ANDRES CHAVEZ**, 18, was booked by BSPD on a warrant for terroristic threat (family or household member).
- **AMBER LEONOR DAVIS**, 33, was booked by HCSO on warrants for failure to appear/theft by check, failure to maintain financial responsibility, failure to appear, and changing lanes when unsafe; and on motions to revoke probation for possession of a controlled substance and fraud.
- **ANDREA DELGADO**, 24, was booked by HCSO on a warrant for theft of material (aluminum/bronze/copper).
- **MICHAEL LEE DOTSON**, 70, was booked by BSPD on warrants for front yard parking.
- **JUAN MANUEL GARCIA**, 52, was booked by BSPD on a charge of violation of occupational driver's license.
- **ADRIANA MARIE HARRISON**, 29, was booked by BSPD on charges of unauthorized use of a vehicle and possession of a dangerous drug.
- **JESSICA DAWN HENRY**, 17, was booked by BSPD on a charge of criminal trespassing.
- **CARLOS HERNANDEZ**, 63, was booked by BSPD on warrants for failure to display driver's license and failure to maintain financial responsibility.
- **SAMMY HERNANDEZ LIMON**, 35, was booked by BSPD on charges of resisting arrest, search or transport; and public intoxication.
- **ISMAEL LOPEZ**, 40, was booked by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.
- **VARONICA MARSHALL**, 35, was booked by BSPD on capias warrants for running a stop sign and failure to maintain financial responsibility.
- **KARISSA RICQUEL MITCHELL**, 32, was booked by BSPD on warrants for driving with an invalid license and possession of marijuana.
- **BRIANNA NICOLE PENA**, 18, was booked by BSPD on warrants for theft of property (\$100 to \$750) and public intoxication (minor).
- **JESSICA RENEE PITTMAN**, 31, was booked by BSPD on a warrant for theft of service (\$750 to \$2,500).
- **ROQUE RODRIGUEZ**, 19, was booked by BSPD on a charge of possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.).
- **ANTAVIUS JAQUAN TOLER**, 19, was booked by BSPD on a charge of criminal mischief (\$100 to \$750).
- **BRANDON SAVOY TRUITT**, 36, was booked by DPS on charges of driving while intoxicated and unlawfully carrying a weapon.
- **HOLLY CORRINE USSERY**, 59, was booked by DPS on a warrant for bail jumping and failure to appear.
- **ABEL VIGIL**, 32, was booked by BSPD on a charge of criminal mischief (\$100 to \$750).
- **JOHN CURTIS WACKER**, 36, was booked by BSPD on a motion to revoke probation for possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.).

## Support Groups

### 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.

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

### TUESDAY

• A six-week course in Wellness and Quality of Life with Chronic Pain will be held at Spring Creek Fellowship at the Spring Town Plaza, 1801 E. FM 700. There is no charge for the course, and a workbook will be provided. Contact Steve Purdy at 432-517-4840 for more information.

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# 10 Things to Know for Today

By The Associated Press

Your daily look at late-breaking news, upcoming events and the stories that will be talked about today:

## 1. DESTRUCTIVE HAWAII VOLCANO FORCES EVACUATIONS

The Kilauea volcano wipes out 26 homes and spews lava hundreds of feet into the air, leaving at least 1,700 evacuated residents unsure how long they will be displaced.

## 2. WHO'S OFF TO A ROUGH START

Rudy Giuliani is having trouble staying on message and Alan Dershowitz says Trump's new attorney is aiding the special counsel's investigation.

## 3. HOW SYRIA'S KURDS ARE DISPENSING JUSTICE

After defeating the Islamic State group in battle, the region's court system is emphasizing leniency and reconciliation.

## 4. CHELSEA MANNING RUNNING FOR US SENATE

America's most famous convicted leaker tells AP she's serious about winning Maryland's Democratic primary, but political analysts view her more as a protest candidate.

## 5. WORRY, FEAR IN TEHRAN AHEAD OF TRUMP'S DECISION ON ATOMIC DEAL

The 2015 deal has not helped address the Islamic Republic's high unemployment. Banks remain saddled with massive bad loans from the sanctions era, and government corruption persists.

## 6. MILITARY SEEKS TO LIMIT CONGRESS ON FIXING CHILD SEX ASSAULT

U.S. military officials want to limit congressional efforts to address child-on-child sexual assaults on bases, even as new AP data show the problem is larger than previously acknowledged.

## 7. HOMELAND SECURITY BEHIND IN BALLOT RISK ASSESSMENTS

The federal government has completed full cybersecurity reviews of the election systems in just nine states as the U.S. midterm elections begin in earnest.

## 8. WHAT'S ON MICROSOFT'S AGENDA

Its conference for software developers features sessions on cloud computing, artificial intelligence, internet-connected devices and virtual reality.

## 9. OH WHAT A NIGHT

Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons are enshrined in the New Jersey Hall of Fame, but it was Bruce Springsteen who stole what could have been Meryl Streep's show.

## 10. 'GOLDEN' RUN CONTINUES FOR FIRST-YEAR NHL TEAM

Marc-Andre Fleury backstops the expansion Vegas Golden Knights to the Western Conference Final in their inaugural season after beating San Jose in six games.

# US abortion clinics face surge of trespassing and blockades



AP photo

In this Monday, July 17, 2017 file photo, escort volunteers line up outside the EMW Women's Surgical Center in Louisville, Ky.

By DAVID CRARY

AP National Writer

NEW YORK — America's abortion clinics experienced a major upsurge in trespassing, obstruction and blockades by anti-abortion activists in 2017, according to an annual survey by an industry group.

The National Abortion Federation report chronicled a litany of actions that ranged from coordinated trespassing efforts by abortion opponents, repeated brick-throwing at windows of a Cleveland clinic and an attempted bombing in Illinois.

The report found that there was an overall decrease in acts of vandalism against clinics but a significant increase in activities aimed at disrupting services and intimidating patients and providers. Acts of trespassing increased from 247 in 2016 to 823 in 2017, instances of obstruction tripled to 1,704 and threats of death or other harm

nearly doubled to 62.

"The protesters are feeling emboldened by the political environment and seeing what they could get away with," said the federation's president, Vicki Saporta. "They want to make it more difficult to provide care, without going to very extreme forms of violence."

The federation based its findings on monthly reports filed by its members who make up the vast majority of abortion clinics nationally.

Many clinics across the U.S. routinely are targeted by legal picketing near their premises. But in some cases, the protests escalated and led to intervention by federal and law enforcement agencies.

At least 10 people were arrested last May when anti-abortion activists blocked the entrance to the EMW Women's Surgical Center in Louisville, Kentucky — the last abortion clinic still operating in the state. Saporta said

the protesters, organized by the militant anti-abortion group Operation Save America, were emboldened by Kentucky Gov. Matt Bevin's high-profile efforts to shut down the clinic.

As a result of the blockade, a federal judge established a buffer zone outside the clinic to keep protesters from assembling in front of the entrance.

Among those arrested in Louisville was Operation Save America's national director, Rev. Rusty Lee Thomas. While awaiting trial, he said abortion should be outlawed, declaring "Our justice system is committing another grave injustice by arresting the wrong people."

Elsewhere, several trespassing arrests occurred during coordinated actions by anti-abortion protesters in Virginia, Michigan and other states. Activists entered clinics, conveyed their anti-abortion views to patients, and refused to leave when told to do so by law enforcement.

## LORDS

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to check out there webpage. At the "Regular Activities" page you will find more details, especially if you're interested in joining. [hospital@bonwicke.ansteorra.org](mailto:hospital@bonwicke.ansteorra.org).

"We are a tight community, a family so to

speak, who can gather together without judgment and learn about things that aren't readily taught at your own pace and leisure," said Varner. "We accept everyone and we welcome everyone. If you have a love of history, a bit of horse play and good company, check us out and become apart of the Bonwicke community."

## SEATS

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served two three-year terms. Hartman received 46 of the 67 votes cast in the contest.

Hartman defeated two other candidates: Farmer's Insurance agent Eric Escamilla, who took 17 votes (25.37 percent); and Johnnie Lee Rawls, an oil-field lease manager, who received four votes (5.97 percent).

There were no under-votes – ballots which contain fewer votes than allowed, or votes which are unable to be tabulated for some reason – in the Big Spring City race.

In the BSISD race, Melissa Miller received a majority of the votes with 55.22 percent, or 37 of the 67 votes cast. Miller is the director of institutional assessment for Howard

College. Miller defeated Steven Hobbs, with 16 votes (23.88 percent); and Bond Moughon Ryan, with 14 votes (20.90 percent).

There was one under-vote recorded in the race.

In the Coahoma City Council race, the three top vote-getters were David Alaman with 61 votes (34.08 percent); Cody Ditto with 50 votes (27.93 percent); and T.J. Rueda with 35 votes (19.55 percent). The fourth candidate, Sharon Dodson, received 33 votes (18.44 percent).

There were 88 under-votes recorded in the Coahoma City Council race. The large number of under-votes is probably the result of people voting for only one or two candidates rather than the full three allowed in the race.

Of the 11 candidates in the Coahoma ISD race, those who received the top

## COUNCIL

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Base housing.

• Consider authorizing City Manager Todd Darden to implement a payroll deduction plan for new loans from the city's Nationwide and Valic retirement plans.

three totals of votes were Kenni Kay Wright with 137 votes (18.64 percent); Dicky Stone with 130 votes (17.69 percent); and Odys Franklin with 105 votes (14.29 percent). The other eight candidates included Brandon Rodgers and Jody Reid, who each received 68 votes (9.25 percent); Scott Tuttle who claimed 67 votes (9.12 percent); Brandon Atkins with 64 votes (8.71 percent); Greg Moore with 49 votes (6.67 percent); Blain Redden with 29 votes (3.95 percent); Philip Bacon with 12 votes (1.63 percent); and Adrian Abrego with six votes (0.82 percent).

There were 72 undervotes recorded in the Coahoma ISD race.

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## CIA nominee offered to withdraw over interrogation program

WASHINGTON (AP) — Gina Haspel, President Donald Trump's nominee to lead the Central Intelligence Agency, offered to withdraw her nomination, two senior administration officials said Sunday, amid concerns that a debate over a harsh interrogation program would tarnish her reputation and that of the CIA.

White House aides on Friday sought out additional details about Haspel's involvement in the CIA's now-defunct program of detaining and brutally interrogating terror suspects after 9/11 as they prepared her for Wednesday's confirmation hearing. This is when she offered to withdraw, the officials said.

They said Haspel, who is the acting director of the CIA, was reassured that her nomination was still on track and will not withdraw. The officials spoke on the condition of anonymity to discuss internal deliberations. The news was first reported Sunday by The Washington Post.

Haspel, who would be the first woman to lead the CIA, is the first career operations officer to be nominated to lead the agency in decades. She served almost entirely undercover and much of her record is classified. Democrats say she should be disqualified because she was the chief of base at a covert detention site in Thailand where two terrorism suspects were subjected to waterboarding, a technique that simulates drowning.

Haspel has told lawmakers in recent weeks that she would stand firm against any effort to restart the brutal detention and interrogation program, administration officials told The Associated Press on Friday. She is expected to reiterate that publicly this week.

## Giuliani confounds, contradicts as he defends Trump in media

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Donald Trump's new attorney, Rudy Giuliani, is delivering confounding and at times contradictory statements as he tries to lessen the legal burdens on his client from an investigation into Russian interference in the 2016 election and a \$130,000 hush payment to a porn actress.

The former New York City mayor is embracing his client's preferred approach to challenges as he mounts Trump's defense through the media. But it's proving to be a bewildering display.

In an interview Sunday with ABC's "This Week," Giuliani dismissed as rumor his own statements about Trump's payment to adult-film actress Stormy Daniels, said he can't speak to whether the president lied to the American people when he denied knowledge of the silencing agreement and wouldn't rule out the president asserting his Fifth Amendment right against self-incrimination in the Russia investigation. Giuliani also couldn't say whether Trump's personal lawyer, Michael Cohen, had made similar payments to other women on the president's behalf.

Giuliani said despite Trump's openness to sit down with special counsel Robert Mueller in the Russia investigation, he would strongly advise Trump against it.

"I'm going to walk him into a prosecution for perjury like Martha Stewart?" Giuliani asked, referring to the lifestyle maven convicted in 2004 of lying to investigators and obstruction in an insider trading case.

## Average price of US gas jumps 7 cents, to \$2.90 a gallon

CAMARILLO, Calif. (AP) — The average price of regular-grade gasoline in the U.S. rose 7 cents a gallon over the past two weeks to \$2.90, the 10th week straight of increases.

Industry analyst Trilby Lundberg of the Lundberg Survey said Sunday that the jump marks the highest average price since November 2014.

Lundberg says the increase is largely driven by higher crude oil costs and the phasing-in of summer-grade gasoline, which is used to prevent smog.

The highest average price in the contiguous 48 states was \$3.73 in the San Francisco Bay Area. The lowest was \$2.45 in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

The average price for diesel fuel rose 5 cents, to \$3.14.

## Hawaii volcano destroys 21 homes, spews lava 200 feet in air

PAHOA, Hawaii (AP) — The number of homes destroyed by Hawaii's Kilauea volcano jumped to 21 Sunday as scientists reported lava spewing more than 200 feet (61 meters) into the air.

Some of the more than 1,700 people who evacuated prepared for the possibility they may not return for quite some time.

Hawaii officials said the decimated homes were in the Leilani Estates subdivision, where molten rock, toxic gas and steam have been bursting through openings in the ground created by the volcano. Officials updated the number of lost homes after an aerial survey of the subdivision.

"That number could change," Hawaii County spokeswoman Janet Snyder said. "This is heart-breaking."

Amber Makuakane, 37, a teacher and single mother of two, said her three-bedroom house in Leilani Estates was destroyed by lava.

# Fatal attack on interracial couple in Arizona heads to trial



AP photo

**This undated photo provided by the Arizona Department of Corrections shows Travis Ricci. Ricci, who authorities said was a member of a white supremacist group, is being tried in Phoenix on a murder charge in a woman's 2009 shooting death. Prosecutors say the woman, who was white, was killed because Ricci was upset that she was dating a black man. Ricci is currently serving a 22-year prison sentence in an unrelated case for aggravated assault and misconduct involving weapons.**

By JACQUES BILLEAUD

Associated Press

PHOENIX (AP) — An interracial couple was walking near a Phoenix park when authorities say a shirtless neo-Nazi began angrily yelling a racial slur and harassing the black man in the couple over dating a white woman.

Authorities say the men exchanged tense words before Travis Ricci rushed back to a home where other white supremacists were partying, grabbed a shotgun and returned in a sedan driven by an associate. Ricci leaned out the car and fired two buckshot blasts, missing the black man — the intended target — and killing his girlfriend, investigators said.

Lawyers are now picking a jury to decide whether Ricci should be convicted of murder and sentenced to death in the 2009 attack, which prosecutors say was a hate crime. Opening statements are tentatively scheduled for June 6.

The case has offered several unexpected turns.

Ricci, whose defense is expected to include an argument that he's not the man he used to be, claims his great-grandfather was a member of the French Resistance killed by Nazis during World War II.

Authorities are seeking the death penalty, saying 39-year-old Kelly Ann Jaeger's killing was meant to further the interests of the Vinlanders Social Club, a neo-Nazi group with a reputation for violence that was later targeted in a law enforcement crackdown.

Since prosecutors have called the attack a hate crime, they can seek as many as 11 additional years in prison — above the maximum penalty — if Ricci is convicted of other charges, such as attempted murder, drive-by shooting, aggravated assault and assisting a criminal gang.

Ricci pleaded not guilty, and his lawyers have raised questions about the ability of Jaeger's boyfriend, Jeffery Wellmaker, to identify him as the triggerman. They note that nearly two years after the attack, Wellmaker was jailed in an unrelated case and played chess with Ricci behind bars without recognizing him.

Aaron Levi Schmidt, who authorities say was driving the car used in the shooting, pleaded guilty to murder in Jaeger's death. He is already serving 11 years for assisting a criminal gang. It's unclear if he's been sentenced on the murder conviction.

Lawyers for Ricci and

Schmidt, both now 36, have said their clients weren't members of the Vinlanders.

Police reports say Ricci told associates before the attack that he saw black men hitting a white woman, though it's unclear if that claim was accurate.

Rebecca Wilder, a spokeswoman for the Maricopa County Attorney's Office, which is prosecuting Ricci, declined to comment on the case. The Phoenix Police Department, which investigated the attack, also declined to comment.

Prosecutors said in court records that Wellmaker, who was unarmed, was extremely distraught over the attack and tried to help his girlfriend after she was shot. They say Wellmaker didn't provoke the attack and tried unsuccessfully to push Jaeger out of the path of the shotgun blast, according to court records.

Ricci's attorneys declined to answer questions about the allegations against their client.

"He is a very sensitive person who cares about people in general," said Jennifer Willmott, one of his lawyers. "He has had a very difficult life."

Bruce Blumberg, another attorney for Ricci, said his client's team has gotten records that document the arrest and execution of Ricci's great-grandfather during his involvement with the French Resistance. Blumberg said the great-grandfather's experience may be brought up during the trial, though it's unclear what it will be used to demonstrate.

The attack started brewing after Ricci left his friend's home angry and drunk, making his way into the neighborhood where he eventually noticed Jaeger and Wellmaker, according to a police report.

Prosecutors say Ricci hurled a racial slur at Wellmaker and yelled, "What are you doing with a white girl?"

He also told Wellmaker he was going to get "something for him," prosecutors said.

Sometime later, Jaeger and Wellmaker were near a pay phone when the sedan pulled up. Ricci fired two shells, hitting Jaeger in the stomach from about 10 feet (3 meters) away, prosecutors said.

Ricci's attorneys have noted Wellmaker was unable to identify Ricci in a photo lineup after the shooting, and he failed to recognize their client in 2011 when the two served time in the same Maricopa County jail pod. Court records filed in Ricci's case didn't specify the charge on which Wellmaker was jailed, and a records check didn't provide a definitive answer to the question.

Ricci ended up telling Wellmaker he was the person accused of killing his girlfriend, a judge wrote in a pretrial ruling.

The judge said Wellmaker's identification of the shooter was reliable because he would have been able to identify Ricci independent of the jail encounter. While working with a police artist after the shooting, Wellmaker described a unique tattoo across the attacker's stomach, the judge wrote.

In an unrelated crime months after Jaeger's shooting death, police say Ricci stabbed two men who tried to stop him from attacking his girlfriend. He is serving a 22-year sentence for assault and weapons misconduct convictions.

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### Lady Hawks win Region V Championship



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Howard College softball storms the field to begin their celebration after sweeping through the competition at the Region V West tournament on Sunday, May 6, 2018.

By JORDAN PARR  
Sports Editor

In the second game of the Region V West softball tournament on Saturday, the Hawks followed up their first round win with another one dominant performance. The five RBI day for Evelyn Loyola led the Hawks to a 7-1 victory over Clarendon College.

Howard College defeated Clarendon on Saturday thanks in no small part to Evelyn Loyola, who drove in five runners. Loyola drove in runs on a home run in the first and a home run in the seventh.

The Hawks secured the victory thanks to four runs in the seventh inning. Loyola and Alexis Velazquez all moved runners across the plate with

RBI in the inning.

Howard College got things moving in the first inning. Loyola homered on a 1-1 count, to score two runs.

The Hawks put up four runs in the seventh inning. The offensive onslaught was led by Loyola and Velazquez, who both drove in runs in the inning.

Julia Grib led things off on the hill for Howard College. She went seven innings, allowed one run on three hits and struck out four.

The Hawks collected ten hits. Lani Graft, Loyola, and Madoline Seumalo each racked up multiple hits for Howard College. Seumalo, Loyola, and Graft each managed two hits to lead the team offensively in the big second



Tony Claxton (claxtonphotography.com)

Howard College softball poses with the Region V West tournament trophy after sweeping undefeated, sweeping the competition in three games. The championship game was held on Sunday, May 6, 2018.

round win to advance to the Championship game.

In the Championship game on Sunday versus Midland College Julia Grib didn't allow a single run as Hawks defeated Midland 6-0 to win the 2018 Region V Championship for the fourth year in-a-row!

Madoline Seumalo led Howard College offensively by driving in four runs. She went 3-for-4 at the plate. Seumalo drove in runs on a home run in the third and a home run in the fifth.

The Hawks scored four runs in the fifth inning. Howard College's big bats were led by Paige Hallam, Seumalo, and Mackenzie Mitchiner, all driving in runs in the inning.

Grib toed the rubber for the Hawks. She lasted seven innings, allowed two hits, zero runs and struck out three. C. Kistner got the start for Midland. She allowed ten hits and six runs over six innings, striking out five.

The Hawks tallied three home runs on the day. Hallam had a homer in the fifth inning and Seumalo went yard in the third and fifth innings.

Howard College collected ten hits. Seumalo and Hallam each collected multiple hits for the Hawks. Seumalo led Howard College with three hits in four at bats.

The Hawks now move on to the NJCAA Division I National Tournament on May 16-19, 2018 at Canyons Complex; St. George, UT.

### Lady Buffs win two straight to take Area Crown

By JORDAN PARR  
Sports Editor

The Lady Buffs took it to Abernathy winning two straight in a best of three series to win the Area championship this past weekend in Sundown.

In the first game of the series on Thursday the Lady Buffs put up five runs in the first on their way to a 9-3 victory over Abernathy. Forsan put the pressure on, lead by walks by Kayla Morin, Kaylee Morgan, and Macey Evans and an error on a ball put in play by Ashtyn Pearson.

The Lady Buffs opened up scoring in the first inning, when Morin drew a walk, scoring one run.

Taylyn Still earned the victory on the pitcher's mound for Forsan. She surrendered three runs on 11 hits over seven innings, and struck out one.

Ireland Caro started the game for Abernathy. She allowed five hits and nine runs over a third of an inning, and struck out seven. Samantha Pierson took the loss for Abernathy. She surrendered zero runs on five hits over two and two-thirds innings.

The Lady Buffs racked up ten hits



Forsan softball team shown above after winning the Area Championship this past weekend in Sundown. Players: #1 Jaidyn Brown, #2 Ashtyn Pearson, #4 Taylyn Still, #5 Kaylee Morgan, #7 Avery Tigert, #16 Hannah Williams, #18 Brennan East, #23 Rylee Evans, #24 Macey Evans and #31 Kayla Morin with their coaches. Head Coach Shannah Roberts (right) and Assistant Coach AD Jason Phillips (left).

Courtesy photo

on the day. Morin and Pearson each had multiple hits for Forsan. Morin led the Lady Buffs with three hits in three at bats.

Abernathy had 11 hits in the game. Jocelyn Alvarado, Mikayla Williams, Jayden Olivares-Salas, and Arianna Martinez each managed multiple hits for Abernathy. Alvarado went 3-for-4 at the plate to lead Abernathy in hits.

The Lady Buffs were able to pull out the victory despite being out in the game 11 to 10 by playing smart and not giving up any easy runs.

In the second game of the series on Saturday Forsan pulled off the close victory with a big three run sixth where the Lady Buffs stole the lead late and defeated Abernathy 10-7. For-

san was down 6-5 in the bottom of the fifth inning when Hannah Williams tripled on a 0-1 count, to score two runs.

Brennan East collected four hits in four at bats to help lead the Lady Buffs to victory. East singled in the second, the third and the fifth, plus doubled in the sixth.

Abernathy got things moving in the first inning, when Jocelynn Aguirre doubled on a 1-2 count, to score one run.

Forsan scored three runs in the fifth and sixth inning. The Lady Buffs put the pressure on, lead by Kaylee Morgan and a double by East.

Ashtyn Pearson pitched Forsan to victory. She went seven innings, allowed seven runs on seven hits and struck out two.

Ireland Caro took the loss for Abernathy. She allowed eight hits and ten runs over six innings, and struck out seven.

East led the Lady Buffs with four hits in four at bats to lead the team offensively and take the Area Crown.

Forsan will look to keep their play-off run going as the Lady Buffs will take on New Deal in Seminole on Friday, May 11 @ 5p.

### Big Country FCA Honors Lady Steers at the All-star Festival Awards Banquet

By JORDAN PARR  
Sports Editor

Congratulations to our Big Spring Lady Steers on a great season. Despite losing in the Area round of the playoff to Venus this past weekend, the Lady Steers were also honored at the Big Country FCA All-Star Festival Awards Banquet on Sunday at the Abilene Civic Center.

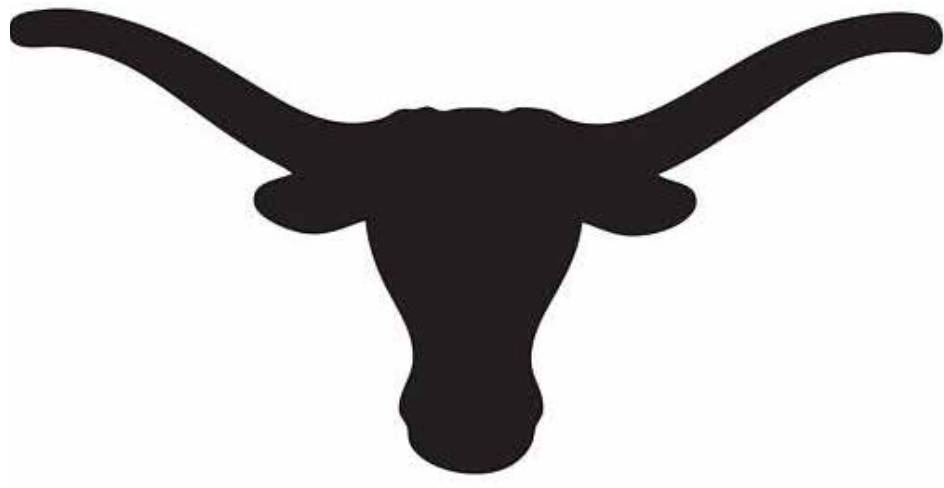
The Lady Steers were recognized as the "Impact

team of the of the year", an award that honors the efforts of a sports team that exhibits true sportsmanship and athletic accomplishment while being a genuine source of pride and inspiration to their campus and community.

The Lady Steers certainly exemplify those qualities and Steer Nation is proud to see these young Ladies and their

Coaches get recognized outside the community for the way they represent themselves on and off the field.

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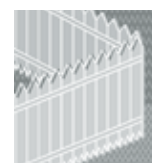
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By Holiday Mathis



Math, Music and Cosmic Squares

Mathematician Joseph Fourier claimed that math, the universal, clear and errorless language, is a "supplement the shortness of life and the imperfection of the senses." Music, which is math's fun cousin, will provide a similar service under today's Aquarius moon. Music will be a balm and distraction from the conflict of cosmic squares.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19).** It really doesn't matter who is deserving and who isn't. You're glad it's not your job to decide anyway. To extend goodwill in every direction regardless of circumstance is to expand your heart.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20).** Bring

happy thoughts to your dream. Encourage yourself. Also, let no person bring unhappy or discouraging light to it. Dreams need protection, especially when they are young.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 21).** When you have to speculate about what happened, the stories you formulate may take on wilder or darker or more saturated colors than were actually in the picture. So don't be coy. Just ask.

**CANCER (June 22-July 22).** Teamwork is almost everything today, and you'll love working with people with different strengths and weaknesses. Your role in this is clearly vital. The parts will fit together to make a jubilant whole.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22).** People have their own definition of the good life, and it's different at different ages and stages. Your appetites in regard to this are changing. It will bring you clarity to ask yourself what you really want these days.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-**

**Sept. 22).** Mystery is an invitation to imagination and creativity. You've got plenty of both. That's why you appreciate a story that doesn't spell out every last detail and a plan that leaves room for freestyle.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23).** You've brought plenty of plans to fruition. You've also abandoned plans just as soon as you could tell they were a lost cause. You're getting better and better at calling these things, which is why you should trust yourself now.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21).** People make books, and books make people. What would society be without the ideas, structures and journeys that have been laid out in pen ink? You can and will mold yourself through reading in the weeks to come.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21).** You can look for any solution on the internet, but you still would rather tell a live person and get an an-

swer that comes out of the rough, improvisational connection of human interaction.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19).** Whatever gets you up and out of yourself and your known rhythm today will be good for your life. While there may be nothing wrong with your routine, it will still hold you back if it's all you do.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18).** People will always return to the places that make them feel welcome and the people who make them feel welcome. You'll be careful to receive each and every interaction with a hospitable attitude.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20).** You're not big on fiction and fantasy these days. You'd rather be impressed by what really happened, which is often more surprising than what anyone could make up.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (May 7).** Some of last year's ambitions will fall to the wayside as you go exploring in the next 10 weeks to come up

with a much better fit. You'll become happier and more satisfied in your life, resulting in natural and effortless improvements to your physical health. An October purchase will be a personal victory. Libra and Pisces adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 30, 14, 19, 33 and 27.

**ASTROLOGICAL QUESTION:** "How can I make the best use of the fourth-quarter moon phase that begins today?"

The fourth quarter occurs halfway between a full moon and a new moon. If the new moon is when we set new intentions for ourselves and the full moon is the culmination of intentions, then the fourth-quarter moon is a kind of countdown until closing time. Like last call at the neighborhood pub, it signals you to finish off your pint, exchange digits with that attractive someone and pay your tab. This particular fourth-quarter moon happens in Aquarius, which is an extra impetus to think of how your plans are going to benefit others

and start arranging the details of how you're going to execute them. When you think about what you're going to pay forward, it will be clearer to you what's still undone. This is an excellent time to make a list of the remaining tasks and, if necessary, delegate some of the work. It's not too late to get others involved, and in fact, that's an excellent thing to do under the Aquarius moon.

**CELEBRITY PROFILES:** Alexander Ludwig has portrayed many ferocious characters in athletically demanding roles like Bjorn Lothbrok in the television series "Vikings" and Cato in "The Hunger Games." The tenacious Taurus was born when Mercury and Mars were in Aries, the high-energy sign of the warrior. Look for Ludwig in the upcoming thriller "Peace."

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Annie's Mailbox

A Pajamas Conspiracy?

Dear Annie: Shortly after Christmas, my work friend, "Mike," and I were talking at lunch and discovered we have the same problem. Our wives both gave us silk pajamas. Worst yet, they expect us to wear them! We think it's a conspiracy, even though they have never met. Mike wears his boxer briefs to bed. I stopped wearing my underwear to bed when I went off to college. By the numbers -- if you have them -- what do American men wear, or not wear, to bed? How can we convince our wives that sleeping naked doesn't make us perverts? Small children are not an issue here. -- Sleeping Bare in Sunny Florida

**Dear Sleeping Bare:** A 2005 ABC News poll asked Americans what they wore to bed. Thirteen percent of men and 55 percent of women said pajamas or nightgowns; 21 percent of men and 25 percent of women said shorts and/or a T-shirt; and 31 percent of men and 14 percent of women said they slept in the nude. It's likely those percentages have fluctuated, as the survey's over a decade old. But assuming the overall trends have held, you're in the plurality for American men.

It's also worth noting that there are some scientific ar-

guments in favor of sleeping in the buff. University of Amsterdam researchers found that people achieve deeper sleep with lower skin temperatures, which sleeping in the nude helps achieve. That said, if you should ever have to leave your home in the middle of the night because of a fire (heaven forbid), you might be wishing you had on those silk pajamas.

**Dear Annie:** My heart goes out to "My Sad Story," the woman who remembers traumatic experiences from her youth. Her sister told her to get over it. For years, I had anxiety attacks and even panic attacks but thought they occurred because I was weak in some way. I meditated, repeated positive affirmations, tried to see only the good in people and events, prayed for relief, and got counseling and medication. Nothing worked.

I am now in my late 60s. I recently decided I needed to return to counseling because I could not bear living with a constant high level of anxiety, which was negatively affecting my quality of life. I didn't have the energy to go on. By chance, I found a therapist who specializes in anxiety and post-traumatic stress disorder. He diagnosed me with PTSD, and I refused to believe it, thinking that I had not expe-

rienced the kinds of trauma experienced by military personnel. He reviewed with me the answers I had given to his questions on our initial intake appointment. I learned that I suffered from traumatic experiences in my childhood. It was hard to accept because I had made up so many excuses for my parents' behavior over the years. He told me he could help me get past the anxiety with treatment. In less than two months, my anxiety lifted.

Please tell "My Sad Story" to find a therapist who specializes in trauma and not settle for anyone else. Not every therapist has this training. Symptoms only worsen over time if not treated. -- Relieved

and Grateful  
**Dear Relieved and Grateful:** I'm printing your letter for "My Sad Story" and anyone else who might be carrying unresolved trauma from childhood without even realizing it. Thank you for sharing your story.

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1	2	8	3	4	7	9	5	6
3	5	6	2	8	7	9	1	4
4	7	9	1	6	5	8	3	2
5	1	4	7	9	2	3	6	8
6	9	3	5	8	4	7	2	1
7	8	2	4	3	6	1	9	5
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**NORTH**  
♠ —  
♥ Q 9 8 6  
♦ Q 9 5 4  
♣ A Q J 10 5

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

**EAST**  
♠ 7  
♥ A K 7 3 2  
♦ K 8 2  
♣ 9 8 4 3

**SOUTH**  
♠ A Q J 10 6 3  
♥ 5 4  
♦ 10 6 3  
♣ 7 2

The bidding:  
South West North East  
3♠ Pass Pass Dble  
Pass Pass Pass

Opening lead — jack of hearts.  
It is hard to believe that anything so unusual could occur in top-notch competition, but it did. The scene was the national Masters Team championship held in New York in 1956. South elected to open as dealer with a pre-emptive three-spade bid. West was Peter Leventritt, playing with Helen Sobel. Although he was delighted with that contract, he could not afford to double, which would have been for takeout.

So Leventritt passed, as did North, but when three spades rolled around to Helen — a gal who hated to get shut out of the bidding — she doubled for takeout.

Naturally, Leventritt elected to pass the double, as anyone else would do, and declarer went down three. But since South had 100 honors (which counted in those days), Leventritt-Sobel collected only 400 points.

When their teammates at the other table played the same hand, Boris Koytchou (South) chose to pass as dealer. But West and his partner were playing weak two-bids, and it seemed to him an appropriate time to open with two spades.

North, Harold Ogust, didn't have much in the way of high cards, but he fancied his distribution and so doubled for takeout. Koytchou, of course, could not think of any better place to play the contract than two spades doubled, so he passed.

This time it was West who became declarer at a doubled spade contract. A heart was led by North, and West eventually got home with six tricks. As a result, he went down two — 300 points — but he also had to suffer the indignity of having 100 honors scored against him.

All told, the Leventritt-Sobel team gained 800 points on the deal — 400 at each table. Whoever elected to bid spades first had to pay a heavy price, as both pre-empt boomeranged. That's the way it sometimes goes.

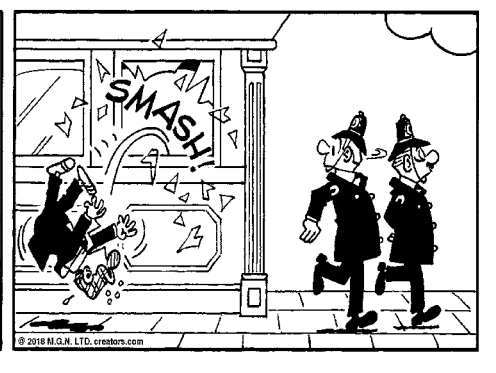
Tomorrow: What can defeat me?  
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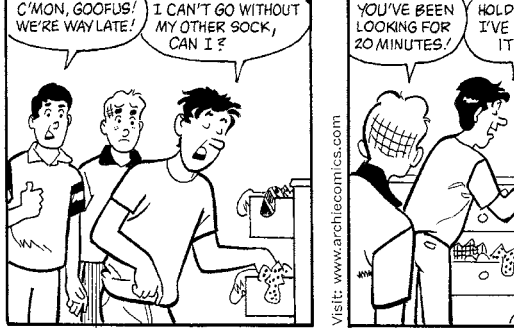
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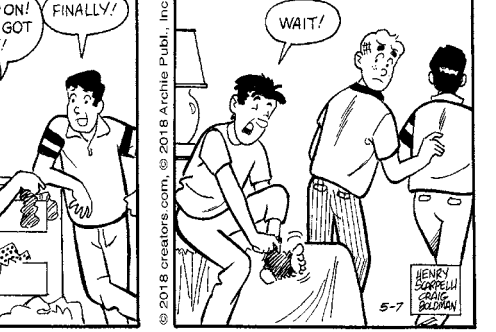
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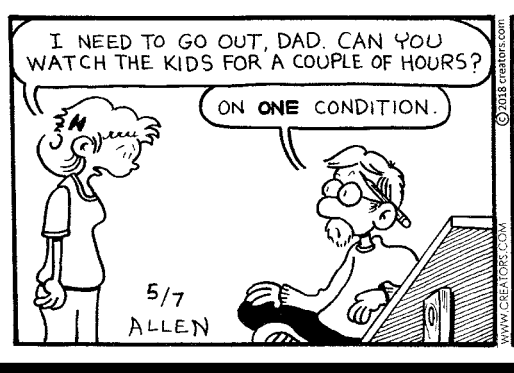
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NEST HEAD



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This Date In History

Today is Monday, May 7, the 127th day of 2018. There are 238 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On May 7, 1915, a German U-boat torpedoed and sank the British liner RMS Lusitania off the southern coast of Ireland, killing 1,198 people, including 128 Americans, out of the nearly 2,000 on board.

On this date: In A.D. 558, the original main dome of the Hagia Sophia in Constantinople completely collapsed during an earthquake; Emperor Justinian I ordered that the structure be rebuilt.

In 1763, Pontiac, chief of the Ottawa Indians, attempted to lead a sneak attack on British-held Fort Detroit, but was foiled because the British had been tipped off in advance.

In 1789, America's first inaugural ball was held in New York in honor of President George Washington, who had taken the oath of office a week earlier.

In 1824, Beethoven's Symphony No. 9 in D minor, Op. 125, had its premiere in Vienna.

In 1939, Germany and Italy announced a military and political alliance known as the Rome-Berlin Axis.

In 1942, U.S. Army Lt. Gen. Jonathan Wainwright went on a Manila radio station to announce the Allies' surrender of the Philippines to Japanese forces during World War II.

In 1945, Germany signed an unconditional surrender at Allied headquarters in Rheims (rams), France, ending its role in World War II.

In 1954, the 55-day Battle of Dien Bien Phu in Vietnam ended with Vietnamese insurgents overrunning French forces.

In 1963, the United States launched the Telstar 2 communications satellite.

In 1975, President Gerald R. Ford formally declared an end to the "Vietnam era." In Ho Chi Minh City — formerly Saigon — the Viet Cong celebrated its takeover.

In 1984, a \$180 million out-of-court settlement was announced in the Agent Orange class-action suit brought by Vietnam veterans who said they'd been injured by exposure to the defoliant.

In 1998, the parent company of Mercedes-Benz agreed to buy Chrysler Corp. for more than \$37 billion. Londoners voted overwhelmingly to elect their own mayor for the first time in history. (In May 2000, Ken Livingstone was elected.)

Ten years ago: President George W. Bush, addressing the Council of the Americas, said Cuba's post-Fidel Castro leadership had made only "empty gestures at reform" as he rejected calls for easing U.S. restrictions on the communist island. Dmitry Medvedev (dih-MEE'-tree med-VYEH'-dyev) was sworn in as Russia's president, succeeding Vladimir Putin (POO'-tihn).

Five years ago: President Barack Obama and South Korea's new leader, Park Geun-hye (goon-hay), met at the White House, where they projected a united front as they warned North Korea against further nuclear provocations. Twenty-four people were killed by a gas tanker-truck explosion on the outskirts of Mexico City. The Dow Jones industrial average closed above 15,000 for the first time, ending the day at 15,056.20, up 87.31 points. Movie special effects wizard Ray Harryhausen, 92, died in London.

One year ago: French voters elected independent centrist Emmanuel Macron, 39, as the country's youngest president, delivering a resounding victory to the pro-European former investment banker and dashing the populist dream of far-right rival Marine Le Pen. Former President Barack Obama briefly returned to the spotlight as he accepted the annual John F. Kennedy Profile in Courage Award at the JFK presidential library in Boston.

Today's Birthdays: Rhythm-and-blues singer Thelma Houston is 75. Actress Robin Strasser is 73. Singer-songwriter Bill Danoff is 72. Rock musician Bill Kreutzmann (Grateful Dead) is 72. Utah Gov. Gary Herbert is 71. Rock musician Prairie Prince is 68. Movie writer-director Amy Heckerling is 66. Actor Michael E. Knight is 59. Rock musician Phil Campbell (Motorhead) is 57. Country musician Rick Schell is 55.

**Thought for Today:**

"When an old man dies, a library burns down."

African proverb.

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Answer to previous puzzle

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Newsday Crossword

- ACROSS**
- 1 Dressed (in)
  - 5 Apex
  - 9 Lower-leg joint
  - 14 Walk in the woods
  - 15 "Tender" beef cut
  - 16 Edible ice-cream holders
  - 17 "Sign me up!"
  - 18 Clothes-dryer buildup
  - 19 Dilutes
  - 20 Gadget for removing metal lids
  - 22 Granola ingredients
  - 23 Plaything
  - 24 Portions of corn
  - 26 Insertion mark
  - 29 Profound
  - 31 Resorts with hot springs
  - 35 Rock that's mined
  - 36 India's continent
  - 38 Tell, as a story
  - 40 Gadget for checking the temperature of a roast
  - 43 Not outside
  - 44 "\_\_\_ of your business!"
  - 45 Garment label
  - 46 Group of a play's performers
  - 47 Otherwise
  - 49 What "easy" and "breezy" do
  - 51 Helper
  - 53 Become more mature
  - 54 "\_\_\_ Lang Syne"
  - 56 Gadget for making an omelet
- DOWN**
- 1 Stylish
  - 2 Peru's capital
  - 3 Similar (to)
  - 4 Indicate
  - 5 Bowling lane
  - 6 Dime or quarter
  - 7 Underground coal source
  - 8 Main dinner course
  - 9 Performer in a film
  - 10 Easy, in ads
  - 11 Create with yarn
  - 12 Eyeglasses
  - 13 Letter before tee
  - 21 "Baked" side order
  - 25 Cook's protective garment
  - 26 Professional joke teller
  - 27 Concert venue
  - 28 Enjoys a book
  - 29 Casino cube
  - 30 Merits
  - 32 Burger on a bun
  - 33 Group of top players
  - 34 Twilled suit material
  - 37 Make confetti out of
  - 39 Come into view
  - 41 Adding up
  - 42 "Eeny, meeny, miney, \_\_\_"
  - 48 Looked impolitely
  - 50 Valentine symbols
  - 52 Does nothing
  - 53 Assists in wrongdoing
  - 54 Sedan or coupe
  - 55 "Once \_\_\_ a time..."
  - 57 Checkers or Monopoly
  - 58 Wide smile
  - 59 Ripped up
  - 60 Make revisions to
  - 61 Sales agents, for short
  - 62 Portion of butter

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# Bulldogettes fall to Henrietta in Area round

**Special to the Herald**

The Coahoma Bulldogettes lost to Henrietta Saturday after a late-in-the-game come back propelled the Lady Bearcats to a 4-3 victory in area play.

Henrietta took the series 2 games to 1 ending Coahoma's season.

The Bulldogettes jumped out into the lead early in the game when Caitlyn Corley belted an unofficial out of the park home run to bring in Lexi Montelongo in the first inning. Officially, Corley's hit was marked a triple but spectators standing by the left field fence saw the ball hit a sign outside the fence knocking it back into the park.

Corley was quick to get the run anyway after taking advantage of an error by the Lady Bearcats on the next play.

From then on the game became a pitcher's duel between the two teams. Henrietta scored one run in the top of the fourth. Montelongo earned a third run for Coahoma after scoring on an error by the Lady Bearcats in the fifth.

In the top of the sixth, Henrietta took the lead for the first time in the game managing 3 runs before Coahoma got out of the inning.

With the top of the batting line up



*Courtesy photo*

**The Bulldogettes gather in a circle before game 3 of the Coahoma and Henrietta area playoff series Saturday held in Albany, Texas, May 5, 2018.**

coming into play in the seventh inning, the Lady Bearcats threatening to end the game after loading the bases with only one out. Then a Henrietta player grounded to Jaydan Mann who threw the ball to catcher Kenzi Canales for the out. Canales then sent a bullet to first baseman Cassie Grant for the double play ending the inning.

Henrietta ended the game in four plays to take the Area title. Overall, the two teams played three games in the series. The Lady Bearcats won the first game Friday 2-0 after getting runs in the fourth and fifth inning. Coahoma came back in game two 8-5 Saturday forcing the third game. Henrietta (18-7) will play Brock in regional play next Saturday.

MaKynlee Overton was on the mound in all three games for Coahoma. Collectively, she threw 280 pitches and got 184 strikes, allowed 11 runs over 23 hits and got 8 strikeouts over the three game series. Mann, Canales, and Corley collected RBI for the team.

Coahoma ends the season Bi-District champions with a record 19-5. The Bulldogettes only lost one game in district play.

# Bulldogs lose to Dublin 11-1 in Bi-district showdown

**Special to the Herald**

The Coahoma Bulldogs ended their season after falling to the Dublin Lions 11-1 Saturday in the second of a 2-game series.

Zach Schneider, who led the Bulldogs at the plate going 2 for 2, got the run in for the Bulldogs in the third. The Coahoma sophomore scored after Seth Brooks hit a ground ball and reached first base on a Lion error.

Overall, the Dublin offense was effective at the plate in game two getting 3 runs in the first, 4 in the second, 3 in the fourth and 1 in the fifth to end the game. However, on Friday the Lions just squeaked by with a 4-3 win after a late in the game comeback in the seventh inning.

Coahoma was first to put a run on the scoreboard after Logan Frank-

lin belted a double on a line drive to left field bringing in Braden Person for the score. Dublin continued to remain scoreless until bringing in 2 runs in the fifth inning.

Coahoma retook a slim 1-run lead in the sixth when Jonathon Schneider blasted a double on a line drive to left field. The hit gave enough time for Z. Schneider and Pearson to score. Dublin came back in the top of the seventh to win the game.

Pearson led the Bulldogs at bat for game 1. He went 2 for 4 at the plate with 2 runs. J. Schneider had 2 RBI for the game and Franklin had 1.

After a tough start this year with 15 straight road games early in the season, the Bulldogs rallied to win seven district games to claim a place in postseason play. Overall Coahoma had 10 victories for the season.



*Courtesy photo*

**The Bulldog team meets to discuss the game before the next inning during the Coahoma-Dublin Bi-District playoff series held Saturday, May 5, 2018, in Hawley.**



*Courtesy photo*

**Braden Pearson throws to first baseman Bracy Bacon for the out during Game 2 of the Coahoma-Dublin Bi-District playoff game held Saturday, May, 2018, in Hawley.**

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# In the NBA playoffs, teams quick to tinker with lineups

By **TIM REYNOLDS**

AP Basketball Writer

The "Death Lineup" breathed new life into the Golden State Warriors.

It was yet another reminder: In the NBA playoffs, where even a brief downward slide can be enough to end a season, even the best teams won't hesitate when they feel a need to shake up their starting lineups.

Desperate times in the first round sent Cleveland to desperate lineup measures. Toronto, the team that finished with the NBA's second-best regular season record, sought a spark by changing its starting five against the Cavs for Game 3 of the Eastern Conference semifinals. Utah showed Houston a new look Sunday in Game 4 of their West semifinal matchup, and while the Jazz slowed the high-powered Rockets at times they still fell into a 3-1 series deficit.

And then there's the Warriors, who were coming off a big loss in Game 3 against New Orleans so they put their five best players — Stephen Curry, Klay Thompson, Andre Iguodala, Kevin Durant and Draymond Green — on the floor Sunday to start a game for the first time all season. The result was a rout, one that allowed the Warriors to head home with a 3-1 lead in their series against the Pelicans.

"Anytime we've been in any danger over the years, we've sort of gone to this lineup," Warriors coach Steve Kerr said. "The lineup worked or whatever, but it's not about the lineup. It's really not."

All due respect to Kerr, he might be overstating that one.

Golden State's starting five on Sunday — some call it "The Death Lineup" because of how opponents tend to succumb against it, others prefer "Hamptons Five" because Curry, Thompson, Iguodala and Green were the players who went to the Hamptons two summers ago in an effort to lure Durant to the Warriors — was absolutely dominant. NBA.com charted them as being on the floor together for 18 minutes, during which they outscored the Pelicans 52-26.

Every other Warriors lineup used over the other 30 minutes played the Pelicans even, 66-66.

"We got momentum on our side really early," Cur-



**Golden State Warriors guard Stephen Curry (30) goes to the basket over New Orleans Pelicans guard Rajon Rondo (9) in the second half of Game 4 of a second-round NBA basketball playoff series in New Orleans, Sunday, May 6, 2018.**

ry said. "Every single person on the floor in that lineup is a playmaker. And so we have multiple options and just look for the best shot on every possession."

It wasn't exactly an in-case-of-emergency-break-glass move by the Warriors.

But these NBA playoffs have seen some of those as well.

Cleveland, which has a chance to win its way back into the Eastern Conference finals for the fourth consecutive year on Monday night if it can finish off a sweep of Toronto, almost didn't even get to this round. Facing a win-or-else Game 7 in the first round, the Cavaliers put LeBron James, Kevin Love, J.R. Smith and Tristan Thompson — the four holdovers from their 2016 NBA championship team — out to start with Kyle Korver.

It was their first time starting together this season. James survived cramps, scored 45, and the Cavaliers held off Indiana to advance. They haven't lost since.

"All five of us, we knew what we could get out of each other," James said afterward. "We've been in situations before. We've played in big games before. That's a comfort."

Toronto could use some of that comfort.

Since James entered the league, only one No. 1 seed has gotten swept in the conference playoffs — Atlanta, in 2015, by James and the Cavaliers. Toronto shook up its lineup in Game 3 on Saturday night by trying Fred VanVleet instead of Serge Ibaka, but the Raptors fell into the dreaded 3-0 series deficit when James made a running bank shot at the buzzer for the win.

Everything is on the table for the Raptors now.

"You realize how big it is in this moment to get a victory," Raptors star DeMar DeRozan said.

Sometimes, even subtle changes pay off nicely.

Boston inserted role player Semi Ojeleye into its starting lineup before Game 5 of the Celtics' first-round series against Milwaukee. Ojeleye's role: Find a way to slow down Bucks star Giannis Antetokounmpo.

Ojeleye was on the floor to help open the next three games, the first starts of his rookie season. He scored 10 points in those games, though none of that mattered much to the Celtics. His primary role was defense, since Antetokounmpo averaged 27.8 points on 62 percent shooting in the first four games of the series.

With Ojeleye in the lineup, Antetokounmpo averaged 23 points on 50 percent shooting in the last three games — and seemed particularly out of sorts in Game 5, the first one where the Celtics made the change.

Boston won that night by five points, and wound up surviving the series in seven games.

"He did a great job," Antetokounmpo said, tipping his cap to Ojeleye. "He played hard. He competed."

And that's the secret, Kerr said. It's not about the names, he insists. It's about how well they perform.

It's become a bit of a running joke around the Warriors that Kerr won't reveal his starting lineups until he absolutely has to, no matter how many times he is asked.

But this time, after the results on Sunday, Kerr isn't holding his cards to his chest. Game 5 is on Tuesday night. The "Death Lineup" starts.

AP photo

# Fowler's 2-run HR in 14th rallies Cardinals past Cubs, 4-3

By **KURT VOIGT**

AP Sports Writer

ST. LOUIS — Dexter Fowler had a flair for the dramatics during his two seasons with the Chicago Cubs, from game-winning home runs early in his first year at Colorado to the leadoff blast in Game 7 of the World Series in 2016.

The St. Louis Cardinals outfielder was up to his old theatrics early Monday morning, putting the finishing touch on a Cardinals sweep of the Cubs with a two-out, two-run home run in the bottom of the 14th inning.

Fowler's game winner lifted St. Louis to a 4-3 victory over Chicago, doing so in a twice rain-delayed game that appeared to be all but finished when Javier Baez put the Cubs up by a run with his solo home run in the top of the 14th.

That is, until Fowler reminded his old teammates of the excitement they've been missing since he departed Chicago following its World Series championship in favor of a four-year contract in St. Louis.

"It's always something special if you do it against them," Fowler said.

The victory was the Cardinals' fifth straight, matching their season-best winning streak. It also improved St. Louis to 4-1 on the season against the rival Cubs, a year after Chicago won 14 of the 19 games between the two.

After Chicago took a 3-2 lead on Baez's solo shot in the top of the 14th, Luke Farrell (1-2) struck out the first two Cardinals batters he faced before allowing an infield single to Harrison Bader. Fowler then lifted a 2-2 pitch down the right-field line and just over the glove of Chicago outfielder Jason Heyward.

"I said to myself, 'If you catch this, I'm going to cry,'" Fowler said. "He jumped and I thought he caught it. So I stopped. Then, I saw it bounce and I was like, 'Oh, my gosh.' Words can't even explain it."

Mike Mayers (1-0) earned the win in relief for St. Louis, allowing one run in three innings. The Cardinals bullpen allowed only three hits in 8 2/3 innings.

The loss was the season-high fifth straight for Chicago, the team's worst losing stretch since a six-game skid in late May last season. The Cubs have now failed to score more than three runs in 10 of their last 11 games.

"We're just not hitting the ball," Chicago manager Joe Maddon said. "We're just not scoring any runs. The pitching, obviously, has been good enough to have a really good streak going on, but we've been void of contact."

The game, which ended at nearly 1 a.m. local time, was delayed twice by rain, a 30-minute de-



**St. Louis Cardinals players wait at home plate for Dexter Fowler (25) to round the bases after he hit a walk-off two-run home run in the 14th inning of a baseball game against the Chicago Cubs in St. Louis, Mo. The Cardinals won, 4-3.**

AP photo

lay in the first inning and then 29 minutes during the third. It was also matched the longest game between the Cubs and Cardinals in nearly 12 years, equaling a 14-inning Chicago win over St. Louis on June 2, 2006.

"I can't think of one more exciting," Cardinals

manager Mike Matheny said.

Both starting pitchers fared well despite the start-and-stops. Michael Wacha allowed one earned run in 5 1/3 innings for the Cardinals, and Jon Lester overcame four walks to allow two runs in 5 1/3 innings for the Cubs.

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