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Hog wild for hot dogs

Funtastic Fourth contest was not for the weak of heart — or stomach

By **AMANDA ELSTON**

Managing Editor

The Alon USA 7-Eleven Funtastic Fourth started out with a bang, and a whole lot of hot dogs — 150 hot dogs to be specific. Right after Jimmy and the Johnsons rang in the start of the 2016 event Friday, the 7-Eleven crew, complete with walking Slurpee and hot dog, brought up the tables beneath the main stage to get the 7-Eleven hot dog eating contest underway.

"Last year, I think I ate them all in under three minutes," said Tom Olague, the 2015 hot dog eating champion. "I wasn't keeping the time. But I think this year, someone else might be giving me a run for my money."

Open to the public and last-minute contestants, the hot dog eating contest started with a representative from 7-Eleven giving away remote control drones to those who could answer a little trivia about the popular convenience store.

"I didn't mean to be that smart," laughed the first

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Contestants dig in during the hot dog eating contest on the first night of the Alon USA 7-Eleven Funtastic Fourth Friday night.

HERALD photo/Amanda Elston

Monks ninth at national tourney

Special to the Herald

Big Spring High School Speech and Debate Team Member, and BSHS 2016 Valedictorian, Amber Monks placed ninth out of 780 students competing in extemporaneous debate at the National Speech and Debate Association's annual National Tournament held recently in Salt Lake City, Utah.

The placing puts Monks in the top 2 percent of the students competing at the national tournament.

"We are extremely proud of Amber," BSHS Debate Coach Jennifer Adams stated. "The placing shows Amber's hard work and dedication to speech and debate."

BSHS Salutatorian Ethan Morelion was named as a finalist for the organization's National Student of the Year. To qualify for the honor, Morelion had to go through a three-stage selection process. Seniors from across the country are selected as their local Districts' Students of the Year. Then a list of the top six students is announced. After an interview process by coaches from across the country, the winner is selected and named the NSDA National Student of the Year, which is awarded during the National Tournament.

"While Ethan did not win the honor," Adams said, "we are very honored that he was chosen to represent not only Big Spring



Monks

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Coahoma Freedom Parade to honor Parrish family, veterans

By **LYNDEL MOODY**

Staff Writer

COAHOMA — It's been a tradition for more than two decades.

Every year, residents of the city of Coahoma organize a parade to celebrate the freedom of living in the United States, won when the fledgling country successfully broke away from the British Empire more than 200 years ago.

"We always have a large turnout," said parade organizer Lori Martinez. "People start lining up by 8 a.m. to get a good place."

The annual Coahoma Freedom Parade will begin at 10 a.m. Saturday, July 2. It will begin at the Coahoma High School football parking lot

and head down Main Street over the railroad tracks before turning east on the Interstate 20 Service Road. The route then turns north on College Street, where the parade ends at the city park.

The celebration continues with special recognition given to the parade's Grand Marshals and Citizens of the Year. Food, activities, games, and a water slide will be available. Music will be provided by Christian Country recording artist Gene Snow.

To enter a float in the parade, show up at the Coahoma Football Stadium by 9 a.m. Floats, cars and trucks, motorcycles, bikes, strollers and walkers are all accepted. Four prizes for "Most decorated, patriotic entry" will be judged and awarded this year. First place prize is \$100, second place is \$75, third is \$50, and fourth is \$25. Judging starts at 9:30 a.m.

Each year, the city hon-

ors several local U.S. military veterans as the parade's Grand Marshals. This year's Grand Marshals are:

George Allison West
 U.S. Army

George West was born on Sept. 15, 1948, in Klamath Falls, Ore., to Clifford Green West and Lydia Esther Shrimp West. He was the youngest of six children. When he was six months old, the family returned to Texas and eventually settled in the Fairview area.

He attended school in Knott, and after his father's death in 1957, the family moved to Big Spring in 1961. He graduated from Big Spring High School in 1961.

His first car was a 1967 Comet. George had a passion for car racing Saturday nights



West



Courtesy photo

The Parrish family will be honored during this year's Freedom Parade in Coahoma.

off Old Rockhouse Road.

George was attending Howard College in 1968 when he and two of his good friends decided to enlist in the U.S. Army instead of waiting to be drafted. He completed basic

training at Fort Polk, La., in July 1968, and then was stationed at Fort Sill, Okla. for advanced training to become a specialist for the Sergeant

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Big Spring 10s lose in Odessa



HERALD photo/Drew Williams

Big Spring's Samuel Wood throws a pitch during a semifinal game against Floyd Gwin in Odessa. Big Spring lost the semifinal game, 12-10.

By DREW WILLIAMS

Sports Editor

A day after overcoming a 17-8 deficit in the final inning, the 10-year-old Big Spring All-Stars couldn't find the same magic against Odessa's Floyd Gwin All-Stars, losing 12-10.

Down 4-0 after one inning, Big Spring put together three straight frames with multiple runs with

two in the second inning, three in third, and six in the fourth. Right fielder Austen Raines went 3-for-3 and pitcher Samuel Wood went 2-for-2 in that span, scoring a combined five runs.

Down 10-6 after Big Spring's six-run inning, Floyd Gwin came back with a six-spot of their own to take the lead, 12-10.

Down two and down to their final three outs, Big Spring came

close to another comeback. Ian Galan led off the top of the sixth with an eight-pitch walk, and Raines followed with another single through the left side of the infield to give Big Spring two on with no outs. Big Spring would leave them stranded at second and third though, as three of the next four batters flied out to the right side to end the game with the Steers losing, 12-10.

World doping watchdog shuts down Rio lab

RIO DE JANEIRO (AP) — Just weeks before the Olympic Games open in Rio de Janeiro, the city's accredited anti-doping laboratory has been stopped from conducting tests.

The World Anti-Doping Agency said Friday it has suspended the lab's accreditation due to "non-conformity with the International Standard for Laboratories." It did not give details of the non-conformity.

The suspension is an embarrassment to Brazil and Rio so close to the games, which will open Aug. 5 after months of political turmoil and financial crisis for federal, state and city authorities.

"This is another severe blow," Mario Andrade, the spokesman of the Rio Games organizing committee, told The Associated Press.

"We might not resolve this lab situation before the games. We might have to choose another lab outside Brazil to do

the tests. But this will be under the instruction and guidance of WADA."

If the Rio lab is not reinstated in the next six weeks, other testing centers with WADA accreditation include: UCLA in Los Angeles; Salt Lake City; Bogota, Colombia; Havana; and Mexico City.

In a statement, the International Olympic Committee said the suspension would not "affect either the integrity or the scope of the testing program" at the games.

The IOC said it will "decide which accredited laboratory to use after the assessment by WADA, which is the body responsible for the accreditation of anti-doping laboratories."

However, officials at the Rio lab believe the conformity issue can still be solved in time.

"The lab expects its operations to return to normal in July after

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Rangers bullpen falters in 9th as Red Sox rally for 8-7 win

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — Manager Jeff Banister had already decided to give his workhorse closer some extended rest following an off day for the Texas Rangers.

Sam Dyson didn't pitch the ninth inning in a save situation Friday night, and the Rangers didn't win.

Boston rallied for four runs in the ninth off Jake Diekman and hard-throwing rookie Matt Bush, with the Red Sox scoring the go-ahead run on a wild pitch in an 8-7 win over the Rangers on Friday night.

"We've got to monitor, make sure and take care of," Banister said of Dyson, who entered Friday leading the majors with 39 appearances. "We've got to have other guys out there to be able to pitch in those type of situations. ... Didn't

happen tonight. Tough inning."

The loss came on a night when the Rangers jumped ahead 6-0 with 12 hits to chase former AL Cy Young Award winner David Price after 2 1/3 innings.

After Tony Barnette threw two scoreless innings in relief of starter Nick Martinez, Diekman took over in the ninth and allowed a leadoff walk to Jackie Bradley Jr. There were two outs when pinch-hitter Sandy Leon hit an RBI double on the 11th pitch of his at-bat against the left-hander.

Mookie Betts then greeted Bush by hitting a 1-1 fastball into the center-field seats for a tying two-run homer, his 15th of the season.

"Started him off with some sliders away, and the fastball out of my hand felt like I hit the

outside corner. ... The ball got a little too much plate," Bush said. "It was a good game for us, we scored a bunch of runs, and it's just really tough to give it up like that."

Dustin Pedroia then walked, went to third on Xander Bogaerts' single and scored on a wild pitch with David Ortiz at the plate.

Heath Hembree (4-0) worked a scoreless eighth before Koji Uehara struck out the side in the ninth for his second save.

Prince Fielder hit his sixth homer for Texas, a solo shot in the fourth off reliever Matt Barnes.

Shin-Soo Choo hit a leadoff homer against Price, and the first four Texas batters reached, including a two-run single on the first of Elvis Andrus' three hits.

Ian Desmond also had



AP Photo/LM Otero

Boston Red Sox's Dustin Pedroia slides into home plate, scoring on a wild pitch by Texas Rangers relief pitcher Matt Bush, right, during the ninth inning of a baseball game in Arlington, Texas, Friday, June 24, 2016. The Red Sox won 8-7.

three hits for Texas, including an RBI single in the second after Bobby Wilson snapped an 0-for-15 slump with a double. An inning later, Fielder had a two-run single to chase Price with the Rangers up 6-0.

Price had gone at least eight innings in his previous three starts, and had a 2.47 ERA over his last eight starts for the Red Sox. The left-hander has given up more hits only once in his 234 career games, when the

Kansas City Royals had 13 hits in 6 1/3 innings while he pitched for Detroit last season.

His ERA in seven regular season starts at Texas is now 7.68 — by far his worst at any opposing stadium.



AP Photo/Colin E. Braley

Houston Astros George Springer is congratulated in the dugout after hitting a grand slam in the first inning against the Kansas City Royals Friday.

Royals' Volquez has worst start in loss to Astros

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Edinson Volquez has made 234 starts in the majors — none as bad as Friday night.

George Springer hit a grand slam and a triple in Houston's nine-run first inning against Volquez, and the Astros routed the Kansas City Royals 13-4 on Friday night. Springer, who finished with five RBIs, tops the majors with three grand slams this season.

Volquez gave up 12 runs, 11 earned, and eight hits and walked three.

"He just wasn't very good," Royals manager Ned Yost said. "He

gave up the triple, I'm thinking, 'OK, give up the one run and we'll be all right,' and then, boom, next thing it's three, then it's five, then it's nine. So, it was just one of those nights where really nothing was working for him."

Volquez's previous high allowed was nine runs in 2 1/3 innings on June 7, 2013, while with San Diego at Colorado.

"Everything was in the middle," Volquez said. "All of my pitches came back to the middle. I've been in that situation before. I don't have to worry about that because I've been through that before and

the only thing I can do is get ready for my next start."

Volquez told pitching coach Dave Eiland before the game that he had an early indication it wouldn't be his night.

"I was warming up and I told Dave, 'I don't have it, the ball isn't moving,'" Volquez said. "He said, 'You're going to get it when you get in the game.' So, I was hoping to get the movement in the real game. I didn't get it."

Colby Rasmus had four hits, including a homer in the eighth,

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Painting away the summer

The Big Spring High School Art Club held a week long art camp for students between the ages of seven to 12 years old this past week.

Money raised from the camp will help to fund activities for the young high school club.

"My Art Club students love art, and the majority of them would like to pursue a career in the creative field, so we took a small trip to Austin this past April to expose them to more art and artists, tour the university, and to broaden their horizons," said Andrea Phinney, Big Spring High School art teacher. "With the funds raised, we hope to take an even bigger trip."

The camp held two sessions a day, a morning one for the 10- to 12-year-olds, and an afternoon session for the seven- to nine-year-olds. In all, the camp had 25 participants. Some of the activities included water coloring, glue batik, Gelli printing, clay pendants, alcohol ink painting, origami, paper marbling, and sun printing.

Seven high school art club students gave up part of their summer vacation to volunteer to help with the camp during the week.

"They were a tremendous help," Phinney said. "They helped prepare all the materials for each activity, clean, and assist students. It was so awesome to see them take on a leadership role and see them interact with the younger students."

The art club was created this past school year by Phinney who just finished her first year as a teacher for Big Spring ISD.

"I realized there was a need for an Art Club, a place where like-minded students could interact and bring more art to the community as well as into their own lives," Phinney said. "It's been amazing seeing the transformation of my students. They have blossomed from shy, gifted students to creative and awesome individuals with a newfound appreciation for art. I can't wait to see what the future holds, I just hope we can continue to bring art to the community and grow into a club that young people aspire to get involved in."



Story and photos by Lyndel Moody
Clockwise from top: Students at the Big Spring High School Art Club work on artistic creations during this past week; Claire Wegner washes her paintbrush; Big Spring High School art teacher Andrea Phinney works with Wegner as fellow Art Club member Paisley Osborn paints her project; Wyatt Herm works on pieces of his project; Milly Owens watches as Julianna Summers paints her artwork.



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Obituaries

Bessie Andrews

Bessie Andrews, 96, of Big Spring passed away Tuesday, June 21, 2016, at Merkel Nursing Center.

The family will receive friends Sunday, June 26, 2016, from 3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. at Myers and Smith Funeral Home. Funeral service will be at 2 p.m. Monday, June 27, 2016, at Myers and Smith Chapel with Derrick Looney, pastor of Spring Creek Fellowship, officiating. Burial will follow at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

She was born Dec. 7, 1919, to Bessie Williams Barker and Melvin Vernon Barker in Paris, Texas. Bessie married James Avery Andrews in 1936. He preceded her in death in 1973. She has been a part of the Big Spring community for over thirty years. She loved traveling and fishing. The highlight of her life was spoiling her grandchildren.

Bessie is survived by one daughter, Paula Andrews of Big Spring; six grandchildren, Terissa Holt of Merkel, Texas, Terry Gray and wife Melissa of Merkel, Valerie Gray Brown of Boise, Idaho, Melissa Andrews of Phoenix, Ariz., Michelle

Andrews Hammond of White Oak, Texas, and Brian Andrews of Laredo; eight great-grandchildren, Danny Holt and wife Loriann of Anson, Hugh "Buster" Holt of Mineral Wells, Texas, Rick Green of Mineral Wells, Justun Gray and wife Amanda of Dalhart, Texas, Christopher Tucker of Abilene, Jason Brown of Boise, Idaho, Mark Hammond of Longview, Texas, and Ryan Hammond and wife Darla of Longview; six great-great-grandchildren, Brianna, Chelsea, and Melissa Andrews of Laredo, and Haley, Sarah, and Aaron Gray of Dalhart; and one great-great-great-granddaughter, Miss Iris Tucker of Merkel.

In addition to her husband she was preceded in death by one son, Ronnie Andrews; and one daughter, LaVerne Gray.

Pallbearers will be Danny Holt, Buster Holt, Brian Andrews, Christopher Tucker and Rick Green.

Arrangements are by Myers and Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at www.myersand-smith.com

Paid obituary

Douglas "Doug" Yeager



Douglas "Doug" Yeager, 57, of Big Spring died Thursday, June 23, 2016, at Midland Memorial Hospital.

A graveside service will be held at 10 a.m. Monday, June 27, 2016, at Trinity Memorial Park Peace Chapel with John McCullough, pastor of Berea Baptist Church, officiating.

He was born Nov. 3, 1958, to Mary Beth Gaskins Yeager and

A.H. Yeager in Big Spring. Doug was a lifetime West Texas resident. He graduated from McCamey High School in 1976, and attended Angelo State University and Texas Tech University. He was a Baptist.

Doug is survived by his parents, A.H. and Mary Beth Yeager; two brothers, Rick Yeager and wife Sandra of Odessa, and Danny Yeager and wife Kim of Midland; one uncle; and two nephews.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, J.D. and Ester Gaskins.

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Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **MICHAEL EUGENE MENDEZ**, 40, of 5219 Sterling was arrested on a charge of driving with a suspended or invalid license.

- **HOLSTON BANKS III**, 24, of 1905 Donley was arrested on warrants for indecent exposure and terroristic threat/placing a person in fear.

- **REYDECEL ADAME RODRIGUEZ**, 28, of 515 N. Goliad St. was arrested on warrants for bail jumping/failure to appear; resisting arrest, search, or transport; and attempting to take a

weapon from an officer; and on another outstanding warrant.

- **SYLVIA HERNANDEZ MARTINEZ**, 50, of 407 Sunset Blvd. was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.

- **STEFANIE NICOLE AGUIRRE**, 20, of 1314 Lexington Ave. was arrested on a charge of assault/family violence/threat or offensive touch.

- **KENDRICK DASHAUN HARRIS**, 21, of 4211 Hamilton Street was arrested on a charge of unlawfully carrying a weapon on alcohol premises, and on outstanding warrants.

- **ASHLEY BREANN SAIZ**, 23,

of 2515 Cindy Lane was arrested on a charge of possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.).

- **DISTURBANCE** was reported in the 3100 block of Highway 87 and the 1600 block of Cardinal Street.

- **MINOR ACCIDENT** was reported in the 1100 block of Lamar Avenue, and at the intersection of 11th Place and Birdwell Lane.

- **THEFT** was reported in the 3300 block of Maple Street and the 1600 block of Gregg Street.

- **CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** was reported in the 1600 block of Oriole Street.

Sheriff

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

- **MIA JIMELA JURADO**, 27, was booked by BSPD on warrants for unsafe speed, violation of promise to appear, failure to appear, failure to maintain financial responsibility, and driving with an invalid license.

- **ANDREW JONATHAN YANEZ**, 23, was booked by BSPD on a charge of failure to identify fugitive/giving false information.

- **KAMARA MARIESHAW WILLIAMS**, 22, was booked by

BSPD on a warrant for theft of property (\$750 to \$2,500), and on a motion to revoke probation for possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.).

- **EAN CHARLES COOK**, 40, was booked by HCSO on a warrant for possession of a controlled substance.

- **JACKIE LYNN STEEN**, 43, was booked by BSPD on a capias warrant for theft of property (under \$100).

- **JESSIE FIERRO JR.**, 45, was booked by BSPD on a warrant for aggravated assault with a deadly

weapon.

- **ANGELIC JOYCE ERVIN**, 25, was booked by BSPD on a charge of credit card or debit card abuse, and on a warrant for theft of property (\$100 to \$750).

- **STEVEN LEE RIOS**, 37, was booked by BSPD on a warrant for burglary of a habitation, and on a charge of failure to identify fugitive/giving false information.

- **THOMAS ALLEN YOUNG**, 21, was booked by BSPD on a charge of theft of property (less than \$100), and on a warrant for theft of services (\$750 to \$2,500).

Support Groups

SUNDAY

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

MONDAY

- VA Alcoholics Anonymous support group, 7-8 p.m., Veterans Healing Center.

- Reformers Unanimous International is a faith-based addictions program helping people find freedom from addiction. Meetings begin at 7 p.m. Mondays at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Enter at the main entrance of the church.

- Alcoholics Anonymous, As Bill Sees it, 615 Settles, 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

TUESDAY

- Big Spring and Snyder Parkinsons Support Group meeting at the Big Spring Senior Center at 10:30 a.m. the second Tuesday of the month.

- This is a group for all Parkinson's disease patients, spouses and caregivers.

- For more information about the support group or about Parkinson's Disease, contact Jo Bidwell at the Lubbock APDA

office at 806-785-0942

- VA Alcoholics Anonymous support group, 7:30-8:30 p.m., Veterans Healing Center.

- Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; newcomers meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

- Al-Anon, 615 Settles for family members and friends of alcoholics meets at 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

- RSD (Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy) a chronic pain disease, a support and informative group, meets at 213 Circle. Call Lucy at (432) 517-9207 for more information.

- Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; open 12 & 12 study meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

THURSDAY

- Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, open discussion noon to 1 p.m.; women's meeting; 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. Newcomers' meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

- Weight Watchers meets at 6 p.m. at St. Paul Lutheran Church. Weigh-in is at 5:30 p.m. Weigh-in is confidential and you don't

have to talk if you don't want to. Flexible payment options.

- A Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder support group meeting is at 6:30 p.m. at the VA Medical Center Veteran's Healing Center.

FRIDAY

- AA open discussion meeting from noon until 1 p.m. at 605 Settles. Open Big Book study meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

SATURDAY

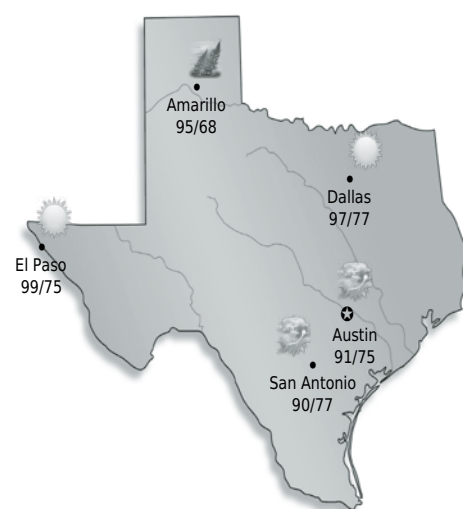
- Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion meeting, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. Open podium/speakers meeting 8 p.m. until 9 p.m. Open birthday night, no smoking meeting the last Saturday of each month at 8 p.m. Covered dish supper at 7 p.m.

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Amarillo	95	68	P Cloudy	Livingston	90	74	Sunny
Austin	91	75	Cloudy	Longview	94	74	P Cloudy
Beaumont	92	75	Sunny	Lubbock	94	70	Sunny
Brownsville	91	78	P Cloudy	Lufkin	92	72	Sunny
Brownwood	92	71	Sunny	Midland	96	73	Sunny
Corpus Christi	90	78	Sct T-Storms	Raymondville	94	77	P Cloudy
Corsicana	96	75	Sunny	Rosenberg	91	76	M Sunny
Dallas	97	77	Sunny	San Antonio	90	77	Cloudy
Del Rio	94	76	M Cloudy	San Marcos	88	74	Cloudy
El Paso	99	75	P Cloudy	Sulphur Springs	95	77	Sunny
Fort Stockton	94	70	Sunny	Sweetwater	92	71	Sunny
Gainesville	94	74	Sunny	Tyler	96	75	P Cloudy
Greenville	95	75	Sunny	Weatherford	96	74	Sunny
Houston	92	76	P Cloudy	Wichita Falls	97	75	M Sunny

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Atlanta	96	74	Sunny	Miami	89	79	M Cloudy
Boston	77	59	Sunny	Minneapolis	90	64	P Cloudy
Chicago	91	77	Sunny	New York	84	66	Sunny
Dallas	97	77	Sunny	Phoenix	109	85	Sunny
Denver	86	59	P Cloudy	San Francisco	66	52	Sunny
Houston	92	76	P Cloudy	Seattle	71	54	Cloudy
Los Angeles	84	66	Cloudy	Saint Louis	93	75	P Cloudy

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Beckwith goes distance again, Coastal Carolina tops TCU 4-1

By ERIC OLSON

AP Sports Writer

OMAHA, Neb. — Coastal Carolina's Andrew Beckwith wasn't going to volunteer to come out of Friday night's game against TCU, and coach Gary Gilmore certainly wasn't going to force him.

So the undrafted junior stayed in and pitched his second straight complete game and set a school record with his nation-leading 14th win, keeping Coastal Carolina alive in the College World Series with a 4-1 victory Friday night.

"I think I would have had to hit him with a brick to get him out of the game," Gilmore said. "I was trying to take him out in the eighth and he wouldn't come out. I didn't want to send him out in the ninth, and he was just not going to have any part of it. He's a unique young man, and what he did tonight was incredible."

The Chanticleers, in the CWS for the first time, forced a second Bracket 2 final Saturday night against a TCU team that's in Omaha for the third straight year. The winner of the rematch will make its first appearance in the best-of-three finals beginning Monday.

Beckwith (14-1), who pitched his first complete game in a 2-1 win over No. 1 national seed Florida last Sunday, scattered six hits, walked one and struck out five in a 137-pitch outing.

The pitch count might seem high, and Gilmore said he was well aware of it. But the thing about Beckwith is that he doesn't stress his arm as much because he throws submarine style and sidearm more than he delivers overhand.



AP Photo/Nati Harnik

Coastal Carolina starting pitcher Andrew Beckwith throws against TCU during the first inning of an NCAA men's College World Series baseball game in Omaha, Neb., on Friday.

"Outside of the physical toll on his back, that doesn't put any strain on his arm at all," Gilmore said. "I probably got whiplash looking at that pitch count. I don't know that I ever let someone go that far. He kept telling me, 'I'm fine, I'm fine.' If he had gotten in any trouble in the ninth, we were going to move regardless."

The Chanticleers (52-17) scored twice off Mitchell Traver (1-3) in the third inning, on Anthony Marks' squeeze bunt single and a sacrifice fly. They added two runs in the seventh on a sacrifice fly and David Parrett's ground-rule double.

Beckwith retired 13 straight batters over one stretch and held the Horned Frogs (49-17) scoreless until Dane Steinhagen homered with one out in the eighth.

Beckwith said he knew Gilmore was struggling with whether to let him continue.

"I knew I had a lot left," he said. "Seventy-five percent of my pitches were sidearm, so that's not really the toll I usually take on my arm to start. The next step was probably to yell at him, or hit him with a brick — no, I'm just messing. He trusts me, and I know he does, and I really thank

him for letting me go back out there tonight."

Beckwith got a big assist from his defense in the ninth inning. Shortstop Michael Paez cut off Luken Baker's hard grounder to his right and got the lead runner at second to keep the Frogs from gaining momentum. Center fielder Billy Cooke slid on his backside catching Elliott Barzilli's short fly to end the game.

"We know we're a good offensive club, and it's one of those days," TCU's Evan Skoug said. "We hit several baseballs hard right at people, especially when we had runners in scoring position. We're not too fazed. This has happened before. We're going to keep putting good swings on baseballs."

Beckwith again disrupted the opposition with his variety of deliveries and ability to change speeds.

"We had some good swings on him, but we had some bad swings, too," TCU coach Jim Schlossnagle said. "He had us off-balance. He's to be credited for this whole deal."

THEY KEEP ON GOING

The Chanticleers have won two straight since losing 6-1 to TCU on Tuesday and 18 of their last 20 overall. They improved to 29-0 when holding the opponent to three runs or fewer.

"I don't think a whole lot of people here or in the country thought we belonged here, and that it was a fluke we got here," Gilmore said. "I think these kids have more than proved that's not right."

UP NEXT

Coastal Carolina and TCU play another bracket final, with the winner going to the best-of-three finals starting Monday.

Text: Lawyer seeks plea deal, doubts Manziel can stay clean

By SCHUYLER DIXON

AP Sports Writer

DALLAS — An attorney handling Johnny Manziel's domestic violence case expressed doubts about the Heisman Trophy-winning quarterback's ability to stay clean and said he was given a receipt that shows Manziel may have spent more than \$1,000 at a drug paraphernalia store just 15 hours after he was involved in a hit-and-run crash, according to a lengthy text message accidentally sent to The Associated Press.

Defense attorney Bob Hinton's text indicated Manziel's legal team was seeking a plea deal with prosecutors, but suggested that could be tricky.

"Heaven help us if one of the conditions is to pee in a bottle," the attorney wrote.

Hinton also wrote that he had been emailed a "heads up" receipt "which purports to reflect" that Manziel made a purchase of \$1,018.77 at a Gas Pipe store at 12:03 p.m. on Tuesday, less than a day after his crash. A manager at a Gas Pipe location not far from where Manziel's crash was reported declined to discuss whether he bought anything there. A sign in the store says ID is required for purchases above \$200.

"I don't know if the receipt is legitimate or not," Hinton

responded when asked about it by the AP. "I just know that it doesn't say Johnny's name on it anywhere that I can see. It's just that somebody in that store, I guess, circulated that to the other store managers and employees saying, 'Guess who was here today and spent this amount of money.' That's all I know."

The errant text was sent Wednesday after the AP sought comment via text about Monday night's crash. When asked about the text, Hinton said he had meant to send it to co-counsel Jim Darnell and was unaware the AP had received it instead. He insisted the contents were protected by attorney-client privilege and threatened to sue if certain details were published.

Manziel's spokeswoman, Denise Michaels, said in a statement to the AP that Hinton "has always only operated on the periphery of this case."

"Lead counsel Jim Darnell has told me from the beginning that he would never have Johnny plead guilty in this and that position has not changed," Michaels said.

The text shows that Manziel's attorneys are pushing for leniency, even as they grapple with indications he could still be struggling with substance abuse more than a year after



Smiley N. Pool/The Dallas Morning News via AP FILE - In this May 5, 2016 file photo, former Cleveland Browns quarterback Johnny Manziel sits at the defense table as his attorney Bob Hinton, center, looks on during a hearing, in Dallas.

his stay in a rehab center. The charges the former Cleveland Browns quarterback is facing come amid heightened scrutiny of legal cases involving professional athletes following domestic violence accusations against NFL players Ray Rice and Greg Hardy.

The 23-year-old Manziel is accused of hitting and threatening former girlfriend Colleen Crowley during a night out in January. He faces a misdemeanor assault charge

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Biles on top again at US championships

By WILL GRAVES

AP Sports Writer

ST. LOUIS (AP) — When U.S. women's national team coordinator Martha Karolyi met with Simone Biles to map out the three-time world gymnastics champion's schedule, one designed to keep Biles fresh heading into the Olympics, it was the equivalent of pulling up to an intersection in a Ferrari and letting it idle when the light turned green.

"The plan was to (not) burn her out," Karolyi said.

Done. Way done.

When Biles stepped onto the floor at the U.S. championships Friday night, it marked just her second all-around competition in eight months. Yet there was no rust. There never seems to be for Biles, whose three-year reign seems poised to continue unabated through the biggest summer of her life and beyond.

Turning each rotation into a showcase for her unmatched talent, Biles posted an eye-popping score of 62.900, well clear of runners up Aly Raisman and Laurie Hernandez and everybody else on the planet.

"It's all about peaking for the right moment," Biles said. "I think this is a stepping stone toward it."

The gap the 19-year-old Texan has created between herself and the rest of the world during a winning streak that's nearly three years and counting shows no signs of closing. If anything, it's widening considering her nearest competitors are the four women who will join her on the plane to Brazil in August.

"There's no one that can catch Simone," said Raisman after her best night since her return to competition in March, 2015.

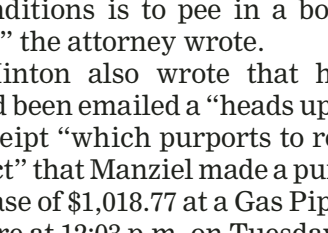
Not in the U.S. and certainly not in the rest of the world.

Biles was nearly flawless from the start, her beam routine a 45-second showcase of precision with nary a wobble or even a peak at the floor 4-feet below. Her score of 15.7 is a significant step up from the 15.388 she posted at world championships last fall, an event she won easily. Her floor routine includes a series of hand flourishes that seems as if she's saying "follow

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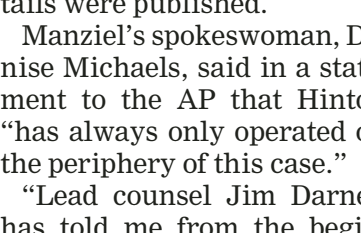
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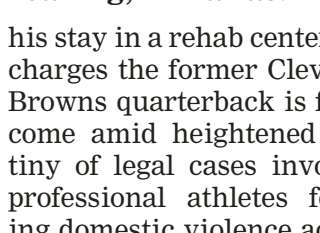
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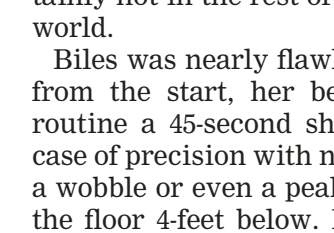
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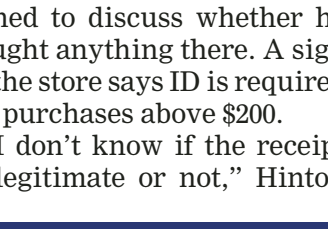
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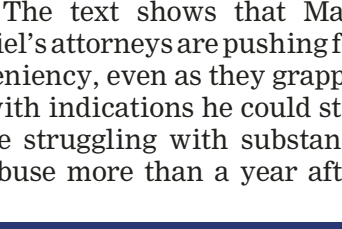
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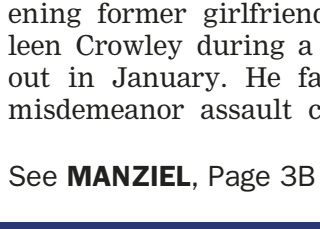
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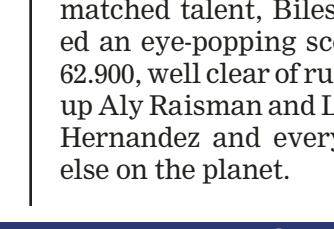
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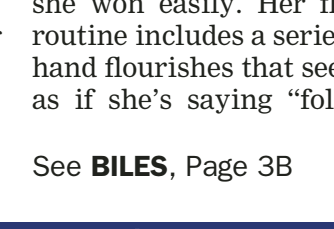
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Parent's Corner: Missing dad's advice

I hope each of you fathers out there had a good Father's Day. I got phone calls and special hugs, and I got to sit back and watch my son cook on the grill. Father's Day is neat and I am so glad we have it.

The generally accepted story for creating a day to honor fathers began in Spokane, Wash. A woman by the name of Sonora Smart Dodd thought of the idea for Father's Day while listening to a Mother's Day sermon in 1909.

Having been raised by her father, William Jackson Smart, after her mother died, Sonora wanted her father to know how special he was to her. It was her father that made all the parental sacrifices and was, in the eyes of his daughter, a courageous, selfless, and loving man. Sonora's father was born in June, so she chose to hold the first Father's Day celebration in Spokane, Wash., on the 19th of June, 1910. President Calvin Coolidge also recommended that the day be observed nationally, but it never was officially approved. The first presidential order calling for the observation of Father's Day was by President Lyndon Johnson in 1966, but it wasn't until 1972 that it was permanently signed into law by President Richard Nixon, establishing a permanent national observance of Father's Day to be held on the third Sunday of June.

So Father's Day was born in memory and gratitude by a daughter who thought that her father and all good fathers should be honored with a special day.

We all have special memories of our dad that will continue in our minds forever. I remember when I was just a kid, I thought my daddy could do anything. As I became older my thoughts changed a little bit but I still knew my daddy was pretty



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smart, even to the point that I thought my dad was smarter than your dad. As time passed, I knew my dad was smart but realized he didn't know everything.

Then I began to believe that, when my dad grew up, things must have really been different; and by the time I was a young teen I realized that Dad was pretty old-fashioned and his ways were not too pertinent to my day and time. He was a good guy, but totally out of touch with the realities of the current day.

Somewhere around the age of 25, I realized that Dad knew quite a bit; and he should, because after all, he has been around a long time. Then by the time I was 30, things started changing and I began to think it was a wise idea to ask for Dad's thoughts; after all, he has had a lot of experience.

Somewhere between 35 and 40, I started thinking that I needed to get Dad's opinion, and find out how he would handle situations; after all he was pretty wise. By the time I was 50, I enjoyed talking things over with my Dad and seeking his advice.

Today I'd give anything if Dad were here so I could talk things over with him. I wish that, through the years, I had been smart enough to realize just how wise he was; I could have learned a lot from him. He was always there; he gave me the inheritance of his genes, his flesh, his blood, and all he owned in this life. My dad gave me all that any father could give.

I could always depend on his strength, his patience, his protection and his love. He was a special man and will always hold a special place in my heart and my memories. If your dad is still alive, I hope you gave him a call to let him know that you love him. However, if you forgot, call him today; better late than never.

Darrell Ryan is the BSISD director of school safety

Schuelke-Young Wedding



Julia Kristin Schuelke and Richard Austin Young married May 20, 2016, at Willow Creek Chapel in Abilene.

Julia is employed with the Family Services Center and is pursuing a master's degree in clinical counseling. Richard is employed at Texas Bank, and is pursuing a master's degree in business management.

During the ceremony officiated by Jeff Scott, brother-in-law of the bride and men's minister at Pioneer Drive Baptist Church in Abilene, the bride wore a Mon Cheri gown designed by David Tutera. The dress featured a sweetheart bodice fitted below the waist, cascading into a semi-cathedral train.

The bride's hand-tied bouquet included pink roses, deep wine-colored dahlias, and dusty miller with silver-dollar eucalyptus.

The groom wore a dark charcoal gray suit, champagne shirt, black tie, and blush pink rose boutonniere.

Matrons of honor were sisters of the bride, Kandace Young and Tarah Scott. Bridesmaids were Brooke Schuelke, Cayley Oppergard, Shelby Byrd, Kaitlyn Dunn, Maegan Fine, and Kristen Blocker.

Best man was Corbin Young, brother-in-law of the bride. Groomsmen were Jeff Scott, Clint Schuelke, Marcus Muldrow, Chris Hickey, and Colby Mica. Junior groomsmen included Stratton and Truett Scott.

Flower girls were Addilyn Scott and Claire Schuelke. Ring bearers were Landon Schuelke and Kensler Cy Young.

The bride was escorted down the aisle by her father, Kenneth Schuelke.

Following the ceremony, dinner was served to approximately 200 guests. A five-tiered wedding cake was displayed on a silver base and topped with blush pink roses.

The couple honeymooned in Playa Del Carmen, Mexico, before making their home in Brownwood.

Reavis-Harrison Wedding



Kelli Renee Reavis and Brandon Wayne Harrison were united in marriage on Oct. 3, 2015, at Kessler Hall in Midland, Texas. The ceremony was performed by the groom's uncle, Luis Allen of Sonora, Texas.

The bride is the daughter of Melinda Lee of Midland, Texas, and the late Randy Reavis. She is the granddaughter of Weldon and Joan McCollum and Ruben and Glenda Reavis, all of Midland, Texas.

The groom is the son of Bobby and Shari Harrison of Greenwood, Texas. He is the grandson of Doris Foster of Lamesa, the late Ray Foster, and the late Bo and Patsy Harrison.

The bride was escorted by both of her grandfathers, per the request of her late father before his passing.

The maid of honor was Sharilyn Patrick, the matron of honor was Rebecca Harden, and the bridesmaids were Kelli Brooks and Lacy Greene.

The best man was Justin Outlaw, and groomsmen were Justin Brooks, Wes Smith, and Jimmy Brooks.

Ushers included Martin Phiffer and Jason Patterson, ring bearer Ryder Greene, and flower girls Lauren and Aubrey Jones.

On the eve of the wedding, the groom's parents hosted a rehearsal dinner at KD's Barbecue in Midland, Texas.

Following the ceremony, guests enjoyed dinner and dancing at Kessler's Hall with catering provided by Barn Door and entertainment by DJ Boyd Services.

The bride is a 2003 graduate of Stanton High School, and earned an associate's degree from Midland College in applied science in 2008, and obtained her registered nurse licensure. She is currently attending Texas Tech University in pursuit of a bachelor of nursing degree, and expects to graduate in December 2016. She is employed at Home Hospice as their Midland office nursing director.

The groom is a 2004 graduate of Greenwood High School. He attended Midland College and is currently employed with Apache Corporation as a well technician.

Following a honeymoon in St. George, Grenada, the couple will reside in Midland.

Anderson-Halverson Wedding



John and Kevva Anderson of Gail, Texas, would like to announce the marriage of their daughter, Bailey Nora Anderson, to Jacob Wayne "Jake" Halverson.

Jake is the son of Pat Halverson of Pittsburg, Texas, and Pam Halverson of Morton, Minn.

They were married on April 23, 2016, in a beautiful outdoor ceremony at Paradise Falls in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Originally, all festivities were set for September, so the reception will still be Sept. 17 in Lubbock, Texas. The couple have made their home in Borden County.

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HC trustees, county commissioners to meet Monday

Howard College trustees will hear a proposal to refinance the district's \$21.6 million 2007 General Obligation bond series when they meet Monday.

"This will basically help lower the district's interest and sinking (I&S) tax rate," said Howard College President Dr. Cheryl Sparks, who became the longest serving community college president in the

state this year.

Jason Hughes from 1st Southwest out of Dallas will give a presentation on the refinance when trustees meet at 12:30 p.m. in the Tumbleweed Room located in the Student Union Building on the Howard College campus, 1001 Birdwell Lane.

The 2007 bond was issued to renovate the aging campus building infrastructure, 50 years

old at the time.

If approved, the new I&S rate will go into effect for the 2017 tax rate.

Also on the agenda, trustees will consider:

- A proposal to lease mineral rights from college-owned land.
- An update on a grant from the Big Spring Area Foundation.
- Bids for a dorm repair project.
- Updates on the Big

Spring, San Angelo and SWCID campuses.

• Financial and personal matters.

— Lyndel Moody

Howard County Commissioners will continue crafting a budget for the next fiscal year when they meet Monday.

Commissioners will hold a budget workshop at 4:30 p.m. in the second

floor conference room at the county courthouse. After that, they will convene their regular meeting at 5:30 p.m. in the third floor courtroom.

Agenda items to be considered include:

- A closed session to consider personnel matters.
- Discussion and possible action on the county tax appraisal district budget.
- Discussion and possible

sible action on the purchase of copiers from the Friends of the Library.

- A request for a road name change in Precinct 3.
- Road adoption standards.
- A closed session on right of way issues.
- Routine financial matters.

— Steve Reagan

Take note

• Feeling patriotic? Consider taking part in the Coahoma Freedom Parade July 2. There is no entry fee and no need to pre-register. Simply show up at the Coahoma Football Stadium by 9 a.m. Floats, cars and trucks, motorcycles, bikes, strollers and walkers are all accepted. Four prizes for "Most decorated, patriotic entry" will be judged and awarded this year. First place prize is \$100, second place is \$75, third is \$50, and fourth is \$25. Judging starts at 9:30 a.m. Coahoma Freedom Parade T-shirts are available at Coahoma City Hall for \$15. Fun at City Park will start immediately following the parade; Five-dollar hamburgers will be available, sponsored by Western Bank. Fun activities at the event will include a basketball free-throw contest and a power tool race. There will also be a water slide. For more information call Lori Martinez at 816-4555 or Connie Shaw at 394-4000.

• Once again it is time to have the Flower Grove Reunion. The date has been set for Saturday July 2, 2016. Due to construction at Lamesa High School, the Reunion has been moved to the First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall, 401 North 3rd Street in Lamesa. The Fellowship Hall is at the corner of 3rd St. and Austin Avenue.

Registration will begin at 10 a.m. and a catered meal will be served at 1 p.m. The Flower Grove School started in 1922. It consolidated with the Klondike district in 1973. To attend contact: Brenda L. Walters, P.O. Box 1232, Lamesa, Texas 79331 or call 806-872-9318.

• Bailey Pittman is raising money to go on an 11 month mission trip to 11 countries. It's called the The World Race with the non-denominational ministry, Adventures in Missions. She and her teammates will be living in tents most of that 11 months while serving the needy and spreading the Gospel. Despite the primitive conditions she needs to raise

at least \$17,000 to join her mission team. Would you consider helping Bailey? If you want to donate directly to Bailey or follow her journey, see her blog at www.baileypittman.theworldrace.org. Also, Dr. David Ward is collecting for Bailey. Checks should be made to "Adventures in Missions" and also put "Bailey Pitman" on the note section of your check. You can mail or drop it by Dr. Ward's office at 1500 Scurry St.

• Seniors and mature adults are invited to a dance on the first, third and fifth Friday of each month at the Dora Roberts Community Center.

Dances are from 7:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. with live bands. No alcohol or smoking permitted. There will be a pot luck as well so bring a dish if you want to eat.

Cost is \$8 per person.

• The Howard County Fair needs people to cross stitch squares for the annual Quilt Fundraiser. Complete kits may be picked up from Cheryl Joy at the Heritage Museum, Tuesday through Saturday. For more information call Suzanne Markwell at 214-256-1674

Meetings

• The Big Spring Symphony Board of Directors meets every first Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. at the symphony office, 808 Scurry Street.

• The Kiwanis Club of Big Spring meets at noon every Thursday in the Cactus Room at Howard College. Visitors are welcome.

• Order of the Eastern Star Big Spring Chapter 67 meets the third Tuesday of each month at 219 Main St. Dinner begins at 6:30 p.m. Lodge meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome. For more information, contact Jimmy Ruth at 271-2176.

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• Staked Plains Masonic Lodge No. 598 meets the second Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. (dinner is at 6 p.m.) at 219 1/2 Main St. All Masons are welcome.

• Membership to the Big Spring Native American Association is open to the public. People interested in Native American culture are encouraged to find out more about the organization by calling Richard "Indio" Lesser at 432-935-0125,

Volunteer opportunities

• The Big Spring State Hospital Volunteer Services Council is in need of volunteers to fill a variety of needs to assist the hospital's patients. Applications to become a volunteer can be picked up at The Chalet, 115 E. Second St., Tuesday through Saturday between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. or at the Big Spring State Hospital Community Relations Department, 1901 N. Hwy 87, Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Volunteers can assist with a variety of functions, including The Chalet Resale Shop, various fund-raisers and patient events. For more information, call (432) 268-7535.

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Vic Wrye, 74, died Saturday. Memorial service was held at 11:00 AM today at the American Legion.

Earlane Williams, 80, died Tuesday. Graveside service was at 1:00 PM today at Trinity Memorial Park Peace Chapel.

Ava Nell Cheek, 91, died Tuesday. Graveside service will be at 2:00 PM today at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Bessie Andrews, 96, died Tuesday. The family will receive friends Sunday at 3:00 PM thru 4:30 PM at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Funeral service will be Monday at 2:00 PM at Myers & Smith Funeral Home with burial at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Douglas "Doug" Yeager, 57, died Thursday. Graveside service will be at 10:00 AM Monday at Trinity Memorial Park Peace Chapel.

Joyce Molett, 69, of Littlefield died Thursday. Funeral service will be at 11:00 AM Thursday at Myers & Smith Chapel. Burial will be at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Michael "Mikey" Meegan, 64, died Thursday. Services are pending.

Big Spring Co-Op gin sold to Huddleston

By ROGER CLINE
Staff Writer

The Cooperative Gin of Big Spring has been sold.

According to public records filed at the Howard County Courthouse, the cotton gin, located on Lamesa Highway

north of Big Spring, was purchased by Huddleston Gin Co. L.L.C. of Memphis, Texas.

Kevin Huddleston, owner of Huddleston Gin Co., confirmed the purchase, saying he plans to keep the gin open.

"It's going to be called HGC L.L.C.," he said. "We're going to be running the gin as a sole proprietorship. The gin came up for sale and we bought it. I run a gin in Donley County."

Huddleston said the current gin staff will

keep their jobs, including the current manager, Jeff Watkins.

According to the deed on file at the courthouse, the sale was finalized June 21 for \$460,000. In a phone interview Friday, Watkins said that the \$460,000 figure is not

the correct sale price, and declined to comment regarding the actual price.

Contact Staff Writer Roger Cline at 263-7331 ext. 232 or by e-mail at life@bigspringherald.com

SPEECH

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but all of students who compete in speech and debate throughout West Texas."

Students have to qualify for the NSDA National Tournament by

competing and winning regional tournaments all around the country. The National Speech and Debate Tournament has been held across the country since 1931.

More than 3,300 high school students compete in a week-long competition to determine the most prestigious title in

high school academics: National Champion.

Other students competing at the national tournament included Kelli Ruth, Lauren Kendall, and Seth Hamby.

"All of our students did well," Adams said, "with many of them going deep into the field in their competitions."

The placing punctuates an outstanding year for the BSHS Speech and Debate team that won its first UIL State Championship in Speech and Debate. At that tournament Monks placed second in persuasive extemporaneous Speaking while Morelion won a second consecutive

State Championship in Lincoln-Douglas debate.

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winner of the trivia game as the emcee handed him his prize.

After the prizes were all doled out, 15 hungry contestants lined behind the tables. The fastest eater would take home \$500, the second place finisher \$300, and the third place finisher \$200. The fastest person to eat 10 hot dogs, complete with bun, would be declared the winner.

"And no throwing up," laughed the emcee, putting down a large

container on the table for those who might get sick. "The hot dogs gotta stay down."

The rules stated that contestants could cover the hot dogs with ketchup and mustard and even eat the hot dogs separately from the bun, but all 10 hot dogs had to be eaten to win.

After water bottles and hot dogs had been placed in front of the contestants, they were off. Most eyes seemed to be on 2015 winner Olague until a contestant on the far left started making some headway.

"He's only got one left," yelled the MC.

After taking his last hot dog apart and eating the bun and hot dog separately, it was declared that Ty Nelles, a resident of Big Spring for the past two years, was the new champion.

The 2015 champ wasn't too far behind, taking second place a few moments after Nelles, with Michael Waters coming in third.

Funtastic Fourth events for Saturday include a morning gospel concert, a cook off, a margarita taste off, performances by the Dance Gallery and musical performances by Loco Motives, Roadside

2087, Brandon Ray, Jon Wolfe, and Rodney Atkins, followed by the Dickey's After Party at The Courtyard.

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BILES

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me” and a series of tumbling passes that are the gymnastics version of Michael Jordan at the height of his “airness” prime.

Asked to nitpick her performance and Biles paused. It’s not that she’s perfect — gymnastics doesn’t do perfect anymore — it’s just that she’s as close as anyone has been in a long, long time. While she pointed to nearly imperceptible miscues during her beam dismount and her first vault, even she had to admit there was little else that went wrong.

“I was pretty happy with it,” Biles said.

So was Karolyi, who will have plenty to think about over the next two weeks as she tries to find the right four women to join Biles on the plane to Brazil in August. The one thing that’s not on her mind is the mental state of her star.

“Usually these very talented girls don’t have patience,”

Karolyi said. “They’re explosive and full with energy but sometimes they can be annoyed with doing the very same routine.”

Biles hardly looked bored while putting on a show no one else can match. And she wasn’t the only one who looked ready for the stage that awaits in Brazil.

Raisman wanted to “vomit” while starting out on beam, where she won bronze in London four years ago. She didn’t exactly look nervous while putting up a 15.150, something she credited on the poker face she inherited from her father. After beating herself up for months after a poor showing — by her standards anyway — at world championships last fall, Raisman is right back where she was in 2012, maybe even a bit better.

Defending Olympic champion Gabby Douglas, who won the American Cup and in Italy earlier this spring, wasn’t quite as sharp. She wobbled twice on beam and needed a world-class save to stay on at one point. Yet she did to avoid a major deduc-

tion, a trait Karolyi welcomes nearly as much as a flawlessly executed routine. Still, her score of 58.9 needs to improve on Sunday to remove any lingering doubt.

“I just got a little bit relaxed and let things slip,” she said. “I need to stay aggressive. The confidence level is there.”

It’s there too for the 16-year-old Hernandez. A newcomer on the national team, Hernandez hardly seems intimidated by the stakes. She put up scores that ranked in the top three in all four events, giving Karolyi yet another option as she puts together what will be the gymnastics equivalent of a “Dream Team” for Rio.

“I’d love to just have another day like I had today (on Sunday),” Hernandez said.

Madison Kocian, a world champion on uneven bars, put up the second-best score on her signature event and seems to be fully healed from



AP Photo/Tony Gutierrez

Simone Biles competes on the balance beam during the U.S. women's gymnastics championships, Friday, June 24, 2016, in St. Louis.

a leg injury that slowed her training after placing in the top six in all four events.

Maggie Nichols, a member of last fall’s gold-medal winning world championship team, finished outside the top five on uneven bars and balance beam in her first competition since tearing the meniscus in her knee in April. Nichols remains upbeat but

it appears open spots on the team appear to be dwindling.

Karolyi teased coming into nationals that she already has five women in mind for Rio. That list did not change on Friday, and time is running out.

“The first five are right there,” she said. “The process is going step by step.”

MANZIEL

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that carries a penalty of up to a year in jail and a \$4,000 fine.

As the case has played out, the 2012 Heisman winner at Texas A&M has been photographed partying from Hollywood to Las Vegas to New York in recent months, and his own family has expressed concern about his well-being after he was cut by the Browns this year following two underwhelming seasons. On Friday, Manziel’s father, Paul, told ESPN.com his son has refused repeated efforts to help him.

“I don’t know what to say other than my son is a druggie and he needs help,” he told the website. “If I have

to bury him, I’ll bury him. That’s the fact. So if not, if he calls me and needs help, I’ll go get him. Until then, he’s on his own. I’ve done everything I can do.”

Hinton’s text said the Gas Pipe receipt was sent to him by an attorney who is involved in a federal case accusing two people affiliated with the chain of making and selling synthetic marijuana. Michaels called the purchase “a rumor.”

“We don’t know for sure whether the receipt does or doesn’t represent a purchase he made since there are always unfounded stories flying around, but we all make it a policy to keep each other up to date on them,” she said.

Hinton also wrote that he had met Wednesday morning with Jerry Varney, an administrative chief in the Dallas

County District Attorney’s Office.

“He is very interested in working with us to arrive at some agreement” in the case, he wrote. A spokeswoman for the DA’s office did not comment.

Dallas police said Manziel reported that his car had been struck Monday night in a hit-and-run, but Hinton said in the text that there was “conflict as to whether Johnny reported it or not.” Manziel was not seriously injured.

It’s unclear how close Manziel’s domestic violence case is to being resolved. Similar cases usually result in deferred adjudication probation, meaning the charges are dismissed after one to two years, said David Finn, a Dallas attorney and former judge who is not associated with the Manziel case.

Finn said drug-testing conditions depend on whether the defendant has shown a pattern of substance abuse. The defendant is normally required to enroll in anger management classes and a domestic violence program, an outcome similar to that of Dallas Cowboys receiver Dez Bryant when he faced a misdemeanor charge in 2012 over an incident in which he allegedly struck his mother with a hat.

Manziel’s rise and fall has long been punctuated with headlines for his off-field partying. The Browns selected the player dubbed “Johnny Football” in 2014, but he struggled on the field and was dropped this year. Since the 2015 season ended, two agents have cut ties with Manziel after demanding a second trip to rehab. He also

faces potential punishment from the NFL under tougher standards regarding domestic violence cases adopted in 2014 following the Rice case. However, he is not currently with a team, and therefore not subject to league policies.

The allegations stem from a night out on Jan. 30. Crowley alleged Manziel accosted her at a Dallas hotel, a confrontation that continued downstairs to the valet station. She said he forced her into a car and that a valet disregarded her pleas for help.

The two eventually drove to where her car was parked in front of a Dallas bar, she said in an affidavit. She said Manziel got into the driver’s seat and began to drive. Crowley said Manziel stopped when she tried to jump out of the car, but that he then dragged her back inside and hit her.

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Roger's Reviews: Finding Dory



ROGER CLINE

Herald Staff Writer

I just got out of "Finding Dory", the new animated sequel to 2003's "Finding Nemo" from Pixar Entertainment. It was a Tuesday afternoon matinee showing, and the theater was packed with families—kids freshly liberated from the halls of academia—yearning for a cool ocean dip to beat the Big Spring heat.

And "Finding Dory" delivers. It's a brightly drawn, fun film with a lot of the same notes as its predecessor—neurotic dad, memory-challenged Dory, interactions with humans, surfer-dude tortoisés—and some new friends as well.

The story unfolds a year after the events of "Finding Nemo". Clown fish Nemo (Hayden Rolence) and his dad Marlin (Albert Brooks) have been reunited, and we're treated to some backstory about Dory (Ellen DeGeneres), the blue tang fish with "short-term memory loss". She had the problem even as a young fishette (younger version played by Sloane Murray), and her parents Jenny (Diane Keaton) and Charlie (Eugene Levy) devised rhymes and memory aids to help her. Despite this, she's separated from them (of course she can't remember quite how) and starts off on a quest to reunite her family.

Others we meet along the way are Hank (Ed O'Neill), a color-changing octopus; near-sighted whale shark Destiny (Kaitlin Olson); Bailey, an echo-locating Beluga whale with self-esteem issues; Fluke (Idris Elba) and Rudder (Dominic West), a pair of sleepy sarcastic sea-lions; Mr. Ray (Bob Peterson), the blue-and-white spotted ray fish teacher we remember from "Nemo"; and Sigourney Weaver as herself in recorded welcome recordings for the Marine Life Institute that is central to the movie's plot.

The pacing of "Dory" is generally very good, although I did notice some slower "talky" moments in which the young children around me in the theater seemed to start getting restless. The largest part of the plot involved Dory and her friends Hank, Destiny, and Bailey in one group; and Marlin and Nemo in another, discovering increasingly improbably ways to navigate around a combination marine biology lab, fish hospital, and Sea World. At one point, Dory is transported by Hank, an octopus who seems to have little problem sur-

living out of water, in a water-filled coffee carafe; while Marlin and Nemo are toted by Becky (not a speaking role) an addled seagull in a small beach pail filled with water. Those are some of the more moderate ways they find to get around. I'm not kidding.

Kids will definitely enjoy some of the slapstick humor and Dory's forgetfulness gags, but the message the movie sends is a little problematic for me. Yes, I know it's mainly all in good fun, but it does have a couple of themes. The first is wonderful: Different people have different abilities; just because you lack traditional abilities does not make you worthless or helpless. That's a great message, but there's another message that's just a little bit...weird, I guess? That message is: You don't need to plan things out rationally; you can basi-



cally do anything—the most off-the-wall, mad-cap stunt—and it will turn out for the best.

Marlin and Nemo make note of Dory's improbable success in the film, and actually adopt the motto "What Would Dory Do?" as their decision-making mantra. And it works. They try the same goofy stuff, and experience the same goofy kind of luck that she does.

I'm definitely not trying to be a party pooper here. I know the movie is intended as fun, and it certainly is that. But rational thought and advance planning are good things. Going off half-cocked generally gets you in trouble. If we tried the human equivalent of "What Would Dory Do?" we'd be in a whole heap of trouble. Maybe parents can use that as a teachable post-movie discussion topic. End of lecture.

"Finding Dory" is great fun, a worthy successor to "Finding Nemo." 8.5 stars out of 10.

*Director: Duncan Jones
 Writer: Duncan Jones and Chris Leavitt, screenplay; Chris Metzzen, story and characters
 Production Company: Legendary Entertainment, Atlas Entertainment, Blizzard Entertainment
 PG-13, 123 minutes, Action/Adventure/Fantasy,
 June 10, 2016*

Roger watched this movie at Big Spring's own Cinemark Cinema 4, located in the Spring Town Plaza at 1801 E. FM 700. For more information about the theater, visit www.cinemark.com and enter the ZIP code 79720.

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 Art winner Zoe Fuqua and Congressman Randy Neugebauer (pose with Zoe's artwork, Texas Sun).

Sweetwater teen wins art contest

Special to the Herald
 WASHINGTON – Rep. Randy Neugebauer (R-Texas) recently welcomed Zoe Fuqua, a senior from Sweetwater High School and the winner of the 2016 Congressional Art Competition for the 19th District of Texas, to the United States Capitol to see her artwork in its home for the next year.

"The 19th District is an extraordinary place with extraordinary people. I was blown away by the talent of the high school students who submitted entries for this year's Congressional Art Competition. It takes hard work to cultivate natural ability, and I appreciated every piece that was submitted," Rep. Neugebauer said. "I especially want to congratulate our winner, Zoe Fuqua, on her artwork entitled Texas Sun. I look forward to seeing it often as I walk through the Capitol. It was especially nice to have the privilege of seeing the artwork with the artist today as she came to Washington, DC to be honored for her accomplishment."

Zoe's piece will be on display in the Cannon Tunnel in the U.S. Capitol Building in Washington, DC until May of 2017.

Saucedo nets scholarship



Courtesy photo
 Abbygail Saucedo, a 2016 Big Spring High School graduate, was presented with a \$1,000 scholarship Thursday morning from the Mexican-American School Board Members Association (MASBA) by Irene Galan-Rodriguez, MASBA President and Big Spring ISD School board member. Abbygail's performance as a student, athlete, and school leader qualified her to compete for the scholarship. She is the daughter of Stacey Averette and Albert Saucedo and plans to attend the University of North Texas, where she will be majoring in business with an emphasis on marketing.

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When TV got to Big Lake

Not much goes on in Big Lake without Louise Matthews having something to do with it.

"Our life has been very very busy for everything that you have ever heard of in your life," she says. "We've always done it or helped out doing it or financing some of it or whatever."

Louise, who is 86, has had a Hallmark card shop in Big Lake for more than 50 years.

When she decided to get into the business, she contacted Hallmark and requested information about becoming part of the franchise. She never heard back.

She was in a Hallmark store in San Angelo months later and noticed a man with an open briefcase talking to one of the clerks near the cash register. Louise asked the man if he was from Hallmark and he said he was.

She told the man she had sent a letter to Hallmark requesting af-

filiation but had not had a reply.

The man reached into his briefcase, pulled out a letter and said, "Is this it?" Sure enough it was and Louise was on her way to having a Hallmark store. Her husband is a resourceful man. He brought TV to town.

"Well, there was no TV in Big Lake. We were too far away from the stations. So my husband put up this tower out here. It was 150 feet tall and he was able to pick up TV signals from Midland, Odessa and Monahans and transmit it out here in Big Lake. We had to put up a little square antenna on each house and a box receiver on the TV. Customers paid \$3.75 a month for the service. And we still made a living. That lasted for many years and then the satellites came in so we lost that job. Who would have ever thought that television signals would come out from space? Unreal."

The business had a truck with the words "CALL ME FOR TV" painted on it.

"Our phones rang all the time. I was really busy then. I was raising four sons, was a Cub Scout den mother and worked

at the church. When we went to Comstock and they saw our truck and read the words about TV on it, our phone just rang and rang and rang. We put a tower in Comstock, 250 feet tall. When my son came home from college he'd climb that tower and change the light bulb at the top.

"We had to make sure the light was on so a plane wouldn't hit the tower. Before we put up that tower, people in Comstock would go to Del Rio and rent a motel room to watch a football game."

Louise and her husband opened a store and sold televisions.

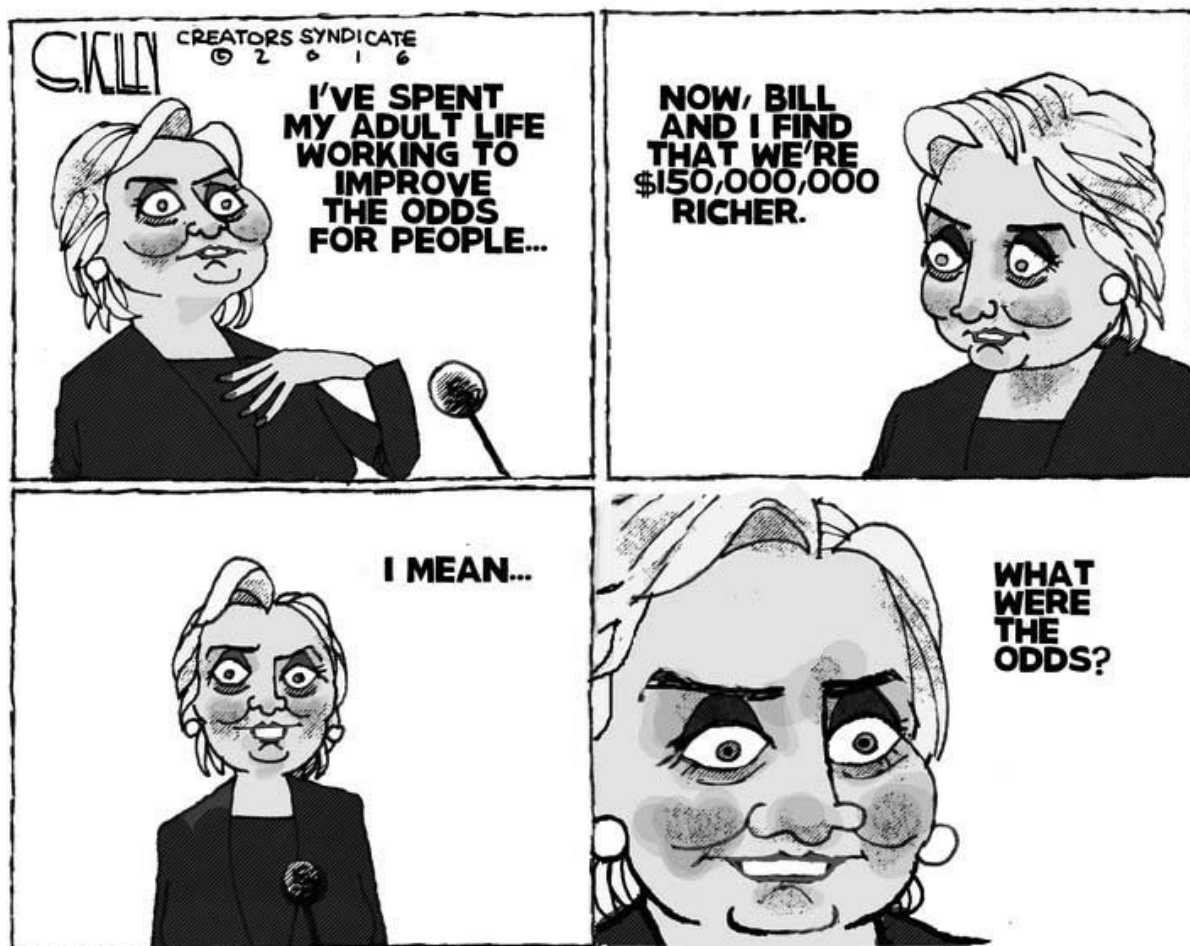
They sold the Zenith brand because it had a gold-plated tuner. She said fumes from oil wells caused other tuners to corrode up and not work. They had the first color television in Big Lake. It was a curiosity to her friends and neighbors.

"On holidays they came to my house. One Sunday, I had 32 people in my living room to see color television. That was brand new. We had just black and white to begin with."

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Humor in real life

In the company of three physicians and a veterinarian recently during a three-day span, I queried their personnel about day-to-day occurrences that make them smile.

In three cases, answers came quickly. The vet, however, thoughtfully detailed a foul-up at a clinic decades ago. Hearing the account makes me wonder if it is included in lectures at the mother school of veterinary medicine, Texas A&M University. If not, it should be.

I now present them, one at a time.

The staffer at Ophthalmology Associates says this one happens daily. When patients are asked to open their eyes, some can't. "Okay," she says, "Open your mouth." Almost always, both eyes and mouth fly open.

A hygienist at Dr. Marshall Brown's office confirms the "trick" works in reverse, too, admitting, though, that patients can almost always open their mouths on command.

For her, humor comes regularly after patients stretch out in the dental chair. As she prepares to take blood pressure readings, it is common to ask them to uncross their legs. More times than not, she claims, their legs are crossed, either right over left, or vice versa. They almost always simply reverse the leg crossing configuration, at which time she says — politely, I should add — "No, let's try it again. Uncross

your legs. When they are side by side, I can get an accurate reading."

At Solis Women's Health, there aren't as many predictable humor moments as there were when the women's lockers had no locks. Now they have keys, not that larceny was ever prevalent. Occasional absent-mindedness and leanings toward senility are obvious, but not nearly as often as when there were no locks. (Please try not to get ahead of me!)

For years, some patients forgot which lockers were theirs. And yes, they left ALL clothing items in the lockers, donning instead those contrary gowns that have strings in the back that are hard to tie or snaps difficult to get lined up.

Sometimes, patients who entered in orange pant suits might depart in purple dresses, usually only minutes before another patient is screaming, "Someone stole all my clothes!" Usually, the offending patient discovers her mistake and returns immediately for the "big swap." Occasionally, though, they had to be reminded.

The vet story, long ago and far away, perhaps involves forgetfulness at best or senility at worst. One morning, a fellow brought in his dog. After listening to the vet rattle off all the problems and learning the dog was near death, he decided the humane thing to do was have the dog put down.

The vet said he would take care of the matter. The dog was bedded down at the clinic, and the man returned to his home nearby. Oh, no! The vet simply forgot and somehow the dog managed to get out the back

door. At day's end, the pet owner called the vet, asking, "Did you put my dog down?" The vet answered affirmatively, figuring he could still do so within minutes to correct an outright lie.

"Well, there's something I can't understand," said the perplexed owner. "There's a dog at my back door, and he looks exactly like mine."

I can't leave veterinary stories without recounting one said to have occurred during the Depression. A contrary woman the vet hated to see coming showed up at the end of a harried week. He dreaded the tirade that always accompanied her learning "going rates."

She felt it was time to put down her ancient cat. She asked the vet what the charge would be. He answered, "Seven dollars." She was livid, dismayed it would cost anywhere close to that. "Is there any way you can do it cheaper?" she questioned.

Rubbing his chin, he answered, "Tell you what. I'll take the cat out back and choke it to death for \$2."

By the way, the doctor who performed my recent retina surgery is pleased with the progress, and my hygienist is reducing thrice annual visits to two.

I'm still plodding along in 18th year since open-heart surgery and my wife is in her seventh year since breast cancer surgery. And our dogs? Doing great; no vet bills yet this month.

We are blessed.

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DAILY PRAYER

May we remain diligent about reading Your word, Lord, for our life.

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LeBron out of Olympics, leaving Melo alone to chase history

By **BRIAN MAHONEY**

AP Basketball Writer

NEW YORK — With LeBron James taking a pass, Carmelo Anthony alone will have a chance to become the most-decorated Olympian in men's basketball history.

The New York Knicks forward has agreed to chase a fourth Olympic medal, a person with knowledge of the details said Thursday.

He and James both have two gold medals and a bronze, but James informed USA Basketball that he has withdrawn from consideration, agent Rich Paul told The Associated Press on Thursday night.

James had told the Americans he wouldn't make his decision until after the NBA Finals, which ended with the All-Star forward leading the Cleveland Cavaliers to the championship on Sunday. His loss is the biggest yet for a U.S. team that has suffered a number of player withdrawals, as James ranks as the team's career leader in points and assists in the Olympics, while ranking second in rebounds.

Without him, the Americans still have two spots to fill on their 12-man roster that will be named Monday.

Toronto teammates Kyle Lowry and DeMar DeRozan will be on it, the person told AP, speaking on condition of anonymity because the roster discussions were to remain private.

Oklahoma City's Kevin Durant, Indiana's Paul George, Golden State's Draymond Green and Klay Thompson, Sacramento's DeMarcus Cousins, Chicago's Jimmy Butler and the Clippers' DeAndre Jordan are also committed to play for the two-time defending champions in Rio de Janeiro.

The Americans are also holding a spot for Kyrie Irving, James' Cavaliers teammate.

Kawhi Leonard passed on the opportunity to play, with the San Antonio Spurs announcing his withdrawal in a news release.

"This was a very difficult decision. It's an honor to have been considered for the team and I hope that in the future I will have the chance to represent my country by playing for USA Basketball," Leonard said.

Anthony won gold medals in the 2008 and 2012 Olympics and a bronze



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FILE - In this March 30, 2016 file photo, New York Knicks forward Carmelo Anthony (7) reacts to a call during the second half of the team's NBA basketball game against the Dallas Mavericks in Dallas. A person with knowledge of the details says Anthony has agreed to chase a fourth Olympic men's basketball medal, while Toronto teammates Kyle Lowry and DeMar DeRozan will also play for the U.S. The person told The Associated Press on Thursday, June 23, 2016 that the Americans had solidified 10 of their 12 roster spots.

in 2004. He, James and Hall of Famer David Robinson are the only Americans to play in three Olympics.

Anthony previously said he planned to play, telling AP recently: "Listen, I've been with USA Basketball since I was 16, 17 years old. Can't stop now."

DeRozan played for the Americans when they won the gold medal at the Basketball World Cup in 2014, but Lowry's inclusion on the roster was a surprise, since he wasn't even in the Americans' roster pool of 31 players.

But with Stephen Curry, Chris Paul and Russell Westbrook all withdrawing, USA Basketball chairman Jerry Colangelo said earlier this month he wouldn't rule out adding another guard.

He may even need to add another

if Irving declines to play. Irving was the MVP of the 2014 Basketball World Cup and would probably start for the Americans if he opted to play after helping the Cavaliers win the NBA title.

Yahoo Sports first reported Thursday that Anthony, Lowry and DeRozan would play.

Durant won gold in 2012. George, Green, Thompson, Cousins, Butler and Jordan would all be making their Olympic debuts.

Wizards' Beal is latest to decline Rio Olympics invite

Washington Wizards guard Bradley Beal has declined an invitation to play for the United States in the Rio

Olympics.

Beal said on Twitter that he has decided to dedicate his summer to getting into shape for next season. He called the invitation from USA Basketball "the ultimate honor."

The 22-year-old is the latest player to turn down the chance to play for the U.S. in Rio. NBA Finals MVP LeBron James, regular-season MVP Stephen Curry, Russell Westbrook, Chris Paul, James Harden and others have said they won't go.

Beal just finished his fourth professional season. He averages 16.0 points a game.

Wizards teammate John Wall removed himself from consideration when he had knee surgery after the season ended.

RIO

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a visit from WADA's technical committee," the laboratory said in a statement.

That view was shared by Brazil's anti-doping

authority, known as ABCD and run by the sports ministry.

The authority said it was "confident that the institution will take all the necessary procedures" to have the provisional suspension lifted.

It's not the first time that the Rio lab has been

suspended by WADA. It was also brought to a halt in 2012 after a false positive test result.

The agency's latest move "prohibits the laboratory from carrying out all anti-doping analyses on urine and blood samples," WADA said in a statement.

Samples collected

from athletes in Brazil during the interim ban will be transported to a lab in another country for testing, it added.

"This will ensure that there are no gaps in the anti-doping sample analysis procedures; and that, the integrity of the samples is fully maintained," WADA's

incoming director general Olivier Niggli said.

Niggli added that the agency "will work closely with the Rio Laboratory to resolve the identified issue."

The laboratory can appeal against the suspension to the Court of Arbitration for Sport within 21 days.

FIFA found a solution to being without a lab during the 2014 World Cup in Brazil that cost hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Then, samples taken from soccer players were flown to be tested at a WADA-accredited lab in Lausanne, Switzerland. No blood samples missed the deadline of being tested within 36 hours of being given by an athlete.

ASTROS

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scored three runs and drove in two. Marwin Gonzalez, Carlos Gomez, Jason Castro and Rasmus all had RBI singles in the first off Volquez (7-7), who retired only three of the 15 batters he faced with 12 scoring, ballooning his ERA

more than a full run to 5.15.

"The whole story of the game is the first couple of innings and the quality of at-bats we put up," Astros manager A.J. Hinch said. "We did a lot of things right that first inning and took advantage of a mistake, a lot of singles and a big hit by George obviously to separate the game. We did a good job of tacking on run af-

ter run after run."

The last time the Astros scored nine in the first inning was July 10, 2003, against Cincinnati. The Royals last allowed nine or more in the first on Sept. 23, 2006, when Detroit scored 10.

The huge lead made it easy for Dallas Keuchel, the 2015 American League Cy Young Award winner, to pick up only his second victory since April 15 and first since

May 28.

Keuchel (4-9) gave up four runs and 11 hits, including home runs to Escobar and Cheslor Cuthbert. Escobar's homer was his first since Aug. 21.

Volquez was removed in the second when he walked Carlos Correa and Gomez, sandwiched around Rasmus' single to load the bases without getting an out. All three wound up scor-

ing off reliever Dillon Gee, but the runs were charged to Volquez.

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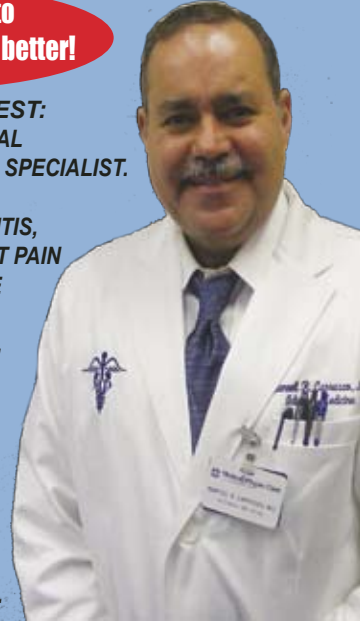
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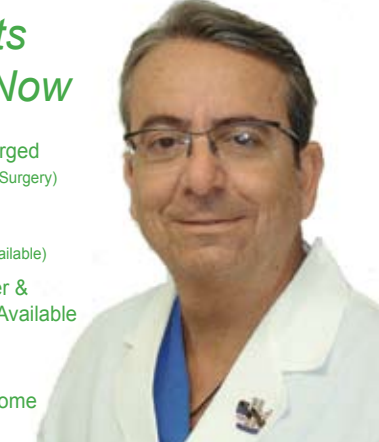
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Don't fall for these summer job scams

Looking for a job or internship can be tough and time-consuming. Unfortunately, scammers know this and advertise jobs where legitimate employers do — online, in a newspaper ad or via email. If you are on the hunt for a job, Better Business Bureau serving Central, Coastal, Southwest Texas and the Permian Basin advises you to beware of job scams.

Job scams come in many forms. It could be a fake ad listed on an online classifieds site, an email claiming you can make money working from home or as a secret shopper. The job sounds very convincing, especially if you're told the job is guaranteed.

According to the Federal Trade Commission, scammers will promote outdated or fake job openings, or charge upfront fees for services or training materials. They will claim they can guarantee job placement after you pay; however, the promised job never materializes and the company does not return your calls. If you need to pay first to get the job or have to provide your credit card or bank account number, that's a red flag.

In Texas, more than 100 employment-related scams across the state have been reported on BBB Scam Tracker over the past year. In addition, Texans have reported losing more than \$20,000 to job scams. BBB has received more than 1,200 reports of job scams, totaling more than \$1.1 million in losses nationwide since June 2015.

When looking for a job online, BBB recommends the following tips:

- Research the business first. If a company or organization is mentioned in an ad or interview, contact that company directly to find out if the company is really hiring through the service. When using social networking sites and online employment sites, be sure to check the website of the company posting the advertisement. Many scammers use names that are similar to reputable companies to trick job seekers.

- Don't pay upfront fees. No legitimate job offer will require out of pocket expenses from a potential employee for background checks, credit reports or administrative fees before an interview. If an employer wants you to pay — even if they say it's for certification or training materials — don't do business with them. Additionally, job seekers should never provide bank account information until they have officially been hired.

- Be cautious when responding to unsolicited emails. Even if the company name is well-known, don't click on any links in the email until you've verified the business and can confirm that the email came from a legitimate source. Legitimate employers will need Social Security numbers for tax purposes and may need a bank account number to deposit paychecks for new employees, but be wary of any requests for such information from companies that you haven't met with in person.

- Be wary of the "perfect offer." Job seekers should be cautious of any posting advertising extremely high pay for short hours or minimal required experience. Remember, legitimate businesses don't make promises or guarantees about jobs. If it sounds too good to be true, it probably is.

If you have been targeted by a job scam, you can file a complaint with the FTC and your local BBB. To find or report a scam, visit BBB Scam Tracker.

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HEATHER MASSEY

Local Hampton Suites earns TripAdvisor review award

Special to the Herald

Hampton Inn & Suites Big Spring has received a 2016 TripAdvisor Certificate of Excellence Award. Now in its sixth year, the achievement celebrates hospitality businesses that have earned great traveler reviews on the online TripAdvisor site over the past year. To qualify, a business must maintain an overall TripAdvisor bubble rating of at least four out of five, have a minimum number of reviews and must have been listed on TripAdvisor for at least 12 months.

"We are proud to be recognized by TripAdvisor with a Certificate of Excellence Award," said Mitesh Patel, general manager of

Hampton Inn & Suites Big Spring. "This honor is a testament to our dedication to exceptional customer service. We appreciate our guests giving us excellent ratings on this site and helping us to achieve this recognition."

Located at 805 West I-20 Highway in Big Spring, Hampton Inn & Suites Big Spring offers amenities including On the House breakfast each morning and Hampton's On the Run™ Breakfast Bags, available Monday through Friday.

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Purcell elected TBA chairman

Special to the Herald

AUSTIN, — Jim Purcell, chairman of State National Bank in Big Spring, has been elected chairman of the Texas Bankers Association for the 2016-2017 Fiscal Year. His term runs from June 1 through May 31, 2017.

He has been very active in the Texas Bankers Association, serving as vice chair and treasurer, as well as chairman of both the Community Bankers and Government Relations Councils.

Purcell is a graduate of Eastern New Mexico University, where he received a BBA in agriculture business and fi-

nance. He also attended the University of New Mexico's Western States School of Banking and Northwestern University's J.L. Kellogg Graduate School of Management.

He started his banking career at Citizens State Bank in Dalhart in 1975 and also worked for Farmers State Bank in Hart and North Texas Bank & Trust in Gainesville before moving to State National Bank in Big Spring in 1988.

Purcell is also very active in his community, having served as president of the Chamber of Commerce and Colorado Municipal Water District.



Purcell

Public Records

Howard County Justice of the Peace Outstanding IBC Warrants:

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Katie Cole L. Baker, P.O. Box 3372, Big Spring
Timothy Tod Beck, 910 E. 6th St., Big Spring
Elda Melina Bernal, 1311 Mobile, Big Spring
Wayne Richard Buyce, 4042 Morningside Way, Canyon Lake
Vanessa Malu Calderon, 2600 Chanute Dr., Big Spring
Raymond Carroll, 712 E. 17th St., Big Spring
Pedro Chavarria, 1404 Wood St., Big Spring
Matilda Cortez, 302 N. St. Teresa, Stanton
Hannah Deaton, 19634 Atasca

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Tina Marie Ellis, 4002 Austin Ave., Snyder
Selena Bethani Enriquez-King, 100 E. Parker, Midland
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Jose Enrique Faz, 602 N.W. 7th St., Big Spring
Juana Fierro, 406 N.W. 5th St., Big Spring
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Guillermo Gomez, 2107 Morrison, Big Spring
James Michael Griffin, 303 Butler St. #502, Atlanta
Christina Nichole Gutierrez, 2809 25th St., Snyder
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Felicia Ornelas, 538 Westover No. 236, Big Spring
David Parrish, 911 Boykin Rd., Big Spring
George Anthony Robinson Jr., 1905 Wasson Rd. #14, Big

Spring
Andy Rodriguez, 1904 Runnels Street, Big Spring
Christina M. Rodriguez, 624 State Street, Big Spring
Linda Eva Rodriguez, 2519 Gunter Circle, Big Spring
Juan Romero, 2504 March Circle, Big Spring
Veronica Romero, 103 Becker Road, Big Spring
Yuri Lozano Rubio, 421 Cedar, P.O. Box 173, Colorado City
Stacie Lyanne Salas, 5102 Wasson Road, Big Spring
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Belinda Ellen Strong, 1900 Martin Luther King Apt. #409, Big Spring
Kendra D. Tatum, 412 S. Moss Lake Rd., Big Spring
Joe Anthony Villarreal, 2206 Cecilia, Big Spring
Ricky Lynn Waltenbaugh, 538

Westover Road Apt. # 133, Big Spring
Tamara Ruth Whitt, 3706 Connley, Big Spring
Jamie Wiggins, 1905 Wasson Rd. Apt. #28, Big Spring

Marriage Licenses

Ricky Solis Jr., 34, and Maria San Juana Varela, 30, both of Big Spring.
Brandon Michael Good, 24, and Paige Liana Yater, 21, both of Big Spring.
Scott Eugene Tuttle, 34, and Krystal Marie Soliz, 31, both of Coahoma.
Samuel James Morris, 21, and Jazmine Alexiz Martinez, 24, both of Big Spring.
Hollis David Horner, 74, and Carmen M. Cerventes, 61, both

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PARADE

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Missile System. While he was stationed in Germany, he married Rhonda Lee. During this time he had his assignment changed to manning the 8-inch Howitzer.

Mr. West was sent to Chu Lai, Vietnam, in April of 1970. He returned home in January 1971.

After his military service, he went to work for Perco as a mechanic. In 1973, Cabot wanted to hire Vietnam veterans, so George accepted employment for Cabot until 1980 when it closed. In 1983, he was hired by Sid Richardson Carbon Company. He worked in the production area, and was a supervisor when he retired in 2009. He has been the owner of GA's Specialty since 1986.

In 1975, George married Judy Wolf Taylor. With this marriage came Judy's daughter, Brandy Taylor. His children are Allison Holt of Mansfield, Texas; Teresa Ann Stone of Tennessee; and Brandy Renee Manning of Coahoma. He has five grandchildren. He is a member of the First Baptist Church of Coahoma. He enjoys fishing and still plays with cars.

D.C. Lee
U.S. Navy

D.C. Lee was born in 1931 at his home in Maverick, Texas, to Clarence and Marie Lee. He had one sister, Nelda Parish. Raised on a farm in Runnels County, he graduated from Norton High School in Norton, Texas.



Lee

After graduation, he worked in the oil field until he joined the U.S. Navy in January 1951. He completed

boot camp at San Diego, and was assigned to the U.S. LSMR 525, a rocket-launching ship at Pearl Harbor. He spent most of his time overseas stationed off the east and west coast of North Korea. He was discharged in December 1954.

He married Shirley Cope in 1950 and they had three girls. She passed away in 1972 and in 1989 he married Myrtie Moore. They live in Sand Springs, D.C. has three daughters, Sherry and her husband Ron Lepard, and Patty and husband Terry Weeks, all of Big Spring; and Jana Lee of Sidney, Texas. His stepchildren are Roger and Darlene Battle of Big Spring, D.C. and Myrtie have 11 grandchildren.

D.C. came to Big Spring in 1955. He went to work for Cosden Refinery and retired in 1986. While working at Cosden, he also farmed and owned rent houses. He retired from farming in 1990. He is a very active member of the First Baptist Church in Coahoma, where he teaches the Men's Sunday School class. D.C. and Myrtie are both active with the senior citizens in Coahoma.

William (Bill) Latimer
U.S. Air Force

Bill Latimer was born and grew up in Pendleton County, Ky., on Feb. 8, 1942. He lived on a 72-acre farm in a four-

room house with two brothers and one sister. The family had no running water to the house. They had to heat water with wood in the winter. The Latimer family grew their own food, including beef, pork, and chickens. Milk was provided by the family's cows. The Latimer family grew tobacco, corn and hay.



Latimer

Latimer enlisted in the U.S. Air Force on Dec. 13, 1963. He completed boot camp at Lackland Air Force Base and advanced training to become a jet mechanic in Amarillo. He was stationed at Webb Air Force Base in Big Spring, and was discharged on Dec. 12, 1967.

After his service, Latimer went to work for Eaton. He came back to Big Spring in 1979 to work for Star Fiber Glass, and then went to work for Walsh & Watts Oil Company. He retired in 1993.

He has a daughter, Rhonda Latimer; and a son, William (Billy) Latimer II. He married Judy Aberegg in 1992.

Citizens of the Year
The Greg Parrish family

Greg and Candy Parrish, along with their children Megan and Garrett, are well-known in Coahoma.

Greg was born and raised in Coahoma, while Candy is a "transplant" that made it here in her eighth-grade year, attending Coahoma Junior High School. They both made many friends along the way, some that have moved

on and many that are also still residents in the community. The couple married in Big Spring in 1989.

After a brief stint in the Conroe area as a young married couple, they decided to make their permanent home in Coahoma and raise their children in the same small town where they both grew up. Both Megan, born in 1992, and Garrett, born in 1996, attended Coahoma ISD for the K-12 duration, and were both very active in sports as well as academic activities and organizations.

Candy has worked at the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce and served on various committees throughout her tenure. She opened her own beauty salon, "The Cottage," in Coahoma in 2007. Greg was employed with Alon USA for 17 years until he made the change to Chevron/Oneok, where he currently works as a Corrosion Technician.

Greg and Candy have both been active in the community, whether it was serving as president of the PTA while the kids were in Coahoma Elementary School, or the many years of active membership on the Coahoma Athletic Booster Club.

"It takes a village to raise a child and we have the best villagers ever," Candy said. "The people here never fail to lift up those in need, no matter the situation, and I couldn't be more proud to be a part of this community."

Megan Parrish graduated from CHS in 2010 and went on to receive degrees from Howard College in Big Spring

and Texas State University in San Marcos. She is employed by Asset Campus Housing in the student housing industry, and is working on her master's degree at Angelo State University.

Garrett Parrish's journey took an unexpected turn after he suffered a broken neck in an accident in February of 2015.

Garrett had been a solid part of the Coahoma Bulldog football program and was a leader in his senior class.

The impact of Garrett's accident on his life, as well as the life of his family, has been beyond comprehension; but they credit the outpouring of love and support from the Coahoma and Howard County community as the fuel that kept them moving forward.

Now, over a year later, Garrett, graduated from

Coahoma High School with his peers in 2015, is attending Howard College, and is home with his family in Coahoma steadfastly working on rehabilitation each day.

"If you ask me about my favorite part of Coahoma, I'd have to say the people are at the top. Everyone is amazing, and so supportive of everyone else," Garrett said. "But I couldn't leave out Dairy Queen and Bulldog Football either, both of them are just a big part of the Coahoma I know and love."

That Bulldog Pride runs deep in the roots of the Parrish family.

"It's always a great day to be a Bulldog," Candy said.

Cindy Smith contributed to this report.

Contact Staff Writer Lyndel Moody at 432-263-7331, ext. 235

Letter to the Editor

I am a 77-year-old Vietnam vet housed at Lamun-Lusk-Sanchez. My home is Midland, my 21-year career took me, my wonderful wife of 46 years, and one son, who is a teacher at MHS, whose wife is a teacher and gave me one fabulous grandson, Cameron, 11 yrs.

The reason for my note: I would like to recognize three RNs and one nurse's aide as the finest, caring, and loving ladies I have ever met, including Walter Reed and other VA facilities. As far as the hospital and a certain physician, to say Big Spring deserves better.

These ladies would miss their breaks to make things better for their patients.

I am a self-centered individual who absolutely deplores hospitals, even though they are supposed to help. Kudos Nurse Tabitha Goldhart, Lesley Stipe, Jessica Debiem, and last but far from the least, Candee. I didn't get her last name. As I stated before, they care for their charge and go overboard to help.

Again, thanks for the privilege of honoring these fine ladies.

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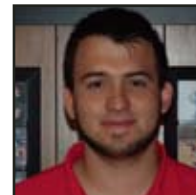
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Global markets tumble on British vote to leave EU

NEW YORK (AP) — Stocks are plunging in the U.S. and worldwide Friday after Britain voted to leave the European Union. The result stunned investors, who reacted by rushing to the safety of gold and U.S. government bonds as they wondered what will come next for Britain, Europe and the global economy.

U.S. stocks took far smaller losses than markets in Europe and Asia, but were still sharply lower. The Dow Jones industrial average was down 503 points, or 2.8 percent, to 17,508 as of 12:45 p.m. The S&P 500 is on pace for its biggest loss since last August, down 62 points, or 2.9 percent, to 2,051. The Nasdaq composite dropped 172 points, or 3.5 percent, to 4,737.

The vote brought a massive dose of uncertainty to financial markets, something investors loathe. Traders responded by dumping riskier assets that appeared to have the most to lose from disruptions in financial flows and trade: banks, technology companies and makers of basic materials.

Britons voted to leave the EU over concerns including immigration and regulation. It's far from clear what that will mean for international trade or for Europe, as the EU, which was formed in



the decades following World War II, has never before lost a member state.

"This vote is a step away from free trade," said Bob Doll, chief equity strategist Nuveen Asset Management. "When you add to it the specter of the last couple of years of terrorism it causes the average individual ... to be more nationalistic, more populist, more protectionist."

Bond prices surged and yields fell. The yield on the 10-year U.S. Treasury note dropped to 1.56 percent from 1.75 percent on Thursday, a large move.

Banks took the largest

losses by far. Citigroup plummeted \$3.56, or 8 percent, to \$40.90 and Bank of America fell 96 cents, or 6.8 percent, to \$13.08.

Technology stocks also took hefty losses. Microsoft fell \$1.94, or 3.7 percent, to \$49.97 and IBM gave up \$7.29, or 4.7 percent, to \$148.06.

Banks have the most to lose in Britain's departure from the EU as they do a lot of cross-border business in Europe based from their offices in London. They also become less profitable when bond yields fall, since that lowers interest rates on many kinds of loans such as mortgages.

Safety assets soared. Gold jumped \$58.70, or 4.6 percent, to \$1,322 an ounce. That's its highest price since July 2014. The price of silver climbed 42 cents, or 2.4 percent, to \$17.77 an ounce. The higher metals prices send mining stocks higher. Newmont Mining rose the most in the S&P 500 index. It gained \$1.53, or 4.3 percent, to \$36.92.

Investors also bought utility companies while other parts of the market took big losses. Duke Energy rose 75 cents to \$82.80 and Consolidated Edison gained \$1.54, or 2 percent, to \$78.40. Phone companies, also traditionally

safe investments, took much smaller losses than other industries.

The vote will start years of negotiations over Britain's trade, business and political links. Observers wonder if other nations will follow in Britain's footsteps by leaving the EU.

"This is a negative in economic terms for the UK," said David Kelly, chief global strategist at JPMorgan Asset Management. "The EU will be very tough negotiators with them."

The Federal Reserve said it is carefully monitoring financial markets and cooperating with central banks overseas.

Investors had sent stocks higher this week as they gradually grew more confident, based on polls and the changing odds in the betting market, that Britain would stay in the E.U. They sent the pound to its highest price of the year and sold bonds, pushing their yields higher. Those gains were rapidly undone Friday.

Britain's FTSE 100 dropped 3.1 percent. At one point it was 8 percent lower. The German DAX index sank 6.8 percent and France's CAC 40 index tumbled 8 percent.

The pound hit its lowest level since 1985 before recovering slightly.

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of San Angelo.
Jay Edward McCurtain, 25, and Brenda Lee Smith, 33, both of Clark Mills, N.Y.
Shay Allan Long, 28, and Shelby Lynn McDonald, 25, both of Big Spring.

County Court Judgments

(Note: The State of Texas is listed as prosecutor for all listed county court judgments)

Defendant: Weldon M. Gibbs
Offense: Possession of marijuana less than 2 oz.
Sentence: \$100 fine, \$347 court costs, 40 days in jail
Date: June 6, 2016

Defendant: Don Brooks
Offense: Possession of a dangerous drug
Sentence: \$100 fine, \$292 court costs, 20 days in jail
Date: June 15, 2016

Defendant: Tracy Patterson
Offense: Resisting arrest, search, or transport
Sentence: \$100 fine, \$292 court costs, 20 days in jail
Date: June 15, 2016

Defendant: Michael Escanuela
Offense: Theft of property \$500 to \$1,500
Sentence: \$500 fine, 180 days in jail. Probated 24 months
Date: June 13, 2016

Defendant: Ramon Vasquez Gutierrez
Offense: Driving while intoxicated 2nd offense
Sentence: Revocation of probation and imposition of sentence: \$750 fine, \$457.10 court costs, 35 days in jail
Date: June 10, 2016

Defendant: Aaron Vickers
Offense: Theft of property \$500 to \$1,500
Sentence: \$500 fine, 180 days in jail. Probated 12 months
Date: June 7, 2016

Defendant: Joseph Richter
Offense: Driving with an invalid license with previous conviction or suspension, without financial responsibility
Sentence: 6 months probation/deferred adjudication
Date: June 15, 2016

Defendant: Nicholas P. Smiley
Offense: Possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.)
Sentence: \$100 fine,

\$347 court costs, 30 days in jail
Date: June 15, 2016

Defendant: Edward J. Ausbie
Offense: Possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.)
Sentence: 6 months probation/deferred adjudication
Date: June 15, 2016

Defendant: Trig D. Gilkey
Offense: Burglary of a vehicle
Sentence: \$100 fine, \$292 court costs, 72 days in jail
Date: June 14, 2016

Defendant: Trig D. Gilkey
Offense: Possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.)
Sentence: \$100 fine, \$352 court costs, 72 days in jail
Date: June 14, 2016

Defendant: Jacob Alexander Galan
Offense: Theft of property \$50 to \$500
Sentence: \$100 fine, \$287 court costs, 20 days in jail
Date: June 15, 2016

Defendant: Trystan T. Cevallos
Offense: Theft of property \$20 to \$500 by check
Sentence: Revocation of

probation and imposition of sentence: \$100 fine, \$332 court costs, 80 days in jail.
Date: June 14, 2016

Warranty Deeds

Grantor: Moren Rentals L.L.C.
Grantee: Javier S. Varela Jr.
Property: Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 10, South Haven Addition
Date: May 20, 2016

Grantor: Marcelino Luna
Grantee: Rafael Perez
Property: Lots 13, 14, and 15, Blk. 7, Wrights Addition
Date: June 15, 2016

Grantor: Nadine Lillian Jackson and Gary Jackson
Grantee: Sovereign Land and Properties L.L.C.
Property: Lot 17, Blk. 3, Wasson Place Addition
Date: May 6, 2016

Grantor: John Wesley Zebreski and Vanessa Zebreski
Grantee: Eric Wayne Norman and Candy Marie Norman
Property: Lot 18, Blk. 29, College Park Estates No. 5
Date: June 14, 2016

Grantor: Chuck Rosenbaum
Grantee: Kenneth De La

Garza dba F and G Construction
Property: Lots 17 and 18, Blk. 6, Douglas Addition
Date: June 9, 2016

Grantor: Troy Briggs and Shelli Briggs fka Shelli D'Ann Harrington
Grantee: Sammy and Tiffany Ruiz
Property: Lot 5, Blk. 1, Colonial Hills Addition
Date: June 13, 2016

Grantor: Maria Villareal and Isabel Vera
Grantee: Erin Cheung
Property: A tract in Sec. 5, Blk. 32, T-1-S, T&P Railroad Co. Survey
Date: June 13, 2016

Grantor: Bill T. Baker
Grantee: Shana Privett
Property: Lot L, SE/4 Sec. 4, Blk. 32, T-1-N, T&P Railroad Co. Survey
Date: June 14, 2016

Grantor: Marcelino Luna
Grantee: Jose Antonio De La Torre and Perla Castillo
Property: Lot 10, Blk. 6, Settles Heights Addition
Date: June 8, 2016

Warranty Deeds with Vendor's Liens

Grantor: H. Wayne Cox aka Wayne Cox, and Omer D. Price, partners of AAA Mini-Storage
Grantee: Antioch Stor-

age L.L.C.
Property: Tract 1: Lots 1, 2, and 3, Cox Subdivision No 1., NE/4 Sec. 4, Blk. 32, T-1-S, T&P Railroad Co. Survey. Tract 2: A 0.92-acre tract in NE/4 Sec. 4, Blk. 32, T-1-S, T&P Railroad Co. Survey. Tract 3: Lot 1, Blk. 2, Cox Subdivision No. 1. Tract 4: A 4.25-acre tract in Lot 1, Blk. 1, Cox Subdivision No. 1.
Date: June 14, 2016

Grantor: HET L.L.C.
Grantee: Tony Castillo
Property: A 10.049-acre tract in SE/4, Sec. 43, Blk. 32, T-1-S, T&P Railroad Co. Survey
Date: May 19, 2016

Grantor: Kelly and Jennifer Chesworth
Grantee: John and Anna Sotelo
Property: Lot 23, Blk. 16, Kentwood (Unit No. 2) Addition

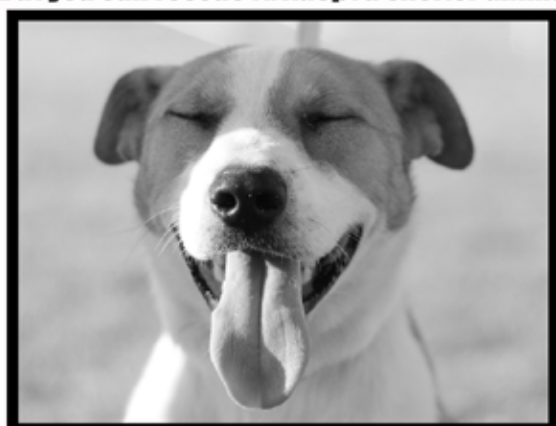
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Grantee: Meagan B. and Timothy E. Fancher
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Grantor: Cooperative Gin of Big Spring, Texas
Grantee: Huddleston Gin Co. L.L.C.
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Dems' policy draft reflects Sanders influence

ST. LOUIS (AP) — A draft of the Democratic Party's policy positions reflects the influence of Bernie Sanders' presidential campaign: endorsing steps to break up large Wall Street banks, advocating a \$15 hourly wage, urging an end to the death penalty.

Hillary Clinton's supporters turned back efforts by Sanders' allies to promote a Medicare-for-all single-payer health care system and a carbon tax to address climate change, and freeze hydraulic fracking.

While the platform does not bind the Democratic nominee to the stated positions, it serves as a guidepost for the party moving forward.

The Democratic National Convention's full Platform Committee will discuss the draft at a meeting next month in Orlando, Florida, with a vote at the convention in Philadelphia in late July.

Sanders said Friday he would vote for Clinton, the presumptive nominee, in the fall election, but so far has stopped short of fully endorsing the former secretary of state or encouraging his millions of voters to back her candidacy.

The Vermont senator has said he wants the platform to reflect his goals — and those representing him at a St.

Louis hotel said they had made progress.

"We lost some but we won some," said James Zogby, a Sanders supporter on the committee. "We got some great stuff in the platform that has never been in there before." Added Rep. Keith Ellison, D-Minn., a Sanders ally: "We've made some substantial moves forward."

Deliberating late into Friday, the group considered language on the Israel-Palestinian conflict, an issue that has divided Democrats. The committee defeated an amendment led by Zogby that would have called for providing Palestinians with "an end to occupation and illegal settlements" and urged an international effort to rebuild Gaza.

The draft reflects Clinton's views and advocates working toward a "two-state solution of the Israel-Palestinian conflict" that guarantees Israel's security with recognized borders "and provides the Palestinians with independence and dignity."

In many cases, Clinton's side gave ground to Sanders. The document calls for the expansion of Social Security and says Americans should earn at least \$15 an hour, referring to the current minimum wage of \$7.25 an hour as a "starvation wage."

Weekly oil report

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10.50 miles northwest of Garden City
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Strategists unwilling to work for Trump

WASHINGTON (AP) — Donald Trump has finally acknowledged that to best compete against Hillary Clinton he needs more than the bare-bones campaign team that led him to primary success. But many of the most experienced Republican political advisers aren't willing to work for him.

From Texas to New Hampshire, well-respected members of the Republican Party's professional class say they cannot look past their deep personal and professional reservations about the presumptive presidential nominee.

While there are exceptions, many strategists who best understand the mechanics of presidential politics fear that taking a Trump paycheck might stain their resumes, spook other clients and even cause problems at home. They also are reluctant to devote months to a divisive candidate whose campaign has been plagued by infighting and disorganization.

"Right now I feel no obligation to lift a finger to help Donald Trump," said Brent Swander, an Ohio-based operative who has coordinated nationwide logistics for Republican presidential campaigns.

"Everything that we're taught as children — not to bully, not to demean, to treat others with respect — everything we're taught as children is the exact opposite of what the Republican nominee is doing. How do you work for somebody like that? What would I tell my family?" Swander said.

Trump leapt into presidential politics with

a small group of aides, some drafted directly from his real estate business, with no experience running a White House campaign. An unquestioned success in the GOP primaries, they have struggled to respond to the increased demands of a general election.

As in years past, the primary season created a pool of battle-tested staffers who worked for other candidates, from which Trump would be expected to draw. But hundreds of such aides have so far declined invitations to work.

They include several communications aides to Chris Christie, as well as the New Jersey governor's senior political adviser, Michael DuHaime, who said he rejected direct and indirect inquiries to sign on with the billionaire.

Chris Wilson, a senior aide to Ted Cruz, said the Texas senator's entire paid staff of more than 150 ignored encouragement from Trump's team to apply for positions after Cruz quit the presidential race. Wilson said that even now, many unemployed Cruz aides are refusing to work for the man who called their former boss "Lyin' Ted."

That's the case for Scott Smith, a Texas-based operative who traveled the country planning events for Cruz, and earlier worked on presidential bids for Bush.

"It's very clear that none of us are going to work for Trump," Smith said. "Even if I wanted to work for Trump, my wife would kill me."

Smith, like many experienced strategists interviewed for this story,

noted the intense personal sacrifice required of presidential campaigns. Many advisers do not see their families for long stretches, work brutal hours on little sleep and enjoy no job security.

With Trump, Smith said, "I would feel like a mercenary. I can't be away from my young children if it's just for money."

Trump's need for additional staff is acute. His paltry fundraising network brought in less than \$2 million last month. He has just one paid staffer to handle hundreds of daily media requests and only a few operatives in battleground states devoted to his White House bid.

Last month, Trump fired Rick Wiley, who was the campaign manager for Wisconsin Gov. Scott Walker, a former 2016 candidate, and was brought on to run Trump's nationwide get-out-the-vote effort. On Monday, Trump fired campaign manager Corey Lewandowski, who acknowledged he lacked the experience needed to expand Trump's operation.

"This campaign needs to grow rapidly," Lewandowski told the Fox News Channel. "That's a hard job and candidly I've never grown something that big."

Campaign spokeswoman Hope Hicks did not respond to multiple requests for comment about the campaign's hiring. A former adviser, Barry Bennett, played down any staffing challenges, suggesting the campaign should be able to double its contingent by the party's national convention.



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News in brief

US durable goods orders slid 2.2 percent in May

WASHINGTON (AP) — Orders to U.S. factories for long-lasting manufactured goods dropped in May, reversing two months of gains and delivering more bad news for American manufacturers.

The Commerce Department said Friday that demand for durable goods slid 2.2 percent last month after rising 3.3 percent in April and 2 percent in March. Orders for transportation equipment, which are often volatile, fell 5.6 percent, pulled down by a 34.1 percent plunge in orders for military aircraft and parts. A category that tracks business investment also fell for the second straight month.

American manufacturing has been hurt by cutbacks in the energy industry, a response to low oil and gas prices, and by a strong dollar, which makes American products costlier in foreign markets. Britain's vote to leave the European Union Thursday is likely to push the dollar even higher.

Economists also say businesses may be reluctant to place orders for durable goods — items such as cars and dishwashers that are meant to last at least three years — because of uncertainty over the U.S. presidential election.

Last week, the Federal Reserve reported that U.S. industrial output fell 0.4 percent in May from April, pulled down by a 4.4 percent drop in auto production.

United Airlines, flight attendants' union agree on contract

CHICAGO (AP) — United Airlines has tentatively negotiated a new contract for its 25,000 flight attendants, who will hold a ratification vote.

If approved, the agreement between United and the Association of Flight Attendants would let the airline mix cabin crews from United and Continental Airlines, which merged in 2010.

Terms of the contract were not disclosed.

United Continental Holdings Inc. and the union said Friday that negotiators were still working to finish contract language.

The airline industry is heavily unionized. About 80 percent of United's employees are represented by unions, according to the company's latest annual report.

Shares of United Continental were down \$2.56, or 5.7 percent, to \$42.61 in midday trading. Airline stocks fell over uncertainty about how they will be affected when the United Kingdom exits the European Union.

New suit against automaker mentions Anton Yelchin's death

RIVERSIDE, Calif. (AP) — A new lawsuit against Fiat Chrysler prominently mentions "Star Trek" actor Anton Yelchin, who was killed last weekend by an SUV under recall.

The suit was filed Thursday in California federal court on behalf of four people who own cars that are among the 1.1 million FCA vehicles recalled worldwide amid complaints from drivers. Some have said they can't tell if the transmission is in park after stopping.

The lawsuit says the shifter issue potentially caused Yelchin's death Sunday, when his 2015 Jeep Grand Cherokee rolled backward and pinned him against a brick mailbox. Police are still investigating, but the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration says the death may be related.

An FCA spokesman says the company hasn't been served with the lawsuit and it would be inappropriate to comment.

Atlas rocket launches for 1st time since March grounding

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — America's Atlas rockets are flying again, launching a communications satellite for the Navy.

The unmanned Atlas V (five) rocket blasted off Friday morning from Cape Canaveral Air Force Station. It was the first Atlas flight by rocket maker United Launch Alliance since March, when a fuel-valve problem popped up on a space station delivery for NASA.

The first stage of that rocket shut down six seconds too soon, but the second stage took control and put the Cygnus cargo ship in the proper orbit.

The company grounded its Atlas fleet until it could fix the problem.

This is the fifth in a series of advanced Navy communication satellites for use by the military worldwide.

Atlas rockets have been launching for almost 60 years. John Glenn rode an Atlas to become the first American to orbit the Earth in 1962. The considerably bigger, more powerful Atlas V will be used to launch Boeing's Starliner capsules with space station crews in another couple of years.

Panel votes against accreditor of for-profit colleges

WASHINGTON (AP) — An advisory panel to the Education Department has voted to recommend the government sever ties with a group that accredits many of the nation's for-profit colleges, including schools once owned by the now-defunct Corinthian Colleges Inc. — a critical vote that could lead schools to close their doors and threaten financial aid to hundreds of thousands of students.

The final decision on whether to revoke federal recognition of the Accrediting Council for Independent Colleges and Schools, the nation's largest accreditor of for-profit schools, will be made by a senior official at the department in the next few months.

After that, if the department goes along with the Thursday's recommendation, the hundreds of

schools now accredited by the council would have to find a new accreditor in 18 months or lose their ability to participate in federal financial aid programs, such as student loans and Pell Grants.

The council has been accused of lax oversight at some of its schools.

The council oversees about 250 colleges and schools and more than 600 additional campuses in 47 states, covering some 800,000 students. Its schools received \$4.7 billion in federal aid for students last year.

During the meeting, which lasted more than 10 hours, the head of the council acknowledged missteps.

"We sincerely believe that we can solve and address the legitimate issues the department has flagged," Anthony Bieda said. "We do not say this lightly and we take the department's concerns very seriously."

Bieda said the council had made changes, including stepped-up monitoring of its schools, new leadership and a committee to review standards and practices.

Obama to encourage international entrepreneurs to think US

SAN JOSE, Calif. (AP) — President Barack Obama is encouraging aspiring entrepreneurs from more than 140 countries to connect their ideas with U.S. businesses.

The Global Entrepreneurship Summit has become an annual event that tries to link entrepreneurs with investors from across the world. Obama is scheduled to speak to the gathering Friday at Stanford University.

"As you know, good ideas come from everywhere," White House spokesman Eric Schultz said aboard Air Force One as Obama flew to California. "However, access to capital and opportunity is not the same everywhere. That's why our goal at this year's summit is to connect the United States with new audiences and partners worldwide, especially focused on women, youth and minorities, to fulfill their potential."

Officials said the more the U.S. can help emerging economies, the more they become markets for American-made goods. The conference offers seminars on such topics as finding the capital needed to get businesses up and running. Participants also will make connections with each other that will pay off down the road, said deputy national security adviser Ben Rhodes.

"Often entrepreneurs from emerging economies don't have the same type of exposure to their peers as you have in the United States," Rhodes said.

The White House is particularly trying to encourage women and minorities to become entrepreneurs. Just 3 percent of venture capital-backed startups are led by women, and only around 1 percent are led by African-Americans.

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Texas mother fatally shoots 2 daughters; police kill her

FULSHEAR, Texas (AP) — Police say a Houston-area woman fatally shot her two adult daughters before officers shot and killed her.

The incident happened about 5 p.m. Friday in front of a home on the fringe of the Houston suburb of Fulshear. Fort Bend County Sheriff Troy Nehls says a motive was still under investigation, but it appeared the shooting climaxed a family argument.

Nehls says the two younger women had already been shot when a Fulshear police officer arrived and saw the mother with a gun in her hand, apparently preparing to shoot one of her daughters again. The officer shot and killed the woman.

No identities have been released.

Auction of Whitney Houston memorabilia earns \$500,000

LOS ANGELES (AP) — An auction of Whitney Houston's memorabilia has earned more than \$500,000 despite a judge blocking the sale of an Emmy Award won by the late singer.

Dallas-based Heritage Auctions says the top bid in Friday's auction was \$20,000 for a pair of Nike Air Jordan sneakers given to Houston by NBA great Michael Jordan. A Dolce & Gabbana fur coat worn by Houston on stage sold for more than \$16,000.

The auction featured several costumes worn by Houston, as well gold records and other items the Grammy-winning singer accumulated before her death in 2012 at age 48.

A federal judge on Thursday blocked Heritage Auctions from selling Houston's 1986 Emmy trophy, which she won for a Grammy performance. The company returned the trophy to Houston's family.

Texas city council votes to oust library cat

WHITE SETTLEMENT, Texas (AP) — A North Texas city council has started a cat fight by voting to oust the furry mascot of the city's public library.

The governing council of the Fort Worth suburb of White Settlement voted 2-1 to give the library 30 days to find a new home for Browser the cat.

The ex-shelter cat has been a library fixture for six years. But council member Elzie Clements moved at a June 14 council meeting for the tabby's removal.

Mayor Ron White, who has no vote on the council, tells the Fort Worth Star-Telegram the vote was a tit-for-tat after a city employee wasn't allowed to bring a puppy to work at City Hall.

Ex-council member Alan Price said Browser's supporters will petition for a reprieve in November's elections.

Man charged with shining laser at Border Patrol helicopter

MCALLEN, Texas (AP) — A South Texas man has been arrested and charged with shining a laser at a Border Patrol helicopter.

A federal affidavit alleges Juan Peralez pointed the laser at the helicopter about 1 a.m. Monday, prompting the pilot to take evasive action to avoid being blinded. Another member of the aircraft crew directed Border Patrol agents on the ground to the source of the laser, where Peralez was seen aiming the laser at the helicopter.

The 57-year-old La Joya (HOY'-uh) man was arrested late Thursday and made an initial appearance before a federal magistrate Friday in McAllen.

If convicted, he could get up to five years in federal prison and \$250,000 in fines.

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#4204HB Thomas, drill horizontal, El: NA
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A-215, Section 42, Block 34, T&P RR Co. survey
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Howard County

#4AH Hamlin-Middleton Unit "16-12", drill horizontal, El: NA
Spraberry (Trend Area) Field
2.50 miles east of Knott
A-1026, Section 16, Block 33, T-2-N, T&P RR Co. survey
Total Depth: 9500 feet
301' FNL, 130' FEL of 400-acre lease
301' FNL, 2105' FWL of the survey

#3AH Hamlin-Middleton Unit "16-12", drill horizontal, El: NA
Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-227-38792
2.50 miles east of Knott
A-1026, Section 16, Block 33, T-2-N, T&P RR Co. survey
Total Depth: 9500 feet
109' FNL, 654' FEL of 400-acre lease
109' FNL, 1582' FWL of the survey

#1 Flanagan "A" Unit, drill, El: NA, API #42-227-38793
Petey (Fusselman) Field
5.10 miles southwest of Sand Springs
A-1276, Section 24, Block 32, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. survey
Total Depth: 10,000 feet
560' FSL, 711' FWL of 160-acre lease
1875' FSL, 1930' FEL of the survey

#1 Flanagan "B" Unit, drill, El: NA, API #42-227-38794
Petey (Fusselman) Field
4.60 miles southwest of Sand Springs
A-1276, Section 24, Block 32, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. survey
Total Depth: 10,000 feet
467' FWL, 967' FSL of 160-acre lease
2177' FEL, 350' FNL of the survey

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Request for Competitive Sealed Proposals

RFP# 16-008 DORM REPAIR PROJECT

Howard College will receive competitive sealed proposals for General Construction Work—Dorm Repair Project at 1001 Birdwell Lane, Big Spring, TX 79720. Sealed proposals (prepared according to the instructions to Proposers) may be sent to Steven A. Smith, Chief Business Officer, Howard College, Big Spring, TX 79720. A pre-proposal conference will be held on Wednesday, July 6, 2016, at the Howard College Tumbleweed Room in the Student Union Building at 10:00 a.m., local time. Attendance by prospective bidders is not mandatory, but strongly encouraged. The bid opening will be held at Old Main South Annex, Room 131, Howard College, Big Spring, TX on Tuesday, July 12, 2016 at 2:00 p.m., local time. Proposals received prior to this time will be securely kept, unopened. Proposals received after this time will not be considered. Proposal documents will be available beginning Monday, June 20, 2016. Hard copy documents may be obtained with a refundable deposit in the amount of \$100.00. Digital documents are available for download at no charge and may be secured from Parkhill, Smith & Cooper, Inc., Suite 100, 1700 W. Wall Street, Midland, TX 79701 (432) 697-1447.

Howard County Junior College District reserves the right to reject any and all responses.

#9081 June 19 & 26, 2016

Public Notice

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE of property to satisfy landlord's lien. Sale is @ 7am June 30, 2016 at 1409 N. FM 700, Big Spring, TX. Property will be sold to highest bidder for cash. Cleanup and removal deposit will be required. Seller reserves right to withdraw property from sale. Property includes contents of space of following tenant: Alicia Morales, household items, tools, large outside Christmas ornaments, 5.5 x 2 3/8 TAC. Contact Kathy Sheppard, 432-816-9416 or BK Self Storage, 432-267-1810. 1409 N. FM 700, Big Spring, Tx 79720.

#9076 June 19 & 26, 2016

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Colorado River Municipal Water District is seeking proposals for Specific and Aggregate Stop Loss for their self funded employee benefit plan.

Request for Proposals can be obtained by contacting the TML Multistate Intergovernmental Employee Benefits Pool via email at stephanie.chtata@tmlmultistateiebp.org or by calling 512-719-6754.

Proposals must be received by July 11, 2016 by 10:00 a.m. CDT.

#9083 June 26 & 28, 2016

PUBLIC NOTICE

Advertisement for Sealed Offers

RFO# 16-007 SURPLUS MOBILE HOMES

The Howard County Junior College District is accepting sealed offers for five surplus mobile homes.

Documents may be obtained from Steven A. Smith, Chief Business Officer, Howard College, 1001 Birdwell Lane, Big Spring, TX 79720, (432) 264-5175. Responses will be accepted through 2:00 PM. Tuesday, July 12, 2016.



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in Old Main South Annex, Room 131, Howard College, 1001 Birdwell Lane, Big Spring, TX 79720, at which time they will be read into record.

All questions should be directed to Steven A. Smith, Chief Business Officer, 1001 Birdwell Lane, Big Spring, TX 79720, (432) 264-5175. Howard County Junior College District reserves the right to reject any and all responses.

#9080 June 19 & 26, 2016

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR COMMERCIAL OIL & GAS WASTE DISPOSAL WELL PERMIT

Environmental Disposal Systems, 110 N. Marinfeld, Ste. 200 Midland, Texas 79701

Is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for Commercial permit to dispose of produced salt water or other oil and gas waste by well injection into a porous formation which is not productive of oil and gas.

The applicant proposes to dispose of oil and gas waste into the San Andres, Golieta formation, Saint Lawrence SWD Well Number (s) 1. The proposed disposal well is located 11 miles in a South/Southeast direction from Garden City, Texas, in the Sprabery (Trend Area) field, in Section 24, Block 35, T-5-S, T & P RR Co. Survey, Glasscock County, Texas.

The waste water will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 3040' to 5140 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas.

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Texas Supreme Court side-steps home schooling

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — The Texas Supreme Court sided Friday with a family accused of not teaching its children anything while waiting to be “raptured,” but failed to answer larger constitutional questions about whether home-schooled students must be properly educated.

The 6-3 decision by the all-Republican court on technical grounds means nothing was decided regarding a showdown between religious liberties and educational requirements in America’s largest conservative state, though it will live on in lower Texas courts.

Texas doesn’t require parents who home-school their children to register with state authorities. While families must meet “basic educational goals” in reading, spelling, grammar, mathematics and citizenship, they don’t have to give standardized testing or otherwise prove student progress is made.

Problems for Laura and Michael McIntyre, who once educated their nine children in an empty office at the family’s motorcycle dealership in El Paso, arose after an uncle told the school district that he never saw the children do much of anything educational. According to court filings, he also overheard of the children tell a cousin “they did not need to do school-work because they were going to be raptured,” or blessed by the second coming of Jesus Christ.

The family’s eldest daughter, 17-year-old Tori, ran away from

home in 2006 so she could return to school. The El Paso district put her in the ninth grade because officials weren’t sure she could handle higher grade-level work — a claim her parents’ dispute.

Attempting to investigate accusations of non-learning, school district attendance officer Michael Mendoza sought proof the children were being properly educated. That prompted the McIntyres to sue, arguing that their equal protection rights under the 14th Amendment had been violated and that the school district was anti-Christian.

The family said it used a religious curriculum similar to one offered in El Paso’s Christian schools, and noted the uncle invented claims of waiting for the rapture because he was embroiled in a dispute over ownership of the since-defunct motorcycle dealership.

The high court found that 14th Amendment claims were not a question for Texas’ educational code.

“Whether their constitutional rights were violated remains to be decided, but it is a question the courts — not the commissioner — must decide,” Justice John Devine wrote, referring to the state’s education commissioner.

The lower courts may ask for new briefs detailing each side’s argument, but there’s “a very good chance” that the larger constitutional issues could eventually be settled legally, according to Chad Baruch, an attorney.

OIL

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Queen 2747’
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9.70 miles northwest of Big Spring
A-1570, Section 6, Block 33, T-1-N, T&P RR Co. survey
Total Depth: 8250 feet
707’ FWL, 895’ FNL of 480-acre lease
707’ FWL, 895’ FNL of the survey

#3AH Wolfe-McCann Unit “10-15”, drill horizontal, El: NA
Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-227-38796
3.50 miles northeast of Knott
A-325, Section 15, Block 33, T-2-N, T&P RR Co. survey
Total Depth: 10,000 feet
2113’ FNL, 2604’ FWL of 493.08-acre lease
2113’ FNL, 2604’ FWL of the survey

#1 Laredo “17”, API #42-173-36726
Jailhouse (Fusselman) Field, new well, El: 2591’ GR
10 miles northwest of Garden City
A-225, Section 17, Block 34, T-3-S, T&P RR Co. survey
467’ FWL, 467’ FNL of the survey
Latitude 031.5650, Longitude -101.3505
Total Depth: 11,000 feet. PBTD: 10,930 feet.
Logs: Induction/Neutron/Density/Sonic
Daily Potential: 252 Bbls 52.0 gravity oil w/ 0 BWPD
Flowing. GOR: 738
Spud: 8-04-14. Completed: 8-30-14. Pay: NA
8-5/8” @ 4252 feet w/ 1,000 sx.
5-1/2” @ 11,000 feet w/ 1,015 sx.; 2-7/8” @ 10,600 feet
Perfs: 10,650-10,654
10,650-10,654: Acidize w/ 2,000g 15% HCl

#2H Calverley “9-4”, API #42-173-37166
Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, El: 2642’ GR
14.70 miles southwest of Garden City
A-419, Section 9, Block 36, T-4-S, T&P RR Co. survey
230’ FSL, 830’ FEL of the survey
Latitude 031.7972908, Longitude -101.7187064
Total Depth: 8631 feet. PBTD: NA. Logs: Neutron
Daily Potential: 1,439 Bbls 42.6 gravity oil w/ 1,100 BWPD
Flowing. GOR: 1159
Spud: 6-04-15. Completed: 12-17-15. Pay: NA
9-5/8” @ 7872 feet w/ 1,600 sx.
MS tool @ 6504 feet w/ 350 sx.
5-1/2” @ 18,480 feet w/ 2,075 sx.; 2-7/8” @ 7867 feet
Perfs: 8654-18,484

#4H Calverley “9-4”, API #42-173-37193
Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, El: 2647’ GR

2 dead in dance studio shooting

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Two people were killed and several others injured early Saturday in a shooting outside a Texas dance studio during a party involving a group that the facility’s owner said wasn’t authorized to be there.

Officers found one victim dead outside Studio 74 in Fort Worth, and

several people were transported to hospitals — one of whom died from his injuries, Fort Worth police spokesman Daniel Segura said in a statement.

Laura Reyna, owner and artistic director of the studio, called it an unauthorized event. She said she didn’t even know the group of about

60 people was there until one of her instructors called her at 12:45 a.m. to report a commotion at the facility.

An employee of the facility, Jason Moore, was working at the time and said he used a towel to compress the chest of one of the victims, who later died right outside the front door.



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TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Carolyn J. Coatney., Deceased, No. P-14551, County Court of Howard County, Texas. Ronald Coatney filed in County Court of Howard County, Texas, on May 18, 2016 for Letters of Independent Administration and on June 22, 2016 file an Application to Determine Heirship upon the estate of Carolyn J. Coatney, Deceased.

Said application will be heard and acted upon by said Court anytime following 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the first Monday next after the expiration of ten days from the publication of this Citation, the same being the 4th of July, 2016, at the County Court House in Big Spring, Texas.

All persons interested in said estate are hereby cited to appear before said Honorable Court as said above mentioned time and place by filing a written answer contesting such application should they desire to do so.

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By Steve Becker

The road to winning defense

East dealer. North-South vulnerable.

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♠ 6 2
♥ K J 5
♦ A Q J 4
♣ J 8 5 3

WEST
♠ J 9 7 5 3
♥ 10 8 2
♦ 6 3
♣ 9 7 4

EAST
♠ A Q 4
♥ 9 6 4 3
♦ K 8 2
♣ Q 10 6

SOUTH
♠ K 10 8
♥ A Q 7
♦ 10 9 7 5
♣ A K 2

The bidding:
East South West North
Pass 1 NT Pass 3 NT
Opening lead — five of spades.

Point count can be used not only during the bidding, but also during the play. In this deal from a team match, point count proved to be very helpful.

The contract was three notrump, and at both tables West led a spade. At the first table, East took the ace and returned the queen, which declarer ducked. A third spade was taken by the king, and the ten of diamonds was led and finessed. The finesse lost to the king, but since East

had no more spades to lead and West had no entry card to cash his spades, South made three notrump.

At the second table, the contract went down one after East played the queen of spades on the opening trick rather than the ace. Declarer could not be blamed for taking the queen with the king and trying the diamond finesse. When he did so, East won with the king and played the ace and another spade to defeat the contract.

East's play of the queen of spades at trick one was clearly correct. He was looking at 11 points in his own hand and 12 in dummy. Since South was known to have at least 15 points for his opening notrump bid, accounting for 38 of the 40 points in the deck, East was in a position to know that West had at most two points.

Consequently, West could not have a side entry to cash his spades. East therefore played the queen to force out the king and in that way create an entry to his partner's hand.

Noted that South could have thwarted East's play by ducking the queen of spades at trick one, but he was naturally afraid that the whole spade suit would be run against him if, as was certainly possible, West held five or six spades headed by the A-J.

Tomorrow: Famous Hand.
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210' FSL, 125' FEL of the survey
Latitude 031.7977769, Longitude -101.7165089
Total Depth: 8920feet. PBTD: NA. Logs: Neutron
Daily Potential: 331 Bbbls 42.4 gravity oil w/ 569 BWPD
Flowing. GOR: 676
Spud: 7-25-15. Completed: 3-20-16. Pay: NA
9-5/8" @ 8240 feet w/ 785 sx.; MS tool @ 4447 feet w/ 750 sx.
5-1/2" @ 18,846 feet w/ 1,975 sx.; 2-7/8" @ 8137 feet
Perfs: 9394-18,618

#0801 Matthew "B", API #42-173-37260
Garden City, S. (Wolfcamp) Field, new well, El: 2537' GR
15.60 miles southeast of Big Spring
A-519, Section 8, Block 34, T-2-S, T&P RR Co. survey
467' FNL, 467' FEL of the survey
Latitude 032.06267, Longitude -101.60698
Total Depth: 10,500 feet. PBTD: 10,315 feet.
Logs: Dual Induction
Daily Potential: 99 Bbbls 41.0 gravity oil w/ 350 BWPD
Flowing. GOR: 1515
Spud: 12-29-15. Completed: 5-07-16. Pay: NA
8-5/8" @ 4465 feet w/ 600 sx.
5-1/2" @ 10,399 feet w/ 1,025 sx.; 2-7/8" @ 10,260 feet
Perfs: 7800-10,271
7800-10,271: Acidize w/ 15,000g 15% HCl, 33,890 Bbbls fluid,
27,306 Bbbls slick water and 6,583 Bbbls 10#/12# X-linked Assist

#2HB Harris-Hutchison (PSA) "2", API #42-173-36869
Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, El: 2706' GR
16 miles southwest of Garden City
A-1086, Section 20, Block 36, T-4-S, T&P RR Co. survey
1611' FSL, 467' FEL of the survey
Latitude 031.7691796, Longitude -101.7259312
Total Depth: 8773 feet. PBTD: NA. Logs: Neutron/Density
Daily Potential: 633 Bbbls 58.0 gravity oil w/ 1,278 BWPD
Flowing. GOR: 936
Spud: 6-10-15. Completed: 6-24-15. Pay: NA
9-5/8" @ 8318 feet w/ 825 sx; MS tool @ 4885 feet w/ 754 sx.
5-1/2" @ 17,128 feet w/ 3,059 sx.; 2-7/8" @ 7562 feet
Perfs: 9585-17,095
9585-17,095: Frac w/ 2,416g 10% HCl and 7,147,260# sand
suspended in 177,432 Bbbls total fluid

#1211E Clark "12", API #42-173-37236
Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, El: 2717' GR
6.3 miles west of Garden City
A-946, Section 12, Block 35, T-4-S, TP RR Co. survey
1709' FNL, 1088' FWL of the survey
Latitude 031.83854, Longitude -101.58338

Motivational walk burns more than 30

DALLAS (AP) — More than 30 people who attended an event with motivational speaker Tony Robbins have been treated for burns after Robbins encouraged them to walk on hot coals as a way of conquering their fears, Dallas fire officials said.

Five people were taken to a hospital Thursday night, while the rest were treated at the scene for burns to their feet and lower extremities, Dallas Fire-Rescue spokesman Jason Evans said.

The hot coals were spread outside the Kay Bailey Hutchison Convention Center as part of a four-day Robbins seminar called "Unleash the Power Within." It's a regular part of some of Robbins' seminars; more than 20 people were treated for foot burns after an event in 2012.

Paul Gold of West Palm Beach, Florida, suffered second-degree burns on both feet that will take about two weeks to heal, he told The Associated Press on Friday from a burn unit. It was the second time he's walked on hot coals; the first he described as a "very good experience" at a Robbins seminar a few months ago in Florida.

He said the difference Thursday was that it appeared staff members didn't allow the coals to cool enough before adding more to the pile, which was about 3 to 4

feet wide and about 20 feet long. He realized halfway through his walk over the coals that he'd suffered burns.

"In hindsight, jumping off would have been a fantastic idea," he said. "But when you're in the spirit of the moment, you're kinda focused on one task."

After his walk, Gold, 44, said it felt like someone had "taken a hot iron and pressed it against my feet." He also said he saw a girl who was crying and others complaining of burns.

"I'm not even sure I could do it again, because now I have this massive fear of fire," he said, adding later that he still believes Robbins helps a lot of people and that it was staff members who "weren't following directions properly."

In a statement to the AP, representatives for Robbins said about 7,000 people walked across the coals and only five "requested any examination beyond what was readily available on site."

"Someone not familiar with the fire walk observed the event and called 911 erroneously reporting hundreds of people requiring medical attention for severe burns."

One participant, Jacqueline Luxemburg, told WFAA that some people were not concentrating on walking across the coals because they were taking selfies.

Settlement reached in Alamo lawsuit

HOUSTON (AP) — A group that served as guardian of the Alamo for more than a century and the Texas General Land Office reached a settlement Friday in a dispute over ownership of about 38,000 books and artifacts that had been kept at the Texas shrine.

The Daughters of the Republic of Texas filed suit in March 2015 after the agency headed by George P. Bush declared the state owned the organization's private library collection. Bush also had announced he was ending the group's management of the downtown San Antonio landmark. The Daughters began caring for the Alamo in 1905, raised

money in 1945 to build the library and then donated it to the state.

Under terms of the agreement, the state agency drops any ownership claims to the library collection and pays \$200,000 to cover legal fees of the Daughters.

The collection of books, maps, flags and other artifacts used by researchers is being moved from the Alamo grounds to the Texas A&M-San Antonio campus.

"We are all pleased to resolve this issue in a manner that allows the DRT to continue to manage this important collection," said Mark Havens, general counsel for the General Land Of-

ice.

The Land Office would be working on its "primary goal of conserving this treasured historic site and enhancing the visitor experience at the Alamo, the cradle of Texas Liberty," Havens said.

The suit argued the items were donated to the Daughters and that the donors wanted the items maintained under the group's stewardship, not the state's.

The case had been set for trial earlier this month in San Antonio but had been postponed amid settlement talks.

The Land Office became involved with the Alamo in 2011 at the behest of the Texas Legislature.

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News in brief

Britain, EU at odds over timing of divorce talks

LONDON (AP) — Britain and the EU haven't even begun divorce talks but they are already bickering, as political and economic shockwaves from the British vote spread around the world.

Credit rating agency Moody's downgraded the U.K.'s economic outlook from stable to negative, saying Britain faces "a prolonged period of uncertainty ... with negative implications for the country's medium-term growth outlook."

The victorious "leave" campaigners in Thursday's referendum have said there is no rush to trigger Article 50 of the EU's Lisbon treaty, which will begin a two-year exit process to renegotiate trade, business and political links between the U.K. and what will become a 27-nation bloc.

Prime Minister David Cameron, who announced his resignation Friday, said his successor, to be chosen by October, should start the process.

But European Commission president Jean-Claude Juncker said Saturday that the British had voted to leave, and "it doesn't make any sense to wait until

October to try and negotiate the terms of their departure."

EU's founding members meet in Berlin over UK vote to leave

BERLIN (AP) — The European Union must heed "the expectations of the people" on issues such as migration and unemployment as it responds to Britain's vote to leave the bloc, Germany's foreign minister said Saturday.

Frank-Walter Steinmeier was meeting with top diplomats from the EU's five other founding nations in Berlin for hastily arranged talks following Britain's stunning vote Thursday to leave the union.

The German foreign minister invited his counterparts from France, Netherlands, Italy, Belgium and Luxembourg to the government's Villa Borsig mansion on the outskirts of Berlin.

As he was heading into the meeting, Steinmeier implied it is important for leaders to better connect with the EU's more than 500 million citizens and react to their worries.

He said now is the time to find out what the 27 remaining EU countries want for the future of the union. He said they also needed to listen to the EU's citizens and hear "the expectations of the people."

British brace for economic repercussions of EU exit decision

LONDON (AP) — The British were warned for weeks that a vote to leave the European Union would result in economic pain. Now they'll find out whether it will.

U.K. financial leaders are scrambling to reassure households, businesses and investors that they can contain the doom and gloom they had predicted in case of a British exit, or Brexit. The pound plunged to its lowest level in over 30 years on Friday, raising concerns about price inflation, and shares in the U.K.'s biggest banks and real estate builders posted double-digit declines as economists predicted the country would fall into recession.

Economists slashed their forecasts for Britain, with some expecting a recession and next to no growth next year.



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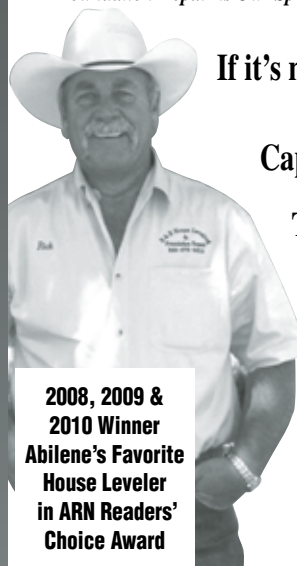
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Gun views fractious even as fewer bear arms



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In this Wednesday, Dec. 3, 2008 file photo, Delta Theta Sigma fraternity brothers hunt for deer together on Penn State University farm land in State College, Pa.

EDITOR'S NOTE — This story is part of *Divided America*, AP's ongoing exploration of the economic, social and political divisions in American society.

NEW YORK (AP) — Whenever you look in this nation born of a bloody revolution of musket fire, chances are there's sharp disagreement over firearms.

Democrats war with Republicans, and small towns are against cities. Women and men are at odds, as are blacks and whites and old and young. North clashes with South, East with West.

"The current gun debate is more polarized and sour than any time before in American history," said Adam Winkler, a constitutional law professor at UCLA and author of the 2011 book, "Gunfight: The Battle Over the Right to Bear Arms in America."

In the midst of debate over the latest mass shooting, in Orlando, it's easy to imagine that guns have always divided us this way. But a close look at survey data over decades shows they haven't.

There was a time, not that long ago, when most citizens favored banning handguns, the chief gun lobbyists supported firearm restrictions, and courts hadn't yet interpreted the Second Amendment as guaranteeing a personal right to bear arms for self-defense at home.

Today, in a country of hundreds of millions of guns, pub-

lic opinion and interpretation of the law have shifted so much that outright gun bans are unthinkable. It's true that large segments of the public have expressed support for some aspects of gun regulation — but when Americans have been asked to say which is more important, gun control or gun rights, they trend toward the latter.

That shift has come, perhaps surprisingly, as fewer Americans today choose to keep a gun in their home. The General Social Survey, a massive study undertaken by NORC at the University of Chicago since 1972 and one of the foremost authorities on gun ownership, found 31 percent of households had guns in 2014. That was down from a high of 50.4 percent in 1977.

"Institutions have repeated, 'More guns, less crime. More guns, less crime,' over and over again for almost 40 years, and it's hard to turn that belief around in any easy way," said Joan Burbick, an emeritus professor at Washington State University who wrote "Gun Show Nation: Gun Culture and American Democracy" and who owns a gun for hobby shooting.

Among the longest-existing measures of public gun sentiment is a Gallup poll question asking whether there should be a law banning handguns except by police and other authorized people. When it was first asked, in July 1959, 60 percent of respondents approved of such a measure.

By last October, only 27 percent agreed.

Many point to a single date as crucial in the societal shift: May 21, 1977, when the National Rifle Association held its annual meeting at a convention hall in Cincinnati.

"That was the moment, in one evening, when the gun debate in America radically changed," said Winkler.

The turmoil of the country in the 1960s and 1970s roiled institutions of all kinds, the NRA included. The organization had fought gun laws in the past, but also had come to accept some, including the Gun Control Act of 1968. As the next decade wore on and the NRA entered its second century, it faced an identity crisis: Was it a coalition of sportsmen, or a political powerhouse?

Leaders were set on the former, drawing up plans to move its headquarters from Washington to Colorado and to retreat from politics. Some of its most fiery members disagreed, staging a revolt that night that stretched into the next morning, and remade the group's leadership. Plans for a westward move were scuttled, and a rightward move politically was sealed.

The gun lobby's increasingly powerful voice found receptive ears among a public that witnessed the country's civil rights battles, assassinations of beloved leaders and growing lawlessness in cities. Over time, statehouses and Congress bowed to the influence of the NRA and its allies. And in 2008, the U.S. Supreme Court finally declared Americans have the right to a gun for self-defense.

"What they (gun rights advocates) did is a classic example

of how you make constitutional change: They realized they needed to win in the court of public opinion before you could win in the court of law," said Michael Waldman, president of the Brennan Center for Justice at New York University and author of "The Second Amendment: A Biography."

Pew Research Center data provides a sketch of what the gun-owning populace looks like today:

- 74 percent of gun owners are men and 82 percent are white.
- Those in rural areas are more than twice as likely as urbanites to own a gun.
- Ownership rates in the Northeast are lower than in the rest of the country.
- Gun owners are far more likely to identify with or lean toward the Republican Party.

Data from GSS shows gun owners are more likely to have higher incomes — and to vote.

Taken together, this is a description of a motivated and politically potent group. But their clout sometimes obscures a simple fact: Though polarization appears in broad questions on gun rights, far more consensus emerges on individual proposals.

A Pew poll released in August showed 85 percent of people support background checks for purchases at gun shows and in private sales; 79 percent support laws to prevent the mentally ill from buying guns; 70 percent approve of a federal database to track gun sales; and 57 percent favor a ban on assault weapons.

"The fact is it's not divisive. The things that we're advocating in the American public, when you're talking about keeping guns out of dangerous hands, we all agree. We all agree on the solutions," said Dan Gross, president of the Brady Campaign to Prevent Gun Violence, and whose brother was severely hurt in a shooting. "The only place where this is truly a controversial issue is, tragically and disgracefully,

in Congress and in our statehouses across the country."

In the wake of the Orlando shooting that claimed 49 lives, Democrats mounted a 15-hour filibuster in the U.S. Senate to try to break a stalemate on a gun bill — just as attempts to revive legislation have followed other recent mass shootings, though with little effect. Sen. Susan Collins of Maine, a moderate Republican, likened it to "Groundhog Day," while Sen. Bill Nelson, a Democrat from Florida, said he couldn't see how even the NRA could object to a bill such as the one being considered, to keep those on a terrorist watch list from purchasing guns.

There is little expectation that the Democratic bill will pass. "They are accustomed to getting their way around here," Nelson said of the NRA.

The NRA did not respond to an interview request.

Gross sees signs for hope for gun control supporters. Social media, he said, has helped get out a message that his side, for years, struggled to spread against the deep pockets of the gun lobby. The Democratic presidential primary, in which Hillary Clinton made gun control a flagship issue in differentiating herself from Bernie Sanders, showed it's not an untouchable political issue. And changing national demographics could further bolster the case of those who favor gun restrictions, because minorities are comprising a larger share of the populace and are less likely to own guns.

Still, this debate remains one of the most toxic in America.

Winkler, the UCLA professor, knows divisiveness. He worked on the defense teams of O.J. Simpson and Michael Jackson. His research has prompted impassioned debates on issues from free speech to campaign finance.

"Nothing has ever come close to the level of vitriol I have seen with guns," he said. "Both sides feel that life and death is at stake."

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Big Spring ISD Superintendent Christ Wigington, right, presents a certificate of appreciation to Sonic franchise owner Mike Abusaab for outstanding support of local schools and students.

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3-D pens, moldable earbuds take stage at tech show in NY

NEW YORK (AP) — From a 3-D pen that lets kids safely doodle with melted plastic to an electrically charged glass that makes beer taste bubblier, there was no shortage of fun and quirky gadgets at this year's CE Week.

The annual, three-day gadget show in New York is meant as a showcase for products coming out for the holidays, though many items are still in development or seeking investments through group-fundraising sites such as Indiegogo.

Here are five notable gadgets at the show, which ends Thursday.

PEN FOR "DRAWING" 3-D SCULPTURES

There's now a kid-safe version of the 3Doodler 3-D printing pen, which melts sticks of colored plastic into goo that shoots out of the pen tip to create 3-D sculptures. With both versions, the plastic hardens quickly, so you can draw into the air without worrying about your creation collapsing.

The kids' version has no hot parts. The plastic coming out is cool enough to touch. A kids' starter pack includes a pen, an

ideas book and two packs of plastic sticks. The kid-friendly set costs \$50, half the price of the regular version.

The kids' version is for ages 8 and up and will be in stores in a few months.

EARBUDS FOR EVERYONE

Finding earbuds that fit comfortably and don't fall out can be a challenge, especially for people with uniquely shaped ears.

Decibullz touts its earbuds as the first to be both custom and wireless. They are made of a plastic that softens in hot water. The putty conforms to the inside shapes of your ears and hardens in about two minutes. If you don't get it right the first time, just pop the earbuds back in hot water and start over.

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This technology is still in the ideas stage. Global Ionics says it hopes to license it to a beer company or a medical-device manufacturer — for instance, to boost the effectiveness of bubbly flu treatments.

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