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Grimes, Staulcup named 2018 Man & Woman of the Year

Annual Chamber Extravaganza recognizes a year of exemplary service



HERALD photo/Amanda Duforat Jerry Grimes and JoAnn Staulcup show off the plaques they received as 2019's Man and Woman of the Year at the annual Chamber of Commerce Extravaganza Tuesday night.

By AMANDA DUFORAT

Managing Editor

Service ... selflessness ... generosity ... community; a few of the words that could be used to describe the 2019 Annual Chamber Extravaganza, which took place Tuesday evening at the Dorothy Garett Coliseum. "This time last year, I stated that

my word for the year was going to be 'connect'; I've seen a lot of connecting with our members, our community and even outside our community... Those connections we have made will help us as we move forward in 2019," Manny Negron, outgoing Chamber president, said. As Negron recalled the 2018 résumé

of Big Spring and Howard County, it was evident that progress has been made. New leadership, at the Conventions and Visitors Bureau, United Way, and even the Big Spring Herald. New businesses have popped up, old businesses have moved into new homes and projects have been com-

"Just this past year, the United Way received a new executive director, Christian Fair; the CVB is now under the directorship of Hayley Herrera, and two of the three local school districts received new superintendents ... Home Realtors moved into their new location," Negron said. "The rail project also wrapped up and the completion was celebrated with a ribbon

In addition, new volunteer opportunities came into play, in particular, the Red Kettle Challenge, only to be added to the extensive list that Big Spring already offers. New opportunities to connect, from Alive After

cutting."

5 to the revamp of the Chamber Extravaganza, are only a few of the other changes and examples of growth. This year also represented the biggest year for the Festival of Lights with more than 30,000 visitors. "Thank you Big Spring and Howard

County for making my time as your president a great experience," Negron said as he wrapped up his time as acting president. As Negron exited a year focused on

connection, incoming Chamber President Randy Johnson took the gavel and expressed his desire to focus on highlighting the impact of educators on the community, and building the community together.

"A lot can get done when we work together, communicate together, and spend some time with one another," Johnson said. "This isn't about me, it's about the community, and the support in the community. It's about the quality of life in the community; remember it's not about what the chamber can do for you, but what you and the chamber can do to better this community and better this economy. The Chamber is only as powerful as its members, and its board wants it to be. I encourage you to get involved in

the Chamber and your community." He continued, "I invite ownership from all the community and

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Mayor proclaims February 'National **Teen Dating Violence Prevention Month'**



HERALD photo/Anna Gutierrez

Big Spring Mayor Larry McLellan, right, reads a proclamation declaring February 2019 "National Teen Dating Violence Prevention Month" in Big Spring to the Student Outreach and Resiliency program students at Big Spring Junior High School Tuesday afternoon. as part of the national awareness movement. Representatives of Big Spring's Victim Services were also on hand in support of the proclamation.

By ROGER CLINE

Staff Writer

"Always think before you react, and make a great decision," Big Spring Mayor Larry McLellan told a group of Big Spring Junior High students Tuesday. During a program at 12:45 p.m. Tuesday,

BSJHS' Student Outreach and Resiliency Program (SOAR) gath-Find us online at:

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ered to hear McLellan proclaim February National Teen Dating Violence Month in Big Spring, as it is across the nation.

"It's always important to reach out to the kids, especially at this age. For them to recognize that they have to make decisions, and sometimes there are decisions that you'll regret," McLellan said. "I think by having these events here, and by spreading the word throughout our communities and throughout our schools, it's important for these children to make good decisions and recognize the fact that sometimes you react in one way, but you look back and you realize that this is really not what I wanted to do. It's hard to get out of that rut and go back to See PROCLAMATION, Page 3

Blown transformer knocks out power at SMMC **Tuesday afternoon**



HERALD photo/Amanda Duforat A blown transformer caused a power outage at

Scenic Mountain Medical Center and for many local residents Tuesday afternoon. Power at SMMC was expected to be restored today.

Special to the Herald

Scenic Mountain Medical Center operated on backup power Tuesday afternoon after a blown transformer knocked out power to the hospital and numerous residents around town.

According to other media sources, Oncor was able to isolate the power outage to the hospital and restore power to community residents. SMMC operated on backup generators throughout the night, while repairs were being made.

The SMMC Emergency Room remained open and was able to receive and treat patients as normal. West Texas Medical Plaza providers closed offices early due to the power outage, but were able to reopen Wednesday morning.

According to SMMC, complete power is anticipated to be restored today.



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Obituaries

Bruce Parker



Bruce Parker, 80, of Knott, died Thursday, January 31, 2019, in a Big Spring hospital.

Funeral services will be at 3 p.m. Friday, February 8, 2019, at the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

He was born October 24, 1938, in Big Spring, Texas, to Fred and Isabell Parker, and married Joyce Robinson April 8, 1961.

Bruce grew up in Sand Springs and Knott. He attended school at Coahoma Elementary from first to third grade, and then at Knott ISD until graduating in 1957. He served in the United States Army from 1958 to 1960. He had many careers: farmer, car salesman, Cosden Refinery, barber, and was owner of Golden Pawn Shop from 1984 to 2000.

Bruce was a member of Hillcrest Baptist Church. He loved his Savior, Jesus Christ, above all.

Bruce cherished his wife of 57 years, Joyce, who survives him. He is also survived by three children, Stacy Thames and husband Joe of Midland,

The Big Spring Police Depart-

ment reported the following ac-

• GUADALUPE GUTIERREZ,

38, of 501 Donley St, was arrested

on a warrant for no drivers li-

• FREDDY CANO RODRI-

GUEZ, JR., of 701 E. 13th St, was

arrested on a charge of theft of

• THOMAS LEE ATKINSON,

32, of 1208 Lloyd Ave., was arrest-

ed on warrants for expired regis-

tration, failure to maintain finan-

cial responsibility, and resisting

arrest during search or transport

LARIA, 31, of 1217 W. 3rd St.,

was arrested on a warrant for ag-

The Howard County Sheriff's

Department reported the follow-

Note – Officials with the How-

ard County Jail reported having

79 inmates at the time of this re-

• THOMAS LEE ATKINSON,

32. was arrested by BSPD on

charges of expired registration,

failure to maintain financial re-

sponsibility and resisting arrest

Big Spring Fire Department/

• MEDICAL CALL was report-

ed in the 1600 block of Cardinal.

One person was transported to

Scenic Mountain Medical Cen-

• MEDICAL CALL was report-

EMS reported the following ac-

• PETER MANUEL CANDE-

property (\$100-\$750) shoplifting

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Stan Parker and wife Chavonna of Big Spring, and Shon Parker and wife Gay Ann of Willow, Alaska; nine grandchildren, Tessa Gray and husband Brady, Brice Burgess and wife Helena, Kade Parker, Chelsey Crawford and husband Jensen, Kyle Parker and wife Marai, Jared Parker, Karrie Patterson, Kristy Jones and husband Blake, and a very special Mary Anna Lemons; eight greatgrandchildren, Brixen Gray, Kristian Burgess, Keslee Burgess, Katie Jones, Brycen Jones, Colby Jones, Jase Jones and Russell Parker; numerous nieces and nephews who he loved dearly; and many dear friends, including a friend since childhood, Dick Nichols.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one brother, Richard Parker; and a great-granddaughter, Ambra Storm Parker.

We are so glad God picked you to be our daddy.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to A Place for Grace, 100 Christopher Ct., Weatherford, Texas, 76088; or Hillcrest Baptist Church, 2000 FM 700, Big Spring, Texas, 79720.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory. Online condolences can be made at www.npwelch.

Paid obituary

Police blotter

gravated assault against a public servant • WILLIAM JAY McNEW, 60,

- of 1615 Lark St., was arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated, 3rd or more offense STOLEN VEHICLE was re-
- ported in the 1400 block of E. 6th St. and in the 100 block of Eckert • BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE
- was reported in the 1800 block of N. Hwy 87, in the 900 block of W. 17th St., and in the 800 block of W. CRIMINAL MISCHIEF was
- reported in the 700 block of Anna • THEFT was reported in the
- 500 block of State St., 1100 block

- of Mulberry Ave., 300 block of N.E. 6th St., 200 block of W. FM 700, and in the 2300 block of Wasson Rd.
- DISTURBANCE was reported in the 1200 block of Llovd Ave.
- IDENTITY THEFT was reported in the 3600 block of W. Hwy 80. ACCIDENT MAJOR was
- reported in the 1000 block of S. Gregg St. INTOXICATED DRIVER
- was reported on W. 16th and ASSAULT was reported in
- the 1100 block of N.W. 8th St. **DOMESTIC** DISTUR-
- **BANCE** was reported in the 700 block of Anna St.

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 MICHAEL DORAL RUN-**NELS.** 31. was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxica-

Sheriff

during search or transport.

 PETER MANUEL CANDE-LARIA, 31, was arrested on a warrant for aggravated assault against a public servant.

• ANGEL CHAVIRA, 23, was arrested by DPS on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

 GUADALUPE GUTIERREZ. JR., 39, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant for no driver's license

WILLIAM JAY McNEW,

60, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of driving while intoxi-

GUEZ, JR., 31, was arrested property (\$100-\$750)

Fire/EMS

ed in the 300 block of Veterans Blvd. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical

 MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 500 block of Birdwell Ln. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Cen-

• MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 2000 block of S. Gregg St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Cen-

• MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 700 block of Anna. No one was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center

Take Note

• AARP Tax-Aide will offer free income tax preparation each Monday from Feb. 4 through April 1 at the Big Spring Senior Center at the Dora Roberts Community Center, 100 Whipkey Drive. Hours are 8 a.m. to noon. The service is available to all taxpayers with moderate to low income.

Taxpayers need to bring a photo ID for the taxpayer and/or spouse, Social Security cards for everyone on the tax return (Tax-Aide will not do a return without seeing the Social Security cards), last year's tax returns, and W-2s and all other proof of income received in 2018.

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• Celebrate Recovery meets at First United Methodist Church Youth Hall, 400 Scurry, from 6-8 p.m. Hurts, habits and hang-ups. Leave message for Joyce Webb at 325-212-8600.

THURSDAY Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, open dis-

Veteran's Healing Center.

cussion 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. Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder support group meeting is at 6:30 p.m. at the VA Medical Center

• Bring Everyone Into The Zone, or BEITZ Support Group, is a veteran-based peer group. The purpose of the group is to provide peer-to-peer support to service members, veterans and families, especially those suffering from post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), traumatic brain injury (TBI), military sexual trauma (MST) and other traumatic events in their lives. BEITZ meets every Thursday at 6 p.m. t 501 Birdwell Lane. For more informa-

tion, email francisco.garza@wtcmhmr.org, or call

• 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). Meetings are weekly, every Thursday, at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Call Vivian Gordon at 432-466-3583 for more information.

432-268-3003.

 Reformers Unanimous International is a faith based addictions program helping people find freedom from addiction. Meetings begin at 7 p.m. Fridays at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Enter at the main entrance of the church.

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

SATURDAY

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

SUNDAY

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

MONDAY

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

TUESDAY

 Big Spring and Snyder Parkinson's 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.

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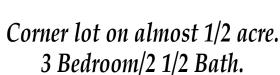
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with this award," Sheppard said. "Not

After the festivities concluded,

Other honors for the night included the Russ McEwen Community Award which was awarded to Linda Burchett for her countless fundraising and organizing efforts throughout 2018, as many needs arose through devastating events. Executive Director Debbye ValVerde was also recognized, by Outgoing Chamber President Negron, for her dedication to the community. Lastly, United Country Realtors took home the Best Decorated Table traveling trophy award.

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Pass

Opening lead — eight of clubs.

There is a natural urge to win a

trick whenever possible, but it should

not be stretched to the point where

the battle for the trick takes prece-

dence over the battle for the con-

Take this case where East wins the

opening club lead with the king,

cashes the ace and continues with the

queen. What should declarer play on

surrounding areas ... Lots of good things are happening in our area, let's talk about that, share in that, and communicate about that.'

Presentations for Man and Women of the Year followed the passing of the gavel. The 2017 winner Mike Abusaab recognized Jerry Grimes as 2018 Man of the Year.

"For the past 50 years, our Man of

the Year has been giving back and that impact will not be forgotten," Abusaab said. "Our man of the year has put service above self by serving not only his commuinty, but his country... We thank you for your service." Previous year's Woman of the Year

Dene Sheppard recognized JoAnn Staulcup as 2018 Woman of the Year.

"She is a true representation of what it means to invest back into your city...I had the honor of working alongside her at the VA and it is my great honor to be able to present her

By Steve Becker

There are three possibilities to

consider. One is to ruff the third club

with the ten and hope West will not

be able to overruff. If South did this

in the actual deal, he would eventu-

ally go down one after West over-

A second possibility is to ruff with

the king, planning to continue with

the ace and another heart. This play

also fails as the cards lie, since West

acquires a trump trick and later also

scores the king of spades to put the

The correct play, however, is to

discard a spade on the third round of

clubs, deliberately losing the trick

without making any effort to win it.

For practical purposes, this play

East can do no better than shift to

a spade at trick four. Declarer puts up

the ace and plays the ace of hearts to

When East shows out, South con-

tinues with a low trump to the nine.

He then cashes the queen of trumps,

leads a diamond to the ace, draws

West's last trump and discards his

remaining spade on one of dummy's

top diamonds to finish with the 10

tricks he started with.

see how the trumps are divided.

ruffed the ten with the jack.

contract down one.

assures the contract.

You can't win 'em all

this trick?

tory of Big Spring, but preserving and showcasing the history of our grand community."

only is she making a mark on the his-

Staulcup offered a short thought and piece of advice, " It was a real shock. I hadn't expected it. I didn't do any of it to expect an award," Staulcup said. "I've said it and I'm stilll saying it, get involved, join, help, do whatever needs to be done...get up and put in the work."

MVPN Volunteer Boot Camp scheduled Feb. 12 By ANNA GUTIERREZ



Staff Writer

The Military Veteran Peer Network (MVPN) is an organization that provides free peer-to-peer services to service members, veterans, and their family members. The organization is always looking for volunteers, and they will be holding the MVPN-Basic Training

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course. This course will take place on Tuesday, Feb. 12, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at 3205 South Hwy 87.

This course is an entry-level course that will enable volunteers to become a state-sponsored peer mentor with the MVPN. This is an eighthour course designed to provide volunteers with front line intervention tools to address the immediate basic needs of individual service members, veterans, and their families.

The course is broken down into two phases and covers the following:

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- Stress management

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register, contact Francisco Garza with West Texas Centers at 432-268-3003 or by email at francisco.garza@wtcmhmr.org.

Contact Staff Writer Anna Gutierrez at 432-263-7331 ext. 232, or by email at citydesk@bigspringherald.com

Court to weigh Planned Parenthood's Texas case

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — The full 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals will reconsider whether Texas can eliminate Planned Parenthood from the state Medicaid pro-

The New Orleans-based court's decision Monday comes after a three-judge panel of the court lifted a February 2017 preliminary injunction that prevented the state from eliminating Planned Parenthood from the program.

No date for the rehearing has been set. The three appeals judges had agreed

that U.S. District Judge Sam Sparks

didn't follow proper standards in deciding to impose the injunction sought by five Planned Parenthood affiliates and seven

individuals.

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Kirstin Lujan, 37, died Friday. Vigil service will be at 7 p.m. Friday at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral Mass will be at 10:00 a.m. Saturday at Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

Toby Cotton, 21, died Friday. The family will receive friends from 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. Wednesday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. neral services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at First Baptist Church with burial at Trinity Memorial Park.

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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PROCLAMATION

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where you need to be. I think it's always important when you can go to a school and listen to the kids. It gives them an influence that hopefully is a positive influence in situations like this."

The proclamation read by McLellan recognized some disturb-

"Whereas teen dating abuse is a significant health issue, with 10 to 20 percent of youth reporting physical or sexual violence from a dating partner," read McLellan; "and Whereas high school students who experience violence in a dating relationship are at great risk for eating disorders, substance abuse, risky sexual behavior, and carrying patterns of abuse into future relationships...and Whereas the city of Big Spring is an important partner with Victim Services' vision to create a community where people thrive in a safe and healthy relationship; now, therefore, I, Larry G.McLellan, Mayor of the City of Big Spring, Texas, do hereby proclaim February, 2019, as Teen Dating Violence Prevention Month."

Victim Services Executive Director Linda Calvio commented on the proclamation. "The importance is to create awareness. Teen dating violence

has climbed throughout the years," Calvio said. "In 2010 they declared Teen Dating Violence Awareness Month, and we've been recognizing it, but not through the schools. Through the SOAR program we were able to join forces. We are a small organization and we cover five counties, so that's helped us tremendously to create the awareness in our community, but mainly to get it to the schools. Dating...they start pretty young. Probably middle

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school is where we need to go."

Calvio said Victim Services has planned events with local schools during the month. In addition to a planned return to BSJHS next week, Calvio said the group will be in Forsan.

"Throughout the month we're going to be in Forsan, at the high

school and junior high. We'll be doing the same thing...passing out information and passing out our new bracelets," she said. "Our theme is 'End teen dating violence...Love I equals Respect.' So just to create the awareness and try to get the information to the kids and to the parents as well."

BSJHS Counselor and Director of SOAR Myrna Russell explained the I mission of the SOAR program.

"The purpose of SOAR is to bring leadership skills to our students and to help them when they need help, to have support groups," she said. "We also do community service. It's just to help the kids improve their leadership skills, and help them along the way as they help other people." For more information, contact Vic-

tim Services at 432-263-3312.

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

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Texas news briefs

Southwest Airlines completes test flight to Hawaii

DALLAS (AP) — Southwest Airlines has completed a test flight from Oakland, California, to Honolulu to demonstrate to federal aviation officials that it should be authorized to begin scheduled flights from the U.S. mainland to Hawaii. In a statement, the Dallas-based airline said the

Tuesday flight was intended to demonstrate to the Federal Aviation Administration its long-range navigation and communications procedures and capabilities.

Southwest has applied for FAA certification to fly to Honolulu and three other Hawaiian destinations from Oakland, San Jose, San Diego and Sacramento in California. No dates have been announced but the recent partial federal government shutdown delayed the federal regulatory approval process.

Ex-QB Vince Young arrested on drunken-driving charge

RICHMOND, Texas (AP) — Former Tennessee Titans quarterback Vince Young is free on bond after he was arrested on a drunken driving charge.

In a statement, the Fort Bend County Sheriff's Office says the former Texas Longhorns star was arrested about 4:30 a.m. Monday in the Missouri City area of suburban Houston. The six-year NFL veteran, who lists a Missouri City address as his residence, was charged with misdemeanor driving while intoxicated and released after posting a \$500

Sheriff's spokesman Bob Hanel told the Houston Chronicle that "the deputy noticed slurred speech and a strong smell of alcoholic beverage." He also said Young "flunked every sobriety test they gave

Young served 18 months' probation after pleading no contest in January 2017 to driving drunk in

Health officials say 5 cases of measles confirmed in Texas

HOUSTON (AP) — Health officials say five cases of measles have been confirmed in southern Texas, including four children under the age of 2.

The cases, which were announced Monday, include three in the Houston area, one in Galveston County and one in Montgomery County. A possible sixth case in Texas is awaiting lab confirmation. The announcements come as a measles outbreak hits the Pacific Northwest, where more than 50 cases have been confirmed.

Officials urge vaccinations for the contagious virus, which was eradicated in the U.S. in 2000 as a result of immunization but arrives periodically with overseas travelers. The Houston Chronicle reports health officials were told the four children who fell ill had received their first of two measles vaccines. The second is given between the ages of

Affidavit: Woman alleges MMA fighter killed pair in Texas

TEMPLE, Texas (AP) - A woman has told authorities she was there when an MMA fighter allegedly killed two people last month in a Texas house and when their bodies were buried in Oklahoma.

An affidavit filed Tuesday in Texas' Bell County District Court says Maya Maxwell told Temple police that Cedric Marks killed Jenna Scott and Michael Swearingin in a Killeen home Jan. 3 and that she was there.

Marks prompted a manhunt in Texas when he escaped Sunday from a private prisoner transportation van. He was recaptured nine hours later and jailed on charges including capital murder.

The affidavit also says Maxwell, who is jailed on an evidence tampering charge, told police she was present when the bodies were moved more than 350 miles (564 kilometers) away.

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Texas governor sees school safety as a top issue



Texas Lt. Gov. Dan Patrick, left, listens as Texas Gov. Greg Abbott, right, gives his State of the State Address in the House Chamber, Tuesday, Feb. 5, 2019, in Austin, Texas.

By PAUL J. WEBER **Associated Press**

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Texas Gov. Greg Abbott declared school safety an "emergency" issue of his second term Tuesday following one of the nation's deadliest mass shootings last year near Houston, but the Republican put no dollar amount on the table for schools and made no mention of tightening gun laws.

His clearest call during his State of the State address was giving students better access to mental health care, but Democrats said they were uncertain about the rest after the governor gave school safety preferential status that allows legislation to be fast-tracked.

Only now is the Texas Legislature in session for the first time since a student gunman opened fire at Santa Fe High School in May 2018, killing 10 people. The attack came just three months after 17 people were killed at a high school in Florida, which responded by passing a \$400 million school safety bill and raising the minimum age to buy rifles from 18 to 21. But any school safety pack-

age in Texas is all but certain to

include no new firearm restric-

Abbott had suggested shortly after the Santa Fe attack that Texas — one of the nation's most gun-friendly states — should look for ways to keep guns away from people who pose "an immediate danger to others," which is the

point of so-called red flag laws.

But he later retreated following

backlash from gun enthusiasts.

"It's not enough to give our students a quality education. We must create a learning environment that is safe," Abbott said. "No student should be afraid to go to school. No parent should be fearful when dropping their child off at school."

He elaborated somewhat more in a budget document after his speech, writing that "the state must provide the necessary funding to employ school-hardening tools and strategies." But he did not attach a dollar amount and said schools should have flexibility in using the money.

Abbott did request \$4 million for more law enforcement training, and fully funding a school safety research center at Texas State University.

"We all agree with the governor in making our school safe," said state Rep. Chris Turner, the Democratic leader in the Texas House. But he said he was waiting to see more details.

Shortly after the Santa Fe school shooting, Abbott held three days of meetings with law enforcement officials, educators, mental health experts, attack survivors and victims' family members. A gun control group, Texas Gun Sense, got a seat next to the governor.

"I did feel like there was a foot in the door of some commonsense firearm regulation," said Gvl Switzer, the group's executive director, on Tuesday. She added, "I don't give up hope."

Exxon, Qatar Petroleum to expand LNG export plant in Texas



In this April 23, 2018, file photo, the logo for ExxonMobil appears above a trading post on the floor of the New York Stock Exchange. Exxon Mobil is making a big bet on the future of exporting natural gas. Exxon and Qatar Petroleum announced Tuesday, Feb. 5, 2019, that they will go ahead with a \$10 billion project to expand a liquefied natural gas export plant on the Texas Gulf Coast.

By DAVID KOENIG

AP Business Writer

DALLAS (AP) — Exxon Mobil is making a big bet on the future of exporting natural gas.

Exxon and Qatar Petroleum announced Tuesday that they will go ahead with a \$10 billion project to export liquefied natural gas from a plant on the Texas Gulf Coast.

The companies said construction at the Golden Pass plant in Sabine Pass, Texas, would start before April, and the export operation is expected to begin running in 2024.

Exxon said the project will create 9,000 jobs during the five vears of construction and more than 200 permanent jobs. Exxon Chairman and CEO Darren Woods said it would provide a long-term supply of liquefied natural gas and stimulate the local economy.

The Golden Pass plant opened in 2010 to import gas that has been chilled into liquid form, allowing it to be loaded on to tankers for shipment. Its backers saw a market in importing natural gas, a cleaner fuel than oil.

As U.S. gas production soared in this decade, however, with much of it coming from the Permian Basin in west Texas and New Mexico. Exxon and others studied ways to boost sales by using the suddenly abundant supply to meet surging global demand.

Globally, annual trade in liquefied gas grew faster than 10

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Trump calls for bipartisanship, a hard line on immigration



By JULIE PACE and CATHERINE LUCEY

Associated Press

WASHINGTON (AP) — Face to face with emboldened Democrats, President Donald Trump called on Washington to cast aside "revenge, resistance and retribution" and end "ridiculous partisan investigations" in a State of the Union address delivered at a vulnerable moment for his presidency.

Trump appealed Tuesday night for bipartisanship but refused to yield on the hardline immigration policies that have infuriated Democrats and forced the recent government shutdown. He renewed his call for a border wall and cast illegal immigration as a threat to Americans' safety and economic security.

Trump accepted no blame for his role in cultivating the rancorous atmosphere in the nation's capital, and he didn't outline a clear path for collaborating with Democrats who are eager to block his agenda. Their opposition was on vivid display as Democratic congresswomen in the audience formed a sea of white in a nod to early 20th-century suffragettes.

Trump is staring down a two-year stretch that will determine whether he is re-elected or leaves office in defeat. His speech sought to shore up Republican support that had eroded slightly during the recent government shutdown and previewed a fresh defense against Democrats as they ready a round of investigations into every aspect of his ad-

"If there is going to be peace and legislation, there cannot be war and investigation," he declared. Lawmakers in the cavernous House chamber sat largely silent.

Looming over the president's address was a fastapproaching Feb. 15 deadline to fund the government and avoid another shutdown. Democrats have refused to acquiesce to his demands for a border wall, and Republicans are increasingly unwilling to shut down the government to help him fulfill his signature campaign pledge. Nor does the GOP support the president's plan to declare a national emergency if Congress won't fund the wall. Wary of publicly highlighting those intraparty

divisions, Trump made no mention of an emergency declaration in his remarks. He did offer a lengthy defense of his call for a border wall, declaring: "I will build it." But he delivered no ultimatums about what it would take for him to sign legislation to keep the government open.

"I am asking you to defend our very dangerous southern border out of love and devotion to our fellow citizens and to our country," he said, painting a dark and foreboding picture of the risks posed to Americans by illegal immigration.

The 72-year-old Trump harkened back to moments of American greatness, celebrating the moon landing as astronaut Buzz Aldrin looked on from the audience and heralding the liberation of Europe from the Nazis. He led the House chamber in singing happy birthday to a Holocaust survivor sitting with first lady Melania Trump.

"Together, we represent the most extraordinary nation in all of history. What will we do with this moment? How will we be remembered?" Trump said.

The president ticked through a litany of issues with crossover appeal, including boosting infrastructure, lowering prescription drug costs and combating childhood cancer. But he also appealed to his political base, both with his harsh rhetoric on immigration and a call for Congress to pass legislation to prohibit the "late-term abortion of chil-

Trump devoted much of his speech to foreign policy, another area where Republicans have increasingly distanced themselves from the White House. He announced details of a second meeting with North Korea's Kim Jong Un, outlining a Feb. 27-28

summit in Vietnam.

Trump and Kim's first summit garnered only a vaguely worded commitment by the North to denuclearize. But the president said his outreach to Pyongyang had made the U.S. safer.

"If I had not been elected president of the United States, we would right now, in my opinion, be in a major war with North Korea," he said.

As he condemned political turmoil in Venezuela, Trump declared that "America will never be a socialist coun-

AP photo President **Donald Trump** delivers his State the Union address to a joint session of Congress on Capitol Hill in Washington, as Vice President Mike Pence and Speaker of the House Nancy Pelosi, D-Calif., watch, Tuesday, Feb. 5, 2019.

try" — a remark that may also have been targeted at high-profile Democrats who identify as socialists.

The president was surrounded by symbols of his emboldened political opposition. House Speaker Nancy Pelosi, who was praised by Democrats for her hardnegotiating during the shutdown, sat behind Trump as he spoke.

And several senators running for president were also in the audience, including Sens. Kamala Harris of California and Cory Booker of New Jersey. Another Democratic star, Stacey Abrams, deliv-

ered the party's response to Trump. Abrams nar-

rowly lost her bid in November to become America's first black female governor, and party leaders are aggressively recruiting her to run for U.S. Senate from Georgia. Speaking from Atlanta, Abrams calls the shut-

down a political stunt that "defied every tenet of fairness and abandoned not just our people, but our

Trump's address amounted to an opening argument for his re-election campaign. Polls show he has work to do, with his approval rating falling to just 34 percent after the shutdown, according to a recent survey conducted by The Associated Press-NORC Center for Public Affairs Research.

One bright spot for the president has been the economy, which has added jobs for 100 straight months.

"The only thing that can stop it," he said, "are foolish wars, politics or ridiculous partisan investigations" — an apparent swipe at the special counsel investigation into ties between Russia and Trump's 2016 campaign, as well as the upcoming congressional investigations.

The diverse Democratic caucus, which includes a bevy of women, sat silently for much of Trump's speech. But they leapt to their feet when he noted there are "more women in the workforce than ever before."

The increase is due to population growth — and not something Trump can credit to any of his poli-

The president also defended his decisions to withdraw U.S. troops from Syria and Afghanistan over the opposition from national security officials and many Republican lawmakers.

"Great nations do not fight endless wars," he said, adding that the U.S. is working with allies to "destroy the remnants" of the Islamic State group and that he has "accelerated" efforts to reach a settlement in Afghanistan.

IS militants have lost territory since Trump's surprise announcement in December that he was pulling U.S. forces out, but military officials warn the fighters could regroup within six months to a year of the Americans leaving. Several leading GOP lawmakers have sharply criticized his plans to withdraw from Syria, as well as from Afghani-

Trump's guests for the speech included Alice Marie Johnson, a woman whose life sentence for drug offenses was commuted by the president, and Joshua Trump, a sixth-grade student from Wilmington, Delaware, who has been bullied over his last name. They sat with Mrs. Trump during the address.

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percent in both 2017 and 2018, according to the International Energy Agency. Demand has been growing fastest in Asia, especially in China, but European countries are also interested in stepping up imports as a way to diversify their energy supply and reduce their reliance on Russian gas.

Trade in liquefied gas is expected to rise by more than two-thirds in the next 20 years, said Jean-Baptiste Dubreuil, an analyst with the Parisbased group. "It will be instrumental in the evolu-

tion of natural gas toward a more diversified, flexible and global market," Dubreuil said. The Texas project is expected to be the first of many similar announce-

ments by energy companies this year. Dubreuil said others are expected to come from the U.S., Russia, Africa, and Qatar.

export facility in Texas will be able to produce about 16 million tons of liquefied gas per year.

Exxon and Qatar Petroleum say the

Qatar Petroleum owns 70 percent of the export project and Exxon holds the other 30 percent after agreeing to buy out ConocoPhillips' 12.4 percent stake in the existing liquefied natural gas import terminal and pipeline. That purchase is awaiting regulatory approval.

Exxon and Qatar Petroleum have worked together on exploration and development projects in Argentina, Brazil and Mozambique. Qatar Petroleum, a leading exporter of liquefied natural gas, has announced plans to invest \$20 billion in the U.S. as it seeks to continue expanding beyond its home borders.

At an event in Washington, Energy Secretary Rick Perry called the announcement "the latest example of the vital partnership between the U.S. and Qatar," including military ties and American colleges opening campuses in Qatar. On Jan. 1, Qatar left OPEC after

a nearly two-year trade embargo against it by the oil cartel's leader, Saudi Arabia, and the United Arab Emirates, Bahrain and Egypt.

Shares of Exxon Mobil Corp. rose 76 cents to close at \$75.58.

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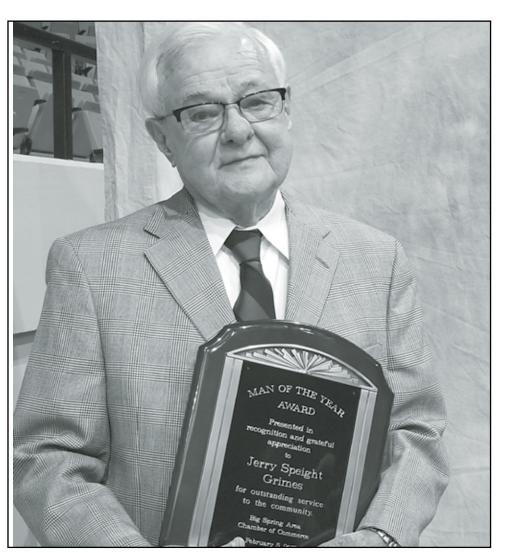
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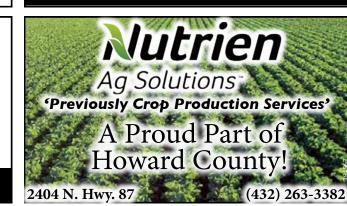
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Steers come up just short in a tough district matchup with Greenwood 62-56



Tony Claxton (www.claxtonphotography.com) Big Spring's Nathan Letz gets a followup dunk during the Steer's 62-56 loss to Greenwood on Tuesday, February 5, 2019.

By JORDAN PARR

BIG SPRING – Big Spring hosted the Greenwood Rangers at Steer Gym on Tuesday night in an important district contest. The Steers played really well against the 2nd place Rangers all game and showed their defense is one of the best in the area holding Greenwoods star player, Jordan Riley to just 14 points in the game. Despite their great defense, Big Spring really struggled shooting the ball in the game especially from the perimeter. With those shooting woes in full affect, it became even more important for the Steers to control the glass and out rebound Greenwood. Unfortunately, in the second half it was the Rangers that controlled the boards and got multiple second chance opportunities and that ended up being the difference in the game as Greenwood narrowly squeaked out a 62-56 win to improve their district record to 5-2.

In the first quarter, the Steers came out with a ton of energy and really jumped on the Rangers early, especially defensively. Big Spring held Greenwood to just 11 first quarter points and had taken control of all the momentum heading into the second quar-

In the second quarter, Greenwood found their footing on offense and really made a push to take the lead. But that lead was short lived as Big Spring responded and both teams went back and forth with multiple lead changes in the quarter. As the half came down to the last two minutes Nathan Letz went off, getting three straight tip ins including an emphatic two hand put back slam to put the Steers ahead 22-19 with 1:26 left in the second quarter. Both teams traded free throws before DeQorian Gordon broke free on a fast break and laid the ball in to give Big Spring a 28-27 lead going into the half.

Coming out of the break, Greenwood really stepped up their defensive intensity and made it difficult for the Steers to get any rhythm on offense.

The increased pressure seemed to really affect Big Spring and they started to force things and play way too fast and out of control. That lack of control led to multiple turnovers which gave the Rangers a lot of easy transition baskets. With the high level of pressure defense being applied by both teams they both played franticly on offense and it was those easy transition opportunities that really gave Greenwood the advantage as they took the lead at 45-40 as the third quarter ended.

In the final period, Big Spring really struggled to keep the Rangers off the offensive glass and that gave Greenwood more than a few second chance opportunities. Opportunities the Steers could not afford to give up in such a closely contested game. Despite being held in check for most of the game, Greenwood's Jordan Riley really took over in the fourth quarter and gave the Rangers the offensive edge they needed to close out Big Spring and improve to 5-2 in district play with a close 62-56 victory over the Steers.

With the loss the Steers drop to 2-4 in district play with just two games left. Abel Clark led the Steers in scoring and rebounding in the game with an impressive double-double. Clark had 12 points and 13 rebounds and 2 blocks in the game while Kyler Seymore contributed 11 points, 4 rebounds and 2 steals and Jeremiah Cooley added 8 points, 12 rebounds, 3 steals and 3 blocks as well to round out the Steers' stat leaders in the game. "We dominated down low early" said Big Spring head coach Chris Hise. "We held their best player to just 14 points, and I was really proud of our guys for that. We didn't shoot the ball well outside and that hurt us. We will need to do a better job of executing and shooting to beat Snyder on Friday, but I'm really proud of how hard our guys played tonight."

Big Spring will play Snyder at home this Friday looking to get their third district win and improve their playoff seeding as well.

Lady Steers lose nail-biter to Rangerettes 41-38

By JORDAN PARR

BIG SPRING - The Lady Steers hosted the Greenwood Rangerettes at Steer Gym, on Tuesday night in a David versus Goliath type district matchup. Greenwood came into the game already having clinched the district title with a 7-0 record, and the Lady Steers came into the game looking to get just their third district win at 2-5. But despite the disparity in the two teams records, it was a closely contested battle the whole way.

In the first quarter, the Lady Steers defense was phenomenal. Big Spring came out playing fierce pressure defense and suffocated the Greenwood back court early in the game holding the Rangerettes without a field goal attempt for the first three minutes of the game to take a 5-0 lead. Greenwood did eventually get on the board as the Lady Steers got into some foul trouble, but Big Spring still held on and took a nice 15-7 lead into the second quarter.

In the second, Greenwood returned the favor and held the Lady Steers scoreless for the first three minutes of the quarter and tied the game at 15-15 after an 8-0 run. Big Spring finally got a couple of stops and settled down, and were able to regain the lead despite scoring just 5 points in the quarter to go back up 20-17 heading into the half.

In the third period, Greenwood once again put the clamps on the Lady Steers' offense and held them to just 5 points for the second straight quarter. Poor ball control and shooting really hurt Big Spring in the quarter as they fell behind 27-25 despite only allowing 10 points to the Rangerettes in the third.

In the fourth quarter, turnovers derailed the Lady Steers hopes of pulling off the upset. With Greenwood getting multiple baskets on transition layups coming off turnovers, the Rangerettes were able to swell their lead to 11 points with just 4 minutes left in the game. To their credit the Lady Steers never stopped fighting and clawed their way all the way back into the game and trailed by just one 39-38 with just 14.6 seconds left. That was as close as they would get as Greenwood was able to close out the game from the charity stripe to improve to 8-0 in district and remain unbeaten as district champs.

Alex Enriquez led the Lady Steers in scoring in the game. Enriquez had 10 big points off the bench, going 4-4 from the field and 2-2 from behind the arc while also grabbing 4 big rebounds. Logan Terrazas was once again a dominant defensive force in the game with 9 points, 12 rebounds, 4 steals and 2 assists. Kayleigh Penny and Alexis Starr also played great on defense with 4 steals and 5 rebounds apiece. With the loss Big Spring dropped to 2-6 in district and will travel to Abilene next Monday to take on district champs Wichita Falls Hirschi in a bi-district matchup.



Tony Claxton (www.claxtonphotography.com)

Big Spring's Logan Terrazas takes a three point attempt during the Lady Steer's 41-38 loss to Greenwood on Tuesday, February

Bulldogs come up short with playoff birth at stake



Courtesy photo/Lyndel Moody

Gage Clark-Burdell, No. 23, bust through a pack of Wolves to get to the basket during the Coahoma/Colorado City varsity basketball game held Tuesday, Feb.5, 2019, in Coahoma.

Special to the Herald

COAHOMA — The Coahoma Bulldogs went into Tuesday's match against the Colorado City Wolves searching for the one win they needed to tie up a playoff spot.

They didn't find it this time as they fell by five points, 48-43, but the Coahoma boys varsity squad walked

away from the game knowing they left all their effort on the court. The Bulldogs started out the game

10. Both teams had trouble breaking through each other's defense after the tip off until Bryson Cline raced down the court nailing the layup and putting Coahoma on the board first. Colorado City answered quickly to

strong ending the first quarter up 14-

knot the score 2-2. Zack Schneider dumped the ball into the net to help regain the lead for Coahoma.

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Bulldogettes say goodbye to seniors



Courtesy photo/Lyndel Moody

Freshman Madison Rogers tries to out run Colorado City's Mia Monroe during the Coahoma Bulldog/Colorado City girls varsity basketball game held Tuesday, Feb. 5. 2019, in Coahoma.

Special to the Herald

COAHOMA — The Coahoma Bulldogettes said goodbye to their senior players and manager Tuesday night as they closed out the basketball season with a game against the Colorado City Lady Wolves.

Coahoma lost to Colorado City 61-Before the game, all four senior

players — Paige Atkins, Jovi Gon-

zales, Cassie Grant, Julia Cortez and the team manager Andrew Romero — were escorted by their parents to center court to be recognized for their contributions to Coahoma athletics.

After the ceremony, Coahoma and Colorado City turned their attention to a competitive game of high school basketball.

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ance requirements Please psi@snydertex.com or come by 4316 CR 132 Snyder, TX

Temp Farm Laborers (12) 03/21/19-12/31/19. By hand, plant, cultivate, harvest, pack and load watermelons, cantaloupe, pumpkins, and gourds. Install, repair and remove plastic mulch and drip line irrigation. Drive tractor, trucks to harvest hay, wheat, cotton, corn, and milo. Able to obtain driver's license (post hire); Post-hire drug testing (heavy equipment operators) at employer's expense; 1 mo. Exp. required. \$12.23/hr. 3/4 workdays guaranteed, no cost for tools & equipment, free housing for workers (incld'g US workers) who can't reasonably return to perm. residence at end of workday. Distant workers will receive transport & subsistence costs to worksite at ½ of contract. Holubec Farms, Midkiff, TX. Report or send resume to nearest TX Workforce Center, Refer TX SWA Job #TX3087083.

Veterinary Assistant Animal/Medical experience a plus but willing to train. Salary based on experience.Come by Highland Animal Hospital to apply.

Temp Farm Laborers (3) 03/15/19-12/31/19. General farm labor incld'g hoeing weeds, tractor driving, planting transplants, vineyard maintenance, and watermelon, cotton and grape harvest. 3 mo. exp. required. \$12.23/hr. 3/4 workdays quar**Help Wanted**

anteed, no cost for tools & equipment, free housing for workers (incld'g US workers) who can't reasonably return to perm. residence at end of workday. Distant workers will receive transport & subsistence costs to worksite at ½ of contract. G&E Cotton Farms, Inc., Garden City, TX. Report or send resume to nearest TX Workforce Center, Refer TX SWA Job #TX7361885.



The Big Spring Herald is looking for individuals to throw newspaper routes in the Big Spring area. If you have a reliable vehicle and valid automobile insurance, we would like to talk to you! Fill out an application at the Big Spring Herald at 710 Scurry. No phone calls please

Items for Sale

FOR SALE Plus Size Clothes Ladies & Mens Come by 2302 Carl St. M - W CALL Appointment Only 432-263-0955

Public Notice

Invitation To Bid Howard County 2019002M "LRA Material" Bid

The Howard County Auditor will accept sealed bids until 10:00 AM on February 20, 2019. Specifications may be obtained at the Howard County Road and Bridge Department office, 3604 Old Colorado City Road, Big Spring, Texas 79720.

Item 330-9001a LRA PAV TY-I GR-A (SHLDR MAT) (Location #1). This is a material purchase delivered to Howard County Right Of Way (Precinct #3 RM 33 & Longshore Rd) (32°10'9.87"N, 101°28'48.56"W).

Item 330-9001b LRA PAV TY-1 GR-A (SHLDR MAT) (Location #2). This is a material purchase delivered to Howard County Right Of Way (Precinct #1 FM 2212, CR 50, CR 9 Triangle) (32°26'13.93"N. 101°41'18.52"W)

Item 330-6006 LRA PAV TY-1 GR-D (PAT MAT). This is a material purchase delivered to the Howard County Road & Bridge Yard, 3604 Old Colorado City Rd, Big Spring, Texas (32°18'37.48"N, 101°26'19.22"W)

Item 330-9006 LRA PAV TY-1 GR-D (PAT MAT). This is a material purchase delivered to the Howard County Road & Bridge Yard, 3604 Old Colorado City Rd, Big Spring, Texas (32°18'37.48"N, 101°26'19.22"W)

Bids may be mailed to the Howard County Auditor, at P.O. Box 1949, Big Spring, Texas 79721-1949 or delivered to the Auditor's Office, Room 202, Howard County Courthouse. Mark Sealed Envelope "RFQ 2019002M"

Bids will be presented to the Commissioner's Court at 3:30 PM that same day for their consideration. The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Jackie Olson - Howard County Auditor #10093 Feb. 6, 2019

> **ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS** CITY OF BIG SPRING, **TEXAS** 2019 SEAL COAT

Separate sealed bids for the construction of 2019 SEAL **COAT** will be received by the City of Big Spring, Texas until 2:00PM, on February 27, 2019, at City Hall, 310 Nolan Street, Big

Public Notice

Spring, Texas, 79720, and then at said location publicly opened and read aloud. This project consists of approximately 190,000 SY of seal coat for the city streets.

The Contract Documents,

consisting of Advertisement for Bids, Information for Bidders, Bid Proposal, Bid Bond, Contract, Performance and Payment Bonds, General Conditions, Notice of Award, Notice to Proceed, Plans, and Specifications, may be examined at the following locations:

City Hall, 310 Nolan Street, Big Spring, Texas 79720, and Jacob & Martin, LLC, Consulting Engineers 3465 Curry Lane, Abilene, Texas 79606

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids. Bids may be held by the Owner for a period not to exceed 30 days from the date of bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the qualifications of Bidders prior to awarding of the contract.

Copies of the CONTRACT

DOCUMENTS must be ordered online at www.jacobmartin.com. Orders for CONTRACT DOCU-MENTS may include hard copies for pick up, mail out or digital download via www.jacobmartin.com. Upon verification of online payment, hard copies may be picked up at Jacob & Martin, LLC, located at 3465 Curry Lane, Abilene, TX 79606. Cost for hard copies of the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS will be \$25.00. Cost for digital download of CONTRACT DOCUMENTS will be \$20.00. Contractors must purchase a set of CONTRACT DOCU-MENTS to be considered a registered plan holder eligible to bid the project.

Bid Bond: A certified check or bank draft, payable to the order of the City of Big Spring, negotiable U.S. Government bonds (at par value) or a satisfactory Bid Bond executed by the Bidder and an acceptable surety in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total bid shall be submitted with each bid.

CITY OF BIG SPRING, <u>TEXAS</u>

By: Larry McLellan, Mayor Date: February 6, 2019

#10098 Feb. 6 & 13, 2019

Invitation To Bid Howard County RFB2019001 "Sealcoat"

The Howard County Auditor will accept sealed bids until 10:00 AM on February 20, 2019. This bid requires pre qualification with Howard County Road and Bridge Department, specifications may be obtained at that office, 3604 Old Colorado City Road, Big Spring, Texas 79720. The work is to supply labor, materials and equipment to chip seal various county roads, city of Coahoma streets and city of Forsan streets.

Bids may be mailed to the Howard County Auditor, at P.O. Box 1949, Big Spring, Texas 79721-1949 or delivered to the Auditor's Office, Room 202, Howard County Courthouse. Mark Sealed Envelope "RFB2019001"

Bids will be presented to the Commissioner's Court at 3:30 PM that same day for their consideration. The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Jackie Olson - Howard County Auditor #10095 Feb. 6, 2019

Public Notice

DATE OF ISSUANCE: JANUARY 23, 2019 NOTICE OF OBJECTION **DEADLINE:** FEBRUARY 20, 2019 **ADDRESS** SM ENERGY COMPANY ATTN: LISA HUNT 6301 HOLIDAY HILL ROAD, BLDG #1 MIDLAND, TX 79707 PHONE: (432) 848-4833 EMAIL: LHUNT@SM-ENERGY.COM

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR OFFSITE TRACT PENETRATION POINT

SM ENERGY COMPANY, [RRC Operator No. 788997] seeks to be an applicant for a drilling permit of a horizontal well in which the penetration point of such well is located on an Offsite Tract of an unleased mineral owner. As required by the applicable Field Rules of the Railroad Commission, SM Energy Company, as applicant, is required to give 21 days notice by certified mail, return receipt requested to the mineral owners of the Offsite Tract. If applicant is unable to locate the whereabouts of any person to whom notice is due, the applicant may publish notice of the application.

The location and identity of the well is as shown below:

Field: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) Lease/Unit Name: DUSTY Lease/Unit well No.: 4824LS Surface Hole Location: 1916' FSL, 2245' FEL, Section 37, Block 32, T1N Penetration Point: 1599' FSL, 2392' FEL, Section 37, Block 32. T1N County: Howard County, Texas

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to PETER RONALD MURPHY, the unleased mineral owner to whom notice is due, of the Offsite Tract penetration point.

Any objections to the Offsite Tract penetration point must be mailed, delivered, faxed or emailed to the applicant, SM Energy Company (contact information set out above), and to the Railroad Commission of Texas, at the address, fax number, or e-mail address listed below. The objection must be received before February 20, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. CST, the deadline to ob-

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS ATTN: DRILLING PERMIT UNIT P.O. BOX 12967 AUSTIN, TX 78711-2967 FAX - (512) 463 - 6780 EMAIL -SWR37@RRC.TEXAS.GOV

#10066 Jan. 23, 30, Feb. 6, & 13, 2019

Invitation To Bid Howard County 2019001M "Roadway Base Material" Bid

The Howard County Auditor will accept sealed bids until 10:00 AM on February 20, 2019. Specifications may be obtained at the Howard County Road and Bridge Department office, 3604 Old Colorado City Road, Big Spring, Texas 79720.

Item 247-6123a FL BS (RD-WY DEL) (TY A GR 3) (LOC #1 Knott Gin). This is a material purchase delivered to Knott Gin Yard (32°23'44.53"N, 101°40'26.22"W)

Item 247-6123b FL BS (RD-WY DEL) (TY A GR 3) (LOC #2 Gay Hill School). This is a material purchase delivered to Howard County Right Of Way in the vicinity of the Gay Hill School (32°28"13.70"N, 101°27'16.00"W)

Item 247-6123c FL BS (RD-

Public Notice WY DEL) (TY A GR 3) (LOC #3 HC R&B Yard). This is a material purchase delivered to the Howard County Road & Bridge yard, 3604 Old Colorado City Rd, Big Spring,

Bids may be mailed to the Howard County Auditor, at P.O. Box 1949, Big Spring, Texas 79721-1949 or delivered to the Auditor's Office, Room 202, Howard County Courthouse. Mark Sealed Envelope "RFQ 2019001M"

Texas (32°18'37.48"N,

101°26'19.22"W)

PM that same day for their consideration. The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Jackie Olson - Howard

Bids will be presented to the

Commissioner's Court at 3:30

#10096 Feb. 6, 2019 **Invitation To Bid Howard** County RFB2019002

County Auditor

"Inverted Prime"

The Howard County Auditor

will accept sealed bids until

10:00 AM on February 20,

2019. This bid requires pre qualification with Howard County Road and Bridge Department, specifications may be obtained at that office, 3604 Old Colorado City Road, Big Spring, Texas 79720. The work is to supply labor, materials and equipment to invert prime various county roads. Bids may be mailed to the

Howard County Auditor, at

P.O. Box 1949, Big Spring,

livered to the Auditor's Office,

Texas 79721-1949 or de-

Room 202, Howard County Courthouse. Mark Sealed Envelope "RFB2019002" Bids will be presented to the Commissioner's Court at 3:30 PM that same day for their consideration. The Court re-

serves the right to reject any

Jackie Olson - Howard County Auditor

or all bids.

#10094 Feb. 6, 2019 **Invitation To Bid Howard County RFB 2019003**

The Howard County Auditor will accept sealed bids until 10:00 AM on February 20, 2019. This RFB requires prequalification with Howard County Road and Bridge Department, specifications may be obtained at that office, 3604 Old Colorado City Road, Big Spring, Texas 79720. The work is to supply labor, materials and equip ment to place 6 inches of crushed roadway base on

Bids may be mailed to the Howard County Auditor, at P.O. Box 1949, Big Spring, Texas 79721-1949 or delivered to the Auditor's Office, Room 202. Howard County Courthouse. Mark Sealed Envelope "RFB 2019003"

various county roads.

Commissioner's Court at 3:30 PM that same day for their consideration. The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Jackie Olson-Howard County

Bids will be presented to the

Auditor

#10097 Feb. 6, 2019

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 08 Rule 37 Case No. 0317568 DATE OF ISSUANCE: Jan 25. 2019 Status/Permit No. 848482

NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, Mar 1, 2019 Address: Railroad Commission of Texas

ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit P. O. Box 12967 Austin, Texas 78711-2967 Fax: (512) 463-6780 Email: SWR37@RRC.TEXAS.GOV

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the CALLON PETRO-LEUM OPERATING CO, [RRC Operator No. 124828] has made application for a spacing exception permit under the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code section 3.37). Applicant seeks exception to the lease line distance requirement be-

cause the Applicant is less

required Rule 37 lease line

distance to an unleased or

non-pooled interest within the

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subject unit for the AMENDED NEW DRILL permit in Sec. 33, Bk. 33 T3N, T&P RR CO Survey. A-350, SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) Field, HOWARD County, being 18.63 miles NW direction BIG SPRING, Texas. PURSUANT TO THE

TERMS of Railroad Commission rules and regulations, this application may be granted WITHOUT A **HEARING** if no protest to the application is received within deadline. An affected person

is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A Protestant should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-exam-

questions regarding the hearprocedure, please contact the Commission's Docket Services Department at (512)463-6848 If you have questions which are specific to the Applica-

ination or presentation of a

direct case. The rules of

evidence are applicable in

the hearing. If you have any

in this Notice, please contact the Commission's Drilling Permit Unit at rule 37 (512)463-6751 IF YOU WISH TO RE-QUEST A HEARING ON

THIS APPLICATION, AN IN-

tion or the information set

forth

TENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST **BE RECEIVED** IN THE RAILROAD COMMISSION'S **AUSTIN OFFICE AT THE** ADDRESS, FAX NUMBER, **E-MAIL ADDRESS SET OUT ABOVE BY Mar 1,** 2019 at 5:00 p.m. IF NO

PROTEST IS RECEIVED

SUCH TIME, YOU WILL

WITHIN

LOSE YOUR RIGHT TO PROTEST AND THE RE-**QUESTED PERMIT MAY BE** GRANTED ADMINISTRATIVELY. THIS NOTICE OF APPLICA-**TION REQUIRES PUBLICA-**

The location and identity of the well is as shown below: FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA)

Lease/Unit Name: WRIGHT UNIT 40-33 Lease/Unit Well No.: 10SH Lease/Unit Acres: 690.0 Nearest Lease Line (ft): 1.0 Nearest Well on Lease (ft): Lease Lines: 260.0 F North L. 626.0 F East L Survey Lines: 920.0 F North

L, 626.0 F East L Rule 37 Case No. 0317568 (Dist. 08) Page 1 Wellbore Profile(s): Horizont-

Lateral: TH1 Penetration Point Location Lease Lines: 260.0 F NORTH 626.0 F EAST L

Terminus Location BH County: HOWARD Section: 40 Block: 33 T3N Abstract: 1250 Survey: T&P RR CO/BOYDSTON, J N Lease Lines: 100.0 F SOUTH

Survey Lines: 100.0 F SOUTH L 1077.0 F EAST L Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows: SPRABERRY (TREND

1077.0 F EAST L

AREA): Special Rules 330/0, 80.0 acres. This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 8500 feet.

If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Ryan Emery, at (281)589-5200.

#10078 Jan. 30 Feb. 6, 13 & 20, 2019 **RAILROAD COMMISSION**

OF TEXAS OIL AND GAS DIVISION DISTRICT 08 Rule 37 Case No. 0317566 DATE OF ISSUANCE: Jan

25. 2019 Status/Permit No. 848480 NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, Mar 1, 2019 Address: Railroad Commission of Texas

Public Notice

ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit P. O. Box 12967 Austin, Texas 78711-2967 Fax: (512) 463-6780 Email: SWR37@RRC.TEXAS.GOV

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The location and identity of the well is as shown below: FIELD: SPRABERRY

(TREND AREA) Lease/Unit Name: WRIGHT UNIT 40-33 Lease/Unit Well No.: 1AH Lease/Unit Acres: 690.0 Nearest Lease Line (ft): 1.0

Lease Lines: 200.0 F North L, 608.0 F East L Survey Lines: 860.0 F North L, 608.0 F East L

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Rule 37 Case No. 0317566 (Dist. 08) Page 1 Wellbore Profile(s): Horizont-Lateral: TH1 Penetration Point Location

Lease Lines: 200.0 F NORTH 608.0 F EAST L **Terminus Location** BH County: HOWARD

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Public Notice

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If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Ryan Emery, at (281)589-5200. #10076 Jan. 30, Feb. 6, 13 &

20, 2019 **RAILROAD COMMISSION**

OF TEXAS OIL AND GAS DIVISION DISTRICT 08 Rule 37 Case

No. 0317567 DATE OF ISSUANCE: Jan 25, 2019 Status/Permit No. 848481 NOTICE OF PROTEST **DEADLINE**: 5:00 PM, Mar 1, 2019 Address: Railroad Commission of Texas ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit P. O. Box 12967 Austin, Texas 78711-2967 Fax: (512) 463-6780 Email: SWR37@RRC.TEXAS.GOV

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MADE WITH THE TEXAS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE COMMISSION IN ACCORD-ANCE WITH THE PROVI-SIONS OF THE TEXAS **ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE** CODE FOR A WINE AND **BEER RETAILER'S OFF-**PREMISE PERMIT BY QUICK TRACK, INC DBA QUICK TRACK 83 LOC-ATED AT 300 OWENS ST. **BIGSPRING, HOWARD, TX** 79703. OFFICER OF SAID **CORPORATION IS** PASANG LAMA. CITATION BY

PUBLICATION

IN THE NAME AND BY THE **AUTHORITY OF THE** STATE OF TEXAS, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS FOL-LOWS:

JAMES MORALES, PRESCILIANO L. PEREZ AND EUSEVIO G. GALAVIZ if living, and if any or all of the

TO:

above named Defendants be dead, the unknown heirs of such person if he should be deceased, and any and all other persons, including adverse claimants, owning or claiming or having any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the land described in Plaintiffs' petition on file in this cause; and the executors, administrators, guardians, legal representatives, legatees, devisees, trustees, officers, directors, stockholders, partners, managers or other governing persons of the above named persons or

Legals

entities, who own or claim some interest in the land described in Plaintiffs' petition on file in this cause, to-wit: A TRACT OF LAND OUT OF SEC 42 BK 32, TIN, TRACT 34. WILLIAM B CURRIE

SPRING, HWOARD COUNTY, TEXAS, DE-SCRIBED MORE FULLY IN THE ATTACHED METES AND BOUNDS: Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiffs for taxes in the following amount: \$149.24, exclusive of interest, penalties, and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes all

said interest, penalties, and

costs thereon, allowed by law

up to and including the day of

judgment herein.

ADDN., CITY OF BIG

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL as Plaintiffs, against JAMES MORALES, PRESCILIANO L. PEREZ AND EUSEVIO G GALAVIZ and others, as Defendant(s), by petition filed on NOVEMBER 29, 2016, in a certain suit styled HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL VS. JAMES MORALES, PRESCILIANO L. PEREZ AND EUSEVIO G GALAVIZ, for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Howard County, Texas 118th

Judicial District, and the file

number of said suit is 6649

that the names of all taxing

units which assess and col-

hereinabove described, not

made parties to this suit, are

lect taxes on the property

Plaintiffs and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent ad valorem taxes on the property hereinabove described, thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including Plaintiffs, Defendant(s), and Intervenors, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties, and cost allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefore, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file in said causes by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against

said property. You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance hereof, the same being the _4th_ day of _March___, 2019 before the Honorable District Court of Howard County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, then and there to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest, and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the Plaintiffs and the taxing unit parties hereto, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court in the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, this _18th_ day of _January_ _, A.D. 2019 Jury Padron

Clerk of the District Court Howard County, Texas, 118th Judicial District. #10080 Jan. 30 Feb. 6, 2019

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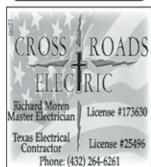
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THE SOUTH 50 FEET OF LOT 1, BLOCK 10, JONES VALEY ADDITION, TO THE CITY OF BIG SPRING HOWARD COUNTY, TEXAS

GEO # B4020007100 PROPERTY ID # R5593

Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiffs for taxes in the following amount: \$1,331.30, exclusive of interest, penalties, and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes all said interest, penalties, and costs thereon, allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein.

suit has been brought by HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL as Plaintiffs, against MANUEL E VILLA and others, as Defendant(s), by petition filed on NOVEMBER 7,

You are hereby notified that

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2016, in a certain suit styled HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL VS. MANUEL E VILLA, for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Howard County, Texas 118th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is T-6631 that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit, are NONE.

Plaintiffs and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent ad valorem taxes on the property hereinabove described, thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, includ-

ing Plaintiffs, Defendant(s), and Intervenors, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties, and cost allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefore, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file in said causes by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

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said property

You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance hereof, the same being the _4th_ day of _March___, 2019 before the Honorable District Court of Howard County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, then and there to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest, and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the Plaintiffs and the taxing unit parties hereto, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this

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THOMAS EDWARD **JENKINS**

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Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiffs for taxes in the following amount: \$2,731.68, exclusive of interest, penalties, and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes all said interest, penalties, and costs thereon, allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein.

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as Plaintiffs, against THOMAS EDWARD JENKINS and others, as Defendant(s), by petition filed on SEPTEMBER 7, 2017, in a certain suit styled HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL VS. THOMAS EDWARD

JENKINS, for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Howard County, Texas 118th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is T-6646 that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties tot his suit, are NONE.

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VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22).

"You're a lot," said the member of

matic friend -- a mild-sounding vet

both sides of this sort of dialogue.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23).

Generation Z to her overly dra-

crushing insult. You've been on

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compassionate today.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Scientific studies suggest that

many humans rate their skills and traits as much better than they actually are. Then there's you, totally underplaying it all. Speak up! Too much modesty means everyone could lose out. TAURUS (April 20-May 20).

tal and one that's childlike. Both parts want what's good for you and what will make you happy, though each has an extremely different definition of those

The power struggle is between

two parts of you, one that's paren-

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). You're feeling rather uncharacteristically quiet, perhaps because

vou're still learning, observing and cataloguing what you see, at least mentally. You're just not ready to put this education into words yet. CANCER (June 22-July 22). You do certain things because

you want to make sure that your A person's record may be clean, efforts don't go to waste. But in a but the real standard isn't about way, once it's out of your hands, it's no longer your business. Let

what a person has been caught and tried for. The real standard is go for now completely. You can check back later. has to be reconciled between the individual and the higher self. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Your parents gave you life, but they didn't give you (SET ITAL) their

a matter of personal integrity that

yourself doesn't advance your purposes, and is in fact more of a hurdle than a help, then you're being too hard on yourself. SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec.

21). Favored activities include next level cleaning and orga-

nization, the sort that handles the closets, files, drawers and little-seen areas -- maybe even the secret chambers of the heart. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan.

19). Creative pursuits will show early signs of success, perhaps in

the interested eyes of others, the smiles, the excellent questions you get about your process and goals. This is exciting! AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb.

18). You're never too busy to be charitable when the call comes.

though often there is no call. To do good in the world these days you have to be proactive. Notice who needs help, instead of waiting to be asked for help. PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). The way a person feels

about himself, the way she sees her position or exerts her power.

these are the sorts of things you can read rather easily today, and there's a way to use this for mutual benefit. Write Holiday Mathis at

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SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). How do you know you're being too hard on yourself? If the

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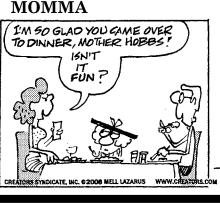




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This Date In History

Today's Highlight in History:

On Feb. 6, 1911, Ronald Wilson Reagan, the 40th president of the United States, was born in Tampico, Illinois.

On this date:

In 1778, during the American Revolutionary War, the United States won official recognition and military support from France with the signing of a Treaty of Alliance in Paris.

In 1788, Massachusetts became the sixth state to ratify the U.S. Constitution.

1933, the Amendment to the U.S. Constitution, the so-called "lame duck" amendment, was proclaimed in effect by Secretary of State Henry Stimson.

In 1952, Britain's King George VI, 56, died at Sandringham House in Norfolk, England; he was succeeded as monarch by his 25-vear-old elder daughter. who became Queen Elizabeth

In 1968, the Winter Olympic Games were opened in Grenoble, France, by French President Charles de Gaulle.

In 1987, Wall Street Journal reporter Gerald Seib (syb) was released after being detained six days by Iran, accused of being a spy for Israel; Iran said the detention was a result of misunderstandings.

In 1991, comedian and teleperformer Danny vision Thomas died in Los Angeles at age 79.

In 1993, tennis Hall of Famer and human rights advocate Arthur Ashe died in New York at age 49.

In 1998, President Bill Clinton signed a bill changing the name of Washington National Airport to Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport. Pop music star Falco, who had a 1986 hit with "Rock Me Amadeus," died in a traffic accident in the Dominican Republic; he was 40. Carl Wilson, a founding member of The Beach Boys,

died in Los Angeles at age 51. In 2000, first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton launched her successful candidacy for

the U.S. Senate. In 2003, Edging closer to war, President George W.

Bush declared "the game is over" for Saddam Hussein and urged skeptical allies to join in disarming Iraq. ABC's "20/20" aired a British documentary, "Living With Michael Jackson," in which the King of Pop revealed he sometimes let children sleep in his bed.

In 2008, the Bush White House defended the use of the interrogation technique known as waterboarding, saying it was legal — not torture as critics argued — and had saved American lives. The Phoenix Suns acquired Shaquille O'Neal in a stunning blockbuster deal that sent four-time All-Star Shawn Marion and Marcus Banks to the Miami Heat.

Ten years ago: Key senators and the White House reached tentative agreement on an economic stimulus measure at the heart of President Barack Obama's recovery plan. Federal health officials said Peanut Corp. of America, a Georgia peanut processor. had knowingly shipped salmonella-laced products as far back as 2007. Death claimed actors James Whitmore at age 87 and Philip Carey at age

Five years ago: House Speaker John Boehner all but ruled out passage of immigration legislation before the fall elections. A suicide bomber blew himself up at the gates of a Syrian prison and rebels stormed in behind him, freeing hundreds of inmates. Jay Leno said goodbye to NBC's "The Tonight Show" for the second time, making way for Jimmy Fallon to take over as host. Baseball Hall of Famer Ralph Kiner, 91, died in Rancho Mirage, California. Former U.S. poet laureate Maxine Kumin died in Warner, New Hampshire, at age 88. One year ago: Casino mogul

Steve Wynn resigned as chairman and CEO of Wynn Resorts amid sexual misconduct allegations. SpaceX's big new rocket blasted off from the Kennedy Space Center on

Answer to previous puzzle 2/6/19

its first test flight, carrying a red sports car on a route that would take it to the asteroid belt between Mars and Jupiter. Poland's president signed legislation making it a crime to blame Poland for Holocaust crimes committed by Nazi Germany.

Today's Birthdays: Actor Rip Torn is 88. Actress Mamie

Van Doren is 88. Actor Mike Farrell is 80. Former NBC News anchorman Tom Brokaw is 79. Singer Fabian is 76. Actress Gayle Hunnicutt is 76. Actor Michael Tucker is 75. Producer-director-writer Jim Sheridan is 70. Actor Jon Walmsley is 63. Actress Kathy Najimy is 62. Rock musician Simon Phillips (Toto) is 62. Actor-director Robert

Townsend is 62. Actor Barry Miller is 61. Actress Megan Gallagher is 59. Rock singer Axl Rose (Guns N' Roses) is 57. Country singer Richie McDonald is 57. Singer Rick Astley is 53. Rock musician Tim Brown (Boo Radleys) is 50. "Good Morning America" co-host Amy Robach is 46. Actor Josh Stewart is 42. Actor Ben Lawson is 39. Actor

Brandon Hammond is 35. Actress Crystal Reed (TV: "Teen Wolf") is 34. Actress Alice Greczyn (GREH'-chihn) is 33. Actress Anna Diop is 31. Rhythm and blues singer/ actress Tinashe is 26.

Thought for "Cherish your wilderness." Maxine Kumin (1925-2014).

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ACROSS

- Legal scholar **7** "T.G.I." day: Abbr.
- 10 Poker player's prize
- 13 Old Testament prophet 14 Break up, as an
- organization **16** Hangouts you
- know well **18** Explosive initials
- 19 Poetic
- preposition
- 20 Matured
- 24 Loads and loads
- **27** Springsteen of song
- **31** Under siege
- 33 Young hoodlum
- 35 Incite
- 36 Of the stars 38 Perform perfectly
- **40** Chapter of history
- 41 Hangouts you visit often
- 44 Follower of Attila
- **45** Emblem of approval 46 Stir up
- 47 Leif's dad
- 49 Preowned 51 Guide a ride
- **52** Loved ones
- **54** Operatic solo
- **56** Numbers read by bettors
- **57** Perform a scene 59 Flavor enhancer
- letters
- **61** Hangouts you like best
- **69** Paint remover ingredient **70** Mischief-prone
- **71** Strawberry

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 Peanut butter brand

73 Not carefully

- 2 It's s. of Canada **3** Door-busting
- device 4 Rightmost sundial numeral
- 5 Seasoning for fries
- 6 Person, place or ___ (noun
- categories) 7 WWII leader
- 8 Tear (up) **9** Spot of land in the sea
- 10 People walking back and forth

- 12 NFL six-pointers **15** Critical remark
- 17 On the peak of 20 Feeling embarrassed
- 21 Charades signal **22** Latvia neighbor 23 Prefix meaning
- "skin" 25 Clumsy person
- **26** Progress slower 28 Overturned 29 Turned sour
- 30 Mistake eliminators
- **32** "Lights out" tune
- **34** Star Trek captain
- **37** In ___ of (instead of)
- **39** Lane in Superman

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- 43 Golden Rule word
- 48 Wanted badly 50 Coin featuring
- 7 Down
- **53** Tartan wearer 55 Hibachi
- residue 58 Stepped on
- 60 Impudence 61 Miles away
- 62 Top pitcher 63 Rural hotel
- **64** Wonderland beverage 65 Sci-fi craft, for
- short 66 Small bite
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COAHOMA — The Coahoma Bulldogette JV team

BULLDOGETTES

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Early on, the Lady Wolves dominated the game scoring in the double digits and effectively keeping the Bulldogettes away from the net.

By the start of the fourth quarter, Colorado City had built a 43-18 lead then Cortez dropped 2 which started a fire under the Coahoma seniors. Grant made all her 11 points in the fourth. Five of those points came at the charity stripe, two from baskets, and one from behind the arc.

Paige Atkins also added to Coahoma's 16-point, fourth quarter haul by burying a beautiful shot from behind the 3-point line.

Grant and Caitlyn Corley were the top scorers for the Bulldogettes in the game. Both girls earned 11 points each.

COLORADO CITY 61, COAHOMA 34 Colorado City: 14, 15, 14, 18 -- 61

Coahoma: 5, 7, 6, 16 -- 34

Colorado City — Mia Monroe 24, Kaci Hudson 6, Lina Rivera 8, Morgan Munoz 1, Morgan Munoz 5, Taylor Smith 8, Kayla Casares 2, Haley Bridges 7. Coahoma — Caitlyn Corley 11, Madison Rogers 5,

Paige Atkins 5, Cassie Grant 11, Julia Cortez 2. Free Throws — Colorado City 21-28, Coahoma

9-14; Three-Point Goals — Colorado City 6 (Monroe 3, Rivera 2, Smith), Coahoma 2 (Atkins, Grant); Total Team Fouls — Colorado City 14, Coahoma 18. **Bulldogettes JV**

Palentines

fell in the season closer Tuesday night to the Colorado City Lady Wolves 39-25. Vada Cortez led the Bulldogettes with 8 points

and Katlyn Johnson followed with 6.

COLORADO CITY 39, COAHOMA 25

Colorado City: 9, 11, 11, 8 -- 39

Coahoma: 0, 10, 8, 7 -- 25

Colorado City — Lastly 15, Koch 4, Kern 4, John-

son 2, Rivera 6, Sims 8. Coahoma — D. Rawls 1, Layla Salinas 2, Katlyn Johnson 6, Kaylie Kaczyk 4, Vada Cortez 8, Karissa

Beeman 4. Free Throws — Colorado City 15-28, Coahoma 3-4; Three-Point Goals — Colorado City 2 (Lastly, Sims); Total Team Fouls — Colorado City 10, Coahoma 19.

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Then Colorado City zoomed past Coahoma for a brief time to take the lead until Gage Clark-Burdell landed a 2-point shot to even the score once more. Schneider and Joe Manning built a 4-point advantage by the time the buzzer sounded to end the opening quar-

The game took a decisive turn in the second after Colorado City had multiple scoring bursts to bring in 15 points for the quarter. Despite scores by Manning and Clark-Burdell, the Bulldogs couldn't keep up and were limited to just five points for the quarter. However, Brice Martin re-energize Coahoma and their fans with a buzzer beater right before the half.

The teams went into the locker room with the score at 25-19 Wolves.

Returning for the second half, both teams came back focused on the game. Colorado City continued to outscore Coahoma in the third but by only 2 points. The Bulldogs went into the fourth down seven points, 39-32.

The two teams continued to fiercely compete up and down the court as the clock ticked down to end the match. After stealing the ball, Manning raced down the court and dropped it in for two points at the 5:30 mark leaving Coahoma only 4 points away to tie

the game, 43-39. However, the Wolves continued to play tough on defense while keeping out of foul trouble, mostly. In contrast, three of the Bulldogs' starters left the game before the end of the fourth because of fouls.

Colorado City upped the score to a seven-point lead with 51 seconds left then Clark-Burdell nailed a shot to make it a five-point game again. However time ran out on the Bulldogs.

Clark-Burdell led Coahoma with 14 points for the match. Manning followed with 10. Of the 48 points scored by Colorado City, senior Omar

Boon dropped 30 of them. Next: Coahoma hosts Merkel Friday. Game time is 6:30 p.m.

COLORADO CITY 48, COAHOMA 43 Colorado City: 10, 15,

14, 9 -- 48 Coahoma: 14, 5, 13, 11

 ${\bf Colorado~City-Tracy}$ Smith 2, Markis Monroe 9, Bubba Williams

1, Omar Boone 30, Hale Maverick 6 . Coahoma — Brice Mar-

tin 2, Joe Manning 10, Zack Schneider 8, Marcus Martinez 2, Gaige Hill 2, Bryson Cline 5, Gage Clark-Burdell 14.

Free Throws — Colorado City 8-20, Coahoma 2-7 ; Three-Point Goals – Colorado City 4 (Boone 3, Monroe), Coahoma 1 (Clark-Burdell); Total Team Fouls — Colorado City 11, Coahoma 20.



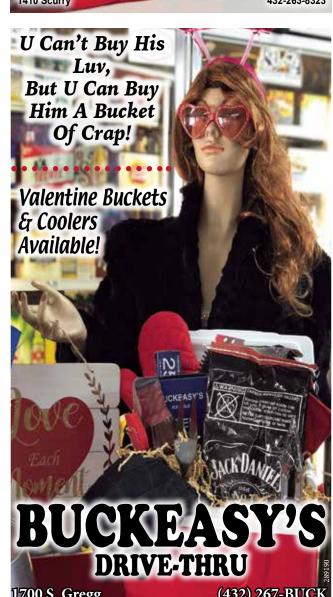






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