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The Cowboys made a stunning comeback to win against the Rams.

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'HOUNDS WRAPUP

Concluding with a Texas League Championship trophy, the Midland RockHounds have had a very successful season. Section B today is dedicated to summing up 2014 for the 'Hounds.

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MISD makes efforts to educate about truancy

Objective of initiatives is to increase overall attendance rate and learning potential

By Tessa Duvall
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Midland ISD is implementing several new efforts to reduce unexcused absences and prevent required truancy filings with the court this academic year.

"The whole thing comes to this: if our teachers are going to have the best ability to really affect the kids educationally, our kids have got to be there," Superintendent Ryder Warren said. "But, we do not want sick kids at school. That's not what we're talking about."

Warren said the district is targeting the parents and students who may think school is "optional" some days as a part of an endeavor to improve the district's attendance rate.

New initiatives include instructing each campus principal to create a strategy to positively impact its attendance rate, and every school receiving weekly updates on students with three or more unexcused absences so interventions can take place earlier.

Warren said the top priority is making sure students are in class for maximum learning potential, but absences also impact the district's money. The district's average daily attendance rate goes into the formula for calculating recapture, which contributes to MISD's higher payment level, he said.

MISD's attendance rate was 94.5 percent for the 2013-14 year, according to district records. Warren said that number should be closer to 96 or 97 percent.

Texas schools as a whole had 95.9 percent attendance in 2011-12, according to the most recent data available in the 2013 Texas Education Agency Snapshot. MISD, by comparison, had 94.7 percent attendance that same year.

Warren said the district is trying to ascertain why MISD's rate is lower than other districts.

"What is it about us?" he said. "What are they doing in Lubbock where they have a higher rate but not here?"

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PRECIPITATION SITUATION

Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

Audrey McGuire plays in the puddles outside her house on Terrace Avenue Sunday afternoon.

Rains help raise Lake Thomas from 2 to 26 percent

From staff reports

The rain that saturated the Permian Basin this past week brought some good news to the water district that helps supply Midland's water needs.

In a matter of two days, Lake J.B. Thomas went from being 2.5 percent full to 26.1 percent full, according to waterdatafortexas.org. The lake, which is located 12 miles southwest of Snyder, joins O.H. Ivie Reservoir and Lake Spence as the surface water sources for the Colorado River Municipal Water District. Ivie (16.8 percent full) and Spence (1.3) did not report any significant gains. Midland is a customer city of the CRMWD, and brings in nearly two-thirds of its water from the CRMWD on some days.

Rainfall totals at 6 p.m.

(Since midnight)
Midland Airpark 2.52 inches
Andrews County 1 inch
Gaines County 0.98 of an inch
Big Spring 0.93 of an inch
Odessa 0.28 of an inch
Midland International 0.03 of inch

The National Weather Service reported Sunday on its Facebook site that Lake Thomas rose more than 20 feet since Friday.

The remnants from Hurricane Odile, as of 6 p.m., also dumped more than 2.52 inches of rain since midnight at Midland Airpark — the most of any area inside the Texas portion of the Permian Basin, the NWS reported unofficially. The amount tops figures in Andrews County (1 inch), Big Spring (.93) and Gaines County (0.49).

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Midland ranked 12th fastest growing city in US

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A new report from NerdWallet.com has ranked Midland as the 12th fastest-growing city in the country.

The NerdWallet study of the 506 biggest cities in the country showed that between 2009 and 2013 Midland's working-age population grew by 10.4 percent while average earnings increased by more than 22 percent. The Tall City outperformed statewide averages of 8.39 percent for working-age population growth and 2.9 percent earnings growth. Midland ranked above Redwood City, California, which has seen increased growth from the burgeoning technology industry in the San Francisco Bay Area.

Midland's workforce population surpassed 100,000 in July for the first time in its history. While the oil boom spurred on by hydraulic fracturing has brought in thousands of new residents, the city's infrastructure and community has struggled to keep up with the speed of change. The Lone Star state has seen more than 1.3 million people move into its borders since April 2010, according to the U.S. Census.

In the NerdWallet.com study, out of the top 20 cities four were in Texas. College Station — home of Texas A&M University — ranks second behind Boulder, Colorado, which experienced a nearly 50 percent increase in average

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Craddick deconstructs the boom at Texas Tribune Festival

Editor's note: Reporter-Telegram reporter Joseph Basco went to the Texas Tribune Festival this past weekend. On Sunday, he reported on Jerry Morales' appearance. This is another article from his reporting.

By Joseph Basco
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AUSTIN — Wall Street Journal's Senior Energy Reporter Russell Gold tasked Texas Railroad Commission Chairwoman Christi Craddick and the other panelists of the Texas Tribune Festival's "Deconstructing the Boom" discussion on Saturday with explaining how "not to mess it up" this time. "it" being the oil boom.

Craddick did not want to call it the boom. Instead, she classified it as "sustained economic growth."

"I think that's where we've been for the last 10 years and I think it's going to continue to grow," Craddick said. "There are 34 states that are active in the oil and gas industry, which is different than it was last time (the early 1980s.)"

Craddick added that the oil activity in Texas is "all over the state" this time, as opposed to just in the Permian Basin the last time.

"What I say about the Permian Basin, but really the entire state and the country is, 'you ain't seen nothing yet.'" Craddick said.

And other than increased activity statewide and nationwide, Craddick also cited installed infrastructure in Texas as another reason why oil activity is likely to be sustained. She said the pipes, ports, rules and regulations are already in place in Texas, whereas states such as Ohio and New York do not.

The idea of a sustained industry that does not follow the boom-and-bust model was echoed by state Rep. Jim Keffer, who answered a question about the dominance of the industry in the state compared to other industries. Keffer said, thanks to Gov. Rick Perry, the state has diversified to other industries. But back to the oil industry, Keffer said leadership is going to be judicious, considering how much of a financial impact the industry has on local and state levels.

Keffer also said oil activity is going to last 20 to 30 years.

"Like Christi said, it's a 'you ain't seen nothing yet' kind of deal," Keffer said.

State Comptroller candidate Mike Collier also jumped on the boom-lasting-a-long-time bandwagon, saying the economics of the shale is different from the economics of conventional drilling. He said, regarding shale extraction, wells are more expensive, the success rate is very high, and the margins are low, adding conventional drilling is more risky.

Collier also reiterated that infrastructure for the shale industry is already in place, but noted the state has yet to be

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Citing Joan Rivers, Texas' Perry backs clinic law

By Paul J. Weber
Associated Press

AUSTIN — Republican Gov. Rick Perry on Sunday invoked comedian Joan Rivers' death at a surgical clinic while defending a law he signed that would close the majority of abortion facilities in the nation's second-most populous state.

The potential 2016 presidential candidate said the law made Texas safer, even though a federal judge in August blocked a key provision that requires abortion clinics to meet hospital-level operating standards. Had that requirement taken effect, only seven abortion facilities would remain in Texas — down from more than 40 in 2012.

Rivers was undergoing a routine procedure at a New York outpatient surgery center when the 81-year-old entertainer went into cardiac arrest and died earlier this month. Health officials in New York are investigating.

"It was interesting that Joan Rivers and the procedure that she had done, where she died, that was a clinic," Perry said. "It's a curious thought, that if they had that type of regulations in place whether or not that individual would be still alive."

Abortion-rights supporters bristled at Perry's comparison.

"The reality is that complications happen in all areas of medicine. There's risk inherent in just about anything. You could have a heart attack and die while having your wisdom teeth removed. Should we outlaw wisdom teeth removal?" said Heather Busby, executive director of NARAL Pro-Choice Texas in an email.

Perry was responding to a question from the audience during a wide-ranging interview at the Texas Tribune Festival in Austin.

The event was a rare instance of Perry, the longest-serving governor in Texas history, reflecting on 14 years of state policy, after spending the past year whipping up conservative crowds around the U.S. for another potential White House run. Rather than a fiery speech blasting President Barack Obama, an easygoing Perry mused on his record on schools and jobs.

Texas is now asking a federal appeals court in New Orleans to let the state fully enforce its sweeping anti-abortion law, known as HB2. That same appeals court previously upheld a section of the law that requires doctors who perform abortions to have admitting privileges at nearby hospitals.

RAINS

From 1A

A flash flood watch remains in effect for much of the Permian Basin until 1 p.m. today, according to the NWS.

The rain did play havoc on Midland streets. According to the city of Midland, the following areas were blocked at some point Sunday:

■ Comanche Drive and Seminole Drive
■ Midland Drive and Anetta Drive
■ Midland Drive and Wall Street
■ Carver Street and Front Street
■ underpass at Big Spring Street and Front Street (closed by Texas Department of Transportation)
■ all low water crossings along Scharbauer Drive.

As of 6:30 p.m., the Midland Police Department had received two calls of submerged vehicles and other flood related items.

It is a far contrast to the NWS office at Midland International, where 0.03 inches was reported by 6 p.m. Sunday.

Eric Ahasic, a meteorologist with the NWS, said there are times when an area will experience localized rain and patches of heavy rain and a couple miles outside of that area, there will be light to moderate rain.

"That is what is happening over Midland right now," Ahasic said. "There is a band of moderate rain trending over Midland, and here, at the airport, we are off to the edge of it," Ahasic said.

Ahasic expect showers at Midland International before the day is finished.

MISD

From 1A

Executive Director of Student Services Teresa Moore said reasons for chronic unexcused absences vary from case-to-case and it's hard to point to one reason why MISD has lower attendance than the state average. Often once students begin to miss a lot, there is a tendency for some to not come back at all, noting there is a correlation with truancy and dropping out, she said.

For elementary students, parents report that their kids are hard to get up in the morning or are difficult to motivate to go to school, and at the secondary level, students may work late and oversleep if someone else isn't home to wake them up, Moore said. Supervisor of Student Attendance Tony De La Rosa said the district also sees a fair number of junior high students who simply leave campus after being dropped off by a parent.

Moore said there are two state laws governing school attendance. The compulsory attendance law states that a child between the ages of 6 and 18 must be in school, whether public, private or home-schooled. The second law addresses attendance for credit or a final grade and states a student must be in attendance 90 percent of the time in order to receive credit.

State law requires a truancy filing on the student or parent when the student has 10 unexcused absences in a six-month period. The district has the discretion to file on students with 3 or more unexcused absences but tends to err on the side of education about the law over punishment, Moore said. The truancy prevention measures include building relationships with students, communicating with parents and emphasizing the importance of being in class every day. MISD is looking at alternatives to court, such as parent involvement classes, she said.

MISD had 1,720 truancy filings with the court for the 2012-13 school year. That number dropped to 898 for the 2013-14 year due to a change in state law that impacted school districts' ability to file on 12-to-15-year-old students.

De La Rosa said an attendance acknowledgment form was included in the batch of paperwork that was sent home for parents to sign at the beginning of the school year. He said campuses receiving the weekly report identifying students with three or more unexcused absences is also a change from the past, when the district waited for principals or assistant principals to notify them of students with absences.

"What we've seen far is since we've been proactive for the first three weeks of school, is that students who were habitual violators before in the past are kind of starting to get the idea that we're not identifying these unexcused absences at a later date," he said. "We're starting right off the bat."

De La Rosa said he's received some calls about excessive unexcused absences, but not as many as he normally would see at this point in time. There have been a few mandatory truancy filings received, but none have been processed yet, he said.

Precinct 2 Justice of the Peace Judge David Cobos, who oversees truancy court, said he and MISD "work very diligently" to avoid using criminal punishment when addressing truancy issues.

"There is an effort for both the school and the court to work hand-in-hand to keep the kids in school," Cobos said. "That's our foremost priority, not to fine kids, but to work at identifying what the root causes of the truancy might be and to work with the school and other agencies to resolve that issue and to get that student back in school."

If a student or parent is a first-time offender, Cobos said he'll educate them on attendance laws. But for repeat offenders, punitive action becomes an option. Students can receive up to a $500 fine plus court costs, and the court can suspend their driver's license or permit, he said. Parents can also face a $500 fine plus court costs, and if court-ordered action such as counseling or school visits aren't completed, then they can be jailed for contempt, Cobos said.

"We're trying a lot of intervention and prevention measures this year prior to cases being filed," he said. "But if they force us to, we will certainly levy the fines and anything else the law provides."

Cobos said he sees education as one of the most important things a person can do for themselves or their child. No matter what, the priority is to get the student back in school.

"Somebody who dropped out of school who may have some previous cases that they owe fines on, and their education is so important to me, that if they graduate and bring me a diploma or if they get a GED," he said, "then I generally waive fines, because an education is more important that collecting money from people."

Moore said make-up work can't replicate the initial instruction that comes from being in front of a teacher on a daily basis.

"The student needs to experience that instruction live, instead of after the fact," she said. "We want to make sure that every student can maximize his or her learning potential by being able to take advantage of the instruction as it's given. And the way to do that is to be in school every day."

Statistics

Midland ISD attendance rates
2013-14 - 94.5 percent
2012-13 - 94.6 percent
2011-12 - 94.7 percent
2010-11 - 94.6 percent
2009-10 - 94.7 percent
Source: MISD

Peer district attendance rates, 2011-12
Ector County ISD - 94.3 percent
Carrollton-Farmers Branch ISD - 96.2 percent
Denton ISD - 96.3 percent
McKinney ISD - 96.5 percent
Pflugerville ISD - 96.3 percent
Source: 2013 TEA Snapshot

Texas attendance rates
2011-12 - 95.9 percent
2010-11 - 95.7 percent
2009-10 - 95.5 percent
Source: TEA Snapshot

Obituaries

Amanda Rea Bickel

Amanda Rea Bickel, 41, surrounded by her family, went home to be with our Lord on Friday, September 19, 2014. "Thanks be to God for His indescribable gift."

A memorial service will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday in Greenwood Chapel.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in her name to the Humane Society of North Texas at *www.hsnt.org/donate.php* or to the Buckner Family Place, 425 West Pecan, Midland, Texas 79705.

Mandi was born on October 10, 1972, in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. During her childhood years, she lived and attended school in Odessa and Midland. She attended Lubbock Christian University and Texas Christian University.

She married Roy Bickel in July 2013. Mandi worked with Roy in his construction business for the last 10 years. Together, they traveled throughout and loved the great state of Texas. She had a passion for cooking, her stepchildren, grandchildren, and animals of all kinds. Mandi often shared her love of cooking with any family, friend or stranger who might be hungry.

Mandi possessed a sweet and gentle spirit and a loving and generous heart and was always giving to others.

She leaves loving memories to be cherished by her husband, Roy Bickel; parents, Gail and Scott Matthews of Horseshoe Bay, and Jim and Beth Brimer of Midland; loving sisters, Christi and husband, Jeff Young, of Waco, Kerri and husband, Charlie Gale, of Dallas, Linsey and husband, Kirk Miller, of Hermosa Beach, California; stepdaughters, Brandi and husband, John Mihalik, Payton Bickel, and Lauren Bickel; adoring grandchildren, Natalie Bickel, Nolan, and Noella Mihalik; and numerous nieces, nephews and friends.

Death Notices

Armando Ramon Castillo

Funeral Mass for Armando Ramon Castillo, 55, of Seminole, Texas will be celebrated Tuesday, September 23, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. at St. James Catholic Church. Burial will follow at Gaines County Cemetery.

Rosary will be held Monday, September 22, 2014 at St. James Catholic Church from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

He passed away Thursday, September 18, 2014.

He is survived by his mother, Engracia Chavez; and two sisters.

Barbara Jane O'Shaughnessy

Barbara Jane O'Shaughnessy, 92, passed away on September 20, 2014.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, September 24, 2014 at St. Ann's Catholic Church. Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park.

Howard D. Reed

Howard D. Reed, 76, of Kingsland, Texas formerly of Midland, Texas passed away on August 7, 2014. He was born in Aspermont, Texas on November 16, 1937.

Graveside Memorial Services will be held Saturday, October 4, 2014 at 11:00 am at Lee Cemetery, 5 Miles South of Aspermont, Texas on Highway 610.

Cremation arrangements made by Putnam Funeral Home 145 Texas Avenue, Kingsland, Texas 78639 (325) 388-0008

John Charles Hugill, IV

John Charles Hugill, IV, 45, passed away on Wednesday, September 17, 2014.

John is survived by his three children, Jaxson, McKinzy, and Crystal; his mother, Diana and husband Irwin Pellman; his father, John Charles Hugill, III; four sisters and a brother.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 p.m. on Monday, September 22, 2014 at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park.

BOOM

From 1A

confronted with a shale price collapse.

"And so we really don't know what it's going to look like in Texas when we have our first price collapse," Collier said.

The panelists also went through some of the struggles of the boom. Gold asked if there are worries the boom could derail because of negative public sentiment about the industry, from all the industrial traffic on the roads to emissions and environmental concerns.

U.S. Rep. Blake Farenthold said it is important oil companies be "good citizens." Keffer mentioned programs, such as the County Energy Transportation Reinvestment Zone that gave funds to counties for energy impacted county roads, are a start, but the state is "behind the stall" when it comes to road funding.

"You're going to lose the public and you're going to lose the ability to adequately pursue development of the wells in the state," Ferenthold said.

Gold then went into regulation, asking panelists how aggressive the rules on the industry need to be. Collier said the Railroad Commission is the best amongst all the states, but if there is not enough staff to "deliver the promise of safety," then that is where the real risk is.

"This is not the scary Democrat argument of having more regulation," Collier said. "This is Mike from the oil business saying we have a great regulatory regime — the Railroad Commission — but if we don't fund it, it won't perform properly."

But like most businesses that have to compete with oil companies for jobs, Craddick talked about how the Texas Railroad Commission is short staffed. Craddick said the commission had 1,500 staffers in 1995; today the commission has the ability to hire 807 but has 765 on staff.

"Anybody who is an engineer, geologist or want a job, please come see me, because we'll hire you tomorrow," Craddick said.

MIDLAND

From 1A

earnings over the 2009-2013 period. The study attributed the growth in income to the city's growing tech scene.

Within the list of the top 20 fastest-growing cities, only six have more than 100,000 people, and Midland ranked fourth within this group, ahead of Cary, North Carolina and McKinney, Boulder, Ann Arbor, Michigan, and Gainesville, Florida, ranked ahead of the Tall City.

The new figures continue what has been a drastic upward trend for Midland. The city's median household income is estimated to be around $69,000, according to figures published by Forbes Magazine. This is compared to U.S. Census data that shows the states' average personal income at $51,500. Forbes also ranked Midland first in the nation for job growth with Odessa following in second place. College Station was ranked eighth on that list.

LOG ON TO MRT★COM

Perry says he still supports current in-state tuition law

By Aman Batheja
Texas Tribune

As he considers a second run for president, Gov. Rick Perry said Sunday that he continues to support a Texas program that proved a political liability during his failed 2012 bid.

Perry said during a one-hour interview at The Texas Tribune Festival that he still supports a Texas law that grants in-state tuition to undocumented immigrants. However, he expressed regret for having said in a 2011 debate that he questioned whether those who do support the program don't "have a heart."

"That was probably a poor use of the term," Perry told Tribune CEO and Editor-in-Chief Evan Smith.

Asked how he would handle the issue if it came up again, he added, "I wouldn't say they were heartless. I would say I hope I can explain to you why in 2001 this was the right thing to do for the state of Texas."

Perry, who will leave the governor's office in January, acknowledged that some Republicans in the Texas Legislature intend to repeal the program in the next legislative session. But he said the reasons that lawmakers supported the idea 13 years ago still stand today.

"Economically, what was in the best interest in the state of Texas was to give these young people the opportunity to be givers rather than takers, to be a constructive part of this society," Perry said.

Perry also praised land commissioner candidate George P. Bush's defense of the controversial program in a Tribune Festival interview on Friday. Bush said in the interview that the program is "a nominal cost for the state of Texas."

More broadly, Perry called his decision this year to send Texas National Guard and law enforcement to the Texas-Mexico border "one of the biggest issues that I've engaged with possibly in my entire political career."

Perry said he would not decide whether he was going to run for president until 2015, but he added that he is doing everything needed to be ready and avoid the mistakes of his first attempt.

"I was not prepared, and it was obvious," Perry said. "And the preparation part of this takes years."

Smith began the interview asking Perry about the federal indictment against him related to his efforts to see Travis County District Attorney Rosemary Lehmberg resign following a drunken driving arrest. Perry described the issue as in the hands of his lawyers and refused to answer any questions on it.

"I would tell you that it's already been addressed, and I'm not going to be adding anything new to it," Perry said.

Smith asked what if he just spent the rest of the interview in silence waiting for Perry to talk about the indictments.

"It'll be a long hour," Perry said, drawing laughs. "I had a date like that once."

It was one of several laugh lines a relaxed Perry drew from the festival crowd. When Smith asked Perry to name "one or two or three things" he wishes he could do over during his tenure as governor, Perry quipped, "Three's a bit of a stretch to me," a reference to an infamous 2011 presidential debate in which he forgot one of the three federal agencies he supported eliminating.

Also in response to something he would do differently, Perry pointed to his 2007 attempt to require girls to be vaccinated against the human papillomavirus (HPV), a common sexually transmitted disease that can cause cervical cancer. Perry said he may have had "my heart in the right place, may have not had my head in the right place."

"I would have engaged the public," Perry said. "I thought the public understood the importance of this from a standpoint of a cancer that's taken lives from young women"

He added that the choice to try to force the issue with an "executive order" was wrong, saying Texans aren't "real big executive order types." A day earlier, Democratic gubernatorial candidate Wendy Davis told Smith at the Tribune Festival that, if elected, she may expand Medicaid through an executive order.

Photo submitted by Marc Tanberg

RAINY DAY FUN

With the large amount of rain, the Reporter-Telegram asked readers to submit their best photos of themselves enjoying the weekend downpour.

Photo submitted by Sarah Priebe

Be sure to check out Sunday's edition to read weekly
LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

FELONY ARRESTS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Calvin W. Haynes, 25, of Midland was charged Saturday with possession of a controlled substance less than 1 gram.

Miguel A. Tover, 35, of Midland was charged Saturday with aggravated assault with a deadly weapon.

Justin S. Williams, 35, of Midland was charged Saturday with theft between $1,500 and $20,000 and injury to a child, elderly or disabled person with intent to cause bodily injury.

Samuel Zubia, 34, of Midland was charged Saturday with possession of a controlled substance less than 1 gram.

Source: Midland County Sheriff's Office

GUILTY PLEAS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Ruben Alarcon, 35, theft by check, 11 months jail suspended for two years community supervision and a fine of $2000.

Marin Sauceda Barragan Jr., 26, assault family violence as a repeat offender; six years TDCJ.

Johnny Ray Balderas, 35; theft by repetition; two years state jail division of TDCJ

Ruben Fino Bujanda, 40, felony driving while intoxicated; 10 years TDCJ suspended for four years community supervision, $1,500 fine, 30 days jail, and 365 days driver's license suspension.

Jamie Brito, 31, failure to stop and render aid; 30 months TDCJ.

Rosemary Castillon, 50, theft by repetition, 15 months state jail.

Kimberly Michelle Dunman, 27, forgery by passing, two years TDCJ.

Rachael Maye Floyd, 27, obtaining prescription by fraud, 10 years state jail, suspended for five years of probation, $500 fine, court cost, 180 days driver's license suspension.

Joshua Edward Rayos, 27, debit card abuse; adjudicated guilt deferred, four years community supervision, pay restitution.

Tanner Hayden Severo Roach, 20, evading in a motor vehicle, two years state jail.

Federico Sanchez III, 32, assault family violence by choking as a repeat offender, seven years TDCJ.

Mary Anabel Soto, 19, assault on a public servant, seven years TDCJ, suspended for three years of probation, court cost and 200 hours of community service.

Terri Patrice Avant, 56, theft by check, 10 months state jail division of TDCJ.

Preston Ross Ordonez, 22, credit card abuse, extended two years community supervision.

Joseph Alexander Payan, 25, evading arrest and detention in a motor vehicle, three years TDCJ.

Kelli Alexis Taylor, 27, forgery by passing; adjudicated guilt, two years state jail probated for five years community supervision and pay restitution.

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TODAY IN MIDLAND

Autumn begins today

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The first day of winter is Dec. 21.

Source: Almanac.com

Autumn weather

The Climate Prediction Center is forecasting a 40 percent chance of below-average temperatures and above-average rainfall from October through December.

October calendar

Books in the Basin, Oct. 10-11
Midland Memorial Hospital Healthy U, Oct. 11
CAF Airsho, Oct. 11-12
Art Garfunkel, Oct. 12
Tour de Vine, Oct. 16
Permian Basin Oil Show, Oct. 20-26
Midland Downtown Farmers Market Big Birthday Bash, Oct. 25
Pink the Basin luncheon, Oct. 30

Thing to do

The Piano Guys, Monday at Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center. wagnernoel.com.

Meetings

County commissioners
9 a.m.
Midland County Courthouse auxiliary courtroom.
500 N. Loraine Ave.

Midland-Odessa Transportation Organization (MOTOR)
5 p.m.
Wright Office Complex Suite 1
9801 Wright Drive

Club meetings today

- Midland Amateur Radio Club, 7:30 p.m., clubhouse, Loop 250 and Lamesa Road; 561-9729.
- Tall City VFW Post 7208, 1303 E. Taylor, bingo games 7 p.m.

Fairgrounds meeting

The city of Midland will hold a public meeting to discuss the proposed widening of Fairgrounds Road between Pecan Avenue and Loop 250. The meetig is 6-8 p.m. Tuesday in the Lee Freshman High School library, 1400 E. Oak Ave.

What's on the radio

News talk
KCRS (AM 550)
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9-11 a.m. Lynn Woolley
11 a.m.-2 p.m. Rush Limbaugh
2-5 p.m. Dave Ramsey
5-6 p.m. Local news reports
6-9 p.m. Roger Hedgecock
9-midnight Hugh Hewitt
Midnight-6 a.m. Coast to Coast with George Noory
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6-10 a.m. Morning Show with Craig Anderson
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Watering schedule

If you really feel you have to water considering the rain that has fallen in Midland, the current outdoor watering schedule allows residents and businesses in the city of Midland to water twice per week.

Even-numbered addresses may water outdoors on Saturdays and Wednesdays from 6 p.m. until midnight.

Odd-numbered addresses may water outdoors on Fridays and Tuesdays from 6 p.m. until midnight.

Any violation may result in a fine up to $500.

The washing outdoor surfaces ban is still in effect.

Use of water to fill, refill or add to any indoor or outdoor swimming pools, wading pools or Jacuzzi-type pools is prohibited except on designated watering days between the hours of 6 p.m. and midnight beginning on their designated watering days.

Today in History

Today is Monday, Sept. 22, the 265th day of 2014. There are 100 days left in the year. Autumn arrives at 9:29 p.m.

Today's highlight in history:

On Sept. 22, 1776, during the Revolutionary War, Capt. Nathan Hale, 21, was hanged as a spy by the British in New York.

On this date:

In 1862, President Abraham Lincoln issued the preliminary Emancipation Proclamation, declaring all slaves in rebel states should be free as of Jan. 1, 1863.

In 1927, Gene Tunney successfully defended his heavyweight boxing title against Jack Dempsey in the famous "long-count" fight in Chicago.

ARMED FORCES RODEO

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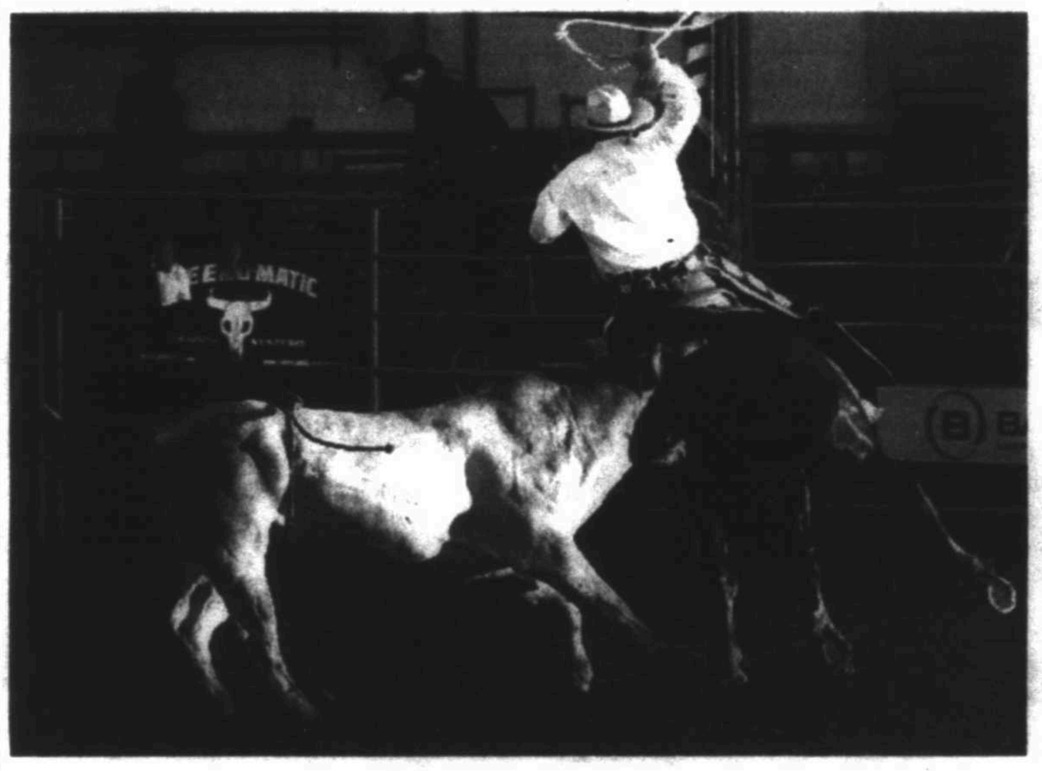
Professional Armed Forces Rodeo took place on Saturday at Horseshoe Arena.



A loose bull goes looks for a target during the bull riding event.

ABOVE: Nellie Jorgensen, representing the US Air Force, competes in the barrel racing event.

BELOW: Charle Stewart, representing the US Army, competes in the barrel racing event.

ABOVE: Bullfighter Ty Williams gets close to the bull Moonwalker during the bull riding event.

BELOW: Albert Ruiz competes in the Chute Dogging event.

Courtney Stephens competes in the calf roping competition.

Feds censure local police, yet give lethal weapons

By Tami Abdollah and Eric Tucker
Associated Press

AP file photo

A Mine-Resistant Ambush Protected (MRAP) vehicle sits in front of police headquarters in Watertown, Conn., on July 16. A Pentagon program that distributes military surplus gear to local law enforcement agencies permits even those departments that the Justice Department has censured for civil rights violations to apply for and receive lethal weaponry.

LOS ANGELES — A Pentagon program that distributes military surplus gear to local law enforcement allows even departments that the Justice Department has censured for civil rights violations to apply for and get lethal weaponry.

That lack of communication between two Cabinet agencies adds to questions about a program under review in the aftermath of the militarized police response to protesters in Ferguson, Missouri.

The Pentagon, which provides the free surplus military equipment, said its consultation with the Justice Department will be looked at as the government reviews how to prevent high-powered weaponry from flowing to the untrustworthy.

The Justice Department has opened civil rights investigations into the practices of some 20 police departments in the past five years, with the Ferguson force the latest. The investigations sometimes end in negotiated settlements known as consent decrees that mandate reforms. Yet being flagged as problematic by Washington does not bar a police department from participating in the program.

"Given the fact that they're under a consent decree it would make sense that the Department of Defense and Department of Justice coordinate on any such requests, (but) that is currently not the state," said Jim Bueermann, who heads the nonprofit Police Foundation.

At a Senate hearing this month, Alan Estevez, a Defense Department official who oversees the program, acknowledged that consultation with the Justice Department was "lacking" and he said that would be reviewed. Under questioning, he acknowledged the Pentagon does not take federal civil rights investigations into account in shipping out weapons, but that could change.

"We need to do a better job there," he said.

The Los Angeles Police Department received multiple shipments, totaling some 1,680 M16 assault rifles, under the Pentagon program, even while the department was under the watch of a federal monitor and had been accused of poor practices, government records show. The LAPD entered into a court-supervised agreement with the Justice Department in 2001 after investigators accused it of a pattern of excessive force, false arrests and unreasonable searches.

In Warren, Ohio, the police department in 2012 reached a settlement with the Justice Department to resolve an investigation into a pattern of excessive force and illegal searches. The department, which expects to have nearly 70 officers soon, recently ordered 30 M16 rifles as part of the program, Police Chief Eric Merkel said.

"We don't have an issue here with brandishing firearms and shooting people. That's not the reason the Department of Justice came in here to begin with," Merkel said. "I think the public reasonably expects their police department to be armed with a level that at least matches what they might be coming up against."

A 2001 Justice Department memorandum of agreement with the Washington, D.C., police found a pattern of excessive force over the prior decade. Several years later, when the department remained under the oversight of an independent monitor, it received 500 assault rifles from the military, a spokeswoman said.

The Pentagon program was authorized by Congress in 1990 to help fight drugs, with terrorism-fighting a more recent objective.

The Defense Department views the program, which has handed out more than $5.1 billion in military property since it started, primarily as a way to get rid of equipment it no longer needs. Equipment, much of it nontactical gear such as sleeping bags and filing cabinets, is provided first-come, first-served. Law enforcement officials say the military gear can save lives and keep officers safe in dangerous situations such as standoffs with heavily armed suspects and natural disasters.

But images of police responding to Ferguson protesters with tear gas, armored vehicles and in riot gear raised new scrutiny about who was getting the equipment and whether law enforcement agencies were receiving proper training.

The Defense Logistics Agency, a Pentagon branch that reviews the applications, looks at the department's justification for its request and ensures that administrative requirements are met, DLA spokeswoman Michelle McCaskill said. The agency has denied 26 percent of requests during the current budget year, which ends this month. The agency says state coordinators play an important role in approving police departments from within their states.

"Bottom line is they just don't say 'we want it' and they get it. There is a vetting process," McCaskill said.

It's hard to determine exactly how much tactical equipment was received by a single police department because the federal government releases only aggregate totals by county.

In Los Angeles, where the consent decree formally concluded last year, Deputy Chief Michael Downing said the department's Police Commission is informed of such acquisitions and updated on operations where such tactical equipment is used. The commission is an independent civilian oversight board whose watchdog role was emphasized under the consent decree.

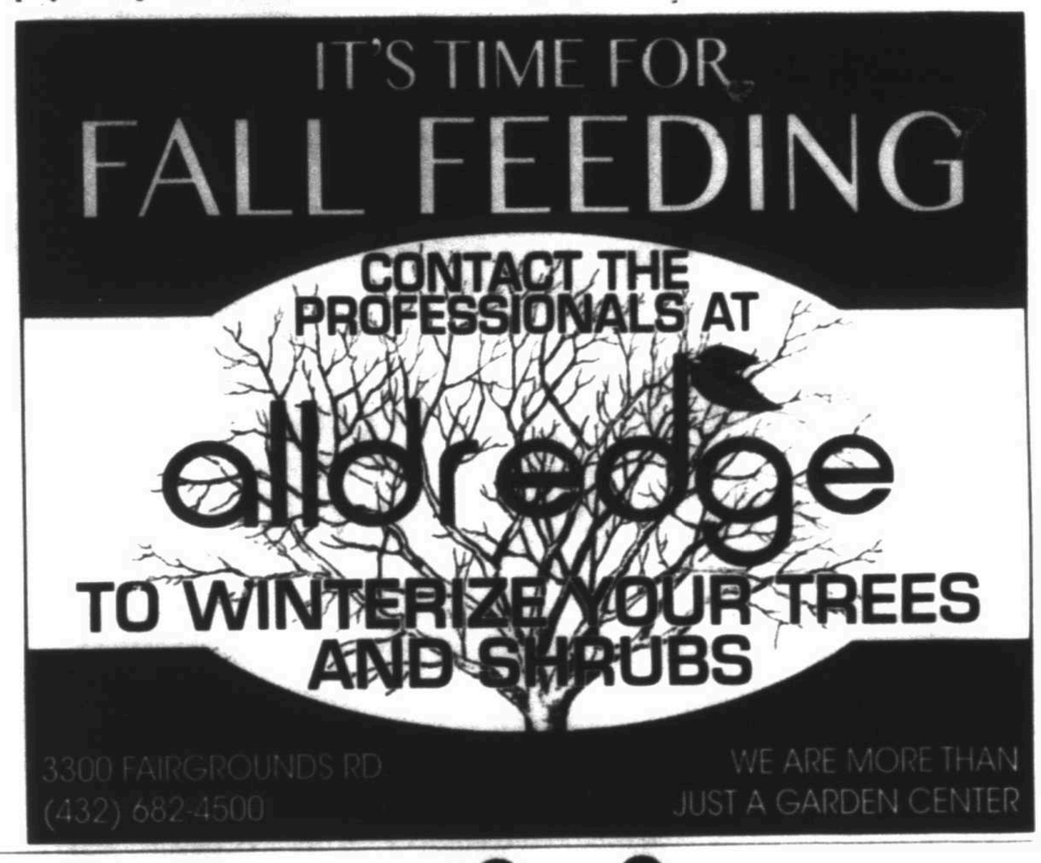
The M16s received by the LAPD were converted from fully automatic, three-round burst weapons to single action AR-15s and provided to patrol officers, Downing said.

Downing, who heads the department's counterterrorism and special operations bureau, said such equipment was critical given the threats faced especially in major urban areas. He said he wouldn't limit police departments under consent decrees from receiving gear.

"I'd just ask the hard questions and make sure before the equipment is even utilized that they have well thought out protocols, training and policies in place," he said.

Some also say a consent decree should have no bearing on a department's ability to receive tactical gear, especially since the problems that led to the federal review may be unrelated to weapon use. The bigger question is how the equipment's used, when and under what circumstances, said Chuck Wexler, head of the Police Executive Research Forum.

But to Peter Bibring, a staff attorney for the ACLU of Southern California, it should not get to that point.



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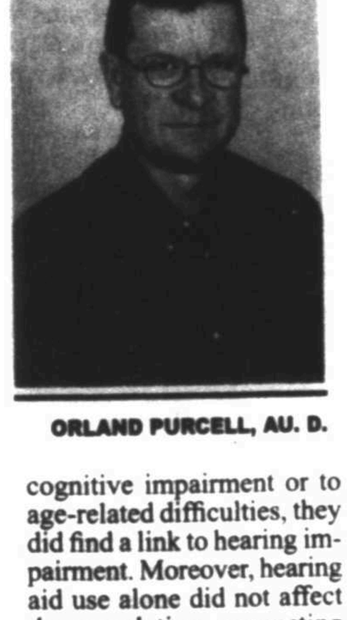
Hearing loss affects elders' personalities

By Orland Purcell Au. D., CCC-A



ORLAND PURCELL, AU. D.

You may have noticed a change in many peoples' personalities as they approach old age. They often become more withdrawn, less communicative with others. Earlier this year there was a study, published in the Journal of Personality, which shows that people with hearing loss tend to withdraw even more.

This study reminds us that proper diagnosis and treatment of hearing issues is vital to maintaining one's emotional well-being.

For six years Anne Ingeborg Berg's team studied 400 people who ranged in age from 80-98. Every two years the researchers assessed the participants' physical and mental status. The assessments included emotional stability and personality aspects such as extroversion, or the inclination to be outgoing.

Interestingly, the team found that even if a subject's emotional stability was unchanged during the test period, the person became less outgoing. While researchers could not pin the changes to differences in physical and cognitive impairment or to age-related difficulties, they did find a link to hearing impairment. Moreover, hearing aid use alone did not affect the correlation, suggesting the need for support in the use of hearing devices.

"To our knowledge, this is the first time a link between hearing and personality changes has been established in longitudinal studies," said Berg, who is a licensed psychologist and a researcher at the Department of Psychology at the University of Gothenberg in Sweden.

"Surprisingly, we did not find that declining overall health and functional capacity make people less outgoing. But hearing loss directly affects the quality of social situations," she continued. "If the perceived quality of social interaction goes down, it may eventually affect whether and how we relate to others."

Previous studies have shown that untreated hearing loss leads to depression and anxiety regardless of one's age.

Many people put off dealing with hearing loss because they are afraid that hearing aids will make them look old or will cause people to think less of them. There are two responses to this concern. The first is that there are hearing aids today that are practically invisible. While these types are not suitable for everyone, they are becoming more and more versatile.

Second, yes, someone may notice hearing aids. But actually people are more likely to notice someone who consistently says, "What did you say?" or gives a wrong answer because they misheard the question. Getting hearing aids generally makes communication so much easier.

Few people with vision issues worry about what others think about glasses—those that do get contacts. Many of today's hearing aids are almost as invisible as contacts, and gaining the ability to hear coworkers, friends, family and—especially—grandchildren, should overcome any other concerns.

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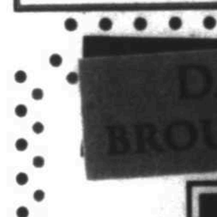
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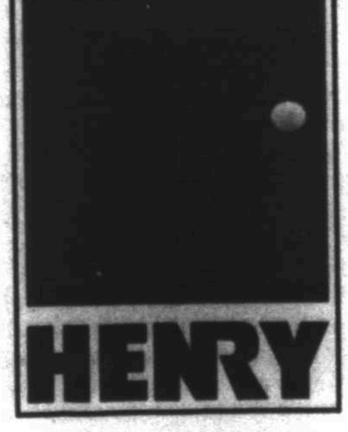
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Senators find answers on island of discovery

■ There's no connection between Republicans and Democrats, which is why Washington is broken

DANA MILBANK
Washington Post Writers Group

Jeff Flake, the Arizona Republican senator who asked the Discovery Channel to film him and a Democratic colleague last month as they subsisted on an uninhabited Pacific island, came home with a sunburn, a 10-pound weight loss — and a desire to see Senate leaders put through the same ordeal.

"To see Sen. Reid and Sen. McConnell," Flake said Thursday, "I will level that challenge right now. If they would spend six days and nights on an island, we could move legislation forward here."

Flake paused, then smiled. "And if they didn't survive, we could still move legislation here," he added.

Talk about win-win.

There may be easier ways to improve Washington's dysfunction than to force Majority Leader Harry Reid, D-Nev., and Minority Leader Mitch McConnell, R-Ky., to swim in shark-infested waters, eat nothing but coconut water and hunks of raw clam for a week, and fight off the world's largest crabs — although that would make for excellent TV.

But Flake has a point: If others went through the sort of trial Flake and Sen. Martin Heinrich, a New Mexico Democrat, just put themselves through, they would learn to regard each other as partners rather than foes. There's something about building a shelter together from palm fronds as rain and darkness approach that makes the latest filibuster seem frivolous.

The problem in Washington is less about ideology than the fact that lawmakers "don't trust each other enough to work together," reasoned Heinrich, who like Flake is a former House member in his first Senate term. "A lot of our predecessors were from very different ideological places but they had a personal trust so that they could negotiate in good faith."

Flake shared his fellow castaway's view. "We don't need to be in the same place philosophically," he said, "but the trust level has to be there and it isn't right now."

The folks at Discovery, no doubt, would be delighted to continue the "Rival Survival" series with leaders in need of trust-building: John Boehner, R-Ohio, and Nancy Pelosi, D-Calif.; President Obama and John McCain, R-Ariz.; Ted Cruz, R-Texas, and everyone. That's not about to happen.

But the Marshall Islands adventure Flake and Heinrich took is more evidence of lawmakers coming to the (correct) conclusion that Washington is broken because personal bonds have unraveled. A few years ago, Sen. Mark Udall, D-Colo., persuaded some Republicans and Democrats to sit side by side at the State of the Union address. At the time, Udall also hoped to organize bipartisan Outward Bound retreats. Nothing much seems to have come of that, perhaps because each side feared the other would loosen their anchors during the rappel.

A more recent effort, undertaken by Democratic fundraiser Nancy Jacobson and backed by former Republican presidential candidate Jon Huntsman, has made some progress. The group "No Labels" claims a "Problem Solver" caucus of 75 House members and eight senators. On Wednesday, No Labels held a gathering in Washington to refine an unobjectionable platform the group hopes to inject into the 2016 presidential race: create 25 million jobs over 10 years, secure Medicare and Social Security for 75 years, balance the federal budget by 2030 and make America energy secure by 2024.

If that's going to happen, something will also have to be done about an election system in which the most extreme elements dominate primaries and punish lawmakers who compromise. "The American people are going to have to start rewarding a different type of behavior," Rep. John Delaney, D-Md., told the No Labels crowd, "where members of Congress come together."

It was this spirit that sent Flake and Heinrich to the Pacific. During a Senate vote months ago, the two discovered they shared the hobby of spear fishing, which led them to pitch Discovery, which finally landed them at the National Press Club, where they sat on a stage Thursday with ferns, wooden spears, moss — and Saratoga mineral water.

Flake, in person and in the clips that Discovery screened, tried the predictable jokes ("It was my first night sleeping with a Democrat"). This could explain why Senate colleagues, according to Heinrich, still seem to think the adventure was a fabrication by The Onion.

Based on the Discovery teasers, the whole adventure actually seemed to be about dehydration, gross food and frustration — such as when the two senators tried unsuccessfully to make a fire by rubbing wood.

"It's a lot like Congress: a lot of friction, no fire," Flake observed.

But if they keep at it, sooner or later there will be a spark.

GUEST VIEW

Prop. 1 important for Texas highways

San Antonio Express-News

Supporters of Proposition 1 are quick to acknowledge it does not fully address Texas' transportation needs. But it is a critical step in the right direction, and voters should approve it.

Proposition 1 would take half the state's oil and gas production tax revenue that is directed to the state's rainy day fund and instead apply it toward transportation needs.

This would have translated to an estimated $1.7 billion this year for the State Highway Fund — without raising taxes. The amount of revenue will vary depending on oil and gas production in a given year.

It does not affect the portion of oil and gas tax revenue that is directed toward public education. Also, the Texas Department of Transportation is uniquely capable of adjusting projects if and when oil and gas revenues falter.

Texas finds itself behind the transportation eight ball for a number of reasons. There has been an over-reliance on debt to address transportation needs, and the gas tax has remained at 20-cents per gallon since 1991.

Inflation has diluted tax, and more fuel-efficient vehicles have led to diminishing returns.

Meanwhile, Texas' population has surged with the oil boom. The state has been growing by about 1,000 people a day.

That's a lot of congestion and wear-and-tear on our roads, even without future growth.

Locally, supporting Proposition 1 likely means hundreds of millions of dollars in transportation investment each year and corresponding jobs.

Even if the measure passes, Texas still will need $4 billion to $5 billion in additional transportation funding just to keep up.

Proposition 1 is a critical first step toward fully addressing Texas' transportation needs. Voters should approve it.

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Admirals, generals at war over fat

■ Now is the wrong time for lawmakers to alter programs that provide healtier options for young people

ESTHER CEPEDA
Washington Post Writers Group

Four years after a group of more than 450 retired military leaders released a report called "Too Fat to Fight," chronicling the expanding waistlines of our armed forces, the admirals, generals and others are waging this war anew. Their group, called "Mission: Readiness," is back with a new report warning that "Retreat is Not An Option."

The latest effort follows up "Still Too Fat to Fight" from the group two years ago. The new report includes state-by-state data from the Department of Defense showing that a nationwide average of 70 percent of young adults are likely to be ineligible to join the military for one reason or another. Standouts are Mississippi and the District of Columbia, for instance, where a whopping 78 percent would be considered ineligible.

The leading medical reason for these disqualifications? Obesity. Nearly one-quarter of young adults 17 to 24 are too heavy to serve. The other main reasons are educational deficiency and having a criminal record.

Multiple studies show the positive effects since enactment of the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010, with 90 percent of school districts nationwide implanting healthier school lunch standards. But members of Mission: Readiness are fanning out across Capitol Hill with their new report in hand to persuade lawmakers not to ease up on the healthy-eating regulations.

The call to arms is because of draft language in the House Agriculture appropriations bill for fiscal year 2015 that would establish a process to waive updated meal standards for any school food authority that has experienced a loss in revenue over a six-month period. Such a sweeping measure would derail the implementation process at a time when it's crucial to stay the course.

There seems to be a connection between the politics and the data. While the numbers of ineligible young people are high across the country, it's likely not mere coincidence that they are especially steep in Alabama and North Dakota — 75 percent and 73 percent ineligible, respectively. Both are states represented by lawmakers who want to weaken the school nutrition standards.

"We're already doing so well with getting more nutritious food to our young people that it's clear we need to strive for all our school districts to adhere to the standards," said retired Rear Adm. Casey Coane, a Mission: Readiness volunteer. "Obviously we talk a lot about military readiness but we're focused on educated, healthy, law-abiding young people whether in or out of uniform and what they eat at school is such a big part of that."

Coane told me that improving such a big source of young people's food-habit formation will ultimately make a major impact on not only the readiness of our military, but what the armed forces cost us.

According to Mission: Readiness, obesity rates among active-duty personnel rose 61 percent between 2002 and 2011 and today 12 percent of active-duty service members are obese. This translates into significant expenditures, such as an estimated $1.5 billion annually for treating obesity-related health conditions and replacing those discharged because they are unfit to serve.

Plus, there are untold dollars spent on medical care for soldiers who are not yet obese but overweight and whose extra pounds cause them to be 1.5 times more likely to be injured than their fitter counterparts — and far more often with stress fractures and sprains rather than combat wounds.

But, does this really matter in our age of drones and high-tech digital warfare?

"Remotely piloted military aircraft and all kinds of sexy things like cyber-war and military intelligence are a growing part of military business," Coane said. "But the vast majority are serving in capacities requiring a great deal of physical stamina. You can't pull 9 Gs, scurry through the narrow passageways of an aircraft carrier or carry around a 150-pound rucksack if you're carrying extra weight."

The military is doing its part, too. Coane said the nutritional standards of the food prepared on bases are being steadily improved and programs promoting healthy eating and exercise to troops and their families are being piloted. (In a perfect world, the presence of Dunkin Donuts, McDonald's, Burger King and other fast-food outlets that were welcomed onto military installations to appeal to young recruits and enlistees' families would be reconsidered as well.)

Whether or not we want our schoolchildren to join the military, we need them to eat healthfully and be in fighting shape to tackle their studies. Let's hope no one stands in their way.

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Associated Press

U.S. Rep. Bill Cassidy, a Republican, speaks to reporters after qualifying to run for the U.S. Senate in Baton Rouge, La., on Aug. 20. A handful of tight races in states with quirky election laws make for the headache-inducing possibility that Election Day will come and go without a deciding which party controls the U.S. Senate. And if that happens, brace for a fierce runoff election and possible recounts that could make for an ugly holiday season in politics and government.

Who wins Senate control? Nov. 4 might not decide

By Charles Babington
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — A suspenseful election night is one thing, but what if it stretches out for a month? Or into next year?

A handful of tight races in states with quirky election laws make for the headache-inducing possibility that Election Day will come and go without deciding which party controls the Senate.

If that happens, brace for a fierce runoff election and possible recounts that could make for an ugly holiday season in politics and government.

The main reason for uncertainty: Louisiana's election laws. Strategists in both parties say a Dec. 6 runoff is likely because Democratic Sen. Mary Landrieu and top Republican challenger Bill Cassidy will struggle to exceed 50 percent on the crowded Nov. 4 ballot.

In Louisiana's "jungle primary," all candidates — regardless of party — run in November. If none exceeds 50 percent, the top two finishers head into a Dec. 6 runoff.

It's not implausible that control of the Senate could hang on a Louisiana runoff.

Republicans need six more seats to claim a 51-49 Senate majority. A 50-50 split would let Vice President Joe Biden break tie votes and keep Democrats in charge.

Republicans are strongly favored to win three races where Democratic senators are retiring: West Virginia, South Dakota and Montana.

Their best hopes to pick up three more seats are in the four contests where Democrats seek re-election in states President Barack Obama lost: Alaska, Arkansas, Louisiana and North Carolina.

Republicans are also making strong bids in Iowa, Colorado and New Hampshire, which Obama carried.

If Republicans win two of those races, plus the three where they are heavily favored, then all eyes and lots of campaign money would turn to Louisiana if there's a runoff.

"And I don't think there's any chance we don't go into a runoff in Louisiana," said Brian Walsh, a Republican adviser in Senate races.

A major GOP campaign group has reserved $4 million in Louisiana TV air time after Nov. 4, anticipating battling Landrieu through Dec. 6.

Waiting for a make-or-break Louisiana outcome would deeply affect the postelection congressional session scheduled to start Nov. 12. Congress must appropriate money in November to keep the government running, and it may revisit the president's continued authority to arm Syrian rebels, among other things.

If Republicans think they will control the Senate in the new Congress set to convene Jan. 3, they may want to limit action in the Democratic-controlled lame-duck session. It's almost certain that Republicans will retain their House majority.

Georgia's Senate race could have an even messier outcome than Louisiana's. GOP nominee David Perdue is thought to have a modest lead over Democrat Michelle Nunn in the race to succeed retiring Republican Saxby Chambliss.

But there's a Libertarian on the ballot, who might win enough votes to keep Perdue and Nunn from reaching 50 percent. That would trigger a runoff Jan. 6, three days after the new Congress' scheduled start.

It requires a lot of "ifs." But a scenario in which Republicans entered the new Congress with a 50-49 Senate majority, while awaiting a Georgia outcome that could soon return them to the minority, would further roil an already bitterly partisan government.

If nothing else, "it would make for a bad Christmas for everyone," said GOP strategist Ron Bonjean.

A recount of a Georgia runoff result, should there be one, would extend confusion even deeper into 2015. A candidate may request a recount if the margin is less than 1 percent of all votes cast.

Alaska presents another possibility for an inconclusive Nov. 4 Senate election. Alaska traditionally counts only about two-thirds of its total vote on election night. State law postpones counting most absentee and questioned ballots until a week after the election.

Twice in the past six year, a Senate winner in Alaska wasn't declared until at least two weeks after Election Day. This year, the state features one of the nation's tightest races. First-term Democratic Sen. Mark Begich faces Republican Dan Sullivan. Obama lost Alaska by 14 percentage points.

Of all the high-stakes "what-if" possibilities, campaign professionals see a Dec. 6 Louisiana runoff as the most likely. Landrieu has scrapped to win three Senate terms, but the state has trended Republican in recent years.

"If Louisiana is the deciding seat, pity anyone watching television in the state that month," said Matt Bennett, who has advised several Democratic candidates. "They will be blitzed with more ads, from campaigns and outside groups, than they could possibly imagine."

Generally, Republicans fare better in runoffs because their supporters tend to vote regardless of the date, weather or levels of publicity.

But an intensive, well-targeted get-out-the-vote operation could save Landrieu, Bennett said, "and the Democrats clearly dominate in the technology and coordination of their ground campaigns."

Relatives: Vet arrested at White House needs help

By Betsy Blaney and Josh Lederman
Associated Press

MIDLAND — An Iraq war veteran accused of scaling a fence and making it into the White House before the Secret Service stopped him owns several guns that he could have brought with him if he had meant to harm anyone, his former stepson said Sunday.

Omar Gonzalez, 42, was arrested Friday and is expected in federal court Monday to face charges of unlawfully entering a restricted building or grounds while carrying a deadly or dangerous weapon — a small folding knife in this case.

Jerry Murphy, whose mother was married to Gonzalez for several years, said Gonzalez suffers from post-traumatic stress disorder and that he needs treatment, not to be treated like a criminal. He said Gonzalez has been driving around the country and living out of his truck for the past couple of years, and that he always carries his knife.

"I know he's got heavy artillery, you know? He's got all kinds of weapons and he was trained to use them," Murphy said. "I believe if he wanted to make a scene or cause problems, he very well could have. But it's clear that he didn't."

The Secret Service has come under heavy criticism since the embarrassing security breach, which happened when the first family wasn't at the White House. Secret Service Director Julia Pierson ordered increased surveillance and more officer patrols at the White House, as the agency investigates what went wrong.

The Army said Gonzalez enlisted in July 1997 and remained until completing his service obligation in September 2003. He reenlisted in July 2005 and served until his retirement in late 2012, serving in Iraq from October 2006 to January 2008.

The military does not provide details about a soldier's disability due to privacy considerations. But Samantha Bell, who is Gonzalez's ex-wife and Murphy's mother, said Gonzalez was honorably discharged for medical reasons and suffered from plantar fasciitis on his feet, on which he had had some surgeries. She said he also suffered from PTSD, for which he had been prescribed several medications.

Bell said she and Gonzalez married in 2006 and lived together in Copperas Cove, near Fort Hood, until she split up with him in 2010 because of his worsening mental condition. After his second tour in Iraq, Gonzalez began carrying a .45 on his hip at all times and kept three or four rifles and shotguns behind the doors in their home, said Bell, who remarried and now lives in southern Indiana.

She said Gonzalez kept the blinds drawn and would repeatedly go downstairs during the night to make sure the doors were locked and the oven was off. She said she once woke up in the middle of the night to find Gonzalez standing at the foot of the bed and staring at her. She said he told her he was simply watching her sleep.

"It was really odd and I didn't know how to take that," she said. "I just couldn't deal with it. I didn't want to deal with it, I couldn't — that's the whole reason I left. He was so paranoid he was starting to make me paranoid."

Murphy said his family doesn't know how to get in touch with Gonzalez since his arrest and that the Secret Service hasn't been any help in that regard. Bell said she wishes she could speak to her ex-husband's attorney so she could fill him in on Gonzalez's long history of mental issues.

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RockHounds manager Aaron Nieckula presents the Bobby Bragan Texas League Championship Trophy to his team while celebrating a 5-0 win over Tulsa in the final game of the Texas League Championship series on Sept. 14 at Security Bank Ballpark.

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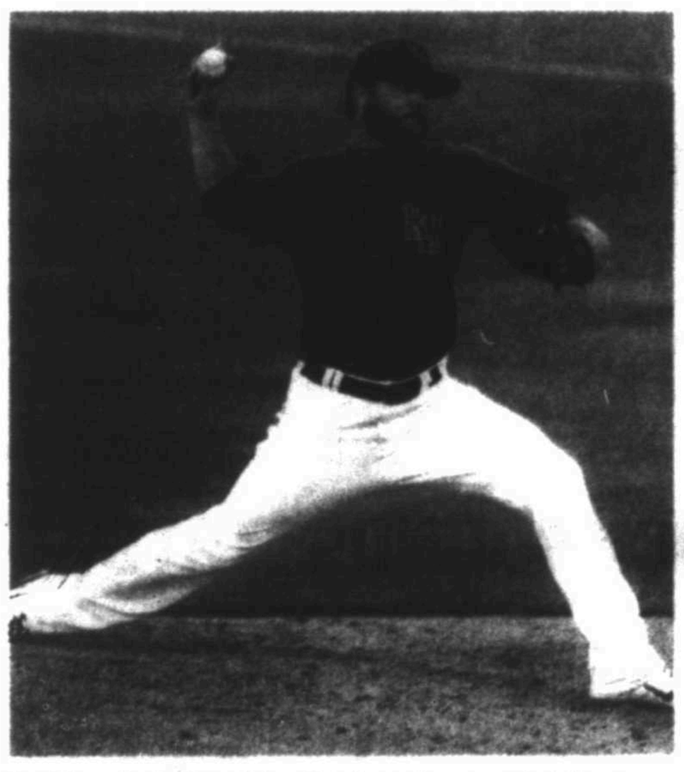
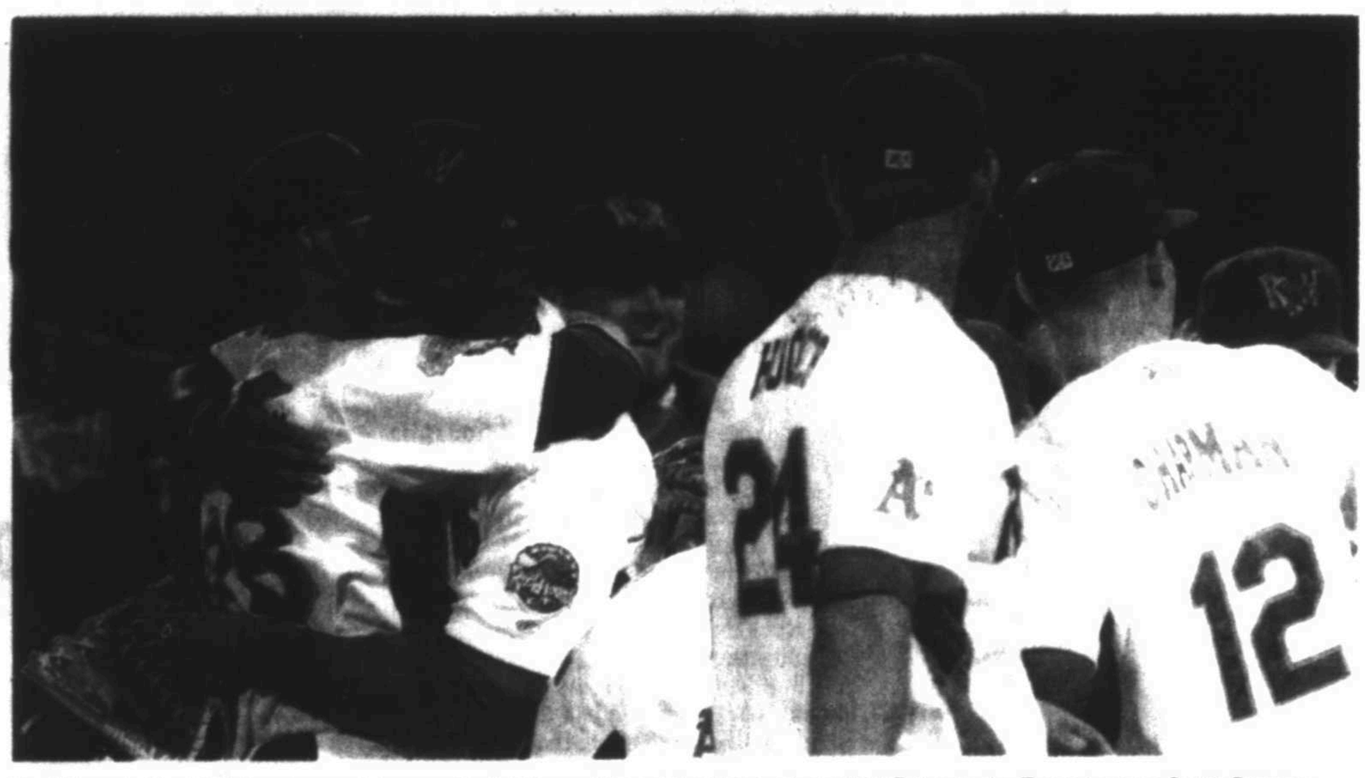


RockHounds starting pitcher Nate Long throws against Corpus Christi on Aug. 22 at Security Bank Ballpark.



RockHounds Daniel Roberston and Jeremy Barfield hug while celebrating a win against Frisco in the Texas League South Division championship game on Sept. 6 at Security Bank Ballpark. The Rockhounds beat Frisco 5-4.

Shared experience with fans makes this title special

MONTY HOPPEL
RockHounds General Manager

It has been said that "... a baseball club is part of the chemistry of the city. Not just an athletic contest, but a picnic, a kind of town meeting." That's the way we think of it.

Our job ... our passion and mission ... is to provide an environment that is family-friendly and a facility that is an outstanding entertainment venue.

There are two things over which a Minor League Baseball franchise has no control: weather and winning.

Success on the field comes through the Major League parent club. Our affiliation with the Oakland A's, which began in 1999, has been a tremendous — and successful — partnership.

Minor League Baseball is, first and foremost, about player development (in 43 years, our franchise has produced hundreds of players who have gone on to reach the Major Leagues), but the A's also believe that on-field success at the minor league level is an important part of the development process. We have had 11 winning seasons in 16 years with Oakland, compared to a total of seven in 27 seasons, combined, in the previous affiliations (Angels and Cubs).

The RockHounds won our franchise's first outright Texas League championship in 2005. Beginning with that season, only two clubs (the 'Hounds and San Antonio) have won multiple titles, each winning three. Four teams have won one championship in that decade, while two others have been shut out.

What made 2014 so meaningful was not just winning the Texas League championship, but winning it at home (the first two outright titles were captured on the road). For our fans to watch the game unfold, to feel the moment getting closer and closer, and to be there for the final out, was truly special.

For the players, coaches, front office, corporate partners and (especially) our fans, being able to "share the celebration" made this championship unique in our franchise's history.

We have hosted tremendous playoff games over the years, from the Angels' pitchers duels with Shreveport (at Christensen Stadium) in the first three games of the 1995 league championship, to the decisive Game 5 win over San Antonio in the 2005 division series, to the back-to-back wins (a walk-off home run clinching a playoff spot one week and the 'Hounds winning the division title the next) on fireworks Saturday nights in 2010.

Still, the franchise had never been able to have a "shared celebration." That changed when the RockHounds shut out

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The RockHounds' Billy Burns is tagged out at second base by San Antonio Missions' B.J. Guinn on April 17 at Security Bank Ballpark.

Looking back on the RockHounds 2014 season

Title-clinching game in TL Championship Series

A 9-4 victory by the RockHounds over Tulsa in Game 4 of the Texas League Championship Series set up a fifth and decisive final game on a wet and dreary Sunday afternoon at Security Bank Ballpark.

The RockHounds went with Game 1 winner Nate Long, and the right-hander did not disappoint as he went 5 2/3 scoreless innings, allowed six hits, struck out five and walked one.

The offense backed him up as Dusty Coleman hit a two-run home run in the second inning. Conner Crumbliss added a solo home run of his own in the fifth inning, and then the RockHounds added two more in the sixth behind RBI from Jeremy Barfield and Matt Chapman for the 5-0 victory.

The RockHounds also added solid relief outings from Marcus Walden, Frank Gailey and Jose Flores.

The title was the third for Midland under the Oakland A's affiliation as the RockHounds also won it in 2005 and 2009. Midland shared the Texas League title in 1975 while affiliated with the Chicago Cubs.

The victory by the RockHounds at Security Bank Ballpark also marked the first time the franchise had won the title on their home field.

Winning 3 final games against Frisco in TLDS

Things didn't look good for the RockHounds entering the Texas League Division Series against the Frisco RoughRiders.

The RoughRiders had won both halves of the Texas League season over the RockHounds and had won the last two meetings of the regular season.

Midland didn't get off to a good start against Frisco either in the TLDS as the RoughRiders won Game 1 in Frisco, 7-3.

But then the RockHounds tied the series at 1 with a 6-3 victory thanks in part to a pitching-by-committee effort because of a late scratch of starter Chris Jensen. The RockHound also learned they were going to be without Hiro Nakajima for the rest of the season with a fractured wrist.

When the series switched to Midland, the RockHounds' newest additions in third baseman Matt Chapman and Daniel Robertson were key contributors in a 3-2 victory in Game 3. Robertson drove in the game's first run and then Chapman broke a 2-all tie with a solo home run in the seventh inning.

In Game 4, the RockHounds had trouble getting hits but got on base and took advantage of some key Frisco errors for a 5-4 series clinching victory at Security Bank Ballpark. Midland had just three hits on the night but drew five walks.

The RockHounds also came back from a 3-1 deficit in the game with three runs in the fifth and a run in the sixth.

Billy Burns' stealing prowess

Before the season, the RockHounds were touting the speed of outfielder Billy Burns. They certainly weren't wrong about that.

The 5-foot-9 outfield prospect became one of the most dangerous base runners in the Texas League.

He was not only a threat to reach base with a bunt single, but teams were weary of Burns on the base paths as he had the potential to swipe a base at any time.

Burns led the Texas League for most of the season with 51 stolen bases before he was promoted straight to the Oakland A's in late July. He finished second in the league in stolen bases to Corpus Christi's Delino Deshields Jr., who finished with 54 and playing 23 more games at the Double-A level this season.

Burns' 51 stolen bases also ranks fourth all-time on the Midland franchise list.

The RockHounds big July sparked by Marte, Matthes

If there was one month that the RockHounds enjoyed most during the 2014 season, it was July as they went 20-10 and even enjoyed a nine-game winning streak.

During that month, two players really stood out as outfielder Kent Matthes and third baseman Jefry Marte were not only outstanding at the plate but clutch.

The 27-year-old Matthes had what could only described as an up-and-down season as he was first claimed off waivers by the Oakland A's from the Colorado Rockies organizatioi in March. Then after batting just .208 for Triple-A Sacramento, he was sent down to Double-A Midland in May.

Matthes went about his business and turned into a key contributor for the RockHounds for the rest of the season.

The outfielder's biggest month was July when he hit .252 with seven home runs and 28 RBI. One of his biggest hits came on July 18 when he hit the game-winning grand slam with one out in the bottom of the ninth inning of a 5-3 victory over San Antonio at Security Bank Ballpark.

But if anybody was clutch during that month it was Marte, who during one stretch had the game-winning hit in three of six victories.

There was no probably nobody hotter at the plate than Marte during that month as he was the team's most feared hitters, with an OPS of .852, a batting average of .313, three home runs and 14 RBI.

The fan on the field in Corpus Christi

The RockHounds were part of one of the most bizarre incidents in minor league baseball.

On July 13 during a game against the Corpus Christi Hooks at Whataburger Field, a fan rushed the field and appeared like was going to confront Midland pitcher Blake Hassebrock in the bottom of the fifth inning. Hassebrock had just hit Telvin Nash when a 35-year-old man identified as Nikolas Swope, who police said was intoxicated at the time, seemed to take offense and went on to the field.

A video of the game showed the Swope approach Hassebrock but never placed a hand on the tall pitcher as shortstop Dusty Coleman rushed in and knocked him down to the ground.

All of the RockHounds' players and field staff emptied on to the field before the fan was escorted off the field by Hooks hitting coach Tim Garland.

Swope was later arrested and charged with criminal trespassing.

The RockHounds ended up losing that game 14-1.

Kenny Wilson's wild season ends with a championship

Kenny Wilson began the season with the Toronto Blue Jays organization, and he ended it with the Midland RockHounds. In between, Wilson went on a baseball odyssey that is even extreme in the world of minor league baseball.

Wilson played for five different teams between Double-A and Triple-A during 2014, and his journey took him from New Hampshire, New Britain, Connecticut, to Buffalo, N.Y., Sacramento, California and finally to Midland.

Wilson was designated for assignment twice by the Toronto Blue Jays, claimed off waivers in between by the Minnesota Twins. After he was designated for assignment the second time with Toronto, the A's picked him up and assigned him to Triple-A Sacramento.

Finally he ended up in Midland in late July, and got hot. Wilson hit .327 for the RockHounds and at one point had a 15-game hitting streak. Wilson cooled off in the playoffs, but his presence in the lineup with his speed and defensive ability made a difference down the stretch for the RockHounds.

Nate Long and Chris Jensen among the Texas League leaders in wins

Chris Jensen started the season in the RockHounds rotation, but Nate Long did not. By the end of the season, these two right-handed hurlers made a big impact this season.

Long began the season in the bullpen, but when Raul Alcantara was forced to the disabled list because of an elbow injury, Long ended up with a spot start and he never left the rotation. Long led the Texas League in wins and went 13-8 this season with a 3.18 earned run average.

Plus, Long also received the start in the opening games of the Texas League South Division championship series and the Texas League Championship Series. Long earned the win in the series-clinching Game 5, and also pitched an eight-inning gem to start the series against Tulsa. he was 2-1 with a 1.02 earned run avearge with nine strikeouts in 17 2/3 innings.

Jensen, meanwhile, had a slow start to the season and was at one time 2-8 after

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Dusty Coleman and the RockHounds celebrate a 5-0 win over Tulsa in the final game of the Texas League Championship series Sept. 14 at Security Bank Ballpark.

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25 Midland 5, Frisco 1
26 Midland 4, San Antonio 3
27 Midland 2, San Antonio 1
28 San Antonio 2, Midland 1
29 Midland 3, San Antonio 2
30 Midland 6, Frisco 5
31 Frisco 12, Midland 9

September

1 Frisco 7, Midland 0

Texas League Playoffs

South Division Series

September

3 Game 1, Frisco 7, Midland 3
4 Game 2, Midland 6, Frisco 3
5 Game 3, Midland 3, Frisco 2
6 Game 4, Midland 5, Frisco 4, Midland wins series 3-1

Texas League Championship

September

9 Game 1, Midland 5, Tulsa 1
10 Game 2, Tulsa 5, Midland 2
12 Game 3, Tulsa 5, Midland 2
13 Game 4, Midland 9, Tulsa 4
14 Game 5, Midland 5, Tulsa 0, Midland wins series 3-2

2014 ROCKHOUNDS STATS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

BATTING

Player	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	AVG	OPS	E
Addison Russell SS	13	48	7	16	3	1	1	8	24	8	8	3	2	.438	.500	.333	.939	2
Jeremy Wilson CF	27	113	12	37	7	1	0	8	46	2	24	7	3	.345	.407	.327	.752	0
Josh Whitaker RF	51	197	26	63	11	1	9	42	103	14	38	3	2	.367	.523	.320	.890	3
D'Arby Myers LF	59	213	36	65	14	2	2	21	89	17	36	9	6	.357	.418	.305	.775	3
Colin Walsh 2B	25	101	13	29	5	0	1	10	37	11	26	1	1	.353	.366	.287	.720	4
Anthony Aliotti 1B	48	166	26	46	11	1	7	27	80	28	64	0	0	.388	.482	.277	.870	3
Hiroyuki Nakajima 2B	73	256	30	68	8	0	6	31	94	26	56	3	3	.337	.367	.266	.704	9
Max Muncy 1B	122	435	59	115	23	3	7	63	165	87	92	7	2	.365	.379	.264	.744	8
Jeremy Barfield RF	43	142	16	37	6	2	3	16	56	29	41	0	1	.367	.394	.261	.762	0
Jefry Marte 3B	107	405	50	105	17	0	10	53	152	45	69	9	3	.333	.375	.259	.709	21
Conner Crumbliss 2B	118	439	65	110	25	4	10	49	173	68	96	13	2	.358	.394	.251	.752	11
Billy Burns CF	91	364	57	91	20	3	1	23	120	44	65	51	5	.333	.330	.250	.662	5
Kent Matthes LF	78	295	43	71	21	1	15	60	139	20	84	5	0	.295	.471	.241	.766	2
Beau Taylor C	63	209	22	50	15	0	3	26	74	23	61	1	1	.318	.354	.239	.670	3
Blake Forsythe C	72	232	28	52	12	1	5	28	81	27	77	0	1	.307	.349	.224	.656	7
Dusty Coleman SS	135	489	79	109	27	2	18	61	194	47	202	16	5	.300	.397	.223	.697	22
Chad Oberacker OF	86	291	31	64	11	5	2	20	91	23	52	8	5	.275	.313	.220	.588	1
Miles Head SS	58	210	21	46	7	1	7	28	76	11	52	0	0	.284	.362	.219	.638	6
Jose Chavez C	3	12	1	2	1	0	0	1	3	1	4	0	0	.231	.250	.167	.481	1
Antonio Lemes SS	2	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	.167	.167	.167	.333	0
Bruce Maxwell C	25	85	8	12	3	0	0	2	15	9	32	0	1	.222	.176	.141	.400	0
Ryan Lipkin C	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.000	.000	.000	.000	0
Matt Chapman 3B	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000	.000	0

PITCHING

Player	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	SO	WHIP	HLD	GF
Chris Jensen	12	8	3.14	26	26	0	0	0	160.1	147	65	56	3	13	62	94	1.30	0	0
Nate Long	13	8	3.18	28	25	0	0	0	150.0	147	60	53	17	6	49	126	1.31	0	1
Mason Hanford	7	7	3.87	25	25	0	0	0	146.1	137	70	63	14	8	55	95	1.28	0	0
Drew Granier	7	7	4.55	26	24	0	0	0	135.1	131	82	64	15	9	76	93	1.54	1	0
Murphy Smith	2	5	4.73	31	7	0	0	1	85.2	84	46	45	4	4	31	62	1.34	3	9
Sean Murphy	4	3	3.86	10	10	0	0	0	57.0	66	27	25	3	1	16	63	1.47	0	0
Ryan Dull	3	5	2.88	40	0	0	0	6	56.1	52	24	18	3	3	18	61	1.19	3	24
Frank Gailey	4	0	3.46	40	0	0	0	1	52.0	50	21	20	4	3	21	44	1.37	8	8
Ryan Doolittle	3	3	3.23	30	0	0	0	0	47.1	47	22	17	4	4	19	47	1.39	6	9
Andrew Werner	2	4	6.32	34	0	0	0	0	47.0	53	37	33	7	7	20	36	1.55	1	1
Marcus Walden	1	2	3.79	21	0	0	0	2	35.2	38	22	15	2	4	13	26	1.43	3	6
Seth Fennell	2	2	2.41	27	0	0	0	15	33.2	29	10	9	3	0	11	47	1.19	0	23
Blake Hassebrock	4	0	7.84	21	0	0	0	0	32.1	49	33	28	5	4	10	20	2.13	1	11
Zach Neal	3	0	0.58	5	5	0	0	0	31.0	25	5	2	0	3	4	25	0.94	0	0
Deryk Hooker	1	0	3.45	12	3	0	0	0	28.2	34	11	11	0	0	11	20	1.57	2	4
Jose Flores	1	0	2.88	22	0	0	0	12	34.1	16	8	8	1	0	18	39	1.07	0	18
Jeff Urlaub	2	0	1.57	13	0	0	0	0	23.0	16	4	4	2	3	6	19	0.96	0	5
Raul Alcantara	2	0	2.29	3	3	0	0	0	19.2	17	5	5	0	2	5	10	1.12	0	0
Tucker Healy	0	1	2.33	12	0	0	0	4	19.1	17	7	5	1	0	8	29	1.19	2	2
Tanner Peters	0	2	3.60	3	0	0	0	0	17.1	18	9	7	2	0	5	7	1.32	1	0
Tim Saxton	2	1	4.02	6	1	0	0	0	15.2	19	7	7	0	0	4	16	1.47	0	2
Omar Duran	1	0	3.14	11	0	0	0	0	14.1	7	5	5	2	0	6	18	0.91	2	4
Jesus Castillo	1	0	3.86	8	0	0	0	1	13.2	12	6	6	0	1	8	9	1.32	1	3
Kyle Finnegan	0	1	11.81	1	1	0	0	0	5.1	10	7	7	3	1	1	6	2.06	0	0
Jeremy Barfield	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	1.2	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	0.60	0	2
Conner Crumbliss	0	1	9.00	2	0	0	0	0	1.0	3	1	1	0	0	2	1	5.00	0	0

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						6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
KMID	ABC	3	3	4	3	2	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Dancing With the Stars (N)					Forever "Sneak Preview" (N)		KMID News	(:35) Jimmy Kimmel Live
KOSA	CBS	7	7	7	7	7	7 News	Ent. Tonight	The Big Bang (N)	The Big Bang (N)	Scorpion "Pilot" (P) (N)			Under the Dome "Go Now" (SP) (N)		CBS 7 News	(:35) David Letterman
KWWT	CW	5	14		5	14	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	A. Griffith	A. Griffith	Hogan's Heroes	Gilligan's Island	B.New-hart	B.New-hart		Cheers	Perry Mason	Adam 12
KPEJ	FOX	8	5	5	8	3	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Gotham "Pilot" (P) (N)		Sleepy Hollow "This is War" (SP) (N)		Modern Family	Modern Family		Hot in Cleveland	Hot in Cleveland	Met Your Mother	Met Your Mother
KMLM	IND	11	11	12	11	11	Dr. William	Dr. R.Booker	Update/ News	Day of Discovery	Light of the Southwest					House Call	Mani Erfan	Rocks/Ma nuscripts	Y.Sala-manca
KWES	NBC	9	9	9	9	9	Howe-West-9	NBC News	The Voice (N)	The Blind Auditions, Premier (SP)			The Blacklist "Lord Baltimore" (SP) (N)			News/Wo-st 9 at 10	(:35) Jimmy Fallon	(:35) Seth Meyers
KPBT	PBS	13	13		13	8	PBS NewsHour		Antique "Louyille (Hour One)" (N)		Antiques Roadshow "Boston (Hour Three)"			POV "Koch" (N)		Kotzue: Alaska's	Tavis Smiley (N)	Tavis Smiley
KUPB	UNI	4	4		4	16	La Gata		Mi corazón es Tuyo		Hasta el fin del mundo		La Malquerida		Noticias Tejas	Noticiero noctu.	La Que No Podia Amar	
KOSA	MNT	16	16		16		Fam.Feud	Million..	Law&O.:SVU "Ghost"		Law&O.:SVU "Rage"		Studio 7	Million..	Anger M.	M&M	Office	Access H.
FLIX		340	65		165		(5:15) The Other...		The Other...		Ray Meets Ice Ma...		(:45) The Bedroom Window			(:45) Requiem for a Dream		
HBO		300	68	14	14		LastWeek	Death on a Factory Farm			Bill Maher: Live					12 Years a Slave Chiwetel Ejiofor.		(:15) Boardwalk E.
HBO2		302	69	15	101	23	Movie	LastWeek	Bill Maher		Boardwalk E. (N)					Veronica Mars Kristen Bel..		(:50) A Good Job	Movie
HBO3		304	70	16	102		(5:30) Beyonce Jay Z. on the Run (N)									Closed Circuit Eric Bana.			Movie
MAX		380	71	17	120	24	(5:15) Fantastic Fo...		The Knick									(:40)	Knick
MAX2		382	72	18	122		(5:15) Down of the Dead									Fast and Furious 6 (12, Act) Vin Diesel.		(:15) Forbid "Synthetic Dreams"	Movie
FLEX					96		(5:20) Little Secrets												Movie
SHOW		320	66	19	140	25	(5:30) Vanish 3...		Donovan "Rodel"		Masters of Sex			Donovan "Rodel"		Masters of Sex			Raze Zoë Bell.
TMC		330	67	22	159	26	(5:00) A Walk on ...												Around June
A&E		27	32	28	35	47	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dy "Life of Si"	Wahlbu-rgers	Wahlbu-rgers		Love Pr. "Lawrence and Nicole" (N)		Love Prison "Rosie and Chris"		Duck Dynasty	Duck Dy "Life of Si"
AMC		40	21	23	42	51	(6:00) Apollo 13												
BET		58	26		40													Wendy Williams	
BRAVO		65	63		41		(5:00) Real Housewives		Actors Studio (N)		Housewives NJ			Jersey Belle (N)		Watch (N)	Jersey Belle		Wives: NJ
CNBC		46	45		39	72	Marijuana Inc		Shark Tank		Shark Tank			Profit "Maarse Florist"		The Profit		Car	Car
CNN		43	24	51	30	56	OutFront		A. Cooper 360		Anthony Bourdain			CNN Tonight		A. Cooper 360		Anthony Bourdain	
DISC		50	20	31	24	42	Fast N' Loud		Fast Loud Revved Up		Fast N' Loud (N)			Highway to Sell (N)		(:05) Fast N' Loud		(:05) Highway to Sell	
DISNEY		56	27	36	25	36	Austin	Jessie	Ramona and Beezus				ToyStory	Dog Blog	Liv/Mad	A.N.T.	Jessie	GoodLuck	GoodLuck
ESPN		32	29	48	31	30	(5:00) Countdown (L)		(:15) NFL Football Chicago Bears at New York Jets (L)							(:20) SportsCenter			
ESPN2		34	28	49	32	31	SportsCenter		World of X Games		SEC Storied			Baseball Tonight (L)		SportsC. 7(:15) F. Final		Baseball Tonight (L)	
FAMILY		53	54	34	42	33	(5:30) No Strings Attached				A Walk to Remember (02, Rom) Mandy Moore.					The 700 Club		Revenge of the...	
FNC		45	58	53	23	55	On the Record		The O'Reilly Factor		The Kelly File			Hannity		The O'Reilly Factor		The Kelly File	
FOOD		64	59	27	68	54	Guy's Grocery Games		Rewrap.	Rewrap.	Diners...	Diners...		Diners...	Diners...	Diners...	Diners...	Diners...	Diners...
FSSW		37	43	50	45	29	Sport-sDay (N)	Pre-game (L)	MLB Baseball Houston Astros at Texas Rangers Site: Globe Life Park -- Arlington, Texas (L)							Rangers Live (L)	Replay (N)	Cowboys/ Conf.	Texans Press
FX		31	31	59	64	69	(4:30) The Twilight...												
HALLMARK		54	49	58		34	The Waltons		The Waltons		Middle	Middle		Middle	Middle	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls
HGTV		63	50	26	48	44	Love It or List It		Love It or List It		Love It or List It (N)			H.Hunt	House (N)	Love It or List It		Love It or List It	
HISTORY		71	62	29	50	43	Pwn Star	Pawn Star	Pwn Star	Pwn Star	Pwn Star	Pwn Star		Counting	Counting	Counting	Counting	Pwn Star	Pwn Star
LIFETIME		28	25	25	28	48	To Be Announced		To Be Announced		To Be Announced			To Be Announced		Bring It! Revenge	"Bucking for	To Be Announced	
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				F1 Auto Racing Singapore Grand Prix						F1 Extra	Blazers	Barclays Review (N)		Premier	Blazers	Soccer
NICK		55	34	39	34	37	H.Danger	Nicky	F.House	F.House	F.House	F.House		Friends	Friends	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother
SPIKE		30	22	55	53	58	(5:55) Jail	Cops	(:05) Cops	(:45) Cops	(:20) Cops			(:55) Cops	(:35) Cops	(:10) Cops	(:45) Cops	(:25) Cops	
SYFY		66	64	41	57	67	Chernobyl Diaries Jesse McCartney.				The Darkest Hour (11, Act) Emile Hirsch.					Zodiac: Signs of the Apocalypse			
TBS		25	11	44	66	41	Friends	Friends	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy		Big Bang Theory	BigBang "Pilot"	Conan (N)		The Office	Conan
TCM		41	61	24	63	66	(5:00) Now, Voyag...		...And God Created Woman		(:45) Une Parisienne (Com) Charles Boyer.					Plucking the Daisy			
TELE		20	8	10	20		Caso cerrado		Reina de Corazones		En otra piel			Señor de cielos (SP)		Al rojo	(:35) Titular.	En otra piel	
TLC		51	33	32	38	52	19 Kids and Counting "The Proposal"		19 Kids "Duggars and Mothers"		19 Kids & Count cont'd next (N)	19 Kids & Count		19 Kids & Count	19 Kids & Count	19 Kids & Count "The Proposal"		(:05) 19 Kids "Duggars and Mothers"	
TNT		24	23	40	26	50	Castle "Knockout"		Castle "Rise"		Dallas "Endgame" 1/2 cont'd next (N)			Dallas "Brave New World" 2/2 (N)		Dallas "Endgame" 1/2 cont'd next		(:05) Dallas "Brave New World" 2/2	
TVLAND		49	48	35	54	35	Hillbillies	Hillbillies	Hillbillies	(:35) Hot In	Queens	Queens	(:25)	King of Queens		Queens	(:35) Ray	(:10) Ray	(:50) Ray
USA		26	30	42	27	49	NCIS "Kill Screen"		WWE Monday Night Raw							(:05) Modern	(:35) Modern	(:05) Rush "Bitter Sweet Symphony"	
WGN		19	18				Parks and Rec	The Lead-Off Man (L)	MLB Baseball St. Louis Cardinals at Chicago Cubs Site: Wrigley Field -- Chicago, Ill. (L)							America's Funniest Home Videos		America's Funniest Home Videos	

SEASON

From 2B

11 starts. But beginning in early June, Jensen had the hot hand and kept it. Jensen was 10-2 to end the season and at one point won five straight starts. He ended the year at 12-8 with a 3.14 earned run average.

Both pitchers were part of a solid staff of starters and relievers for the RockHounds this season, and were a major reason Midland brought home a Texas League title.

Addison Russell's injury, then his trade

When the season began, Addison Russell was one of the highest Oakland A's prospects to play in Midland in a number of years. But by early July, Russell's stay ended in Midland and for that matter the Oakland A's.

Russell was part of the first of two major trades Oakland pulled the trigger on this summer as he was sent to the Chicago Cubs for pitchers Jeff Samardzija and Jason Hammel.

Russell, though, didn't play much in Midland because a hamstring injury in early April sent him back to Arizona. He returned to Midland in late June before finally being traded.

Russell his .333 in 13 games for Midland with one home run and eight RBI. Meanwhile, he finisheds the season with the Tennessee Smokies, hitting .294 with 12 home runs and 36 RBI.

The slew of injuries they had to overcome

The injuries for the Midland RockHounds began in April and never really stopped throughout the season. Injuries are part of baseball, but the RockHounds seem to lose key players while finding ways to overcome those losses with other players stepping up.

Early in the season the RockHounds lost potential starting pitchers Raul Alcantara and Tanner Peters to arm injuries, and both never returned. Addison Russell's hamstring injury in early April was probably the most talked about.

And late in the season, the RockHounds lost Jefry Marte to an oblique and Hiroyuki Nakajima to a broken wrist in the playoffs.

Those two losses, though, opened the door for infield prospects Matt Chapman and Daniel Robertson, who contributed to the team during the playoffs.

And finally in the playoffs, Blake Forsythe suffered an injured ankle in the Frisco series and didn't return.

Through all the injuries, the RockHounds kept finding ways to win.

Dusty Coleman's up and down season

Dusty Coleman hit his biggest home run of the season last Sunday in Game 5 of the Texas League Championship. His two-run home run in the second inning turned out to be the game-winning hit in the 5-0 victory.

Coleman led the Texas League in runs scored (79) and RBI (81), but he also set a Texas League record for strikeouts in a season with 202.

Beyond the numbers, though, Coleman was considered the "heart and soul" of this year's RockHounds team. He was a veteran player who never stopped working, and even at one time this season protected a teammate when a fan ran onto the field in Corpus Christi.

Coleman personified this year's RockHounds team in that the team never stopped working and never felt like it was out of a game.

"He's just a great individual, a great young man," Midland manager Aaron Nieckula said. "He's very down to earth, very humble and goes out and plays the game extraordinarily hard. What gets overlooked is the way he plays defense. He's done a tremendous job for us."

HOPPEL

From 1B

the Tulsa Drillers, 5-0, on Sept. 14, at Security Bank Ballpark.

Our players and coaches asked that the traditional "champagne bath" be moved onto the field, rather than in the clubhouse. The team's gesture, the likes of which we had not seen before, was made as a "thank you" for the remarkable fan support the RockHounds receive. It made "sharing" the moment all the more memorable.

Our franchise was "born" in 1972, and the current ownership (Miles Prentice and Bob Richmond) dates back to 1991, when the team was known as the Angels. There were fans in attendance on Sept. 14 who have been watching ... and supporting ... professional baseball here as far back as the Cubs era (1972-1984). They have waited a long while to experience a title firsthand. And, while the drops of champagne from the field may not literally have reached them, we hope the spirit of the celebration did.

Our theme for the season was "Baseball Brings Us Together." That sentiment has been true for 43 years but never more than in 2014.

To our fans (friends), our corporate and media partners, the city of Midland and all of West Texas, thank you for your support of RockHounds Baseball, and here's looking forward to Opening Day 2015.

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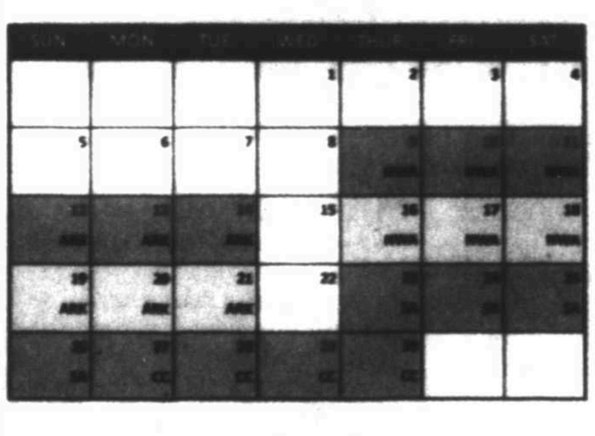

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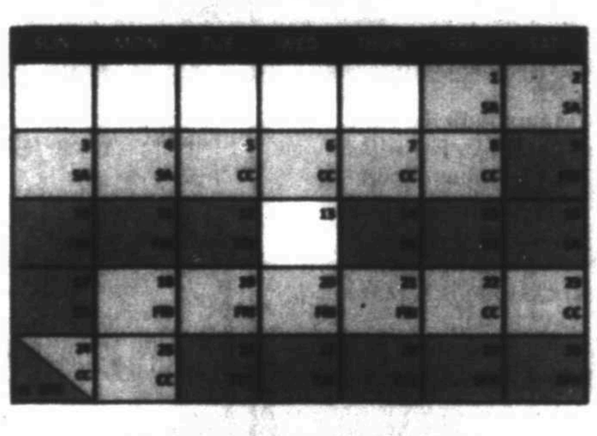

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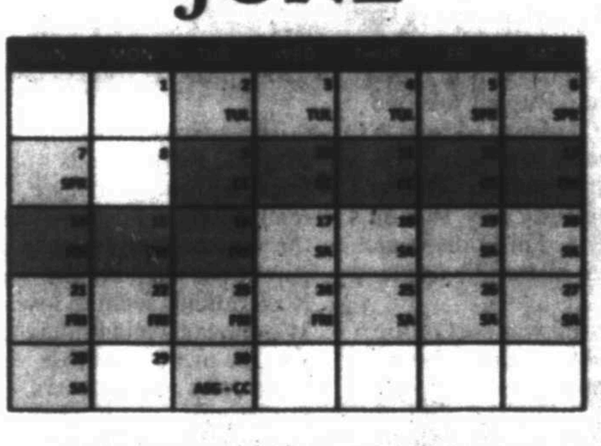

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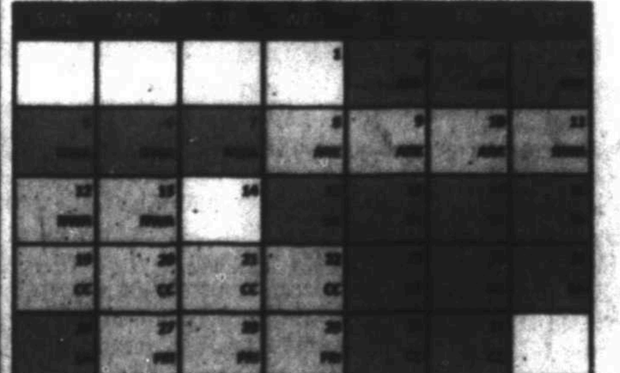

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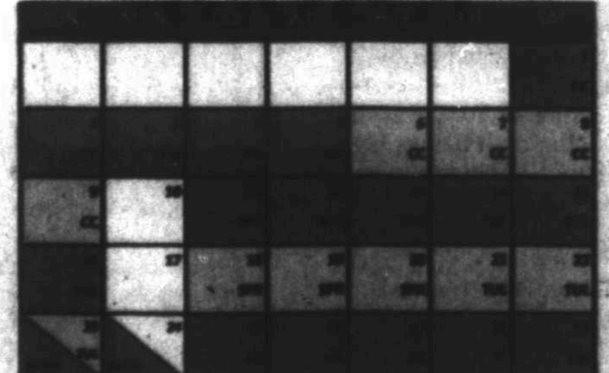

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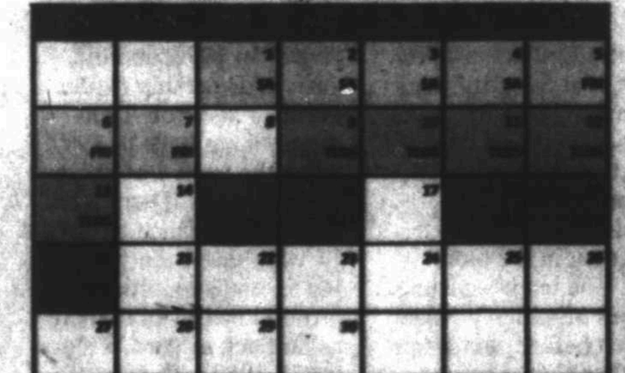

Logano wins at New Hampshire in 2nd Chase race

Cheryl Senter/AP

Driver Joey Logano, center, celebrates after winning his fourth win of the season Sunday at the Sylvania 300 at New Hampshire Motor Speedway in Loudon, N.H.

By Dan Gelston
Associated Press

LOUDON, N.H. — Raised in Connecticut, Joey Logano always considered New Hampshire his home track, the one where he dreamed of being bathed in confetti in Victory Lane and flocked by family and friends.

For Logano, the track about 75 miles outside of Boston was his version of Daytona.

Winning at New Hampshire could mean a bit more to him than a boyhood fantasy fulfilled when the season ends — it could be Logano's launching pad for his first NASCAR championship.

Logano helped Team Penske strengthen its grip as the organization to beat for the championship, pulling away on an overtime restart to win Sunday at New Hampshire Motor Speedway and advance to the second round of the Chase for the Sprint Cup Championship.

Make it 2 for 2 for Team Penske in the Chase.

"We're doing what we've got to do to win this thing right now," Logano said.

Logano and teammate Brad Keselowski, who won the Chase opener at Chicagoland, have both advanced to the next round. Four drivers will be eliminated after every third race, and a win guarantees a driver an automatic berth into the next round. The first cutoff race is next week at Dover International Speedway.

Team Penske will be playing with house money at the Monster Mile.

Roger Penske's crew is rolling, winning four of the last five races dating to Bristol and snagging the early lead on the scorecard against Hendrick Motorsports.

"Confidence is high through the 22 team right now, all of Team Penske," Logano said. "All of Team Penske. We feel like we've got some championships to win, not only on the Cup side, but Nationwide side. And you've got IndyCar. We're just trying to catch up to them."

Will Power won the IndyCar Series championship for Penske last month.

Logano raced to his fourth victory of the season, leading 73 laps and surviving a NASCAR season-high 15 cautions that wrecked results for

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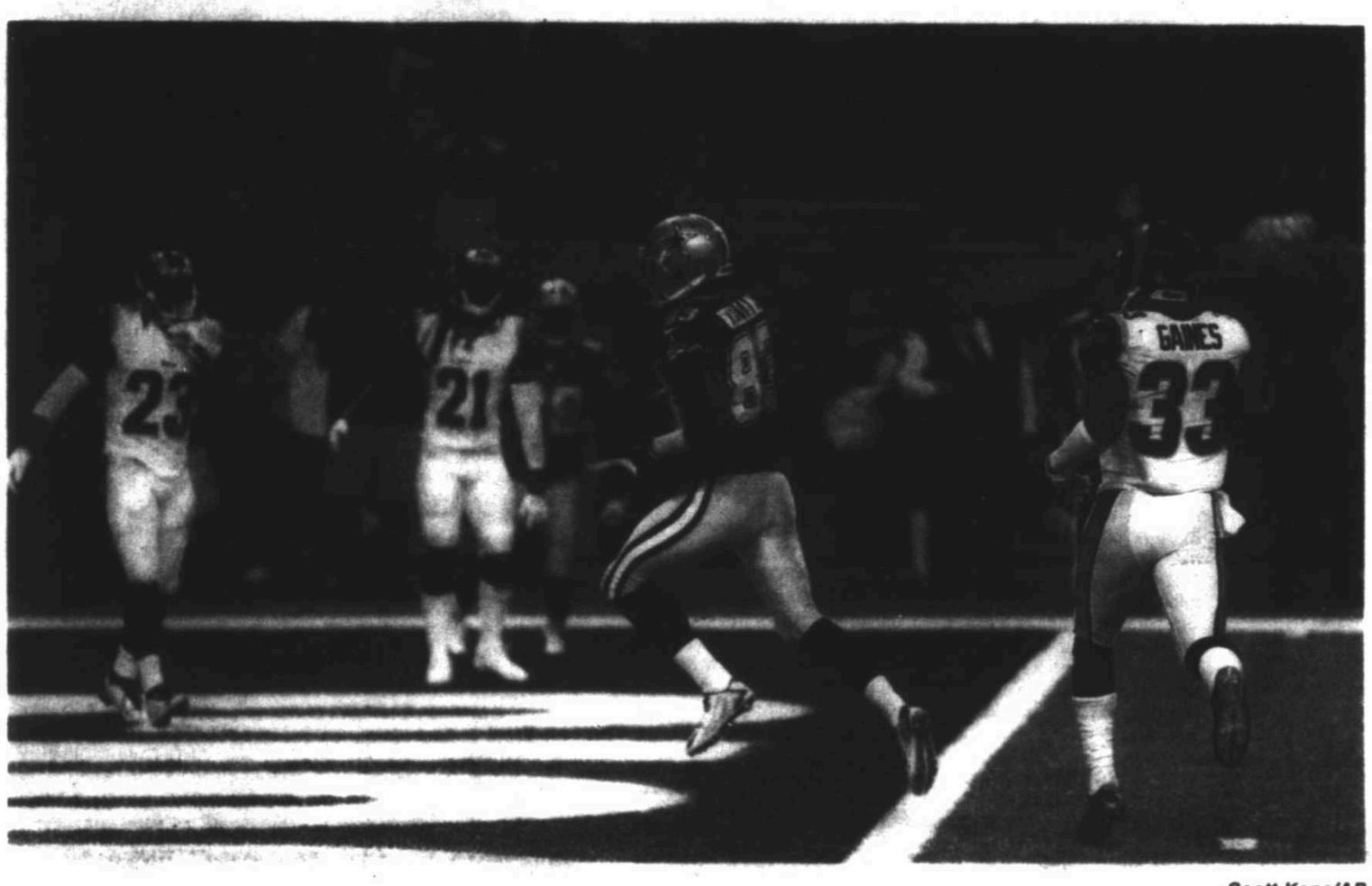
Cowboys survive Rams



Scott Kane/AP

Dallas Cowboys wide receiver Terrance Williams (83) slips into the end zone after catching a 12-yard touchdown pass during the fourth quarter of Sunday's game against the St. Louis Rams in St. Louis.

Dallas erases 21-point deficit to beat St. Louis

By R.B. Fallstrom
Associated Press

Cowboys	34
Rams	31

ST. LOUIS — Dez Bryant had so much distance on the closest defender, it was pitch and catch. Blown coverage made it the easiest play the Dallas Cowboys made in a comeback that matched the biggest in franchise history.

"No one ever comes that wide open," quarterback Tony Romo said of the 68-yard touchdown pass that was among the big plays that helped the Cowboys erase a 21-0 deficit and stun the St. Louis Rams 34-31 on Sunday. "You want to make sure you don't do anything stupid."

The Cowboys (2-1) had plenty of time to chip away, and no one panicked about the cushion they'd spotted the Rams.

"We never blinked, I can honestly say that," Bryant said.

Romo has 21 comeback victories in the fourth quarter or overtime, a franchise best.

"Tony went out there and did what Tony do," Bryant said. "He was poised and he knew what he wanted to do."

Terrance Williams scored the go-ahead touchdown late in the fourth quarter, and Bruce Carter returned an interception 25 yards for a TD on the next snap, capping the rally.

DeMarco Murray's 1-yard run late in the first half began the rally.

Dallas also rallied from a 21-point deficit in 1984 against New Orleans and 1999 against Washington, although both of those wins came in overtime.

It tied the second-largest lead blown by the Rams (1-2), who slowed Murray but got burned everywhere else. Among other breakdowns was a flubbed snap by center Scott Wells, who didn't realize Austin

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Kathy Willens/AP

New York Giants wide receiver Victor Cruz (80) brings the ball up field in Sunday's game against the Houston Texans in East Rutherford, N.J.

Giants cruise by Texans

Giants	30
Texans	17

By Mike Farrell
Associated Press

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — The Houston Texans struggled to find a rhythm on offense with star running back Arian Foster sidelined with a hamstring injury. Turning the ball over three times only made things worse.

Ryan Fitzpatrick threw his first three interceptions of the season, the Texans had a punt blocked and gave up 193 yards rushing to the New York Giants in a 30-17 loss Sunday.

The mistakes led to 17 points for the Giants — and the total might be pushed to 20 if one counts a decision by Houston coach Bill O'Brien to go for a first down at his own 46 early in the second half.

"We're not going to win any games when I play like that, especially in the first half with the turnovers," said Fitzpatrick, who was 20 of 34 for 289

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Sunday's Week 3 NFL Scoreboard

San Diego	22	Baltimore	23	Indianapolis	44	New Orleans	20	Philadelphia	37	Arizona	23
Buffalo	10	Cleveland	21	Jacksonville	17	Minnesota	9	Washington	34	San Francisco	14
Cincinnati	33	Detroit	19	New England	16	N.Y. Giants	30	Dallas	34	Kansas City	34
Tennessee	7	Green Bay	7	Oakland	9	Houston	17	St. Louis	31	Miami	15

Seattle	26		
Denver	20 (OT)		
Pittsburgh	37		
Carolina	19		

No. 6 Texas A&M gets a chance to really prove itself

By Stephen Hawkins
Associated Press

DALLAS — Kenny Hill and sixth-ranked Texas A&M have started with the highest-scoring four-game stretch in school history.

The Aggies are 4-0 for the first time since 2006, winning each game by at least 24 points.

Now, the Aggies get a chance to really prove themselves, knowing there are still plenty of people not convinced by what Texas A&M has done already in the season after Heisman Trophy-winning quarterback Johnny Manziel left early for the NFL.

"Everybody's talking about how we haven't played anybody yet, so now we're going to start playing some SEC teams and we'll get to show how good we are," Hill said after the Aggies' 58-6 win at overmatched SMU on Saturday. "We're just going to keep playing the way we have been and prove to everybody that we can play."

Texas A&M returns to North Texas next Saturday, playing Arkansas (3-1) about 25 miles west in Arlington, Texas, at the Dallas Cowboys' NFL stadium where the national championship game for the first four-team College Football Playoff will be played in January.

"We'll know a lot more about us next week," coach Kevin Sumlin said. "We'll see next week. Big-time atmosphere."

After the Razorbacks, Texas A&M plays consecutive Saturdays against No. 14 Mississippi State, No. 10 Ole Miss and No. 3 Alabama — all SEC West teams still undefeated.

The Aggies opened this season with a 52-28 win at then-No. 9 South Carolina in Hill's starting debut, a Thursday night game before most other teams had even played, but their other wins are against Lamar and 0-3 teams Rice and SMU. The Gamecocks

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FROM STAFF & WIRE REPORTS

ON THE AIR

TODAY
WHAT'S ON TV
MLB
Pirates at Braves, 6 p.m., MLB
Astros at Rangers, 7 p.m., FSSW
Cardinals at Cubs, 7 p.m., WGN
Giants at Dodgers, 9 p.m., MLB

MEN'S SOCCER
English Championship: Ipswich Town at Wigan Athletic, 1:40 p.m., beIN
La Liga: Valencia at Getafe CF, 1:40 p.m., beIN2

NFL
Bears at Jets, 7:30 p.m., ESPN/ESPNDEP

WHAT'S ON DECK

TODAY
COLLEGE SOCCER
Women, Texas A&M-International at UTPB, Noon
Men, Texas A&M-International at UTPB, 2:30 p.m.
HS TENNIS
Lee at Abilene High, 1:30 p.m.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

AP TOP 25

	Record	Pts	Pv
1. Florida St. (34)	3-0	1,439	1
2. Oregon (12)	4-0	1,400	2
3. Alabama (6)	4-0	1,377	3
4. Oklahoma (4)	4-0	1,343	4
5. Auburn	3-0	1,268	5
6. Texas A&M (4)	4-0	1,232	6
7. Baylor	3-0	1,143	7
8. Notre Dame	3-0	967	9
9. Michigan St.	2-1	905	11
10. Mississippi	3-0	889	10
11. UCLA	3-0	806	12
12. Georgia	2-1	789	13
13. South Carolina	3-1	764	14
14. Mississippi St.	4-0	706	NR
15. Arizona St.	3-0	702	15
16. Stanford	2-1	564	16
17. LSU	3-1	541	8
18. Southern Cal	2-1	459	17
19. Wisconsin	2-1	451	19
20. BYU	4-0	376	21
21. Nebraska	4-0	296	24
22. Ohio St.	2-1	196	23
23. East Carolina	3-1	180	NR
24. Oklahoma St.	2-1	132	25
25. Kansas St.	2-1	131	20

Others receiving votes: Duke 86, Penn St. 81, Clemson 48, TCU 35, Marshall 33, Utah 31, Washington 30, Georgia Tech 22, Boston College 19, West Virginia 15, Cincinnati 11, Arizona 9, Arkansas 9, Missouri 5, Oregon St. 5, N. Dakota St. 3, Indiana 1, Pittsburgh 1.

AMWAY TOP 25 POLL

	Record	Pts	Pvs
1. Florida State (36)	3-0	1494	1
2. Alabama (11)	4-0	1466	2
3. Oklahoma (12)	4-0	1425	4
4. Oregon (3)	4-0	1403	3
5. Auburn	3-0	1316	5
6. Baylor	3-0	1213	6
7. Texas A&M	4-0	1197	7
8. Notre Dame	3-0	1022	9
9. Michigan State	2-1	920	11
10. UCLA	3-0	899	10
11. Mississippi	3-0	875	12
12. Arizona State	3-0	792	13
13. Georgia	2-1	768	14
14. Stanford	2-1	657	15
15. South Carolina	3-1	630	16
16. Mississippi State	4-0	523	NR
17. Wisconsin	2-1	518	17
18. LSU	3-1	514	8
19. Nebraska	4-0	433	22
20. Ohio State	2-1	407	18
21. Brigham Young	4-0	381	23
22. Southern California	2-1	309	21
23. Duke	4-0	155	NR
24. East Carolina	3-1	153	NR
25. Kansas State	2-1	128	20

Others receiving votes: Oklahoma State 110; Penn State 67; Clemson 63; Washington 62; Arizona 45; TCU 44; Marshall 31; Georgia Tech 27; Oregon State 20; Arkansas 17; Cincinnati 13; Missouri 13; Utah 8; Boston College 7; North Carolina State 7; Louisville 6; Boise State 5; Memphis 3; West Virginia 3; Iowa 1.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL — Reduced the six-game suspension of Toronto RHP Marcus Stroman to five games.
American League
NEW YORK YANKEES — Designated RHP Chaz Roe for assignment. Reinstated RHP Masahiro Tanaka from the 60-day DL. HOCKEY
National Hockey League
ARIZONA COYOTES — Assigned Fs Dan O'Donoghue and Dyson Stevenson to Portland (AHL); F Ryan MacInnis to Kitchener (OHL); F Christian Dvorak to London (OHL); F Edgars Kulda to Edmonton (WHL); F Laurent Dauphin to Chicoutimi (QMJHL) and F Pavel LaPlante to Victoriaville (QMJHL). Released D Colin Suellentrop.

GLANTZ-CULVER LINE

COLLEGE

FAVORITE	OPEN	TODAY	O/U	UNDERDOG
		Thursday		
at Georgia Southern	15	15 1/2		Appalachian St.
at Oklahoma St.	14	14		Texas Tech
UCLA	3 1/2	4		at Arizona St.
		Friday		
at Old Dominion	3 1/2	3 1/2		Middle Tenn.
Fresno St.	5 1/2	5 1/2		at New Mexico
		Saturday		
at Michigan St	31 1/2	32		Wyoming
at Michigan	8	8 1/2		Minnesota
at Indiana	2 1/2	3		Maryland
Baylor	21 1/2	22 1/2		at Iowa St.
at Wisconsin	33	33		South Florida
at Virginia	21	21		Kent St.
at Virginia Tech	25	26		W. Michigan
Temple	3	3 1/2		at UConn
at Pittsburgh	17 1/2	17 1/2		Akron
Iowa	13 1/2	13 1/2		at Purdue
at Rutgers	10 1/2	11 1/2		Tulane
at Penn St	10	10 1/2		Northwestern
at Toledo	13 1/2	14		Cent. Michigan
at Kentucky	15	14 1/2		Vanderbilt
at Louisville	21	21		Wake Forest
at Boston College	5	4 1/2		Colorado St.
at Buffalo	6 1/2	6 1/2		Miami (Ohio)
at Tulsa	5 1/2	5 1/2		Texas St.
at Kansas St	30	30		UTEP
at Auburn	33	33		Louisiana Tech
Bowling Green	10 1/2	10		at UMass-x
at California	11	10		Colorado
TCU	29	30 1/2		at SMU
Rice	11	10		at Southern Miss
at South Carolina	5 1/2	6		Missouri
at Navy	7	6 1/2		W. Kentucky
Notre Dame-y	11 1/2	14		Syracuse
Texas A&M-z	10	10		Arkansas
at Southern Cal	10	10 1/2		Oregon St.
at Clemson	12 1/2	13		North Carolina
Stanford	4 1/2	6		at Washington
Texas	14	14 1/2		at Kansas
at Georgia	17 1/2	17 1/2		Tennessee
at Miami	5	4 1/2		Duke
Florida St	23	23		at NC State
South Alabama	7	6 1/2		at Idaho
at Ohio St	14	14		Cincinnati
at UAB	11 1/2	13		FIU
at Mississippi	21	20		Memphis
UTSA	4	4		at FAU
at Louisiana-Monroe	10 1/2	10 1/2		Troy
at Utah	10	10		Washington St
Boise St	14	13 1/2		at Air Force
at LSU	42 1/2	44 1/2		New Mexico St
at Nebraska	18	18		Illinois
at San Diego St	17	17		UNLV
Nevada	2 1/2	2		at San Jose St

x-at McGuirk Stadium
y-at East Rutherford, N.J.
z-at Arlington

NFL

FAVORITE	OPEN	TODAY	O/U	UNDERDOG
		Tonight		
at N.Y. Jets	1 1/2	2 1/2	(45)	Chicago
		Thursday		
at Washington	4 1/2	4 1/2	(45)	N.Y. Giants
		Sunday		
Miami-x	3 1/2	4	(40 1/2)	Oakland
at Chicago	1	1	(49)	Green Bay
at Houston	4	3	(41)	Buffalo
at Indianapolis	7	7	(45 1/2)	Tennessee
at Baltimore	3	3	(42 1/2)	Carolina
at N.Y. Jets	Pk	1 1/2	(45 1/2)	Detroit
at Pittsburgh	8	8	(43)	Tampa Bay
at San Diego	13 1/2	13 1/2	(44 1/2)	Jacksonville
at San Francisco	3 1/2	4	(50 1/2)	Philadelphia
Atlanta	3	3	(47)	at Minnesota
New Orleans	3	3	(52 1/2)	at Dallas
		Sept. 29		
New England	3 1/2	3 1/2	(45)	at Kansas City

x-at London

NHL PRESEASON

EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Florida	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Montreal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ottawa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tampa Bay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Toronto	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Buffalo	1	0	1	0	0	0	1

Metropolitan Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Columbus	2	2	0	0	4	8	6
Washington	1	1	0	0	2	1	0
New Jersey	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N.Y. Islanders	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N.Y. Rangers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pittsburgh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carolina	1	0	1	0	0	3	4

WESTERN CONFERENCE
Central Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
St. Louis	1	0	0	1	1	3	4
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Colorado	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dallas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Minnesota	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nashville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Winnipeg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Pacific Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Anaheim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arizona	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Calgary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Edmonton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Los Angeles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
San Jose	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vancouver	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

NOTE: Two points for a win, one point for overtime loss.

Saturday's Scores
No games scheduled

Sunday's Scores
Columbus (ss) 4, Carolina 3
Washington 1, Buffalo 0
Columbus (ss) 4, St. Louis 3, OT
Calgary (ss) 1, Edmonton (ss) 0
Calgary (ss) at Edmonton (ss), late

Today's Games
Ottawa (ss) vs. N.Y. Islanders (ss) at St. John's, Newfoundland, 12:30 p.m.
Ottawa (ss) vs. N.Y. Islanders (ss) at St. John's, Newfoundland, 5 p.m.
New Jersey at N.Y. Rangers, 6 p.m.
Detroit at Pittsburgh, 6 p.m.
Washington at Philadelphia (ss), 6 p.m.
Toronto vs. Philadelphia (ss) at London, Ontario, 6 p.m.
Minnesota at Winnipeg, 7 p.m.
St. Louis at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.
Anaheim (ss) at Colorado (ss), 8 p.m.
Colorado (ss) at Anaheim (ss), 9 p.m.
Los Angeles (ss) at Arizona (ss), 9 p.m.
Arizona (ss) at Los Angeles (ss), 9:30 p.m.

Tuesday's Games
Carolina at Buffalo, 6 p.m.
Pittsburgh at Columbus, 6 p.m.
Philadelphia at Toronto, 6:30 p.m.
Boston at Montreal, 6:30 p.m.
Nashville at Tampa Bay, 6:30 p.m.
Detroit at Chicago, 7:30 p.m.
San Jose (ss) at Vancouver (ss), 8 p.m.
Arizona at Anaheim, 9 p.m.
Vancouver (ss) vs. San Jose (ss) at Stockton, CA, 9:30 p.m.

FIGHT SCHEDULE

Sept. 26
At Mesquite (FS1), Anselmo Moreno vs. Juan Carlos Payano, 12, for Moreno's WBA Super World bantamweight title; Charles Hatley vs. Joachim Alcine, 10, middleweights. Sept. 27
At Moscow, Krzystof Wlodarczyk vs. Grigory Drozd, 12, for Wlodarczyk's WBC cruiserweight title; Denis Lebedev vs. Pawel Kolodziej, 12, for Lebedev's WBA cruiserweight title; Andrey Knyazev vs. Fabiano Soares Piquet, 10, cruiserweights.

Sept. 29
At Hidalgo (FS1), Antonio Tarver vs. Johnathon Banks, 10, heavyweights; Joseph Diaz Jr. vs. Raul Hidalgo, 10, featherweights.

Oct. 1
At TBA, Thailand, Carlos Buitrago vs. Knockout CP Freshmart, 12, for the interim WBA minimumweight title.

LOCALSPORTS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

BEGNEL WINS TEXAS MID-AM TITLE

HORSESHOE BAY — Former Midland College golfer Terence Begnel was the last man standing Sunday afternoon at the 31st annual Texas Mid-Amateur Championship.

Begnel, a 28-year-old Midlander, survived a four-hole playoff — during which he missed a one-foot putt that would've won it for him — to capture the Texas Golf Association championship at beautiful Escondido Golf & Lake Club.

Begnel finished the 54-hole, individual stroke play championship tied with Houston's Brandon Burke at 2-under-par 211. Begnel shot a 1-over 72 in the final round, and Burke shot an even-par round of 71. When Begnel failed to convert a 10-foot par putt on the 16th hole, he fell back into a tie with Burke, who led for much of the back nine until he made a double-bogey on the par-3 15th hole.

After three playoff holes where neither player could better the other, it went to a fourth and final hole. On the final playoff hole, Begnel knocked in a three-foot putt for par and Burke bogeyed.

Begnel and Burke earned exemptions into the 2015 Texas Amateur, to be played next June at Bent Tree Country Club in Dallas.

FINAL ROUND OF ANDREWS COLLEGIATE-AM RAINED OUT

ANDREWS — The final round of the 2014 Andrews Collegiate-Am at Andrews County Golf Club was rained out.

The first-round scores that were posted on Saturday will be the final round scores as Midland College's David Wicks will be the tournament's medalist after shooting a 65 on Saturday. Odessa College won the team title with a 271, and Midland College finished tied for third with Western Texas College at 278.

UTPB WOMEN'S SOCCER TEAM TOPS OKLAHOMA CHRISTIAN

ODESSA — Jasmin Lopez and Alexa Branum each scored goals as the University of Texas of the Permian Basin women's soccer team defeated Oklahoma Christian on Sunday at home.

It was the Falcons' first victory of the season as they had 20 shots on goal, and goaltender Ebony Campbell had five saves.

GREENWOOD TENNIS TEAM FALLS TO BROWNFIELD, MONAHANS

MONAHANS — The Greenwood tennis team dropped a pair of matches, including one that was shortened because of lightning, on Saturday.

The Rangers lost to Monahans, 11-8, and then was down, 11-3, to Brownfield when the match was called because of lightning.

Against Monahans, William Chappell, Timmy Knapp, Jiles Finch and Joaquin Sotelo each picked up victories in boys singles. Day and Chappell, and Finch and Knapp teamed up to win in boys doubles.

On the girls side, Amy Strickland was the lone winner in singles as she won by default, and then Strickland and Katie Ross teamed up to win in girls doubles.

Before the Brownfield match ending on Saturday, Chappell and Knapp won in boys singles, and Veronica Palomino won in girls singles.

Greenwood will begin district play next Saturday at Monahans.

MLBROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

American League

RANGERS 2 ANGELS 1

ANAHEIM, Calif. — Ryan Rua hit his first major league homer, connecting off Huston Street in the ninth inning as the Texas Rangers beat the playoff-bound Los Angeles Angels for their eighth win in nine games.

The Rangers, who have the worst record in majors, took two of three from the Angels, who have the best record.

ASTROS 8 MARINERS 3

HOUSTON — Seattle's playoff hopes took another hit, as Jake Marisnick had a three-run homer for the second straight game to lead the Houston Astros over the Mariners.

Houston took two of three from the Mariners, dropping them 1 1/2 games behind Seattle for the second AL wild-card spot.

RED SOX 3 ORIOLES 2

BALTIMORE — Joe Kelly pitched seven innings of three-hit ball and the Boston Red Sox got home runs from Mookie Betts and David Ross to beat Baltimore.

Boston took two of three from the Orioles, who have been playing without several regulars in the lineup since clinching the AL East title on Tuesday.

YANKEES 5 BLUE JAYS 2

NEW YORK — Masahiro Tanaka made a triumphant return from an elbow injury that sidelined him for 2 1/2 months and a rejuvenated Derek Jeter got two more hits on his final homestand, leading the New York Yankees over Toronto.

The Yankees are 4 1/2 games out of the second AL wild-card spot with a week left.

WHITE SOX 10 RAYS 5

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — Avisail Garcia hit two home runs, John Danks took a no-hit bid into the sixth inning and the Chicago White Sox beat Tampa Bay in the Rays' home finale.

Winning for the first time in 10 starts since July 25, Danks (10-11) didn't allow a hit until Brandon Guyer's double with one out in the sixth.

ROYALS 5 TIGERS 2

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Nori Aoki hit a two-run triple, helping Jeremy Guthrie and the Kansas City Royals increase their lead in the AL wild-card race by beating Detroit.

The Royals avoided a three-game sweep and moved within 1 1/2 games of the AL Central-leading Tigers. Kansas City also opened a 1 1/2-game edge over Seattle for the second wild-card spot.

INDIANS 7 TWINS 2

MINNEAPOLIS — Corey Kluber matched a career best by striking 14 for the second straight start and the Cleveland Indians didn't lose any ground in the playoff chase with a win over Minnesota.

The Indians have won five of six.

National League

DODGERS 8 CUBS 5

CHICAGO — Matt Kemp homered and drove in four runs, Yasiel Puig scored a career-high four times and the NL West-leading Los Angeles Dodgers beat the Chicago Cubs.

Kemp had four hits for the Dodgers, who clinched a playoff berth on Friday and lead San Francisco by 4 1/2 games. The Giants start a three-game series at Dodger Stadium on Monday.

PIRATES 1 BREWERS 0

PITTSBURGH — Vance Worley pitched eight sparkling innings, Russell Martin hit a late RBI single and the Pittsburgh Pirates trapped a runner in the ninth to edge Milwaukee 1-0 Sunday, extending their wild-card lead over the Brewers.

The NL Central-leading St. Louis Cardinals clinched a playoff spot because of Milwaukee's loss.

PADRES 8 GIANTS 2

SAN DIEGO — The reeling San Francisco Giants managed just six hits off Ian Kennedy and three relievers, losing to San Diego and falling 4 1/2 games behind the Dodgers in the NL West.

San Diego swept the three-game series. The Giants are still in good shape for a wild-card berth — they're tied with Pittsburgh, 4 1/2 games ahead of Milwaukee.

NATIONALS 2 MARLINS 1

MIAMI — Stephen Strasburg pitched seven shutout innings and the NL-leading Washington Nationals swept a four-game series from Miami.

The East champion Nationals have won eight of nine.

METS 10 BRAVES 2

ATLANTA — The Atlanta Braves were knocked out of the playoff race after a late-season collapse, losing to Jacob deGrom and the New York Mets.

A half-game out of first place in the NL East on July 29, the Braves have gone 18-30 since then to fall 15 back of Washington.

ROCKIES 8 DIAMONDBACKS 3

DENVER — Michael Cuddyer homered, Rafael Ynoa drove in three runs and the Colorado Rockies beat Arizona for a four-game sweep.

Rookie Christian Bergman (3-4) allowed two runs in 5 2-3 innings for the win.

REDS 7 CARDINALS 2

ST. LOUIS — The St. Louis Cardinals clinched a playoff spot on Sunday, and then lost 7-2 to Jay Bruce and the Cincinnati Reds.

St. Louis secured its fourth consecutive postseason appearance when Milwaukee lost to Pittsburgh earlier in the day. But the Cardinals' lead in the NL Central was sliced to 2 1/2 games over the Pirates.

Bruce hit two of Cincinnati's four homers as the Reds snapped a six-game losing streak. Todd Frazier and Devin Mesoraco also went deep.

Interleague

ATHLETICS 8 PHILLIES 6, 10 INNINGS

OAKLAND, Calif. — Josh Donaldson hit a towering, two-run homer into the left-field bleachers with one out in the 10th inning, lifting the Oakland Athletics over Philadelphia.

The A's lead the AL wild-card race by a half-game over Kansas City, with Seattle 1 1/2 games behind the Royals.

MLB STANDINGS, BOXES & LINESCORES

STANDINGS
American League
East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Baltimore	93	62	.600	—
New York	80	75	.516	13
Toronto	78	77	.503	15
Tampa Bay	75	81	.481	18 1/2
Boston	68	88	.436	25 1/2

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Detroit	86	69	.555	—
Kansas City	84	70	.545	1 1/2
Cleveland	81	74	.523	5
Chicago	71	84	.458	15
Minnesota	66	89	.426	20

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Los Angeles	96	60	.615	—
Oakland	85	70	.548	10 1/2
Seattle	83	72	.535	12 1/2
Houston	69	87	.442	27
Texas	62	93	.400	33 1/2

x-clinched division

Sunday's Scores
N.Y. Yankees 5, Toronto 2
Boston 3, Baltimore 2
Chicago White Sox 10, Tampa Bay 5
Cleveland 7, Minnesota 2
Kansas City 5, Detroit 2
Houston 8, Seattle 3
Texas 2, L.A. Angels 1
Oakland 8, Philadelphia 6, 10 innings

Today's Games
Cleveland 4, Kansas City 2, 10 innings, comp. of susp. game, 6:05 p.m.
Baltimore (W.Chen 16-4) at N.Y. Yankees (Pineda 3-5), 7:05 p.m.
Kansas City (D.Duffy 8-11) at Cleveland (Carrasco 8-5), 7:05 p.m.
Seattle (Paxton 6-3) at Toronto (Happ 9-11), 7:07 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Bassitt 0-1) at Detroit (Lobstein 1-0), 7:08 p.m.
Houston (Tropeano 1-1) at Texas (D.Holland 1-0), 8:05 p.m.
Arizona (Collmenter 10-8) at Minnesota (Nolasco 5-11), 8:10 p.m.
L.A. Angels (C.Wilson 13-9) at Oakland (Samardzija 4-5), 10:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Washington	91	64	.587	—
Atlanta	76	79	.490	15
New York	76	80	.487	15 1/2
Miami	74	81	.477	17
Philadelphia	71	85	.455	20 1/2

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
z-St. Louis	87	69	.558	—
Pittsburgh	84	71	.542	2 1/2
Milwaukee	80	76	.513	7
Cincinnati	72	84	.462	15
Chicago	69	87	.442	18

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
z-Los Angeles	89	67	.571	—
San Francisco	84	71	.542	4 1/2
San Diego	74	81	.477	14 1/2
Colorado	65	91	.417	24
Arizona	62	94	.397	27

z-clinched playoff berth
x-clinched division

Sunday's Scores
Washington 2, Miami 1
Pittsburgh 1, Milwaukee 0
N.Y. Mets 10, Atlanta 2
L.A. Dodgers 8, Chicago Cubs 5
Oakland 8, Philadelphia 6, 10 innings
Colorado 8, Arizona 3
San Diego 8, San Francisco 2
Cincinnati 7, St. Louis 2

Today's Games
Pittsburgh (F.Liriano 6-10) at Atlanta (Harang 11-11), 6:10 p.m.
St. Louis (Wainwright 19-9) at Chicago Cubs (T.Wood 8-12), 7:05 p.m.
Arizona (Collmenter 10-8) at Minnesota (Nolasco 5-11), 7:10 p.m.
Colorado (Matzek 6-10) at San Diego (Stults 7-17), 9:10 p.m.
San Francisco (Peavy 6-4) at L.A. Dodgers (Haren 13-11), 9:10 p.m.

WILD CARD GLANCE
AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct	WCGB
Kansas City	84	70	.545	—
Oakland	85	70	.548	—
Seattle	83	72	.535	1 1/2
Cleveland	81	74	.523	3 1/2
New York	80	75	.516	4 1/2

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct	WCGB
Pittsburgh	84	71	.542	—
San Francisco	84	71	.542	—
Milwaukee	80	76	.513	4 1/2

SUNDAY'S AL WEST BOXES
RANGERS 2, ANGELS 1

Texas	ab	r	h	bi	Los Angeles	ab	r	h	bi
LMartn cf	4	1	1	0	Calhon rf	4	0	0	0
Rosales 1b	5	0	1	0	Trout cf	1	0	1	0
Odor 2b	3	0	0	0	Pujols dh	4	0	1	1
ABeltre 3b	3	0	0	0	HKndrc 2b	3	0	0	0
Smlnsk rf	4	0	1	0	GBckh 2b	1	0	0	0
Telis c	3	0	2	1	Aybar ss	3	0	1	0
Rua lf	4	1	1	1	Freese 3b	4	0	0	0
Arencii dh	4	0	1	0	Cron 1b	4	0	0	0
GRdrgz pr-dh	0	0	0	0	ENavrr lf	3	0	0	0
Sardins ss	4	0	2	0	Iannett c	3	1	1	0
Totals	34	2	9	2	Totals	30	1	4	1

Texas .... 000 001 001—2
Los Angeles .... 000 001 000—1

DP—Texas 1, Los Angeles 1. LOB—Texas 9, Los Angeles 6. 2B—Smolinski (4), Sardinas (5). HR—Rua (1). SB—Sardinas (3), Trout (15). S—Odor.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Texas						
Tepesch	7	4	1	1	2	3
Kirkman	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Sh.Tolleson W,3-1	2-3	0	0	0	1	0
Feliz S,11-12	1	0	0	0	0	3
Los Angeles						
Cor.Rasmus	4	2	0	0	1	3
Morin	1	0	0	0	0	1
Salas	1	3	1	1	1	1
Jepsen	1	1	0	0	0	2
J.Smith	1	0	0	0	0	1
Street L,1-2	1-3	3	1	1	1	1
Y.Herrera	2-3	0	0	0	0	0

Cor.Rasmus pitched to 2 batters in the 5th.
HBP—by Tepesch (Trout). WP—Jepsen.
T—3:17. A—27,166 (45,483).

ASTROS 8, MARINERS 3

Seattle	ab	r	h	bi	Houston	ab	r	h	bi
AJcksn cf	4	0	0	0	Grssmn lf	4	1	1	0
Ackley lf	4	0	0	0	Altuve 2b	4	2	2	1
Cano 2b	4	0	1	0	MDmn 3b	0	0	0	0
Seager 3b	4	0	1	0	Carter 1b	3	0	0	0
KMorls dh	4	0	0	0	Singltn 1b	1	0	0	0
Morrsn 1b	3	1	1	0	Fowler dh	4	1	1	0
MSndrs rf	3	2	2	2	Presley rf	5	1	3	2
Zunino c	3	0	1	0	JCastro c	5	0	1	1
BMiller ss	3	0	1	0	Mrsnck cf	5	2	2	3
					G.Petit 3b-2b	4	0	2	0
					Villar ss	3	1	2	0
Totals	32	3	7	2	Totals	38	8	14	7

Seattle .... 001 020 000—3
Houston .... 010 030 31x—8

E—Cano (9). DP—Houston 2. LOB—Seattle 3, Houston 11. 2B—Altuve (45), Presley (6). HR—M.Saunders (7), Marisnick (3). SB—Presley (5), Villar (17). CS—Altuve (9).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Seattle						
Iwakuma L,14-9	4 1-3	6	4	4	3	8
Ca.Smith	2-3	0	0	0	0	2
Leone	1 1-3	2	1	1	1	1
Furbush	1-3	1	1	1	0	1
Medina	1 1-3	5	2	2	1	3
Houston						
McHugh W,11-9	6	4	3	3	1	6
K.Chapman	2-3	1	0	0	0	0
Veras H,5	1 1-3	1	0	0	0	1
Sipp	1	1	0	0	0	2

WP—Iwakuma, Medina.
T—3:29. A—31,466 (42,060).

ATHLETICS 8, PHILLIES 6, 10 INNINGS,

Philadelphia	ab	r	h	bi	Oakland	ab	r	h	bi
Revere cf	5	1	2	1	Crisp cf	5	1	0	0
Ruiz c	5	0	1	1	Vogt 1b	4	0	0	0
Utley 2b	5	2	2	0	Freimn ph-1b	2	0	2	0
Howard dh	4	1	2	0	BBurns pr	0	1	0	0
Byrd rf	5	0	2	3	Dnldsn 3b	5	3	3	2
GSizmr lf	4	0	0	0	A.Dunn dh	3	1	1	1
GwynJ lf	0	0	0	0	Callasp ph-dh	1	0	0	0
DBrwn ph-lf	1	0	0	0	Moss lf-rf-lf	4	1	1	1
Ruf 1b	4	0	1	0	Lowrie ss	0	0	0	0
CHrndz pr	0	0	0	0	Punto ss	2	1	1	0
Franco 1b	1	0	0	0	Reddck rf	1	0	0	1
Asche 3b	3	1	2	0	JGoms ph-lf	1	0	0	0
Galvis ss	4	1	1	1	Fuld ph-rf	1	0	0	0
					G.Soto c	3	0	1	3
					Sogard 2b	4	0	0	0
Totals	41	6	13	6	Totals	36	8	9	8

Philadelphia .... 102 102 000 0—6
Oakland .... 301 020 000 2—8

One out when winning run scored.
LOB—Philadelphia 7, Oakland 12. 2B—Ruiz (25), Howard (17), Byrd 2 (28), Ruf (7), Moss (22), G.Soto (5). 3B—Galvis (1), Punto (1). HR—Donaldson (28). SB—Fuld (21). CS—Byrd (2). S—Asche. SF—Reddick.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Philadelphia						
A.Burnett	4 1-3	3	6	6	6	3
C.Jimenez	1	1	0	0	1	1
Lu.Garcia	1 2-3	1	0	0	1	2
Diekman	1	1	0	0	0	1
De Fratus	1	1	0	0	1	3
M.A.Gonzalez L,0-1	1-3	2	2	2	0	0
Oakland						
Kazmir	5 1-3	11	6	6	1	9
Otero	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
Abad	1	1	0	0	0	0
Gregerson	1	1	0	0	0	0
Doolittle W,2-4	2	0	0	0	0	4

HBP—by A.Burnett (Lowrie, A.Dunn). WP—Lu.Garcia.
T—3:48. A—25,126 (35,067).

AMERICAN LEAGUE
YANKEES 5, BLUE JAYS 2

Toronto .... 100 000 010 —2 7 0
New York .... 100 010 30x —5 8 0

Hutchison, Loup (5), Redmond (6), Da.Norris (7), McGowan (8) and D.Navarro; Tanaka, Warren (6), Betances (8), Dav.Robertson (9) and B.McCann. W—Tanaka 13-4. L—Hutchison 10-13. Sv—Dav.Robertson (38). HRs—New York, B.McCann 2 (22), Gardner (17).

RED SOX 3, ORIOLES 2

Boston .... 100 011 000 —3 12 0
Baltimore .... 000 002 000 —2 6 0

J.Kelly, Layne (8), Badenhop (8), Mujica (9) and D.Ross; M.Gonzalez, R.Webb (6), Meek (7), McFarland (9) and C.Joseph. W—J.Kelly 3-2. L—M.Gonzalez 9-9. Sv—Mujica (8). HRs—Boston, Betts (5), D.Ross (7).

WHITE SOX 10, RAYS 5

Chicago .... 040 006 000—10 12 1
Tampa Bay .... 000 002 102 —5 9 0

Joh.Danks, Lindstrom (7), Surkamp (8), D.Webb (9), Snodgress (9), Belisario (9) and Phegley; Karns, Colome (6), C.Ramos (7), Yates (8), Boxberger (9) and Casali. W—Joh.Danks 10-11. L—Karns 1-1. HRs—Chicago, A.Garcia 2 (7), Semien (5).

ROYALS 5, TIGERS 2

Detroit .... 001 100 000 —2 6 0
Kansas City .... 110 200 10x —5 11 2

Porcello, Ji.Johnson (4), B.Hardy (4), Alburquerque (5), Coke (7), Soria (7), K.Ryan (8) and Holaday; Guthrie, K.Herrera (6), W.Davis (8), G.Holland (9) and S.Perez. W—Guthrie 12-11. L—Porcello 15-12. Sv—G.Holland (43). HRs—Detroit, Kinsler (16).

INDIANS 7, TWINS 2

Cleveland .... 002 032 000 —7 14 0
Minnesota .... 010 010 000 —2 7 2

Kluber, Hagadone (9) and Y.Gomes; Swarzak, Pressly (5), A.Thompson (5), Darnell (7), Fien (9) and Pinto. W—Kluber 17-9. L—Swarzak 3-2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
NATIONALS 2, MARLINS 1

Washington .... 000 020 000 —2 8 0
Miami .... 000 000 001 —1 4 0

Strasburg, Stammen (8), R.Soriano (9) and Lobaton; Eovaldi, Heaney (7) and Saltalamacchia. W—Strasburg 13-11. L—Eovaldi 6-13. Sv—R.Soriano (32).

METS 10, BRAVES 2

New York .... 110 301 013—10 14 2
Atlanta .... 000 020 000 —2 4 2

deGrom, Carlyle (7), Matsuzaka (8), Goeddel (9) and Recker; E.Santana, Jaime (6), Avilan (6), Schlosser (8) and Bethancourt. W—deGrom 9-6. L—E.Santana 14-10. HRs—New York, Tejada (4).

PIRATES 1, BREWERS 0

Milwaukee .... 000 000 000 —0 6 0
Pittsburgh .... 000 000 10x —1 5 0

W.Peralta, Estrada (8) and Lucroy; Worley, Watson (9) and R.Martin. W—Worley 8-4. L—W. Peralta 16-11. Sv—Watson (1).

DODGERS 8, CUBS 5

Los Angeles .... 202 011 101 —8 16 0
Chicago .... 011 020 010 —5 8 1

J.Wright, Frias (3), C.Perez (6), P.Rodriguez (7), P.Baez (8), Jansen (9) and A.Ellis; Ja.Turner, Rosscup (6), Fujikawa (7), Straily (8), Schlitter (9) and W.Castillo. W—C.Perez 1-3. L—Ja.Turner 5-11. Sv—Jansen (43). HRs—Los Angeles, Kemp (23). Chicago, W.Castillo (12).

PADRES 2, GIANTS 0

San Francisco .... 000 000 200 —2 6 2
San Diego .... 000 014 30x —8 8 0

Vogelsong, J.Lopez (6), Kontos (6), Machi (7), Cordier (7), Bochy (8) and Susac; Kennedy, Garces (7), Vincent (8), Benoit (9) and Rivera. W—Kennedy 12-13. L—Vogelsong 8-12. HRs—San Francisco, C.Dominguez (1).

ROCKIES 8, DIAMONDBACKS 3

Arizona .... 000 002 001 —3 9 0
Colorado .... 012 030 20x —8 13 0

Miley, Delgado (5), Stites (7), E.De La Rosa (8) and Gosewisch; Bergman, F.Morales (6), B.Brown (7), Brothers (8), Ottavino (8), Nicasio (9) and Rosario. W—Bergman 3-4. L—Miley 8-12. HRs—Arizona, Trumbo 2 (11). Colorado, Cuddyer (10).

REDS 7, CARDINALS 2

Cincinnati .... 000 102 040 —7 6 0
St. Louis .... 000 011 000 —2 8 1

Simon, LeCure (7), Ju.Diaz (8), A.Chapman (9) and Mesoraco; Lynn, Motte (7), Siegrist (8), Tuivailala (8), Greenwood (8) and Y.Molina, Pierzynski. W—Simon 15-10. L—Lynn 15-10. HRs—Cincinnati, Bruce 2 (18), Frazier (27), Mesoraco (24).

SATURDAY'S LATE AL WEST BOX
ANGELS 8, RANGERS 5

Texas	ab	r	h	bi	Los Angeles	ab	r	h	bi
LMartn cf	4	1	0	0	Calhon rf	5	1	0	0
Andrus ss	4	0	0	0	Trout cf	3	3	2	2
Odor 2b	3	2	1	1	Pujols 1b	4	1	3	2
ABeltre 3b	4	0	3	2	HKndrc 2b	4	1	3	1
Smlnsk rf	4	0	0	1	Aybar ss	4	1	1	0
Telis dh	4	0	1	0	Freese 3b	4	1	1	3
Rua lf	4	1	1	0	Campn lf	0	0	0	0
Chirlns c	4	1	1	0	Boesch dh	4	0	1	0
Rosales 1b	3	0	1	1	Iannett c	4	0	0	0
					ENavrr lf	3	0	1	0
					GBckh 3b	1	0	1	0
Totals	34	5	8	5	Totals	36	8	13	8

Texas .... 000 000 140—5
Los Angeles .... 102 050 00x—8

E—Andrus (18). DP—Texas 2, Los Angeles 1. LOB—Texas 3, Los Angeles 5. 2B—A.Beltre 3 (32), H.Kendrick (31). 3B—Trout (9). HR—Trout (35), Pujols (27), Freese (10).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Texas						
Lewis L,10-14	5	9	8	7	1	3
Kirkman	1	1	0	0	0	0
S.Patton	1	2	0	0	0	2
Mendez	1	1	0	0	0	1
Los Angeles						
Weaver W,18-8	7	5	3	3	1	7
Grilli	2-3	1	1	1	0	1
Thatcher	0	1	1	1	0	0
J.Smith	1-3	1	0	0	0	0
Street S,15-17	1	0	0	0	0	1

Weaver pitched to 2 batters in the 8th.
Thatcher pitched to 1 batter in the 8th.
WP—J.Smith.
T—2:57. A—35,890 (45,483).

SATURDAY'S LATE LINESCORES
INDIANS 7, TWINS 3

Cleveland .... 031 030 000 —7 10 0
Minnesota .... 011 000 010 —3 10 0

House, McAllister (6), Hagadone (8), C.Lee (8), Rzepczynski (8) and R.Perez; May, Achter (5), Thielbar (7), Oliveros (7), Darnell (9) and K.Suzuki. W—House 4-3. L—May 3-5. Sv—Rzepczynski (1). HRs—Cleveland, Y.Gomes (20). Minnesota, Dozier (21).

BREWERS 1, PIRATES 0

Milwaukee .... 000 000 001 —1 6 0
Pittsburgh .... 000 000 000 —0 6 2

Garza, Estrada (5), Jeffress (7), W.Smith (7), Kintzler (8), Duke (8), Fr.Rodriguez (9) and Lucroy; Volquez, Watson (8), Melancon (9) and R.Martin. W—Duke 5-1. L—Melancon 3-5. Sv—Fr.Rodriguez (43).

PADRES 3, GIANTS 2

San Francisco .... 000 000 002 —2 8 1
San Diego .... 001 002 00x —3 6 0

Y.Petit, J.Lopez (6), J.Gutierrez (6), Affeldt (8), Strickland (8) and Posey; Cashner, Quackenbush (9) and Rivera. W—Cashner 5-7. L—Y.Petit 5-5. Sv—Quackenbush (5). HRs—San Francisco, Pence (20).

ROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

**SEAHAWKS 26
BRONCOS 20, OT**

SEATTLE — Marshawn Lynch scored on a 6-yard run on the first possession of overtime and the Seattle Seahawks beat the Denver Broncos 26-20 on Sunday in a Super Bowl rematch that lived up to expectations.

Seattle (2-1) blew a 17-3 fourth-quarter lead, watching Denver tie it at 20 on Peyton Manning's 26-yard touchdown pass to Jacob Tamme with 18 seconds left in regulation and his 2-point conversion pass to Demaryius Thomas.

But Manning never saw the ball in overtime, thanks to Seattle quarterback Russell Wilson. After nearly getting sacked for a safety and throwing an interception in the fourth quarter, Wilson was brilliant in overtime. Wilson rushed for 21 yards and was 4 of 6 passing in overtime. Lynch went the final 6 yards.

Manning led the rally for Denver (2-1) helped by a number of Seahawks mistakes. He was 31 of 49 for 303 yards and two touchdowns, but also threw a costly fourth-quarter interception.

Wilson finished 24 of 34 for 258 yards and two touchdown passes, both late in the first half. Lynch had 88 yards rushing and also caught a 5-yard TD pass.

**EAGLES 37
REDSKINS 34**

PHILADELPHIA — Rookie Jordan Matthews, the receiver who replaced DeSean Jackson in Philadelphia, caught two touchdown passes, and the Eagles beat Jackson and his Washington Redskins in a nasty game marred by a fourth-quarter brawl.

Jackson had his own big play, an 81-yard TD that tied it at 27. But it was not enough to offset Matthews and Jeremy Maclin, whose 27-yard scoring reception gave Philadelphia (3-0) the lead. Rookie Cody Parkey's third field goal, a 51-yarder with 5:55 remaining, put the game out of reach.

**RAVENS 23
BROWNS 21**

CLEVELAND — With the Ray Rice case lingering over them, the Ravens pulled off a comeback win as Justin Tucker kicked a 32-yard field as time expired to give Baltimore a victory over the Cleveland Browns.

Tucker's boot capped another challenging week for the Ravens (2-1), who continue to be dogged by their handling of Rice's domestic violence suspension. Following the game, Baltimore coach John Harbaugh addressed an ESPN report that claims he wanted the team to immediately release Rice after he was arrested for punching his then-fiancee. The report says Harbaugh was overruled by owner Steve Bisciotti and general manager Ozzie Newsome. "I can tell you this, we work together in our organization," Harbaugh said.

**COLTS 44
JAGUARS 17**

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. — Andrew Luck threw four touchdown passes — three of them in a lopsided first half — and the Indianapolis Colts dominated the Jacksonville Jaguars for their first win.

It was a home opener to forget for the Jaguars (0-3), who trailed 30-0 at the break and benched quarterback Chad Henne.

**STEELERS 37
PANTHERS 19**

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Ben Roethlisberger threw two 7-yard touchdown passes to Antonio Brown, Le'Veon Bell ran for 147 yards and the Pittsburgh Steelers beat the Carolina Panthers 37-19 on Sunday night.

The Steelers had gone eight quarters without a touchdown before Roethlisberger's two scoring strikes in the third. They were set up by Cam Newton's fumble and Bell's 81-yard run.

**SAINTS 20
VIKINGS 9**

NEW ORLEANS — Drew Brees passed for 293 yards and two touchdowns, and the New Orleans Saints won for the first time this season, taking their home opener against the Minnesota Vikings.

For the Vikings, the loss capped a week of distractions as the club first announced that star running back Adrian Peterson would play, then later changed course and said Peterson would leave the team indefinitely to deal with child abuse allegations.

**CHARGERS 22
BILLS 10**

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y. — A week after throwing three touchdown passes to tight end Antonio Gates to knock off the Seattle Seahawks, Philip Rivers hit Eddie Royal for two scores in a win over the Buffalo Bills.

Royal scored on 3- and 5-yard receptions and finished with four catches 42 yards. Malcom Floyd had two catches for 98 yards in a game the Chargers (2-1) never trailed. Rivers finished 18 of 25 for 256 yards and extended his touchdown streak to 23 games to match the team record he set over the 2009-10 seasons.

**BENGALS 33
TITANS 7**

CINCINNATI — Andy Dalton caught a touchdown pass — the first Bengals quarterback to pull off that feat — and Cincinnati stayed undefeated with a victory over the Tennessee Titans.

The Bengals (3-0) head into their bye week with their best start in eight years and a chance to get some of their many injured players healthy. They got a lot of big plays, a few breaks and plenty of help from a team dealing with the death of a long-time player.

**PATRIOTS 16
RAIDERS 9**

FOXBOROUGH, Mass. — Tom Brady threw a touchdown pass, Stephen Gostkowski kicked three field goals and the sluggish New England Patriots held on to beat the Oakland Raiders when defensive tackle Vince Wilfork intercepted a pass near his goal line.

Darren McFadden's potential tying touchdown run was nullified by a holding penalty. A play later, Wilfork grabbed the ball when Logan Ryan jarred it loose from intended receiver Denarius Moore with 51 seconds left.

**LIONS 19
PACKERS 7**

DETROIT — Don Carey returned a fumble 40 yards for a touchdown, and Detroit's defensive front stuffed Green Bay, leading the Lions over Aaron Rodgers and the Packers.

The Lions (2-1) came in with a secondary decimated by injuries, but that didn't much matter with Rodgers under constant pressure. He was sacked twice and threw for only 162 yards, and Green Bay (1-2) wasn't any better when running the ball.

**CARDINALS 23
49ERS 14**

GLENDALE, Ariz. — Drew Stanton threw a pair of third-quarter touchdown passes to rookie John Brown and Arizona rallied to beat San Francisco, snapping a four-game losing streak to the 49ers.

Tommy Kelly blocked a field goal for the Cardinals (3-0), who outscored San Francisco 17-0 in the second half.

**CHIEFS 34
DOLPHINS 15**

MIAMI GARDENS, Fla. — Alex Smith shook off five sacks to throw three touchdown passes and help the Kansas City Chiefs earn their first victory by beating the Miami Dolphins.

Smith led touchdown drives of 62, 76 and 66 yards in a span of four possessions as Kansas City took leads of 14-0 and 21-10. The Chiefs improved to 1-2 and won for only the third time in their past 11 games, including postseason.

SUNDAY'SBOXES

FROM WIRE REPORTS

CHARGERS 22, BILLS 10

San Diego	7	6	7	2	—22
Buffalo	0	3	7	0	—10

First Quarter

SD—Royal 3 pass from Rivers (Novak kick), 9:45.

Second Quarter

SD—FG Novak 19, 10:18.
Buf—FG Carpenter 45, 2:56.
SD—FG Novak 37, :21.

Third Quarter

SD—Royal 5 pass from Rivers (Novak kick), 7:31.
Buf—Jackson 11 pass from Manuel (Carpenter kick), 1:16.

Fourth Quarter

SD—Team safety, 3:23.
A—68,611.

	SD	Buf
First downs	20	18
Total Net Yards	336	292
Rushes-yards	37-85	22-87
Passing	251	205
Comp-Att-Int	18-25-0	23-40-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	1-5	3-33
Punts	6-49.2	5-45.2
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	6-44	11-101
Time of Possession	31:34	28:26

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—San Diego, Brown 31-62, Oliver 3-11, Rivers 2-11, Woodhead 1-1. Buffalo, Jackson 6-34, Spiller 10-25, Manuel 5-24, Summers 1-4.

PASSING—San Diego, Rivers 18-25-0-256. Buffalo, Manuel 23-39-0-236, Jackson 0-1-0-0.

RECEIVING—San Diego, Brown 5-27, Green 4-64, Royal 4-42, Floyd 2-98, Allen 2-17, Gates 1-8. Buffalo, Jackson 8-78, Chandler 5-74, Spiller 3-37, Woods 3-19, Watkins 2-19, Mi.Williams 2-11.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

EAGLES 37, REDSKINS 34

Washington	14	6	7	7	—34
Philadelphia	7	14	6	10	—37

First Quarter

Was—Young 4 pass from Cousins (Forbath kick), 8:42.
Phi—Polk 102 kickoff return (Parkey kick), 8:29.
Was—Garcon 4 pass from Cousins (Forbath kick), 2:09.

Second Quarter

Was—FG Forbath 49, 8:49.
Phi—J.Matthews 11 pass from Foles (Parkey kick), 5:48.
Was—FG Forbath 44, 1:15.
Phi—J.Matthews 11 pass from Foles (Parkey kick), :09.

Third Quarter

Phi—FG Parkey 38, 12:03.
Phi—FG Parkey 33, 8:04.
Was—Jackson 81 pass from Cousins (Forbath kick), 2:04.

Fourth Quarter

Phi—Maclin 27 pass from Foles (Parkey kick), 7:34.
Phi—FG Parkey 51, 5:55.
Was—Helu Jr. 1 run (Forbath kick), 4:16.
A—69,596.

	Was	Phi
First downs	27	22
Total Net Yards	511	379
Rushes-yards	28-84	26-54
Passing	427	325
Comp-Att-Int	30-48-1	28-42-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	0-0	0-0
Punts	3-56.7	4-37.3
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	10-131	9-70
Time of Possession	34:48	25:12

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Washington, Morris 23-77, Cousins 3-5, Helu Jr. 1-1, Young 1-1. Philadelphia, McCoy 20-22, Sproles 2-20, Foles 4-12.

PASSING—Washington, Cousins 30-48-1-427. Philadelphia, Foles 28-42-0-325.

RECEIVING—Washington, Garcon 11-138, Paul 6-68, Jackson 5-117, Roberts 4-38, Paulsen 2-7, Helu Jr. 1-55, Young 1-4. Philadelphia, Maclin 8-154, J.Matthews 8-59, Cooper 4-34, Sproles 3-30, Ertz 2-14, Casey 1-19, Maehl 1-15, McCoy 1-0.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Washington, Forbath 33 (WR).

COLTS 44, JAGUARS 17

Indianapolis	10	20	0	14	—44
Jacksonville	0	0	3	14	—17

First Quarter

Ind—FG Vinatieri 48, 9:37.
Ind—Bradshaw 6 pass from Luck (Vinatieri kick), 1:50.

Second Quarter

Ind—Allen 1 pass from Luck (Vinatieri kick), 12:28.
Ind—FG Vinatieri 43, 9:08.
Ind—FG Vinatieri 25, 1:10.
Ind—Fleener 7 pass from Luck (Vinatieri kick), :28.

Third Quarter

Jax—FG Scobee 41, 5:13.

Fourth Quarter

Ind—Nicks 1 pass from Luck (Vinatieri kick), 8:53.
Jax—Hurns 63 pass from Bortles (Scobee kick), 6:51.
Ind—Toler 47 interception return (Vinatieri kick), 2:58.
Jax—Shorts III 10 pass from Bortles (Scobee kick), :18.
A—60,601.

	Ind	Jax
First downs	27	18
Total Net Yards	529	344
Rushes-yards	29-144	20-105
Passing	385	239
Comp-Att-Int	33-43-0	18-31-2
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-5	4-17
Punts	2-53.5	5-46.4
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	8-46	2-15
Time of Possession	37:03	22:57

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Indianapolis, Bradshaw 9-65, Richardson 14-57, Luck 3-15, Moncrief 1-7, Herron 1-1, Hasselbeck 1-(minus 1). Jacksonville, D.Robinson 8-33, Gerhart 9-32, Bortles 2-30, Todman 1-10.

PASSING—Indianapolis, Luck 31-39-0-370, Hasselbeck 2-4-0-20. Jacksonville, Bortles 14-24-2-223, Henne 4-7-0-33.

RECEIVING—Indianapolis, Hilton 5-80, Wayne 4-62, Moncrief 4-55, Nicks 4-50, Fleener 4-49, Allen 4-43, Richardson 3-23, Doyle 3-10, Bradshaw 2-18. Jacksonville, A.Robinson 7-79, Shorts III 5-35, Gerhart 2-31, Hurns 1-63, Ta'ufo'ou 1-26, Brown 1-14, Jensen 1-8.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

BENGALS 33, TITANS 7

Tennessee	0	0	0	7	—7
Cincinnati	10	9	7	7	—33

First Quarter

Cin—FG Nugent 29, 4:48.
Cin—Dalton 18 pass from Sanu (Nugent kick), :00.

Second Quarter

Cin—Team safety, 6:25.
Cin—Bernard 1 run (Nugent kick), 3:29.

Third Quarter

Cin—Bernard 1 run (Nugent kick), 1:58.

Fourth Quarter

Cin—Hill 4 run (Nugent kick), 9:26.
Ten—Greene 1 run (Succop kick), 6:09.
A—56,743.

	Ten	Cin
First downs	22	25
Total Net Yards	326	300
Rushes-yards	28-149	31-116
Passing	177	184
Comp-Att-Int	17-34-2	17-26-1
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-8	0-0
Punts	4-35.3	4-49.3
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	11-99	7-50
Time of Possession	31:16	28:44

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Tennessee, Sankey 10-61, Locker 6-50, Greene 10-33, Battle 1-5, McCluster 1-0. Cincinnati, Bernard 14-47, Hill 7-39, Peerman 5-15, Tate 1-12, Dalton 3-3, Hewitt 1-0.

PASSING—Tennessee, Locker 17-34-2-185. Cincinnati, Dalton 15-23-1-169, Sanu 1-1-0-18, Campbell 1-2-0-(minus 3).

RECEIVING—Tennessee, Wright 5-44, Walker 4-54, Hunter 3-37, Stevens 2-26, McCluster 2-15, Sankey 1-9. Cincinnati, Green 6-102, Sanu 5-44, Dalton 1-18, Bernard 1-7, Hewitt 1-6, Gresham 1-5, Tate 1-5, Brock 1-(minus 3).

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Tennessee, Succop 40 (WR), 44 (WR).

RAVENS 23, BROWNS 21

Baltimore	3	7	7	6	—23
Cleveland	7	0	14	0	—21

First Quarter

Bal—FG Tucker 38, 9:11.
Cle—West 1 run (Cundiff kick), 3:15.

Second Quarter

Bal—Juszczyk 9 pass from Flacco (Tucker kick), 7:24.

Third Quarter

Cle—Crowell 14 run (Cundiff kick), 10:01.
Bal—Taliaferro 1 run (Tucker kick), 5:04.
Cle—Austin 4 pass from Hoyer (Cundiff kick), :13.

Fourth Quarter

Bal—FG Tucker 21, 5:00.
Bal—FG Tucker 32, :00.
A—67,407.

	Bal	Cle
First downs	23	19
Total Net Yards	377	375
Rushes-yards	33-160	29-91
Passing	217	284
Comp-Att-Int	19-31-1	19-25-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	0-0	1-6
Punts	3-50.7	4-45.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	5-32	12-94
Time of Possession	30:55	29:05

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Baltimore, Taliaferro 18-91, Forsett 11-63, Flacco 4-6. Cleveland, Crowell 11-55, West 12-36, Hoyer 2-4, Agnew 1-0, Gabriel 2-(minus 2), Benjamin 1-(minus 2).

PASSING—Baltimore, Flacco 19-31-1-217. Cleveland, Hoyer 19-25-0-290.

RECEIVING—Baltimore, Smith Sr. 5-101, Forsett 4-2, Juszczyk 3-54, Pitta 3-12, T.Smith 2-25, M.Brown 1-15, Daniels 1-8. Cleveland, Hawkins 7-87, Austin 6-51, Gabriel 2-81, West 2-5, Benjamin 1-43, Cameron 1-23.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Cleveland, Cundiff 50 (WL), 36 (BK).

SAINTS 20, VIKINGS 9

Minnesota	0	6	3	0	—9
New Orleans	13	0	0	7	—20

First Quarter

NO—Thomas 1 run (S.Graham kick), 9:36.
NO—Hill 34 pass from Brees (kick blocked), 4:50.

Second Quarter

Min—FG Walsh 25, 14:06.
Min—FG Walsh 30, 6:28.

Third Quarter

Min—FG Walsh 40, 10:20.

Fourth Quarter

NO—Colston 18 pass from Brees (S.Graham kick), 12:22.
A—73,005.

	Min	NO
First downs	13	27
Total Net Yards	247	396
Rushes-yards	22-59	32-108
Passing	188	288
Comp-Att-Int	17-30-0	27-35-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-15	1-5
Punts	4-45.3	4-46.8
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	5-44	4-30
Time of Possession	26:27	33:33

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Minnesota, Asiata 12-35, Bridgewater 6-27, Cassel 1-5, McKinnon 2-(minus 1), Patterson 1-(minus 7). New Orleans, K.Robinson 18-69, Thomas 8-30, Cadet 2-9, Johnson 1-2, Brees 3-(minus 2).

PASSING—Minnesota, Bridgewater 12-20-0-150, Cassel 5-10-0-53. New Orleans, Brees, 27-35-0-293.

RECEIVING—Minnesota, Jennings 5-70, Patterson 4-61, Asiata 3-36, Rudolph 3-27, McKinnon 2-9. New Orleans, Cooks 8-74, J.Graham 6-54, Stills 4-38, Thomas 3-21, Hill 2-48, Colston 2-25, Meachem 1-23, Watson 1-10.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

PATRIOTS 13, RAIDERS 9

Oakland	3	0	6	0	—9
New England	0	10	0	6	—16

First Quarter

Oak—FG Janikowski 49, 4:37.

Second Quarter

NE—Gronkowski 6 pass from Brady (Gostkowski kick), 4:14.
NE—FG Gostkowski 21, :00.

Third Quarter

Oak—FG Janikowski 37, 9:39.
Oak—FG Janikowski 47, 2:21.

Fourth Quarter

NE—FG Gostkowski 20, 13:42.
NE—FG Gostkowski 36, 6:20.
A—68,756.

	Oak	NE
First downs	14	21
Total Net Yards	241	297
Rushes-yards	22-67	32-76
Passing	174	221
Comp-Att-Int	21-34-1	24-37-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	0-0	2-13
Punts	5-43.2	5-48.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	6-49	6-59
Time of Possession	28:25	31:35

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Oakland, McFadden 18-59, Reece 1-7, Murray 3-1. New England, Ridley 19-54, Vereen 7-20, Edelman 1-5, Bolden 2-4, Brady 3-(minus 7).

PASSING—Oakland, Carr 21-34-1-174. New England, Brady 24-37-0-234.

RECEIVING—Oakland, McFadden 4-6, J.Jones 3-43, Streater 3-32, D.Moore 3-23, Reece 3-19, Rivera 2-11, Holmes 1-29, Leonhardt 1-7, Olawale 1-4. New England, Edelman 10-84, LaFell 4-46, Vereen 4-17, Gronkowski 3-44, Wright 1-20, Thompkins 1-16, Ridley 1-7.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

LIONS 19, PACKERS 7

Green Bay	7	0	0	0	—7
Detroit	7	5	0	7	—19

First Quarter

Det—Carey 40 fumble return (Freese kick), 12:02.
GB—Quarless 10 pass from A.Rodgers (Crosby kick), :39.

Second Quarter

Det—Levy safety, 13:21.
Det—FG Freese 30, 6:16.

Fourth Quarter

Det—Bush 26 run (Freese kick), 10:40.
A—62,418.

	GB	Det
First downs	14	21
Total Net Yards	223	353
Rushes-yards	22-76	38-115
Passing	147	238
Comp-Att-Int	16-27-0	22-34-2
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-15	2-8
Punts	5-43.0	2-52.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-1
Penalties-Yards	5-30	6-40
Time of Possession	21:47	38:13

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Green Bay, Starks 8-38, Lacy 11-36, Harris 3-2. Detroit, Bush 12-61, Bell 15-33, Riddick 3-16, Stafford 6-8, Collins 1-2, Ross 1-(minus 5).

PASSING—Green Bay, A.Rodgers 16-27-0-162. Detroit, Stafford 22-34-2-246.

RECEIVING—Green Bay, Nelson 5-59, Quarless 4-43, Cobb 3-29, D.Adams 2-11, Boykin 1-11, Lacy 1-9. Detroit, C.Johnson 6-82, Bush 6-38, Tate 5-51, Ross 3-20, Fuller 1-52, Fauria 1-3.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Detroit, Freese 41 (WL).

CHIEFS 34, DOLPHINS 15

Kansas City	0	14	7	13	—34
Miami	0	3	12	0	—15

Second Quarter

KC—Davis 21 run (Santos kick), 6:38.
KC—Kelce 20 pass from A.Smith (Santos kick), 1:35.
Mia—FG Sturgis 22, :00.

Third Quarter

Mia—Hartline 1 pass from Tannehill (Sturgis kick), 12:07.
KC—McKnight 11 pass from A.Smith (Santos kick), 6:36.
Mia—FG Sturgis 51, 5:54.
Mia—Team safety, 2:38.

Fourth Quarter

KC—McKnight 4 pass from A.Smith (pass failed), 4:35.
KC—Gray 6 run (Santos kick), :13.
A—70,313.

	KC	Mia
First downs	23	18
Total Net Yards	342	332
Rushes-yards	41-174	20-141
Passing	168	191
Comp-Att-Int	19-25-0	21-43-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	5-18	4-14
Punts	5-51.0	7-46.7
Fumbles-Lost	4-2	1-0
Penalties-Yards	4-23	6-65
Time of Possession	33:42	26:18

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Kansas City, Davis 32-132, Gray 4-18, A.Smith 2-17, Sherman 1-4, McKnight 1-3, Jenkins 1-0. Miami, Miller 15-108, Dan.Thomas 2-15, M.Wallace 1-12, Tannehill 1-9, Williams 1-(minus 3).

PASSING—Kansas City, A.Smith 19-25-0-186. Miami, Tannehill 21-43-0-205.

RECEIVING—Kansas City, McKnight 6-64, Kelce 3-38, Bowe 3-32, Fasano 2-23, Hemingway 2-18, Avery 2-12, Sherman 1-1. Miami, M.Wallace 5-74, Miller 4-24, Hartline 3-25, Landry 3-24, Clay 3-21, Dan.Thomas 1-21, Matthews 1-13, Gibson 1-3.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Miami, Sturgis 48 (WL).

SEAHAWKS 26, BRONCOS 20

Denver	3	0	0	17	0	—20
Seattle	3	14	0	3	6	—26

First Quarter

Sea—FG Hauschka 20, 10:33.
Den—FG McManus 24, 3:27.

Second Quarter

Sea—Lockette 39 pass from Wilson (Hauschka kick), 3:05.
Sea—Lynch 5 pass from Wilson (Hauschka kick), :12.

Fourth Quarter

Den—Irving safety, 13:07.
Den—J.Thomas 3 pass from Manning (McManus kick), 9:20.
Sea—FG Hauschka 28, :59.
Den—Tamme 26 pass from Manning (D.Thomas pass from Manning), :18.

Overtime

Sea—Lynch 6 run, 9:14.
A—68,447.

	Den	Sea
First downs	20	26
Total Net Yards	332	384
Rushes-yards	20-36	37-129
Passing	296	255
Comp-Att-Int	31-49-1	25-35-1
Sacked-Yards Lost	1-7	3-20
Punts	8-47.3	6-50.2
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	4-27	7-34
Time of Possession	27:42	38:04

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Denver, Ball 14-38, Hillman 2-2, Green 1-0, Manning 1-(minus 1), Anderson 2-(minus 3). Seattle, Lynch 26-88, Wilson 9-40, Turbin 2-1.

PASSING—Denver, Manning 31-49-1-303. Seattle, Wilson 24-34-1-258, Kearse 1-1-0-17.

RECEIVING—Denver, Sanders 11-149, Welker 6-60, D.Thomas 4-31, J.Thomas 3-17, Tamme 2-22, Ball 2-6, Green 1-10, Hillman 1-7, Anderson 1-1. Seattle, Harvin 7-42, Baldwin 4-56, Lynch 3-40, Kearse 2-22, Walters 2-22, Miller 2-12, Lockette 1-39, Wilson 1-17, Coleman 1-14, Richardson 1-7, Turbin 1-4.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Seattle, Hauschka 46 (WL).

CARDINALS 23, 49ERS 14

San Francisco	7	7	0	0	—14
Arizona	3	3	14	3	—23

First Quarter

Ari—FG Catanzaro 51, 12:23.
SF—Crabtree 2 pass from Kaepernick (Dawson kick), 6:45.

Second Quarter

Ari—FG Catanzaro 32, 13:42.
SF—Hyde 6 run (Dawson kick), 5:07.

Third Quarter

Ari—Jo.Brown 24 pass from Stanton (Catanzaro kick), 9:20.
Ari—Jo.Brown 21 pass from Stanton (Catanzaro kick), 4:39.

Fourth Quarter

Ari—FG Catanzaro 35, :29.
A—61,572.

	SF	Ari
First downs	20	24
Total Net Yards	318	338
Rushes-yards	24-82	27-84
Passing	236	254
Comp-Att-Int	29-37-0	19-34-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	1-9	0-0
Punts	4-43.5	1-49.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	9-107	5-36
Time of Possession	32:20	27:40

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—San Francisco, Kaepernick 13-54, Hyde 3-13, Gore 6-10, Crabtree 1-4, Ellington 1-1. Arizona, Ellington 18-62, Stanton 6-16, Ginn Jr. 1-4, Taylor 1-2, Parmele 1-0.

PASSING—San Francisco, Kaepernick 29-37-0-245. Arizona, Stanton 18-33-0-244, Ginn Jr. 1-1-0-10.

RECEIVING—San Francisco, Crabtree 10-80, S.Johnson 9-103, Boldin 6-36, Hyde 2-(minus 2), Carrier 1-23, Lloyd 1-5. Arizona, Floyd 5-114, Jo.Brown 4-52, Fitzgerald 3-34, Carlson 3-33, Ellington 3-13, Ginn Jr. 1-8.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—San Francisco, Dawson 45 (BK).

STEELERS 37, PANTHERS 19

Pittsburgh	3	6	14	14	—37
Carolina	3	0	3	13	—19

First Quarter

Car—FG Gano 40, 6:40.
Pit—FG Suisham 42, :07.

Second Quarter

Pit—FG Suisham 24, 5:37.
Pit—FG Suisham 45, :00.

Third Quarter

Pit—A.Brown 7 pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick), 11:02.
Car—FG Gano 40, 6:21.
Pit—A.Brown 7 pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick), 2:22.

Fourth Quarter

Car—Olsen 37 pass from Newton (Gano kick), 13:28.
Pit—Golden fumble recovery in end zone (Suisham kick), 11:00.
Pit—Blount 8 run (Suisham kick), 5:38.
Car—Benjamin 35 pass from Anderson (pass failed), 3:53.
A—73,945.

	Pit	Car
First downs	24	20
Total Net Yards	454	349
Rushes-yards	34-264	10-42
Passing	190	307
Comp-Att-Int	22-30-0	29-41-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	1-6	3-23
Punts	3-46.0	4-52.5
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	3-2
Penalties-Yards	11-91	7-105
Time of Possession	34:39	25:21

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Pittsburgh, Bell 21-147, Blount 10-118, Roethlisberger 1-1, Gradkowski 2-(minus 2). Carolina, Stewart 5-31, Newton 2-7, Tolbert 3-4.

PASSING—Pittsburgh, Roethlisberger 22-30-0-196. Carolina, Newton 24-35-0-250, Anderson 5-6-0-80.

RECEIVING—Pittsburgh, A.Brown 10-90, Miller 4-51, Wheaton 4-35, Bell 2-10, J.Brown 2-10. Carolina, Benjamin 8-115, Brown 7-68, Olsen 5-69, Tolbert 3-20, Stewart 3-19, Avant 2-12, Bersin 1-29.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

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FROM STAFF REPORTS

Tannehill

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

Tannehill completed 21-of-43 passes for 205 yards and one touchdown in the Dolphins' 34-15 loss to the Kansas City Chiefs on Sunday in at Sun Life Stadium in Miami. Tannehill's lone touchdown pass was a 1-yarder in the third quarter to Brian Hartline.

Cannon

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

Cannon started his third straight game for the Patriots in a 16-9 victory against the Oakland Raiders on Sunday at Gillette Stadium in Foxborough, Massachussetts. Cannon has started the last two games at guard and started the first at center. The Patriots had 297 total yards in the victory.

STANDINGS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Buffalo	2	1	0	667	62	52	1-1-0	1-0-0	1-1-0	1-0-0	1-0-0
New England	2	1	0	667	66	49	1-0-0	1-1-0	1-1-0	1-0-0	0-1-0
N.Y. Jets	1	1	0	500	43	45	1-0-0	0-1-0	1-0-0	0-1-0	0-0-0
Miami	1	2	0	333	58	83	1-1-0	0-1-0	1-2-0	0-0-0	1-1-0

South

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Houston	2	1	0	667	64	50	1-0-0	1-1-0	1-0-0	1-1-0	0-0-0
Indianapolis	1	2	0	333	95	78	0-1-0	1-1-0	1-1-0	0-1-0	1-0-0
Tennessee	1	2	0	338	43	69	0-1-0	1-1-0	1-1-0	0-1-0	0-0-0
Jacksonville	0	3	0	000	44	119	0-1-0	0-2-0	0-1-0	0-2-0	0-1-0

North

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Cincinnati	3	0	0	1.000	80	33	2-0-0	1-0-0	2-0-0	1-0-0	1-0-0
Baltimore	2	1	0	667	65	50	1-1-0	1-0-0	2-1-0	0-0-0	2-1-0
Pittsburgh	2	1	0	667	73	72	1-0-0	1-1-0	1-1-0	1-0-0	1-1-0
Cleveland	1	2	0	333	74	77	1-1-0	0-1-0	0-2-0	1-0-0	0-2-0

West

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Denver	2	1	0	667	75	67	2-0-0	0-1-0	2-0-0	0-1-0	1-0-0
San Diego	2	1	0	667	69	49	1-0-0	1-1-0	1-0-0	1-1-0	0-0-0
Kansas City	1	2	0	333	61	65	0-1-0	1-1-0	1-2-0	0-0-0	0-1-0
Oakland	0	3	0	000	37	65	0-1-0	0-2-0	0-3-0	0-0-0	0-0-0

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East

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	NFC	AFC	Div
Philadelphia	3	0	0	1.000	101	78	2-0-0	1-0-0	1-0-0	2-0-0	1-0-0
Dallas	2	1	0	667	77	69	0-1-0	2-0-0	1-1-0	1-0-0	0-0-0
N.Y. Giants	1	2	0	333	58	77	1-1-0	0-1-0	0-2-0	1-0-0	0-0-0
Washington	1	2	0	333	81	64	1-0-0	0-2-0	0-1-0	1-1-0	0-1-0

South

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	NFC	AFC	Div
Atlanta	2	1	0	667	103	72	2-0-0	0-1-0	2-0-0	0-1-0	2-0-0
Carolina	2	1	0	667	63	58	1-1-0	1-0-0	2-0-0	0-1-0	1-0-0
New Orleans	1	2	0	333	78	72	1-0-0	0-2-0	1-1-0	0-1-0	0-1-0
Tampa Bay	0	3	0	000	45	95	0-2-0	0-1-0	0-3-0	0-0-0	0-2-0

North

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	NFC	AFC	Div
Detroit	2	1	0	667	61	45	2-0-0	0-1-0	2-1-0	0-0-0	1-0-0
Chicago	1	1	0	500	48	43	0-1-0	1-0-0	1-0-0	0-1-0	0-0-0
Minnesota	1	2	0	333	50	56	0-1-0	1-1-0	1-1-0	0-1-0	0-0-0
Green Bay	1	2	0	333	54	79	1-0-0	0-2-0	0-2-0	1-0-0	0-1-0

West

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	NFC	AFC	Div
Arizona	3	0	0	1.000	66	45	2-0-0	1-0-0	2-0-0	1-0-0	1-0-0
Seattle	2	1	0	667	83	66	2-0-0	0-1-0	1-0-0	1-1-0	0-0-0
St. Louis	1	2	0	333	56	85	0-2-0	1-0-0	1-2-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
San Francisco	1	2	0	333	62	68	0-1-0	1-1-0	1-2-0	0-0-0	0-1-0

Thursday's Score

Atlanta 56, Tampa Bay 14

Sunday's Scores

Dallas 34, St. Louis 31
New Orleans 20, Minnesota 9
San Diego 22, Buffalo 10
Philadelphia 37, Washington 34
N.Y. Giants 30, Houston 17
Cincinnati 33, Tennessee 7
Baltimore 23, Cleveland 21
Detroit 19, Green Bay 7
Indianapolis 44, Jacksonville 17
New England 16, Oakland 9
Arizona 23, San Francisco 14
Seattle 26, Denver 20, OT
Kansas City 34, Miami 15
Pittsburgh 37, Carolina 19

Today's Game

Chicago at N.Y. Jets, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Sep. 25

N.Y. Giants at Washington, 7:25 p.m.

Sunday, Sep. 28

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

Monday, Sep. 29

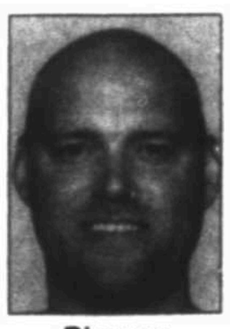
New England at Kansas City, 7:30 p.m.

Former Titans kicker Bironas killed in car crash

Associated Press

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Rob Bironas, who worked his way through odd jobs and the Arena Football League before becoming one of the NFL's most accurate kickers, died in a car crash. He was 36.

The former Tennessee Titans player died Saturday night when he lost control on a curve in his 2009 GMC Yukon Denali and crashed after 11 p.m. less than a mile from home, Metro Nashville Police said.



Bironas

In a statement on the department website, police said his SUV was speeding when it went off the road and hit a line of trees before coming to a stop upside down in a culvert.

Bironas was taken to Vanderbilt University Medical Center, where he was pronounced dead. Police said there was no evidence of alcohol or drugs at the scene.

The Titans released Bironas in March after nine seasons. The Tennessean reported that Bironas worked out for the Detroit Lions and for Tampa Bay during the offseason.

Bironas married Rachel Bradshaw, daughter of Pro Football Hall of Fame quarterback Terry Bradshaw, in June. Police spokesman Don Aaron said a police chaplain was with her after the crash. Bradshaw did not appear on the "Fox NFL Sunday" pregame show and was going to Nashville to be with his daughter.

A post on his verified Twitter account, (at)RobBironas, stated Sunday morning: "It's w/ heavy hearts that we confirm the passing RB (hash) 2 We appreciate your respect for the family's privacy and your prayers at this time."

The Titans, who play at Cincinnati, extended condolences Sunday.

"Rob made a significant impact as a player in his nine years with the team and more importantly touched many lives in the Nashville community off the field," the team said in a statement.

Reaction poured out on Twitter, with former teammates, friends and fans remembering the kicker.

"Shocked and saddened this morning at the passing of Rob Bironas," country singer Carrie Underwood wrote. "Such a nice guy. Sending prayers and love to his family... RB (hash) 2"

Titans cornerback Jason McCourty wrote on his Twitter account he shares with brother Devin of the New England Patriots: "Rest in peace to my former teammate Rob Bironas."

Bironas was the fourth most-accurate kicker in NFL history, connecting on 85.7 percent of his kicks (239 of 279). Only David Akers made more field goals (247) between 2005 and 2013 than Bironas. For kickers with 100 or more field goals since the 1970 AFL-NFL merger, Bironas ranked third making 75.2 percent of his kicks from 40 yards or longer (94 of 125).

He finished as the Titans' second all-time leading scorer with 1,032 points, and he set a franchise record scoring triple digits in seven straight seasons. He also set an NFL record in 2011 in hitting a field goal from at least 40 yards in 10 consecutive games.

Cowboys

From 1C

Davis was in the shotgun, resulting in a lost fumble, and a dropped touchdown pass by Jared Cook that could have put the Rams up 28-21. They settled for a field goal.

"I feel like I let this game slip through my hands and it's my fault," Cook said.

St. Louis is 0-2 at home and was whipped 34-6 by Minnesota in the opener. Fisher said Davis played well, but that Shaun Hill would be the starter after the upcoming bye week.

"So, we've got some work to do and some time to look at what we're doing," Fisher said. "They played very, very hard. But they didn't play very smart."

Murray had 100 yards on 24 carries and lost a fumble for the fourth straight game dating to last season, even after switching from carrying the ball on his left side to the right. Three of his 10 career 100-yard games are against the Rams and all leading to victories, with a franchise-record 253 yards in 2011 and 175 yards last season.

Janoris Jenkins' 25-yard interception return, the fifth defensive touchdown in his three seasons, put the Rams up 21-0 with 6:06 to go in the first half.

Davis cut the Cowboys' lead to three points on a 4-yard pass to Austin Pettis with 2:36 to go, but Morris Claiborne's interception clinched it with 1:02 left.

Romo was 4 for 5 for 40 yards and scrambled 16 yards on third-and-13 on the go-ahead drive. His second-half play overshadowed a third costly INT of the year.

"We were able to execute under pressure or whatever you want to say, blah, blah, blah," Romo said. "We got it done."

Penalties and a turnover late in the first half helped the Cowboys close the gap.

Murray's 1-yard run came a play after rookie Lamarcus Joyner's interference call in the end zone. Henry Melton recovered a fumble on Scott Wells' flubbed shotgun snap, and a roughing-the-passer call on Eugene Sims got Dallas closer for Dan Bailey's 29-yard field goal.

COWBOYS 34, RAMS 31

Dallas	0	10	10	14	—34
St. Louis	7	14	0	10	—31

First Quarter

StL—Kendricks 1 pass from A.Davis (Zuerlein kick), 6:10.

Second Quarter

StL—Quick 51 pass from A.Davis (Zuerlein kick), 14:54.

StL—Jenkins 25 interception return (Zuerlein kick), 6:06.

Dal—Murray 1 run (Bailey kick), 2:07.

Dal—FG Bailey 29, :02.

Third Quarter

Dal—Bryant 68 pass from Romo (Bailey kick), 12:48.

Dal—FG Bailey 40, 2:43.

Fourth Quarter

StL—FG Zuerlein 28, 13:28.

Dal—Williams 12 pass from Romo (Bailey kick), 6:13.

Dal—Carter 25 interception return (Bailey kick), 5:58.

StL—Pettis 4 pass from A.Davis (Zuerlein kick), 2:36.

A—58,739.

	Dal	StL
First downs	19	26
Total Net Yards	340	448
Rushes-yards	29-123	30-121
Passing	217	327
Punt Returns	0-0	1-1
Kickoff Returns	3-74	2-53
Interceptions Ret.	2-17	1-25
Comp-Att-Int	18-23-1	30-42-2
Sacked-Yards Lost	0-0	0-0
Punts	2-39.0	1-24.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-1
Penalties-Yards	3-15	8-119
Time of Possession	27:10	32:50

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Dallas, Murray 24-100, Romo 3-14, Randle 2-9. St. Louis, Stacy 12-67, Cunningham 9-29, Watts 5-24, Britt 1-2, Cook 1-0, A.Davis 2-(minus 1).

PASSING—Dallas, Romo 18-23-1-217. St. Louis, A.Davis 30-42-2-327.

RECEIVING—Dallas, Bryant 6-89, Witten 4-49, Murray 4-31, Williams 2-32, Beasley 1-9, Escobar 1-7. St. Louis, Cook 7-75, Kendricks 6-29, Britt 5-69, Stacy 5-54, Pettis 3-28, Quick 2-62, Cunningham 1-5, Givens 1-5.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

Texans

From 1C

yards. "Sometimes interceptions happen, but it was just poor play by me."

And a stunning reversal for the Texans (2-1), who came in tied for the league lead with a plus-5 turnover differential. The Giants were at the other end of the spectrum at minus-6 with no takeaways.

On Sunday, the Giants won the turnover battle 3-1, got pressure from their front four and made the big plays in a much-needed win.

"Anytime you turn the ball over three times, commit penalties, have trouble stopping the run and have a punt blocked, it's not a formula for success," O'Brien said.

Having Foster in the backfield would have helped.

Rookie Alfred Blue stepped in, carrying the ball 13 times for 78 yards.

"I didn't find out until we got to the stadium," Blue said. "He (Foster) put a strong right arm on my shoulder and just said go out there, be calm and just play football."

The Giants just played it better on Sunday in assuring they won't have another 0-6 start.

Rashad Jennings ran for a career-high 176 yards and a touchdown and Eli Manning threw two TD passes as the Giants overcame some early mistakes.

The victory not only put some life back into the Giants (1-2) after two disappointing efforts, it also ended any chance of a second straight horrible start for Tom Coughlin's team.

The Giants got a lot of contributions. Victor Cruz made a 26-yard touchdown catch, his first since Game 4 of last season, and danced the salsa.

GIANTS 30, TEXANS 17

Houston	0	0	10	7	—17
N.Y. Giants	0	14	3	13	—30

Second Quarter

NYG—Cruz 26 pass from Manning (J.Brown kick), 3:21.

NYG—Jennings 1 run (J.Brown kick), 1:07.

Third Quarter

NYG—FG J.Brown 39, 10:39.

Hou—FG Bullock 27, 6:09.

Hou—D.Johnson 44 pass from Fitzpatrick (Bullock kick), 2:13.

Fourth Quarter

NYG—FG J.Brown 29, 12:19.

NYG—Fells 9 pass from Manning (J.Brown kick), 9:25.

NYG—FG J.Brown 31, 5:33.

Hou—Fitzpatrick 1 run (Bullock kick), 2:00.

A—77,462.

	Hou	NYG
First downs	20	26
Total Net Yards	411	419
Rushes-yards	25-119	42-193
Passing	292	226
Comp-Att-Int	21-35-3	21-28-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-7	1-8
Punts	5-41.0	4-39.8
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	5-40	4-31
Time of Possession	27:26	32:34

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Houston, Blue 13-78, Fitzpatrick 7-34, Grimes 1-5, R.Brown 3-2, D.Johnson 1-0. N.Y. Giants, Jennings 34-176, A.Williams 6-18, Weatherford 1-0, Manning 1-(minus 1).

PASSING—Houston, Fitzpatrick 20-34-3-289, Lechler 1-1-0-10. N.Y. Giants, Manning 21-28-0-234.

RECEIVING—Houston, Hopkins 6-116, Graham 5-41, A.Johnson 4-24, D.Johnson 2-56, Grimes 1-31, Martin 1-16, Blue 1-10, R.Brown 1-5. N.Y. Giants, Donnell 6-45, Cruz 5-107, Randle 5-27, Parker 3-33, Fells 2-22.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

Texas A&M

From 1C

have won their three games since, including against then-No. 6 Georgia.

Arkansas has outscored Nicholls State, Texas Tech and Northern Illinois by a combined 174-49 margin its last three games. The Aggies have won their last three games 169-19 and are scoring 55.3 points a game overall this year.

"We accomplished some things, but we've still got to improve," Sumlin said. "We just got out and try to win. The more you win, the more things build every week. More important each game becomes."

Against SMU, playing its home opener and first game since coach June Jones resigned Sept. 8, the Aggies piled up 633 total yards and scored on 10 of their 12 possessions.

After Hill's first interception at Texas A&M, on his 150th career attempt, the Aggies scored five consecutive touchdowns. Trey Williams ran for two scores and Jeremy Tabuyo turned two short passes into touchdowns of 30 and 50 yards while becoming the ninth different receiver to get into the end zone.

The Aggies defense had eight sacks — one short of their total the first three games — and didn't allow a first down until midway through the second quarter when it was already 31-0.

"It really started with the defense. The defense came out and played lights out," said Hill, who completed 16 of 22 passes for 265 yards with two touchdowns.

Hill, who has thrown for 1,359 yards and 13 TDs this season, also turned a busted play into a Manziel-like run of 58 yards when he broke two tackles to set up another touchdown.

"Yeah, I don't like doing that, but I can," Hill said of that big run before addressing his overall play. "I think I've come along all right. I've had moments when I haven't done too well, but I've had moments when I've done great. I think I just need to be more consistent."

AUTORACING

FROM WIRE REPORTS

Sprint Cup

Sylvania 300 Results
By The Associated Press
Sunday
At New Hampshire Motor Speedway
Loudon, N.H.
Lap length: 1.058 miles
(Start position in parentheses)

1. (7) Joey Logano, Ford, 303 laps, 130.4 rating, 47 points, $290,581.
2. (10) Kyle Larson, Chevrolet, 303, 99.1, 42, $216,670.
3. (3) Kevin Harvick, Chevrolet, 303, 133, 43, $186,858.
4. (2) Jamie McMurray, Chevrolet, 303, 108.1, 40, $155,864.
5. (6) Jimmie Johnson, Chevrolet, 303, 103.5, 39, $160,686.
6. (21) Aric Almirola, Ford, 303, 88.2, 38, $141,876.
7. (1) Brad Keselowski, Ford, 303, 113.7, 38, $147,223.
8. (5) Kyle Busch, Toyota, 303, 94.6, 36, $138,906.
9. (11) Dale Earnhardt Jr., Chevrolet, 303, 94.7, 35, $101,765.
10. (12) Brian Vickers, Toyota, 303, 110.6, 35, $131,490.
11. (22) Austin Dillon, Chevrolet, 303, 76.4, 33, $136,751.
12. (32) Martin Truex Jr., Chevrolet, 303, 65.6, 32, $119,173.
13. (27) AJ Allmendinger, Chevrolet, 303, 70.8, 31, $108,223.
14. (14) Clint Bowyer, Toyota, 303, 79.7, 30, $123,831.
15. (23) Paul Menard, Chevrolet, 303, 73, 29, $116,254.
16. (26) Greg Biffle, Ford, 303, 62.5, 28, $126,590.
17. (8) Carl Edwards, Ford, 303, 82.4, 27, $102,640.
18. (9) Ryan Newman, Chevrolet, 303, 82.7, 26, $94,740.
19. (18) Danica Patrick, Chevrolet, 303, 79.7, 25, $94,440.
20. (24) Justin Allgaier, Chevrolet, 303, 61.1, 24, $111,498.
21. (16) Matt Kenseth, Toyota, 303, 90.1, 23, $131,426.
22. (25) Casey Mears, Chevrolet, 303, 65, 22, $107,698.
23. (17) Kasey Kahne, Chevrolet, 303, 67.2, 21, $101,215.
24. (20) Marcos Ambrose, Ford, 303, 68.3, 20, $111,360.
25. (30) Landon Cassill, Chevrolet, 303, 53.3, 0, $85,315.
26. (13) Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet, 303, 99.2, 18, $128,151.
27. (34) David Gilliland, Ford, 301, 48.4, 18, $103,848.
28. (35) Alex Bowman, Toyota, 301, 48, 16, $93,437.
29. (38) Michael Annett, Chevrolet, 301, 44.6, 15, $83,515.
30. (28) Tony Stewart, Chevrolet, 301, 51.6, 14, $118,923.
31. (37) Reed Sorenson, Chevrolet, 300, 42.2, 13, $82,565.
32. (40) Travis Kvapil, Toyota, 300, 35, 12, $79,790.
33. (39) Josh Wise, Chevrolet, 297, 34.9, 11, $79,565.
34. (42) Mike Wallace, Toyota, 296, 30.4, 0, $87,365.
35. (43) Timmy Hill, Ford, 295, 27.3, 9, $79,165.
36. (15) Kurt Busch, Chevrolet, 268, 61.1, 8, $78,935.
37. (4) Denny Hamlin, Toyota, 265, 97.7, 8, $87,217.
38. (31) Cole Whitt, Toyota, 264, 39.1, 6, $73,655.
39. (19) Ricky Stenhouse Jr., Ford, accident, 263, 63.9, 5, $105,480.
40. (36) David Stremme, Chevrolet, 228, 35, 4, $65,655.
41. (41) Corey LaJoie, Ford, 281, 30.3, 0, $61,655.
42. (29) David Ragan, Ford, accident, 177, 35.8, 2, $65,655.
43. (33) Clay Rogers, Toyota, overheating, 45, 27.4, 1, $54,155.

Race Statistics

Average Speed of Race Winner: 98.697 mph.

Time of Race: 3 hours, 14 minutes, 53 seconds.

Margin of Victory: 1.150 seconds.

Caution Flags: 15 for 63 laps.

Lead Changes: 10 among 6 drivers.

Lap Leaders: B.Keselowski 1-37; D.Gilliland 38; D.Hamlin 39-70; K.Harvick 71-106; J.Logano 107; K.Harvick 108-170; J.Logano 171-212; B.Vickers 213-227; B.Keselowski 228-268; K.Harvick 269-273; J.Logano 274-303.

Leaders Summary (Driver, Times Led, Laps Led): K.Harvick, 3 times for 104 laps; B.Keselowski, 2 times for 78 laps; J.Logano, 3 times for 73 laps; D.Hamlin, 1 time for 32 laps; B.Vickers, 1 time for 15 laps; D.Gilliland, 1 time for 1 lap.

Wins: B.Keselowski, 5; J.Logano, 4; D.Earnhardt Jr., 3; J.Gordon, 3; J.Johnson, 3; C.Edwards, 2; K.Harvick, 2; A.Allmendinger, 1; A.Almirola, 1; Ku.Busch, 1; Ky.Busch, 1; D.Hamlin, 1; K.Kahne, 1.

Top 16 in Points: 1. B.Keselowski, 2,097; 2. J.Logano, 2,096; 3. K.Harvick, 2,090; 4. J.Johnson, 2,080; 5. Ky.Busch, 2,077; 6. D.Earnhardt Jr., 2,077; 7. J.Gordon, 2,070; 8. M.Kenseth, 2,057; 9. C.Edwards, 2,057; 10. A.Allmendinger, 2,056; 11. K.Kahne, 2,055; 12. R.Newman, 2,055; 13. D.Hamlin, 2,049; 14. G.Biffle, 2,049; 15. Ku.Busch, 2,047; 16. A.Almirola, 2,045.

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.

Formula One

Singapore Grand Prix Results
Sunday
At Marina Bay street circuit
Singapore
Lap length: 3.15 miles

1. Lewis Hamilton, England, Mercedes, 60 laps, 2:00:04.795, 94.312 mph.
2. Sebastian Vettel, Germany, Red Bull, 60, 2:00:18.329.
3. Daniel Ricciardo, Australia, Red Bull, 60, 2:00:19.068.
4. Fernando Alonso, Spain, Ferrari, 60, 2:00:20.184.
5. Felipe Massa, Brazil, Williams, 60, 2:00:46.956.
6. Jean-Eric Vergne, France, Toro Rosso, 60, 2:01:01.596.
7. Sergio Perez, Mexico, Force India, 60, 2:01:03.833.
8. Kimi Raikkonen, Finland, Ferrari, 60, 2:01:05.436.
9. Nico Hulkenberg, Germany, Force India, 60, 2:01:05.456.
10. Kevin Magnussen, Denmark, McLaren, 60, 2:01:07.025.
11. Valtteri Bottas, Finland, Williams, 60, 2:01:09.860.
12. Pastor Maldonado, Venezuela, Lotus, 60, 2:01:11.710.
13. Romain Grosjean, France, Lotus, 60, 2:01:12.824.
14. Daniil Kvyat, Russia, Toro Rosso, 60, 2:01:16.803.
15. Marcus Ericsson, Sweden, Caterham, 60, 2:01:38.963.
16. Jules Bianchi, France, Marussia, 60, 2:01:39.338.
17. Max Chilton, England, Marussia, 59, +1 lap.

Not Classified

18. Jenson Button, England, McLaren, 52, retired.
19. Adrian Sutil, Germany, Sauber, 40, retired.
20. Esteban Gutierrez, Mexico, Sauber, 17, retired.
21. Nico Rosberg, Germany, Mercedes, 13, retired.
22. Kamui Kobayashi, Japan, Caterham, 0, did not start.

Drivers Standings
(After 14 of 19 races)

1. Lewis Hamilton, England, Mercedes, 241 points.
2. Nico Rosberg, Germany, Mercedes, 238.
3. Daniel Ricciardo, Australia, Red Bull, 181.
4. Fernando Alonso, Spain, Ferrari, 133.
5. Sebastian Vettel, Germany, Red Bull, 124.
6. Valtteri Bottas, Finland, Williams, 122.
7. Jenson Button, England, McLaren, 72.
8. Nico Hulkenberg, Germany, Force India, 72.
9. Felipe Massa, Brazil, Williams, 65.
10. Sergio Perez, Mexico, Force India, 45.
11. Kimi Raikkonen, Finland, Ferrari, 45.
12. Kevin Magnussen, Denmark, McLaren, 39.
13. Jean-Eric Vergne, France, Toro Rosso, 19.
14. Romain Grosjean, France, Lotus, 8.
15. Daniil Kvyat, Russia, Toro Rosso, 8.
16. Jules Bianchi, France, Marussia, 2.

Constructors Standings

1. Mercedes, 479 points.
2. Red Bull, 305.
3. Williams, 187.
4. Ferrari, 178.
5. Force India, 117.
6. McLaren, 111.
7. Toro Rosso, 27.
8. Lotus, 8.
9. Marussia, 2.

NHRA

Texas Fall Nationals Results
Sunday
At Texas Motorplex
Ennis
Final finish order
Top Fuel

1, Tony Schumacher. 2, J.R. Todd. 3, Shawn Langdon. 4, Troy Buff. 5, Bob Vandergriff. 6, Spencer Massey. 7, Steve Torrence. 8, Larry Dixon. 9, Antron Brown. 10, Morgan Lucas. 11, Khalid alBalooshi. 12, Leah Pritchett. 13, Doug Kalitta. 14, Richie Crampton. 15, Terry McMillen. 16, Billy Torrence. Funny Car 1, Courtney Force. 2, Del Worsham. 3, Tim Wilkerson. 4, Tommy Johnson Jr.. 5, Robert Hight. 6, Alexis DeJoria. 7, John Force. 8, Matt Hagan. 9, Ron Capps. 10, Tony Pedregon. 11, Bob Tasca III. 12, Cruz Pedregon. 13, Chad Head. 14, Jeff Arend. 15, Jeff Diehl. 16, Jack Beckman. Pro Stock 1, Dave Connolly. 2, Shane Gray. 3, Jonathan Gray. 4, Vincent Nobile. 5, Erica Enders-Stevens. 6, Allen Johnson. 7, Greg Anderson. 8, Jason Line. 9, Chris McGaha. 10, Rodger Brogdon. 11, V. Gaines. 12, John Gaydosh Jr. 13, Aaron Stanfield. 14, Jeg Coughlin. 15, Matt Hartford. 16, Shane Tucker. Pro Stock Motorcycle 1, Andrew Hines. 2, Steve Johnson. 3, Matt Smith. 4, Scotty Pollacheck. 5, Jerry Savoie. 6, Shawn Gann. 7, Freddie Camarena. 8, John Hall. 9, Hector Arana. 10, Chaz Kennedy. 11, Angelle Sampey. 12, Angie Smith. 13, LE Tonglet. 14, Adam Arana. 15, Hector Arana Jr. 16, Eddie Krawiec.

Final Results

Top Fuel — Tony Schumacher, 3.891 seconds, 318.62 mph def. J.R. Todd, 4.134 seconds, 251.49 mph.

Funny Car — Courtney Force, Ford Mustang, 4.227, 301.07 def. Del Worsham, Toyota Camry, 4.309, 285.65.

Pro Stock — Dave Connolly, Chevy Camaro, 6.616, 210.05 def. Shane Gray, Camaro, 6.617, 210.73.

Pro Stock Motorcycle — Andrew Hines, Harley-Davidson, 7.571, 186.54 def. Steve Johnson, Suzuki, broke.

Top Alcohol Dragster — Shayne Lawson, 5.299, 270.64 def. Joey Severance, 12.519, 61.01.

Top Alcohol Funny Car — Steve Harker, Chevy Monte Carlo, 5.560, 261.62 def. Terry Ruckman, Monte Carlo, 5.702, 252.71.

Competition Eliminator — Clark Smiley, Pontiac GXP, 7.358, 179.04 def. Keith Hall, Chevy Cavalier, 8.510, 159.74.

Super Stock — Slate Cummings, Chevy Cavalier, 8.992, 135.89 def. Jarod Granier, Chevy II, foul.

Stock Eliminator — Jerry Emmons, Chevy Camaro, 10.247, 116.04 def. Jimmy Hidalgo Jr., Pontiac GTO, 10.951, 114.53.

Super Comp — Alan Savage, Dragster, 8.910, 154.53 def. Christopher Dodd, Dragster, 8.887, 173.05.

Super Gas — Jimmy Lewis, Chevy Corvette, 9.894, 151.17 def. Robby Lopez, Corvette, 9.882, 147.23.

Super Street — Max McGlothin, Chevy Vega, 10.899, 125.99 def. Reggie Baudoin, Chevy S-10, 10.897, 135.78.

Top Sportsman — Daniel Leibham, Chevy Camaro, 7.043, 186.15 def. Don Holcomb, Camaro, 6.958, 205.32.

Logano

From 1C

several Chase drivers.

He took the lead from Kevin Harvick with 27 laps left and went on to his seventh career Cup victory.

Logano attended his first NASCAR race at New Hampshire when he was 5, made his first career Cup start here and won his first race in 2009. But that was a rain-shortened win that always gnawed at Logano. Until he became a regular winner, it was considered a bit of a fluke and the rain meant Logano was denied a traditional victory celebration.

This time, he took No. 22 Ford for the celebratory burnouts and a spin around the track holding the checkered flag.

"I didn't know where Victory Lane was, actually," Logano said. "I just didn't want to come in. I want to stay out. I never got out in front of all the fans on the front straightaway before. It was just too cool."

Keselowski led 78 laps, hit the wall, and still was in the hunt for a win. The 2012 champion failed in his bid to win a third straight Cup race, though he salvaged a seventh-place finish.

"We certainly have a lot to be proud of, but there's a lot of work to do," Keselowski said.

Keselowski and Logano are 1-2 in the points standings. Denny Hamlin, Greg Biffle, Kurt Busch and Aric Almirola are in the bottom four of the 16-driver field at and risk of getting cut next Sunday at Dover.

Rookie Kyle Larson was second at New Hampshire for his second top-three finish in two weeks. Chase drivers took seven of the first 10 spots at New Hampshire. Harvick was third, Jimmie Johnson fifth, Almirola sixth, Kyle Busch eighth, and Dale Earnhardt Jr. 10th.

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THIS WEEK'S GAMES

NY Giants at Washington	Jacksonville at San Diego
Carolina at Baltimore	Atlanta at Minnesota
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GOLF SCORES

LPGA

Yokohama Tire Classic Scores
Sunday
At Robert Trent Jones Golf Trail, Capitol Hill, The Senator
Prattville, Alabama
Purse: $1.3 million
Yardage: 6,606; Par 72
Final

Mi Jung Hur, $195,000	64-70-67-66—267
Stacy Lewis, $119,199	64-71-70-66—271
Paula Reto, $86,469	65-68-70-68—271
Kris Tamulis, $69,881	67-73-65-70—275
Jodi Ewart Shadoff, $48,945	70-71-70-65—276
Moriya Jutanugarn, $48,945	68-69-71-68—276
Cydney Clanton, $34,599	68-69-72-67—277
Alison Walshe, $34,599	69-68-71-69—277
Kim Kaufman, $27,736	71-70-70-66—277
Karin Sjodin , $27,736	69-74-70-64—277
Sarah Jane Smith, $19,847	71-71-72-63—277
Amy Anderson , $19,847	68-74-71-67—280
Christina Kim, $19,847	67-71-75-67—280
Chella Choi, $19,847	73-71-70-66—280
Sun Young Yoo, $19,847	67-70-72-69—278
Brittany Lang, $19,847	68-71-71-68—278
Shea Lee, $19,847	67-74-68-71—280
Ayako Uehara, $19,847	66-73-70-71—280
Angela Stanford, $13,729	76-68-70-67—281
Brittany Lincicome, $13,729	70-69-73-69—281
Stephanie I. Meadow, $13,729	68-74-71-68—281
Beatriz Recari, $13,729	67-73-73-68—281
Jane Rah, $13,729	70-72-70-69—281
Stacey Keating, $13,729	71-71-68-71—281
Perrine Delacour, $13,729	69-72-68-72—281
Sydnee Michaels, $13,729	72-68-72-70—281
Becky Morgan, $11,094	72-69-71-70—282
Thidapa Suwannapura, $11,094	69-70-72-71—282
Ai Miyazato, $11,094	73-67-70-72—282
Cristie Kerr, $9,858	74-72-72-65—283
Alena Sharp, $9,858	72-74-71-66—283
Ji Young Oh, $9,858	68-74-74-67—283
Mika Miyazato, $9,858	69-72-73-69—283
Morgan Pressel, $8,027	71-71-75-67—284
Heather Bowie Young, $8,027	71-69-75-69—284
Amelia Lewis , $8,027	68-72-74-70—284
Jane Park, $8,027	68-70-75-71—284
Austin Ernst, $8,027	69-71-72-72—284
Pyeon Oi Kim, $8,274	71-75-72-67—285
Sandra Changkija, $8,274	72-72-71-70—285
Tiffany Joh, $8,274	73-69-73-70—285
Haeji Kang, $8,274	72-71-72-70—285
Karlin Beck, $8,274	69-71-74-71—285
Jacqui Concolino, $6,274	70-71-73-71—285
Haru Nomura, $8,274	72-70-72-71—285
Paola Moreno, $5,155	73-71-74-68—286
Jenny Shin, $5,155	71-74-73-68—286
Julia Boland, $5,155	71-69-75-71—286
Jennifer Johnson, $4,451	71-72-76-68—287
Brooke Pancake, $4,451	74-70-73-70—287
Joanna Klatten, $4,451	69-74-72-72—287
Caroline Hedwall, $4,451	72-67-73-75—287
Mina Harigae, $4,451	71-70-72-74—287
Hanna Kang, $3,943	69-75-75-70—288
Jennifer Rosales, $3,915	71-71-71-75—288
Giulia Molinaro, $3,915	70-70-72-76—288
Jennifer Song, $3,361	71-74-77-68—290
Pornanong Phatlum, $3,361	74-71-75-70—290
Marina Alex, $3,361	71-72-76-71—290
Julieta Granada, $3,303	70-76-73-71—290
Louise Friberg, $3,161	73-69-74-74—290
Christel Boeljon, $3,361	73-71-71-76—290
Kathleen Ekey, $2,969	71-72-77-71—291
Lizette Salas, $2,969	73-73-74-71—291
Brianna Do, $2,969	69-75-75-72—291
Soo Kim, $2,969	74-69-74-74—291
Haley Mileaps, $2,774	70-74-76-72—292
Katherine Kirk, $2,774	70-75-75-74—292
Katie M. Burnett, $2,622	68-71-84-70—293
Dori Claire Schaefer, $2,622	68-76-75-74—293
Moira Dunn, $2,622	73-68-75-77—293
Hannah Collier, $2,512	75-71-76-73—295
Ridley Rankin, $2,512	73-73-75-74—295
Lisa McCloskey, $2,512	71-76-73-75—295
Yuxer Cindy Feng, $2,460	70-75-75-73—296
Jenny Suh, $2,419	71-74-77-81—303

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Championship Scores
Sunday
At TPC Sawgrass (Dye's Valley Course)
Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla.
Purse: $1 million
Yardage: 6,947; Par: 70
Final

Derek Fathauer, $180,000	-6 65-65-67-69—266
Zac Blair, $108,000	-5 65-65-71-68—267
Jason Gore, $68,000	-4 65-65-68-69—269
Jim Herman, $44,000	-3 70-67-65-70—272
Heath Slocum, $44,000	-3 67-70-67-68—272
David Lingmerth, $26,000	-2 68-67-73-65—273
Travis Bertoni, $20,125	-1 66-69-68-71—274
Chad Collins, $20,125	-1 65-69-70-70—274
Adam Hadwin, $20,125	-1 66-69-67-72—274
Sam Saunders, $20,125	-1 69-68-70-67—274
Sung Joon Park, $20,000	-1 65-68-71-71—275
John Rollins, $20,000	-1 70-68-68-69—275
Tyrone Van Aswegen, $20,000	-1 66-68-67-73—275
Tony Finau, $16,000	-1 68-72-70-66—276
Michael Kim, $16,000	-1 71-68-68-69—276
Colt Knost, $16,000	-1 67-69-70-70—276
Richard H. Lee, $16,000	-1 67-68-70-71—276
Jamie Lovemark, $16,000	-1 73-66-67-70—276
Scott Pinckney, $16,000	-1 68-75-65-71—276
Alex Prugh, $16,000	-1 70-69-68-69—276
Jonathan Byrd, $10,800	-1 70-69-69-68—277
Tom Gillis, $10,800	-1 67-67-70-73—277
Nick Taylor, $10,800	-1 68-70-74-65—277
Justin Thomas, $10,800	-1 69-71-68-69—277
Eric Axley, $7,772	+0 70-71-69-68—278
Shane Bertsch, $7,772	+0 69-70-70-69—278
Max Homa, $7,772	+0 74-66-69-69—278
Brad Stegmaier, $7,772	+0 68-71-71-68—278
Chez Reavie, $7,772	+0 70-67-70-71—278
Hudson Swafford, $7,772	+0 70-70-69-69—278
Miguel Angel Carballo, $5,975	+0 68-69-71-71—279
Mark Hubbard, $5,975	+0 71-66-68-74—279
Bronson La'Cassie, $5,975	+0 65-70-70-74—279
Tres Roach, $5,975	+0 68-69-73-69—279
Carlos Ibarra Jr., $5,975	+0 70-70-69-71—279
Charlie Wi, $5,975	+0 70-69-69-71—279
Blayne Barber, $4,850	+1 71-69-71-69—280
Peter Malnati, $4,850	+1 68-69-73-70—280
James Nitties, $4,850	+1 68-68-73-71—280
Roberto Castro, $3,900	+1 71-67-72-71—281
Matt Davidson, $3,900	+1 69-69-71-72—281
Whee Kim, $3,900	+1 68-66-79-68—281
Cameron Percy, $3,900	+1 70-70-73-68—281
Kelly Mitchum, $3,900	+1 69-71-69-72—281
Taj Bingay, $3,900	+1 71-67-70-73—281
Doug LaBelle II, $2,992	+2 69-70-72-71—282
Rod Pampling, $2,992	+2 71-69-70-72—282
John Peterson, $2,992	+2 71-67-74-70—282
Jonathan Randolph, $2,992	+2 69-71-71-71—282
Sebastian Cappelen, $2,992	+2 69-70-68-75—282
Tommy Gainey, $2,898	+3 72-65-73-73—283
Ben Curtis, $2,727	+3 67-72-73-71—283
Tom Hoge, $2,727	+3 69-71-73-70—283
Kelly Kraft, $2,727	+3 71-67-70-75—283
Greg Owen, $2,727	+3 68-71-73-71—283
Alex Cruz Gonzalez, $2,727	+3 68-70-73-74—283
J.J. Henry, $2,727	+3 70-67-70-76—283
Brad Fritsch, $2,630	+4 74-66-76-69—284
Troy Matteson, $2,630	+4 72-67-72-73—284
Andrew Putnam, $2,600	+4 67-69-72-76—284
Andrew Goggin, $2,570	+5 72-66-75-72—285
Vaughn Taylor, $2,570	+5 69-70-74-72—285
Jason Allred, $2,540	+6 72-67-74-75—288
Henrik Norlander, $2,520	+7 69-71-76-73—289
Daniel Berger, $2,500	+8 72-68-74-77—291

Champions

Hawaii Championship Scores
Sunday
At Kapolei Golf Club Course
Kapolei, Hawaii
Purse: $2.2 million
Yardage: 7,001; Par: 72
Final

Paul Goydos (330), $330,000	-6 65-68-66—197
Scott Dunlap (176), $176,000	-6 66-68-65—199
Fred Funk (176), $176,000	-6 67-68-64—199
Russ Cochran (101), $130,900	-6 67-66-66—199
Jeff Maggert (105), $104,500	-6 67-66-67—200
Wes Short, Jr. (88), $88,000	-6 67-68-65—201
Mark Brooks (64), $54,240	-6 67-67-66—200
Doug Garwood (64), $54,240	-6 69-63-70—202
Jay Haas (64), $54,240	-6 68-68-66—202
Corey Pavin (64), $54,240	-6 70-61-71—202
Tom Pernice Jr. (64), $54,240	-6 67-73-70—202
Michael Allen (50), $46,200	-5 68-68-67—203
Vijay Singh (0), $46,200	-5 66-65-72—203
David Frost (0), $33,244	-4 69-68-69—204
Barry Lane (0), $33,244	-4 69-68-67—204
Chien Soon Lu (0), $33,244	-4 67-69-68—204
Kevin Sutherland (0), $33,244	-4 67-69-68—204
Mark Calcavecchia (0), $33,244	-4 67-65-72—204
Jim Carter (0), $33,244	-4 66-65-73—204
Jeff Hart (0), $33,244	-4 67-68-69—204
Larry Mize (0), $33,244	-4 70-65-69—204
Mark O'Meara (0), $33,244	-4 68-66-70—204
Tommy Armour III (0), $21,560	-3 70-66-69—205
Olin Browne (0), $21,560	-3 69-65-71—205
Jose Coceres (0), $21,560	-3 68-66-71—205
Jim Furyk (0), $21,560	-3 67-68-70—205
Rocco Mediate (0), $21,560	-3 69-65-72—205
Joey Sindelar (0), $21,560	-3 65-69-71—205
Roger Chapman (0), $16,632	-2 68-69-68—205
Bill Glasson (-1), $16,632	-2 70-70-66—206
Hideki Kase (0), $16,632	-2 69-68-69—206
Bill Sutton (0), $16,632	-2 68-70-68—206
Esteban Toledo (0), $16,632	-2 70-67-69—206
Tom Byrum (0), $12,980	-1 69-71-69—209
Tom Lehman (0), $12,980	-1 70-70-69—209
Peter Senior (0), $12,980	-1 69-71-69—209
Jeff Sluman (0), $12,980	-1 69-72-68—209
Bob Tway (0), $12,980	-1 72-65-71—208
Duffy Waldorf (0), $12,980	-1 74-66-68—208
Billy Andrade (0), $8,580	-1 72-69-69—209
Chip Beck (0), $8,580	-1 72-66-71—209
Bart Bryant (0), $8,580	-1 68-71-70—209
Joe Daley (0), $8,580	-1 71-69-69—209
Marco Dawson (0), $8,580	-1 69-72-69—209
Mike Goodes (0), $8,580	-1 69-72-69—209
Steve Jones (0), $8,580	-1 68-67-74—209
Skip Kendall (0), $8,580	-1 69-69-71—209
Steve Pate (0), $8,580	-1 70-68-71—209
John Riegger (0), $8,580	-1 69-72-68—209
Rod Spittle (0), $8,580	-1 68-68-73—209
Kirk Triplett (0), $8,580	-1 68-70-70—209
Guy Boros (0), $5,060	-1 68-67-75—210
Dan Forsman (0), $5,060	-1 67-72-71—210
Mark McNulty (0), $5,060	-1 71-65-74—210
Tom Purtzer (0), $5,060	-1 69-72-69—210
Willie Wood (0), $5,060	-1 72-68-70—210
John Cook (0), $4,180	-2 72-70-69—211
Anders Forsbrand (0), $4,180	-2 70-73-68—211
Kohki Idoki (0), $4,180	-2 72-70-69—211
Greg Bruckner (0), $3,520	-3 70-73-69—212
John Inman (0), $3,520	-3 73-69-70—212
Gene Sauers (0), $3,520	-3 69-72-71—212
Davis Love III (0), $2,750	-4 69-72-72—213
Steve Lowery (0), $2,750	-4 69-69-75—213
Mark Mouland (0), $2,750	-4 71-73-69—213
Jim Rutledge (0), $2,750	-4 74-68-71—213
P.H. Horgan III (0), $2,134	-5 73-69-72—214
Hale Irwin (0), $2,134	-5 69-73-74—214
Gary Hallberg (0), $1,936	-6 70-70-75—215
Ronnie Black (0), $1,804	-7 74-73-69—216
Bobby Clampett (0), $1,507	-8 75-73-70—218
Brad Faxon (0), $1,507	-8 69-73-77—218
Mike Reid (0), $1,507	-8 72-73-73—218
Bobby Wadkins (0), $1,507	-8 75-74-69—218
Kevin Hagseth (0), $1,276	-9 73-72-76—220
Bob Gilder (0), $1,144	-10 75-71-72—221
Nick Price (0), $1,144	-10 77-70-74—221
Scott Simpson (0), $1,012	-11 71-75-76—222
Ben Crenshaw (0), $946	-12 75-75-75—225
Casey Nakama (0), $902	-13 76-77-76—231

PGA European

ISPS Handa Wales Open Leading Scores
Sunday
At Celtic Manor Resort (Twenty-Ten Course)
Newport, Wales
Purse: $2.33 million
Yardage: 7,378; Par: 71
Final

Joost Luiten, Netherlands	65-69-65-71—270
Tommy Fleetwood, England	68-68-68-67—271
Tiffany Joly, France	68-68-68-67—271
Nicolas Colsaerts, Belgium	66-68-71-67—272
Jamie Donaldson, Wales	70-67-68-67—272
Eddie Pepperell, England	69-74-63-67—273
Marc Warren, Scotland	70-67-67-69—273
Edoardo Molinari, Italy	72-63-68-69—272
Robert Rock, England	67-71-70-65—273
Andrea Pavan, Italy	72-69-66-67—274
Romain Wattel, France	69-72-64-68—273
Bernd Wiesberger, Austria	71-67-71-65—274
Seve Benson, England	71-69-68-66—274
Graeme Storm, England	71-69-65-69—274
Anthony Wall, England	69-71-65-69—274
Steve Webster, England	68-72-64-70—274
Nathan Holman, Australia	70-70-70-65—275
Francesco Molinari, Italy	71-71-68-65—275
Richie Ramsay, Scotland	69-70-70-66—275
Andy Sullivan, England	74-66-66-69—275
Thongchai Jaidee, Thailand	68-67-67-73—275
Also:	
Peter Uihlein, United States	71-68-68-70—277
Danny Willett, England	72-67-67-73—279
John Hahn, United States	70-70-72-69—281
Paul Casey, England	70-70-73-72—285
Thomas Bjorn, Denmark	71-69-71-74—285
Daniel Im, United States	70-72-71-73—286
Lee Westwood, England	73-69-68-76—286

GOLF ROUNDUP

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LPGA

YOKOHAMA TIRE CLASSIC: At Prattville, Alabama, Mi Jung Hur held off top-ranked Stacy Lewis on Sunday to win the Yokohama Tire LPGA Classic, finishing with a 6-under 66 for a tournament-record 21-under 267 total.

The 24-year-old South Korean player birdied four of the final eight holes to beat Lewis by four strokes for her second LPGA Tour victory.

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WEB.COM TOUR CHAMPIONSHIP: At Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida, Derek Fathauer won the season-ending Web.com Tour Championship to top the four-event Web.Com Tour Finals money list and earn a full PGA Tour exemption.

PGA European

WALES OPEN: At Newport Wales, Dutchman Joost Luiten won the Wales Open for his third European Tour title, shooting an even-par 71 for a one-stroke victory over England's Tommy Fleetwood and Ireland's Shane Lowry.

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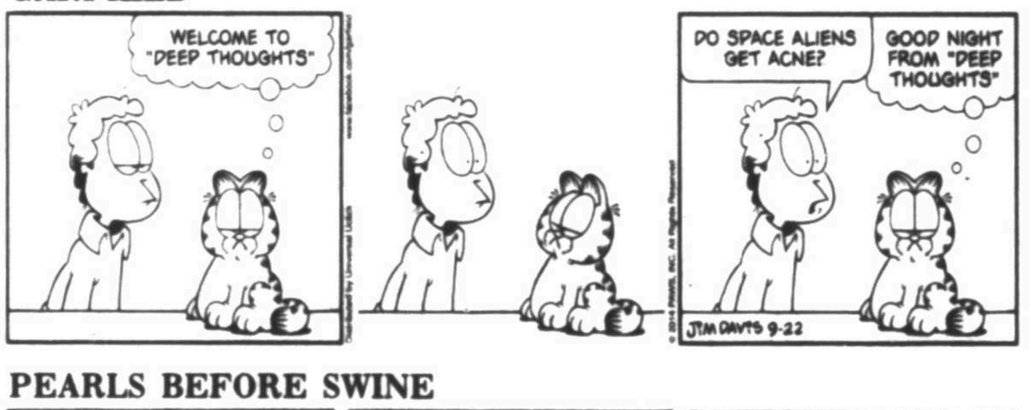

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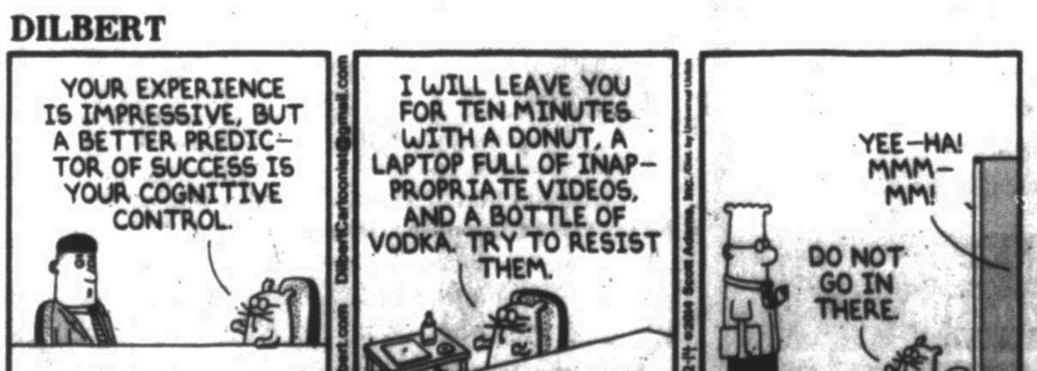

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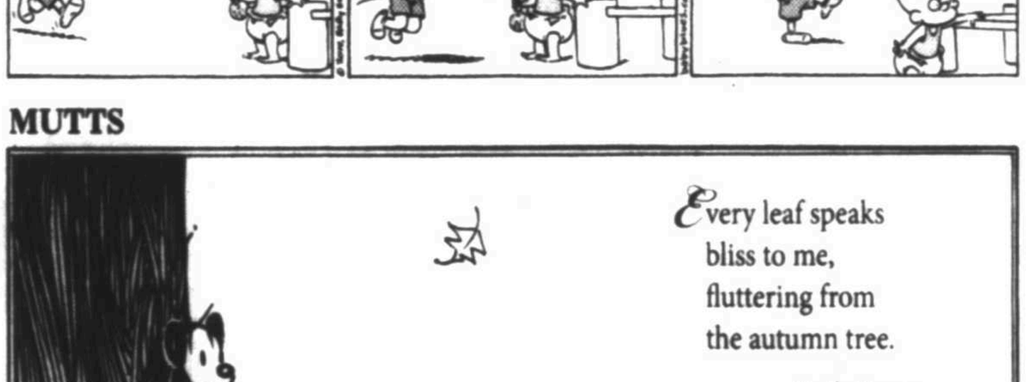

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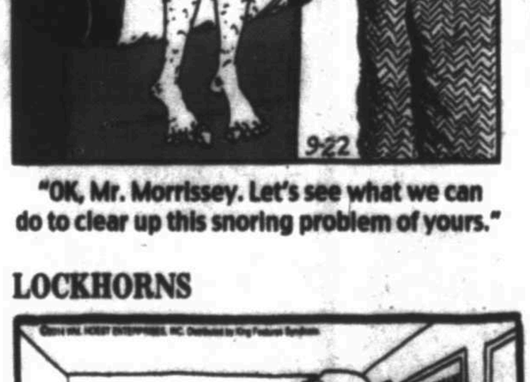

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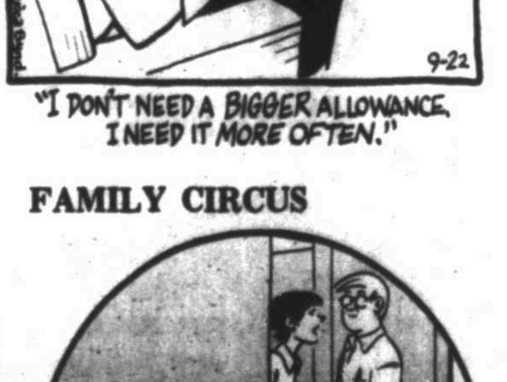


"I wish PJ would stop being so photogenic when my phone is being recharged."

TODAY: Mostly cloudy High: 81 Low: 65

TUESDAY: Partly sunny High: 83 Low: 65

WEDNESDAY: Partly sunny High: 83 Low: 63

THURSDAY: Partly sunny High: 82 Low: 61

FRIDAY: Mostly sunny High: 80 Low: 62

SATURDAY: Mostly sunny High: 84 Low: 63

Local forecast

Expect mostly cloudy skies today with a 40 percent chance of rain, a high around 81 and east winds between 5 and 15 mph. Tonight's forecast calls for mostly cloudy conditions with a 30 percent chance of rain and a low around 65.

Tuesday, look for partly sunny skies with a 20 percent chance of rain and a high around 83. Expect mostly cloudy conditions at night, with a low around 65 and a 20 percent chance of rain.

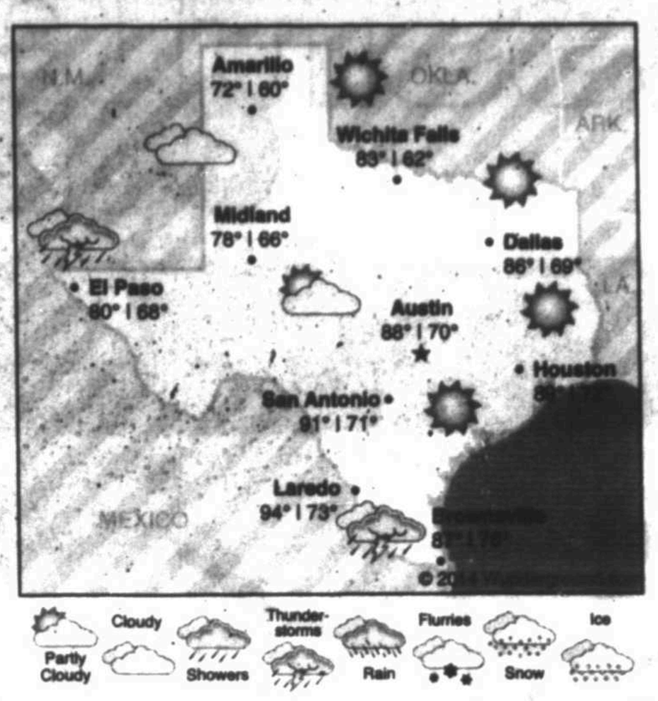
Wednesday, the forecast calls for partly sunny skies during the day, mostly cloudy skies at night, a high around 83 and a low around 63.

The high on Sunday reached 79, while the low dropped to 70. The record high for Sept. 21 is 100 set in 1998. The record low is 40 set in 1983.

Note: Official rain totals taken at Midland International Airport. Midland Airpark received 2.52 inches as of 6 p.m., according to the National Weather Service.

National forecast

A breeze will usher in cool air across the Northeast today. Clouds and showers will stream downwind of the Great Lakes.

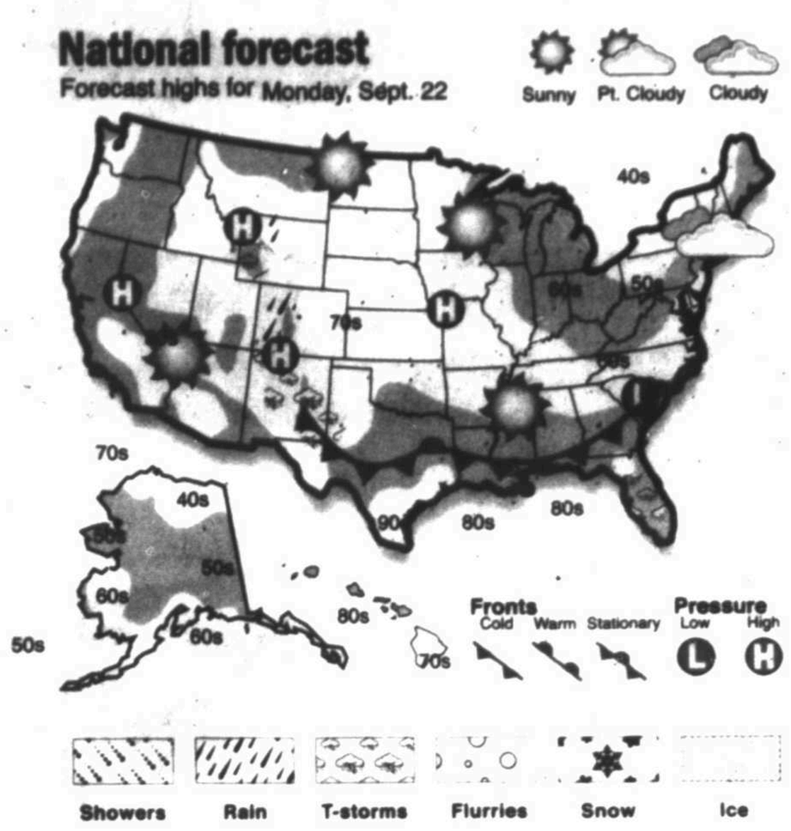


Precipitation

Saturday	0.11 in.
Sunday	0.03 in.
Month total	0.00 in.
Year total	0.00 in.
Normal total (year to date)	0.00 in.

Sunday's temperatures

High	79
Low	70
Normal high	85
Normal low	60
Sunrise	7:37 a.m.
Sunset	7:45 p.m.



News about cheating boyfriend is an unwelcome revelation

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: What are the ethics in outing a cheater? Someone I know has been cheated on by her boyfriend for two years — about as long as she has been with him. I know this because the woman he has been cheating with is someone I know.

Last week, I told the girl her boyfriend has been cheating. Now I am suddenly a pariah and outcast. I felt she had the right to know, but was I wrong? Should I not have told her? — ANNOYED IN CHICAGO

DEAR ANNOYED: In this age of social diseases, I don't think it's wrong to tell someone that a boyfriend/girlfriend is cheating so he or she can be tested. However, as you have discovered, doing it is risky.

There's a saying, "Don't shoot the messenger," that's been around forever. It implies that a person who delivers unwelcome news will be blamed for it. While you and I would want to be told that we were being betrayed, obviously, your former friend didn't, which is why you're being punished.

DEAR ABBY: My boyfriend and I live in a duplex. We manage it, live in the lower unit and have three tenants upstairs.

One of them, whose bedroom is directly above ours, recently got a girlfriend. Aside from some loud video game-playing, he was always the quietest guy and has never been disruptive. But since he and this girl got together, they have been disturbing the entire house with their noisy lovemaking. It starts with a few bangs against the wall that become constant, and then the screams start.

I have no idea how to approach this respectfully and professionally. Please give me your thoughts. — BOTHERED IN BOZEMAN, MONT.

DEAR BOTHERED: Write the tenant a short letter explaining that there is now a noise problem that didn't exist before. Explain that the screams of ecstasy have awakened you and your boyfriend more than once, and ask him to "lower the volume." If an accommodation can't be reached, the lovebirds might want to consider moving to a place of their own.

DEAR ABBY: I have been frugal all my life. I have managed to accumulate a cushion should I become ill or need money for emergencies.

My oldest daughter is the exact opposite. She makes stupid financial decisions and has lost thousands of dollars. She recently called, begging me to get her out of a financial jam she has gotten herself into. I refused because the amount she needs would cost me almost all of my savings.

Now my other children have stopped speaking to me. They say I should give her the money. What are your thoughts on this? — PRUDENT MOM IN FLORIDA

DEAR PRUDENT MOM: My thoughts are the same as yours. If your other children are determined that their sister should be bailed out, then they should pool their money and give it to her. But for you to give her your life savings with no guarantee that it will be repaid would be a bad financial decision on your part. I hope you won't allow yourself to be blackmailed into what could literally be sacrificing your future.

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, Sept. 22, 2014:

This year you will have to learn to be more flexible. As a result, you will see how well your year will work out. You have enormous creativity that you have yet to express to its fullest capacity. You will start to be more inventive, especially if you give up a certain amount of rigidity. If you are single, you could discover that you are attracted to different types of people from now until the end of the year. Hold back on making any commitments. If you are attached, you will benefit by spending more one-on-one time together. Give more private time to your relationship. LIBRA sometimes finds you to be threatening.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★ You have a strong sense of what others expect of you, yet you might decide to do what you want instead. You could surprise your immediate circle and even cause someone to stop in his or her tracks. Tonight: Deal with an ornery authority figure directly.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★★ Your creativity provides you with many practical ideas, and you will be able to visualize the big picture and see its ramifications. You will gain a better understanding of someone you deal with nearly daily. Use the information well. Tonight: Off to the gym.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★ You will play it low-key, as others seem to step up the pace. A friend might respond in the most unexpected way; try to gain an understanding of what is going on with this person. You might want to discuss a change in your perceptions. Tonight: Listen to the other side of an issue.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★ You'll speak your mind, and others might become upset. You have a lot to share that needs to come out. Understanding comes only after others share their innate ambivalence and issues. You will see the correct pathway once the air clears. Tonight: At a favorite haunt.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★ Your focus on a money matter will point you in a new direction and toward a new possibility. You'll be willing to do whatever it takes to be comfortable with your situation. Expect to shift around plans in order to keep your priorities in order. Tonight: Not to be found.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★★ Whatever secret yet reasonable desire you have could be carried out successfully, as your creativity seems to be at its peak. Why not go for what you want? A loved one, dear friend or close associate might be surprised. Tonight: The world is your oyster!

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★ Honor what is going on within your immediate surroundings. Your sense of humor will emerge when dealing with a difficult family member. It would be wise to keep your impressions to yourself; the hassle might not be worth it. Tonight: Make it a personal night.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★ You could jump to conclusions quickly. Your logic rarely fails, but it might today. A premise on which you based your conclusions could change suddenly, but you don't know it yet. You are more flexible than you realize. Trust yourself. Tonight: A friend has a lot to share.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★★ You might want to do more listening than sharing, if only to win brownie points with those around you. Honor a financial change that forces you to move with speed and demonstrate how quickly you can think on your feet. Tonight: Out till the wee hours.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★★ Be willing to break precedent. Take a hard look at your actions and behavior. A change here could unlock a situation and make it much better than you could have imagined. Tonight: Think big.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★★ Relate to a loved one directly. You will get better results than you could have anticipated. Think in terms of change, and pursue a better relationship with someone you care about. Tonight: Visit with a loved one over dinner.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★ Just as you are about to accomplish a desired objective, you suddenly could shift gears. You have changed since you made that decision. Revisit your goals more often, and you will feel better about your choices. Tonight: You could get an earful.

BORN TODAY

Musician Joan Jett (1958), musician Nick Cave (1957), pastor Jeremiah Wright (1941)

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Bidding Quiz

Q 1 — Neither vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ A K J 7 ♡ K 8 5 ◇ Q 10 2 ♣ A J 5
The bidding:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1♣	1◇	Pass	Pass

What call would you make?
A — You were planning to jump to two no-trump had partner responded. When partner passes and an opponent bids, a one no-trump re-bid shows the same range, 18-19. You would not bid again with 12-14 balanced and you would have opened one no-trump with 15-17.

Q 2 — North-South vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ A Q 10 6 3 ♡ A 7 6 2 ◇ 10 6 ♣ A 8
The bidding:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1♠	Pass	3♣*	Pass

*Invitational, 10-11 points
What call would you make?
A — Virtually any 14-point hand should accept an invitation. This hand is clear-cut. Bid four spades.

Q 3 — Both vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ K 8 2 ♡ 7 2 ◇ K J 9 8 6 2 ♣ Q 4
Partner opens one club and right-hand opponent jumps to two spades, weak. What call would you make?
A — This hand is not nearly strong enough for a forcing three diamond bid and not quite enough for two no-trump, showing 11-12. The "correct" call is pass, but you couldn't be blamed much for trying two no-trump.

Q 4 — Neither vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ Void ♡ Q J 10 ◇ J 9 6 4
♣ A Q J 10 7 2
Right-hand opponent opens one spade. What call would you make?
A — You have an excellent suit plus support for the other suits as well. However, should you double first and then bid clubs later, you will promise 18 points or more, so bid two clubs now. A subsequent double will bring the other suits into the picture without overstating your hand.

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS
1 Southwestern plateaus
6 "The jig __!"
10 Equivalent, in France
14 Bucking beast
15 Brother of Abel and Cain
16 Prado hangings
17 Yoga position
18 Selling point for a house on the coast
20 Amble past
22 Ranked in the tournament
23 Top bond rating
24 Red and Yellow
25 Sin forbidden by the Second Commandment
30 Auditor of bks.
33 Crazes
34 Like the Oz woodsman
35 Avoid like the plague
36 Circular gasket
37 Meat with eggs
38 Envelope closers
39 Frozen sheet
40 Watch pocket
41 One taking bets
42 Aficionado
43 Fortuneteller's tool
45 Crate piece
46 Antlered critter
47 Lounging robe
50 Hold a parking lot party
55 Cop's night stick, and what the beginnings of 18-, 25- and 43-Across could form
57 Get-go
58 New York canal
59 Inner Hebrides isle
60 Appraised
61 Auctioned auto, often
62 Pirate's booty
63 Jackets named for an English school

DOWN
1 Some CFOs' degrees
2 Once, old-style
3 Fly like an eagle
4 __ Domini
5 Scamp
6 Weather map line
7 Cabinet dept. head
8 Sport-__ off-road vehicle
9 Gradually introduce
10 Overhangs around the house
11 Crossword puzzle component
12 Suit to __
13 Lascivious
19 Minimum-range tide
21 Thailand neighbor
24 Wedge of wood
25 "Later!"
26 Alfalfa's sweetheart
27 Bagel flavor
28 Connector of two points
29 Wild guesses
30 Grammy winner Khan
31 School kid
32 Yosemite photographer Adams
35 Untidy type
37 "Joy to the World" songwriter Axton
38 Traditional tales
40 Saint from Assisi
41 "__ Ha'i": "South Pacific" song
43 Sculptor's material
44 Lipton unit
45 Fifth-cen. pope called "The Great"
47 Driver with a handle
48 Suffix with million or billion
49 Fix up and resell quickly
50 Sashimi staple
51 Tiny biting insect
52 Regarding
53 High schooler
54 Scheduled takeoff hrs
56 Almost on "E"

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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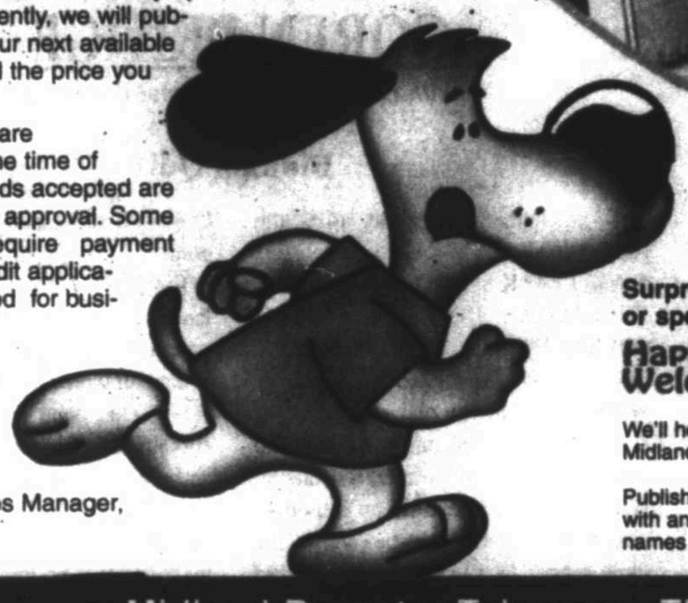

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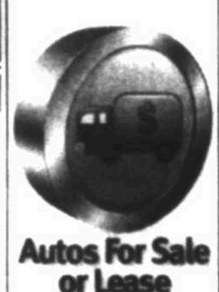

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2013 CHEVROLET Camaro SS, BLK/BLK, 11,000 Miles. Fully Loaded, RS Package, 6-SPD Automatic Trans w/ TAPSHIFT. AM/FM Radio w/ Navigation and Sat. Radio. Vehicle is still under MFG warranty, Tire & Lifetime Tint warranty as well. $33,000. For More Info Please Call: 817-727-6164.

Auctions

AUCTION
ARAYOT RENTALS
SAT. Sept. 27th
10:00 AM
Preview: Fri. The 26th 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
3602 E. Hwy 158 (Garden City Hwy) Midland, TX

Light Towers · Enclosed Trash Trailers · Generators · Gooseneck Trailers · Completely Rigged Wash Trailers · Tools · Office Furniture

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Auctioneer Jack Parnell Tx Lic. #16100

Legal & Public Notices

Notice on Sale of Personal Property to satisfy a landlords lien for CASH ONLY. Sale date is October 9, 2014 at 10am

Aztec Storage Center
500 S Midland Dr
Midland TX 79703

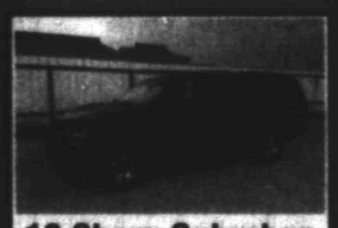
# 6 &110	Belinda Vizcaino
#14	Phil White - Household Goods
#125& 133	Nancy Turner
#173	Monica Vasquez

Passenger Cars

11 Ford F250 Lariat Diesel
Leather, All Power Options, New Tires, Super Clean, 110k Miles
$31,900

12 Dodge 3500 Dually Laramie Diesel
Leather, Moonroof, TV DVD, Navigation, Like New, 65k Miles
$45,900

10 Dodge Challenger SRT
Hemi, 6 Speed, Leather, Nav, Custom Suspension, 25k Miles
$29,900



10 Chevy Suburban LT 4x4
Leather, TV DVD, Moonroof, New Tires, 61k Miles
$24,900

12 Ford F250 King Ranch Diesel 4x4
Leather, Nav, Moonroof, Custom Wheels, BDS Lift, 45k Miles
$49,900

10 Ford F250 Lariat Diesel 4x4
Leather, All Power Options, 173k Miles, Runs Great
$21,900

08 Ford F350 Lariat Diesel
Leather, Towing Package, All Power Options 85k Miles
$19,900

11 GMC 2500HD Diesel 4x4
Z71, All-Power, Like New, 92k Miles
$32,900

08 Cadillac Escalade ESV
AWD Nav, Moonroof, TV DVD, 102k Miles
$23,900

09 BMW 128i Convertible
Leather, All Power Options, Power Top, 50k Miles
$17,900

1931 Ford All Steel Roadster
302 w/Aluminum Heads, 2 Carbs, Leather, 4-Speed, Amazing Streetrod with only 1000 Miles
$29,900

05 Dodge 2500 Diesel SLT
5.9 Diesel, Automatic, All Power Options, Great Running Truck, 240k Miles
$9,900

SUDOKU

THE SAMURAI OF PUZZLES By The Mepham Group

Level: 1 2 3 4

Complete the grid so each row, column and 3-by-3 box (in bold borders) contains every digit, 1 to 9. For strategies on how to solve Sudoku, visit www.sudoku.org.uk

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SOLUTION TO SATURDAY'S PUZZLE

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mrt★com/jobs

OTHER JOBS

Career Fair
Wednesday, September 24th
11am – 3pm at 2530 S. Midkiff

We are now hiring **Broadband Technicians.**

Suddenlink Broadband Technician I installs, troubleshoots and disconnects company services including video, data and telephone. Broadband Technicians also educate and describe the advantages to customers regarding new and existing services.

Broadband Technicians must possess the ability to comprehend and operate appropriate testing equipment, electronics, hand tools and power tools.

Suddenlink offers advancement opportunities, competitive pay & benefit package including 401K, medical, dental, vision, generous discounts on services, & more!

EOE AA M/F/VET/Disability

NOW HIRING EXTRA! EXTRA!

Midland Reporter-Telegram
HAS IMMEDIATE OPENINGS IN IT'S DISTRIBUTION DEPARTMENT FOR NIGHT TIME ASSOCIATE

Night time associate - MUST BE DEPENDABLE

Must be able to count at a fast pace. Be able to work between the hours of 12-6 am Sunday night thru Friday night and be able to work Saturday night 8pm -4am. Will be working inside and outside depending on the job you are doing that night. Will be 5-6 nights per week. We will train the right person.

Starting pay $10.00 per hour/after 60 days pay will be $11.00 per hour

These positions require some physical lifting of 5-15 lbs. Must be able to bend and stand for at least a 6 hr. shift. No experience required we will train you. Work performed in this department includes processing and handling of newspaper bundles. Applicants must be dependable, be over 18, and have a valid ID card and social security card with dependable transportation.

Apply in person at 201 E. Illinois, Lobby Information Desk • Monday-Friday 8-5 or email jmaddox@hearstmjt.com

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Midland Reporter-Telegram
HAS IMMEDIATE OPENINGS IN IT'S DISTRIBUTION DEPARTMENT FOR PART TIME DAY ASSOCIATE

NOW HIRING EXTRA! EXTRA!

Part Time Day Associate - MUST BE DEPENDABLE

Must be able to work Monday thru Saturday from 8am-6pm. Tuesday will be here later till about 8 or 9 pm. Need to be able to work on your feet thru 6-8 hour shift. Will work at night occasionally. We will train the right person.

Starting pay $10.00 per hour/after 60 days pay will be $11.00 per hour

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Midland Office

- Controller
- Lead Estimator
- Outside Sales
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- IT Help Desk Analyst
- Service Advisor
- Counter Sales
- Mechanic

Garden City Office

- Field Crew Foreman — $19 to $22 per hour
- Heavy Equipment Operators — $25 to $30 per hour
- Poly Technicians — $17 to $20 per hour
- General Labor — $16 to $18 per hour
- Field Supervisor — $23 to $30 per hour

Apply online at www.milfordcareers.com

All positions offer Medical/Dental Insurance, 401(k) Plan, Paid Vacation, Holiday Pay, & Sick Leave

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ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE

Accountant

Experienced Accountant with good track record, good employment record. Excellent salary. Please call 432-685-4186

Accounts Receivable Specialist

Natural Gas Service Group FT

NGSG is seeking an **Accounts Receivable Specialist** for our Midland Office. Duties will include invoicing, customer service, sales reports and back-up receptionist. Experience with electronic billing preferred. The qualified candidate will exhibit dependability, professional demeanor, integrity, accuracy and strong problem-solving skills. 3+ years A/R experience with intermediate to advanced skills in Microsoft Excel required. High school diploma/GED with some college preferred. Competitive salary and benefit package offered. E-mail resumes to employment@ngsgi.com.

Billing & Invoice Dept.

JM Oilfield Services, IS NOW HIRING IN Billing & Invoice Dept. Some experience required and able to work in a fast-paced environment. Team Oriented. Apply in person 2601 Uralia, Monahans, Texas. Call 830-381-3969 or email jobs@jmoilfieldservices.com

JM OILFIELD SERVICES

BRANCH MANAGER

MIDWEST FINANCE - Develop and direct branch personnel. We seek self-starter that works well without close supervision. Requirements: High school diploma or equivalent, personal and reliable transportation, and valid driver's license. Finance and collection experience preferred. Apply in person at 416 Andrews Hwy in Midland.

ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE

Receptionist, Bookkeeper, & Tax Preparers

Job Openings: Down Town CPA Firm hiring Office Receptionist, Bookkeeper, and Tax Preparers.

- **Reception** The job requires an enthusiastic, well organized individual with basic computer skills in Word/Excel. Individual must be reliable, professional at all times, and comfortable interacting with guests on a daily basis. Clerical duties include data entry, answering and routing all phone calls, taking messages, and sorting and distributing mail.
- **Bookkeeper:** Excellent computer knowledge. Individual records and balanced day to day financial transactions of a company or organization. Entries include but not limited to purchases, sales, receipts, payments, and meeting payroll needs. Great communication and client interaction skills necessary.

Tax Preparer: Individual preforms income tax preparation for individuals and companies in accordance with policies and in compliance with legislation and regulations. Hard working individual that can meet company deadlines and set due dates according to the nature of the law.

Job Requirements: HS/GED (Receptionist) Degreed or Years' experience (Bookkeeping & Tax Preparation)

Hours & Pay: Mon-Fri 8am-5pm, Salary based on experience

Job Benefits & Perks: Salary Position, Family Friendly Environment

Benefits: Competitive Compensation, Paid Time Off.

Contact: Office (432) 682-0983, Send resume: morgan@dhc-cpa.net

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Tax/Oil Accountant

Midland based independent Oil and Gas Company seeking Tax/Oil and Gas Accountant. Requirements include CPA with federal and state income tax experience. Oil and gas accounting experience preferred. Seeking hard working, detail oriented individual. Qualified applicants email resume to lyndaj@forl.com

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CLERICAL & ADMINISTRATIVE

FRONT DESK CLERK

Front Desk Clerk needed asap. Must be a self-starter and have knowledge of computers. QuickBooks knowledge is a plus. Please apply in person at 2401 N CR 1287, Midland. For directions call 432-563-1123

ENERGY & UTILITIES

CNC TECHNICIAN/PROGRAMMER

United Casing, Inc.

Requirements: Must know Fanuc Controls; Mazatrol Controls; Mitsubishi Spindle Drives; Mentor Drives; Computer Numeric Controls; electrical diagrams. Must be able to travel (Houston, Midland, Corpus Christi). Send all inquiries and resumes to spatterson@unitedcasing.com. Qualified Applicants Only.

Experienced Surface Loggers

ALS Empirics Surface Logging Company is hiring experienced Surface Loggers, sign on bonus, attractive benefits and competitive rates, we are prepared to match or better existing hourly rates. Our recruiter will be on site at 2000 Commerce Dr., Midland, TX 79703, Monday the 22nd - Wednesday the 24th. Stop in for an interview.

Part-time and Full-time Laborers

Brandon Oilfield Services LLC is currently looking for some part time and full time laborers. Must have reliable transportation, be willing to work odd & sometimes long hours, rig cleaning or mud mixing experience is preferred. Pay will DOE and willingness to learn. If interested contact David @ 432-288-8205 (leave message) for an interview.

OTHER JOBS

Orion Group

Immediate Vacancies

Well Servicing Engineer
Midland, Texas | Ref: 899673

Production Tech 1
Carlsbad, New Mexico | Ref: 899656

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Midland, Texas | Ref: 899655

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Gardner, Colorado | Ref: 899654

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ENERGY & DRILLING

Petroleum Engineer/Ops Mgr/Equity Partner

Austin based independent seeks Degreed Petroleum Engineer with minimum 5-7 + years various experience in drilling, completion & reservoir for a ground floor equity position in its Midland office. The ideal candidate will possess the latest in completions technology with special emphasis on frac design, optimization & on-site execution, be a multi-tasker and able to handle all aspects of managing a small oil & gas exploration company and may currently be working for a service company. This position will be split between office & field as required and involve the entire process from permitting to first sales. We will consider training the right degreed individual. Excellent compensation package. This is a great opportunity to own a piece of what you work for every day. Send a detailed resume along with current salary requirements. All submittals will be held in strict confidence. Reply to MSCG8K@att.com.

Warehouse Manager

Newpark Resources is looking for an experienced warehouse manager for our Monahan's facility. The ideal candidate will have at least 3 years of warehouse management experience with an oil/gas company. Newpark offers great benefits, positive work environment, and the opportunity for growth. Qualified candidates apply online at www.newpark.com or send you resume to jlee@newpark.com. For all open positions please apply online at www.newpark.com

Detail Drafter

Natural Gas Service Group FT

NGSG is seeking a Detail Drafter. This individual will generate Production Drawings, BOM's and Document Revisions. Requirements: Proficient w/Inventor 2012 and up, Experience with compression, structural and/or piping , must be a self -starter, motivated and have a working knowledge of the compression industry is preferred. Excellent Salary and Benefit package For more information or to submit resume contact employment@ngsgl.com or call 432.262.2700

HEALTHCARE

Available Positions

Desert Gardens Nursing & Rehabilitation Center
3203 Sage Street
Midland, TX 79705

Desert Gardens located in Midland, Texas is currently seeking staff to fill the following Positions:

- DON • ADON (staff development) • 2- 10pm-6am Nurses
- Weekend Double shift Nurse • Dishwasher

$1,000 SIGN ON BONUS
Apply in person.

Front Office

Seeking friendly, dependable, hard-working person for busy eye clinic and optical shop. Experience preferred but not required. Bring resume in person to Phillips Eye Clinic 4311 W Wadley, Midland.

TSBDE Registered Dental Assistant

TSBDE Registered Dental Assistant needed for Family Dental Practice. Fax resume with references/salary requirements to: 432-570-6028. Mail: Dr. Andrew Wilson, 4410 N Midkiff D217, Midland Tx 79705

HOSPITALITY & TRAVEL

Full and Part-Time Positions Available

LaQuinta Inn & Suites has openings for BREAKFAST ATTENDANTS, HOUSEKEEPERS and FRONT DESK AGENTS. Please apply in person, Loop 250 & HWY 191, next to Kohl's.

MANAGEMENT & EXECUTIVE

Maintenance Shift Supervisor

O-Tex Pumping is now hiring
Night and Day shift Maintenance Shift Supervisor

- Competitive pay
- Night differential pay
- Good benefits
- 5 years minimum oilfield/mechanic experience required
- Strong work ethic
- Set schedule
- Work well with others/ability to make crucial decisions
- Good driving record is required
- Must pass drug screen

Apply online at www.otexpumping.com or apply in person at 2611 E Interstate 20, Midland, TX 79701
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OTHER JOBS

SAM

$1,000.00-$1,500.00 SIGNING BONUS!

Surveying And Mapping, LLC (SAM) has expanded into the Midland, TX market and is looking for qualified professionals with expertise on large and fast-paced projects.

We are currently searching for highly qualified:

- Party Chiefs
- Instrument Operators
- Survey Technicians

Go to www.sam.biz/careers to apply.

All Positions

Firehouse Subs FT
Midland, TX 79701
Now hiring Slice, Prep, Cashiers, Catering & Kitchen help for AM/PM positions. Apply in person: 2900 W. Loop 250 North, Ste 162

CARETAKER

Caretaker for small ranch and animals/dogs, horses. Salary and housing provided. Non-smokers and no drinking. References required. Call 432-413-2861

Delivery Position

Deliver YP phone books in Midland, Odessa and surrounding areas. Payment issued within 72 hours. (866) 403-0666. www.ddasw.com

Inspector Level II

Working under the direction of the Shop Manager, the Inspector is responsible for ensuring cleanliness of equipment and safety. **Major Duties and Responsibilities:** Must be able to follow instructions. Keep company vehicle clean, stocked, and organized. Follow required safety practices and procedures. Report unsafe practices and injuries. Perform other operational requirements as assigned. **Qualifications:** Must be certified in applicable service methods per SNT-TC-1A. Must be knowlegable of API Spec Q1 Standard and API Spec 7, 7-1, Spec 5B, Spec 5CT and DS1 Standards **Physical Requirements:** Must be able to lift up to 50 pounds. Must be able to regularly use hands, fingers and full body to handle weight in motion or feel objects, tools or controls; reach with hands and arms. Must be able to climb, balance, stoop and kneel. Must be able to hold a minimum of 5 pounds in one hand with arm extended for 30 seconds. Email resumes to humanresources@jaoilfied.com or visit 14579 Hollyhock Ave, Gardendale, TX 79758

JOB FAIR

September 30
10am - 3pm
Midland Center, 105 N Main St

Over 60 businesses from all industries will be interviewing and hiring job seekers.

Call 432-687-8814 for more information.
Hosted by The Midland Reporter-Telegram.

Lead Maintenance & Assistant

Summerhill Apartments FT
Must be HVAC certified. Salary depending on experience. Apply in person to: 3001 North Midland Dr. or call 432-697-6039.

Warehouse Person/Driver

Basin Engine & Pump is looking for an industrial oilfield warehouse person. Pump and or warehouse experience preferred. Position includes uniforms and a benefits package. Pay DOE. Please submit resume by fax to 432-570-1115 or email todd@basinengine.com. Applications may also be filled out at 1914 S. County Rd. 1083, Greenwood/Midland.

RESTAURANT & FOOD SERVICE

Barista/Manager

Taste@506 is looking for a Barista Manager for our downtown location. Also looking for part time. Pay commensurate with experience. Please call 432-230-0225 to schedule an interview. 506 W. Wall Street

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BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY

Supplement your income by delivering ... ings between 12:00am - 6:00am. The Midland ... Individuals who are interested in delivering ... and around the City of Midland. If interested ... automobile insurance in your name, a valid ... this is a 7 day a week delivery commitment ...

THE PROFIT FOR THESE ROUTES IS ABOUT $650-$1,000 a month, depending on the size of the route. This is a perfect way to generate the extra money you need.

If interested in starting a route for the Midland Reporter-Telegram ... Please CALL ROGER WILLIAMS at 432-687-8801 or stop by ... The Midland Reporter-Telegram ... 500 E. Illinois Ave., Midland, TX 79701

RESTAURANT & FOOD SERVICE

Cooks and Dishwashers

The Garlic Press is hiring Cooks and Dishwashers. Flexible hours. Great work environment and benefits. Apply in person at The Garlic Press in Oak Ridge Square at Wadley and Garfield. 11 am-2pm only.

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- SERVERS - No tip outs/ tip share
- HOSTS- starting up to $10.50 an hour

Stop by 3108 North Loop 250 West Midland, TX 79707 or call 432-689-3197 www.crackerbarrel.com Cracker Barrel EOE

Dishwashers & Cooks

Lori's Cafe hiring Full Time - Cooks $12- $16 depending on experience - Dishwashers, Servers- Early. Apply in person at 2201 W. Wall, Midland

HIRING FOR ALL POSITIONS

Little Caesars Pizza now taking applications for all positions. Fun working environment, closed Sundays, We will work with your schedule. Apply at 1000 N. Midkiff, Midkiff and Andrews Hwy.

RETAIL JOBS

CASHIERS

Smoker's Outlet is looking for Cashiers in the Midland area. We offer competitive wages and a good work environment. Paid weekly. Go by your nearest Smoker's Outlet to apply.

SALES JOBS

Counter Salesperson & Warehouse Person

Parts Sales Counter Salesperson and Warehouse Person wanted. Local company looking for individuals to fill positions for selling compressed air parts and maintaining parts warehouses. Experience is a plus but not necessary. Good driving record and drug screening is required. Competitive pay DOE. F/T and P/T positions available. Please send resumes to M-11, c/o Midland Reporter Telegram, 201 E. Illinois, Midland, TX. 79701

Field Service and Shop Technicians

Field Service and Shop Technicians wanted. Local company looking for someone with experience in performing services and inspections on compressed air equipment. Technicial experience preferred. Potential for advancement and additional technical training provided. Good driving record and drug screening is required. Competitive pay DOE. Please send resumes to M-16, c/o Midland Reporter Telegram, 201 E. Illinois, Midland, TX. 79701

Pipe Fitter/Plumber

Pipe Fitter/Plumber wanted. Local company looking for experienced plumber for work with condensate and air piping installations. HVAC a plus but not required. Potential for advancement and additional technical training provided. Good driving record and drug screening is required. Competitive pay DOE. Please send resumes to M-17, c/o Midland Reporter Telegram, 201 E. Illinois, Midland, TX. 79701

Route Sales

Work 4, Play 3!!! Schwan's is now hiring route sales reps. $45.5K starting salary. $70K+potential. 4 day work week. Full Benefit pkg. No CDL req'd. Apply online at www.schwansjobs.com. Keyword: Odessa. Call: 432.634.8724. EOE

SKILLED LABOR

Experienced Diesel Technician

Horizon Transportation FT
Now hiring Experienced Diesel Technician. Clean driving record is required. Must pass a criminal background check and drug test. Please call 432-699-4468.

FLAKE TOMPKINS INC.

CERTIFIED EMI OPERATOR

Is looking for a Certified EMI Operator with 3-5 years' experience in pipe inspection.

50 hours a week, provide life and health insurance, and (5) paid holidays. Uniforms provided after 90 days.

Pre-employment testing includes background check, drug test, physical evaluation.

Pay based on experience.

Contact Gary 432-559-9779 or Rudy Carrasco at 432-770-1104.

FLAKE TOMPKINS INC.

FORKLIFT OPERATOR

Is looking for a forklift operator for pipe yard who is experience in loading and unloading casing and tubing from commercial trucks.

50 hours a week, provide life and health insurance, uniforms after 90 days and 5 paid Holidays.

There will be a driving test.
Background, drug test and physical evaluation.
Pay based on experience.

Contact Rudy Carrasco at 432-770-1104.

HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATORS NEEDED

Finish Blade and Dozers. Experience, references & TDL required. Call Brent @ 830-221-6666 or 830-637-0902, Monday through Friday 8am-5pm only. Acme Bridge is EOE

Journeyman & Apprentice Plumbers

Plumbing Contractor seeking licensed Journeyman & Apprentice plumbers with experience in commercial plumbing. Must have active license or apprentice card. Benefits: health insurance, participation in 401k, optional life insurance, vacation. Pay according to experience. Please call: 972-438-4010.

Mechanic

Mechanic wanted for temporary position to perform general mechanic duties for a pulling unit company in Odessa, Texas. Must be able to use diagnostic computer. Perform maintenance on fleet as required. Must pass drug test. Competitive wage. Sent resumes to: Great Basin Petroleum Services, 4909 S. Co.Rd. 1303, Odessa, Texas 79765

Welders

M & D Welding FT
Single hand contract needed. Oil field experience a plus & Drivers' License a must. Salary DOE. Please call for application 432-520-3853 or 432-638-8266.

SKILLED LABOR

PRESSMAN

The Midland Reporter-Telegram has an immediate opening in its Production Department for the position of: PRESSMAN for our Harris N 1650 Printing presses.

This 5-6 day per week, fast paced, deadline oriented position, requires: night shift/weekend work, with a strong emphasis on safety. The Midland Reporter-Telegram offers a full package of company benefits including 401K program. Salary DOE.

Send resume and salary requirements to:
John Maddox, Director of Production/Facilities
c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram 201 E. Illinois St., Midland, TX 79701. E-mail:jmaddox@hearstnp.com
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TRANSPORTATION & LOGISTICS

BUS DRIVER AND PT STAFF MEMBERS

The Boys & Girls Club of Midland looking for Class B CDL bus driver with passenger and school bus endorsement. Part time, 2:45-6:45. Pays $25 per hour. Must have clean driving record, be able to pass drug screen and background check. Also hiring PT STaff Members. Call 432-563-0050.

CDL Drivers

Now hiring Class A CDL drivers to transport crude oil. Must have a HAZMAT endorsement and an acceptable MVR. Day and nights shifts are available with night shift differential pay. Excellent benefits including medical, dental, vision and life insurance as well as a 401k package when eligible. Qualified applicants please call (432) 620-0055 to apply.

Class A CDL Mobile Home Toter Driver

Mobile Home Toter Driver Wanted (Pecos, Tx) Monster Rentals is currently seeking a qualified Class A CDL Mobile Home Toter driver. Candidate would have a solid driving record as well as his/her Class A CDL license. Prefer at least one year experience. Other skills include working with crew to complete tasks, inspecting mobile homes to ensure they are ready for transportation, maintaining truck logs, and following safety rules/guidelines. Benefits are available. If you have these skills and a steady work history please call us at 432-448-2264.

Class A CDL Truck Drivers

Prefer drivers with Pneumatic Tanker experience. Benefits include: medical, life and dental insurance, and paid vacation. Applicants having experience hauling sand and/or dry cement helpful. Good driving record, DOT, drug & alcohol testing required. Apply in person, call 432-563-1894 for interview or online @ www.rockwaterenergy.com

DRIVER

Anco Golf Cars Hiring Full Time Driver. Mon-fri 8-5 hrs of work .Can be flexible. CDL is preferred. Apply at 3011 W Wall St., 432-694-2278.

Owner / Operators Drivers

Ricky Shuler Trucking is looking for Drivers who are wanting to become Owner/ Operators. Equipment: single cab tractor leased to own purchase, trailer furnished but will remain property of Ricky Shuler Trucking. Must have CDL- A with Tanker/ Hazzlet endorsements, strong work history, crude oil hauling experience & must pass DOT, drug/ alcohol requirements. Owner/ Operators willing to relocate or currently residing in the following areas, Odessa, TX., Midland, TX., Big Spring, TX., Andrews, TX., Pecos, TX. & Carlsbad, N.M. Contact Phyllis @ 432-923-1084 between 9am & 4pm for additional information & application.

Vacuum and Kill / Pump Truck Drivers

Doubletree Energy Services is hiring for Vacuum & Kill/Pump truck drivers. Competitive weekly OT pay, health, uniforms. Experience a big plus. Come by at 3006 Elkins Rd Midland, Tx 79705 (tan metal building next to Oil Flats) or email resume and info to doubtreeenergy@gmail.com.

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Free Stuff

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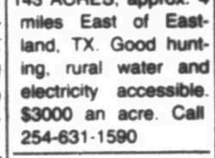

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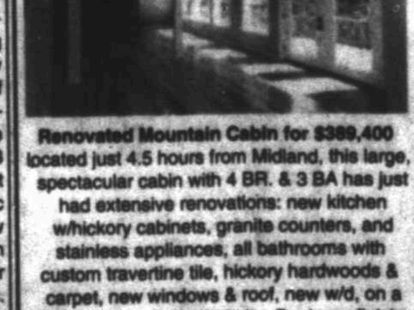

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