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**Upcoming Events**

**Saturday**  
 Friends of the Library  
 Book Sale  
 Howard Co. Library

**Saturday**  
 Caprock screening  
 Mezcal  
 8 p.m.  
 (Audience must be 18 + and those under 21 will not be allowed after the movie is over)

**Daylight Savings Time**  
 Don't forget to change your clocks!

**Nov. 9**  
 Hangar Groundbreaking  
 near Hangar 25

**Nov. 14**  
 Alive After 5  
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**Nov. 21**  
 Empty Bowls  
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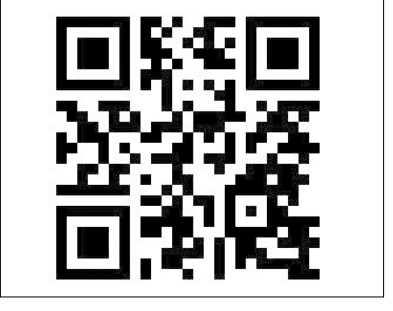
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## 'Caprock' screening set for Saturday at Mezcal

By **AMANDA DUFORAT**  
 Managing Editor


Check Your Brain Production is screening their second movie Saturday night at Mezcal. The screening of 'Caprock' will begin at 8 p.m. and is open to those 18 years of age and older.

"This movie is about two sisters who are traveling west and take a detour to a small motel to explore a serial killers old dumping ground,"

Zach Campbell, member of Check Your Brain Production, said.

Campbell said the crew - Director James Fite and cast: Hollie Gonzales, Jessica Clay, Janessa Wade and Zach Campbell - started filming back in August in the Snyder area and in Big Spring. The crew was comprised of local community members, friends of the crew and

See **CAPROCK**, Page 3A



By **CINDY PINCH**  
 Staff Writer

It's that time of year again. Daylight savings is Sunday. The change will occur at 2 a.m. on Sunday morning. Time will be set back one hour, which means don't forget to set your clocks before going to bed Saturday night.

See **TIME**, Page 3A

## Hendrickson named winner of 2019 Expedition



*Courtesy photo/Bruce Schooler*

Expedition Royalty recently celebrated the grand opening of the Big Spring office. As part of the celebration one lucky person was given the chance to take home a new 2019 Expedition. Wanda Hendrickson was the lucky winner who was announced during the grand opening celebrations a couple weekends ago.

## CHS Haunted House to conjure chills this Saturday

Special to the Herald

If you are seeking a few more chills before this year's Halloween season is over, head down to Coahoma High School on Saturday for a few last minute spine-tingling scares.



The CHS theater department is hosting "The Coahoma Picture Show" Haunted House filled with recreated scenes from six of some of the scariest movies to hit the silver screen.

"We had an option to do a Christmas play or fall production, so we decided to do a haunted house," said Jaurdin Scammel, CHS theater teacher. "It tied in well because we needed a fundraiser to help with the cost to attend a large theater festival."

The three-day festival will be held in late November in Dallas and will provide a number of learning opportunities for the students who attend.

"It's a huge festival," Scammel explained. "Our kids get to go to workshops to learn make up, costume design, and in general, how to make our theater program stronger. We get to see theater productions from people who have won state contests. It's going to be super cool for the kids."

The Haunted House will be held from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. in the CHS old gymnasium. Tickets are \$5 each. The recommended age group for this event is junior high students and older.

"It is family-friendly, but it is still a haunted house," Scammel warned. "There is not going to be a blood or gore, but there will be scary jump outs and more."

## Big Spring Herald staff celebrates Halloween



*HERALD photo/Amanda Duforat*

The Big Spring Herald staff dressed up to hand out candy to trick or treaters on Halloween night. Several businesses around town joined together to create Safe Stops around town for the youth. Community members sent in photos from the festivities around town. Those photos can be seen in the Life Section on Page 1B and 12B. The community is welcome to share photos of community events anytime.

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## Obituaries

### Rev. Juan A. Jojola



Rev. Juan A. Jojola, 72, of Big Spring died Tuesday, Oct. 29, 2019. The family will receive friends from 6 p.m. until 8 p.m. Monday, Nov. 4, 2019, at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Funeral Service will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 5, 2019, at Myers & Smith Chapel with Rev. Billy Guy and Rev. Stanley Smith officiating. Burial with Naval Honors will be at Trinity Memorial Park.

Juan was born March 9, 1947, in Roswell, New Mexico, to Catherine Perez Jojola and Juan Jojola. He came to Big Spring from Roswell in 1979 and married Lydia Perez on March 9, 1984, in Big Spring. He was a veteran of the United States Army and of the United States Navy. He was associate pastor of Full Gospel Fellowship. He retired from the VA Medical Center. He loved arrowhead hunt-

ing and deer hunting.

Juan is survived by his wife, Lydia Jojola of Big Spring; five daughters, Diana Robinson of Albuquerque, NM, April Marquez of Roswell, NM, Elizabeth Franklin of Buena Park, CA, Christina Rivera of Big Spring, and Marlene Rodriguez of Arlington; one brother, Larry Jojola of Big Spring; 15 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one granddaughter, Alexandria Carrillo; a son-in-law, Jerry Anthony, Jr.; one brother, Daniel Jojola; and one sister, Nora Morales; and a nephew, Manuel Jojola.

Pallbearers will be Carlos Montes, Richard Ruiz, Jimmie McCain, Milton Harper, Rocky Pearson and Lemont Jojola. Honorary pallbearers will be Johnny Rodriguez, Manuel Moreno, Gilbert Franklin, Terrance Chapman and Daniel Hilario.

Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at [www.myersandsmith.com](http://www.myersandsmith.com).

*Paid Obituary*

### Consuelo "Connie" Balderas

Consuelo "Connie" Balderas, 72, of Big Spring, passed away Friday, Nov. 1, 2019, at Midland Memorial Hospital. Vigil service will be at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 5, 2019, at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral Mass will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Holy Trinity Catholic Church. Burial will be at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Connie was born Sept. 2, 1947, in Big Spring, Tex-

as. She is survived by one sister, Anita Sotelo of Big Spring; five nieces and nephews; and several great nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, Matilde Villa Sotelo and Pedro Sotelo, she was preceded in death by her husband, Rudy "Role" Balderas; and two brothers, Willie and Robert Sotelo.

Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at [www.myersandsmith.com](http://www.myersandsmith.com)

## Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **MICHAEL ANTHONY GOMEZ**, 27, of 903 S. Runnels St., was arrested on two outstanding warrants from other agencies.
- **MICHAEL CURTIS ROBERTSON**, 33, of 19554 E. Hamilton Place, Aurora, Colorado, was arrested on an outstanding war-

rant from another agency.

- **RUDY ORTEGA**, 20, of 1519 Wood St., was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.
- **TRISTON MICHAEL PHILIPS**, 20, of 2600 Crestline Rd., Apt. C4, was arrested on a warrant for assault family violence threat or offensive touch.
- **KRISTIE NICHOLE**, 30, of 1202 E. 15th St., was arrested on

an outstanding warrant from another agency.

- **FOUND PROPERTY** was reported in the 1000 block of Stadium Ave.
- **BURGLARY OF A HABITATION** was reported in the 2500 block of Gunter Circle.
- **THEFT OF A FIREARM** was reported in the 600 block of W. I-20.

## Sheriff

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

Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 79 inmates at the time of this report.

- **AMBER CHRISTIEN BOOTH**, 30, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.
- **KRISTIE NICOLE GARZA**,

30, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant for motion to revoke-evading arrest or detention.

- **MICHAEL ANTHONY GOMEZ**, 27, was arrested by BSPD on warrants for assault causing bodily injury, and a parole violation.
- **RUDY ORTEGA III**, 20, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.
- **TRISTON MICHAEL PHIL-**

**LIPS**, 20, was arrested by BSPD on warrants for motion to revoke-possession of marijuana (less than two ounces), assault family violence.

- **MICHAEL CURTIS ROBERTSON**, 33, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant for failure to appear-possession of marijuana (less than two ounces).

## Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1100 block of N. Lamesa Hwy. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 900 block of N. Lamesa Hwy. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3700 block of Wasson Rd. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1600 block of Harding.

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- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1900 block of Runnels. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 300 block of Leatherwood. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1000 block of Bluebonnet. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1900 block of Simler. 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 1300 block of E. Hwy 350. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 700 block of W. I-20. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 2500 block of Larry. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

## Take Note

Milestone Environmental Services will be hosting a hiring event on Tuesday, Nov. 5, 2019, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Hotel Settles, located at 200 E. 3rd St. Milestone is seeking skilled, talented and dedicated candidates for positions at its current and future locations in the Permian Basin area and the South Texas Eagle Ford Shale. Employment

opportunities include operations supervisors, operations specialists, equipment operators, ADT truck drivers, pump operators, receivers, and wash rack operators. Milestone employees have access to comprehensive benefits including a competitive salary, career advancement, as well as onsite housing and professional development training. For more

information, please visit [www.milestone-es.com](http://www.milestone-es.com).

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.

## Support Groups

### SATURDAY

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

### SUNDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous closed meeting from 11 a.m. to noon at 615 Settles. Open meeting 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

### 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.

• 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.

• Caregivers Support Group, sponsored by the Area Agency on Aging, meets the second Tuesday of every month at 10:30 a.m. The meetings are held at the Senior Citizens Center located at 100 Whipkey Drive. These meetings are open for any caregiver, whether medical professional or family member. For more information, please call Becky Letz at 267-1628.

• Al-anon family group meets at 8 p.m. at 615 Settles.

• DivorceCare is a biblical support group for those facing divorce or separation. Each DVD session features nationally respected experts, such as Christian Counselors and Pastors. Small group discussions and workbook exercises help participants apply the information to their own situations. We cover pertinent issues like: • Will I survive? • How to get out of debt. • How do you know when you are ready for a new relationship? • How to lessen the impact of divorce on your children. • Is reconciliation possible?

There is no charge for attendance. 13-week seminars are held two times per year on Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. The next session begins Sept. 3, 2019. Visit the DivorceCare Ministry of TBC Facebook page for information. You can also call Donna Burcham at 267-6344 for information on seminar dates and how you can register to attend.

### 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.

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# Weather



**Saturday:** Sunny, with a high near 58. North wind 5 to 10 mph becoming east in the afternoon.

**Saturday Night:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 39. South wind 5 to 10 mph.

**Sunday:** Mostly sunny, with a high near 73. South wind 10 to 15 mph.

**Sunday Night:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 45. South wind around 10 mph.

**Monday:** Sunny, with a high near 78. West wind around 5 mph.

**Monday Night:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 47.

**Tuesday:** Partly sunny, with a high near 72.

**Tuesday Night:** A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 55.

**Wednesday:** A chance of showers and thunderstorms. Cloudy, with a high near 70.

**Wednesday Night:** A chance of showers and thunderstorms. Cloudy, with a low around 48.

*(Weather courtesy National Weather Service via forecast.weather.gov)*

# CAPROCK

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family members. The group is commonly known for their most recent screening Carnage Radio. "We are in pre-production for the feature length film of Carnage Radio," Campbell said. "We will be shooting this coming summer and are currently accepting audition videos." Campbell said those interested in submitting an audition video can contact the crew on Facebook

at Check Your Brain Production.

*Amanda Duforat is the Managing Editor at the Big Spring Herald. To contact her, email editor@bigspringherald.com or call 432-263-7331.*



# Take Note

- Christmas in Coahoma at the Park will take place this year on Saturday, Dec. 14, from 3 to 6:30 p.m. There will be hayrides and caroling, Christmas art projects for kids, free coffee, cocoa, popcorn and cookies. There will also be a special visit from Santa from 3 to 5 p.m. If you would like to enter your house into the Best Decorated House contest, you can pick up an application at City Hall or at the Office of the Justice of the Peace and return by December 11. The winner will be announced at the park and will receive a yard sign and stocking of goodies.

- The Salvation Army will be taking applications for Christmas assistance (Angel Tree) on Monday, Oct. 21 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 24 from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday, Nov. 4 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Thursday, Nov. 7 from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. The Angel Tree program is for children ages 13 and under and for seniors age 60 and up.

Applications will be taken at the Salvation Army office building located at 811 W. 5th St. To apply for Christmas assistance, you will need to provide the following: • Picture ID of applicant • Proof of Guardianship for each child, which can be birth certificates, birth facts from the hospital, or other legal documents • Proof of income which will include any government assistance information, food stamps, SNAP, household bills, and check stubs • Ages of all recipients, and clothing and shoe size of children/seniors who will receive gifts.

We look forward to serving you this Christmas season. Seniors age 60 and up may also apply. Please do not bring children to the registration. For more information, please contact Lieutenant Charlsie Godwin at 432-267-8239.

- VFW Post 2013 meets the first Tuesday of every month at 7 p.m. New members are being sought. The Post is located at 500 Driver Rd. Qualified vet-

erans, those who have served in a foreign war, who are interested in joining the VFW are encouraged to attend a meeting to find out more information.

- A fund has been set up in order to assist Brent Fowlkes with medical expenses. Brent is the husband of Ashley Martin Fowlkes, CEO of Big Spring Education Employees Federal Credit Union.

If you would like more information or would like to make a donation, please stop by the credit union located at 1110 Benton, or call 432-263-8393. Please see the tellers to make a donation. Thank you to everyone for your kindness and support during this difficult time.

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## MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL

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Elijah James Cole, 49, died Thursday. Funeral services will be at 4 PM today at Myers & Smith Chapel. The family will receive friends following the service until 9 PM.

Rev. Juan A. Jajola, 72, died Tuesday. The family will receive friends from 6 PM until 8 PM Monday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Funeral service will be at 2 PM Tuesday at Myers & Smith Chapel. Burial with Naval Honors will be at Trinity Memorial Park.

Consuelo "Connie" Balderas, 72, died Friday. Vigil service will be at 7 PM Tuesday at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral Mass will be at 10 AM Wednesday at Holy Trinity Catholic Church with burial at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Ester Chavarria, 67, died Tuesday. Services are pending.

Brenda Beckstine, 59, of Big Spring, died Thursday, October 24, 2019. Services are pending.

# TIME

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The time change can be difficult to adjust to. Here are a few tips to help ease into the transition. The first is to maintain your routine as much as possible. It is also beneficial to avoid long naps as they can make it even more difficult to fall asleep at night. The second tip is avoid caffeine in the evenings and limit your screen time. Both of these can cause wakefulness which can inhibit sleep. The third tip is to gradually ease into it. Change your schedule by ten to fifteen minutes at a time to allow your body the chance to adjust to the difference.

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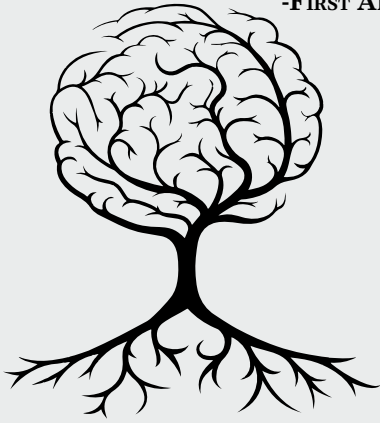


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# Opinion

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## The Rocker Man

**"L**ast time I checked I think we have furniture in almost every state in the US and 14 foreign countries. We've even shipped rocking chairs to Poland."

Larry Dennis has TEXAS HILL COUNTRY FURNITURE AND MERCANTILE just south of the intersection of Interstate 20 and Highway 281. That's near Stephenville. The place is easy to recognize because it has a giant rocking chair out front that's 26 feet tall and is in the Guinness Book of World Records as the world's biggest cedar rocking chair.

After graduating from high school in Roby 52 years ago, he worked in a cabinet shop and has been doing woodwork ever since. He became quite a craftsman and wanted to start something on his own. He decided on rocking chairs. He made them at his shop in Weatherford, loaded them on his truck and peddled them along the highway. "One day I sold 36 rockers," says Larry.

"That's when I decided we could build our stuff and offer it for sale in one place. We bought this place here in 2001 and it's been real good for us."



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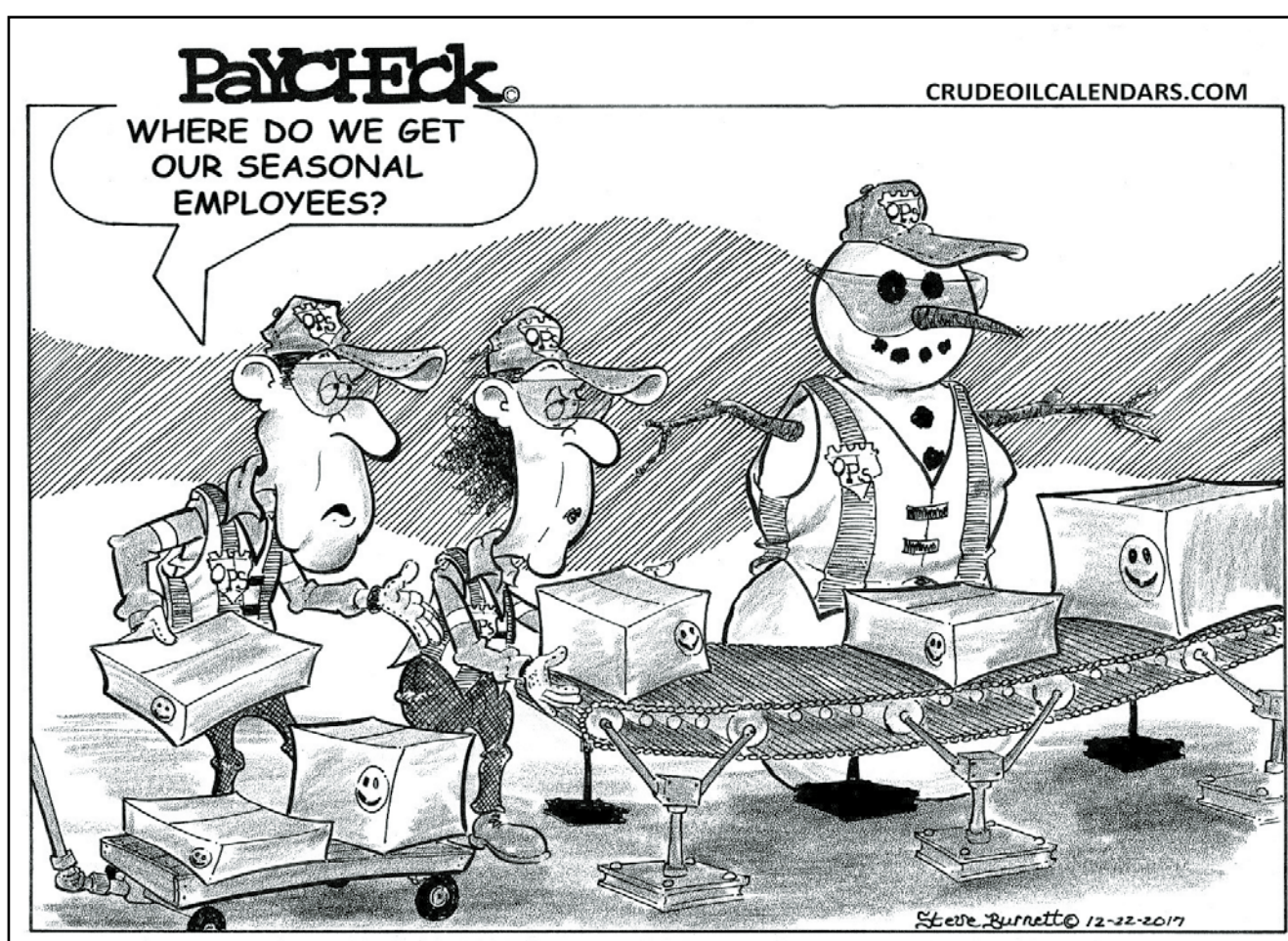
He makes furniture from mesquite, pecan and mountain cedar trees that grow in his area. "Customers give us an idea of what they want and we'll sit down and start making a sketch. We'll work it until they see what they want then we'll start making it. The wood dictates what we're going to make and how it's supposed to look. All our stuff is our design and made by hand. We make own dowels and everything. When we get an order for aromatic red cedar for a cedar chest or chest of drawers, we'll bring in a truckload of red cedar logs from east Texas."

He calls his look hill country. "It's not rustic but more finished work. We have more requests for things made from pecan wood because it has so many different neutral tones. It'll go

with anything in the house. We make beds, desks, bars, doors, split log staircases, all kinds of things and we probably have the largest supply of mantles in the country."

When I visited Larry, he showed me a load of merchandise all wrapped up on pallets. It was bound for Las Vegas and a satisfied customer there who had ordered big items from Larry before and wanted more. Jay Leno, Willie Nelson, ZZ Top and Ruth Buzby are among his customers.

His place is not just a sawmill warehouse and an old time general store. It's a complete environment. People from the metroplex drop in on weekends with their families and spend the day there. Larry's family members have a barbecue place, blacksmith shop and bakery just a few doors down from the store. It's not unusual to hear several languages in the store. "People fly in to DFW from Europe and head this way. I guess they just want something from Texas. They love the general store. I have to confess that most of the stuff on the walls came from my garage. When I see something old and rusty I pick it up,"



## Is 'Fake' the new normal?

We called prized possessions "gen-u-wine" back in the day. That's not the correct spelling, of course, but when the word fell from our lips, we emphasized each syllable to make sure hearers clearly understood that our claims were 100% true.

"Genuine" back then was about as far away from "fake" as the east is from the west. Generally speaking, when this adjective was used, the description was as pure as the driven snow. As an example, reference to "genuine leather" seemed to inflate the value of such items as boots, belts and holsters.

Nowadays, "fake" is heard more often than "genuine," and truth-as pure as driven slush--has taken a side road....

Uncle Mort, now 107, remains keen of mind, "pert near" as keen as it ever was. When he called the other day, he was "up to here" with a litany of "short cuts" many folks now seem to be taking, legal or otherwise.

"For years, we've wondered what the world is coming to," he fumed. "Wherever that is, it may have arrived ahead of schedule."

He "cut to the chase." My eyes rolled when he told me about an Associated Press article convincing him that our world is "going to the dogs." Our canine friends have every right to sniff with skepticism....

My uncle didn't come up with the "chase-cutting" expression, which is now almost 100 years old. It is believed that movie di-

rector Hal Roach coined it during silent movie days, when plots were slow in reaching inevitable chase scenes, particularly in westerns.

Digression is admitted, but Mort's claim that dogs are being poorly treated undoubtedly "upped" my blood temperature.

"A processing plant supplying chicken and turkey meat for pet food manufacturers has, uh, substituted lower cost ingredients," Mort said. That was "attention-getting" enough, but then he added that in some of the shipments included ground-up feathers!

The company pleaded guilty in the conspiracy, and already has paid more than \$4.5 million in restitution.

In the interest of fairness, it should be noted that the food-even with adulterated ingredients--poses no health threats to the pets ingesting it.

Sailor, our dachshund rescue housemate, turns up his nose at food from cans, unless it is from containers of chicken breasts used mostly for grandchildren-pleasing casseroles. I think he'd gag at the thought of eating chicken feathers, even though such consumption probably didn't bother his German forebears.

Late East Texas story teller Bob Murphey got laughs with a depression-era account of a farmer attempting to help his neighbor out. The latter said he saw no way out of the need to sell his hound dogs, since he could no longer afford to feed them.

"Don't sell your dogs," he said. "Feed 'em collard greens; that's what I do." The neighbor said he'd tried that, but his dogs turned up their noses at collard greens.

"Mine did, too, for the first three weeks," the resourceful farmer said....

This is unquestionably a "chicken way" to segue into a delightful dog joke making the rounds.

Whoever came up with it deserves a feather in her (his?) cap, no matter what. Here's the way I heard it.

A fellow stops by a "watering hole" with his dog. He claims the dog can talk, and will do so if the "counter-tender" will offer a free drink if the canine comes through. Deal accepted, the dog owner asks, "What is the top of a house called?" Fido responds, "Roof!"

The attendant growls, but agrees to provide a second drink for more evidence. "What can you tell me about sandpaper?" Dog: "Rough."

One last chance, the dog was asked to name the greatest baseball player of all time. "Ruth."

Disgusted, the owner refuses to provide the third drink, and instead, banishes them from the premises-forever.

Forlorn, the dog cocks his head sideways toward his master, asking, "Dimaggio"

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## DAILY PRAYER

May our love shine for You, Lord,  
from this earth to Your  
heavens. Amen

# End of Daylight Saving Time prompts Atmos Energy households to perform routine safety checks

MIDLAND – Daylight saving time ends on Sunday morning, giving everyone an extra hour of sleep before changing the microwave clock. But don't stop there! Atmos Energy reminds customers and the public that this is an opportunity to perform routine household safety checks, inspecting your family's natural gas piping and appliances along with other common alarms and detectors around the house.

"The beginning and end of daylight saving time should be easy-to-remember occasions every spring and fall to install new batteries in smoke and carbon monoxide detectors and perform other routine safety checks, ensuring that your home is safe all year round," says Becky Palmer, Atmos Energy West Texas Division President. "Our vision is for Atmos Energy to be the safest provider of natural gas services, so we want to remind our customers and the public there are things we can all do at home to keep our families safe."

In most states served by Atmos Energy, customers are responsible for maintenance and service of gas lines from the meter into their home and natural gas appliances. Just as homeowners contact electricians to inspect electrical wiring and plumbers to repair a leaky sink, this weekend serves as a convenient reminder to contact a licensed plumber or qualified contractor to inspect their natural gas lines and appliances.

Elsewhere in the house, data from the Center for Disease Control and Prevention indicates that ap-

proximately 50,000 people in the United States visit a hospital emergency room each year due to accidental carbon monoxide (CO) poisoning. Often called the invisible killer, carbon monoxide is an odorless, colorless gas created when fuels such as natural gas burn incompletely and installing carbon monoxide detectors in a central location outside each sleeping area and on every level of a home is a recommended practice. In addition to regular safety checks, operating appliances in accordance with manufacturer instructions can further promote safety and prevent carbon monoxide build up.

Also related to carbon monoxide safety, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) recommends these additional safety measures:

- Do not idle vehicles inside a garage or other enclosed structure.
- Be sure to properly install, adjust, operate and vent appliances.
- Do not sleep in any room with an unvented gas or kerosene space heater.
- Do not use charcoal to start a fire indoors.
- If you or your family experience sudden headaches, nausea, vomiting, drowsiness or flu-like symptoms, leave the structure immediately and from a safe distance call 911.
- Do not close chimney flues when fireplaces are in use.
- Fix leaks immediately.
- Check vents on water heaters, dryers and oth-

er natural gas equipment to ensure a free flow of air without being blocked by bird nests, snow or other objects.

- Contact a qualified professional to inspect, clean and tune-up central heating and water heating systems annually.

For home safety tips and to learn more about customer-owned natural gas piping, please visit: <https://www.atmosenergy.com/safety/home-safety>. For additional carbon monoxide safety information, please visit: <https://www.atmosenergy.com/safety/carbon-monoxide-safety>.

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## Pet Talk

# Eating your greens: The basics of cat grass

COLLEGE STATION – When confronted with the topic of healthy eating, we, as humans, are frequently reminded of the importance of including daily greens in our diets. Does your cat's diet need the same?

Dr. Lori Teller, a clinical associate professor at the Texas A&M College of Veterinary Medicine & Biomedical Sciences, discusses the basics of cat grass that every cat owner should know.

"Cat grass isn't any one type of grass but can be a combination of grasses, such as rye, barley, oat, and wheat," Teller said. "Cat owners can buy kits at many stores to grow cat grass for their kitties."

Most owners don't need to rush to the store to purchase this grass for their pet cat, however, as it is not always necessary to complete their diet.

"Cat grass is not a required part of a cat's diet if the food they are eating is well-balanced, but it is something that many cats enjoy," Teller said. "Especially for indoor cats, it can be a source of environmental enrichment. In some cases, it may provide some micronutrients, such as vitamins A and D."

The reasons cats seek out such grass are still unclear. Though veterinarians have yet to come to a consensus on one definitive answer, several theories exist.

"One theory is that cat grass is a source of fiber that can either act as a mild laxative or trigger vomiting," Teller said. "When cats lived in the wild, they may have eaten grass to trigger vomiting to rid their stomachs of the non-digestible parts of the prey they ingested. It is also thought that the chlorophyll contained in the grass could serve as a mild pain reliever and help keep the cat's breath fresh."

Teller also advises that owners shouldn't be nervous about introducing cat grass to their pet's environment, even if it something their pet hasn't yet encountered.

"For outdoor cats, homegrown cat grass will be safer than what they may nibble on outside because those plants may have been exposed to chemicals or water contaminated with bacteria that may cause disease," Teller said. "While it would not be dangerous to have the cat grass freely available, if a cat seems to eat it voraciously, then it may be worth consulting with a veterinarian to determine if the cat's diet is meeting all of its nutritional needs."

Owners residing in multiple-pet households can also be assured that cat grass is likely a safe addition to their home.

"It is not likely that cat grass would be a problem for other animals in the household," Teller said. "The bigger concern would be if a cat or other animal confused cat grass with other plants in the home that are potentially toxic. It is important to keep those plants out of reach of any pets."

Ultimately, the decision to introduce cat grass to a feline friend is up to their

owner. As always, cat owners should consult with their veterinarian if they are concerned about nutritional deficiencies in their cat's diet.

*Pet Talk is a service of the College of Veterinary Medicine & Biomedical Sciences, Texas A&M University. Stories can be found on the Pet Talk website. Suggestions for future topics may be directed to editor@cvm.tamu.edu.*

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## Cotton Mize celebrates 93rd birthday and a legacy in Big Spring



HERALD file photo

Cotton Mize who has a hand in forming a huge portion of baseball history in Big Spring is celebrating his 93rd birthday this weekend. Mr. Mize has continued to take pride in the Big Spring baseball world in Big Spring and Howard County.

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# Texas Teen, Matthew Machicek, Crowned National Champion in 2019 Delo Tractor Restoration Competition

INDIANAPOLIS -- Chevron Products Company, a Chevron U.S.A. Inc. division, maker of the Delo® brand of technologically advanced engine oils, lubricants and coolants, announced Matthew Machicek of Rogers, Texas and the Rogers FFA as the Grand Champion of the 2019 Delo Tractor Restoration Competition. A dozen of the country's top high school tractor restoration experts competed for the title in Indianapolis, Indiana during the 92nd National Future Farmers of America (FFA) Convention this week.

"It is inspiring to see how these students respond when faced with an incredibly complex challenge," said Dan Holdmeyer, Industrial Sector Manager, Chevron Products Company. "To rebuild these tractors, our finalists must become historians, marketing professionals, finance managers, leaders, motivators, teammates, mechanics, counselors, time management experts, auditors and more. Some look at the output of this competition as a restored tractor, but we view it as an empowered, confident teen, practiced in life skills that will benefit them for years to come. We are very proud to have supported this program for so long. Congratulations to Matthew and all our finalists."

Matthew Machicek earned the 2019 Delo Tractor Restoration Grand Champion title for his restoration of a 1962 Oliver 1800 MFWD tractor.

Machicek was awarded \$10,000 as the Delo Tractor Restoration Competition Grand Champion. The Reserve Champion title and an award of \$5,000 went to Devin Haywood of Hastings, Michigan, for his restoration of a 1970 Farmall 826 Diesel Demonstrator. Ryder Merta of El Campo, Texas took third place and a prize of \$3,000 for his restoration of a 1973 Oliver 1365.

The 2019 entries were narrowed down to 12 finalists who presented their projects to a panel of four

seasoned tractor restoration experts. Each project was graded on the restoration process, safety precautions, results, documentation and their oral presentation.

The finalists for the 2019 Delo Tractor Restoration Competition were:

Ben Anderson, Spring Valley, WI: 1947 Allis Chalmers C Cody Tschirhart, Medina Valley High School FFA, Castroville, TX: 1971 Case 970 Black Knight Demonstrator Devin Haywood, Hastings, MI: 1970 Farmall 826 Diesel Demonstrator Dubiski Career High School, Grand Prairie, TX: 1941 Ford 9N Eufaula High School FFA, Eufaula, AL: 1953 Ferguson TO30 Four Rivers Career Center Night Shift, Washington, MO: 1941 Farmall H Matthew Machicek, Rogers FFA, Rogers, TX: 1962 Oliver 1800 MFWD Ricky Schilling, Fayetteville, TX: 1972 International Harvester 1466 Diesel Riley Billings, Floresville, TX: 1969 Case 530 Ryder Lestrud, Kensett, IA: 1972 John Deere 4020 High Crop Ryder Merta, El Campo FFA, El Campo, TX: 1973 Oliver 1365 Schimke, Paso Robles FFA, Paso Robles, CA: 1945 Farmall A About the Delo Tractor Restoration Competition

Since 1995, the Delo Tractor Restoration Competition has rewarded the determination, mechanical skills and business savvy of high school tractor restoration experts from around the country. Through the restoration of an antique tractor, participants develop skills applicable to the modern business world. The skills needed for success in the program – equipment mechanics, teamwork, project management, budgeting, planning and marketing – help develop the participants into future leaders in the agriculture community.

All entrants to the Delo Tractor Restoration Competition are required to submit a workbook detailing the entire tractor restoration process - from

mechanical overhauls of the engine, transmission and auxiliary and ancillary systems to the external appearance of the tractors.

For more about the Delo Tractor Restoration Competition, go to: [www.DeloTractorRestorationCompetition.com](http://www.DeloTractorRestorationCompetition.com)

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## University of Texas fraternity closes over hazing claims

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — The University of Texas chapter of the Pi Kappa Phi fraternity has been shut down following a university investigation into hazing allegations, the third such accusation the chapter has faced in eight years.

The investigation revealed that during the 2018-19 school year fraternity pledges were shot with air soft guns and forced to eat spicy soup made with ghost peppers and cat food. The probe found that pledges competed in relay races where they ran back and forth between the chapter house and a nearby apartment building while chugging milk mixed with hand soap, laundry detergent or vinaigrette.

Pledges also told university officials that they were placed in a room in the chapter house called the "hazement," which was a small closet with no

light. They were forced to complete a 500-piece puzzle in the dark room that was lit by a blinking strobe light, while electronic dance music blared.

The investigation also found that pledges were forced to be "on call" to serve senior members of the fraternity by cleaning the frat house and providing night rides to and from bars and other locations.

UT's Office of the Dean of Students issued a statement on Oct. 23, recommending the chapter be canceled for four years and placed on probation for two years after reinstatement. The chapter officially closed Tuesday and the students have been placed on disciplinary alumni status, according to fraternity officials.

The number of students disciplined was not immediately known.

"Upon learning the details of the university inves-

tigation, the Pi Kappa Phi Board of Directors agreed with the university administrative disposition that closing the chapter was the only appropriate action," CEO Mark E. Timmes said in a news release. "Hazing has no place in the fraternity and is contrary to our fraternal values."

The fraternity has a history of hazing allegations, probes in 2011 and 2016 over forced alcohol consumption and eating unwanted substances, and sleep deprivation. In 2011, the university allowed the fraternity to continue to operate under a mutual resolution agreement. Meanwhile, in 2016, the university placed the fraternity on probation for a year and required educational reviews for members.

In March, the university suspended the campus spirit group Texas Cowboys for six years following an investigation into hazing at a 2018 retreat.

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## Buffaloes fall to undefeated Bearcats, 50-7

By AMANDA DUFORAT

Managing Editor

The Forsan Buffaloes put up a hard fight Friday night, but Hawley proved to be too much. The Bearcats kept their undefeated title, with the 50-7 victory against the Buffaloes.

Hawley started off the game in possession of the ball, which would remain a common theme throughout the game. However, Cayden Morgan and the Buffaloes made a statement early on in the game that they weren't going down without a fight.

Morgan made the first interception of the game and gained possession of the ball early in the first quarter. The Hawley defense answered back quickly and refused to let the Buffaloes gain any yardage. The Bearcats regained possession of the ball and Colton Marshall busted through two tackles to score the first touchdown of the game and completed a two-point conversion, bringing the score to 8-0.

With a little under four minutes left in the first quarter during the Bearcats third possession of the game, the Bearcats put the ball into the endzone and #12, Austin Cumpton completed another two-point conversion.

The Buffalo herd did their best to make the most of their possession time with the ball, but the Bearcats came out hitting hard and fast. With 1:13 left in the first quarter Colton Marshall, #44, place a 15 yard run in the endzone. Instead of the two-point conversion, the Bearcats brought in Kason O'Shields for the extra point. At the end of the first quarter the Bearcats held the lead with 23-0.

The undefeated Bearcats were ranked third in the state before the battle with Forsan. The Buffalo herd didn't let the undefeated record stop them from giving their all. The team recorded together as the second quarter of the game kicked off and Forsan brought in their first down of the game. The



Courtesy photo/Paige Patterson

The Forsan Buffaloes traveled to Hawley for some Friday Night football. The Hawley Bearcats remain undefeated after the 50-7 victory over the Buffaloes. Forsan will face off against Stamford next Friday.

boys joined forces with hopes of moving the ball toward the endzone, but the Bearcats held strong and pushed the Buffaloes back and didn't allow many yardage gains before taking the ball back.

With 7:11 left in the second quarter Xavier Rodela, #14 for the Bearcats, intercepted the ball from Forsan. The Bearcats held true to fashion and didn't waste time. Within a minute, Rodelo and the Bearcats were moving the ball down the field for yet another touchdown. This time around, #80 Lawson Bailey came in for the extra point, but the kick turned out to be no good.

Before the first half concluded, the Bearcats

would put the ball into the endzone a couple more times. Isaiah Watkins would score the final touchdown of the first half with :21 second left. O'Shields would complete the extra point, bringing the first half to a close with Hawley holding the lead 43-0.

The Buffaloes came out of halftime with a renewed strength. Hawley continued to bring the heat, but the Buffaloes responded back. Every advancement the Bearcats made was met with a herd of Buffalo determined to not end with a shutout. One play at a time, the Buffalo herd pushed the Bearcats back

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## Bulldogs take down rival, C-City, 60-8 in Friday night game



Courtesy photo

Zack Schneider, No. 11, pushes his way into the end zone for a Bulldogs touchdown during the Coahoma/Colorado City varsity football game on Friday, Nov. 1. The Bulldogs won the game 60-8 and secured a playoff spot.

By STEVE BELVIN

Herald Sports Contributor

COAHOMA - For the Coahoma Bulldogs it was a different story the same ending. For the second straight week the Bulldogs steamrolled their opponent in impressive form, this time dominating arch rival Colorado City Wolves 60-8 in what was possibly the

home finale for the Bulldogs.

It was a great win for Coahoma, which hasn't had much luck against the Wolves in the past. But Friday night at Bill Easterling Stadium the Bulldogs ruled supreme. The wins gives Coahoma a record of 3-1 in District 2-3A play, and 7-2 overall. More than likely the Bulldogs will go into the state playoffs as the number

two team from the district. However if Idalou (3-1) can beat Abernathy (4-0) Friday it would throw the district race into a three-way tie for first, providing Coahoma defeats Lubbock Roosevelt in the Friday's regular season finale.

Just like in last week's 61-8 win over Stanton, the Coahoma defense was superb. Colorado City, a team full of freshmen and sophomores, was no match for the senior-led Coahoma team. C-City could only muster 130 total offense all night. In the first half with the Bulldogs starters playing Colorado City could only gain 15 yards. Coahoma led 34-0 at the half.

All night long Colorado City quarterbacks were constantly harassed. The Bulldogs only got two sacks, one each by Colin Daniels and Ashton Kimball, but numerous they had to throw the ball away because of the pressure. The Bulldogs secondary also got two interceptions, one by Braxton Chandler and the other by Sean Strigler. Both picks led to Coahoma touchdowns.

Coahoma coach Chris Joslin said he was a bit concerned about this contest even though Coahoma came in as heavy favorite. "I was worried about a letdown," Joslin said. "I told the kids they better be ready to play. You know we haven't beaten them since 2007. It's always a tough game because they always come ready to

play us. They have a pretty good football program over there."

Like last week against Stanton, Coahoma started on the wrong foot when Brysen Kerby fumbled on Coahoma's first offensive snap of the game at the C-City 43-yard line... No problem. The three yard line... No problem. C-Three yard line... Kerby had to punt and defensive end Keegan Dobbs jump started his team by blocking his third punt of the season.

In two plays Coahoma was in the end zone. An 18-yard run by Zack Schneider and a 22-yard scoring dash by Kerby. It was the Bulldogs the lead early in the first quarter. Kerby more than made up for that opening fumble. The sophomore ran for a personal best 182 yards in 15 carries, scoring three touchdowns. "Kerby played well tonight. He bounced well after he fumbled," Joslin said.

The unsung heroes was the Coahoma offensive lines, - Dobbs, Cutter Atkins, Grayson Gildewell, Garrett Anderson, and Johnathan Schneider. They opened up huge holes and the Bulldogs backs ran at will. They ran for 254 yards in the first half with the first unit in.

"We lined up really well up front. Those guys (offensive line) controlled the game that's what we needed to do.

The Bulldogs will play Lubbock Roosevelt at 7:30 p.m.

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## Indians defeat Steers, 52-7

By ERICA MORSE

Herald Sports Contributor

It was another frustrating night for the Steers, as Big Spring fell to the Seminole Indians on the road 52-7.

The Indians of Seminole charged out of the gate and never let up, taking an enormous 42-0 lead in the first half of the game. The Steers fell short on blocking, tackling, field position, and overall ball control.

In the second half, the Steers briefly came alive, when - in the fourth quarter, with 6:34 remaining on the clock -- Sophomore Wide Receiver Kaegan Mitchell picked up a 51-yard pass and scored the only touchdown of the game for the Steers.

In the end, the Steers were trampled by the Seminole Indians 52-7. Big Spring had a total of 139 yards with seven first downs, two fumbles and two penalties. Seminole brought in 276 yards during the game.

The Steers are now 0-2 in district play and 1-9 overall, ranking them 851st in the state. They face off against the Lake View (San Angelo) Chiefs next Friday, Nov. 8, in a home conference game. Kickoff is 7 p.m. at Memorial Stadium.

## SWCD falls to Western Oklahoma State, 113-34



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Alister Hannah rebounds the ball during the match up between SWCD and Western Oklahoma State. SWCD ended up falling to Oklahoma, 113-34.

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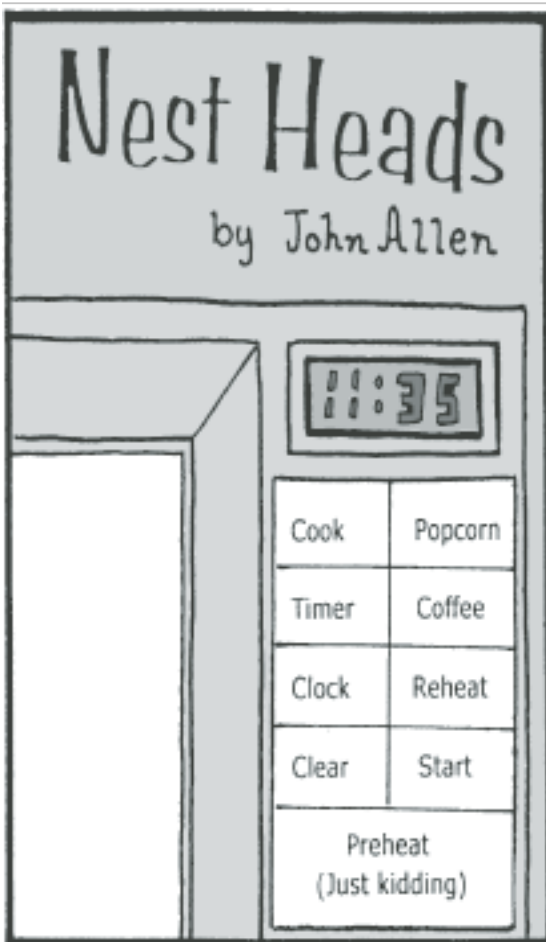
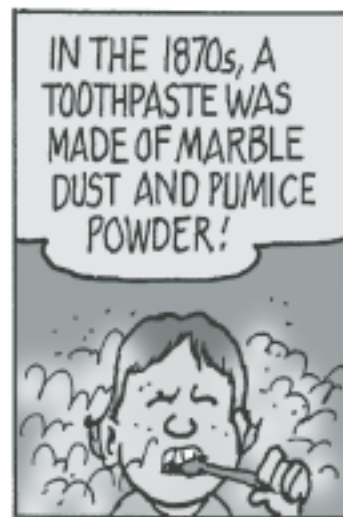
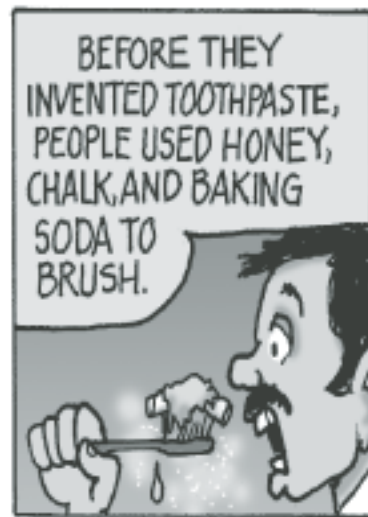
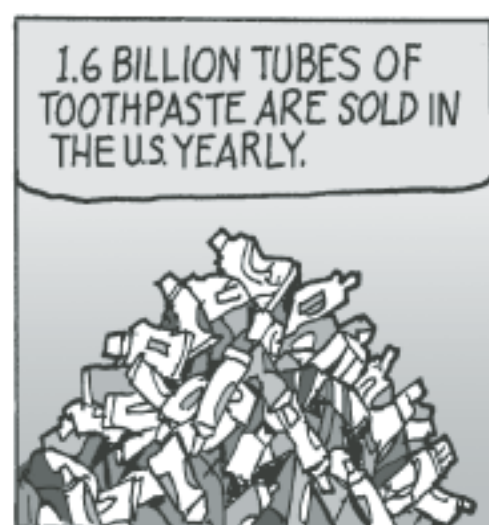
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by Smythe



**BUFFS**

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and held strong with the defensive line.

Cayden Morgan and Mendez worked together doing their best to gain a yard at a time movement. Mendez picked up 15 yards in the beginning of the second half before Bearcats Cayson O'Shields intercepted the ball and ran in for a touchdown. Lawson Baily came in, kicked the extra point bringing the score to 50-0 just a few minutes in to the third quarter.

The Forsan Buffaloes headed into battle this week with several members of the team not suiting up, due to injuries. The Bearcats however were functioning at full capacity and continued to run their starting lineup well into the third quarter, without many switches. A silver lining came with 5:33 left in the third, as Hawley tried to place one in the endzone, but ended up drawing a flag on the play. The penalty drew the Bearcats back 10 yards and reversed the touchdown due to a holding call.

At 2:00 minutes left in the quarter, the Bearcats put in Robert Ybarra as back up quarterback. Ybarra had been playing wide receiver since the beginning of the game. Gabehart and the Buffalo defense welcomed Ybarra to his new position bringing him down and closing out the quarter.

The Buffaloes entered the fourth quarter with Jonathan Gabehart pushing the Buffaloes defense. The Buffaloes gained their opportunity when Rivera hit Aguilar allowing Gabehart to recover the ball allowing the takeover at the 10 yard line.

At this point, Gabehart - emergency quarterback was brought in and paired up with Mendez to move the ball up the field. The duo, with the help of the defensive line, moved the ball and got out of the shadow of the goal posts. Mendez moved the ball

into Hawley territory. Gabehart continued the progression earning nine yards, just missing out on the first down with a little under 7:00 minutes left in the game.

With the Buffaloes sitting at third and long, Gabehart went straight up the middle through the heart of the defense and ran the ball in from a 23 yard run to earn the Buffaloes their first and only touchdown of the game. Nolan Park came into the game for the extra point bringing the score 50-7.

The Buffaloes took away the shutout victory from Hawley, but that would be the only touchdown the Buffaloes would be able to claim for this showdown. With only :43 seconds left in the game, Hawley took a knee and the game was done.

Forsan fell to 3-6 and Hawley advanced to 9-0, continuing their undefeated streak. The Buffaloes will face off against Stamford in Buffalo territory next week to decide who will be advancing on to the playoffs. Kick off is set for 7:30 p.m. in Forsan.

**CHS**

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	Coahoma	C-City
First downs	18	8
Rushing	37-380	25-45
Passing	100	85
A/C/I	7-13-0	7-27-2
Fum/lost	1-1	1-0
Pen/yds	3-45	0-0
Punts/ave	1-32	9-23

1st Qrt. - C - Brysen Kerby

22-yd run, Isaac Murillo ick, 9:09.

C - Kerby 2-yd run, two for two fail, 3:2nd Qrt. - C

2nd Qrt - C\_Zack Schneider 2-yd run, Schneider run conversion, 7:10.

C - Kerby 45-yard run, Murillo

kick, 5:26.

C - Murillo 8-yd run, Murillo kick, 3:39.

3rd Qrt. - C- Kerby 46-yd run, Murillo kick, 10:02.

C- Schneider 4-yd run, Murillo kick, 5:25.

C- Murillo 42-yd run, kick fail, 2:01.

4th Qrt. C- Damian Rains, 24-yd run, kick fail, 10:36.

CC- Josiah Silxa 12-yd pass to Jake Connell, conv. pass Silva to Daviaun Byrd, :18.

Coahoma : Rushing Kerby 15-182; Schneider 12-90; Murillo 3-53; Damian Rai s 3-36;ton Chandler 2-17; Ky Kemper-1; Gaige Hill 1-1; Passing Schneider 7-13-100 yds; Receiving: Travis Mitchell 2-32; Sean Strigler 1-11; Chandler 1-36; Tony Hagins 1-14; Gaige Hill 1-4; Colorado City - Rushing Jake Connel 12-49; Akimas Clarrett 7-15; Chris Ortiz 2-0; Silva 4-minus 20; Passing Ortiz 01-0; Silva 7-26-85 yds.

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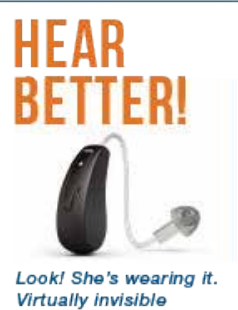


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# HALLOWEEN 2019

## GHOSTS, GOBLINS, ZOMBIES AND MORE

### HERALD staff report

Halloween 2019 was a success! Safe Stops were in abundance - more than one family could get to in one night - and candy overflowed from the buckets of ghosts, vampires, zombies, princesses and Disney characters. The creativity of costumes this year was rampant, from the Mad Hatter, to Dorothy, even bananas, blueberries and more. The community came together to ensure the youth in the community could enjoy a night out, visiting Big Spring business and making memories with their families.

While the weather forecast was showing cold temperatures for Halloween night, temperatures picked up enough for kids to still get out and enjoy the evening. Several safe stops ran out of candy early with the large crowds that came through.

*Courtesy photo/Meredith Skaggs*

Pictured right: Paxton and Everly Skaggs pose in their creative Paxton costumes in one of the newly painted artworks around town. The two enjoyed gathering candy from the Safe Stops



*Courtesy photos/Manny Negron*

Pictured above: Members of Paw Patrol and Mayor Goodway showed up to help pass out candy during the Life Church trunk or treat on Halloween Night. Pictured at right: Witches, zombies and more came through the Life Church trunk or treat for some sweet treats.



*Courtesy photos/Amber Nichols*

Runnels Academy students, parents and teachers joined in with Life Church to host a Trunk or Treat event in the Life Church parking lot. Scientists such as Albert Einstein appeared and other great names like Colonel Sanders made a stop. Taco Bell sauce packets even showed up just to spice things up.



*Courtesy photo/Hector Quintana*

Those visiting the post office on Halloween night were in for a frightful greeting. Post Office workers took to the scary side of things as they handed out candy to trick or treaters.



*Courtesy photos/Kenda Jones*

H-E-B had their annual Safe Stop set up. As usual the community showed up in force and the event was a success. These are just a few of the memorable outfits that came through. There were witches, clowns, Little Red Riding Hood and the Big Bad Wolf (who wasn't so scary) and more.



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## Big Spring ISD Kentwood Early Childhood

Monday: Breakfast: Cheerios, fresh apple slices, milk Lunch: Chili mac, fresh tomato wedges, zucchini, mixed fruit, milk

Tuesday: Breakfast: Morning sausage roll, fresh oranges, milk Lunch: Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, roasted carrots, diced pears, milk

Wednesday: Breakfast: Turkey sausage sandwich, applesauce, milk Lunch: Menu unavailable

Thursday: Breakfast: Apple bosco stick, milk Lunch: Hot dug, kickin pinto beans, applesauce, milk

Friday: Breakfast: Mini blueberry waffles, milk Lunch: Cheese pizza, broccoli, Mandarin oranges, milk

## Big Spring Elementary

Monday: Breakfast: Mini maple turkey pancake, fresh apple slices, cherry star juice, milk variety Lunch: Beef quesadilla, turkey and cheese sandwich, country fried steak, biscuit stick, fresh tomato wedges, zucchini with margarin, garden salad, mixed fruit, fresh orange, fruit juice, milk variety

Tuesday: Breakfast: Banana muffin, fresh orange, pineapple juice, milk variety Lunch: Turkey and cheese sandwich, chicken ham chef salad, chili mac, corn muffin, dinner roll, oven roasted carrots, fresh broccoli, garden salad, diced pears, fresh cantaloupe, apple juice, milk variety

Wednesday: Breakfast: Cocoa Puffs cereal, apple sauce, string cheese, orange juice, milk variety Lunch: Beef steak sub, turkey and cheese sandwich, breaded chicken Caesar salad, french fries, dinner roll, corn, celery sticks, garden salad, diced peaches, fresh apples, grape juice, milk variety

Thursday: Breakfast: Peanut butter and jelly sandwich, fresh banana, fruit juice, milk variety Lunch: Hot dog, turkey and cheese sandwich, chicken nacho salad, French fries, dinner roll, kickin pinto beans, baby carrots, garden salad, fresh grapes, rosy applesauce, orange juice, milk variety

Friday: Breakfast: English muffin with egg and cheese, fresh grapes, apple juice, milk variety Lunch: Fish soft tacos, turkey and cheese sandwich, pepperoni pizza, fresh cucumber slices, broccoli with margarin, garden salad, Mandarin oranges, pineapple strawberry salad, fruit juice, milk variety

## Big Spring Intermediate School

Monday: Breakfast: Apple frudel, Lucky Charms cereal, fresh apple slices, cherry star juice, milk variety Lunch: Bacon cheeseburger, turkey and cheese sandwich, chicken and ham chef salad, Max stix with marinara, biscuit stick, French fries, fresh tomato wedges, zucchini with margarin, garden salad, fresh oranges, mixed fruit, fruit juice, milk variety

Tuesday: Cinnamon Toast Crunch cereal, banana muffin, fresh oranges, fruit juice, milk variety Breakfast: Lunch: Pizza chicken meatball sub melt, turkey and cheese sandwich, corn dog, pepperoni pizza, oven roasted carrots, fresh broccoli, garden salad, apple juice, diced pears, fresh cantaloupe, milk variety

Wednesday: Breakfast: Honey Nut Cheerios, cinnamon raisin bagel, applesauce, orange juice, milk variety Lunch: BBQ pork sandwich, breaded chicken sandwich, turkey and cheese sandwich, breaded chicken Caesar salad, dinner roll, celery sticks, corn, garden salad, diced peaches, fresh apples, grape juice, milk variety

Thursday: Breakfast: Cocoa Puffs cereal, peanut butter and jelly sandwich, fresh banana, pineapple juice, milk variety Lunch: Spicy breaded chicken sandwich, turkey and cheese sandwich, chicken nacho salad, pepperoni pizza, baby carrots, kickin pinto beans, garden salad, fresh grapes, rosy applesauce, orange juice, milk variety

Friday: Breakfast: Honey Nut Cheerios, blueberry mini waffles, fresh grapes, apple juice, milk variety Lunch: Bacon cheeseburger, breaded chicken sandwich, turkey and cheese sandwich, chicken ham chef salad with roll, French fries, fresh cucumber slices, broccoli, garden salad, Mandarin oranges, pineapple strawberry salad, fruit juice, milk variety

## Big Spring Junior High

Monday: Breakfast: Apple blueberry bar, fresh apple, wango mango juice, milk variety Lunch: Spicy breaded chicken sandwich, ham and turkey sub, chicken and ham chef salad, country fried steak with roll, pepperoni pizza, zucchini, fresh tomato wedges, garden salad, fresh oranges, mixed fruit, fruit juice, milk variety

Tuesday: Breakfast: Morning sausage roll, fresh orange, pineapple juice, milk variety Lunch: Cheeseburger, ham and turkey sub, egg salad platter, pepperoni pizza, chili mac, corn muffin, dinner roll, French fries, fresh broccoli, oven roasted carrots, garden salad, fresh cantaloupe, diced pears, apple juice, milk variety

Wednesday: Breakfast: Lucky Charms cereal, ap-

plesauce, orange juice, milk variety Lunch: Chicken patty sandwich, ham and turkey sub, chicken nuggets, breaded chicken Caesar salad, pepperoni pizza, French fries, celery sticks, corn, garden salad, diced peaches, fresh apple, grape juice, milk variety

Thursday: Breakfast: Peanut butter and jelly sandwich, fresh banana, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Hot dog on a bun, bean and cheese burrito, ham and turkey sub, General Tso's beef with vegetables, pepperoni pizza, yellow rice, baby carrots, kickin pinto beans, garden salad, fresh grapes, rosy applesauce, orange juice, milk variety

Friday: Breakfast: Lunch: Ham and turkey sub, chicken tenders, oven roasted chicken drumstick, pepperoni pizza, fruit yogurt and cheese plate, dinner roll, French fries, fresh cucumber slices, broccoli, garden salad, Mandarin oranges, pineapple strawberry salad, fruit juice, milk variety

## Big Spring High School

Monday: Breakfast: Scrambled eggs with chicken sausage, Honey Nut Cheerios, Waffles, Cinnamon raisin bagel, refried beans, diced pears, fresh strawberries, fresh apples, cherry star juice, milk variety Lunch: Line 2 Daily Special: Catfish strip melt

Tuesday: Breakfast: Scrambled eggs with chicken sausage, Crunchmania Cinnamon Bun Crackers and apple juice jump start kit, grape-filled crescent, refried beans, diced pears, fresh oranges, fresh mixed fruit, fruit juice, milk variety Lunch: Line 2 Daily Special: Penne Alfredo with chicken

Wednesday: Breakfast: Scrambled eggs with chicken sausage, Honey Nut Cheerios, Waffles, Maple cheddar cheese and egg filled Bosco stick, refried beans, applesauce, fresh cantaloupe, orange juice, milk variety Lunch: Line 2 Daily Special: Cajun chili fries

Thursday: Breakfast: Apple Jacks, Honey Grahams, and Apple juice jump start kit, Honey Nut cheerios, pancakes, scrambled eggs, chicken sausage patty, refried beans, fresh banana, pineapple tidbits, wango mango juice, milk variety Lunch: Line 2 Daily Special: Country Fried steak

Friday: Breakfast: Froot Loops, Honey Grahams and apple juice jump start kit, sausage breakfast pizza, Cinnamon Toast Crunch cereal, waffles with strawberries, scrambled eggs, chicken sausage patty, refried beans, diced peaches, fresh grapes, apple juice, milk variety Lunch: Line 2 Daily Special: Tate Bite Beef Nachos

Line 1 Made to Order: Hamburgers, sub style sandwiches, chicken sandwiches, assorted vegetables, assorted fruits, assorted snacks, assorted drinks, assorted milk

Line 2: Pepperoni Pizza, Cheese Pizza, specialty pizza, assorted vegetables, assorted fruits, assorted snacks, assorted drinks, assorted milk

Line 3 Made to orders: Nachos, burritos, tacos, assorted vegetables, assorted fruits, assorted snacks, assorted drinks, assorted milk

## Coahoma ISD

Monday: Breakfast: Early bird sandwich or breakfast pizza, fruit, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Enchiladas or taquito with queso or fajita salad,

beans, corn, salsa, fresh fruit, cookie, milk

Tuesday: Breakfast: French toast with sausage or Monte Cristo sandwich, fruit, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Meatball subs or chili cheese combo, tater tots, veggie cup, strawberries, milk

Wednesday: Breakfast: Power breakfast biscuit, gravy, eggs, bacon, fruit, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Chicken nuggets with mac and cheese or Asian bowl with eggroll or Asian salad, garden salad, green beans, grapes, milk

Thursday: Breakfast: Pancake wrap or sausage kolache with yogurt, fruit, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Pizza or ham and cheese melts or popcorn chicken salad, chips, bell pepper strips, tomato cup, corn, fruity gelatin, milk

Friday: Breakfast: Cinnamon roll with sausage or biscuit with sausage, fruit, fruit juice, milk

Lunch: Hamburger or stuffed baked potato, cucumber slices, carrots, cinnamon applesauce, cookie, milk

Lunch: Chicken nuggets (elementary), sunbutter and jelly sandwich, pretzel, mashed potatoes, green beans, strawberries, fresh fruit, milk

Tuesday: Breakfast: Early bird sandwich or cereal, strawberry cup, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Hamburger, spaghetti bowl, sunbutter and jelly sandwich, ranch style beans, garden salad, tots, strawberries and bananas, fresh fruit, milk

Wednesday: Breakfast: French toast with sausage patty or cereal, Mandarin oranges, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Pizza or sunbutter and jelly sandwich, fresh veggie cup, garden salad, strawberries, fresh fruit, milk

Thursday: Breakfast: Breakfast pizza or cereal, strawberry cup, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Buffalo Bowl with roll or popcorn chicken with roll or Asian bowl, sunbutter and jelly sandwich, corn, baby carrots, fruity gelatin, fresh fruit, milk

Friday: Breakfast: Mini powdered donuts with sausage or cereal, applesauce cup, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Chicken sandwich, Monte Cristo sandwich, sunbutter and jelly sandwich, French fries, baby carrots, garden salad, strawberries, fresh fruit, milk

## Forsan ISD

Monday: Breakfast: Waffles with sausage patty or cereal, Mandarin oranges, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Steak fingers, chicken boneless bites (JH/HS),



chicken nuggets (elementary), sunbutter and jelly sandwich, pretzel, mashed potatoes, green beans, strawberries, fresh fruit, milk

Tuesday: Breakfast: Early bird sandwich or cereal, strawberry cup, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Hamburger, spaghetti bowl, sunbutter and jelly sandwich, ranch style beans, garden salad, tots, strawberries and bananas, fresh fruit, milk

Wednesday: Breakfast: French toast with sausage patty or cereal, Mandarin oranges, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Pizza or sunbutter and jelly sandwich, fresh veggie cup, garden salad, strawberries, fresh fruit, milk

Thursday: Breakfast: Breakfast pizza or cereal, strawberry cup, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Buffalo Bowl with roll or popcorn chicken with roll or Asian bowl, sunbutter and jelly sandwich, corn, baby carrots, fruity gelatin, fresh fruit, milk

Friday: Breakfast: Mini powdered donuts with sausage or cereal, applesauce cup, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Chicken sandwich, Monte Cristo sandwich, sunbutter and jelly sandwich, French fries, baby carrots, garden salad, strawberries, fresh fruit, milk

## Sands CISD

Monday: Breakfast: Sausage kolache, cheese stick, fruit, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Hot dog, sweet potato fries, corn, grapes, milk variety



Tuesday: Breakfast: Stuffed bagel, fruit, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Chicken nuggets, oven fries, fresh broccoli, roll, fruit cup, milk variety

Wednesday: Breakfast: Chicken and biscuit, fruit, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Pizza, seasoned corn, baby carrots, apple slices, milk variety

Thursday: Breakfast: Breakfast bread, yogurt, fruit, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Frito pie, fresh veggie cup, charro beans, lettuce and tomato garnish, orange smiles, rickey krispy, milk variety

Friday: SCHOOL HOLIDAY

## Senior Center

Monday: Sloppy Joe on whole wheat bun, pinto beans, dell relish, onion slice, mixed fruit, milk

Tuesday: BBQ chicken, potato salad, California vegetables, Angel food cake with berries, bread, milk

Wednesday: Chopped steak, broccoli rice casserole, spinach salad with cranberries, oranges, biscuits, milk

Thursday: Roast turkey, dressing, candied sweet potatoes, green beans, Waldorf salad, pumpkin pie, rolls, milk

Friday: Corndog with mustard, pork and beans, baked chips, mixed fruit, milk



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Roger's Reviews

# Terminator Dark Fate

The Terminator series has had some ups and downs over the years...namely a couple of "ups" right at the beginning, and then a whole lot of downs. The original "Terminator" movie from 1984 is a classic, and then 1991's "Terminator 2: Judgment Day" broadens the original's thin story into a universe, not entirely full-fledged, but at least with some meat on its bones.

Your mileage may vary on the rest of the Terminator series. I've watched a few of them, and in my not-so-humble opinion, it's kind of all downhill from there.

That is, until "Terminator: Dark Fate," released this week from Paramount.

The new movie apparently ignores all the movies following T2, and picks up after the defeat of the T-1000 liquid metal Terminator. According to the premise of "Dark Fate," in the delay between the destruction of the Terminator arm which led to the creation of the evil AI Skynet, and it's fading from existence, Skynet manages to send several more Terminators back in time to seek revenge. One Arnie-shaped T-800 (Arnold Schwarzenegger) manages to find John Connor (Jude Collie with CGI of young Edward Furlong) and his mom Sarah Connor (Linda Hamilton) relaxing on a beach, and kills John.



Roger Cline

In 2020, Grace (Mackenzie Davis), a cyborg soldier and a new kind of Terminator, the Rev-9 (Gabriel Luna), are sent back from the future separately to Mexico City; Grace, to protect Daniella "Dani" Ramos (Natalia Reyes), and Rev-9, to kill her.

The Rev-9 has liquid metal technology like the T-1000, but it also has a solid metal skeleton; it can separate its liquid part from the skeleton and control both independently. It can also take on the appearance of specific humans, but, unlike the T-1000, it must kill a human to gain the ability to take its form.

The Rev-9, taking the form of Dani's father (Enrique Arce), infiltrates the factory where Dani works. Grace also sneaks in by donning a spare uniform she discovers at the factory. Grace manages to contact and escape with Dani and her brother, Diego (Diego Boneta).

The escape leads to a highway chase scene, and Diego doesn't make it out alive. Fortunately, Sarah Connor appears just in time to save Grace and Dani.

Grace is suffering from exhaustion caused by depletion of substances her body needs to maintain her cybernetics. After driving off in Sarah's truck, they find a pharmacy and start to steal the needed supplies when Grace collapses. The pharmacist



takes pity on them and helps them outside, where Sarah is waiting in a (apparently stolen) station wagon.

After they make it to a motel room and begin doctoring Grace, Sarah reveals that, since the death of her son, she's occasionally gotten messages from an anonymous source with coordinates detailing where a new Terminator will appear, which she then kills. All the messages are signed simply, "For John."

I'll go ahead and stop the narrative there. There's nothing ground breaking in "Terminator: Dark Fate." Probably the biggest innovation, story-wise, is the concept that there's more to the future than Skynet. The big bad in Grace's timeline is a different AI - "Legion." Neither the liquid metal Terminator nor the metal skeleton Terminator is new territory, but mashing them together is a new idea, and it works well.

Of course, Linda Hamilton is the show-stealer in this movie. She's come a long way from her timid self in the original "Terminator," and now she's into full-on "Mad Max" territory.

"Dark Fate" is a worthy addition to the franchise. I wouldn't say it's quite as visceral as the original two Terminator movies, but it's close. I'm going to give it seven and a half out of 10 stars. Good job.

A quick note: I am moving to the Snyder Daily News next week. I'm grateful to the Big Spring Herald for allowing me the freedom to pursue this column, and I'm hopeful I'll be able to continue it at both the Snyder and Big Spring papers going forward. Thanks to all my Regular Readers for your support!

**Terminator: Dark Fate**  
**Director: Tim Miller**  
**Writers: Screenplay by David Goyer, Justin Rhodes and Billy Ray; story by James Cameron, Charles Eglee, Josh Friedman, David Goyer and Justin Rhodes; based on characters by James Cameron and Gaile Anne Hurd.**  
**Production companies: Paramount Pictures, Skydance Media, 20th Century Fox, Tencent Pictures, Lightstorm Entertainment; distributed by Paramount Pictures**  
**R; 2 hrs. 8 min.; Action/Adventure/Sci-Fi; Nov. 1, 2019**

Roger saw this movie at Big Spring's own Cinemark Cinema 4, located inside the Spring Town Plaza, 1801 E. FM 700. For more information visit [www.cinemark.com](http://www.cinemark.com) and enter the ZIP code 79720.

## Check this out, at the library this week

This week at the library we have our next Tinker Tuesday on Nov. 5, from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., in the children's room. For Tinker Tuesday, we tackle a STEAM challenge. We invite families to join us for Baby Time on Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m., and Storytime on Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m. We also have Code Club on Thursdays; one session in the morning at 10:30 a.m. and one in the afternoon at 5:30 p.m.

This week's reviews include fiction and western. Drue Campbell's life is adrift in "Sunset Beach" (F AND M) by Mary Kay Andrews.



Sandra Verdin

She's Out of a job and down on her luck, and life doesn't seem to be getting any better when her estranged father, Brice Campbell, a flamboyant personal injury attorney, shows up at her mother's funeral after a 20-year absence. Worse, he's remarried, to Drue's eighth grade frenemy, Wendy, now his office manager, and they're offering her a job.

It seems like the job from hell, but the offer is sweetened by the news of her inheritance - her grandparents' beach bungalow in the sleepy town of Sunset Beach, a charming but storm-damaged eyesore now surrounded by waterfront McMansions.

With no other prospects, Drue begrudgingly joins the firm, spending her days screening out the grifters whose phone calls flood the law office. Working with Wendy is no picnic either. But when a suspicious death at an exclusive beach resort nearby exposes possible corruption at her father's firm, she goes from unwilling cubicle rat to unwitting investigator, and is drawn into a case that may or may not involve her father. With an office romance building, a decades-old missing person's case re-opened, and a cottage in rehab, one thing is for sure at Sunset Beach: there's a storm on the horizon.

In this new series, "Have Brides, Will Travel" (W JOH W) by William W. Johnstone and J.A. Johnstone, the Johnstone's invite you to the event of the season, one that gives a whole new meaning to "shotgun wedding." Here come the brides and the bullets, Bo Creel and Scratch Morton aren't the settling down types. They're lifelong drifters who keep one eye on the horizon, one finger on the trigger, and one foot out the door. Roaming the West is what keeps them young, or so Scratch tells Bo.

But when they save the life of Cyrus Keegan, the owner of a matrimonial agency, they receive an unexpected proposal that's hard to resist. Keegan needs to deliver five mail order brides to a mining town in New Mexico Territory. All Scratch and Bo have to do is get these gals to the church on time and alive, if possible. For better or worse, they agree. The job seems easy enough-and the brides-to-be are even easy on the eyes. Cecilia, Beth, Luella, Rose, and Jean all need good husbands.

But their prospects look bad when the journey to the altar includes bandits, scheming silver robbers, and one overbearing rancher who won't take no for an answer. Bo and Scratch promised to keep the ladies safe, but it could be the last vow they'll ever make.

At school Connell and Marianne pretend not to know each other in "Normal People" (F ROO S)

by Sally Rooney. He's popular and well-adjusted, star of the school football team, while she is lonely, proud, and intensely private. But when Connell comes to pick his mother up from her job at Marianne's house, a strange and indelible connection grows between the two teenagers, one they are determined to conceal. A year later, they're both studying at Trinity College in Dublin. Marianne has found her feet in a new social world while Connell hangs at the sidelines, shy and uncertain.

Throughout their years at university, Marianne and Connell circle one another, straying toward other people and possibilities but always magnetically, irresistibly drawn back together. As she veers into self-destruction and he begins to search for meaning elsewhere, each must confront how far they are willing to go to save the other.

By the time anyone realizes what's happening, it is too late in "Dark Winter" (F TAT A) by Anthony J Tata.

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### Chamber of Commerce happenings



Courtesy photos

Above, representatives of the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce preside over a ribbon-cutting ceremony last Thursday at Expedition Royalty, 220 S. Main St. Below, Chamber representatives present a "Thank you" banner Tuesday to staff of Crispy's Cafe, 1904 S. Birdwell Lane, for their investment in the local community.



### Building Permits

#### Howard County Justice of the Peace Outstanding IBC Warrants:

Jasmine Ahrnkeil, 1301 Princeton, Big Spring  
 Sherri Monique Aldridge, 1507 E. Sixth St., Big Spring  
 Anthony Anderson, 3401 Camellia Dr. #707, Temple  
 Steve Antoine, 1425 E. 6th St., Big Spring  
 Katie Cole L. Baker, P.O. Box 3372, Big Spring  
 Letitia Baucham, 1202 Stanford, Big Spring  
 Linda Beck, 1713 Worley Rd., Banner Elk, N.C.  
 Joshua Bell, 1962 Tuscola, Snyder  
 John Bochnicka, 538 Westover Rd. #260  
 Chad Wayne Brown, 3901 Ave. O, P.O. Box 391, Snyder

Douglas "Doug" Lee Brown, 205 W. 14th St. P.O. Box 275, Monahans

James Bullard, 202 Fourth St., Palestine  
 Melinda Burns, 2218 Carlton Way, San Angelo  
 Wayne Richard Buyce, 4042 Morningside Way, Canyon Lake

Gloria Cerna, P.O. Box 55, Lamesa  
 Matilda Cortez, 302 N St. Teresa

Roy E. DeBlanc, 1066 Cutrer Rd., Osyka, Miss.  
 Laura W. Dennis, 1511 Scurry, Big Spring

Humberto Diaz Jr., 3417 N. Midland Dr, Midland  
 Nelba DeLosRios Diaz, 10600 McMillian Dr., Austin

Krista A. Dickson, 6917 Todd, Sachse  
 Jimmy Dodson, 405 31st St., Snyder

Ben Doherty, 5019 McKinney St. No. 105, Dallas  
 Angela Doty, 1401 E. Rundberg, Austin

Clayton W. Durbin, 6508 Centerpoint, Big Spring  
 Tina Marie Elliss, 4002 Austin Ave., Snyder

Selena Bethani Enriquez-King, 100 E Parker, Midland  
 Joanna Esparza, 501 S. Tackitt Seymour, Texas

Carol W. Evans, 809 E 33rd, Plainview, Texas  
 Chris M. Fagan, 3508 W. Eighth St., Amarillo

Kristen Falcon, 2606 Fairchild Dr., Big Spring  
 Leza Faulkner, 1102 South Water, Burnet

Jose Enrique Faz, 1008 N.W. 2nd St, Big Spring  
 Mumduh Felemban, 9338 Perrin Beitel Apt. 701, San Antonio

Alexander Fernandez, 404 Cypress, Colorado City  
 Juana Fierro, 406 N. W. 5th St., Big Spring

Tracy D. Flores, 2401 Russell Ave., Abilene  
 Ellen French, P.O. Box 942, Poteau, Okla.

Sharlamarr Frink, 3723 Monclair, Odessa  
 Johnnie Fuller, 3801 23rd St., Snyder

Juan E. Garcia, 3355 River Road North Keizer, Ok  
 Mary Jo Garner, 11802 Silver Barring Cove, San Antonio

William Gene Garner, 704 Rosemont, Big Spring  
 Rosa M. George, 509 W. Second St., Stanton, Texas

Perry Gholar, 1510 Nolan, Big Spring  
 Elizabeth Gomez, 509 Raleigh St., Plainview

Guillermo Gomez, 2107 Morrison, Big Spring  
 Jennifer Gonzales, 2616 Hunter Dr., Big Spring

James E. Gonzalez, 604 Neff St., Sweetwater  
 Jeremy Goodman, 3471 Green Meadow #24, San Angelo

Kay Grant, 4405 N. Garfield #1005, Midland  
 Isaiah Green, 4801 State St., Abilene

John Grima, 914 E. Sixth St., Big Spring  
 Thomas E. Gross, 4100 S. Highway 87 #37, Big Spring

Lynn Guerrero, 203 W. Ave #3, Clayton, N.M.  
 Melissa Gutierrez, 3310 SF Austin, No. 58, Brownwood

Sandra Ann Gutierrez, 1501 N. Fourth Place, 1312 S. Ave. L, Lamesa

Mike Haddix, 401 Humble St. Apt. E, Midland  
 Dylan Hammons, 4401 E. 11th Place, Big Spring

William J. Harman, HC 76, Box 147K-1, Big Spring  
 Nicholas D. Hasenbalg, 207 W. Williams St. #9, Breckenridge

Ann Hashem, 120 Airbase Rd. 15-5, Big Spring  
 Christine Henderson, 420 N. El Paso

Juanita Hernandez, 1502 Bluebird, Big Spring  
 Matias Hernandez Jr., 620 E 4th St., San Angelo

Scott Herrera, H.C 76, Box 97B Ash Rd., Big Spring  
 Billy Dean Hill, 7117 Alissa, Rowlett

Johnny R. Hill, 704 San Antonio, Big Spring  
 Kaleb Hill, 910 Baylor, Big Spring

Shatiya Lasha Jenkins, 4590 N Texas #198 Odessa  
 Jim Bob Jennings, 4446 Ridgecrest Amarillo 9001 Indiana Apt D, Lubbock

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Joni D. Kelly, 3050 Co. Rd 139, Colorado  
 Renola S. Kelly, 4503 LA Salle Circle, Colorado City

Cynthia Lee Kent, Moved to Newport News, Virginia  
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Rafael Lemus, 1804 Mittel, Big Spring  
 Jesse Paul Lopez, 101 Scurry St., Big Spring

Ruben Lopez Jr., 107 Milburn St., Snyder, Texas  
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Patricia D. Lyons, 7502 Interstate 27 number A, Lubbock  
 Aaron Christopher Mack, 2134 Bonham Ave., Odessa

Bruce Edward Mallard, P.O. Box 3265 504 Westover, Big Spring  
 Barbara A. Marshall, P.O. Box 1065, Deming, New Mexico

James Martinez, P.O. Box 269, Ft. Davis  
 Rene N. Martinez, 8618 Serene Ridge, Big Spring, Texas

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 Karen McCalister, 5925 Raton Ln. number 154, Ft. Worth

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 Diana McCool, 504 Donley, Big Spring

Ethel Laverne McVae, 4202 Parkway Rd., Big Spring, Texas  
 Heriberto Palafox Mora, 1311 Mobile St., Big Spring

Felicia Ornelas, 538 Westover Rd.  
 Dana Kay Peach, 1806 N 13th, Lamesa

Nicole Preston, 1605 E 11th place, Big Spring

### Prosperity Bank welcomes new Big Spring Banking Center president

Special to the Herald

Tech University-Rawls College of Business.

Prosperity Bank is pleased to announce the recent addition of Jeff Ward as the new Big Spring Banking President.

Ward's college education began at Howard College prior to continuing on to Texas Tech University where he earned his Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration and Management in 2009. Jeff then went on to receive his Masters in Higher Education Administration from Wayland Baptist University. In 2018, Ward completed the School of Banking Program at the Texas



Jeff Ward

Ward's professional career started back at Howard College where he proudly served in various roles for five years. In 2014, he began his banking career and has garnered extensive experience in credit and lending since that time. "Jeff brings a vast amount of

lending expertise and knowledge of the local area which is vital to Prosperity Bank's goal of serving Howard County. We are thrilled to welcome Jeff to our team and know that he will be a valuable asset," says Rick Bartholomee, Prosperity Bank's Permian Basin Region

President.

Jeff and his wife, Tisha, have two young daughters, Addison and Charlie. Ward spends a great deal of time giving back to his community by serving as a Board of Director for the Big Spring Economic Development Corporation and Comanche Trail Amphitheater Improvement Board. Additionally, he is a member of the Greater Big Spring Rotary Club and Hillcrest Baptist Church. Ward has also served on other various civic and community boards with a mindset to strengthen the community and build better relationships for civic and economic wellbeing!

Stop by the Prosperity Bank Big Spring Banking Center at 1411 S. Gregg Street to welcome Jeff or give him a call at 432-552-1260 anytime.

He as well as the rest of the team look forward to continuing their mission of providing sound financial assistance to the community.

### U.S. pork belly supplies higher than in decades

By ADAM RUSSELL

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension

The future of U.S. pork belly supplies isn't so clear despite reports of an impending bacon shortage in 2020, according to a Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service economist.

David Anderson, Ph.D., AgriLife Extension economist, College Station, said numerous recent reports regarding a bacon shortage in 2020 could be based more on expectations than current reality.

Anderson said Chinese demand for U.S. pork has increased significantly since an outbreak of African swine flu led to large scale culling of China's swine herd. Growing exports of half-carasses of U.S. pork to China is fueling concerns that U.S. supplies of pork bellies, the cuts that provide bacon, may not keep up with domestic demand.

"The long-term expectation is for big exports to China, but that is relative to the record amounts of pork we are producing today and have in storage," he said. "Pork prices are extremely cheap here and are competitively priced in China even with the current tariff."

Anderson said cold storage stocks of pork bellies, the cuts that produce bacon, are the highest he has

on record going back to 1973. The U.S. Department of Agriculture reported pork bellies in cold storage were up 34% from last year, reaching 40.7 million pounds compared to 30.4 million pounds in 2018.

"It's also worth noting that bellies in storage is highly seasonal," he said. "September storage is often very low."

U.S. pork exports have increased significantly since African swine flu cut China's herd in half over the last several months. Anderson said Chinese demand for pork hasn't let up and led to prices so high that U.S. pork is competitive despite a 67% tariff.

Demand for pork bellies in U.S. markets has continued to grow as bacon has become a staple in many households, Anderson said.

"We're producing more and more hogs here at home, and pork bellies are only one cut, but we have to remember America's appetite for bacon," he said. "Bacon is on everything these days."

Anderson said cold storage holdings could indicate bacon-producing companies and restaurants are building supplies in case there is a shortage

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**PORK**

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and prices begin to rise. Expectations of a shortage and subsequent price speculation, rising exports to China, the ongoing trade dispute, how African swine flu continues to affect China's swine herd, U.S. production and stockpile levels add to the commodity's uncertain future and ultimately market volatility.

Pork belly prices have been a "rollercoaster for a while now," Anderson said, well before Chinese supplies became a factor.

For now, Anderson expects U.S. pork exports to China will continue to grow as the Chinese continue to deal with swine flu.

"All these stories could be true in the future even though they appear to be at odds with what is going on with production," he said. "We'll just have to wait and see if export growth is larger than production growth to the point it cuts into domestic supplies and causes prices here to rise."

AgriLife Extension district reporters compiled the following summaries:

**ROLLING PLAINS:** Conditions were cool with

some areas receiving an early freeze and light moisture. Wheat plantings slowed as producers waited on moisture. Cotton harvest started in some areas. Ranchers were providing supplemental hay and waiting for wheat fields to provide grazing for stockers.

**PANHANDLE:** Surplus subsoil and topsoil were reported in some areas. Temperatures dropped, and 2-5 inches of snowfall was reported throughout the district. Cotton harvest stopped due to the wet weather in southern areas of the district. Bolls were open in northern areas. Winter wheat was planted and had emerged in most areas. Soybeans dropped leaves in northern parts of the district. Corn was in fair condition in the southeast and northeast areas. Pastures and rangelands were in fair to good condition.

**FAR WEST:** Temperatures ranged from the high 80s and low 30s. A cold front brought frost but not enough for a hard freeze. Rangeland showed some green color but was quickly going dormant. A small amount of winter grass was emerging and beginning to grow in some areas. Cow/calf producers continued to rotate pastures and work herds. Livestock were in good condition. Some fall calves were born. Producers with contracts in Nebraska

shipped three loads of 600-700-pound calves. Cotton stripping started. Producers ran a few test strips in smaller irrigated circles as well, but the soil moisture, maturity and boll opening varied across the northern part of the district. Cotton harvest continued at a quick pace. Producers reported it was taking too many acres to make a module this year. Yields were below average, and for the most part, grades were coming back lower than producers expected. Wheat planting had not progressed any and most likely will not until significant moisture falls. Pastures looked poor. Producers were evaluating their livestock to determine supplemental feeding strategies amid poor quantities and quality of forages. Pawnee pecan harvest started, and yields were better than expected. Several small grass fires were reported.

**WEST CENTRAL:** Moisture conditions were very dry. Cotton producers defoliated and applied boll openers to some fields. Cotton harvest was underway. A cold spell delivered the first freeze, but daytime temperatures were mild with cool nights overall. Wheat was in poor condition and needed rain. Pecans looked good. Livestock were in fair to good condition, but winter feeding was in full swing due to drought.

**RECORDS**

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Jacquelin Dannon Ramey, 1404 E 6th St. Big Spring  
Gilbert P. Ramirez, 1614 Settles, Big Spring  
Byron Roberts, 2206 Alabama St Big Spring  
Michael Robinson, 801 Anne St., Big Spring  
Juan Romero, 2504 March CR, Big Spring  
Veronica Romero, 103 Becker Rd., Big Spring  
Yuri Lozano Rubio, 421 Cedar, P.O. Box 173, Colorado City  
Polly Ann Rusk, 4201 W Hwy 80, Big Spring  
Elizabeth Salazar, 1808 Hearn, Big Spring, Texas  
Shane Skaggs, 1 Courtney Place, Apt. 301, Big Spring  
Derrick Dewayne Smith, 703 West 16th, San Angelo, Texas  
Leon Torres, 1500 Lincoln, Big Spring  
Michael Ray Watson, 1503 Tucson Rd., Big Spring  
Tamara Ruth Whitt, 1909 Morrison, 2526 Fairchild, Big Spring  
Jamie Wiggins, 1905 Wasson Rd., Apt. #28, Big Spring

**Marriage Licenses**

Martin Daniel Moreno II, 26, and Casey Cecelia Cervantes, 23, both of Big Spring.  
Timothy Shane Haynie, 39, and Ashley Joy Stallings, 23, both of Big Spring.  
Sergio Valente Torres, 26, and Chelsea Leigh Torres, 25, both of Big Spring.

**District Court Filings**

Plaintiff: Raul Juarez-Vega  
Defendant: Sophia Juarez  
Type of Case: Divorce  
Date: Oct. 18, 2019

Plaintiff: Saige Paredez  
Defendant: Ismael Paredez  
Type of Case: Divorce  
Date: Oct. 18, 2019

Plaintiff: Louis Morelion  
Defendant: Hector Haechten  
Type of Case: Contract – Consumer/Commercial/Debt  
Date: Oct. 21, 2019

Plaintiff: State of Texas  
Defendant: Pierre Gordon  
Type of Case: Civil Cases Relating to Criminal Matters  
Date: Oct. 22, 2019

Plaintiff: Jarayel Hill  
Defendant: State of Texas  
Type of Case: Writ of Habeus Corpus  
Date: Oct. 22, 2019

Plaintiff: Bank of America N.A.  
Defendant: John Fleming  
Type of Case: Contract – Consumer/Commercial/Debt  
Date: Oct. 23, 2019

**County Court Rulings**

(Note: The State of Texas is listed as the prosecutor in all County Court Rulings.)  
Defendant: Joshua Spivey  
Offense: Possession of Marijuana (less than 2 oz.)  
Sentence: \$100 fine, \$327 court costs. Time served  
Date: Oct. 23, 2019

Defendant: Elsa Mier  
Offense: Driving While Intoxicated BAC (greater than 0.15)  
Sentence: \$750 fine, 180 days in jail. Probated 12 months.  
Date: Oct. 22, 2019

Defendant: Ismael Rodriguez  
Offense: Possession of Marijuana (less than 2 oz.)  
Sentence: \$500 fine, 180 days in jail. Probated 12 months.  
Date: Oct. 10, 2019

Defendant: Juan Lopez Olivas  
Offense: Possession of Marijuana (less than 2 oz.)  
Sentence: \$250 fine, \$327 court costs. Probated six months. Deferred Adjudication.  
Date: Oct. 10, 2019

Defendant: Aaron Deleon  
Offense: Possession of Marijuana (less than 2 oz.)  
Sentence: \$100 fine, \$327 court costs, 90 days in jail.  
Date: Oct. 11, 2019

Defendant: Kalie R. Valencia  
Offense: Assault Causes Bodily Injury  
Sentence: \$750 fine, \$267 court costs. Probated 12 months. Deferred Adjudication.  
Date: March 5, 2019

Defendant: Patience Cervantes  
Offense: Theft of Property (\$100-750 dollars)  
Sentence: \$280 fine, 180 days in jail. Probated 12 months.  
Date: Oct. 17, 2019

Defendant: Matthew Hale  
Offense: Driving While Intoxicated  
Sentence: \$100 fine, \$442.10 court costs, 30 days in jail.  
Date: Oct. 17, 2019

**Warranty Deeds**

Grantor: Martha Canuto Garcia  
Grantee: Jose Socorro Lara Flores  
Property: Lot one (1), block eight (8) of the Central Park addition to the city of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas  
Date: Oct. 14, 2019

Grantor: Barbara J. Brauner and Michelle Simmons  
Grantee: Theodore Ramirez  
Property: 0.935 of an acre tract of land out of the West Portion of Section 25, Block 33, T-1-S, T.&P. RR. Co. Survey, Howard County, Texas  
Date: Oct. 8, 2019

Grantor: Michelle Simmons  
Grantee: Barbara Brauner and Theodore Ramirez  
Property: 1.244 acres of land out of the West Portion of Section 25, Block 33, T-1-S, T.&P. RR. Co. Survey, Howard County, Texas  
Date: Oct. 8, 2019

Grantor: Barbara Jean Brauner  
Grantee: Michelle Simmons and Theodore Ramirez  
Property: 2.23 acres (East) of land out of a 4.457 acre tract of land in the West Portion of Section 25, Block 33 T-1-S, T.&P. RR. Co. Survey, Howard County, Texas  
Date: Oct. 8, 2019

Grantor: Michelle Simmons  
Grantee: Barbara Brauner and Theodore Ramirez  
Property: 2.23 acres (West) of land out of a 4.457 acre tract of land in the West Portion of Section 25, Block 33 T-1-S, T.&P. RR. Co. Survey, Howard County, Texas  
Date: Oct. 8, 2019

Grantor: Hendrica Davidson, Michelle Carvan,

Stephanie Davidson-Rush, Erica Lee Joyce, and Jennifer Piercy  
Grantee: LIS Management, LLC  
Property: N/2 of Section 9, Block 32, Township 1 North, Howard County, Texas  
Date: Oct. 10, 2019

Grantor: Dean Murray Christian  
Grantee: Aaron Shockley  
Property: Lot Four (4) in Block Twenty-six (26) of College Park Estates, an addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas  
Date: Oct. 17, 2019

Grantor: Blerina Higgins f/k/a Blerina Jaha  
Grantee: Ismail Jaha and Blerton Jaha  
Property: Lot Four (4), in Block Two (2), Parkview Addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, according to the proper map or plat of record in Envelop 80/B, Plat Records of Howard County, Texas, commonly known as 2515 Broadway, Big Spring, Texas. 79720  
Date: Oct. 17, 2019

Grantor: Jerry Nichols  
Grantee: Dick Charles Nichols  
Property: A tract of land in Section 28, Block 33, T-1-S, T&P Ry. Co. Survey, Howard County, Texas  
Date: Oct. 16, 2019

Grantor: David Fowler  
Grantee: Thomas J. Wales, III and Darla J. Wales  
Property: 0.713 acre tract of land, more or less, out of the NW/4 of Section 29, Block 32, T-1-N, T.&P. RR. Co. Survey, Howard County, Texas  
Date: Oct. 17, 2019

Grantor: Sunshine Unlimited, Inc  
Grantee: Rock Royalty, Inc. and WWL Land Service, LLC  
Property: 10 acres more or less, being all of Lot No. 103, of the Spence Subdivision, in Section 18, Block 34, Township 1 South, T&P Ry. Co. Sy., Howard County, Texas  
Date: Oct. 1, 2019

Grantor: Rebecca Pritchett aka Rebecca S. Pritchett  
Grantee: Mark G Richardson  
Property: Lots 25 & 26, Block No. 22, Original Town of Coahoma, Howard County, Texas, according to the Plat thereof of Record in Envelope 21/A, Plat Records of Howard County, Texas  
Date: Oct. 28, 2019

Grantor: Rueben Hilario a/k/a Ruben Hilario and Margarita Hilario a/k/a Margie Hilario  
Grantee: Leticia Ann Rodriguez  
Property: Lot Nine (9), Block one (1), Stardust Addition, an Addition to City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas  
Date: Oct. 18, 2019

Grantor: Britton R. Walling and Ellen A. Walling  
Grantee: Carla Blagrave  
Property: Lot No. Two (2), in Block No. Two (2), University Gardens #2, consisting of Block 1, Lots 1-14 and Block 2, Lots 1-15, an addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, according to the map or plat of record in Envelope 179/A, Plat Records of Howard County, Texas  
Date: Oct. 17, 2019

Grantor: Ladd C. Hoffman and Rhonda C. Hoffman  
Grantee: Robert Muller and Betty Muller  
Property: Lot Six (6), Block Four (4), Cedar Ridge Addition, an addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, according to the proper map or plat thereof of record in Envelope 14/B, Plat Records of Howard County, Texas  
Date: Oct. 21, 2019

**Warranty Deeds with Vendors' Liens**  
Grantor: Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation  
Grantee: Ronald H. Christiansen and Tamara Dawn Christiansen  
Property: A 2.024 acre tract of land, more or less, out of the SE/4 of Section 43, Block 31, T-1-N, T. & P. RR. Co.  
Date: Oct. 9, 2019

Grantor: Roy W. Hunt, Individually and as Administrator of the Estate of Shannon Hunt aka Shannon D. Hunt, deceased  
Grantee: Timothy D. Schartz  
Property: 3.22 acre tract of land, more or less, out of the SW/4 of Section 32, Block 32 T-1-S T&P RR Co. Survey Howard County, Texas  
Date: Oct. 15, 2019

Grantor: John Purcell and Stacie Purcell  
Grantee: Clinton D. Hobbs  
Property: Lot No. Two (2), in Block No. Thirty (30), Amended plat of the N/2 of Block 28 and 29, S/2 of Blocks 30 and 31 and Block 19, College Park Estates, a subdivision of the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, according to the proper map or plat of record in Envelope 28/B, Plat Records of Howard County, Texas  
Date: Oct. 18, 2019

Grantor: Rebecca Pritchett aka Rebecca S. Pritchett  
Grantee: Mark G. Richardson  
Property: Lot Nos. 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32, Block No. 22, Original Town of Coahoma, Howard County, Texas, according to the Plat thereof of Record in Envelope 21/A, Plat Records of Howard County, Texas  
Date: Oct. 28, 2019

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New Locations: Glasscock County		Contractor not listed	500' FSEL, 1631' FSWL of the survey Latitude 032.3452840, Longitude -101.6349950 Total Depth: 7630 feet. PBTD: NA. Logs: Gamma Ray
Cambrian Management, Ltd. P.O. Box 272 Midland, TX 79702-0000 Phone #: NA survey	#2SW Jaker, drill, EI: NA, API #42-173-37653 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field 13 miles northeast of Garden City A-1246, Section 14, Block 36, T-4-S, T&P RR Co.  Total Depth: 6670 feet Latitude 031.474028, Longitude -101.411427. Datum:	(MWD) Yates 1897' BWPD Seven Rivers 2021' San Andres 3327' Glorieta 3877' 795 sx. Clear Fork 4717' Spraberry 6542' Leonard 7477'	Daily Potential: 978 Bbbls 38.4 gravity oil w/ 2,365  Pumping. GOR: 1066 Spud: 3-25-18. Completed: 5-13-19. Pay: NA 9-5/8" @ 7050 feet w/ 460 sx.; MS tool @ 4789 feet w/
NAD 27	1950' FSL, 2500.8' FEL of 643.9-acre lease 1950' FSL, 2500.8' FEL of the survey		5-1/2" @ 18601 feet w/ 2,010 sx.; 2-7/8" @ 7063 feet Perfs: 8060-18,532
Howard County		SM Energy Company 6301 Holiday Hill Road Midland, TX 79707-0000 (432) 848-4833 survey	#2662WB Merlin "B", API #42-227-39431 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, EI: 2535' GR 11.10 miles northwest of Big Spring A-1213, Section 24, Block 34, T-2-N, T&P RR Co.
Encana Oil & Gas, Inc. 370 17th Street, Suite 1700 Denver, CO 80202-0000 Jessica Gregg, Regulatory Analyst (720) 876-3926	#4HK Grant "18A", drill horizontal, API #42-227-40400 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, EI: NA 4.70 miles north of Big Spring A-1469, Section 18, Block 32, T-1-N, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 10,000 feet Latitude 032.185233, Longitude -101.300892. Datum:	Contractor not listed	500' FSEL, 1661' FSWL of the survey Latitude 032.3453058, Longitude -101.6348994 Total Depth: 8271 feet. PBTD: NA. Logs: Gamma Ray
NAD 27	406' FSL, 1024' FWL of 723.65-acre lease 406' FSL, 1024' FWL of the survey Rule 37 Exception	(MWD) Yates 1900' BWPD Seven Rivers 2042' Glorieta 3322' San Andres 3882' Clear Fork 4712' Spraberry 6598' Leonard 7468' Dean 7837' Wolfcamp 7936'	Daily Potential: 1,345 Bbbls 38.4 gravity oil w/ 2,437  Pumping. GOR: 738 Spud: 3-26-18. Completed: 3-18-19. Pay: NA 9-5/8" @ 7679 feet w/ 565 sx. MS tool @ 4791 feet w/ 1,030 sx. 5-1/2" @ 19,346 feet w/ 2,080 sx.; 2-7/8" @ 7752 feet Perfs: 8800-19,275
Echo Valley Petroleum Services, LLC P.O. Box 5996 Midland, TX 79704-5996 Matthew Schwab, President (214) 989-4305	#1 Bighorn SWD, drill, EI: NA, API #42-227-40403 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field 3.15 miles east of Vealmoor A-291, Section 33, Block 32, T-3-N, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 13,500 feet X=1038540.20, Y=6884838.67. Datum: NAD 83 668' FEL, 297' FNL of 10-acre lease 668' FEL, 297' FNL of the survey	Contractor not listed	#2644WA Merlin "C", API #42-227-39433 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, EI: 2535' GR 11.10 miles northwest of Big Spring A-1213, Section 24, Block 34, T-2-N, T&P RR Co.
Encana Oil & Gas, Inc. 370 17th Street, Suite 1700 Denver, CO 80202-0000 Jessica Gregg, Regulatory Analyst (720) 876-3926	#5HJ Grant "18B", drill horizontal, API #42-227-40401 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, EI: NA 4.70 miles north of Big Spring A-1469, Section 18, Block 32, T-1-N, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 10,000 feet Latitude 032.185239, Longitude -101.300864. Datum:	Contractor not listed	500' FSEL, 1721' FSWL of the survey Latitude 032.3453440, Longitude -101.6347120 Total Depth: 8019 feet. PBTD: NA. Logs: Gamma Ray
NAD 27	406' FSL, 1049' FWL of 723.65-acre lease 406' FSL, 1049' FWL of the survey Rule 37 Exception	(MWD) Yates 1899' BWPD Seven Rivers 2023' San Andres 3322' Glorieta 3881' 800 sx. Clear Fork 4715' Spraberry 6615' Leonard 7473' Dean 7829' Wolfcamp 7937'	Daily Potential: 1,559 Bbbls 38.4 gravity oil w/ 2,088  Pumping. GOR: 746 Spud: 3-28-18. Completed: 3-23-19. Pay: NA 9-5/8" @ 7406 feet w/ 505 sx.; MS tool @ 4814 feet w/
Encana Oil & Gas, Inc. 370 17th Street, Suite 1700 Denver, CO 80202-0000 Jessica Gregg, Regulatory Analyst (720) 876-3926	#6HK Grant "18B", drill horizontal, API #42-227-40402 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, EI: NA 4.70 miles north of Big Spring A-1469, Section 18, Block 32, T-1-N, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 10,000 feet Latitude 032.185245, Longitude -101.300836. Datum:	Contractor not listed	5-1/2" @ 19,037 feet w/ 2,075 sx.; 2-7/8" @ 7270 feet Perfs: 8465-18,966
NAD 27	406' FSL, 1074' FWL of 723.65-acre lease 406' FSL, 1074' FWL of the survey Rule 37 Exception	SM Energy Company 6301 Holiday Hill Road Midland, TX 79707-0000 (432) 848-4833 survey	#2632LS Merlin "C", API #42-227-39434 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, EI: 2535' GR 11.10 miles northwest of Big Spring A-1213, Section 24, Block 34, T-2-N, T&P RR Co.
New Oil Completions: Glasscock County		Contractor not listed	500' FSEL, 1751' FSWL of the survey Latitude 032.3453640, Longitude -101.6346180 Total Depth: 7497 feet. PBTD: NA. Logs: Gamma Ray
Mewbourne Oil Company P.O. Box 7698 Tyler, TX 75711-0000 (903) 561-2900	#W101NC Glasscock Unit "44/41", API #42-173-38089 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, EI: 2690' GR 5 miles northwest of Garden City A-1218, Section 44, Block34, T-3-S, T&P RR Co. survey 250' FSL, 2600' FWL of the survey Latitude 031.8663426, Longitude -101.5518590 Total Depth: 7545 feet. PBTD: NA.	(MWD) Yates 1864' BWPD Seven Rivers 2032' San Andres 3443' Glorieta 3945' 740 sx. Clear Fork 4689' Spraberry 6541' Leonard 7492'	Daily Potential: 1,056 Bbbls 38.4 gravity oil w/ 3,077  Pumping. GOR: 785 Spud: 3-29-18. Completed: 4-17-19. Pay: NA 9-5/8" @ 6925 feet w/ 445 sx.; MS tool @ 4746 feet w/
Contractor not listed	Logs: Gamma Ray (MWD) Daily Potential: 151 Bbbls 37.8 gravity gas w/ 1,158		5-1/2" @ 18,454 feet w/ 2,020 sx.; 2-7/8" @ 6937 feet Perfs: 7892-18,381
Santa Rosa 1237' Yates 1875' BWPD Seven Rivers 2039' Grayburg 2354' San Andres 2607' Clear Fork 5728' Spraberry 6048' Dean 7438' Wolfcamp 7560'	Flowing. GOR: 1158 Spud: 2-23-19. Completed: 5-03-19. Pay: NA 7" to 7820 feet w/ 700 sx. 4-1/2" from 10,889 feet to 17,910 feet w/ 800 sx. 2-7/8" @ 6990 feet Perfs: 7818-17,910 7818-17,910' Frac w/ 21,210,126g slick water and 9,663,780# 100 mesh sand and 9,542,500# 40/70 sand	SM Energy Company 6301 Holiday Hill Road Midland, TX 79707-0000 (432) 848-4833 survey	#2645WA Merlin "D", API #42-227-39435 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, EI: 2535' GR 11.10 miles northwest of Big Spring A-1213, Section 24, Block 34, T-2-N, T&P RR Co.
Howard County		Contractor not listed	500' FSEL, 1811' FSWL of the survey Latitude 032.3454040, Longitude -101.6344290 Total Depth: 7908 feet. PBTD: NA. Logs: Gamma Ray
Murchison Oil and Gas, LLC Legacy Tower One 7250 Dallas Pkwy, Suite 1400 Plano, TX 75024-0000 (972) 931-0700	#1HA Deacon Jim Unit "6-7", API #42-227-39929 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, EI: 2689' GR 15.50 miles north of Big Spring A-200, Section 43, Block 31, T&P RR Co. survey 450' FSL, 2281' FEL of the survey Latitude 032.4928233, Longitude -101.4441632 Total Depth: 7337 feet. PBTD: NA. Logs: Gamma Ray (MWD) Daily Potential: 283 Bbbls 41.4 gravity oil w/ 2,400	(MWD) Yates 1868' BWPD Seven Rivers 2031' San Andres 3430' Glorieta 3941' 790 sx. Clear Fork 4701' Spraberry 6604' Leonard 7464' Dean 7829' Wolfcamp 7907'	Daily Potential: 1,591 Bbbls 38.4 gravity oil w/ 1,702  Pumping. GOR: 747 Spud: 3-31-18. Completed: 4-04-19. Pay: NA 9-5/8" @ 7388 feet w/ 520 sx.; MS tool @ 4757 feet w/
Contractor not listed	Pumping. GOR: 674 Spud: 1-11-19. Completed: 7-17-19. Pay: NA 9-5/8" @ 6901 feet w/ 472 sx. MS tool @ 4072 feet w/ 1,185 sx. 5-1/2" @ 15,398 feet w/ 2,090 sx.; 2-3/8" @ 6000 feet Perfs: 7690-15,315		5-1/2" @ 18,879 feet w/ 2,010 sx.; 2-7/8" @ 7401 feet Perfs: 8316-18,807
BWPD Yates 1940' Seven Rivers 2034' San Andres 3127' Glorieta 4006' Clear Fork 4635' Spraberry 5901' Dean 7067' Wolfcamp 7206'	#2HA Deacon Jim Unit "6-7", API #42-227-39930 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, EI: 2689' GR 15.50 miles north of Big Spring A-200, Section 43, Block 31, T&P RR Co. survey 450' FSL, 2261' FEL of the survey Latitude 032.4928379, Longitude -101.4441004 Total Depth: 7338 feet. PBTD: NA. Logs: Gamma Ray (MWD) Daily Potential: 375 Bbbls 41.4 gravity oil w/ 2,732	SM Energy Company 6301 Holiday Hill Road Midland, TX 79707-0000 (432) 848-4833 survey	#2663WB Merlin "E", API #42-227-39436 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, EI: 2535' GR 11.10 miles northwest of Big Spring A-1213, Section 24, Block 34, T-2-N, T&P RR Co.
Contractor not listed	Pumping. GOR: 624 Spud: 1-21-19. Completed: 7-17-19. Pay: NA 9-5/8" @ 6909 feet w/ 780 sx. MS tool @ 4087 feet w/ 1,185 sx. 5-1/2" @ 15,428 feet w/ 2,090 sx.; 2-3/8" @ 6939 feet Perfs; 7720-15,345	Contractor not listed	500' FSEL, 1781' FSWL of the survey Latitude 032.3453840, Longitude -101.6345230 Total Depth: 8248 feet. PBTD: NA. Logs: Gamma Ray
BWPD Yates 1940' Seven Rivers 2034' San Andres 3127' Glorieta 4006' Clear Fork 4635' Spraberry 5901' Dean 7067' Wolfcamp 7206'	#2643WA Merlin "B", API #42-227-39429 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, EI: 2535' GR 11.10 miles northwest of Big Spring A-1213, Section 24, Block 34, T-2-N, T&P RR Co.  500' FSEL, 1691' FSWL of the survey Latitude 032.3453240, Longitude -101.6348050 Total Depth: 7927 feet. PBTD: NFA. Gamma Ray	(MWD) Yates 1863' Seven Rivers 2030' San Andres 3381' Glorieta 3917' 805 sx. Clear Fork 4711' Spraberry 6616' Leonard 7459' Dean 7827' Wolfcamp 7924'	Daily Potential: 639 Bbbls 38.4 gravity oil w/ 812 BWPD Pumping. GOR: 2369 Spud: 3-30-18. Completed: 5-14-19. Pay: NA 9-5/8" @ 7692 feet w/ 550 sx.; MS tool @ 4808 feet w/
SM Energy Company 6301 Holiday Hill Road Midland, TX 79707-0000 (432) 848-4833 survey	Latitude 032.3453240, Longitude -101.6348050 Total Depth: 7927 feet. PBTD: NFA. Gamma Ray		5-1/2" @ 19,261 feet w/ 2,035 sx.; 2-7/8" @ 7493 feet Perfs: 8710-19,188
Contractor not listed	Daily Potential: 1,475 Bbbls 38.4 gravity oil w/ 2,474	There are no New Gas Completions this week.	
(MWD) Yates 1980' BWPD Seven Rivers 2037' Glorieta 3326' San Andres 3886' Clear Fork 4711' Spraberry 6553' Leonard 7470' Dean 7843' Wolfcamp 7930'af	Pumping. GOR: 741 Spud: 3-27-18. Completed: 4-02-19. Pay: NA 9-5/8" @ 7387 feet w/ 510 sx.; MS tool @ 4835 feet w/ 805 sx. 5-1/2" @ 18,918 feet w/ 2,050 sx.; 2-7/8" @ 7396 feet Perfs: 8340-18,49	Dry Holes:	#1 Cothron Heirs Unit 2.50 miles northeast of Haskell A-368, J. Scott survey Total Depth: 5575 feet 4982' FSL, 5035' FWL of the survey 131 feet of 8-5/8' left in the hole.
Bayswater Operating Company, LLC 730 17th Street, Suite 500 Denver, CO 80202-0000 (512) 415-4191	#H-4W Vertigo "6-7", API #42-227-39528 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, EI: 2520' GR 16.80 miles northeast of Big Spring A-1031, Section 6, Block 30, T-1-N, T&P RR Co. survey 2615' FWL, 200' FNL of the survey Latitude 032.3997278, Longitude -101.3126028 Total Depth: 6721 feet. PBTD: NA. Logs: Gamma Ray	Haskell County	
Contractor not listed	Daily Potential: 919 Bbbls 36.5 gravity oil w/ 2,144	Antle Operating, Inc. Sojourner (Bursen) Field API #42-207-3291 Spud: 7-28-19 Plugged: 8-04-19	Jones County
(MWD) Yates 1574' BWPD Seven Rivers 1716' Glorieta 2418' San Andres 2702' Clear Fork 2984' Spraberry 5201' Dean 6442' Wolfcamp 6542'	Pumping. GOR: 484 Spud: 5-18-18. Completed: 2-18-19. Pay: NA 9-5/8" @ 6236 feet w/ 570 sx.; MS tool @ 3668 feet w/ 952 sx. 5-1/2" @ 16,916 feet w/ 2,655 sx.; 2-7/8" @ 6259 feet Perfs: 7018-16,850 7018-16,850' Frac w/ 689,806 Bbbls fluid and 21,416,019# proppant	Jones County	#1 Payne, API #42-253-35532 2 miles south of Anson A-275, Section 6, MEP& RR Co. survey Total Depth: 4200 feet 371' FEL, 672' FNL of the survey 126 feet of 8-5/8" and 2,946 feet of 5-1/2" left in the
SM Energy Company 6301 Holiday Hill Road Midland, TX 79707-0000 (432) 848-4833 survey	#2622LS Merlin "B", API #42-227-39430 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, EI: 2535' GR 11.10 miles northwest of Big Spring A-1213, Section 24, Block 34, T-2-N, T&P RR Co.	Kent County	#1 Ballard 4 miles west of Girard Section 92, Block 1, H&GN RR Co. survey Total Depth: 5500 feet 855' FEL, 1953' FSL of the survey 332 feet of 13-3/8" and 1,445 feet of 8-5/8" left in the
		VX Operating, LLC Wildcat Field API #42-263-32138 Spud: 6-27-19 Plugged: 7-09-19	
		hole.	
		Motley County	#10 Cogdell 11 miles west of Matador A-9, Section 55, Block T, A&B RR Co. survey Total Depth: 950 feet 1653' FWL, 2615' FSL of the survey No pipe left in the hole.
		Esco Oil Operating Company Wildcat Field API #42-345-30345 Spud: 1-02-19 Plugged: 1-03-19	#11 Cogdell 10 miles northwest of Matador A-1478, Section 52, Block T, A&B RR Co. survey Total Depth: 900 feet 839' FNL, 2014' FEL of the survey No pipe left in the hole.

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A dark network of hackers has infiltrated the computers of the U.S. military, unleashing chaos across the globe. U.S. missiles strike the wrong targets. Defense systems fail. Power grids shut down. Within hours, America's enemies move in. Russian tanks plow through northern Europe. Iranian troops invade Iraq. North Korean destroys Seoul and fires missiles at Japan. Phase 1 of ComWar is complete. Enter Jake Mahegan and his team of highly trained operatives. Their mission is to lo-

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#10355 Nov. 3 & 10, 2019

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS**

Hangar 25 Air Museum Association will receive sealed proposals for a 5,250 square foot Hangar Building at 2:00 PM on November 15, 2019. Proposals are to be opened and read aloud in the Briefing Room of Hangar 25 Air Museum at 1911 Apron Drive, Big Spring, Texas 79720 with award to be made at a regularly scheduled meeting of the Board. Proposal information and specifications may be obtained from the Museum Administrator by calling (432)264-1999. All proposals must be marked, "New Hangar Building" and date of the proposal." Hangar 25 Air Museum Association reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any or all formalities.

#10351 Nov. 3 & 10, 2019

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All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

**Legals**

c/o: **CARMEN HIPP COLLIER P.O. Box 35 Coahoma, TX 79511**

**DATED** the 25 day of October, 2019.

Joshua Hamby Attorney for CARMEN HIPP COLLIER State Bar No.: 24034471 107 W. 4th St. Big Spring, TX 79720 Telephone: (432) 263 8395 Facsimile: (432) 263 4798 E-mail: hambyfirm@yahoo.com

#10352 NOV. 3, 2019

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of ARTHUR ISLAS, JR., Deceased, were issued on October 22, 2019, in Cause No. P-14938, pending in the County Court of Howard County, Texas, to: AMY ISLAS

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

c/o: **AMY ISLAS 1902 E. 11th Place Big Spring, TX 79720**

**DATED** the 24 day of October, 2019.

Joshua Hamby Attorney for AMY ISLAS State Bar No.: 24034471 107 W. 4th St. Big Spring, TX 79720 Telephone: (432) 263 8395 Facsimile: (432) 263 4798 E-mail: hambyfirm@yahoo.com

#10354 NOV. 3, 2019

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of SHIRLEE M. CARLILE, Deceased, were issued on October 23, 2019, in Cause No. P-14944, pending in the County Court of Howard County, Texas, to: GREGORY SCOTT CARLILE

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c/o: **GREGORY SCOTT CARLILE 1100 N. Birdwell Ln. Big Spring, TX 79720**

**DATED** the 25 day of October, 2019.

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#10353 NOV. 3, 2019

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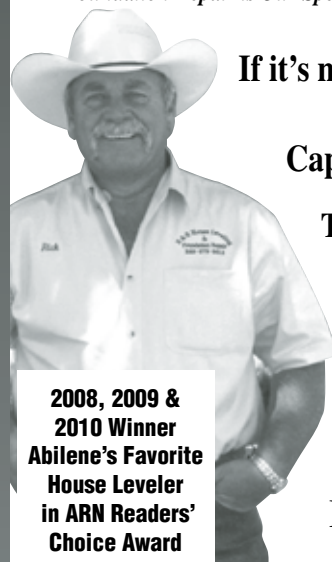
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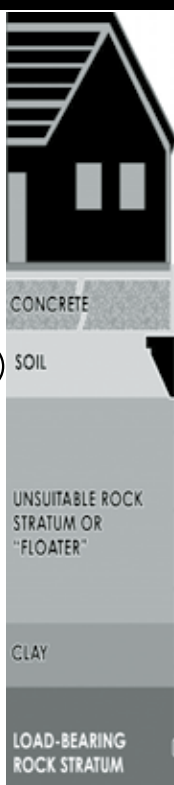
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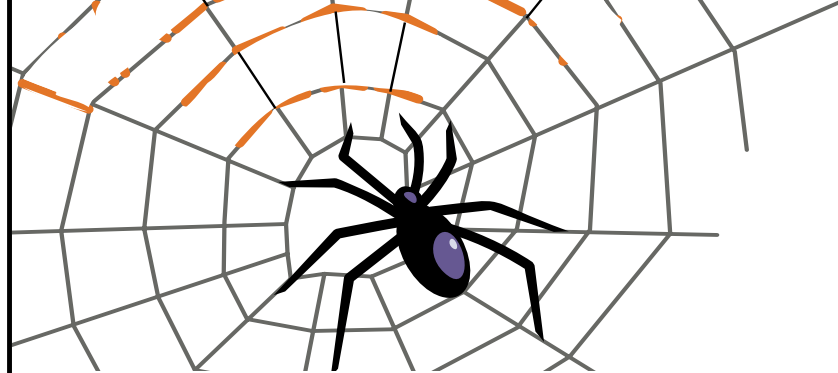
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During Mark Twain's days as a newspaperman, he was the editor of a small Missouri paper.

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Twain replied, "Finding a spider in your paper is neither good nor bad luck. The spider was merely looking over our paper to see which merchant was not advertising so that he could go to that store, spin his web across the door and lead a life of undisturbed peace ever after."



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## Tomorrow's Horoscope

### Moon of Kings and Servants

**ARIES (March 21-April 19).** You'll get to the essence of what it means to be you. This is a process of stripping down instead of building up. What this means is that, strangely, when you'll do less, you'll be more.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20).** Rituals of security can make people feel secure regardless of the effectiveness of the ritual in providing actual security. You'll find yourself going through certain motions to stay on the safe side, and that will work well enough.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 21).** Even if you think you're doing nothing, just showing up makes a difference enough to alter the dynamic, affect the outcome, escalate things in a way that wouldn't happen if you weren't involved.

**CANCER (June 22-July 22).** A simple approach to your own

mind ensures smooth proceedings today. Notice what you're thinking. Figure out which thoughts are helping and which are hurting. Stick with the helping thoughts. Follow that chain.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22).** Romance requires imagination. It requires seeing something a little more about the situation than is readily apparent and sending your heart into that soft glow of extra-ness.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22).** Some view relationships as possessions and networks as extensions of material wealth. But the value of relationships is like the value of the sky. Try to own it if you want, still it belongs to no one and also to everyone.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23).** As much as the idea of exploring your purpose and your gifts appeals to you, it is not necessary to pursue this separately from daily life. Your gifts emerge to assist everything you do. As

you live your values, your purpose is fulfilled.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21).** You may not consciously

seek to understand yourself and be in tune with your capabilities, but by following your curiosity about your people and surroundings, you will get there anyway. Your attractions will be your teachers.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21).** Figure out what you want before you speak and you'll deliver a clear, concise and accurate communication. If it turns out you already have what you want, even better. Just as much magic comes from listening without

BY HOLIDAY MATHIS an agenda.



**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19).** Just as your body has a range of motion, your spirit

has a range of energetic vibration. Those who love you can tell where you're at and join you there, celebrate with you in the highs and bring you up and out of the lows.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18).** There's a difference between responding and reacting. You'll live that difference as you thoughtfully navigate today's challenges, recognizing the value of a pause.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20).** Any time someone receives a practical advantage by

interacting with you, you're happy. To carry something, drive someone, fix what's broken -- these actions make the world go around. And you are happy to be a cog in the wheel.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Nov. 3).** You'll apply yourself and see fast results. It's fun to get good at what you want to master but even better to be able to help people with your new skills. Optimism abounds this solar year. You see the gift in everything; even roadblocks and closed doors are protectors that steer you from inauspicious places. Cancer and Leo adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 9, 20, 1, 18 and 27.

**FORECAST FOR THE WEEK AHEAD:** The Scorpio solar journey will constantly remind us where we are in life's cycle. As the sign of life, death, regeneration and transformation, this solar journey can feel like one long overhaul or a

constant flow of changes. Either way, there's a spinning quality as it feels like we are always either beginning or ending something.

We often experience a great deal of fear around beginnings and endings because both represent the unknown. Perhaps these fears can be allayed by the realization that transitions are so essential to our story that there would be no story without them. The sounds come from silence and return to silence. Such is the way with other signals in life. We think they are defined by their qualities of being, but it is their qualities of not being that make this possible. Things can only exist within the context of their nonexistence. It is the beginning and the ending that allow for the definition of a thing. To resist the beginning or the ending of a thing is natural but optional and may cause much more stress than is necessary.

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# Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

### It only hurts for a minute

South dealer. Both sides vulnerable.

**NORTH**  
♠ Q 5  
♥ Q 3  
♦ Q 8 5  
♣ A Q 6 4 3 2

**WEST**  
♠ J 10 8 6 3  
♥ J 9 8 2  
♦ K 10  
♣ 10 8

**EAST**  
♠ 9 7 4 2  
♥ K 10  
♦ J 9 7 4  
♣ K 9 7

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

The bidding:  
1♥ West 2♣ North  
2NT Pass 3NT East  
Opening lead — jack of spades.

hold the trick. Declarer then led the club five and, after West produced the ten, had to decide whether or not to repeat the finesse.

After some torturous moments, South concluded that if West, who had already followed with the eight and ten, had started with either the K-10-8 or K-10-9-8, he would have covered the jack with the king on the preceding trick. Declarer therefore credited East with the king and so discarded the ace from dummy.

Since there was still no hope of making nine tricks without utilizing dummy's clubs, South next led another club from dummy and on it discarded his ace of spades!

This "fancy" play guaranteed an entry to dummy — and therefore nine sure tricks — regardless of how the remaining cards were divided. A spade return by East would be taken by dummy's queen, while a low heart or diamond return would be ducked by South. Thus, the queen of whatever suit East led was sure to become an entry to dummy's three remaining clubs.

Observe that any other discard but the spade ace at trick four would have resulted in defeat.

South's play was, of course, highly unusual. Maybe it could even be called fancy. But, given the circumstances, it was clearly the right play.

Tomorrow: Famous Hand.  
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					9		8	4

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4	8	3	6	9	7	5	6	2
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6	9	6	9	6	1	7	4	4
2	3	8	6	9	5	4	7	1
5	2	3	9	1	6	4	7	8
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**Ski Ya Later!**

**Dear Annie:** My group of girlfriends is planning our annual ski trip for February. We all stay at a resort. There are six of us that go every year. Last year, my cousin, "Sasha" (who is part of this crew of girlfriends), invited her friend "Rachel." Rachel just did not mesh with the rest of the group. It felt stilted and awkward the whole time. She's cold and doesn't have much of a sense of humor -- one of those people who just sucks the life out of the room when she walks in. She barely skied last year and ended up spraining her wrist when she did, so I'm surprised she wants to come back.

You can probably guess where this is going: Sasha wants to invite Rachel again this year, and the rest of us would rather she not come. We haven't voiced any of this to Sasha yet because we don't want to hurt her feelings. How should we handle this? -- Bummed Skier

**Dear Bummed:** Don't ice Rachel out so quickly. Rather than telling Sasha that Rachel can't come, ask how Rachel is doing. Express surprise that she wants to join this year, because you weren't sure she enjoyed the last trip. Start a dialogue rather

than issuing a decree. Who knows -- maybe Rachel used to be the life of the party but is dealing with personal issues that make her a little less fun to be around, and the vacation would be really good for her. Or maybe what you've taken as coldness is actually shyness. Or maybe she really is a sourpuss. Whatever the case, the bottom line is that your cousin is paying as much for this trip as the rest of you, and if she would like to invite her friend, she can. Try to keep an open mind, and be willing to be surprised.

**Dear Annie:** I am writing in response to "Am I Wrong," the woman who was upset that she had to share her granddaughter's wedding day with her ex's other half. My mother could have written that letter. I wish she had. She could have used the advice.

After my parents divorced, she never let go of the resentment. She turned my childhood into a rage-fueled nightmare with a constant stream of angry rants about Dad, his wife, the neighbors whom she imagined were looking down their noses at the divorcee next door, members of her family who had the audacity to be civil to Dad when they accidentally bumped into

him at the store and, of course, me. After five or six years of spending a few days a month of court-ordered visitation with Dad, I finally gave in to her demands and cut off all contact with him, and 20 years passed before I found the courage to risk her wrath and try to reestablish a relationship with Dad.

She died 15 years ago, alone, having so thoroughly driven away and alienated her entire family. Yeah, I wish Momma had written that letter 50 years ago, because someone could have responded to her and possibly have saved us all a lot of unnecessary pain, misery and heartache. Look in the mirror, "Am I Wrong," and ask yourself if the woman you see is who you want to spend the rest of your life with. -- Hurt Daughter

**Dear Hurt Daughter:** I commend you for finding the courage to reconnect with your father, but I'm so sorry that you had to grow up in that environment. I'm printing your letter as a testament to just how toxic resentment can be. Thanks for writing.

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  - 16 Frost inconveniently
  - 17 What "the hoi polloi" actually is
  - 18 2014 film with LBJ and Malcolm X
  - 19 Field \_\_\_
  - 20 German much-honored by Jews
  - 22 Where you can sleep in 50+ countries
  - 25 Overpush
  - 26 Cause of incensement
  - 27 Race in a potato sack
  - 29 '40 10 Down title character, ultimately
  - 30 Workshop of a sort
  - 31 Croutons, often
  - 36 At some other place
  - 37 When many yard sales start
  - 38 \_\_\_ kernel extract (skin cream ingredient)
  - 39 Checked out
  - 40 Polish New Testament novelist
  - 41 They can't handle the truth
  - 43 What may be direct, for short
  - 44 Latter-day "neato"
  - 45 What Clorox makes with steel
  - 46 Cheek retractor user: Abbr.
  - 47 "Sailing on horseback or with feet for \_\_\_": Housman
- DOWN**
- 1 Realm of the god Boreas
  - 2 Foolishness
  - 3 \_\_\_ player
  - 4 Blow up
  - 5 Knows how
  - 6 Experienced
  - 7 Extended stretches
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  - 9 Molly Brown in *Titanic*
  - 10 World's largest film studio
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  - 28 Searches for slips
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  - 32 Showroom ritual
  - 33 Inherited
  - 34 Start of a "snooty" synonym
  - 35 It grows on a stalk
  - 36 *Bierhaus* stock
  - 39 Onetime partner of Plácido and Luciano
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  - 50 Comes over
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  - 60 Irish-American Heritage Mo.
  - 61 Deck direction

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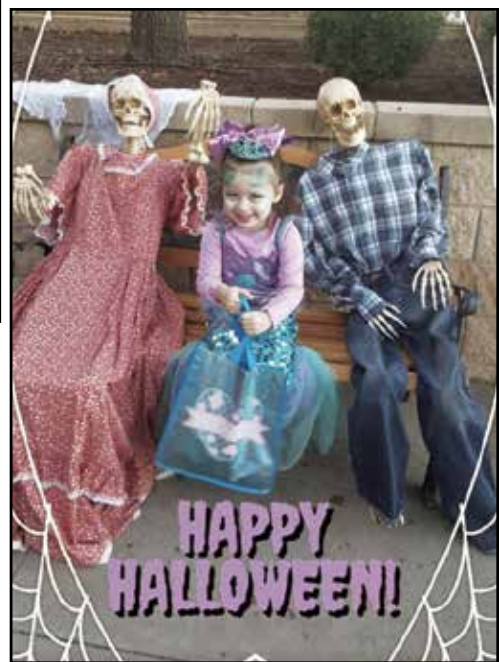
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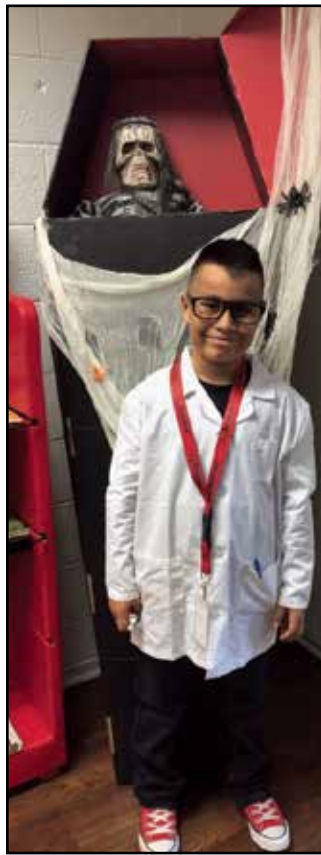
# Halloween 2019



Courtesy photo/ George - Stacy Fontanez  
Pictured left: One of the man families that went through the trunk or treat put on by the First Responders.

Courtesy photo/Irene Richardson  
Big Spring High School enjoyed several families who came out for their fall festivities on Halloween Night.

Courtesy photo/Elisabeth Canales  
Pictured right: A little mermaid poses with Heritage Museum 'patrons' during the Scurry Street trunk or treat.



Courtesy photo/Lacey Cox  
Pictured left: Kids enjoy meeting Safe Put during the trunk or treat with the First Responders at Memorial Stadium parking lot.

HERALD photo/Anna Gutierrez  
Pictured right: Damian Correa visited the Big Spring Herald safe stop for some treats.

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# 34th Annual Big Spring Herald Community Christmas Parade 5:30 pm, Saturday, December 7th

Parade Theme

## "RUDOLPH AND FRIENDS"

**DEADLINE!  
FRIDAY, NOV. 8TH**

\*Entry Forms Turned In After November 8 Will Be Placed At The End Of Line-Up

### 2019 CHRISTMAS PARADE ENTRY FORM

Name Of Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Entry \_\_\_\_\_

(Ex. Walking, Float, Car, Truck, Semi, Fire Truck, Motorcycle, ATV, Horse, etc.)

\*Please Read Guidelines Below.

Mail, Fax or Hand Deliver to:

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**Free To Enter!**

#### Parade Guidelines:

1. The parade's official Santa Claus will be provided by the Herald. **No Other Santas Allowed**
2. Floats not to exceed 52' in length, 8' in width, 14' in heights.
3. Parade entries not in line by start of parade will be ineligible for awards.
4. Do not throw candy from float, you may walk beside your float if you wish to throw candy.
5. You will receive your float number and instructions about 1 week prior to parade.
6. If your float number isn't Clearly Visible on the driver side, your float will not be judged.

