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Commissioners to hold budget workshop

By ROGER CLINE
Staff Writer
Prior to their regular 3:30 Commissioners Court meeting Wednesday, Howard County commissioners will hold a budget workshop.

The workshop, which is listed on the meeting's agenda as including "possible action," will convene at 1 p.m. in the conference room on the second floor of the Howard County Courthouse. Following the workshop, commis-

sioners will reconvene at 3:30 in the third-floor courtroom at the courthouse. With the end of the school year approaching soon, commissioners plan to honor some outstanding students during the regular portion of

their meeting. Commissioners have chosen a both a male and female student from each of Howard County's three school districts - Big Spring, Coahoma and Forsan, to honor as Senior Students of the Year. Commissioners will

hold a presentation and recognition for each of the six students during their meeting. In other business, commissioners plan to: See **BUDGET**, Page 3

Big Spring Intermediate's got talent

Special to the Herald

Big Spring Intermediate (BSI) released its new STAAR video on Friday. This year's theme was, "BSI Got Talent". The video was based around STAAR lingo, which included several skits put on by some of the BSI 6th grade students. This year, they included a grandma and a parent. This is the 4th video BSI has created to help promote passing the STAAR. The same crew has partaken in its creation: Mr. Billy Daves, BSI Choir Teacher, Jose Rameriz, Corey Green, and Jared Sanchez (along with all former BSHS graduates). If you would like to check out the new video, simply visit the BSI Facebook page.



Courtesy photo
Big Spring Intermediate students pose for a picture with Mr. Daves. From left to right are: Karleigh Norman, Mr. (Billy) Daves, Alandra Juarez, Donavyn Hilario, Miranda Gomez, Reagan Heffle, Gabrielle Cruz, Brooklyn Hyatt and Kaegan Baker.

Bowl for salvation

By AMBER MANSFIELD
Staff Writer

Are you ready to bowl for Salvation? Salvation Army that is. Well then get ready for the First Boys and Girls Club Summer Day Camp Bowl Benefit slated for this Thursday, May 17, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

"We are really excited to do the first-ever Boys and Girls Club Summer Day Camp Bowl," said Salvation Army Co-Commander Josh McKain. "The event will be held at the Bowl-A-Rama bowling center (located at 3318 South Service Road Interstate 20 in Big Spring)".



McKain

According to McKain, this Summer Day Camp Bowl will benefit the Summer Day Camp program out at the Salvation Army. "This isn't a tournament, but rather just a fun time to bowl, enjoy a night out and support the club. It's just open play" McKain said.

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CISD board recognition



Courtesy photo

The Coahoma ISD board recognized outgoing members Brian Moore and Jody Reid for their years of service to the community on Thursday night during a special-called meeting to canvas the May 5 election results. Pictured from the left are CISD board members Craig Ferguson and Kandy Alaman, outgoing member Brian Moore, Michael Brooks, Lori Martinez and Dicky Stone. Reid was absent from the meeting as he and his wife were traveling to attend their son's graduation from seminary in North Carolina.

Summerfest a hit



HERALD photo/Amber Mansfield

Photographed above is a scene from Ryan Hall on Saturday night, packed full of Howard County residents for the singer, Gary Hobbs' performance at the 2018 Summerfest. Summerfest is a weekend-long celebration full of family fun, games, face painting, a domino tournament, food, a washer tournament, live music and much more.

Trump, aides celebrate Jerusalem embassy, as border burns

By ANNE FLAHERTY and CATHERINE LUCEY

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Amid deadly clashes along the Is-

raeli-Palestinian border, President Donald Trump declared Monday a "great day" for Israel as his top aides celebrated the opening of the new U.S. Embassy in Jerusalem as a campaign promised fulfilled.

Trump's daughter Ivanka and son-in-law Jared Kushner, along with Treasury Secretary Steve Mnuchin, led the U.S. delegation with a single message: Only Trump had the courage to act on what America has wanted for a long time.

"While presidents before him have backed down from their pledge to move the American Embassy once they were in office, this president delivered. Because when President Trump makes a promise, he keeps it," Kushner said.

The relocation of the embassy from Tel Aviv has infuriated the Palestinians, who seek east Jerusalem as a future capital. Protests roiled the Gaza border, resulting in at least 37 Palestinians killed, officials said.

In a video address that aided at the

ceremony's opening, Trump said the move to Jerusalem has been a "long time coming," after the U.S. had "failed to acknowledge the obvious" for many years. Trump said he remained committed to "facilitating a lasting peace agreement," and that he was "extending a hand of friendship to Israel, the Palestinians and to all of their neighbors."

Earlier that morning on Twitter, Trump urged people to watch the

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Obituaries

Joe Miramontes



Joe Miramontes, 50, of Big Spring, died Friday, May 11, 2018. A vigil will be held at 7 p.m. Monday at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral Service will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Myers & Smith Chapel with burial at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Joe was born March 31, 1968, in Big Spring. He was a lifetime resident of Big Spring. Joe was a supervisor in food service at Scenic Mountain Medical Center. Joe enjoyed listening to all kinds of music but country music was his favor-

ite. His favorite sport was football and was always rooting for his favorite team the Cowboys.

Joe is survived by his life partner Gary Gamble of Big Spring; his mother, Cecilla Mier of Big Spring; six brothers, Efrain Mier, Martin Mier, Oscar Mier, Ruben Mier, Juaquin Mier, and Alejandro Mier all of Big Spring; three sisters, Molly Galan, Cecilia Mier Quintana, and Petra Mier Martinez all of Big Spring; and a number of Aunts and Uncles including David Miramontes, Arthur Miramontes and Albert Leos.

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

Paid Obituary

Roy Boyd



Roy Boyd, 62, of Big Spring, died Thursday, May 10, 2018. The family will receive friends from 10 a.m. until 11 a.m. Monday. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Monday at Myers & Smith Chapel with Steve Moses officiating.

Roy was born July 25, 1955, in Lubbock, Texas. He was a lifetime resident of Big Spring. Roy was a veteran of the U.S. Navy. He was a

cook for Brenda's Bar-b-que. He loved camping and being outdoors.

Roy is survived by two daughters, Ammie Howell and Courtney Boyd both of Big Spring; four grandchildren, Ashlie Aaron, Baylee Walker, Kain Spivey, and Kloey Spivey; and nine great grandchildren.

Roy was preceded in death by his parents, Dorothy & Bill Whitton and his wife Patricia Howell.

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

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Police, Sheriff Report

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **ERMELINDA CHAVARRIA CANO**, of 1510 S Nolan St., was arrested on a warrant of bail jumping and fail to appear.
- **JENNIFER LEEANN WELLS**, of 2300 Thorpe St., was arrested on a warrant of criminal trespass.
- **KRISTY MICHELLE LIVINGSTON**, of 708 E 17th St., was arrested on a warrant with another agency.
- **CAROLYN JEAN HANKE**, of 117 1/2-s David Rd., was arrested on a warrant with another agency.
- **TYLER CHASE**, of 1409 Lincoln Ave., was arrested on a warrant with another agency.
- **KEITH PAUL LANCE**, of 201 Ethridge Dr., was arrested on a warrant with another agency.
- **JACKLYNN YVONNE WATSON**, of 1211 Ridgeroad Dr., was arrested on warrants of cruelty to non-livestock animals, theft of service in between \$100 to \$750.

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

Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 76 inmates at the time of this report.

- **ALCIDO JOSEPH BAUDOIN**, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant on DWLI.
- **JASON HARVEY BEDFORD**, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant of theft of property less than \$100 to \$750, and on a charge of possession of drug paraphernalia.
- **ERMELINDA CHAVARRIA**

CANO, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant of bail jumping and fail to appear.

• **TYLER CHASE**, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant of assault of class C.

• **RACHEL BROOKE FRIAR**, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant theft property less than \$750 and \$2,500.

• **JONATHAN DANIEL GARCIA**, was arrested by DPS on a charge of fraud.

• **SAUNDRA JO GARRARD**, was arrested by HCSO on a warrant of theft of property less than \$2,500, and on a charge of possession of drug paraphernalia.

• **BRENDA LUNA GONZALES**, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant of theft of property less than \$1,500 to \$750.

• **CAROLYN JEAN HANKE**, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant of theft of property less than \$100 to \$750.

• **BRYAN EDWARD HOTZ**, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of failure to maintain financial responsibility.

• **JADE JOSEPH**, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant of theft of service in between \$750 to \$2,500.

• **GERALD RAY KING**, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant of possession of controlled substance less than one gram.

• **KEITH PAUL LANCE**, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant of theft of property in between \$2,500 to \$30,000.

• **ANDREA DENISE LAND**, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

• **KRISTY MICHELLE LIVINGSTON**, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant of parole violation.

• **MICHAEL STEVEN MARQUEZ**, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of criminal trespass-habitation

• **JONATHAN MATA**, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of assault family violence.

• **KENNETH EVANS MCGRUDER**, was arrested by BSPD on charge of while driving intoxicated.

• **ABIGAIL LYNN ORTEGA**, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant of bail jumping and failure to appear.

• **ARREON DESHAY PATTON**, was arrested by BSPD on a warrants of consumption of alcohol by minor.

• **JOHN DANIEL RENTERIA**, was arrested by BSPD on warrants of operate unregistered motor vehicle, violate promise to appear, and on a charge of public intoxication.

• **ISAAC STEPHEN RODRIGUEZ**, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of assault causes bodily injury.

• **DAPHANE NICOLE WALKER**, was arrested by BSPD on warrants on two counts theft of service in between \$750-\$2,500, failure to maintain financial responsibility.

• **JACKLYNN YVONNE WATSON**, was arrested by BSPD on warrants of cruelty to non-livestock animals, theft of service in between \$100 to \$750.

• **JENNIFER LEEANN WELLS**, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant of criminal trespass.

• **ISAAC RAY WILLBORN**, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

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 Basaldua at 1-877-316-8346 or visit www.BecomeaCASA.org or 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.

Rachel McKee Shaffer

Rachel McKee Shaffer, 94, died Sunday, May 13, 2018, at her residence. Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Martha Roberta Williams

Martha Roberta Williams, 95, of Big Spring, formally of Clyde, Texas, died Sunday, May 13, 2018. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

James Lynn Parker

James Lynn Parker, 37, of Big Spring, died Friday, May 11, 2018. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Alesia Porras

Alesia Porras, 76, of Big Spring, died Saturday, May 12, 2018. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

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

Big Spring and Snyder Parkinsons Support Group meeting at the Big Spring Senior Center at 10:30 a.m. the second Tuesday of the month.

This is a group for all Parkinson's disease patients, spouses and caregivers.

For more information about the support group or about Parkinson's Disease, contact Jo Bidwell at the Lubbock APDA office at 806-785-0942.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; newcomers meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

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.

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

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.

THURSDAY

GriefShare is a Biblical support group that focuses on helping people who are dealing with a loved one's death. Each DVD session features nationally respected grief experts and real-life stories, followed by small group discussion about the topics presented (with workbook support). Weekly Feb. 8 through May 10, 6 to 8 p.m. at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Call Vivian Gordon at 432-466-3583 for more information.

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.

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- Discuss and possibly approve the contract for a 2018 Howard County video project, in which a company will create a promotional video for the county at no charge.

- Discuss and possibly approve the annual SAVNS Maintenance Grant contract.

- Discuss and possibly take action on capital credits for unclaimed property.

- Discuss and possibly take action on a letter of support for the Howard County Public Library regarding library accreditation. The Howard County Library is facing possible loss of accreditation due to the new library director, Mavour Braswell, splitting her workload between the Howard County Library and the Howard College Library as part of an agreement with Howard College to explore the possibility of merging the two libraries. County Accreditation requires a full-time director; also the lower expenditure on the director's part-time salary brings the library budget below the level required by the Texas State Library and Archives Commission.

- Discuss and possibly approve appointment of an outside auditor.

- Discuss and possibly take action on a weight limit for Val Verde Road.

- Discuss and possibly take action on an administrative fee and specifications for pipeline road crossings.

Those wishing to address the commissioners should arrive prior to the meeting to fill out a brief form alerting them of your intent to speak. For more information contact County Judge Kathryn Wiseman's office at 432-264-2202.

Contact Staff Writer Roger Cline at 432-263-7331 ext. 235, or by email at reporter@big-springherald.com.

10 Things to Know for Today

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

1. DEADLY VIOLENCE AHEAD OF US EMBASSY EVENT

Several Palestinians are killed by Israeli fire, and scores wounded, as thousands march toward the Gaza border while Israel prepares for the inauguration of a new U.S. Embassy in contested Jerusalem.

2. WHAT DOESN'T APPEAR TO FIT WITH 'AMERICA FIRST'

Trump says he will help the Chinese telecommunications company ZTE get "back into business" after the U.S. government cut off access to its American suppliers.

3. WHAT POLICE ARE SAYING ABOUT INDO-

NESIA BOMBINGS

Families with young children were involved in deadly attacks on a police headquarters and coordinated suicide bombings on three city churches.

4. WHO LEADS IRAQI ELECTION RESULTS

The coalition of influential Shiite cleric Muqtada al-Sadr takes an early lead in the country's national elections.

5. FRANCE QUESTIONS PARENTS, FRIEND OF PARIS STABBING SUSPECT

Counterterrorism investigators want to know if Khamzat Azimov, 20, a French citizen born in the Russian republic of Chechnya, had help or co-conspirators.

6. MARIJUANA GROWERS DIVERSIFY WITH HEMP

AMID CBD BOOM

A glut of pot and low prices for it in Oregon prompt some growers to switch to hemp to cash in on soaring interest in the cannabidiol extract from it that is a health craze, AP learns.

7. EVEN BIGGER SEX ABUSE SCANDAL RANKLES CHILEANS

The Marist Brothers congregation reveals that at least 14 minors were abused from the 1970s

until 2008 by a brother who worked at two of the order's schools.

8. NOISY HAWAIIAN VOLCANO LAVA FISSURE PROMPTS MORE EVACUATIONS

A new fissure in Hawaii's Puna District sends gases and lava exploding into the air, spurring officials to call for more evacuations near Kilauea volcano's summit.

9. SNOOPY MAY BE

JOINING SONY

The Japanese electronics giant's music unit is buying a stake in Peanuts Holdings, the company behind Snoopy and Charlie Brown.

10. TRIAL ON TAP IN NFL TEAM'S MEMORABILIA LAWSUIT

A lawsuit accuses the New York Giants and QB Eli Manning of knowingly selling bogus "game-worn" equipment to unsuspecting collectors.

Texas Panhandle wildfire burns more than 69,000 acres

WAYSIDE, Texas (AP) — Firefighters in the Texas Panhandle are working to contain a wildfire that's blackened more than 69,000 acres (27923.92 hectares).

The Texas A&M Forest Service reports nearly 300 firefighters are at the blaze that began last week east of Wayside, about 40 miles (64.37 kilometers) southeast of Amarillo and not far from Palo Duro Canyon.

The fire Sunday afternoon was about 15 percent contained. Temperatures in the 90s (32.22-Celsius) and gusty winds helped spread up to 15-foot (4.57-meter) flames through dry tall grass, brush, mesquite and juniper in rough terrain. The fire was moving north and northeast. Armstrong County officials are reporting no immediate evacuations.

On Friday, the National Weather Service in Amarillo reported a smoke cloud from the wildfire created its own thunderstorm with 1-inch (25.4-millimeter) hail.

Balmorhea State Park Pool Closed Until Further Notice

Special to the Herald

BALMORHEA— Due to structural failure, the Balmorhea State Park pool will be closed until further notice pending repairs. Damage to the concrete apron under the diving board, which is used to stabilize the walls of the pool from erosion, was found during the pool's annual cleaning this week. Park officials are evaluating the extent of the damage and taking steps to repair the structure.

"Balmorhea State Park is a treasured oasis in west Texas that has provided unique recreational opportunities for generations of Texans," said Brent Leisure, director of Texas State Parks. "Our staff is working diligently to address the situation and make the pool is safe for the visitors and the aquatic life in habitats associated with the San Solomon Springs."

The Civilian Conservation Corps structure was built in the mid-1930s and is the world's largest spring-fed swimming pool. More than 15 million gal-

lons of water flow through the pool each day, gushing from the San Solomon Springs. The 1.3-acre pool is up to 25 feet deep, holds 3.5 million gallons of water and the water temperature stays at 72 to 76 degrees year-round.

Additionally, the Balmorhea State Park pool is home to numerous species of aquatic animals, including two small, endangered desert fishes—the Pecos gambusia and the Comanche Springs pupfish. Habitats have been created outside of the pool for the protection of these species and numerous invertebrates. Steps are being taken to ensure the important habitats and species that call the San Solomon Springs home are protected.

The park will remain open for day-use only with limited facilities.

For more information about Balmorhea State Park, visit the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's website or contact the park at (432) 375-2370.

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"We are also going to have a silent auction, and we're going to have a video presentation and other things."

McKain went on to say that everyone is sure to have a good time that day, and that ultimately it's about having fun while doing it for a great cause.

"All the kids in the Boys and Girls Club will be there from 4 to 5:30 p.m. to bowl." Also during the event, they're doing a pin pledge bowl," said McKain. "That means that they're going to be collecting pledges from family and friends that will help raise money to help fund the Boys and Girls Club."

The Boys and Girls Club

plays a vital part in caring for many Big Spring kids during the summer, and always are doing what they can to help those who can't.

"We help a lot of kids throughout the summer, which can be a very vulnerable time for them, when they're not at school," said McKain. "That's why we have the Boys and Girls Club. Our is to have a safe, fun, and affordable for the children to come during the summer times."

For more information, contact the Salvation Army at 432-267-8239, or by email at joshua.mckain@uss.salvationarmy.org.

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ceremony on television and declaring the day "A great day for Israel!" As the ceremony began, he wrote: "Big day for Israel. Congratulations!"

Likewise, Trump's aides also made no direct reference to the climbing death toll. In a Fox News interview, Mnuchin repeatedly referenced Jerusalem as the capital of Israel and said Trump should be praised for "taking action" to keep Americans and people in the Middle East safe.

"The president is making difficult decisions because they are what he believes are the right long term decisions and not just kicking the can down the road," Mnuchin said.

Mnuchin also said "it's not coincidental" that the embassy move coincided with Trump's announcement that he planned to abandon the Iran nuclear deal.

Also on hand were Republican Sens. Ted Cruz of Texas, Mike Lee of Utah, Dean Heller of Nevada and Lindsey Graham of South Carolina.

The embassy celebration was widely considered a snub by the Palestinians. Roughly 800 guests were expected to attend. U.S. officials said last week that Trump's delegation was not planning on meeting Palestinian officials during their visit. The Trump administration in recent months also has slashed U.S. aid to the Palestinians and programs that support them.

Trump's policy is a sharp departure from past U.S. administrations, which have tried to position America as a neutral party ready to broker a peace deal.

"Of all the things President Trump could have done, doing this (embassy move) is the strongest signal he could send to the Israeli people," South Carolina's Graham said.

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Israel's Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, 2nd left, his wife Sara Netanyahu, left, Senior White House Advisor Jared Kushner, 3rd left, US President's daughter Ivanka Trump, center, US Treasury Secretary Steve Mnuchin, attend the opening ceremony of the new U.S. embassy in Jerusalem, Monday, May 14, 2018.

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Forsan Sprinter takes Silver at State



Courtesy Photo/Kara Freeman

Emily Garcia (left) took 2nd Place in the 200 M Dash with an impressive time of 25.42 seconds at the State Meet this weekend in Austin. She finished her great year on the biggest stage with a podium appearance. Congratulations Emily on an outstanding year!

Lady Buffs fall to New Deal in Regional Quarterfinal



By **JORDAN PARR**
Sports Editor

The Lady Buffs fell behind early and never recovered in a 16-1 loss to New Deal on Saturday. New Deal took the lead early on an error by Forsan in the first inning. The Lady Lions outhit the Lady Buffs 10 to 4 in the contest and had zero errors while Forsan had four.

Forsan struggled to contain the high-powered offense of New Deal, giving up 16 runs in the game.

In the first inning, The Lady Lions got their offense started when an error scored two runs for New Deal.

The Lady Lions scored seven runs in the fourth inning. New Deal's big bats were led by J. Valdez, S. Valdez, N. Hernandez, and M. Romero, who all sent runners across the plate with RBIs in the inning.

Valdez was credited with the victory for New Deal. Valdez went five innings, allowed one run on four hits and struck out three.

Taylyn Still took the loss for Forsan. Still allowed four hits and six runs over one and two-thirds innings, and walked one. Ashtyn Pearson started the game for the Lady Buffs. Pearson went three and a third innings, allowed ten runs on six hits and struck out four.

Still went 2-for-2 at the plate to lead Forsan in hits while Kayla Morin and Avery Tigert both drove in runs to lead the Lady Buffs offensively. T. Gonzales and Valdez each collected multiple hits for New Deal.

What a great year for the Lady Buffs, their outstanding post season run brought the Bi-District and Area Championships home this year. Congratulations on a great season ladies!

Hawks season comes to a disappointing end

By **JORDAN PARR**
Sports Editor

After a tough first round loss to Grayson at the Region V Tournament last Friday the Hawks got a chance to get back into the winners bracket against a familiar foe in Odessa College. But despite the fact that Howard College had beat them multiple times in Conference play the Hawks never seemed to get settled and were beat in an upset by the Wranglers 6-2. Odessa outhit Howard 7 to 6 in the contest and committed no errors to the Hawks' four. The difference in errors being the major contributing factor in the loss.

Bryan Sturges, Mason Peterson, Tristan Peterson, Aaron Samaniego and Robert Bullard Jr. each had hits in the game. With Samaniego being the only Hawk with multiple hits. Samaniego went two for three at the plate with one RBI on a solo homerun. Sturges had the other lone RBI on a deep solo shot of his own. The Hawks were shutout on Saturday with the exception of these two long balls.

Tyler McKay got the start on the mound for Howard College. McKay pitched five and a third innings, gave up five runs on six hits and struck out six in the loss. Ryan Williams, Denny Bentley, Cole McKay and Jacob Salim all pitched in relief for the Hawks as well.

While this end to the season was not what anyone expected and definitely fell short of the teams goals, the Hawks still had yet another outstanding year. One that the entire campus and community are proud of. Good luck and thank you, to all the Hawks that are moving on to four year schools next year. You have been a great group and continued the great legacy of winning at Howard College. To all the returning players who will make up the leadership of next years team, we are with you. GO HAWKS!



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Howard College's Bryan Sturges hits a home run during the Hawk's second round loss to Odessa College at the Region V tournament on Saturday, May 12, 2018. Howard was eliminated from the tournament with the loss.



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Howard College pitcher Tyler McKay fields a hit up the middle during the Hawk's second round loss to Odessa College at the Region V tournament on Saturday, May 12, 2018. Howard was eliminated from the tournament with the loss.



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Howard College baseball head coach Rob Martinez takes part in the pre-game plate meeting before the Hawk's second round game at the Region V tournament on Saturday, May 12, 2018. Howard was eliminated from the tournament with a loss to Odessa College in the game.

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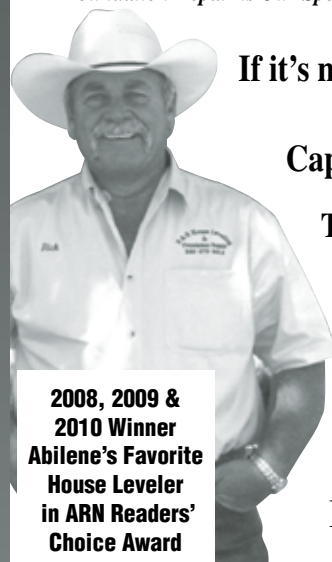


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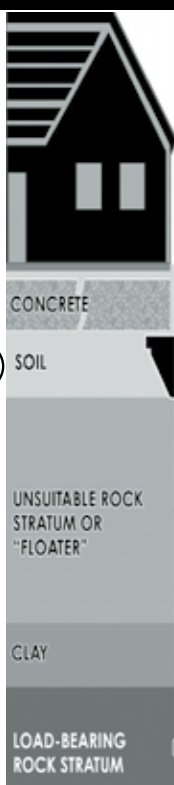
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BY HOLIDAY MATHIS



New Moon Pre-Show

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ARIES (March 21-April 19). The unique qualities come naturally to you. Build on that originality. Steer away from "one size fits all"-type goals. Trying to make something fit everyone is a good way to make it fit no one.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). You'll never have enough time to impart what you know in great detail. So choosing your stories well and telling them succinctly will be your key to making sure everyone has understood you.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Wanting and needing -- what a position to be in! If you can rid yourself of both conditions, you'll get the best deals and arrangements possible. Also, don't be afraid to negotiate. You're great at it!

CANCER (June 22-July 22). You want to know exactly what

you're dealing with, what's going to be expected of you, what work came before yours and where it's likely to go next. The more you can find out the better your results will be.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). You feel that you can predict what people are going to do on the grand scale by correctly analyzing what they do on the small one. Your skill at this is pretty impressive today, and you'll be very accurate.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). It's easier to settle in when circumstances are not all that much different from the ones you already know; however, you didn't come all this way to repeat the same pattern. Accept discomfort as part of growth.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). You have people in the same group working toward the same goal who view things very differently. Not only is this OK; it's preferred. It's what makes your group strong.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). There are people who develop crushes quickly and with very little basis. Know that they will just as quickly lose those crushy feelings. Enjoy each temporary stage for what it's worth.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). You're an inclusive person, but if you don't create and protect your schedule, you may regret it later. People want your time. Before you agree, decide how well this fits into your plan.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You'll be a

bridge between people, closing the gap that exists because of cultural and generational differences. The reason you can do this is that you know both worlds very well.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You want quick answers and would love to have a guarantee, yet such things aren't in the cards today. Settle in for the whole story. Expect that people will do their best. It's as good as it gets, which won't be half bad.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). Relationships will mature just as soon as the people in them do. It can happen as a function of being in the relationship, but more than likely, it will be what happens outside of it that starts the growth spurt.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (May 14). The travel you do will pay off in joy, in education and eventually in dollars. New people are added to your inner circle, and they will lift your experience during this jubilant solar return. As you become a more loving and tolerant partner, something magical happens: The change you wanted occurs without your involvement. Leo and Pisces adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 2, 24, 32, 29 and 40.

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three weeks before our wedding. There's something about the plan that doesn't sit right with me. Is he trying to get himself killed so he doesn't have to get married? Is he afraid that married life will be so boring that he has to get in all the excitement he can before he takes his vows? Should I be taking this so personally?"

Sagittarius people are famously adventurous, and they feel vividly alive while exploring parts of the world that are new to them. Perhaps your fiancé wants to take a risk such as this while he is still technically a single man because doing so as a husband or later possibly as a father would be irresponsible, if not out of the question. It may be an extremely good sign for your marriage that he takes such things into consideration. Of course, you won't really know until you ask him directly -- a practice that will hold you in good stead for your married life.

CELEBRITY PROFILES: Venus-ruled Cate Blanchett has been called a throwback to Hollywood's golden age, when mystery, glamour and mega-talent went along with the job. Whether reliving history in movies such as "Elizabeth" or channeling an enchanted fantasy in the "Lord of the Rings" trilogy, Blanchett breathes the kind of screen magic into her work that makes the character and world come alive.

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Annie's Mailbox

Not a Pro Bono Baby Sitter

Dear Annie: I'm a college sophomore. Recently, I baby-sat for a friend of a friend who is a few years older and lives in town with her husband and two kids. One was an infant, and the other was a toddler. It was a relatively easy baby-sitting gig; the little one mostly just slept, and the older one, though a bit of a handful at times, was not too much trouble. I watched them for about three hours while the parents went on a date. At the end of the night, the mom and I chatted for a few minutes. Then she said, "Well, it would be tacky to pay you, so I'll just take you to lunch sometime." I felt awkward and said, "Oh, OK. Sure." I wasn't sure what else to say. I got my things and left.

It's not as if she and I were friends; this was my first time meeting her. I'm trying to pay my way through college with a work-study gig and any other odd jobs I can pick up. Every little bit counts, even if it's just \$20. She's a nice woman, and I'm happy to get lunch with her sometime, but was I wrong to expect some payment? -- Baby Sitter Blues

Dear Baby Sitter

Blues: There's nothing tacky about trying to pay the bills. That said, the best defense for socially awkward situations such as this one is a good offense. The next time she or anyone else asks you to baby-sit, provide your rates (e.g., \$10 per child per hour), to eliminate any room for misunderstanding and keep your piggy bank fed.

Dear Annie: I wanted to submit this letter of forgiveness that I wrote to my dad. He's no longer with us, but I felt that getting my feelings out on paper was very therapeutic, and it helped me to move on. I also feel there are many people out there who have been where I have, and I wanted to pay it forward to those suffering out there in hopes that it will guide them to the path of forgiveness.

Dad, today is the day you passed away three years ago. But that was not the first time I felt the pain of your absence. That has been with me for a very long time. When I was 4, you walked out and left us. I didn't understand why you were leaving. I only knew you were no longer there.

You didn't leave us entirely. You would

come pick us up every Sunday, spend the day with us and drop us off. Then you would leave again. My heart would break when I would see you drive away.

After a year or so, I asked you to come let me live with you. You came down to pick me up and then said you couldn't take me. I got out of your truck and watched you drive away.

Years later, when I was grown up, I would come to visit you, and as I walked to my car to leave, you would apologize to me. To hear you say you were sorry for not being there broke my heart, because I felt it should have been an easy choice.

Many years later, as you sat in a rehab facility, I came to visit you. I said my final goodbye. As the nurses pushed you away in the wheelchair, my heart sank. I knew that was going to be the last time I would see you.

I learned a lot about forgiveness in my relationship with you. This has been a real gift to me. Going through my relationship with you has helped me be a better father. I try so hard to be there for my son. I'm healing my heart by giving him what I never had. I hope that when

you are looking down on me, you are proud of the father I have become. I no longer focus on the things you did wrong. I focus on the things you did right and try to incorporate those things into being a father.

I wanted to write and acknowledge the pain in my heart so that I can heal and move on. But more importantly, I write this so as not to drag you down with my pain. I want you to move on with your life in heaven. I want to set you free.

Dad, I know that one day, you and I will have our special time together. Until then, I love you and I forgive you. -- Jay

Dear Jay: I have said that putting pen to paper is a cheap and effective form of therapy. But this is something even more special: the gift of forgiveness. Thank you for sharing it with us.

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Level: Intermediate

Here's How It Works:

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

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ANSWER:

Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker
Famous Hand

West dealer.
North-South vulnerable.
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♥ 10
♦ 10 7 3
♣ 10 5 3

WEST
♠ Q 10 7 4
♥ J 8 7 6
♦ Q 9 8 6 4
♣ —

EAST
♠ A K 9
♥ K 4 3
♦ K J 5 2
♣ A K 6

SOUTH
♠ —
♥ A Q 9 5 2
♦ A
♣ Q J 9 8 7 4 2

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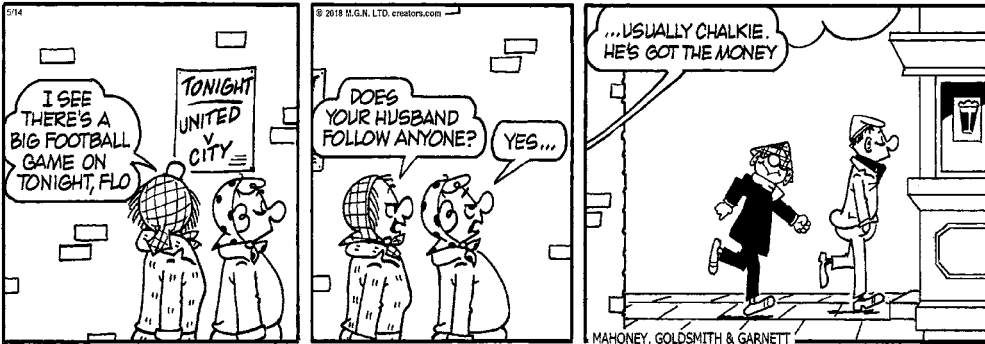
Opening lead — six of diamonds.
This dramatic deal occurred in a playoff match to determine the team to represent the United States in the 1973 world team championship.
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Tomorrow: Sound reasoning helps a lot.

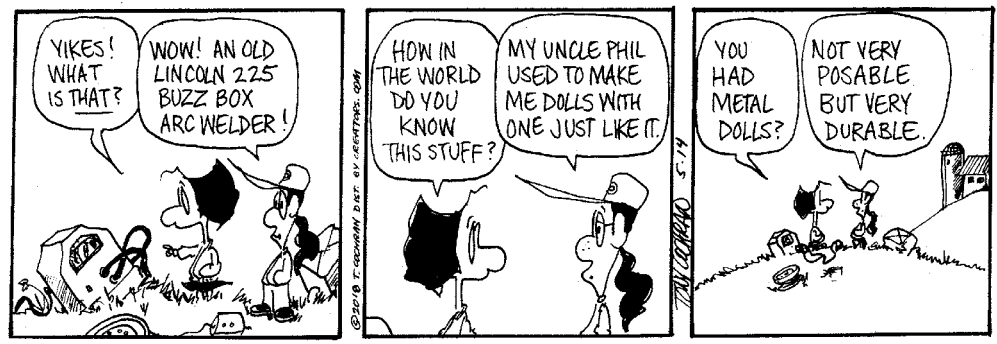
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6:PM ABC	Jeopardy!	Rosa de Guadalupe	Big Bang	CBS 7	Caso Cer-rado	News	Families Truth	PBS News-Hour	M*A*S*H	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	MLB Base-ball: Tampa Bay Rays at Kansas City Royals.	Boxing	College Baseball: Oklahoma State at Baylor.	WWE Mon-day Night RAW	Ozzy & Jack's	Ozzy & Jack's	Street Out-laws: Full Throttle
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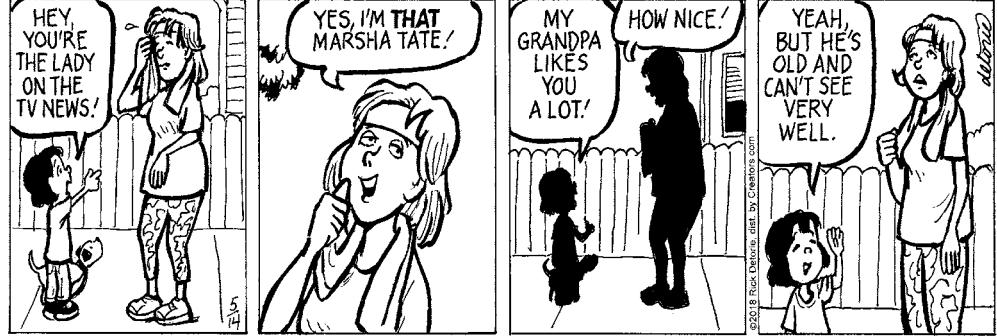
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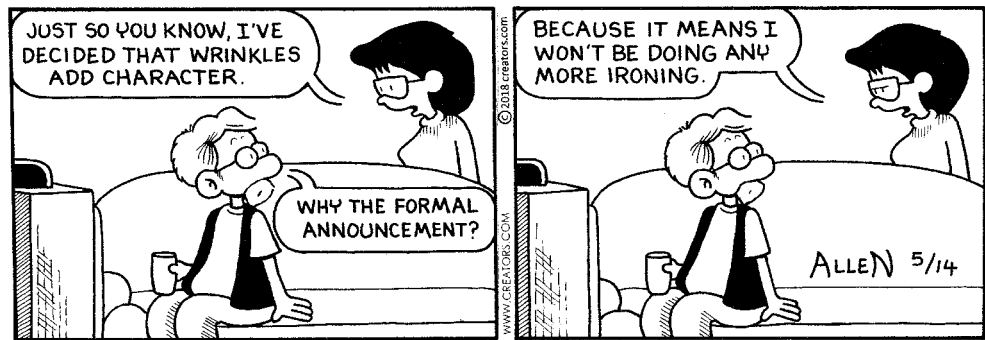
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ONE BIG HAPPY



NEST HEAD



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This Date In History

Today is Monday, May 14, the 134th day of 2018. There are 231 days left in the year. Today's Highlight in History:

On May 14, 1948, according to the current-era calendar, the independent state of Israel was proclaimed in Tel Aviv by David Ben-Gurion, who became its first prime minister; U.S. President Harry S. Truman immediately recognized the new nation.

On this date:

In 1643, Louis XIV became King of France at age four upon the death of his father, Louis XIII.

In 1796, English physician Edward Jenner inoculated 8-year-old James Phipps against smallpox by using cowpox matter.

In 1804, the Lewis and Clark expedition to explore the Louisiana Territory as well as the Pacific Northwest left camp near present-day Hartford, Illinois.

In 1900, the Olympic games opened in Paris as part of the 1900 World's Fair.

In 1925, the Virginia Woolf novel "Mrs Dalloway" was first published in England and the United States.

In 1942, Aaron Copland's "Lincoln Portrait" was first publicly performed by the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra.

In 1955, representatives from eight Communist bloc countries, including the Soviet Union, signed the Warsaw Pact in Poland. (The Pact was dissolved in 1991.)

In 1961, Freedom Riders were attacked by violent mobs in Anniston and Birmingham, Alabama.

In 1968, John Lennon and Paul McCartney held a news conference in New York to announce the creation of the Beatles' latest business venture, Apple Corps.

In 1973, the United States launched Skylab 1, its first manned space station. (Skylab 1 remained in orbit for six years before burning up during re-entry in 1979.) The National Right to Life Committee was incorporated.

In 1988, 27 people, mostly teens, were killed when their church bus collided with a pickup truck going the wrong direction on a highway near Carrollton, Kentucky. (Truck driver Larry Mahoney served 9 1/2 years in prison for man-

slaughter.)

In 1998, Frank Sinatra died at a Los Angeles hospital at age 82. The hit sitcom "Seinfeld" aired its final episode after nine seasons on NBC.

Ten years ago: President George W. Bush opened a celebratory visit to Israel, which was marking the 60th anniversary of its birth. Former rival John Edwards endorsed Barack Obama for the Democratic presidential nomination during a surprise appearance at a rally in Grand Rapids, Michigan. The Interior Department declared the polar bear a threatened species because of the loss of Arctic sea ice. Justine Henin (EH'nen), 25, became the first woman to retire from tennis while atop the WTA rankings.

Five years ago: In an op-ed appearing in The New York Times, Oscar-winning actress Angelina Jolie said she'd undergone a preventive double mastectomy after learning she carried a gene that made it extremely likely she would get breast cancer. Flamboyant hustler Billie Sol Estes died in DeCordova Bend, Texas, at age 88.

One year ago: Emmanuel Macron (eh-mahn-yoo-EHL' mah-KROHN) swept into office as France's new president, pledging to fortify the European Union, redesign French politics and glue together his divided nation. Five days after South Korea elected a president who expressed a desire to reach out to North Korea, Pyongyang sent a challenge to its rival's new leader by test-firing a ballistic missile. Actor Powers Boothe died in Los Angeles at age 68. Kara McCullough, a 25-year-old scientist working for the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission and representing the District of Columbia, was crowned Miss USA at the pageant in Las Vegas.

Today's Birthdays: Photo-realist artist Richard Estes is 86. Actress Dame Sian Phillips is 85. Former Sen. Byron Dorgan, D-N.D., is 76. Movie producer George Lucas is 74. Actress Meg

Foster is 70. Movie director Robert Zemeckis is 67. Rock singer David Byrne is 66. Actor Tim Roth is 57. Rock singer Ian Astbury (The Cult) is 56. Rock musician C.C. (aka Cecil) DeVille is 56. Actor Danny Huston is 56. Rock musician Mike Inez (Alice In Chains) is 52. Fabrice Morvan (ex-Milli Vanilli) is 52. Rhythm-and-blues singer Raphael Saadik

is 52. Actress Cate Blanchett is 49. Singer Danny Wood (New Kids on the Block) is 49. Movie writer-director Sofia Coppola (KOH'pah-lah) is 47. Homeland Security Secretary Kirstjen Nielsen is 46. Actor Gabriel Mann is 46. Singer Natalie Appleton (All Saints) is 45. Singer Shanice is 45. Actress Carla Jimenez is 44. Rock musician Henry Garza (Los

Lonely Boys) is 40. Alt-country musician-singer Ketch Secor is 40. Rock singer-musician Dan Auerbach is 39. Rock musician Mike Retondo (Plain White T's) is 37. Actress Amber Tamblyn is 35. Facebook co-founder Mark Zuckerberg is 34. Actress Lina Esco is 33. NFL player Rob Gronkowski is 29. Actress Miranda Cosgrove is 25.

Thought for Today:

"The cure for boredom is curiosity. There is no cure for curiosity."

Dorothy Parker
American author, humor-ist, poet (1893-1967).

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Newsday Crossword

HOME ECONOMICS by Gail Grabowski Edited by Stanley Newman www.stanxwords.com

- ACROSS**
- Marking on a Dalmatian
 - Red street-corner sign
 - Purse handle
 - Valentine's Day subject
 - Manufactured
 - Scent
 - Pub brews
 - One of the Great Lakes
 - "Oh no!"
 - Monthly home-loan check
 - Poet's "before"
 - Moines, IA
 - Diamond weight
 - Dashboard engine gauges, for short
 - Professor's degree, often: Abbr.
 - Keep from happening
 - Gunky stuff
 - Black-and-white cookie
 - Supermarket expenditure
 - Successful movies
 - Exist
 - Soup-serving utensil
 - Magazine execs: Abbr.
 - Scatter, as seeds
 - "God ___ America" (patriotic song)
 - Occupied a chair
 - Long ___ (way back in time)
 - Spending money given to a teen
 - Taking an ocean cruise
 - Angel's topper
 - Street or avenue
 - Went out with
 - Nights before holidays
 - Prefix meaning "against"
 - Venetian-blind strips
 - Husband or wife
 - Highest in quality
 - Grant permission
 - Quick haircuts
 - Lasso
 - Last word of a prayer
 - Blast from the ___ (song oldie)
 - Arrive at
 - Temporary, as a committee
 - Hidden stockpile
 - Keep away from
 - Takes a breather
 - ___ and crafts
 - See eye to eye
 - Pigeon sound
 - Self-respect
 - "High" parts of shoes
 - Amounts of medicine
 - Word-of-mouth
 - Like a well-marbled steak
 - Watchdog's warning
 - Arm joint
 - Courses with lettuce
 - Billfold
 - Clay-target shooting sport
 - Honking bird
 - Large rolls of cash
 - List-shortening abbr.
 - "¿Cómo ___ usted?"
 - Throat-clearing sound
 - Volcano's outflow
 - Typical Saudi
 - "___ of your business!"
 - Lions and tigers
 - Make revisions to

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The place to be: Uruguay 1930 where the World Cup began

By PAN PYLAS

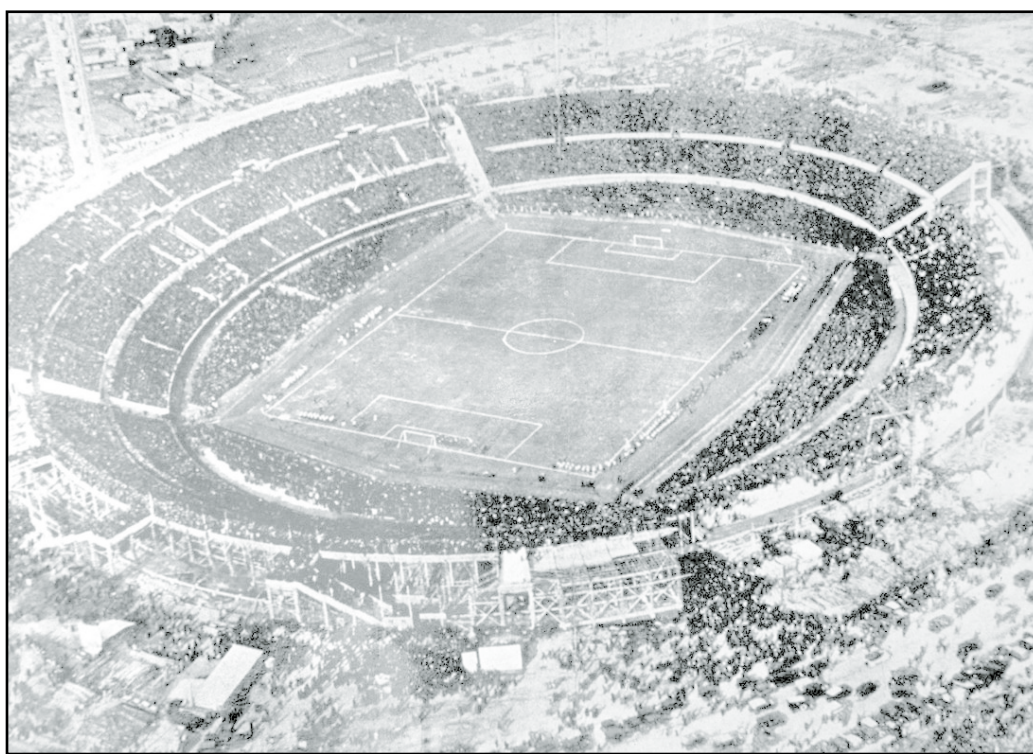
Associated Press

The 21st World Cup gets underway next month in Moscow and billions around the world are expected to tune in during the monthlong tournament — a far cry from its low-key start in 1930 in Uruguay.

Back then, many European countries, including Germany and Italy, opted against making the multi-week boat trip to Montevideo, while England and the other three British associations had withdrawn from FIFA following a dispute over payments. In the end, only four teams from Europe made the trip.

A quarter of a century or so after the idea of a global soccer tournament was first suggested, 13 teams gathered in South America.

Uruguay, which had won the gold medal in soccer at the 1924 and 1928 Olympics, was given the right to host the competition for the Jules Rimet Trophy, the World Cup's original name in honor of the FIFA president who had done so much to make the



AP photo

In this July 30, 1930 file photo, an aerial view of the Centenario stadium in Montevideo, Uruguay. Uruguay defeated Argentina 4-2 in the final of the first soccer World Cup. The 21st World Cup begins on Thursday, June 14, 2018, when host Russia takes on Saudi Arabia.

tournament a reality.

France forward Lucien Laurent scored the first goal in World Cup history in the 19th minute of his team's opening match against Mexico. Barely 5,000 spectators were present to witness that historic moment in sporting history.

"And it was snowing!" Laurent recalled years later.

Eventually, Uruguay faced off against Argentina to see who would become the first winner of the World Cup. The final at the Centenario Stadium started off fairly bizarrely, with a disagreement as to which ball to use. Eventually, it was agreed that an Argentine ball would be used in the first half and a Uruguayan one in the second.

The arrangement seemed to work for Uruguay, which came from behind with three second-half goals to win 4-2 in front of nearly 70,000 supporters (others, however, estimate that the actual crowd was nearer to the 100,000 mark).

The World Cup had achieved lift-off.

Supreme Court makes sports betting a possibility nationwide



AP photo

In this April 23, 2018 file photo, the Supreme Court in Washington. The Supreme Court has struck down a federal law that bars gambling on football, basketball, baseball and other sports in most states, giving states the go-ahead to legalize betting on sports.

By JESSICA GRESKO

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The Supreme Court on Monday struck down a federal law that bars gambling on football, basketball, baseball and other sports in most states, giving states the go-ahead to legalize betting on sports.

The Supreme Court ruled 6-3 to strike down the Professional and Amateur Sports Protection Act. The 1992 law barred state-authorized sports gambling with some exceptions. It made Nevada the only state where a person could wager on the results of a single game.

One research firm estimated before the ruling that if the Supreme Court were to strike down the law, 32 states would likely offer sports betting within five years.

"The legalization of sports gambling requires an important policy choice, but the choice is not ours to make. Congress can regulate sports gambling directly, but if it elects not to do so, each state is free to act on its own. Our job is to interpret the law Congress has enacted and decide whether it is consis-

tent with the Constitution. PASPA is not," Justice Samuel Alito wrote for the court.

The court's decision came in a case from New Jersey, which has fought for years to legalize gambling on sports at casinos and racetracks in the state.

More than a dozen states had supported New Jersey, which argued that Congress exceeded its authority when it passed the 1992 Professional and Amateur Sports Protection Act, barring states from authorizing sports betting. New Jersey said the Constitution allows Congress to pass laws barring wagering on sports, but Congress can't require states to keep sports gambling prohibitions in place.

All four major U.S. professional sports leagues, the NCAA and the federal government had urged the court to uphold the federal law. In court, the NBA, NFL, NHL and

Major League Baseball had argued that New Jersey's gambling expansion would hurt the integrity of their games. Outside court, however, leaders of all but the NFL have shown varying degrees of openness to legalized sports gambling.

The American Gaming Association estimates that Americans illegally wager about \$150 billion on sports each year.

The 1992 law at issue in the case bars state-authorized sports gambling with exceptions for Nevada, Montana, Oregon and Delaware, states

that had approved some form of sports wagering before the law took effect. Nevada is the only state where a person can wager on the results of a single game, though the law doesn't cover wagering between friends. The law also doesn't cover animal races, such as horse racing, which many states already allow.

New Jersey has spent years and millions of dollars in legal fees trying to legalize sports betting at its casinos, racetracks and former racetracks. In 2012, with voters' support, New Jersey law-

makers passed a law allowing sports betting, directly challenging the 1992 federal law which says states can't "authorize by law" sports gambling. The four major professional sports leagues and the NCAA sued, and the state lost in court.

In 2014, New Jersey tried a different tactic by repealing laws prohibiting sports gambling at casinos and racetracks. It argued taking its laws off the books was different from authorizing sports gambling. The state lost again and then took the case to the Supreme Court.

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