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As oil production goes, so often does land price

By Jennifer Hiller
San Antonio Express-News

Here's something you can bet the farm on: When crude oil prices rise, so does the average cost of owning an acre of land in Texas.

In recent years, Texas rural land prices have been cruising higher, following in the path of crude oil. Last year, the average price of a Texas acre reached $2,160, up 9 percent from the year before. So far in 2014, land is selling around $2,354 per acre, up another 9 percent, the Real Estate Center at Texas A&M University reports.

"Technically, it's called a co-movement," said Charles Gilliland, research economist at the Real Estate Center. "Land prices seem to follow the trends in oil prices."

Higher oil prices mean Texas mineral owners earn more royalty on their property. The Texas economy does well in general when oil prices rise. And people who work in the oil industry have more money to spend — often on ranches.

Now that oil prices are sliding — around $75 on Thursday, down from the $100 range earlier this year — will land prices follow?

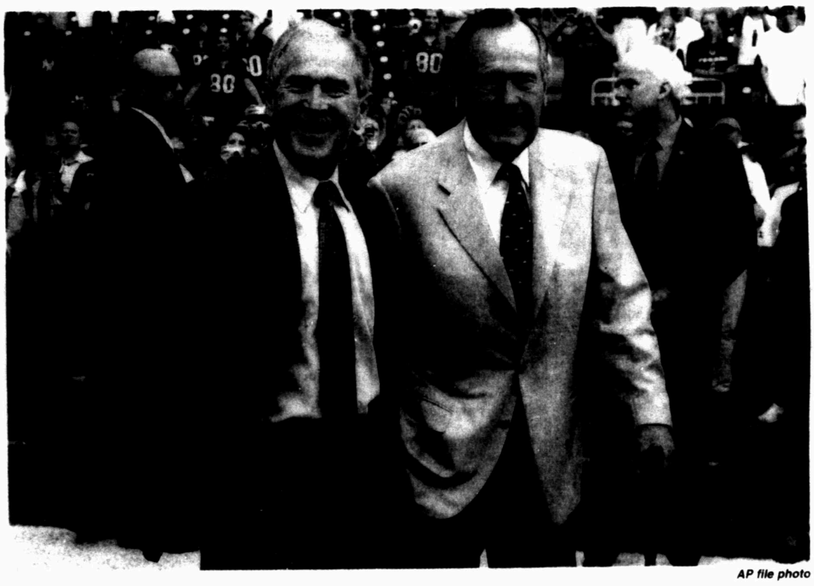
"I think there's some concern now that oil prices seem to be pulling back, that there might be some tough sledding to come. It hasn't showed up in the transactions that are going on," Gilliland said.

For now, the wealth of the Texas oil boom — which hasn't shown signs of busting yet — continues rolling into ranch and farm land.

After a few years of watching royalty payments arrive in the form of "mailbox money," Gilliland said some mineral owners in the massive Eagle Ford Shale oil field in South Texas are reinvesting some of their money in oil-poor areas like Texas

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W returns to the Permian Basin



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Former Presidents George H.W. Bush, right, and George W. Bush are shown before the Houston Texans NFL football game against the San Francisco 49ers in Houston in 2009. George W. Bush is back in the public eye as he promotes "41," his book about his father, former President George H.W. Bush.

Bush shares spotlight with father as tribute book is published

By Peter Baker
N.Y. Times News Service

COLLEGE STATION — While hosting guests at his Texas ranch shortly after leaving office, former President George W. Bush got into a discussion with the daughter of the historian David McCullough.

The daughter, Dorie McCullough Lee, son, mentioned that in researching his claimed book on John Adams, her father would have loved to have been able to read a biography of the second president written by his son, John Quincy Adams the sixth president.

Bush, the only other American to follow his father to the White House, took the hint. That, he concluded, was something he could do. And so he published a biography of the first President George Bush, called "41: A Portrait of My Father," an unabashed love letter presenting the 41st commander in chief in heroic terms.

In a kickoff appearance here at his father's presidential library, Bush said he wrote the book in part to help nudge along a larger historical reassessment of his father's tenure. Twenty-two years after he was defeated by Bill Clinton, the elder Bush has lately enjoyed a resurgence of appreciation of his four years in the Oval Office. And while he did not say so, the younger Bush could hope for a reappraisal of his own tumultuous administration down the road.

"Decisions take new light over time," the 43rd president said in a brief interview after his presentation here Tuesday. In his father's case, "he followed a transformative president, still being quoted by potential candidates, for example, which is great, but it kind of obscured his accomplishments."

"Plus, if you're a one-term president

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George W. Bush aims to fill gap in history

By Tom Benning
Dallas Morning News

UNIVERSITY PARK — For most of George W. Bush's public life, observers have tried to define him in part by looking back at his father, George H.W. Bush.

But now, the younger half of the nation's second father-son presidential duo has reversed the script with a new book, "41: A Portrait of My Father." In it, the 43rd president uses his experiences and insights to spotlight the achievements of the 41st.

The book helps fill a void in presidential history, as the elder Bush's single term hasn't gotten the attention of the Reagan and Clinton eras that sandwiched it. But the younger Bush makes no bones about the fact that it is a "love story."

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"I hope this book is part of the larger mosaic that emerges about George Bush," he said in an interview with The Dallas Morning News. "I recognize, by the way, that there are going to be a lot more objective people writing about him."

The 294-page book, to be published Tuesday, is a breezy collection of anecdotes — "the style of George W.," the author said with a grin. But in looking back at his dad's life, Bush also offers notes about current policy and political debates.

He said he hoped that a new U.S. strategy in Iraq — a key country in both Bush presidencies — will stem the tide of Islamic extremists. He's encouraging his brother Jeb to run for president in 2016, even after experiencing and observing how tough that process can be.

And though George W. Bush says he hates the word "legacy," he didn't shy away from sharing a personal view of the first Bush presidency for future generations to consider.

"The decisions he made have stood the test of time," Bush 43 said.

The book truly is unique in the pantheon of presidential biographies. That's partly why the younger Bush took up the

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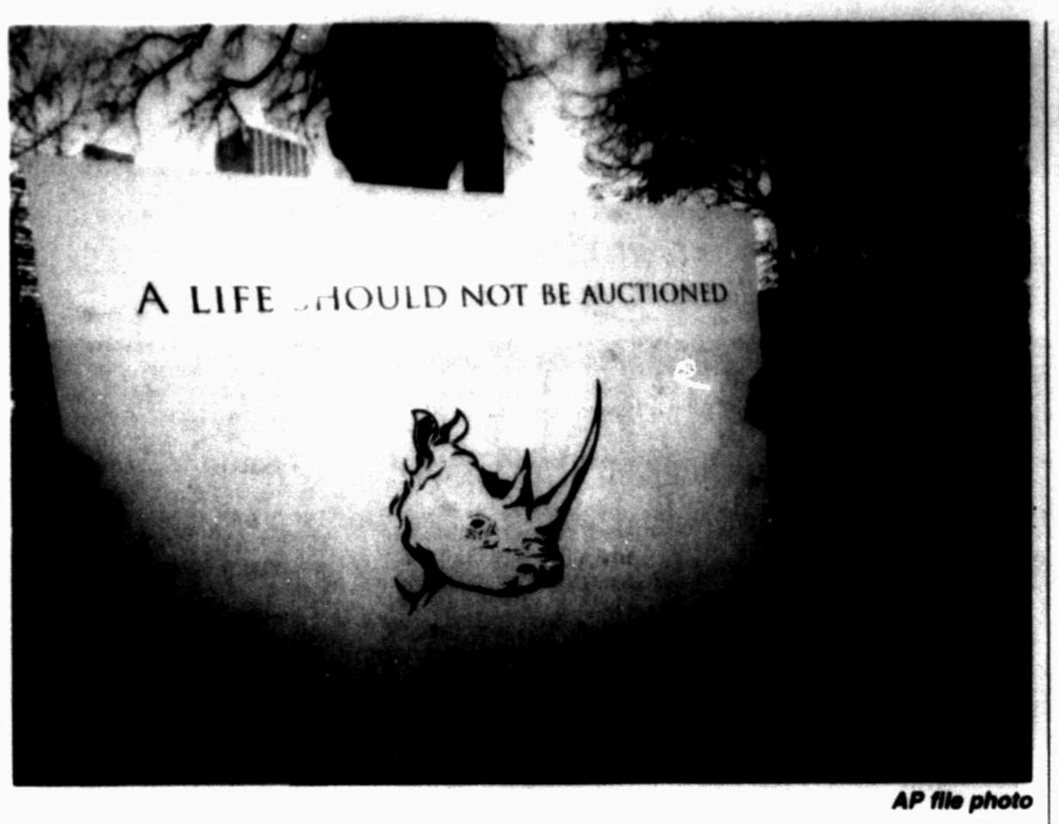
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Bob Fretwell of Mesquite protests on Jan. 11 outside the Dallas Convention Center where the Dallas Safari Club is holding its weekend show and auction, where a permit to shoot an endangered black rhinoceros in Africa was up for bid, in Dallas. The hunting club said it will cancel the hunt if a the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service denies the winning bidder's request to bring the dead animal back to the U.S. as a trophy.

Hunting club may cancel endangered rhino hunt

By Emily Schmall
Associated Press

DALLAS — A Texas hunting club that auctioned off a permit to shoot an endangered black rhinoceros in Africa said it will cancel the hunt if a federal agency denies the winning bidder's request to bring the dead animal back to the U.S. as a trophy.

Corey Knowlton bid $350,000 at a January auction that the Dallas Safari Club billed as a fundraising effort to save the endangered species. Last spring, he applied for a permit from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service that would enable him to import the rhino's body following the hunt in Namibia. But he's still waiting to hear back.

The agency is applying extra scrutiny to Knowlton's request because of the rise in poaching, said spokesman Gavin Shire.

If the permit is denied, the safari club plans to refund Knowlton's money that was pledged to a rhino conservation fund in the southwestern African country.

"Most people that have an animal mounted, it's their memory of their experience," said Ben Carter, the safari club's executive director. "It's not always, 'Look at what I've shot.' When they look at it, they remember everything. That's what he bid the money on, that opportunity."

The wildlife agency began taking public comment on the permit application this month and has already heard from many of the groups that fervently opposed the auction.

The safari club has defended the planned hunt, noting that auction proceeds would go to a trust fund administered by the Namibian government to help boost the black rhino population.

The wildlife service expects to make a decision after the public comment period ends Dec. 8, taking into account the state of the herd in Namibia, where 1,800 of the world's 4,880 black rhinos live. The agency also is examining exactly how the auction funds would be administered.

Last year, the service granted a permit to import a sport-hunted black rhino taken in Namibia in 2009, but increased poaching since then may impact whether any more are approved, said Shire.

Each year, the Namibian government issues five black rhino hunting permits that fund efforts to protect the species. The program includes habitat improvement, hiring game scouts to monitor the rhinos, and removing the animals' horns to reduce their appeal to poachers.

"The aim is to re-invest these financial resources back to conservation, protected area management and rural community development," said Kenneth Uiseb, Namibia's director of wildlife monitoring and research.

But opponents of the auction say the programs are not worthwhile if they entail the killing of any endangered animal.

"Kill it to save it is not only cruel, it's not conservation," said Jeff Flocken, the North American regional director for the International Fund for Animal Welfare. "If black rhinos and other dwindling species are to have a future, people must be encouraged to value animals for their inherent worth alive, not their price tag when they are dead."

The safari club has said the hunt will involve one of five black rhinos selected by a committee and approved by the Namibian government. The five are to be older males that can't reproduce.

Namibia sold another hunting permit for $200,000 directly to Michael Luzich, a Las Vegas investment manager who is also seeking a permit to bring the trophy into the U.S., according to Shire.

But Luzich has received far less scrutiny than Knowlton, who said in January he hired full-time security because he received death threats after his name was leaked on the Internet.

Knowlton lives in Royse City, about 30 miles from Dallas, and leads international hunting trips for a Virginia-based company, The Hunting Consortium. He has killed more than 120 species, including the so-called big five in Africa — a lion, a leopard, an elephant, a Cape buffalo and a rhinoceros, according to the company's website.

He did not return messages left by The Associated Press for this story, but told Dallas television station WFAA in January that he believed the hunt would be managed well.

"I'm a hunter," Knowlton told WFAA. "I want to experience a black rhino. I want to be intimately involved with a black rhino."

Strings bind family in West Texas town

By Ronald W. Erdrich
Abilene Reporter-News

KNOX CITY — What's the difference between a violin and a fiddle?

"Well, there are two answers. The one we get from most people is that they are the same instrument," Ryan Earthman, 15, told the Abilene Reporter-News.

He and his five siblings make up the Earthman Family Fiddlers. For over a year, they've been playing events such as country musicals and luncheons in the northern Big Country.

"But the answer that's more fun," he continued, "is a violin has strings, and a fiddle has 'strangs.'"

Ryan's mother, Larressa, said he began playing when he was 7.

"I don't know why, but he said he would like to learn how to play the violin," she said.

"I don't remember exactly why," he said. "I think I probably heard other people play the violin and thought it sounded really neat."

Learning an instrument is hard work for anybody. Ryan said when he started he expected that he would sound good.

"But I didn't. It sounded very bad. It was very squeaky," he said, his sisters laughing at his admission.

"I don't exactly remember when it clicked, but I do remember one day I looked back and said, 'I can play the violin, it's actually fun and isn't as hard to sound good,'" he recalled.

With his success as an example, his sisters and brother started picking it up, too. The youngest, 7-year-old Belle, has been playing about a year. All of them started out using what's called the Suzuki Method.

Created by the late Japanese violinist Shin'ichi Suzuki, the method teaches that students learn the music first by being exposed to it until it becomes familiar to them. An example is the first tune each of them learned on the violin, "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star."

Another example is Ryan's side hobby of playing movie soundtracks. The Imperial March from "The Empire Strikes Back" was an easy tune for him to recite. More unique was "Concerning Hobbits" from the "Fellowship of the Ring," the first of the "Lord of the Rings" movies, and a piece made for a solo violinist.

Not everyone in the group wants to be limited to just playing violin. Nine-year-old Nate is thinking about learning the drums and Corrie, 13, is interested in adding guitar to her skills. Ryan said he'd like to play a little piano, and even little Belle expressed an interest in picking up the cello.

The family moved to Knox City in May 2013, Larressa and her husband both work full time at the hospital. The children had already been playing music by that point and started showing up at the local country musical in town to play along.

But then word got around.

"So then they got an invitation to come over and do a program at the Lions Club in Munday," Larressa said. "Then it just of went from there, somebody said why don't you come and play for our Rotary Club, or why don't you come play for our luncheon? It's just totally word-of-mouth, we don't advertise or anything."

Since they arrived, she figures her children have played at least 20 shows in the area, counting country musicals.

"It was never a forced thing, but practices are a challenge, just like with any instrument," she said.

With Ryan, Shawn and Corrie, practice goes easier now that they are more experienced and have their confidence. But with Belle, Nate and 10 year-old Morgan, it's more of a challenge.

Obituaries

Bobbye Jean Wilkinson Yater

Bobbye Jean Wilkinson Yater, 87, of Midland, died on November 14, 2014.

She was born to Sam and Villa Wilkinson on February 10, 1927. She married Travis Yater, who preceded her in death.

She is survived by her son, Christopher Yater and wife, Kathryn; daughter, Bridget Iaquaniello; grandchildren, Paul Iaquaniello and wife, Laura, Erica Iaquaniello, Michael Iaquaniello, Cory Yater, Alyssa Yater, Brianna Markum, and Brodi Markum; and great-granddaughter, Kathryn Iaquaniello.

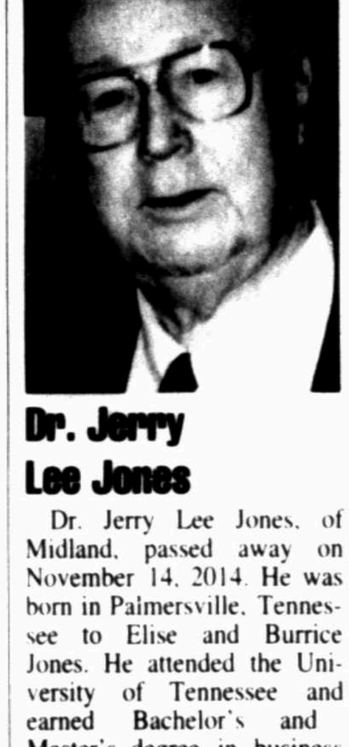
Bobbye worked at the Martin County Clerk's Office and was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Stanton and St. Ann's Catholic Church in Midland.

Pallbearers will be Paul Iaquaniello, Charles Harris, Clay Harris, Rufus Tom, Neil Hull, and Cory Yater. Honorary Pallbearers will be Michael Iaquaniello and Blaine Hall.

Vigil Rosary will be held on Monday, November 17, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. at Gilbreath Funeral Home in Stanton, Texas. Funeral Mass will be on Tuesday, November 18, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Stanton, with Monsignor Larry Droll officiating. Burial will follow at St. Joseph's Cemetery in Stanton.

In lieu of flowers, memorials can be donated to St. Jude's Children's Hospital, 501 St Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

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



Dr. Jerry Lee Jones

Dr. Jerry Lee Jones, of Midland, passed away on November 14, 2014. He was born in Palmersville, Tennessee to Elise and Burrice Jones. He attended the University of Tennessee and earned Bachelor's and Master's degree in business and a Ph.D. in Public Administration.

Jerry was preceded in death by both parents, and his loving wife of 52 years, Patricia Ann Sharp Jones.

Jerry had three daughters, Amy Cuellar, Melody Crowl and husband Terry of Midland, Texas, and Lee Ann Barrows of McKinney, Texas.

He is survived by nine grandchildren and two great grandchildren, Christopher Cuellar, his wife Brianna, and their two daughters, Jada and Jaelynn, Danielle Barrows, Carson Cuellar, Brooke Barrows, Erik Crowl, Madden Barrows, Branna Barrows, Ian Crowl, and Aidan Crowl.

In addition, he is survived by his sister-in law, Mary Lou Houser; and honorary family members and caregivers, Maria Lulu Sanchez and Elfida Perez.

Jerry's passion for higher education spanned 35 years in West Virginia, Tennessee, and Texas. His positions ranged from Professor, Department Chair, College President, and Vice Chancellor of the State Board of Regents for higher education. After retiring from education, he went into private business in Midland and worked another 17 years.

Jerry influenced and touched the lives of many individuals through various organizations, and enjoyed helping those in his community in any way he could. It would be impossible to mention all of what he did, but serving prison ministry through the Gideon's was something he thoroughly enjoyed. He was also very active at the state and national levels, serving as president for the local organization. In addition, he was very involved with Teen Challenge in Midland, Texas and served on their board of directors.

He was also very involved with serving on the board of directors for the American Red Cross Association. Jerry's local church, where he was very active as well, was Memorial Christian Church.

He will be fondly remembered as a loving husband, guiding and nurturing father, grandfather, loyal friend, inspirational leader, and businessman. He lived his life daily with prayer, smiles, and humility. Jerry's philosophy about education was, "No one can ever take your knowledge and education away from you. You'll always have your degree."

Visitation will be held on Sunday, November 16, 2014 from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Chapel. Funeral services will be held on Monday, November 17, 2014 at 1:00 p.m. at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Chapel. Interment will follow at Resthaven Cemetery in Midland.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to any of the above organizations or the American Heart Association.

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

Rosario H. Dominguez

Rosario H. Dominguez, 66, went home to be with our Beloved Almighty Father in Heaven on November 14, 2014 at her home in Midland, Texas. She was born on May 23, 1948 in Jimenez Chihuahua, Mexico to Ernesto and Francisca Vasquez Hidalgo. At a young age, she and her family moved to Ciudad Juarez Chihuahua, Mexico where she grew up and later met her husband.

Rosario married Lorenzo Dominguez in 1972 in Ciudad Juarez Chihuahua, Mexico and then moved to Midland, Texas shortly after. They were happily married for 42 years. Rosario was a devout Catholic and parishioner at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church.

She worked at MISD, Hospice of Midland, Nurses Unlimited, and as a private In Home caregiver. She enjoyed cooking for family and friends, dancing, gardening, and meeting new friends. Rosario loved life and lived it to the fullest. She didn't know a stranger and always lent a helping hand to everyone, from family to friends who were falling on hard times.

Rosario loved to help others; so much so, that she received her certification as a Certified Nurse's Assistant and worked for Hospice of Midland for 10+ years.

Rosario was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother. She will be greatly missed, but her legacy of helping others will continue to live through her loved ones.

Rosario is survived by her spouse, Lorenzo Dominguez of Midland, Texas; her children, Lorenzo, Jr. and Sally Dominguez of Midland, Texas, and Sonia and Scott Roeder of Edinburg, Texas; her grandchildren, Dwain, Devin, and Loren Dominguez of Midland, Texas, and Henry Roeder of Edinburg, Texas; her siblings, Ernesto and Cruz Hidalgo, and Antonio and Guadalupe (deceased) Hidalgo of Los Angeles, California, Guadalupe and Sergio Jimenez, and Maria Hidalgo Martinez of El Paso, Texas, and Ramon and Maria Hidalgo of Ciudad Juarez Chihuahua, Mexico; and numerous nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

Rosario was preceded in death by her parents, Ernesto and Francisca Vasquez Hidalgo.

A visitation will be held at Heavenly ate Funeral Home 405 N. Terrell at 2:00 p.m. for relatives and friends. The Rosary will be held Monday November 17, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. at Heavenly Gate Funeral Home Chapel. A Funeral Service will be held Tuesday November 18, 2014 at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. Interment will follow At Fairview Cemetery.

Funeral service is under the direction of Lewallen-Garcia-Pipkin Funeral Home and Chapel. Family messages and condolences may be emailed to *pipkin@nts-online.net* or you can visit our website at *www.lewallengarciapipkinfh.com*.

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Cecil E. Schuelke

Memorial Service Date Set

Cecil Schuelke, long-time Midlander, passed away September 18, 2014 in Missouri. He was 97 years old.

He was raised in Martin County, Texas and married Louise Leonard on November 18, 1939. They were married 74 years and 10 months. Cecil and Louise had one son, Roger Schuelke of Grain Valley, Missouri, and one daughter, Eloise Schuelke of Midland, and five grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Cards may be sent to Louise Schuelke, Room 302, Shangri-La Living Center, 930 NE Duncan Rd., Blue Springs, MO 64014.

Memorial services will be Saturday, November 22, 2014 from 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. at the Community of Christ Church, 3603 Douglas Ave., Midland.

Join us in honoring Cecil Schuelke at *www.heartland-cremation.com*.

Project teaches veterans to play music

By Jessica Belasco
San Antonio Express-News

SAN ANTONIO — It was a ragtag band jamming in a small outbuilding on the grounds of the San Antonio Military Medical Center.

Some of the half-dozen guitarists were still learning the fingering for the A and E chords; others were more experienced. It didn't sound great, but that didn't matter. The men, all wounded warriors, were having fun.

Volunteers with the Warrior Cry Music Project were teaching them music as part of their healing process. Based in San Antonio, the program gives wounded soldiers at military hospitals around the nation musical instruments — guitars, drums, horns and more — and volunteer instructors show them how to play.

"They come in here and they're no longer soldiers," instructor Christian Lee told the San Antonio Express-News. "They're musicians."

For Army Staff Sgt. Thomas Keller, strumming his Taylor six-string acoustic guitar is an escape from stress.

"It's a great way to relax," he said.

The project's founder, Robert Henne, dreamed up the program about five years ago after music helped in his recovery from a serious car accident. He thought similar therapy could benefit injured troops he observed at Walter Reed National Military Medical Center, where his wife was working as an Air Force physician.

Henne, who now lives with his wife in San Antonio, brought the program to Brooke Army Medical Center's occupational therapy services in March. Warrior Cry is a division of a nonprofit called Global Training Ministries.

Music benefits wounded warriors in a variety of ways, Henne said. It gives them a positive goal to work toward and offers them a means of self-expression. It also helps build confidence, which can take a hit when a soldier sustains an injury, he said.

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Eugenie C. Collins, 39, of Midland was charged Saturday with violation of probation.

Randy Granado, 20, of Midland was charged Saturday with possession of a controlled substance in a drug-free zone.

James E. Lee Jr., 42, of Midland was charged Saturday with tampering with or fabricating physical evidence.

Source: Midland County Sheriff's Office

Cause of deadly leak at plant still unknown

Associated Press

LA PORTE — DuPont officials said Sunday it's still not clear what caused a toxic chemical to leak from a valve at a suburban Houston plant, killing four workers and injuring a fifth.

Company spokesman Aaron Woods said DuPont is investigating the cause of the leak of methyl mercaptan at a plant in La Porte. The chemical is used to create crop-protection products such as insecticides and fungicides.

The workers were exposed early Saturday while responding to the leak that started around 4 a.m. and took about two hours to contain. They all were working there as part of their normal shift when the leak happened, Woods said.

The four workers died at the plant and a fifth was transported to a nearby hospital. The injured worker has been released from the hospital.

Woods said company officials are cooperating with local, state and federal authorities in the investigation.

A team from the U.S. Chemical Safety Board, an independent federal agency that investigates industrial chemical accidents, arrived in the Houston area on Sunday to start its probe. The agency said in a news release that five of eight team members planned to receive a briefing from company officials Sunday evening, while the full team will begin work today.

Don Holmstrom, director of CSB's Western Regional Office in Denver, is leading the investigation team along with Investigation Supervisor Johnnie Banks. CSB Managing Director Daniel Horowitz is accompanying the team.

Methyl mercaptan also is used to odorize natural gas — which has no odor — for safety purposes.

The La Porte plant has 320 DuPont employees. Four other companies are also tenants at the complex.

Jeff Suggs, emergency management coordinator for La Porte, said the chemical release was not toxic for those living nearby, but that it caused a smell similar to rotten eggs.

Parents charged with abuse, endangerment

Associated Press

ODESSA — Authorities in West Texas say they're investigating allegations that a couple locked their children in a room while at work.

Odessa police say the 27-year-old father and 29-year-old mother are charged with child endangerment. They say the father also is charged with sexually assaulting one of the children.

The Odessa American reported the couple's 7-year-old daughter contacted authorities after she and her 2-year-old sister had been locked in a bedroom. The 7-year-old told authorities she was sexually assaulted on at least three occasions.

Ector County jail records show the father remains in custody on a $350,000 bond. The mother is no longer being held.

Jail records do not indicate an attorney for the couple.

The Associated Press is not naming the parents to protect the identity of the children.

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GUILTY PLEAS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Guilty pleas accepted and sentences imposed Nov. 3-7 by District Judges George D. Gilles, Robin Malone Darr, Elizabeth B. Leonard and Rodney W. Satterwhite:

Louis Dartanun Alexander, 30, burglary of a habitation, 10 years in the TDCJ, suspended for four years of probation, $,1,000 fine, court cost and 200 hours community service.

Cassandra Marie Benavides, 21, endangering a child, adjudicated deferred, five years community supervision, $500 fine, 150 hours community service, and complete parenting classes.

Robert Lynn Bremerman, 34, aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, deferred three years under community supervision and fine of $1,500.

Jesus Manuel Calderon, 19, theft $1,500 or more but less than $20,000, two years in the TDCJ suspended for five years of probation, $500 fine, court cost and $4,155 restitution.

Miguel Reyes Carrera, 21, taking prohibited substance into a correctional facility, adjudicated deferred, two years under community supervision, $2,000 fine.

Wesley Elson Dellinger, 31, five counts of aggravated sexual assault of a child, 20 years in the TDCJ for each count.

Alexandres Carrizales Edwards, 25, theft, 16 months in the State Jail division of the TDCJ.

Jonathan Allen Elliott, 20, burglary of habitation, adjudicated deferred, seven years under community supervision, 30 days in county jail, $1,000 fine, 400 hours of community service.

Quentin Eugene Evans, 25, possession of controlled substance with intent to deliver, nine years in the TDCJ.

James Allen Holmen, 36, unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, 180 days in the state jail division of the TDCJ.

Richard Lee Gann, 40, two counts of theft $1,500 or more but less than $20,000, four years Defer, $1,000 fine, court cost and 150 hours community service for each count.

Tony Milton Hernandez, 27, evading arrest, one year in state jail.

Castella Metoyer Lee, 19, three counts of tampering with physical evidence and one count of failure to appear, 10 years in the TDCJ suspended for five years of probation, $200 fine and court cost for each charge.

Joshua Lane Lindsay, 19, sexual assault, three years in the TDCJ.

Joseph Pedro Martinez, 26, injury child, elderly individual, or disabled individual, four years deferred and $500 fine.

Salvador Pablo Pacheco, 29, evading arrest, four years in the TDCJ; aggravated assault, six years in the TDCJ.

Rhonda Marie Pena, 22, possession of a controlled substance, two years in the TDCJ, suspended for three years of probation, $1,000 fine, court cost, 150 hours of community service and Court Residential Treatment Facility.

Khalik Dawain Prince, 19, burglary of a habitation, deferred eight years under community supervision and restitution.

John Martinez Ramirez Jr., 48, theft, one year in state jail.

Marcus Dewayne Roberts, 50, possession of a controlled substance — cocaine, two years in the TDCJ.

Justin Nicholas Rodriguez, 18, tampering with physical evidence, adjudicated deferred, two years under community supervision, $750 fine.

Frederick Charles Rose Jr., 28, two counts of indecency with a child, 10 years deferred, court cost and sex offender program for each count.

Hector Manuel Sanchez, 20, tampering with or fabricating physical evidence, eight years deferred and $1,000 fine.

Andrew Lee Stoelzel, 18, assault on a public servant by causing bodily injury to a person providing emergency services, five years deferred, $2,500 fine.

Desiree Nicole Trevino, 24, aggravated assault, four years deferred, $500 fine, court cost and 200 hours community service.

Kinsey Scott Williams, 24, assault family by strangulation, four years deferred, $2,000 fine, court cost, 240 hours of community service and Project Adam.

Mitchell Gene Williams, 25, theft from a person, two years in state jail, suspended for three years under community supervision, $750 fine, 120 hours of community service, successfully complete TAIP.

Source: Midland County District Attorney's Office

STATE BRIEFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

AUSTIN

Firm eyed for $90M state Medicaid contract

The state office responsible for investigating Medicaid fraud and waste is finalizing a $90 million contract with an Austin company that has little experience with Medicaid spending.

The inspector general's office for the Texas Health and Human Services Commission is arranging the deal with 21CT, a federal defense contractor unknown in the Medicaid fraud business prior to 2012. That's the year 21CT was first asked by Texas investigators to analyze a massive amount of data associated with $28.3 billion in Medicaid spending.

"We've created a solution that focuses on any data analytic challenge, in any domain," 21CT CEO Irene Williams said. "We were looking outside the box."

Texas Medicaid Director Kay Ghahremani in a correspondence with the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services pitched 21CT's technology as a game-changer for the state, according to documents obtained by the Austin American-Statesman.

But the pending contract comes amid scrutiny of the inspector general's office. It has more than 1,100 fraud cases it's investigating and each case takes an average of three years to complete, state records show.

The head of the office, Inspector General Douglas Wilson, was publicly criticized over the last week at two legislative hearings for myriad failures, including for an ongoing investigation of an actuary under his command who admitted falsifying numbers used to bring cases against alleged fraudsters.

AUSTIN

Perry promoted adviser with 3 alcohol offenses

Gov. Rick Perry has pushed to remove the Travis County district attorney from office after she was arrested for drunken driving, but he's promoted a top adviser on his staff with three intoxication offenses on his record.

The Republican governor threatened to withhold funding for District Attorney Rosemary Lehmberg's office. Lehmberg, a Democrat, was arrested last year and sentenced to jail.

Wayne Roberts was formerly Perry's budget director and was appointed to the State Pension Review Board in 2009. The Dallas Morning News reportsed Roberts has two DWI convictions, and tined in Virginia for public intoxication.

He's now head of the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas.

Meanwhile, Perry took no action against two other district attorneys convicted of drunken driving, one in 2003 and another in 2011.

GALVESTON

UT campus gave $20M in incentives to employees

A University of Texas medical campus in its last fiscal year gave more than $20 million in financial incentives to faculty, executives and others.

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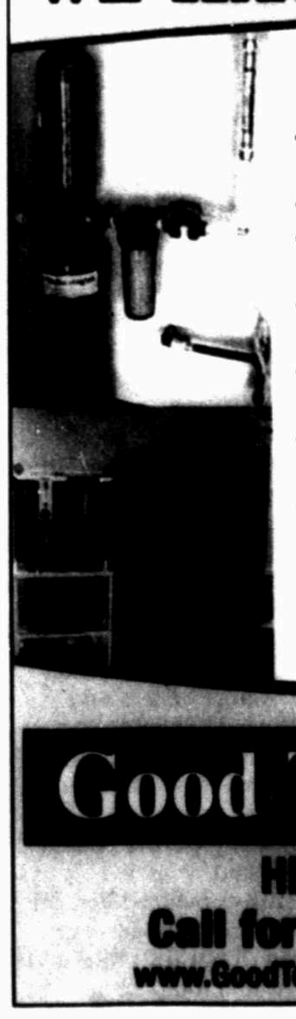
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3 p.m.
Midland County Courthouse
County Judge's Conference Room on 11th floor
501 N. Loraine St.

Planning and Zoning Commission
3:30 p.m.
City Hall Council Chambers
301 N. Loraine St.

MOTOR Board
5 p.m.
MOTOR MPO
9601 Wright Drive

Job fair today

Experience Works hosts a job fair for workers 55 and older 9 a.m.-noon Mondays at Midland Workforce Solutions, 3600 N. Garfield St. Technology Center Room138. The agency focuses on people who desire to learn new skills. For more information, call toll free 855-307-1171, or email liz_cox@experienceworks.org.

Club meeting today

Tall City VFW Post 7208, 1303 E. Taylor, bingo games 7 p.m.

Community Calendar

■ A small business expo is planned for from 8-10:30 a.m. Tuesday at the Carrasco Room in the Scharbauer Student Center at Midland College. More than 20 local vendors will be represented. The holiday shopping event is free and open to public.

The event is hosted by the Midland College Business & Economic Development Center, The Midland Hispanic Chamber of Commerce and the University of Texas of the Permian Basin Small Business Development Center.

For more information, contact Amber Vandennieuwenhof at 682-2960 or amber@midlandhcc.com.

Midland Health & Senior Services, 3303 W. Illinois Ave. at Kingsway mall, is offering the flu vaccine. Cost is $35; insurance and Medicare are accepted.

For more information, call 681-7613.

■ Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center at the Permian Basin's monthly Lunch 'n Learn is noon Wednesday at 800 W. Fourth St., Odessa.

Melanie Gordon-Sheets, Ph.D., associate professor and clinical psychologist at Texas Tech University, will be speaking on self-destructive behaviors.

The presentation is free and lunch will be served. To register, call 620-1023 or visit www.eventbrite.com/e/mental-munchies-tickets-13615503337.

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Today in history

Today is Monday, Nov. 17, the 321st day of 2014. There are 44 days left in the year.

On this date:

In 1934, Lyndon Baines Johnson married Claudia Alta Taylor, better known as Lady Bird, in San Antonio.

In 1968, NBC outraged football fans by cutting away from the closing minutes of a New York Jets-Oakland Raiders game to begin the TV special "Heidi" on schedule.

Revolution Day in Mexico

Mexico's Revolution Day (Dia de la Revolución) is a national public holiday that celebrates a 10-year revolution that began in 1910 to end the struggle against dictator José de la Cruz Porfirio Díaz Mori. The public holiday falls on the third Monday in November, near the official day on Nov. 20.

Source: www.timeanddate.com

Reagan, Bush also acted alone to shield immigrants

By Andrew Taylor
Associated Press



AP file photo

President Ronald Reagan speaks in 1983 during a news conference at the White House in Washington. President Barack Obama's impending unilateral order awarding legal status to millions of immigrants is not unprecedented. Two of the last three Republican presidents — Ronald Reagan and George H.W. Bush — did the same thing in extending amnesty to family members not covered by the last major overhaul of immigration law in 1986.

WASHINGTON — President Barack Obama's anticipated order that would shield millions of immigrants now living illegally in the U.S. from deportation is not without precedent.

Two of the last three Republican presidents — Ronald Reagan and George H.W. Bush — did the same thing in extending amnesty to family members who were not covered by the last major overhaul of immigration law in 1986.

There was no political explosion then comparable to the one Republicans are threatening now.

A tea party-influenced GOP is poised to erupt if and when Obama follows through on his promise. He wants to extend protection from deportation to millions of immigrant parents and spouses of U.S. citizens and permanent residents, and expand his 2-year-old program that shields immigrants brought illegally to this country as children.

"The audacity of this president to think he can completely destroy the rule of law with the stroke of a pen is unfathomable to me," said GOP Rep. Steve King of Iowa, an outspoken opponent of relaxing U.S. immigration law. "It is unconstitutional, it is cynical, and it violates the will of the American people."

Such strong feelings are common among congressional Republicans. GOP leaders warn that an executive order from Obama would "poison the well" and severely damage Republicans' willingness to work with the president during his final two years in office.

Some Republicans have even raised the possibility of impeachment.

Nearly three decades ago, there was barely a peep when Reagan and Bush used their authority to extend amnesty to the spouses and minor children of immigrants covered by the 1986 law.

In 1986, Congress and Reagan enacted a sweeping overhaul that gave legal status to up to 3 million immigrants without authorization to be in the country, if they had come to the U.S. before 1982. Spouses and children who could not meet that test did not qualify, which incited protests that the new law was breaking up families.

Early efforts in Congress to amend the law to cover family members failed. In 1987, Reagan's Immigration and Naturalization Service commissioner announced that minor children of parents granted amnesty by the law would get protection from deportation.

Spouses and children of couples in which one parent qualified for amnesty but the other did not remained subject to deportation, leading to efforts to amend the 1986 law.

In a parallel to today, the Senate acted in 1989 to broaden legal status to families but the House never took up the bill. Through the INS, Bush advanced a new "family fairness" policy that put in place the Senate measure. Congress passed the policy into law by the end of the year as part of broader immigration legislation.

SPOTLIGHT

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he added, "you're less likely to get as much attention as a two-term president."

Asked if his daughter, Jenna Bush Hager, now a correspondent with NBC's "Today" show, might someday write a book reassessing his presidency, Bush laughed.

"I don't think so," he said.

But he said that 30 years from now, when new documents come to light or events that began on his watch have played out more fully, some may think differently about him.

"All presidents get reassessed," he said. "It's inevitable."

Left unspoken was the fact that many view his father more positively today in part because of the comparison with his son's presidency, which was characterized by controversial decisions to invade Iraq in the belief that it had unconventional weapons, to authorize warrantless surveillance to track terrorists and to subject some captives to brutal interrogation techniques in an effort to gain information to stop future attacks.

As it stands, the younger Bush has already enjoyed his own more modest revival in public standing since leaving office, according to polls, and he used his book, published by Crown, to explain some of his own decisions, most notably the decision to depose Saddam Hussein in Iraq.

Bush wrote that his father supported his decision, despite much speculation to the contrary, and he took aim at what he presented as fair-weather politicians seeking cover for a tough decision.

"Interestingly, some of the same senators who spent the 1990s running away from their vote against the gulf war spent the 2000s running away from their vote for the Iraq war," he wrote.

Much of the public talk was spent exploring the relationship between father-and-son presidents. By the time John Quincy Adams became president, his father was not well enough to go to Washington to attend his inauguration and died 16 months later. The Bushes spoke and saw each other regularly during the eight years the son served, a unique circumstance in the annals of the U.S. presidency.

The younger Bush lavished praise on his father — "the finest one-term president our country's ever had" — but as he has in the past said he did not rely on him for policy advice during his own tenure because he was no longer briefed the way a sitting president was. Instead, he said, he turned to his father for emotional support.

HISTORY

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task.

After leaving the White House, Bush 43 met with Dorie McCullough Lawson, whose father, David McCullough, wrote acclaimed biographies of Harry Truman and John Adams — the latter, of course, part of the nation's only other father-son presidential duo.

Lawson told Bush that one of her dad's big regrets, as a historian, was that John Quincy Adams never wrote a book about his dad. And "for history's sake," Bush remembers her saying, he should write about his own dad.

Given George H.W. Bush's long tenure in the public eye, the younger Bush said he wasn't really surprised by anything he found in his research. But he said he was most impressed by his dad's "willingness to take risks."

Some examples are clear: joining the Navy during World War II or leaving his privileged East Coast upbringing to raise a family in West Texas. Others are less obvious: running for the Senate as a Republican in Democratic-dominated Texas or asking for a diplomatic posting in China.

"This is an independent thinker, a person who defies what people naturally think about him," the younger Bush said.

Bush 43 said the key to his dad taking those chances was a nurturing home environment, particularly wife Barbara.

"Love mitigates risk," the younger Bush said.

Bush 41 extended that attitude toward his children, even as he took up increasingly stressful political jobs, the younger Bush said.

"I'm convinced that Jeb and I would not have decided to run for office had he been a lousy father," he said.

The question surrounding the Bush family these days, obviously, is whether Jeb Bush will run for president.

In the media blitz leading up to the book's launch, George W. Bush echoed prior statements that he hopes his brother runs. He told CBS' "Face the Nation" that it's a "50-50" chance that the former Florida governor will enter the 2016 fray.

But reading 41, it's clear that George W. Bush remains hurt by aspects of the family's White House campaigns: news coverage, the "shallowness of the presidential debate process," and, of course, his father's failed re-election bid in 1992.

Why would he encourage anyone, much less a loved one, to run for president?

"Throughout our family history, there was a notion of serving others," George W. Bush said.

More chances to meet President Bush

There are still openings for those wanting to meet former President George W. Bush.

Those associated with the event have said wristbands are still available for Midland area residents who wish to meet President Bush at his book signing, scheduled for 1:30 p.m. today at Sam's Club, 1500 Tradewinds Blvd.

The wristbands can be obtained on a first-come, first-served basis beginning at 7 a.m. today. Wristbands will be available for pickup while supplies last.

President George W. Bush will visit Sam's Club to sign his new book, "41: A Portrait of My Father."

The book is a unique and intimate biography and covers the entire scope of the elder President Bush's life and career and shines new light on both the accomplished statesman and the warm, decent man known best by his family, according to a press release.

The book signing is exclusive to Sam's Club members. Sam's Club membership starts at $45.

Source: Staff reports

Cruz draws ire of techies with 'Obamacare for the Internet' remark

By Jonathan Tilove
Cox Newspapers

U.S. Sen. Ted Cruz's description last week of net neutrality as "Obamacare for the Internet" has sharpened the partisan divide on a complicated issue and provoked a torrent of criticism from techies across the ideological spectrum.

"As a Republican, I'm sorry to tell you, but you're awfully wrong. Every geek out there will tell you that," Jay Ramos commented on Cruz's Facebook post, in which the Texas GOP senator wrote that "the biggest regulatory threat to the Internet is net neutrality. ... The Internet should not operate at the speed of government."

Wrong, responded Ramos, who was among the deluge of commenters taking Cruz to task on the issue: "Net neutrality is necessary so that big pocketed companies don't pay their way into having their content prioritized over smaller start-ups or ISP's (Internet service providers) charging content companies to stay in the fast lane, basically blackmail, affecting consumers."

Joshua Baer, founder of Austin's Capital Factory, an incubator for tech startups, said he thought most colleagues in the tech community are "pro-net neutrality," and that Cruz's likening it to the Affordable Care Act is ill-conceived. In his view, Baer said, "net neutrality is not about changing anything" but rather preserving "the way the Internet has always worked."

Last week, Obama, in the name of net neutrality, called for the Federal Communications Commission to reclassify broadband so that it is regulated more like other utilities to make sure that cable and phone companies aren't able to effectively throttle consumer access.

The counterargument, reduced to its essence by Cruz's Obamacare comparison, is that any government intrusion, even in the name of some virtuous outcome, will only muck it up.

Net neutrality refers to the idea that Internet service providers treat equally all Internet content traveling the "last mile" to a consumer, to ensure, as the White House put it this week, "that an entrepreneur's fledgling company should have the same chance to succeed as established corporations, and that access to a high school student's blog should not be unfairly slowed down to make way for advertisers with more money."

But Austin's Bill Moore, CEO of Zello as well as founder and director of TuneIn, said that placing Internet service under the same kind of regulation that applies to telephone service was probably not a good idea.

"It seems to me it's hard to argue that's worked well," Moore said. "There sure isn't a lot of innovation around the phone system."

"I'm not sure there's a problem that the government needs a policy to fix right now," Moore said.

LAND PRICE

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Hill Country and ranches in New Mexico.

"There's a lot of money floating around in South Texas," Gilliland said.

Within South Texas, a report this year from the American Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers noted the Eagle Ford has had a "dynamic" impact on the market, where there are few distressed land sales and "energy-funded buyers are prevalent."

In West and North Texas, interest in larger ranches had faded a bit with the 2008 financial crisis, but that appears to have rebounded. Oil money has gone searching for working ranches with livestock operations.

"It appears that they're essentially looking for someplace to park their money. They can't get much return on it anywhere else," Gilliland said.

Oil isn't the only factor driving land prices higher in the past decade, of course. Baby boomers searching for small "ranchettes" of 100 acres or less have pushed prices higher for several years. Institutional investors and hedge funds have been buying irrigated cropland. And some investors lost their appetite for stock altogether and have been casting about for another investment.

Ranch broker Mark Hubbard said the economic impact of the oil boom in South Texas has erased any negative effect on land prices that the state's severe drought might have otherwise caused.

"The oil had definitely overridden the drought," Hubbard said. "There's also a lack of quality of competing investments and the uncertainty over stock markets around the world. People are still going to land."

There have been four periods when Texas land followed crude prices up or down, say Gilliland and fellow research economist Ali Anari, who created an econometric model that shows a strong correlation between land and oil. The first was in 1973 when oil and land prices rose together until about 1980.

Then when oil prices crashed in 1985, land prices also went into a slide that lasted until 2000.

Between 2000 and 2008, oil and land prices rose together.

Following the 2008 financial crises, many people would have expected land prices to crater. The price-per-acre dipped in 2009, but then followed oil higher, the Texas A&M researchers note.

Richard Dockery, a real estate broker and appraiser in Three Rivers, said South Texas land prices are averaging around $3,000 per acre, but selling sometimes at $3,500 to $4,000 an acre. People are "buying the property next to them for $4,000 per acre. Surface only," Dockery said.

Mineral ownership can be severed from surface ownership in Texas, and sellers of South Texas land are particularly unwilling to part with their minerals.

"Would you sell minerals? Generally, the answer is no. With production, no. With a sniff of production, no. Never say never. You can ask if they're willing to sell minerals," Dockery said.

The report by the American Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers said that ranches on the fringes of the Eagle Ford and "out of the fairway" were in demand. But those for sale in the heart of the field, where industrial activity has taken over, were being met by "market resistance" if minerals weren't part of the sale.

"A ranch sitting in the middle of the Eagle Ford Shale with no minerals is a pretty tough sell," Hubbard said. "Land outside the Eagle Ford Shale with or without minerals is bringing a premium. There's a lot of money in the system. There's a lot of people who want to own land. But there's a lot of people who are running from the shale."

In time, Hubbard thinks people will grow used to the oil and gas industry, which — at least at this level of frenzy — still is relatively new in many parts of South Texas.

"People are just flat going to get used to the activity," he said.

Confrontations await Obama after productive trip

By Julie Pace
Associated Press

BRISBANE, Australia — After a productive trip abroad, President Barack Obama headed home Sunday on a collision course with Republicans on immigration and an oil pipeline project, showdowns that threaten prospects for cooperation over his remaining two years in office.

The contentious immigration debate could mean a year-end fight over keeping the government running, if some GOP lawmakers get their way.

On the foreign policy front, there is a Nov. 24 deadline in nuclear negotiations with Iran, and questions are surfacing within the administration about whether to overhaul U.S. policy toward Syria.

Given his faltering political support in the U.S. and his party's recent election losses, his trip to China, Myanmar and Australia appeared to offer respite.

The president, who was due to arrive in Washington late Sunday, basked in policy breakthroughs with China and warm welcomes in Myanmar and Australia.

"I intend to build on that momentum when I return home," Obama said at a news conference before heading home.

When Obama set off for the Asia Pacific, both the White House and Republicans were suggesting that the GOP's decisive takeover of the Senate could pave the way for bipartisan breakthroughs. But just two weeks after the election, that optimism largely has faded, making it increasingly likely that Washington will churn through two more years of gridlock.

Republicans attribute the swift shift in tone largely to Obama's plans to move forward with executive actions on immigration that potentially could shield from deportation about 5 million immigrants who are living in the United States illegally. The president has pledged to announce the measures before year's end; he could act shortly after returning to Washington.



Associated Press

President Barack Obama speaks during his news conference at the G20 Summit in Brisbane, Australia, on Sunday.

The incoming Senate majority leader, Mitch McConnell, has warned that such executive actions would "poison the well" with the new Republican-led Senate and could prevent the GOP from working with Obama on other potential areas of agreement.

Republican leaders are considering what to do if Obama presses ahead. More conservative members want to use upcoming spending bills to block the president, but that could set the stage for a showdown for another government shutdown.

Obama said that possible threat would not dictate his timing in flexing his powers. He said is main concern "is getting it right."

The fight over the Keystone XL pipeline that would run from Canada to the U.S. Gulf Coast also has political implications for the president, not just with Republicans but also his own Democratic Party.

Democrats see passage of a bill forcing construction of the project as a last-ditch effort to save Sen. Mary Landrieu, who faces a runoff election next month against GOP Rep. Bill Cassidy in oil-producing Louisiana.

The House passed a measure to move the project forward on Friday, and the Senate is set to act. But Obama has all but threatened a veto, repeatedly saying the only way the pipeline can be approved is after the completion of a long-stalled State Department review.

"We have to let the process play out," he said.

On Iran, Obama faces a deadline to reach a final agreement in sensitive nuclear negotiations. High-level talks in Oman last week failed to make major headway, potentially setting Obama up for a choice between pursuing another extension or abandoning the diplomatic effort.

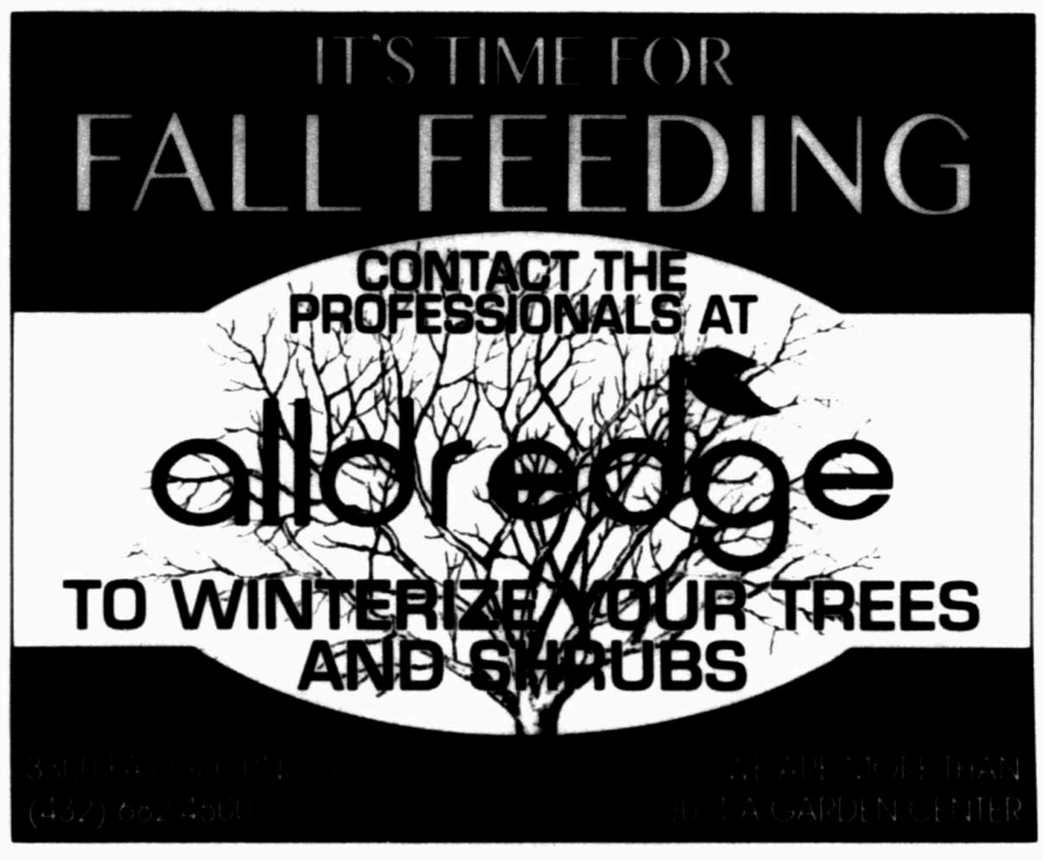
The president has asked the Congress to start debating a new authorization for his airstrike campaign against Islamic State militants in Iraq and Syria, though he expects the legislative effort to pick up next year when Republicans take control of the Senate. The debate comes as Obama faces questions from within his own administration, including from Defense Secretary Chuck Hagel, about the effectiveness of the military operation, particularly in Syria.

Hagel said in a memo to White House national security adviser Susan Rice that Obama needed a clearer strategy for dealing with embattled Syrian President Bashar Assad.

White House officials have denied that Obama is undertaking any formal review of his Syria strategy and the president said Sunday that he was not considering ways to oust Assad.

Also on the agenda: getting the Senate to confirm his nominee for attorney general, federal prosecutor Loretta Lynch. The White House is not pushing for that in the postelection session of Congress, and says the president is leaving the timing up to Senate leadership.

Democrats are reluctant to push a fight with an empowered GOP over the process and White House officials say they are confident Lynch will be confirmed even with Republicans in control. The GOP takes over in January.



















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OPINION

Is Nancy Pelosi in denial or just out to sea?

■ The Democratic leader in the House acts oblivious to what is happening around her



DANA MILBANK
Washington Post Writers Group

There are five 2014 House races still to be decided before we can answer a question of historical interest: Was this the worst election for House Democrats since 1928? Or merely their worst since 1946?

Either way, the results do not reflect well on the House Democratic leader, Nancy Pelosi — a conclusion that seems to have escaped Nancy Pelosi.

"I do not believe what happened the other night is a wave," the former speaker informed Politico's Lauren French and John Bresnahan last week. She preferred to describe the election as "an ebb tide."

If Democrats lose three of the five undecided races, they will have ebbed all the way back to the day Herbert Hoover won the presidency. To fail to see that as a wave, Pelosi must be far out at sea.

The drubbing and the denial have naturally raised doubts about whether Pelosi should remain on the job. But her interpretation was the opposite. "Quite frankly, if we would have won, I would have thought about leaving," Pelosi told Politico. But because of the, er, ebb, she needs to stay — a classic argument for rewarding failure.

Pelosi is popular in her caucus, and there's no indication she'll be deposed in leadership elections next week. But it was certainly fair when Nancy Cordes of CBS News asked Pelosi at a news conference Thursday if she "gave any thought to stepping down as the leader."

Pelosi's jaw-dropping response: that Cordes was being sexist — and discriminating against Pelosi because of her age. "What was the day," she replied to Cordes, "that any of you said to Mitch McConnell when they lost the Senate three times in a row ... 'Aren't you getting a little old, Mitch? Shouldn't you step aside?'"

It's "interesting as a woman to see how many times that question is asked of a woman and how many times that question is never asked of Mitch McConnell," Pelosi added. She was just warming up. "I was never on the front of Time magazine even though I was the first woman — wasn't that a curiosity? That the Republicans win and [Speaker John] Boehner's on the front of Time magazine. Mitch McConnell wins, he's on the front of Time magazine. ... As a woman, it's like, is there a message here?"

Pelosi's 8-year-old grievance with the newsmagazine is reasonable, if a bit small coming from somebody who has earned her place in history as the first female speaker of the House. As for McConnell's treatment, here's his home-state Louisville Courier-Journal in 2012: "He has failed utterly, a stunning failure driven home by Mr. Obama's decisive win Tuesday. ... Mr. McConnell should resign as Senate minority leader. If he refuses, his members should oust him." There were similar questions about whether McConnell would keep his job in 2010 and before this year's results.

Love Pelosi or hate her, she is a savvy legislator, and it's not her fault that Democrats lost again. Gerrymandering and other factors will probably keep the House Republican into the next decade. (More Democratic candidates were defeated overall in 2014 than in the 2010 landslide, though fewer seats flipped because Republicans already control the most competitive ones.)

But there's something to be said for fresh faces. Harry Reid, who just lost his perch as Senate majority leader, shrewdly persuaded the populist Sen. Elizabeth Warren (D-Mass.) to join his leadership team. Yet there is no sign of movement among Democratic leaders in the House, where Pelosi, Whip Steny Hoyer and No. 3 Jim Clyburn are all in their mid-70s.

If Pelosi has a problem, it's not her gender or her age but her image as a partisan warrior that Republicans have demonized as Democrats demonized Newt Gingrich. Long after she unwisely said of the Affordable Care Act that "we have to pass the bill so that you can find out what is in it," she still defended the remark.

At Thursday's news conference, Chad Pergram of Fox News asked about recently discovered remarks by Jonathan Gruber, a consultant to the administration on Obamacare, who said the law exploited "the stupidity of the American voter."

Pelosi replied, correctly, that Gruber's "comments were a year old, and he has backtracked." But then she went too far. "I don't know who he is," she said.

In fact, Pelosi's office cited Gruber in a 2009 press release, and Pelosi herself, during a 2009 news conference, referred to Gruber and an analysis he had done.

Sometimes, the mark of a strong leader is knowing when to stop.

OUR VIEW

Bush name still matters, in Midland and across the nation

Former President George W. Bush will be in Midland today. And first, let us be the first to tell the 43rd president of the United States: "Welcome home."

Even if Bush chooses to live in Dallas, he always can call Midland home. He did so in 2001, just before leaving for Washington, D.C. He told the thousands who braved the cold weather on that January day, "This is my home." He's welcome back any time. It doesn't matter if he is signing books, offering his support for those involved in philanthropic efforts, dedicating tennis centers, visiting his childhood home or grabbing dinner at the Petroleum Club or Dona Anita's.

And while Bush's visit doesn't have anything to do with politics, it doesn't mean we can't make a few comments in honor of his visit.

1. **The Bush name still matters** (and we are not talking about just Midland). His nephew George P. Bush is going to be the new land commissioner, and his brother is on the short list of contenders for the Republican nomination for president in 2016. Both are significant. George P. is likely the future of Republican politics in the state of Texas even more so than Ted Cruz, Greg Abbott or Dan Patrick. In our view, as George P. goes a decade from now and later, so goes the Republican Party. We will talk about Jeb later.

2. **Bush was a trailblazer with Hispanics.** Maybe we will look back at his years in leadership in Texas and the Republican Party and say he was ahead of his time when it came Hispanics. For Republicans running for national office, Bush's ability to connect with Hispanics made him the gold standard. At some point, more Republicans will come around on immigration reform — and that doesn't necessarily mean amnesty. In fact, when that happens, some of us might look back and say that is how George W. would have handled it.

3. **Republicans need a leader.** What is the Republican Party right now, and who is its leader? Some people say it's Cruz. Others support Ron Paul, Jeb Bush, Mitt Romney or Chris Christie. The fact is, the party doesn't have its Bill Clinton or Barack Obama; in other words, the person who can unite the troops and get them excited about being Republicans come convention time. Republicans need to stop distancing themselves from George W. The party will be a better place with an active former president being, well, presidential.

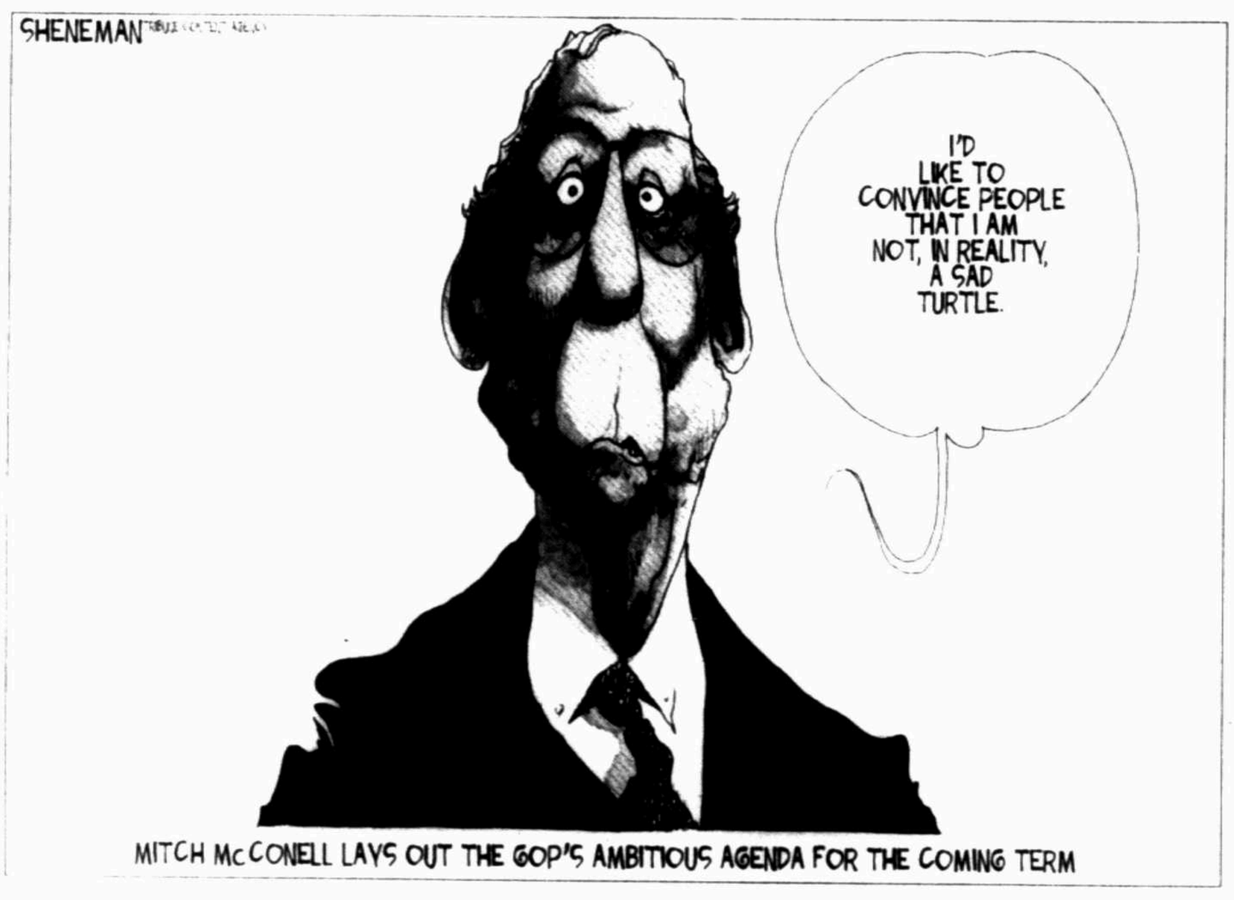
4. **And speaking of rallying the troops, it's time to talk Jeb** (as in George W.'s brother). There might not be a better GOP candidate in America right now. With all due respect to Cruz, Paul and Marco Rubio, there is a certain logic that the next president of the United States should have executive experience, specifically as a current or former governor. Jeb fits that bill, and we believe is one of the few Republicans — maybe the only one — who can win battleground states needed to knock off Democrat Hillary Clinton. It might not be fair, but the presidential election is not how popular someone is in Texas, but states like Ohio, Colorado, Florida and Iowa. The Republican candidate must be able to bring in votes from middle-class workers, Hispanics and conservative Democrats. The candidate must also energize its base. The last to do so nationally was ... George W.

Good to see you again, Mr. President.

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Dems' assessment was eye-opening

■ 2016 doesn't have to be that; just talk economics



CARL LEUBSDORF
Dallas Morning News

Like the Republicans after 2012, Democrats surveying the wreckage from last week's midterm elections have launched a "top-to-bottom assessment" of what happened. Their problem: turning out their voters in non-presidential years.

But the study undertaken by the party chair, Rep. Debbie Wasserman Schultz of Florida, might prove embarrassing for the national party and the White House. After all, the most significant Democratic failure may have been the inability — indeed, the refusal — of top Democrats to make a positive case for their party.

Republicans ran on a clear-cut theme of rebuking an unpopular president. Democrats neither defended President Barack Obama's achievements such as the significantly improved economy nor presented new ideas to tackle persisting problems like income equality, concentrating instead on picking apart the record and views of their rivals and their financial backers.

But negative campaigns go only so far. As former Democratic National Chairman Howard Dean put it on NBC's "Meet the Press" last Sunday, "You've got to stand for something if you want to win."

The results of that failure were obvious: a smaller, less favorable electorate with reduced participation by key components of the Democrats' 2008 and 2012 victories — Hispanics, African-Americans, unmarried women and, most of all, younger voters.

Exit polls showed Hispanic voters down 2 percent, African-Americans down 1 percent, voters under 29 down 6 percent and unmarried women down 2 percent, producing an electorate 3 percent more white and 6 percent more over 65, both Republican-leaning groups.

Still, most GOP Senate gains came in so-called "red" states that backed Republican Mitt Romney in 2012. Only Iowa and Colorado were in "blue" states Obama carried, both reflecting superior GOP candidates and inferior Democratic campaigns.

Republican victories in major governor's races show it's possible to make a positive case, even amid difficulties. GOP incumbents won several "blue" states by defending controversial records and making a successful case for their re-election. The GOP captured two "blue" states — Illinois and Maryland — where, again, Democrats had weak candidates.

The strong GOP showings left the Democrats at their weakest since winning only 188 House seats and 45 Senate seats in the first post-World War II midterm election, about the number they won this year.

Back then, President Harry S. Truman's 1948 campaign against a "do-nothing Republican Congress" enabled the Democrats to rebound by gaining 75 House seats and 9 Senate seats. Current district lines favoring Republicans won't allow that, but Democrats will have a decent chance to regain the Senate.

Still, their best chance will be to win the presidency again, thanks to an electoral map that gives them an easier path to 270 electoral votes than the Republicans. Democrats carried 19 states with 242 electoral votes in each of the past six elections, while Republicans won 13 states with just 102 electoral votes. If you add in the states each party won at least half the time in those elections, Democrats would have 26 states with 319 electoral votes; Republicans would have 27 with 257 electoral votes.

This year's election showed Democratic vulnerability in some "purple" swing states that have gone back and forth in recent elections. Democrats lost two of the four Senate races there and almost lost a third.

Still, while the Democrats know where to go to win the White House, they still need to remember how: by developing a rationale for voters that was absent this year.

Whatever the review panel concludes, the burden of carrying out a strategy might fall largely to the party's clear presidential front-runner, former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton.

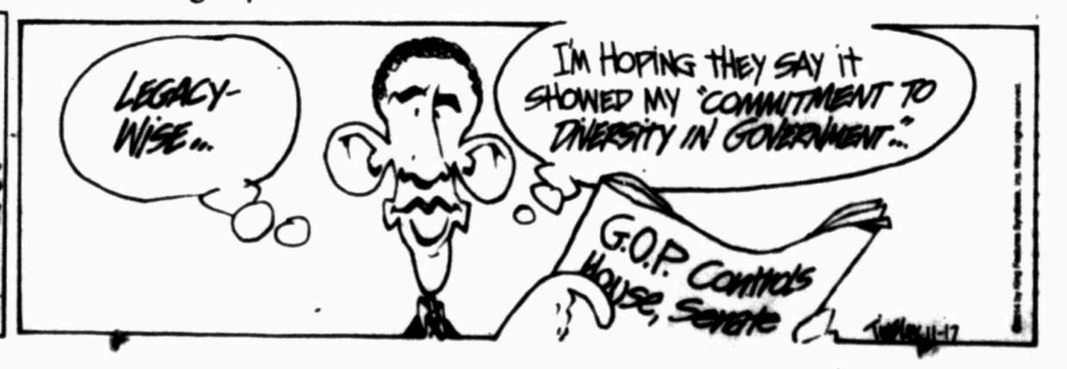
She'll need to offer a way for Democrats to regain the economic issue by going beyond lower unemployment with proposals to spur growth and increase household income. That's what was lacking in 2014 and will be necessary for the party's 2016 nominee to avoid the fate of many Democratic candidates this year.

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Islamic State beheads US aid worker

By Diaa Hadid
Associated Press

BEIRUT — The Islamic State group released a video Sunday of a masked militant standing over a severed head it claimed was Peter Kassig, a former U.S. soldier-turned-aid worker who was taken hostage while delivering relief supplies to Syrians caught in that country's brutal civil war.

Hours later, the White House confirmed Kassig's death after a review of the video, which also showed the mass beheadings of a dozen Syrian soldiers.

The 26-year-old Kassig, a former Army Ranger who returned to the Middle East to help wounded and displaced Syrians, "was taken from us in an act of pure evil by a terrorist group that the world rightly associates with inhumanity," President Barack Obama said in a statement.

He denounced the extremist group, which he said "revels in the slaughter of innocents, including Muslims, and is bent only on sowing death and destruction."

With Kassig's death, the Islamic State group has killed five Westerners it was holding. American journalists James Foley and Steven Sotloff were beheaded, as were British aid workers David Haines and Alan Henning.

Unlike previous videos of slain Western hostages, the footage released Sunday did not show the decapitation of Kassig or the moments leading up to his death.

"This is Peter Edward Kassig, a U.S. citizen ... who fought against the Muslims in Iraq," said the black-clad militant, who spoke with a British accent that was distorted in the video, apparently to disguise his identity. Previous videos featured a militant with a British accent that the FBI says it has identified, though it hasn't named him publicly.

The video appeared on websites used in the past by the Islamic State group, which now controls a third of Syria and Iraq.

The footage released Sunday identifies the militants' location as Dabiq, a town in northern Syria that the Islamic State group uses as the title of its English-language propaganda magazine and where they believe an apocalyptic battle between Muslims and their enemies will occur.

The high-definition video also showed the beheadings of about a dozen men identified as Syrian military officers and pilots, all dressed in blue jumpsuits. The black-clad militant warns that U.S. soldiers will meet a similar fate.

"We say to you, Obama: ... You claim to have withdrawn from Iraq four years ago," the militant said. "Here you are: You have not withdrawn. Rather, you hid some of your forces behind your proxies." A U.S.-led coalition is targeting the Islamic State group in airstrikes, supporting Western-backed Syrian rebels, Kurdish fighters and the Iraqi military.



AP file photo

Peter Kassig, who friends and family say changed his name to Abdul-Rahman Kassig, right, works as a medic to help a wounded man near Deir Ezzor, Syria, in 2013. A new graphic video purportedly produced by Islamic State militants in Syria released Sunday claims U.S. aid worker Kassig was beheaded.

Kassig, who served in the U.S. Army's 75th Ranger Regiment, a special operations unit, deployed to Iraq in 2007. After being medically discharged, he returned to the Middle East in 2012 and formed an aid organization, Special Emergency Response and Assistance, to aid Syrian refugees.

A certified EMT, Kassig had delivered food and medical supplies and provided trauma care to wounded Syrians before being captured in eastern Syria on Oct. 1, 2013. Friends say he converted to Islam in captivity and took the first name Abdul-Rahman.

In a statement issued as he flew back to Washington after a trip to the Asia-Pacific region, Obama said Kassig "was a humanitarian who worked to save the lives of Syrians injured and dispossessed" by war. The president offered prayers and condolences to Kassig's family. "We cannot begin to imagine their anguish at this painful time," he said.

Kassig's family said in a statement that it preferred "our son is written about and remembered for his important work and the love he shared with friends and family, not in the manner the hostage takers would use to manipulate Americans and further their cause."

Burhan Agha, a Syrian who worked with Kassig in Lebanon, and who moved to Switzerland to seek asylum, wept when recounting his friend's humanitarian work.

"If I could apologize to each American, one by one, I would, because Peter died in Syria, while he was helping the Syrian people," Agha told The Associated Press by telephone. "Those who killed him claimed to have done it in the name of Islam. I am a Muslim and am from Syria. ... (His killers) are not Muslims."

British Prime Minister David Cameron said he was "horrified by the cold-blooded murder," saying that the Islamic State group had "again shown their depravity."

In previous videos showing the beheadings of the two American journalists and two British aid workers, the hostages were shown kneeling in orange jumpsuits as they were forced to make speeches before their killer lifted a knife to their throats.

The latest video did not show Kassig being beheaded. And unlike previous videos, it did not show other Western captives or directly threaten to behead anyone else. It also had lingering close-ups on some militants' exposed faces, a few of whom appeared to be foreigners.

The Islamic State group still holds other captives, including British photojournalist John Cantlie, who has appeared in several videos delivering statements for the group, likely under duress, and a 26-year-old American woman captured last year in Syria while working for aid groups. U.S. officials have asked that the woman not be identified out of fears for her safety.

The video appeared to be part of continuous efforts to strike at the U.S., which is leading an aerial campaign against the group that began in August in Iraq and spread to Syria the following month.

The video came two days after a recording by the group's leader, Abu Bakr al-Baghdadi, was uploaded to the Internet. The militant leader warned that the U.S.-led coalition's campaign had failed and it would eventually have to send ground troops into battle in Thursday's recording.

The group has declared a self-styled Islamic caliphate in areas under its control, which it governs according to its violent interpretation of Shariah law, including massacring rebellious tribes and selling women and children of religious minorities into slavery.

The group's militants have also beheaded and shot dead hundreds of captives, mostly Syrian and Iraqi soldiers, during its sweep across the two countries, and has celebrated its mass killings in extremely graphic videos.

The Islamic State group has its roots in al-Qaida's Iraqi affiliate but was expelled from the global terror network over its brutal tactics and refusal to obey orders to confine its activities to Iraq. It became even more extreme amid the bloody civil war in neighboring Syria and grew strong enough to launch a lightning offensive across Iraq.

Syria's war began as an uprising against President Bashar Assad. Activists say that conflict has killed more than 200,000 people.

Freeing US captives in North Korea turns tense

By Calvin Woodward
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — When U.S. spy chief James Clapper flew to North Korea on a mission to bring home two U.S. captives, he ran into a potential hitch. North Korean officials wanted a diplomatic concession of some sort in return for freeing the men and Clapper had none to offer.

"I think they were disappointed," Clapper said, fleshing out details of the secret trip a week after its completion.

It was not until he was ushered into a hotel room for an "amnesty-granting ceremony" that he knew the release of Americans Kenneth Bae and Matthew Miller would proceed as planned.

All told, the trip unfolded more smoothly than his first foray into North Korean air space, aboard a U.S. helicopter in December 1985.

"They shot at us, and fortunately we made it back to the South," he told CBS's "Face the Nation" in an interview broadcast Sunday. At the time, Clapper was intelligence chief for U.S. forces in South Korea. This time, he was a presidential emissary with a deal in the works and permission to land.

Clapper arrived in Pyongyang in the dark, was taken to a guest house and met by a small party led by the state security minister and a translator. A "terse" dinner followed, hosted by the head of the Reconnaissance Guidance Bureau, which Clapper described as a combination intelligence unit and special operations force.

North Korea "feels itself to be under siege," he said. "There is a certain institutional paranoia and that was certainly reflected in a lot of things that he said." Clapper heard complaints about the U.S. interfering with North Korea's internal matters. "It wasn't exactly a pleasant dinner."

He brought a short letter from President Barack Obama characterizing North Korea's willingness to release the pair as a positive gesture. But the North Koreans wanted more.

"I think the major message from them was their disappointment that there wasn't some offer or some big — again, the term they used was 'breakthrough.'"

Afterward, Clapper waited hours until he got word that he had 20 minutes to pack his luggage for a drive to a downtown hotel. It was then he knew he would be leaving with Bae and Miller.

At a ceremony, Clapper exchanged handshakes with his North Korean interlocutor, the prisoners changed clothes and they left for the flight back.

The U.S. and North Korea have no formal diplomatic relations and a legacy of mutual hostility. Clapper sensed a "ray of optimism" about the future from his brief encounter with a younger generation — specifically, an official in his 40s who accompanied him to the airport and "professed interest in more dialogue, asked me if I'd be willing to come back to Pyongyang. Which I would."

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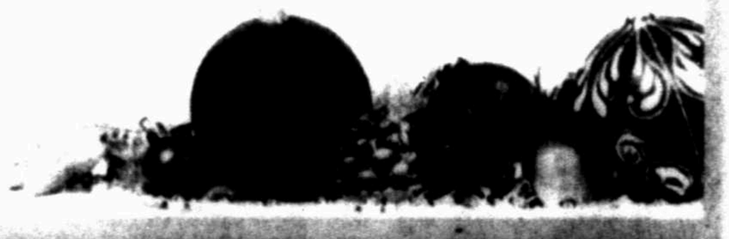
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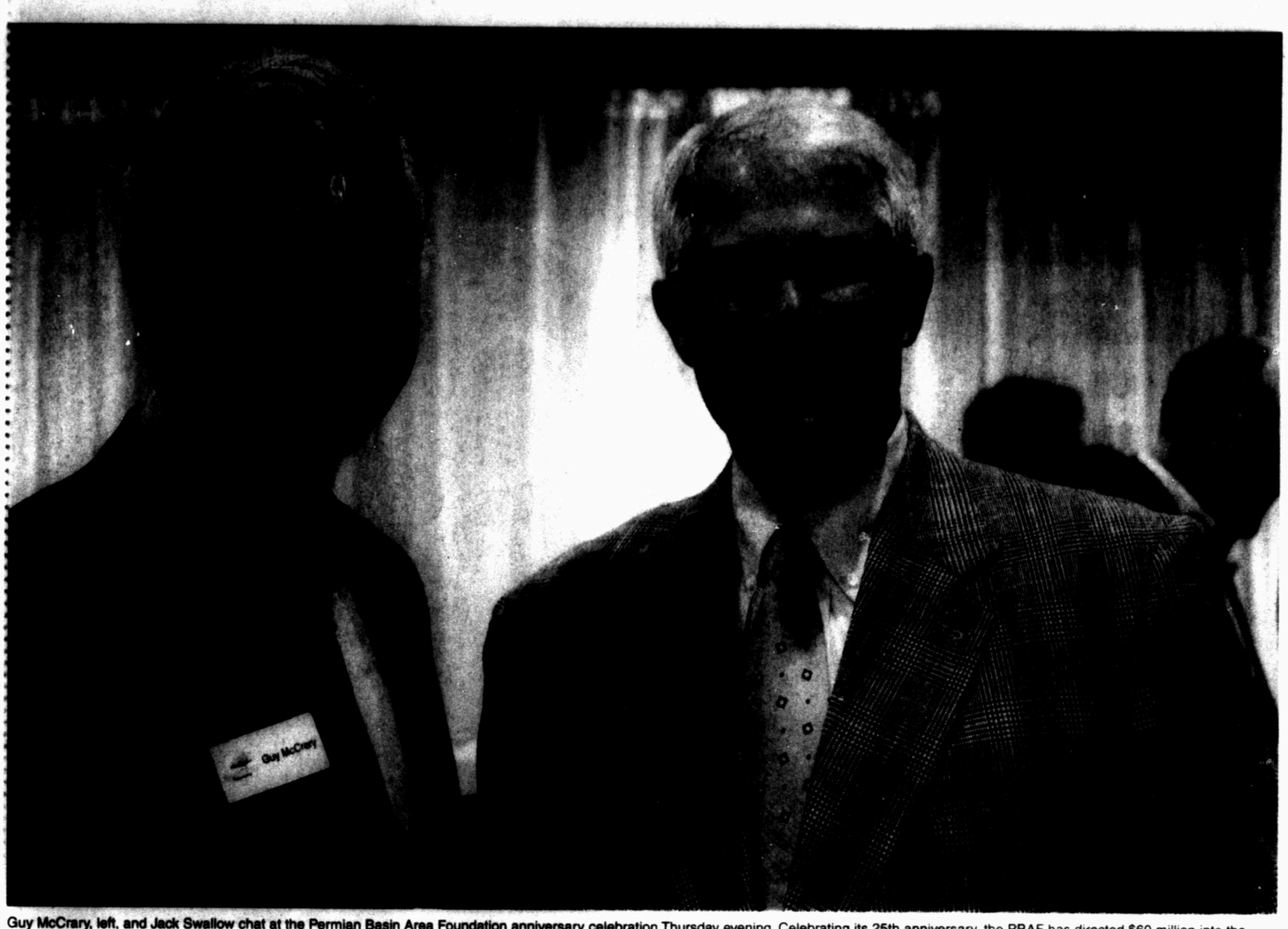
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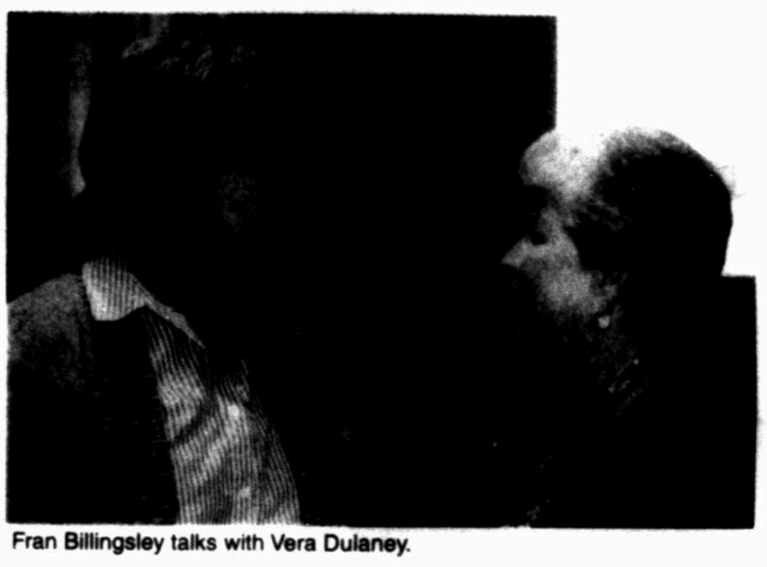
NAMES & FACES



Guy McCrary, left, and Jack Swallow chat at the Permian Basin Area Foundation anniversary celebration Thursday evening. Celebrating its 25th anniversary, the PBAF has directed $60 million into the community through various scholarships and grants, and has partnered with more than 15,000 donors since its inception. Currently, the PBAF manages more than 300 charitable funds and has amassed more than $100 million in total assets. The foundation's newest endowment — The Anniversary Endowment — has already grown to nearly $350,000 and will begin awarding grants next year.

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Fran Billingsley talks with Vera Dulaney.



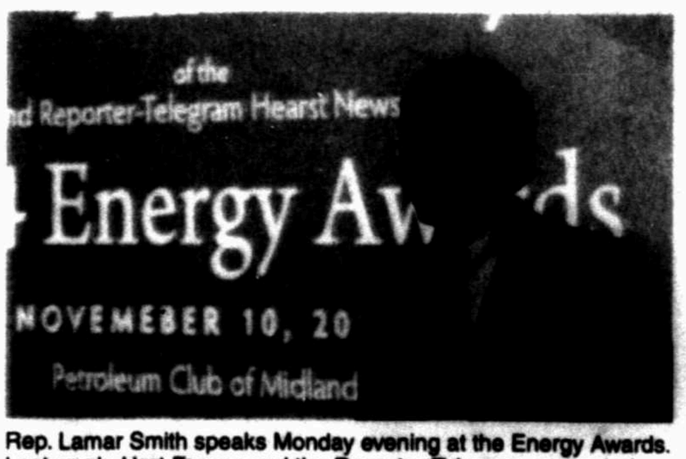
Rodney Robinson talks with Brad Swendig.



Carla Holeva talks with Denise Maim.



Lauren Young talks with Cathy Eastham.



Rep. Lamar Smith speaks Monday evening at the Energy Awards. Last week, Hart Energy and the Reporter-Telegram presented the 25th annual Hearst Energy Awards. Smith was honored with the Energy Award for Government Service.



Travis Stice, center, with Diamondback Energy, talks with Brian Selline and Chris Carter. Diamondback Energy was honored with the Energy Award for Company Performance.

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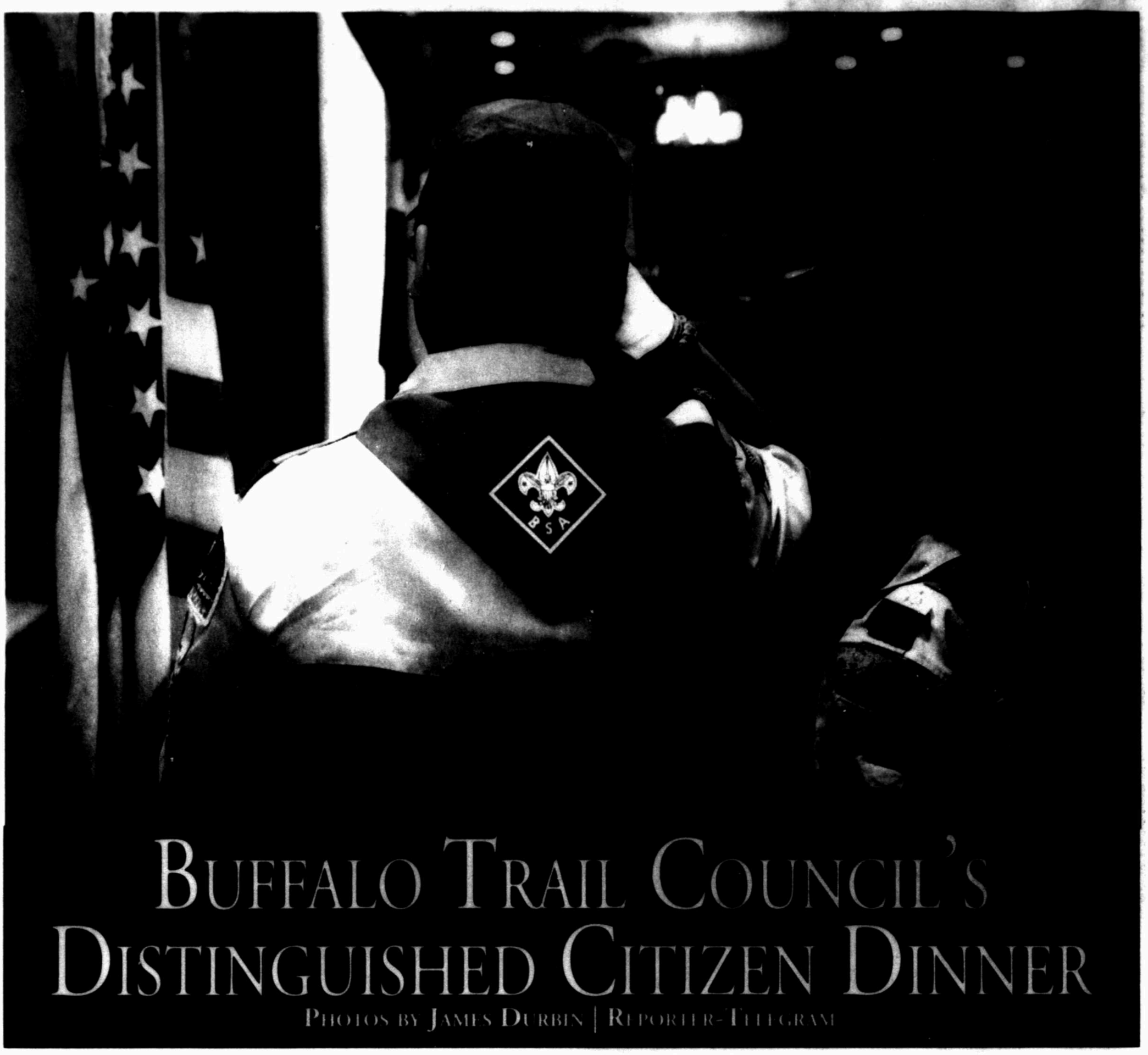
Mayor Jerry Morales, right, talks with and congratulates Norbert Dickman with Fasken Oil and Ranch for the Bruno Hanson/Midland College Environmental Excellence Award.



Rich Masterson and his wife, BlixAnn. Rich Masterson was awarded the Energy Award for Technology.



Dick Sivalls, left, talks with Arlen Edgar. Sivalls was honored with the Lifetime Achievement Award.



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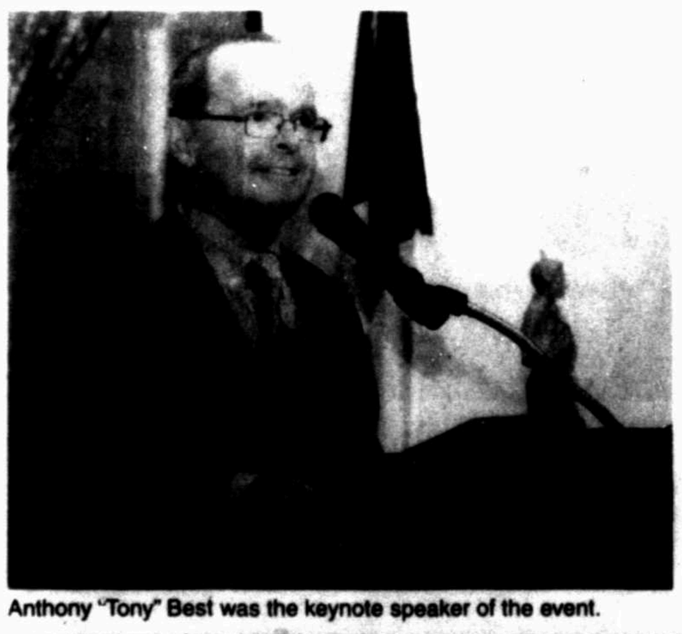


Jim Henry introduces Tim Leach, president and CEO of Concho Resources, as the honoree of the Buffalo Trail Council's Distinguished Citizen Dinner on Tuesday at Midland Country Club





David Chapman, executive director for the Boy Scouts in the West Texas region, speaks during the dinner



Anthony "Tony" Best was the keynote speaker of the event.



Jim Henry speaks during the dinner.



Tim Leach, Jim Henry and other honorees are shown at the dinner.

Past honorees

Last week, the Buffalo Trail Council of the Boy Scouts of America honored Concho Resources President and CEO Tim Leach with the Distinguished Citizen of the Permian Basin award.

Following is a list of past honorees.

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KMID	ABC 3 3 4 3 2	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Dancing With the Stars (N)				Castle "Once Upon a Time in the West" (N)		KMID News	(:35) Jimmy Kimmel Live		(:35) News Nightline
KOSA	CBS 7 7 7 7 7	7 News	Ent. Tonight	2 Broke Girls (N)	Millers (N)	Scorpion "Rogue Element" (N)		NCIS: Los Angeles "The Grey Man" (N)		CBS 7 News	(:35) David Letterman	Jason Sudeikis	(:35) Late Late (N)
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KPEJ	FOX 8 5 5 8 3	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Gotham "Harvey Dent" (N)		Sleepy Hollow "Mama" (N)		Modern Family	Modern Family	Hot in Cleveland	Hot in Cleveland	Met Your Mother	Met Your Mother
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KWES	NBC 9 9 9 9 9	NewsWest 9 at 6 p.m.		The Voice "Live Top 12 Performances" The top 12 artists perform live in front of coaches. (N)				State of Affairs "Pilot" (P) (N)		NewsWest 9 at 10	(:35) Jimmy Fallon		(:35) Seth Meyers
KPBT	PBS 13 13 13 8	PBS NewsHour		Antiques Rd. "Miami Beach (Hour Three)"		Antiques Roadshow "Madison (Hour Two)"		Independent Lens "Happiness" (N)		Charlie Rose (N)	Tavis Smiley (N)		Tavis Smiley
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FLIX	340 65 165	(5:15) Outside Pr...		What's the Worst That Cou... (:45) What About Bob? Bill Murray.								Homegrown	
HBO	300 68 14 14	Switch ('13, Act) Dwayne Johnson.		Banksy Does New York				Foo Fighters		Get On	Comeback	Movie	
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SHOW	320 66 19 140 25	(5:00) The Longue...		Homeland		The Affair		Homeland		The Affair	Therapy		DaneCook
TMC	336 67 22 155 26	(5:30) The Last Ex...		Lawless ('12, Cri) Tom Hardy.						Hustle and Flow Terrence Howard.		Belly NAS.	
A&E	27 32 28 35 47	The First 48 "Desperate Moves"		First 48 "For a Quick Buck/ Bloody Sunday"		The First 48 (N)		Godfather/Pittsburgh "Bad Blood" (N)		Godfather/Pittsburgh "Bad Blood"		First 48 "For a Quick Buck/ Bloody Sunday"	
AMC	40 21 23 42 51	(4:00) Van Helsing		Fantastic 4: Rise of the Silver Surfer						Fantastic 4: Rise of the Silver Surfer		Deja Vu	
BET	58 26 40	Joyful Noise ('12, Com) Queen Latifah, Dolly Parton.								Barbershop ('02, Com) Ice Cube.		Wendy Williams	
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CNBC	46 45 39 72	Marijuana USA		Shark Tank		The Profit Social				The Profit Social (N)	The Profit "Eco-Me"		American Greed
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FAMILY	53 54 34 42 33	Billy Madison Adam Sandler.				Bruce Almighty Jim Carrey.				The 700 Club		Accepted	
FNC	45 58 53 23 55	On the Record		The Kelly File				Hannity		The O'Reilly Factor		The Kelly File	
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HALLMARK	54 49 58 34	(5:00) Meet the Sa...		Hitched for the Holidays Joey Lawrence.						The Christmas Spirit Nicolette Sheridan.		The Santa Switch	
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MSNBC	47 51 49 73	Hardball		All in With C. Hayes		Rachel Maddow				The Last Word		All in With C. Hayes		Rachel Maddow	
NBCSN	38 39	Fighting Champs (N)		MixedMartialArts World Series of Fighting 13						MixedMartialArts World Series of Fighting 15		ISU Speed Skating	
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SPIKE	30 22 55 53 58	Troy (2004, Action) Orlando Bloom, Eric Bana, Brad Pitt.										Gladiator ('00, Epic) Russell Crowe.	
SYFY	66 64 41 57 67	Ghost Hunters		Ghost Hunters		Ghost Hunters				Ghost Hunters		(:05) The Hidden	
TBS	25 11 44 66 41	Seinfeld	Seinf. "The Comeback"	Family Guy	Family Guy	American Dad	American Dad	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Conan (N)		Childrens Hospital	Conan
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TLC	51 33 32 38 52	90 Day Fiancé "I'm Home America!"		Day Fiancé "Watch You Like a Hawk"		90 Day Fiancé "Touchdown!"				90 Day Fiancé "Mo' Money, Mo Problems"		90 Day Fiancé "I'm Home America!"		Day Fiancé "Watch You Like a Hawk"	
TNT	24 23 40 26 50	Castle "Dreamworld"		Castle "Need to Know"		Castle "Number One Fan"				Transporter "The General's Daughter"		(:05) Transporter: The Series "City of Love"		(:05) Law & Order "Personae Non Grata"	
TVLAND	49 48 35 54 35	Hogan	(:40) Hogan	(:20) Family Feud		Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Queens	Queens	Queens		Queens		Friends	Friends
USA	26 30 42 27 49	NCIS "Prime Suspect"		WWE Monday Night Raw								(:05) Chrisley	(:35) Chrisley	(:05) Law&Order: SVU "Closure: Part II"	
WGN	19 18	America's Funniest Home Videos		America's Funniest Home Videos		America's Funniest home Videos		America's Funniest Home Videos		Met Your Mother	Met Your Mother	Rules of Engage.	Rules of Engage.		

RENOVATED PLAYGROUND

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Leighton Haver, 3, climbs on part of the new playground at C.J. Kelly Park on Nov. 8 as part of the Love Your Park Day around Midland.



Jackson Yacob, 7, plays on part of the new playground.

Midland residents recently had the opportunity to visit six renovated playgrounds during the city of Midland's Parks and Recreation Division's Progressive Playground Party.

The event coincided with Love Your Parks Day and kicked off at C.J. Kelly Park. Other parks renovated were Cowden Park, Hidalgo Park, Dunagan Park, Garrett-Brown Park and Hill Park.

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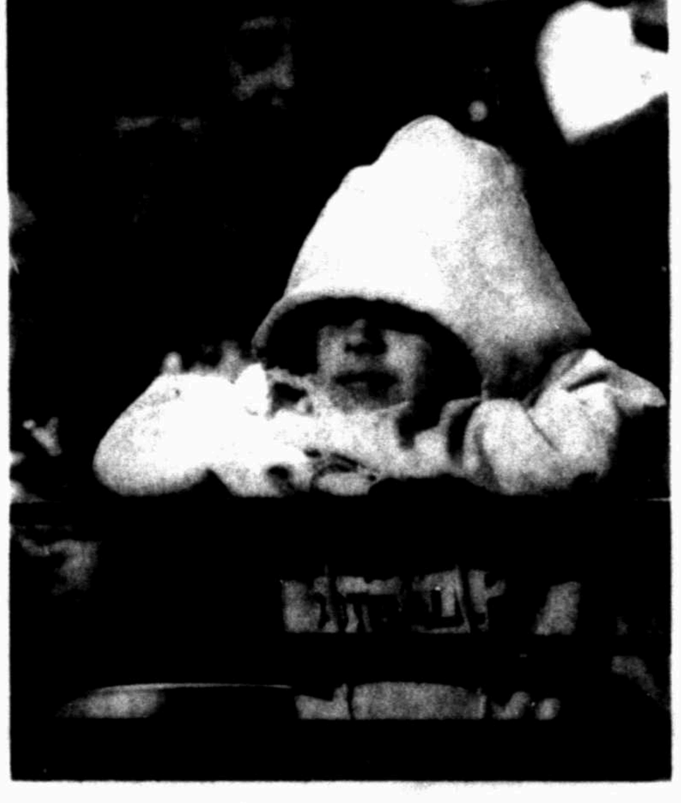


A Night at the Game: MHS vs. Lee

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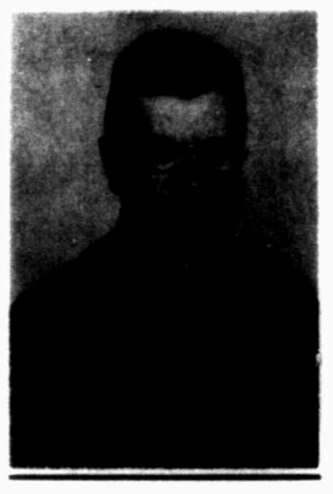


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AUDIO ACOUSTICS

Have your hearing aids checked now— before you travel

By Orland Purcell, Au. D., CCC-A



ORLAND PURCELL, AU. D.

With the holidays approaching, you may be planning to travel. Here are some tips regarding traveling with hearing aids.

Have your hearing aid checked *before* you leave. There may be debris in the microphone port or in the receiver tube where the sound comes out. Also make sure you don't have excess wax in your ears. Do this well before you plan to leave, *not* the day before the holiday—the office is probably booked, and that leaves no time for any needed repairs.

Take extra batteries, and keep them in your purse or carry-on bag. Don't leave them in the glove compartment or anywhere that they'll get cold or hot.

Take a spare hearing aid if you have one. Hearing aids can go out suddenly, and you may not have repair service available. Bring a brush to clean the hearing aid and a kit to remove moisture from them. These kits are available in our office.

Finally, get a travel pouch or case. Do not wrap your hearing aid in a tissue—then accidentally throw it away later!

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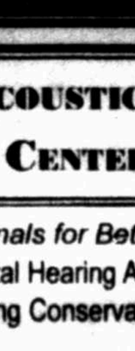
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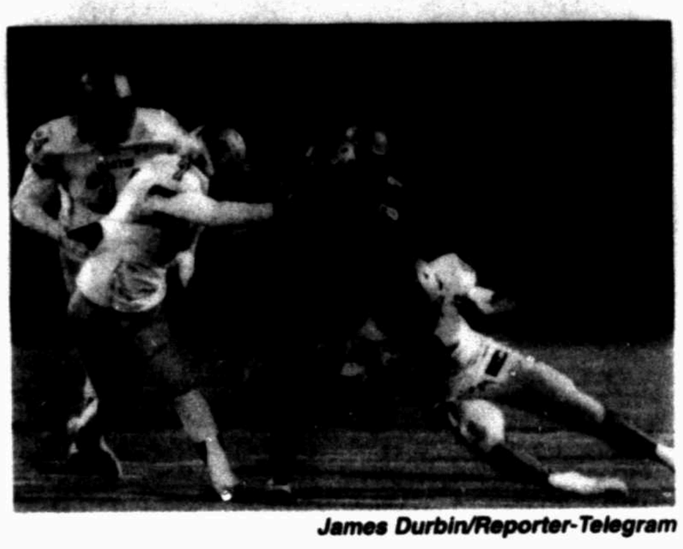


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MHS has interesting 2014 and reason to look ahead to 2015



James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Midland High's Matt Gallegos, center, is brought down by Arlington Martin's Josh Watson, left, and Brandon Dillard, right, on Friday at Grande Communications Stadium.



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Playoff football has been foreign to Midland High for two seasons, and it cost the team Friday against Arlington Martin.

The Bulldogs were shocked early, and even a strong second-half performance could do little to scale what was a 30-0 deficit at the start of the third quarter. Arlington Martin moves on after a 43-14 win, and Midland High must wait another nine months for the next season to begin.

Still, it was quite the season for the Bulldogs. Here are my thoughts stemming Friday's loss, which will also look back at the entire 2014 season and forward into 2015.

Mistakes consistently harmed the team

Errors and mishaps happen in life and in football. A quarterback will throw an interception every once in a while, fumbles will happen for running backs and returners aren't always perfect. But those areas harmed Midland High all year, and each hurt the Bulldogs once again in the first quarter Friday.

Midland High surrendered a quick early touchdown to Arlington Martin, but they weren't out of the game at that point. Instead, it was two errors on the Bulldogs' opening drive, and another on the following possession that harmed MHS.

First, the Bulldogs' opening kick off return went all of one yard, as the returner fell on MHS' eight-yard line. Next, Ricky Hubert fumbled on the team's opening offensive snap, which resulted in a Martin field goal. Even that would have been OK, but on the next series, quarterback Ryan Goodrum threw an interception, which was promptly retuned for an 18-yard TD.

Each of these three areas plagued Midland High at some point this season, playing a large role in the team's stretch of five losses in six games.

Please see **SEASON**/4C

Home free at Homestead

Harvick claims 1st Sprint Cup title

By Jenna Fryer
Associated Press

HOMESTEAD, Fla. — Kevin Harvick charged through the field, picking off car after car, passing two other title contenders on a series of restarts. As he aggressively chased the victory and his first Sprint Cup title, it was clear that winning did indeed matter most in NASCAR's new championship formula.

Harvick won Sunday's season finale at Homestead-Miami Speedway with a desperate drive from 12th to first over the final 15 laps. He didn't have to win the race, he only had to finish higher than the other three title contenders in this revamped Chase for the Sprint Cup championship.

But nothing short of a win was going to get it done on a night in which Harvick, Denny Hamlin, Ryan Newman and Joey Logano all showed up determined to claim their first career championship.

"You had all the championship guys show up at the front of the pack," Harvick said. "I was just going to hold the pedal down and hope for the best."

The four drivers all found themselves racing each other at the front of the field after the sun went down on the 400-mile race. It was Hamlin, the Charlotte Hornets season-ticket holder who had Michael Jordan cheering from his pit, who seemed to have the race in control until a caution with 20 laps to go.

All four teams were forced to make tough strategy decisions that ultimately decided their fate.

Joe Gibbs Racing decided not to pit Hamlin, which moved him to second on the restart. Richard Childress Racing gave Ryan Newman two tires, while Harvick crew chief Rodney Childers made the risky call for four tires.

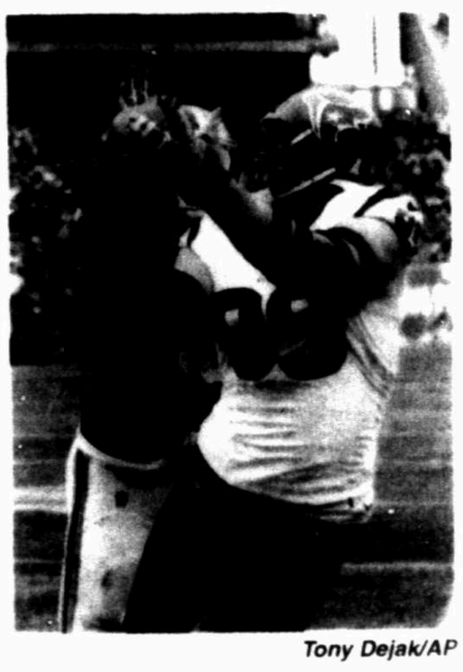
Team Penske also had planned to give Joey Logano four tires, but a problem with the jack destroyed Logano's chances and he plummeted

Please see **HARVICK**/5C



Terry Renna/AP

Kevin Harvick celebrates winning the NASCAR Sprint Cup championship on Sunday, in Homestead, Fla.



Tony Dejak/AP

Houston's J.J. Watt (99) catches a touchdown pass in front of Cleveland's inside Christian Kirksey (58) in the first quarter Sunday in Cleveland

Watt dominates as Texans down Browns

Texans	23
Browns	

By Tom Withers
Associated Press

CLEVELAND — Once he finished ransacking Cleveland's offense, J.J. Watt met Browns quarterback Brian Hoyer near midfield and gave him a hug.

They became close Sunday. Too close for Hoyer.

Watt nearly beat Cleveland himself, catching a 2-yard touchdown pass from Ryan Mallett, dominating on defense and leading the Houston Texans to a 23-7 win over the Browns on Sunday.

Houston's indomitable No. 99 was everywhere. Along with scoring his fourth TD this season, he recorded a strip sack, made five tackles — three for a loss — recovered a fumble and hurried Hoyer into several bad throws. Watt was unstoppable, providing more proof he's the NFL's best defensive player.

"It was a productive day," he said nonchalantly.

Browns coach Mike Pettine couldn't say enough about Watt.

"He's a special player," he said. "You run to him. You run away from him. You try to do different things. He's an excellent player."

Mallett threw a pair of TD passes and finished with 211 yards in his first career start. The four-year veteran was promoted during the bye week after the Texans (5-5) benched Ryan Fitzpatrick, and Mallett delivered a needed spark.

So did rookie running back Alfred Blue. He filled in for injured star Arian Foster (groin) and gained 156 yards on a franchise-record 36 carries.

"It feels good," said Mallett, a former third-round pick in 2011 who spent three seasons backing up Tom Brady in New England. "It made the

Please see **TEXANS**/3C

No. 5 TCU escapes upset bid, awaits playoff fate

By Dave Skretta
Associated Press

LAWRENCE, Kan. — Gary Patterson insisted TCU wasn't after any style points from the college football playoff selection committee on Saturday. All the Horned Frogs wanted was a win.

They got that. They didn't get much else.

After spending most of a frigid afternoon trailing perennial Big 12 cellar-dweller Kansas, the Horned Frogs needed a spirited second-half comeback to squeeze out a 34-30 victory. And while it kept them in contention for the four-team playoff, it may have knocked them out for now.

The new rankings will be released Tuesday night.

"I can't control any of that," said Patterson, whose team only has Texas and Iowa State left on the schedule. "The best thing for us is to win out, be 11-1, be (Big 12) co-champion, and then we'll let the chips fall where they do. There's still a lot of football left to play."

The remaining schedule is both good and bad — good in that the Horned Frogs face two teams they'll be favored to beat, bad in that it doesn't give them another shot at a marquee win.

That's why nobody could blame the fifth-ranked Horned Frogs (9-1, 6-1, No. 4 CFP) for piling up those style points. After all, a blowout win over a team such as Kansas tends to look a whole lot more impressive than scuffling to a lackluster victory.

"We have no control on what the playoff committee has to say," TCU wide receiver Ty Slanina said. "I think their decision is going to come out right."

Already, its decisions have generated some controversy. The Horned Frogs were fourth in the committee's

Please see **FATE**/5C



Orlin Wagner/AP

TCU quarterback Trevone Boykin (2) avoids a tackle by Kansas linebacker Michael Reynolds (55) on Saturday in Lawrence, Kan.

DAILY RUNDOWN

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TODAY

WHAT'S ON TV

BASEBALL

Japan Series, Game 5, 4 a.m., MLB

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Texas Southern at Indiana, 5 p.m., BTN

UMES at Villanova, 6 p.m., FS1

Miami (FL) at Louisville, 6 p.m., ESPNU

Bucknell at Michigan, 7 p.m., BTN

Washington State at TCU, 7 p.m., FSSWP

UMKC at Kansas State, 7 p.m., FCSA

Binghamton at Providence, 8 p.m., FS1

Georgia State at Iowa State, 8 p.m., ESPNU

Western Carolina at Alabama, 8 p.m., SEC

Bethune-Cookman at Arizona State, 8 p.m., P12

SMU at Gonzaga, 10 p.m., ESPN2

Detroit at Oregon, 10 p.m., ESPNU

Tennessee Tech at USC, 10 p.m., P12

Auburn at Colorado, Midnight, ESPN2

New Mexico State at Saint Mary's, 2 a.m., ESPN2

High Point at Hawaii, 4 a.m., ESPN2

MEN'S SOCCER

Japan vs. Australia, 4:15 a.m., ESPNDEP

NBA

Dallas at Charlotte, 6 p.m., FSSW

Denver at Cleveland, 6 p.m., NBATV

Philadelphia at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m., FSSWP

Chicago at LA Clippers, 9:30 p.m., NBATV

NFL

Pittsburgh at Tennessee, 7:30 p.m., ESPN/ESPNDEP

WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Baylor at Kentucky, 6 p.m., ESPN2

Connecticut at Stanford, 8 p.m., ESPN2

WHAT'S ON DECK

TODAY

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS BASKETBALL

Amarillo High at Midland Christian, 7 p.m.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

AP TOP 25

	Record	Pts	Pv
1 Florida State	9-1	1476	1
2 Alabama	8-1	1404	2
3 Oregon	9-1	1434	4
4 Mississippi State	8-1	1299	5
5 TCU	9-1	1237	5
6 Baylor	8-1	1232	6
7 Ohio State	8-1	1228	7
8 Mississippi	8-1	1041	10
9 Michigan State	8-1	1030	12
10 Georgia	8-2	981	14
11 Kansas State	8-2	880	13
12 UCLA	8-2	862	15
13 Arizona	8-2	796	16
14 Arizona State	8-2	721	8
15 Wisconsin	8-2	715	17
16 Georgia Tech	8-2	611	23
17 Auburn	7-2	508	9
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2 Alabama	8-1	494	2
3 Oregon	9-1	434	4
4 Mississippi State	8-1	296	5
5 TCU	9-1	1279	5
6 Baylor	8-1	1272	6
7 Ohio State	8-1	1228	7
8 Mississippi	8-1	1041	10
9 Michigan State	8-1	1030	12
10 Georgia	8-2	981	14
11 Kansas State	8-2	880	13
12 UCLA	8-2	862	15
13 Arizona	8-2	796	16
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STATEWIDE HS FOOTBALL PAIRINGS

FROM STAFF & WIRE REPORTS

CLASS 6A DIVISION I
Region I
Bi-District

Amarillo Tascosa 31, Eff Franklin 28
Odessa Permian 31, Arlington Houston 7
Plano West 66, Keller 41
Euless Trinity 32, South Grand Prairie 29 OT
Amarillo 41, Eff El Dorado 27
Arlington Martin 43, Midland 14
Allen 59, Keller Central 21
DeSoto 51, Coppell 35

Area

Amarillo Tascosa (9-2) vs. Odessa Permian (8-3), 1 p.m. Saturday, Lubbock's Lowrey Field

Plano West (9-2) vs. Euless Trinity (10-1) 5 p.m. Saturday, Arlington's AT&T Stadium
Amarillo (10-1) vs. Arlington Martin (9-2) 7 p.m. Friday, Wichita Falls
Allen (11-0) vs. DeSoto (10-1), 11 a.m. Saturday, Arlington's AT&T Stadium

Region II
Bi-District

Dallas Skyline 41, Richardson Lake Highlands 14
Belton 50, Garland 27
Round Rock 16, Austin Westlake 14
Klein Collins 38, Conroe Oak Ridge 20
Mesquite Horn 48, Irving MacArthur 34
Garland Rowlett 33, Killeen Shoemaker 6
Austin Bowie 33, Round Rock Cedar Ridge 21
Klein Oak 38, The Woodlands 20

Area

Dallas Skyline (11-0) vs. Belton (6-5) 2:30 p.m. Saturday, Waco ISD Stadium
Round Rock (10-1) vs. Klein Collins (10-1) 2 p.m. Saturday, Waller
Mesquite Horn (10-1) vs. Garland Rowlett (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Dallas Cotton Bowl
Austin Bowie (9-2) vs. Klein Oak (8-3), 2 p.m. Saturday, A&M Consolidated

Region III
Bi-District

Cypress Ranch 52, Aldine 0
Katy Cinco Ranch 56, Houston Bellaire 38
Galena Park North Shore 38, Pasadena Dobie 17
League City Clear Springs 28, Alief Elsik 21
Cypress Fairbanks 31, Aldine Eisenhower 3
Houston Lamar 38, Katy Seven Lakes 31
Pearland 41, Deer Park 12
Dickinson 49, Alief Taylor 7

Area

Cypress Ranch (9-2) vs. Katy Cinco Ranch (9-2), 7 p.m. Friday, Cypress Berry Center
Galena Park North Shore (11-0) vs. League City Clear Springs (6-5), 7 p.m. Friday, Galena Park ISD Stadium
Cypress Fairbanks (8-3) vs. Houston Lamar (10-1), 7 p.m. Friday, Houston's Pridgeon Stadium
Pearland (10-1) vs. Dickinson (11-0), 7 p.m. Friday, Deer Park

Region IV
Bi-District

Converse Judson 28, SA Churchill 10
SA Northside O'Connor 49, SA Southwest 14
Laredo United 62, La Joya 7
Weslaco 3, Harlingen 0
SA Reagan 21, Smithson Valley 14
SA Northside Stevens 51, SA East Central 22
Del Rio 35, McAllen Memorial 20
Los Fresnos 42, Edinburg North 7

Area

Converse Judson (7-4) vs. SA Northside O'Connor (8-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday, SA's Alamo Stadium
Laredo United (7-4) vs. Weslaco (7-4), 7 p.m. Saturday, SA's Alamo Stadium
SA Reagan (10-1) vs. SA Northside Stevens (8-3), 4 p.m. Saturday, SA's Edmondson
Del Rio (6-4) vs. Los Fresnos (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, CC Calallen

CLASS 6A DIVISION II
Region I
Bi-District

Lubbock Monterey 48, EP Americas 21
San Angelo Central 55, Arlington Bowie 52 2OT
Denton Guyer 59, Plano 28
Southlake Carroll 38, Mansfield 31
Wolfforth Frenship 52, EP Eastwood 21
Abilene 31, Arlington Lamar 13
McKinney Boyd 42, Keller Fossil Ridge 23
Cedar Hill 50, Colleyville Heritage 26

Area

Lubbock Monterey (5-6) vs. San Angelo Central (10-1), 4 p.m. Friday, Midland's Grande Stadium

Denton Guyer (10-1) vs. Southlake Carroll (11-0), 8 p.m. Saturday, Arlington's AT&T Stadium
Wolfforth Frenship (9-2) vs. Abilene (8-3), 7 p.m. Friday, Lubbock's Lowrey Field
McKinney Boyd (8-3) vs. Cedar Hill (9-2), 2 p.m. Saturday, Arlington's AT&T Stadium

Region II
Bi-District

Dallas Jesuit 59, Richardson Pearce 7
Rockwall 70, Copperas Cove 42
Pflugerville Hendrickson 56, Austin High 14
Spring Westfield 49, The Woodlands College Park 21
Dallas Highland Park 49, Irving Nimitz 17
Waco Midway 76, Tyler Lee 47
Lake Travis 54, Leander Rouse 7
Spring JR Humble Atascocita 26

Area

Dallas Jesuit (8-3) vs. Rockwall (11-0), 1 p.m. Saturday, Wylie
Pflugerville Hendrickson (8-3) vs. Spring Westfield (10-1), 2 p.m. Saturday, Brenham
Dallas Highland Park (10-1) vs. Waco Midway (11-0), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Waco Midway
Lake Travis (10-1) vs. Spring (8-3), 2 p.m. Saturday, Bryan HS

Region III
Bi-District

Houston Memorial 21, Houston Langham Creek 14
Katy 73, Houston Westside 7
Pearland Dawson 35, La Porte 28
Friendswood 35, Fort Bend Marshall 29
Cypress Woods 66, Aldine Davis 15
Katy Taylor 37, Houston Reagan 15
Manvel 45, Beaumont West Brook 22
Fort Bend Travis 34, League City Clear Creek 29

Area

Houston Memorial (8-3) vs. Katy (10-1), 7 p.m. Friday, Houston's Tully Stadium
Pearland Dawson (7-4) vs. Friendswood (8-3), 2:30 p.m. Saturday, Houston's Rice Stadium
Cypress Woods (7-4) vs. Katy Taylor (8-3), 1 p.m. Saturday, Cypress Berry Center
Manvel (11-0) vs. Fort Bend Travis (7-4), 7 p.m. Friday, Houston's TDECU Stadium

Region IV
Bi-District

Cibolo Steele 70, SA MacArthur 21
SA Northside Brennan 29, CC King 0
La Joya Palmview 21, SA Northside 17
Weslaco East 42, San Benito 14
SA Johnson 21, Schertz Clemens 7
SA Northside Brandeis 63, CC Carroll 14
McAllen 18, Laredo Alexander 14
Brownsville Rivera 49, PSJA North 42

Area

Cibolo Steele (10-1) vs. SA Northside Brennan (11-0), 8 p.m. Saturday, SA's Alamodome
La Joya Palmview (7-3-1) vs. Weslaco East (10-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, La Joya
SA Johnson (6-4) vs. SA Northside Brandeis (10-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, SA's Alamodome
McAllen (8-3) vs. Brownsville Rivera (6-5), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Brownsville's Sams Stadium

CLASS 5A DIVISION I
Region I
Bi-District

EP Andress 42, EP Bel Air 14
Canyon Randall 34, Abilene Cooper 27
WF Rider 35, Grapevine 21
FW Arlington Heights 70, Burleson Centennial 28
EP Del Valle 42, EP Chapin 35
Amarillo Palo Duro 31, Plainview 28
Denton 40, N. Richland Hills Birdville 33
Aledo 69, FW Trimble Tech 0

Area

EP Andress (9-2) vs. Canyon Randall (10-1), noon Saturday, Canyon's Kimbrough Stadium
WF Rider (7-4) vs. FW Arlington Heights (11-0), 7 p.m. Friday, Mineral Wells
EP Del Valle (10-1) vs. Amarillo Palo Duro (7-4), 4 p.m. Saturday, Midland's Grande Stadium
Denton ,8-3) vs. Aledo (10-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Justin Northwest

Region II
Bi-District

McKinney North 24, Frisco Wakeland 21, OT
West Mesquite 34, Carrollton Creekview 20
Mansfield Lake Ridge 42, Dallas Kimball 17
Longview 43, Lufkin 42
Wylie 42, Frisco Centennial 31
Rockwall-Heath 48, Carrollton Smith 0
Mansfield Summit 56, Dallas Spruce 15
Tyler 58, Texarkana Texas 23

Area

McKinney North (9-2) vs. West Mesquite (9-2), 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Dallas Cotton Bowl
Mansfield Lake Ridge (7-4) vs. Longview (9-2), 3 p.m. Saturday, Tyler's Rose Stadium
Wylie (8-3) vs. Rockwall-Heath (9-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Plano's Clark Stadium
Mansfield Summitt (7-4) vs. Tyler (9-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Rockwall

Region III
Bi-District

Temple 58, A&M Consolidated 14
Houston Stratford 48, Houston Waltrip 0
Houston King 48, Beaumont Central 15
Fort Bend Ridge Point 27, Richmond Foster 18
Bryan 48, Manor 27
Magnolia West 45, Houston Madison 36
Humble Kingwood Park 31, Nederland 24
Richmond George Ranch 35, Fort Bend Elkins 20

Area

Temple (9-1) vs. Houston Stratford (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Bryan HS
Houston King (10-1) vs. Fort Bend Ridge Point (11-0), 2 p.m. Saturday, Galena Park ISD Stadium
Bryan (9-1) vs. Magnolia West (6-5), 7 p.m. Friday, Waller
Humble Kingwood Park (7-4) vs. Richmond George Ranch (10-1), 7 p.m. Saturday, Cypress Berry Center

Region IV
Bi-District

Austin LBJ 26, Cedar Park Vista Ridge 21
SA Alamo Heights 48, SA Harlandale 17
Victoria West 67, Uvalde 28
Edinburg Vela 49, PSJA 13
Austin Vandegrift 63, Austin McCallum 42
Lockhart 42, Breckenridge 21
CC Flour Bluff 42, SA Southside 21
Mission Memorial 17, Donna 0

Area

Austin LBJ (9-2) vs. SA Alamo Heights (9-2), 2:30 p.m. Saturday, San Marcos' Bobcat Stadium
Victoria West (9-2) vs. Edinburg Vela (10-1), 2 p.m. Saturday, Texas A&M-Kingsville
Austin Vandegrift (9-2) vs. Lockhart (7-4), noon Saturday, Austin's Reeves Complex
CC Flour Bluff (11-0) vs. Mission Memorial (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Flour Bluff

CLASS 5A DIVISION II
Region I
Bi-District

Canutillo 63, EP Ysleta 28
San Angelo Lake View 26, Canyon 21
Azle 73, FW Dunbar 24
Burleson 37, FW South Hills 21
EP Eastlake 41, EP Bowie 7
Lubbock Cooper 45, Hereford 14
Wichita Falls 31, Lake Dallas 14
Everman 51, FW Wyatt 12

Area

Canutillo (10-1) vs. San Angelo Lake View (5-6), 6:30 p.m. Friday, Fort Stockton
Azle (10-1) vs. Burleson (6-5), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Mike's Brodelle Complex
Eastlake (8-3) vs. Lubbock Cooper (8-3), 2 p.m. Saturday, Pecos
Wichita Falls (8-3) vs. Everman (7-4), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Denton's Collins Complex

Region II
Bi-District

Frisco Heritage 77, Wylie East 63
Terrell 30, Dallas Hillcrest 22
Dallas South Oak Cliff 37, Lancaster 34
Marshall 67, Nacogdoches 42
Lewisville The Colony 24, Lucas Lovejoy 13
Mesquite Poteet 36, Dallas Wilson 0
Mansfield Timberview 10, Seagoville 6
Ennis 52, Sulphur Springs 47

Area

Frisco Heritage (9-2) vs. Terrell (8-3), 7 p.m. Friday, Dallas Wildcat-Ram Stadium
Dallas South Oak Cliff (8-3) vs. Marshall (7-4), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Tyler's Rose Stadium
Lewisville The Colony (8-3) vs. Mesquite Poteet (10-1), 7 p.m. Saturday, Dallas Cotton Bowl
Mansfield Timberview (10-1) vs. Ennis (9-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Mansfield's Newsom Stadium

Region III
Bi-District

Elgin 24, Huntsville 20
Brenham 61, Houston Yates 12
Pearland 41, Beaumont Ozen 24
Port Lavaca Calhoun 30, Fort Bend Marshall 14
Hutto 56, College Station 52
Waller 17, Houston North Forest 14
Dayton 56, Port Neches-Groves 44
Angleton 33, Texas City 7

Area

Elgin (7-4) vs. Brenham (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Shenandoah's Woodforest Stadium
Crosby (10-1) vs. Port Lavaca Calhoun (6-5), noon Saturday, SA's Alamodome
Hutto (9-2) vs. Waller (8-3), 7 p.m. Friday, Brenham
Dayton (8-3) vs. Angleton (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, League City's Memorial Stadium

Region IV
Bi-District

Cedar Park 68, Austin Regan 0
Boerne-Champion 57, SA Edison 14
CC Calallen 57, Somerset 14
Mission Sharyland 29, Edcouch-Elsa 0
Georgetown East View 31, Bas. Isp 0
Kerrville Tivy 54, SA Houston 7
Gregory-Portland 40, Castroville Medina Valley 21
Roma 28, Mercedes 21, OT

Area

Cedar Park (8-3) vs. Boerne Champion (11-0), 7:30 p.m. Friday, San Marcos Rattler Stadium
CC Calallen (7-4) vs. Mission Sharyland (10-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Texas A&M-Kingsville
Georgetown East View (9-2) vs. Kerrville Tivy (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, San Marcos' Bobcat Stadium
Gregory-Portland (7-4) vs. Roma (6-4-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Laredo's Johnson Complex

CLASS 4A DIVISION I
Region I
Bi-District

Lubbock Estacado 68, Clint Mountain View 7
Stephenville 66, Decatur 64
Andrews 61, Borger 20
Big Spring 35, Gainesville 17
Abilene Wylie 44, WF Hirsch 0
Levelland 54, Clint 18
Graham 52, Brownwood 11
Seminole 35, Fabens 0

Area

Lubbock Estacado (9-2) vs. Stephenville (7-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Abilene's Shotwell Stadium
Andrews (10-1) vs. Big Spring (8-2), 7 p.m. Friday, Odessa's Ratliff Stadium
Abilene Wylie (9-2) vs. Levelland (5-6), 8 p.m. Friday, Midland's Grande Stadium
Graham (9-2) vs. Seminole (5-6), 7 p.m. Friday, Graham

Region II
Bi-District

Kennedale 62, Wilmer-Hutchins 20
Athens 47, Pittsburg 27
Argyle 70, Lake Worth 7
Kaufman 42, Princeton 35
Texarkana Liberty-Eylau 48, Wills Point 19
Carrollton Ranchview 44, Alvarado 34
Paris 31, Van 23
Sanger 31, Springtown 21

Area

Kennedale (11-0) vs. Athens (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Forney
Argyle (11-0) vs. Kaufman (5-6), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Carrollton's Standridge Stadium
Texarkana Liberty-Eylau (6-5) vs. Carrollton Ranchview (9-2), 7 p.m. Thursday, Royse City
Paris (7-4) vs. Sanger (9-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Denison

Region III
Bi-District

Henderson 48, Silsbee 22
West Columbia 57, Houston Wheatley 0
Jasper 34, Kilgore 6
Stafford 33, Sealy 3
Navasota 55, Needville 15
Tyler Chapel Hill 67, Huffman Hargrave 43
El Campo 49, Houston Furr 6
Carthage 10, Little Cypress-Mauriceville 0

Area

Henderson (9-2) vs. West Columbia (10-1), 2 p.m. Saturday, New Caney
Jasper (8-3) vs. Stafford (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Beaumont's Thomas Center
Navasota (11-0) vs. Tyler Chapel Hill (6-5), 7 p.m. Friday, Conroe's Moorhead Stadium
El Campo (10-1) vs. Carthage (6-5), 7:30 p.m. Friday, New Caney

Region IV
Bi-District

Fischer Canyon Lake 59, Waco La Vega 26
Rockport-Fulton 52, Zapata 16
Liberty Hill 51, China Spring 22
Gonzales 41, La Feria 13
La Vernia 60, Rio Grande City Grulla 20
Robinson 45, Boerne 21
Kingsville King 23, Pleasanton 0
Burnet 42, Taylor 10

Area

Fischer Canyon Lake (5-6) vs. Rockport-Fulton (8-3), 3:30 p.m. Friday, SA's Alamodome
Liberty Hill (8-2) vs. Gonzales (5-6), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Buda
La Vernia (10-1) vs. Robinson (7-4), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Austin's Reeves Complex
Kingsville King (7-4) vs. Burnet (9-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday, SA's Comalander Stadium

CLASS 4A DIVISION II
Region I
Bi-District

Vernon 43, Fort Stockton 18
Krum 40, Dallas Lincoln 6
Sweetwater 50, Perryton 13
Bridgeport 35, Ferris 14
Celina 67, Dallas Madison 2
Monahans 84, Bushland 39
Venus 27, Anna 20
Iowa Park 35, Midland Greenwood 20

Area

Vernon (7-4) vs. Krum (7-4), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Bowie
Sweetwater (11-0) vs. Bridgeport (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Stephenville
Celina (9-2) vs. Monahans (7-4), 7 p.m. Friday, Brownwood
Venus (5-6) vs. Iowa Park (7-4), 2 p.m. Saturday, site TBD

Region II
Bi-District

Gilmer 50, Texarkana Pleasant Grove 7
Waco Connally 35, Madisonville 7
Gladewater Newsday Community 14
Fairfield 24, Shepherd 16
Cleveland Tarkington 27, Mexia 24
Atlanta 55, Bullard 34
Coldspring-Oakhurst 28, Lorena 21
Tatum 49, Bullard 15

Area

Gilmer (11-0) vs. Waco Connally (7-4), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Mesquite's Hanby Stadium
Gladewater (10-1) vs. Fairfield (9-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Longview's Lobo Stadium
Cleveland Tarkington (7-4) vs. Atlanta (10-1), 2 p.m. Saturday, Lindale
Coldspring-Oakhurst (9-2) vs. Tatum (6-5), 6 p.m. Saturday, Lufkin

Region III
Bi-District

West Orange-Stark 64, Houston Scarborough 0
Giddings 31, Wharton 14
La Marque 45, Hamshire-Fannett 27
Sweeny 32, Caldwell 27
La Grange 35, Columbus 0
Orangefield 49, Houston Kashmere 35
Bellville 24, Smithville 7
Sour Lake Hardin-Jefferson 48, Houston Worthing 6

Area

West Orange-Stark (9-2) vs. Giddings (7-4), 7 p.m. Friday, Humble's Turner Stadium
La Marque (10-1) vs. Sweeny (7-4), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Alvin
La Grange (11-0) vs. Orangefield (7-4), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Katy's Rhodes Stadium
Bellville(10-1) vs. Sour Lake Hardin-Jefferson (10-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Houston's Thorne Stadium

Region IV
Bi-District

Geronimo Navarro 51, Garrizo Springs 20
Cuero 55, Rio Hondo 14
Devine 28, Lytle 12
Yoakum 44, Raymondville 27
Sinton 52, Port Isabel 22
Hondo 30, Crystal City 13
Orange Grove 56, Ingleside 14
Wimberley 48, Pearsall 0

Area

Geronimo Navarro (10-1) vs. Cuero (9-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday, SA's Heroes Stadium
Devine (8-3) vs. Yoakum (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, New Braunfels
Sinton (8-3) vs. Hondo (6-5), 7:30 p.m. Friday, La Grange
Orange Grove (10-1) vs. Wimberley (7-3), 2 p.m. Saturday, Converse's Rutledge Stadium

CLASS 3A DIVISION I
Region I
Bi-District

Muleshoe 31, Kermit 7
Breckenridge 23, Clyde 16
Shallowater 42, Frona 6
Boyd 33, Brady 12
Wall 30, Ponder 7
Brownfield 35, Childress 28
Brock 57, Bangs 13
Denver City 28, Littlefield 27

Area

Muleshoe (8-3) vs. Breckenridge (6-5), 7 p.m. Thursday, Snyder
Shallowater (10-1) vs. Boyd (5-6), 2 p.m. Saturday, Abilene's Shotwell Stadium
Wall (10-1) vs. Brownfield (7-4), 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Odessa's Ratliff Stadium
Brock (10-1) vs. Denver City (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, San Angelo Stadium

Region II
Bi-District

Pottsboro 44, Caddo Mills 13
Redwater 21, White Oak 18
Whitesboro 47, Sunnyvale 39
Winnsboro 28, Gladewater Sabine 17
New Boston 28, Jefferson 21
Pilot Point 50, Red Oak Life 27
Mineola 52, Pattonville Prairiland 14
Commerce 22, Farmersville 7

Area

Pottsboro (10-1) vs. Redwater (6-5), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Emory Rains HS
Whitesboro (3-8) vs. Winnsboro (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Greenville
New Boston (10-1) vs. Pilot Point (9-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Texas A&M-Commerce
Mineola (8-3) vs. Commerce (7-4), 2 p.m. Saturday, Royse City

Region III
Bi-District

Whitney 42, Lago Vista 14
Kirbyville 37, Elkhart 7
Rockdale 48, Comanche 18
Buna 34, Malakoff 24
Teague 76, Kountze 42
Cameron Yoe 41, Glen Rose 21
East Chambers 41, Palestine Westwood 7
Little River Academy 24, McGregor 21

Area

Whitney (10-1) vs. Kirbyville (10-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, College Station HS
Rockdale (10-1) vs. Buna (10-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Klein
Teague (11-0) vs. Cameron Yoe (7-4), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Waco ISD Stadium
East Chambers (10-1) vs. Little River Academy (7-4), 2 p.m. Saturday, Shenandoah's Woodforest Stadium

Region IV
Bi-District

Altair Rice 35, Comfort 28
Maths 38, Aransas Pass 28
Hempstead 32, Luling 0
Hallettsville 44, Lyford 6
Goliad 61, Santa Rosa 7
Edna 38, Universal City Randolph 22
San Diego 14, George West 6
Ingram Moore 51, Hitchcock 40

Area

Altair Rice (5-6) vs. Maths (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sinton
Hempstead (9-2) vs. Hallettsville (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Rosenberg
Goliad (10-1) vs. Edna (6-5), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Victoria
San Diego (9-2) vs. Ingram Moore (9-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Pearsall

CLASS 3A DIVISION II
Region I
Bi-District

Spearman 48, WF City View 7
Alpine 41, Colorado City 35
Cisco 53, Amarillo Highland Park 7
Post 62, San Angelo Grape Creek 21
Coleman 51, Crane 0
Eastland 30, Tulia 6
Sonora 35, Coahoma 18
Idalou 65, Hereford 13

Area

Spearman (11-0) vs. Alpine (6-5), 7 p.m. Friday, Brownfield
Cisco (11-0) vs. Post (8-3), 7 p.m. Friday, Sweetwater
Coleman (11-0) vs. Eastland (10-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Abilene's Moore Stadium
Sonora (8-3) vs. Idalou (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Midland Greenwood

Region II
Bi-District

Gunter 55, Edgewood 8
Arp 44, Hooks 0
Sadler S&S Consolidated 33, Lone Oak 28
Elysian Fields 36, Omaha Pewitt 30
Hughes Springs 49, New Diana 19
Howe 30, Cooper 20
Waskom 48, Linden-Kildare 26
Leonard 22, Alba-Golden 14, OT

Area

Gunter (10-1) vs. Arp (9-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Royse City
Sadler S&S Consolidated (5-6) vs. Elysian Fields (8-3), TBD
Hughes Springs (8-3) vs. Howe (6-5), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Van
Waskom (10-1) vs. Leonard (9-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Mount Pleasant

Region III
Bi-District

Clifton 44, Palmer 35
Crockett 34, Trinity 27
Rogers 35, Blooming Grove 13
Corrigan-Camden 38, Jewett Leon 8
Newton 46, New Waverly 6
Dublin 54, Corsicana Mildred 6
Franklin 57, Garrison 13
Maypearl 32, Jarrell 17

Area

Clifton (5-6) vs. Crockett (6-5), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Groesbeck
Rogers (9-2) vs. Corrigan-Camden (10-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, A&M Consolidated
Newton (8-3) vs. Dublin (7-4), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Buffalo
Franklin (9-1) vs. Maypearl (7-4), 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Waco ISD Stadium

Region IV
Bi-District

East Bernard 47, Stockdale 0
Cotulla 21, Santa Gertrudis Academy 14
Blanco 60, Boling 0
Tgll 37, Dilley 16
Odem 66, Freer 6
Karnes City 33, El Maton Tidehaven 32, OT
Hebbronville 33, Banquete 26
Van Vleck 46, Nixon-Smiley 7

Area

East Bernard (10-1) vs. Cotulla (6-5), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Converse's Rutledge Stadium
Blanco (11-0) vs. Taft (9-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday, SA's South Side Stadium
Odem (10-1) vs. Karnes City (10-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Beeville
Hebbronville (9-2) vs. Van Vleck (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, CC's Buccaneer Stadium

CLASS 2A DIVISION I
Region I
Bi-District

Canadian, bye
Windthorst 33, McCamey 12
Ozona, bye
Stratford 47, New Deal 10
Stamford, bye
Wellington 58, Floydada 20
Abernathy, bye
Hawley 40, Christoval 13

Area

Canadian (10-0) vs. Windthorst (7-4), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Vernon
Ozona (8-2) vs. Stratford (8-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Lubbock Cooper
Stamford (8-2) vs. Wellington (7-4), 7 p.m. Friday, Iowa Park
Abernathy (10-0) vs. Hawley (7-4), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Big Spring

Region II
Bi-District

Alvord, bye
Crawford 38, Goldthwaite 8
Hico, bye
Wolfe City 48, Valley View 7
Mart, bye
Bells 46, Clarksville 41
Quinlan Boles, bye
Tolar 32, Bosqueville 13

Area

Alvord (7-3) vs. Crawford (10-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Granbury
Hico (6-4) vs. Wolfe City (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Corsicana
Mart (10-0) vs. Bells (8-3), 6 p.m. Thursday, Waco's McLane Stadium
Quinlan Boles (7-3) vs. Tolar (9-2), 7 p.m. Friday, Alvarado

Region III
Bi-District

Gladewater Union Grove, bye
Lovelady 17, Kerens 16
Alto, bye
Ore City 46, Shelbyville 0
Centerville, bye
San Augustine 24, Harleton 13
Pineland West Sabine, bye
Price Carlisle 30, Groveton 13

Area

Gladewater Union Grove (10-0) vs. Lovelady (9-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Bullard
Alto (9-0) vs. Ore City (9-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday, New London
Centerville (7-3) vs. San Augustine (6-5), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Troup
Pineland West Sabine (8-2) vs. Price Carlisle (9-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Lufkin

Region IV
Bi-District

Thorndale, bye
Ben Bolt 33, Wemar 13
Refugio, bye
Johnson City 48, Thrall 7
Three Rivers, bye
Holland 35, Junction 6
Mason, bye
Shiner 63, CC London 0

Area

Thorndale (8-2) vs. Ben Bolt (9-2), 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Converse's Rutledge Stadium
Refugio (10-0) vs. Johnson City (9-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Pleasanville
Three Rivers (10-0) vs. Holland (9-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Seguin
Mason (10-0) vs. Shiner (10-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Round Rock's Dragon Stadium

CLASS 2A DIVISION II
Region I
Bi-District

Booker, bye
Quanah 46, Sundown 26
Crosbyton, bye
Sunray 21, Vega 14
Seagraves, bye
Garvin 41, Springlake-Earth 7
Farwell, bye
Memphis 26, Smyer 12

Area

Booker (10-0) vs. Quanah (8-3), 5 p.m. Friday, Amarillo River Road
Crosbyton (10-0) vs. Sunray (5-6), 7 p.m. Friday, Canyon's Kimbrough Stadium
Seagraves (10-0) vs. Gruver (9-2), 5 p.m. Saturday, Canyon's Kimbrough Stadium
Farwell (8-2) vs. Memphis (5-6), 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Pharaohs

Region II
Bi-District

Iraan, bye
Santo 47, Electra 20
Hamlin, bye
Wink 36, Roscoe 28
Winters, bye
Munday 47, Baird 0
Albany, bye
Miles 42, Eldorado 14

Area

Iraan (10-0) vs. Santo (10-1), 7 p.m. Friday, Snyder
Hamlin (10-0) vs. Wink (6-5), 7 p.m. Thursday, Sweetwater
Winters (9-1) vs. Munday (8-3), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Tuscola
Albany (10-0) vs. Miles (7-4), 7 p.m. Th

ROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

RAMS 22
BRONCOS 7

ST. LOUIS — Shaun Hill was effective in his first start since regaining the quarterback job and the St. Louis Rams defense made life miserable for Peyton Manning in a 22-7 victory over the AFC West-leading Denver Broncos on Sunday.

Rookie Tre Mason had 29 carries for 113 yards, the most allowed by the Broncos' top-ranked run defense.

Kenny Britt had four catches for 128 yards with a 63-yard score and Greg Zuerlein was a career-best 5 for 5 on field goals for the Rams (4-6).

Manning was 34 for 54 for 389 yards with two interceptions, but was held to a 42-yard touchdown pass to Emmanuel Sanders, ending a streak of 15 consecutive games with at least two touchdown passes.

The Broncos (7-3) were held to 28 yards rushing and failed twice on fourth down deep in St. Louis territory.

Manning threw incomplete from the 37 in the first quarter and rookie Aaron Donald's sack helped end a drive in the fourth quarter on fourth-and-4 from the 28.

CHIEFS 24
SEAHAWKS 20

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Kansas City stopped Seattle on fourth down three times late in the fourth quarter, holding on for a tense victory in a matchup of playoff contenders.

Jamaal Charles ran for 159 yards and two touchdowns, and Knile Davis also ran for a score, as the Chiefs (7-3) won their fifth straight game and moved into a tie for first in the AFC West.

Russell Wilson threw for 178 yards and two touchdowns, and Marshawn Lynch had 124 yards rushing for Seattle (6-4). But the Seahawks' star running back, fresh off a four-touchdown game, was stuffed twice by the Kansas City defense with the outcome hanging in the balance.

The Seahawks' last-chance drive ended when Wilson threw incomplete on fourth-and-18 at their 20-yard line with 1:13 left in the game.

PACKERS 53
EAGLES 20

GREEN BAY, Wis. — Aaron Rodgers passed for 341 yards and three touchdowns. Julius Peppers returned his second interception of the season for a score, and Green Bay's defense stuffed high-octane Philadelphia for a rout.

The matchup of NFC contenders quickly became a blowout with the Packers (7-3) racing out to a 30-6 halftime lead. Rodgers threw for two touchdowns in the first half, while Micah Hyde scored on a 75-yard punt return.

Peppers finished off the Eagles by returning Mark Sanchez's pass 52 yards for a 39-6 lead in the third quarter.

Philadelphia (7-3) was held to 11 points below its NFC-leading scoring average by a Packers defense rejuvenated since Clay Matthews moved to inside linebacker.

Green Bay's offense was in good hands again with Rodgers, who broke Tom Brady's NFL record of 288 straight passes at home without an interception.

CARDINALS 14
LIONS 6

GLENDALE, Ariz. — Drew Stanton threw touchdown passes to Michael Floyd on Arizona's first two possessions and the Cardinals held Detroit without a touchdown, beating the Lions in a matchup of teams with two of the best records in the NFC.

Stanton, starting after Carson Palmer was lost for the season with a knee injury, threw TD passes of 42 and 12 yards. After that, Arizona's offense stalled and Stanton threw two interceptions. But the Lions couldn't convert either turnover into a touchdown.

Arizona won its sixth in a row to improve to an NFL-best 9-1. The Cardinals, with their best record through 10 games since 1948, have a three-game lead over Seattle and San Francisco in the NFC West.

Detroit (7-3) was held without a touchdown for the first time this season.

49ERS 16
GIANTS 10

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — San Francisco rookie linebacker Chris Borland intercepted a fourth-down pass by Eli Manning at the 49ers 2 with 4:43 to play, capping a goal-line stand in a victory that sent error-plagued New York to its fifth straight loss.

Borland had two of the 49ers' five interceptions as the Niners (6-4) survived a game in which a big advantage in time of possession and takeaways did not translate into a blowout on the scoreboard.

Colin Kaepernick threw a 48-yard touchdown pass to Michael Crabtree and Phil Dawson kicked three first-half field goals as the 49ers won their second straight on the road.

Manning threw a 19-yard touchdown pass to tight end Larry Donnell on New York's opening possession, but the reeling Giants (3-7) only got a field goal from Josh Brown the rest of the way.

BENGALS 27
SAINTS 10

NEW ORLEANS — Andy Dalton rebounded from one of the worst outings of his career by passing for three touchdowns, and Cincinnati handed New Orleans its second straight loss.

For Dalton, the game represented a dramatic reversal from a week ago, when he completed only 10 passes for 86 yards and had a passer rating of 2.0 in a 24-3 loss to Cleveland.

Against New Orleans (4-6), Dalton gave the Bengals (6-3-1) an early lead they never relinquished. He was 16 of 22 for 220 yards, did not throw an interception and finished with a passer rating of 143.9.

Two of Dalton's touchdown passes went to tight end Jermaine Gresham and the other to A.J. Green on a pinpoint 24-yard pass along the sideline.

BEARS 21
VIKINGS 13

CHICAGO — Jay Cutler threw for 330 yards and three touchdowns, and Chicago won for just the second time in seven games, beating Minnesota.

Ryan Mundy intercepted Teddy Bridgewater's 29-yard pass in the end zone in the closing minute, and the Bears hung on for the win after suffering two of the worst blowout losses in franchise history.

Alshon Jeffery had 135 yards receiving and a touchdown catch. Brandon Marshall added 90 yards and two TD receptions, and Matt Forte ran for 117 yards.

Jared Allen had a sack against his former team, and the Bears (4-6) prevailed after joining the 1923 Rochester Jeffersons as the only teams to give up 50 or more points in consecutive games with blowouts at New England and Green Bay. But it was a different story against the Vikings (4-6).

FALCONS 19
PANTHERS 17

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Matt Ryan threw for 268 yards and a touchdown, Matt Bryant added four field goals and Atlanta moved into a tie for first place in the lowly NFC South with a win over Carolina.

Bryant's 44-yard field goal with 2:08 left put Atlanta ahead for good, and the Falcons withstood a late Carolina rally.

PATRIOTS 42
COLTS 20

INDIANAPOLIS — Jonas Gray rushed for 199 yards and a franchise-record four touchdowns in his fourth career game, leading the New England Patriots to a 42-20 victory over the Indianapolis Colts on Sunday night.

Tom Brady threw two TD passes as the AFC-best Patriots (8-2) earned their sixth consecutive victory. New England also has won five in a row against Indianapolis (6-4).

CHARGERS 13
RAIDERS 6

SAN DIEGO — Philip Rivers threw a 22-yard touchdown pass to Malcom Floyd on the game's third play from scrimmage, and San Diego held on for a lackluster victory against winless Oakland, extending the Raiders' losing streak to 16.

Rivers hurt his right leg midway through the third quarter but stayed in the game. The injury appeared to get progressively worse, and Rivers was walking gingerly on the sideline in the fourth as backup Kellen Clemens warmed up. But Rivers went back in after Sebastian Janikowski kicked a 25-yard field goal to pull the Raiders within a touchdown with four minutes to play.

BUCCANEERS 27
REDSKINS 7

LANDOVER, Md. — Mike Evans caught seven passes for 209 yards and scored two touchdowns to help Tampa Bay (2-8) end a five-game losing streak.

Evans became the first rookie to post three consecutive 100-yard games with at least one touchdown in each since Randy Moss in 1998. According to STATS, he's also the first rookie with 200 yards receiving and two touchdowns since Anquan Boldin in 2003. Evans finished 7 yards shy of Vincent Jackson's franchise record of 216.

BASINNFLCONNECTION

FROM STAFF REPORTS



Tannehill

RYAN TANNEHILL
QB, MIAMI DOLPHINS
(BIG SPRING HIGH SCHOOL)

Tannehill went 26 of 34 for 240 yards and two touchdowns in the Dolphins' 22-9 win over Buffalo on Thursday in Miami. Tannehill also had 16 rushing yards on four attempts and lost a fumble.



Cannon

MARCUS CANNON
OL, NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS
(ODESSA HIGH SCHOOL)

Cannon entered the game as a substitute in the Patriots' 42-20 win over the Indianapolis Colts on Sunday at Indianapolis.

STANDINGS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
New England	8	2	0	.800	323	218	5-0-0	3-2-0	6-2-0	2-0-0	2-1-0
Miami	6	4	0	.600	249	180	3-2-0	3-2-0	5-2-0	1-2-0	2-1-0
Buffalo	5	5	0	.500	200	204	2-3-0	3-2-0	2-5-0	3-0-0	2-2-0
N.Y. Jets	2	8	0	.200	174	265	2-4-0	0-4-0	2-5-0	0-3-0	0-2-0

South

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Indianapolis	6	4	0	.600	310	253	3-2-0	3-2-0	5-3-0	1-1-0	3-0-0
Houston	5	5	0	.500	229	204	2-2-0	3-3-0	4-2-0	1-3-0	1-1-0
Tennessee	2	7	0	.222	144	223	1-3-0	1-4-0	2-5-0	0-2-0	1-2-0
Jacksonville	1	9	0	.100	158	282	1-4-0	0-5-0	1-6-0	0-3-0	0-2-0

North

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Cincinnati	6	3	1	.650	224	221	4-1-1	2-2-0	4-3-0	2-0-1	2-1-0
Baltimore	6	4	0	.600	261	181	4-1-0	2-3-0	3-4-0	3-0-0	2-3-0
Pittsburgh	6	4	0	.600	261	239	4-1-0	2-3-0	5-3-0	1-1-0	2-2-0
Cleveland	6	4	0	.600	216	195	4-2-0	2-2-0	4-4-0	2-0-0	2-2-0

West

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Denver	7	3	0	.700	293	224	5-0-0	2-3-0	5-1-0	2-2-0	3-0-0
Kansas City	7	3	0	.700	241	171	4-1-0	3-2-0	5-2-0	2-1-0	1-1-0
San Diego	6	4	0	.600	218	182	4-1-0	2-3-0	5-3-0	1-1-0	2-2-0
Oakland	0	10	0	.000	152	265	0-5-0	0-5-0	0-7-0	0-3-0	0-3-0

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Philadelphia	7	3	0	.700	299	251	5-0-0	2-3-0	4-3-0	3-0-0	2-0-0
Dallas	7	3	0	.700	261	212	3-3-0	4-0-0	4-3-0	3-0-0	1-1-0
N.Y. Giants	3	7	0	.300	205	263	2-3-0	1-4-0	2-5-0	1-2-0	1-2-0
Washington	3	7	0	.300	204	256	2-3-0	1-4-0	1-6-0	2-1-0	1-2-0

South

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Atlanta	4	6	0	.400	238	255	2-2-0	2-4-0	4-4-0	0-2-0	4-0-0
New Orleans	4	6	0	.400	261	252	3-2-0	1-4-0	4-4-0	0-2-0	2-1-0
Carolina	3	7	1	.318	215	300	2-4-0	1-3-1	3-5-0	0-2-1	1-2-0
Tampa Bay	2	8	0	.200	194	279	0-5-0	2-3-0	1-6-0	1-2-0	0-4-0

North

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Detroit	7	3	0	.700	188	156	4-1-0	3-2-0	5-2-0	2-1-0	2-0-0
Green Bay	7	3	0	.700	330	225	5-0-0	2-3-0	5-3-0	2-0-0	3-1-0
Chicago	4	6	0	.400	215	290	1-3-0	3-3-0	3-3-0	1-3-0	1-2-0
Minnesota	4	6	0	.400	181	220	2-2-0	2-4-0	4-4-0	0-2-0	0-3-0

West

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Arizona	9	1	0	.900	237	176	6-0-0	3-1-0	7-0-0	2-1-0	2-0-0
San Francisco	6	4	0	.600	211	212	4-1-0	2-3-0	4-3-0	2-1-0	2-1-0
Seattle	6	4	0	.600	260	215	4-1-0	2-3-0	4-2-0	2-2-0	1-2-0
St. Louis	4	6	0	.400	185	258	2-3-0	2-3-0	3-5-0	1-1-0	2-2-0

Thursday's Score

Miami 22, Buffalo 9

Sunday's Scores

Chicago 21, Minnesota 13
Kansas City 24, Seattle 20
Cincinnati 27, New Orleans 10
St. Louis 22, Denver 7
Houston 23, Cleveland 7
Atlanta 19, Carolina 17
Tampa Bay 27, Washington 7
San Francisco 16, N.Y. Giants 10
San Diego 13, Oakland 6
Arizona 14, Detroit 6
Green Bay 53, Philadelphia 20
New England 42, Indianapolis 20
Open: Baltimore, Dallas, Jacksonville, N.Y. Jets, Pittsburgh, Tennessee

Today's Game

Pittsburgh at Tennessee, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 20

Kansas City at Oakland, 7:25 p.m.

Sunday, Nov. 23

Green Bay at Minnesota, Noon
Cincinnati at Houston, Noon
Tampa Bay at Chicago, Noon
Cleveland at Atlanta, Noon
Tennessee at Philadelphia, Noon
Detroit at New England, Noon
Jacksonville at Indianapolis, Noon
N.Y. Jets at Buffalo, Noon
Arizona at Seattle, 3:05 p.m.
St. Louis at San Diego, 3:05 p.m.
Washington at San Francisco, 3:25 p.m.
Miami at Denver, 3:25 p.m.
Dallas at N.Y. Giants, 7:30 p.m.
Open: Carolina, Pittsburgh

Monday, Nov. 24

Baltimore at New Orleans, 7:30 p.m.

SUNDAY'S BOXES

FROM WIRE REPORTS

BENGALS 27, SAINTS 10

Cincinnati	7	6	7	7 —27
New Orleans	3	0	0	7 — 10

First Quarter

NO—FG S.Graham 31, 8:53.

Cin—Gresham 12 pass from Dalton (Nugent kick), 3:14.

Second Quarter

Cin—FG Nugent 22, 2:52.

Cin—FG Nugent 42, :00.

Third Quarter

Cin—Gresham 1 pass from Dalton (Nugent kick), 6:03.

Fourth Quarter

NO—Stills 9 pass from Brees (S.Graham kick), 14:56.

Cin—Green 24 pass from Dalton (Nugent kick), 11:29.

A—73,073.

	Cin	NO
First downs	22	24
Total Net Yards	425	330
Rushes-yards	36-186	26-77
Passing	239	253
Comp-Att-Int	16-22-0	31-47-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	1-7	3-31
Punts	2-44.0	3-44.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	4-33	5-34
Time of Possession	29:14	30:46

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Cincinnati, Hill 27-152, Peerman 2-21, Dalton 5-12, Bunkhead 2-1, New Orleans, Ingram 23-67, Cooks 1-5, Brees 1-3, Cadet 1-0.

PASSING—Cincinnati, Dalton 16-22-0-220, New Orleans, Brees 33-41-0-255.

RECEIVING—Cincinnati, Green 6-127, Bunkhead 3-36, Sanu 3-23, Gresham 2-13, Hill 1-13, Wright 1-8, New Orleans, Ingram 7-30, Cooks 5-50, Colston 4-56, Stills 4-32, Cadet 4-31, Long 4-5, J.Graham 3-29, Leonard 1-15, Morgan 1-7.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

BUCCANEERS 27, REDSKINS 7

Tampa Bay	10	3	7	7 —27
Washington	7	0	0	0 — 7

First Quarter

TB—FG Murray 32, 11:10.

TB—Banks 19 interception return (Murray kick), 3:56.

Second Quarter

TB—FG Murray 38, 7:39.

Was.—Helu Jr. 30 pass from Griffin III (Forbath kick), 1:11.

Third Quarter

TB—Evans 16 pass from McCown (Murray kick), 4:36.

Fourth Quarter

TB—Evans 56 pass from McCown (Murray kick), 14:07.

A—77,442.

	TB	Was
First downs	12	20
Total Net Yards	329	322
Rushes-yards	21-48	31-155
Passing	281	167
Comp-Att-Int	15-23-0	23-32-2
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-7	6-40
Punts	4-41.3	4-44.3
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	4-1
Penalties-Yards	11-101	9-67
Time of Possession	25:49	34:11

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Tampa Bay, Sims 13-36, McCown 3-8, Rainey 5-4, Washington, Morris 20-96, Griffin III 6-41, Redd Jr. 4-16, Jackson 1-2.

PASSING—Tampa Bay, McCown 15-23-0-288, Washington, Griffin III 23-32-2-207.

RECEIVING—Tampa Bay, Evans 7-209, Jackson 3-43, Sims 3-8, Myers 1-21, Sellman-Jenkins 1-7, Washington, Helu Jr. 6-57, Jackson 4-35, Paul 3-17, Morris 2-36, Reed 2-22, Roberts 2-21, Redd Jr. 2-8, Garcon 1-6, Young 1-4.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Washington, Forbath 47 (WR), 50 (WR).

BEARS 21, VIKINGS 13

Minnesota	10	0	0	3 — 13
Chicago	0	14	0	7 — 21

First Quarter

Min—FG Walsh 50, 11:21.

Min—Ellison 7 pass from Bridgewater (Walsh kick), 3:16.

Second Quarter

Chi—Jeffery 27 pass from Cutler (Gould kick), 13:06.

Chi—Marshall 44 pass from Cutler (Gould kick), 2:49.

Fourth Quarter

Chi—Marshall 4 pass from Cutler (Gould kick), 8:51.

Min—FG Walsh 26, 4:04.

A—61,792.

	Min	Chi
First downs	10	24
Total Net Yards	243	468
Rushes-yards	16-96	31-138
Passing	147	330
Comp-Att-Int	18-28-1	31-43-2
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-11	0-0
Punts	4-41.3	2-29.5
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	2-18	7-60
Time of Possession	21:22	38:38

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Minnesota, Sendejo 1-48, McKinnon 8-38, Felton 1-3, Patterson 1-3, Bridgewater 4-2, Asiata 1-2. Chicago, Forte 26-117, Cutler 5-21.

PASSING—Minnesota, Bridgewater 18-28-1-158. Chicago, Cutler 31-43-2-330.

RECEIVING—Minnesota, Charle Johnson 4-8, McKinnon 4-20, Asiata 1-11, Patterson 2-24, Ellison 1-7, Rudolph 1-4, Jennings 1-4, Chicago, Jeffery 7-135, Marshall 4-90, Forte 4-36, Bennett 4-29, Wilson 2-11, Rosario 1-1.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Minnesota, Walsh 46 (WR). Chicago, Gould 47 (WR).

RAMS 22, BRONCOS 7

Denver	0	0	7	0 — 7
St. Louis	10	3	3	6 — 22

First Quarter

Stl.—FG Zuerlein 37, 1:51.

Stl.—Britt 63 pass from Hill (Zuerlein kick), 1:10.

Second Quarter

Stl.—FG Zuerlein 24, 13:15.

Den.—Sanders 6 pass from Manning (Mc.Manning kick), 3:42.

Third Quarter

Stl.—FG Zuerlein 41, 11:23.

Fourth Quarter

Stl.—FG Zuerlein 23, 13:57.

Stl.—FG Zuerlein 43, 5:19.

A—74,235.

	Den	Stl
First downs	19	19
Total Net Yards	314	361
Rushes-yards	9-23	33-117
Passing	369	308
Comp-Att-Int	34-54-1	20-29-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-23	3-24
Punts	5-39.6	6-43.3
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	8-62	7-45
Time of Possession	34:16	25:44

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Denver, Anderson 9-29, Manning 1-minus 11, St.Louis, Mason 29-113, Austin 2-11, Cunningham 2-7.

PASSING—Denver, Manning 34-54-2-392, St. Louis, Hill 20-29-0-220.

RECEIVING—Denver, Anderson 8-86, D.Thomas 7-103, Sanders 5-102, Tamme 4-31, Welker 4-29, Caldwell 1-31, J.Thomas 2-3, Thompson 1-5, St. Louis, Britt 4-128, Cunningham 4-31, Bailey 1-26, Cook 3-19, Austin 2-10, Kendricks 2-5, Mason 1-1, Hill 1-minus 2.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

FALCONS 19, PANTHERS 17

Atlanta	0	6	10	3 — 19
Carolina	0	3	0	14 — 17

Second Quarter

Car.—FG Gano 23, 14:53.

Atl.—FG Bryant 34, 7:26.

Atl.—FG Bryant 21, :00.

Third Quarter

Atl.—FG Bryant 26, 12:07.

Atl.—White 7 pass from Ryan (Bryant kick), 6:34.

Fourth Quarter

Car.—Benjamin 2 pass from Newton (Gano kick), 9:37.

Car.—Brown 41 pass from Newton (Gano kick), 6:20.

Atl.—FG Bryant 44, :29.

A—73,414.

	Atl	Car
First downs	22	22
Total Net Yards	391	391
Rushes-yards	28-106	25-106
Passing	285	285
Comp-Att-Int	21-45-0	23-37-2
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-7	2-7
Punts	4-39.5	4-35.7
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	5-58	7-62
Time of Possession	31:58	28:02

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Atlanta, Jackson 7-41, Freeman 6-28, Hester 1-9, Rodgers 2-4, Ryan 1-4, Carolina, D.Williams 10-41, Newton 5-30, Stewart 7-24, Whittaker 3-11.

PASSING—Atlanta, Ryan 31-45-0-268, Carolina, Newton 23-37-2-292.

RECEIVING—Atlanta, White 8-75, Jones 6-59, Douglas 4-46, Hester 3-34, Rodgers 1-8, Toilolo 2-23, DiMarco 2-14, S.Jackson 2-8, Smith 1-3. Carolina, Benjamin 9-109, Olsen 5-61, Stewart 3-15, Cotchery 2-43, Dickson 2-20, Brown 1-47, D.Williams 1-minus 3.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Carolina, Gano 46 (WL), 53 (BK).

CHIEFS 24, SEAHAWKS 20

Seattle	0	13	7	0 — 20
Kansas City	7	7	3	7 — 24

First Quarter

KC—Charles 1 run (Santos kick), 4:22.

Second Quarter

Sea—Baldwin 7 pass from Wilson (Hauschka kick), 10:22.

KC—Charles 16 run (Santos kick), 8:09.

Sea—FG Hauschka 24, 1:39.

Sea—FG Hauschka 27, :00.

Third Quarter

KC—FG Santos 23, 7:39.

Sea—Moeaki 1 pass from Wilson (Hauschka kick), 2:3.

Fourth Quarter

KC—Davis 4 run (Santos kick), 13:41.

A—76,463.

	Sea	KC
First downs	25	20
Total Net Yards	372	298
Rushes-yards	37-204	30-190
Passing	168	108
Comp-Att-Int	20-32-0	11-16-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-10	0-0
Punts	2-51.5	2-52.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	3-2
Penalties-Yards	8-50	3-6
Time of Possession	35:53	24:03

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Seattle, Lynch 24-124, Wilson 4-11, Turbin 4-11, Michael 1-minus 2, Kansas City, Charles 20-159, Thomas 3-22, Davis 5-10, A.Smith 2-minus 1.

PASSING—Seattle, Wilson 20-32-0-178, Kansas City, A.Smith 11-16-0-108.

RECEIVING—Seattle, Baldwin 6-45, Kearse 5-54, Wilson 3-51, Richardson 3-24, Helfet 1-2, Lynch 1-1, Moeaki 1-1. Kansas City, Kelce 3-37, Charles 2-19, Bowe 2-18, Sherman 1-13, Thomas 1-10, Davis 1-8, Supernaw 1-5.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

49ERS 16, GIANTS 10

San Francisco	3	6	7	0 — 16
N.Y. Giants	7	0	3	0 — 10

First Quarter

NYG—Donnell 19 pass from Manning (Brown kick), 6:54.

SF—FG Dawson 31, :59.

Second Quarter

SF—FG Dawson 37, 10:15.

SF—FG Dawson 44, 7:29.

Third Quarter

SF—Crabtree 48 pass from Kaepernick (Dawson kick), 11:38.

NYG—FG J.Brown 43, 8:18.

A—80,352.

	SF	NYG
First downs	20	17
Total Net Yards	333	330
Rushes-yards	37-148	21-65
Passing	185	265
Comp-Att-Int	15-30-0	22-45-5
Sacked-Yards Lost	1-8	2-15
Punts	4-46.8	3-43.0
Fumbles-Lost	4-2	1-0
Penalties-Yards	4-35	3-54
Time of Possession	34:56	25:01

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—San Francisco, Gore 19-95, Hyde 9-25, Kaepernick 8-24, V.Davis 1-4, N.Y. Giants, Jennings 18-59, Hynoski 1-4, A.Williams 2-2.

PASSING—San Francisco, Kaepernick 15-29-0-193, Lee 0-1-0-0. N.Y. Giants, Manning 22-45-5-280.

RECEIVING—San Francisco, Boldin 5-53, Crabtree 3-85, Gore 2-19, Miller 2-16, S.Johnson 1-8, V.Davis 1-7, Hyde 1-5, N.Y. Giants, Randle 7-112, Beckham Jr. 6-93, Jennings 4-8, Donnell 1-34, Parker 1-9, A.Williams 1-4.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

CARDINALS 14, LIONS 6

Detroit	3	3	0	0 — 6
Arizona	14	0	0	0 — 14

First Quarter

Ari.—Floyd 42 pass from Stanton (Catanzaro kick), 12:02.

Ari.—Floyd 12 pass from Stanton (Catanzaro kick), 6:06.

Det.—FG Prater 50, 2:46.

Second Quarter

Det.—FG Prater 28, :25.

A—62,881.

	Det	Ari
First downs	18	18
Total Net Yards	262	352
Rushes-yards	19-98	26-46
Passing	164	306
Comp-Att-Int	18-30-1	21-32-2
Sacked-Yards Lost	4-19	0-0
Punts	6-41.5	5-39.4
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	3-0
Penalties-Yards	9-80	4-35
Time of Possession	29:13	30:43

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Detroit, Bell 14-85, Tate 1-8, Collins 2-3, Riddick 2-2, Arizona, Ellington 19-42, Taylor 2-6, Hughes 1-2, Stanton 4-minus 4.

PASSING—Detroit, Stafford 18-30-1-183. Arizona, Stanton 21-32-2-306.

RECEIVING—Detroit, C.Johnson 5-59, Ebron 4-22, Bell 3-30, Riddick 3-24, Tate 2-41, Ross 1-7. Arizona, Jo.Brown 5-69, Ellington 4-24, Carlson 3-37, Floyd 2-54, Fitzgerald 2-33, Hughes 1-49, Housler 1-27, Nelms 1-5, Ja.Brown 1-4, Taylor 1-4.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

CHARGERS 13, RAIDERS 6

Oakland	3	0	3	0 — 6
San Diego	7	3	3	0 — 13

First Quarter

SD—Floyd 22 pass from Rivers (Novak kick), 14:07.

Oak.—FG Janikowski 42, 7:27.

Second Quarter

SD—FG Novak 23, 4:12.

Third Quarter

SD—FG Novak 52, 7:19.

Fourth Quarter

Oak.—FG Janikowski 25, 4:06.

A—66,720.

	Oak	SD
First downs	9	18
Total Net Yards	233	300
Rushes-yards	19-71	32-120
Passing	162	180
Comp-Att-Int	16-34-0	22-34-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-10	2-13
Punts	9-49.6	9-42.2
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	8-41	6-40
Time of Possession	25:14	34:46

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Oakland, Murray 4-43, McFadden 8-21, Jones-Drew 4-6, Reece 1-1, Carr 2-0. San Diego, Ry.Mathews 16-70, Oliver 13-36, Royal 1-15, D.Brown 1-0, Rivers 1-minus 1.

PASSING—Oakland, Carr 16-34-0-172. San Diego, Rivers 22-34-0-193.

RECEIVING—Oakland, Rivera 3-40, Murray 3-16, Thompkins 2-47, J.Jones 2-35, Holmes 2-19, Reece 2-minus 4, Butler 1-15, Leonhardt 1-14. San Diego, Allen 8-63, Floyd 4-44, Gates 3-32, Royal 3-27, Green 1-11, Ry.Mathews 1-5, D.Brown 1-4, D.Johnson 1-4, Oliver 1-3.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—San Diego, Novak 48 (WL).

PACKERS 53, EAGLES 20

Philadelphia	0	6	7	7 — 20
Green Bay	17	13	9	14 — 53

First Quarter

GB—FG Crosby 27, 12:58.

GB—D.Adams 6 pass from A.Rodgers (Crosby kick), 3:33.

GB—Hyde 75 punt return (Crosby kick), 2:00.

Second Quarter

Phi—FG Parkey 33, 13:08.

GB—Nelson 27 pass from A.Rodgers (Crosby kick), 10:39.

GB—Lacy 1 run (run failed), 7:00.

Phi—FG Parkey 33, :00.

Third Quarter

GB—FG Crosby 33, 7:53.

GB—Peppers 52 interception return (kick blocked), 5:56.

Phi—J.Matthews 10 pass from Sanchez (Parkey kick), 2:27.

Fourth Quarter

GB—Lacy 32 pass from A.Rodgers (Crosby kick), 14:40.

GB—Hayward 49 fumble return (Crosby kick), 10:39.

Phi—Macfer 20 pass from Sanchez (Parkey kick), 7:20.

A—78,270.

	Phi	GB
First downs	22	25
Total Net Yards	429	475
Rushes-yards	31-109	25-110
Passing	320	365
Comp-Att-Int	26-44-2	24-38-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	3-26	1-2
Punts	4-39.8	2-20.0
Fumbles-Lost	4-2	2-0
Penalties-Yards	6-53	4-52
Time of Possession	27:18	32:42

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Philadelphia, McCoy 23-88, Sproles 2-21, Polk 3-0, Sanchez 3-0, Green Bay, Lacy 10-69, A.Rodgers 3-32, Starks 8-9, Kuhn 1-3, Flynn 3-minus 3).

PASSING—Philadelphia, Sanchez 26-44-2-346, Green Bay, Flynn 2-2-0-26, A.Rodgers 22-36-0-341.

RECEIVING—Philadelphia, Macfer 9-93, J.Matthews 5-107, Ertz 4-55, Cooper 4-39, Sproles 2-23, McCoy 1-18, Celek 1-11, Green Bay, Cobb 10-129, Nelson 4-109, Lacy 3-45, Quarless 2-35, Starks 2-17, D.Adams 2-13, R.Rodgers 1-19.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Green Bay, Crosby 50 (WR).

PATRIOTS 42, COLTS 20

New England	7	7	14	14 — 42
Indianapolis	3	7	3	7 — 20

First Quarter

NE—Gray 4 run (Gostkowski kick), 8:31.

Ind.—FG Vinatieri 31, 4:19.

Second Quarter

NE—Gray 2 run (



Sue Ogrocki/AP

Oklahoma City's Steven Adams (12) falls on Houston's James Harden (13) in the first quarter Sunday game in Oklahoma City.

Harden leads Houston past Oklahoma City

By Cliff Brunt
Associated Press

OKLAHOMA CITY — The Houston Rockets prepared for Monday night's showdown with the gritty Memphis Grizzlies with one of the NBA's ugliest games in years.

James Harden scored 19 points, and the Rockets beat the Oklahoma City Thunder 69-65 on Sunday night.

The last time a team won with 69 or fewer points was Detroit's 64-62 victory over Utah on March 13, 2005, according to STATS. Both teams shot below 30 percent from the field — the last time that happened was Oct. 29, 2003, when Denver beat San Antonio 80-72.

Houston shot just 28.8 percent. The last time an NBA team won with a lower percentage was on Feb. 19, 2000, when Chicago shot 28.6 percent and beat the Los Angeles Clippers 74-72.

"That game will not go in the NBA Hall of Fame," Rockets coach Kevin McHale said.

Houston escaped, and now, the Rockets travel to Memphis for a matchup of 9-1 teams that share the NBA's best record.

"Same kind of game, probably," Harden said. "A slow, grinding game, and we just need to rebuild our mental toughness, so it's going to be another great challenge for us."

Dwight Howard had 12 points and nine rebounds for Houston, and Patrick Beverley added 12 points and eight boards.

With the score tied at 65, Harden hit a 3-pointer with Jeremy Lamb in his face with 1:19 to play. With Rockets still leading 68-65, Harden missed another contested 3 against Lamb, giving the Thunder a chance to tie.

Oklahoma City's Reggie Jackson missed a deep 3-pointer, and Harden made one of two free throws with 4.7 seconds left to put the game away.

Jackson had 15 points and 11 rebounds for the Thunder, and Lance Thomas added 15 points.

The Rockets led 42-33 at halftime. Oklahoma City blocked 11 shots for the team's highest total in a half since moving from Seattle for the 2008-09 season. Steven Adams had a career-high six blocks before the break, but the Thunder couldn't take advantage because of 25-percent shooting.

Thomas' long jumper gave the Thunder their first lead at 51-49 late in the third quarter, but Harden's two free throws with 3.1 seconds left made it a tie game heading into the fourth.

Nick Collison was called for a Flagrant-1 foul against Howard. He made one of the two free throws, and then Francisco Garcia made a 3-pointer to give the Rockets a 55-54 lead, and the game was close the rest of the way.

The game featured four technical fouls, a Flagrant-1 and a lot of exchanged words.

"I don't think there was bad blood, I think it was just competitive," Adams said. "I think we're just two highly competitive teams and we just want to go after it, really."

NOTES FROM THE GAME

QUOTE OF THE NIGHT: "We weren't very sharp, and we found a way to win," McHale said. "That's what it's all about — going out there and just grinding out a win."

BLOCK PARTY

The Thunder blocked 15 shots, two short of their franchise record. Adams had six. Serge Ibaka had five and Kendrick Perkins finished with three.

LOCKDOWN D

Beverley and Trevor Ariza combined to slow Jackson, who was averaging 22.4 points coming into the night. Jackson missed all six of his shots in the first half and went 3 of 11 for the game.

TIP-INS

Rockets: The Rockets held the Thunder to 22 percent shooting and no points in the paint in the first quarter. ... Beverley made a tip-in with less than a second remaining in the first half. ... The Rockets made just 16 of 30 free throws. Howard and Harden combined to make just nine of 31 field-goal attempts.

Thunder: Exactly one month after surgery on his broken right foot, reigning MVP Kevin Durant put up some shots during pregame warmups. Coach Scott Brooks said Durant is getting to the point where he can shoot off his toes.

Rockets.....69
Thunder.....65

SEASON

From 1C

The little things count, and it cost Midland High throughout 2014.

MHS played with Martin in the second half

Arlington Martin (9-2) is simply one of the best teams in the state. The Warriors' only two losses came against Desoto and Dallas Skyline, the No. 6 and 5 teams in the Class 6A Associated Press poll respectively, and they rolled through District 4-6A.

Their speed and size unquestionably shocked the Bulldogs in the first quarter. The Bulldogs looked lost, and a lot of that is due to Martin's athleticism. But really, after a 24-0 first quarter, Midland High played well.

From the second quarter on, Arlington Martin only outscored Midland High, 19-14, and after halftime the Bulldogs held a 14-13 edge. If it wasn't for silly errors early in the game and the initial shock, the result in the game may have been quite different. Actually, the Bulldogs outgained the Warriors offensively by a few yards. Martin is the more talented team, but outside of the first quarter, MHS also showed it's not lacking in that category either.

Midland High's defense was solid all year

There were some mishaps and long gains allowed, but the Bulldogs' defense was nothing short of great in 2014, and that includes Friday's game with Arlington Martin. The scoreboard may have read 40 points, but Midland High's defense can only be held partially responsible for the majority of those scores.

Of the 24 points the MHS defense was actually accountable for in the first half, Arlington Martin had an average starting field position of its own 49-yard line. On two of those drives, the Bulldogs held out for just a field goal. The theme continued in the second half, as both of the Warriors' scoring drives began in Bulldog territory.

The defense wasn't perfect, but it also covered for a lot of mistakes made by the offense in 2014.

The future offensively is bright

Midland High had issues moving the ball at times against Martin, but two players who didn't struggle much were sophomore running back Ricky Hubert and sophomore wide receiver Courtney McMaryion.

The offense worked through Hubert for much of the night, as he rushed for 103 yards on 26 carriers. At times in the first half, Hubert was the only portion of the Midland High offense that was actually passable. If he grows a little in the offseason to help absorb the punishment doled out to running backs, Hubert could have a record-setting career for the Bulldogs.

The same can be said about McMaryion. He was challenged one-on-one on the outside by Martin, and came away with quite a few impressive victories, including a spectacular 25-yard one-handed catch in the second half. McMaryion's 127 yards receiving were impressive, and if the Bulldogs can find a quarterback, he looks on pace to shatter the Bulldogs' receiving records.

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GOLFROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

PGA

OHL Classic at Mayakoba Scores
Sunday
At Mayakoba Resort (El Camaleon)
Playa del Carmen, Mexico
Purse: $6.1 million
Yardage: 6,987; Par: 71
Final

C Hoffman (500): $1,098,000 66-68-67-66—267
S Stefani (300): $658,800 66-65-68-69—268
A Gonzales (163): $353,800 69-67-66-67—269
Danny Lee (163): $353,800 66-69-67-67—269
Jerry Kelly (110): $244,000 69-66-67-68—270
Brice Garnett (100): $219,600 66-68-71-66—271
Jason Bohn (88): $196,725 66-65-67-74—272
Tony Finau (88): $196,725 65-72-70-65—272
Blayne Barber (66): $141,171 66-68-72-67—273
Ken Duke (66): $141,171 69-63-70-71—273
Oscar Fraustro (66): $141,171 68-67-69-69—273
W MacKenzie (66): $141,171 65-68-74-66—273
Carlos Ortiz (66): $141,171 67-69-69-68—273
N Thompson (66): $141,171 68-65-71-69—273
Fred Funs (66): $141,171 69-65-69-70—273
Ricky Barnes (52): $85,574 69-69-7...65—274
Jason Kokrak (52): $85,574 66-69-72-67—274
Scott Piercy (52): $85,574 67-69-73-65—274
J Wagner (52): $85,574 69-68-70-67—274
Alex Cejka (52): $85,574 66-67-68-73—274
David Hearn (52): $85,574 67-71-68-68—274
John Peterson (52): $85,574 69-67-70-68—274
Zachary Blair (46): $52,765 70-68-68-69—275
Fabian Gomez (46): $52,765 70-66-72-67—275
Jim Herman (46): $52,765 67-69-69-70—275
Billy Hurley III (46): $52,765 67-69-71-68—275
Chris Stroud (46): $52,765 69-68-69-69—275
Justin Thomas (46): $52,765 67-70-69-69—275
Greg Chalmers (39): $37,134 68-67-71-70—276
Chad Collins (39): $37,134 66-69-72-69—276
Max Homa (39): $37,134 68-71-69-68—276
John Huh (39): $37,134 69-67-69-71—276
Jeff Overton (39): $37,134 71-66-70-69—276
Kyle Reifers (39): $37,134 69-67-71-69—276
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Tim Wilkinson (39): $37,134 68-67-72-69—276
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Harris English (31): $26,230 67-71-69-70—277
Colt Knost (31): $26,230 68-70-69-70—277
Russell Knox (31): $26,230 69-68-70-70—277
Patrick Rodgers: $26,230 67-70-70-70—277
Brendan Steele (31): $26,230 68-68-70-71—277
Robert Streb (31): $26,230 67-69-72-69—277
Ben Curtis (25): $18,959 71-68-71-68—278
J J Henry (25): $18,959 70-69-70-69—278
Tom Hoge (25): $18,959 70-69-71-68—278
John Rollins (25): $18,959 71-65-74-68—278
S Wheatcroft (25): $18,959 65-69-71-73—278
Robert Garrigus (22): $15,616 65-73-72-69—279
Mark Hubbard (22): $15,616 69-66-76-68—279
Daniel Berger (18): $14,445 65-74-74-67—280
G Fdez-Castano (18): $14,445 71-67-72-70—280
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H Swafford (18): $14,445 65-73-71-71—280
Spencer Levin (13): $13,603 71-68-75-67—281
Sung Joon Park (13): $13,603 71-67-76-67—281
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Roger Sloan (13): $13,603 68-70-71-72—281
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Luke Guthrie (5): $12,627 68-71-77-67—283
Scott Langley (5): $12,627 69-70-74-70—283
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Pat Perez (2): $12,261 66-73-72-73—284
Jay Woodson: $12,261 72-66-74-72—284
Jason Gore (1): $12,017 68-66-79-72—285
Bryan Stuard (1): $12,017 69-70-75-71—285
Derek Fathauer (1): $11,834 68-71-77-71—287
Erik Compton (1): $11,651 71-68-74-75—288
Alvaro Quiros: $11,651 71-68-71-78—288
Patrick Cantlay (1): $11,468 71-68-76-74—289

LPGA

Lorena Ochoa Invitational Scores
Sunday
Club de Golf Mexico
Mexico City
Purse: $1 million
Yardage: 6,804; Par 72
Final
a-denotes amateur
Note: x-won on second hole of playoffs

x-Christina Kim: $200,000 65-69-68-71—273
Shanshan Feng: $103,449 72-67-68-66—273
Inbee Park: $75,045 70-70-69-68—277
Brittany Lincicome: $52,390 70-71-69-69—279
So Yeon Ryu: $52,390 70-69-69-71—279
Pornanong Phattlum: $38,231 69-68-71-72—280
Jenny Shin: $30,018 71-71-71-68—281
Azahara Munoz: $30,018 66-71-71-73—281
Angela Stanford: $24,071 73-73-69-66—283
Lydia Ko: $24,071 68-69-74-72—283
Morgan Pressel: $19,271 70-72-73-68—284
Karine Icher: $19,271 70-73-71-70—284
Suzann Pettersen: $19,271 71-66-75-72—284
Paula Creamer: $19,271 70-65-76-73—284
Emiliano Grillo: Argentina 68-72-71-67—278
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Martin Kaymer: Germany 68-72-75-74—289
Mikko Ilonen: Finland 69-72-74-75—290
Colin Montgomerie: Scotland 76-72-72-72—292

Mo Martin: $8,212 74-73-70-78—295
Brittany Lang: $7,872 78-70-75-74—297
Juli Inkster: $7,532 79-71-75-74—299
Natalie Gulbis: $7,250 74-71-77-79—301

PGA European

Turkish Airlines Open Leading Scores
Sunday
At The Montgomerie Maxx Royal
Belek, Turkey
Purse: $7 million
Yardage: 7,133; Par: 72
Final

Brooks Koepka, United States 69-67-70-65—271
Ian Poulter, England 64-66-75-67—272
Henrik Stenson, Sweden 70-70-70-64—274
Miguel Angel Jimenez, Spain 63-73-71-68—275
Andy Sullivan, England 67-75-66-67—275
Danny Willett, England 67-70-69-69—275
Wade Ormsby, Australia 65-71-68-71—275
Marcel Siem, Germany 70-69-66-71—276
Lee Westwood, England 70-68-67-71—276
Eddie Pepperell, England 70-71-67-69—277
Alexander Levy, France 68-71-73-66—278
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NBA STANDINGS & BOXES

STANDINGS
EASTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlantic Division				
Toronto	4	2	.800	—
Brooklyn	4	5	.444	3 1/2
Boston	1	5	.375	4
New York	1	8	.273	5 1/2
Philadelphia	1	9	.000	7 1/2
Southeast Division				
Washington	7	2	.778	—
Atlanta	5	4	.556	2
Miami	5	5	.500	2 1/2
Charlotte	5	6	.400	3 1/2
Orlando	4	7	.364	4
Central Division				
Chicago	7	3	.700	—
Cleveland	5	3	.625	1
Milwaukee	5	5	.500	2
Indiana	4	7	.364	3 1/2
Detroit	3	7	.300	4

WESTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	Pct	GB
Southwest Division				
Memphis	9	1	.900	—
Houston	9	1	.900	—
Dallas	7	3	.700	2
New Orleans	5	3	.625	3
San Antonio	5	4	.556	3 1/2
Northwest Division				
Portland	7	3	.700	—
Utah	4	7	.364	3 1/2
Oklahoma City	3	8	.273	4 1/2
Minnesota	2	7	.222	4 1/2
Denver	2	7	.222	4 1/2
Pacific Division				
Golden State	7	2	.778	—
L.A. Clippers	5	3	.625	1 1/2
Sacramento	6	4	.600	1 1/2
Phoenix	5	5	.500	2 1/2
L.A. Lakers	1	8	.111	6

Sunday's Scores
New York 109, Denver 93
Milwaukee 91, Miami 84
Houston 69, Oklahoma City 65
Golden State at L.A. Lakers, late
Today's Games
Dallas at Charlotte, 6 p.m.
Denver at Cleveland, 6 p.m.
Orlando at Detroit, 6:30 p.m.
Phoenix at Boston, 6:30 p.m.
Miami at Brooklyn, 6:30 p.m.
Houston at Memphis, 7 p.m.
Philadelphia at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.
New Orleans at Portland, 9 p.m.
Chicago at L.A. Clippers, 9:30 p.m.

SUNDAY'S BOXES
ROCKETS 69, THUNDER 65
HOUSTON (69): Ariza 4-11 2-4 11, Motiejunas 3-9 1-2 7, Howard 4-14 4-13 12, Beverley 4-10 2-2 12, Harden 5-17 7-8 19, Terry 0-2 0-0 0, Bach 1-3 0-0 2, Papanikolaou 0-6 0-0 0. Garza 2-7 0-1 6. Daniels 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 23-80 16-30 69
OKLAHOMA CITY (65): Thomas 4-11 7-8 15, Ibaka 5-13 0-0 10, Adams 0-2 1-2 1, Jackson 3-11 9-9 15, Lamb 2-5 0-0 5, Morrow 1-9 2-4 4, Perkins 1-3 0-0 2, Collison 1-3 2-2 4, Telfair 3-9 1-1 9, Smith 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 20-68 22-28 65
Houston 24 18 9 18 — 69
Oklahoma City 19 14 18 14 — 65
3-Point Goals—Houston 7-35 (Ariza 2-6, Beverley 2-6, Harden 2-9, Anza 1-4, Daniels 0-1, Motiejunas 0-2, Terry 0-2, Papanikolaou 0-3). Oklahoma City 3-19 (Telfair 2-4, Lamb 1-4, Collison 0-2, Morrow 0-2, Jackson 0-3, Ibaka 0-4). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Houston 70 (Motiejunas, Harden, Howard 9), Oklahoma City 55 (Jackson 11). Assists—Houston 11 (Harden 5), Oklahoma City 14 (Jackson 4). Total Fouls—Houston 23, Oklahoma City 30. Technicals—Anza Beverley, Perkins, Telfair, Flagrant Fouls—Collison A., 18:203 (18:203).

KNICKS 109, NUGGETS 93
DENVER (93): Chandler 4-14 0-0 11, Faried 7-9 2-5 16, Mozgov 3-8 2-2 8, Lawson 6-18 3-6 17, Affalo 6-11 1-1 16, Arthur 4-7 0-0 10, Harris 0-3 0-0 0, McGee 0-0 2-4 2, Robinson 1-5 3-4 5, Gallinari 1-5 2-2 5, Gee 0-2 1-2 1, Hickson 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 32-82 16-26 93
NEW YORK (109): Acy 3-7 2-2 8, Anthony 10-14 6-8 28, Dalembert 1-8 0-0 2, Larkin 3-5 0-0 7, J.Smith 10-16 6-8 28, Ja.Smith 3-8 0-0 6, Stoudemire 3-7 3-5 9, Prigioni 2-4 0-0 5, Hardaway Jr. 2-4 2-2 6, Wear 1-3 2-2 4. Totals 41-76 21-27 109
Denver 31 8 35 19 — 93
New York 31 31 24 23 — 109
3-Point Goals—Denver 13-34 (Affalo 5-7, Chandler 3-9, Lawson 2-5, Arthur 2-5, Gallinari 1-5, Harris 0-1, Robinson 0-2), New York 6-14 (Anthony 2-3, J.Smith 2-6, Larkin 1-1, Prigioni 1-2, Hardaway Jr. 0-1, Acy 0-1). Fouled Out—Larkin. Rebounds—Denver 51 (Faried 9), New York 50 (Anthony 9). Assists—Denver 20 (Lawson 9), New York 16 (J.Smith 4). Total Fouls—Denver 21, New York 22. Technicals—Stoudemire, Flagrant Fouls—Acy A., 19:812 (19:763).

BUCKS 91, HEAT 84
MILWAUKEE (91): Antetokounmpo 4-8 3-7 11, Parker 5-11 3-4 13, Sanders 5-10 1-3 11, Knight 7-13 2-2 20, Dudley 0-0 0-0 0, Henson 0-1 0-0 0, Middleton 3-7 3-3 10, Mayo 4-8 0-1 8, Pachulia 5-9 1-1 11, Bayless 0-3 2-2 2, Ilyasova 1-2 0-0 2, Wolters 1-2 1-3 3. Totals 35-74 16-26 91
MIAMI (84): Deng 3-11 3-4 10, Williams 5-9 0-0 13, Bosh 2-17 5-8 10, Cole 4-10 0-0 11, Chalmers 7-13 3-4 18, Ennis 4-6 0-0 9, Andersen 0-0 1-4 1, Napier 4-5 1-2 10, Haslem 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 30-73 13-22 84
Milwaukee 19 19 26 27 — 91
Miami 23 23 13 25 — 84
3-Point Goals—Milwaukee 5-18 (Knight 4-7, Middleton 1-3, Pachulia 0-1, Ilyasova 0-1, Parker 0-1, Bayless 0-2, Mayo 0-3), Miami 11-25 (Cole 3-5, Williams 3-6, Chalmers 1-1, Ennis 1-2, Napier 1-2, Deng 1-3, Bosh 1-6). Fouled Out—Chalmers. Rebounds—Milwaukee 49 (Antetokounmpo 7), Miami 52 (Williams 11). Assists—Milwaukee 16 (Knight 4), Miami 19 (Bosh, Chalmers 5). Total Fouls—Milwaukee 24, Miami 20. A—19,680 (19,600).

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THIS WEEK'S GAMES

Kansas City at Oakland	Tennessee at Philadelphia
Cleveland at Atlanta	St. Louis at San Diego
NY Jets at Buffalo	Arizona at Seattle
Tampa Bay at Chicago	Miami at Denver
Cincinnati at Houston	Washington at San Francisco
Jacksonville at Indianapolis	Dallas at NY Giants
Green Bay at Minnesota	Penn State at Illinois
Detroit at New England	Louisville at Notre Dame

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12. Contestants must have reached the age of eight (8) years by the Sunday of any week's play.

Muschamp out as Florida coach after 4 seasons

By Mark Long
Associated Press

GAINESVILLE, Fla. — Despite trying three coordinators and five quarterbacks, Will Muschamp never figured out one side of the ball at Florida.

And it cost him his job.

The Gators parted ways with Muschamp on Sunday, one day after a gut-wrenching loss to South Carolina that summed up the former defensive coordinator's four-year tenure as head coach.

Muschamp's close-to-the-vest style proved to be too conservative and too unsuccessful for a school with three national champions, eight Southeastern Conference titles and sky-high expectations.

Muschamp, who cleaned up a troubled program and made Florida one of the best defensive teams in the SEC, will stick around for the final two regular-season games against Eastern Kentucky and Florida State. He is 27-20, including 17-15 in conference play, in three-plus seasons in Gainesville.

"Upon evaluation of our football program, we are not where the program needs to be and should be," athletic director Jeremy Foley said in a statement.

"I've always said that our goal at the University of Florida is to compete for championships on a regular basis. ... I will be forever grateful to Will and his staff for their unwavering commitment to the University of Florida and the mission of our athletic program."

The decision came less than 24 hours after a 23-20 loss to South Carolina in overtime. It was Florida's sixth defeat in its last eight games in Gainesville.

The last two were debacles that sealed Muschamp's fate, making the guy nicknamed "Coach Boom" a bust at Florida.

"I was given every opportunity to get it done here and I simply didn't win enough games - that is the bottom line," Muschamp said in a statement. "I have no bitter feelings, but this is a business and I wish we would have produced better results on the field. We have a great group of players and a staff that is committed to this University and this football program. They have handled themselves with class and I expect them to continue to do so.

"As I've said many times, life is 10 percent of what happens to you and 90 percent how you respond."

COLLEGE BASKETBALL SCORES

FROM WIRE REPORTS

Men

SOUTHWEST
Arkansas 97, Alabama St. 79
Oklahoma 78, SE Louisiana 53
Oklahoma St. 74, Prairie View 52
Texas 85, Alcorn St. 53
UALR 77, Ark.-Monticello 64

SOUTH
Austin Peay 68, Berea 63
Charlotte 73, Elon 60
Cheyney 69, St. Augustine's 63
George Mason 63, Princeton 60
Howard 101, Goucher 54
Jacksonville 72, Florida National 61
Kentucky 71, Buffalo 52
Marshall 66, Savannah St. 47
North Carolina 103, Robert Morris 59
South Florida 73, Jackson St. 64
UCF 64, Stetson 55
UNC Asheville 83, East Carolina 79
Vanderbilt 83, Trevecca Nazarene 56
Virginia 67, Norfolk St. 39

MIDWEST
Albion 72, Berry 63
Creighton 84, Chicago St. 66
Illinois 114, Coppin St. 56
Miami (Ohio) 78, S. Utah 63
Missouri 58, Valparaiso 41
Nebraska 80, N. Kentucky 61
Nebraska-Omaha 100, Cent. Arkansas 75
Northern St. (SD) 75, Pittsburg St. 68
Notre Dame 92, Navy 53
Purdue 77, IUPUI 57
Sioux Falls 74, Missouri Southern 69
St. Thomas (Minn.) 78, Wis.-Eau Claire 74
Toledo 71, N. Arizona 59
Utah St. 80, Illinois St. 55
W. Michigan 87, Aquinas 57
Wis.-Superior 83, St. Scholastica 79
Wisconsin 89, Chattanooga 45
Wright St. 76, Ohio Dominican 64
Youngstown St. 71, Oberlin 53

FAR WEST
Denver 54, Idaho St. 38
Portland 73, San Jose St. 68, OT
Stanford 84, South Dakota 73
UC Davis 57, Holy Names 42
UC Irvine 68, Pacific 50
Wyoming 78, N. Colorado 70

EAST
Ferrum 73, Bridgewater (Va.) 70
George Washington 70, Rutgers 53
Hartford 51, St. Peter's 50
Holy Cross 58, Harvard 57
John Carroll 109, Centenary 93
Juniata 68, Washington (Md.) 59
LaMoyne 81, Wilmington (Del.) 53
Loyola (Md.) 76, Cornell 71
Northeastern 71, Boston U. 65
Penn St. 73, Fordham 54
Pittsburgh 83, Samford 56
Rhode Island 72, Mass.-Lowell 56
Rowan 74, Lehman 57
Scranton 57, Alvernia 54
Seton Hall 63, Mercer 47
St. Rose 76, Bloomfield 73
Syracuse 85, Hampton 47
Thiel 73, Kenyon 59
UMass 71, Boston College 62
West Virginia 83, Lafayette 56

Women

SOUTHWEST
Arkansas 75, Savannah St. 46
Oklahoma St. 77, Texas Southern 58
SMU 63, UTEP 57

SOUTH
Clemson 82, Troy 73
FAU 88, Bethune-Cookman 68
Georgia 82, TCU 53
Georgia Tech 105, Morgan St. 76
James Madison 76, St. Bonaventure 43
Louisville 77, UT-Martin 43
Maryland 97, Wagner 24
Memphis 84, Suffolk 48
Mississippi 91, MVSU 38
Mississippi St. 93, Arkansas St. 83
Morehead St. 79, George Mason 70
NC State 81, Coppin St. 61
North Carolina 84, UCLA 68
Richmond 65, Georgetown 57
South Florida 59, Chattanooga 57
Tulane 75, McNeese St. 56
UNC Wilmington 75, UNC Pembroke 38
UNC-Greensboro 70, Coll. of Charleston 68
Virginia 75, Radford 47
Virginia Tech 63, Md.-Eastern Shore 41

FAR WEST
Boston College 82, Saint Mary's (Cal.) 72
CS Northridge 81, Sacramento St. 66
California 84, Pacific 64
Fresno St. 67, Cal Poly 56
Gonzaga 75, Dayton 65
Hawaii 60, Denver 58
Long Beach St. 74, San Diego St. 62
Montana St. 63, Cal St.-Fullerton 47
Oregon St. 85, Utah St. 62
San Jose St. 119, Columbia 76
UC Irvine 84, Grand Canyon 53
Washington St. 84, Idaho St. 34

MIDWEST
Cent. Michigan 72, UMass 70
DePaul 97, New Mexico 59
Detroit 88, Marygrove 46
Indiana St. 66, Butler 51
Iowa 85, Robert Morris 67
Iowa St. 98, SC-Upstate 76
Kansas 68, South Dakota 60
Michigan 68, Bucknell 61
Michigan St. 69, E. Michigan 61
Milwaukee 77, N. Dakota St. 73
Nebraska 83, Alcorn St. 49
Northwestern 82, Hampton 36
Ohio St. 113, St. Francis (Pa.) 97
Texas A&M 63, Texas-Pan American 61
Wisconsin 71, Illinois St. 60

EAST
Albany (NY) 54, Penn St. 53
Dartmouth 68, NJIT 63, OT
Delaware 70, Marist 60
Maine 65, LIU Brooklyn 59, OT
Manhattan 66, Holy Cross 60
Princeton 79, Duquesne 62
Syracuse 59, Fordham 42
UMBC 81, Loyola (Md.) 58

HARVICK

From 1C

from sixth to 21st, ending his championship bid.

Harvick restarted 12th with 15 laps to go and not much time to pick his way through traffic. As Hamlin passed leader Jeff Gordon on the restart, Harvick shot past four cars to move to seventh.

Then came another caution, and Hamlin, on old tires, knew he was in trouble. Harvick, on the four fresh tires, rocketed through the middle on the restart, dicing his way through traffic to pick up another four spots and move into second.

"I loved our chances, but they weren't there at the end," Hamlin said. "Strategy is part of winning, and the strategy for us didn't work out with the cautions."

Harvick got by Hamlin, then Newman passed Hamlin for second and the championship became a battle of drivers who had essentially swapped seats this year. There was one more caution, forcing Harvick to nail one final restart with three laps remaining, and he eased his way ahead of Newman and never looked back.

The victory capped a magical first season at Stewart-Haas Racing, where Harvick moved this year after 13 seasons with Richard Childress that failed to produce a championship.

Harvick, who had to win last week at Phoenix just to advance into Sunday's final four, wrapped up his third victory of this Chase and fifth of the season. He leaned this week on team co-owner Tony Stewart, a three-time champion, and Jimmie Johnson, the six-time champion who moved from California to North Carolina to chase a career in NASCAR about the same time as Harvick made the move east.

"Been trying for 13 years," an emotional Harvick said. "This week ate me up. If it wasn't for Jimmie Johnson and Tony Stewart, I would have been in bad trouble this week. Those guys really helped me get through the week. After every practice, Jimmie was in there, and in our team debriefs Tony was constantly telling me just to go race and that it's just another race."

Stewart shared an emotional hug with Harvick, and then beamed during the celebration.

"That's about as emotional as you can get, to have one of your greatest friends go out in one of your race cars and win a championship in the toughest series in the country," Stewart said.

Newman, winless on the season, finished second. Hamlin faded to seventh, and Logano was a distant 16th.

Harvick's wife, DeLana, sobbed on the pit stand and buried her head in her hands when Harvick crossed the finish line. She hugged Childers, who dabbed his eyes, before she made it down to the victory celebration. She met Stewart, who had retired from the race earlier with a car problem and was in street clothes, for an embrace and kiss before holding her son for the victory celebration.

Harvick hugged Childers and showered his jubilant crew with Budweiser, the beer company that followed him this year from Richard Childress Racing to Stewart-Haas. Harvick spoke with a catch in his voice, trying to compose himself when it was his turn to hold 2-year-old Keelan.

"I'm glad you're awake," Harvick told him. "Are you happy you're awake? Can you say, 'I believe daddy won? Say it. Really loud.'"

Keelan had no comment.

Stewart threw his arms around Harvick and the close friends and teammates held each other tight for several moments. It was Stewart who in 2012 convinced Harvick that if he left RCR when his contract expired at the end of 2013, he could help Harvick win his first title.

Stewart, co-owner Gene Haas, and Childers, who left Michael Waltrip Racing for the chance to build Harvick's team, delivered.

"They gave us all the resources we needed," Harvick said. "We never talked about money, we talked about building a team. It was just go get what you need."

For Stewart, it took the sting off of his 15-year winning streak coming to a close Sunday.

"It doesn't make up for a bad year," Stewart said. "i mean, I've had a terrible year. But this makes the end of November great."

FATE

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rankings a week ago, three spots ahead of Baylor, the only team to beat them.

Baylor was off this week, but still has games remaining against Oklahoma State, Texas Tech and No. 13 Kansas State. The game against the Wildcats to cap the season could loom large, too, given that both are part of a three-way logjam with TCU atop the league standings.

It's a tougher remaining schedule than the Horned Frogs, offering more chances to impress.

"I'm not worried about it all," TCU quarterback Trevone Boykin said. "Our main goal is to win a Big 12 championship. This is the first year of the playoffs and if we get in, that's great, and if we don't, it's not really up to us, it's up to the committee, and there is nothing that we can really control. The only thing we can control is winning games."

The Horned Frogs at least did that on Saturday.

After every bounce seemed to go the Jayhawks' way, TCU found itself in a 27-17 hole in the third quarter. But running back Aaron Green, filling in admirably for B.J. Catalon, raced 24 yards for a touchdown to give the Horned Frogs life, and Cameron Echols-Luper returned a punt 69 yards for a go-ahead touchdown that finally allowed their sideline to exhale.

Jaden Oberkrom's field goal early in the fourth quarter made it 34-27, and the TCU defense did just enough the rest of the way to fend off what could have been a monumental upset.

"They're a well-coached team, great schemes, great players," interim Kansas coach Clint Bowen said. "They do it all well."

Boykin finished with 330 yards passing, giving him 3,021 yards for the season and breaking Casey Pachall's school record. Boykin also broke the school record for total offense with 3,586 yards, blowing past current Bengals quarterback Andy Dalton's mark.

Green ran for 128 yards, this third 100-yard performance in the past four games. Chris Hackett had his Big 12-leading sixth interception. Echols-Luper's punt return for a touchdown was the first by the Horned Frogs since Deante' Gray's against Grambling in 2012.

So, there were indeed plenty of highlights against the Jayhawks.

Even if the overall performance was rather rough.

"If we are going to be the No. 4-ranked team, then we need to play like it," Slanina said. "We are just going to have to continue to put points on the board and play our type of football. I think we played a great game and we won and that is all that matters. We can play UT (Texas) and show we are one of the top teams in the country there."

AUTO RACING RESULTS

Sprint Cup

Ford EcoBoost 400 Results
By The Associated Press
Sunday
At Homestead-Miami Speedway
Homestead, Fla.
Lap length: 1.5 miles
(Start position in parentheses)

1. (5) Kevin Harvick, Chevrolet, 267 laps, 132.7 rating, 43 points, $346,498.
2. (21) Ryan Newman, Chevrolet, 267, 108.2, 42, $244,450.
3. (4) Brad Keselowski, Ford, 267, 104.5, 41, $231,758.
4. (16) Paul Menard, Chevrolet, 267, 87.1, 40, $172,664.
5. (19) Jamie McMurray, Chevrolet, 267, 84.9, 39, $165,239.
6. (3) Matt Kenseth, Toyota, 267, 101.5, 38, $160,151.
7. (8) Denny Hamlin, Toyota, 267, 118.7, 37, $108,315.
8. (6) Carl Bowyer, Toyota, 267, 97.2, 36, $127,481.
9. (12) Jimmie Johnson, Chevrolet, 267, 105.7, 35, $135,001.
10. (11) Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet, 267, 138.2, 36, $143,626.
11. (2) Kurt Busch, Chevrolet, 267, 85.8, 34, $82,340.
12. (23) Kasey Kahne, Chevrolet, 267, 91.7, 32, $96,640.
13. (27) Kyle Larson, Chevrolet, 267, 88.5, 31, $109,085.
14. (11) Dale Earnhardt Jr., Chevrolet, 267, 100.4, 30, $88,890.
15. (14) Justin Allgaier, Chevrolet, 267, 74, 29, $108,523.
16. (9) Joey Logano, Ford, 267, 105.1, 28, $116,356.
17. (10) Martin Truex Jr., Chevrolet, 267, 79.4, 27, $107,873.
18. (32) Danica Patrick, Chevrolet, 267, 67.7, 26, $87,665.
19. (18) Aric Almirola, Ford, 267, 66.6, 25, $116,276.
20. (29) Casey Mears, Chevrolet, 267, 55.3, 24, $104,373.
21. (38) Michael McDowell, Ford, 267, 48.4, 23, $75,290.
22. (22) Ricky Stenhouse Jr., Ford, 267, 58.6, 22, $114,265.
23. (13) Brian Vickers, Toyota, 267, 77.7, 21, $110,215.
24. (36) Reed Sorenson, Chevrolet, 267, 48.7, 20, $91,998.
25. (24) Austin Dillon, Chevrolet, 267, 67.5, 19, $123,751.
26. (42) Cole Whitt, Toyota, 267, 44.5, 18, $77,290.
27. (17) Marcos Ambrose, Ford, 267, 58.7, 17, $103,335.
28. (30) Brian Scott, Chevrolet, 267, 53.3, 0, $85,448.
29. (33) Landon Cassill, Chevrolet, 267, 47.4, 0, $76,590.
30. (31) David Ragan, Ford, 267, 41.2, 14, $94,912.
31. (35) David Gilliland, Ford, 267, 37, 13, $81,165.
32. (37) Josh Wise, Chevrolet, 267, 35.7, 12, $72,940.
33. (41) Alex Bowman, Toyota, 264, 40.5, 11, $72,740.
34. (15) Carl Edwards, Ford, 263, 62.8, 10, $91,540.
35. (39) Michael Annett, Chevrolet, 263, 30.7, 9, $72,340.
36. (43) Brett Moffitt, Toyota, 262, 28.9, 8, $80,115.
37. (34) J.J. Yeley, Toyota, accident, 254, 30.0, $71,888.
38. (40) Blake Koch, Ford, accident, 254, 27.9, 0, $66,730.
39. (7) Kyle Busch, Toyota, 246, 73.7, 5, $110,571.
40. (25) AJ. Allmendinger, Chevrolet, accident, 235, 60.6, 4, $58,730.
41. (20) Greg Biffle, Ford, 220, 52.5, 3, $99,305.
42. (26) Trevor Bayne, Fou, accident, 204, 46.6, 0, $50,730.
43. (28) Tony Stewart, Chevrolet, accident, 182, 46.1, $81,388.

Race Statistics
Average Speed of Race Winner: 122.280 mph.
Time of Race: 3 hours, 16 minutes, 31 seconds.
Margin of Victory: 0.500 seconds.
Caution Flags: 13 for 52 laps.
Lead Changes: 18 among 5 drivers.
Lap Leaders: J.Gordon 1-12; B.Koch 13; Ku.Busch 14; K.Harvick 15-25; J.Gordon 26-63; D.Hamlin 64-85; J.Gordon 86-120; K.Harvick 121; J.Gordon 122-123; K.Harvick 124-157; J.Gordon 158-159; D.Hamlin 160; J.Gordon 161-165; D.Hamlin 166-195; J.Gordon 196-212; D.Hamlin 213-222; J.Gordon 223-252; D.Hamlin 253-259; K.Harvick 260-267.
Leaders Summary (Driver, Times Led, Laps Led): J.Gordon, 8 times for 161 laps; K.Harvick, 4 times for 54 laps; D.Hamlin, 5 times for 50 laps; Ku.Busch, 1 time for 1 lap; B.Koch, 1 time for 1 lap.
Wins: B.Keselowski, 6; K.Harvick, 5; J.Logano, 5; D.Earnhardt Jr., 4; J.Gordon, 4; J.Johnson, 4; C.Edwards, 2; A.Allmendinger, 1; A.Almirola, 1; Ku.Busch, 1; Ky.Busch, 1; D.Hamlin, 1; K.Kahne, 1.
Top 10 in Points: 1. K.Harvick, 5,043; 2. R.Newman, 5,042; 3. D.Hamlin, 5,037; 4. J.Logano, 5,028; 5. B.Keselowski, 2,361; 6. J.Gordon, 2,348; 7. M.Kenseth, 2,334; 8. D.Earnhardt Jr., 2,301; 9. C.Edwards, 2,288; 10. Ky.Busch, 2,285; 11. J.Johnson, 2,274; 12. Ku.Busch, 2,263; 13. A.Allmendinger, 2,260; 14. G.Biffle, 2,247; 15. K.Kahne, 2,234; 16. A.Almirola, 2,195.

NASCAR Driver Rating Formula
A maximum of 150 points can be attained in a race.
The formula combines the following categories: Wins, Finishes, Top 15 Finishes, Average Running Position While on Lead Lap, Average Speed Under Green, Fastest Lap, Led Most Laps, Lead-Lap Finish.

NHRA

Auto Club Results
Sunday
At Auto Club Raceway
Pomona, Calif.
Final Finish Order
Top Fuel

Morgan Lucas, 2. Tony Schumacher, 3. Antron Brown, 4. J.R. Todd, 5. Steve Torrence, 6. Richie Crampton, 7. Shawn Langdon, 8. Dom Lagana, 9. Larry Dixon, 10. Billy Torrence, 11. Troy Buff, 12. Doug Kalitta, 13. Khalid alBalooshi, 14. Bob Vandergriff, 15. Spencer Massey, 16. Clay Millican.

Funny Car
1. Matt Hagan, 2. John Force, 3. Tommy Johnson Jr., 4. Alexis DeJoria, 5. Del Worsham, 6. Tim Wilkerson, 7. Robert Hight, 8. Ron Capps, 9. Jack Beckman, 10. Bob Tasca III, 11. Tony Pedregon, 12. Chad Head, 13. Gary Densham, 14. Courtney Force, 15. Cruz Pedregon, 16. Jeff Arend.

Pro Stock
1. Erica Enders-Stevens, 2. Jason Line, 3. Jeg Coughlin, 4. Jonathan Gray, 5. Shane Gray, 6. Rodger Brogdon, 7. Dave Connolly, 8. Matt Hartford, 9. Vincent Nobile, 10. V Gaines, 11. Chris McGaha, 12. Larry Morgan, 13. Greg Stanfield, 14. Jeff Isbell, 15. Greg Anderson, 16. Allen Johnson.

Pro Stock Motorcycle
1. Hector Arana Jr., 2. Eddie Krawiec, 3. Andrew Hines, 4. Chaz Kennedy, 5. Adam Arana, 6. Steve Johnson, 7. Scotty Pollacheck, 8. Hector Arana, 9. Jerry Savoie, 10. Matt Smith, 11. Jim Underdahl, 12. Shawn Gann, 13. Freddie Camarena, 14. Katie Sullivan, 15. Angie Smith, 16. Elena Karlsson.

Final Results

Top Fuel: Morgan Lucas, 1,704 seconds, 325.14 mph, def. Tony Schumacher, 3,742 seconds, 324.98 mph.

Funny Car: Matt Hagan, Dodge Charger, 4.076, 315.77, def. John Force, Ford Mustang, 4.266, 276.58.

Pro Stock: Erica Enders-Stevens, Chevy Camaro, 6.480, 213.43, def. Jason Line, Camaro.

Pro Stock Motorcycle: Hector Arana Jr., Buell, 6.832, 195.08, def. Eddie Krawiec, Harley Davidson, 6.977, 179.37.

Top Alcohol Dragster: Duane Shields, 5.412, 264.13, def. Cameron Ferrie, 5.625, 265.74.

Top Alcohol Funny Car: Steve Hahne, Chevy Monte Carlo, 5.489, 266.21, def. John Lombardo Jr., Ford Mustang, 5.519, 263.36.

Competition Eliminator: Aaron Strong, Chevy S-10, 8.116, 165.44, def. Clint Neff, Bantam Roadster, 10.668, 78.17.

Super Stock: Jeff Taylor, Chevy Cobalt, 9.634, 124.03, def. Marion Stephenson, Pontiac Sunbird, No time.

Stock Eliminator: Bobby DeArmond, Chevy Camaro, 10.128, 128.18, def. Paula Cotter, Plymouth Duster, foul.

Super Comp: Gabriel Torres, Dragster, 8.907, 168.16, def. Alan Kenn, Dragster, 8.905, 170.08.

Super Gas: Trevor Larson, Chevy Corvette, 9.917, 158.04, def. Tommy Phillips, Chevy Camaro, 9.894, 160.63.

Summit Super Pro: Steve Sasaki, Dragster, 9.648, 113.04, def. Cliff Carr, Dragster, foul.

Summit Pro: Gerald Haile, Chevelle, 9.506, 140.85, def. Dustin Moore, Chevy Nova, foul.

Summit Bike: Roy Hagadorn, Suzuki, 8.862, 142.60, def. Brenda Kay, Suzuki, 8.606, 150.56.

Summit Sportsman: Bill Crutcher, Chevy Nova, 12.490, 107.35, def. Scott Smith, Chevy Malibu, foul.

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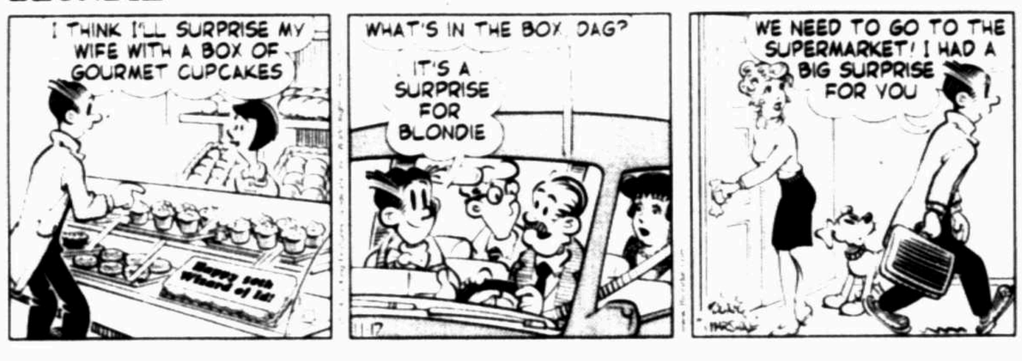
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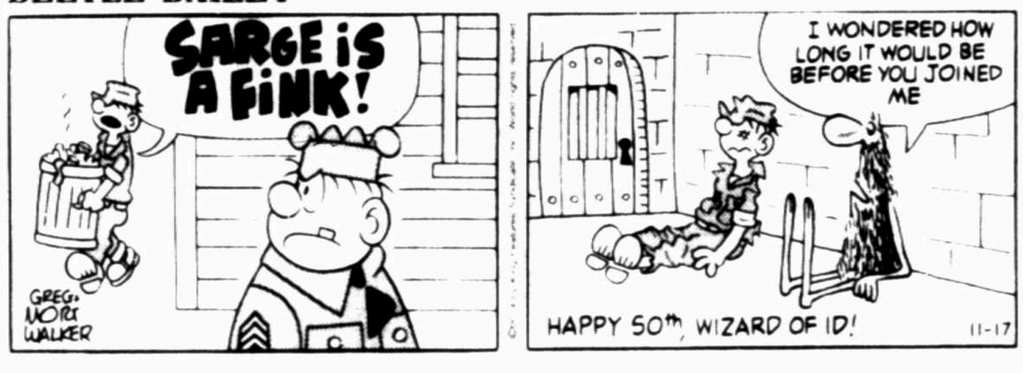
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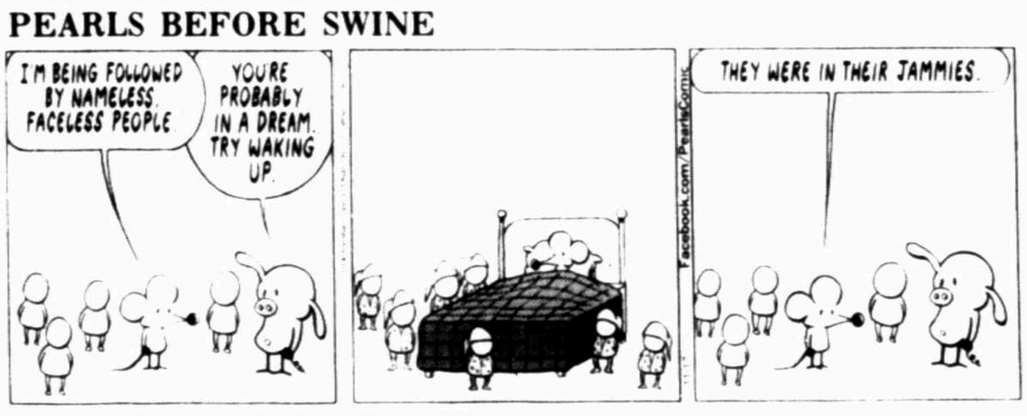
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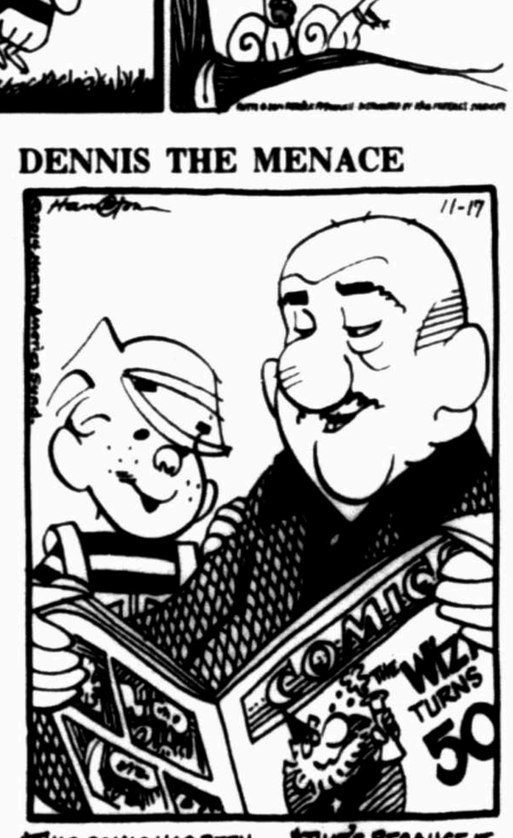


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TODAY: Sunny High: 42 Low: 26

TUESDAY: Sunny High: 48 Low: 32

WEDNESDAY: Sunny High: 59 Low: 36

THURSDAY: Sunny High: 64 Low: 37

FRIDAY: Mostly sunny High: 59 Low: 41

SATURDAY: Mostly sunny High: 63 Low: 44

Local forecast

Expect sunny skies today with a high around 42 and north winds between 5 and 10 mph becoming east in the afternoon. Tonight's forecast calls for mostly clear conditions with a low around 26 and southeast winds around 5 mph.

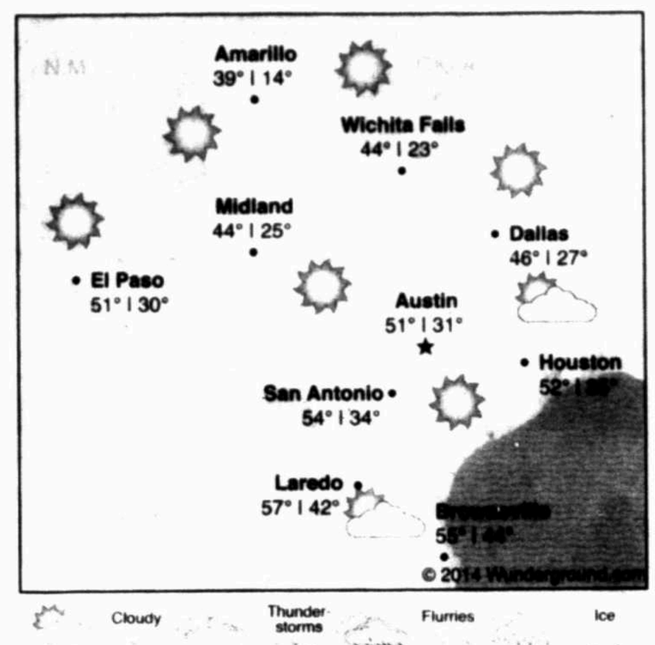
Tuesday, look for sunny skies with a high around 48 and south winds between 5 and 10 mph. Expect mostly clear conditions at night, with a low around 32 and south winds around 10 mph.

Wednesday, the forecast calls for sunny skies during the day, mostly clear skies at night, with a high around 59 and a low around 36.

The high on Sunday reached 50, while the low dropped to 28. The record high for Nov. 16 is 86 set in 1963. The record low is 15 set in 1932.

National forecast

A winter storm will bring snow to the eastern Great Lakes, rain and thunderstorms along the East Coast and a wintry mix across the Northeast today. A few of the thunderstorms across northern Florida and southern Georgia will become severe with damaging winds and isolated tornadoes.



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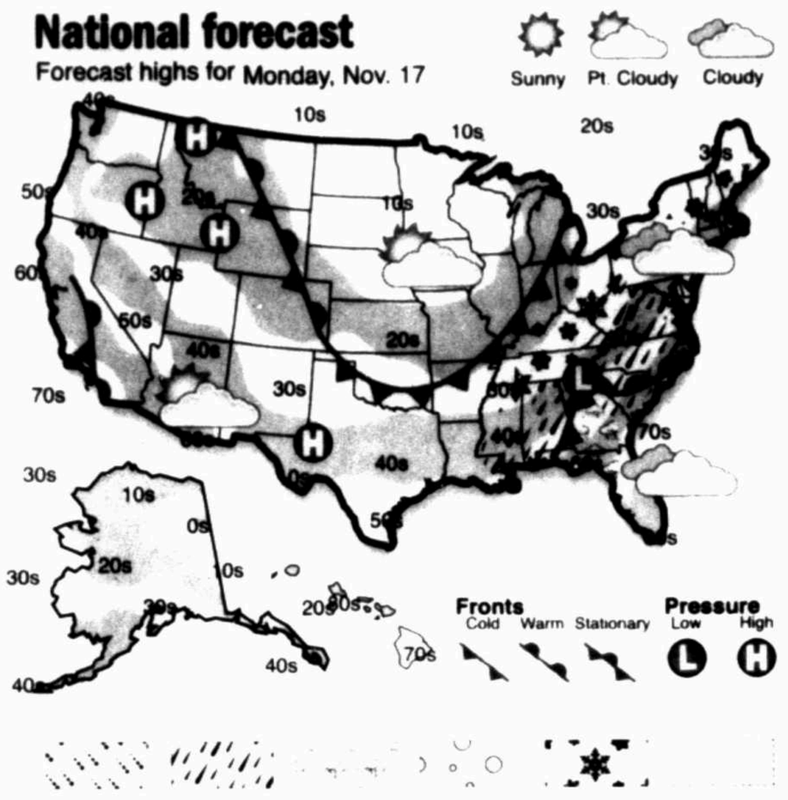
Saturday	0.00 in.
Sunday	0.00 in.
Month total	1.01 in.
Year total	7.44 in.
Normal total (year to date)	13.70 in.

Sunday's temperatures

High	50
Low	28
Normal high	66
Normal low	39
Sunrise	7:19 a.m.
Sunset	5:48 p.m.

National forecast

Forecast highs for Monday, Nov. 17



New mother's baby trumps mother-in-law's wedding

DEAR ABBY



Write Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069. Her column is distributed by Universal Press Syndicate.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I are pregnant with our first child. We are beyond excited and can't wait for our little one to get here. Our problem: My mother-in-law is getting married two weeks after our baby is supposed to arrive, and she's expecting all of us to go.

While I'm happy she has found someone she wants to spend her life with, I will not be there and neither will our child. I have told my husband this and explained my concerns, but I will support him if he decides to go since it's his mother.

How can I turn her down in a polite way so it doesn't sound like I'm a horrible daughter-in-law? — FIRST-TIME MAMA

DEAR FIRST-TIME MAMA: Unless a woman is having a C-section, babies don't always arrive on the expected due date. Sometimes they can be a week late — or more. If you feel you need time to rest, recuperate and get your child on a regular nursing schedule, tell that to your mother-in-law.

As a new mother you are going to have to quickly learn to prioritize, and your child's well-being and your health must come first. Expect her to be disappointed, but make clear that you love her and wish her a lifetime of happiness, but you will be unable to attend.

DEAR ABBY: Is it OK for an older woman to wear fancy, colorful tights? My wife is 5 feet tall and weighs 110. She's in good health and works out at the gym regularly. She wears her tights there, or when she's working in the garden or at the market. She dresses conservatively for work and church.

I overheard some of the local ladies say she shouldn't be wearing leopard tights "at her age." I'm afraid my wife will overhear it one of these days and be hurt. What is your opinion? She still looks wonderful to me. — MARRIED TO A HOTTIE

DEAR MARRIED: As an adult — and in good shape — your wife should wear anything that pleases her, including leopard tights if she wishes. It appears the local women are more jealous kitties than ladies. "Nice" ladies don't make catty comments behind someone's back.

DEAR ABBY: On Oct. 11 you printed my letter about feeling like an overlooked middle child. In the comments on your website was an outpouring of support and friendly tips. I am happy to say I am now involved in extracurricular activities. I'm much happier, and would like to thank all your readers who took the time to give me so much support. — FORMERLY NOWHERE IN INDIANA

DEAR FORMERLY NOWHERE: Thank you for letting us know that you're happier and doing better. Dear Abby readers are the most caring and generous people in the world. I'm glad their comments in response to your letter gave you the boost you needed to get through a difficult time.

JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS

The stars show the kind of day you'll have: 5-dynamic; 4-positive; 3-average; 2-so-so; 1-difficult

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Monday, Nov. 17, 2014:

This year you go back and forth between networking and socializing to spending time alone doing some serious intellectualizing. You will find that those in your daily life can be very unpredictable. In a strange way, you'll enjoy the excitement. If you are single, you could meet someone of significance next fall. In the meantime, enjoy dating. If you are attached, the two of you have become great friends. During difficult times, your friendship comes into play. You will benefit from taking weekends away together. LIBRA can be flighty.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★★ You might be overthinking a problem that you feel you must handle today. A serious talk with a loved one could result in an effective solution. Tune in to your instincts if you feel someone or an offer is too good to be true. Tonight: Get together with a friend for dinner.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★★ Your creativity dominates the early morning. You might wonder why someone seems so serious. In an attempt to change this person's mood, you might cause a problem. Try to listen to what he or she has to say, and honor his or her feelings. Tonight: Know when to call it a night.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★★ You seem to have the right words at the right time, only someone might not hear them. This person could be too wrapped up in his or her own issues. The unexpected will occur with a friend or in a meeting. Tonight: Finish up any important work, then decide.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★ You'll want to initiate a conversation in the morning, yet as the day goes on, you might have mixed feelings. You will gain a new perspective on this matter once you detach from the thought of having the actual talk. Tonight: Buy a favorite dessert on the way home.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★★ A conversation will let you know that you and a friend are on the same page. A child or loved one could distract you, which is likely to make it difficult to pay attention to this person. Consider taking part of the day off. Tonight: Make light of the moment.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★ Your high energy might be off-putting to those who are experiencing a slow start to the day. Others won't be as positive or as open as you seem to be. By the afternoon, consider getting a head start on holiday shopping — at least make a list. Tonight: Run errands on the way home.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★ You could be out of sorts in the morning, but by the afternoon, you'll feel a change in energy. Make an important phone call or start an important project. A partner or loved one could act in the most unpredictable manner. Remain nurturing and kind. Tonight: All smiles.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★★ In the morning, there could be an awkward moment or two with a friend, but you'll still be able to complete whatever you are doing. In the evening, you might be doing a lot of thinking. Do yourself a favor and don't jump to any conclusions yet. Tonight: Play it low-key.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★ You could be much fussier than you realize, and it is likely to cause a problem. It is important to know when to let go of certain issues, especially when dealing with others, as they could personalize your comments. The afternoon allows a key meeting to go smoothly. Be ready to encounter an awkward moment or two. Tonight: Catch up on news.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★ Detach, and try not to get involved in a situation that might be difficult to handle. With a broader perspective, what might have seemed like a big issue suddenly will be irrelevant. It would be smart to let others deal with it in the way they want. Tonight: Till the wee hours.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★ Deal with others directly, as you are likely to benefit from having one-on-one conversations. Some of you could be eyeing a major change within a relationship, while others might be about to meet someone new. Tonight: Daydream all you want.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★ Allow greater give-and-take between you and others. Have a conversation with someone whom you rarely speak to but who often facilitates your life. One-on-one relating will be highlighted in the afternoon. Tonight: Continue the theme of togetherness.

BORN TODAY

Actor Danny DeVito (1944), film director Martin Scorsese (1942), actor Rock Hudson (1925)

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

Bidding Quiz

Q 1 — Neither vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ A Q 10 2 ♡ J 10 8 7 2 ◇ Q 6 ♣ 10 9
The bidding:

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1◇	Pass	1♡	Pass
2♣	Pass	?	

What call would you make?
A — This hand had excellent prospects, but we couldn't find a major-suit fit. The hand is not strong enough for two no-trump, so bid two diamonds and hope partner can bid again.

Q 2 — North-South vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ K 10 9 4 ♡ Q 10 9 2 ◇ K 10 7 2 ♣ A
The bidding:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1◇	Pass	1♡	Pass

What call would you make?
A — This hand re-evaluates to about 15 points in support of hearts. Those luscious tens and nines make it even better. Bid three hearts.

Q 3 — East-West vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ J 10 5 3 ♡ A 9 6 3 ◇ A Q 8 6 ♣ Q
The bidding:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1◇	Pass	2♣	Pass

What call would you make?
A — You should discuss this one with your partner. We would bid two hearts unless partner would expect extra values for that call. In that case, we would bid two no-trump.

Q 4 — Both vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ A K ♡ 10 5 ◇ K 9 4 ♣ A K J 9 8 4
The bidding:

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1◇	Pass	2♣	Pass
2♡	Pass	?	

What call would you make?
A — Had your two-club bid created a game-force, you would have the luxury of bidding a simple three clubs, or perhaps two no-trump, to hear partner's next bid. Those calls would not be forcing if the two-club bid only promised 10 points. Bid three no-trump in that case and hope you haven't missed a slam.

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1 Physicist for whom a speed-of-sound ratio is named
5 Steamers in a pot
10 Post-WWII commerce agreement acronym
14 Toast topping
15 Lose one's cool
16 Eight, in Tijuana
17 ___ and rave
18 Stars, in Latin
19 What winds do
20 Book spine info
22 Acid indigestion, familiarly
24 Snigglers' catch
26 Not feel well
27 Serious play
28 San Francisco transport
33 Daring
34 Ottoman governors
36 Chip away at
37 Prefix with lateral
38 Auto wheel covers
40 Fishing tool
41 Henry or Jane of "On Golden Pond"
43 Kal Kan alternative
44 0
45 Area where goods may be stored without customs payments
47 Oozy stuff
49 NRC predecessor
50 Scotch
51 Go-between
57 Performed without words
60 Mesozoic and Paleozoic
61 More pathetic, as an excuse
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64 No longer here
65 Pacific, for one
66 Russia's __ Mountains
67 "Puppy Love" singer Paul
68 Campground sights
69 War journalist Ernie

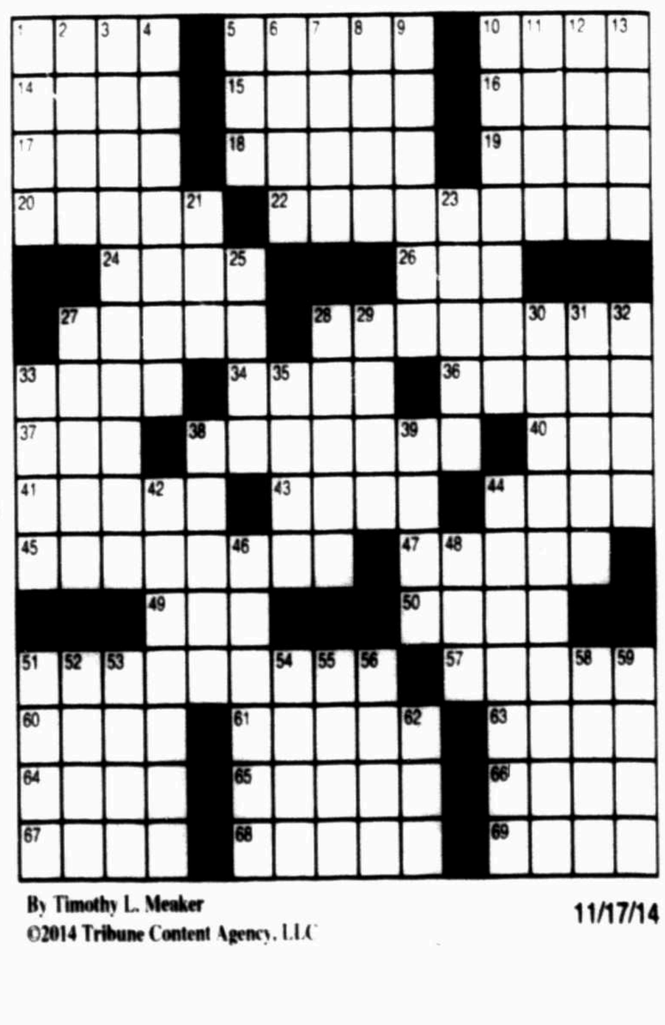
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1 Satirist Sahl
2 Jai
3 Stripe that equally divides the road
4 Detective's breakthrough
5 Tax season VIP
6 Mascara target
7 Start the poker pot
8 Actress Sorvino
9 Sacred Egyptian beetle
10 Male turkey
11 Rights org.
12 Son of Odin
13 Chrysler & Country
21 Nightmare street of film
23 Mah-jongg pieces
25 "Elephant Boy" actor
27 Blood bank participant
28 Washer phase
29 Manager's "Now!"
30 Early computer data storage term
31 Be wild about
32 Update, as a kitchen
33 Physically fit
35 Israeli diplomat Abba
38 Brownish-green eye color
39 Blog update
42 Scrolls source
44 "Pipe down!"
46 Spotted wildcat
48 Hightail it
51 Million: Pref.
52 Golfer's choice
53 Unpleasantly moist
54 Medieval spiked club
55 Prayer finish
56 "No ice, please"
58 And others: Lat.
59 Clinton's 1996 opponent
62 BP checkers

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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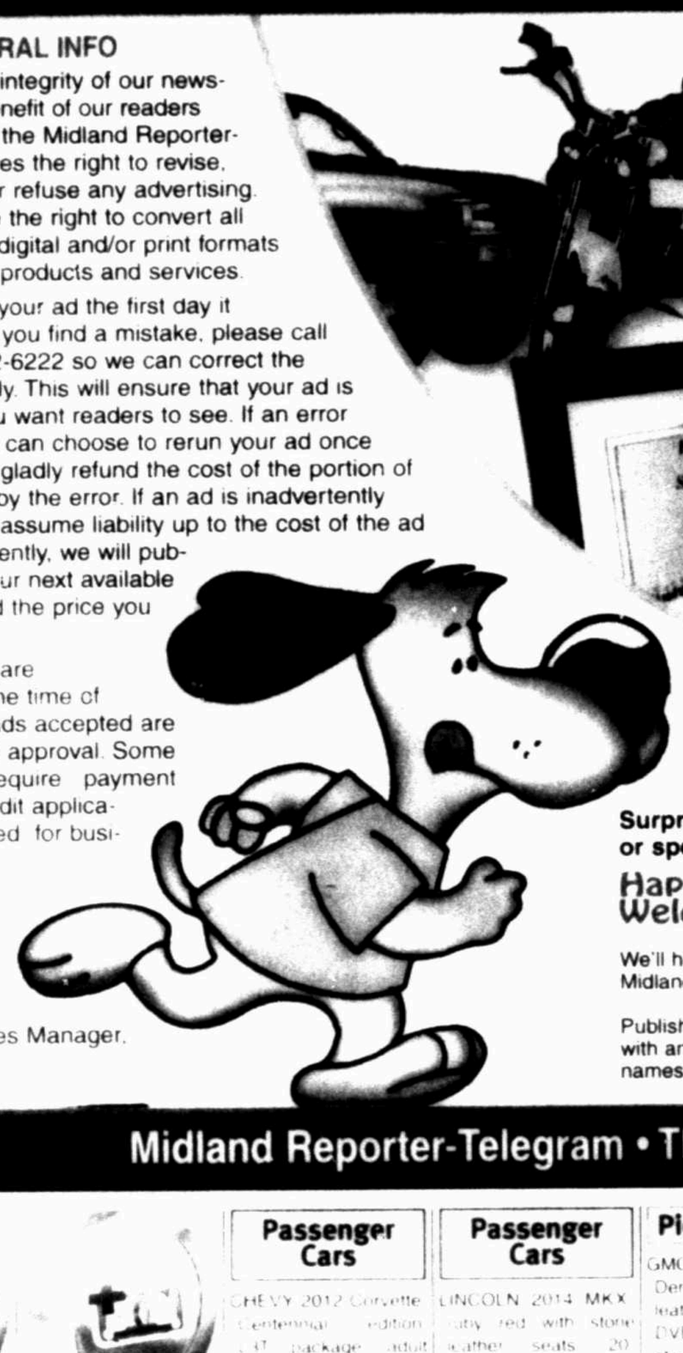
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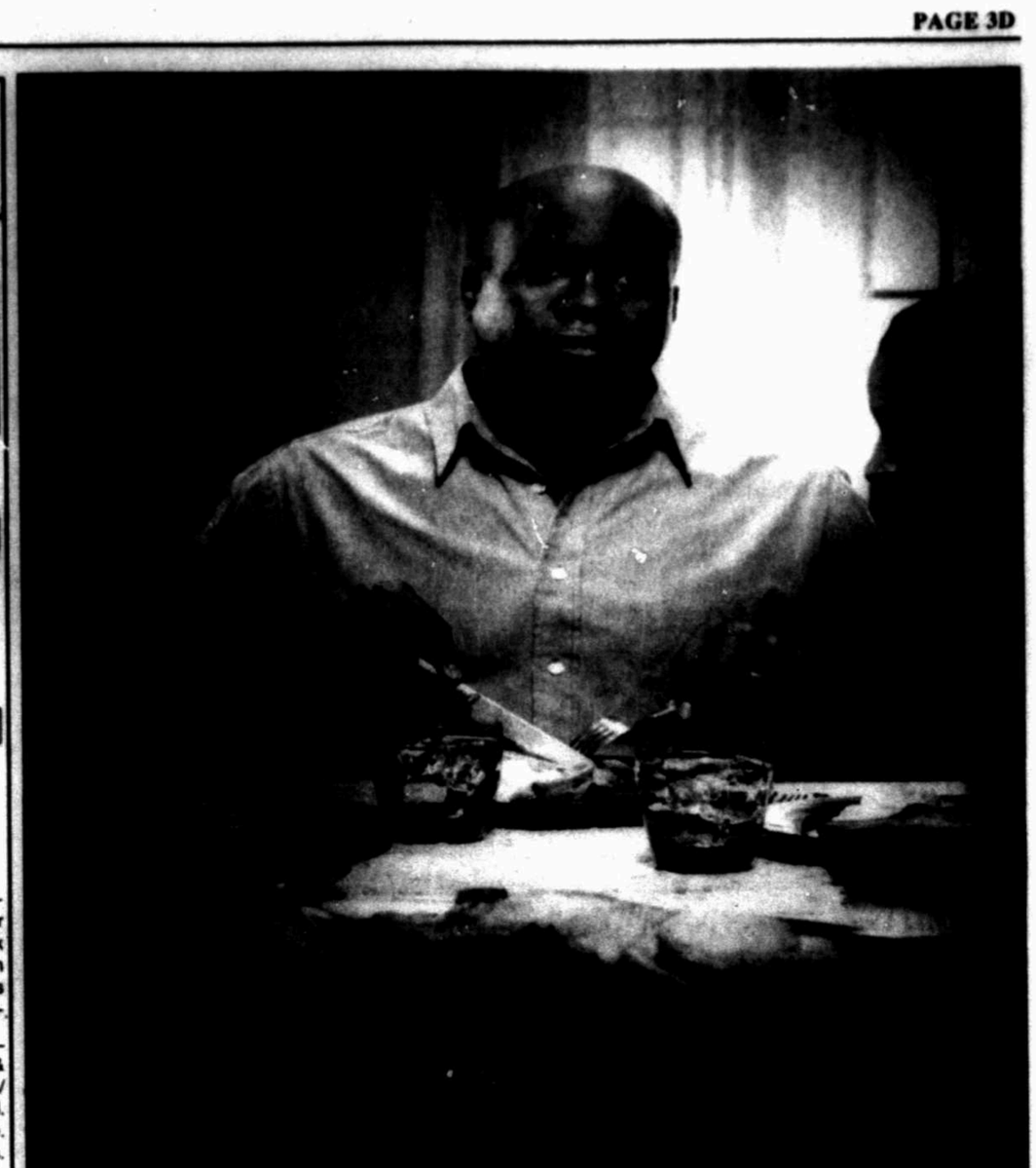
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