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Source: NWS, via weather.gov

Today in History

On October 8-9
Oct. 9, 1812: War of 1812: In a naval engagement on Lake Erie, American forces capture two British ships: HMS Detroit and HMS Caledonia.
Oct. 8, 1918: World War I: Corporal Alvin C. York kills 28 German soldiers and captures 132 for which he was awarded the Medal of Honor.
Oct. 9, 1919: The Cincinnati Reds win the World Series, resulting in the Black Sox Scandal.

Daily Quotes

"The artist who does not feel completely satisfied by elegant lines, by harmonious colors, and by a beautiful succession of chords does not understand the art of music."
 — Camille de Saint Saens

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Commissioners to consider Coahoma office windows

By **ROGER CLINE**
 Managing Editor

Howard County Commissioners will consider approving a requisition for windows at the county's Coahoma office, according to the agenda of Tuesday's Commissioners' Court meeting. The commissioners will meet at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday instead of their regular Monday meeting time due to the Columbus Day holiday. The meeting will take place in the second floor Judge's Conference Room rather than the third floor courtroom, but remains open to members of the public as usual.

At the start of the meeting, County Judge Kathryn Wiseman will present an item regarding the Indigent Defense Grant Program and another on Adoption Day and the use of an alternative courtroom for Adoption Day.

Judge Wiseman will also accept monthly reports from county officials.

County Treasurer Sharon Adams will present personnel considerations and her Treasurer's Monthly Payroll Report for September.

County Auditor Jackie Olson will present invoices, purchase requests and budget amendments; as well as the requisition for windows at the Coahoma office mentioned previously. Olson will also present an item regarding approval of

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early pay invoices, and another seeking permission to go out for fuel bids.

Howard County Emergency Management Coordinator Itzel Gomez will present a Fire Safety Plan and Hazard Mitigation Plan for commissioners' approval.

County Sheriff Stan Parker will present a resolution regarding the Bullet Resistant Shield Grant Program.

County Detentions Communications Chief Irene Buchanan will present an item regarding sick pool for employees.

Precinct 1 Commissioner Edilisa Ray will present an item regarding a subdivision in Precinct 1.

Precinct 2 Commissioner Craig Bailey will present an item regarding the countywide ban on burning.

County Road Engineer Brian Klinksiek will present his regular Roadway Maintenance Update, as well as items regarding purchase of a new County Road & Bridge pickup truck, second reading on naming a private road in Precinct 1 "Mule Deer Lane" and seeking permission to go out for bids to invert prime Wildfire Road.

County Clerk Brent Zitterkopf will present his monthly report for September and his 2021-22 yearly reports.

Following Zitterkopf's reports, the meeting will be adjourned.

Silent Witnesses...



HERALD Photo/Andraia Medlin
Johnny Lozano lays a flower in honor of his mother Irma Lozano at a ceremony presented by Victims Services at Scenic Mountain Medical Center honoring women who died as victims of domestic violence. Lozano's mother died in 2016 following an altercation between her daughter and Abel Torres. The silhouettes will remain in the lobby of SMMC for the month of October.

BSEDC meeting scheduled Tuesday

By **ROGER CLINE**
 Managing Editor

The board of directors of the Big Spring Economic Development Corporation will meet at noon Tuesday in the EDC Board Room, 215 W. Third St. in Big Spring. Members of the public are invited to attend.

The meeting will begin with a call to order and Pledge of Allegiance, followed by a time for public comment. Next, the board will take action to approve minutes of its Sept. 20 regular meeting.

The directors will consider approval of a resolution recognizing Mr. Jeff Ward for service to the board before welcoming new board member Kristy Tyra.

Next, the board will elect officers including president, vice-president and secretary/treasurer. The new president will

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then appoint committee chairs, including those for the Industry Attraction and Recruitment Committee, the Industry Retention and Expansion Committee, and the Workforce Development Committee.

The board will consider taking action to approve the annual contract between the EDC and Leading EDG.

EDC Executive Director Mark Willis will present his regular report. Members of the board will have an opportunity to offer comments, and then the meeting will be adjourned.

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Obituaries

Eva (Murry) Wells Doyle



Eva (Murry) Wells Doyle, age 102, of Gail, Texas passed away Friday, Sept. 30, 2022. Eva was born August 26, 1920, in Fisher County to Lonnie and Gracie May Light. She was raised in Fischer County until her dad moved the family by horse and wagon to west of O'Donnell to farm. Eva married Garland May Doyle on Dec. 19, 1936, in Lamesa, after going on just one date. They were married for 52 years until his passing on June 27, 1988.

Garland and Eva farmed and raised their 3 children in the Plains community near the old Mesquite school house. Eva was the sweetest and most down to earth person. She never used a computer and only had a cell phone for a short time. For all the years and changes that she saw in her 102 Years, she said the best invention was the washing machine. She said that scrubbing clothes on the old wash boards was hard work and not very much fun. Eva said she wanted to be a teacher but once she had her children she was too busy raising her family so instead she got to watch and teach all the neighbor kids in the community who came to visit. Eva lived at her home and celebrated her 100th birthday in the community and then was moved to Lynnwood at Tahoka. Eva was a faithful member of the Mesquite Church of Christ and later the Gail Church of Christ.

Eva is survived by her daughter, Judy Kingstone of Gail; 8 grandchildren and numerous great-grandchildren and nieces.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Garland; her son, Lonnie Doyle, her son Larry Doyle and 2 grandchildren.

A public visitation will be held Sunday, Oct. 9, from 5-7 p.m. at Branon Funeral Home, 403 N. Austin Ave., Lamesa, Tx and a graveside service will be held Monday, Oct. 10, at 10 a.m. at the Gail Cemetery, Gail, Texas, with Minister, Mark Hackett officiating.

The family wishes to thank the staff and management of Lynnwood Assisted Living for all their love, kindness and care that they showed Eva. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to your favorite charity.

Paid Obituary

Carla Sue Redlin



Carla Sue Redlin, 47, died Wednesday, October 5, 2022. Visitation will be Monday 9 AM until 9 PM at Myers & Smith Funeral

Carla was born on April 18, 1975 in Burlington, CO to Helen and James Hoard. She was married to Gary Redlin and a lifetime resident of Big Spring and graduated from Forsan in 1993.

Carla loved to craft and giving them away as gifts to people. She loved helping people, was a mother to all, and made everyone feel welcome. She loved animals and wanted to be a vet. She loved scary movies, Mickey Mouse, and Disney. She enjoyed late night talks with family, fishing, and riding motorcycles. She liked Native American culture and was an avid collector.

Carla is survived by her husband: Gary Redlin of 27 years of Big Spring; daughter: Cassidi Turner (Tristian) of Big Spring; daughter: Alicia Heaton of Midland; son: Colton Redlin of Big Spring; son: Gavin Redlin of Big Spring; grandson: Karson Turner of Big Spring; mom: Helen Hoard of Big Spring; sister: Monica Nellen (Patrick) of Louisiana; brother: James Hoard (Roxy) of Conroe; and numerous nieces, nephews, & cousins.

Carla was preceded in death by her dad: James Hoard; maternal & paternal grandparents.

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

Paid Obituary

Cirstye Schaller

A Celebration of Life will be held for Cirstye Schaller, Saturday, Oct. 15, 2022, at 11 a.m. at Maltbie Funeral Services chapel with the Rev. Ron Niday officiating the service.

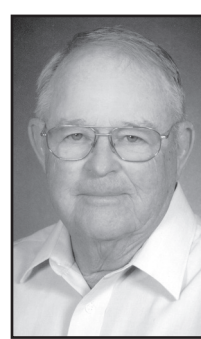
Cirstye passed away July 16, 2022, in Kansas City, Kansas; she was 33 years old.

To honor the life of Cirstye please consider memorial contributions to MOSAIC 2708 N. 11th St., Garden City, KS 67846

Maltbie Funeral Services, LLC entrusted with arrangements.

To leave condolences for the family please visit maltbiefuneralservices.com

Roger Harris Fleckenstein



Roger Harris Fleckenstein, 83, of Stanton, passed away Thursday, Oct. 6, 2022. The family will receive friends from 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 9, at Gilbreath Funeral Home of Stanton. Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Monday, Oct. 10, at the First United Methodist Church of Stanton. Interment will follow at Evergreen Cemetery.

Roger was born March 18, 1939 in Ranger to Mary Frances (Granger) and Edwin Regis Fleckenstein. He moved to Stanton in 1962 and retired from Caprock Electric of 30 years of service. He married Wilma Faye Ramsey April 7, 1958, in Colorado City. He was a square dance teacher/caller for 20 years. He also worked with the 4-H Club. He enjoyed wood working, golfing, watching grandkids play sports and he never missed an event.

He is survived by his wife, Faye Fleckenstein; one son, Ricky Fleckenstein and wife, Laurie; and daughter, Cheryl Cook and husband, Kenneth; grandchildren, Keith and Jana Cook, Karyn Pylant, Ramsey and Holly Fleckenstein and Rachel and Coner McKown; great-great-grandchildren: Kanyon Pylant, Koda Pylant, Kody Cook, Kase Cook, Lillian Fleckenstein, Cleg Fleckenstein and Lyndon Fleckenstein; and a nephew, Terry Montgomery.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one sister Annetta Montgomery and a great-granddaughter, Katy-Jo Cook.

The family would like to thank Visiting Angels Norma Ortiz and Lynda Arredondo for their compassionate care.

Arrangements are under the direction of Gilbreath Funeral Home of Stanton. Online condolences can be made at www.npwelch.com

Paid Obituary

Police Blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **DAISY DOLORES BARRIENTES**, 22, of 1501 Wood St., was arrested by the BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

- **RICHARD LEONARD MOYA**, 48, of 4301 Mesquite, was arrested by the BSPD on a warrant of criminal mischief greater than or equal to \$100 but less than \$750.

- **ALFREDO ANTONIO RAMIREZ**, 47, of 301 E Leatherwood, was arrested by the BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

- **ROBERT JOHN SANCHEZ JR**, 26, of 1000 E 20th St., was arrested by the BSPD on charges of evading arrest detention and failure to comply sex offender duty to register.

- **KAYLA BREANNE SANCHEZ**, 29, of 408 Ave. B., was arrested by the BSPD on a warrant of assault causing bodily injury.

Sheriff

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

Note - Official's with the Howard County Jail reported having 80 inmates at the time of this report.

- **MANUEL JUNIOR MATA**, 35, of 700 N Moss Lake Rd., was arrested by the BSPD on warrants of a terroristic threat of a family as well as evading arrest with a vehicle.

- **GARY THOMAS STRONG**, 57, 5605 Walter Rd., was arrested by the HCSO on a warrant of driving while intoxicated.

Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported at the 2200 block of S Main St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported at the 300 block of E. 3rd St. One person was transported to SMMC.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported at the 5100 block of E. Midway Rd. One person was transported to SMMC.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported at the 100 block of Colorado Rd. One person was transported to SMMC.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported at the 200 block of Aztec. One person was transported to SMMC.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported at the 100 block of NW 8th St. One person was transported to SMMC.

- **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported at FM 700 and Birdwell Lane. No transport.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported at the 500 block of E Highschool Dr. One person was transported to SMMC.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported at the 300 block of Veterans Blvd. One person was transported to SMMC.

Cookbook looks back at Popeyes founder

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Louisiana is known for delivering food with big, bold flavor. The same can be said for the founder of the Popeyes fried chicken empire, who put spicy chicken, red beans and dirty rice on the national map and whose story is outlined in a new book, "Secrets of a Tastemaker: Al Copeland, The Cookbook."

Copeland's son Al Copeland Jr. said he and authors Chris Rose and Kit Wohl tried to capture the "real life and times of Al Copeland" in the book released last month.

The elder Copeland, who died in 2008, made his mark in business with his restaurants, but was also known for philanthropic endeavors — including "Secret Santa" missions to thousands of children in metro New Orleans and the extravagant Christmas light display at his home. For a time, he even had a successful offshore powerboat racing career.

"Some people thought he was flashy and flamboyant, and he was," his son said in an interview with The Associated Press. "But what they didn't know was that everything that was his was yours — whether that was a Lamborghini or just welcoming you into his home. He was very much a man who enjoyed seeing people happy."

Copeland built — and eventually lost — the Popeyes fried chicken empire. His first restaurant opened 50 years ago, in 1972, in the New Orleans suburb of Arabi. The "Love That Chicken" jingle, still used in commercials today, debuted in 1980.

The book recounts Copeland's boldness in cooking, and includes recipes — though not those associated with Popeyes, his son said. Readers can get a glimpse, he said, into the kind of food Al Copeland used in Copeland's, the casual dining restaurant chain venture he started in 1983.

The book includes dishes served at the Copeland family table, including corn and crab bisque, crawfish bread, ricochet catfish, crawfish eggplant au gratin, and pork tenderloin CP3, named for then-New Orleans Hornets star guard Chris Paul.

"What runs throughout the book ... is the story of the American

dream," Copeland Jr. said. "This book is about a guy who didn't have much of anything, not much of an education and he was living in a world that wouldn't give him much of a shot."

By 1989, there were 700 Popeyes franchises in the United States and abroad, and Copeland leveraged those assets to buy the Church's Fried Chicken chain. That move gave him control over 2,000 chicken restaurants. But the success was short-lived: A little more than two years later, the merged company had amassed more than \$400 million in debt and, in 1991, Copeland filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection for Al Copeland Enterprises.

In May 1992, the bankruptcy court awarded Copeland's creditors total control of his chicken empire under a new name, America's Favorite Chicken Company. Copeland did retain ownership of the Popeyes recipes and the manufacturing company that made the seasonings, according to the book.

"Although he was not operating Popeyes, the company could not operate — not even exist — without him," the book reads. "That ruling reinforced Al's longtime belief that he should always have a back door, an alternative plan for change."

In 2017, Restaurant Brands International Inc. acquired Popeyes.

Liz Williams, founder of the Southern Food and Beverage Museum in New Orleans, said Copeland was known for being bold, in thought and business.

"He has done almost more than any other chef to get the city's most authentic flavors to people everywhere," she said. "I think of him as an ambassador for New Orleans ... because wherever there's a Popeyes, then you have the chance to get a piece of New Orleans."

The September book launch helped mark the 50th anniversary of Popeyes. Copeland Jr. said the fried chicken franchise was founded when he was 9 years old so he's had a "chance to experience the whole ride from the poorer times to the exciting times."

"This project is bringing back a lifetime of memories and it's a way for my father's legacy to live on," he said.

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Texas officer fired after shooting hamburger-eating teenager

By KEN MILLER

Associated Press

A Texas police officer who shot and wounded a teenager who had been sitting in his car eating a hamburger has been fired, police said.

San Antonio Officer James Brennand was fired after shooting Erik Cantu, 17, on Oct. 2 in a fast food restaurant parking lot, police training commander Alyssa Campos said in a video statement released Wednesday.

Brennand had responded to an unrelated disturbance at the fast-food restaurant when he saw the Cantu inside the car, which had evaded him a day earlier, Campos said.

Brennand, who had been on the force for less than one year, violated his training and police pro-

cedures after approaching the car, Campos said.

"The officer abruptly opened the driver's door and ordered the driver out of the car" before the arrival of backup officers that Brennand had requested, Campos said.

Cantu, in the officer's body camera video, looks toward Brennand while holding a hamburger, then backs the car away, striking the officer with the open door.

Brennand then opened fire several times as the door closed and Cantu drove away.

Cantu, who was struck by gunfire, stopped nearby where he and a passenger, who was not injured, were found by police.

"There is nothing I can say in defense of that officer's actions that night," Police Chief William

McManus told WOAI-TV. "I think what happened, initially, there was some contact made, but that did not justify the shooting."

Cantu was hospitalized in stable condition and charged with evading police and aggravated assault, but Bexar County District Attorney Joe Gonzales said Thursday that no decision had been made on whether to pursue formal charges against either Cantu or Brennand.

"The DA's Office can make no comment on whether charges may be pursued against either individual until all evidence has been reviewed," according to the statement by Gonzales.

Gonzales' office, police and an attorney for Cantu did not immediately return phone calls for comment on Friday.

Uvalde schools suspend entire police force after outrage

By PAUL J. WEBER

Associated Press

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Uvalde's school district on Friday pulled its embattled campus police force off the job following a wave of new outrage over the hiring of a former state trooper who was part of the hesitant law enforcement response during the May shooting at Robb Elementary School that left 21 dead.

School leaders also put two members of the district police department on administrative leave, one of whom chose to retire instead, according to a statement released by the Uvalde Consolidated Independent School District. Remaining officers will be reassigned to other jobs in the district.

The extraordinary move by Uvalde school leaders to suspend campus police operations — one month into a new school year in the South Texas community — underscored the sustained pressure that families of some of the 19 children and two teachers killed in the May 24 attack have kept on the district.

Brett Cross, whose 10-year-old son Uziyah Garcia was among the victims, had been protesting outside the Uvalde school administration building for the past two weeks, demanding accountability over officers allowing a gunman with an AR-15-style rifle to remain in a fourth-grade classroom for more than 70 minutes.

Uvalde families have said students in the district are not safe so long as officers who waited so long to confront and kill the gunman remain on the job.

"We did it!" Cross tweeted.

The Uvalde school district had five campus police officers on the scene of the shooting, according to a damning report from Texas lawmakers that laid out multiple breakdowns in the response. A total of nearly 400 officers responded, including school district police, the city's police, county sheriff's deputies, state police and U.S. Border Patrol agents, among others.

The fallout Friday is the first in Uvalde's school police force since the district fired former police Chief Pete Arredondo in August. He remains the only

officer to have been fired from his job following one of the deadliest classroom attacks in U.S. history.

The district said it would ask the Texas Department of Public Safety, which had already assigned dozens of troopers to the district for the school year, for additional help. Spokespersons for the agency did not immediately return messages seeking comment Friday.

"We are confident that staff and student safety will not be compromised during this transition," the district said in a statement.

The statement did not specify how long campus police operations would remain suspended.

The move comes a day after revelations that the district not only hired a former DPS trooper who was one of the officers who rushed to the scene of Robb Elementary, but that she was among at least seven troopers later placed under internal investigation for her actions.

Officer Crimson Elizondo was fired Thursday, one day after CNN first reported her hiring. She has not responded to voice-mails and messages left by The Associated Press.

Steve McCraw, the head of the state's Department of Public Safety, has called the law enforcement response to the shooting an "abject failure." McCraw has also come under pressure as the leader of a department had more than 90 troopers on the scene but still has the support of Republican Gov. Greg Abbott.

On Thursday, after Elizondo was fired, Abbott called it a "poor decision" for the school to hire the former trooper and that it was up to the district to "own up to it."

Take Note

- Ward Family Dental, 1500 Scurry, will hold its "Smile for Freedom" event from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Nov. 4. During the event, Ward Family Dental will offer free dental work for military veterans, active military members, and emergency responders. Military or Responder identification is required. Dr. Ward asks those seeking to take advantage of the event to contact the office for a pre-screening prior to the event date. Call 432-267-1677 for more information.

- Maranatha Baptist Academy News flash: now enrolling for 2022-2023 School year. We offer summer session of 4 weeks in the middle of summer. We began August 1, 2022 and are a year round school. We service Home school as well as in-house school for Kindergarten through High School graduation. This year we graduated two Seniors, Grace Wheat, Daughter of Ray Wheat of Denton, Texas, also a graduate of Maranatha. Grace is enrolled at the University of North Texas. Bryson McMurtrey, grandson of Tommy and Brenda McMurtrey, of this city. Bryson is enrolled at the Angelo State University. We are extremely proud of our two graduates. We have been in operation for 40 plus years, and we understand

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- Three Angels Food Pantry is changing its distribution to the fourth Friday of every month, starting Oct. 28. Regular times for distributions will continue to be 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Seventh-Day Adventist Church at 4319 Parkway Road in Big Spring. Food is provided by West Texas Food Bank. Those should bring a plastic bag or box to carry food in, and should be prepared to let Food Pantry personnel know how many people are in their household to receive food. Updates are available on the Facebook page at www.facebook.com/healthynuggetsofgold44.

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- Ready for Home School or individualized education in school? Maranatha Baptist Academy, located at 903 Johnson Street, in Big Spring, Texas, is currently open and taking applications for enrollment for the 2022-23 School year. We are a faith-based Christian Academy and use the individualized Accelerated Christian Education Curriculum for Kindergarten through 12th grade, published in Hendersonville, Tennessee. July 20 is our startup date, and applications will be accepted year-round. Someone will take your call for information at 432-213-1046. Please leave a message and we'll return your call.

- The Big Spring Art Association is looking for community businesses to display pieces of their artwork. In an effort to build awareness for the importance of the arts and highlight local talent, the Big Spring Art Association displays different art pieces across the community. If you would like a piece of art work displayed in your business lobby contact any member of the Big Spring Art Association.

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Carla Sue Redlin, 47, died Wednesday. Visitation Monday 9 AM until 9 PM at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Valerie Rivera, 41, died Monday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Mary Contreras, 44, died Saturday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. A fund has been established to assist the family with expenses.

Gerald Mock, died Sunday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

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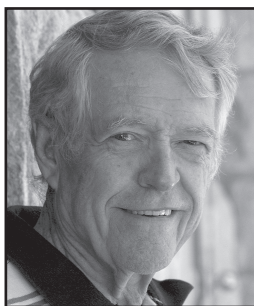
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DAILY PRAYER

Grant that many people from all nations may come to you. May they turn to you in their need and know the happiness of receiving your help. Amen.

Cruising The Rivers Of The West

It was a beautiful, inspiring and educational trip. We took American Cruise Line's ship American Song and cruised on the Columbia and Snake Rivers past some of the country's most scenic areas. There were 150 passengers who ate meals wherever and with whomever they wished. Alcohol was provided day and night at no additional charge. It was our first time to take a trip with these folks and they certainly know how to provide a good, fun experience.



TUMBLEWEED SMITH

We flew to Portland and boarded on a Sunday morning in late July. The first stop on Monday was at Astoria, Oregon, the oldest city in Oregon and the setting for movies such as "The Goonies," "Free Willy," "Kindergarten Cop," and others. The city is named for John Jacob Astor who established the fur business in the northwest. The city's Maritime Museum is state of the art and from the Astoria Column (125 feet tall) you can see the 4-mile bridge across the Columbia that separates Oregon from Washington. You can also see where the Columbia flows into the Pacific, once an extremely dangerous place for ships because of the rough seas and sand bars.

The next day we docked at Kalama, Washington and took a long bus ride to Mt. St. Helens, the volcano that erupted 42 years ago, the deadliest and most

destructive volcano event in US history. Having heard of the place for so long, it was an emotional experience to see it. There was a reverence among the travelers to see first hand the power of nature.

Then on to Stevenson, Washington where we crossed the Columbia River Gorge and visited Multnomah Falls, a 620 feet waterfall in Oregon. It is one of the most photographed spots in the nation. One couple on the cruise got engaged there.

At The Dalles, Oregon (the only city that starts with The) we visited the National Neon Sign Museum, founded by David Benko, who has done some of the most interesting neon signs in the country, some of them in Texas.

In Pendleton, Oregon, a city of 15,000 residents we visited the Rodeo Grounds, where 65,000 rodeo fans descend on the city every September.

The weeklong cruise ended at Clarkson, Washington. This is Lewis and Clark country and the lecturer on board kept us riveted when he told about their adventures while exploring the territory. We heard about the Nez Perce and other Indian tribes. The cruise director (best one we've ever seen) and the rest of the staff were most hospitable and the ship was kept spotlessly clean. There were activities all during the day for people who stayed on board during excursions, which by the way were fabulous. We only paid extra for one (Pendleton).

We went through 8 locks, saw several dams and at one point watched people count fish to determine the fishing seasons. They would sit for 10 hours in a dark room 6 feet below the surface, look through a picture window and count fish. Different.

Letter to the Editor

Has City Council thought of how tethering can affect a community?

Repealing the ban on tethering in Big Spring is regressive, not progressive. The chief of police has blamed the problem of roaming dogs on the tethering ban. In reality, there are multiple causes for loose dogs, not least of which is irresponsible owners. Inadequate fencing or kennels are the responsibility of the owners as well as adequate supervision. Male dogs who are not neutered will stray to find mates so owners of outdoor dogs should get them sterilized. Unsupervised tethering is a regressive policy because dogs are more likely to become aggressive and a bite risk

as they cannot run away from a perceived threat. Children who wander within the tethers' radius are the most vulnerable to severe dog bites. Additionally, tethered dogs bring down property values and are an eyesore. Some of these dogs will have embedded collars because the owner must make the collar tight so the collar does not slip off and sometimes owners forget to adjust the collar as a dog grows. Without fencing as a barrier, unfixed female dogs on tethers become impregnated and bring more unwanted dogs to the shelter and cost taxpayers. Dogs that are tethered tend to bark continuously and will become a nuisance to neighbors. Dogs on a tether can also be victims of bites

from other dogs or wild animals that may have rabies. Dogs can hang themselves on tethers or be harmed by a delinquent person. Even where dogs are allowed to be tethered, there is a stray issue because they can break free. Officers will spend much of their time doing welfare checks on tethered dogs at a cost to taxpayers. Neighbors are going to complain. We have a stray problem because we are not holding owners accountable for proper care.

Continuous tethering does not equal a safer community, and dogs will not have a good quality of life

Thanks,
Evie Kettler

Letter From the Editor

October is Breast Cancer Awareness month. Like any cancer, breast cancer is an uncontrolled growth of cells...in this case, breast tissue...the result of mutations in the genes responsible for regulating the growth of that tissue.

About 1 in 8 women - about 13 percent - will develop breast cancer over the course of their lifetimes. In 2022, an estimated 287,850 new cases of invasive breast cancer are expected to be diagnosed in U.S. women, along with about 2,710 new cases in men.

About 43,250 American women are expected to

die this year from breast cancer. Breast cancer is the most deadly cancer among American women other than lung cancer.

In 2021, breast cancer became the most common cancer globally, accounting for 12 percent of all new annual cancer cases worldwide, according to the World Health Organization.

Consider donating to breast cancer research through the American Cancer Society (www.cancer.org) or the Breast Cancer Research Foundation (brcf.org).

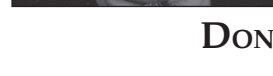
The Idle American

With Friends Like These...

Uncle Mort refuses to give in to what he thinks leads many folks to early graves. He says he'll resort to extreme measures to avoid falling into a trap he calls "terminal boredom."

Mort finds much to merit his attention on his little spread down in the thicket. Sometimes, though, he seeks a scene change by hopping on his golf cart for a spin to the general store and a game of dominoes.

If his buddies don't show up, he leans back in his cane bottom chair-pencil in hand-to jot down clever stickers on bumpers of cars getting gas tanks replenished....



DON NEWBURY

With election season now just weeks away, many of the stickers are intended to be serious. "Some candidates in political races at all levels wouldn't recognize 'serious' if it slapped them in the face," he claimed. "Too many of them are the biggest jokes of all."

One he noticed merits a chorus of "amens." It reads: "Vote Conservative. If Liberalism Worked, You'd Still be Living in California."

Another message: "I wrote the Constitution for our Marriage, But I Accepted All of Her Amendments." Still another: "We Tried Divorce, But it Didn't Work Out..."

Bunny Martin, a college classmate, still has his wits about him at age 88. He won the wooden World Yo-Yo Championship at age 16 in 1955. The Toronto contest was the last held for this type of yo-yo, so he remains the "reigning champion" in that division. It is so noted in the Smithsonian.

For 68 years, he entertained-nationally and internationally-his programs featuring magic and humor, in addition to masterful spinning of stories and yo-yo's. He stepped aside at age 83 when health issues arose.

Bunny called the other day, eager to share an account which, uh, may have happened....

Booked to entertain at a convention of 300 highway patrolmen seated behind desks in an auditorium, he claims that one on the front row placed his revolver atop the desk, pointing it toward Bunny.

Then, the guy scribbled a quick note, passing it down the row to be handed to Bunny.

He paused at mid-speech-he claims-to read the message that lessened his fears a bit.

"Don't worry," the note said, "You're safe. I just want the name of whoever invited you here today."....

One buddy called with the story about two nuns who felt called to witness to patrons at a nearby racetrack. Upon arrival, they spotted a man studying a racing form. The nuns examined it, noting that one entry-a long shot-was named Leviticus. Could a Latin-named horse be a sign from heaven for them to bet?

Deeming this to be a possibility, they plunked down \$2. Leviticus won, and they claimed the \$100 winnings.

They drew straws to see who would confess to Mother Superior. One lost....

"We have sinned, Mother," the loser whined. "But we had two signs from heaven that couldn't be ignored."

"What were the signs?" Mother Superior asked.

The nun answered, "We thought the horse with a Latin name clearly was a sign, and when the cashier handed us our winnings, he spoke to us in Latin: 'Jesus Leviticus wrecked us!'"....

Still another caller reminisced about our being friends for a long, long time. "There's nothing I wouldn't do for you, and nothing you wouldn't do for me," he contended.

He wasn't through, adding, "That being true, we've done little for each other." We then went on our way rejoicing.

Finally, this was overheard somewhere in recent days. The speaker admonished, "To the absolute extent than you can, strive to live every day at the speed of joy." This is a simple statement with a profoundly important message. In a day when differences are underscored at every turn, surely we can agree to seek what is good in our world-and there is much-to reclaim the noble art of living joyfully....

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Big Spring XC teams set to run at LCU this Saturday

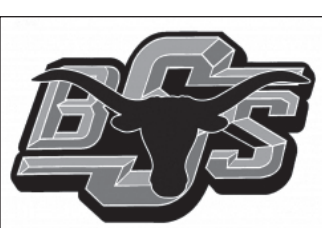


Herald photos/Patrick Gonzales

Above, pictures of the Steers and Lady Steers cross country teams from earlier meets in the season. Both squads will run this Saturday in Lubbock at the LCU Preview Course meet. The Lady Steers varsity squad will run at 8 a.m. while the Steers varsity will run at 8:30 a.m. Both the boys and girls JV teams will run at 9 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. This will be the last regular season meet for the Steers and Lady Steers teams as they get ready to compete in the District 5-4A meet next Thursday. The Steers will look to repeat as district champions, while the Lady Steers will look to place in the top three to qualify for the regional meet. The district meet will be held in Lubbock at Mae Simmons Park.

BSJH XC runners fare well at district meet

Special to the Herald



The Big Spring Junior High cross country runners competed this past

Wednesday in their district meet. Big Spring hosted this year's district cross country meet and was held at Comanche Trail Park.

The Girls Team was led by Judaea Guillory getting 2nd and the girls team coming in 3rd. The boys did not have enough to fill a team but fought

hard with Ines "CJ" Gonzales getting 2nd followed with Daniel Perez getting 3rd.

Here are the results for BSJH runners from the junior high district meet on Wednesday.

Girls:
Judaea Guillory – 2nd, Danica Alvarado – 6th, Lillianna Lively – 11th, Sophia Desormeaux – 18th, Lorlai Heffle – 26th.

Boys:
Ines "CJ" Gonzales – 2nd, Daniel Perez – 3rd.

Congratulations to all of our junior high cross country runners. It was nice and hot out at the park yesterday afternoon when they ran, so kudos to them!

Second Time Around

By STEVE BELVIN
Contributing Sports Writer

IT COULD HAPPEN
What if the Big Spring Steers marched into the prestigious Gordon Woods Stadium and upset the Brownwood Lions in the district opener.

Brownwood is a top ranked team that lost to No. 1 Stephenville last week after a second half collapse. Big Spring is coming off a thumping

by really good Seminole team. Last year Big Spring's defense failed it down the home stretch. Can the defense reek off the dust from last week's stench?

Big Spring has the kind of offense that going to score points. Defense takes the next step to be a championship team, starting with this game. What if?

BOUNCE BACK WEEK FOR AREA POWERHOUSES
Three Crossroads

Country teams suffered their first defeat of the season in their last outings. It was especially tough for Mitchell County. In six-man play, defending state champion Westbrook got edged by a very good Garden City team 46-42.

The Loraine Bulldogs got handled by Benjamin 61-30 and the For-san was blindsided by Kermit 14-13.

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JV Steers fall to Brownwood 42-12



Courtesy photos/Amanda Duforat

Above, photos from Thursday's game between the Big Spring JV Steers and Brownwood JV Lions at Memorial Stadium. The JV Steers played a hard fought game against Brownwood, but in the end the Steer fell with the final score of 42-12. The JV Steers will have a bye next week and will resume district play on Oct. 13th when they travel to San Angelo to take on the Lakeview Chiefs.

By AMANDA DUFORAT
Contributing Writer

The battle was on Thursday evening as the Steers JV team went head to head with Brownwood. The Steers kicked off to start the game and the ball was received on the 25 yard line by Brownwood.

Brownwood got on the board quick scoring within the first three minutes of the game. The Lions set the tone early as they went for the two extra points and were successful.

On the ensuing kickoff, the Steers received the ball on the 30 yard line to start their first offensive possession of the game. The Steers moved the ball well on their first set of downs. However, Brownwood's defense would end the Steers momentum as they were pushed back and failed to keep the drive going.

The 1st quarter ended with Brownwood on top 16-0. The 2nd quarter started with Brownwood in control of the ball, but within a few seconds

into the second quarter the Lions fumbled the ball with the Steers regaining control.

After the fumble recovery, the Steers got on the board thanks to JV Steer receiver A. Lozano. Lozano caught the pass at the 30 yard line with a free and clear run to the end zone for the Steer's first score of the night. The extra point attempt was no good, leaving the score 6-16 with 7:43 remaining in the 2nd quarter.

The Steers offense came alive after their first score as they went on to score again with just a little over 7 minutes left in the first half. The extra point attempt was no good making the score now 16-12.

Brownwood was looking to answer back after the Steers scoring drives.

The Lions found its momentum again thanks to a huge play from No. 8 as he made his way all the way down to the goal line before stepping out of bounds.

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JV STEERS

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On the very next play, Brownwood completed the drive pushing into the end zone for another 6 points and tacking on the extra 2 points to make the score 24-12.

With 30 seconds remaining in the first half, Brownwood were looking to score again to give them a bigger lead heading into halftime. The Steers got a break as the Lions lost the ball with the

Steers recovering. Big Spring would try to capitalize but ran out of time as Brownwood headed into half time with the lead.

The Steers would receive the ball on the kickoff to start the second half and would start on their 20 yard line. The third quarter saw both the Steers and Lions defenses battle it out as both teams went scoreless in the third quarter.

Heading into the last quarter, Brownwood's offense finally got things going again. With four seconds into the fourth quarter the Lions scored again. The extra point attempt was no good leaving the score at 30-12 for Brownwood.

The Steers offense could not muster any offensive momentum in the fourth quarter as they went scoreless for the rest of the game. Brownwood would add another touchdown to help expand their lead. The extra two point attempt from Brownwood was no good leaving the score 36-12 with a little over seven minutes left in the game.

The Lions would go on to score one more time with a little over 4 minutes left in the game making the score 42-12. The Steers offense could not find its momentum as Brownwood came away with the win 42-12.

SECOND

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Westbrock and Forsan had open weeks after their losses. Loraine lost its game last week.

Forsan looks to rebound at home against an upstart Reagan County team as it begins district play. Westbrock will travel to Roscoe Highland and Loraine will be on the road against O'Donnell.

HOUSTON ASTROS AND THEIR INTERNATIONAL CONNECTION

We here in West Texas get a heavy dose of the Texas Rangers as far as baseball goes.

The Rangers are going through growing pains right now. The other Texas team that's in the American League, the Houston Astros, are kicking up their heels. They have been for a number of years.

We head into postseason play the H-Town fellas have the second best record in baseball behind those blasted Los Angeles Dodgers in the National League. First of all Houston has a great veteran manager in Dusty Baker, who will someday be in the Hall of Fame. Next they have baseball's best pitcher in 39-year-old Justin Verlander, who's doing some Nolan Ryan kind of stuff.

Verlander, a no doubt player that will be in the Hall of Fame as well, sports a 17-4 record with a league-leading 1.80 earned run average. Perhaps the most important thing is the Astro organization knows how to scout and recruit international players.

The Astros currently have 15 players on their 25-man roster from other countries, mostly the Latin countries like Cuba, Dominican Republic and Venezuela. Lets throw in Puerto Rico for good measure. The best known is diminutive second baseman Jose Altuve who Houston signed out of Venezuela 15 years

ago at the age of 16.

Oh yea, he'll be in the Hall of fame when he's done playing, mind you he's only 31-years old right now. The Astros have been good for a number of years indicated by their run of six postseason appearances in the last seven years.

I'm riding with the Astros. I don't care how many games the Dodgers have won or how many home runs Aaron Judge has hit for the money-laden New York Yankees. As for you Rangers fans. There's always next year.

PARITY IN PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALL

Professional football almost has a perfect product. There's still some bad stuff I know. The most noticeable is the Deshaun Watson spectacle that's going on right now. But one has to admit the final product is still very entertaining. I mean pro-football wanted a league that every game is competitive every single week.

That's what we're getting now. Most of the games come down to a field goal. It shows the organizations are getting the best players they can possibly get. The defenses are catching up with pass happy offenses.

Shout out to Ryan Tannehill and the Tennessee Titans. After losing their first two games they are now 2-2. Tannehill is a class act. A consummate professional on and off the field. Personally, he gets my vote for Big Spring's greatest athlete.

RODEO SEASON UNDERWAY

Howard College has started its rodeo season with the Eastern New Mexico University and Sul Ross State University rodeos under its belts. After two rodeos the Howard men are in 10th place in the Southwest Region Standings.

Weatherford College, Tarleton State University and Texas Tech are in the top three spots in the men's competition. Howard competitors ranking in the top individual standings are Shae Stone in steer wrestling; Remick Wallis and Cooper Medor in tie-down roping.

Howard's next rodeo will be Oct. 13-15 at Clarendon College.

'Cooper Clutch' as QB Rush stays perfect for Cowboys

By SCHUYLER DIXON

AP Pro Football Writer

FRISCO, Texas (AP) — Cooper Rush shrugs at what he calls “QB win stats,” seeming to skip the logic that it's the most important measure of a quarterback.

Winning is all Rush has done for the Dallas Cowboys in four games as an injury replacement for Dak Prescott, including three times this season after Prescott fractured his right thumb.

The first of the 2022 victories came in Week 2 against defending AFC champion Cincinnati. Now Rush is set for his fifth career start Sunday at the Super Bowl champion Los Angeles Rams (2-2).

No biggie. Just another chance to pad his “QB win stats,” and join four other undrafted quarterbacks who started their careers 5-0, including Pro Football Hall of Famer Kurt Warner.

“I've kind of said it all along,” All-Pro right guard Zack Martin said. “He stays like this all the time. I think that confidence is still building in him, and he's done a great job.”

To Rush's point, though, the Cowboys haven't been winning with offense. In fact, last year's No. 1 scoring offense is tied for the fewest touch-

downs in the NFL through four weeks with six.

There are six teams in that group, and Dallas (3-1) is the only one with a winning record. Defense is the primary reason, but that hasn't stopped teammates from calling their replacement QB “Cooper Clutch.”

“It's Cooper being Cooper,” said receiver CeeDee Lamb, who has a touchdown catch each of the past two weeks. “Just for him to get this opportunity and shine a little light on him, that's huge for him.”

Rush never has been big on the spotlight, whether now or as the unheralded Central Michigan player who won the backup job in Dallas before the Cowboys decided to replace him going into 2020.

In his first start at Minnesota last season, Rush tried to remind himself it was just “playing ball,” as he had while throwing for nearly 13,000 yards with 90 touchdowns in a pro-style offense with the Chippewas.

Rush was saying the same things early this season after Prescott was injured in a season-opening loss to Tampa Bay and the Cowboys feared they might be without their star QB until November.

Now, though, Rush is getting to the point where he can draw on his experience in the pros rather than college.

“Every snap in practice and in games is huge,” said Rush, who has thrown four TD passes without an interception this season. “I still don't have a lot of experience but I've been lucky, been fortunate that I played all right.”

The outlook on Prescott improved after surgery to put a plate in his throwing hand. But he still doesn't have enough strength to grip the ball well enough to throw in a game.

Coach Mike McCarthy said he wants Prescott to go through a full week of work. The 2016 NFL Offensive Rookie of the Year has been in the rehab group this week.

The constant questions about Prescott's status, and the presumption that he'll start again as soon as he can throw for real, makes the week-to-week thing even easier for Rush.

He thought it was easy from the beginning, with Joe Burrow and the Bengals visiting. Dallas won 20-17 when Rush led a short drive to a field goal on the final play.

“Real quickly, you realize you'd better be ready for this one,” Rush said. “Same thing every week. It's the NFL. If you start looking long term, things can end bad.”

The Cowboys had their eye on the long term seven years ago when Tony Romo broke a collarbone in Week 2.

Dallas was 2-0 and hoping to steal a couple of victories with what ended up being a litany of backups.

Instead, the Cowboys went 0-7 without Romo and never found their way back into contention.

They lost the first four after Prescott's gruesome season-ending ankle injury two years ago and missed the playoffs.

The current situation is a luxury Dallas couldn't really imagine three weeks ago. Barring a setback in Prescott's recovery, it's guaranteed the Cowboys still will be in contention when he returns.

The players will thank the defense — and pay homage to the steady sixth-year pro deflecting any credit.

“I think it's really cool for Cooper,” McCarthy said. “You see him have this type of success for as long as he's been in the league. Not everyone gets that opportunity right away. He's had to wait for his. He's delivered.”

NOTES: The Cowboys signed long snappers Tucker Addington and Matt Overton and will have to pick one to face the Rams after Jake McQuaide's torn triceps muscle ended his season. ... Lamb didn't practice Thursday because of a groin issue, but downplayed the situation with reporters. “I'm fine,” Lamb said. “I don't want to scare nobody.”

No. 7 Oklahoma St hopes to avoid slip-up against Texas Tech

By CLIFF BRUNT

AP Sports Writer

Oklahoma State is in prime position in the Big 12 race.

The Cowboys opened the conference schedule with a 36-25 road win over Baylor, the media's preseason Big 12 favorite.

Now, the Cowboys face Texas Tech — a battle-tested group facing its fifth straight ranked opponent. The Red Raiders (3-2, 1-1 Big 12) already have wins over Houston and Texas, and they look forward to another challenge.

“We're excited about it,” Tech coach Joey McGuire said. “It's definitely helping us grow up as a football team and a football program. Our guys will be ready to play that game.”

Oklahoma State (4-0, 1-0) is riding quarterback Spencer Sanders' elite play. He has 11 touchdowns passing and four touchdowns rushing to pace an offense that ranks fifth nationally with 47.8 points per game.

He'll face a Texas Tech defense that believes in pressuring the quarterback. Linebacker Tyree Smith leads the way with 5.0 sacks.

“They're going to come after us,” Oklahoma State coach Mike Gundy said. “They're going to blitz, stunt, twist, drop, rush three, rush four, bring safeties and do a lot of different things to try and pressure us. We have to get ready for lots of pressure and lots of blitzing.”

But the Red Raiders will need to be disciplined. Tech gave up 171 yards and three touchdowns rushing to Kansas State quarterback Adrian Martinez last week. Sanders can run, too — he has 185 yards on the ground this season.

“Spencer does a great job with his arm, but he also can beat you with his feet,” McGuire said. “So we've got to do a better job of containing the quarterback. Little bit different quarterback run game, but still can hurt you. Every bit as fast and athletic as the guy we just got through playing.”

Texas Tech's offense is pretty good, too. The Red Raiders rank fourth nationally in passing offense with 362.2 yards per game.

“These guys are going to play fast, they're going to spread out, they're going to throw it 60 times and try to get the ball out to the flat,” Gundy said.

Donovan Smith leads the Tech offense. He has passed for 295 yards per game and has three rushing touchdowns. McGuire believes he's a good player who has a chance to eventually play in the National Football League.

“He's given us a chance to be in a lot of games,” McGuire said. “He's a big

guy that will step up and make some courageous throws.”

D-LINE DEPTH

Oklahoma State rotates an exceptional group of pass rushers.

Collin Oliver has three sacks and Tyler Lacy and Brock Martin have two. Kody Walterscheid and Trace Ford also are formidable. It's a group McGuire called one of toughest defensive fronts in the country.”

Gundy believes that the depth at defensive end and on the defensive line overall might be helpful on Saturday.

“We're getting into a game here where there very well could be 100 plays on both sides of the ball from the standpoint of we play fast and they play fast,” he said. “That depth could be important.”

RESPECT YOUR ELDER?

Gundy is 55 and McGuire is 51, but their resumes are much different.

Gundy is in his 18th year and has a career record of 153-69. McGuire is a first-time head coach trying to build something after spending the previous five years as an assistant at Baylor.

“If you think about coach Gundy, I mean he's the guy that — we're around the same age, but he's kind of the old guy in the conference,” McGuire said. “What he's been able to do year in and year out is pretty incredible.”

ONE-TWO PUNCH

Tahj Brooks and SaRodrick Thompson are quite the combination for Texas Tech. Brooks has rushed for 209 yards and four touchdowns and caught 19 passes for 105 yards and a score. Thompson has rushed for 223 yards and a touchdown and caught 10 passes for 58 yards and a score.

TOP RECEIVER

Oklahoma State's Braydon missed most of last season with an injury, but the redshirt senior has returned with a bang. He leads the team with 360 yards receiving and is tied for the team lead with three touchdowns.

RING OF HONOR

Oklahoma State will add Bob Fenimore to its Ring of Honor on Saturday. The halfback nicknamed the “Blond Bomber” finished ninth in the Heisman Trophy vote in 1944 and third in 1945. He will join Barry Sanders and Thurman Thomas.

The Chicago Bears chose Fenimore No. 1 overall in the 1947 NFL draft, and he was inducted into the National Football Foundation's College Football Hall of Fame in 1972.

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Colorado baker fights ruling over gender transition cake

DENVER (AP) — The Colorado baker who won a partial Supreme Court victory after refusing on religious grounds to make a gay couple's wedding cake a decade ago is challenging a separate ruling he violated the state's anti-discrimination law by refusing to make a cake celebrating a gender transition.

A lawyer for Jack Phillips on Wednesday urged Colorado's appeals court — largely on procedural grounds — to overturn last year's ruling in a lawsuit brought by a transgender woman.

The woman, Autumn Scardina, called Phillips' suburban Denver cake shop in 2017 requesting a birthday cake that had blue frosting on the outside and was pink inside to celebrate her gender transition. At trial last year, Phillips, a Christian, testified he did not think someone could change genders and he would not celebrate "somebody who thinks that they can."

Jake Warner, an attorney representing Phillips from the conservative Christian legal advocacy group Alliance Defending Freedom, said the ruling was wrong. He said requiring Phillips to create a cake with a message contrary to his religious beliefs amounts to forcing him to say some-

thing he does not believe, violating his right to free speech.

Judge Timothy Schutz noted Phillips' wife initially told Scardina the bakery could make the cake before Scardina volunteered that the design was meant to celebrate her gender transition.

One of Scardina's lawyers, John McHugh, said Scardina did not ask the shop to endorse her idea, just sell her a cake that they would sell anyone else. He said whether or not Phillips sells a cake to someone cannot depend on what the client tells him when he is making the cake.

Both Scardina and Phillips spoke outside the court of larger issues involved. Scardina said the case was about the "dignity of LGBTQ Americans and Coloradans and the rule of law." Phillips said he was fighting for the rights of all Americans to live according to their consciences "without fear of punishment" by government.

In 2018, the Supreme Court ruled that the Colorado Civil Rights Commission had acted with anti-religious bias in enforcing the anti-discrimination law against Phillips after he refused to bake a cake celebrating the wedding of Charlie Craig and Dave Mullins in 2012. The justices called the commission unfairly dismissive

of Phillips' religious beliefs.

The high court did not rule then on the larger issue of whether a business can invoke religious objections to refuse service to LGBTQ people. But it will get another chance when it hears a different case in coming months challenging Colorado's anti-discrimination law.

The case involves Denver-area designer Lorie Smith, who wants to offer wedding website services but says her Christian beliefs would lead her to decline any request from a same-sex couple to design a wedding website. She also wants to post a statement on her website about her beliefs but says Colorado's law violates her free speech and religious rights.

In agreeing to take the case, the Supreme Court said it would only examine the free speech issue.

Smith is also defended by Alliance Defending Freedom. Phillips' lawyers unsuccessfully asked Colorado's appeals court to delay hearing arguments in his challenge until after the Supreme Court rules in Smith's case.

Scardina, an attorney, attempted to order her cake on the same day in 2017 that the Supreme Court announced it would hear Phillips' appeal in the wedding cake case. Scardina testified

she wanted to "challenge the veracity" of Phillips statements that he would serve LGBT customers.

Before filing suit, Scardina first filed a complaint against Phillips with the state and the civil rights commission, which found probable cause that Phillips had discriminated against her. Phillips then filed a federal lawsuit against Colorado, accusing it of a "crusade to crush" him by pursuing the complaint.

In March 2019, lawyers for the state and Phillips agreed to drop both cases under a settlement Scardina was not involved in. Warner told the appeals court panel that Scardina was required to appeal to the state appeals court first before filing a lawsuit and — since she did not — the ruling against Phillips should be thrown out because the state court judge who heard the lawsuit did not have jurisdiction.

McHugh argued the settlement did not reach a conclusion on Scardina's discrimination claim so there was nothing to stop her from filing a lawsuit against Phillips to pursue it.

Judge hears arguments in challenge to Ohio abortion law

CINCINNATI (AP) — The nation's abortion debate arrived in a courtroom in Ohio on Friday, as attorneys fighting for and against extending a stay on the state's near total ban on the procedure presented providers, medical scholars and ethicists to make their cases to a county judge.

A group of abortion clinics represented by the ACLU of Ohio has challenged the state law banning most abortions after fetal cardiac activity is detected on grounds it violates provisions of the state constitution guaranteeing individual liberty and equal protection. It also says the law is unconstitutionally vague.

Hamilton County Common Pleas Judge Christian Jenkins previously decided to pause the law through Oct. 12, after it took effect in the wake of federal abortion protections being overturned by the U.S. Supreme Court in June.

His next task is to decide whether to extend that pause throughout the course of the lawsuit, which may take years.

The testimony he heard Friday varied little from existing societal and political arguments for and against abortion.

Lawyers for abortion clinics presented witnesses who emphasized that abortion is safe, necessary health care and that pregnant Ohioans seeking the procedure were devastated when the law was briefly imposed after the U.S. Supreme Court overturned the landmark Roe v. Wade case in June.

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Blessing the Animals

St. Mary's Episcopal Church Celebrates the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi

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Story and photos by Andrea Medlin

Many Christians believe that being part of God's creation isn't mutually exclusive to humans. That aspect of faith was made evident by the ceremony held last Sunday at St. Mary's Episcopal Church. Reverend Christian Rabone, Rector of St. Mary's, officiated the Blessing of the Animals service. The event was held in the beautiful Bennett Garden at the church's location on the crest of the hill on Goliad Street. Performed annually at the church during the feast of St. Francis of Assisi, this service is open to all animals in the community. Any species, pets or livestock, large or small, furry, feathered or scaly are welcome to receive a blessing. "It's open to everyone in the community," said Rabone, and explained, "You don't have to be a member of the church to bring your



pets." More than 20 people and their pets attended the ecumenical ceremony including a variety of dogs, large and small, sweet and snappy, but lovable nonetheless. Also in attendance were one very displeased cat, a hamster, the ashes of a very loved and much missed Labrador retriever; and the star of the show, a beautiful chestnut mare. An abbreviated lesson from Genesis 1:1-34, the Prayer of St. Francis and a lesson from Matthew 11:25-30 preceded the blessing of the animals. Each pet was approached and blessed affectionately by Rabone and most were receptive and appreciated the attention. Although most pets are tended to in person, they don't have to present to receive the blessing. Pet owners can bring photos to be blessed by proxy. The ancient annual ceremony is held worldwide and recognized by a variety of religions, including most forms of Christianity, Judaism, Is-



lam, Shintoism and Unitarian Universalism. "We celebrate on an annual basis 'The Feast of St. Francis of Assisi' Blessing of the Animals on the first Sunday of October," Rabone explained and added, "No other saint is more closely associated with animals than St. Francis of Assisi. We believe as Christians that all animals are God's creatures, and part of God's creation." While there were animals aplenty, the reverend hopes for more in the years to come.

"I would love to have the entire parking lot full of animals." A closing prayer giving thanks for the gift of our pets ended the meeting and asked that, "We may be good to our pets always, so that they may be happy also. Help us always to take care of them so that they will be healthy."

St. Mary's Episcopal Church services are Sunday mornings at 10:30 a.m. with fellowship following. Wednesdays: Children's Church at 4:45 p.m., Evening Prayer at 5:30 p.m. Follow St. Mary's on Facebook @ STMARYSBIGSPRING

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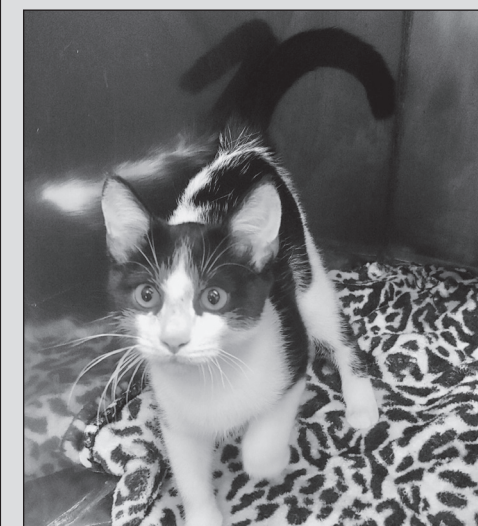


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The bride is the daughter of Esmael Munoz Jr. and the granddaughter of the late Esmael Munoz Sr. and Linda Munoz. The groom is the son of Jasmine Johnson and Randy Henry of Pohnpei, Micronesia. The couple will make their home in Temple.

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Peloton to cut 500 jobs

By MICHELLE CHAPMAN
AP Business Writer

Peloton is cutting hundreds of jobs in a corporate reorganization of its stalled business as the pandemic-related surge ebbs.

The maker of high-end exercise equipment cut approximately 500 jobs, or about 12% of its workforce, Peloton said Thursday.

Peloton Interactive Inc. said it's completed the vast majority of a restructuring plan begun in February. That plan included a new chief executive and a smaller store base.

"The changes we have made, combined with the performance of the business, are moving us closer to our fiscal year-end goal of break-even cash flow, with a renewed focus on growth," said CEO and President Barry McCarthy.

Peloton experienced incredible sales growth during the height of the coronavirus pandemic. The New York-based company's share price multiplied by more than five times

in 2020 amid lockdowns that made its bikes and treadmills popular among customers who pay a monthly fee to participate in its interactive workouts.

But sales began to slow last year as the distribution of vaccines drew many people out of their homes and back into gyms. Thursday's statement followed Peloton's August announcement that it would cut 784 jobs, close its North America distribution network and shift delivery work to third-party providers. A push is also being made to sell its equipment to consumers through retailers including Amazon and Dick's Sporting Goods.

The company is working to return to profitability. In its fourth quarter, Peloton lost \$1.24 billion, stung by restructuring and other charges. Revenue dropped from \$936.9 million to \$678.7 million. Its annual loss for the fiscal year totaled \$2.8 billion.

Peloton shares added 34 cents to \$8.83 Thursday. The stock is down about 75% since the start of the year.

Drought takes toll on country's largest cotton producer

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — The cotton harvest is about to get underway in the Texas High Plains, the wind-swept region that grows most of the crop in the nation's top cotton-producing state. But Barry Evans, like many others, has already walked away from more than 2,000 acres (809 hectares) of his bone-dry fields.

"It just didn't come up. We hardly had anything. It just wasn't in the cards this year," said Evans, a third-generation cotton grower.

Extreme heat and a dearth of rainfall have severely damaged much of this year's cotton harvest in the U.S., which produces about 35% of the world's crop. The U.S. Department of Agriculture forecast that more than 40% of what U.S. farmers planted in the spring would be abandoned because of drought. Nowhere is this more apparent than the flat, dry stretch of Texas extending some 250 miles (402 kilometers) from Lubbock to the tip of the Texas Panhandle bordering Oklahoma.

Where waist-high cotton plants normally grow, the landscape is now defined by barren, brown fields. The USDA says Texas cotton farmers are likely to abandon nearly 70% of their spring planting. That's the worst harvest since 2009, according to the Texas Farm Bureau.

The losses in cotton could cost the Texas High Plains \$1.2 billion after farmers receive federal crop insurance payments, estimates Darren Hudson, director of the International Center for Agricultural Competitiveness at Texas Tech University. That leaves out others who depend on the crop, such as cotton gins and warehouses. "Any time you have a bad year in cotton, it has a role to play in the overall economy," Hudson said.

The region normally receives around 18 to 20 inches (46 to 51 centimeters) of rain per year, but saw less than 3 inches (7 centimeters) of rain from August 2021 through the summer, as nearly all of Texas baked under drought and blistering temperatures sapped the remaining moisture from the ground. Climate change is intensifying these effects.

"Subsoil moisture and topsoil moisture was already low to start, and it just got worse and worse," said Graham Soley, a USDA agricultural economist.

In Texas, bad drought years are recalled with a certain familiarity. Evans and other cotton growers say the soil was so dry in April and May, when cotton's planted, that the harvest fared worse than in 2011, the last time a drought almost as severe enveloped the state.

"If we don't get any kind of winter moisture, it's going to be really difficult next year," he said, adding that there's less groundwater available in the High Plains area than a decade ago.

Much of the cotton grown in the region is rainfed, but some cotton farmers also use groundwater. Even those with irrigated fields are expecting low yields this year.

Katie Lewis, a professor of soil chemistry and fertility at Texas A&M University in Lubbock, said extreme heat and dry events are growing more intense, but not necessarily more common.

The region's arid, sandy soils and high rates of moisture loss from evaporation and plants means rainfall can

change soil conditions for farmers fairly quickly, Lewis said. So if this winter provides enough rainfall, next year's harvest could look very different.

"But the patterns of weather events have become so sporadic," she added, "that it's hard to define normal."

Even if crop yields rebound, the region's overall recovery from economic losses could take a few years, particularly small towns that are especially dependent on cotton. "Consecutive bad years really damage the economies of the rural areas," said Texas Tech's Hudson.

While most farmers facing losses have already received federal crop insurance payments, such backstops don't exist for the cotton gin operators who separate seeds from harvested bolls, warehouses that store cotton bales, mills that make cottonseed oil, or trucking companies that transport the crop.

Todd Straley, who manages a cotton gin in Plainview, Texas, said his region has experienced five years of below-average harvests that have accelerated the closure and consolidation of nearby facilities.

His gin normally produces around 100,000 bales each harvest; this year, he is expecting to process 12,000. As a result, Straley has no need to run the facility 24-hours-a-day as he normally would for the three months after the harvest.

"We are looking at such a short crop," Straley said, "I contracted my employees to dismantle different gins that went out of business."

While U.S. cotton farming is no longer labor intensive, cotton gins, warehouses and oil mills depend heavily on seasonal workers, usually migrant laborers. Straley said he'll need around 18 full-time and seasonal workers, compared to 50 in years when farmers haven't abandoned crops at such high levels. Farmers choose not to harvest when so little grows that it isn't worth the cost.

Larry Black, who manages a ginning co-operative in Roscoe, Texas, about 150 miles (241 kilometers) away, said his facility processes cotton from 100,000 acres (40,469 hectares) of nearby farmland. Last year, the facility processed 86,000 bales. This year, he is expecting around 4,000.

"It's tough on everybody when we don't make a crop," Black said. He estimates losses this year at the farmer-owned gin will amount to \$1 million, but said profits from a strong harvest in 2021 would serve as a buffer.

In the 1980s, around 500 cotton gins were operating in the state, according to Hudson. Last year, 185 were in business, the Texas Cotton Ginners Association said. The reduction is due in part to consolidation and changes in technology, Hudson said, "but some of that is also weather driven. Especially the smaller ones just can't continue to stay open and operating." Most cotton farmers in this part of Texas use cotton seed varieties modified to withstand drought, said Kody Besent, chief executive of Plains Cotton Growers, representing growers in 42 Texas High Plains counties. Varieties are continuously developed and will be tweaked to generate high yields if dry conditions persist, he said. Even though it's drought resistant, Besent added, "we still have to have a little bit of help from Mother Nature."



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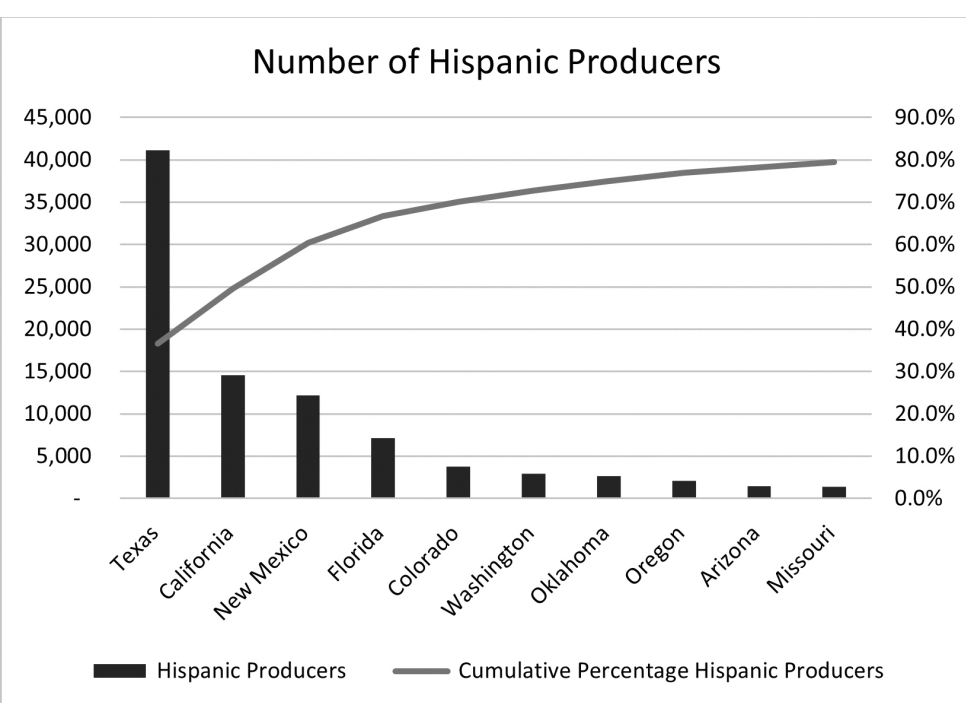


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AgriLife Extension-led project will help Hispanic farmers, ranchers

Tax guidance, asset protection, understanding farm programs central to project



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Chart showing number of Hispanic producers in various states, the largest amount being in Texas, California and New Mexico. (Chart courtesy of the U.S. Department of Agriculture National Agricultural Statistics Service) Special to the Herald

The Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service has received a grant to lead a project in partnership with the Southern Risk Management Education Center, SRMEC, to develop and deliver business and asset protection educational information to Hispanic farmers and ranchers.

The project, implemented in conjunction with the Farm Tax and Asset Protection Program, FTAP, will develop and deliver educational materials and training to producers so they may better understand the important relationships between federal income taxes and USDA farm programs.

The new Farm Tax and Asset Protection Program for Hispanic Farmers and Ranchers project is part of the USDA-Farm Service Agency's \$10 million investment toward the new Taxpayer Education and Asset Protection Initiative. That investment is part of a larger \$14.5 million USDA outreach and education effort for farmers and ranchers, including those new to farming or historically underserved by USDA programs.

About the new project

The project will leverage resources of the National Farm Income Tax Extension Committee and Regional Farm Management Committees. It uses curriculum developed by AgriLife Extension in collaboration with the National Farm Income Tax Extension Committee and University of Arkansas Law School.

"The target clientele will be Hispanic farmer and rancher communities in the states with the highest rates of Hispanic operators," said Pancho Abello, AgriLife Extension economist in Texas A&M's Department of Agricultural Economics at the Texas A&M AgriLife Research and Extension Center in Vernon and primary investigator for the grant.

Educational workshops and outreach events developed through the project will be held in Texas, California, New Mexico and Florida. According to the most recent USDA census, these states represent more than two-thirds of the total Hispanic producer population in the U.S.

"AgriLife Extension's role will be to help develop educational materials and provide training to the

target audience, particularly to Hispanic farmers and ranchers in Texas and beyond." Abello said. "Texas A&M was federally designated as a Hispanic Serving Institution in 2022, and this project aligns with both the Texas A&M land-grant mission and HSI objectives."

Along with Abello, other AgriLife Extension economists involved in the project will be Luis Ribera, Ph.D., professor and AgriLife Extension economist who is director of the Center for North American Studies at Texas A&M; Samuel Zapata, associate professor in the Department of Agricultural Economics at Texas A&M's Higher Education Center at McAllen; and Yuri Calil, Ph.D. an assistant professor in the Texas A&M AgriLife Research and Extension Center at Corpus

Christi.

What is the purpose of the project?

The purpose of the project is to develop and deliver taxpayer education to producers to help them better understand the important relationships between federal income taxes and USDA farm programs.

"We will focus on addressing the immediate needs of producers by delivering agricultural tax and asset protection workshops, training and information to farmers and ranchers," Ribera said. "The project will also develop an infrastructure to support rural taxpayer education and tax preparation for limited resource, beginning and historically underserved agricultural producers."

The USDA noted that an overarching objective of the program will be to support farmers and ranchers eligible for debt forgiveness and related USDA Farm Service Agency program payments.

Hispanic agricultural producers participating in the program will engage with tax professionals, attorneys, AgriLife Extension professionals, land-grant Extension educators, community-based organizations, Hispanic agricultural stakeholders and Hispanic farmers and ranchers across all states and territories.



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 Letitia Baucham, 1202 Stanford, Big Spring
 Linda Beck, 1713 Worley Rd., Banner Elk, N.C.
 Joshua Bell, 1962 Tuscola, Snyder
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 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
 Scott Herrera, 4608 Ash St, Big Spring
 Billy Dean Hill, 7117 Alissa, Rowlett, Texas
 Johnny R. Hill, 704 San Antonio, Big Spring
 Kaleb Hill, 910 Baylor, Big Spring

Shatiya Lasha Jenkins, 4590 N Texas #198 Odessa
 David Kelley, P.O. Box 724, Salado
 Joni D. Kelly, 3050 Co. Rd 139, Colorado
 Renola S. Kelly, 4503 LA Salle Circle, Midland
 Cynthea Lee Kent, Moved to Newport News, Virginia
 Kayle R. Lane, P.O. Box 83965, Waco
 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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Week of October 10th - 14th**

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Breakfast
Monday: Columbus Day (Holiday)
Tuesday: PB&J sandwich (elementary), Early bird sandwich (JH/HS), cereal, peaches, fruit juice, and milk.

Wednesday: Pancake wrap, cereal, cheese stick, apple slices, fruit juice, and milk.

Thursday: Cinnamon roll, cereal, bacon, mandarin oranges, fruit juice, and milk.

Friday: Breakfast pizza, cereal, applesauce cup, fruit juice, and milk.

Lunch
Monday: Columbus Day (Holiday)

Tuesday: Nachos, turkey & cheese sub, PB&J sandwich, chili beans, cucumber cup, peaches, fresh fruit, and milk.

Wednesday: Pizza, taco salad, PB&J sandwich, fresh veggie cup, garden salad, fruity gelatin, fresh fruit, and milk.

Thursday: Asian bowl tangerine chicken, cheesy chicken quesadilla (elementary), cheese enchiladas (JH/HS), corn, steamed broccoli, mandarin oranges, fresh fruit, and milk.

Friday: Chicken strips w/roll, cheese sticks w/marinara, savory green beans, baby carrots, applesauce cup, fresh fruit, and milk.

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SANDS ISD

Breakfast
Monday: Columbus Day (Holiday)
Tuesday: Dutch waggie, sausage, fruit, fruit juice, and milk.

Wednesday: Honey bun, sausage, fruit, fruit juice, and milk.

Thursday: Breakfast sandwich, parfait, fruit, fruit juice, and milk.

Friday: Pancake wrap, yogurt, fruit, fruit juice, and milk

Lunch
Monday: Columbus Day (Holiday)

Tuesday: Crispy chicken sandwich, fresh veggie cup, garden salad, mixed fruit, and milk variety.

Wednesday: Corn dog, fries, tomato cup, apples slices, and milk variety.

Thursday: Quesadilla, salsa, pinto beans, sliced cucumbers, grapes, ice cream, and milk variety.

Friday: Pizza choice, baby carrots, California blend, pineapples, cookie, and milk variety.

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**BIG SPRING ISD
KENTWOOD PRE-K**

Breakfast
Monday: Columbus Day (Holiday)
Tuesday: Cinnamon toast crunch pastry, strawberry, applesauce, and 1% milk.

Wednesday: Fudge poptart, apple, and 1% milk.

Thursday: Pancake wrap, banana, and 1% milk.

Friday: Breakfast pizza, orange smiles, and 1% milk.

Lunch
Monday: Columbus Day (Holiday)

Tuesday: French toast bites w/syrup, tater tots, 100% apple juice, and 1% milk.

Wednesday: Pizza sticks w/sauce, baked beans, red delicious apples, and 1% milk.

Thursday: Chicken nuggets, baby carrots, diced pears, and 1% milk.

Friday: Cheese pizza wedge, steamed corn, pineapple tidbits, and 1% milk.

ANDERSON ACCELERATED

Breakfast
Monday: Columbus Day (Holiday)

Tuesday: Breakfast sandwich, cinnamon toast

crunch cereal, string cheese, oranges, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Wednesday: Apple frudel, trix cereal, string cheese, apples, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Thursday: Poptart, string cheese, cinnamon toast crunch cereal, string cheese, banana, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Friday: Chocolate chip muffin, coco puffs cereal, string cheese, orange, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Lunch
Monday: Columbus Day (Holiday)

Tuesday: Pepperoni pizza, chicken fillet sandwich, baked beans, pears, 100% juice, and assorted milk.

Wednesday: Chicken patty sandwich, cheeseburger, carrots, peaches, 100% juice, and assorted milk.

Thursday: Chicken fried steak sandwich, spicy chicken sandwich, baked beans, applesauce, 100% juice, and assorted milk.

Friday: Meat lovers pizza, yogurt, cheese & fruit salad, cucumber salad, mandarin oranges, 100% juice, and assorted milk.

ELEMENTARY

Breakfast
Monday: Columbus Day (Holiday)
Tuesday: Cinnamon toast crunch pastry, frosted flakes, string cheese, strawberry applesauce, 100% orange juice, and 1% or fat free milk.

Wednesday: Warm apple frudel, fudge poptart, string cheese, banana, 100% fruit juice, and 1% or fat free milk.

Thursday: Pancake wrap, trix cereal, string cheese, orange smiles, 100% apple juice, and 1% or fat free milk.

Friday: Breakfast pizza, lucky charms cereal, string cheese, diced peach cup, 100% fruit juice, and 1% or fat free milk.

Lunch
Monday: Columbus Day (Holiday)

Tuesday: Hot dog, PBJ uncrustable, popcorn chicken salad w/roll, red delicious apples, steamed carrots, and 1% or fat free milk.

Wednesday: Cheeseburger, yogurt, cheese & pretzel plate, cheese sandwich, baked beans, peach cup, and 1% or fat free milk.

Thursday: Chicken patty sandwich, egg chef salad w/roll, ham & cheese sandwich, green beans, mandarin oranges, 1% or fat free milk.

Friday: Tony's pepperoni pizza wedge, yogurt, cheese & pretzel plate, PBJ uncrustable, steamed broccoli, mixed fruit cup, and 1% or fat free milk.

INTERMEDIATE

Breakfast
Monday: Columbus Day (Holiday)
Tuesday: Yogurt, string cheese, trix cereal, string cheese, applesauce cup, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Wednesday: Apple frudel, coco puffs cereal, string cheese, apple, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Thursday: Pancake wrap, trix cereal, string cheese, banana, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Friday: Cinnamon toast crunch pastry, fruit loops cereal, string cheese, oranges, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Lunch
Monday: Columbus Day (Holiday)

Tuesday: Bacon cheeseburger, assorted burgers, chicken sandwiches, assorted pizzas, salads, sandwiches, broccoli, pears, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Wednesday: Loaded tater bowl, assorted burgers, chicken sandwiches, assorted pizzas, salads, sandwiches, grape tomatoes, peaches, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Thursday: Meatball sub sandwich, assorted burgers, chicken sandwiches, assorted pizzas, salads, sandwiches, baked beans, applesauce, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Friday: Beef and bean burrito, assorted burgers, chicken sandwiches, assorted pizzas, salads, sandwiches, cucumbers, mixed fruit, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

JUNIOR HIGH

Breakfast
Monday: Columbus Day (Holiday)
Tuesday: Yogurt, string cheese, trix cereal, string cheese, applesauce cup, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Wednesday: Apple frudel, coco puffs cereal, string cheese, apple, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Thursday: Pancake wrap, trix cereal, string cheese, banana, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Friday: Cinnamon toast crunch pastry, fruit loops cereal, string cheese, oranges, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Lunch
Monday: Columbus Day (Holiday)

Tuesday: Bacon cheeseburger, assorted burgers, chicken sandwiches, assorted pizzas, salads, sandwiches, broccoli, pears, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Wednesday: Loaded tater bowl, assorted burgers, chicken sandwiches, assorted pizzas, salads, sandwiches, grape tomatoes, peaches, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Thursday: Meatball sub sandwich, assorted burgers, chicken sandwiches, assorted pizzas, salads, sandwiches, baked beans, applesauce, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

Friday: Beef and bean burrito, assorted burgers, chicken sandwiches, assorted pizzas, salads, sandwiches, cucumbers, mixed fruit, 100% juice box, and assorted milk.

HIGH SCHOOL

Breakfast
Monday: Columbus Day (Holiday)
Tuesday: Breakfast pizza, waffle bites w/fruit stuffed burrito, refried beans, cinnamon toast crunch cereal, string cheese, assorted fruits & juice, and assorted milk.

Wednesday: Apple frudel, french toast bites w/fruit stuffed burrito, refried beans, coco puffs cereal, string cheese, assorted fruits & juice, and assorted milk.

Thursday: Fudge poptart, string cheese, waffle bites w/fruit stuffed burrito, refried beans, lucky charms cereal, assorted fruits & juice, and assorted milk.

Friday: Chocolate chip muffin, french toast bites w/fruit stuffed burrito, refried beans, honey nut cheerios cereal, string cheese, assorted fruits and juices, and assorted milk.

Lunch
Monday: Columbus Day (Holiday)

Tuesday: Hot dog, assorted burgers, chicken sandwiches, nachos, assorted pizzas, assorted vegetables, assorted fruits & juices, and assorted milk.

Wednesday: BBQ ribette sandwich, assorted burgers, chicken sandwiches, nachos, assorted pizzas, assorted vegetables, assorted fruits & juices, and assorted milk.

Thursday: Chicken fried steak sandwich, assorted burgers, chicken sandwiches, nachos, assorted pizzas, assorted vegetables, assorted fruits & juice, and assorted milk.

Friday: Walking taco, assorted burgers, chicken sandwiches, nachos, assorted pizzas, assorted vegetables, assorted fruits & juice, and assorted milk.

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BIG SPRING SENIOR CENTER

Monday: Cheeseburger w/lettuce, tomato, onion, & pickle, baked beans, baked chips, chocolate chip cookies, and milk.

Tuesday: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes w/gravy, buttered corn, banana pudding, TX. Toast, and milk.

Wednesday: Grilled cheese sandwich, tomato soup, okra, muffin, and milk.

Thursday: Pork roast w/gravy, red potatoes w/onion & peppers, baby carrots, oatmeal cookies, roll, and milk.

Friday: Chicken nuggets, sweet & sour sauce, french fries, granola bar, and milk.

RECORDS

Continued from Page 3B

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

Victoria Josephine Martinez, 323 S. Main St., Loraine

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

O'Neal McClain, 911 17th St., Snyder

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

Byron Roberts, 2206 Alabama St Big Spring

Michael Robinson, 801 Anna St., Big Spring

Veronica Romero, 103 Becker Rd., Big Spring

Elizabeth Salazar, 3210 Drexel, Big Spring, Texas

Shane Skaggs, 1 Courtney Place, Apt. 301, Big Spring

Rd., Big Spring

Tamara Ruth Whitt, 1909 Morrison, 2526 Fairchild, Big Spring

Jamie Wiggins, 1905 Wasson Rd., Apt. #28, Big Spring

County Court Rulings

Plaintiff: The State of Texas

Defendant: Stephen Gomez

Charge: Driving while intoxicated

Judgment and Sentence: \$100 fine; \$270 court costs; \$85 reimbursement; time served.

Plaintiff: The State of Texas

Defendant: Phillip Bebee

Charge: Possession of marijuana less than 2 oz.

Judgment and Sentence: \$100 fine; \$270 court costs; \$135 reimbursement; 10 days.

Plaintiff: The State of Texas

Defendant: Michael Carl

Charge: Theft of property less than \$100 with previous conviction of shoplifting.

Judgment and Sentence: \$100 fine; \$270 court costs; \$135 reimbursement; time served.

Plaintiff: The State of Texas

Defendant: Alejandra Villa

Charge: Driving while intoxicated

Judgment and Sentence: \$100 fine; \$270 court costs; \$85 reimbursement; time served.

Marriage Licenses

Lorenzo Antonio Jimenez, 23, and Haley Mariah Rios, 21, both of Big Spring

Jimmy Wayne Hector, 60, and Angela Diane Digby, 54, both of Big Spring

William Joseph Shorter, 29, and Malory Virginia-Lynn Greenbill, 29, both of Stanton

Jesus Michael Oliva, 28, and Elizabeth Beatrice anderson, 27, both of Big Spring

Deeds

Warranty Deed with Vendor's Lien

Grantor: Brenda Parker

Grantee: Bianca Hilario

Property: Lot 8, blk 4, Mittel Acres Addition, City of Big Spring

Date: Sept. 21, 2022

Warranty Deed with Vendor's Lien

Grantor: Mike Runion

Grantee: Briana Ledesma

Property: SW/4 of sec 33, blk 32, T-1-N, T&P Ry. Co. Survey, Howard County

Date: Sept. 23, 2022

Warranty Deed with Vendor's Lien

Grantor: Jerry McGuire and Teresa McGuire

Grantee: Brent Kelly and Taylor Kelly

Property: Lots 5 and 6, blk 15, sub A, Fairview Heights Addition, City of Big Spring

Date: Sept. 23, 2022

Warranty Deed with Vendor's Lien

Grantor: Zenobia Jean Kemper Reid

Grantee: Kelby Kemper and Lindsey Kemper

Property: Lot 7, blk 5, College Park Estates, City of Big Spring

Date: Sept. 23, 2022

Warranty Deed with Vendor's Lien

Grantor: Rebekah Heckt

Grantee: Misaim Mesta

Property: Lot 1 and 2, blk 19, Saunders Addition, City of Coahoma

Date: Sept. 23, 2022

Warranty Deed with Vendor's Lien

Grantor: B&C Starr, LLC

Grantee: Braden Lane Pearson

Property: Lot 16, blk 2, Monticello Addition, City of Big Spring

Date: Sept. 23, 2022

Warranty Deed with Vendor's Lien

Grantor: Silver Leaf Communities, LLC

Grantee: Eirc Brandon Dials

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JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

118th Judicial District Adult Probation is accepting applications for the following positions:

(1) Part-Time Community Service Coordinator. 20-25 hours a week. Coordinates community service work including cleaning, lawn work & trash pickup. Empties trailer at landfill & performs mild computer entry. Experience with lawn equipment & maintenance work preferred. Must have valid Texas Driver's License & pass background check.

(2) Full-Time Pre-Trial Bond Supervision Officer. Monitors defendants released out on bond with specialized conditions. Diploma/GED. Law Enforcement experience with TCOLE license preferred. Must have a valid Texas Driver's License & pass background check.

Employment applications can be picked up at Adult Probation, 315 S Main, Ste B, Big Spring, TX & due by October 21, 2022.

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CITY OF BIG SPRING NOTICE TO BIDDERS Pursuant to the authority granted by the City Council of the City of Big Spring, Texas, the City of Big Spring will receive sealed bids on the following date/time for the purchase of the items/services listed below:

(RFP 22-022 Municipal Court, Utility and Miscellaneous Debt Collections) The City of Big Spring, Texas, hereinafter referred to as "the City", is soliciting proposals for Municipal Court and Utility Billing collection services, as well as other city fees, as needed. It is the City's desire to contract with one company to collect fees for Class C Misdemeanor violations, those that are past due and/or in warrant status, delinquent utility billing accounts and other City fees, as needed.

Proposals are due no later than November 2, 2022, at 2:00 p.m., Central Standard Time. The responses must be bound and sealed when submitted.

Proposals are to be reviewed in the City Council Chambers at 307 East 4th Street, Big Spring, Texas 79720, with award to be made at a regularly scheduled meeting of the Big Spring City Council. Proposal information and specifications may be obtained from the Office of the Purchasing Agent, 204 S. Johnson St., Big Spring, Texas 79720. All proposals must be marked with the date of the proposal and a general description of the proposal item(s).

The City of Big Spring reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any or all formalities.

Legals

CAUSE NO. 55669

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF HOWARD COUNTY, TEXAS 118TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

NEWREZ LLC D/B/A SHELLPOINT MORTGAGE SERVICING PLAINTIFF

V. THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF WILLIAM O. MCCLENDON AND THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF ELVA A. MCCLENDON DEFENDANTS

RE: 1301 Lincoln Ave Big Spring, Texas 79720

ORDER FOR CITATION BY PUBLICATION

On this date came on to be considered by the Court the Motion for Citation by Publication of Plaintiff, NewRez LLC d/b/a Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing. The Court, having considered the Motion finds that it should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Clerk shall issue citation for Defendants **THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF WILLIAM O. MCCLENDON, and THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF ELVA A. MCCLENDON** by publication in the Big Spring Herald in accordance with Tex. R. Civ. P. § 111, using the summary as follows:

Plaintiff, NewRez LLC d/b/a Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing, by and through its attorney of record, Danya F. Gladney of Codilis & Moody, P.C., 400 N. Sam Houston Pkwy East, Ste. 900A, Houston, Texas 77060, brought suit under Cause No. 55669; In the 118th District Court of Howard County, Texas for enforcement and foreclosure of Deed of Trust Lien on the following described real property of which Defendants, **THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF WILLIAM O. MCCLENDON, and THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF ELVA A. MCCLENDON**, are potential parties in interest: **BEING LOT SIX (6), BLOCK ELEVEN (11), WASHINGTON PLACE, AN ADDITION TO THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, HOWARD COUNTY, TEXAS, ACCORDING TO THE MAP OR PLAT OF RECORD IN ENVELOPE 102/B, PLAT RECORDS OF HOWARD COUNTY, TEXAS.**

Commonly known as 1301 Lincoln Ave, Big Spring, Texas 79720.

SIGNED this the 22 day of September, 2022.

/s/ Timothy D. Yeats
JUDGE PRESIDING

APPROVED & ENTRY REQUESTED:

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Today is Saturday, Oct. 8, the 281st day of 2022. There are 84 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Oct. 8, 1871, the Great Chicago Fire erupted; fires also broke out in Peshtigo, Wisconsin, and in several communities in Michigan.

On this date:

In 1914, the World War I song "Keep the Home Fires Burning," by Ivor Novello and Lena Guilbert Ford, was first published in London under the title "Till the Boys Come Home."

In 1945, President Harry S. Truman told a press conference in Tiptonville, Tennessee, that the secret scientific knowledge behind the atomic bomb would be shared only with Britain and Canada.

In 1956, Don Larsen pitched the only perfect game in a World Series to date as the New York Yankees beat the Brooklyn Dodgers in Game 5, 2-0.

In 1982, all labor organizations in Poland, including Solidarity, were banned.

In 1985, the hijackers of the Italian cruise ship Achille Lauro (ah-KEE'-leh LOW'-roh) killed American passenger Leon Klinghoffer, who was in a wheelchair, and threw his body overboard.

In 1997, scientists reported the Mars Pathfinder had yielded what could be the strongest evidence yet that Mars might once have been hospitable to life.

In 1998, the House triggered an open-ended impeachment inquiry against President Bill Clinton in a momentous 258-176 vote; 31 Democrats joined majority Republicans in opening the way for nationally televised impeachment hearings.

In 2002, a federal judge approved President George W. Bush's request to reopen West Coast ports, ending a 10-day labor lockout that was costing the U.S. economy an estimated \$1 to \$2 billion a day.

In 2005, a magnitude 7.6 earthquake flattened villages on the Pakistan-India border, killing an estimated 86,000 people.

In 2010, British aid worker Linda Norgrove, who'd been taken captive in Afghanistan, was killed during a U.S. special forces rescue attempt, apparently by a U.S. grenade.

In 2016, Donald Trump vowed on Twitter to continue his campaign; many Republicans were calling on Trump to abandon his presidential bid in the wake of the release of a 2005 video in which he made lewd remarks about women and appeared to condone sexual assault.

In 2020, authorities in Michigan said six men had been charged with conspiring to kidnap Democratic Gov. Gretchen Whitmer in reaction to what they viewed as her "uncontrolled power." (Two of the six pleaded guilty, two others were acquitted and the remaining two were convicted at a retrial in August 2022.) Democrat Joe Biden said President Donald Trump's tweet earlier in the year to "LIBERATE MICHIGAN" may have encouraged the alleged kidnapping plot.

Ten years ago: President Barack Obama designated the Keene, California, home of Cesar Chavez, the late founder of the United Farmworkers Union, as a national monument.

Five years ago: Harvey Weinstein was fired from The Weinstein Company amid allegations that he was responsible for decades of sexual harassment against female actors and employees. Vice President Mike Pence left the 49ers-Colts game in Indianapolis after about a dozen San Francisco players took a knee during the national anthem; Pence tweeted that he wouldn't "dignify any event that disrespects our soldiers, our Flag or our National Anthem."

One year ago: The White House said President Joe Biden would not block the handover of documents sought by a House panel investigating the Jan. 6 insurrection at the U.S. Capitol. Federal prosecutors announced that they would not file charges against a white police officer who shot a Black man, Jacob Blake, in Wisconsin in August 2020. A federal appeals court allowed the nation's toughest abortion law to go back into effect in Texas; the order came just one day after a lower court sided with the Biden administration and suspended the law. Journalists Maria Ressa of the Philippines and Dmitry Muratov of Russia won the 2021 Nobel Peace Prize for their fight for freedom of expression in countries where reporters faced persistent attacks, harassment and

even murder.

Today's Birthdays: Entertainment reporter Rona Barrett is 86. Actor Paul Hogan is 83. R&B singer Fred Cash (The Impressions) is 82. Civil rights activist Rev. Jesse Jackson is 81. Comedian Chevy Chase is 79. Author R.L. Stine is 79. Actor Dale Dye is 78. Country singer Susan Raye is 78. TV personality Sarah Purcell is 74. R&B singer Airrion Love (The Stylistics) is 73. Actor Sigourney Weaver is 73. R&B singer Robert "Kool" Bell (Kool & the Gang) is 72. Producer-director Edward Zwick is 70. Actor Michael Dudikoff is 68. Comedian Darrell Hammond is 67. Actor Stephanie Zimbalist is 66. Actor Kim Wayans is 61. Rock singer Steve Perry (Cherry Poppin' Daddies) is 59. Actor Ian Hart is 58. Gospel/R&B singer CeCe Winans is 58. Rock musician C.J. Ramone (The Ramones) is 57. Actor-producer Karyn Parsons is 56. Singer-producer Teddy Riley is 56. Actor Emily Procter is 54. Actor Dylan Neal is 53. Actor-screenwriter Matt Damon is 52. Actor-comedian Robert Kelly is 52. The mayor of London, Sadiq Khan, is 52. Actor Martin Henderson is 48. Actor Kristanna Loken is 43. Rock-soul singer-musician Noelle Scaggs (Fitz and the Tantrums) is 43. Actor Nick Cannon is 42. Actor J.R. Ramirez is 42. Actor Max Crumm is 37. Singer-songwriter-producer Bruno Mars is 37. Actor Angus T. Jones is 29. Actor Molly Quinn is 29. Actor/singer Bella Thorne is 25.

Today is Sunday, Oct. 9, the 282nd day of 2022. There are 83 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Oct. 9, 2009, President Barack Obama won the Nobel Peace Prize for what the Norwegian Nobel Committee called "his extraordinary efforts to strengthen international diplomacy and cooperation between peoples."

On this date:

In 1888, the public was first admitted to the Washington Monument.

In 1910, a coal dust explosion at the Starkville Mine in Colorado left 56 miners dead.

In 1936, the first generator at Boulder (later Hoover) Dam began transmitting electricity to Los Angeles.

In 1946, the Eugene O'Neill drama "The Iceman Cometh" opened at the Martin Beck Theater in New York.

In 1962, Uganda won autonomy from British rule.

In 1967, Marxist revolutionary guerrilla leader Che Guevara, 39, was summarily executed by the Bolivian army a day after his capture.

In 1975, Soviet scientist Andrei Sakharov (AHN'-dray SAHK'-ah-rawf) was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize.

In 1985, the hijackers of the Achille Lauro (ah-KEE'-leh LOW'-roh) cruise liner surrendered two days after seizing the vessel in the Mediterranean. (Passenger Leon Klinghoffer was killed by the hijackers during the standoff.)

In 2001, in the first daylight raids since the start of U.S.-led attacks on Afghanistan, jets bombed the Taliban stronghold of Kandahar. Letters postmarked in Trenton, New Jersey, were sent to Sens. Tom Daschle and Patrick Leahy; the letters tested positive for anthrax.

In 2004, a tour bus from the Chicago area flipped in Arkansas, killing 15 people headed to a Mississippi casino.

In 2006, Google Inc. announced it was snapping up YouTube Inc. for \$1.65 billion in a stock deal.

In 2010, Chile's 33 trapped miners cheered and embraced each other as a drill punched into their underground chamber where they had been stuck for an agonizing 66 days.

Ten years ago: Former Penn State assistant football coach Jerry Sandusky was sentenced in Bellefonte, Pennsylvania, to 30 to 60 years in prison following his June 2012 conviction on 45 counts of sexual abuse of boys. Future Nobel peace laureate Malala Yousufzai (mah-LAH'-lah yoo-SOOF'-zeyeh), a 15-year-old Pakistani girl who had dared to advocate education for girls and criticize the Taliban, was shot and seriously wounded by a militant gunman.

Five years ago: Declaring, "The war on coal is over," EPA chief Scott Pruitt said he would sign a new rule overriding the Clean Power Plan, an effort from the Obama administration to limit carbon emissions from coal-fired power plants. ESPN suspended anchor Jemele Hill for two weeks for making political statements on social media; Hill had referred to President Donald Trump as a "white supremacist" in a

series of tweets. The bodies of 100-year-old Charles Rippey and his 98-year-old wife Sara were found in the ruins of their Northern California home; they were among the victims of two deadly wildfires in the region.

One year ago: Jonathan Toebbe, a Navy nuclear engineer with access to military secrets, was arrested in West Virginia along with his wife Diana; the Justice Department said Toebbe was charged with trying to pass information about the design of American nuclear-powered submarines to someone he thought represented a foreign government but who turned out to be an undercover FBI agent. (The couple withdrew guilty pleas in August 2022 after a judge rejected plea agreements; they are awaiting trial.) Texas A&M stunned top-ranked Alabama 41-38 to end the Crimson Tide's winning streak at 19 games. California became the first state to say large department stores must display products like toys and toothbrushes in gender-neutral ways.

Today's Birthdays: Retired MLB All-Star Joe Pepitone is 82. Former Sen. Trent Lott, R-Miss., is 81. C-SPAN founder Brian Lamb is 81. R&B singer Nona Hendryx is 78. Singer Jackson Browne is 74. Nobel Peace laureate Jody Williams is 72. Actor Gary Frank is 72. Actor Richard Chaves is 71. Actor Robert Wuhl is 71. Actor-TV personality Sharon Osbourne is 70. Actor Tony Shalhoub is 69. Actor Scott Bakula is 68. Musician James Fearnley (The Pogues) is 68. Actor John O'Hurley is 68. Writer-producer-director-actor Linwood Boomer is 67. Pro and College Football Hall of Famer Mike Singletary is 64. Actor Michael Paré is 64. Jazz musician Kenny Garrett is 62. Rock singer-musician Kurt Neumann (The BoDeans) is 61. Movie director Guillermo del Toro is 58. Former British Prime Minister David Cameron is 56. Singer P.J. Harvey is 53. Movie director Steve McQueen (Film: "12 Years a Slave") is 53. World Golf Hall of Famer Annika Sorenstam is 52. Actor Cocoa Brown is 50. Country singer Tommy Shane Steiner is 49. Actor Steve Burns is 49. Rock singer Sean Lennon is 47. Actor Randy Spelling is 44.

Contract Bridge logo with a playing card (Ace of Spades) and the text "By Steve Becker".

Card game advertisement titled "The curse of Scotland". It details a hand with a South dealer, both sides vulnerable, and the following cards: North (K Q 8 4, A 10 7 5, 3, 9 6 5 2), West (J 9 3, A J 10 5, 7), East (7 6 2, 8 4, 9 6 4 2, A J 10 3), and South (A 10 5, K Q 6 2, 8 7, K Q 8 4). The bidding is South 1♣, West 1♦, North Dble, East 2♦, and 3♥ Pass 4♥. The opening lead is seven of clubs. The text describes a "Curse of Scotland" hand where the declarer's suit is the trump suit and the contract is 3♥.

SUNDAY COMICS

Agnes

by TONY COCHRAN

THIS LITTLE SQUIRREL IS THE LAZIEST I HAVE EVER SEEN.

HE JUST LIES THERE, WATCHING THE WORLD GO BY. ...WHAT A WASTE OF YOUTH.

HE GOT HIT BY A CAR TWO DAYS AGO.

THEN I COULD QUIT HIS PEP TALKS?

YOU COULD FIND A SHOVEL.

Archie

DADDY, DID ARCHIE AND JUGHEAD ARRIVE?

NEVERMIND!

SPLASH!

ARCHIE! DO YOU HAVE TO SPLASH LIKE THAT?

SPLOOSH!

WAHOO!

IT'S A CANNONBALL CONTEST! BIGGEST SPLASH WINS!

JUVENILES!

THE NEXT WEEK...

WATCH OUT FOR LITTLE LEROY! HE'S SQUIRTING PEOPLE WITH THE GARDEN HOSE!

HA!

AW, WHERE'S THE WATER?

DADDY DRAINED THE POOL FOR REPAIRS! COME SEE!

GULP!:

SPLOOSH!

ARCH! YOU'RE THE UNDISPUTED CANNONBALL KING!

One Big Happy

ERF. ERF. ERF. ERF. ERF. ERF.

RUTHIE, I'LL BET YOU A QUARTER THAT I'M NOT HERE!

YOU'RE NOT HERE?

AND I CAN PROVE IT.

OKAY, IT'S A BET.

UH, AM I AT SCHOOL?

NO.

AM I AT THE MALL?

NO...

WELL, IF I'M NOT AT SCHOOL AND I'M NOT AT THE MALL, I MUST BE SOME OTHER PLACE.

YEAH.

SO, IF I'M SOMEPLACE ELSE, I CAN'T BE HERE! QUARTER, PLEASE.

NO!

HEY! HOW CAN I GIVE YOU A QUARTER IF YOU'RE NOT HERE?

ANDY CAPP

DID YOU NOTICE? ANDY ISN'T IN THE ROSE AND CROWN TONIGHT

YEAH, I SAW. I WONDER WHERE HE'S ENDED UP

BIFF!

CLUMP!

GRRR!

SPOTTED DUCK

ALES AND WINES

I SAY, BARMAN. THAT LAD THERE SEEMS TO HAVE GREAT DIFFICULTY WITH ANGER MANAGEMENT

OH, NO, THAT'S ANDY CAPP

HE MANAGES TO GET ANGRY WITHOUT ANY DIFFICULTY AT ALL

BASH!

MOMMA

by MELL LAZARUS

MOMMA, I HAVE A PROBLEM WITH MY BOYFRIEND, JOEL..

HE JUST SAID SOME PUZZLING THINGS TO ME. HE SAID I'M NO LONGER SMART OR ATTRACTIVE ENOUGH FOR HIM..

THEN HE SAID I HAVE A REPULSIVE PERSONALITY, NO TASTE AND THE BRAIN OF A BIRD..

AND, FINALLY, HE SAID HE CAN'T STAND MY PATHETIC NATURE AND NEVER WANTS TO SEE ME AGAIN..!

MOMMA, WHAT DID HE MEAN?

THAT DEPENDS. WAS HE SMILING?

The BARN

by Ralph Hagen

STARRING SHERIFF RORY!

I'M ROUNDIN' UP A POSSE TO CATCH THAT VARMINT!

BRUSH BRUSH BRUSH

FOOT. FOOT!

PICK PICK

SQUIRT SQUIRT

HE GOT AWAY, SHERIFF.

DAGNABBIT! THAT RASCAL IS FAST!