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'Carnage Radio' wins awards at Prison City Film Festival



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From left to right, James Fite, Brandon Johnson and Zach Campbell accept an award at the Prison City Film Festival, which was held Friday in Huntsville. This is the first film festival that accepted "Carnage Radio," and the movie was nominated for 11 awards. The movie won awards for sound mixing and best thriller.

By ANNA GUTIERREZ
 Staff Writer

"Carnage Radio," a short movie filmed entirely on location in Big Spring, recently won two awards at the Prison City Film Festival in Huntsville.

"We have submitted Carnage Radio to about 80 different film festivals all over the world, and we are waiting to

hear back from a lot of them," says James Fite, Carnage Radio writer and director. "The Prison City Film Festival was the first that accepted Carnage Radio, and the film was nominated for 11 awards."

The film won awards for Best Sound and Sound Mixing and for Best Thriller Film. Fite says it was a big honor to have been accepted

to the festival, but being nominated for and winning awards helped tremendously in making contacts and marketing the film, which in turn helps sell the film.

"We made this short film to try to get funding to make the feature-length film," says Fite. "With the help of the

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Permian Basin Events, Star Dodge present check to CASA



HERALD photo/Amanda Duforat

Craig Felty with Permian Basin Events, and Clint Fox, General Manager at Star Dodge presented an \$800 check to CASA representatives from the Run 2 Love 2 Run event that took place in February. Pictured left to right are Felty, Fox, CASA volunteer Staci Roseberry, CASA Volunteer Supervisor Sherrie Chevalier and CASA Program Director Tracy Fryar.

By AMANDA DUFORAT
 Managing Editor

Forming partnerships is one of the many ways Permian Basin Events and Craig Felty are building up the Big Spring community. The annual Run 2 Love 2 Run was the most recent pay it forward moment, for Star Dodge, Felty and CASA was the recipient. Monday afternoon CASA was presented

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Prom Closet opens for 2019

By ANNA GUTIERREZ
 Staff Writer

Big Spring's Prom Closet is now open for business for the 2019 prom season.

Opening day was Monday, and this is the sixth year that the Prom Closet will assist students who can't afford prom attire.

"We are in need of donations really badly," says Gabby Fair, who is taking over for her mother, Christian Fair, in running The Prom Closet this year. "We need everything, from dresses, tuxes and suits, to jewelry and shoes, and in all colors, sizes and styles."

Fair says to be expecting a call soon if you have previously donated to the Prom Closet.

The Prom Closet is located at Ryan Hall, 605 N. Main St. They are open Mondays from

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HERALD photo/Anna Gutierrez

Big Spring's Prom Closet had its opening day Monday. The Prom Closet accepts donations for prom attire, for both boys and girls. Anyone who is unable to afford a prom dress or tux can come to The Prom Closet and pick out what you need. They have shoes and jewelry, too. If you have formal attire that's just sitting in your closet, please consider donating to The Prom Closet.

Local announcements BSISD announces early dismissal schedule for Friday

As per the 2018-2019 Big Spring ISD calendar, this Friday, March 8, is an early release date. In an effort to minimize traffic congestion and better allocate district transportation resources, the district's Friday dismissal schedule will be staggered as follows:

- Kentwood, dismissal at 11:30 a.m.
- Marcy, Moss, Anderson Accelerated, DAEP, dismissal at noon.
- Washington Elementary, dismissal at 12:10 p.m.
- Goliad Elementary, dismissal at 12:20 p.m.
- Big Spring Intermediate School, Big Spring Junior High School, Big Spring High School, dismissal at 12:30 p.m.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact your campus administration.
 Go Steers!

Coahoma Athletics announces cold weather changes

Freezing temperatures in the area have prompted the Coahoma ISD Athletic Department to make

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Obituaries

Katie Lue Cathey



Katie Lue Cathey, 87, of Big Spring, died Saturday, March 2, 2019, at her residence after a short illness, surrounded by her family and friends. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Wednesday, March 6, 2019, at the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with her nephew, Pastor Ricky Jones, officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

She was born Dec. 4, 1931, in Knott, Texas to Dave Arion and Maudie Lue Jones. Katie married Jack R. Cathey, Sr. Nov. 6, 1949, in Big Spring. He preceded her in death Sept. 26, 2017.

Katie and Jack were married 67 years and resided in Big Spring all of their married life. She was well known for her love of country dancing at the Stampe with all her friends. Katie owned and operated Cathey Construction with her husband, Jack, for over 60 years. She was a loving wife and mother who was admired for her beautiful handmade quilts and community service. Her service

on the Board of Directors at the Heritage Museum was one of her most enjoyable experiences.

Survivors include one son, Jack R. Cathey, Jr. and wife, Lynda of Weatherford; two daughters, Linda L. Riley and husband, Chuck of Jourdan, and Kim Rath and husband, John of Austin; three granddaughters, Destiny Maykin Hart and husband, Brad, Katie Mae Hebert and Chelsey Rae Hebert; three great-grandchildren, Hudson Hart, Emery Glassinger and Cam Glassinger; two sisters, Joyce Streicher, Maxine Hughey; one brother, Wayne Jones and wife, Patsy; a brother-in-law, Bobby Cathey and wife, Ruth; and 14 nieces and nephews, Mike Cathey, Wacey Cathey, Ricky Jones, Terry Jones, Dianna Thorpe, Arion Hughey, Jerry Thompson, Ronnie Jones, Peggy Lou Merritt, Carol Ann Brewster, Cali Stringfellow, Davey Jones, Robbie Jones and Eldon Jones.

The family suggests memorials to the Heritage Museum, 510 Scurry, Big Spring, Texas, or to the American Cancer Society, c/o Vicki Stewart, 6 Coachmans Circle, 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.com.

Paid Obituary

Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **ISMAEL ARREDONDO ORTIZ**, 33, of 711 W. Fannin St., Mexia, Tex., was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.
- **JUAN JESUS ALAMILLA**,

26, of 505 E. Titus St., Mexia, Tex., was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.

- **AARON JOE GUZMAN**, 27, of 510 Donley St., was arrested on a charge of possession of marijuana (less than two ounces).
- **ASSAULT** was reported in

the 1000 block of N. San Antonio St.

- **STOLEN VEHICLE** was reported in the 300 block of Denton St.
- **DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE** was reported in the 1200 block of N. FM 7

Sheriff

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

Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 85 inmates at the time of this report.

- **JUAN JESUS ALAMILLA**, 26, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.
- **ISMAEL ARREDONDO-ORTIZ**, 33, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.
- **CECIL ANTHONY CARSON**, 26, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant for bail jumping and failure to appear, and wrong color stoplights, and on a charge of assault family violence.
- **CHRISSELDA CHAVERA**,

31, was arrested by BSPD on warrants for hindering secured creditors, theft of property (\$750-\$2500), failure to maintain financial responsibility, and no driver's license.

- **AARON JOE GUZMAN**, 27, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant for possession of marijuana (less than two ounces) and a charge of possession of marijuana (less than two ounces).
- **JOHN LEE HORDGE**, 39, was arrested by DPS on warrants for BOB/possession of a controlled substance penalty group 1 (one to four grams), bail jumping and failure to appear, and possession of marijuana (less than two ounces), and on charge of possession

of a controlled substance penalty group 1 (four to 200 grams), possession of marijuana (less than two ounces), and false drug test falsification.

- **JON DAVID HUNTER**, 46, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.
- **LORENZO MENDOZA, JR.**, 30, was arrested by DPS on a charge of driving while intoxicated, second offense.
- **ANTHONY PAUL MUNOZ**, 60, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.
- **JONATHAN EMMANUEL TINDOL**, 27, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

Take Note

• AARP Tax-Aide will offer free income tax preparation each Monday 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. Free electronic filing will be available for faster refunds.

For more information contact Ray Alexander at 432-212-3533.

• The Big Spring Art Association meets the third Saturday of the month, in the basement of the Howard County Library. Come join us, we would love to have you.

• 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.

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

• 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.

• Maranatha Baptist Academy, 903 Johnson Big Spring, Texas 432-213-1046, Call today for educational needs. In School, High School graduation, Tutoring, homeschool. We are qualified to help you with your child's education, kindergarten through twelfth grade. Come by or give us a call. Open enrollment.

• 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.

Patricia Yarbrough

Patricia Yarbrough, 89, of Big Spring died Monday, March 4, 2019, in a local nursing home. Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory.

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 5900 block of S. Service Rd. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 100 block of Texas. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1800 block of N. Hwy 87. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3200 block of Oasis. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 4200 block of W. Hwy 80. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 700 block of Ohio. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 300 block of Veterans Blvd. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

Support Groups

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.
- 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 and 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.
- 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 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.
- Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder support group meeting is at 6:30 p.m. at the VA Medical Center Veteran's Healing 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 information, email francisco.garza@wtcmhmr.org, or call 432-268-3003.



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entire city, including the mayor, police and fire departments, we were able to make this movie for next to nothing. Imagine if we actually had a budget and funding.”

There is a second screening being planned with the assistance of The

Train Car. The outdoor screening is tentatively planned for April 5 to take advantage of warmer weather. This screening will also be free to anyone who would like to attend.

“At the first screening, so many people expressed interest in helping to fund the feature-length film,” says Fite. “The script is written. Big Spring is not only the location; it is a character in the film. We want to be able to showcase Big Spring, which

in turn can help all local businesses with increased exposure and visitors to the town.”

Fite states that there will be some sort of crowdfunding established to help with the expenses of taking "Carnage Radio" on the film festival circuit. The next film festival they will be attending will be the Bare Bones Film and Music Festival, which takes place starting April 23, 2019, in Muskogee, Okla.

Please follow "Carnage Radio" on Facebook and Instagram to get the latest information. You can also go to their website, carnageradiofilm.com, which includes contact information, and to see trailers of the movie.

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

Oilfield Helping Hands Permian Basin Chapter distributes first grants

Special to the Herald

HOUSTON (March 4, 2019) – Oilfield Helping Hands (OHH), a non-profit organization that helps oilfield families in financial crisis, has awarded its first grants from the Permian Basin Chapter to qualified recipients. The Chapter held its first meeting under new leadership in November 2018.

To qualify for a grant, the applicant must work for one of OHH's corporate members or live and work in an area covered by the Permian Basin Chapter. He or she must also have a minimum of four years' experience in exploration and production, and 75 percent of their income must derive from that employment. County territories supported by the Chapter include Lea, Eddy,

Gaines, Dawson, Borden, Andrews, Martin, Howard, Loving, Winkler, Ector, Midland, Glasscock, Sterling, Coke, Ward, Crane, Upton, Reagan, Irion, Tom Green, Crockett and Schleicher.

Justin Robertson, Permian Basin Chapter president, said, “We are proud to provide support to our first grant recipients in the Permian Basin region. Our mission to provide financial aid to oilfield families in crisis through no fault of their own is made possible by the support of our corporate members and volunteers. Our Chapter meets every month and has upcoming fundraising events scheduled, including The Black and Gold Bash, slated for June 2019. We are seeking sponsors for these upcoming events.”

Visit the OHH website to learn

more about upcoming monthly meetings and fundraising opportunities at www.oilfieldhelpinghands.org.

Oilfield Helping Hands is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization, established in Houston in 2003. OHH helps oilfield families in financial crisis due to no fault of their own. Since its inception, the organization has provided more than \$4.7 million to industry workers and their families. In 2017, OHH mobilized into action after Hurricane Harvey and was able to provide more than \$350,000 to 217 families. OHH continues to work in the most economical fashion to maximize the funds available to recipients each year.

Heater treater explosion results in 2 fatalities

Special to the Herald

According to local media reports, a heater treater explosion occurred Monday afternoon, took the life of two men.

At press time, limited information was available and names had not been released.

According to reports, the explosion took place around 4 p.m. about 15 miles of Stanton. The heater treater was being worked on at the time when it pressured up and caused the gas and oil to ignite.

The investigation is still ongoing and no further details are available at this time.

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with an \$800 donation.

“We are always looking for community support organizations that we can partner with and CASA is one of the valuable resources that we have in Big Spring,” Felty said.

According to Felty, this is the seventh year for the run and the fourth year that they have partnered with CASA.

“These funds will help us in our battle to advocate for children who have been removed from their homes,” Staci Roseberry, CASA Development Director, said.

Star Dodge has joined in the support efforts for the past two years, as well. According to Fox, the dealership is also always on the lookout for ways to invest back into the communities.

“We are a big believer in the work CASA is doing

in the community. My wife is actually a CASA volunteer, as well,” Fox said. “We are proud to support their efforts.”

To find out more about CASA efforts or to become a volunteer, call 1-877-316-8346 or visit www.BecomeCASA.org or www.casawtx.org.

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4-6 p.m., but Fair will schedule special appointments if you can't make it on Mondays.

For more information or to schedule an appointment, please follow The Prom Closet on Facebook at https://www.facebook.com/promclosetbigspring/.

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Six-year-old Texan battling cancer named honorary Texas Ranger



AUSTIN – The Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) was proud to welcome six-year-old Abigail Arias, of Angleton, Texas, to its ranks as she was named Honorary Texas Ranger this week in Austin. Texas Speaker of the House Dennis Bonnen led the ceremony at the State Capitol, where Abigail was joined by loved ones, including her parents and brother, as well as Texas Public Safety Commission (PSC) Chairman Steven Mach, DPS Director

Steven McCraw, Texas Ranger Chief Chance Collins, DPS leadership, and Freeport Police Chief Ray Garivey.

“Abigail is a brave, young Texan, and her moral and physical courage serve as an inspiration to all Texans,” said DPS Director McCraw. “On behalf of the entire DPS family, it was a great honor to appoint Abigail Arias to the position of Honorary Texas Ranger.”

“Abigail has inspired millions with her courage, fighting spirit, and love for law enforcement, and I am so proud that she has fulfilled her dream of becoming a Texas Ranger,” said Speaker Bonnen. “It was my great privilege to stand by Abigail's side as she was sworn in -- the Texas Rangers are lucky to have her.”

Arias has captured the hearts of countless individuals across Texas and the nation as she continues her battle with cancer. Earlier this month, she was sworn in as an Honorary Officer with the Freeport Police Department after Police Chief Ray Garivey learned of her dream to one day become a police officer.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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two schedule changes for Tuesday. The Coahoma Bulldog/Bulldogettes baseball and softball district opener against Clyde set for Tuesday has been moved to Wednesday because of the weather. Only the varsity teams will travel to Clyde and play. Game time starts at 5 p.m.

With temperatures expected in the 20s Tuesday morning, the Coahoma Athletic Department has canceled the tennis team's trip to the Snyder match Tuesday.

For more information contact Coahoma High School at 432-394-5000.

Lancaster booster station work to limit traffic, parking Wednesday

Contractors for the city of Big Spring will be working on the Lancaster Booster Station, and are requiring no parking on the streets in the area on Wednesday. Traffic will be diverted during this time. The following streets will be closed to parking:

- Ryon from Lancaster to LaLoma;
- Lancaster from Ryon to Westover; and
- LaLoma from Ryon to Westover.

The city expresses its regret at any inconvenience related to the work, and requests your patience during the project.

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Texas state briefs

Sheriff: Remains found at crash site confirmed as pilot's

ANAHUAC, Texas (AP) — Authorities confirm they have recovered the remains of the pilot of a cargo plane carrying Amazon parcels that crashed into a bay near Houston.

The Chambers County Sheriff's Office reported over the weekend that remains recovered last week from Trinity Bay are those of 60-year-old Capt. Ricky Blakely.

Atlas Air Flight 3591, a Boeing 767 flying from Miami to Houston, crashed Feb. 23 into the bay 35 miles (55 kilometers) east of Houston.

The sheriff's office reported that the bodies of the two others aboard were recovered the previous weekend. Those were of 44-year-old first officer and co-pilot Conrad Aska and 36-year-old passenger Sean Archuleta.

The National Transportation Safety Board reported Sunday that the flight data recorder has been recovered, days after the recovery of the cockpit voice recorder.

Prosecutors expand probe of cases from 2 Houston officers

HOUSTON (AP) — Prosecutors are expanding a probe into past criminal cases to include more than 2,000 linked to two Houston police officers involved in a deadly January drug raid.

The Harris County District Attorney's Office says it will be reviewing more than 800 cases handled by Officer Steven Bryant, who was relieved of duty after the raid on a home that left five police injured and two residents dead. Thirty of the cases are pending before a court.

These are added to more than 1,400 already under review because they involved Officer Gerald Goines, who the Houston police chief accused of lying in an affidavit justifying the raid.

District Attorney Kim Ogg says that each case will be reviewed "to ensure that the arrests and convictions were proper."

'Fixer Upper' stars Chip, Joanna Gaines at Silos service

WACO, Texas (AP) — The stars of TV's "Fixer Upper" show joined a relocated Texas congregation for church on the lawn of the couple's Magnolia Market at the Silos amid expansion of nearby Interstate 35.

Chip and Joanna Gaines were on hand Sunday as about 200 members of Church Under the Bridge in Waco began outdoor services in their temporary new home.

Pastor Jimmy Dorrell called the couple to the stage to praise the Gaines family for sharing the space during the \$300 million interstate widening project.

Church Under the Bridge, which meets under an I-35 span, was seeking another site during highway construction when Chip Gaines last fall offered the Silos' lawn for a year, at no charge.

The church's website now welcomes all to "Church Under the Bridge at the Silos."

Husband, step-daughter charged in slaying to be extradited

OLMITO, Texas (AP) — A man charged with killing his wife after blaming her death on a Baltimore panhandler is being held without bail in Texas.

Cameron County Sheriff's Office spokesman Lt. Joe Elizardi said 52-year-old Keith Smith and his 28-year-old daughter, Valeria Smith, were arraigned Monday and agreed to be extradited. Elizardi says they're held without bond and Baltimore officials have until March 15 to pick them up.

Jacquelyn Smith was fatally stabbed last year. Her husband said she rolled down her window to give money to a panhandler, who stabbed her.

But Acting Police Commissioner Michael Harrison said at a news conference Sunday that the story wasn't true and announced first-degree murder charges against Smith's husband and step-daughter. He says they were arrested in Texas and were preparing to leave the country.

Southwest takes off for Hawaii this month

DALLAS (AP) — Southwest Airlines plans to begin long-delayed service to Hawaii on March 17 with a flight from Oakland, California, to Honolulu.

An airline spokesman said Monday the flight was already sold out.

The airline begins flights to Kahului Airport on the island of Maui on April 7. Eventually it plans to serve four airports in Hawaii from Oakland, San Jose, Sacramento and San Diego.

The Dallas company plans to start daily inter-island hops between Honolulu and Kahului on April 28 and between Honolulu and Onizuka International Airport on Hawaii Island on May 12.

Southwest wanted to sell Hawaiian flights last year, but it took longer than expected to gain approval from the Federal Aviation Administration. That process was further delayed by the 35-day government shutdown that began late last year.

Televisa draws heat for 'brownface' Yalitza Aparicio parody



Yalitza Aparicio arrives at the Oscars on Sunday, Feb. 24, 2019, at the Dolby Theatre in Los Angeles.

By RUSSELL CONTRERAS

Associated Press

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — A television personality for the Mexican-based Televisa network is facing strong criticism after dressing up in "brownface" and wearing a prosthetic nose to make fun of indigenous Mexican actress Yalitza Aparicio.

Televisa's Yeka Rosales recently posted photos and videos of herself on social media wearing brown skin paint and thick lips in an apparent parody of Aparicio, who attended the Oscars last week after being nominated for best actress.

The stunt, coinciding with the Televisa's season premiere of the comedy show "La Parodia," highlights the racism some scholars say indigenous people in Latin America still face in media.

In the photo, Rosales wore a dress similar to the one Aparicio wore at the Oscars. Rosales also donned a straight, black-haired wig and made exaggerated facial expressions typically used to stereotype indigenous people.

In an email to The Associated Press, Televisa spokesman Alejandro Olmos said the network strongly condemns any form of racism or discrimination. "We

do not believe that the production of 'La Parodia' engages in this type of practice," Olmos said in Spanish.

But Olmos said some of the comments were made in "bad taste" and will be edited from the show.

Rosales drew immediate condemnation on social media in Mexico and the U.S.

"It's disgusting. I'm kind of shaken up about it," said Jennie Luna, a Chicana/o Studies professor at California State University Channel Islands in Camarillo, who studies indigenous populations in Mexico. "This just shows how far we have to go and how far Mexico has to go."

Luna said Aparicio has encountered many similar acts in Mexico since garnering praise for her performance in the movie "Roma."

Aparicio, who is from the Mexican state of Oaxaca, faced racist attacks online and scorn from some Mexican actors. However, she also found strong support among Mexican-American women in the U.S. who identified with her indigenous roots.

William Nericcio, a professor at the Center for Latin American Studies at San Diego State University, said that given Mexican

media's historic treatment of indigenous populations, he isn't surprised by the actions of Rosales.

"The Mexican elite disposition has always portrayed indigenous people as funny and ugly," Nericcio said. "Networks like Televisa profit from this."

This time, Nericcio said, indigenous people are speaking out, also through social media.

Rosales defended her actions, posted photos of herself in blackface and said she parodies people of all races.

"I do not discriminate," Rosales wrote in Spanish on a meme of photos of herself in blackface and as Princess Leia from the "Star Wars" movies. "I interpret people of all the skin colors and races and ages that exist in the world."

She then asked why no one was offended when she previously darkened her skin and dressed up as black disco icon Donna Summer.

This isn't the first time Televisa has faced accusations of insensitivity in portrayals of people of color in Latin American. In 2010, the network drew criticism for hiring actors in blackface for a popular morning program during the World Cup in South Africa.

Air Force major faces charge related to wife's disappearance

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — An Air Force major based in San Antonio bought a shovel, an ax, gasoline and a "burn barrel" a day after his wife was reported missing and then tried to destroy the receipt, according to investigators.

Andre McDonald, 40, was indicted Sunday on a charge of tampering with or fabricating evidence in the disappearance of his 29-year-old wife, Andreen McDonald, who police believe is dead, the San Antonio Express-News reported.

Bexar County Sheriff Javier Salazar said friends reported

Andreen McDonald missing Friday and her husband purchased the materials Saturday morning. Law enforcement found the items Saturday evening after obtaining a second search warrant for the couple's home, Salazar said.

"It led us to believe that these were implements that were going to be used to dispose of a body," Salazar said.

The find "really drives home to us: We believe that Andreen McDonald is no longer living," he said.

Investigators also found pieces of a receipt

that they accused Andre McDonald of having torn up, Salazar said.

"There was quite a bit of effort that went into destroying that receipt to try to prevent us seeing where (the evidence) was purchased," he said.

Andre McDonald works at a cyberwarfare unit at the Joint Base San Antonio-Lackland.

Deputies have been searching wooded areas in north Bexar County for Andreen McDonald, Salazar said.

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Anonymous winner claiming \$1.5 billion Mega Millions jackpot



AP photo

In this Oct. 24, 2018, file photo, media, at left, record people entering the KC Mart in Simpsonville, S.C., after it was announced the winning Mega Millions lottery ticket was purchased at the store. The South Carolina lottery says a single winner has stepped forward to claim the \$1.5 billion Jackpot from a drawing last October. A lottery commission statement says the person submitting the claim for what was the second-largest lottery in U.S. history has chosen to remain anonymous.

COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) — The mystery surrounding the \$1.5 billion Mega Millions jackpot from last October is partly over as lottery officials announced Monday that a South Carolina resident had stepped forward to claim the prize but elected to remain anonymous.

A lottery commission statement said the person submitting the claim for what was the second-largest lottery in U.S. history has chosen the cash option, a one-time payment of nearly \$878,000,000. That's the largest jackpot payout to a single winner in United States history, it said.

"We are delighted that the winner is a South Carolinian and has come forward to claim this remarkable prize," said Hogan Brown, the Commission's Executive Director.

The winning ticket was sold between Oct. 20 and Oct. 23 of last year at a convenience store in Simpsonville, a suburb of the South Carolina city of

Greenville.

For months, South Carolina residents had speculated on why the winner hadn't stepped forward.

Some theorized that the winner was on the run from police and feared a background check if he or she won. Some thought the winner was so overwhelmed at seeing the winning numbers pop up that he or she died on the spot. Others speculated that the winning ticket had been purchased by an office pool and was now the subject of litigation.

The winner had until April 19 to claim the prize. The statement Monday gave no clue as to why the winner took his or her time to come forward.

The prize being claimed does come with other benefits for the state and the shop that sold it.

The KC Mart in Simpsonville will receive \$50,000 for selling the winning ticket and the state will receive \$61 million in income taxes from the winner, the commission said in the statement.

Oregon man snowed in with taco sauce grateful for rescue

By GILLIAN FLACCUS

Associated Press

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — An Oregon man who was rescued after five days stuck in deep snow with his dog is deeply grateful to his rescuers and embarrassed to have caused so much trouble, his aunt told The Associated Press on Monday.

Jeremy Taylor's 4-wheel-drive vehicle got stuck Feb. 24 in snow on a U.S. Forest Service road as he headed to do some off-road driving in the wilderness outside the central Oregon city of Bend.

As night fell, Taylor, 36, decided to sleep in his car with his Australian shepherd, Ally, and hike out the next day, his aunt, Denise Tremaine said in a telephone interview with The Associated Press.

Taylor fashioned some snowshoes from pieces of the roof rack he uses for his kayak and started off on Feb. 25. But after a mile (1.6 kilometers), Taylor had to turn around because the dog was sinking in the deep snow and could not continue.

Taylor carried Ally back to the car and the two hunkered down there, sharing a sleeping bag to keep warm. Taylor had a full tank of gas and was able to blast the heat briefly when it got unbearably cold and ate a few packets of taco sauce he had with him, she said.

He and the dog drank melted ice, but she said she does not think Taylor fed the dog hot sauce.

"That's his world right there, that dog. She goes everywhere with him," Tremaine said of the dog. "He would never, ever leave that dog in the car."

Eventually, Tremaine said, heavy snow from more snowstorms made it impossible for Taylor to open his vehicle's door.

At one point, he saw an airplane overhead and raced to push the snow off the car's roof so rescuers might see him, but it did not work. He did not have a cellphone with him or any emergency supplies, she added.

"He didn't take the provisions he should have. I gave him a little of that talk and I'm just glad he's alive, because I think there was a point there when he didn't think he was going to make it," she said.

What Taylor did not know is that by Feb. 27, his friends had realized that the self-employed building contractor was missing. He had not shown up to work and no one had heard from him, so friends reported him missing.

Search and rescue crews combed the forests outside Bend by snowmobile, airplane and drone and as word spread on social media, friends and acquaintances searched on their own using snowmobiles.

On Friday afternoon, a snowmobiler found Taylor and he and his dog were brought out of the woods on a snowcat, a type of snow tractor, and they were reunited with family and friends.

He returned home to find his roof was damaged from heavy snow and his water pipes were frozen, Tremaine said. Hundreds leave IS-held area in Syria as fighting slows down

Hundreds leave IS-held area in Syria as fighting slows down

By SARAH EL DEEB

Associated Press

BAGHOUZ, Syria (AP) — Hundreds of people, including Islamic State fighters, evacuated the extremist group's last foothold in eastern Syria on Monday, after U.S.-backed Syrian fighters again slowed their offensive to allow a way out of the tiny enclave.

The new exodus came only three days after the Kurdish-led Syrian Democratic Forces resumed military operations against the militants holed up in Baghouz, a village on the banks of the Euphrates River close to the Iraqi border.

In past weeks, thousands of civilians left the speck of territory in organized evacuations following an earlier halt in fighting. The SDF said its fighters were surprised by the number of civilians, who include IS family members, cooped up in the small area that has been squeezed smaller and smaller by intermittent military offensives.

The militants and their families and other civilians are believed to have used tunnels, caves and holes to hide from airstrikes and missiles by the U.S.-led coalition and the SDF. The SDF said the militants are using civilians as human shields

An SDF media official who goes by his nom de guerre Ciyager said over 1,000 people, including a number of fighters, evacuated the area controlled by IS on Monday through a safe passage that has allowed those wishing to exit a way out. Dozens of men, women and children climbed hills on foot and were later seen getting into small trucks after they were searched by SDF fighters manning the evacuation corridor.

Shortly before sunset, more than 20 trucks, usually used to transport animals, emerged from the IS-held area, carrying men, women and children. One woman covered in black flashed a victory sign as she left.

The evacuees included a man who said he was French, men and women from Indonesia, Turkey, Turkistan and Bosnia and many Syrians and Iraqis.

Some of the men were of fighting age and appeared healthy while others were wounded.

Some carried crutches, and a man with face burns and a broken leg was carried off the truck on a mattress, intravenous needles visible in his arm and hand. A skinny man, with short dreadlocks, stepped off the truck in a daze.

Since Feb. 20, an estimated 15,000 people have left the IS-held pocket, producing dramatic scenes of women shrouded in black and many children climbing off trucks into a desert area to be screened and searched. They were then whisked to a camp for displaced people to the north, while suspected fighters were moved to detention facilities.

Military operations restarted Friday, with a ground advance a day later that followed a spectacular air assault that lit the skies of the tiny village. IS militants desperately fought back with snipers, car bombs and other weapons trying to slow the SDF advance.

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Baylor remains unanimous No. 1 in AP women's hoops poll

By DOUG FEINBERG

AP Basketball Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Baylor remained the unanimous No. 1 choice in The Associated Press women's basketball poll.

The Lady Bears, who have been atop the rankings for six weeks, received all 28 first-place votes from a national media panel Monday. The Lady Bears have the longest winning streak in the country, 19 games, and close out the regular season Monday night at West Virginia.

UConn, Louisville, Notre Dame and Mississippi State follow Baylor. All four teams are done with the regular season and start their conference tournaments later this week. Oregon, Stanford and Maryland remained Nos. 6, 7 and 8 as the first eight teams in the poll are unchanged.

North Carolina State moved up a spot to ninth and Iowa two spots to 10th.

Here are some other tidbits from the AP Top 25 this week:

MOVING MIDDLE: It was a rough week for teams in the middle of the poll. Iowa and Gonzaga were the only two schools ranked from ninth to 18th that didn't lose a game this week. The Zags moved up two spots to 14th. Marquette made the biggest fall, dropping four places to 17th.

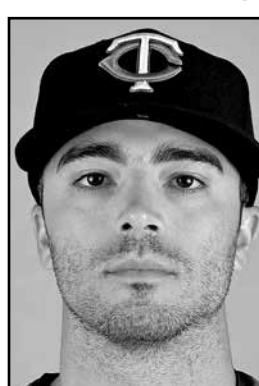
AT STAKE: With the Power Five tournaments getting going this week, it will be the final chance for teams to convince the selection committee that they deserve a coveted top seed in the NCAA Tournament. The top four seed lines will host the opening two rounds of the tournament. The NCAA will reveal its current top 16 teams Monday night.



AP photo

Baylor head coach Kim Mulkey thanks Baylor center Kalani Brown (21) as she head to the bench in the second half of an NCAA college basketball game, Saturday, March 2, 2019, in Waco, Texas. Baylor defeated Oklahoma State 76-44.

Rangers acquire outfielder Zack Granite from Twins



Granite

SURPRISE, Ariz. (AP) — The Texas Rangers acquired outfielder Zack Granite from Minnesota for right-hander Xavier Moore and \$50,000, and the Twins dealt Moore to the Baltimore Orioles for \$750,000 in 2019-20 international signing bonus pool allocation.

Granite was designated for assignment last week to clear a roster spot when Minnesota signed Marwin Gonzalez. Granite hit .237 in 40 games for the Twins in 2018, then batted .211 in 68 games for Triple-A Rochester in a season cut short because of a torn rotator cuff.

Moore, 20, had a 5.30 ERA last year in 13 relief appearances for the Arizona League Rangers and Spokane Indians.

Texas placed outfielder Scott Heineman on the 60-day injured list Sunday to open a roster spot. He is recovering from surgery on Dec. 10 to repair the labrum in his left shoulder.



Brock

contamination in his left leg. And because last November he had a stroke, which, he said, he didn't know he had.

"The only way I believed it was that I couldn't talk for a week," said Brock. Through some therapy, his voice has recovered to a degree. His speech

isn't quite as clear as it was for his first 79 years, but he managed an uproarious laugh when he was kidded that sometimes the oft verbose Brock didn't make much sense anyway when he was speaking.

"That was pretty good," said Brock, bumping fists with a friend. "Pretty good. You're probably right."

Now, Brock is making speeches from a podium. And he is working daily to deal with his latest ailment.

"I'm almost finished with that," he said, optimistically.

"Then I'll be really ready to hang out. If I could talk, I'd be OK."

Although his body has been ravaged more than anyone's should be, Brock has a default area. "The brain," said Brock, "is off-limits."

The will to live is unquestioned, and Brock said the alternative "honestly never crossed my mind. I had not one incidence where I felt like giving up — even with the stroke. I'm hanging in there, man."

First, Stan Musial died six years ago at 92. Then Red Schoendienst died last year at 95.

Bob Gibson, at 83, and Brock are the Cardinals Hall of Fame senior citizens now. "I used to hang out with Red a lot. He was protecting me," said Brock, with a smile.

Schoendienst, watching Brock deal with health problems in recent years, used to say, "That's a tough kid, right there."

After his playing career ended in 3,023 hits and then a record 938 stolen bases, Brock has been an instructor in Cardinals camp and a broadcaster. He went to work as a base running consultant for the Minnesota Twins, who then went on to win the World Series in 1987.

"Then I got a call from Tommy Lasorda of the Dodgers and they won the World Series (in 1988)," Brock said.

"I didn't get another chance until '94 when the Montreal Expos were in first place. And then the strike came. I was taken out of the market," said Brock, laughing.

Brock said he didn't know yet how good the Cardinals would be this season. But he applauded the acquisition of first baseman Paul Goldschmidt.

"With him and (Marcell) Ozuna here, the only thing they were missing last year was another bat," Brock said. "This year that bat is here. And they didn't change anybody (in trade) to do anything."

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Texans place non-exclusive franchise tag on Clowney



AP photo

In this Dec. 23, 2018, file photo, Houston Texans outside linebacker Jadeveon Clowney moves toward the action during an NFL football game against the Philadelphia Eagles, in Philadelphia. The Houston Texans have placed the non-exclusive franchise tag on defensive end/outside linebacker Jadeveon Clowney.

By KRISTIE RIEKEN

AP Sports Writer

The Houston Texans placed the non-exclusive franchise tag on defensive end/outside linebacker Jadeveon Clowney on Monday.

The move doesn't close the door for the Texans to sign the edge rusher to a long-term deal. General manager Brian Gaine says: "Our goal is to continue to work with his representation on a long-term contract. This gives us both an opportunity to continue to do so."

Houston will offer Clowney, the first overall pick in the 2014 draft, a one-year guaranteed contract for an amount based on position. Because Houston used the non-exclusive tag on Clowney, he can sign immediately or attempt to get an offer sheet from another team. If he is given an offer

sheet, the Texans would have the chance to match it.

In that scenario, if the Texans did not match the offer, the new team would have to give up two first-round picks as compensation for taking the franchise player.

Clowney has said repeatedly he'd like to remain a Texan and after Houston lost 21-7 to the Colts in the wild-card round in January he reiterated that sentiment.

"We were a lot better than what we played (against Indianapolis)," he said then. "Of course I want to come back and show everybody that with this team. But that's up to them."

Coach Bill O'Brien wouldn't speculate on Clowney's future last week at the NFL combine, but he did talk about his time coaching him.

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Hall of Famer Lou Brock aids Cardinals amid health battles

By RICK HUMMEL

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

ST. LOUIS (AP) — On the observation deck outside the Cardinals' offices in right-center field, and under an umbrella to protect against the heat, sat an interested observer on a recent Sunday.

"I want to see them rounding second base," said the base burglar, Hall of Famer Lou Brock, who had a good view of that portion of the diamond.

"In the Cardinals' starting lineup, eight guys, half of them have got to be able to round second base. If they can't, then we have to work on it," Brock said.

What Brock was saying is that, even in this power age, good baseball teams need to be able to go from first to third on base hits.

"The (New York) Yankees were a very good first-to-third ballclub. It's part of the game," said Brock.

"Base running sounds simple. But there's a scientific aspect to it that is a must."

Cardinals manager Mike Shildt said Brock's first-to-third concentration "makes perfect sense. They all have to be able to do it. But half of them have to be able to do it religiously. That's a big 90 feet (between second and third)."

The Cardinals, on a recent Sunday, were a good first-to-home club, scoring eight runs but losing 10-8 to the New York Mets, the St. Louis Post-Dispatch reported.

In his best Lou Brock imitation in the first, Matt Carpenter walked, stole second and scored on a bloop single by Jedd Gyorko. Then, in the second, Carpenter did something else that Brock occasionally did as a leadoff man. He homered.

"I had nothing like a Lou Brock game," argued Carpenter.

"I had an opening to take a base. It was a good count. It was there, so I did that. I hit a ball out."

"It was a good day. But nobody has a Lou Brock game."

Brock has had it rough in recent years. But he's alive and well, relatively so, anyway, considering that his left leg had to be amputated four years ago because of diabetes complications. And because his lower back still bothers him because of the blood cancer (multiple myeloma) that jumped him a couple of years ago. And because he has had a heart condition, stemming, he said, from some

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Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Guardianship of the Person and Estate of Salome R. Guerra were issued on February 28, 2019, in Cause No. G-304, in the County Court of Howard County, Texas, to: Covenant Outreach, LLC, Guardian of the person and Estate of Salome R. Guerra.

The Mailing Address of the Guardian is in Taylor County, Texas, as follows:

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#10122 March 5, 2019

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Guardianship of the Person and Estate of Sharon Gail Mitchell were issued on March 1, 2019, in Cause No. G-305, in the County Court of Howard County, Texas, to: Kyna Shanks Moore, Guardian of the Person and Estate of Sharon Gail Mitchell.

The Mailing Address of the Guardian is in Taylor County, Texas, as follows:

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Testimony for the Estate Ruben May (Jimmy) Moore, Deceased, were issued on February 28, 2019, in Cause No. P-14878, in the County Court of Howard County, Texas, to: Imogene D. Moore, Independent Executrix.

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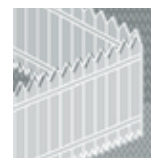
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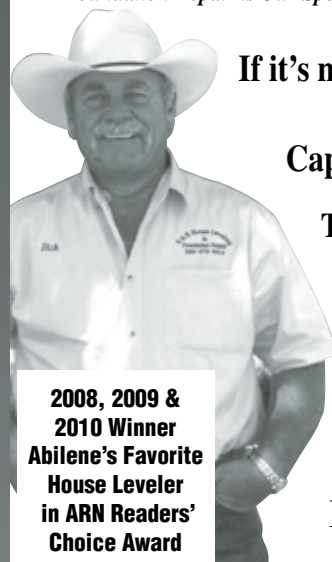
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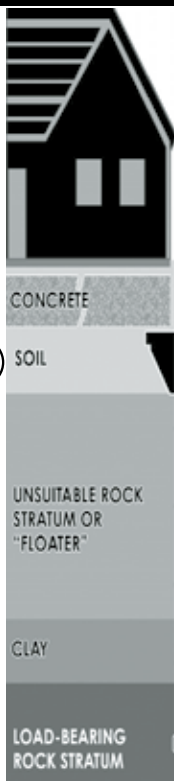
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Lease/Unit Name:NEDERLANDER
Lease/Unit Well No.:3725LS
Lease/Unit Acres:627.85
Nearest Lease Line (ft):1.0

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Lease Lines:526.0 F N L,435.0 F W L
Survey Lines:1916.0 F S L,2215.0 F E L
Wellbore Profile(s):Horizontal Lateral: TH1
Penetration Point Location Lease Lines:50.0 F N L 440.0 F W L
Terminus Location BH County: HOWARD
Section: 1Block: 32 T1SAb-tract: 152 Survey: T&P RR CO
Lease Lines:70.0 F S L 440.0 F W L Survey Lines:2560.0 F N L 2211.0 F E L

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Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) :Special Rules330/0, 80.0 acres. This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 8000 feet. If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Lisa Hunt, at (432)8484833.
#10116 Feb. 26, March 5, 12 & 19, 2019

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TAURUS (April 20-May 20). You're interested, and now there's an opportunity to dip your toe into the proverbial pool. You won't have to totally immerse yourself to satisfy your curiosity and gain some experience.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Not everyone is comfortable sharing feelings. Some people you know are very encouraging and supportive and yet not demonstra-

tive. Still, you can feel the love and compassion whenever you're in their presence.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). It's your goal to be compassionate and respectful, though you may not have articulated it quite like that. There are people you admire that embody those qualities and you want to be like them. In fact, you already are.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Everyone is observing something different at any given moment. You'll share memories, compare notes and be surprised at which details stand out to other people.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). To enjoy and be friendly with people without feeling compelled to spend a lot more time with them than necessary

Tomorrow's Horoscope

is the definition of "acquaintance-ship." Who crosses to the next level? Choose carefully.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23-Oct. 23). You have a complaint. You're right about it. But it's not something that you'll be able to change today. Accept it, and log it in your mental banks for now. Solutions and opportunities will come. Stay positive.



city square in Madrid or the jungle of Costa Rica. Looking around helps you appreciate both the world and what's going on in your part of it.
SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). If you assume the door is locked, then you won't be able to open it. Don't assume. Watch the others. Maybe the door is heavy and needs a shove, or temperamental and needs a jiggle of the handle. Watch and copy.
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). A live streaming camera can tell you what life is like now on the Las Vegas Strip, a

would be wonderful, but it's not in the offering. The good news is that the compromise that is in the offering will be better in the end anyway.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Sometimes it feels like you're the only one around using rational thought in a culture that prefers letting the person with the biggest ego call the shots regardless of what's logical. Stay rational.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Maybe it looks like the side you're on doesn't have a chance, but this is early in the game. Besides, if you're confident enough to take action, then you've already won.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). To get things done your way at the price you'd prefer

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South won the spade lead in dummy and could count 11 sure tricks after forcing out the ace of hearts. His best chance for a 12th trick was to find a 3-3 heart division, a doubleton ten of hearts in either defender's hand, or the ace in the East hand.
Accordingly, South led a heart from dummy at trick two and played the king, on which West smoothly followed low! Declarer then returned to dummy with a spade and led a heart to the queen, and again West followed low!
With the ace of hearts apparently in the East hand, it is not surprising that South returned to dummy once more with a club and led a third round of hearts toward his J-9. Curtains! Down one.
Of course, had West won the first or second heart lead, declarer would have made the contract. When he later discovered the actual heart situation, he would have been forced to fall back on the hope that West had the queen of diamonds, and the slam would have come rolling home.

Whatever can be legally and ethically done to deceive the opposition during the play of the cards is perfectly acceptable in bridge. Usually, the declarer has a better chance of pulling the wool over the opponents' eyes, but occasionally a defender can turn the tables on declarer.
Consider this deal where West

Tomorrow: Forewarned is forearmed.
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Annie's Mailbox

When Generosity Turns Into Resentment

Dear Annie: I like doing kind things for people. It makes me feel good. I believe my kind acts should be appreciated but not be expected. Is that wrong? Most of the time, what starts off as a kind act ends up with expectations of more. Sometimes these expectations can be difficult to manage and are so far from what I intended. In the end, the recipient is angry when I pull back, or I feel used if I don't. It's too much stress. How do you not go from kindness to resentment? What am I doing wrong?
-- Trying to Be Kind

Dear Trying to Be Kind: Anyone who acts entitled to your generosity doesn't deserve it, and you shouldn't feel guilty for putting some space between such a person and yourself. Boundaries are the foundation of a

healthy social life. Lay some down, and resolve not to pay any mind to another's unfair expectations of you.
I also think you could benefit from examining your own role in this pattern. Why do you do these kind things, and why do you do them for people who don't treat you well? If your self-worth is tied up in the idea that you're a generous person, you should disentangle it. You are worthy and enough; you do not need to go out of your way to prove this through gestures. To be clear, I'm not saying you shouldn't be generous. But true generosity can exist only for its own sake, not for the ego's. Frank A. Clark said, "Real generosity is doing something nice for someone who will never find out."
Dear Annie: My wife and I have been together for 17 years, and we have

two wonderful daughters. Being busy with work and kids' activities, we share our weekly schedule and commitments in an online calendar so that we know what is going on during the week.
Last week, she entered in the shared calendar a meeting with a "grieving support group" that she will attend soon. To my knowledge, nothing bad happened recently in our family, and I really have no idea what she is grieving about.
When I asked her whether she could tell me the reason for her grieving, her answer was a sharp and angry "No!" without any explanation.
I feel sad and bothered by all this. It is not the mystery that bothers me. (I don't think there is anything wrong with a little privacy in a couple.) What bothers me is she feels that I couldn't be of any help with her grief and that I am not entitled

to even know about it. If I were grieving, she would be the first person I would talk to for emotional support. Am I being unreasonable? -- Lost in Grief
Dear Lost in Grief: You can't pry a bud open before it's time to bloom, and you can't force a loved one to open up before she's ready. I commend you for being patient so far and encourage you to keep that up for a little longer. I don't think your wife's entering this on the calendar was an accident; I think that deep down, she does want you to know. But she will have to tell you in her own time. In the meantime, let her know that you love her, that you are here for her and that she can tell you anything.
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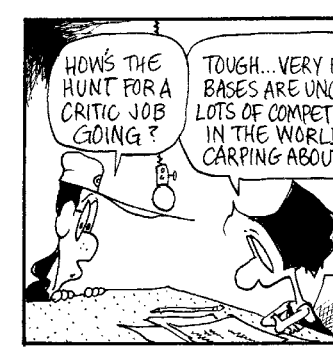
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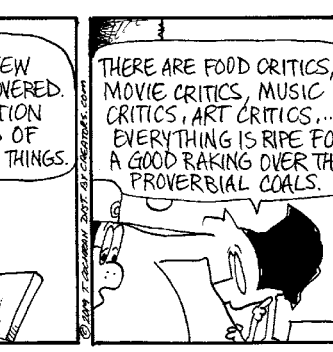
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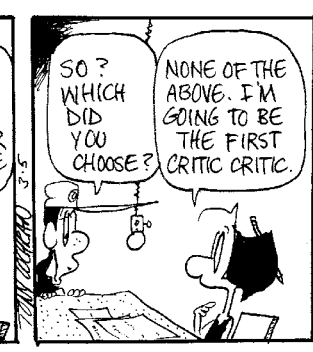
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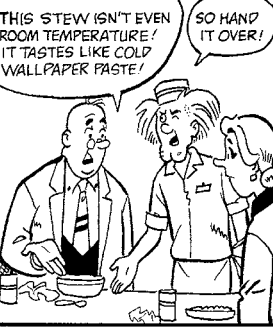
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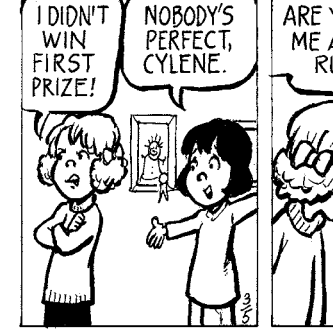
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This Date In History

Today in History
By The Associated Press
Today in History
Today is Tuesday, March 5, the 64th day of 2019. There are 301 days left in the year.
Today's Highlight in History:
On March 5, 1963, country music performers Patsy Cline, Cowboy Copas and Hawkshaw Hawkins died in the crash of their plane, a Piper Comanche, near Camden, Tennessee, along with pilot Randy Hughes (Cline's manager).
On this date:
In 1770, the Boston Massacre took place as British soldiers who'd been taunted by a crowd of colonists opened fire, killing five people.
In 1868, the impeachment trial of President Andrew Johnson began in the U.S. Senate, with Chief Justice Salmon P. Chase presiding. Johnson, the first U.S. president to be impeached, was accused of "high crimes and misdemeanors" stemming from his attempt to fire Secretary of War Edwin M. Stanton; the trial ended on May 26 with Johnson's acquittal.
In 1933, in German parliamentary elections, the Nazi Party won 44 percent of the vote; the Nazis joined with a conservative nationalist party to gain a slender majority in the Reichstag.
In 1946, Winston Churchill delivered his "Iron Curtain" speech at Westminster College in Fulton, Missouri, in which he said: "From Stettin in the Baltic, to Trieste in the Adriatic, an 'iron curtain' has descended across the continent, allowing police governments to rule Eastern Europe."
In 1953, Soviet dictator Josef Stalin died after three decades in power. Composer Sergei Prokofiev died in Moscow at age 61.
In 1955, Elvis Presley made his television debut on "Louisiana Hayride" carried by KSLA-TV Shreveport.
In 1966, BOAC Flight 911, a Boeing 707, crashed into Japan's Mount Fuji after breaking up in severe turbulence; all 124 people on board were killed.
In 1970, the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons went into effect after 43 nations ratified it.
In 1982, comedian John Belushi was found dead of a drug overdose in a rented bungalow in Hollywood; he was 33.
In 1998, NASA scientists said enough water was frozen in the loose soil of the moon to support a lunar base and perhaps,

one day, a human colony.
In 2002, President George W. Bush slapped punishing tariffs of eight to 30 percent on several types of imported steel in an effort to aid the ailing U.S. industry.
In 2003, In a blunt warning to the United States and Britain, the foreign ministers of France, Germany and Russia said they would block any attempt to get U.N. approval for war against Iraq.
Ten years ago: President Barack Obama hosted a White House summit where he pumped allies and skeptics alike for ways to overhaul the nation's costly and frustrating health care system. As thousands demonstrated outside, California Supreme Court justices listened to legal arguments over the passage of Proposition 8, which banned same-sex marriage. NATO agreed, after intense internal debate, to restore normal relations with Russia seven months after it had frozen ties in response to Moscow's invasion of Georgia.
Five years ago: President Barack Obama's choice to lead the Justice Department's Civil Rights Division, Debo Adebile (DAY'-boh uh-DAYG'-bih-lay), was blocked by bipartisan Senate opposition over his legal work at the NAACP Legal Defense Fund on behalf of Mumia Abu-Jamal, who's serving life in prison in the 1981 shooting death of Philadelphia police officer Daniel Faulkner. The former Internal Revenue Service official at the heart of the controversy over the agency's targeting of conservative groups, Lois Lerner, once again refused to answer questions at a House hearing.
One year ago: House Speaker Paul Ryan and other Republican allies of President Donald Trump pleaded with him to back away from his threatened tariffs, but Trump responded, "We're not backing down." Los Angeles police arrested Terry Bryant, 47, on charges that he stole Frances McDormand's Oscar trophy after the Academy Awards a night earlier; the award was returned to the actress. The Nielsen company announced that the Academy Awards viewership had plunged to a record low of

26.5 million, down 20 percent from a year earlier. Longtime Republican Sen. Thad Cochran of Mississippi said he would resign because of health problems. (Cindy Hyde-Smith was appointed to succeed Cochran until a November special election, which she won.)
Today's Birthdays: Actor Paul Sand is 87. Actor James B. Sicking is 85. Actor Dean Stockwell

is 83. Actor Fred Williamson is 81. Actress Samantha Eggar is 80. Actor Michael Warren is 73. Actor Eddie Hodges is 72. Singer Eddy Grant is 71. Rock musician Alan Clark (Dire Straits) is 67. Actress-comedian Marsha Warfield is 65. Magician Penn Jillette is 64. Actress Adriana Barraza is 63. Actress Talia Balsam is 60. Rock singers Charlie and Craig Reid (The Proclaim-

ers) are 57. Pro Football Hall of Famer Michael Irvin is 53. Actor Paul Blackthorne is 50. Rock musician John Frusciante (fROSHAN'-tee) is 49. Singer Rome is 49. Actor Kevin Connolly is 45. Actress Eva Mendes is 45. Actress Jill Ritchie is 45. Actress Jolene Blalock is 44. Model Niki Taylor is 44. Actress Kimberly McCullough is 41. Actress Karolina Wydra is 38. Singer-

songwriter Amanda Shires is 37. Actress Dominique McElligott is 33. Actor Sterling Knight is 30. Actor Jake Lloyd is 30. Actor Micah Fowler is 21.
Thought for Today: "More tears have been shed over men's lack of manners than their lack of morals." — Helen Hathaway, American writer (1893-1932).
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Newsday Crossword

LET'S MARCH by Billie Truitt
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ACROSS

- Upraises
- Elephant's long tooth
- Short-lived craze
- Small bay
- "Suffice ___ say . . ."
- Pasta alternative
- Type of steak
- Duo
- Not doing anything
- Sergeant's chant for a march
- Newspaper bosses: Abbr.
- Athlete that's paid
- Hole-punching tool
- Common motel restriction
- Spine-tingling
- Not bumpy
- Under the weather
- "School of thought" suffix
- Creator of the March family in *Little Women*
- Go astray
- Neither's partner
- Horses with spots
- Classroom furniture
- Milk container
- Gobble up
- Darlin'
- Musician's booking
- "The March King"
- Not at home
- Ireland, in verse

DOWN

- Peninsula near Japan
- Generic dog name
- Rights org.
- Bambi, for one
- Long firearm
- Little ___ Annie
- Lamb's mother
- "There's ___ in team"
- Princess' crown
- Sneaky
- Barrel of laughs
- "That's all there ___ it"
- CPR experts
- Winter vehicle
- Another helping
- Yours and mine
- Portable computer
- Comfy shoe, for short
- Roarer's residence
- Anderson Cooper's channel
- African safari nation
- Maple syrup source
- Beasts seen on safaris
- The ones here
- "Wild" estimate
- Magazine edition
- Oxygen and neon
- Coffee, slangily
- Was in debt
- Difficult
- Part of the eye
- Merry tune
- Little ___ (hardly any)

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TEXANS

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"I've had a really good experience with JD," O'Brien said. "He's played good football for us. He's a good person. I've enjoyed coaching him ... I'll leave (contract discussions) to Brian ... but I have nothing but good things to say about JD."

After missing all but four games as a rookie because of a knee injury, Clowney has steadily improved each year and developed into one of the top defenders in the league, making the Pro Bowl in each of the last three seasons.

The 26-year-old played 13 games and had 4 1/2 sacks in his second season, but some still questioned if he could

replicate the success he had in college in the NFL.

He started to quiet the doubters in 2016 when he started 14 games and had 52 tackles, six sacks and forced a fumble. But it wasn't until 2017 when he took his game to the next level. The 6-foot-5, 265-pound Clowney had 59 tackles and 9 1/2 sacks, forced two fumbles and recovered three, includ-

ing one for his first NFL touchdown.

Clowney built on that success last season when J.J. Watt returned after missing most of the previous two seasons with injuries. The two became one of the most fearsome pass rushing duos in the league. Clowney finished with 47 tackles, nine sacks, a forced fumble and three fumble recoveries, with one for another touchdown.

Royals among few clubs banking on speed to win ballgames



By **DAVE SKRETTA**

AP Sports Writer

SURPRISE, Ariz. (AP) — Brett Phillips has always been the fastest player on his team, whether he was playing in Little League, starring at Seminole High School or climbing the rungs of the minor league ladder.

When he looks around the Kansas City Royals' clubhouse, though, the fleet-footed outfielder was left to ask a very sobering and sincere question: "What am I, the 10th fastest now?"

Not quite. But just about.

You see, the Royals identified a market inefficiency a few years ago when it came to bullpen arms, stockpiling huge talents at low costs and effec-

tively shortening games. The result was twofold: They won back-to-back American League pennants and the 2015 World Series, and every other team noticed what they had done and began to offer big contracts to premier relievers.

Unable to keep up with those escalating costs, the Royals turned their attention to speed and defense as they dive headlong into a rebuild. Now, they view stolen bases as grossly undervalued in an era of power hitters, and they have built quite possibly the fastest lineup in baseball.

Second baseman Whit Merrifield led the majors with 45 steals last season. Billy Hamilton, who signed with

at-bats after a midseason call-up.

That's three of the top eight the big leagues last season, and doesn't even factor in Phillips, free-agent signing Chris Owings or speedsters Brian Goodwin and Terrance Gore.

"We felt we needed to improve and speed and defense were two areas where we could improve," said general manager Dayton Moore, the architect of both the World Series title team and now the reboot.

"It could make a difference," he explained. "It could force teams to prepare for us. We could have an identity, a team that plays really, really hard, fundamentally sound, impact-

ROCKETS

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Brock also said he liked their up-the-middle combination of catcher Yadier Molina, shortstop Paul DeJong, second baseman Kolten Wong and center fielder Harrison Bader.

"The kid in center field may be the thing they're looking for to go to the next level," Brock said. "He puts the pressure on. I hope he doesn't stop."

"If Bader is batting .110, put him out there."

On June 18, Brock will turn 80. He promises there will be a party.

"Baseball, look out," he said.

AP photo

Kansas City Royals' Adalberto Mondesi, right, and Los Angeles Angels catcher Kevan Smith watch Mondesi's home run during the first inning of a spring training baseball game Friday, March 1, in Tempe, Ariz.

Kansas City as a free agent, was fifth with 34.

Young shortstop Adalberto Mondesi had 32 steals despite getting just 275

ful defense and speed that cannot be defended. That was our mindset."

It's a mindset that runs counter to every trend in baseball.

The was a yearly average of more than 3,000 steals throughout the 1990s, even with a strike-shortened 1994 season. But the number has declined each of the past four seasons, and the 2,474 steals last year were a drop of nearly 800 from 2012 and the lowest total in a non-shortened season since 1973 — when there were six fewer teams.

Ricky Henderson stole 130 bases for Oakland in 1982. Lou Brock swiped 118 for St. Louis in 1974. Vince Coleman surpassed 100 for the Cardinals in three consecutive seasons from 1986-88.

Only six TEAMS surpassed 100 steals last season.

There are several reasons for the abrupt downturn. Managers generally loathe the idea of running into an out on the basepaths, and fans dig the instant offense of home runs.

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