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Midland County idles three rigs this week

Permian Basin rig count holds steady at 152 rigs; Midland still most active in US

By Trevor Hawes
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The Permian Basin held steady at 152 rigs this week, but Midland County's count slipped.

Midland is still the most active county in the U.S., but it idled three rigs, leaving 26.

District 7B returned with activity in the Permian when one rig went online in Stonewall County. District 7B hasn't had active rigs in the Permian since the week ending Jan. 22.

For other areas in the Permian, there were 24 rigs in District 7C, up one; 104 in District 8, unchanged; 11 in District 8A, unchanged; and 12 in New Mexico, down two. The Texas total was 140, up two.

Only four counties had double-digit rig counts: Midland, Reeves (21), Loving (19) and Upton (16).

Activity ceased in Crockett and Gaines counties.

A year ago this week, there were 292 rigs in the Permian

Texas and New Mexico

Texas added two rigs this week, increasing the statewide count to 217.

The Eagle Ford ended a six-week slide after two rigs went online, raising its rig count to 45.

The Haynesville fell one rig to 15, the Granite Wash was unchanged at eight and the Barnett held steady at four.

Texas had two rigs offshore and none in inland waters.

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REEL NICE SEND-OFF

Midlanders gather Friday to say, "Thank You and good luck," to veterans as they leave for a weekend of fishing with Reel Thanx.

Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram



MMA to celebrate Palm Sunday with Unity March

■ Event to focus on the persecution of Christians all over the world

By Trent Johnson
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The Midland Ministerial Alliance will usher in Holy Week on Palm Sunday with the inaugural Unity March, a gathering to pray for persecuted Christians, as well as their persecutors, from around the world.

More inside

Local church to host lectures on healing through scientific prayer.

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"There are many examples of Christians being persecuted," said the Rev. Larry Long, pastor of Fellowship Community Church and MMA president. "We think it's important to keep people aware and in the loop. We'll be praying for everyone involved, and our goal is that we'll provide information to the people there, so they can go on and give back to fight these problems."

The march will begin in the parking lot of Grande Communications Stadium. Participants will march around the stadium before making their way inside.

2015 was the worst year for Christians in modern history, according to the 2016 World Watch List released by Open Doors USA, a group advocating for Christians. The group said that more than 7,100 Christians were killed in 2015 for faith-related reasons, which is more than double the 3,000 deaths reported in 2014.

"We in America are living relatively peaceful, happy lives," Long said. "But the Bible says, 'When one suffers, we all suffer.' Part of our goal is to make people realize this and get them to be more aware of ways they can help."

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Week in oil: Price hits $40, slips back to $30s

By Trevor Hawes
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It took 52 trading days for oil to crack into $40 territory this year, but Thursday's close did just that, setting a new year-high.

However, Friday's settlement saw the West Texas Intermediate futures price for April contracts fall back into the $30s. WTI closed down 76 cents (1.89 percent) to $39.44 a barrel.

The slip below $40 wasn't all bad, however. WTI is up $2.68 (7.29 percent) for the year, and Friday's settlement marked five consecutive weeks of gains. Oil has risen 94 cents (2.44 percent) since March 11.

WTI futures have gained $13.23 (50.48 percent) since the Feb. 11 low of $26.21 a barrel.

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Energy prices

WTI Futures	$39.44	▼ $0.76
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Natural Gas	$1.807	▼ $0.029
Gasoline	$1.836	▼ $0.001

The big number
Abortions in the state are **down 14 percent** according to preliminary state data. More on Page 2A.

Word of the Day: ampligory
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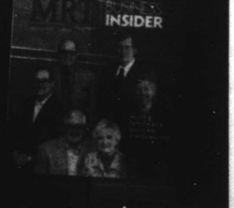
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Obituaries



Wanda V. Hancock Lemons

And I heard a voice from Heaven saying unto me, "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on... They will rest from their labor, for their deeds will follow them."

(Revelations 14:13)

Wanda Vivian Hancock Lemons, a true servant of God, passed away March 17, 2016 at the age of 84 in Odessa, Texas.

Formerly of the Texas communities of Monahans, Pecos, Lamesa, and Morton, Mrs. Lemons faithfully served her family as the wife of a pastor, a mother, sister, grandmother, and great-grandmother. Whether you knew her as Mama, Mom, Wanda V, Mimi, or Mrs. Lemons, you knew that she loved God and the church and that her life was about serving the church. She encouraged all people she encountered with her knowledge of scripture and steadfast prayer. If you were related to her, you received at least one gift of a Bible from Mrs. Lemons as she encouraged all in the word of God and gathered her strength from the authority of God's word.

Born to Aaron "Hazel" and Eunice Hancock in the same house as her father was born in Lamesa, Texas, Mrs. Lemons was the eldest sibling in her family and took her position of leadership with all seriousness as from a young age. Mrs. Lemons was ever a teacher and instructor of all.

She graduated from Morton High School and married R.C. Lemons in Lovington, New Mexico on May 21, 1949. She went on to study at American Christian College & Seminary of Oklahoma City, even going on to continue studying and teaching the Bible, learning Hebrew, and visiting Israel as a student of the history of Jesus. She was a life-long student of God's word and teacher and most recently taught at West Texas Christian Academy of Monahans, Texas, and as a substitute teacher at Monahans High School.

Mrs. Lemons has now finished her course and joined those in Heaven who went on before her: husband R. C. Lemons; parents, Aaron "Hazel" & Eunice Hancock; brothers, Richard and John Hancock; sister, Mayree Silha; son-in-law, Jodell Hannah; sister-in-law Ava Hancock; and brothers-in-law, John Silhan and Bruce Angel.

She has now come to the time for which she lived. Mrs. Lemons' works will follow in ways that cannot be overlooked by those she leaves here on earth: daughters, Rayma Richey (John) of Breckenridge, Texas, and Ann Dunaway (Danny) of Odessa; sons, Curt Lemons (Liz) and Mike Lemons (Martha) of Gardendale; brother, Herschel Hancock of Breckenridge, Texas; sister, Melinda Angel (Bentley Page) of Lubbock; sisters-in-law, Maria Hancock of El Paso and Shirl Hancock of Levelland.

Surviving grandchildren of Mrs. Lemons are Casey Davison (Al) and John Hannah (Angela) of Oklahoma City; Stephanie Hardy (Daniel) of Georgetown, Texas; Holly Cannon (Scotty), Sarah Morgan (Joseph), Katy Bownds (Dustin), and Hannah Lemons of Gardendale; Kelly Ann Pinnell (Taylor) of Corpus Christi; Hoss Lemons (Kristin) of Gardendale; and Lyndsey Lemons of San Antonio.

Mrs. Lemons is also survived by 20 great-grandchildren and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Mrs. Lemons' family would like to thank the staff and caregivers of Madison Medical Resort, as well as the members of Life Change Baptist Church who have cared for and loved on Mrs. Lemons.

Service arrangements are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home of Morton, Texas. A graveside service will be held on Monday, March 21, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. at Morton Memorial Cemetery in Morton. A memorial service will be held on Sunday, March 20, 2016, at 2:00 p.m. at Life Change Baptist Church at 1000 N. Texas Ave. in Odessa.

In lieu of flowers or gifts, the family requests that donations be made to Life Change Baptist Church of Odessa in honor of Mrs. Lemons.



Carolyn Kay Hardy Starritt

Carolyn Hardy Starritt, formerly of Midland, passed away January 1, 2016.

A graveside memorial will be held in her honor today, Saturday, March 19, 2016 at Resthaven in Midland at 2:30 p.m.

Death Notices

Bonnie "Lura" Smith

Bonnie Smith, 94, passed away on March 17, 2016.

She is survived by her children, Douglas Smith, Jennifer Buck, LaVeda McNeill, and Mary Seay Brockett.

Services are pending at Lewallen-Garcia-Pipkin Funeral Home.

James "JD" May, III

James "JD" May, III, 89, of Midland passed away on Friday, March 18, 2016.

The family will be accepting guests at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home on Monday, March 21, 2016 from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Memorial services will be held at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Chapel on Tuesday, March 22, 2016 at 2:00 p.m.

He is survived by his sons, Jay May and Andrew May.

Minnie Estelle Barnes McClain-Powell

Minnie Estelle Barnes McClain-Powell, 93, passed away Friday, March 18, 2016.

Estelle is survived by her three sons, Gary Eugene, Marcus Wayne, and William (Bill) Earl.

There will be a graveside service in Roswell, New Mexico at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, March 23, 2016 at South Park Cemetery.

NM college seeks immigrant students in US illegally

By Russell Contreras
Associated Press

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. — When Grecia Rivas graduated from a Tucson high school a few years ago, she thought her days in a classroom were over. She was an immigrant living in the U.S. illegally and counselors didn't know what to tell her about college prospects, though she had a 3.8 grade point average.

It was the height of Arizona's SB1070, a state law designed to target immigrants like her, and Arizona colleges at that time didn't allow such immigrants to attend at in-state tuition rates.

The 24-year-old from Nogales, Mexico, is now pursuing a degree in graphic design at one of New Mexico's smaller colleges thanks to an effort by the school to recruit students like her — high-achieving student immigrants who are living in the country illegally.

Western New Mexico University recently launched a campaign targeting potential students like Rivas using a combination of social media and face-to-face recruiting. Through Facebook, Twitter and Instagram, the school works to convince the students they'd find a hospitable environment for immigrants and possible financial aid at the 3,700-student university located in the mining town of Silver City.

Other colleges, like City University of New York and Loyola University Chicago Stritch School of Medicine, have followed the same trend as schools search for more students amid nationally declining enrollments. The schools are openly encouraging the immigrant students known as DREAMers to apply despite the uncertainty of their careers after they graduate.

The students are called DREAMers after the proposed federal DREAM Act — a law that would give the immigrant students a pathway to citizenship through college enrollment or military service. The proposal has languished in Congress for years.

Federal law does not forbid immigrants in the country illegally from attending universities in the U.S., and state laws vary on whether the immigrant students who graduated from state high schools can attend at in-state tuition rates. New Mexico, Texas and Arizona allow the students to attend and pay in-state tuition.

For Western New Mexico University the move to recruit DREAMers living out-of state was a no-brainer, said Matthew Lara, the school's admission director. During recruiting trips, Lara stumbled upon immigrant students who were interested in college but didn't have counselors knowledgeable about their options.

"We met incredible students with 4.0 GPAs and off-the-chart test scores," Lara said.

The campus also wanted to reshape itself from a school mainly serving students in the southwestern New Mexico to one that attracts students from surrounding states. DREAMers looking for a school were a natural fit, Lara said.

Lara said after recruiting its first small batch of DREAMers seven years ago, the school revamped its tuition and worked to find enough financial aid to attract students who have been granted temporary residency status under the Obama Administration's federal Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals, or DACA. Those DACA students living in Arizona, Colorado, and El Paso, Texas can apply to Western New Mexico University and if accepted, receive in-state tuition.

The school boasts about the recruiting effort on its home page with "DREAMer/DACA Students Welcome" coupled with a photo of a DREAMer student. And it has placed billboards in Hispanic immigrant neighborhoods throughout the Southwest. One billboard in Tucson invites students from Pima Community College to apply to Western New Mexico University.

Despite the very public campaign, the school said it has received little negative feedback and several lawmakers have supported the effort.

However, Rep. John Zimmerman, a Las Cruces Republican whose district borders the university, said the state needs to be careful on whether it was encouraging immigrants to break federal immigration laws. "We need to make sure that they have legal immigration status if they go to our state schools," Zimmerman said.

Still, Zimmerman said he was pleased the school is offering educational opportunities.

Rivas said word has spread that Western New Mexico University is a place where students like her can continue their education with a supportive system.

"This has been the best choice I've ever made ... coming here," Rivas said. "I can be myself now, and I'm able to help other DREAMers."



Associated Press

This still image taken from video provided by KPRC shows police responding to the scene of a shooting Thursday in Houston. Police fired at five suspected robbers Thursday night outside the furniture store, killing two and injuring two other members of the group, which was being monitored by a tactical team investigating other robberies earlier in the day.

Police fatally shoot 2 robbery suspects

By Frank Bajak
Associated Press

> *"He just told me to get down. And all of a sudden, I heard gunshots."*
>
> **Harry Cheng,** manager of a Lumber Liquidators

HOUSTON — A tactical team had been tracking a group of five robbery suspects in the hours before their last stop, a Houston furniture store where officers opened fire and killed two of the suspects and injured two others, authorities said Friday.

Houston police spokesman John Cannon declined to explain Friday why the suspects weren't apprehended before the holdup and shooting late Thursday at the Affordable Furniture store in a shopping plaza adjacent to busy Interstate 45. He did, however, mention that the group had been changing vehicles during the day and that police lost sight of them for a while before catching up with the group as they exited the store.

Five officers shot at the group when at least one of the suspects pointed a weapon at them, Cannon said, and two guns were recovered at the scene. One injured suspect was taken to a hospital with an undisclosed injury and another was treated by paramedics before being arrested.

The ages and identities of the suspects have not been released.

The one who wasn't hit by gunfire had posed as a store employee and tried to hide in a truck parked in front of the business before he was arrested, Cannon said. Officers saw that the man was wearing an ankle monitor and determined he was one of the suspects, according to Ray Hunt, president of the Houston Police Officers' Union.

Hunt said the tactical team did not have the evidence, or "probable cause," it needed to apprehend the suspects before they were tracked to the furniture store. When a few of them walked out holding what appeared to be stolen items, officers determined they needed to intervene, Hunt said.

The suspects failed to comply with police orders, he said, and officers were forced to shoot rather than allow the group to claim a hostage or flee into nearby businesses.

"With the evidence that this tactical team then had, they did everything absolutely appropriate to engage the suspects," he said.

Affordable Furniture owner Taj Ali told The Associated Press that an employee who was inside during the holdup said the gunmen were wearing masks and that one pointed a gun at her head and ordered her to lead them to the safe.

At that point, officers interrupted the robbery, shots were fired and one of the suspects yelled, "Time to go," Ali said his employee told him.

Harry Cheng, the manager of a Lumber Liquidators store adjacent to the furniture shop, said he was helping a customer and unaware that a robbery was in progress until he saw a police officer in SWAT gear through a window.

"He just told me to get down," said Cheng. "And all of a sudden, I heard gunshots."

Cheng said he and the customer hugged the floor and heard an exchange of gunfire that lasted from three to five minutes.

Cannon said one of the suspects taken into custody was wearing an ankle monitor, but he didn't have details of his criminal record. A call to a spokesman for the Harris County district attorney's office was not returned Friday.

Cannon said it wasn't immediately clear if the suspects had fired any shots but that investigators would analyze shell casings to account for all shots that were fired.

STATEBRIEFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

AUSTIN

Abbott seeks federal disaster aid for 3 SE Texas counties

Gov. Greg Abbott is seeking a presidential disaster proclamation for three southeast Texas counties hard-hit by flooding from last week's storms that have led to thousands of evacuations and has destroyed or severely damaged more than 680 homes.

A statement issued Friday by Abbott's office says he's written to President Barack Obama to request federal disaster aid for Jasper, Newton and Orange counties.

In a letter to Obama, Abbott wrote the storms have destroyed or severely damaged 687 homes, while another 4,460 homes received minor damage.

The presidential disaster declaration would send federal resources to help with recovery.

The flooding has led to the closure of Interstate 10 at the Texas-Louisiana border. The westbound lanes were reopened Friday. The eastbound lanes remain closed.

AUSTIN

Abortions down 14 percent in Texas since new clinic rules

Preliminary state data shows that abortions in Texas dropped 14 percent in the first full year under new clinic restrictions that are now being weighed by the U.S. Supreme Court.

The figures obtained by The Dallas Morning News show that Texas women had nearly 9,000 fewer abortions in 2014 than in 2013, when Republican lawmakers passed new restrictions that forced more than half the state's clinics to close.

Abortion rates have been falling nationally, even before Texas laws that now require hospital admitting privileges for abortion providers and clinics to conform to costly surgical-center standards. An Associated Press review found abortions decreased by about 12 percent nationwide from 2010 to 2013-14.

Texas Department of State Health Services data show that Texas abortions dropped 30 percent in that five-year span.

Work continues at Midland Memorial



Work continues Friday for the crosswalk outside Midland Memorial Hospital at Illinois Avenue and "O" St. Contractors for the city of Midland are upgrading the pedestrian crossing on Illinois Avenue at Midland Memorial Hospital, just east of Andrews Highway. The work will involve reconstruction of the sidewalk and the center median, replacing the flashing warning lights and repaving Illinois Avenue from Andrews Highway to "N" St. The crosswalk will be closed during construction.

City to host Love Your Parks Day at 3 parks

From staff reports

Midland's Parks & Recreation Division is planning Love Your Parks Day today at three city parks.

The day kicks off 9 a.m. at Fasken Park, 2301 Humble Drive. The renovated park features a new playground, exercise equipment, a picnic structure and irrigation system. The improvements were made possible through a donation by Concho Resources, according to a press release from the city.

The Fasken Park celebration will include planting trees donated by TXU Energy. Keep Midland Beautiful and TreeKeepers will be onsite to help with the planting project and offer information about recommended trees for the West Texas area. Seedlings will be given away to participating volunteers.

Parks & Recreation staff will introduce the city's new Bubble Ball games, which are now available for party rentals.

Events at Midland's newest park, Greathouse Park, begin at 10 a.m. The park, at 5105 Greathouse next to Greathouse Elementary, is the 50th park in the city's park system.

A "Mommy and M[illegible]" walk will take place after a ribbon-cutting, with stations along the path to enter drawings for door prizes.

The final event of Love Your Parks Day is set for 11 a.m. at the new dog park, "Waggin' Trail," at Beal Park, 5200 W. Wall St. The Midland Humane Coalition will host activities such as pet adoptions, microchipping and pet photos. Local canine favorite Hufflepuff of Wafflebottom will be on hand at a kissing booth.

All proceeds will benefit the Midland Humane Coalition. Trainers will be on hand to answer questions about pet issues, and free T-shirts will be given away to those who like Midland Humane Coalition's Facebook page.

For more information contact Laurie Williams at lwilliams@midlandtexas.gov or 685-7370.

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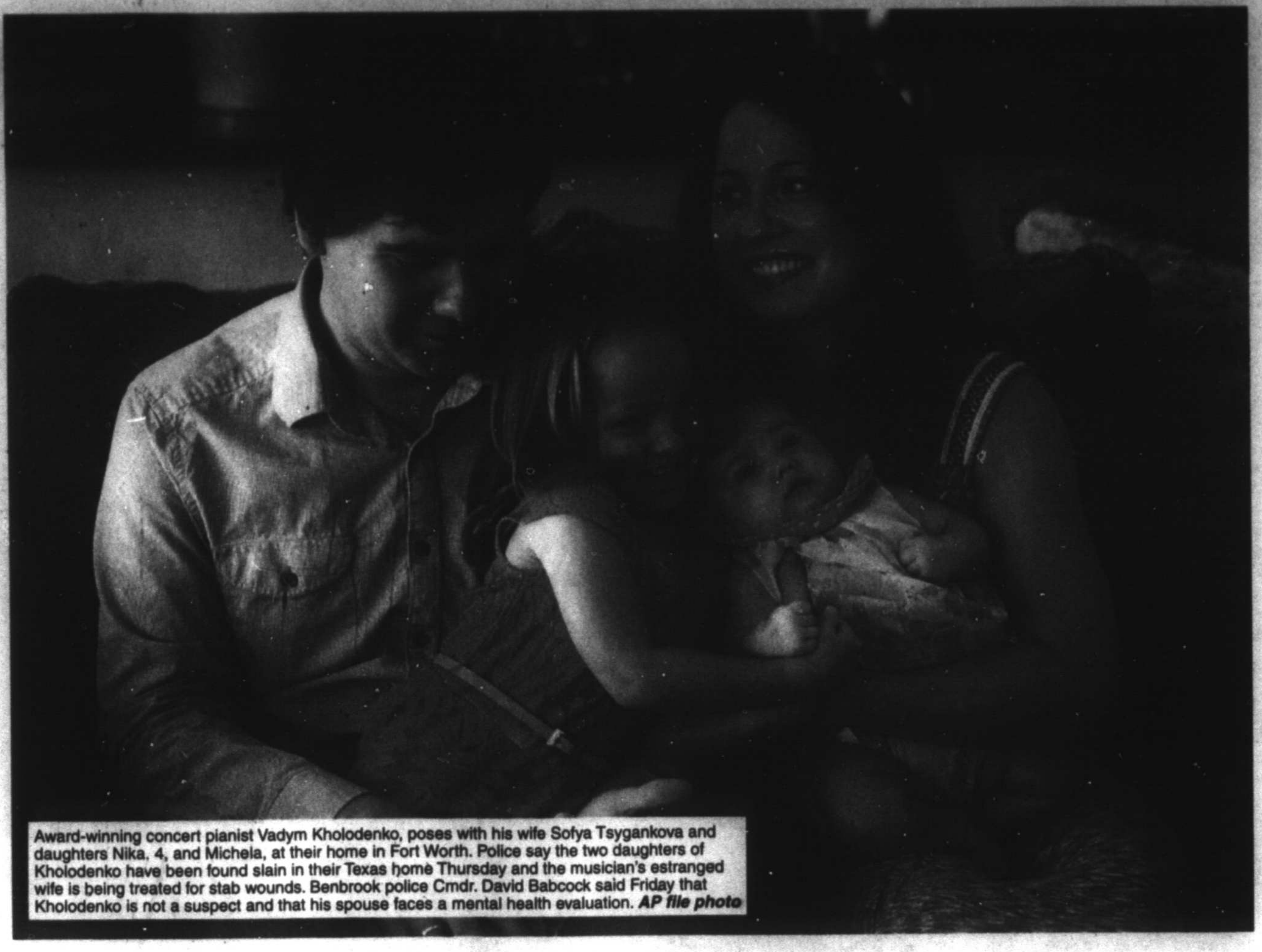
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amphigory
[am-fi-gawr-ee, gohr-ee] noun.

1. a meaningless or nonsensical piece of writing, especially one intended as a parody.





Award-winning concert pianist Vadym Kholodenko, poses with his wife Sofya Tsygankova and daughters Nika, 4, and Michela, at their home in Fort Worth. Police say the two daughters of Kholodenko have been found slain in their Texas home Thursday and the musician's estranged wife is being treated for stab wounds. Benbrook police Cmdr. David Babcock said Friday that Kholodenko is not a suspect and that his spouse faces a mental health evaluation. *AP file photo*

Pianist finds 2 daughters dead, wife faces mental exam

By Diana Heidgerd and Paul J. Weber
Associated Press

DALLAS — An internationally renowned concert pianist arrived at his estranged wife's home in Texas to pick up their two daughters and found the girls slain in their beds, police said Friday. Authorities say their Russian mother, who had suffered knife wounds, faces a mental health exam.

Vadym Kholodenko stopped Thursday morning at the suburban Fort Worth home where he formerly lived to pick up Nika, 5, and 1-year-old Michela, Benbrook police Cmdr. David Babcock said. The Ukrainian-born musician found his wife, Sofya Tsygankova, in an "extreme state of distress" and discovered the dead girls. The pianist then called 911, police said.

"The loss of my children will be with me forever. But I would like to say that I feel the support of the Fort Worth community and all people who are sending me messages all over the world," Kholodenko said in a statement released Friday evening.

Kholodenko, who won the prestigious Van Cliburn International Piano Competition in Fort Worth in 2013, is not a suspect and is cooperating with police, Babcock said. Police said no suspects were being sought in the deaths of the girls or the stabbing of Tsygankova, who was recovering Friday at a Fort Worth hospital.

Babcock, when asked, declined to say whether police believe the stab wounds were self-inflicted. Tsygankova was being held on a mental health evaluation, Babcock said. Asked if she was a suspect in the girls' deaths, he declined to say.

"We are still looking at all avenues," he said, but added that authorities don't believe there's any immediate risk to others in the area.

Autopsy results were pending on the children, who had no visible trauma, police said. Tsygankova's wounds were from a knife, said Babcock. He declined to say whether a knife was recovered at the home.

Kholodenko and his family moved to Fort Worth in 2014 after he won the $50,000-prize Cliburn competition, which resulted in Kholodenko touring and playing with major orchestras.

"The Cliburn family is mourning the loss of the precious Kholodenko girls. We are heartbroken and offer our prayers to Vadym and all affected by this overwhelming tragedy," said Maggie Estes, a spokeswoman for the Cliburn competition.

Hospital officials declined on Friday to release a condition on Tsygankova, who was born in Russia.

The couple had married in 2010 and filed for divorce in November, according to Tarrant County court records. Babcock said police had responded twice in 2014 to disturbance calls at the suburban Fort Worth residence but would not disclose details on the nature of the visits. Kholodenko routinely picked up the children from the home in the mornings, Babcock said.

Kholodenko and his wife told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram in 2014 that the decision to move from Moscow to the U.S. was a combination of spontaneity and medical problems with Nika's skin.

"Nobody could help us with this problem, and we had a very hard time with her," Tsygankova told the newspaper. "We wanted to be together, with Vadym, to be a family, and for us, maybe it was the only choice for us to come here."

She told the newspaper she hoped to improve her English so she could teach kids in Fort Worth.

The Van Cliburn International Piano Competition is named for the celebrated classical pianist and held every four years in Fort Worth. Cliburn died in 2013. Pianists audition around the world for the Cliburn competition, and finalists are picked to perform in Fort Worth. Kholodenko was among 30 finalists from 12 countries in 2013.

Kholodenko had been scheduled to perform this weekend with the Fort Worth Symphony Orchestra. Another soloist, Alessio Bax, was replacing him, the orchestra said.

In his statement, Kholodenko asked people going to the orchestra's concerts this weekend "to think of the music."

"Wherever I go after this tragedy, my heart will stay with the people here of Fort Worth, and my daughters will rest in this soil," he said.

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MARCH

From 1A

The subject is also one touched on by President Barack Obama, who — during Christmas season 2015 — called on Americans to stop and think about people under religious persecution who have to hide their faith.

"We join the people around the world in praying for God's protection for persecuted Christians and those of other faiths," he said.

However, Long has seen an erosion of previously held Christian values — even in America . He said that, while the changes here are hardly comparable to the suffering of Christians in other parts of the world such as China, North Korea and the Middle East, people need to be aware of what's happening in the United States, as well.

"All persecution begins subtly, but that's everywhere," Long said.

The MMA formerly had events in November, but attendance began to wane. Long hopes Sunday's Unity March sparks an interest.

"I don't know that we'll do a march again, but right now this is what we're doing," Long said. "If we had a big enough group — hopefully if we have a lot of people marching maybe we could get some important people to notice."

Long said the local community is a good place to start a movement regarding the plight of Christians worldwide.

"We can all learn more about it, but I would say Midland is more aware of it because of the people who live in the community," Long said. "Midland is the ideal community for something like this, because it's full of excellent churches and excellent pastors. We have so many excellent people to work with."

Want to go?

The Unity March, 2 p.m. Sunday at Grande Communications Stadium, 801 N Loop 250 W. Register for the walk on the MMA website. midlandma.org.

Lectures to focus on healing through scientific prayer

From staff reports

The First Church of Christ, Scientist will host a national speaker this weekend for two free lectures. John Adams will discuss the power of prayer to explore how healing can be experienced through scientific prayer and how to use a prayer-based healing system.

Adams' first appearance will be 2 p.m. today at Midland County Public Library Centennial branch. His lecture is titled "Defeating Violence with Prayer."

"I've seen in my own experience how prayer brings solutions to the problem of violence," he said in a press release. "The major thrust of this lecture is to emphasize that evil cannot be defeated with evil, but that it can overcome and be destroyed through our prayers and good efforts."

His second lecture — "Does Christian Science Really Heal Sickness and Sin?" — is set for 3 p.m. Sunday at the church, 1001 W. Tennessee Ave.

"There is nothing that compares to the moment of healing, of realizing God's actuality and one's innocence as his child," he said. "Healing directly impacts families, friends, neighbors and communities."

Based in New York City, Adams is a teacher of Christians Science and a member of the Christian Science Board of Lectureship.

TODAYINMIDLAND

First day of spring

The vernal (spring) equinox in the Northern Hemisphere is the autumnal (fall) equinox in the Southern Hemisphere and vice versa. On the equinoxes the sun shines directly on the equator and the length of day and night is nearly equal – but not quite. The March equinox takes place at 11:30 p.m.

Source: www.timeanddate.com

Things to do

■ Bunny Breakfast, 7-10 a.m., 4511 N. Midkiff Road. The Midland Northside Lions Club and Midland Park Mall hosts the 23rd annual event. $6. Simon.com.

■ Easter Extravaganza with Dust Bowl Animal Rescue, 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Sherwood Park, 4520 N. Dixie Blvd, Odessa. This fundraising event will feature vendor booths, egg hunts, dog treat hunts, Easter Bunny photos and more. All dogs must be leashed and vaccinated. $5-$10. dustbowlanimalrescue.com.

■ Egg-stravaganza community event, 10 a.m., Midland YMCA, 800 N. Big Spring St. Train rides, rock wall, obstacle course and more. Egg hunts by age groups. midlandymca.org.

■ Warbirds and Wheels car truck and motorcycle show, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., High Sky Wing, 9600 Wright Drive. highskywing.org.

■ Permian Basin Comic Con X 2016 with announced guests Kevin Nash, Verne Troyer and Mighty Morphin Power Rangers at Horseshoe Pavilion, 2514 Arena Trail. Pbcomicconx.com.

■ Free skateboarding lessons, noon-1:30 p.m., RTD Skatepark. rtdskatepark.com.

■ Irish-American Heritage Month Story and Craft, 2 p.m., Midland County Public Library Centennial branch, 2503 Loop 250 The Genealogy Department will offer story time and heritage-based activities for families.

■ Gods Way Online, Saved, Big Perk, 2 p.m., Music City Mall, 4101 E. 42nd St., Odessa. Free.

■ Tabletop players group, 2:30 p.m., Astral Castle, 10 Meta Drive.

■ Auction 2016: Black and Gold Ball at Museum of the Southwest, 7 p.m., Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. The black tie gala is a fundraiser. RSVP to 432-683-2882. museumsw.org.

■ Allegro Chorale Concert, 7 p.m., Rea-Greathouse Recital Hall, 1310 N. FM 1788. $10. wagnernoel.com.

■ Justin Langston, 7 p.m., Rue 432, 106 S. "A" St.

■ Jackie Evancho, 8 p.m., Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, 1310 N. FM 1788. $29-$109. wagnernoel.com.

■ TJ Broscoff, 8 p.m., Fire Water Bar & Grill, 3113 W.Industrial Ave.

■ Ward Davis, 8 p.m., Beer Garden, 7112 W. Highway 80.

■ Free Stand-Up Comedy Night, 8 p.m., Wyndham Garden, 3100 W. Wall St. facebook.com/smellyfingercomedy.

■ Zac Wilkerson, Aaron Copeland, 9 p.m., The Lone Star Bar, 621 W. Wall St.

■ Erin Express Party Bus bar crawl by Midland Shuttle Services, 9 p.m. MSS will chauffeur registered guests to Tilted Kilt, Beer Garden, Proof and The Bar. Guests will be shuttled from and to their house. $89 per person. To register, call 432-695-6282 or visit midlandshuttleservices.com.

■ "Around the World in 80 Days" at Midland Community Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave. mctmidland.org.

Support group today

■ West Texas Amputee Support Group, 11 a.m., HealthSouth Rehabilitation Hospital; 550-4371.

Recycling container locations

Large 30-cubic yard open top containers

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■ Super Mercado — 2208 N. Big Spring St. — Cardboard

There are also 3-cubic yard containers at most of the local elementary schools where you can recycle cardboard, paper and aluminum.

All recyclables can be taken to Butts Recycling Monday through Saturday. Butts Recycling is located at 26 West Industrial Loop.

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In fight against Zika, Brazil battles neglect, cash crunch

By Joshua Goodman and Mauricio Savarese
Associated Press

CAMPINA GRANDE, Brazil — In May, as the first cases of the Zika virus were being detected in Brazil, Rossandra Oliveira stopped receiving a critical tool she needed to do her job: insecticide.

Monthly shipments from the government to her office at the epicenter of the outbreak stopped. Oliveira, who manages mosquito control for this city of 400,000, was left helpless. The shortages continued even after President Dilma Rousseff's government declared the mosquito-borne virus a national health emergency Nov. 11.

It wasn't an isolated case. For several months last year cities and states on the front lines of the epidemic in Brazil's northeast ran out of larvicide, and supplies nationwide had to be rationed, according to interviews with local health officials and documents obtained by The Associated Press from prosecutors investigating the shortages.

The lack of larvicide is only one of a string of public health failings crippling Brazil's ability to manage the Zika outbreak and the surge in rare birth defects thought to be linked to it. A weeklong tour by AP of several cities and towns in the northeast found public hospitals starved for funding and local health officials scrambling to care for the stricken babies.

"In 19 years of working in environmental control I've never seen so much disorganization as I'm seeing now," said Oliveira, whose team of 169 health inspectors in Campina Grande had to carry out door-to-door inspections without the insecticide during the shortage. "We're paying the consequences for having underestimated the enemy."

The immediate culprit is Brazil's deepest recession since the 1930s, which is forcing belt-tightening across Latin America's largest economy. But experts say the collective failure to tackle corruption, crushing inequality and chronic underfunding of the public health system is also to blame.

If addressing such long-standing scourges weren't a steep enough challenge, Rousseff must now do so while fighting for her political survival. On Sunday, hundreds of thousands of Brazilians poured into the streets to demand she resign over a widening corruption scandal now implicating former President Luiz Inacio Lula da Silva. On Thursday, she entrenched behind her political mentor, swearing in Silva as her chief of staff.

Health Minister Marcelo Castro was at a loss to explain what happened.

"If there was this shortage — which I cannot attest to whether there was or not — it was for a short time, and was an isolated incident that does not affect the overall situation," he said in an interview from his office in Brasilia that looks onto the striking modernist presidential palace.

But documents obtained by the AP and interviews with local health officials indicate that the shortages lasted several months and rationing nationwide occurred between August and October, when many women were pregnant and, unbeknownst to them at the time, potentially transmitting Zika to their unborn babies.

The problems occurred despite an alert from the World Health Organization urging nations to strengthen mosquito control in the face of a surge in dengue and chikungunya — viruses transmitted by the same Aedes aegypti mosquito that carries Zika.

In a technical note sent in September to the 185 municipalities in Pernambuco, the state's top disease control official even discussed substitutes, such as using household bleach to kill mosquito larvae, or small fish to eat them.

Castro said the reported problems coincided with a cooler period of reduced breeding and larvicide shipments have been normalized since he took office in October. He said the most effective way to fight mosquitoes isn't with chemicals but by eliminating the breeding sites inside people's homes — an effort reinforced by Rousseff's decision to deploy the military to carry out house-to-house inspections.

While the effectiveness of almost any strategy to eradicate pesky mosquitoes is debated by some experts, Brazilian authorities consider larvicide an important part of their toolkit, especially when eliminating breeding in makeshift cisterns that proliferate in the northeast due to a lack of reliable running water.

The pesticide's disappearance, however temporary, is a sign of deep-seated government neglect in a battle that, in the tropics, has to be waged every day, said Dr. Artur Timerman, a virologist and president of Brazil's Society of Dengue and Arbovirus.

"In a war like the one Brazil is facing, any gap has serious, direct consequences," Timerman said.

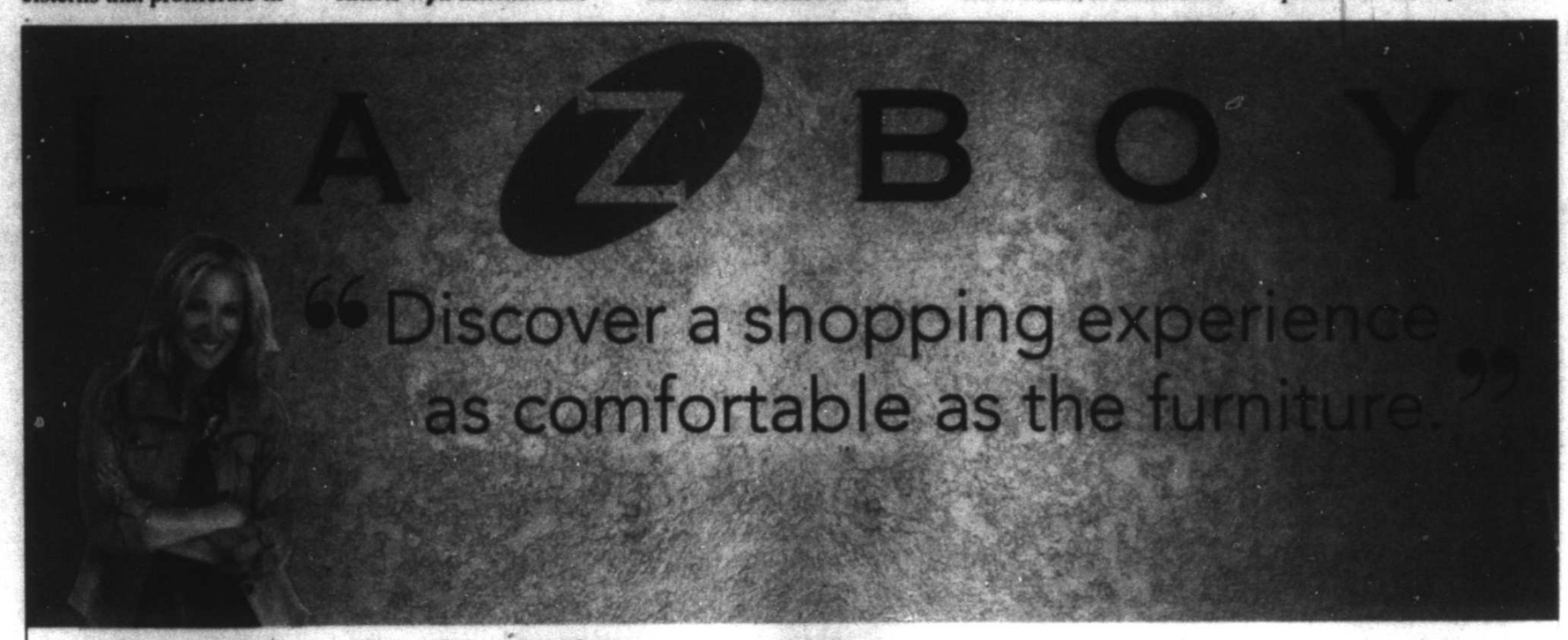
While Brazilian scientists won international praise for quickly identifying a possible link between Zika and microcephaly, authorities so far have been unable to leverage those discoveries into public health victories.

Instead of focusing on decades of government failures, Rousseff has been appealing to national pride. The T-shirt she wore recently to kick off a nationwide clean-up campaign bore the slogan "A mosquito is not stronger than an entire country." It's a strategy that for weeks seemed to have succeeded in diverting the nation's attention from the debilitating economic and political crisis.

"My entire government is engaged in dealing with this emergency," she told lawmakers last month in her annual state of the union address. "There will be no shortage of resources so we can reverse this Zika epidemic in the quickest and most adequate way possible."

But resources are tight.

Ground zero for the epidemic is Pernambuco and Paraiba, in Brazil's impoverished northeast. Since Zika was first detected in Brazil, the two states have accounted for more than 40 percent of the 6,480 reported cases of babies born with shrunken heads, a rare condition known as microcephaly. While only 663 of those suspected cases have been confirmed, and 1,349 discarded as wrongly diagnosed, the number dwarfs the 200 reported previously by Brazil, leading researchers to investigate possible links between the virus' spread and the birth defects.



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Texas company expedites permit for Iowa pipeline

Associated Press

DES MOINES, Iowa — A Texas company is asking utility regulators to expedite a permit to build the so-called Bakken oil pipeline through 18 counties in Iowa.

Last week, the Iowa Utilities Board voted unanimously to approve plans by Dakota Access LLC for a pipeline that would transport up to 570,000 barrels of crude oil daily from North Dakota's Bakken oil fields to Patoka, Illinois, the Des Moines Register reported. State officials said they wouldn't approve a permit until the company met certain conditions, including providing liability insurance of at least $25 million, a revised agricultural impact mitigation plan and modified condemnation easement forms.

Dakota Access, a unit of Dallas-based Energy Transfer Partners, told the board this week that it has fulfilled the requirements it needs to receive a state permit.

"Now that weather conditions would permit construction, and the adjoining states have already issued all necessary authorizations, every day the project is delayed in Iowa has a very real cost that will quickly reach the millions of dollars," Dakota Access said.

The company asked the board to expedite the permit so it can complete the project within one crop-growing season to minimize the impact on farmers and to maintain confidentiality for all of its liability insurance policies.

The pipeline's opponents immediately objected to the company's request. Adam Mason, state policy director for Iowa Citizens for Community Improvement, called it "an outrageous attempt" to circumvent the law and keep Iowa residents in the dark.

On Thursday, the Iowa chapter of the Sierra Club filed documents with Iowa utility regulators to oppose the request for expedited treatment.

Pipeline explosions bring new US safety proposal

By Matthew Brown
Associated Press

BILLINGS, Mont. — U.S. officials moved Thursday to strengthen safety rules for the nation's 300,000-mile network of natural gas transmission pipelines in a belated response to numerous fiery accidents, including a 2010 California explosion that killed eight people and injured more than 50.

The Department of Transportation proposal would expand inspection and repair rules to include lines in some rural areas and recently-installed lines in burgeoning gas drilling fields.

Pressure-testing for leaks would be required on older lines that were previously exempt, such as the Pacific Gas and Electric Company pipe constructed in 1956 that broke and torched a residential neighborhood in San Bruno, California, six years ago.

But the government sidestepped for now action on emergency valves that can automatically shut down ruptured gas lines. That issue was highlighted by San Bruno, where a 30-inch-diameter pipeline buried beneath a suburban street continued spewing gas for 95 minutes after it broke, destroying 38 homes and damaging 70 others before a utility worker manually shut it down.

The Associated Press has reported on the potential benefits of automatic valves, and safety officials have urged making them mandatory. The gas industry has resisted, in part due to their potential high cost.

In the past two decades, the government has recorded more than 2,000 accidents on gas transmission lines across the U.S., resulting in 46 deaths, 181 injuries and $1.8 billion in damages.

The AP obtained details on Thursday's proposal in advance of its public release. Complying would cost companies an estimated $597 million to $711 million over the next 15 years, according to federal and industry officials. Benefits primarily from hundreds of avoided accidents would total $3.2 billion to $4.7 billion over the same period.

Transportation Secretary Anthony Foxx said the changes represent commonsense measures needed to handle a dramatic increase in domestic natural gas production in recent years.

They would bring under federal regulation for the first time roughly 70,000 miles of "gathering lines" that transport fuel from gas fields to storage areas or into transmission systems, officials said.

"The significant growth in the nation's production, usage and commercialization of natural gas is placing unprecedented demands on the nation's pipeline system," Foxx said in a statement provided to the AP.

The rules would extend pressure-testing to include lines built before 1970, a step the National Transportation Safety Board has long recommended.

Some companies already have been testing older lines voluntarily, said Marie Therese Dominguez, administrator for the Transportation Department's Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration. But Dominguez said the agency has identified 7,400 miles of pipe that have never been assessed for problems.

"I really do think this is going to lead to a higher level of safety," she said. "It's going to reduce the number of incidents related to gas transmission."

Don Santa, president of Interstate Natural Gas Association of America, said the industry group would look closely at the proposal to see if it is consistent with a voluntary program its members adopted in 2012.

Pipeline safety advocates said the proposal was long overdue and addresses major gaps in government oversight of the industry. That includes expanding inspection and repair rules to include rural areas where companies to date largely have been self-regulated.

But Carl Weimer with the Bellingham, Washington-based Pipeline Safety Trust said no requirement for automatic shut-off valves was a glaring shortcoming.

"We saw in San Bruno, when someone has to jump in a truck and drive through rush-hour traffic to manually shut off a valve, how much longer that left that blowtorch to blow into that neighborhood," Weimer said.

RIG COUNT

From 1A

New Mexico had 13 rigs statewide after two rigs were idled.

At this time last year, Texas had 465 rigs and New Mexico had 53.

United States

Nationwide, the U.S. added one rig but lost five natural gas rigs. There were 387 rigs exploring for oil and 89 searching for natural gas.

All losses occurred on land, which tallied 446 after four rigs were idled. There were three rigs in inland waters and 27 rigs offshore, 26 of which were in the Gulf of Mexico.

By drilling trajectory, there were 58 vertical rigs, up three; 369 horizontal rigs, down six; and 49 directional rigs, down one.

The U.S. had 1,069 rigs a year ago this week.

Top 5s

The top five counties in the Permian Basin were Midland, Reeves, Loving, Upton and Martin (9)

The top basins in the U.S. were the Permian; the Eagle Ford; the Cana Woodford with 34, down three; the Williston with 31, down one; and the Marcellus with 31, unchanged.

The top states were Texas; Oklahoma with 66, down one; Louisiana with 49, unchanged; North Dakota with 31, down one; and Pennsylvania with 19, up two.

By the numbers

The following are Permian Basin rig counts by county for the week ending March 18, with changes in parentheses:

District 7B

Stonewall	1 (+1)
Total	1 (+1)

District 7C

Crockett	0 (-1)
Irion	1
Reagan	7
Upton	16 (+2)
Total	25 (+1)

District 8

Andrews	5 (+1)
Culberson	6
Glasscock	5
Howard	6 (+2)
Loving	19 (+1)
Martin	9
Midland	26 (-3)
Pecos	2
Reeves	21 (+1)
Sterling	1
Ward	2 (-1)
Winkler	2 (+1)
Total	104

District 8A

Borden	1
Cochran	1
Crosby	1
Gaines	0 (-1)
Hockley	2 (+1)
Scurry	2 (+1)
Yoakum	4 (-1)
Total	11

New Mexico

Eddy	6
Lea	6 (-2)
Total	12 (-2)

Canada and North America

Canada's rig count plunged 29 this week to 69. There were 12 oil rigs, down 16. 57 rigs were searching for natural gas, down 13. Canada had 140 rigs a year ago this week.

The total number of rigs exploring for oil and natural gas in the North America region this week was 545, down 33. At this time last year, there were 1,209 rigs in North America.

More energy news

Check out weekly Oil Report in Sunday's edition of the Reporter-Telegram. This week's big six stories:

- The Department of Labor has fined oil companies for improper wage payments.
- Economist Karr Ingham says the Permian petroleum economy has plunged 39 percent.
- Globe Energy has completed its recapitalization deal.
- Producer hedging is "already rampant" after price surge.
- Saudi Arabia's oil chief sees a world after fossil fuels.
- An ExxonMobil executive warns that companies need to be ready to meet rising petrochemical demand.

For more energy news, visit mrt.com/business/oil. For more information about this week's rig counts, visit the Baker Hughes website at bakerhughes.com.

OIL

From 1A

Thursday also marked year-highs for WTI posted ($36.75) and West Texas sour posted ($32.15).

Friday's Plains All American posted prices, like futures prices, fell. WTI fetched $36 a barrel, down 75 cents (2.04 percent). West Texas sour fell 75 cents to $31.40, down 2.33 percent.

WTI posted remained positive for the year, having gained $2.75 (8.27 percent) since the year-open $33.25 on Jan. 4.

West Texas sour is down 60 cepts (1.88 percent) on the year but is $11.85 (60.61 percent) above Feb. 11's year-low of $19.55 a barrel.

Futures contracts for May are still above $40. May, which will become the near-month contract March 22, settled Friday at $41.14 a barrel, down 52 cents. June closed at $42.05, while July finished the week at $42.68.

The nearest month in the $50 range is June 2021 at $50.09 a barrel.

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Runner aims to cover 1,000 miles in 7 deserts in 7 weeks

By Andrew Dalton
Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — Long-distance runners are water-obsessed by necessity, but Mina Guli is on another level. She's trying to run more than 1,000 miles through seven deserts on seven continents in seven weeks to raise awareness of worldwide water shortages.

She has completed six of the runs, having jogged an average of 150 miles each through harsh conditions in Spain, Jordan, Antarctica, Australia, South Africa and Chile.

Now, the Australian is in drought-stricken California to run her final leg through Death Valley and into Nevada. She hopes to finish Tuesday, which the United Nations has designated World Water Day.

If she does, she will have run the equivalent of 40 marathons.

Guli said she was feeling tired but inspired as she spoke to The Associated Press by phone in Santiago, Chile, where she was boarding a flight to Los Angeles on Thursday.

"I'm excited about the momentum we've created," the 45-year-old said. "Rest has been few and far between. I really want to do this in seven weeks, so it's been a rush. A lot of time is spent flying, driving into deserts. They're not always on the doorsteps of big cities."

In Jordan, on the second leg of the trek, Guli said she almost made her point about water shortages too well. She planned to use local water supplies along the way but faced a taxing set of days when there was little of the precious liquid to be had.

"The wells are dry," she said. "Jordan is having major water problems. Places where you expect to get water, you don't get water anymore. Even places where people assured me there would be water to find, there was none."

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From there, Guli made the otherworldly transition to snow-white Antarctica, whose meager precipitation makes it the world's largest desert.

"It is white from the sky to the ground," she said. "The only sound you can hear is your own heartbeat."

Guli, who now lives in Beijing and runs Thirst, a nonprofit dedicated to water issues, said it was almost frustrating to be atop all that ice.

"You're standing and running on all this fresh water that is inaccessible to the rest of the planet," she said.

From there came another drastic change, in temperature and scenery, to the red sands of central Australia's Simpson Desert.

Guli's desire to run during the day and stay on local time so she can meet and talk to people about water has made things especially complicated.

"Jet lag has been a major issue each time we've had a big time-zone change: between Australia and South Africa, I found that extremely challenging," she said. "I felt like I was running with lead weights around my ankles."

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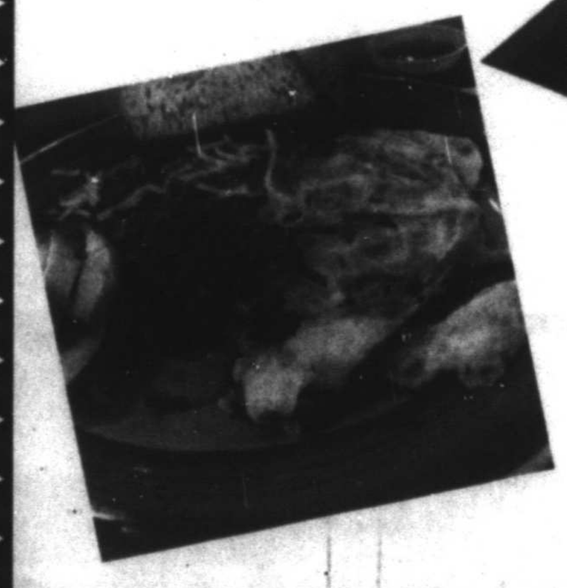
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Experts: IS expanding its global reach through social media

By Scott Smith
Associated Press

> *"Islamic State is going to continue to decentralize as it gets battered. The Internet isn't going away. The group is going to call upon locals to commit attacks."*
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> **Max Abrahms,** political science professor at Northeastern University

FRESNO, Calif. — Law enforcement officials believe the San Bernardino massacre and a stabbing attack on a California college campus were done by lone wolves inspired by the Islamic State group, and counterterrorism experts say both show how the organization is expanding its reach through social media.

Recruitment videos the extremists post online are often short and flashy. They feature hip-hop music, promising a chance to be part of a global cause and, experts say, most importantly targeting a vulnerable audience.

"For somebody searching for meaning and feeling disconnected, that's a very powerful message, and difficult to resist," said John Cohen, a criminal justice professor at Rutgers University and formerly the Department of Homeland Security's counter terrorism coordinator.

That's how Faisal Mohammad, an 18-year-old freshman at the University of California, Merced, appears to have become self-radicalized. The FBI said he visited IS websites for several weeks before he wounded four people in the Nov. 4 knife attack. A campus police officer shot and killed him.

A month later, the gun-wielding husband-and-wife team in San Bernardino shot and killed 14 people and wounded 21 others. Investigators say they were also influenced by the Islamic State group, but not directly connected to it.

"The Internet enables people who aren't necessarily able to function well in a group to claim at least that they're inspired by an ideology," said Jessica Stern, a research professor at the Pardee School for Global Studies at Boston University.

Mohammad had been shunned by a study group at U.C. Merced, where he was a freshman, authorities have said, and Syed Rizwan Farook, 28, launched the San Bernardino attack with his wife against a group of colleagues gathered at a luncheon.

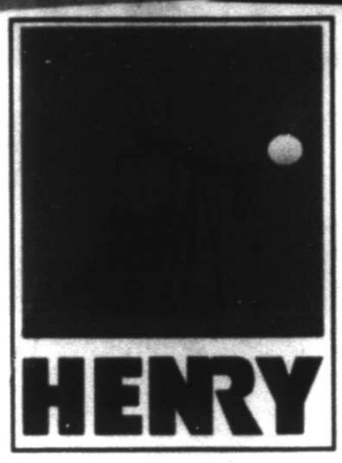
"More must be done to combat jihadists' narrative and their use of the Internet to radicalize, recruit, and fundraise," said Majority Leader Kevin McCarthy, a Republican from Bakersfield. He cited two dozen IS-inspired plots in the United States since 2014.

Lone-wolf attacks carried out in this country are a "Western luxury," said Max Abrahms, a political science professor at Northeastern University. He says it's a sign that there are not large terrorists groups carrying out attacks.

But he agrees that isolated attacks are likely to increase as the Islamic State is increasingly under fire in its strongholds in Iraq and Syria.

"Islamic State is going to continue to decentralize as it gets battered," Abrahms said. "The Internet isn't going away. The group is going to call upon locals to commit attacks."

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Chaps split doubleheader with Howard College

By Oscar LeRoy
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Midland College baseball coach David Coleman knows that to win in baseball, teams have to pitch and field well to have a chance at winning.

So when a team commits errors in bunches, the odds of winning reduces greatly.

The Chaparrals and Howard College found that out on Friday as MC had five errors in the first game for a 4-2 loss. Then in the second game, it was the Chaps' turn to take advantage of four Hawk errors to come back and win, 9-7, in the second game of a Western Junior College Athletic Conference doubleheader on a windy Friday afternoon at Christensen Stadium.

"That was really big," said MC sophomore right fielder Yahir Gurrola about bouncing back. "We had a lot of guys that stepped up. We didn't get down on ourselves at any time. We stayed positive."

The Chaps (10-10, 5-1) needed to respond after going through a nightmare first game as their flurry of errors — all coming from the infield — cost them in a seven-inning contest.

"It's just disheartening because that has been our bugaboo all year," Coleman said. "We just didn't catch the ball and it's required."

The errors ruined what was otherwise a solid pitching performance from sophomore left-hander Tucker Davidson, who allowed only one earned run on seven hits in a complete-game performance. He also struck out nine and did not walk a batter.

"He did great, way good enough to win," said Coleman of Davidson's outing. "If we make plays behind him, just catch simple balls and don't give them five outs in that one inning to beat us, we win. But that's the game. Sometimes you don't have your best stuff and we certainly didn't in the first one."

After falling behind in the second game, 3-1, the Chaps had their best offensive inning of the afternoon when they had five hits and a walk in a five-run third for a 6-3 lead. Connor Gesell had the big hit in the rally with a two-run single to right-center.

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Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

Midland College's Tucker Davidson delivers a pitch as Howard College's James Davison bats Friday at Christensen Stadium.

Complete win for MHS



James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Midland's Chris Sims (22) rounds the bases after hitting up a triple against Odessa High on Friday at Zachery Field.

Bulldogs back up Bolger's outing in win over OHS

By Will Korn
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Bulldogs	6
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The Midland High baseball team showed a little bit of everything on Friday against District 3-6A foe Odessa High.

The Bulldogs racked up key hits, displayed great base running, capitalized on OHS mistakes and made a couple of their own. It was all buoyed by a complete game performance on the mound from Brady Bolger, as MHS captured a 6-1 district victory over the Bronchos in windy conditions at Zachery Field.

MHS head coach Barry Russell was impressed with Bolger's outing, especially considering the elements. The senior right-hander allowed one unearned run on four hits over his seven innings, while striking out three and walking one. He limited the number of Bronchos' base runners and when they did get on, he minimized damage.

"Brady pitched his tail end off and I'm proud of him," Russell said. "He threw well. He threw really well."

Bolger was staked to an early 1-0 lead in the bottom of the first when Jaxon Hallmark's sacrifice fly to left field scored Ethan Barker.

MHS (14-5, 2-1) also added two runs in the fifth. Cort Hale singled home Chris Sims, who led off the inning with a line drive triple to center field and then Sam Bertelson plated Hale with a single to right field.

Sims, Barker and Hale — the Bulldogs' 9-1-2 hitters in the game — were lethal to OHS starting pitcher Cal Pequeno. The three combined to go 5-for-8 with three walks, an RBI and three stolen bases as well as creating havoc with their speed.

Hale, a senior outfielder, said his eyes always light up when leadoff hitter Barker reaches base ahead of him.

"Oh I love it," Hale said. "I love when (Ethan) Barker gets on. It gives me a chance to hit him around, bunt him around, let the 3-4-5 guys hit us in. It's great, I love it."

Leading 4-1 and seeking some extra insurance for Bolger, the Bulldogs cashed in on a trio of costly Broncho errors in the top of the sixth inning.

Barker and Hale drew back-to-back, two-out walks to load the bases for

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House leads Texas A&M to opening win over Green Bay

Aggies	92
Phoenix	65

By Kurt Voigt
Associated Press

OKLAHOMA CITY — Danuel House scored 20 points as Texas A&M pulled away in the second half to win its first NCAA Tournament game since 2010 with a 92-65 first-round victory over Green Bay on Friday night.

House was 8 of 12 from the field and hit a pair of 3-pointers for Texas A&M, which shot 56.1 percent (32 of 57) in a comfortable victory over the 14th seed.

Khalil Small scored a career-high 22 points to lead the Horizon League Tournament champion Phoenix (23-13), who were making their first tournament appearance in 20 years, while Jamar Hurdle added 11 in the loss.

Tonny Trocha-Morelos added 15 points for the Aggies, while Tyler Davis had 12 and Jalen Jones and Admon Gilder 11 each in the victory.

After trailing by as many as eight points early, Texas A&M (27-8) closed the first half on a 27-11 run and led 41-33 at halftime.

The Aggies pushed their lead to 57-39 early in the second half after an inside basket by Tavario Miller — capping a 43-17 run that all-but secured the school's first NCAA tourney win since a first-round victory over Utah State in 2010.

Texas A&M's tournament appearance was its first since 2011, and its No. 3 seed matched the highest in school history. Led by House and the dominating inside presence of 6-foot-10 freshman Davis, the Aggies lived up to their pre-tournament billing by winning for the ninth time in their last 10 games.

On a day when second-seeded Michigan State was shocked by Middle Tennessee State, the Aggies' inexperience and higher-seeded target didn't slow them from earning a decisive win — one in which the Southeastern Conference runners-up outrebounded Green Bay 45-25 and scored 46 points inside the paint.

Green Bay entered the game fueled by the up-tempo style of first-year coach Linc Darner, whose motto of "RP40" — Relentless Pressure for 40 minutes — helped the Phoenix to a school-record 344 steals for the season entering Friday.

That pressure gave Texas A&M all kinds of fits early, with Green Bay forcing nine turnovers by the Aggies in less than eight minutes to open the game. The Phoenix turned those miscues into 10 points and took a 22-14 lead after Tevin Findlay's putback capped a 12-0 run before the Aggies responded.

Double-digit seeds make singular statement in mixed up NCAAs

By Eddie Pells
Associated Press

DENVER — The only thing "double-digits" about Wichita State and Gonzaga have been their margins of victory.

They are 11 seeds this year. They have played a combined three games. Nobody has come within 10 points of them.

That the Shockers and Bulldogs have moved past the first round of the NCAA Tournament is hardly anything new — surprises happen all the time in March Madness, as Michigan State will certainly attest.

The bigger questions are: Were these really upsets? And, given the most unpredictable regular season that just ended, did the selection committee have a fighting chance of getting this, or anything else, right this year?

"We don't have basketball people in that group," said Kentucky coach John Calipari, during an entertaining rant after the brackets came out.

One of Calipari's main complaints was that when teams get seeded improperly, they don't suffer as much as the teams they have to play.

Arizona and Seton Hall, a pair of No. 6 seeds with decent resumes, would certainly agree. The Wildcats fell by 10 to Wichita State on Thursday, and the Pirates lost by 16 to Gonzaga. Vanderbilt also got the wrong end: Wichita State beat the Commodores, another 11 seed, 70-50 in the play-in game Tuesday.

"Typically, the talk is that teams that are in those play-in games shouldn't be in the tournament," said Wichita State guard Fred VanVleet, who was part of Shockers teams that went to the Final Four in 2013 and went undefeated the next regular season. "So, we just take all of that as ammunition and just keep letting that chip on our shoulder get bigger and bigger."

It wasn't hard to see this coming.

This season included six changes atop The Associated Press poll, one short of the record. It gave us a season-ending Top 10 of teams that combined for 68 losses. It featured 31 conference tournaments, only 10 of which were won by the same team that earned top seeding in the regular season.

Gonzaga may have well have been the poster child for all this upheaval.

The Bulldogs started the season ranked ninth and considered, as always, a Final Four contender. But when center Przemek Karnowski went out with a season-ending back injury in December, everything changed. The Zags lost six games — a catastrophe by their standards — in December, January and February. They were considered a bubble

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ON THE AIR

ON TV

ALPINE SKIING

FIS St. Moritz: Men's Giant Slalom, 6 a.m., NBCSN

FIS St. Moritz: Women's Slalom, Noon, NBC

BASEBALL

World Baseball Classic Mexico Qualifying Semifinal: Czech Republic/Germany winner vs. Mexico/Nicaragua loser, 10 p.m., MLB

Boxing

Juan Diaz vs. Fernando Garcia, Mike Alvardo vs. Saul Corral, Esquiva Falcao vs. Joe McCreedy, 10 p.m., UniMas

COLLEGE BASEBALL

FAU at Middle Tennessee, 11 a.m., FSN (FSSW, FSSW+)

Kentucky at Georgia, 1 p.m., SEC

Tulane at Texas, 2 p.m., LHN

Pacific at BYU, 2 p.m., BYUtv

Texas Tech at Baylor, 3 p.m., FCSC

Louisville at Miami-FL, 7 p.m., ESPNU

Mississippi State at Vanderbilt, 7:30 p.m., SEC

COLLEGE SOFTBALL

Tennessee at Florida, 11 a.m., SEC

Arizona at Arizona State, 5:30 p.m., P12 AZ

Oregon at Washington, 5:30 p.m., P12 OR, P12 WA

UCLA at Cal, 5:30 p.m., P12 BAY, P12 LA

COLLEGE WRESTLING

Medal Round, 10 a.m., ESPNU

NCAA Finals, 7 p.m., ESPN

GOLF

PGA: Arnold Palmer Invitational, 3rd Round, 11:30 a.m., GOLF

PGA: Arnold Palmer Invitational, 3rd Round, 1:30 p.m., NBC

Champions: Tucson Conquistadors Classic, 2nd Round, 4 p.m., GOLF

LPGA: JTBC Founders Cup, 3rd Round, 6 p.m., GOLF

MLB

NY Mets vs. Washington, Noon, MLB

Kansas City vs. Texas, 2 p.m., FSSW

LA Dodgers vs. Chic. White Sox, 3 p.m., MLB

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

NCAA: Wichita State vs. Miami-FL, 10 a.m., CBS

NIT: Wagner at Creighton, 11 a.m., ESPN

NCAA: Yale vs. Duke, 12:30 p.m., CBS

NCAA: Indiana vs. Kentucky, 3:15 p.m., CBS

NCAA: UALR vs. Iowa State, 4 p.m., TNT

NCAA: Butler vs. Virginia, 5 p.m., TBS

NCAA: Connecticut vs. Kansas, 5:45 p.m., CBS

NCAA: Gonzaga vs. Utah, 6:30 p.m., TNT

NCAA: Providence vs. North Carolina, 7:30 p.m., TBS

MIXED MARTIAL ARTS

UFC: Hunt vs. Mir, Prelims, 7 p.m., FS1, FXDEP

UFC: Hunt vs. Mir, 9 p.m., FS1, FXDEP

MOTORSPORTS

IMSA: Weathertech Sportscar Championship from Sebring International Speedway, 9:30 a.m., FS1

Sprint Cup: Auto Cub 400, Practice, 10 a.m., FS2

XFINITY: Treatmyclot.com 300, Qualifying, 11 a.m., FS1

IMSA: Weathertech Sportscar Championship from Sebring International Speedway, 11 a.m., FS2

Sprint Cup: Auto Cub 400, Final Practice, 1:30 p.m., FS1

XFINITY: Treatmyclot.com 300, 3 p.m., FS1

Monster Energy Supercross: Detroit, 6 p.m., FS2

IMSA: Weathertech Sportscar Championship from Sebring International Speedway, 9 p.m., FS2

F1: Australian Grand Prix, 11:30 p.m., NBCSN, UniMas, UDN

NBA

Golden State at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m., ABC

NHL

Detroit at Florida, 6 p.m., NHL

NY Islanders at Dallas, 7 p.m., FSSW

TENNIS

ATP: BNP Paribas Open, Men's Semi's, 1 p.m., ESPN

ATP/WTA: BNP Paribas Open, Doubles Finals, 6 p.m., TENNIS

TRACK AND FIELD

IAAF World Indoor Championships from Portland, 8:30 p.m., NBCSN

WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

NCAA: Robert Morris at Connecticut, 10 a.m., ESPN2

NCAA Whip-a-Round: Duquesne vs. Seton Hall, Purdue vs. Oklahoma, Iona vs. Maryland, Middle Tennessee vs. Florida State, 12:30 p.m., ESPN2

NCAA: Missouri State vs. Texas A&M, 3 p.m., ESPN2

NCAA Whip-a-Round: Hawaii vs. UCLA, South Dakota State vs. Miami-FL, North Carolina A&T vs. Notre Dame, Missouri vs. BYU, 5:30 p.m., ESPN2

NCAA: Alabama State vs. Texas, 8 p.m., ESPN2

WHAT'S ON DECK

High school

BASEBALL

Colleyville Covenant vs. Midland Christian (WILL), 11 a.m., Christensen Stadium

GOLF

Midland High boys at Seminole Invitational

BOYS SOCCER

Lee at Abilene High, Noon

Odessa High at Midland High, Noon

GIRLS SOCCER

Lee at Abilene High, 2 p.m.

Odessa High at Midland High, 2 p.m.

SOFTBALL

Lee at Lubbock Cooper, 2 p.m.

TENNIS

Midland High at Allen Eagle Invitational

Junior college

BASEBALL

Midland College at Howard College, 1 p.m.

SOFTBALL

El Paso CC at MC, 1 p.m.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

American League

BOSTON RED SOX — Optioned INF Marco Hernandez to Pawtucket (IL). Reassigned RHP Kyle Martin to their minor league camp.

CLEVELAND INDIANS — Optioned OF James Ramsey to Columbus (IL). Reassigned OF Michael Choice, C Jeremy Lucas, C Anthony Recker and INF Eric Stamets to their minor league camp.

DETROIT TIGERS — Optioned RHP Michael Fulmer to Toledo (IL).

HOUSTON ASTROS — Optioned C Alfredo Gonzalez to Corpus Christi (TL). Reassigned RHP Jordan Jankowski to their minor league camp.

LOS ANGELES ANGELS — Announced the retirement of LHP Rob Rasmussen.

MINNESOTA TWINS — Optioned RHP Alex Meyer, 1B Kennys Vargas and INF Jorge Polanco to Rochester (IL). Reassigned RHPs Jose Berrios and Nick Burdi, LHP Aaron Thompson, Cs Stuart Turner and Mitch Garver, and OF Joe Bensonthe to their minor league camp.

NEW YORK YANKEES — Re-acquired LHP Evan Rutckyj from Atlanta and assigned him to Scranton-Wilkes-Barre (IL).

SEATTLE MARINERS — Agreed to terms with RHP Justin De Fratus on a minor league contract. Optioned RHP Cody Martin, C Mike Zunino and OF Boog Powell to Tacoma (PCL).

TORONTO BLUE JAYS — Announced the retirement of RHP Brad Penny. Optioned OF Dalton Pompey and INF Matt Dominguez to Buffalo (IL). Reassigned LHPs Scott Diamond and Wade LeBlanc to minor league camp.

National League

ATLANTA BRAVES — Optioned OF Mallex Smith to Gwinnett (IL). Reassigned RHPs Aaron Blair and Lucas Sims and INFs Ozzie Albies and Dansby Swanson to their minor league camp.

CHICAGO CUBS — Optioned RHPs Carl Edwards Jr. and Pierce Johnson, LHP C.J. Riefenhauser, INF Arismendy Alcantara and C Willson Contreras to Iowa (PCL); and INF Jeimer Candelario to Tennessee (SL). Assigned RHPs Stephen Fife, Felix Pena and Drew Rucinski, LHP Edgar Olmos and C Taylor Davis to their minor league camp.

CINCINNATI REDS — Optioned RHP Robert Stephenson, RHP Stephen Johnson and OF Kyle Waldrop to Louisville (IL). Reassigned RHP Tim Adleman, RHP Zack Weiss, C Joe Hudson and OF Jesse Winker to their minor league camp. Released LHP Jonathan Sanchez.

COLORADO ROCKIES — Optioned RHP Eddie Butler, RHP Carlos Estevez and OF Raimel Tapia to Albuquerque (PCL) and RHP German Marquez, RHP Antonio Senzatela and C Tom Murphy to Hartford (EL). Reassigned RHP Shane Carle, LHP Sam Moll, OF Noel Cuevas and OF Jordan Patterson to their minor league camp.

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES — Optioned RHP Jimmy Cordero and C Jorge Alfaro to Reading (EL). Reassigned C Andrew Knapp to their minor league camp.

PITTSBURGH PIRATES — Optioned INF Josh Bell, OF Willy Garcia, INF Alen Hanson, RHP John Holdzkom, RHP Nick Kingham, INF Max Moroff and INF Gift Ngoepe to Indianapolis (IL). Reassigned INFs Juan Diaz, Adam Frazier and Dan Gamache to minor their league camp.

SAN DIEGO PADRES — Agreed to terms with 3B Mike Olt on a minor league contract.

WASHINGTON NATIONALS — Optioned C Pedro Severino to Syracuse (IL).

American Association

GARY SOUTHSHORE RAILCATS — Signed C Jose Gonzalez.

SIOUX FALLS CANARIES — Signed RHP James Jones.

TROIS-RIVIERES AIGLES — Signed OF Sam Judah and INF Danny Mateo.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association

DETROIT PISTONS — Signed G Lorenzo Brown to a 10-day contract.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

BUFFALO BILLS— Signed S Robert Blanton.

HOUSTON TEXANS — Re-signed RB Jonathan Grimes.

INDIANAPOLIS COLTS — Signed RB Jordan Todman.

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS — Signed LB Tautvydas Kieras.

MIAMI DOLPHINS — Named Jim Washburn senior defensive assistant-pass rush specialist. Signed WR Griff Whalen.

MINNESOTA VIKINGS — Signed OT Andre Smith. Re-signed CB Terence Newman and DE Justin Trattou.

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS — Signed RB Donald Brown, DE Chris Long and LB Shea McClellin.

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS — Named Dana Bible senior analyst, Joe Bowden inside linebackers, Tem Lukabu defensive quality control, Kevin O'Connell special projects and Vince Oghobaase assistant defensive line.

TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS — Agreed to terms with LB Daryl Smith.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

NHL — Suspended Philadelphia F Chris VandeVelde two games for elbowing Chicago F Jonathan Toews during a March 16 game.

ARIZONA COYOTES — Recalled D Philip Samuelsson from Springfield (AHL).

CAROLINA HURRICANES — Recalled D Trevor Carrick from Charlotte (AHL).

CHICAGO BLACKHAWKS — Assigned D David Rundblad to Rockford (AHL).

DALLAS STARS — Signed D Stephen Johns to a two-year contract extension.

DETROIT RED WINGS — Reassigned G Jake Paterson to Grand Rapids (AHL) from Toledo (ECHL).

NEW JERSEY DEVILS — Recalled F Brian O'Neill from Albany (AHL).

SOCCER

Major League Soccer

NEW ENGLAND REVOLUTION — Signed M Lee Nguyen.

COLLEGE

DELAWARE — Fired men's basketball coach Monte Ross.

NEW MEXICO — Fired women's basketball coach Yvonne Sanchez.

OKLAHOMA STATE — Announced Travis Ford men's basketball coach has agreed to end his tenure.

RADFORD — Named Jessica Giuggioli women's tennis coach.

WISCONSIN — Fired men's hockey coach Mike Eaves.

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Payton's gem carries Lee past Abilene High

From staff reports

ABILENE — Behind a strong six-inning outing from left-handed starter Chapman Payton, as well as a 10-hit outburst, the No. 25-ranked Lee baseball team notched a 5-1 District 3-6A win against Abilene High on Friday at Blackburn Field.

John Wuthrich put together another big day at the plate, going 2-for-3 with an RBI, a walk and two runs scored. Evan Mata also went 2-for-4 with a triple, two RBI and a run scored for the Rebels in the win.

Lee (10-4, 3-0) scored two runs in the top of the third on an RBI single by Wuthrich and then an RBI triple by Mata.

In the top of the fifth, the Rebels struck for three more runs. Mata singled home Wuthrich and then was driven in himself by a Tailan Boza RBI double. Adam Becker's RBI single capped off the Rebels' scoring in the win.

Lee will next take on Odessa Permian (6-6-3, 1-2) at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday at McCanlies Field in Odessa.

NO. 25 LEE 5, ABILENE HIGH 1

Lee	002 030 0	—5 10 0
AHS	000 010 0	—1 6 1

Chapman Payton, Bo Blessie (7) and Hunter Coleman. Tyler Baker and Terrell Franklin. W — Payton (1-0). L — Baker (1-3). 2B — Lee: Ty Coleman, Tailan Boza. 3B — Lee: Evan Mata.

Records: Lee 10-4, 3-0 in District 3-6A; AHS 6-9, 0-3 in District 3-6A

Next: Lee at Odessa Permian, 4:30 p.m. Tuesday; AHS at Odessa High, 4:30 p.m. Tuesday

HSBASEBALL/SOFTBALLROUNDUP

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Baseball

MCS EDGES COLLEYVILLE IN DISTRICT OPENER

Grant Little allowed one hit over six innings and also homered to lead Midland Christian to a 4-3 victory against Colleyville Covenant in the teams' TAPPS 1-4A opener, Friday at Christensen Stadium.

Little struck out seven and walked five before being relieved in the seventh inning by Hunter Robertson, who picked up the win for MCS (12-8-1, 1-0). Little and Robertson combined to allow just two Colleyville hits.

Dillon Renz and Anderson Needham also drove in runs for the Mustangs in the victory.

The Mustangs will take on CC again at 11 a.m. today at Christensen Stadium.

MCS 4, COLLEYVILLE COVENANT 3

CC	020 010	0—3	2 5
MCS	101 010	1—4	5 2

Griggs, Alvarez (5) and Roach. Grant Little, Hunter Robertson (7) and Zac Tilton. W — Robertson. L — Alvarez. HR — MCS: Grant Little.

Record: MCS 12-8-1, 1-0 in TAPPS 1-4A

Next: Colleyville Covenant at MCS, 11 a.m. today at Christensen Stadium

Thursday's late box

MIDLAND CLASSICAL 5, COAHOMA 0

MCA	200 003 0	—5 5 2
Coahoma	000 000 0	—0 2 3

Heath Gladson, Jaxon Bailey (4), Josh Rabe (6) and Blake Gladson. Franklin, Taylor (4), Biddisin (7) and Pearson. W — Bailey. L — Franklin. 2B — MCA: Heath Gladson, Conner Hall; Coahoma: Biddisin

Softball

MHS FADES LATE IN LOSS TO FRENSHIP

WOLFFORTH — Wolfforth Frenship scored four runs in both the fifth and sixth innings to rally for an 11-6 win over Midland High in non-district play on Friday.

Brooke Ryan and Racey Haile homered for MHS (15-6-1) in the loss.

WOLFFORTH FRENSHIP 11, MIDLAND HIGH 6

Midland	102 300 0	—6 10 1
Frenship	120 044 x	—11 10 1

Deandra Allen, Brooke Ryan (6), Alli Monarrez (7) and Rodriguez. Etchison, Gonzales (4) and Kerr, Varnell (4). W— Gonzales. L— Allen. 2B— Frenship: Johnson, Varnell. 3B—Frenship: Little. HR—Midland: Ryan, Racey Haile.

Records: Midland High 15-6-1; Frenship 9-11

Next: MHS at Odessa Permian, 4 p.m. Tuesday

MCS WINS BY RUN RULE IN DISTRICT PLAY

FLOWER MOUND — Midland Christian cruised to an 11-1 rout of Coram Deo in a five-inning TAPPS 1-4A game on Friday.

Clarissa Martinez shined at both the plate and the circle for the Lady Mustangs (13-11, 3-0 in TAPPS 1-4A), picking up the win and helping her cause with a home run.

In five innings, Martinez held the Lady Lions to two runs on six hits and a walk, while striking out four. Martinez also went 3-for-4 with two RBI and two runs scored.

MCS' Zaitha Suarez was 2-for-3 with a home run, three RBI and two runs scored.

MCS 11, FLOWER MOUND CORAM DEO 1, 5 INNINGS

MCS	201 17	—11 9 1
Coram Deo	000 10	—1 6 7

Clarissa Martinez and Brandi Kennedy. G. Roberts and L. Moses. W — Martinez. L — Roberts. 2B — MCS: Danika Gordon, Courtney Monk, Jessica Hooper; Coram Deo: A. Henley. HR — MCS: Martinez, Zaitha Suarez

Record: MCS 13-11, 3-0 in TAPPS 1-4A; Coram Deo 8-6-1, 0-1

ANDREWS PUMMELS GREENWOOD IN 4-A ACTION

ANDREWS — Andrews needed only five innings to dispatch Greenwood 15-2 in District 4-4A play on Friday.

The Lady Mustangs improved to 2-0 in District 4-4A, while the Rangerettes (5-17, 0-2 in District 4-4A) are still seeking their first district victory.

No other information was available.

Lady Chaps split with El Paso CC

From staff reports

The Midland College softball team split its Western Junior College Athletic Conference opening doubleheader with visiting El Paso Community College Friday, winning 4-0 in the first game and falling 6-4 to the Tejanas in game two.

MC sophomore Kaitlyn Durrett tossed a three-hit shutout in the early game at Midland College softball field.

Desiree Hagberg led the Lady Chaparrals (21-7, 1-1 in WJCAC) at the plate in their win, batting 3-for-3 with two RBI.

MC led El Paso CC, 4-2, through five innings in the second game, but the Tejanas stunned the Lady Chaps with a four-run sixth inning to take the lead, and held on to win.

El Paso CC (12-15-1, 1-1 in WJCAC) pounded out 11 hits in the second contest, spearheaded by Bianca Urbina's three doubles.

In a losing effort, MC's Kiana Broderson-Jones went 2-for-3 with two runs scored, while teammate Alexis Aguilar was 2-for-4 with three RBI.

The four-game series concludes today as Midland College hosts the Tejanas at 1 p.m. in a doubleheader.

Game 1

MIDLAND COLLEGE 4, EL PASO CC 0

El Paso	000 000 0	—0 3 3
Midland	301 000 x	—4 6 0

Anissia Munoz and Bianca Urbina. Kaitlyn Durrett and Kami. W — Durrett. L — Munoz.

Game 2

EL PASO CC 6, MIDLAND COLLEGE 4

El Paso	000 204 0	—6 11 2
Midland	200 200 0	—4 8 2

Jasmine Arganda, Kaylyn Bujanda (4) and Breana Nevarez. Senae Nakoa, Kaitlyn Durrett (4), Cassie Siataga (7) and Robi Kami. W — Bujanda. L — Durrett. 2B — El Paso CC: Bianca Urbina 3, Ericka Martinez; MC: Siataga

Records: Midland College 21-7, 1-1 in WJCAC; El Paso CC 12-15-1, 1-1

Next: El Paso CC at Midland College (DH), 1 p.m. today

HIGH SCHOOL SOCCER STANDINGS

2016 District 3-6A boys soccer

Team	W	PW	PL	L	Pts.
xy-Midland High (16-5-0)	6	2	0	1	22
x-Abilene High (15-6-0)	5	0	0	4	15
x-SA Central (9-8-2)	4	1	0	4	14
x-Odessa High (6-12-2)	4	0	2	3	14
Lee (8-9-2)	2	1	2	4	10
Odessa Permian (9-11-2)	1	1	1	5	6

x-clinched playoff berth

y-clinched district title

Note: 3 points for a win, 2 points for a penalty kick win, 1 point for a penalty kick loss

Today's Matches

Odessa High at Midland High, noon; Lee at Abilene High, 10 a.m.; San Angelo Central at Odessa Permian, noon

2016 District 3-6A girls soccer

Team	W	PW	PL	L	Pts.
x-San Angelo Central (18-3-2)	7	0	1	1	22
x-Odessa Permian (14-6-2)	6	1	0	2	20
x-Midland High (9-11-0)	6	0	0	3	18
Odessa High (12-8-1)	3	0	0	6	9
Abilene High (12-10-0)	2	1	0	6	8
Lee (7-9-1)	1	0	1	7	4

x-clinched playoff berth

Note: 3 points for a win, 2 points for a penalty kick win, 1 point for a penalty kick loss

Today's Matches

Odessa High at Midland High, 2 p.m.; Lee at Abilene High, noon; San Angelo Central at Odessa Permian, 2 p.m.

BULLDOGS

From 1B

Hallmark, who then popped up an innocent looking ball to first base. But some miscommunication caused second baseman Yayo Carrasco to drop the ball and two more MHS runs scored.

On the way to notching their second consecutive district victory, the Bulldogs led off with a hit in five of the six innings they came to the plate.

Bolger said it was a nice feeling watching his offense produce behind him throughout the game.

"Oh yeah," Bolger said. "That gets you fired up when you see your guys hitting and scoring because that just livens the dugout up and it makes it easier to pitch that way."

MHS will look to keep pace with Lee — 5-1 winners against Abilene High on Friday — when they host San Angelo Central (7-9-1, 2-1) at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday at Zachery Field.

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MIDLAND HIGH 6, ODESSA HIGH 1

OHS	000 010 0	—1 4 3
MHS	100 023 X	—6 9 2

Cal Pequeno, AJ Navarrette (6) and Andres Martinez. Brady Bolger and Cole Dickie. W — Bolger. L — Pequeno. 2B — OHS: Yayo Carrasco; 3B — MHS: Chris Sims.

Records: OHS 10-9, 1-2 in District 3-6A; MHS 14-5, 2-1 in District 3-6A

Next: Abilene High at OHS, 4:30 p.m. Tuesday; San Angelo Central at MHS, 4:30 p.m. Tuesday

2016 District 3-6A Baseball standings

	District W	District L	Overall W	Overall L	Overall T
Lee	3	0	10	4	0
Midland High	2	1	14	5	0
San Angelo Central	2	1	7	9	1
Odessa High	1	2	10	9	0
Odessa Permian	1	2	6	6	3
Abilene High	0	3	6	9	0

Friday's Scores

MHS 6, Odessa High 1; Lee 5, Abilene High 1; San Angelo Central 10, Odessa Permian 3

Tuesday's Games

San Angelo Central at MHS; Lee at Odessa Permian; Abilene High at Odessa High. All games at 4:30 p.m.

CHAPS

From 1B

"In the first game we were struggling with our hitting, but in this game, I think we did a better job of fighting pitches off and hitting with good counts," said Gurrola, who had two of MC's 14 hits in the game.

That lead was good enough for starting pitcher Brady Moxham to last into the seventh inning.

"When you take your starter out in the seventh inning with a lead, that's a good thing," Coleman said. "He had some adversity, had some tough spots in the game. He gave up a home run, which we didn't think there were going to be any hit today, but he overcame adversity and showed some toughness, and we didn't make any errors."

However, a two-run home run by Andrew Beck as part of a three-run seventh gave the Hawks (13-11, 4-2) the lead back, 7-6.

But the Chaps responded again in the bottom of the seventh as Nolan Rattai scored on a Connor Beck single, and then Gurrola — who reached on a double — scored on an infield error on a ball hit by Dally Burney to re-take the lead.

MC added another unearned run in the eighth.

The Hawks had the bases loaded in the ninth inning, but MC reliever Coleman Watts was able to get Hunter Hill to hit a game-ending line drive to center field.

The series will move to Big Spring's Jack Barber field with another doubleheader beginning at noon today.

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Game 1

HOWARD COLLEGE 4, MIDLAND COLLEGE 2

Howard	100 012 0	—4 7 1
Midland	002 000 0	—2 8 5

Jose Quezada and Robbie . Tucker Davidson and Dally Burney. W - Quezada. L - Davidson. 2B -HC: Jackson Owens. MC: Hill Alexander. RBI - HC: Dominic Thornton, Lammons, Rhaman Williams; MC: Yahir Gurrola, Conner Beck.

Game 2

HOWARD COLLEGE 9, MIDLAND COLLEGE 7

Howard	102 010 300	—7 12 4
Midland	015 000 21x	—9 14 0

Parker Towns, Jackson Owens (7) and Tracker Conn. Brady Moxham, Raymond Salazar (7) and Burney. W — Salazar. L — Towns. S — Watts. 2B - MC: Braden Hayward, Gurrola. HR - HC: Thornton, Andrew Beck. RBI - HC: Brendon Foust 3, Lammons, Thornton, Beck 3. MC: Chad Curtis 2, Beck 2, Connor Gesell 2, Burney.

Records: Midland College 10-10, 5-1 in WJCAC; Howard College 13-11, 4-2

Next: Midland College at Howard College (DH), noon today

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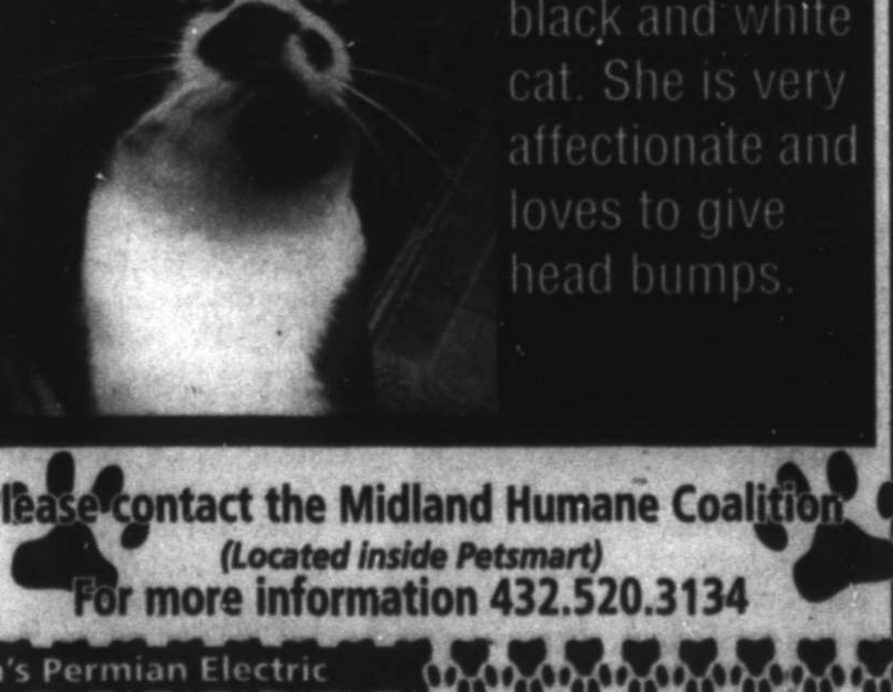
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Oklahoma State to 'part ways' with basketball coach Ford

By Cliff Brunt
Associated Press

OKLAHOMA CITY — Oklahoma State and Travis Ford have agreed to end the basketball coach's tenure.

Oklahoma State athletic director Mike Holder and Ford "have mutually agreed that the school and Ford will part ways," Holder said in a statement Friday.

"I like Travis Ford and his family," Holder said. "He worked very hard at his job. Unfortunately, we have to move on."

Ford had a 155-111 record in eight years at OSU, but just one NCAA Tournament win. The team went 12-20 this season and 3-15 in the Big 12.

Ford was given a contract extension in 2009 that was to run through the 2018-19 season, a deal that Holder expressed regret about last year in an interview with The Associated Press.

Ford had great success as a recruiter, bringing in high-profile talent such as Marcus Smart, Markel Brown, Le'Bryan Nash and most recently, point guard Jawun Evans.

But winning just one NCAA Tournament game exasperated a fan base that was spoiled by previous success. Eddie Sutton led Oklahoma State to Final Fours in 1995 and 2004.

There was speculation that Ford would be fired after last season, but billionaire booster T. Boone Pickens tweeted his support, and Holder followed by saying he had high hopes for him.

Ford started off on the right track when he took the job in 2009, taking the Cowboys to the NCAA Tournament. There, they beat Tennessee before losing to top-seeded Pittsburgh. Holder gave Ford the extension after that season.

"People have kind of held that against Travis, when the focus should be on me," Holder told the AP last year. "All he did was sign the contract. I'm the one who offered it to him, so I should be the one in the crosshairs, and I accept that I am. Did I learn from that? Absolutely. I don't have any intention of doing that again in the future because I just think it puts the university and whatever coach it is in a difficult situation. But, the contract's there, and you just deal with it."

The Cowboys lost to Georgia Tech in the first round of the NCAA Tournament in 2010, played in the NIT in 2011 and missed postseason play altogether in 2012.

The following seasons showed promise but didn't pan out.

In 2012-13, the Cowboys were ranked as high as No. 15 and started the season with a 10-1 record but eventually lost to Oregon in their NCAA Tournament opener.

The next season, the Cowboys started off 12-1 and were ranked as high as No. 5 in the AP poll. The season fell apart late and reached its worst point when Smart went into the stands and shoved a Texas Tech fan. The Cowboys lost all three games during Smart's suspension and later failed to win an NCAA Tournament game.

Last season, the Cowboys unexpectedly reached the NCAA Tournament after Smart and Brown moved on to the NBA, but they again lost their first game.

The Cowboys struggled this season after losing their top two players, guards Phil Forte and Evans, for much of the campaign. The Cowboys were competitive at times, even beating No. 3 Kansas 86-67 at home. They played hard and often were in games for a half before losing because of their inability to score.

Top-seeded Baylor women roll 89-59 over Idaho to NCAA opener

By Stephen Hawkins
Associated Press

WACO — Alexis Jones had to wait three years to get back into the NCAA Tournament. The standout forward had quite a debut with top-seeded Baylor.

Jones hit a 3-pointer on the game's first shot and went on to score 23 points in the Lady Bears' 89-59 victory over Idaho in a first-round Dallas Region game on their home court.

"She's been talking about it all week. She was excited before the game, she was really hyped," said Nina Davis, Baylor's three-time All-Big 12 forward. "We knew that she was going come out and she was going to be on her A-game."

Jones appeared in the NCAA Tournament as a freshman with Duke three years ago, but tore her left ACL before the postseason of her sophomore year with the Blue Devils. After transferring back to her home state of Texas, Jones redshirting with Baylor last season while recovering from the ACL surgery and a procedure to repair a microfracture in her right knee.

"Alexis, she's just finally getting back to where she was before," coach Kim Mulkey said. "Wow, what a great time for her to start playing the way she is. I think it started a month or so ago."

Davis had 18 points and seven rebounds, while Niya Johnson had 16 assists and five rebounds for the Lady Bears (34-1), who have won 21 in a row. Kristy Wallace added 13 points, all while making her first five field goals in the first 12 minutes.

Ali Forde had 17 points to lead Idaho (24-10), while Christina Salvatore had 12 while making only 3-of-14 3-pointers.

Jones, who was MVP of the Big 12 tournament Baylor won for the sixth consecutive season, was 9-of-15 shooting with five 3-pointers, and also had eight rebounds and five assists in her first NCAA game for the Lady Bears — after this season joining their standout duo of Davis and senior point guard Johnson, the national assists leader.

"You put Jones into this mix .... they can get to the Final Four," Idaho coach Jon Newlee said. "Jones is the X-factor that they didn't have last year, along with depth inside. They're going to get there."

The Lady Bears still have a few games to go, but are only one win away from their eighth straight Sweet 16.

Baylor never trailed after Jones' game-opening 3, and she also had a 3-pointer to start the scoring after halftime.

"It's just exciting to know that the whole team came out and had a lot of energy," Jones said. "It's just a really good feeling."

Shooting deep

Idaho entered the game second nationally with 341 made 3-pointers — more than Baylor has even attempted from beyond the arc this season, though both teams were shooting 37 percent on those shots. But the Vandals missed their first nine shots from long range and was down 19-7 before Geraldine McCorkell finally hit one nearly 7 minutes into the game.

Idaho was 1 of 14 on 3s by the end of the first quarter, when it was already down 30-9.

"Our start was very disappointing," Newlee said. "That first quarter was a killer for us."

The Vandals, who made 35 3-pointers in three games last week while winning the Big Sky Conference tournament, finished 9 of 43 (21 percent) against Baylor.

Baylor also made nine 3s (on 22 shots).

Tip-ins

Idaho: The Vandals are 0-4 in the NCAA Tournament, three of those coming in the last four years. They lost 105-37 at Connecticut in 2013, and fell 88-42 at Louisville the following year. ... Idaho is where Stanford coach Tara VanDerveer started her college career. She had a 42-14 record in her two seasons in 1978-80.

Baylor: Freshman Kalani Brown had 10 points and eight rebounds in her first NCAA tourney game. ... The Lady Bears are 19-0 in the Ferrell Center this season. They have won 165 consecutive home games against unranked teams since losing to Auburn in the WNIT final 13 years ago. ... Baylor is 10-1 in NCAA games in Waco, sweeping through the first two rounds there in 2011 and 2013-15. ... Wallace is from Australia, while Idaho had four players on its roster from that country.

TOURNAMENTROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

NO. 15 MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE 90
NO. 2 MICHIGAN STATE 81

ST. LOUIS —Middle Tennessee State sent the biggest shock yet through the NCAA Tournament on Friday, topping Michigan State in the first round.

Reggie Upshaw scored 21 points to lead the balanced Blue Raiders (25-9), who shut down player-of-the-year candidate Denzel Valentine. Middle Tennessee never trailed the Spartans (29-6) in one of the biggest upsets since the tournament began seeding teams in 1985.

It was the eighth time a No. 2 seed beat a No. 15, and first since Florida Gulf Coast beat Georgetown in 2013. The Eagles went on to reach the Sweet 16.

NO. 14 STEPHEN F. AUSTIN 70
NO. 3 WEST VIRGINIA 56

NEW YORK — Thomas Walkup scored 33 points and Stephen F. Austin faced down West Virginia's full-court pressure with some of its own in-your-face defense, pulling off a rugged first-round upset of the Mountaineers.

The Lumberjacks (28-5) ran the nation's longest winning streak to 21 games and will face either six seed Notre Dame or No. 11 Michigan on Sunday in the second round.

NO. 10 SYRACUSE 70
NO. 7 DAYTON 51

ST. LOUIS — Malachi Richardson scored 21 points, Syracuse stumped Dayton with its trademark zone and the Orange rolled to a victory in their return to the NCAA Tournament.

Tyler Roberson added 10 points and 18 rebounds for the Orange (19-13), banned from the field last season following an NCAA investigation into academic misconduct and improper benefits.

NO. 2 OKLAHOMA 82
NO. 15 CAL STATE BAKERSFIELD 68

OKLAHOMA CITY — Buddy Hield scored 27 points to help Oklahoma defeat Cal State Bakersfield.

The senior guard made 8 of 14 shots, including 3 of 6 3-pointers.

Isaiah Cousins scored 16 points and Jordan Woodard added 15 for the Sooners (26-7), who made 11 of 20 3-pointers and shot 50 percent overall.

Oklahoma enjoyed a home-court advantage at Chesapeake Energy Arena, just a half hour's drive north of their Norman campus. The Sooners advanced to play No. 10 seed Virginia Commonwealth, which defeated Oregon State 75-67 earlier in the day.

NO. 13 HAWAII 77
NO. 4 CALIFORNIA 66

SPOKANE, Wash. — Hawaii won its first NCAA Tournament game in school history, when the Warriors ended California's tumultuous week with an upset victory.

The Golden Bears' played without popular assistant coach Yann Hufnagel, dismissed amid allegations of sexual harassment, and the loss of leading scorer Tyrone Wallace, who broke his hand Wednesday in practice. As if the Bears (23-11) needed more obstacles, guard Jabari Bird had back spasms during warmups and never played.

Quincy Smith scored a career-high19 points, Roderick Bobbitt had 17 points and Stefan Jankovic 16 for the champions of the Big West Conference regular season and tournament. Hawaii (28-5) used a strong first half from Jankovic to lead by as many as 11, then withstood Jankovic's foul trouble in the second half thanks largely to Smith.

NO. 5 MARYLAND 79
NO. 12 SOUTH DAKOTA STATE 74

SPOKANE, Wash. — Maryland needed a turnover in the closing seconds to ensure it would avoid a place with all the other top seeds that lost in the first round of this topsy-turvy NCAA Tournament, holding off South Dakota State behind a career-high 27 points from Jake Layman.

Deondre Parks fumbled a pass from Keaton Moffitt for the 12th-seeded Jackrabbits (26-8) and Rasheed Sulaimon picked up the ball and stuffed it for the final score. South Dakota State was seeking its first victory in the NCAA Tournament, but was undone by cold shooting in the first half.

NO. 7 IOWA 72
NO. 10 TEMPLE 70

NEW YORK — Adam Woodberry put back a missed shot at the overtime buzzer to give Iowa a victory over Temple.

With the game tied at 70, Mike Gesell worked his way to the baseline and put up about a 10-foot jumper that missed the rim and went right to Woodberry, who put it in as the red lights around the backboard lit up.

Iowa (22-10) will play second-seeded Villanova in the second round on Sunday.

The Hawkeyes got the chance at the game-winner when Daniel Dingle of Temple, who played just 6 minutes and was in the game because and Devin Coleman had fouled out a minute earlier, missed the front end of a 1-and-1.

NO. 2 VILLANOVA 86
UNC ASHEVILLE 56

NEW YORK — Ryan Arcidiacono scored 14 points, including a buzzer-beating 3 at the end of the first half, and Daniel Ochefu had 17 points inside as Villanova beat UNC Asheville to roll into the second round.

The Wildcats (30-5) are looking to reach the second weekend of the tournament for the first time since their 2009 Final Four run.

NO. 7 WISCONSIN 47
NO. 10 PITTSBURGH 43

ST. LOUIS — Ethan Happ had 15 points and nine rebounds, none bigger than one he pulled down in the closing seconds, as Wisconsin beat No. 10 seed Pittsburgh.

Nigel Hayes had 12 points and Vitto Brown scored 11 for the Badgers (21-12), who advanced despite an awful shooting night. Hayes was just 3 for 17 from the field, Bronson Koenig failed to hit a 3-pointer for the first time in 44 games and the Badgers finished 4 of 19 from beyond the arc.

It was still enough to knock off the equally cold-shooting Panthers.

Jamel Artis had 13 points to lead Pittsburgh (21-12), which started the season 14-1 before struggling when it hit ACC play. Leading scorer Michael Young was held to six points and five rebounds.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL GLANCE

NJCAA Tournament glance

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First round
Monday's Games
(16) Georgia Highlands (25-9) 72, (17) Gillette (Wyo.) College 53
(9) Midland College (26-6) 77, (24) Highland (8) College 56
(15) Eastern Arizona (24-8) 58, (18) Northern Oklahoma-Enid 55
(23) ASA New York (20-3) 87, (10) Cowley County (Kan.) 80, OT
(13) Northeastern Oklahoma A&M (28-3) 84, (20) Lake Region State (N.D.) 42
(12) Blinn College (25-6) 59, (21) Itawamba (Miss.) 39
Today's games
(19) Vincennes (Ind.) (28-5) 57, (14) Northeast (Neb.) 51
(11) Northwest Florida State (21-11) 93, (22) Harford (Md.) 77
Second round
Tuesday's games
(1) Gulf Coast State (Fla.) (28-1) 71, (16) Georgia Highlands 64
(8) Walters State (Tenn.) (32-0) 42, (9) Midland College 41
(2) Shelton State (Ala.) (31-1) 90, (15) Eastern Arizona 77
(23) ASA New York (21-3) 59, (7) Daytona State (Fla.) 84
Wednesday's games
(4) New Mexico JC (30-2) 61, (13) Northeastern Oklahoma A&M 59
(5) Southern Idaho (28-4) 75, (12) Blinn College 52
(3) Salt Lake CC (Utah) (30-2) 66, (19) Vincennes (Ind.) 51
(6) Trinity Valley CC (28-3) 68, (11) Northwest Florida State 51
Quarterfinals
Thursday
(1) Gulf Coast State (Fla.) (29-1) 74, (8) Walters State (Tenn.)53
(2) Shelton State (Ala.) (32-1) 69, (23) ASA New York 67
(4) New Mexico JC (31-2) 63, (5) Southern Idaho 55
(6) Trinity Valley CC (28-3) 63, (3) Salt Lake CC (Utah) 54
Friday
Semifinals
(6) Trinity Valley CC (28-3) 61, (2) Shelton State (Ala.) 56
(1) Gulf Coast State (Fla.) (30-1) 80, (4) New Mexico JC 51
Saturday
Third place game, (4) New Mexico JC (32-3) vs. (2) Shelton State (Ala.) (32-2), 3:30 p.m.
Championship game, (1) Gulf Coast State (Fla.) (31-1) vs. (6) Trinity Valley CC (29-3), 7 p.m.

NCAA Tournament glance

MEN
EAST REGIONAL
Round of 64
Thursday, March 17
At PNC Arena
Raleigh, N.C.
North Carolina 83, Florida Gulf Coast 67
Providence 70, Southern Cal 69
At Wells Fargo Arena
Des Moines, Iowa
Indiana 99, Chattanooga 74
Kentucky 85, Stony Brook 57
Friday's Scores
At Barclays Center
Brooklyn, N.Y.
West Virginia (26-9) vs. Stephen F. Austin (27-5), 7:10 p.m.
Notre Dame (21-11) vs. Michigan (23-12), 9:40 p.m.
At Scottrade Center
St. Louis
Wisconsin 47, Pittsburgh 43
Xavier (27-5) vs. Weber State (26-8), 9:20 p.m.
Round of 32
Today's Games
At PNC Arena
Raleigh, N.C.
North Carolina (29-6) vs. Providence (24-10), 8:40 p.m.
At Wells Fargo Arena
Des Moines, Iowa
Kentucky (27-8) vs. Indiana (26-7), 4:15 p.m.
SOUTH REGIONAL
Round of 64
Thursday, March 17
At Dunkin' Donuts Center
Providence, R.I.
Miami 79, Buffalo 72
Wichita State 85, Arizona 55
At Wells Fargo Arena
Des Moines, Iowa
UConn 74, Colorado 67
Kansas 105, Austin Peay 79
Friday, March 18
At Barclays Center
Brooklyn, N.Y.
Villanova 86, UNC Asheville 56
Iowa 72, Temple 70, OT
At Spokane Veterans Memorial Arena
Spokane, Wash.
Hawaii 77, California 66
Maryland 79, South Dakota State 74
Round of 32
Today's Games
At Dunkin' Donuts Center
Providence, R.I.
Miami (26-7) vs. Wichita State (26-8), 11:10 a.m.
At Wells Fargo Arena
Des Moines, Iowa
Kansas (31-4) vs. UConn (25-10), 6 p.m.
MIDWEST REGIONAL
Round of 64
Thursday, March 17
At PNC Arena
Raleigh, N.C.
Butler 71, Texas Tech 61
Virginia 81, Hampton 45
At Pepsi Center
Denver
Iowa State 94, Iona 81
UALR 85, Purdue 83, 2OT
Utah 80, Fresno State 69
Gonzaga 68, Seton Hall 52
Friday, March 18
At Scottrade Center
St. Louis
Syracuse 70, Dayton 51
Middle Tennessee 90, Michigan State 81
Round of 32
Saturday, March 19
At PNC Arena
Raleigh, N.C.
Virginia (27-7) vs. Butler (22-10), 6:10 p.m.
At Pepsi Center
Denver
Iowa State (22-11) vs. UALR (30-4), 8:10 p.m.
Utah (27-8) vs. Gonzaga (27-7), 7:45 p.m.
WEST REGIONAL
Round of 64
Thursday, March 17
At Dunkin' Donuts Center
Providence, R.I.
Duke 93, UNC Wilmington 85
Yale 79, Baylor 75
Friday, March 18
At Chesapeake Energy Arena
Oklahoma City
VCU 75, Oregon State 67
Oklahoma 82, Cal State Bakersfield 68
Texas A&M 82, Green Bay 65
Texas (25-12) vs. Northern Iowa (22-12), late
At Spokane Veterans Memorial Arena
Spokane, Wash.
Oregon (28-6) vs. Holy Cross (15-19), 6:27 p.m.
Saint Joseph's (27-7) vs. Cincinnati (22-10), 8:57 p.m.
Round of 32
Saturday, March 19
At Dunkin' Donuts Center
Providence, R.I.
Duke (24-10) vs. Yale (23-6), 1:40 p.m.
WOMEN
BRIDGEPORT REGIONAL
First Round
Friday, March 18
At Starkville, Miss.
Michigan State 74, Belmont 60
Mississippi State 80, Chattanooga 50
Today's Games
At Storrs, Conn.
UConn (32-0) vs. Robert Morris (20-12), 10 a.m.
Seton Hall (23-8) vs. Duquesne (27-5), 12:30 p.m.
At Los Angeles
UCLA (24-8) vs. Hawaii (21-10), 5:30 p.m.
South Florida (23-8) vs. Colorado State (31-1), 8 p.m.
At Austin
BYU (26-8) vs. Missouri (21-9), 5:30 p.m.
Texas (28-4) vs. Alabama State (19-11), 8 p.m.
DALLAS REGIONAL
First Round
Friday, March 18
At Waco
Baylor 89, Idaho 59
St. John's (23-9) vs. Auburn (19-12), late
At Louisville, Ky.
DePaul 97, James Madison 67
Louisville 87, Central Arkansas 60
At Corvallis, Ore.
Oregon State 73, Troy 31
Oklahoma State (21-9) vs. St. Bonaventure (23-7), late
Today's Games
At College Station
Florida State (23-7) vs. Middle Tennessee (24-6), 12:30 p.m.
Texas A&M (21-9) vs. Missouri State (24-9), 3 p.m.
SIOUX FALLS REGIONAL
First Round
Friday, March 18
At Columbia, S.C.
Kansas State 58, George Washington 51
South Carolina (31-1) vs. Jacksonville (22-10), late
At Syracuse, N.Y.
Albany (NY) 61, Florida 59
Syracuse 73, Army 56
At Columbus, Ohio
West Virginia 74, Princeton 65
Ohio State 88, Buffalo 69
At Tempe, Ariz.
Tennessee 58, Green Bay 53
Arizona State (25-6) vs. New Mexico State (26-4), late
LEXINGTON REGIONAL
First Round
Today's Games
At South Bend, Ind.
Notre Dame (31-1) vs. North Carolina A&T (19-11), 5:30 p.m.
Georgia (21-8) vs. Indiana (20-11), 8 p.m.
At Stanford, Calif.
Miami (24-8) vs. South Dakota State (26-6) 5:30 p.m.
Stanford (24-7) vs. San Francisco (22-11) 8 p.m.
At Lexington, Ky.
Oklahoma (21-10) vs. Purdue (20-11) 12:30 p.m.
Kentucky (23-7) vs. UNC Asheville (26-6) 3 p.m.
At College Park, Md.
Maryland (30-3) vs. Iona (23-11), 12:30 p.m.
Washington (22-10) vs. Pennsylvania (24-4) 3 p.m.

NIT glance

MEN
Thursday's Score
Valparaiso 81, Florida State 69
Friday's Score
Virginia Tech (20-14) at BYU (24-10), late
Today's Game
Wagner (23-10) at Creighton (19-14), 11 a.m.
Sunday's Games
Florida (20-14) at Ohio State (21-13), 11 a.m.
Georgia (20-13) at Saint Mary's (Cal) (28-5), 6:30 p.m.
Monday, March 21
Georgia Tech (20-14) at South Carolina (25-8), 6 p.m.
George Washington (24-10) at Monmouth (26-7), 6 p.m.
Washington (19-14) at San Diego State (26-9), 10:30 p.m.
WOMEN
Thursday's Scores
IUPUI 63, Central Michigan 55
Bucknell 74, Akron 70
Ohio 76, Marshall 68
Virginia Tech 68, Elon 59
Villanova 67, Liberty 51
Hofstra 76, Harvard 50
Rutgers 57, Georgetown 55
Georgia Tech 73, Mercer 56
Wake Forest 72, Charlotte 69
Virginia 52, VCU 50
TCU 97, Texas Rio Grand Valley 73
Arkansas State 68, Southern 45
Northern Iowa 84, Nebraska 62
Ball State 77, Iowa 72
Saint Louis 70, UALR 69
Drake 95, Sacred Heart 59
UT Martin 79, Memphis 73
Western Kentucky 89, Dayton 72
San Diego 69, Northwestern 65
Oregon 84, Long Beach State 76
Gonzaga 88, UC Riverside 54
UTEP 66, Abilene Christian 62
Eastern Michigan 74, Saint Mary's (CA) 73
Friday's Games
Temple 74, Drexel 66
Quinnipiac 90, Maine 44
Florida Gulf Coast 76, Bethune-Cookman 61
Montana State (21-9) at Utah (16-14), late
Santa Clara (23-8) at Fresno State (21-11), late
Second Round
Today's Games
Bucknell (25-7) at Michigan, 1 p.m.
Hofstra (23-8) at Villanova (20-11) 5 p.m.
San Diego (24-7) at IUPUI (21-10), 6 p.m.
Drake (23-9) at Northern Iowa (23-10), 7 p.m.
Eastern Michigan (22-11) at TCU (17-14), 7 p.m.

SEEDS

From 1B

team. All the while, their forward, Domantas Sabonis, was improving almost every day and their guards were turning into playmakers, not liabilities.

The Bulldogs won the West Coast Conference tournament to make March Madness. The program making its 18th straight trip to the tournament was rewarded with an 11 seed. The Zags didn't fight it.

"In some ways, it's going to be kind of nice to be a double-digit seed," Gonzaga coach Mark Few said. "We just haven't done it in a while and it will be kind of fun to have to play that role."

Fun, it was. Led by 21 points and 16 rebounds from Sabonis, Gonzaga rolled to a 68-52 win over Seton Hall on Thursday night.

There have been some other double-digit seeds moving on in this tournament, though their stories — including No. 15 Middle Tennessee's shocker over No. 2 Michigan State — have more traditional feels to them.

■ No. 12 seeds Yale and Little Rock had nothing to complain about their seedings. But their wins over Baylor and Purdue added to an already massive pile of evidence showing the ever-shrinking gap between small and big conferences.

■ No. 10 seed Syracuse got lambasted after making the tournament but, much like UCLA did last year after it inexplicably got in, did everything it could to have the committee's back. The Orange beat Dayton 70-51 on Friday. "Anybody that said we didn't deserve to be in obviously doesn't know anything about basketball," coach Jim Boeheim said.

■ Nobody argued much about the seeding of either No. 13 Hawaii or No. 4 Cal before the Rainbow Warriors won that game 77-66. But Cal's 10 losses this season despite having two potential lottery picks on the roster — Jaylen Brown and Ivan Rabb — raised red flags about the Bears.

■ Finally, many experts thought Michigan State should've been a 1, not a 2. The Spartans' loss goes as Exhibit A of how crazy this season has been.

"It's all about the team that you're playing, not the number in front of it," said Gregg Marshall, the coach of Wichita State, which plays No. 3 seed Miami on Saturday. "And that's what I love about the NCAA Tournament."

NBAROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

WARRIORS 130
MAVERICKS 112

DALLAS — Stephen Curry had several dazzling plays on his way to 31 points, fellow Splash Brother Klay Thompson scored 39 and the Golden State Warriors turned up for a showdown in San Antonio with a 130-112 victory over the Dallas Mavericks on Friday night.

Among a number of displays that drew roars from the typical swarm of the sharpshooting star's fans on the road, Curry stole the ball from Dirk Nowitzki near midcourt before hitting a 35-footer over him at the first-quarter buzzer. Then he glanced a 3-pointer off the glass from the corner with Nowitzki in his face again in the second quarter.

The Warriors made 14 of their first 17 from long range, finished 22 of 38 and won their seventh straight. Now they try to tackle the NBA's longest losing streak on another team's court — 32 straight at the Spurs going back to Feb. 14, 1997.

Nowitzki had 24 points for the Mavericks (34-35), who dropped under .500 for the first time since Nov. 11.

Curry missed Golden State's first trip to Dallas on Dec. 30, when the Warriors lost for just the second time this season.

PISTONS 115
KINGS 108

AUBURN HILLS, Mich. — Stan Van Gundy was in no position to nitpick. The Detroit Pistons needed this win and got it.

Kentavious Caldwell-Pope made a couple big 3-pointers in the fourth quarter, and the Pistons recovered after blowing a big lead to beat the Sacramento Kings 115-108 on Friday night. Marcus Morris scored 20 of his 24 points in the first half for Detroit.

"It's a good win. It doesn't matter how the game goes," said Van Gundy, Detroit's coach. "In this league a lot of times, the team who loses but comes back from like 21 down gets praised more than the team who wins. ... I'll keep taking 21-point leads. That would be good."

It was actually an 18-point first-half lead that the Pistons couldn't hold, but they didn't let the game slip away after Sacramento tied it early in the fourth quarter. The Pistons' (35-34) pulled into a virtual tie with Chicago (34-33) for the last playoff spot in the Eastern Conference.

Detroit is in the middle of a nine-game homestand, and the Pistons can take a small step toward their first postseason berth since 2009 simply by winning home games against struggling teams such as the Kings. Morris made all six of his 3-point attempts in the first half, and Detroit led 67-54 after two quarters.

TRAIL BLAZERS 117
PELICANS 112

NEW ORLEANS — Damian Lillard scored 33 points, getting up from a vicious Kendrick Perkins forearm to help Portland recover from a blown 20-point lead and finish off a feisty New Orleans Pelicans squad, 117-112 on Friday night.

The Pelicans nearly pulled off what would have been their largest comeback this season while Anthony Davis sat out the second half with a left knee injury, the severity of which was unclear.

Perkins' clothesline-style forearm put Lillard flat on his back, and resulted in some brief shoving, as well as Perkins' ejection.

The dust-up enlivened the crowd and Pelicans, who briefly held slim leads in the final minutes until C.J. McCollum, who had 30 points, hit a 3 that was set up by Lillard's pass out from the paint to give Portland the lead for good with a minute left.

CAVALIERS 109
MAGIC 103

ORLANDO, Fla. — The work is only beginning for the Cleveland Cavaliers.

Kyrie Irving scored 26 points and LeBron James had 18, including a layup and pair of free throws down the stretch to help the Cavs hold off the Orlando Magic 109-103 on Friday night and clinch a playoff spot.

"There's nothing much to say," coach Tyronn Lue said after the defending Eastern Conference champions improved the best record in the East to 49-19 with their fifth victory in six games.

"We thought we were going to make the playoffs, so it wasn't really a big deal to clinch," Lue added. "We have bigger things ahead of us. We have a bigger deal in front of us."

Channing Frye came off the bench to make four 3-pointers and score 14 against his old team as the Cavs beat the Magic for the 14th consecutive time. A rested James returned to the lineup after taking off Wednesday's home victory over Dallas and finished 6-of-15 shooting with eight assists and seven rebounds.

RAPTORS 105
CELTICS 91

TORONTO — Kyle Lowry scored 32 points, Luis Scola had all of his 17 in the first quarter and the Toronto Raptors beat the Boston Celtics 105-91 on Friday night.

Lowry was 9 for 14 from the field, including 5 for 8 from 3-point range, and added five assists and four rebounds as Toronto led the entire way in its third straight victory.

Isaiah Thomas scored 20 points for Boston, who matched a season worst with its fourth straight loss. Even Turner added 12 points in the Celtics' fifth loss in six games.

The Raptors, playing their fourth game in five nights, built up a big lead early, let Boston back in the game and then pulled away with a 14-2 run over the first five minutes of the fourth quarter.

THUNDER 111
76ERS 97

PHILADELPHIA — Russell Westbrook recorded his league-leading 13th triple-double with 20 points, 15 rebounds and 10 assists, and Kevin Durant had 26 points and 13 boards to lead the Oklahoma City Thunder to a 111-97 victory over the Philadelphia 76ers on Friday night.

Westbrook's 13 triple-doubles tie Grant Hill (1996-97) and Jason Kidd (2007-08) for most in a season over the last 25 years. Westbrook, appropriately, reached the triple-double by assisting Durant on a layup with 4:14 left in the game.

Enes Kanter contributed 16 points for the Thunder, who clinched a playoff spot with their 14th straight victory over Philadelphia. It is the longest winning streak in the NBA by one team over another.

NBA GLANCE

Standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Toronto	47	21	.691	—
Boston	39	30	.565	8½
New York	28	41	.406	19½
Brooklyn	19	49	.279	28
Philadelphia	9	60	.130	38½

Southeast Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlanta	40	29	.580	—
Miami	39	29	.574	½
Charlotte	39	29	.574	½
Washington	33	35	.485	6½
Orlando	29	39	.426	10½

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Cleveland	49	19	.721	—
Indiana	38	32	.529	13
Chicago	34	33	.507	14½
Detroit	35	34	.507	14½
Milwaukee	30	39	.435	19½

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Southwest Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
y-San Antonio	58	10	.853	—
Memphis	39	30	.565	19½
Houston	35	34	.507	23½
Dallas	34	35	.493	24½
New Orleans	25	43	.368	33

Northwest Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Oklahoma City	47	22	.681	—
Portland	36	34	.514	11½
Utah	33	35	.485	13½
Denver	28	41	.406	19
Minnesota	22	47	.319	25

Pacific Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
y-Golden State	62	6	.912	—
L.A. Clippers	43	24	.642	18½
Sacramento	26	42	.382	36
Phoenix	18	50	.265	44
L.A. Lakers	14	54	.206	48

x-clinched playoff spot

y-clinched division

Scores and schedule

Friday's Scores

Oklahoma City 111, Philadelphia 97
Cleveland 109, Orlando 103
Toronto 105, Boston 91
Detroit 115, Sacramento 108
Portland 117, New Orleans 112
Houston 116, Minnesota 111
Golden State 130, Dallas 112
Phoenix at L.A. Lakers, late

Today's Games

Denver at Charlotte, 5 p.m.
Oklahoma City at Indiana, 6 p.m.
Brooklyn at Detroit, 6 p.m.
New York at Washington, 6 p.m.
Cleveland at Miami, 6:30 p.m.
Houston at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m.
Utah at Chicago, 7 p.m.
L.A. Clippers at Memphis, 7 p.m.
Golden State at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.

NHL GLANCE

Standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Florida	71	40	22	9	89	202	172
Boston	71	39	24	8	86	215	191
Tampa Bay	71	40	26	5	85	194	171
Detroit	71	35	25	11	81	179	187
Ottawa	72	33	31	8	74	206	223
Montreal	71	33	32	6	72	191	200
Buffalo	72	29	33	10	68	172	194
Toronto	70	24	35	11	59	165	206

Metropolitan Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
x-Washington	70	51	14	5	107	225	162
N.Y. Rangers	71	40	23	8	88	202	186
N.Y. Islanders	69	38	22	9	85	196	174
Pittsburgh	70	38	24	8	84	194	175
Philadelphia	69	34	23	12	80	181	185
New Jersey	71	34	30	7	75	161	182
Carolina	71	31	27	13	75	173	192
Columbus	70	28	34	8	64	181	218

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Central Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Dallas	72	42	21	9	93	233	211
St. Louis	72	41	22	9	91	191	185
Chicago	72	42	24	6	90	201	176
Nashville	72	36	23	13	85	197	185
Colorado	71	36	31	4	76	191	199
Minnesota	71	32	28	11	75	188	182
Winnipeg	71	29	37	5	63	182	213

Pacific Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Los Angeles	70	43	22	5	91	194	159
Anaheim	69	38	22	9	85	175	162
San Jose	70	36	25	6	84	207	184
Arizona	70	31	32	7	69	188	212
Vancouver	69	27	30	12	66	167	206
Calgary	70	30	35	5	65	192	218
Edmonton	73	28	38	7	63	177	216

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

x-clinched playoff spot

Scores and schedule

Friday's Scores

Buffalo 3, Ottawa 1
Washington 4, Nashville 1
Chicago 4, Winnipeg 0
Colorado at Calgary, late
Vancouver at Edmonton, late
Boston at Anaheim, late

Today's Games

Pittsburgh at Philadelphia, Noon
Carolina at Minnesota, 1 p.m.
N.Y. Rangers at San Jose, 3 p.m.
Buffalo at Toronto, 6 p.m.
Montreal at Ottawa, 6 p.m.
Detroit at Florida, 6 p.m.
New Jersey at Columbus, 6 p.m.
N.Y. Islanders at Dallas, 7 p.m.
St. Louis at Vancouver, 9 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Arizona, 9 p.m.
Boston at Los Angeles, 9:30 p.m.

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Holy Week 2016



The Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity

Palm Sunday: 3/20, services at 8 am and 10 am
Both services include the Liturgy of the Palms.
10am service includes donkey, Palm Sunday procession, and special music.

Wednesday, 3/23, 7:00 pm
Tenebrae Service of Darkness and Shadows
The Holy Trinity choir and music ministries lead us on a moving expression of the passion through the music, psalms and readings of Holy Week.

Maundy Thursday: 3/24, 7:00 pm
A simple service remembering Jesus' institution of the Eucharist at the Last Supper. Foot washing will be available and the service concludes with the stripping of the altar.

Good Friday: 3/25, services at 12 noon and 5:30 pm
A strikingly plain and simple 45-minute service, without communion, remembering our Lord's passion and death for us and for the world.

Easter at Holy Trinity Saturday: 3/26, 7:00 pm Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday: 3/27, Easter Celebration!
Wonderful services at 8:00 am & 10:00 am
Breakfast with the Easter Bunny and Egg hunt at 9:15 am (Front Lawn)
Brass Quintet & Choir at 10:00 am service

GOLF SCORES

Bay Hill Open

Friday
At Bay Hill Club & Lodge
Orlando, Fla.
Purse: $6.3 million
Yardage: 7,419; Par 72
Second Round
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Jason Day	66-65—131
Henrik Stenson	67-66—133
Justin Rose	68-66—134
Jamie Lovemark	68-68—136
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Kevin Chappell	68-68—136
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Paul Casey	68-69—137
Marc Leishman	67-70—137
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K.J. Choi	68-70—138
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Chris Wood	69-69—138
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a-Bryson DeChambeau	72-72—144
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Kevin Kisner	73-74—147
Robert Streb	71-76—147
Soren Kjeldsen	72-75—147
Sam Saunders	74-73—147
Danny Lee	74-73—147
Graeme McDowell	71-76—147
Russell Henley	74-73—147
Harold Varner III	73-74—147
Ricardo Gouveia	73-74—147
Mark Hubbard	73-75—148
Fabian Gomez	73-75—148
Morgan Hoffmann	76-72—148
Kevin Streelman	76-70—146
Boo Weekley	73-75—148
Brendon Todd	74-75—149
Peter Malnati	73-76—149
Tim Herron	73-76—149
George McNeill	76-74—150
Sung Kang	76-74—150
Robert Gamez	75-79—154
David Hronek	79-77—156
Ben Curtis	82-80—162

LPGA Tour

Friday
At Wildfire Golf Club
Phoenix
Purse: $1.5 million
Yardage: 6,601; Par 72
Second Round
s-denotes amateur

Sei Young Kim	63-66—129
Brittany Lang	63-68—131
Jacqui Concolino	68-64—132
Giulia Sergas	64-68—132
Eun-Hee Ji	66-67—133
Karina Piller	65-68—133
Paula Creamer	69-65—134
Ryann O'Toole	68-66—134
Karrie Icher	67-67—134
Paula Reto	67-67—134
Minjee Lee	65-69—134
Stacy Lewis	70-65—135
Cristie Kerr	69-66—135
Caroline Masson	69-66—135
Kim Kaufman	67-68—135
Pernilla Lindberg	65-70—135
a-Hannah O'Sullivan	72-64—136
So Yeon Ryu	70-66—136
Berline Strauss	69-67—136
Mirim Lee	68-68—136
Sakura Yokomine	68-68—136
Sun Young Yoo	67-69—136
Jennifer Song	67-69—136
Jennifer Johnson	67-69—136
Vicky Hurst	71-66—137
Shanshan Feng	71-66—137
Moriya Jutanugarn	70-67—137
Carlota Ciganda	70-67—137
Lydia Ko	70-67—137
Sadena A Parks	69-68—137
Se Ri Pak	69-68—137
Kelly Tan	69-68—137
Sydnee Michaels	69-68—137
Megan Khang	68-69—137

Indian Open

Friday
At Delhi Golf Club
New Delhi, India
Purse: $1.66 million
Yardage: 6,983; Par 72
Second Round

Terry Pilkadaris, Australia	67-64—131
Nacho Elvira, Spain	68-66—134
SSP Chawrasia, India	67-67—134
Ben Evans, England	70-66—136
David Lipsky, United States	69-67—136
Jorge Campillo, Spain	66-71—137
Rashid Khan, India	69-68—137
Alejandro Canizares, Spain	68-69—137
Adilson Da Silva, Brazil	72-66—138
Chris Paisley, England	70-68—138
Raphael Jacquelin, France	67-71—138
Julien Quesne, France	70-68—138
Gregory Havret, France	68-70—138
Ross Mcgowan, England	73-66—139
Shiv Kapur, India	72-67—139
Maximilian Kieffer, Germany	69-70—139
Sebastien Gros, France	69-70—139
Sanjay Kumar, India	67-72—139
Daniel Im, United States	65-74—139
Anirban Lahiri, India	68-71—139
Antonio Lascuna, Philippines	71-69—140
Soo-min Lee, South Korea	72-68—140
Tommy Fleetwood, England	68-72—140
Paul Dunne, Ireland	74-66—140
Craig Lee, Scotland	70-70—140
Jazz Janewattananond, Thailand	71-69—140
Honey Baisoya, India	68-72—140
Peter Uihlein, United States	72-68—140
N Thangaraja, Sri Lanka	69-71—140
Also	
Paul Peterson, United States	70-74—144
Jason Knutzon, United States	76-68—144
Missed the Cut	
Padraig Harrington, Ireland	71-74—145
Joost Luiten, Netherlands	77-68—145
Berry Henson, United States	72-78—150
Brett Munson, United States	72-83—155

Day builds 2-shot lead at Bay Hill

By Doug Ferguson
Associated Press

ORLANDO, Fla. — Jason Day felt like he was bearing down on each shot. He made it look much easier Friday in the Arnold Palmer Invitational.

Day made a pair of long birdie putts and otherwise put on a clinic at Bay Hill for a 7-under 65 that gave him a two-shot lead over Henrik Stenson going into the weekend.

"It was great," he said. "I felt like I couldn't do anything wrong out there."

Day was at 13-under 131 and was five shots ahead of Jamie Lovemark (68) when he finished.

Stenson faced a daunting task — eight shots behind when he teed off in the afternoon — and he shot 31 on the back nine for a 66 to stay in the game. Justin Rose also had a 66 and was three shots behind.

"It's motivating," Stenson said of the deficit he faced. "You can't let it be frustrating that you're eight shots back. He played great, and you've just got to go and do the same, and I managed to do that."

Day, Stenson and Rose will play together Saturday because tee times have been moved forward to avoid the threat of storms.

Rose wasn't bothered to see Day so far ahead. His objective was to take care of the par 5s and keep a clean card, and he did both. Rose is now 9 under on the eight par 5s he has played this week. And he was bogey-free on Friday.

"Yesterday was a colorful scorecard," Rose said of an opening round that included two eagles and a double bogey. "Today, a little bit more solid."

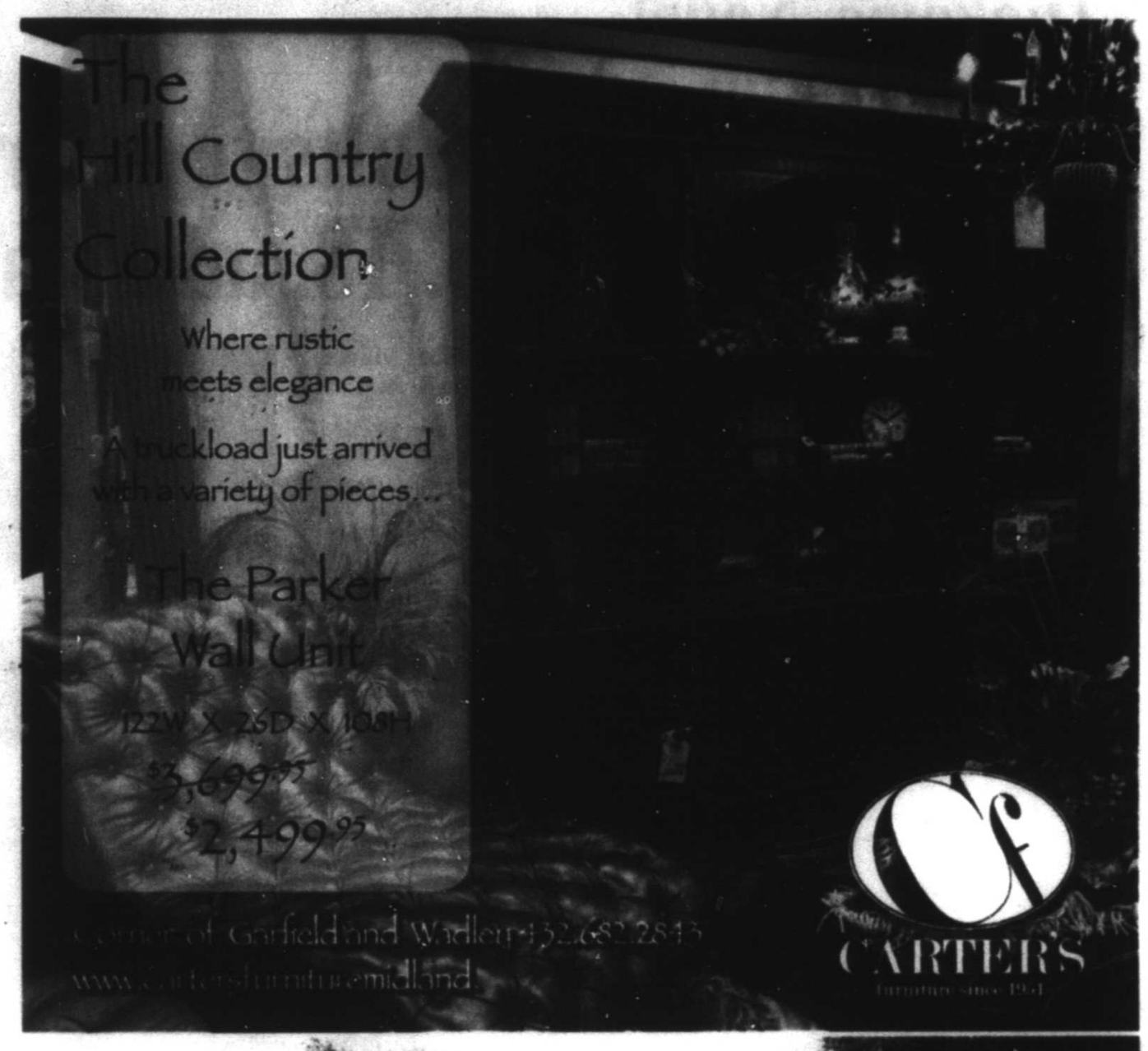
Day was driving it long and straight, hitting his irons well and making big putts. It's a great combination for anyone, particularly a player who reached No. 1 in the world last year by winning four out of six tournaments, including his first major.

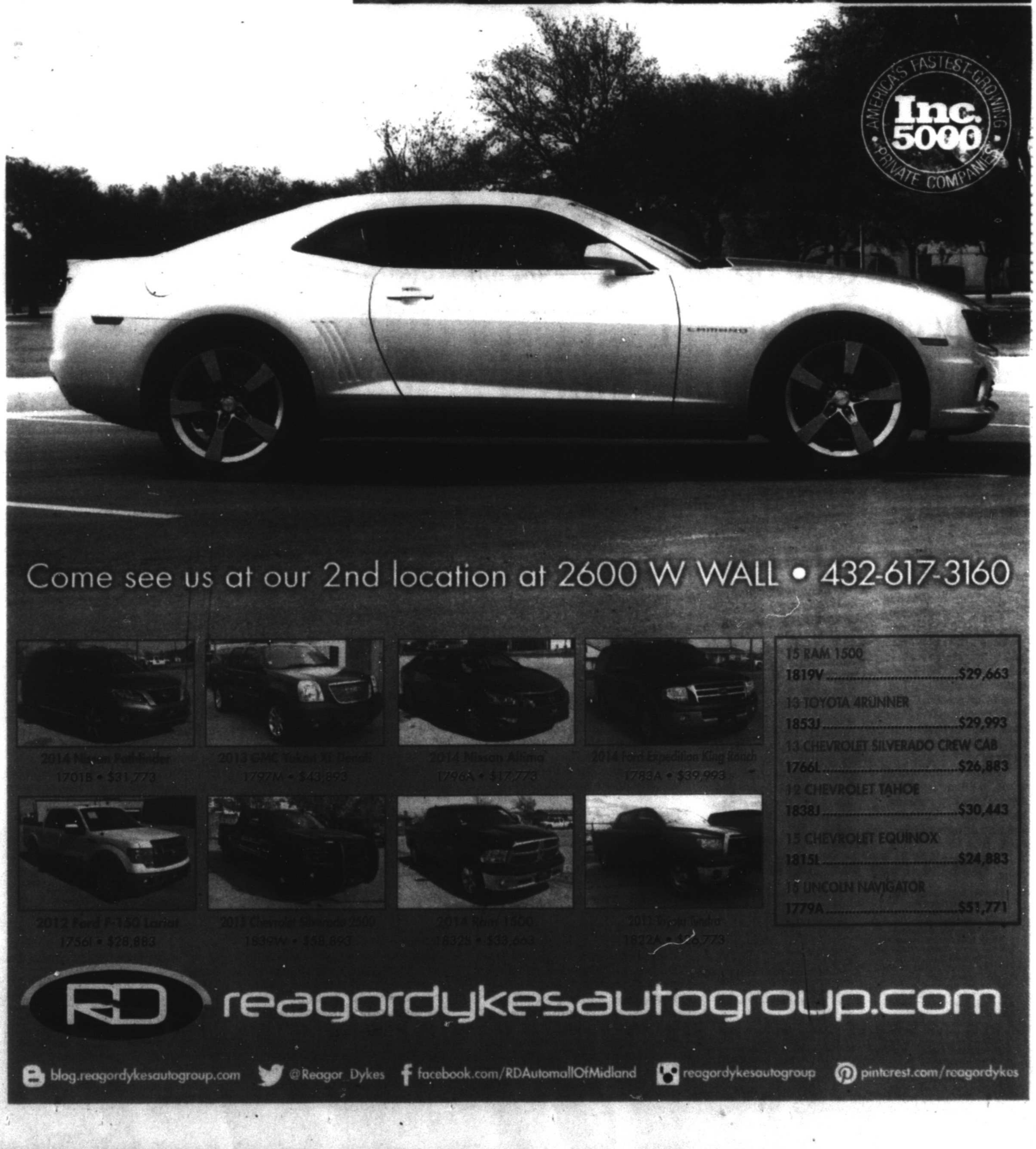
Rory McIlroy was able to watch the whole show.

McIlroy, who opened with a 75, was in the group behind Day and saw the Australian start to pull away from the field. McIlroy had his own issues on Friday, starting with a chance to play for two more days. He handled that with ease, making four birdies on the back nine to get above the cut line and posting a 67.

But he was all but ready to concede that the tournament was out of his reach.

"I was looking at Jason in front of me and I was thinking if I could maybe get within six going into the weekend," McIlroy said. "And now it's 11. ... Even playing well, I'm not sure that's quite going to be enough that far behind Jason. At the same time I can get confidence from that and bring it on to the next week and ultimately into the Masters."





Lee grad Winston re-elected as NFLPA president

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Lee High grad Eric Winston has been re-elected as president of the NFL Players Association.

The Cincinnati Bengals offensive tackle ran unopposed Friday for his second consecutive two-year term.

Thomas Davis, Richard Sherman, Shaun Suisham and Ryan Wendell have been elected to the NFLPA executive committee by the board of representatives at the annual meetings in Kapalua, Hawaii.

They join current executive committee members Lorenzo Alexander, Zak DeOssie, Matt Hasselbeck, Mark Herzlich, Adam Vinatieri and Benjamin Watson, who were re-elected.

The labor organization for players in the NFL is headed by executive director DeMaurice Smith.

Garden City girls win own meet

From staff reports

GARDEN CITY — The Garden City girls track team accumulated 147 points to win its own Garden City Relays on Thursday.

Kenzie Schaefer, Lyndee Walker and Payton Hastings each contributed with 22 points to lead Garden City to the girls meet championship.

Rankin's Michael Rodriguez registered a meet-high 39 points among individuals on the boys side, winning the 300 hurdles, triple jump and high jump.

Garden City's Riley Eggemeyer was the individual runner up in total points with 37, as he earned gold medals in the 110 hurdles, the 400 relay and the long jump.

The Garden City boys placed second with 121 points, while Rankin finished third with 117.

Garden City Relays
At Garden City HS
Thursday's late results
Boys

Team standings: 1. Water Valley 125; 2. Garden City 121; 3. Rankin 117; 4. Wink 94; 5. Borden County 54; 6. Sterling City 49; 7. Balmorhead 29; 8. Blackwell 15; 9. Grandfalls-Royalty 13; 10. Grady 0

Individual results

100 — 1. Tyler Simmons, Water Valley, 11:28; 2. Jancen Power, Water Valley, 11.68; 3. Bryce Carman, Wink, 11.69

200 — 1. Jeremy Jackson, Water Valley, 22.79; 2. Jared Everett, Sterling City, 22.80; 3. Eli Augusta, Wink, 22.93

400 — 1. Eli Augusta, Wink, 51.46; 2. Bryce Carman, Wink, 52.50; 3. Jonathan Storie, Rankin, 54.52

800 — 1. Eli Augusta, Wink, 2:08.31; 2. Korbin Martinez, Borden County, 2:12.65; 3. Cody Wyatt, Rankin, 2:16.15

1,600 — 1. George Anaya, Wink, 4:55.18; 2. Austin Gaddis, Rankin, 5:19.21; 3. Matthew Watson, Rankin, 5:23.99

3,200 — 1. George Anaya, Wink, 10:40.05; 2. Austin Gaddis, Rankin, 12:00.24; 3. Matthew Watson, Rankin, 12:23.09

110 hurdles — 1. Riley Eggemeyer, Garden City, 15.65; 2. Michael Rodriguez, Rankin, 16.15; 3. Hunter Clark, Blackwell, 16.58

300 hurdles — 1. Michael Rodriguez, Rankin, 16:15; 2. Riley Eggemeyer, Garden City, 43.50; 3. Korbin Martinez, Borden County, 43.81

400 relay — 1. Garden City (Riley Eggemeyer, Tanner Davis, Isaac Enriquez, Isaiah Enriquez) 44.32; 2. Water Valley 44.85; 3. Sterling City 45.66

800 relay — 1. Garden City (Tristan Rodriguez, Tanner Davis, Isaac Enriquez, Isaiah Enriquez) 1:34.65; 2. Sterling City 1:35.84; 3. Borden County 1:37.77

1,600 relay — 1. Garden City (Josue Gutierrez, Tanner Davis, Isaac Enriquez, Isaiah Enriquez) 3:36.21; 2. Borden County 3:44.65; 3. Water Valley 3:45.33

Long jump — 1. Riley Eggemeyer, Garden City, 20-6; 2. Jonathan Storie, Rankin, 19-5 1/2; 3. Tavenn Raynor, Sterling City, 18-6 1/2

Triple jump — 1. Michael Rodriguez, Rankin 42-3; 2. Tyler Simmons, Water Valley, 42-1 1/2; 3. Eli Augusta, Wink, 41-2 3/4

High jump — 1. Michael Rodriguez, Rankin, 6-4; 2. Hunter Clark, Blackwell, 6-0; 3. Tanner Davis, Garden City, 5-10

Pole vault — 1. Jancen Power, Water Valley, 13-0; 2. Seth Demere, Water Valley, 12-6; 3. Calen Fouts, Rankin, 12-0

Shot put — 1. Hugo Almazan, Garden City 44-1; 2. Ashton Haynes, Wink, 41-6; 3. Seth Demere, Water Valley, 41-5

Discus — 1. Tyler Hoover, Water Valley, 117-1; 2. Laine Garcia, Balmorhea, 115-0; 3. Hugo Almazan, Garden City, 111-0

Girls

Team standings: 1. Garden City 147; 2. Water Valley 84; 3. Rankin 69; 4. Sterling City 66; 5. Wink 65; 6. Balmorhea 64; 7. Borden County 43; 8. Grandfalls-Royalty 39; 9. Blackwell 35; 10. Grady 0

Individual results

100 — 1. Tiatiana Vasquez, Grandfalls-Royalty, 13.37; 2. Kiara Rodriguez, Balmorhea, 13.66; 3. Alexis Newberry, Wink, 14.09

200 — 1. Titatiana Vasquez, Grandfalls-Royalty, 28.58; 2. Ashtin Knittel, Sterling City, 29.27; 3. Payton Hastings, Garden City, 29.87

400 — 1. Emma Key, Borden County, 1:05.62; 2. Tiatiana Vasquez, Grandfalls-Royalty, 1:07.50; 3. Delanie Rackler, Wink, 1:10.46

800 — 1. Kenzie Schaefer, Garden City, 2:33.16; 2. Emma Key, Borden County, 2:40.32; 3. Nohemi Cardenas, Garden City, 2:46.69

1,600 — 1. Brooke Rauch, Sterling City, 5:37.68; 2. Zoie Key, Borden County, 6:26.46; 3. Ashley Kneen, Water Valley, 6:28.75

3,200 — 1. Brooke Rauch, Sterling City, 12:31.02; 2. Ashley Kneen, Water Valley, 14:19.25; 3. Zoie Key, Borden County, 14:28.24

100 hurdles — 1. Abigail Sorrells, Blackwell, 17.18; 2. Tatum Richey, Borden County, 18.18; 3. Payton Hastings, Garden City, 19.34

300 hurdles — 1. Abigail Sorrells, Blackwell, 50.28; 2. Raina Parks, Wink, 52.00; 3. Katie Baker, Water Valley, 55.18

400 relay — 1. Water Valley 54.52; 2. Balmorhea 54.87; 3. Wink 55.46

800 relay — 1. Water Valley 1:57.40; 2. Sterling City 1:57.90; 3. Garden City (Alicia Gutierrez, Ixchel Sotelo, Lyndee Walker, Kenzie Schaefer) 1:59.56

1,600 relay — 1. Garden City (Lyndee Walker, Kortney Halfmann, Ixchel Sotelo, Kenzie Schaefer) 4:26.91; 2. Water Valley 4:44.66; 3. Balmorhea 5:03.91

Long jump — 1. Tiatiana Vasquez, Grandfalls-Royalty, 15-1; 2. Crystal Chavez, Blackwell, 14-8 1/2; 3. Addison Coburn, Sterling City, 13-4

Triple jump — 1. Raina Parks, Wink, 30-11 1/2; 2. Lyndee Walker, Garden City, 30-9 1/2; 3. Bryleigh MacGregor, Rankin, 30-7 1/2

High jump — 1. Autumn Kilpatrick, Sterling City, 5-1; 2. Anna Sharp, Rankin, 4-10; 3. Michaela Jackson, Rankin, 4-8

Pole vault — 1. Payton Hastings, Garden City, 8-6; 2. Carley Stanford, Rankin, 8-0; 3. Madison Hastings, Garden City, 8-0

Shot put — 1. Audrey Lozano, Balmorhea, 36-2; 2. Ally Burnett, Garden City, 29-4 1/2; 3. Vanessa Godette, Rankin, 29-4

Discus — 1. Audrey Lozano, Balmorhead, 99-8; 2. Madison Hastings, Garden City, 80-7; 3. Katie Baker, Water Valley, 78-6

Djokovic, Nadal set for semifinal showdown at Indian Wells

By Beth Harris
Associated Press

INDIAN WELLS, Calif. — Novak Djokovic dominated both tiebreakers to beat Jo-Wilfried Tsonga 7-6 (2), 7-6 (2) Friday and reach the semifinals of the BNP Paribas Open, where he will meet Rafael Nadal in a matchup of players who have won a combined seven titles in the California desert.

Nadal defeated Kei Nishikori 6-4, 6-3, connecting on 89 percent of his first serves in the match played in 91-degree (32 C) heat under a relentless sun.

Shadows had begun creeping onto the main stadium court by the time Djokovic outlasted Tsonga, who has lost to the world's top-ranked player in 13 of their last 14 meetings. Djokovic improved to 20-1 this year heading into Saturday's semifinal against Nadal, who is 12-4.

Djokovic capitalized on a slew of errors by Tsonga in the first tiebreak. The Serb led 3-1 when Tsonga reeled off three straight errors, including two off his forehand that extended Djokovic's lead to 6-1. Tsonga was serving to stay in the tiebreak down 6-2, but he netted a backhand to lose it.

Djokovic led 5-4 in the second set and had two match points on Tsonga's serve in the 10th game. But the Frenchman pulled out a big serve to hold at 5-all. Tsonga came up with another key hold at 6-all with a forehand winner and another serve that Djokovic couldn't handle to force another tiebreak.

Leading 6-2, Djokovic closed out the match on his second serve, which Tsonga returned wide.

Nadal trailed 3-1 before he won five of the next six games to take the opening set in 45 minutes. He got an early break in the second to build a 4-2 lead. His forehand error allowed Nishikori to break back and trail 4-3. But Nadal quickly recovered in the next game to break the sixth-ranked Japanese player and won the match on his serve with a forehand down the line.

In women's semifinals later, Serena Williams is set to play Agnieszka Radwanska and Victoria Azarenka faces Karolina Pliskova.

Colts to retire Manning's No. 18, add statue to stadium

By Michael Marot
Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS — Peyton Manning took one more victory lap around Indianapolis on Friday.

It's not likely to be his last.

Less than two weeks after announcing his retirement in Denver, the record-breaking quarterback returned to his first NFL home to reminisce, thank supporters and receive a fitting send-off from the team he first played for. Colts owner Jim Irsay said Manning's No. 18 jersey will be retired and the team will erect a statue of him at Lucas Oil Stadium in honor of the man who did a lot more than win games in Indy.

"When I got here, it was basketball, basketball, basketball and it was car racing, car racing, car racing. Football was probably in the third place and that's no longer the case. It's a football town," Manning said. "It was fun to be a part of that transformation."

For Manning, this was more like a second trip down memory lane.

He recounted tales of incredible comebacks and bitter disappointments, former teammates and the bonds they formed, and he acknowledged how grateful he was that the city embraced him from the day he arrived.



Associated Press

Former Indianapolis Colts Colts quarterback Peyton Manning talks about his memories of playing with the Colts after his jersey was retired during a press conference at the team's practice facility in Indianapolis on Friday.

A smattering of fans — some dressed in the Colts' blue-and-white, other dressed in Denver's orange and blue — stood outside the front gate of the team's complex.

Inside, it was emotional.

At one point, Manning's voice cracked, though he drew a lot more laughter, including a roar after remembering Jim Mora's infamous "playoffs" rant was actually directed at him after he threw four interceptions against the 49ers.

It was a stark contrast to the last time Manning and Irsay stood together inside the same room in March 2012. Back then, both shed tears during as Irsay announced the parting of ways to make room for Manning's successor, Andrew Luck.

This time, Irsay and Manning laughed and joked as they told stories, and Manning flew into town on Irsay's personal plane one more time. Before speaking with reporters, Manning met with Luck and others in the team complex.

"It was always strange to watch 18 out there without a horseshoe on his helmet, and it wasn't always easy for us," Irsay said as a slideshow of Manning played on two screens behind the podium. "I think I speak for all Colts fans. We feel like he's ours."

Manning did wear the horseshoe, in the form of a lapel pin on his dark sport coat, and explained how he will always consider himself a Colt even though he retired officially with the Broncos.

During his 14 seasons with the Colts, he won four of his record five MVP Awards, led the Colts to two Super Bowls and delivered the first world championship in city history following the 2006 season. He added his second Super Bowl title last month as the Broncos beat Carolina.

His personality, success and off-the-field contributions are widely credited with helping to generate public support for building Lucas Oil Stadium, which hosted the Super Bowl in February 2012. And through his Peyback Foundation, Manning hosted high school football games at the RCA Dome and Lucas Oil Stadium, provided Thanksgiving meals for low-income families and held Christmas parties for children in need.

Austin Dillon takes the pole on a speedy day at Fontana

By Greg Beacham
Associated Press

FONTANA, Calif. — Austin Dillon won the pole for the NASCAR Sprint Cup race at Fontana on Friday, claiming the spot for the first time this season at a top speed of 188.482 mph.

Dillon turned a lap in 38.2 seconds flat in his Richard Childress Racing Chevrolet, edging Kevin Harvick by .031 seconds.

Dillon's only previous pole in 90 career races was at the Daytona 500 in 2014 at the start of his first full Sprint Cup season. Childress' grandson feels much more ready to build on his second pole with his first victory.

"This means the world to me," Dillon said. "It's a drivers' track at Fontana, and you really can study and find different lines and move around and find speed, and it makes our whole team feel really good going into Sunday. It feels like a career day for me to win a pole at somewhere other than Daytona."

Dillon was also fastest in practice, putting him in an auspicious position for a breakthrough in Sunday's race.

"When you get that first win behind you, everything just starts coming easier for you,'" said Dillon, a race winner in the Xfinity Series and in trucks. "Guys respect you. They know when you're coming. They know that you're there. So we've got to break through that wall. We broke through a wall today by getting a pole, so we've got a few more barriers we need to break down, and then I feel like we'll be one of the elite teams in NASCAR."

NASCAR RESULTS

After Friday qualifying; race Sunday
At Auto Club Speedway
Fontana, Calif.
Lap length: 2 miles
(Car number in parentheses)

1. (3) Austin Dillon, Chevrolet, 188.482 mph.
2. (4) Kevin Harvick, Chevrolet, 188.329.
3. (11) Denny Hamlin, Toyota, 187.637.
4. (31) Ryan Newman, Chevrolet, 187.276.
5. (19) Carl Edwards, Toyota, 187.222.
6. (18) Kyle Busch, Toyota, 187.212.
7. (6) Trevor Bayne, Ford, 186.916.
8. (24) Chase Elliott, Chevrolet, 186.795.
9. (22) Joey Logano, Ford, 186.557.
10. (1) Jamie McMurray, Chevrolet, 186.345.
11. (47) AJ Allmendinger, Chevrolet, 185.687.
12. (5) Kasey Kahne, Chevrolet, 187.842.
13. (27) Paul Menard, Chevrolet, 187.495.
14. (21) Ryan Blaney, Ford, 187.48.
15. (2) Brad Keselowski, Ford, 187.232.
16. (34) Chris Buescher, Ford, 187.154.
17. (78) Martin Truex Jr., Toyota, 187.028.
18. (17) Ricky Stenhouse Jr., Ford, 186.528.
19. (48) Jimmie Johnson, Chevrolet, 186.297.
20. (20) Matt Kenseth, Toyota, 186.268.
21. (44) Brian Scott, Ford, 186.176.
22. (16) Greg Biffle, Ford, 186.075.
23. (13) Casey Mears, Chevrolet, 185.773.
24. (14) Brian Vickers, Chevrolet, 185.581.
25. (43) Aric Almirola, Ford, 186.398.
26. (41) Kurt Busch, Chevrolet, 186.095.
27. (88) Dale Earnhardt Jr., Chevrolet, 186.08.
28. (7) Regan Smith, Chevrolet, 185.696.
29. (15) Clint Bowyer, Chevrolet, 185.639.
30. (95) Michael McDowell, Chevrolet, 185.486.
31. (10) Danica Patrick, Chevrolet, 185.099.
32. (42) Kyle Larson, Chevrolet, 184.99.
33. (83) Matt DiBenedetto, Toyota, 184.611.
34. (38) Landon Cassill, Ford, 184.186.
35. (23) David Ragan, Toyota, 183.052.
36. (98) Cole Whitt, Chevrolet, 182.348.
37. (30) Josh Wise, Chevrolet, 181.951.
38. (46) Michael Annett, Chevrolet, 180.61.
39. (32) Jeffrey Earnhardt, Ford, 180.415.

There are no bad guys in LaRoche-White Sox debate

PAUL NEWBERRY
Associated Press

This is a debate with no bad guys.

Kudos to Adam LaRoche for wanting to spend quality time with his teenage son, and walking away from a $13 million salary to make sure that happened.

Then again, there's nothing wrong with the Chicago White Sox telling the first baseman that "Bring Your Child To Work Day" doesn't mean every day.

When the White Sox asked LaRoche to "dial back" the amount of time 14-year-old Drake spent with the team — which was basically 24/7 — the player opted for retirement instead, sparking a national conversation over the proper role of kids in the workplace.

Plenty of fellow players and even managers sided with LaRoche. Some of the more vocal White Sox players say they were lied to by executive vice president Kenny Williams, and the team acknowledged Friday that LaRoche had at least a verbal agreement allowing his son to be with the team.

"Everybody talks about the family, the importance of family," said Washington Nationals manager Dusty Baker. "But how are you supposed to have a family sometimes if you don't bring your kids to work?"

Others could understand the reasoning put forward by Williams.

"First and foremost, we want to be respectful to the players that don't have sons and make sure they've got concentrated time to get their work in for their own preparation," Boston Red Sox manager John Farrell said. "It can be a sensitive issue."

They're all right on point.

It's not the least bit unusual to see children, in all sports, hanging out with a parent who happens to be a professional athlete. Baseball has always been especially kid-friendly, likely because a good chunk of the season occurs during the long summer break for school-age children. At spring training, too, there are usually chances for a dad to hang out with his kid at least a week without missing any classroom time.

After a recent workout, Atlanta Braves catcher A.J. Pierzynski let his son, Austin, take some swings in the batting cage. Albert Pujols Jr. was in the Angels clubhouse this week, wearing a No. 15 uniform and showing off his golf swing to some of his father's teammates.

Still to be determined is whether the White Sox reneged on a contractual agreement with LaRoche, and whether the players' union might file a grievance.

Beyond that, though, it seems LaRoche over-extended the unwritten rules about kids in the clubhouse by effectively turning Drake into a 26th member of the team, complete with his own locker and uniform, as well as making arrangements for his schoolwork to be done while accompanying the White Sox on road trips.

To put this in personal terms, I can't take my 17-year-old son into the press box when I'm covering a game, and he's certainly not allowed to follow me into the clubhouse while I'm conducting player interviews.

For nearly every working adult in this country, that's the way it is, outside of those who own their own businesses or perhaps work in a daycare.

Toronto Blue Jays manager John Gibbons says he's never had a problem with children in the clubhouse, but he understands there are limits.

"I encourage it," he said. "There is so much time away (from family) — that bonding time — but I can see too how it can become overwhelming if somebody is around all the time because teammates might not like it."

There is no indication that Drake was a distraction to the White Sox.

"I think everyone would say we enjoyed Drake LaRoche in the clubhouse and everything he brought to the clubhouse," said Chicago outfielder Adam Eaton. "Drake would clean cleats, he would help out in drills, pick up baseballs when we needed, he didn't say boo to anybody and was never a trouble in the clubhouse."

But who knows if there were players with kids of their own, who privately wondered why LaRoche's child got special treatment? Or those who felt like they couldn't be entirely open in the supposed sanctity of the clubhouse because a 14-year-old was always nearby? Or those without children who simply found the whole situation a bit annoying?

Even Williams conceded there was no evidence that Drake's constant presence was a problem. Still, we can see why the White Sox executive found this a potentially troubling issue, especially with the team coming off its third straight losing season.

"We have to have answer for the next guy and the next one after that," Williams said. "How many kids do you have traveling with you and all the things that can come about? Not to mention there are great influences at times and not great influences at times."

LaRoche commented on the issue in an extended tweet sent out Friday, saying he never wanted his son to be a distraction and that it was basically a dispute between him and Williams.

"In life, we're all faced with difficult decisions and will have a choice to make," LaRoche wrote. "Do we act based on the consequences, or do we act on what we know and believe in our hearts to be right? I choose the latter."

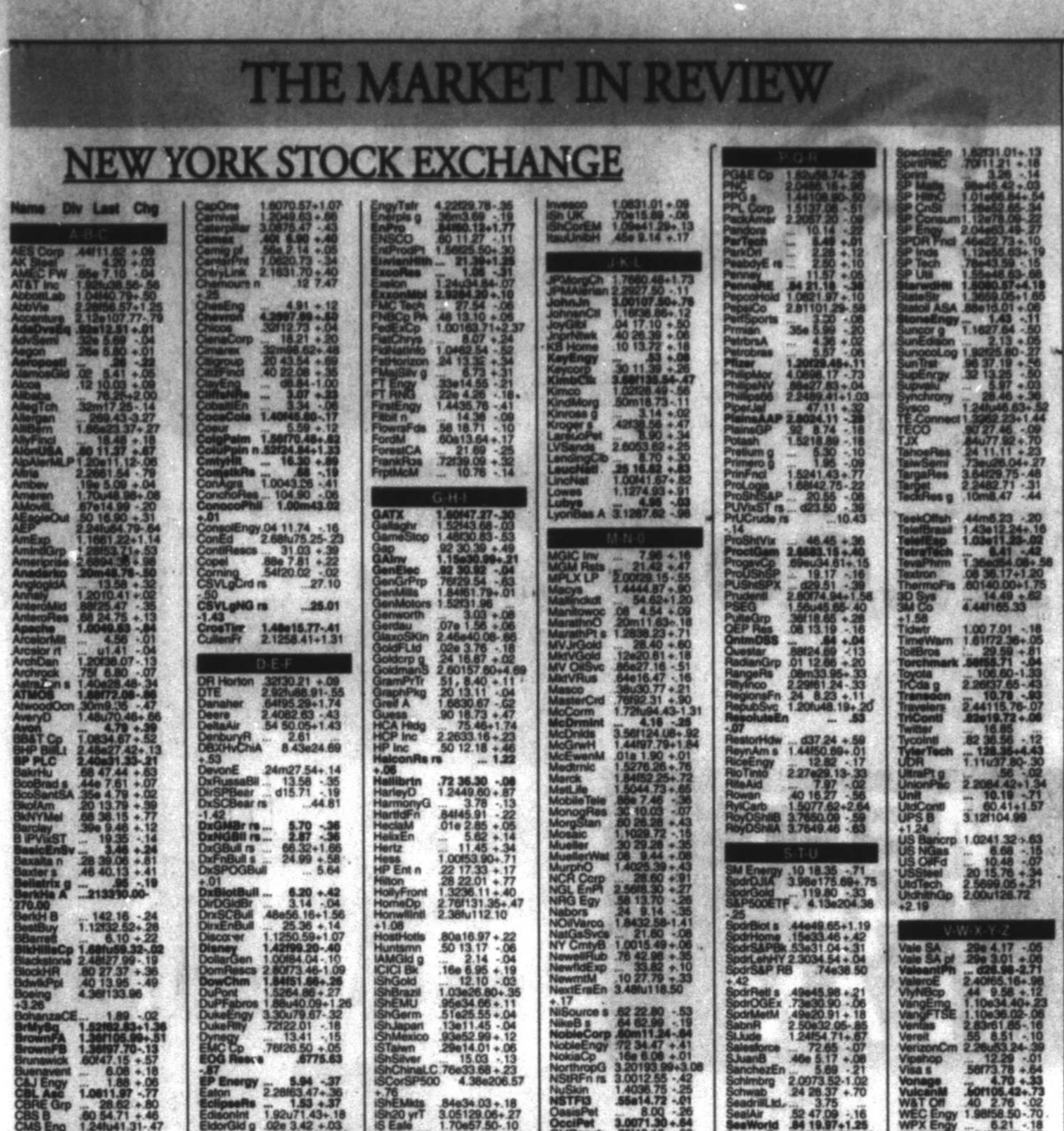
Best wishes, Adam. You have made the best decision for you and your family.

And here's hoping the White Sox are able to put this whole issue behind them. We understand where they're coming from, too.

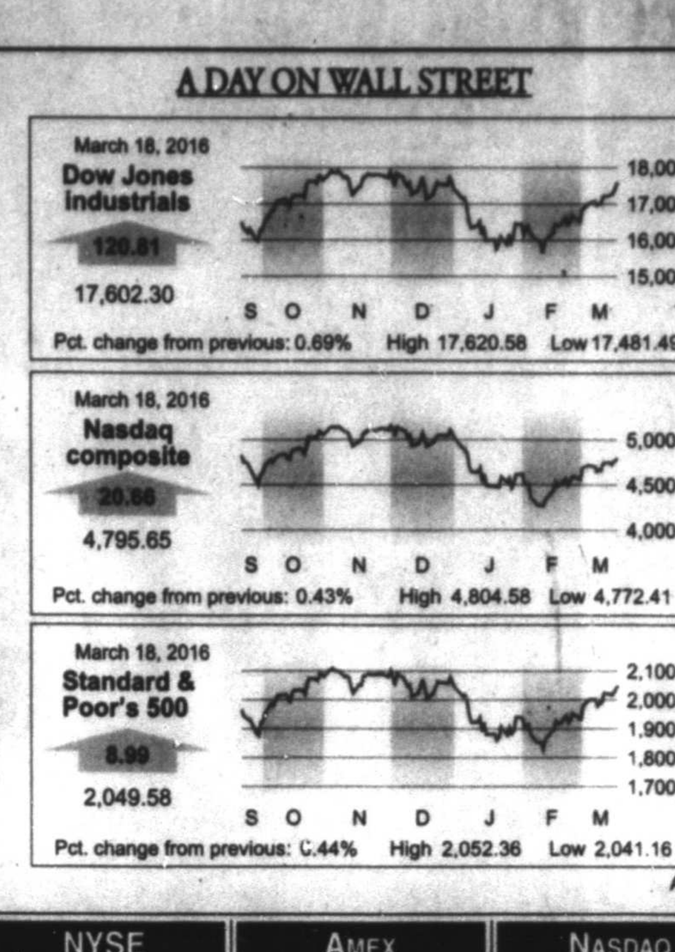
There's no blame to go around in this debate.

THE MARKET IN REVIEW

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE



A DAY ON WALL STREET



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NYSE

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
BkofAm	1381325	13.79	+.39
S&P500ETF	1179487	204.38	-.25
iShEMkts	944528	34.03	+.18
ChesEng	759297	4.91	+.12
Pfizer	735924	29.45	+.11

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
NoAtlDri rs	3.91	+.65	+19.9
LSB Inds	13.54	+2.22	+19.6
NY&Co	3.11	+.47	+17.8
AspenAero	4.57	+.54	+13.4
JonesEngy	3.94	+.44	+12.6

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
EnduroRT	2.76	-.83	-23.1
CastleAM	2.40	-.63	-20.8
ColumPP n	13.01	-2.99	-18.7
PrUSHtMex	23.24	-3.41	-12.8
CarboCer	16.53	-2.34	-12.4

Diary

Advanced	1,898
Declined	1,197
Unchanged	98
Total issues	3,193
New Highs	151
New Lows	8
Volume	5,975,634,826

Amex

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
B2gold g	196507	1.61	-.01
NwGold g	96899	3.85	-.03
LkShrGld g	77792	1.63	+.05
ChwEnLP	55014	29.34	-1.05
OversSh n	54015	2.02	-.15

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Gastar pfA	6.65	+1.12	+20.1
IntelligSys	3.50	+.53	+17.8
Tofutti	3.25	+.36	+12.5
Medgenics	4.55	+.42	+10.2
Gastar pfB	7.40	+.60	+8.8

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
XtantMed	2.75	-.50	-15.4
LucasE rs	3.20	-.35	-9.9
Versar	2.20	-.21	-8.7
GranTrra g	2.56	-.23	-8.2
ErinEn rs	2.11	-.18	-7.9

Diary

Advanced	190
Declined	185
Unchanged	12
Total issues	387
New Highs	14
New Lows	4
Volume	137,211,925

Nasdaq

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
Microsoft	600829	53.49	-1.17
Intel	446391	32.68	+.70
CSVisSh rs	413786	5.45	-.03
Apple Inc	409130	105.92	+.12
MicronT	401385	11.14	+.27

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
GalmedPh	4.50	+.74	+19.7
Resonant	2.95	+.43	+17.1
Affymetrix	15.99	+1.97	+14.1
AscentCap	15.94	+1.95	+13.9
IderaPhm	2.10	+.25	+13.5

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
PrmEgy	34.50	-15.06	-30.4
Nuvectra	4.30	-1.67	-28.0
WaveLtSc n	14.59	-4.38	-23.1
EaglePhm	43.50	-10.18	-19.0
Workhrs rs	9.14	-1.59	-14.8

Diary

Advanced	1,821
Declined	989
Unchanged	164
Total issues	2,974
New Highs	85
New Lows	33
Volume	2,546,325,387

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52-Week High	52-Week Low	Name	Last	Chg	Net % Chg	YTD % Chg	52-wk % Chg
18,351.36	15,370.33	Dow Jones Industrials	17,602.30	+120.81	+.69	+1.02	-2.90
9,176.20	6,403.31	Dow Jones Transportation	8,075.69	+115.74	+1.45	+7.55	-11.72
664.57	539.96	Dow Jones Utilities	658.54	-4.65	-.70	+13.97	+10.62
11,254.87	8,937.99	NYSE Composite	10,223.43	+33.03	+.32	+.79	-7.65
5,231.94	4,209.76	Nasdaq Composite	4,795.65	+20.66	+.43	+4.23	-4.59
2,134.72	1,810.10	S&P 500	2,049.58	+8.99	+.44	+.28	-2.78
1,551.28	1,215.14	S&P Midcap	1,429.80	+8.24	+.58	+2.23	-7.13
22,537.15	18,462.43	Wilshire 5000	21,096.80	+98.77	+.47	-.34	-5.53
1,296.00	943.09	Russell 2000	1,101.67	+10.42	+.95	-3.01	-13.01

NASDAQ NATIONAL MARKET

Name	Div	Last	Chg
A-B-C			
AMAG Ph		21.51	+.74
Abraxas		1.15	-.04
AcaciaTe	50	3.83	+.03
AcadiaPh		9.23	-.04
Achillon		7.26	+.24
ActiveStkz	.26f	32.20	-.40
AdobeSy		u83.42	
+3.46			
Aegerion		43.92	-.01
Affymetrix		u15.96	
+1.97			
AkamaiT		55.95	-.11
Alarm.ntwk		18.65	-.11
Alexion		128.45	+.54
Alkermes		50.20	+.21
Allscripts		12.64	+.24
Alphabet C		737.60	-.18
Alphabet A		755.41	-3.07
Amazon		555.84	-2.58
AmrAirlines		40.43	+4.44
+1.34			
ACapAgy	2.40	18.63	-.04
AmCapLtd		14.94	+.29
Amgen	4.00	165.81	
+1.38			
AmicusTh		7.86	+.59
AmkorTch		5.31	+.22
AnalogDev	1.88f	59.01	
+1.14			
Apple Inc	2.08	105.92	+.12
ApldMatl	.40	20.49	+.21
Approach		1.56	+.02
AralasPh		3.70	-.08
ArchrAPres	2.29	11.17	+.26
ArenaPhm		1.65	+.12
ArlasP		6.27	-.17
ArmHld	.39e	43.67	
ArrayBio		2.69	-.06
ArtisInvt		22.61	+.39
AscenaRtl		10.85	+.41
Atmel	.16	8.12	+.01
Autodesk		57.81	+.75
AutoDataj	2.12	86.64	-.20
AvisBudg		28.99	+.39
Baidu		187.92	
+4.48			
BkOzarks	.60f	42.76	+.33
BedBath		50.50	
+1.17			
Biocryst		2.63	-.04
Biogen		250.78	
+4.47			
BioMarin		80.94	
+3.62			
BlackBerry		8.05	-.05
BlueBio		44.64	-.82
BreitbrtE h		9.06	
BroadcInt	1.99b	152.49	
+.94			
BrookeCm	.16	10.48	+.08
BrunPCrp	.04p	27.22	+.25
BldrFstSrc		10.11	+.10
CA Inc	1.00	30.74	-.16
CH Robins	1.72	74.34	-.51
CME Grp	2.40f	95.95	-.47
CSX	.72	27.02	-.33
Cadence		20.52	-.43
CaesarAcq		5.41	+.06
Caesars		6.57	+.01
CdnSolar		20.52	+.43
CapProd	.95	2.97	+.16
Carrizo		30.73	-.49
Celgene		98.78	
+2.07			
CelldexTh		3.23	+.06
CentAir		7.59	-.44
Cerner		53.48	
+1.18			
CharterCm		u201.00	-.02
ChkPoint		82.98	+.44
Chimerix		5.21	+.02
CinnFin	1.92f	65.78	-.02
Cisco	1.04f	28.33	+.14
CleanEngy		2.97	+.02
CognizTch		59.25	+.52
Comcast	1.10f	59.76	-.09
ComstkRsf	2.40	20.15	-.05
Costco	1.60	153.15	-.89
Crackerb	4.40a	153.64	
+1.89			
CSVelSh rs		5.45	-.03
Ctrip.com s		43.52	
+1.21			
CumMed h		.59	+.03
CypSemi	.44	8.82	+.19
D-E-F			
Datasm h		7.75	+.01
Dendreon		31f 60.72	-.10
Depomed		u13.30	+.02
DiamBkEn		77.62	-.13
DiscCmA		29.42	+.32
DiscCmC		28.00	+.40
DollarTree		80.02	-.40
DonlleyPR	1.04	16.67	+.14
DorchHtn	.87e	10.70	-.79
Dunkin	1.20f	46.54	+.62
E-Trade		25.16	+.16
eBay s		23.77	+.01
Ev Engy	.30m	2.08	-.13
EaglePhm		43.50	
10.18			
EarthLink	.20	5.99	-.30

Name	Div	Last	Chg
EstWestBcp	.80	33.32	+1.07
ElectrArts		64.32	-.35
Endo Intl		29.84	-.19
Endocyte		4.92	+.18
Ericsson	.43e	9.82	+.14
Esperion		18.50	+1.12
Etsy n		9.23	-.04
Exelixis		3.87	+.11
Expedia	.96f	110.19	-1.29
ExpdIntl	.72	48.48	-.27
ExpScripts		69.47	+1.88
Ezcorp		3.01	+.13
Facebook		111.45	+.49
Fastenal	1.20b	49.05	+.11
FifthThird	.76	19.42	+.03
Finisar		17.88	+.36
FinLine	.40f	19.66	+.52
FireEye		18.36	+.29
FstNiagara	.32	9.91	+.17
FstSolar		u72.44	-.77
FstMerit	.68	21.26	+.09
Fiserv		u101.58	+.95
Flextm		11.83	+.06
Fortinet		28.70	-.29
FreshMkt		28.52	+.17
FrontierCm	.42	5.28	-.01
GameStop	.60	36.80	+.21
G-H-I			
Garmin	2.04	39.63	+.04
Gentex	.34	15.80	+.04
GenomCp		2.89	+.20
GileadSci	1.72	90.27	+.76
GluMobile		3.16	+.02
Gogo		11.00	-.52
GoldLMGld.s	1.20m	26.20	+.01
Goodyear	.28	32.41	-.15
GoPro		12.88	-.07
Groupon		3.05	-.10
GulfportE		29.43	+.25
HD Supply		31.93	+.13
Halcon rs		8.39	-.29
HancHld	.96	24.76	+.20
Hasbro	2.04f	78.49	+.12
HawtnInd		45.85	-.41
HelenTroy		103.66	+1.73
HmstdTch	.30e	10.49	-.42
HmshSpr		34.48	-.54
HorizPhm		14.02	-.25
HoughMif		18.81	-.08
HumGen	88f	86.71	+2.25
HuntBncsh	.28	9.67	+.12
HuntJB	1.04	92.48	+.39
iShNsdqBio	.09e	251.34	+4.25
iKangHth		21.00	+.67
iShBiotch		48.13	+.74
Incyte		65.07	+2.02
InfinityPh		6.34	+.16
Infosys	1.00	13.23	+1.07
Innophos		37.36	+.90
Insmed		10.26	+.06
J-K-L			
JD.com		27.08	+.05
JetBlue		20.31	+.44
Jetblue rt	2.30	77.31	-.70
LKQ Corp		30.83	-.12
LPL Finan	1.00	25.76	+1.60
Lattice		6.25	+.14
LegacyRes	.60m	1.08	-.02
LibtyGlblA		38.26	+.12
LibtyGlbC		37.08	-.09
LibtyMdiaC		37.42	+.17
LibtyVent		38.07	+.08
LibVentA		39.00	+1.47
LinearTch	1.28f	44.56	+.57
LinkedIn		131.99	
TermFin	1.40f	8.69	-.38
TeslaMot		232.74	+6.39
TetraTech		24.63	+.60
TxCapBsh		40.44	+1.85
Textron	1.52	37.09	+.49
Thinkstrat		25.07	+.27
TibcoSft		54.31	-1.00
21stCPcsA	.30	28.23	+.05
21stCPcsB	.30	28.18	+.02
Umpqua	.64	15.99	+.09
UBM	1.32	37.12	+.05
UltraPetrol		41.60	+.53
UrbanOut		33.61	+.89
V-W-X-Y-Z			
VangHlthf	.36	1.60	-.39
VeriznPfs		82.50	+3.34
VertexPh	1.60	41.46	-.02
Viavi		6.79	+.12
VimpelCm	.04	4.13	+.04
VirnetX		7.19	+.06
Vodafone	1.08e	31.56	-.39
Weightbrs	1.44	83.94	+.54
WernerEnt	.80	25.68	+.47
WetSeal		1.41	+.02
WhlFood	1.00	64.51	-1.34
Windstrm rs	.60	7.68	-.19
WisdomTr	.32a	12.41	+.24
NektarTh		12.59	+.27
NetApp	.72	27.24	+.58
NetEase s	2.03a	147.84	+.49
Netflix s		101.12	+1.40
NtScout		21.05	+.70
Neurocrine		35.06	+.44
NewsCpA	.20	12.31	-.13
NorwCrulis		52.45	+1.03
Novavax		5.07	+.14
NuanceCm		19.45	+.01
Nuvectra		d4.30	-1.67
Nvidia		46.03	+.39
Oncothyr		1.09	-.01
Ocilaro		4.55	-.06
OnSemicd		9.76	+.07
OpkoHlth	.52f	12.11	+.11
Oltlies n		u23.31	+1.51
OrbitalATK		91.48	+.63
OvrstkPtr		1.29	+.26
Oreexigen		.57	+.03
P-Q-R			
PDL Bio	.60	3.16	+.18
PTC Thera		41.70	+.53
PacWstBc	2.00	36.94	+.76
Paccar	.96a	55.18	+.24
PanASlv	.05m	10.74	+.12
Patterson	.99f	45.25	+.04
PattUTI	.40	17.25	-1.67
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Pendrell		.57	+.01
PetroLkaF	67	16.50	+.02
PernixTh h		d.90	-.09
PhrmcErt		32.57	+.25
PhrmaDeva	QQQ	1 52e	107.37
+.17			
PriceTR	2.16f	73.54	+.33
PrmrEgy		d34.50	
15.06			
PrUltQQQ	0.03e	97.56	+.56
PrUltSP		49.45	+.23
PrshotCap	1.00	7.11	-.06
Qorvo		50.69	+1.42
Qualcom	1.92	51.59	+.21
RadiusHlth		32.00	+.63
RegencyCtrs		74.19	+.47
Relypsa		13.46	-.01
RentACt	.32m	15.74	+.40
RestBrgd n		1.19	+.04
RobinSinar		31.33	-.06
RossStrs s		54u59.30	+.77
RoyGld	88f	31.69	+.70
S-T-U			
SLM Cp		6.54	+.30
SabreCorp	.52f	27.30	+.13
SandersFm	.68a	90.24	+.48
SanDisk		75.57	+.57
SangBio		5.37	+.22
SareptaTh		18.00	+.97
SeabrdgeInt	1.00f	64.00	+.50
Seagate	2.52	36.57	+1.64
SeattGen		33.92	+.93
Sequenom		2.39	+.03
Shire		87e 160.97	+7.05
SilvStd g		5.73	+.03
SilvWhtn g		3.95	+.01
SkywksSol	1.04	77.02	+2.10
SmithWes		u29.28	.09
SmithMid		10.66	-.54
SpectPh		5.96	+.10
Splunk		47.76	+.49
Staples		9.79	+.90
Starbucks s	.80	59.70	+.15
StDynam	.68	27.81	+.38
Stericycle		122.10	+1.41
SunPower		23.86	.88
Sunrun n		6.69	+.12
Symantec	.60a	18.60	-.13
SynrgyPh		d2.94	-.46
Synopsys		47.51	+.47
T-MobileUS		36.93	-.23
TD Ameritr	.68	31.69	+.64
TerraFm n	1.40f	31.49	+.62
TerraFmP	1.40f	8.69	-.38
TeslaMot		232.74	+6.39
TetraTech		24.63	+.60
TxCapBsh		40.44	+1.85
Textron	1.52	37.09	+.49
Thinkstrat		25.07	+.27
TibcoSft		54.31	-1.00
21stCPcsA	.30	28.23	+.05
21stCPcsB	.30	28.18	+.02
Umpqua	.64	15.99	+.09
UBM	1.32	37.12	+.05
UltraPetrol		41.60	+.53
UrbanOut		33.61	+.89
V-W-X-Y-Z			
VangHlthf	.36	1.60	-.39
VeriznPfs		82.50	+3.34
VertexPh	1.60	41.46	-.02
Viavi		6.79	+.12
VimpelCm	.04	4.13	+.04
VirnetX		7.19	+.06
Vodafone	1.08e	31.56	-.39
Weightbrs	1.44	83.94	+.54
WernerEnt	.80	25.68	+.47
WetSeal		1.41	+.02
WhlFood	1.00	64.51	-1.34
Windstrm rs	.60	7.68	-.19
WisdomTr	.32a	12.41	+.24

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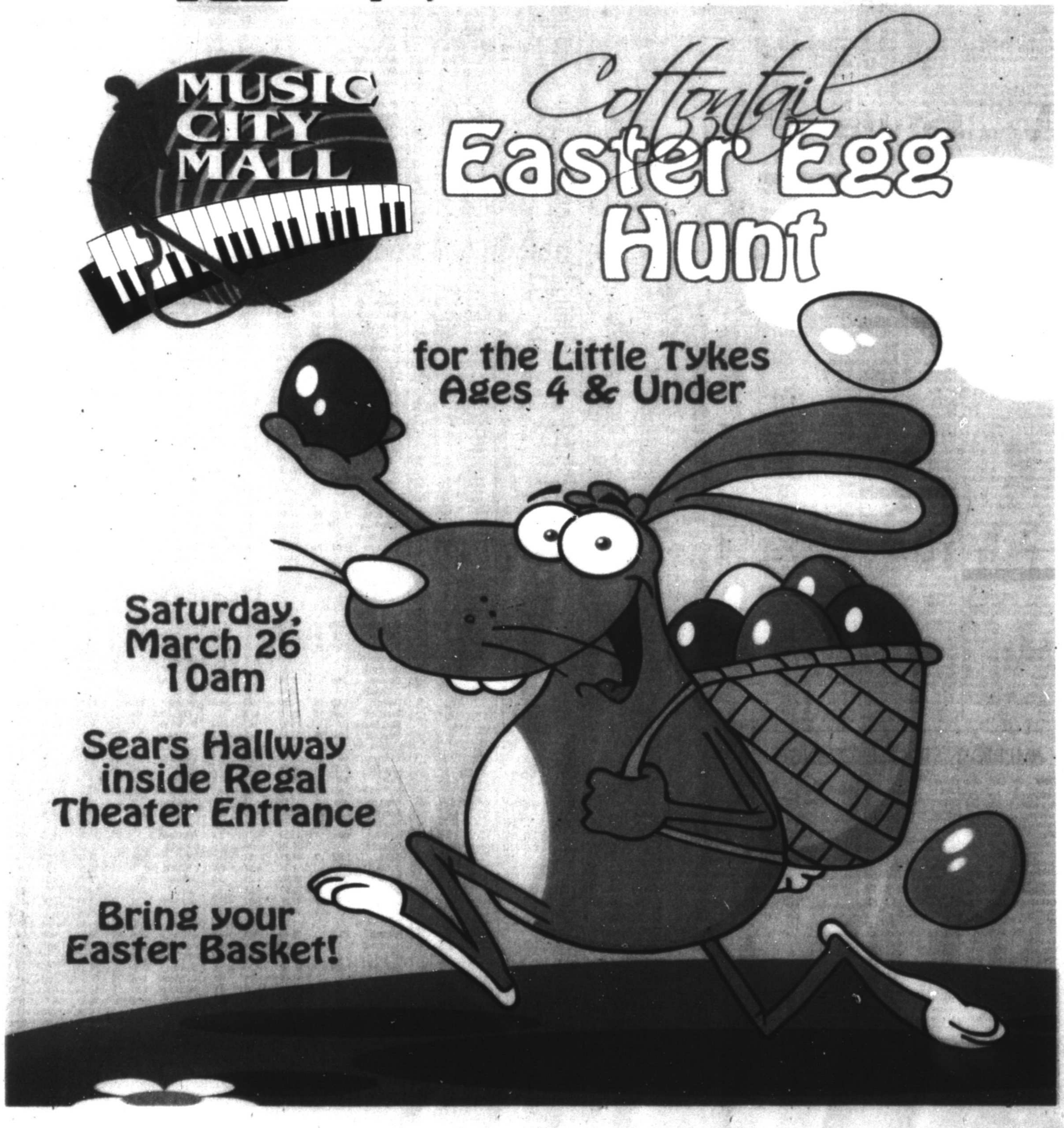


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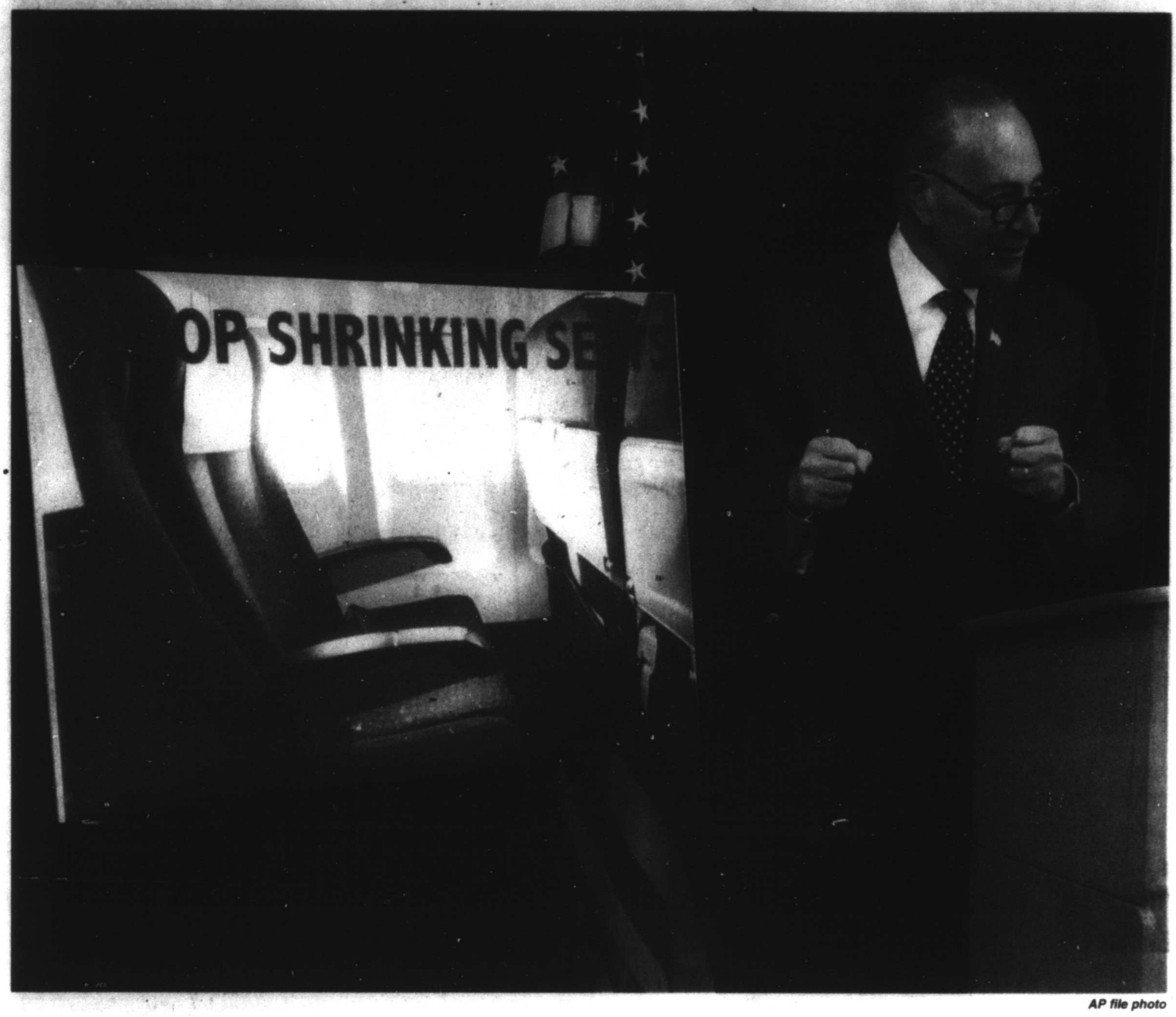
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AlexcoR g		u.88	+.03
AdamsG g		2.31	-.03
BZgold g		1.61	-.01
Banro g		.29	-.01
BP Cndn		22.16	-.09
BarcGSOil		5.98	+.12
BioTime		3.52	+.12
BluerkRsrt.16		10.59	-.45
BonTelMd		d1.29	-.06
BrkfAtl 4.63e		114.81	-1.76
CastleBr		.85	+.01
Cel-Sci		.53	+.02
CFCda g .01		12.15	+.12
CentraGn		2.41	+.05
ChenieresEn		35.65	-1.60
ChenEnLP1.70		29.34	-1.05
ChenEnH4.08		16.92	-.76
Contango		11.47	+.78
Controlus n		1.08	+.03
CoreMold		2.94	+.18
CrSolutns.26		2.81	
CrSuPrT .29		2.23	+.01
DejourPet		.13	+.01
DenisnM g		2.00	-.03
DocuSec		.21	-.04
EV LtdDur1.22		13.10	+.03
EagleTch		.24	+.01
eMagin		1.83	-.07
EnerMd rs		1.28	-.09
EnFuel gs		2.44	+.05
FstSolPw	.76	10.23	-.01
GSE Sy		u2.92	+.23
GamGldNR.84		5.51	-.07
GascoEn		1.43	-.01
GlpOptics		2.54	+.01
Globalstar		1.49	+.09
GoldResMn 2.44		4.55	-.02
GoldenMin		.44	-.02
GoldStr g		.45	
GranTrra g		2.56	-.23
GrPenSlv g		3.30	-.04
Hd2 Hdgs		3.75	-.05
Hemisphrx		.13	-.01
Hycroft g		.29	-.01
iShIndia bt.24e		26.51	+.23
IEC Elec		3.97	-.05
Imdy g		1.55	-.70
InspirPT .72a		d6.43	-.13
LadThalFn		2.47	+.11
LkShrGld g		1.63	+.05
LibtyPtA	.40f	20.48	+.61
MAG Silv g		9.55	+.23
MadCatz g		.23	-.01
MadTrapz		.25	+.01
Medgenics		4.55	+.42
MexcoEn		2.50	+.05
NanoVric		u3.05	+.11
NeoGold g		1.66	+.03
NevadaBio		.91	-.04
Nevsun g	.16	3.44	-.03
NovaGld g		3.88	-.03
NthShrGld g		5.29	-.02
Organovo		2.19	-.08
OversSh n.68g		2.02	-.15
OversShp8.08g		2.48	+.11
PelaTch		4.10	-.05
PanPetrol		19.18	-.23
PatGpNtl rs		3.22	-.07
PershingG		.39	+.01
PhotoMed		.53	+.03
PionDrill		.52	+.01
PolyPhtn		.39	-.01
PrecDrill g		3.22	-.07
Protalix		.39	+.01
PyxisTnk		.57	
Rangeco		.18	-.04
Temptrn.76f		u63.84	+.20
TransEnrx		4.10	-.05
TrnsatPet		.87	+.03
TriangPet		.00	-.01
22ndCentry		.78	+.05
US Geoth		.63	-.02
USAntimny		.23	-.09
U-Energy		.51	-.02
Uranium3p		.23	-.03
VangTotWrl1.53e		57.34	+.10
VirnetX		6.47	-.33
VoltaicRn		3.55	+.03
WFAdvInco.82		7.82	+.13
WFAdvMod1.181		11.97	+.06
WstnPetrl		.83	-.04



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Here are some things to know



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Sen. Charles Schumer, D-N.Y., talks at a news conference in New York on Feb. 28. Schumer wants to require the Federal Aviation Administration to establish seat-size standards for commercial airlines, which he says now force passengers to sit on planes "like sardines." A spokesman for the FAA said agency officials "look forward to reviewing" Schumer's proposal.

Minimum airline seat size standards are sought

By Hugo Martin
Los Angeles Times

For the second time in as many months, a federal lawmaker has pushed for minimum seat size standards on commercial planes to combat the airline industry's efforts to shrink leg and hip room on U.S. flights.

Sen. Charles E. Schumer, D-N.Y., is the latest lawmaker to introduce an amendment to a Federal Aviation Administration funding bill, calling for the FAA to adopt minimum seat sizes. Rep. Janice Hahn, D-Calif., and Rep. Steve Cohen, D-Tenn., offered up a similar amendment in January, but it was rejected in a subcommittee.

Schumer says the average legroom on airline seats has shrunk from about 35 inches in the 1970s to nearly 31 inches today, with seat width narrowing from 18.5 inches in the 1990s to about 17 inches.

The federal government doesn't impose a minimum seat size. Instead, federal law allows airlines to squeeze as many seats in a cabin as the companies want as long as the passengers have enough room to escape the cabin in an emergency within 90 seconds.

The airline industry, as expected, opposes any seat standard, saying the FAA already imposes requirements based on safety and that market forces determine how much legroom passengers want to pay for.

"As with any commercial product or service, customers vote every day with their wallet," said Vaughn Jennings, a spokesman for Airlines for America, the trade group for the nation's biggest carriers.

There are a few drawbacks to Schumer's proposal, including the likelihood that if the FAA adopts new standards, the federal agency would give airlines several years to install the roomier seats, according to industry experts.

Also, if airlines were required to reduce the seat totals in each cabin to allow more legroom, airlines would most likely raise ticket prices to make up for the loss of total passengers per plane.

"If there are fewer seats on the plane, the prices are going to be higher," said Seth Kaplan, managing partner of the trade publication Airline Weekly. "In the end, you are going to get some resistance not only from airlines but from some consumer groups."

A self-cleaning airline bathroom

Good news for airline passengers who get the heebie-jeebies when they walk into an airline lavatory: Boeing has invented a self-cleaning bathroom.

The prototype announced by the aircraft manufacturer uses ultraviolet light that is triggered when the bathroom is unoccupied to kill germs in just three seconds.

"In the prototype, we position the lights throughout the lavatory so that it floods the touch surfaces like the toilet seat, sink and countertops with the UV light once a

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Airlines react to Twitter users

By Hugo Martin
Los Angeles Times

An analysis of more than 1.3 million Twitter messages sent to airlines over the last holiday season found the phrase "thank you" was more common than any other.

But that doesn't mean the most Twitter messages sent to the world's airlines are filled with gratitude.

Consider a recent tweet sent to Spirit Airlines by a traveler from Atlanta: "Thanks for keeping us waiting for 8 hrs only to cancel! You ruined our 1st wedding anniversary trip, without even a apology."

In the last few years, social media sites have become one of the easiest and fastest way for air travelers to communicate with airlines. As a result, the nation's biggest carriers have hired social media teams to monitor Twitter, Facebook, Instagram and other sites to respond to comments and gripes and protect their airlines' good name.

Ultra-low-cost carrier Spirit Airways relies on a robot — not humans — to respond to Twitter messages that mention the carrier.

In what might be the first analysis of Twitter messages sent to airlines, the study by Orlando, Fla.-based Stratos Jet Charters does not reach a conclusion about the overall sentiment of the tweets. But you can get a sense that many Twitter users are not happy based on the other popular terms used when tweeting about airlines.

The term "thank you" got 101,798 mentions in the analysis, while "delayed, late and canceled" got 66,831 mentions, followed by "lost," as in lost luggage, with 16,272 mentions, according to the analysis of tweets sent from Nov. 20 to Jan. 9.

Profanity erupted 14,490 times in the tweets, the report said.

"Generally speaking, we were surprised to find that people didn't feel the need to censor themselves when tweeting at airlines," said Signe Nicklas, a spokesman for Stratos.

Mexico's low-cost carrier Volaris had the fastest average response time to customers' tweets: four minutes and 12 seconds. Empathetic terms such as "we're sorry" and "our apologies" were found most often — 41 percent of the time — in responses sent by Australia's low-cost airline, Jetstar Airways.

American Airlines, Gogo may make up

The world's largest carrier and the nation's biggest onboard wireless provider seemed to have made up from a tiff that signaled a potential breakup.

American Airlines recently filed a legal petition that, if successful, would have given the Fort Worth-based carrier the option of breaking its contract with its onboard Wi-Fi provider Gogo. Under its contract, American can notify Gogo if the airline believes that Gogo does not match or exceed the connectivity services of its competitors. That is exactly what American did, setting the stage for American to end its contract with Gogo.

American pointed out in the legal petition that most of Gogo's service is too slow because it is based on Wi-Fi signals from ground-based cell towers, while other companies offer onboard Wi-Fi speeds up to four times faster through satellite-based systems.

But American rescinded the legal petition, a sign that Gogo and American are ready to patch up the relationship.

Gogo did not elaborate on the legal dispute, but a representative said the company plans to submit a proposal to American to upgrade the airline's onboard Wi-Fi to a faster,

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An expert dishes on which airlines have the best food

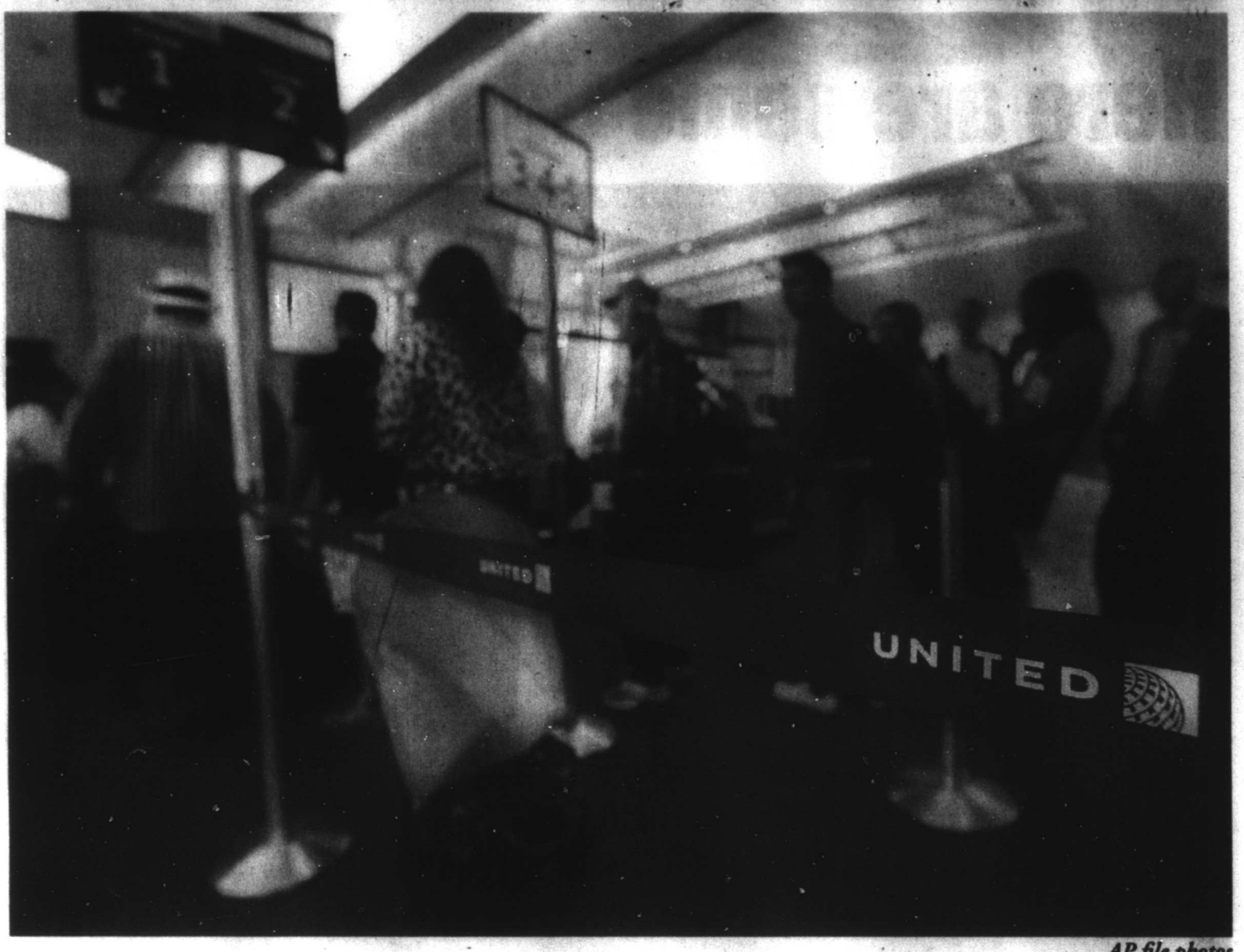
By Andrea Sachs
The Washington Post

Nikos Loukas approaches flights like a restaurant critic — or maybe a gastro-daredevil. Since 2012, the former cabin crew member from Australia has eaten about 250 airplane meals en route to more than 40 countries. In addition to consulting for airline catering companies in Europe, he covers high-altitude dining on his blog, Inflight Feed. We asked Nik for his top picks for airline meal service. Here are his mini-reviews.

■ Turkish Airlines: "A real focus on tasty quality meals. I like to fly them on long-haul flights because you know the food will great. I've toured their facilities in Istanbul and New York, and I think that most passengers will enjoy the flavors. My favorite dish is the Turkish spinach pastry. Who would have thought that a pastry could be so crisp and delicious at 35,000 feet? The airline's in-flight catering arm uses fresh ingredients and everything

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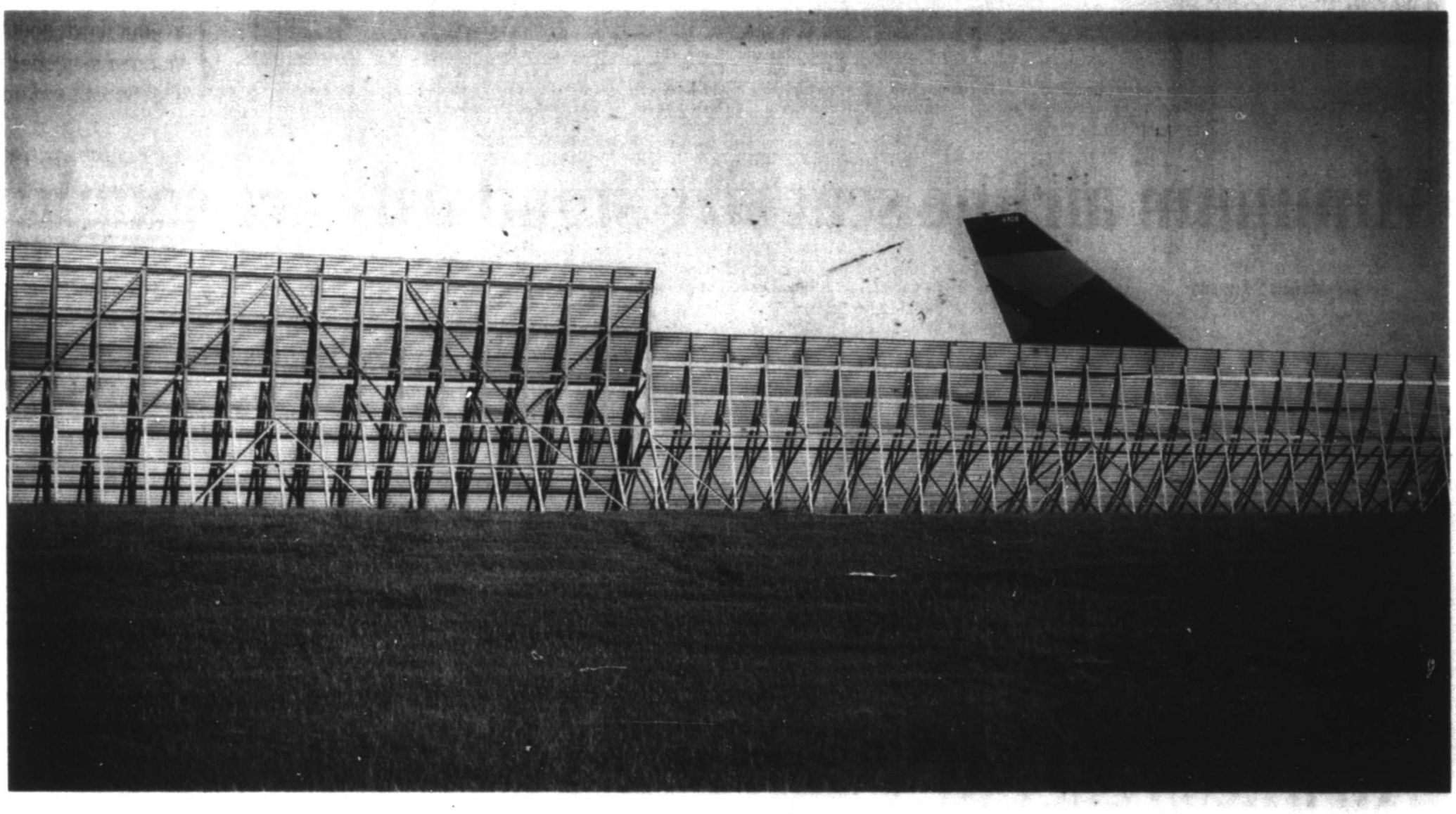
MORE SCENES FROM AIR TRAVEL



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TOP: Groups of passengers wait at a United Airlines gate to board a flight at O'Hare International Airport in Chicago on May 8, 2013. United Airlines, which was the only U.S. carrier not to let families board early, has reversed its 4-year-old policy. The move, which takes effect Feb. 15, lets families with children age 2 and under get settled in their seats before the rush of other passengers clamoring for overhead bin space.

BOTTOM: The tail of an airplane is seen as it taxis on the tarmac at Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport in Atlanta on Aug. 27, 2014. Officials in Atlanta are laying the groundwork for an expansion of the world's busiest airport



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person exits the lavatory," said Jeanne Yu, Boeing's director of environmental performances for commercial planes.

The design uses a hands-free faucet, soap dispenser, trash lid and hand dryer, plus a toilet seat that lifts itself so that all the surfaces are exposed to the UV rays.

Boeing said it has filed a patent for the design and plans further study before it can be offered to airlines.

ANA planes get 'Star Wars' designs

"Star Wars" fans who can't get enough of the galaxy far, far away might consider a flight on All Nippon Airways, the largest carrier in Japan.

ANA has painted three of its jets with "Star Wars" designs, two adorned with images and the insignia of BB-8, the droid introduced in the latest movie, "Star Wars: The Force Awakens," and one emblazoned with a picture of R2-D2, the droid introduced in the 1977 "Star Wars" film.

The latest of the three aircraft to get the makeover, a 777-300 jet, departs from Tokyo for Los Angeles on March 29, before the plane begins to operate on routes between Japan and various U.S. destinations, including Los Angeles; New York; Chicago; Washington, D.C.; and Houston.

Fliers on the plane will be served drinks in BB-8 paper cups and will rest their heads on BB-8 headset covers. The flight attendants will even wear BB-8 designs on their aprons.

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satellite-based system.

Airbus eyes new coach seat design

The trend for coach seats in the airline industry has been to squeeze leg and hip room to pack as many paying passengers as possible into each cabin.

But now, a division of the European airline manufacturer Airbus has applied for a patent for a seat design that can offer extra space for overweight fliers.

Airbus suggests that airlines use a bench seat, the type of seats you would find in the cars in the 1950s and '60s before they were replaced by bucket seats.

In a bench seat, all the passengers share the same long seat cushion and backrest.

According to the Airbus patent application, the advantage of a bench seat is that the seat belt can be moved sideways along the length of the seat to fit between two and four passengers.

The disadvantage is that the seat back can't recline, and in the configuration for four passengers, the two fliers in the middle don't get an armrest.

In a statement, Airbus said it files hundreds of patent applications each year, adding, "The vast majority of items and processes patented never become fully realized technology or products."

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— I mean everything — is made from scratch. Unheard of in the industry."

■ Swiss: "Nothing but Swiss quality here. In December 2014, they held the first pop-up restaurant-in-the-sky with top chef Andreas Caminada. On flights from Hong Kong, Bangkok and Shanghai, they offer first- and business-class passengers dishes from the Peninsula Hotel in Hong Kong. They also prepare a Taste of Switzerland on all flights departing from Switzerland. Swiss chefs create menus from various regions in the country."

■ Air Dolomiti: "Another small airline, based in Italy and a subsidiary of Lufthansa. The prosciutto and melon, a typical Italian breakfast, really hit the spot. The simple Italian dish was tasty, fresh and local. I'm a big fan of airlines that showcase their heritage through food."

■ Japan Airlines: "Typically, most Japanese airlines offer the most delicate and delicious in-flight creations, even in economy. But the in-flight Kentucky Fried Chicken dish will stay with me forever. Why? Because it's probably the craziest in-flight meal I have ever eaten!"

■ Singapore Airlines: "In first, business and premium-economy class, you can order from the Book the Cook meal service. I've used the system to order a steak, and I'm really looking forward to the meals I preordered for upcoming flights to Melbourne, including lobster thermidor and a grilled angus beef burger. The meals are fantastic, even in economy, and the service is generally outstanding."

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	G	S	R	C	W	6 AM	6:30	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30
KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	WildA.	House	GMA Saturday		Wild C.	Ocean M.	S.Rescue	Wildlife D	RockPark	Explore	Family	Mr. Box
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	CBS This Morning Saturday				LuckyDog	Dr. Chris	Innovate	Inspect	Chicken	Changers	NCAA Basketball	
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	Pufnstuf	Land Lost	Green	Green	History	History	Hunters	Hunters	Wagon Train		Big Valley "Target"	
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	Consumr	Consumer	Aqua Kid	Animals	WildA.	Outdoors	Weekend Marketplace				Mazda	Raceweek
KMLM IND	11	12	12	11	11	Light of Southwest		Joshua	Creation	Enarson	S. Baras	News	WhatCost	Camino	Israel	Z. Levitt	HaYesod
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	FarmR.	Mercury	Saturday Today (N)				Floogals	Nina's	Ruff-Ruff	Astro	Clangers	LazyTown
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	D.Tiger	Clifford	C.George	Sesame	Jet Go!	Bob Build	Odd Sqd	Caillou	Sesame	Cook's	J. Child	Lidia
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Mercury	Pagado	Pocoyo	Amigos	Mickey	Mickey	Handy	Handy	Mercury	Mercury	Rosa Guadalupe	
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		JTV	JTV Direct	Into Wild	J. Hanna	Dog Tales	Pets.TV	Dragon	Awesome	Whadd	News	Paid	Paid
FLIX	340	575		165		(:10) ★★★ Cradle Will Rock ('99, Dra) John Cusack.					★ From the Hip ('87, Com) Judd Nelson.				Billy's Hollywood Screen Ki...		
HBO	300	550	14	14		Movie	(:35) The Secret of the Magic...			Sesame	Sesame	Gold Diggers: The Secret ...			Gonzaga	(:05) Night at th...	
HBO2	302	551	15	101	23	(:20) Bill Maher		(:20) ★★ She's All That Freddie Prinze Jr.				Veep	(:25) Veep	(:55) Veep	(:25) Veep	(:55) Veep	(:25) Veep
HBOS	304	552	16	102		(5:20) ★★ Antwone Fisher			(:25) Real Sports		(:25) ★ Exodus: Gods and Kings Christian Bale.					Hannah & Her S...	
MAX	380	557	17	120	24	Movie	(:40) ★★★ Tequila Sunrise Mel Gibson.				(:40) ★★★ Independence Day ('96, Sci-Fi) Will Smith.					(:05) Draft Day	
MAX2	382	558	18	122		(5:45) ★★★ Connie and Carla			(:25) Free Ride Anna Paquin.			(:55) ★★★ Jupiter Ascending Mila Kunis.				(:05) Taking Lives	
PLEX			96			Movie	(:45) ★★ Balto Kevin Bacon.			(:05) ★★ Balto II: Wolf Quest			(:25) Balto III: W...		(:45) Aussie & Ted's Great A...		
SHOW	320	565	19	140	25	(5:35) A Murder i...		(:15) 60 Minutes		(:15) Life of a King Cuba Gooding Jr.				★★ U-571 Matthew McConaughey.			
TMC	336	573	22	155	26	(:05) ★★★★ Boyhood ('14, Dra) Ellar Coltrane.					(:55) ★★ The Mirror Has Two Faces Barbra Streisand.					The Seven Five	
A&E	27	58	28	35	47	Tiny House Nation		Tiny House Nation		Shore Flip		You Do?		Wahlburgers		Wahlbrg	Wahlbrg
AMC	40	74	23	42	51	Rifleman	Rifleman	Rifleman	Rifleman	Rifleman	Rifleman	Rifleman	Rifleman	Rifleman	★★★ We Were Soldiers		
BET	58	-		40		(5:00) BET Inspiration		Fresh P.	Fresh P.	Fresh P.	Fresh P.	Fresh P.	Fresh P.	Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin
BRAVO	65	76		41		(5:30) Chef	Tour Group		Tour Group		The People's Couch		The People's Couch		Watch	Vanderpump Rules	
CNBC	46	52		39	72	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid
CNN	43	50	51	30	56	New Day Saturday		New Day Saturday		Smerconish		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom	
DISC	50	60	31	24	42	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Bitchin' Rides		Bitchin' Rides		Street Outlaws		Age of Aerospace (N)	
DISNEY	56	64	36	25	36	Miles	Sofia 1st	M.Mouse	The Lion	Darlings	Austin	Bunk'd	S.Middle	S.Middle	S.Middle	Underc.	Underc.
ESPN	32	35	48	31	30	SportsCenter		SportsCenter				SportsCenter		SportsCenter		NCAA Basketball	
ESPN2	34	36	49	32	31	BASS Fishing		BASS Fishing Bassmaster Classic				College Scoreboard		NCAA Basketball Division I Tournament (L)			
FNC	45	48	53	23	55	(5:00) Fox & Friends Saturday						Bull Bear	Cavuto	Forbes	Cash In	Property	Journal E.
FOOD	64	70	27	68	54	Candy Craze		Daphne	Heart	Rules	Pioneer	Pioneer	Southern	The Kitchen (N)		Cooking	Giada
FREEFORM	53	63	34	42	33	★★★ Snoopy Come Home Chad Webber.				★★ The Flintstones John Goodman.				★★★★ Happy Feet Two Elijah Wood.			
FSSW	37	38	50	45	29	Rodeo	RodeoHouston Wild Card			Outdoor	UEFAMag.	Paid	Paid	SnowM	Big 12	NCAA Baseball (L)	
FX	31	56	59	64	69	Buffy "Afterlife"		Anger M.	Anger M.	2½Men	2½Men	2½Men	2½Men	The Counselor ('13, Dra) Cameron Diaz.			
HALLMARK	54	71	58		34	Lucy	I Love Lucy	Middle	Middle	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	Elevator Girl ('10, Fam) Lacey Chabert.			
HGTV	63	69	26	48	44	Renovation		Renovation		Renovation		Renovation		Renovation		Renovation	
HISTORY	71	59	29	50	43	Vikings		Vikings		Vikings "Mercy"		Vikings "Yol"		Vikings "Promised"		Vietnam in HD	
LIFETIME	28	30	25	28	48	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Little Women: LA		Tall Hot Blonde	
MSNBC	47	53		49	73	Weekends-Alex Witt		Up				Special Coverage "The Place for Politics"				Weekends-Alex Witt	
NBCSN	38	43				FIS Alpine Skiing (L)		Live	(:40) EPL Soccer Arsenal at Everton (L)				(:45) Live	(:55) EPL Soccer West Ham U. vs Chelsea (L)			
NICK	55	-	39	34	37	Sponge	Sponge	ALVINNN	ALVINNN	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Parents	Pig Goat	Dino (N)	ALVINNN
SPIKE	30	-	55	53	58	Paid Program		Paid Program		★★★ Sherlock Holmes ('09, Adv) Jude Law, Robert Downey Jr.						★★★ Iron Man 2	
SYFY	66	82	41	57	67	(5:00) Paid Program		Internet	★★ Drag Me to Hell Justin Long.				★★★★ Evil Dead 2: Dead by Dawn				Movie
TBS	25	33	44	66	41	F.House	Full House	F.House	F.House	Separation Anxiety		★★ Journey to the Center of the Earth				Pirates of the C...	
TCM	41	75	24	63	66	Movie	(:45) The Beast From 20,000...			(:15) The Lone Wolf Spy Hunt			★★★ Angels in Disguise			Fort Apache	
TELE	20	-	10	20		Pagado	Pagado	Raggs	Raggs	Noodle	Noodle	LazyTown	LazyTown	Pagado	Pagado	SOS: Salva mi casa	
TLC	51	61	32	38	52	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Coupon	Coupon	Coupon	Coupon	Coupon	Coupon	Haunt "Dark Dreams"	
TNT	24	34	40	26	50	Law & Order "Empire"		Law&O. "Ambitious"		Law&O. "Admissions"		Law&Order "Refuge"		Law&Order "Refuge"		★★ Collateral	
TVLAND	49	-	35	54	35	(:10) Feud	(:50) Feud	(:25) Family Feud		Fam.Feud	(:35) Reba	(:10) Reba	(:50) Reba	(:25) Reba		Reba	Reba
USA	26	55	42	27	49	Paid Program		Paid Program		Chrisley	Chrisley	Colony "Gateway"		EPL Soccer (L)			
WGN	19	85				Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Home Videos		Home Videos		Home Videos		Home Videos	

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KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	Y. Icons	Comics	Paid	Paid	World of X Games "Oslo 2016" (N)				Paid	Paid	Paid	News
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	(11:00) NCAA Basketball			NCAA Basketball Division I Tournament (L)					NCAA Basketball Division I Tournament (L)			
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	Gunsmoke		Bonanza		Rawhide		Wanted	Wanted	Rifleman	Rifleman	Superman	Batman
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	Matchday	DFL Soccer Hannover at Frankfurt (L)				Outdoors	Stellar Awards		Modern	Modern	2½Men	2½Men
KMLM IND	11	12	12	11	11	News	Walking	Restore	S. Baras	Light of Southwest		Light of Southwest		Zion	On Wings	WhatCost	Audra
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	FIS Alpine Skiing World Cup			PGA Golf Arnold Palmer Invitational Site: Bay Hill Golf Club and Lodge (L)							W.America	News
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	Chef's	Old House	House	HomeT.	Woodsh'p	Motor.	Landscap	Travel	Heroes	Parks	News.	InnerV.
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Lanzate		Sabadazo						Sal y pimienta		Mi jefe	Noticiero
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Flipside	Access Hollywood		Homeown.	Hazelton	O.House	Homes	NameG.	Fam.Feud	The Good Wife		Rizzoli
FLIX	340	575		165		(:05) ★★ The Gift ('00, Thril) Cate Blanchett.				★★ Mansfield Park Frances O'Connor.				★★★ Bubble Boy			Movie
HBO	300	550	14	14		Movie	(:45) Lady Day Emerson			BodyTeam	Ebola	(:15) San Andreas Dwayne Johnson.				Making	Movie
HBO2	302	551	15	101	23	(:55) Veep	(:25) Veep	Veep	Veep	Veep	Veep	Making /(:15) ★★ Get Hard Will Ferrell.				Gonzaga	Gonzaga
HBOS	304	552	16	102		Movie	(:45) ★★ Mystic Pizza Julia Roberts.				(:35) ★ Satisfaction			(:10) ★★ Troop Beverly Hills Shelley Long.			
MAX	380	557	17	120	24	(11:05) Draft Day		★★ The Brothers Grimm Matt Damon.				★★★ Demolition Man Sylvester Stallone.				(:55) The Drop	
MAX2	382	558	18	122		Movie	(:50) ★★ Godzilla ('14, Act) Elizabeth Olsen.					(:55) Austin Powers: Intern...			(:25) ★★★ 300 Gerard Butler.		
PLEX			96			(:15) ★★ Coneheads			(:45) ★★ Flash Gordon Sam J. Jones.				(:40) When a Stranger Calls			(:10) Race to Spa...	
SHOW	320	565	19	140	25	★★★ The Lovely Bones ('09, Dra) Rachel Weisz,					M. Jackson's Journey			(:10) ★★★ Up in the Air George Clooney.			
TMC	336	573	22	155	26	Movie	(:45) Rampart ('11, Cri) Woody Harrelson.				(:35) Iverson Allen Iverson.			(:05) ★★ Snowpiercer Chris Evans.			
A&E	27	58	28	35	47	Donnie	Donnie	60 Days In		60 Days In		60 Days "Cell Shock"		The First 48		The First 48	
AMC	40	74	23	42	51	(10:30) We Were Soldiers			★★★ The Express ('08, Dra) Rob Brown, Dennis Quaid.						The Bourne Supremacy		
BET	58	-		40		Martin	Martin	From the	From the	From the	From the	From the	From the	Sparkle ('12, Dra) Jordin Sparks.			
BRAVO	65	76		41		VanderR "Uncensored"		Beverly "Uncensored"		Beverly Hills		Housewives Atlanta		Housewives Atlanta		Housewives Atlanta	
CNBC	46	52		39	72	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid
CNN	43	50	51	30	56	CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom		Smerconish	
DISC	50	60	31	24	42	Street Outlaws		Street Outlaws		Street Outlaws		Street Outlaws		Street Outlaws		Fast N' Loud	
DISNEY	56	64	36	25	36	Austin	Austin/Ally	S.Middle	S.Middle	S.Middle	Girl M.	Liv/Mad	Liv/Mad	Bunk'd	Austin	Friends	Jessie
ESPN	32	35	48	31	30	(11:00) NCAA Basketb.		ATP Tennis BNP Paribas Open Semifinal Site: Indian Wells Tennis Garden -- Indian Wells, Calif. (L)									
ESPN2	34	36	49	32	31	NCAA	NCAA Basketball Division I Tournament (L)				NCAA	NCAA Basketball Division I Tournament (L)				NCAA	Basket.
FNC	45	48	53	23	55	America's News HQ				America's News HQ				Fox Rapublican		America's News HQ	
FOOD	64	70	27	68	54	Academy "Snack Time"		Chopped		Cooks vs. Cons		Chopped		Chopped		Diners	Diners
FREEFORM	53	63	34	42	33	★★★★ Dumbo			★★★★ Alice in Wonderland				★★★ A Bug's Life ('98, Ani) Dave Foley.				Movie
FSSW	37	38	50	45	29	(11:00) NCAA Baseball FI.A./M.T. St. (L)				MLB Baseball Spring Training Kansas City Royals vs. Texas Rangers (L)						Snowboard U.S. Open	
FX	31	56	59	64	69	Movie	★★★ Jack Reacher (2012, Action) Rosamund Pike, Richard Jenkins, Tom Cruise.							★★★★ Star Trek: Into Darkness			
HALLMARK	54	71	58		34	All of My Heart ('15, Dra) Lacey Chabert.				Perfect on Paper Lindsay Hartley.				Love in Paradise (2016) Luke Perry.			
HGTV	63	69	26	48	44	H.Hunt	H.Hunt	Property Brothers		Property Brothers		Property Brothers		Property Brothers		Property Brothers	
HISTORY	71	59	29	50	43	(11:00) Vietnam in HD		Vietnam in HD				Vietnam in HD				Pawn S.	Pawn S.
LIFETIME	28	30	25	28	48	(11:00) Tall Hot Bl...		A Mother's Instinct Josie Bissett.				Killing Daddy ('14, Cri) Elizabeth Gillies.				His Secret Family	
MSNBC	47	53		49	73	(11:00) Alex Witt		CaughtCam "Fury"		Caught on Camera		Caught on Camera		Caught on Camera		Caught on Camera	
NBCSN	38	43				Live	EPL Soccer Aston Villa at Swansea City (L)				Goal Zone (L)		Premier League		NHLTop10	Derek Sanderson	
NICK	55	-	39	34	37	ALVINNN	ALVINNN	ALVINNN	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	ALVINNN	ALVINNN	Thunder	School
SPIKE	30	-	55	53	58	(11:00) ★★★ Iron Man 2-				Life or Debt		Cops	Cops	Cops	Jail	Cops	Cops
SYFY	66	82	41	57	67	(11:30) Army of Darkness			★★★ The Cabin in the Woods				Silent Hill: Revelation 3D Sean Bean.				Movie
TBS	25	33	44	66	41	(11:00) Pirates of the Caribbean: At Wor...				Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Girls	Girls	BigBang	BigBang
TCM	41	75	24	63	66	(11:00) Fort Apache		(:15) ★★★ Escape From Fort Bravo				★★ Back From Eternity Robert Ryan.				Breaking Away	
TELE	20	-	10	20		Death Race: Inferno ('12, Act) Luke Goss.				The Detonator ('06, Act) Wesley Snipes.				Noticiero	Videos	La Reina Del Sur	
TLC	51	61	32	38	52	Haunt "Blood Visions"		A Haunting		A Haunting		Dateline NBC		Dateline NBC		Dateline NBC	
TNT	24	34	40	26	50	(11:00) ★★ Collateral			★★ S.W.A.T. ('03, Act) Colin Farrell, Samuel L. Jackson.					NCAA Basketball		NCAA Basketball	
TVLAND	49	-	35	54	35	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba 1/2	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba
USA	26	55	42	27	49	Chrisley	The Mechanic ('11, Act) Jason Statham.				★★★★ Faster ('10, Act) Dwayne Johnson.				★★ 3 Days to Kill		
WGN	19	85				Home Videos		Elementary		Elementary		Elementary		Elementary		Blue Bloods	

SATURDAY PRIME TIME — MARCH 19, 2016

For Complete Information Please Check Movie Listings

	G	S	R	C	W	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	Count-down (L)	NBA Basketball Golden State Warriors at San Antonio Spurs Site: AT&T Center -- San Antonio, Texas (L)					Local 2 News/ 10	(:35) Extra Weekend		(:35) Paid Program
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	(4:00) Basketb.	NCAA Basketball Division I Tournament Second Round (L)					48 Hours		CBS 7 News	(:35) Elementary		(:35) P. of Interest
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	The Incredible Hulk "The Beast Within"		WonderW "The Last of the Two-Dollar Bills"		Star Trek "Errand of Mercy"		★★★ Abbott and Costello: The Time of Their Lives ('46, Com) Bud Abbott.				Lost Space "Collision of the Planets"	
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	In the Cage	Big Bang Theory	Rosewood "Necrosis and New Beginnings"		Lucifer "Sweet Kicks"		Blue Bloods		Party (N)	Cooper Barrett	TMZ	
KMLM IND	11	12	12	11	11	HaYesod	Israel Inspired	House Call	Update News	Light of the Southwest		Light of the Southwest		Lars Enarson	Biblical Israel	Jean-Claude	Del Camino
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	News-West 9	Country Reporter	Dateline NBC Featuring quality investigative features and stories.				Saturday Night Live		NewsWest 9 at 10	Saturday Night Live		
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	History Detectives		Song of Mountains "The Steel Drivers"		Woodsongs "Jewel"		The Kate "Barb Jungr"		Austin City Limits		Bluegrass Under	Sun Studio
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	(:55) MFL Fútbol Leon at America Site: Estadio Azteca -- Mexico City, Mexico (L)				MFL Fútbol Guadalajara at Monterrey Site: Estadio Tecnologico -- Monterrey, Mexico (L)				Durmiendo mi jefe	Noticiero Univision	Estrellados	
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Rizzoli	Castle		Scandal		Mike&M.	Mike&M.	Anger M.	Office	Comedy.TV		Closer
FLIX	340	575		165		(5:25) Standoff		★★ The Gift ('00, Thril) Cate Blanchett.				★★ Fear Reese Witherspoon.			(:40) Silent Night, Deadly N...		
HBO	300	550	14	14		(5:25) Fantastic 4:...		★★★ Pitch Perfect 2 Anna Kendrick.				Vinyl		Girls	★★★ Pitch Perfect 2		
HBO2	302	551	15	101	23	Gonzaga	Gonzaga	Gonzaga	Furious 7 ('15, Act) Paul Walker, Vin Diesel.				(:50) ★★ American Sniper ('14, War) Bradley Cooper.				
HBOS	304	552	16	102		★★★ Working Girl Melanie Griffith.				Me & Earl & the Dying Girl			Making	The Longest Ride Britt Robertson.			
MAX	380	557	17	120	24	Movie	(:45) Blackhat ('14, Act) Viola Davis, Chris Hemsworth.					★★ The Maze Runner Dylan O'Brien.				(:55) Ghost Town	
MAX2	382	558	18	122		Movie	(:25) Poltergeist Sam Rockwell.			Vice ('15, Act) Bruce Willis.			(:40) ★★★ The Sixth Sense Bruce Willis.				Erotic
PLEX			96			(5:10) Race to Spa...		(:55) ★★ Coneheads			(:25) The Secret of My Succe...			(:20) ★★★★ The Freshman			
SHOW	320	565	19	140	25	Shameless		Billions		★★★ Shooter ('07, Act) Mark Wahlberg.				(:05) ★★ Sin City: A Dame to Kill for			
TMC	336	573	22	155	26	(:15) The Seven Five (2015, Documentary)				Ju On Megumi Okina.			(:35) Nightlight Shelby Young.			Ju On	
A&E	27	58	28	35	47	The First 48		The First 48		The First 48 (N)		The First 48 (N)		Misfort. "Blindsided"		The First 48	
AMC	40	74	23	42	51	(4:30) The Bourne...		The Monuments Men ('14, Act) George Clooney.					The Monuments Men ('14, Act) George Clooney.				
BET	58	-		40		(4:00) Sparkle		TBA	★★ Waiting to Exhale ('95, Dra) Whitney Houston.					About the Business		Payne	Payne
BRAVO	65	76		41		Housewives Atlanta		Dodgeball: A True Underdog Story				Dodgeball: A True Underdog Story				Men in Black	
CNBC	46	52		39	72	Under Boss "Belfor"		Boss "Taylormade"		Undercover Boss		Undercover Boss		Under Boss "Belfor"		Boss "Taylormade"	
CNN	43	50	51	30	56	CNN Newsroom		House "JFK vs. Nixon"		Race-White House		CNN Special		CNN Special		CNN Special	
DISC	50	60	31	24	42	Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud	
DISNEY	56	64	36	25	36	Friends	Underc.	S.Middle	S.Middle	S.Middle	Underc.	Gamer	Gamer	Bunk'd	Underc.	S.Middle	S.Middle
ESPN	32	35	48	31	30	SportsCenter		NCAA Wrestling Division I Championship (L)						SportsCenter		SportsCenter	
ESPN2	34	36	49	32	31	(5:30) NCAA Basketball			NCAA	NCAA Basketball Division I Tournament (L)				NBA	30 for 30		30Shorts
FNC	45	48	53	23	55	Report	(:35) Fox Business Republican					Greg Gutfeld Show		Red Eye		Hannity	
FOOD	64	70	27	68	54	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners
FREEFORM	53	63	34	42	33	(5:45) ★★★ The Jungle Book Phil Harris.				★★★ Ratatouille ('07, Fam) Brad Garrett.					(:45) ★★★★ Pocahontas		
FSSW	37	38	50	45	29	Play Pevs	Pre-game	NHL Hockey New York Islanders at Dallas Stars (L)					Stars Live	Rodeo	H.S. Basket. UIL State Tournament		
FX	31	56	59	64	69	(4:00) Star Trek: I...		★★★ Avatar (2009, Fantasy) Sam Worthington, Giovanni Ribisi, Zoe Saldana.							Mike&M.	Mike&M.	Louie
HALLMARK	54	71	58		34	Perfect Match ('15, Rom) Danica McKellar.				All Things Valentine Sarah Rafferty.				G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls
HGTV	63	69	26	48	44	Property Brothers		Property Brothers		Property Brothers		Internat. Reno. (N)		LogCabin	LogCabin	Property Brothers	
HISTORY	71	59	29	50	43	Pawn S.	Pawn Star	Pawn S.	Pawn S.	Pawn S.	Pawn S.	Pawn S.	Pawn S.	(:05) Pawn	Pawn S.	Pawn S.	Pawn S.
LIFETIME	28	30	25	28	48	(5:00) His Secret ...		Mommy's Little Girl Fiona Gubelman.				The Stepchild ('16, Suspense) Sarah Fisher.				Mommy's Little ...	
MSNBC	47	53		49	73	Caught on Camera		Caught on Camera		Lockup		Lockup		Lockup		Life After Lockup	
NBCSN	38	43				NCAA Hockey Hockey East Tournament Site: TD Garden (L)					USATF Track & Field			More Than Gold		F1	F1 Racing
NICK	55	-	39	34	37	H.Danger	H.Danger	H.Danger	School (N)	Bella (N)	GShakers	F.House	F.House	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends
SPIKE	30	-	55	53	58	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	★★★ Iron Man 2	
SYFY	66	82	41	57	67	(5:30) ★★ Silent Hill ('06, Hor) Sean Bean.				We Are Still Here (2015, Horror) (P)				★★★ The Faculty Jordana Brewster.			
TBS	25	33	44	66	41	NCAA Basketball Division I Tournament (L)					NCAA Basketball Division I Tournament Second Round (L)					Madness	Frontal
TCM	41	75	24	63	66	(5:00) Breaking ...		★★★ The Great Escape ('63, War) James Garner, Steve McQueen.						A Man Escaped Francois Leterrier.			
TELE	20	-	10	20		(5:00) La Reina Del Sur		Que noche con Angelica y Raul!				America's Funniest		Titulares	Videos	Decisiones extremas	
TLC	51	61	32	38	52	Untold Stories		Untold Stories		Untold "Labor Pains"		The E.R. (N)		The E.R.		Untold "Labor Pains"	
TNT	24	34	40	26	50	(5:00) NCAA Basketball			NCAA Basketball					★★ S.W.A.T. ('03, Act) Samuel L. Jackson.			
TVLAND	49	-	35	54	35	Reba	Reba	Reba	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens
USA	26	55	42	27	49	(4:30) 3 Days to Kill		★★ The Lone Ranger ('13, Act) Armie Hammer, Johnny Depp.						Colony "Gateway"		3 Days to Kill	
WGN	19	85				Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods		Outsiders		★★ Mr. 3000 ('04, Com) Bernie Mac.			

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TODAY: Cloudy	SUNDAY: Sunny	MONDAY: Sunny	TUESDAY: Sunny	WEDNESDAY: Sunny	THURSDAY: Mostly sunny
High: 54 Low: 36	High: 61 Low: 42	High: 79 Low: 52	High: 85 Low: 56	High: 85 Low: 54	High: 69 Low: 41

Local forecast

High temperatures today and Sunday will be 10 or more degrees below normal, according to the National Weather Service. After that, highs will in 70s and 80s.

The record high for March 18 is 90 set in 2011. The record low is 20 set in 1988. On March 18 of last year, the high was 65 and the low was 45.

Weather brief

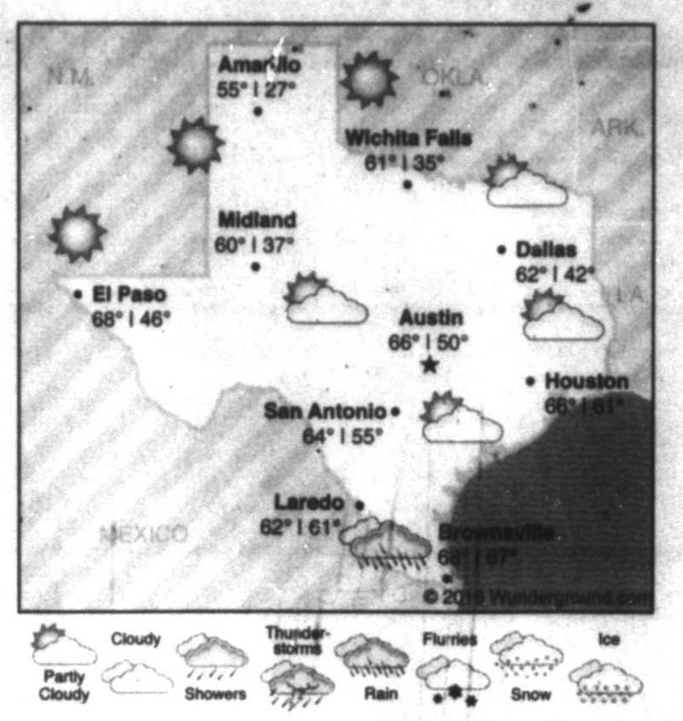
BOSTON

Northeast expecting wintry weather on 1st day of spring

After a mild winter, a weekend storm is bearing down on the Northeast just as residents are looking forward to Sunday's official start of spring.

More than 6 inches of accumulation is possible, mostly in New England and along coastal parts of the region. New York and Philadelphia should at least get a few inches, forecasters say.

The snow should start Sunday morning in mid-Atlantic cities like Washington, D.C, Philadelphia and New York, but higher temperatures should help mitigate snow accumulations, according to AccuWeather.





Precipitation

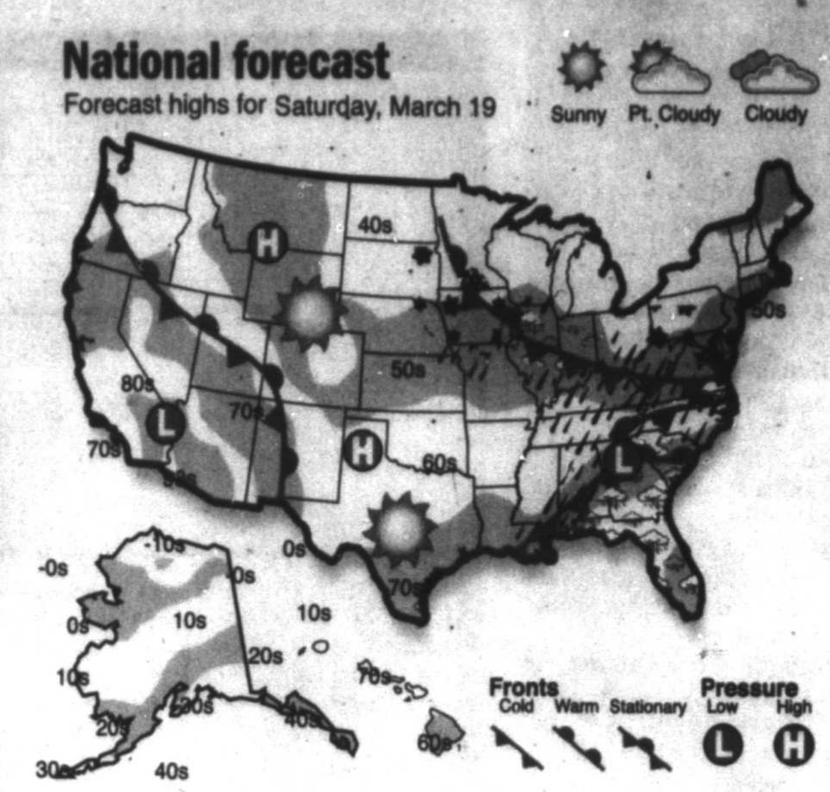
Friday	0.00 in.
Thursday	0.00 in.
Month total	0.34 in.
Year total	0.82 in.
Normal total (year to date)	1.61 in.

Friday's temperatures

High	64
Low	47
Normal high	71
Normal low	41
Sunrise	7:53 a.m.
Sunset	8:00 p.m.

National forecast

Forecast highs for Saturday, March 19



Old friend's new schedule leaves no time to catch up

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: One of my close friends may be "ghosting" me. "Sarah" and I have known each other since middle school. We went to high school together and roomed together during our freshman year of college. We both transferred to different schools after that freshman year, but we made it a point to keep in touch. I was the first person she came out to. I helped her move into her new apartment the summer before grad school. In general, I think I've been a good friend to her.

Last summer we both moved back to our hometown — she for med school and I for a new job. I was excited that after five years we were living in the same city again. I have reached out to her on multiple occasions, but my texts and calls usually go unanswered. When I do get a response, it's typically, "Sorry! I'm just too swamped!"

I don't doubt that med school is incredibly difficult, and I completely understand that that's where her focus should be, but over the holidays I reached out once again and was given the same answer. I know she made time to see another friend — her best, who ranks higher than I do in the "who to see" list. It still hurt.

Am I being too sensitive? Too self-centered? I'm worried that this is Sarah's way of breaking ties with me and I'm just not taking the hint. An outsider's point of view would really help, even if it's a harsh truth. — LEFT HANGING IN MIAMI

DEAR LEFT HANGING: When people are in med school, they must carefully organize their time because the curriculum is demanding. Things that are not essential are often postponed, and that includes social relationships.

As you said, you and Sarah are not as close as Sarah and her best friend are. While it may sting, look at it as a mature adult and don't let it drag you down. If Sarah says she's "swamped," have faith that when she's under less pressure, there will be time to re-establish the friendship.

DEAR ABBY: My husband does not seem to be able to "hit the toilet," if you know what I mean. I am tired of wiping up the bottom of the toilet seat and the floor. We have talked about this and he always says he's sorry and promises to be more careful. Today I told him that I am no longer cleaning up the toilet seat or the floor. He misses, he cleans.

What advice do you have to solve this problem? — BETTER THINGS TO DO IN NEW YORK

DEAR BETTER THINGS: Keep a roll of paper towels or an extra roll of toilet paper on top of the toilet. When you see your husband's aim has been sloppy, call him in and have him mop up his mess. If that doesn't get him to pay more attention, and there is a second bathroom in your home, have him use the other one until he is housebroken.

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GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

Bidding Quiz

Q 1 — Neither vulnerable, as South, you hold:

♠ 2 ♡ A J 3 ◇ A K 8 5 ♣ A 9 5 4 2

As dealer, what call would you make?

Q 2 — East-West vulnerable, as South, you hold:

♠ A 6 ♡ K Q 10 8 5 ◇ 9 8 ♣ 7 6 3 2

As dealer, what call would you make?

Q 3 — North-South vulnerable, as South, you hold:

♠ 9 7 ♡ 9 6 ◇ A K Q 9 4 ♣ Q 10 8 6

What call would you make?

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1♠	Pass	2◇	Pass
2NT	Pass	?	

What call would you make?

Q 4 — Both vulnerable, as South, you hold:

♠ K Q 6 ♡ K 9 8 5 3 ◇ K 5 ♣ 9 8 4

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1◇	Pass	1♡	Pass
1NT	Pass	?	

What call would you make?

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1 Some kids' parties
11 Tag word
15 Meteorological record
16 Driving area
17 Can't imagine
18 Available
19 Longtime Parlophone record label owner
20 Edge
21 Document preparer
23 Roundup line
25 Chicago mayor after Richard
27 Start to cure?
28 Minnesota's St. __ College
31 "The Munsters" actress Yvonne
33 Supplies site
37 City in southern Egypt
38 Catnip, e.g.
39 Spam, perhaps
41 They sit on pads
42 Flowed furiously
44 Tossed out a number
46 High spirits
48 Provoke
49 __ mother
50 They might be hard to crack
52 Awestruck sort
56 Stars home
58 Caps, say
61 Satisfied sigh
62 Cooking staple, to Rachael Ray
63 City on the Wabash
66 Money-raising option, briefly
67 1998 National Toy Hall of Fame inductee
68 Old Alt. crossers
69 Section

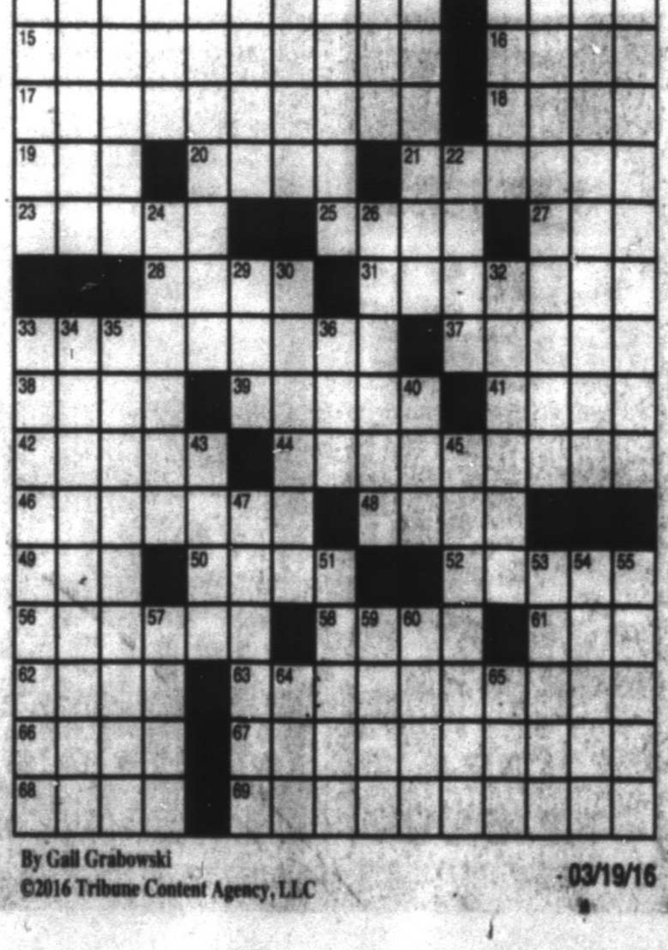
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2 Wool source
3 Newsworthy inductee of March 24, 1958
4 ...vry summer
5 Elementary camera feature
6 1847 work with the chapter "Life at Loohoolee"
7 Marble characteristic
8 Tribal leader
9 Eggs sometimes served with grits
10 Wrap up
11 Probably not a really good show
12 Joan Rivers' asset
13 It's beside the point
14 Touched on
22 Interactive party song
24 Frozen dessert
26 Doesn't turn away
29 Lionel Richie's "You __"
30 Inflame
32 Capital east of Khartoum
33 Tracks-covering vehicles
34 Reading material?
35 Church music source
36 Western alliance: Abbr.
40 Edge
43 Manzo of "The Real Housewives of New Jersey"
45 It's usually not a pretty picture
47 Sent packing
51 __ throat
53 Breathing spell
54 All gone
55 "Never, at any crisis of your life, have I known you to have a handkerchief" speaker
57 "The Giver" author Lowry
59 Subject of the 2013 documentary "Blackfish"
60 '80s-'90s tennis star Korda
64 Poetic preposition
65 Coat part

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

R	A	J	A		C	U	D	G	E	L		G	O	T
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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 Saturday, March 19, 2016:

This year you often feel burdened by a boss and/or a professional situation. Clearing up this situation will be challenging. You also might need to accept more than your share of responsibilities. You will fare well. If you are single, you are likely to have someone appear from out of the blue who could be the love of your life. Enjoy every moment together! If you are attached, the two of you will want to get closer in the fall. As a couple, you might make a major life change sometime after September 2016. LEO is a romantic like you, but he or she expresses more energy.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★★ You might find a tense situation to be humorous, considering how ridiculous the other party seems to be acting. Try to keep a straight face, even though your playfulness is likely hard to suppress and might manifest in some other way. Tonight: Be as naughty as you want.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★ Remain direct with a loved one. You'll want to make a retort to this person's somber and stiff judgments. Do you really believe your words can change this person's opinions? Try to be diplomatic for everyone's sake. Tonight: Opt to make personal time with a special person.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★ Keep communication flowing. Be willing to share more of yourself with someone you care about. This person seems to have been withdrawing and might be difficult no matter what! How you deal with a personal matter could change with a conversation. Tonight: Say "yes."

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★ You might see a friend make a profound transformation. Your sensitivities often kick in around this person; rather than react, count to 10. An older person could send shockwaves toward you simply with his or her word choice! Tonight: Others can't help but notice you.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★★ You smile and evoke a strong response. Use your innate charm, but be aware of how taken with you others can become. Unexpected developments could occur around a trip, workshop or foreigner. Married Leos might get a surprise from their in-laws. Tonight: As you like it.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★ Play it low-key despite another person's attitude. Some of you might be happy with choosing a physical activity, while others might choose to do some noteworthy mental activity, like taxes. You most likely will need a nap after this happening. Tonight: Go with the moment.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★ You could be more invested in an important situation than you might have realized. Listen to what is happening within your immediate circle of friends before expressing your feelings. Bone up on your listening skills with this opportunity. Tonight: Where you are, the party is.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★★★ Your ability to transform situations — and, as a result, the people in your life — is totally dependent on others' free will. You have a magnetism that encourages others to take a leap of faith. Honor a fast change and willingly move forward. Tonight: A force to be dealt with.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★★ You might be a little out of kilter when dealing with someone you must answer to. How you handle a personal matter could change radically, but only if you are willing to detach from your immediate situation. Tonight: Let the party begin. Prepare to be on center stage.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★ You could be full of energy and will be pushing a close friend to respond in kind. The two of you might decide to go off and get into a game of racquetball together. What is obvious is the love of physical activity you both share. Tonight: Go along with someone else's suggestion.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★ You could be in a situation that allows greater give-and-take. Do a better job of listening and getting past a difficult situation and/or dealing with what has become a problem in your life. You exude happiness. Be more in touch with your desires. Tonight: Let the party begin.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★ You could feel as if you always have to do things for others but can't get enough done for yourself. No one can give endlessly without nourishment. You will have a special opportunity to feel appreciated and cared about once you get past a must appearance. Tonight: All smiles.

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Start planning now to save on summer airline travel

By Tom Parsons
Dallas Morning News

If you've been dreaming of a summer vacation, we are starting to see some good fares for travel during July and August. While summer fares are generally not as cheap as what we see at other times of the year, many markets offer summer fares that won't break the bank.

Most Dallas-area schools start on Aug. 22, so this year, families with school kids will have three weeks of August free for vacations, as well as the months of June and July.

Peak travel often starts in early June and lasts through late August, but you can find some decent prices during summer, especially if you're flexible.

Southwest recently extended its schedule for travel through Nov. 4. Before the schedule extension, Southwest fares were available for travel through Aug. 5, so this extends the travel period through summer and into fall.

I always advise checking fares early, so you'll know a good deal when you see it. Another reason to buy early is getting seats together. Because summer is peak season, flights often fill up faster.

If you are flying on Southwest with the family, I recommend paying the extra $12.50 one-way for the early check-in. This will usually get you into the A boarding group, so you should have no problems getting seats together.

If you get a notice of a flight change after you've purchased a ticket, be sure to check your seat assignments. This is especially important during peak season when you are traveling in a group. You don't want to arrive at the airport and find you and your travel companions are spread out all over the plane, or that you don't have a seat assignment at all.

At press time, we found a number of domestic destinations available for under $300 for summer travel. We looked at fares departing July 9 and returning July 13 and found Dallas to New York for $227 nonstop, Milwaukee for $228 nonstop, Boston for $259 one-stop, or $272 nonstop, Buffalo for $260 one-stop, $263 Salt Lake City nonstop, and San Francisco $283 nonstop. Some of these summer fares were similar to what we were seeing for spring flights.

We also found flights from Dallas to Los Angeles for as low as $197, but the fare was only available on very select dates. The cheapest fare for travel July 9-13 to Los Angeles was $294 at press time, so if you can be flexible with your dates, you may be able to save a lot of money.

Travel to Canada has been more expensive than domestic flights, but we are seeing fares below $350 round trip for summer travel. At press time, we looked at travel departing July 16, and returning July 19, and we found nonstop flights from Dallas to Montreal for as low as $324, to Montreal for as low as $345 and to Vancouver for as low as $346.

Although many markets have fare increases for peak summer season, these fares are similar to the prices we are seeing for spring travel on these routes.

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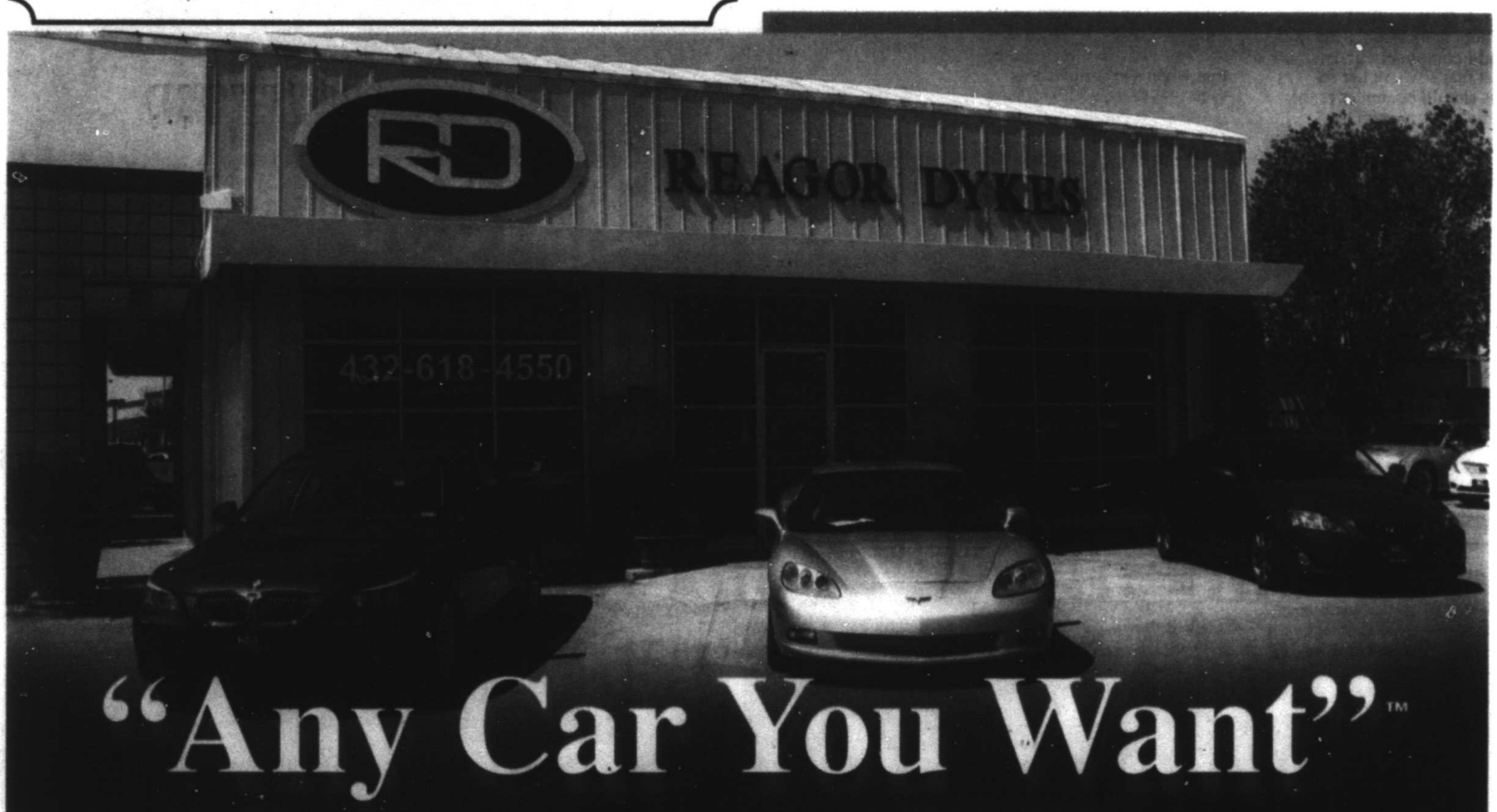
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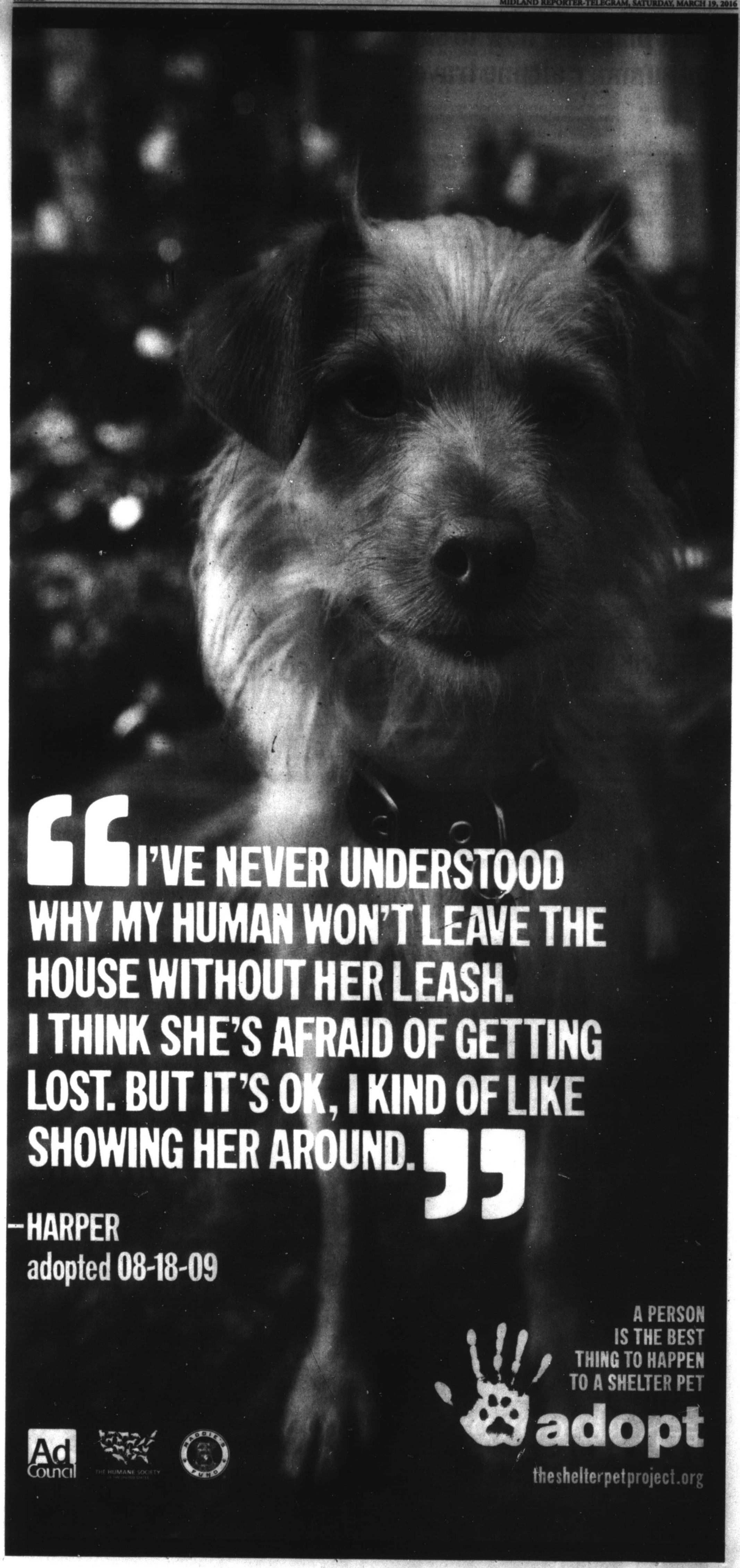


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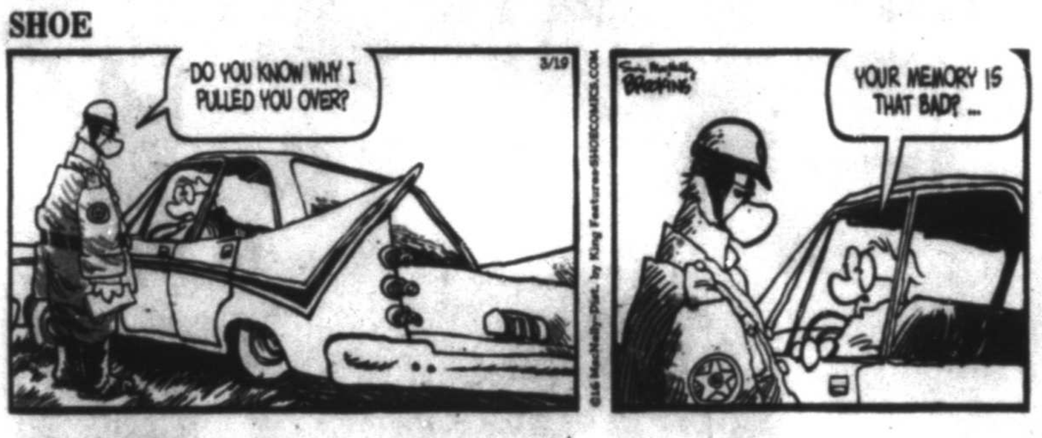
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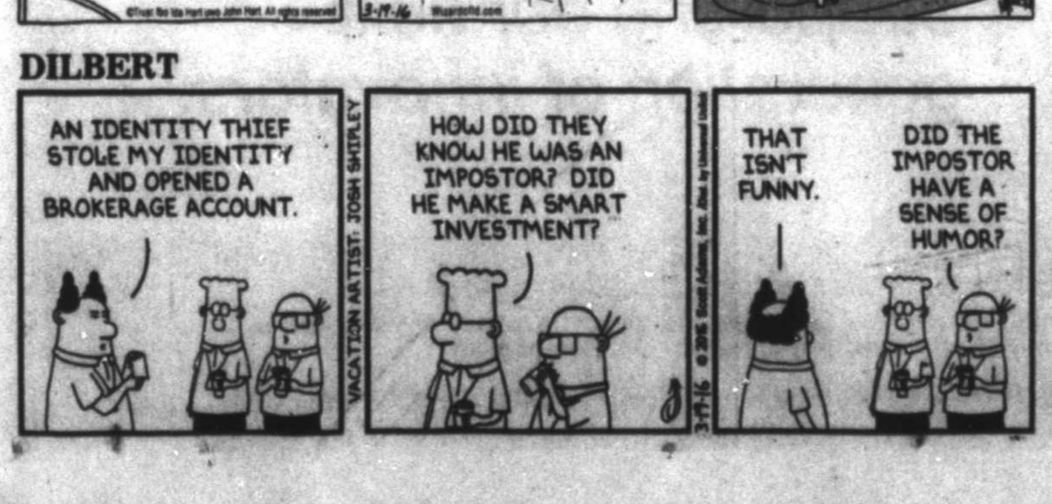
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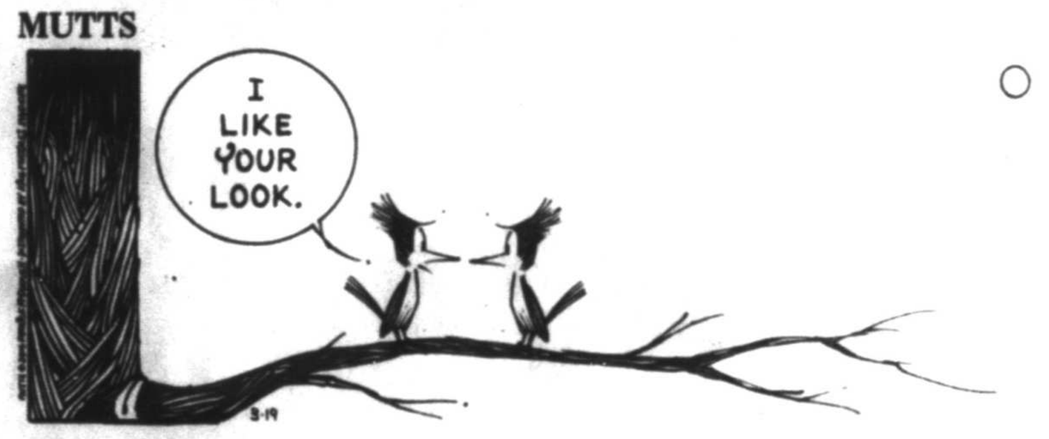
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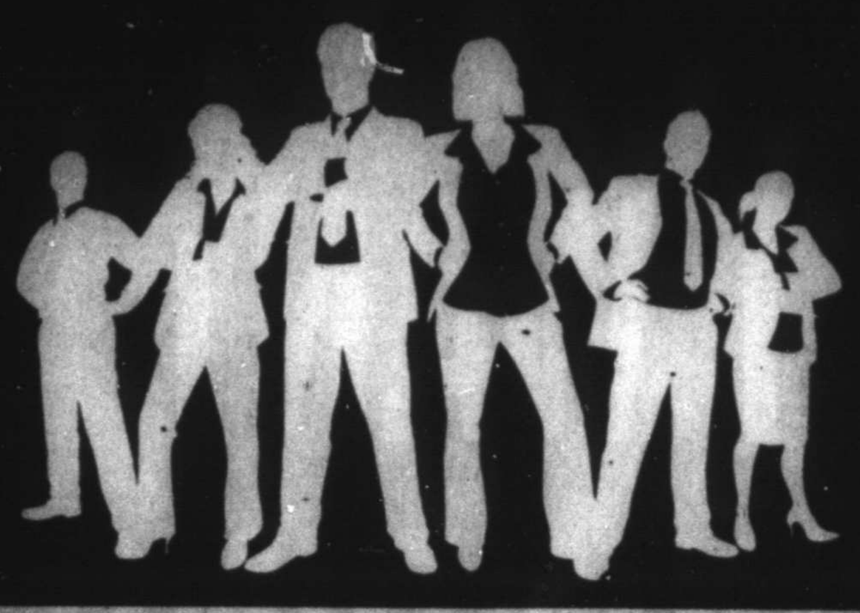
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3106 Tealwood Place Yard sale. Saturday 8am-? Crib mattress, highchair, toddler boys clothes, small wine fridge and much more!

3114 AUBURN Drive, 9:30 a.m. Street parking, garage located in alley. "HUGE MULTI FAMILY GARAGE SALE!!!" Custom hand painted sinks and tiles, appliances, furniture, baby clothes and gifts, and designer clothes shoes and jewelry!

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4976 RUSTIC Trail Saturday 8:30am-? Garage Sale/ Moving Sale. Furniture, household items, some clothing, decor.

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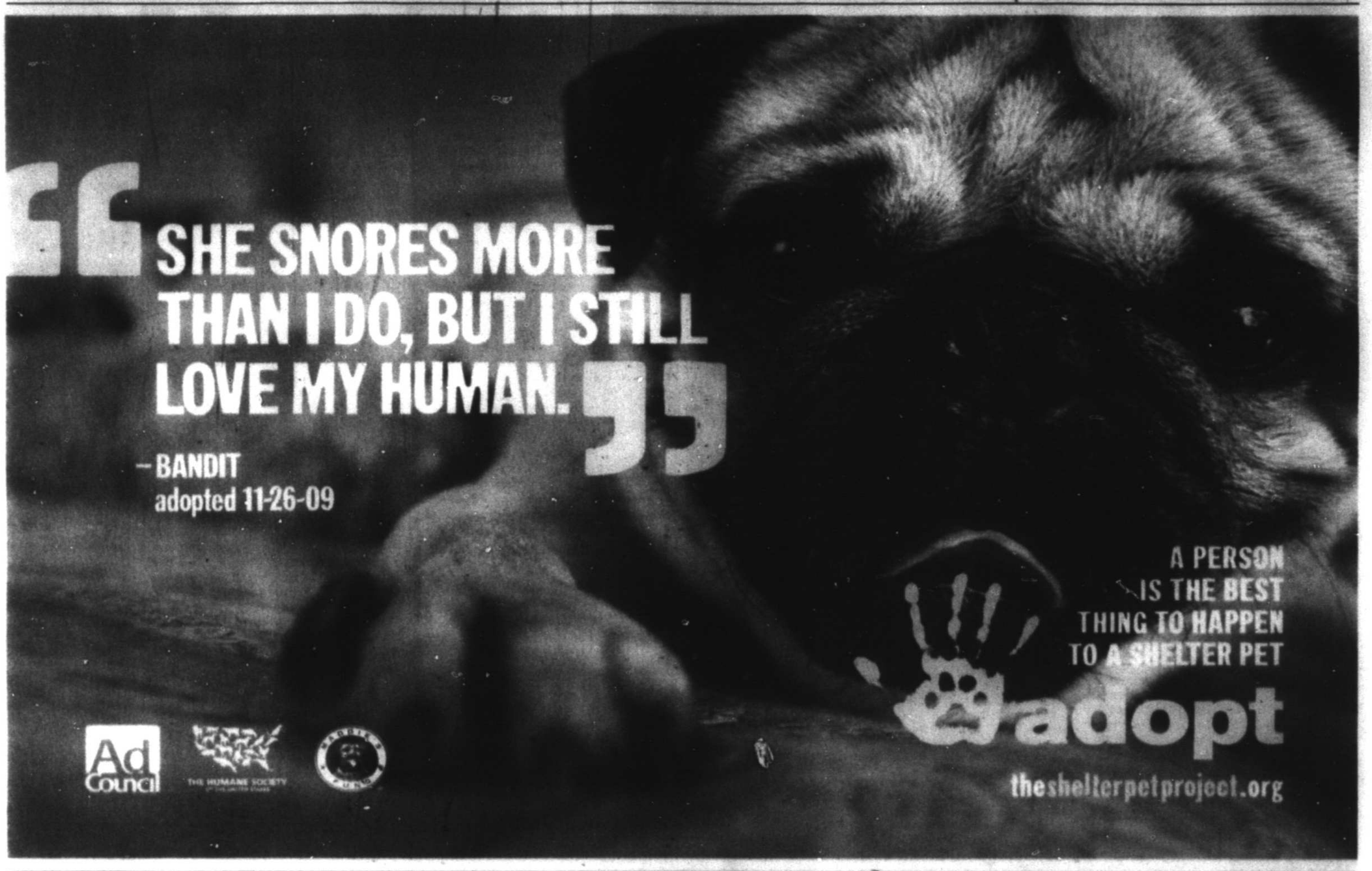
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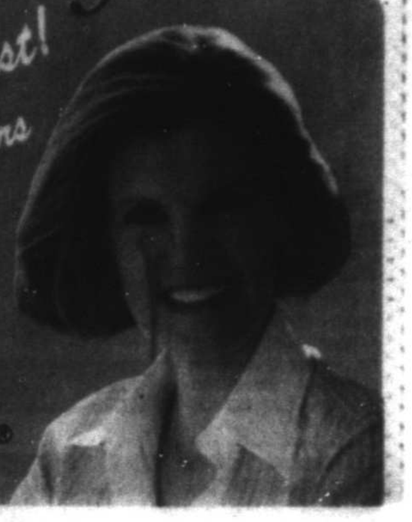
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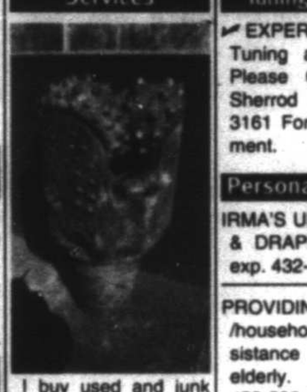
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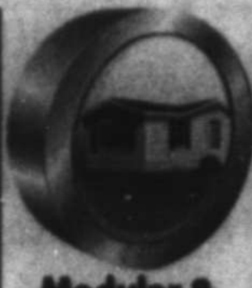
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4516 HILLTOP - $450,000
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5608 CROWLEY - $299,900
Spacious 4 bedroom, 3 bath home with 3 car garage! High ceilings, crown molding, and in- law suite compliment this home. Nice updated hardwood flooring, recent tile in the oversized master bath, fresh paint, and new carpet in master bedroom. Island kitchen, 2 living areas, pretty fireplace and nice covered patio and backyard for entertaining. **For more information, call Ric Warnick at 432-238-3459.**

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400 SPRINGWOOD - $369,900
Absolutely lovely home with lots of great details throughout! This 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath home has custom stained concrete flooring, hand-textured faux painted walls, archways, built-ins, and XL crown molding. An open living and kitchen area, home office, plus game room. Kitchen has gourmet gas cooktop, island and breakfast bar. Spacious sequestered master bedroom with huge walk-in closet! **For more information, call Michelle Burch at 432-230-7538.**

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4117 SPRINGFIELD CT - $450,000
Beautiful 4 bedroom, 3.5 home with charming hardwood and tile floors. Gorgeous kitchen features recent cabinets, counters, appliance plus glass front cabinets for that extra nice touch. Formal and informal dining areas; sequestered master suite with his & her vanities and closets. Pretty fixtures including a claw foot tub. The low maintenance backyard, patio and sparkling pool are comfortable and private with board on board fencing. Also includes workshop in garage! For more information, call **Jan Bell at 432-631-9095.**

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603 W. CUTHBERT - $140,000
Adorable 3 bedroom home with fantastic backyard and circle drive. Features include hardwood floors, antique glass doorknobs, new windows, stainless steel appliances, neutral colors and so much more. The oversized lot and covered patio make the back yard perfect for outdoor gatherings. Extra storage in the garage and plenty of room for a workspace. This is a must see. **For more information, call Sabrina Roden at 432-312-5001.**

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503 DEVONIAN - $134,900
THIS HOUSE WILL FEEL LIKE NEW! Sellers took everything down to the studs. New plumbing, electrical, windows, roof, floors, cabinets, fixtures, HVAC, appliances...you name it and it's new. Within walking distance to elementary and easy access to downtown or the loop. Great neutral colors and beautiful tile and wood laminate floors. This is a must see! **For more information, call Sabrina Roden at 432-312-5001.**

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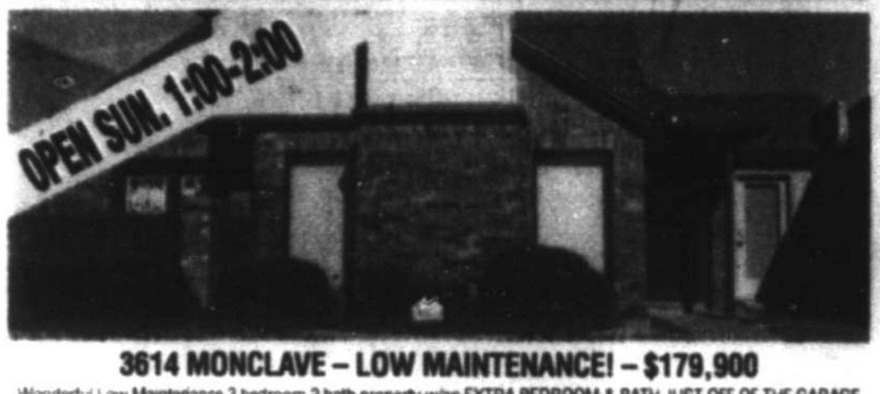
1509 E. COUNTY RD. 145 -CUTE COUNTRY HOUSE WITH LAND! - $225,000
3 bedroom/2 bath home situated on 2.81 acres. Open floorplan. Recently painted. Welcoming covered front porch & covered back patio w/large fenced (metal fence) yard including a dog run. Very large 2 car detached garage w/attached 2 car carport. Separate 3rd & 4th carport large enough for RV. Property has additional utility connections that previously serviced 4 cabins which have been removed. Shown by **Susan Palmer 432-978-7816.**

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6210 DRIFTWOOD – A MUST SEE IN GREEN TREE! - $269,000
Wonderful 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 livigg & 2 dining home. Hardwood flooring in formal living & den. Great formal dining w/lots of natural light. Kitchen & breakfast area are open & look out into a great covered patio area & large backyard. Separate pergola and gardening area in back yard as well. Pot rack & decorative doors in laundry room stay w/property. Circle drive & side entry 2-car garage. Shown by **Kate Christian 432-853-0315.**

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3614 MONCLAVE – LOW MAINTENANCE! – $179,900
Wonderful Low Mainteriance 3 bedroom 2 bath property w/an EXTRA BEDROOM & BATH JUST OFF OF THE GARAGE making it a total of 4 bedrooms & 3 baths. Updated kitchen w/granite & stainless appliances. Updated guest bath w/granite & tile. Each bedroom has a private entrance to an inviting patio area. 2nd patio w/french doors off of dining room. Spacious 2 car garage. Refrigerator passes w/property. Shown by **Ellie Bergman 432-528-0429.**

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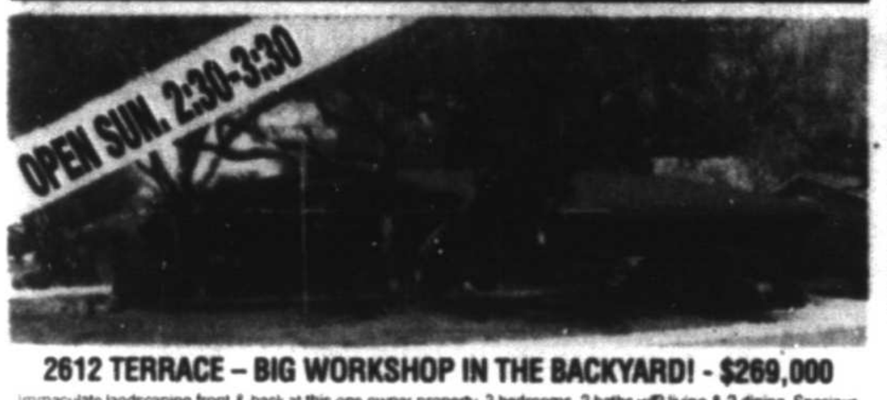
1610 NEELY – OPEN FLOORPLAN! • $209,000
Great 3 bedroom 2 bath home w/lots of recent updates including HVAC system, carpet, paint & flooring. 2 spacious living areas (one is being used as formal dining). Open floorplan w/roomy bedrooms. Wonderful brick fireplace in den w/hearth. Tons of natural light flood the home. Very large backyard w/covered patio. Cinderblock fence & mature landscaping. 2-car attached garage w/long driveway. Open Sunday 3:00-4:00. Shown by **Skye Farris 432-294-3336.**

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5013 PIMLICO – MOTHER-IN-LAW PLAN! - $379,000
Great property in town but with a country feel. 3 spacious bedroom & 3 baths. Separate office. Large living area open to dining & kitchen. True mother-in-law plan w/private entrance from outside & it's own living room. Three separate entrances to a great sunroom overlooking large fenced yard. Two patio areas, floating rocked pool & great trees. Lot's of land & separate dog run behind fence. Open Sunday 2:30-3:30. Shown by **Ellie Bergman 432-528-0429.**

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2612 TERRACE – BIG WORKSHOP IN THE BACKYARD! - $269,000
Immaculate landscaping front & back at this one owner property. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths w/2 living & 2 dining. Spacious kitchen open to family room. Great storage w/each bedroom having 2 closets. Spacious cedar closet in hall. Large sunroom expands the length of the house w/solid windows looking out into beautiful backyard w/pergola. 3 storage buildings + HUGE workshop w/half bath & closet. Open Sunday 2:30-3:30. Shown by **Ellie Bergman 432-528-0429.**

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2116 EVANS - $415,900 - A MUST SEE!!
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5817 RIO GRANDE • $299,900
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5514 LOS PATIOS • $375,000
Wow! Bright & spacious floor plan! Tile floors greet you & extend to a dining & HUGE living w/gas log fireplace & floor to ceiling windows w/views of the backyard! Gourmet kitchen w/granite, stainless & large walk-in pantry! Seq. master w/plush carpet, large shower, garden tub & roomy walk-in closet! Two cute bedrooms w/ walk-in closets w/built-ins & formal dining doubles as guest/bonus room! Four car garage, RO, WS & Alarm system. For more information call **Bill Lanier 432-682-1144 or Dale Lookabaugh 432-553-0766.**

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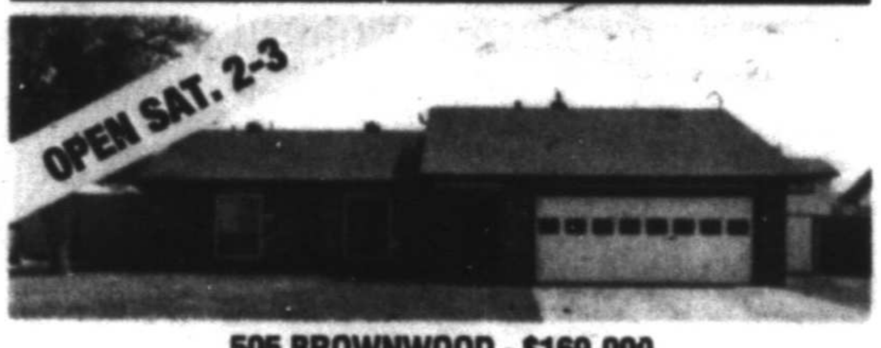
5711 CARMEL • $359,900
Sparkling 4 bed/2.5 bath in Los Patios! 12' ceilings, crown molding & great open floor plan welcomes you into a spacious home w/4th bedroom/study! Rustic stone fireplace in living w/tile floors & lots of natural light flow into a sparkling kitchen w/granite & walk-in pantry! Two roomy bedrooms w/walk-in closets share a hall bath! Large sequestered master has HUGE walk-in closet & spa like bath w/large shower & garden tub! For more information call **Bill Lanier 432-682-1144 or Dale Lookabaugh 432-553-0766.**

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515 BENTWOOD DR. • $169,500
Amazing Open Floor Plan! The spacious bright living w/new carpet & fireplace opens to the dining w/ patio doors to the backyard, storage shed & covered patio! The wood laminate floors shine into the HUGE dining/kitchen w/black appliances, large breakfast bar & ample counter space! Down the wood laminate floor hallway is a bath w/textured walls, utility closet & three roomy bedrooms each w/walk-in closet! For more information call **Bill Lanier 432-682-1144 or Dale Lookabaugh 432-553-0766.**

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505 BROWNWOOD - $169,000
Fantastic 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with a 2 car garage on a quiet street. This home has much to offer including a spacious living area with vaulted ceilings & cozy fireplace, as well as a bright an cheery kitchen that leads to a covered patio. Additional features include a large master bedroom and recently remodeled bathrooms. The garage can easily be turned back into additional living space. For more information contact **Imelda Allen @ (432) 425-3220.** The Falcon Group at Keller Williams Realty.

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303 BENTWOOD - $179,500
This is a wonderfully, well-maintained 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with an oversized living area and additional bonus room. There is also a 240 sq. ft. workshop & extended patio in the back. The home has many updates including recently renovated bathrooms, new thermopane windows, exterior/ interior paint, and flooring. Additional amenities include a water softener and security system. For more information contact **Imelda Allen @ (432) 425-3220.** The Falcon Group at Keller Williams Realty.

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5100 GREATHOUSE AVE. • $339,000
Great curb appeal! Open floor plan w/architectural design, detailed finishes, crown molding & carpet/tile! The living has a corner fireplace & built-ins & opens to the kitchen w/island, walk-in pantry, RO, water softener & ample prep space! Off the kitchen is a bright office/den/bonus w/wall to wall built-ins & access to the front porch! Seq. master w/HUGE walk-in shower & closet w/built-ins & jetted tub! For more information call **Bill Lanier 432-682-1144 or Dale Lookabaugh 432-553-0766.**

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3908 TRINITY DR. • $330,000
Beautiful one owner home in Trinity Estates! Low maintenance yard, 4 bdrm, 2 1/2 baths, 2 living area, master bath was recently remodeled, double ovens in kitchen, gas stove top, large utility room with sink, 3 car garage, and decking in attic over half of garage for extra storage! A true must see! **Kim Rhyne 432-528-4646.**

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3901 BAYBROOK - $749,000
Open the pages of house beautiful & step into this flawless showstopper! Updated top to bottom-4 bed/3 bath/4 living (great room, formal, game room, study area) /3+gar w/dazzling pool (by Aranda)! Updated gourmet kitchen w/state-of-the-art appliances, gorgeous marble, hardware, fixtures & glass tile! Hardwood floors flow thru spacious rooms w/soaring ceilings, walls of windows, custom draperies!

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3213 PATRICK
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6409 SEQUOIA
3 bedroom, 3 1/2 baths, pool, party patio. Green Tree Subdivision Absolute show stopper! **Midland First Choice-The Doss Team-Skeet Doss 352-4826.**

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3600 OHIO
Here's a really nice townhouse on a really nice block of Ohio. Beamed living room that has nice wood paneling, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, TONS of storage and a huge 2 car garage. A fireplace and a small yard round out this listing. Come and see it! **Midland First Choice-The Doss Team Skeet Doss 352-4826**

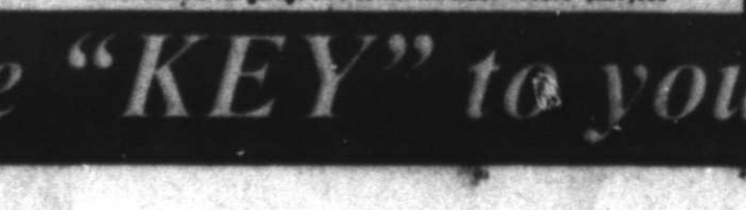
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5313 SCOTTSBORO LN.
Gorgeous home on dead-end street in Green Tree North. 4 bedroom, 2 full baths, 2 half baths, 2 LA's, 2 DA's, 3-car garage. **MLS# 108193 $364,900**

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5221 CANADIAN AVE.
Beautiful home in Northgate. Featuring 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 LA's, 1 DA. Study/ Office and a 2-car garage on a corner lot. **MLS# 108873 $227,000**

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